

“Hands Across Mt. Vernon” walk for hunger is today

Christian Appalachian Project's (CAP) Grateful Bread Food Pantry, located in Mt. Vernon, is organizing “Hands Across Mt. Vernon,” an event with efforts to draw awareness to the issues of hunger that so many are facing in the Appalachian Region.

The event will take place on Thursday, May 30, at 6 p.m., at the Rockcastle County Middle School track, in Mt. Vernon, Kentucky. To participate, one non-perishable food item, per person, is required. And, the first 100 people to pre-register will receive a bag of goodies. To pre-register, contact event coordinators Carolyn Lindsey, manager of Grateful Bread

and Threadz, at: clindsey@chrisapp.org; by phone: (606) 256-9222 ext.4 – or Jolene Rice, program coordinator at jrice@chrisapp.org (606) 256-3035 ext. 3. You can also register the day of the event.

Call today to pre-register. Refreshments and door prizes will be available to participants only, and served after the event. Come, walk with us, and bring your friends, coworkers, church, and your neighbors - Together, we can make a difference!

Angie Payne, Youth Services Coordinator at Rockcastle County Middle School, coordinated a poster contest to get students involved in

involved and draw awareness. Students were asked to draw posters about what hunger meant to them – there were 109 submissions, with prizes going to the top three winners. The winners were: 1st place-Adrianna Reams - 8th grader; 2nd place-Jesse Day - 7th grader; and 3rd place-Heather Barnes- 3rd grader.

According to the 2010 census, 3,984 Rockcastle County residents live in poverty. That is 25% of our community. In 2013, CAP's Grateful Bread Food Pantry served 64.7% of the population living in poverty. However, there is still more that needs to be done, and together we can draw awareness to these staggering statistics.



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On Memorial Day, the Rockcastle Chapter DAR honored local veterans by placing two wreaths on military monuments in the county. The first wreath was laid at the Monument for the Unknown Soldiers in Elmwood Cemetery and the second was placed at the military monument at the courthouse. Pictured from left are: Karen Adams, Carleigh Collins, Patsy McFalls, Debbie Brown, Tonya Cook, Carol Pybas and Laura Durham.

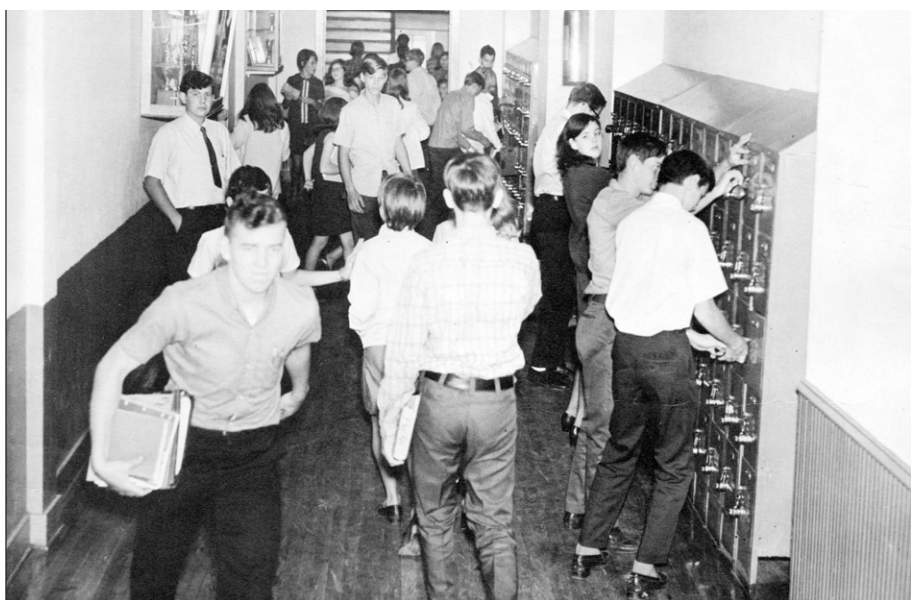


The Rockcastle County High School JROTC Color Guard provided Color Guard Honors for the DAR Gravemarking Dedication for American Revolutionary War Patriot John Evans on May 18th. Pictured are: Cadet Lieutenant Colonel Shania Lawson, Cadet Major Katlyn McGee, Cadet 2nd Lieutenant Victoria Smith and Cadet Major Amethyst Chiantaretto.



Blast from the Past!!!

This week's photographs are from the request of a reader. The top photo shows the hallway of Livingston High School in 1964. The bottom photo is the same hallway in 1970. If you have a picture for Blast From The Past contact David Owens at 606-256-9870 or scoopowens24@yahoo.com.



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Applications are due by June 3rd.

ORIENTATION WILL BE ON:

Thursday, June 6, from 1 to 4 p.m.

Saint Joseph Berea Boardroom, 305 Estill Street, Berea, KY

Please call Katie Heckman at 859.986.6535 for more information and a registration packet.

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