

Sports Corner

By Gary Kidwell



This week we are highlighting the 1979-80 Lewis County High School Basketball team. They were a very young team and coaches were Joe Harrison, Frank Adams, and Gary Kidwell. Players were Tom Kennard, Butch Bentley, Chris McGlone, Charlie Thompson, Ernie Robinson, Chris Evans, Troy McGlone, Terry Riley, (manager) Ed Bryant, (manager)

out. The Lions defeated Elliott Co., East Carter, and West Carter once each on our home floor. These teams were all in the 62nd district, in which the Lions also participated. In these games the Lions showed the capabilities that were there.

An appropriate comment for our season was made by Denny Crum, Coach of University of Louisville:

"Theres nobody that likes

Girls' State Basketball Tourney at Rupp Arena last week were LCHS Girls' Head Coach Jay Fite and former girls' coach Kevin Lewis. Both always attend the girls' state tourney. This year the tourney was won by Sacred Heart Academy of Louisville. Also attending the Girls' State Tourney last week were Marty and Kathy Voiers of Flemingsburg. Marty was a former stand-



HERALD
Troy McGlone takes the ball down the court.



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Chris McGlone looks for an opening to the basket.



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Terry Riley shoots over an East Carter man.

Randy Cooper, Troy Hughes, Roch Liles, Doug Hampton, Kevin Masters, Kevin Cooper, and Doug Jordan.

The Lions played all season long only to end up with a 6-19 record. The players worked hard to help the team win, but the wins were few. Nevertheless, the team showed effort, a passion to win, and desire to succeed. The season ended with no team trophies or a district championship; however we gained the satisfaction of knowing that the team tried, and we were able to benefit from the experience. The team unity, its willingness to work together despite continued losses and the belief that success was possible kept the season from being a complete failure.

Yet, in light of this disappointing season, there were some highlights that stand

to win more than I do. But you've got to be realistic. What price victory? It's not the end of the world if you lose. Life goes on and you have to live with it. The best team doesn't always win. You just do the best you can. The important thing is being able to go back to the locker room and look in the mirror and say you tried as hard as you could."

Kidwell's Keynotes

Spring sports are in full swing at the Lewis County High School. The girls' softball team have played several games, as well as the baseball team. Track and tennis seasons are also gearing up for their seasons. The Korner wishes all these sports good luck and will try to have weekly schedules starting next week for all the spring sports.

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Attending the KHSAA

out athlete at Tollesboro High School. They also attended the LCHS musical/play, along with Marty's sister, Margetta Voiers McFarland, who now resides in Lexington.

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Congrats go out to Austin Howard and his teammates who are members of the Kentucky Christian University Track and Field Team. At the Myrtle Beach Collegiate Challenge, they broke a school record time in the 4X200M Relay. Wishing them best of luck in the rest of their season. Austin was a standout athlete at LCHS.

Sportstumper: Who was the LCHS athlete who graduated in 1961 and had the nickname "Tree"?

Answer: Larry Thomas. Until next week this is the Old Righthander leaving you with this thought, "Kind people do themselves a favor, but cruel people bring trouble on themselves."

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Spring cleaning? Don't forget the bird feeder

Herald Report

Spring has arrived and with the warm weather and longer days, many Kentuckians will begin sprucing up their yards and gardens. Whatever your other spring tidying plans may include, be sure to clean your bird feeders.

As spring migration gets in full spring, feeders around the yard provide a great way to attract and view migrating songbirds. However, it's important they are cleaned on a regular basis so they don't spread disease.

"Bird feeders are high contact areas where you have a lot of birds congregating around one shared food source," said Dr. Christine Casey, wildlife veterinarian for the Kentucky Department of Fish and Wildlife Resources. "If one of the birds visiting a feeder is sick, it has the potential to spread disease to other birds at the feeder."

To keep birds healthy, Kentucky Fish and Wildlife recommends the following tips:

- Clean feeders every two weeks. Discard old food and debris and wash the feeder with dish soap and water. Thoroughly rinse before soaking the feeder in a solution of one part bleach and nine parts water. Rinse thoroughly and dry completely

before refilling.

- Rake up seed hulls and other waste beneath feeders. Moldy or spoiled food can make birds ill.

- Properly store food in a closed container to keep food fresh and prevent pests.

- For birdbaths, clean the bath's basin every one to two weeks by filling it with a solution of one part bleach and nine parts water. Cover the bath with a trash bag and let it soak for 15-20 minutes. Drain the bleach/water mixture in a safe area. Rinse the bath thoroughly and let it dry in the sun before refilling.

While diseases spread by songbirds pose a limited threat to people, Salmonella, a type of bacteria, can be

cleaning bird feeders, practice good hygiene: wear disposable gloves; avoid touching your face; and wash hands with soap and warm water for at least 20 seconds after handling feeders and birdbaths.

If sick or dead birds are found at a feeder, Kentucky Fish and Wildlife recommends:

- Taking the feeder down immediately and removing any remaining seed from the feeder. Clean and store the feeder for two weeks. Removing the feeder stops the birds from gathering in common areas.

- When putting feeders back up, place them in a different location, if possible, to avoid contaminated soil. Leftover seed still in the bag should be safe to use. Watch for sick birds. If any are seen, take the feeders down again and clean and store them for another two weeks.

- Follow the same protocols for cleaning and storing birdbaths.

If multiple deceased birds are discovered at feeders, report observations to Kentucky Fish and Wildlife via the online sick or dead bird reporting portal or by calling the agency's Information Center at 1-800-858-1549, 8 a.m. - 4:30 p.m. (ET) weekdays, excluding holidays.



harmful to both birds and humans. Young, elderly and immunocompromised individuals are at a higher risk for Salmonellosis. When

Quarter Auction raises over \$800 for local church

By Craig Stanfield

The Quarter Auction conducted March 18th at the Tollesboro Lions Club was a

great success, earning over \$800 for the New Creation Praise and Worship Center! Tabby Tully, Mona Duni-

gan, Sandy Applegate, and many others help conduct and promote the event. Good, job Ladies!



Invitation for Sealed Bids - Fire Engine

March 18, 2024

Deadline to receive Sealed Bids: April 8, 2024, at 5 P.M.

Date of Bid Opening: April 8, 2024

Time of Bid Opening: 5:30 P.M.

Location of Bids opening: Lewis County Volunteer Fire Department
Mailing Address for sealed bids: P.O. Box 121
Vanceburg, KY 41179

Instructions: All sealed bids must be mailed to the address above before the deadline. The wording "Sealed Bid - Fire Engine" must be labeled on the front of the envelope.

Contact Information: Additional questions can be directed to Chief Aaron Gilbert by calling 606-498-9201.

Right to Reject Bid: Lewis County Volunteer Fire Department reserves the right to reject any and all bids.

Payment: Funds are to be collected in the form of a cashier's check or bank-certified check.

Description of Item: The Lewis County Volunteer Fire Department is seeking bids for (1) a 1981 Ford Pierce Pumper with a side mount fire pump. This apparatus is being sold as is with no guarantees or warranties on any conditions. The vehicle has a clear title in hand. The vehicle will have to be moved by the successful bidder within 14 days of award notification. The vehicle is located at the Lewis County Fire Department, 296 Lions Lane, Vanceburg, KY 41179. Interested persons are encouraged to make a site visit and survey the vehicle by appointment with Chief Aaron Gilbert by calling 606-498-9201 or emailing lcvfd887@gmail.com

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