

MERCER COUNTY COURT NEWS

DIST. CRIMINAL

The following cases are on record in the Mercer County Circuit Court clerk's office:

(Editor's Note: The following abbreviation appears throughout court news: **ADE** - alcohol and drug education classes.)

William G. Black, driving under the influence, \$200 fine, six month license suspension.

Augusto Gonzalez-Francisco, driving under the influence, \$200 fine, six month license suspension, four days to serve, ADE; no driver's license, \$100 fine.

Frank E. Livers, driving under the influence, \$200 fine, six month license suspension, ADE; invalid registration plates, \$25 fine.

Louis Anthony Plitt, 4th degree assault—no visible injury, 180 days to serve, probation two years, no contact with victim.

Matthew J. Tessier, menacing, \$100 fine.

Travis Baker,

attempted criminal mischief, 179 days to serve, probation two years, no contact with victim; contempt of court (five counts), 10 days to serve; attempted possession of a controlled substance, 179 days to serve, probation two years.

Tiffany Anne McDonald, attempted 3rd degree burglary, 365 days to serve, probation two years, no contact with Walmart.

Luis Roberto Navarro Garcia, driving under the influence, \$200 fine, six month license suspension, ADE; no driver's license, \$100 fine.

William Upton, attempted possession of a controlled substance, 179 days to serve, probation two years;

DEEDS

The following property transfers are on record in the Mercer County Clerk's office:

Lee Luthe and Jo Luthe to Troy Lee and Fannie L. Combs,

property located in Washington and Mercer Counties, \$104,750.

Lee Luthe and Jo Luthe to Walter Yanacek Jr., property located in Washington and Mercer Counties, \$56,250.

The Estate of Jane Ellen Reed by Gary Wayne Devine and Allen Lee Devine, co-executors, to Julia N. and Kevin Brock Henson, property located at 3398 Mackville Road, \$118,000.

Priorities LLC to Carver Group Inc., property located in Mercer County, \$385,000.

The Estate of Kevin Todd Davis, by and through Nakayla Key, administrator, to Golden R Properties LLC, property with an address of 221 Park Avenue, \$48,500.

Cecilia Patterson McCrosky Brock to Stanley and Angie Patton, property located at 124 Robb Road, \$18,000.

Joseph Craig Latimer, Executor of the Estate of James C.

Latimer, to Jillian and Royce E. Blevins II, two tracts of property located in Mercer County, \$230,000.

Hays H. Ellis to William H. and Marva C. Stanback, property designated as 579 Ashley Camp Road, \$350,200.

Matthew Wilson Adkins to RR Investment Properties LLC, property located in Mercer County, \$183,400.

Starboard Marine LLC to Joshua Brian Bartley, property located at 122 Pandora Drive, fair cash value of \$275,500.

Bartleys' Pandora Marina Inc. to Joshua Brian Bartley, property located at 0 Carmichael and 0 Herrington Woods, fair cash value of \$508,512.

Martha S. Reed to Twana Jean and William H. Patrick and Wilma Curry, property located at 1028 Hancock Circle, \$225,000.

Anthony Wayne and Sandra Niemiec Owens to Moore Estates LLC, property locat-

ed in Mercer County, \$175,000.

Rhonda and Jerry Mattingly to Todd A. and Vicki A. Payton, property located in Mercer County, \$450,000.

AAMG FC Properties LLC, Jeffrey A. Herrington, public administrator of the Estate of Bessie Murphy, Unknown Occupant, Tenant of Lessee of 828 Rosewood Street and the City of Harrodsburg, by and through Larry Catlett, Master Commissioner of the Mercer Circuit Court, to Robert Lee Devine, property located at 828 Rosewood Street, \$137,000.

Charles Stanley Richards to Logan Vance Reed, property located in Mercer County, fair cash value of \$4,000.

Charles Stanley Richards to Logan Vance Reed, property located in Mercer County, fair cash value of \$25,000.

Nicholas and Kathryn Colosimo Souther to Chasen and Lauren Moore, prop-

erty located in Mercer County, \$410,000.

Erica Rae and Reiss Braden Baxter to Alena Jones, property located in Mercer County, \$150,000.

Ashley Gean Eaves to Samuel Colton Brown, property located in Mercer County, \$265,000.

EVICCTIONS

The following evictions are on record in the Mercer County Clerk's office:

Housing Authority of Harrodsburg was awarded restitution of the property located at 758 Stoner Street from Angelica Stanley, Amber Lister and Austin Stanley.

Berkshire Apartments Ltd. I was awarded restitution of the property located at 830 North College Street No. 113 from Sandra Fultz and all other occupants.

Berkshire Apartments Ltd. II was awarded restitution of

the property located at 830 North College Street No. 152 from John Turner, Betty Turner, Temika Turner, et al.

CIVIL

The following civil cases were filed at the Mercer County Circuit Clerk's office:

Lendmark Financial Services LLC vs. Amanda J. Harris, \$5,074.90 plus any and all other relief.

Lendmark Financial Services LLC vs. Shawn A. Wagers, \$11,473.20 plus any and all other relief.

Westlake Services doing business as Westlake Financial Services vs. Olivia Nicole Carrier, \$10,523.89 plus any and all other relief.

Westlake Services doing business as Westlake Financial Services vs. John Logan, \$6,527.70 plus any and all other relief.

POLICE NEWS

The following cases have been or are currently being investigated by the Mercer County Sheriff's Office (MCSO) or Harrodsburg Police Department (HPD). The information is drawn from police reports and public records at Boyle County Detention Center (BCDC). Anyone with information on cases still under investigation is urged to contact the HPD at 859-734-5120 or the MCSO at 859-734-4221. Unless otherwise noted, all subjects are being held

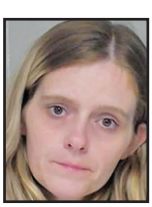
at BCDC.

All charges are merely allegations. All defendants are presumed innocent until proven guilty beyond reasonable doubt in a court of law.

Arrests:

Tuesday, Nov. 11

Crystal Devine, 33, of Harrodsburg, was arrested and charged with 1st degree trafficking in fentan-



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yl, 1st degree wanton endangerment and possession of drug paraphernalia. Arrest: Cpl. Chase Hale (HPD). No bond (Woodford County Detention Center).

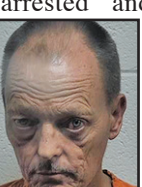
Thursday, Nov. 13

Christopher Aladdin Dunn, 47, of Burgin, was served with a warrant for failure to appear. Arrest: Trooper Johnson (Kentucky State Police). Released from Boyle County Detention Center after posting a \$1,000 bond.

Friday, Nov. 14

William Stamper,

58, of Lexington, was arrested and charged



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with 1st degree wanton endangerment, reckless driving, possession of drug paraphernalia, 1st degree possession of fentanyl, 1st degree possession of methamphetamine and 2nd degree possession of an unspecified drug. In addition, Stamper was served with a warrant for another

police agency. Arrest: MCSO. Bonds: \$5,300 (Jessamine County Detention Center).

Sunday, Nov. 16

Anthony Yoder, 40, of Harrodsburg, was served with warrants for



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another police agency and failure to appear. Arrest: MCSO. No bond (Jessamine County Detention Center).

Move Over on Roadways To Keep First Responders Safe

During Crash Responder Safety Week, Nov. 17-21, Team Kentucky reminds drivers to slow down, move over and stay alert to keep first responders safe. Behind every flashing light is a responder working to save a life or protect our community. Protecting those who protect us starts behind the wheel.

"First responders put their lives at risk every day to keep Kentuckians safe, which is why we are reminding folks that we can all do our part to protect those who protect us by staying focused, remaining alert, and slowing down or moving over

when you see flashing lights on the side of a roadway," said Gov. Andy Beshear.

Kentucky's "Slow Down, Move Over" law was expanded in July 2024 (KSR 189.930) to protect not only first responders but anyone in distress on the side of the road. The updated law requires drivers to move over a lane or slow down when approaching any stationary vehicle displaying flashing lights or warning signals, including emergency vehicles, tow trucks, and any vehicle with hazard lights or warning devices.

"Our roadways are safer

when drivers stay aware and give space to anyone on the side of the road," said Kentucky Transportation Cabinet Secretary Jim Gray. "Whether it's a first responder, a tow truck operator, or a fellow driver dealing with an emergency, slowing down and moving over is a simple action that can prevent serious injuries or save a life. It's not only the law; it's the right thing to do."

Every year, lives are put at risk when drivers fail to slow down or move over for first responders. In Kentucky, over the past three years, crashes involving emergency vehicles in

response to an incident resulted in more than 1,000 collisions, more than 360 injuries and six deaths. In addition to educating motorists, local responders are encouraged to take the free National Traffic Incident Management Responder training from the Federal Highway Administration to stay updated on best practices. More than 600,000 responders nationwide to date have been trained through free in-person, online instructor-led, or online self-paced curriculum.

All 50 states have enacted "Move Over" laws.

remain vigilant if they used ByHeart Whole Nutrition infant formula.

Recommendations:

• Stop using any ByHeart Whole Nutrition infant formula immediately.

• If a baby consumed a recalled product, close it, label it as DO NOT USE, and keep it for 30 days. If the baby remains symptom-free, discard it.

• Take a photo or record the information on the bottom of the product.

• If the product was never opened or used, it's safe to discard it now.

There is now an Infant Botulism Outbreak Hotline if you have questions. Call 1-833-398-2022.

23 botulism cases tied to infant formula recall, with one in Kentucky

Melissa Patrick
Kentucky Health News

A total of 23 infants in 13 states, including one in Kentucky, have been hospitalized amid an outbreak of infant botulism linked to a recalled ByHeart formula, according to federal health officials.

The Associated Press reports that the Kentucky case involves the daughter of Michael and Hanna Everett, of Richmond. Piper is 4-months-old and was hospitalized on Nov. 8 with worsening symptoms of the disease. The AP reports that the Everetts, along with another family from Arizona, have filed lawsuits against the makers of the ByHeart baby

formula.

Updated advisories, published Friday, Nov. 14, from the Centers for Disease Control and Prevention and the U.S. Food and Drug Administration, say the recent outbreak total includes eight new cases, up from the 15 reported in the Nov. 11 update. No deaths have been reported.

A multistate outbreak investigation is ongoing by the FDA and CDC, in collaboration with the California Department of Public Health Infant Botulism Treatment and Prevention Program, along with other state and local health authorities, according to the advisories.

The outbreak now

includes Arizona, California, Illinois, Kentucky, Michigan, Minnesota, North Carolina, New Jersey, Oregon, Pennsylvania, Rhode Island, Texas and Washington, according to the CDC.

Botulism is a rare but serious illness. According to the CDC, it is caused by a bacteria that can produce toxin in food, wounds and the intestines of infants. The toxin attacks the body's nerves and causes difficulty breathing, muscle paralysis and even death.

Infant botulism occurs when a baby swallows Clostridium botulinum spores, which can then grow in the gut and produce toxin, the agency states.

Symptoms of infant botulism can include poor feeding, constipation, loss of head control, decreased facial expression and difficulty swallowing. If untreated, infants with infant botulism experience progressive, flaccid paralysis that can lead to breathing difficulties and require weeks of hospitalization, according to the CDC.

"Seek immediate medical care if your infant has consumed ByHeart Whole Nutrition Infant Formula and has any of these symptoms," the CDC states.

Further, the CDC says that because symptoms of infant botulism can take several weeks to develop, parents should

KSP troopers get promoted

The Kentucky State Police recognized 64 troopers and officers who have been promoted into leadership roles, including two majors, 11 captains, 20 lieutenants and 31 sergeants dedicated to protecting the commonwealth. KSP Commissioner Phillip Burnett Jr. and Lt. Gov. Jacqueline Coleman presented plaques commemorating the service of those who were recently promoted to their new roles during a ceremony in Frankfort.

Commissioner Burnett commended the group for their professionalism and perseverance, reminding them that true leadership is measured by the example they set.

"Leadership isn't defined by rank but by responsibility," Burnett said. "It means guiding others with integrity and ensuring that those you lead have the support to succeed. I'm confident each of you will uphold the proud tradition of service that defines the Kentucky State Police."

Recipients from Post 7 include:

• Trooper Steven Davidson II was promoted to sergeant and is assigned to Post 7, Richmond.

• Trooper Phillip Montgomery was promoted to sergeant and is assigned to Post 7, Richmond.

• Trooper Jeremy Moore was promoted to sergeant and is assigned to Post 7, Richmond.

The complete list of promotions is available on the KSP website.

KSP is looking to recruit the next generation of law enforcement leaders. Individuals interested in a career of service, leadership and honor are encouraged to apply today at JoinKSP.com.

For more information about KSP's commitment to creating a better Kentucky by making the commonwealth's streets safer, communities stronger and the nation more secure by providing exceptional law enforcement, visit kentuckystate-police.ky.gov.

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LeMayne Ellis, DVM

Bluegrass Animal Hospital

210 Morris Drive, Harrodsburg, Ky.

Grooming by Amanda

**Office Hours: Mon.-Fri. 8:30-5:00;
Sat. 9:00-12:00**

Phone 734-5546

21 For Rent

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