Looking back to Nov. 26, 2018

Written by Christy Hoots

The following information was entered into the Nov. 26, 2018, edition of The Ledger Independent:

Hamilton to be parade grand marshal

Stephanie Hamilton has been chosen as the grand marshal of the Brooksville Small Town Christmas parade.

Hamilton, owner of Brooksville Childcare, was chosen for awhile. Then I got married

after letters of recommendation were received naming her, according to Brooksville City Council Member Melinda Kurtz.

"She is a great asset to our community," Kurtz said.

Hamilton was born and raised in Bracken County. She graduated from Bracken County High School in 1996 and went to Morehead State University where she studied early childhood education.

"I worked at a daycare center

and opened an in-home daycare," she said.

According to Hamilton, she stayed in Bracken County because of the community and the people.

"The people here are amazing," she said. "Everyone knows everyone else. It's just a safe place to raise children and people care about each other. If you ever need anything, people chip in and they help each other. I've enjoyed seeing this community grow."

Hamilton said she was excit-

ed about being chosen as grand marshal.

"I'm excited," she said. "But I was shocked. When I found out who wrote the letters I was really appreciative and I still am. I'm blessed to have them as friends. They took the time to write letters."

One of the letters was from employees of the daycare Hamilton owns.

"I couldn't believe it," she said. "I sometimes wonder how they feel about working there and then I found out they wrote one of the letters. We're like a family there and this just goes

to show that." Hamilton said she tries to be involved with the community and sits on the Bracken County Middle School Site-Based Council and the Family

Resource Center Board. "They do so much for the community and I just wanted to be a part of that," she said.

The Brooksville parade will be held on Saturday, Dec. 1 at 4:30 p.m., starting at Bracken County High School.

Mason County Joint Planning Commission to hold public hearings

Staff Report

On Wednesday, Dec. 3, at 5:30 p.m., a special meeting will take place at the Crockett Auditorium at the Maysville Community and Technical College (MCTC), during which Andy Schall, a retained expert with Kimley-Horn, will present and conduct a question-and-answer session with Mason County Joint Commission Planning members and the public.

On Tuesday, Dec. 9, and Wednesday, Dec. 10, at 5:30 p.m., the JPC will hold two public hearings

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at the Fields Auditorium at MCTC to hear from the public on the proposed data center zoning text amendment.

The JPC also issued rules for the Dec. 9 and Dec. 10 public hearings, stating that groups will be allowed 20 minutes to speak and that one speaker must be designated to represent a group. Groups must register with Larger at georgelarger@cityofmaysvilleky. gov no later than one week before the public hearing.

For those who wish to speak individually, a signto speak once.

Written comments will be taken and must be signed under oath and notarized. They may not be longer than 10 one-sided pages, double-spaced with oneinch margins and typed in 12-point Times New Roman. Comments may be submitted to georgelarger@cityofmaysvilleky. gov or hand-delivered to Larger at the Maysville Municipal Building, 216 Bridge Street, Maysville, KY 41056.

Anyone who wishes to submit a written comment has until 4:30 p.m. the public hearing.

Seddon Church hosting Christmas musical

Submitted by Sally Teegarden

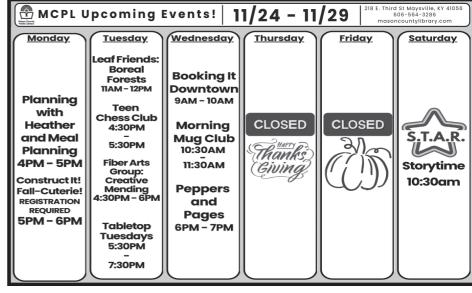
Seddon Global Methodist is extending a warm invitation to the community for a program entitled "A Child is Born."

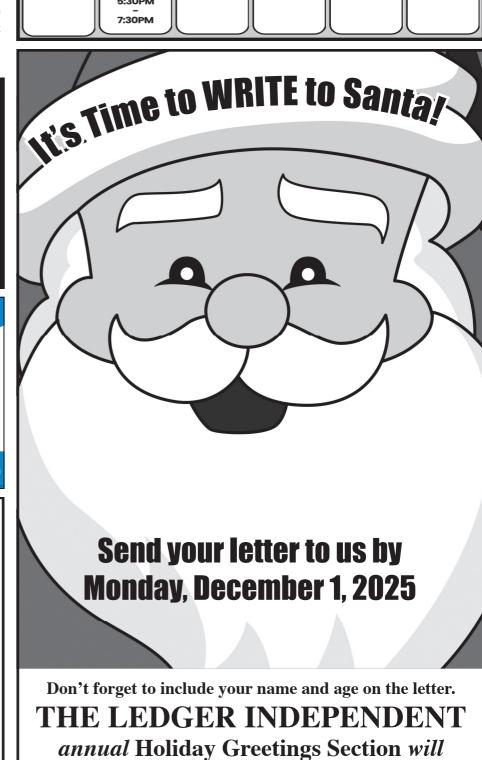
The performance will be held on Sunday, Dec. 14, at 6 p.m. Included in this evening of music will be selections performed by the Seddon Choir, groups and solos performed by Carolyn Least, Paul Earhart and Ronnie Tolle. Seddon Youth will also perform Christmas selections.

Following the performance, the Seddon congregation will host a time of fellowship, with

punch and cookies provided in the fellowship hall.

Seddon Global Methodist Church is located at 1317 Forest Avenue, at the corner of Forest Avenue and Broadway. Please join us as we focus on the "Reason for the Season," Jesus Christ.





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