Several lodged in Big Sandy Regional Detention Center

An Appalachian Newspapers STAFF REPORT

Monday, April 14

Christian Danielle Cunningham, 41, of Clearfield, first-degree, first-offense possession of a controlled substance (methamphetamine) and drug paraphernalia-buy/

Charles Andrew Hammond, 46, of Boyd Branch, Thealka, theft by unlawful taking or disposition \$1,000 or more but less than \$10,000, second-degree persistent felony offender and first-degree criminal mischief.

Amanda Lynn Helton, 43, of Cardinal Lane, Inez, bench warrant served.

Keith O. Howard, 36, of Buffalo Road, Salyersville, fourth-degree assasult, second-degree criminal mischief and alcohol intoxication.

Sheri Ann Marcum, 58, of Donithon Road, Louisa, first-offense DUI and traffic charges.

Shawn L. Meade, 47, of Cave Fork, Paintsville, first-offense DUI.

Robert Lee Parker, 42, of Ky. 32, Blaine, theft by unlawful taking or disposition \$1,000 or more but less than \$10,000 and receiving stolen property.

Tuesday, April 15

Joanie Renee Adkins Griffith, 34, of Jefferson Street, Louisa, second-degree disorderly conduct and failure to appear in court.

Nikki Nicole Butcher, 43, of Pine Street, Paintsville, failure to appear in court.

Benetta Maylene Gibson, 35, of West Second Street, Owensboro, contempt

Johnnie Lee James, 61, of Cripple Creek, Salyersville, failure to appear in court and contempt of court.

Terry E. Mallory, 58, of Dempsey Housing, Warfield, contempt of court.

Derrick Smith, 34, of West Eden Lane, Inez, parole violation, theft by unlawful taking or disposition \$10,000 or more but less than \$1 million, first-degree persistent felony offender, first-degree fleeing or evading police (motor vehicle) and first-degree wanton endangerment.

Rachael Martha Wellman, 39, of an unknown address, bench warrant served.

Mark Anthony West, 20, Cedar Heights, Fort Gay, W.Va., bench warrant served.

Robert Dale Williamson, 43. of Crum Branch, Debord. bench warrant served.

Wednesday, April 16

Justin Edward Marcum, 38, of Fitch Branch, Inez, first-degree wanton endangerment and traffic charges.

Robert Lee Williamson, 66, of Trace Fork Road, Tomahawk, second-degree assault-domestic violence.

Eric Marcum, 44, of Walker Street, Louisa, alcohol intoxication.

Dennis Ray Swisher, 71, Floyd Street, Warfield, possession of a handgun by a convicted felon, first-degree, first-offense trafficking in a controlled substance (less than 20 dosage units drug unspecified), third-degree, first-offense trafficking in a controlled substance (more than or equal to 10 dosage units opiates) and possession of marijuana.

Thursday, April 17

Richard Clyde Edwards, 42, of Ky. 988, Olive Hill, first-degree, first-offense possession of a controlled substance (methamphetamine) and drug paraphernalia-buy/ possess.

John Andrew Litton, 29, of Depot Road, Paintsville, public intoxication, first-degree, first-offense possession of a controlled substance (methamphetamine) and drug paraphernalia-buy/possess.

Gary Michael Ratliff, 39, of Denver Branch, Hager Hill, probation violation and bench warrant served.

Kent Simpkins, 43, of Buffalo Road, Salyersville, contempt of court.

Friday, April 18

Gary Bryan Fraley, 44, of Broadway Street, Paintsville, first-degree, first-offense possession of a controlled substance (methamphetamine) and drug paraphernalia-buy/ possess.

Aaron Wade Maynard, 31, of Little Cat Fork, Louisa, first=degree fleeing or evading police (motor vehicle), first-degree fleeing or evading police (on foot), third-offense DUI, first-degree wanendangerment-police officer, first-degree wanton endangerment, first-degree criminal mischief and traffic charges.

Angela Rose Ratliff, 40, of Ky. 2033, Louisa, contempt of

Rebecca Jean Ratliff, 43, of Hager Hill, second-deforgery, first-degree persistent felony offender, first-degree promoting contraband, first-offense prescription controlled substance not in proper container, first-degree, first-offense possession of a controlled substance (methamphetamine) and probation violation.

Justin Matthew Mollette, 35, of Paintsville, third-degree burglary, theft by unlawful taking or disposition \$1,000 or more but less than \$10,000 and first-degree wanton endangerment.

Dusty A. Hamilton Jr., 42, of Boyd Street, Paintsville, third-degree burglary and theft by unlawful taking or disposition \$1,000 or more but less than \$10,000.

Saturday, April 19

Justin Eric Crum, 36, of Ky. 550 East, Mousie, contempt of court.

Kyle Aaron Davidson, 41, of Melwood Avenue, Louisville, giving officer false identifying information and a traffic charge.

Andrew Thomas Brown, 37, of Big Branch Road, Blaine, second-offense DUI and traffic charges.

Shakaree Delshon Carter, 34, of El Paso Place, Lexington, failure to appear in court, first-degree promoting contraband, possession of marijuana and endangering the welfare of a minor.

Amber Caudill, 26, of Fleming Court, Ashland, third-degree assault-police or probation officer and resisting arrest.

Drake Anthony Duncan, 26, of Fleming Court, Ashland, menacing.

Randi Ritz, 47, of Tackett Branch, Hager Hill, contempt of court and failure to appear in court.

Sunday, April 20

Janice Bowen, 45, Turkey Creek Road, Inez,

fourth-degree assault (domestic violence, minor injury).

Jeffrey Donald Bowen, 59, of Turkey Creek Road, Inez, fourth-degree assault (domestic violence, minor injury).

Michael Douglas Burke Jr., 22, of Burke Cemetery, Inez, first-offense DUI and traffic charges.

John Cecil Marcum, 44, of River Front Road, Lovely, receiving stolen property \$500 or more but less than \$1,000.

Green William Ramey, 44, of East Block Street, Louisa, first-degree, first-offense possession of a controlled substance (more than or equal to 2 grams of methamphetamine), public intoxication, first-degree, first-offense possession of a controlled substance (drug unspecified), possession of marijuana and drug paraphernalia-buy/pos-

Hunter Thomas Scott, 41, of Paintsville, third-degree criminal trespassing, first-degree disorderly conduct and public intoxication.

Monday, April 21

Danny Ray Adams, 46, of Bloomington Branch Road, Salyersville, alcohol intoxication, first-degree disorderly conduct and menacing.

Editor's note: The above list reflects people who are lodged in the Big Sandy Regional Detention Center. The charges against them are merely accusations, and the defendant is presumed innocent until proven guilty.

State auditor releases AUP report for Johnson County PVA

SPECIAL TO THE Paintsville Herald

The Johnson County property valuation administrator received an Agreed-Upon Procedures (AUP) engagement by the state auditor's office for the period July 1, 2023 through June 30, 2024.

AUP reports present the procedures performed and the results of those procedures, called findings. The state auditor presents a summary of those findings for which an exception, an instance of noncompliance with the criteria, was identified during the AUP engagement.

During the AUP engagement of the Johnson County PVA, the following excepwere noted:

- The PVA did not maintain a receipts or disbursements ledger and does not conduct monthly bank reconciliations.
- The PVA does not charge, issue receipts, or make deposits for all services performed.
- The PVA's final budget could not be compared to actual disbursements since the PVA did not maintain a disbursements ledger.

Findings related to procedures for which there were no exceptions identified and official responses to exceptions are not included in the summary but can be found in the full report. A copy of this report is available on the Auditor of Public Accounts' website at auditor.ky.gov.

Johnson woman facing DUI, endangerment charges

AN APPALACHIAN Newspapers STAFF REPORT

A Johnson County woman is facing charges of DUI and child endangerment following a single-vehicle crash in a Prestonsburg parking

According to the arrest citation written by Prestonsburg Police Officer Jessica Maynard, on April 20, she was dispatched to the Dollar General store on North Lake Drive, Prestonsburg, in reference to a single-vehicle

Maynard wrote that the caller advised a Honda passenger vehicle was stuck on the curb and the driver, who

peared to be intoxicated. Maynard wrote that, when she arrived, she saw the vehicle had backed over the curb and torn through a fence in the parking lot.

had a baby in the vehicle, ap-

The driver, Elizabeth Lane Baker, 30, of Rolling Hills, Hagerhill, told Maynard she was attempting to park when the wreck occurred, the citation said.

Maynard wrote that she could "instantly" smell a strong odor of an alcoholic beverage coming from Baker and she saw a small child standing in a seat and wearing only a diaper.

The citation said Baker was unable to successfully complete field sobriety tests and refused to submit to an on-scene breath test. Baker, the citation said, told the officer she had drank the night before and often asked the same questions she had previously asked.

The child was released into the custody of a family member and Baker was lodged in the Floyd County **Detention Center on charges**

of first-offense DUI and endangering the welfare of a minor. ducted annually on both the sheriff's fee account and tax account. For more information, or to view the report in full, visit the auditor's website https://www.auditor.



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ommended that, if the staffing of the office makes this segregation impossible, there should be compensating controls in place to help offset this weakness. Hazlette did

not provide a response to this finding. According to the re-

port, the sheriff's responsibilities include collecting property taxes, providing law enforcement and performing services for the fiscal court and courts of justice and audits are con-

ky.gov/Auditreports/Johnson/2023IohnsonFES-audit.pdf.