

# Spring 2027 semester enrollment now open at MCTC

Submitted by Rachel Adkins  
Maysville Community and Technical College

Maysville Community and Technical College is pleased to announce that enrollment for the Spring 2027 semester is now open.

Whether prospective students are interested in starting a new career, learning valuable skills, or taking the first step toward a credential, MCTC can help them progress in their postsecondary education journey.

MCTC offers hybrid instruction, affordable tuition, financial aid opportunities, personalized support, and more.

“As we prepare for the spring semester, we want every new and returning student to know that it’s not too late to take the next step toward your goals,” said Natalee Brown, Director of Recruitment at MCTC. “No matter the path you take, MCTC is here to support you every step of the way.”

With over 30 programs to choose from, prospec-

tive students can explore career fields such as nursing, IT, automotive technology, early childhood education, and more.

MCTC also offers several transfer pathways for those looking to continue their postsecondary education at four-year institutions.

“We encourage students to complete their enrollment process as soon as possible so they can begin the semester with confidence. We look forward to welcoming students to campus and helping them achieve their educational and career aspirations this spring,” said Brown.

Academic advisors and staff are available to guide students through the enrollment process, discuss financial aid options, and help them create a schedule that best fits their daily needs.

Those interested in registering for the Spring 2027 semester can visit <https://go.oncehub.com/mctcnewstudent>.

Current students should make an appointment with their advisor to schedule classes.

# Warrior of the Week

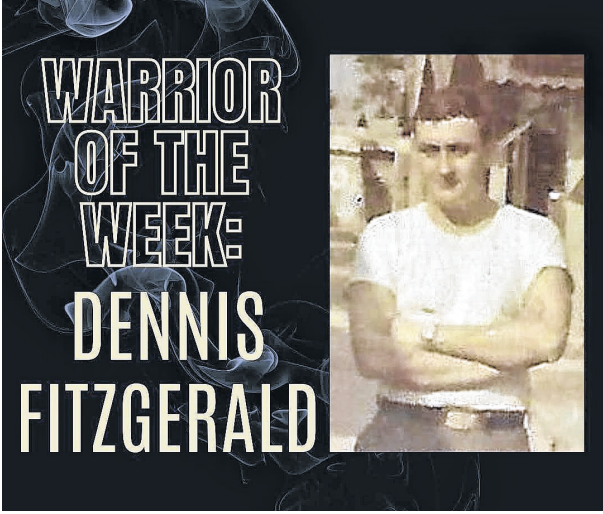
Every Wednesday, the Warrior Ridge non-profit organization selects one veteran to celebrate and honor for their services. Dennis Fitzgerald was selected to be Warrior of the Week for Oct. 7 through 12.

Dennis has devoted his life to his country and his community. He is currently the President of both VVA Ch 789 in Hinesville, GA, AND his American Legion Post #321 in Midway, GA. In addition to these roles, he also serves as the Detachment of GA.s Sons of The American Legion (SAL) State Commander. But wait,

there’s more! Dennis also faithfully services his community as the Riceboro Fire Chief.

Dennis, you are a force to be reckoned with! You are such an inspiration for community members, Warriors, our team at Warrior Ridge, and anyone who meets you. We are truly, deeply honored to have you as our Warrior this week.

Do you know someone who deserves recognition for their service? To nominate someone for Warrior of the Week, submit them at <https://www.warriorridge.org/warrior-of-the-week/>.



# Boyd Beef Cattle ranked seventh in Angus registrations for Kentucky during 2026

Submitted by Angus News

Boyd Beef Cattle, May’s Lick, ranked as seventh largest in registering the most Angus beef cattle in Kentucky with the American Angus Association® during fiscal year 2026, which ended Sept. 30, according to Mark McCully, Association chief executive officer.

Association members across the nation in 2026 registered 332,453 head of Angus cattle. “Angus breeders lead the way in innovation and genetic progress, giving their commercial cattlemen customers an advantage in the marketplace,” McCully said. “The diversity of the breed means

that cattlemen across the country can find the right genetics – no matter their breeding objective.”

ANGUS MEANS BUSINESS. The American Angus Association® is the nation’s largest beef breed organization, serving more than 21,000 members across the United States, Canada and several other countries. It’s home to an extensive breed registry that grows by more than 300,000 animals each year. The Association also provides programs and services to farmers, ranchers and others who rely on Angus to produce quality genetics for the beef industry and quality beef for consumers.

# Fleming County Hospital and Meadowview Regional Medical Center introduce new “Ask Keith” radio segment

Submitted by David Green  
Marketing and Communications

MAYSVILLE & FLEMINGSBURG, Ky. (Oct. 9, 2026) — Keith Holley, Assistant Administrator for Fleming County Hospital and Meadowview Regional Medical Center, has announced a new interactive segment called “Ask Keith” on his monthly radio show, broadcasting on WFLE and WFTM.

The new segment aims to foster direct communication between the hospitals and the community. Listeners are encouraged to submit questions on any hospital-related topic through the “Contact Us” web portal available on both hospital websites. To ensure the inquiry reaches the segment, users should explicitly state in their message that the question is intended for Keith.

While Holley will select one or two questions to answer on the air each month, all questions will be answered, either by Holley or the director of the depart-

ment it concerns..

“I’m glad to be here to answer questions about how we are serving our region. Not all questions will be able to be answered on air,” Holley stated, “but I will do my best to answer every question via email or a phone call. We want to remind the public that while I can talk about our services, programs, and facilities, I can’t address specific personal medical conditions or private health issues. If you have a medical condition or private health concern, please reach out to your healthcare provider. We want to keep everyone’s personal information safe and secure!”

The WFLE radio show is recorded every second Tuesday of the month, and the WFTM radio show is recorded every third Wednesday of the month. To have your question considered for that month’s show, listener questions should be submitted a week beforehand. Any question received after that deadline will be considered for the following month’s recording.

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**ASK KEITH**

Your Questions. Your Hospital.

Keith Holley  
Assistant Administrator  
Fleming County Hospital and Meadowview Regional Medical Center

MONTHLY ON

**WFLE**  
95.1 FM

**WFTM**  
95.9 FM

SUBMIT YOUR QUESTIONS VIA THE “CONTACT US” PORTAL ON

**FlemingCountyHospital.com/Contact**

**MeadowviewRegional.com/Contact**

BE SURE TO INDICATE YOUR QUESTION IS FOR KEITH

David Green, Director of Marketing and Communications, stated that both hospitals welcome feedback and that while the hospitals welcome all inquiries, certain topics may be restricted due to legal and privacy issues. Green also clarified that company policy is that hospital employees do not comment on issues brought up on social media.

“We want our community to know that executive leadership is acces-

sible,” said Kathy Vancampen, CEO and Market President. “And we strive to keep the lines of communication open with those we serve.”

The “Contact Us” portal can be easily found on both hospitals’ website homepages. Alternatively, community members can go straight to the dedicated submission pages at [FlemingCountyHospital.com/contact](https://FlemingCountyHospital.com/contact) or [MeadowviewRegional.com/contact](https://MeadowviewRegional.com/contact).

**ALLISON BALL**  
AUDITOR OF PUBLIC ACCOUNTS

Independent Auditor’s Report

The Honorable Valerie Miley, Robertson County Judge/Executive  
The Honorable Joanie Jolly, Robertson County Clerk  
Members of the Robertson County Fiscal Court

**Report on the Audit of the Financial Statement Opinions**

We have audited the accompanying Statement of Receipts, Disbursements, and Excess Fees - Regulatory Basis of the County Clerk of Robertson County, Kentucky, for the year ended December 31, 2024, and the related notes to the financial statement.

Unmodified Opinion on Regulatory Basis of Accounting

In our opinion, the accompanying financial statement presents fairly, in all material respects, the receipts, disbursements, and excess fees of the Robertson County Clerk for the year ended December 31, 2024, in accordance with the basis of accounting practices prescribed or permitted by the Commonwealth of Kentucky to demonstrate compliance with the Commonwealth of Kentucky’s regulatory basis of accounting and budget laws as described in Note 1.

Adverse Opinion on U.S. Generally Accepted Accounting Principles

In our opinion, because of the significance of the matter discussed in the Basis for Adverse Opinion on U.S. Generally Accepted Accounting Principles section of our report, the financial statement does not present fairly, in accordance with accounting principles generally accepted in the United States of America, the financial position of the Robertson County Clerk, as of December 31, 2024, or changes in financial position or cash flows thereof for the year then ended.

**Basis for Opinion**

We conducted our audit in accordance with auditing standards generally accepted in the United States of America (GAAS) and the standards applicable to financial audits contained in Government Auditing Standards (GAS), issued by the Comptroller General of the United States, and the Audit Program for County Fee Officials issued by the Auditor of Public Accounts, Commonwealth of Kentucky. Our responsibilities under those standards are further described in the Auditor’s Responsibilities for the Audit of the Financial Statement section of our report. We are required to be independent of the Robertson County Clerk and to meet our other ethical responsibilities, in accordance with the relevant ethical requirements relating to our audit. We believe that the audit evidence we have obtained is sufficient and appropriate to provide a basis for our audit opinions.

**Basis for Adverse Opinion on U.S. Generally Accepted Accounting Principles**

As described in Note 1 of the financial statement, the financial statement is prepared by the Robertson County Clerk on the basis of the accounting practices prescribed or permitted by the laws of Kentucky to demonstrate compliance with the Commonwealth of Kentucky’s regulatory basis of accounting and budget laws, which is a basis of accounting other than accounting principles generally accepted in the United States of America.

The effects on the financial statement of the variances between the regulatory basis of accounting described in Note 1 and accounting principles generally accepted in the United States of America, although not reasonably determinable, are presumed to be material and pervasive.

Responsibilities of Management for the Financial Statement

Management is responsible for the preparation and fair presentation of this financial statement in accordance with accounting practices prescribed or permitted by the laws of Kentucky to demonstrate compliance with the Commonwealth of Kentucky’s regulatory basis of accounting and budget laws. Management is also responsible for the design, implementation, and maintenance of internal control relevant to the preparation and fair presentation of a financial statement that is free from material misstatement, whether due to fraud or error.

In preparing the financial statement, management is required to evaluate whether there are conditions or events, considered in the aggregate, that raise substantial doubt about the Robertson County Clerk’s ability to continue as a going concern for twelve months beyond the financial statement date, including any currently known information that may raise substantial doubt shortly thereafter.

**Auditor’s Responsibilities for the Audit of the Financial Statement**

Our objectives are to obtain reasonable assurance about whether the financial statement as a whole is free from material misstatement, whether due to fraud or error, and to issue an auditor’s report that includes our opinions. Reasonable assurance is a high level of assurance but is not absolute assurance and therefore is not a guarantee that an audit conducted in accordance with GAAS and GAS will always detect a material misstatement when it exists. The risk of not detecting a material misstatement resulting from fraud is higher than for one resulting from error, as fraud may involve collusion, forgery, intentional omissions, misrepresentations, or the override of internal control. Misstatements are considered material if there is a substantial likelihood that, individually or in the aggregate, they would influence the judgment made by a reasonable user based on the financial statement.

In performing an audit in accordance with GAAS and GAS, we:

- Exercise professional judgment and maintain professional skepticism throughout the audit.
- Identify and assess the risks of material misstatement of the financial statement, whether due to fraud or error, and design and perform audit procedures responsive to those risks. Such procedures include examining, on a test basis, evidence regarding the amounts and disclosures in the financial statement.
- Obtain an understanding of internal control relevant to the audit in order to design audit procedures that are appropriate in the circumstances, but not for the purpose of expressing an opinion on the effectiveness of the Robertson County Clerk’s internal control. Accordingly, no such opinion is expressed.
- Evaluate the appropriateness of accounting policies used and the reasonableness of significant accounting estimates made by management, as well as evaluate the overall presentation of the financial statement.
- Conclude whether, in our judgment, there are conditions or events, considered in the aggregate, that raise substantial doubt about the Robertson County Clerk’s ability to continue as a going concern for a reasonable period of time.

We are required to communicate with those charged with governance regarding, among other matters, the planned scope and timing of the audit, significant audit findings, and certain internal control-related matters that we have identified during the audit.

The Honorable Valerie Miley, Robertson County Judge/Executive  
The Honorable Joanie Jolly, Robertson County Clerk  
Members of the Robertson County Fiscal Court

**Other Reporting Required by Government Auditing Standards**

In accordance with Government Auditing Standards, we have also issued our report dated June 25, 2026, on our consideration of the Robertson County Clerk’s internal control over financial reporting and on our tests of its compliance with certain provisions of laws, regulations, contracts, grant agreements, and other matters. The purpose of that report is solely to describe the scope of our testing of internal control over financial reporting and compliance and the results of that testing, and not to provide an opinion on the effectiveness of internal control over financial reporting or on compliance. That report is an integral part of an audit performed in accordance with Government Auditing Standards in considering the Robertson County Clerk’s internal control over financial reporting and compliance. Based on the results of our audit, we have presented the accompanying Schedule of Findings and Responses, included herein, which discusses the following report findings:

2024-001 The Robertson County Clerk’s Office Does Not Have Adequate Segregation Of Duties  
2024-002 The Robertson County Clerk’s Fourth Quarter Report Was Materially Misstated

Respectfully submitted,

Allison Ball  
Auditor of Public Accounts  
Frankfort, KY

June 25, 2026

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