

EARLY DAYS

TEN YEARS AGO
February 2016

Campbellsville High School girls' junior varsity basketball team defeated Adair County and Taylor County on Wednesday to win the 20th District Tournament championship.

Joyce and Junior Smith celebrated their 60th wedding anniversary. They were married Feb. 25, 1956, and they live in Black Gnat.

Clyde and Sue Stephens celebrated their 50th wedding anniversary Sunday, Feb. 28, at Friendship Baptist Church. They were married Feb. 26, 1966, in Las Vegas, Nevada.

TWENTY YEARS AGO
February 2006

Della Hunt celebrated her 98th birthday Feb. 6 at Metzmeier Nursing Home.

Ben Angel recently Rotary's Ambassadorial Scholar certificates.

THIRTY YEARS AGO
February 1996

Alumni Theater on the campus of Campbellsville College was overflowing during the seventh annual Black History Celebration sponsored by the Civic Club.

Dr. Steve Hinton has been named district chairman of the Cardinal District, Lincoln Heritage Council for Taylor, Adair, Marion, LaRue and Green counties.

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FORTY YEARS AGO
February 1986

Heather Brooks of Taylor County finished fifth in the 50 freestyle and eighth in the 100 backstroke at the state swim meet in Louisville.

Viva Gilpin was chosen resident of the month at Medco Center for February.

FIFTY YEARS AGO
February 1976

The week of Feb. 23-28 was designated by Postmaster General Benjamin F. Bailer at Postal Consumer Protection Week.

Mrs. Marshall (Myrtle) Lyon suffered a broken bone in her leg in a fall.

Russell Romine, Frankfort, and A.L. Romine, Campbellsville, returned home from a hunting trip in western Kentucky.

SIXTY YEARS AGO
February 1966

Mrs. Mary All Russell, Redman Avenue, was temporarily employed as assistant city clerk, replacing Mrs. Martha Callison who has accepted employment with the U.S.

Corps of Engineers, it was announced by City Clerk Marvin M. Newton.

The city of Campbellsville received a contribution of approximately a quarter million dollars from the Union Underwear Co., according to a letter addressed to Mayor Robert L. Miller. The gift is designated to the general fund of the City of Campbellsville and will be used to build a wastewater disposal plant.

SEVENTY YEARS AGO
February 1956

Arthur Parker was awarded the News-Journal trophy for the year by catching the largest fish in Taylor County waters during the Sportsman's Club 1955 Fishing Contest.

Mr. and Mrs. Ira Russell celebrated their golden wedding anniversary Sunday, Feb. 19, at their home on Columbia Avenue.

EIGHTY YEARS AGO
February 1946

Born to Nell Follis, a son,

Charles Bryant, Monday, March 4.

Mrs. Ivan Tucker entertained at her home on Lebanon Avenue in honor of their son, Billy Jot Tucker's sixth birthday.

A shower was given in honor of Mr. and Mrs. Herman Monday on Saturday, March 2, at the home of Mr. and Mrs. R.B. Sublett.

NINETY YEARS AGO
February 1936

The Chandler Novelty Store is making repairs on the store this week. The stairway in the middle of the store is being moved to the rear of the building and shelves are being installed on the sides.

Miss Billie Hiestand, daughter of Dr. and Mrs. C.V. Hiestand, who is a student at the University of Kentucky, has been pledged in the Alpha Delta Theta national sorority.

Mr. and Mrs. W.R. Mahan and Mr. and Mrs. A.E. Mahan spent Sunday with relatives and friends in Winchester.

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The Taylor County Board of Health Annual Meeting will be held on Wednesday, February 25, 2026, at 12:00 PM in the conference room at the health department. The purpose of the meeting is to approve the budget, set the tax rate, and elect officers.

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ADVERTISEMENT FOR BIDS

Campbellsville Taylor County Economic Development Authority (CTCEDA) will be accepting bids for "Heartland Commerce and Technology Park: Industrial Property Farm Lease". Bids will be received through **10:00 AM, ET, on Thursday, February 26, 2026**, and at this time they will be opened and publicly read. Only sealed bids will be accepted. Bids should be addressed to CTCEDA, 205 North Columbia Avenue, Campbellsville, KY 42718, Attn: Ron McMahan.

The bid is for leasing the 203 acre (25 - 35 tillable acres) industrial property located at 2100 New Columbia Road, Campbellsville, KY. The term of the lease shall be for crop years 2026 and 2027. The lease will be for growing all crops except corn. No livestock will be allowed. The tillable acreage not cropped shall be mowed twice a year, in June and October, with a bat wing rotary mower for a presentable finish. If CTCEDA sells, transfers, or develops a portion of the tillable acreage then it shall receive from the lessee a prorated share of the lease payment, as initially bid, for the remaining portion of the property the Lessee can continue to use. The Lessee will be reimbursed the fair market value of any growing crops destroyed by development on the property. The CTCEDA reserves the right to modify, at the close of any crop year for the next crop year, the list of crops that are prohibited on the property.

Servicer agrees to hold harmless CTCEDA, its agent and employers, and to indemnify the Servicer from any costs, expenses, attorney fees, claims, actions, judgments or settlements resulting from any injury or other claim arising from the operation of the services performed herein including any claims by the Servicer, it's employees, agent and assigns. Servicer shall maintain liability insurance related to the performance of its services without cost to CTCEDA.

All inquiries and questions prior to the bid opening should be directed to Ron McMahan, Executive Director, CTCEDA, 205 North Columbia Avenue, Campbellsville, KY 42718, telephone number (270)465-9636 or ron@teamtaylorcounty.com.

CTCEDA reserves the right to reject any and all bids. CTCEDA is an Equal Opportunity Provider and Employer.

The Campbellsville Taylor County Economic Development Authority (CTCEDA) will be accepting sealed bids only for mowing and weed eating services at Heartland Commerce and Technology Park, 2100 New at 205 N. Columbia Ave, Campbellsville, KY 42718. Bids will be received through 10:00 AM, ET, on **Thursday, February 26, 2026**.

The property shall be mowed and properly trimmed every 7-10 days in wet weather and every 10-14 days in dry weather. The mowing shall include the 25' utility easement along both sides of Commonwealth Drive to the gravel roundabout, with weed eating around the utility boxes and drain tiles, mowing the right of way from KY 55 to the white fence at the property line, and weed eating around the fence itself. Mowed areas shall be cleared of debris and paper prior to mowing. The front entrance landscaped areas shall be kept clean and weed free. The contract period will be for the 2026 and 2027 mowing seasons.

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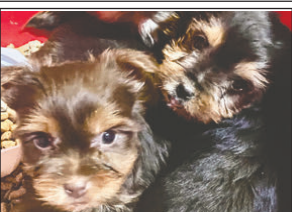
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