

**VAN,**

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the veterans.  
 “Of all the things I’ve been involved with as judge, this may be one of the things of which I’m proudest,” he said.

Russell County Deputy Judge Executive Susan Brumley-Melton said Marcum was able to secure a handicap accessible van from RTEC “at no cost to the county for our local DAV (Disabled American Veterans) chapter.”

“This is something I worked on for several months,” Marcum told representatives of the Russell County DAV Chapter 51.

The judge stressed the van is not “brand

new,” but is in “excellent condition.”

“It was a back-up van (for RTEC),” he said, “and it looks like its hardly been used at all.”

Judge Marcum symbolically presented keys to the van to Commander James Clark.

“We really appreciate this,” Clark said. “It means a lot.”

Clark said the van will be used to transport DAV members to and from events in which they participate in, and for which they provide services.

Russell Springs Mayor Eddie Thomas

provided lettering and decals for the van’s impressive visual appearance.

“I’m always honored to help our veterans in any way possible,” he said. “Just think about what they have done for us.”

Melton said all involved in obtaining the new mode of transportation for the DAV are honored to do so.

“This is a small token of our gratitude to all veterans—those who came before, those who serve today, and those who will serve in the future,” she said. “We are incredibly thankful for their dedication and years of service to our community.”

**SHEARER,**

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work to bridge the gap from hope to healing for the children he has served.

Shearer and the other nominees were celebrated among fellow colleagues, elected officials, partners and supporters at the event.

Russell County Attorney Kevin S. Shearer’s commitment to helping individuals in need is of the highest level, often going above and beyond the call of duty.

He maintains open communication with community partners and works collaboratively to strengthen outcomes for the children and families they serve.

A steady voice for children throughout each stage of the legal process, he advocates

for their safety, dignity, and well-being.

As a longstanding supporter of Lake Cumberland Children’s Advocacy Center, Shearer’s dedication continues to strengthen the center’s mission and the community it protects.

“We are honored to name Kevin S. Shearer as a 2026 Legendary Partner,” Natalie Pasquenza, CEO of Children’s Advocacy Centers of Kentucky, said “He has gone beyond his scope of work to ensure children who are victims of abuse receive the care they need and deserve.”

Children’s Advocacy Centers of Kentucky serve as the unifying force behind 15 regional centers across the commonwealth.

To honor the partnerships needed to provide the best possible response to child abuse, CAC Kentucky celebrated champions nominated by each district in addition to an individual chosen by the coalition.

This year’s Legendary Partners Ceremony helps to mark over 25 years of CACs serving Kentucky’s children.

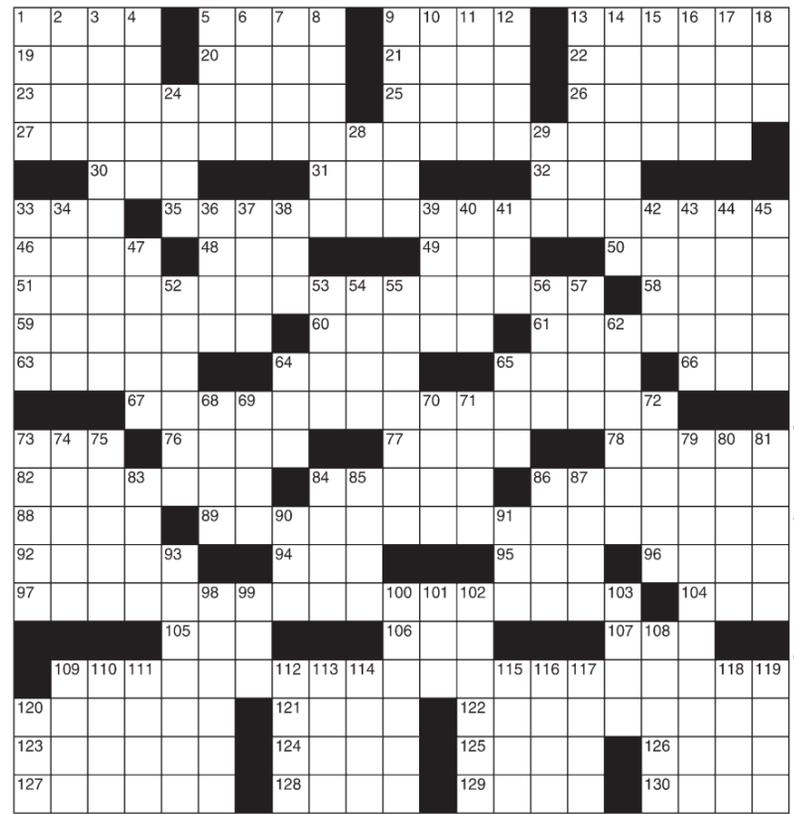
The Children’s Advocacy Centers of Kentucky is the statewide coalition of CACs dedicated to helping every child impacted by abuse. CAC Kentucky connects local CACs and their partners with the tools, resources, and support needed to provide a comprehensive response to child abuse.

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**Super Crossword**

MEAGER MEAL

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|----------------------------------|--------------------------------|-------------------------------|---|---|---|
| <b>ACROSS</b>                    | 60 Film critic Roger           | 107 Klutzy type               | 10 Egg-shaped                               | 47 Occupy, as a table                       | 84 Ran in the wash                        |
| 1 Colon’s meaning in analogies   | 61 Propelled a bicycle         | 109 Riddle’s answer           | 11 Assistant on iPhones                     | 52 Mole or enoki, informally                | 85 Q7 or A8 carmaker                      |
| 5 Casino IOU                     | 63 Acting prize                | 120 Regain a conscious state  | 12 Pomeranian, e.g.                         | 13 Accumulate, as interest                  | 86 Lead-in to care or gap, in health care |
| 9 Honcho                         | 64 Made a run for it           | 121 Challenge                 | 14 Modeling compound for kids               | 14 Modeling compound for kids               | 53 Narrate, as interest                   |
| 13 Fruits to bob for             | 65 — extra cost                | 122 Fitness club machine      | 15 Twinge of guilt, e.g.                    | 15 Twinge of guilt, e.g.                    | 54 Comply with                            |
| 19 Flow slowly                   | 66 The, in Paris               | 123 Consolidator              | 16 Oahu feast                               | 16 Oahu feast                               | 55 City that’s home to Tufts University   |
| 20 Jay of jest                   | 67 Riddle, part 4              | 124 Iran’s home               | 17 Water whirl                              | 17 Water whirl                              | 56 As far as                              |
| 21 Sinful                        | 73 Pool length                 | 125 “Jeepers!”                | 18 Sharp body                               | 18 Sharp body                               | 57 Carnival shelter                       |
| 22 Artist Monet                  | 76 “Jeepers!”                  | 126 Around H’wood, e.g.       | 24 Briny remark                             | 24 Briny remark                             | 58 As far as                              |
| 23 Free                          | 77 Margarine, quaintly         | 127 Go to bed                 | 28 Cry of Homer Simpson                     | 28 Cry of Homer Simpson                     | 59 Infamous ldi                           |
| 25 — avis (unusual thing)        | 78 — salts                     | 128 Comply with the 2018 hits | 29 Actor Byrnes or fielder                  | 29 Actor Byrnes or fielder                  | 70 Ye — Shoppe                            |
| 26 Ottawa’s land                 | 82 Vocalist with the 2018 hits | 129 Lone                      | 33 Halved                                   | 33 Halved                                   | 71 Relaxation                             |
| 27 Start of a riddle             | 84 Lyric poets                 | 130 Novelist Jennifer         | 34 Entryways                                | 34 Entryways                                | 72 Met offering                           |
| 30 By means of                   | 86 Sweet wine of Portugal      | <b>DOWN</b>                   | 36 Go very fast                             | 36 Go very fast                             | 73 Cartoon                                |
| 31 Response to a punch           | 88 Map out                     | 1 Caesar’s “vidi,” translated | 37 Numbered musical work                    | 37 Numbered musical work                    | 38 FedEx rival                            |
| 32 Clunker                       | 89 Riddle, part 5              | 2 “Late Night” host Meyers    | 39 State firmly                             | 39 State firmly                             | 40 Variety                                |
| 33 State whose cap. is Boise     | 92 Gobble down                 | 3 Able to read minds          | 41 Like most musical works with five sharps | 41 Like most musical works with five sharps | 42 Civil rights figure Parks              |
| 35 Riddle, part 2                | 94 Big Brit. lexicon           | 4 Express a view              | 43 Dentist’s tool                           | 43 Dentist’s tool                           | 44 Lauder of cosmetics                    |
| 46 Touch-me — (explosive plants) | 95 Tooth doctor’s org.         | 5 Musical staff symbol        | 45 Oboe inserts                             | 45 Oboe inserts                             |   |
| 48 Cellphone game, often         | 96 Auth. unknown               | 6 One who saves the day       |   |   |   |
| 49 — Trapp family                | 97 End of the riddle           | 7 Wild about                  |   |   |   |
| 50 Stable animal                 | 104 British verb suffix        | 8 Pomeranian, e.g.            |   |   |   |
| 51 Riddle, part 3                | 105 Toward a boat’s back       | 9 Deprived (of)               |   |   |   |
| 58 Locality                      | 106 Wiggly fish                |                               |   |   |   |
| 59 Squirms, as in pain           |                                |                               |   |   |   |



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**NOTICE OF MASTER COMMISSIONER SALE**

In order to comply with the orders of the Russell Circuit Court, the Master Commissioner of the Russell Circuit Court shall proceed to offer for sale to the highest and best bidder at public auction the below properties on **Friday, March 27, 2026, at the hour of 10:00 a.m., CT, Russell District Courtroom, Russell County Judicial Center, Jamestown, Kentucky.**

Said properties shall be sold to raise the amounts hereinafter set forth, together with interest and the costs of the action, and upon (unless otherwise indicated) the following terms and conditions:

- A) For the purchase price, the Purchaser(s) must pay in full by cash or good check on the date of sale or the Purchaser(s) may pay ten (10%) down on the day of sale and shall execute a good and sufficient purchase money bond, with approved surety thereon, equal to the balance of the purchase price payable to the Master Commissioner within thirty (30) days. Any such purchase money bond shall have the force and effect of a Judgment and shall be a lien upon the property sold as additional security for the payment of the balance of the purchase price. The Master Commissioner’s bond shall bear interest at the rate the judgment bears from the date of sale until paid in full. **In the event the successful bidder is not paying the full amount of the purchase price on the date of sale, purchaser will be required to post bond and furnish an acceptable surety thereon.** In the event the successful bidder is the Plaintiff, then in lieu of the deposit the Plaintiff shall be allowed to bid on credit up to the Judgment amount.
- B) Purchaser shall be required to pay property taxes for current tax year and all taxes thereafter, for which the Purchaser(s) shall receive no credit against the purchase price.
- C) The property shall otherwise be sold free and clear of any right, title, and interest of all parties to the action and of their liens and encumbrances thereon, excepting easements and restrictions of record in the Russell County Court Clerk’s Office and such right of redemption as may exist in favor of the United States of America or the Defendant(s).

**The Master Commissioner Sale/Deed is not a warranty of good title.** Possession shall be given to the Purchaser(s) with the delivery of the Master Commissioner’s Deed thereto. Purchaser(s) will assume and be responsible for all risks of loss to the premises upon acceptance of their bid by the Master Commissioner at the Master Commissioner’s Sale.

**Bidder should examine the records of the Russell Circuit Clerk and the Russell County Clerk prior to the sale for further information.** Any statements made the day of the sale shall take precedence over advertised material. Bidder shall be prepared to comply promptly with these terms.

(Sale bonds will bear interest at the rate of Judgment entered in each separate action)

**SALE NO. 1**

**Property: 835 Cooper Creek Spur, Russell Springs, Kentucky 42642 Map ID: 061-00-00-032.03**  
 Includes 1995 16x80 Fleetwood Mobile Home VIN#INFLR76A07760AT  
 ALEX JADIN STAPP vs. LORRIE LU’ANN CARROLL, LANDON RAY EMERSON, UNKNOWN SPOUSE OF LORRIE LU’ANN CARROLL, if any, UNKNOWN HEIRS OF LORRIE LU’ANN CARROLL, if any, UNKNOWN SPOUSE OF LANDON RAY EMERSON, if any, UNKNOWN HEIRS OF LANDON RAY EMERSON, if any, RUSSELL COUNTY, KENTUCKY  
 ACTION NO. 25-CI-00112 AMOUNT TO BE RAISED: \$16,554.03

**SALE NO. 2**

**Property: 2657 Highway 1058, Jamestown, Kentucky 42629 Map ID: 009-00-00-016.00**  
 WINTRUST MORTGAGE, A DIVISION OF BARRINGTON BANK & TRUST COMPANY, N.A. vs. SETH R. BEVANS, ANGELA BEVANS, GRAVES GILBERT CLINIC, INTERVENTIONAL PAIN SPECIALIST OF BOWLING GREEN, PLLC, D/B/A COMMONWEALTH PAIN ASSOCIATES, PLLC, LVNV FUNDING, LLC ACTION NO. 25-CI-00229 AMOUNT TO BE RAISED: \$118,971.55

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