

October, 2003



NEWS  
**WILMORE**  
NEWSLETTER

***The Paul Sawyier Story***

This past September High Bridge Park was the scene of a drama about Kentucky's most famous watercolorist, Paul Sawyier.

Adapted from Nettie Henry Glenn's book, "LOVE TO ALL, YOUR PAUL", this rendition of *The Paul Sawyier Story* was written by Elexene Cox of Jessamine County. Her gifted talents also included making costumes, designing and painting sets, selecting the cast and music, directing and producing the play at the tender age of 82. As an honor to Mrs. Cox the drama will be performed each summer.

Mayor Harold Rainwater and the Wilmore City Council provided the original \$2,000 seed funding for the restoration at High Bridge Park. The monies were used to hire a planner to do a study. When the project became too big for the City, the Mayor and Council asked for help. It was about 10 years ago that the Kentucky River Authority and the Jessamine County Fiscal Court began working on the restoration at the historic High Bridge Park and its pavilion.

Margaret Morgan has also been instrumental with foresight for this project and several other tourism projects in Jessamine County.

## *The Paul Sawyer Story*

It is because of Mrs. Morgan that we can attribute the growth of our Community Development and beautification in and around Wilmore. Many thanks for her genuine inspiration and guidance in our City and County.

Several years ago, County Judge/Executive Wm. Neal Cassity asked Mrs. Cox to create a summer drama on the life of Paul Sawyer, the painter famous for his portrayal of landscapes depicting some of the beauty of our natural resources in Kentucky. After a decade of waiting for the grant funding process and the completion of the restoration of High Bridge Park, the play was written, cast members were called, the stage was set and it was time for the show to go on!

Beginning in 1987 the same group of actors who appeared in *the Paul Sawyer Story* appeared together in ten other historical productions in Jessamine County. With the celebration of the County's bicentennial in 1997, was the drama, "Jessamine" followed by "Rifles and Ruffles at The River, "Old Jail Tales", and "First Ladies of The Commonwealth". Elexene Cox should be commended for her willingness and enthusiasm for the Performing Arts in Jessamine County.

Many thanks Mrs. Cox for bringing this together for us to share as a community. Applause to all the cast members, folks behind the scenes and those who shared visions to bring this to life on stage at the High Bridge Park.

**210 South Maple Street  
Gets Facelift from  
Members of the  
Jessamine Christian Church  
with help from  
Community  
Service Center of  
Wilmore /High Bridge**

The home of Penny McDaniel on South Maple Street was in dire need of scraping and painting. Thanks to the help from the Jessamine Christian Church and the Community Service Center of Wilmore/High Bridge Penny's prayers were answered. Connie Sunda from the Service Center rounded up a team of volunteer workers to take on the task of scraping off old paint and applying a fresh coat of paint.

The Service Center is always looking for volunteers. If you would like to take part in your community by helping others in need, please call Connie Sunda @ 858-2819.

**Wilmore's Harvest Day**  
**Saturday, October 11<sup>th</sup>**  
**1:00-4:00 PM**  
**Centennial Park**



*Wilmore Arts  
&  
Crafts Festival  
Downtown Wil-*

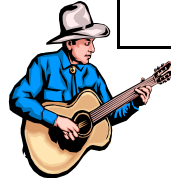
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*Saturday, October 18th*

Bring the family out for a fun-filled day at Centennial Park (behind Ichthus property on Harrodsburg Rd). This event is bigger and better than last year! Some of the activities scheduled include:

- *Free pumpkin to first 100 children*
- *Pumpkin decorating contests*
- *Free pony rides*
- *Free wagon rides around park*
- *Musical entertainment*
- *Farm animals*
- *Bluegrass Sportsman League demonstrations*
- *Hobby store demonstrations, including remote-controlled cars and trucks*
- *Clowns and face painting*
- *Professional magician and other drama activities*
- *Kite flying encouraged*
- *Refreshments available*

Help make this event an annual fun "family day" in Wilmore by coming out and inviting all your neighbors.

**Hope to see everyone there!**



This will be the 6th year for the annual fall festival in Wilmore. Come join as friends and families congregate on Main Street to enjoy festival cuisine, listen to music, and purchase crafts from approximately 40 vendors. The craft show is juried with everything either handmade or homemade of good quality. There will be different types of live entertainment all day including bluegrass, jazz, country and possibly a female barber shop quartet.

The llamas will be back this year and the sheep club from Jessamine Co. will provide demonstrations and sell their wool crafts.



Parents, plan on having your children join the pumpkin decorating contest offered to elementary age kids. The judging will take place at 11:00 am near City Hall parking lot. The kids should have their pumpkins there by 10:00 am. There will not be an entry fee for the pumpkin decorating contest.

A new addition this year will be a checker tournament for kids and adults. If there is enough interest it will last from 9:00 am to 11:30 am. The fee to enter the checker tournament will be \$3.00 per person. The number of entrants will determine the amount of prize money. This year if the weather doesn't cooperate we will move to the Wilmore Elementary School.

Many thanks to the committee members: Vicky Gunn, Melissa Ingram, Sheila Lovell, Boots Woolums, Judy Woolums and Freida Lear, with special help from Colleen Brandenburg, Phyllis Sallee, Rachel Spears and the City of Wilmore Public Works employees.



**THE WALL  
THAT HEALS  
COMES TO  
JESSAMINE COUNTY**

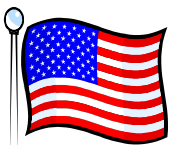
*The Wall That Heals*, a half-scale replica of the Vietnam Veterans Memorial in Washington, DC, will bring the message of The Wall home to Jessamine County from October 16 to October 19, 2003. Located at Camp Nelson Heritage Park, the exhibition will feature the dramatic replica – stretching nearly 250 feet in total length – as well as an Information Center and Traveling Museum displaying memorabilia left at The Wall in Washington, DC.

*The Wall That Heals* exhibition is organized by the Vietnam Veterans Memorial Fund, the organization charged with preserving The Wall in Washington, DC and its vast legacy. National sponsors of the tour include Veterans of Foreign Wars of the United States, Disabled American Veterans, Target Corporation and the Harley Davidson Foundation. The local sponsors are Jessamine County Fiscal Court, City of Nicholasville and City of Wilmore.

Opening Ceremonies will begin on Thursday, October 16<sup>th</sup> at 11:00 a.m. A Candlelight Vigil will take place on Saturday, October 18<sup>th</sup> at 8:00 p.m. Closing Ceremonies will take place on Sunday, October 19<sup>th</sup> at 2:00 p.m.

There is no charge for admission. For more information contact office of Jessamine County Judge/Executive Wm. Neal Cassity @ (859) 885-4500.

**VETERANS DAY PARADE  
SATURDAY, NOVEMBER 8th**



If your group, organization, school or church would like to march in the Veterans Day Parade, please contact City Hall for sign-up information. Veterans Day in Wilmore is a tribute to our veterans who live at the Thomson-Hood Veterans Center. We honor these men and woman with a parade starting in downtown Wilmore that ends up at the THVC. A ceremony and reception follow the parade.

**REVIVAL MEETING**

**Sunday, October 19th**

**thru**

**Wednesday, October 22nd**

Sunday 10:15 am & 7:00 pm

Monday-Wednesday 7:00 pm

**“FALLING FOR JESUS”**

**Jessamine Christian Church**

**130 Courchelle Drive**

**Nicholasville, KY 40356**

**Located in Lone Oak Subdivision**

**near the corner of US 27 Bypass**

**and the Wilmore Road**

**Rev. Johnny Davis**

Featuring: Evangelist Wayne B. Smith,  
“The Bob Hope of the Ministry”

**AND**

The Vintage Gospel Lads  
who sing old-fashioned Gospel style.  
They have revived interest in a foot-stomping,  
hand clapping, heart rendering style of  
Christian music that is  
captivating to audiences of all ages.

Call for more information 859-887-8757 or  
Go to [www.jessaminechristianchurch.com](http://www.jessaminechristianchurch.com)

## **J.D. CROWE FESTIVAL**

The 3rd Annual JD Crowe and the New South Bluegrass Festival took place Labor Day weekend. The event started on Thursday, August 28th with a bean supper and volunteer jam session sponsored by the Jessamine County Antique Farm Machinery, the Moron Brothers and Dean Osborne. The three day festival attracted many fans, pickers of sorts and bluegrass bands.

The festival took place on the Ichthus grounds. Concert-goers camped in tents and parked RV's for the weekend.

Many thanks to the team of sponsors who helped make this event successful. Look for this concert to be bigger and better next year!

Legendary banjo player, JD Crowe was raised in Jessamine County. The IBMA is proud to announce they have chosen J.D. Crowe as this year's inductee to the Bluegrass Music Hall of Honor. The induction will be one of the highpoints of this year's International Bluegrass Music Awards Show slated for October 2nd, at the Kentucky Center for the Arts in Louisville, KY.

## **Wesley Tercentennial Conference**

October 1st – 3rd

Asbury College & Asbury Theological Seminary campuses.

The Conference celebrates what would be the 300th birthday of John Wesley, the founder of the Methodist movement, with an investigation of the relevance of Wesleyan theology for the 21st century. Plenary speakers for the conference, which is jointly sponsored by Asbury College and Asbury Theological Seminary, include Reginald Ward of the University of Edinburgh, Roger Olson of Baylor University and Ted Campbell of Garrett Evangelical Theological Seminary. Worship experiences will be led by Steve Harper of Asbury Theological Seminary. Contact: Provost's Office, (859) 858-3511, ext. 2500

## **ASBURY COLLEGE SPONSORS NATIONAL CHRISTIAN COLLEGE FAIR AT LEXINGTON CHRISTIAN ACADEMY**

Asbury College will sponsor a college fair from 6:30 - 8:30 p.m. Monday, October 6th at Lexington Christian Academy 450 W. Reynolds Rd., Lexington. More than 30 Christian colleges and universities from across the nation will be represented, and a financial-aid information session will also be provided. The fair and the information session are both free and open to the public. For more information, contact the Asbury College Admissions Office at (800) 888-1818 or via email at [admissions@asbury.edu](mailto:admissions@asbury.edu).

## **MEMBERS OF THE WILMORE COMMUNITY**

Old Fashioned Musical Christmas, December 6, Combined Choirs for Final Community Celebration on Saturday evening Christmas already! Well, in order to have another great Wilmore Old Fashioned Musical Christmas Finale we must get started now! Last year we had our largest choir for our very successful community-wide, Grande Finale to this great community event. Can we make it even better? With your help I think we can! So if you like to sing - read further!

We project that there will be ONE rehearsal - on that day, 4:00-4:50, prior to the Christmas Tree Lighting. Most likely two or three items of a more sophisticated structure would be attempted. The music will be supplied to you free of charge!

Dress is informal.

IF YOU WOULD LIKE TO SING, COULD YOU PLEASE LET ME KNOW BY NO LATER THAN November 1st? We can then make a timely decision about the program and distribute music to you that week. Please respond by either email or CPO. email: [ronald.holz@asbury.edu](mailto:ronald.holz@asbury.edu)

One cautionary note: Please do not sign up unless you are committed to being involved! It would be great to again completely fill both sides of the choir loft and then spill into the 'pit.' Help us!

Should you have any questions or suggestions, please give me a call at either of the numbers listed above. Leave me a message if I am out!

Thank you for giving this idea your careful consideration. It will once again be a wonderful community event, one that gives a festive close to our happy evening.



## **LEGENDS IN BRASS**

**November 2, 2003**

**4:00 PM**

**Calvary Baptist  
Church**

Music from the Lord of the Rings films, Jim Curnow's musical evocation of the "Lost Dutchman Goldmine" of the American Southwest, and Tchaikovsky's take on legends of the Russian "Snow Maiden" will head up the Lexington Brass Band's 2003-04 inaugural concert, Legends in Brass. The internationally famous women's low-brass quartet, Junction, and guest conductor/composer James Curnow add luster to the stunning line up. This grand concert will be presented one time only on Sunday, November 2nd, Calvary Baptist Church, 4:00 PM; 150 East High Street in Lexington; \$5 General Admission. Tickets available at the door. For further information contact: 859-858-3511 Ext. 2246; 859-858-3877; email: ronald.holz@asbury.edu

Junction, an all-female tuba-euphonium quartet, has gained an impressive international reputation in recent years, including acclaimed performances throughout Europe and North America. Led by Professor Stacy Baker of Morehead State University (and member of Lexington Brass Band), Junction will give the American premiere of an impressive and difficult Concerto for Tuba Quartet and Band by the well-known German composer Franz Cibulka. The work explores a wide range of styles, from bracing dissonance of the modernist school to rock-and-jazz inflected flourishes of a festive and celebratory nature. Junction will also present a set of spectacular pieces for solo tuba quartet.

Heralded as one of the world's finest wind and brass composers, Kentucky's own James Curnow returns to the podium of the Lexington Brass Band to lead this outstanding ensemble in his three-movement Legend in Brass. In this work Curnow strives to capture the breathtaking beauty and spectacular grandeur of the of the famous "Lost Dutchman Goldmine" near Mesa, Arizona. Curnow

will also lead the band in a premiere performance of his transcription of the Dance of the Jesters from Tchaikovsky's The Snow Maiden.

Lexington Brass's principal trombone David Henderson has penned a wonderful adaptation of American composer Paul Creston's symphonic prelude Legend. This new arrangement will tax the technical resources of the band while bringing to life a work very much deserving of revival, Creston being one of America's leading symphonic writers from the mid-20th century. The concert will also feature a captivating medley of excerpts from Howard Shore's brilliant scores to the Lord of the Rings film cycle.

**ASBURY COLLEGE**

**WELCOMES**

**CHRIS RICE**

**FOR HOMECOMING CONCERT**

Ken Abraham, Co-author of "Let's Roll,"  
speaks during weekend

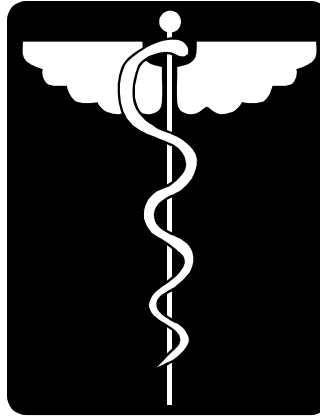
Christian vocalist Chris Rice  
will perform in a concert  
at 8:00 p.m. Saturday, October 11th  
in Asbury College's Hughes Auditorium.

Tickets to the concert,  
part of the College's  
annual homecoming weekend,  
are \$13 in advance  
and \$15 the day of the show.

They are available at the Asbury  
College Alumni Office,  
the Asbury College bookstore,  
Family Christian Bookstore  
on Nicholasville Road  
or from [www.itickets.com](http://www.itickets.com).

Doors open at 7:00 p.m.

For more information,  
or to purchase group tickets,  
call (859) 858-3511, ext. 2167.



**ASBURY COLLEGE  
HOSTS  
ANNUAL HEALTH FAIR**

Members of the community are invited to the annual  
Asbury College/Jessamine County Health Fair  
from 9:00 a.m. to 1:00 p.m.

**Saturday, November 1st**  
in the Luce Physical Activities Center  
on the Asbury College campus.

Free screenings will be given for height, weight, blood pressure,  
body-fat percentage, vision, hearing, diabetes, asthma, bone density,  
blood sugar, cholesterol, oral, skin and colon cancer and more.

Fasting is not required for the cholesterol screening.

The health fair will feature activities for  
children, including child identification cards.

All tests and screenings are FREE

The only charge will be \$15.00 for flu shots  
administered by the Jessamine County Health Department.

For more information, call  
(859) 858-3511, ext. 2277.

**LIVE! @ your library,  
 Jessamine County Public Library's adult  
 programming,  
 presents  
 "The Senior Bells"  
 from the Jessamine County Senior Center.  
 They will show how they exercise while playing  
 jazzy tunes on handbells.  
 Get ready for some upbeat bell ringing!  
 Thursday, October 9th @ 7:00 pm.**



**October 23rd  
 7:00 PM  
 CAKE DECORATING  
 with  
 JANE BURTON**

Jane Burton will demonstrate her tricks and knowledge for decorating a beautiful cake for your next special occasion.

**October 30th  
 7:00 pm**



**DECORATING FOR  
 THE HOLIDAYS  
 With NANCY HUTCHENS**



**During the fall break,  
 Virginia Hutton will be  
 running a one day  
 workshop for drama on Wednesday,  
 October 15th during school hours.  
 If interested please call  
 @ 858 - 4882.**

## **The Wilmore Friends**

The Wilmore Friends are looking for those interested in learning about crafts, nutrition, clothing, tips for around the house and homemaking. We are one of the many clubs in the Jessamine County Extension Homemakers Association. They are also involved in 4-H. Currently the meetings are held at the Great Commission Fellowship Office on Walnut Street. They meet every 2nd Wednesday of the month at 10:30 a.m.

The next meeting will be Wednesday, October 8th. They will begin with a lesson and end with lunch.

Dues are \$10.00 a year. This does not include field trips or crafts. If you have any questions please call Betsy Nail at 858-4277 or leave a message. Come join the fun!



### **Tutoring Available Now!**

**Don't delay! Fall appointments  
 are filling up fast!**

\*Report card time is fast approaching. Give your child the tools they need, to feel good about themselves and to make great grades!

Call: Sarah Schwerin @ 858-0063

\*Certified teacher  
 with tutoring experience

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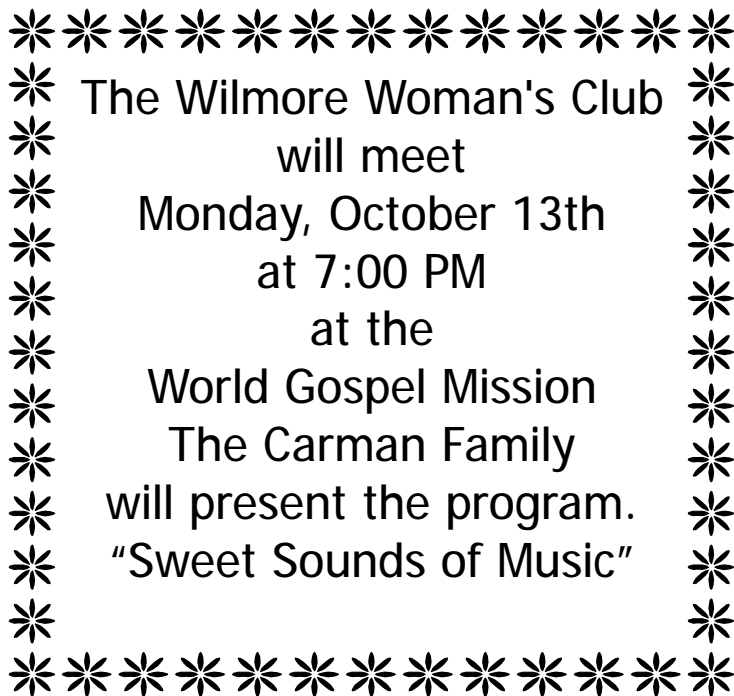
**TREATS  
ON  
MAIN STREET**  
Friday, October 31  
6:00-8:00 PM

Please call 858-9031 for more information

Main Street will be blocked off from South Maple Street to the railroad tracks on Halloween. Children will be able to visit the local Main Street businesses for treats. Refreshments will be available throughout the evening.

Costume contest for all ages at 7:30 PM

Sponsored by  
Wilmore Parks & Recreation



The Wilmore Woman's Club  
will meet  
Monday, October 13th  
at 7:00 PM  
at the  
World Gospel Mission  
The Carman Family  
will present the program.  
"Sweet Sounds of Music"



**Recycle  
Schedule**



Pick up is every other week.

<b>SECTION A</b>	<b>SECTION B</b>
(Monday & Thursday garbage days)	(Tuesday & Friday garbage days)

**ON WEDNESDAYS  
IN OCTOBER**

1st, 15th, & 29th

8th & 22nd

**Boy Scout Troop 707**

If your son is interested in joining the Boy Scouts, please call Patsy West @ 858-3990 for more information.

*If your business or organization would like to publicize an event or activity please drop it off or send the information to City Hall by the **15th of the month**. Otherwise contact Kim Deyer @ 858-2837 or by Email [cckimdeyer@aol.com](mailto:cckimdeyer@aol.com). Thank you and remember you can say "I read it in the Wilmore Newsletter!"*

Kim Deyer, coordinator  
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