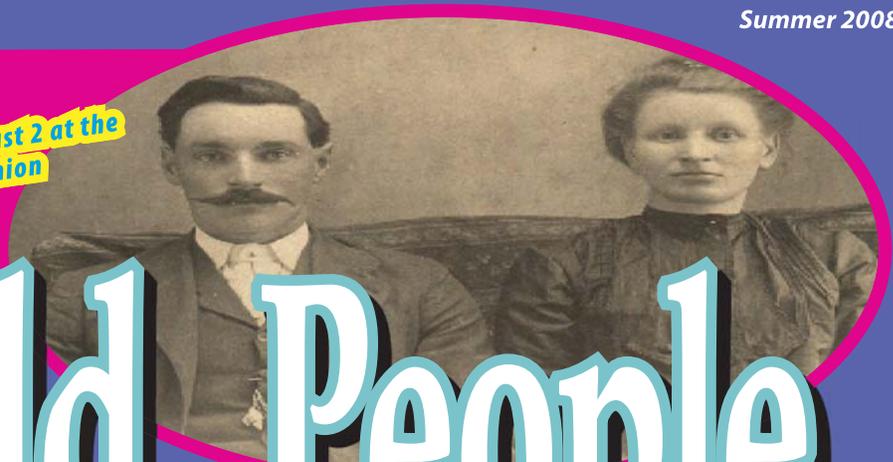




See you July 31 - August 2 at the Hatfield Reunion



Hatfield People



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Sharon, Opal, and Jeff on their Summer Vacation at the 2007 Hatfield Reunion

Rader and Hatfield announce plans for the 2008 Hatfield Reunion



Family loses Katherine Scott and Ken Helms





22nd Jeff and Polly Hatfield Reunion

Family relaxes at the 2007 Hatfield Reunion

Guests began their 2007 Hatfield Reunion **Summer Vacation** at the Maison de Jenee Wilee August 4 through 7, 2007. An indication of the leisurely weekend to come were the spa bags in each room, as Co-Chairs Teresa Craig and Joy Kay Hatfield welcomed family members.

While the focus of the Reunion was one of leisure and relaxation, Major Stuart Hatfield explained the nature of his upcoming deployment to Iraq on Saturday evening. Stuart shared with family members the current situation in different Iraqi sectors, the intricacies of planning for a deployment, and steps taken by American troops to turn more responsibility over to the Iraq government. Stuart engaged in an intriguing question and answer session with family members. Stuart deployed to Iraq in October (see related article on p. 12).

In addition, family members discussed needs at the Anderson Hatfield Memorial Cemetery. The discussion centered around the potential that the cemetery could be listed on the historic register

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All aboard for the 2008 Hatfield Reunion

Jackie Hatfield and Shelley Rader, co-captains for the 23rd Jeff and Polly Hatfield Reunion, will sail the *SS Hatfield* into port at the Jenny Wiley State Park in Prestonsburg, Kentucky. The *SS Hatfield* will be in port for the Reunion from July 31-August 3, 2007.

The cruise adventure begins on the Lanai Deck (Jenny Wiley pool) with a Hatfield Potluck on Thursday night. The family will get together at 7:00 pm to share our collective bounty followed by games on the Main Deck (Jenny Wiley Lodge).

Those who would like to play a round of golf on Friday morning should contact Ted Hatfield at 573-820-3434, who is arranging some tee times for the family.

Following a day of relaxation, everyone will head to the Jeff and Polly's Family Cookout on the Odyssey Deck (Dewey Lake Dam). The Cookout games, including the annual Horseshoe Tournament, begin at 4:00 p.m. The Cookout dinner begins at 5:00 p.m. followed by the Family Auction. *Please bring your own drinks to the Cookout.*

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The younger Hatfields enjoy the pool at the 2007 Hatfield Reunion: (Front, L-R) Brittany Hatfield, Guy Hatfield; (Middle) Brandon Sholl, Zach Blackburn, Roger Blackburn Jr, Sydney Hone, Sidney Hatfield, Brooke Hatfield, Willem Hatfield, Brianna Sullivan, Katie Blackburn, Maggie Blackburn, George Hatfield, Emily Hatfield, Michael Blackburn; (Back) Sarah Hatfield, Kayce Mays, and Taylour Hone.

Katherine Langley Hatfield Scott lived to age 90

Katherine Langley Hatfield Scott, the youngest daughter of William Jefferson "Jeff" and Polly Margaret Runyon Hatfield, died on October 4, 2007, in South Williamson, Kentucky.

Katherine was born on November 6, 1916, election day, on Blackberry Creek in Pike County, Kentucky. Jeff, who was involved in local politics, named his youngest daughter for Katherine Langley, a prominent Pike County woman, who served as the US Representative from 1927 until 1931.

Katherine was the only one of Jeff and Polly's daughters to graduate from high school. Jeanette Hatfield Smith and Melda Hatfield Morris threatened to stop working at home and on the farm if Katherine could not go to high school. She graduated from Matewan High School in Matewan, West Virginia, in 1935.

After her graduation, Katherine married Dovil Scott on March 25, 1936. Dovil was the son of Thomas Samuel and Georgia Ann Stafford Scott. Dovil and Katherine were the parents of Greta Jo Scott Helms, Larry Anthony Scott, and Sheryle Leigh Scott Sullivan.

Katherine and Dovil were the grandparents of five grandchildren: James Kenneth Helms,

Larry Anthony Scott Jr., Michele "Missy" Leigh Scott Spoon, Michael Thomas Scott, and Brianna Leigh Sullivan. They had four great grandchildren: Skylar Anthony Scott, Chad Lee "CJ" Spoon Jr., Jordan Lee Spoon, and Mikayla Leigh Spoon.

Katherine was recognized as an exceptional cook. Her stack cake, made with thin layers of cake with apple butter spread between the layers, was a favorite item at the Hatfield Reunion auctions. Her ice tea had a sweet, lemony flavor and was so highly prized that her niece, Pauline Morgan, hid it at big dinners so that she would be assured of having some.

Katherine was a leader in maintaining the family history at the Hatfield Reunion. In addition, she kept pictures and other notes and information about the family that have been invaluable.

Katherine was soft spoken, but she was very strong and determined. Katherine laughed often and easily and always made you welcome at her home.

Katherine and Dovil, who died on January 28, 2000, are buried in the Scott Family Cemetery at Mud Lick, Kentucky. They were members of the Samaria Primitive Baptist Church.

Katherine will be greatly missed.



*Katherine Langley Hatfield Scott
at the 2006 Hatfield Reunion*



Katherine and Dovil celebrated their 50th Wedding Anniversary in 1986



(Front, L-R) Katherine and Dovil with their children: Larry, Greta Helms, and Sheryle Sullivan

Ken Helms dies in Tennessee

William Kenneth "Ken" Helms, born December 16, 1942, graduated from Belfry High School in 1961.



Greta and Ken Helms

He and future wife, Greta Jo Scott, played in the Belfry High School band. He played the trumpet and she played the trombone. They started dating on March 18, 1961, and were married on February 17, 1968, at Stone, Kentucky.

Ken served in the US Army from 1965 to 1967. During that period, he was stationed in Ft. Knox, Louisiana, and Germany. He was tasked to take apart atomic bombs if they should misfire. Fortunately, he never had to disarm a live one.

Ken worked for the Grand Union Grocery in Virginia and for the Kroger Company in Kentucky, and Tennessee. In his last position, Ken was the Produce Merchandise Representative responsible for twenty-two stores in Western Kentucky, Tennessee, Arkansas, and Mississippi. In that capacity, he oversaw the deli, meat, and produce departments. He trained employees, equipped new stores, and made sure stores were following the company programs. Ken retired on July 8, 2005.

Ken was an avid golfer and always participated in the golf events when he attended the Jeff and Polly Hatfield Reunions. He love Kentucky basketball and football. In addition, Ken loved to cook. He and Greta were a team who produced as many as 65 pies to give away at Christmas. In addition to the chocolate chip and pecan pies, Ken made Christmas candy, including the family favorites of potato candy and Martha Washington balls.

After a prolonged illness, Ken died on December 13, 2007. He was buried on December 17, 2007, at Irvine, Kentucky, next to his brother, Jim. Ken was a jovial person who enjoyed being around people and will be missed by the entire family.

Carrying on his memory are his wife, Greta, and his son, James Kenneth Howard Helms.

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since it is the burial place for Ephraim and Annie McKinney Musick Bundy Hatfield, the ancestors of the Hatfields in West Virginia and Eastern Kentucky. In addition, Anderson Hatfield, for whom the cemetery is named, was a State Representative and played a role in the Hatfield and McCoy Feud. The family voted to explore the potential for a historic register designation and to better mark some of the graves on the cemetery. Nina Rose Hatfield, Janet and JB Bowe, Joe Bowe, Sheryle Sullivan, Mitch and Michelle Hatfield, Jackie Hatfield, and Trey Wright agreed to look into what could be done. A special Anderson Hatfield Cemetery Preservation Fund was established with the \$360 bid on Opal Hatfield's 2007 Hatfield Reunion quilt. An additional \$300 was donated to the fund, which will be used to do recommended work.



Ephraim Hatfield's gravestone at the Anderson Hatfield Memorial Cemetery

A sad note for family members was the absence of Katherine Scott, who was too ill to travel to Jenny Wiley (see p. 3). Several family members were able to visit with her around and during the Reunion.

The earliest arrivals to the 2007 Hatfield Reunion were Margaret Rader and granddaughters, Taylour and Sydney Hone. They took advantage of the Jenny Wiley Theater, enjoyed the pool, and visited Aunt Katherine. On Thursday the Reunion officially kicked off, as **PIZZA BY THE POOL** was organized by Tommy and Jackie Hatfield. It was a low key way to set the tone for the Reunion. On Friday morning family members lounged by the pool and played golf.

Friday afternoon, Phyllis Blackburn, Teresa



Paris Blackburn (center) congratulates the 2007 Horseshoe winners, (l) Roger Blackburn and Jeff Hatfield.

Craig, Sharon Blackburn, and Kim Blackburn hosted **Jeff and Polly's Cook-out**, another wonderful

family affair at at the Dewey Lake Dam. Kelly and Cory Craig demonstrated their skills on the grill in getting the burgers and hot dogs ready for the group.



Stuart Hatfield, on the eve of his deployment, talks about his Iraqi mission

Paris Blackburn and Paul Morris, who chaired the annual Horse Shoe Tournament, had one of their largest group of competitors

in 2007. The team left standing was that of Roger Blackburn and Jeff Hatfield.

Once again, the auction proved to be a lively affair. Opal Hatfield sold two Reunion Quilts for a total of \$720. Phyllis Blackburn, Janet Bowe, Lisa Rader, Michelle Bowe, Eleanor Morris, and Jeanne Hatfield all graced the auction with a host of homemade goodies. The youngest baker was Emily Hatfield, age 10, who made two batches of Triple Chocolate Brownies for the auction. Tommy Hatfield brought top dollar with his home crafted Corn Hole Game and Margaret Rader contributed a flag flown over the Capitol in honor of the 2007 Hatfield Reunion.

After the picnic and auction, family members gathered at the Jenny Wiley Lodge, where Opal Hatfield, Paul Morris, and Margaret Rader led the others in playing games until the wee hours of the morning. Paul and Margaret led the family members of all ages in jumping rope and Tug-of-War, among other activities.

The Nineteenth Annual Bill Morris Golf Tournament, played at the Stumbo Golf Course, was especially exciting. At the end of nine holes of playing the best ball, two teams were tied. After a playoff, Captain Corey Craig led his teammates, Gary Craig, Tyler Wright, and Spencer Wright to a one shot victory over Captain Jeff Hatfield's team of Adam Bowe, Ryan Bowe, and Caleb Covington. It was a wonderful display of the talent in the newest generations of Hatfield golfers.

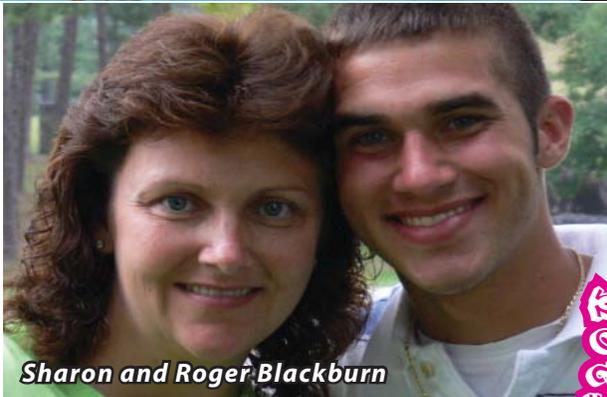
After time on the links, it was time for everyone to enjoy the water games at the pool. There were games and prizes for the Toddlers, Youths, and competitive volleyball and other games.

Several generations joined into the discussion of the family history. Participants included Jason Mays, Margaret Rader, Phyllis Blackburn, Opal Hatfield, Sheryle Sullivan, Steve Hatfield, Joy Kay Hatfield, Brianna Sullivan, Sydney Hone, and Nina Rose Hatfield. In addition to the history session, Jason Mays brought pictures and momentos of Jeanette and Anthony Smith, Racine Hamilton, and Becky Mays. Nina Rose Hatfield had prepared the extended family tree that showed the relationships among the Hatfields, Runyons, and Staffords.

After the business meeting and discussion led by Stuart Hatfield, the Hatfields adjourned to the Jenny Wiley pool to eat a huge sub and pizza before relaxing by the pool.



(Front, L-R) Margaret Rader, Polly Jane Breeze, Opal Hatfield, Sheryle Sullivan, Marlene Morris, and Kacye Mays; (Second row) JB Bowe, Nina Rose Hatfield, Janet Bowe, Shelley Rader, Jeanne Hatfield, Phyllis Blackburn, Steve Hatfield, Joy Kay Hatfield, Lisa Rader, Angelica and Jason Mays; (Third row) Joe Breeze, Paul Morris, Roger Blackburn, and Jack McCreary enjoy poolside at Jenny Wiley.



Sharon and Roger Blackburn



Trey Wright, Joy Kay Hatfield, and Tyler Wright



Adam and Michelle Bowe

NOTES AND SOBS



Taylor Hone relaxes by the pool enjoying her Summer Vacation at the Hatfield Reunion



(L-R) Jason, Mays, Margaret Rader, Phyllis Blackburn, Opal Hatfield, Sheryle Sullivan, and Steve Hatfield anchor the Family History Preservation Session



Joe Breeze & Paul Morris get serious about horseshoes



Willem Hatfield gets Guy Hatfield with a water balloon as Sydney Hone watches



Jeanne Hatfield & Phyllis Blackburn



Nina Hatfield, Margaret Rader, Spencer & Tyler Wright



Mitch Hatfield



Polly Jane Breeze & Marlene Adams relax at the pool



Jackie and Tommy Hatfield



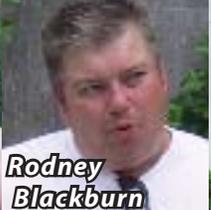
Paris Blackburn and Samuel Howard at the horseshoe pit



Sheryle Sullivan



Bev & Owen Hatfield



Rodney Blackburn



Karen Bowe



Steve and Owen Hatfield



Emily, Sarah, and George Hatfield, Zach Blackburn, Brandon Scholl, Stacey Hatfield, and Gary Craig enjoy a sub by the pool



Three generations, Ben, Ted, and Steve Hatfield, enjoy the picnic



Brianna Sullivan



Jack McCreary & Lisa Rader



Esther Howard



Laura Cooper



Janet Bowe & Eleanor Morris relax at the picnic



Roger Blackburn & Teresa Craig



Opal Hatfield with grandchildren (L-R): Barbara Howard, Lisa Rader, Stephen Hatfield, Shelley Rader, and Denise Cooper

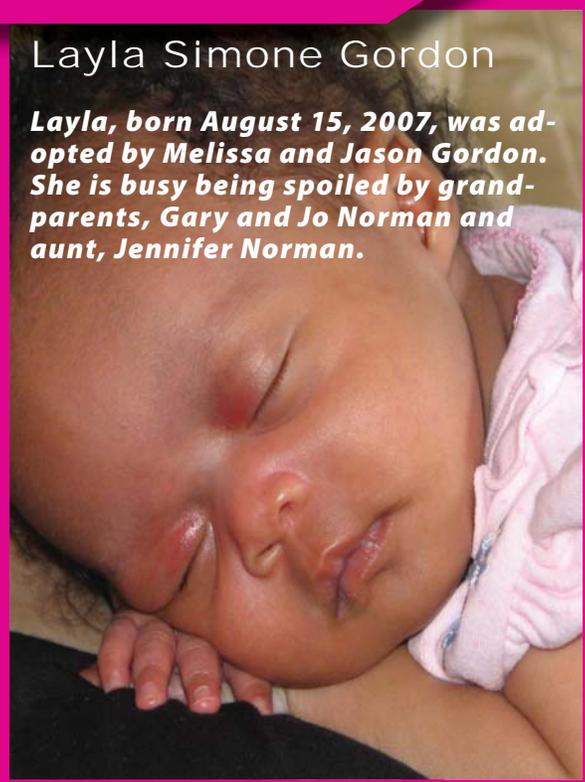
Clan Chatter

HATFIELDS' NEW VENTURES



New author

Opal Stafford Hatfield signed the first copies of her autobiography, *Love, Opal*, in May. The book, focused on her life with Clyde Hatfield, includes genealogical information about the Hatfields and Staffords.



Layla Simone Gordon

Layla, born August 15, 2007, was adopted by Melissa and Jason Gordon. She is busy being spoiled by grandparents, Gary and Jo Norman and aunt, Jennifer Norman.



Bootcamp

Stacey Hatfield crawled through the mud in Germany for an exercise designed for her to experience some of the training that husband, Stuart Hatfield, has undergone.



Getting on the O list

Everyone knows that getting on the O list of Oprah's favorite things is really, really special. A glove made by Isotoner and designed by our own Michelle Norvell Hatfield made the list in the January issue of Oprah's magazine.



Dig That Pink Helmet

While there is still time to enjoy a ride with Bill on his shiny motorcycle, Sheryle Sullivan is back among the working. She is the new Mall Manager at the South Side Mall at Goody, Kentucky. Sheryle loves the great office hours--8:30am until 3:00pm--because she can still spend time with daughter, Brianna. Bill, meanwhile, is continuing to work and to develop a carpet cleaning business.

Hatfields Graduate



Matthew Joseph Brooker, the son of Mark and Sherri Brooker, graduated with Honors from Siloam Springs High School. Matt was a four year starter on the Panther Golf Team and led the team as the captain his senior year. He was also a 3-year letter man on the Panther Basketball team, which won the Arkansas State Basketball Tournament. Matt's high school soccer team reached the semi-finals of the state tournament. Matt will be attending John Brown University, in Siloam Springs, Arkansas on an academic/athletic scholarship. Matt will continue his golf career as a Golden Eagle at JBU, where he is planning to major in International Business. He will continue to work at the Dawn Hill Golf and Racquet Club this summer.

Matt



Chelsea Elizabeth Bowe, daughter of Joe and Karen Bowe, graduated from New Albany High School in New Albany, Ohio. Chelsea has committed to play softball at Capital University in Bexley, Ohio and wants to pursue a degree in Communications/Public Relations. Completing an internship with a local public relations firm has enabled her to experience this line of work. She hopes to eventually become an event planner. She will be busy this summer earning money for additional college expenses.

Chelsea



Katisha

Katisha Lane Morris, daughter of Greg and Karen L. Morris, graduated from South Western High School in Pulaski County, Kentucky, on May 31, 2008. Katisha had a very active senior year. She was the captain of the Girl's Basketball Team, which won its first ever District Tournament. Katisha also received the Society of Character Award for a student athlete with outstanding character, academic excellence, athletic team participation, personal development, and commitment to the school community. She also received the Work Ethic Seal. Katisha plans to attend Western Kentucky University in Bowling Green, Kentucky, in the fall.

Cheers for Hatfields



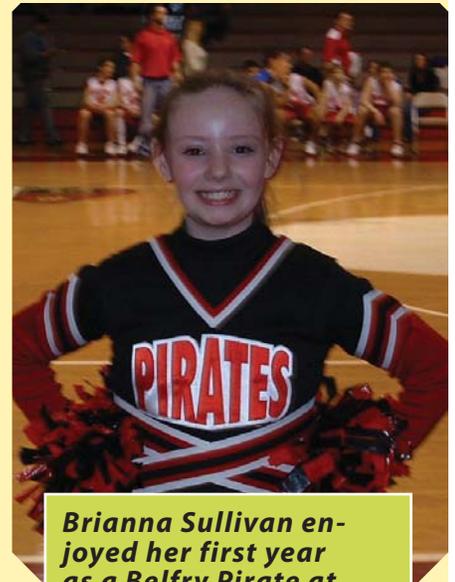
Katie Blackburn, on the right, had a wonderful Freshman year. She finished with a 4.0 GP, was very involved in the Junior National Honor Society, and was elected to the student council as the Freshman Class Representative. In addition, her cheerleading squad was the first ever to win the JV Squad Regionals for Grant County High School. Katie was also recognized at the Regional Competition for academic achievement.

Three cheers for the Belfry Middle School

Belfry Middle School joined 47 exemplary middle schools chosen nationally as "Schools to Watch" during an awards ceremony held in the school's gymnasium. BMS became one of nine middle schools in the Bluegrass to be chosen. These schools are characterized by academic excellence, developmental responsiveness, social equity, and organizational support.



Abbey Bove, headed for the 7th grade this fall, cheers for the Lexington Catholic middle school squad. In addition, this year she participated in Kentucky Youth Assembly and the Kentucky United Nations Association in Louisville. At KUNA Abbey was chosen as an Outstanding Ambassador by the participating teachers from across the state.



Brianna Sullivan enjoyed her first year as a Belfry Pirate at Belfry Middle School. She made straight A's, cheered on the JV squad, was elected class president, honored as Who's Who All American Scholar, and has won two blue ribbons in 4H.



Sidney Hatfield, left, and her friend, Courtney, may have looked like Christmas presents at their first cheer competition, but they delivered the goods. They placed third on Saturday's competition and first on Sunday's. Sidney's parents, Jackie and Tom Hatfield, laughed because of their seasonal look, but realize what a long road ahead they have with the competitions to come!!!!!!

Dear Family and Friends,

09 April 2008

Greetings from Sunny Northern Iraq! I hope this finds you all happy and well. I want to take this opportunity to thank you all for your love, support, thoughts, and prayers.

I left Stacey in Wiesbaden, Germany, in the early morning of September 15th, wondering what the next fifteen months would be like for all of us. I spent the first four months in Iraq as the Chief of Plans for the 1st Armored Division. That job involved 15-18 hour days, turning the Multi-National Division-North Commanding General's Vision into operations to be conducted by the 30,000 U.S. Soldiers, Sailors, Airmen, and Marines in partnership with over 92,000 Iraqi Army, Police, and Border Enforcement Forces in support of Operation Iraqi Freedom. We implemented the Division's six month Campaign plan and conducted four successful large scale operations in Diyala, Salah ad Din, Kirkuk, and Ninewa provinces. This is an area equivalent to the size of the State of Georgia with over 11.2 million people, divided into over 8 ethnic groups in 130 Tribes. Add in the complexity of the semi-autonomous Kurdish Regional Government; borders with Syria, Turkey, and Iran; and everything else just North of Baghdad; and you have a whole world of security, governance, economic, and social problems to solve.

When I did get to travel with the CG, it was always by helicopter to various locations. From the expected deserts in the West to the farms in the East to the mountains in the North to the palaces in Baghdad to the Tigris River running through it all, this cradle of civilization is rich in oil, fertile soil, clean water, and strong cultures. It is sad that the struggles between the people keep them from enjoying a land so wealthy in resources.

While it was difficult being far from home during the Holidays, Stacey sent me a Christmas tree for the office, while I sent her, Emily, and George camels from COB Speicher. Several family members conducted office drives to send almost three dozen boxes of items for our Soldiers. Meanwhile, Stacey, Emily, and George enjoyed traveling to see family and friends in Kentucky, Ohio, and Missouri. They said they missed me on the ski slopes and at the Cheesecake Factory, but they weren't able to send me a slice of Godiva Chocolate Cheese Cake! I did get to see a nice USO show with Robin Williams, Lance Armstrong, Kid Rock, and Lewis Black when they came to Iraq just before Christmas.



In January, I was selected to move from the Plans Vault in Tikrit to become the executive officer for the Deputy Commanding General's Office in Mosul, the second largest city in Iraq and the capital of Ninewa. There is a Christian monastery built in the 700s right here on the FOB, and Jonah, of Biblical whale fame, has his tomb downtown.

My first job was to literally build an Iraqi 3-star General Headquarters from the ground up. \$6 million dollars later, the Lieutenant General has a nice office (his desk, not mine ;)) and a state of the art command center. Construction continues on the new Iraqi Army barracks and Dining Facility.

I also coordinate the General's visits of various VIPs when they come to tour the area. We have hosted several Government Officials, both Iraqi and American (you might recognize one), and Senior Military Leaders.

I still travel by helicopter with the DCG, but for shorter trips into the city, we ride in the new Mine Resistant Ambush Protected (MRAP) Vehicles. Most of the time, I just use the Yukon to get around the base.

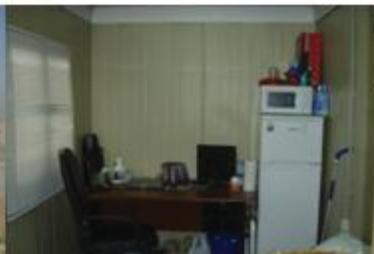
We did have one incident in February where a rocket landed on the CHU (containerized housing unit) across from mine.

Fortunately, no one was hurt, although the shrapnel tore up some of my things (notice the daylight holes around the unscathed monkey that Stacey sent me). At least I got a new CHU with nicer furniture.

Six months down, nine months to go, but only three months till R&R leave in Germany with Stacey, Emily, and George. While we will visit some big places during our last summer in Europe, we will mostly enjoy just being together.

Stacey is staying busy in Germany. She is working longer hours as the General Manager For European Operations for a company that repairs computers in the DOD schools and volunteering with the Family Readiness Group, which takes up a lot of her time. She also completed Red Cross training in order to volunteer on weekends at Landstuhl Medical Center visiting wounded Soldiers from downrange. She is quite the Army wife! I can't imagine how she does it all, but we communicate daily supporting each other across the time and distance of the deployment. Take care and I hope to see you all soon.

Love, Stuart



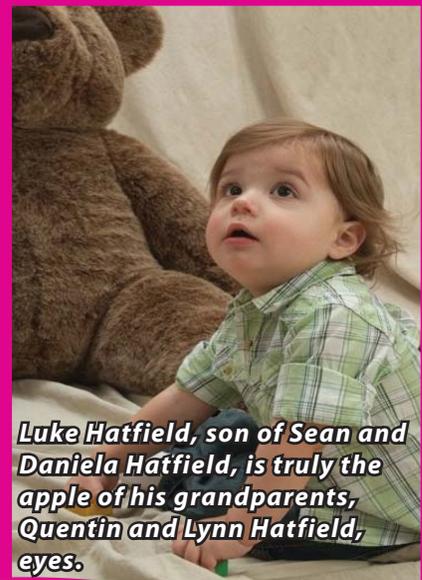
HATFIELD Young ones



Madeline Rose Noonan, born July 21, 2007, is adored by parents, Tracy and Ryan Noonan, and grandparents, Roger and Sharon Blackburn.



Bennett Grace Caudill, daughter of Cassie and Steve Caudill a VERY spirited little girl who tries to do everything her brother, Jack, is doing.



Luke Hatfield, son of Sean and Daniela Hatfield, is truly the apple of his grandparents, Quentin and Lynn Hatfield, eyes.

Caitlin Marie Woodall was born on August 9, 2006, in Gallipolis, Ohio. She is the first child of Tara and Michael Woodall and the grandchild of Arnold and Iva Norman.



Ethan Ryan McClanahan, was born April 27, 2007, to Ronny and Gypsy McClanahan in Providence Forge, Virginia. He is the grandson of Glenna and Leslie Hatfield.

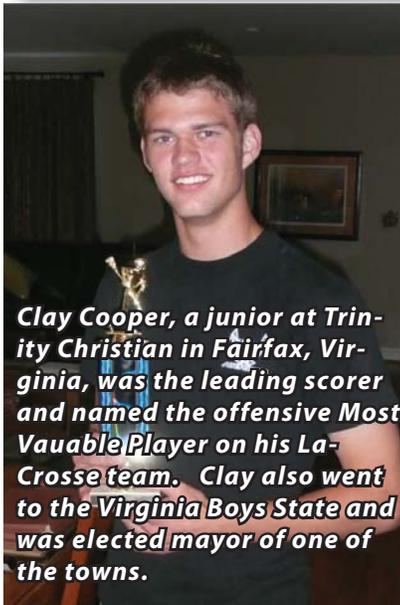


Jack Caudill, son of Cassie and Steve Caudill, just graduated from his pre-school's pre kindergarten program. He's keeping busy with soccer, t-ball, and horesback riding lessons. Jack scored four goals at his most recent game, and he's just started to learn to "trot" and take very small jumps on his horse "Cimme."



Anderson Bowe, center, with Abbey and Annie Bowe in Destin, Florida, enjoys playing with her babies and her brother, Asher. Some of her favorite things to do are have someone paint her nails and play with dress up clothes.

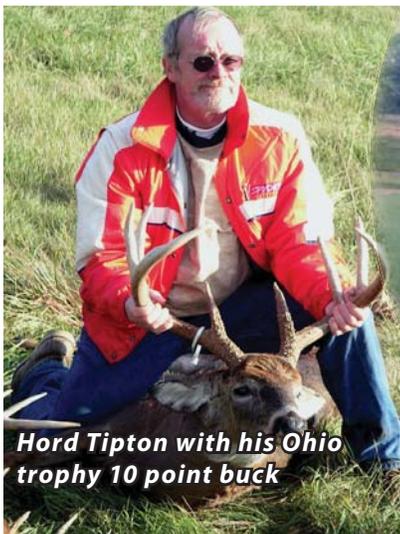
HATFIELDS AND THEIR SPORTS



Clay Cooper, a junior at Trinity Christian in Fairfax, Virginia, was the leading scorer and named the offensive Most Valuable Player on his Lacrosse team. Clay also went to the Virginia Boys State and was elected mayor of one of the towns.



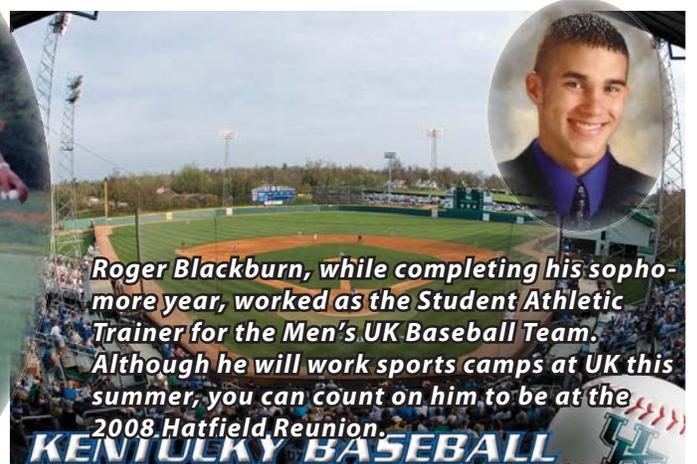
Spencer Wright (L), here with his brother and throwing coach, Trey Wright, won the shot event and placed third in the discus at the district. He was chosen as Most Valuable Field Event player at Cincinnati Country Day School. Spencer played football and basketball at Cincinnati Country Day. He was named to the First Team on the District All-Tournament Basketball Team, and he scored 33 points in one of his basketball games this season.



Hord Tipton with his Ohio trophy 10 point buck

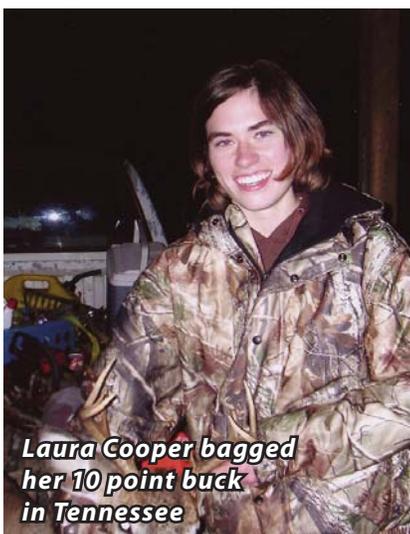


Ken Helms on the JW golf course at a Hatfield Reunion

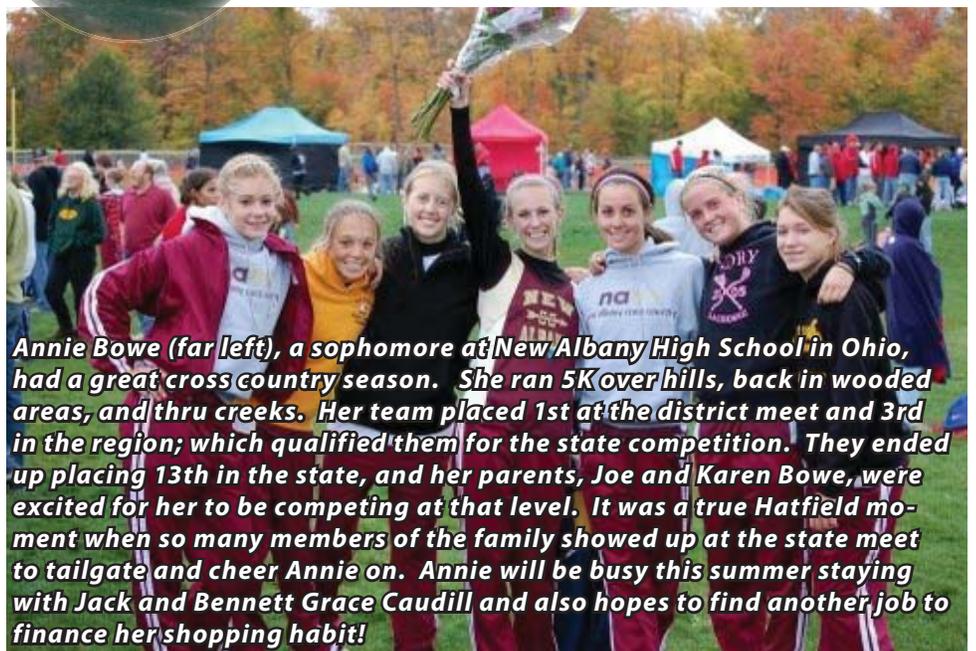


Roger Blackburn, while completing his sophomore year, worked as the Student Athletic Trainer for the Men's UK Baseball Team. Although he will work sports camps at UK this summer, you can count on him to be at the 2008 Hatfield Reunion.

KENTUCKY BASEBALL



Laura Cooper bagged her 10 point buck in Tennessee

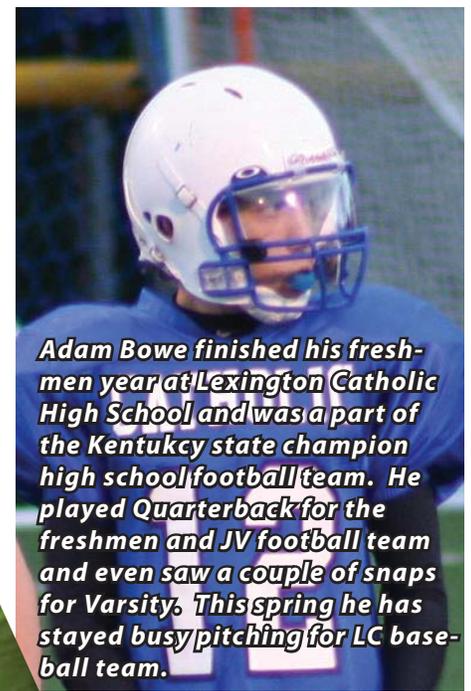


Annie Bowe (far left), a sophomore at New Albany High School in Ohio, had a great cross country season. She ran 5K over hills, back in wooded areas, and thru creeks. Her team placed 1st at the district meet and 3rd in the region; which qualified them for the state competition. They ended up placing 13th in the state, and her parents, Joe and Karen Bowe, were excited for her to be competing at that level. It was a true Hatfield moment when so many members of the family showed up at the state meet to tailgate and cheer Annie on. Annie will be busy this summer staying with Jack and Bennett Grace Caudill and also hopes to find another job to finance her shopping habit!



Jeff Hatfield (third from left) coached the Big Walnut Varsity Softball Team to a 1st place finish in the OCC Conference with a 9-1 record (League Champions). Their only loss was to Chelsea Bowe's team in New Albany. Big Walnut went on to be the District Semi Finalist with a 21-7 overall record.

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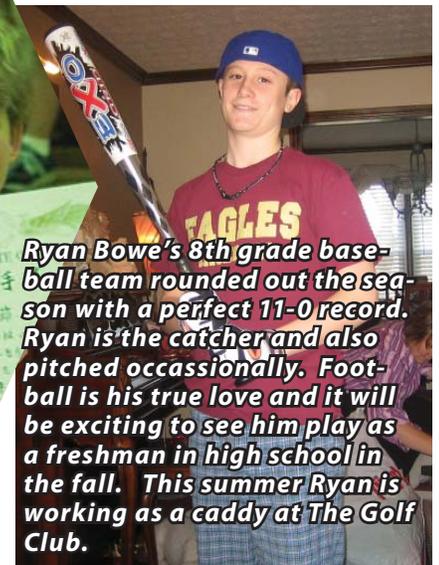


Adam Bowe finished his freshmen year at Lexington Catholic High School and was a part of the Kentucky state champion high school football team. He played Quarterback for the freshmen and JV football team and even saw a couple of snaps for Varsity. This spring he has stayed busy pitching for LC baseball team.

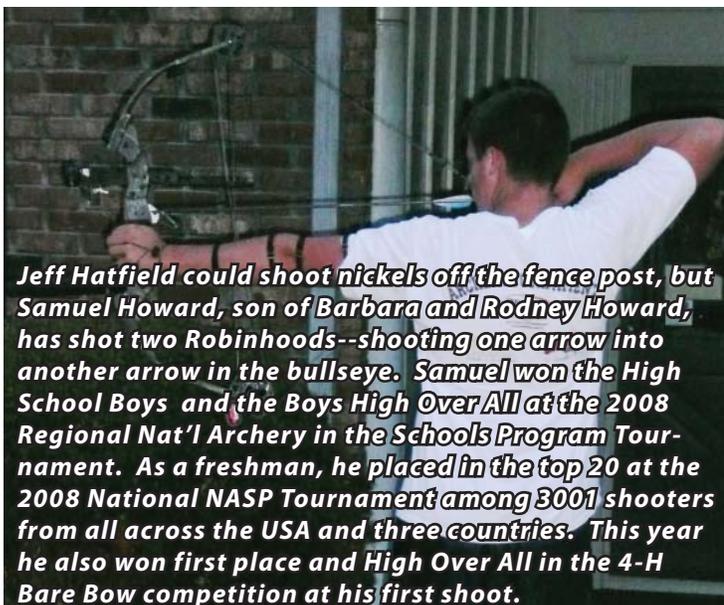
Asher Bowe, with grandpa, JB Bowe, loves playing t-ball and playing with his sister Anderson. His dad, Chris, coaches his Ranger t-ball team and the both look very happy when they are on the field.



Mother and daughter team, Shelley Rader and Sydney Hone, successfully earned their yellow belts in karate this year.



Ryan Bowe's 8th grade baseball team rounded out the season with a perfect 11-0 record. Ryan is the catcher, and also pitched occasionally. Football is his true love and it will be exciting to see him play as a freshman in high school in the fall. This summer Ryan is working as a caddy at The Golf Club.



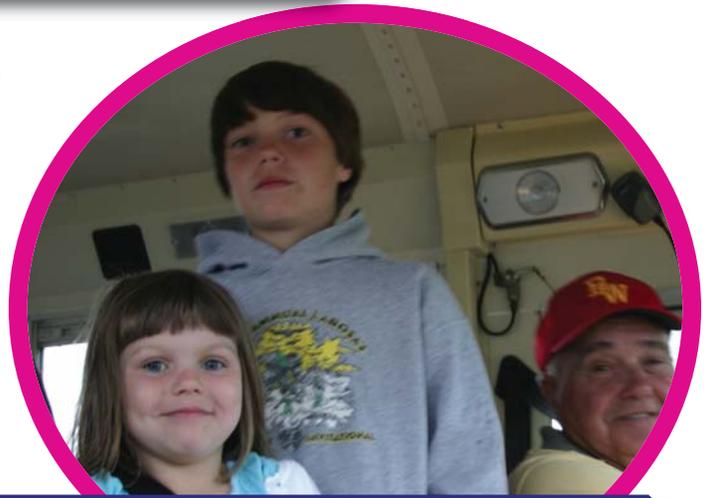
Jeff Hatfield could shoot nickels off the fence post, but Samuel Howard, son of Barbara and Rodney Howard, has shot two Robinhoods--shooting one arrow into another arrow in the bullseye. Samuel won the High School Boys and the Boys High Over All at the 2008 Regional Nat'l Archery in the Schools Program Tournament. As a freshman, he placed in the top 20 at the 2008 National NASP Tournament among 3001 shooters from all across the USA and three countries. This year he also won first place and High Over All in the 4-H Bare Bow competition at his first shoot.



Brooke and Brittany have been busy playing twelve and under Junior Olympic Volley Ball, twelve and under Travel Basketball, and twelve and under Travel Softball. Their mom, Shellie, has helped out coaching their Junior Olympic Volley Ball Team.

HATFIELDS ON THE GO

Tiffany Hatfield, in the blue sweater, attended her 20th reunion at Eastern Illinois University. A friend of mine suggested that I "embrace" my maturity, but I think I'm still kicking the tires and checking out the engine before she hops in. Tiffany manages a statewide museum association and writes grants for small and mid-sized nonprofits



Paris Blackburn, far right, takes his grandchildren, Maggie and Michael Blackburn, on his last run as a bus driver.

Michael is busy with two baseball teams this summer and a summer basketball league. His dad, Rodney, is assisting with both baseball teams. Michael will start middle school in the fall to that.

Maggie, 6, finished kindergarten in GREAT style. She is enjoying softball with her friends and with her mom, Kim, coaching. She loves playing with the dogs, her friends, and riding the pony.

Lindsey Brooker will be entering her junior year at John Brown University in Arkansas studying Business/Marketing. She is doing an international study program this summer in Germany and pictured here at the Eiffel Tower in Paris. When she returns to the states she will resume her job with Arvest Bank. Lindsey is planning to graduate in December, 2009.



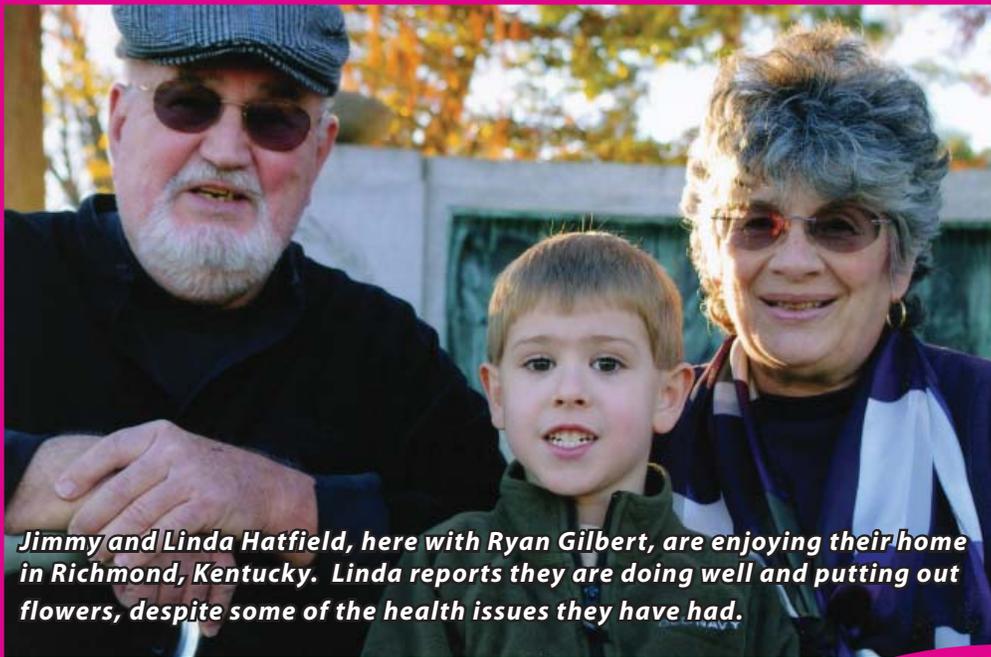
Mark and Sherri Brooker are continuing their work with DaySpring Cards, a division of Hallmark Cards, headquartered in Siloam Springs, Arkansas.

Joe and Polly Breeze have spent a lot of time in Arkansas this past year, enjoying all that goes along with having a high school senior, Matt Brooker, including senior night in basketball and soccer, state championship competition in basketball, basketball homecoming, scholarship night, senior awards and graduation. Marlene and Bentley Adams along with Suzanne, Ashley and Dylan Johnson came to Arkansas for Matt's graduation.



Joy Kay Hatfield, with her sons, Trey, Spencer, and Tyler Wright, was levitating at hearing that she had been accepted as a member of the Daughters of the American Revolution.

Joe and Polly and Marlene and Bentley are on a land and sea tour of Alaska for 13 days. Polly's main concern is her suitcase allowance. She is afraid that she won't be able to take enough clothes in only one suitcase!



Jimmy and Linda Hatfield, here with Ryan Gilbert, are enjoying their home in Richmond, Kentucky. Linda reports they are doing well and putting out flowers, despite some of the health issues they have had.

Zach Blackburn has completed middle school, topping his year off with a class trip to Washington, D.C. His trip was made even more special by the care package that Nina Rose Hatfield brought him with Gatorade and Oreos. Zach is busy this summer with baseball and weight lifting and workouts for football.

Margaret Rader is keeping busy as a member of the McKee City Council in McKee, Kentucky. She is taking Shelley, Taylour, and Sydney to visit Nina Rose Hatfield in the nation's capital.

Taylour Hone was in the Whitehall (Kentucky) Elementary 4th Grade Muscial. The play spotlighted Kentucky Bluegrass and country music, including the songs of Loretta Lynn, Billy Ray Cyrus, and other Kentucky artists.

Jeremy Hatfield, Lowell and Pam Hatfield's son, has finished his freshman year at Florida Gulf Coast University and did really well.

Tyler Wright has accepted a new management job at MellowMushroom in Charleston, SC. He and two friends started a new business as well. They have engineered the PR and activities around a new restaurant opening in Charleston recently as the first venture for the new company.

Teddy and Bonnie Hatfield have remodeled their home on the Current River in Missouri. Opal and Joy Kay Hatfield and Margaret Rader rave about the views on the river and the superb food and hospitality.

Randy Morris has been living in Chapel Hill, North Carolina. He has been there for about two years, but says that Charleston, South Carolina, is where his heart is and where he will retire.

Brian and Amy Miller are in the midst of building a nice big house in North Carolina.

Pam Hatfield was very excited about going to Israel with her church in May.



Lauren Hatfield, Lowell D. Hatfield's granddaughter, left, was a part of Zionsville (Indiana) Middle School's 8th grade band trip to Gatlinburg, TN. The concert band and the jazz band participated in a national competition -- and won first place! Proud mom, Tiffany, was there to chaperone and celebrate.

Emily (right) is really becoming a musician herself; her Uncle Robb has suggested that she could have his old drum set; she is very good with percussion, so the family might get to go back to the national competition -- in 6 years, since Emily is just now finishing 2nd grade!



Nina Rose Hatfield and Hord Tipton, with Opal S. Hatfield on the front row, celebrated their tenth anniversary with a New Year's Eve Party in Lexington, Kentucky. (Second row, L-R) Sydney Hone, Esther Howard, and Taylour Hone; (Third row) Joy Kay Hatfield, Margaret Rader, Emily Howard, Shelley Rader, and Lisa Rader; (Fourth row) Trey Wright, Spencer Wright, Quentin Hatfield, Lynn Hatfield, Rodney, Howard, Barbara Howard, Samuel Howard, Tyler Wright, and Jack McCreary celebrated the event. (Not pictured is Myron Rader.) Nina Rose and Tip are in the process of moving to the Tampa, Florida, area. Tip has accepted a position as the Executive Director of (ISC)², the security certification organization. Opal has promised to come and help out establishing the new house when she is not working on her tan.

Bennett Grace Caudill is reported to be in charge with grandparents, Janet and JB Bowe. She is not too happy about day care, because she would rather be at brunch and shopping with MaMa. She calls JB "B." Janet and JB vacationed in Destin, Florida, with Cassie, Steve, Bennett Grace, and Jack Caudill and Chris, Michelle, Adam, Abbey, Asher and Anderson Bowe in June.

Eric Miller is living in Quakertown, Pennsylvania. Since earning his degree in Environmental Science, he is working for a consulting firm that cleans up chemical spills when a company calls them in. As Cathy Skidmore, his mother, says, "He has a big responsibility ahead of him but I know he can handle it."

Over the winter Joe and Karen Bowe completed a room addition adding a master suite that is truly wonderful. Many times Karen reports that she comes home from work to find Ryan lying in her bed, so she not sure who they built the room for! Joe continues to work and travel for Pier 1 Imports. He was recently promoted to Executive Director of Logistics and Transportation.

Lynn and Quentin Hatfield are planning to relocate to Nashville to be closer to grandson, Luke.

Sydney Hone performed in the second grade musical and earned a huge trophy for accelerated reading.

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While some family members may sleep late, the Hatfield golfers will head to the Golf Course for the 20th Annual Bill Morris Memorial Golf Tournament. The Tourney is a best ball format so that everyone--regardless of skill level--can participate.

The Water Games commence on the Lanai Deck at 11:30 a.m. The games allow all of us--regardless of age to participate. If you don't want to get in the water, you can work on your tan or visit.

All family members are invited to participate in the Hatfield History Preservation Committee. It is a wonderful way to maintain our family memories for generations to come. In addition, the stories always result in a lot of laughter.

While we no longer have a door decoration contest, the younger Hatfields are invited to create door decorations with our cruise theme.

At 6:00 we will take a family picture and at 6:15 the parade of family flags will take place on the Main Deck in the Jenny Wiley Lodge. After a business meeting, the family will cruise between the Main Deck and the Lanai Deck for food, beverage, and a host of activities led by your Cruise Directors.

Make the 23rd Hatfield Reunion your destination of choice as the Jeff and Polly Hatfield clan reconnect.



2008 PROPOSED AGENDA

THURSDAY: JULY 31

- 7:00 p.m. Hatfield Pot Luck Dinner (Margaret Rader & Janet Bowe)
Lanai Deck (Jenny Wiley Pool)
Cards and Games:
Main Deck (Jenny Wiley Lodge)
- 11:30 a.m. Water Games: Cassie Caudill
Lanai Deck (Jenny Wiley Pool)
Youth (Ages 6 - 11)
Adult Events (Ages Over 12)

FRIDAY: AUGUST 1

- AM/early PM R&R time
- 4:00 p.m. Jeff and Polly's Horseshoe Tournament and Games
(Paris Blackburn & Paul Morris)
- 5:00 p.m. Jeff and Polly's Cookout: Odyssey Deck (Picnic Area Shelter)
(Phyllis Blackburn, Teresa Craig, Kim Blackburn & Sharon Blackburn)
- 7:00 p.m. Auction: (Roger Blackburn)
- 8:30 p.m. Friday Night Fun: (Shelley Rader and Barbara Howard)
Main Deck (Jenny Wiley Lodge)
- 4:30 p.m. Hatfield History Preservation Committee:
(All Family Members invited)
Main Deck (Jenny Wiley Lodge)
- 6:00 p.m. Family Picture
- Parade of Flags: Main Deck (Jenny Wiley Lodge)
Business Meeting
Awards

THE HATFIELD CRUISE

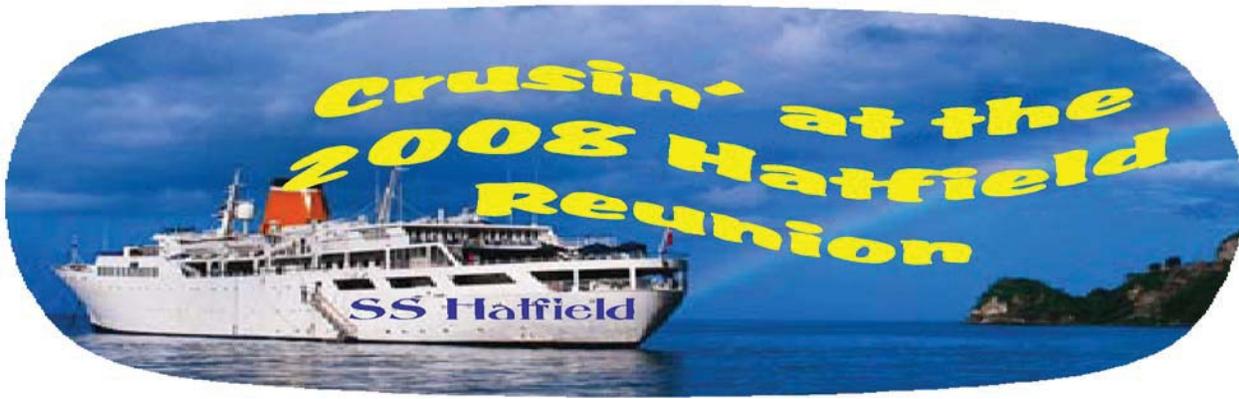
Lanai Deck
(Jackie Hatfield and Shelley Rader)

SATURDAY: AUGUST 2

- 8:00 a.m. Nineteenth Annual Bill Morris Memorial Golf Tournament:
Stumbo Golf Course (Jeff and Jeanne Hatfield)

SUNDAY: AUGUST 3

- 8:30 a.m. Breakfast Buffet:
Main Deck (Jenny Wiley Lodge)



T-Shirt and Shorts Order Form

The 2007 Hatfield Reunion will have T-Shirts and shorts available with a Reunion logo printed on them. Please order the number and size from the chart below. **Please send your order and check by July 16 to have the shirt at the Reunion.** The address, email, and the telephone number are:

Margaret Rader
 Box 112
 McKee, KY 40447

606-287-7231
 margaret.rader@gmail.com

The T-Shirts will be available at the Reunion on August 1 at Jeff and Polly's Family Cookout.

Name: _____

Telephone _____

Adult Sizes	Number		Youths	Number	
	T-shirts	Shorts		T-shirts	Shorts
XX-Large	_____	_____	Small (6-8)	_____	_____
X-Large	_____	_____	Medium(10-12)	_____	_____
Large	_____	_____	Large (14-16)	_____	_____
Medium	_____	_____			
Small	_____	_____			

T-shirt prices: S - XL \$8.00 2X & 3X 9.00	Shorts: S - XL \$10.00 XXL 10.50
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Total number of T-Shirts: _____
Total number of shorts: _____
Enclosed is my check for \$ _____