

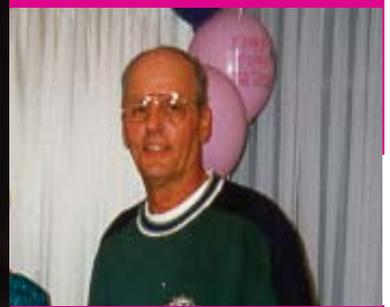


# Hatfield People



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## Go for Gold

### at the 2006 Hatfield Reunion

The descendants of Jeff and Polly Hatfield will **Go for Gold** at the Hatfield Summer Games. Lace up those running shoes and tug on that Speedo for Summer Games events throughout the Reunion. The Hatfield Reunion will feature something for everyone as we **Go for Gold** at the 21st Hatfield Reunion.

The Hatfield Reunion will be on August 3 - 6, 2005, at Jenny Wiley State Park in Prestonsburg, Kentucky. Chairs Margaret Rader and Nina Rose Hatfield promise a reunion that incorporates favorite features with new activities.

Early arrivals will join together for a chip-in steak dinner hosted by Tom and Jackie Hatfield at the Jenny Wiley Lodge. This has become a really fun event and way to ease into the Reunion. Afterwards, family members will play games, watch old Reunion videos, and visit.

Friday will be a holiday to lounge at the pool, spend time on the water, or play golf. The family door decorations will be "Life's Gold Medal Moments." The door decorations are both practical and entertaining as a way of identifying where family members are staying.

The Jeff and Polly's Family Cookout will take place at the Picnic Area Shelter. This year, *please bring your own beverages*—it will be a great help to the hosts. Fun and games at the Cookout will include the annual Horseshoe Tournament. In keeping with Arnold Norman's suggestion, we will have an auction to raise money for the Reunion and other purposes like the upkeep of the Anderson Hatfield Cemetery.

After the Cookout, family members will be *Strollin' and Talkin'* at the Jenny Wiley Lodge. Multiple games will be available as we lounge at the Lodge.

Saturday morning will start with the 18th Annual Bill Morris Memorial Golf Tournament. It is always an exciting event in which players at all levels can play. We play a scramble in which the whole team plays the best ball hit by any member of the team. Players with lesser

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The Hatfield family at the 2005 Hatfield Reunion.

## 20th Hatfield Family Reunion brings back sweet memories...

The 20th Hatfield Family Reunion was at the Jenny Wiley State Park on August 4 - 7, 2005. Chairs Tom and Jackie Hatfield planned a special reunion culminating in the **Family Feud-Hatfield Style** on Saturday night. Teams named after Jeff and Polly's children tossed bean bags, played brain teasers, and threw miniature basketballs in a real challenge. The teams were constantly rotating from one activity to another making strategy in choice of activity all important. At the end of the night, Ethel's team with Roger Blackburn, Becky Mays, Bev Hatfield, Trey Wright, Rodney and Zach Blackburn, Annie Bowe, and Emily Hatfield emerged victorious.



Annie Bowe, Bev Hatfield, Emily Hatfield, Zack Blackburn, and Becky Mays join Trey Wright, Roger Blackburn, and Rodney Blackburn to win the **Family Feud-Hatfield Style**.

The 20th Reunion was also was a time of remembering earlier times and Reunions. Over the last year the family found and shared many photographs of the first 19 Reunions. Jeff Hatfield put together an outstanding group of family

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experience are paired with more experienced players, so it is a great opportunity to spend time with the family and learn from the best players in the family.

The Family History Preservation Committee, led by Katherine Hatfield Scott and Opal Stafford Hatfield, will meet in the Jenny Wiley Lodge. Everyone is invited to attend as we learn more about our family and revel in the old stories. It is always a lot of fun, so join us.

In the afternoon, there is time for a quick nap or snack before the Hatfield Reunion T-shirt picture. The pool will be the center of attention in the afternoon as we visit and enjoy some water sports.

Saturday evening there will be a business meeting to discuss issues that may be of concern to family members, a chance to introduce new members and guests to the family, and a final dash to see who wins the Gold.

See you at Jenny Wiley in August.

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pictures on a disc and contributions went to the Reunion fund. Nina Rose Hatfield and Hord Tipton reedited a film first shown at the 1987 Reunion. The movie, *Sentimental Journey*, included clips and interviews with T. C. and Opal Hatfield, LeEttie Hatfield Norman, Jeanette Hatfield Smith, Virginia Hatfield, Orville Morris, Lilly Hatfield, and Dovel and Katherine Scott. Everyone enjoyed the wit, memories, and views of Jeff and Polly's children.

Family members wore their favorite Hatfield Reunion T-shirts and decorated their doors with their favorite Reunion memories. Chelsea Bowe won the Most Creative Decoration with her poem about the Hatfield Reunions. (See p. 4) Steve and Bev Hatfield won for the second year in a row with the Most Humorous and Paris and Phyllis won for the Best Use of Theme.



Teresa Craig, Phyllis Blackburn, Kelly Craig, and Paris Blackburn win the Best Use of Theme in the door decorations.

Jackie and Tom kicked off the 20th Reunion on Thursday evening by grilling steaks and roasting corn at the Jenny Wiley Lodge. This event has become a new family favorite. After the steaks, Brianna Sullivan and Joy Kay Hatfield created desserts with roasted marshmallows for the group.

Friday started with golf and lounging by the pool. The highlight of the day was the Jeff and Polly Family Cookout hosted by Phyllis Blackburn, Teresa Craig, Kim Blackburn, and Sharon Blackburn. As always, the Cookout



Some of the contributors to the Jeff and Polly Hatfield Cookbook show off their chef hats.

was a time for the family to enjoy each other's company and some homemade favorites.

A special Reunion creation was the *Jeff and Polly Hatfield Family Cookbook* edited by Mitch and Michelle Hatfield for the 20th Reunion. It is a wonderful collection of our favorite family recipes. Always creative, Mitch and Michelle Hatfield presented chef hats at the picnic to those who submitted recipes. The proceeds from the cookbook went to the Reunion fund.

Steve Hatfield and Roger Blackburn had the crowd in a frenzy as they auctioned off homemade classics, both food and crafts. Auction highlights revolved around spe-



Sheryle Sullivan and Phyllis Blackburn show off the quilt made by Jeanette Smith.

cial quilts. Jeff Hatfield paid \$750 for a quilt by Jeanne Hatfield. Jeanne's quilt had digital pictures of the Hatfield Home Place and each of Jeff and Polly's children with their spouses. A very special quilt made by Jeanette Smith was offered for auction by Sheryl Sullivan. Teresa Craig and Roger and Rodney Blackburn bought it as a birthday present for Phyllis Blackburn for \$350. Opal Hatfield made a quilt in honor of T.C. Hatfield to fund the care of the Anderson Hatfield Cemetery. This year the quilt brought \$275 for the Cemetery Fund. In addition to many other items, gift baskets were purchased by Margaret Rader and Bruce Hatfield. In all, the auction raised \$2015 for the Reunion. In addition, the Hatfield Cookbooks and Jeff Hatfield's picture album raised another \$1500. The publishing costs to make the Cookbooks was donated by Steve and Bev Hatfield, so that each sale was profit for the Reunion fund.



Joe and J.B. Bowe show off winning smiles over the Horseshoe Tournament.

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The Horseshoe Tourney was so hotly contested that darkness overtook the event on Friday. When play resumed on Saturday, the father and son team of J.B. and Joe Bowe walked away with the trophy. The powerful duo of Paris Blackburn and Paul Morris were second.

The 17th Annual Bill Morris Memorial Golf Tournament was played in Allen, Kentucky, on Saturday morning. As always, the tournament was very competitive. At the end of the morning, Joe Bowe led Gary Craig, Tracy Blackburn, and Samuel Howard to victory.



Tracy Blackburn, Samuel Howard, Gary Craig, and Joe Bowe take the 17th golf tournament trophy home.

Robert, Patsy, and Bruce Hatfield joined the Hatfield History Preservation Session led by Katherine Langley Hatfield Scott and Opal Stafford Hatfield. Other family members participating included: Phyllis Hatfield Black-



Robert and Bruce Hatfield have Phyllis Blackburn and the rest of the Hatfield History Preservation group in stitches.

burn, Paul Morris, Margaret Hatfield Rader, Polly Jane Morris Breeze, Janet Hatfield Bowe, Steven K. Hatfield, Marlene Morris Adams, Joy Kay and Nina Rose Hatfield, and Sheryle Scott Sullivan. With Bruce and Robert leading the way, many of the tales centered on growing up in the Bob and Virginia Hatfield household.

In the afternoon the Jenny Wiley pool was the center of the Hatfields gathering for a few rays. One of the most fun times at the Reunion, hosted in 2005 by Michelle Hatfield and Cassie Caudill, was the Toddler's Dive for Presents. The young ones are very quick to learn how to trade their

ducks for presents. Afterwards Jeff Hatfield and Cory Craig had the youths working off lunch by a variety of pool games that had everyone wet and laughing.



The pool games are on!

The 2005 Reunion was particularly exciting for Opal Hatfield because all of her children and grandchildren were present.



(l-r) Barbara Howard, Denise Cooper, Stephen P. Hatfield, Opal Hatfield, and Lisa Rader join (back row) Spencer Wright, Tyler Wright, Trey Wright, Myron Rader, and Shelley Rader at the 2005 Hatfield Reunion.



Bentley and Marlene Adams enjoy the sun with Joe and Polly Breeze and J.B. Bowe.

# 20 Years of Hatfields

by Chelsea Bowe

Winding 'round and 'round through trees.  
Finally a glimpse of a large, white, banner  
Welcomes us as it waves in the breeze.

Twenty times we've made this drive  
Each more exciting for our family of five.

At the picnic; water balloons and outdoor games  
Entertain every young tyke'  
While we all marvel at Roger's talent as

Auctioneer and beautiful  
creations we all like.

Saturday, pool games  
take place and each  
child

Is placed in an event  
crafted for their size,

While the golf pros of  
the family compete for  
the prize.

As the sun sets we all  
gather at the lodge for  
entertainment

With odd crazy games;  
such as passing an or-



Chelsea Bowe shows off her original drawing used for the 2000 Reunion

ange from neck to neck,

We survived a couple years ago having to battle the poop  
deck!

The year of the Mardi Gras; hats, masks and beads were  
worn,

But the year of the circus the decision between the red  
clown nose

Or the rainbow wig left us torn.

The attire has varied from grass skirts to PJ's,

But the Kentucky fan section of Wal-Mart is where

We spent most our pay.

And as we return on the 20th anniversary the laughter of  
every

Hatfield bounces off the mountains and through this State  
Park.



## A Brother...

*(The Hatfields lost Douglas Carlyle Hatfield on May 16, 2006. His daughter, Deborah Hatfield Coleman, delivered the following eulogy for Lyle. Debbie's eulogy provides a wonderful perspective of a man that we admired and will miss.)*

Douglas Carlyle Hatfield, 63, of McCarr, Kentucky passed away Tuesday, May 16, 2006 at Pikeville Medical Center in Pikeville, Kentucky.

He was born June 22, 1943 in McCarr, Kentucky, son of the late Robert Ward Hatfield and Virginia Ratliff Hatfield. In addition to his parents, he was preceded in death by a brother, Lowell D. Hatfield.

Douglas was a retired coal miner, member of Local Union 1440 of the United Mine Workers of America, and a member of the Moose Lodge #1613. He was of the Baptist faith. He also served in the United States Army with the 82nd Airborne division.

He is survived by his wife, Linda K. DeHart Hatfield; two daughters, Deborah (Adam) Coleman of Berea, Kentucky and Anita (Bruce E.) Funk of Coeburn, Virginia; five brothers: Robert (Patsy) Hatfield of Ashland, Kentucky, Don (Mary) Hatfield of Perryville, Maryland, Bruce (Linda) Hatfield of Hodgenville, Kentucky, Leslie (Glenna) Hatfield of McCarr, Kentucky, and Quentin (Lynn) Hatfield of Nicholasville, Kentucky; and four grandchildren: Carlysle, Casey, Corey, and Cassidy.

**H**aving listed the facts of his life, the question remains: Who was Lyle Hatfield? A simple answer will do: He was a family man. Husband, father, grandfather—no titles that any dignitary on Earth could bestow upon him meant more to him than those. First and foremost in his life was his love and responsibility for Mom, Anita, and myself. And closest to his heart were his grandchildren. He took most seriously his role in our lives and can be pleased to know how much we will be forever better for his presence.

What about the rest of his life? After searching for the best word or phrase to sum it up—one word seems to fit the bill...BROTHER...

Webster's defines a brother in many ways. The most literal definition: a male sibling. And, as you can see today Dad was a brother many times over. As a matter of fact this was one of his most cherished roles in his

life. We were taught at a very young as that our large family surpassed ALL in terms of priority. Dad felt his job was to be the thread that kept his brothers connected and he was a master at bringing the family together. His love and devotion to his brothers serves as an example and a directive for my generation to remind us that in the end, your family is all you really have.

Webster's also defines a Brother as a member of a group or one who shares a common goal—a brotherhood.

For over 30 years, Dad has been a brother in one of the most important groups in his life—the UMWA. His passion for fairness and respect for the working man drove him to fight many battles along side his union Brothers. He taught us that sometimes you have to sacrifice and be willing to lose a little in the present to gain in the future. He serves as an example to us of the change one person can bring about by being active and

steadfast in their convictions. The UMWA and the working man have lost one of their greatest assets and one of their strongest advocates.

A Brother is also defined as one who feels a strong kinship or connection. Throughout this place today there are those of you who were, in Dad's eyes and heart, as much a brother to him as you were a friend. And, as he would for his own brothers—he has traveled to the ends of the Earth for many of you and would have done it many times over if need be. His honesty and loyalty to those he loves was a magnetic force that blessed him with the most diverse group of friends that most men could only hope to have. He taught us through example that being a friend does not just include when it's convenient, but rather, it requires total commitment. He loved his friends and his "buddies" more than they'll ever know.

Probably Dad's most prized brotherhood was one to which he had acquired membership latest in life—the fraternity of grandfathers. To watch him become the most wonderful Popal on the planet was one of the greatest joys of our life and his grandkids were probably what he considered his proudest accomplishment. Popal's legacy to his grandchildren will be his impression on Anita and me and Bruce and Adam. We will be sure to always try to keep Popal proud.

They say a measure of a man's wealth is not in his collections or his balance sheet, but of the positive influence that he has had on others...

Douglas Carlyle Hatfield was a wealthy man.



*Lyle at the 2005 Hatfield Reunion with his family: Bruce and Anita Funk, Carlysle, Linda and Lyle Hatfield, Casey, Debbie and Adam Coleman.*

# Clan Chatter

## Children:

Katherine Langley Hatfield Scott continues to entertain those who make the pilgrimage to Blackberry. Katherine is especially happy to have Sheryle, Brianna, and Bill Sullivan across the street in the home that was once her sister's, Jeanette Smith. Brianna, being the perfect hostess like her grandmother, is frequently on hand to help entertain. Katherine has continued to be very helpful in filling out details to help in piecing together information about the family.



*Katherine Scott enjoyed the fun at the 2005 Hatfield Reunion.*

Opal S. Hatfield has had a busy year. She had not seen her very first friend, Geraldine Keese, for more than 40 years when they met in Charleston, West Virginia, in September. They reminisced about growing up in Pike County, Kentucky, in the early 1900's. They decided to have their January birthdays together in Cincinnati, Ohio. Friends and family joined them on January 7 to celebrate their 97th birthdays. Since then, Opal has been back to Cincinnati to party for the Derby and visited grandson, Tyler Wright, in Charleston, South Carolina.



*Geraldine Keese and Opal Hatfield celebrate their 97th birthday in Cincinnati.*

## Grandchildren:

As Quentin Hatfield put it, "The covered wagons are loading and we're heading East!!" Quentin and Lynn sold their Missouri home and bought a new home in Kentucky. That's where they wanted to land when retired, and, as Quentin said, "Since old Uncle Q will be 60 this year, it will be easier to move now than when I'm 70!" Their new address: 301 Whispering Brook Drive, Nicholasville, KY 40356.

Linda and Jimmy Hatfield report that all is well with them other than being tired from moving into a new house and unpacking totes. Linda sincerely hopes this will be their last move and invites everyone to come see them. Their new address is: 1419 Vidot Ct., Ft. Wright, KY 41011-2777.

Hord "Tip" Tipton, the Chief Information Officer for the Department of the Interior, was awarded the Distinguished Presidential Rank Award. The award is to recognize government senior executives for "exceptional long-term accomplishments." Tip was nominated by former Secretary of the Interior, Gale Norton, for *George W. Bush* with his outstanding leadership in modernizing information technology at Interior. He was honored by the President in a special ceremony at the White House. In addition, Tip has become an internationally recognized speaker on information technology security. This year he traveled to New Zealand and South Africa for conferences.



The Bob and Virginia Hatfield family got together at Debbie Coleman's farm June 29th through July 2nd. As Debbie said, "We are really looking forward to being together under better circumstances than was the case a month ago. It should prove to be very healing for all of us to visit with all the new babies (3 in all born so far this year) and all of the grandchildren to get to see each other." They had a baby shower for Sean and Daniela Hatfield, who are expecting in November.

Pauline Hatfield hosted a party when Nina Rose Hatfield traveled through Atlanta, Georgia, in Novem-



*(L-R) Pauline Morgan, Laura and Jake Logan, Susand and Charly Neel, Alex Logan, and Josephine Anderson; (Back row) Jonathan Logan and Brenda and Billy Neel.*

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ber. It was a very special treat with Josephine Anderson; Susan Neel; Brenda, Charly, and Billy Neel; and Laura, Alex, Jake, and Jonathan Logan attending. After a wonderful dinner, everyone watched the movie about the Hatfield family, *Sentimental Journey*.

Steve and Bev Hatfield have been busy as usual. In December of 2002 they purchased an insurance office in Warsaw, KY (Gallatin County). Steve is called "the mountain boy," but his mountain boy roots have helped him fit in the area. The Gallatin County Judge has just appointed him to the Gallatin County Travel and Tourism Board, while the Kenton County Judge appointed him to the Greater Cincinnati/Northern Kentucky Airport Board which has kept him very busy with meetings and conferences to attend. The week between Christmas and New Years they took grand-



*Will, Bev, Mitch, Michelle, and Steve Hatfield were a part of Opal Hatfield's 97th birthday celebration.*

children, Emily and George Hatfield, to Florida. They were sitting at the dining room table playing monopoly when the door bell rang. The kids wanted to answer the door but since it was dark out and they weren't expecting anyone, Steve told them he would get the door. When he opened it, Stuart Hatfield was standing there. Stuart's wife, Stacey, had bought him a plane ticket from Germany to Florida to spend the week with his children and parents. It was a wonderful gift for all of us, although Stacey had to stay in Germany. Emily and George invited me to attend the *Read to Someone You Love* at their school which was on May 12th. Stuart surprised us by showing up at our house on May 11th since he was in the States attending a conference in St. Louis. I surprised the Emily and George by taking him to school to read and have lunch. In April we went to Florida and took grandson, Willem, with us for the week. The last week of July we will be at Disney World with Mitch, Michelle, Will and Owen. As you can tell, babysitting and spending time with the grandchildren is very enjoyable to Steve and Bev.

### Great Grandchildren:

Tom Hatfield [T. J. Hatfield] won his first political race to become a City Councilman in Sunbury, Ohio. Tom led all candidates in balloting. Tommy and Jackie celebrated their 19th wedding anniversary on June 6. Tommy said the

19th anniversary was mulch. Jackie thinks that is also her present for the 5th-18th anniversaries!

Trey Wright [Joy Kay Hatfield] has just finished



*Trey Wright and Opal Hatfield enjoy the South Carolina beach.*

two years with Convergys and has spent most of the past year working on a client site in Denver, Colorado. During one trip he had dinner with his aunt, Nina Rose Hatfield, while she was also in town on business. Trey and Spencer Wright made the annual trek to Metropolis, Illinois, for the Superman Celebration in June. The luggage is always heavier on the way home from all of the finds at the celebration, which includes a dinner and auction on the last night. Trey is playing in several basketball leagues and spending time traveling. He recently met three of his college friends for a weekend reunion in Austin, Texas, and will spend the next week in Michigan with some friends.

Rodney Blackburn [Phyllis Blackburn] had foot surgery May 1st and is still off work at the moment. Despite his being a little slow in getting around, the children are moving quickly. Kim Blackburn says Zach is playing baseball (team is currently 17-3), and they just won a U12 tournament in Kent. Michael continues to play for a Westerville select soccer team and is enjoying his baseball season. Maggie just turned 4. Rodney made her a Dora cake (with a little help from Mama Phyllis).

Tyler Wright [Joy Kay Hatfield] is basking in the sun in Charleston, S.C., the land of "beautiful places, smiling faces." He has finished his degree at the University of Cincinnati and is taking some downtime to have fun. He is working in a restaurant and living with one of his best friends



*Tyler Wright and Joy Kay Hatfield enjoy an outing.*

from 4th grade. Spencer Wright spent a week with Tyler during spring break. Then Trey, Joy Kay, and Grannie Opal Hatfield went for a long weekend visit. Tyler caught the attention of a young lady because she had never seen someone Tyler's age being so kind and attentive to an older lady. The young lady eagerly asked Grannie to introduce her to her doting grandson. Consequently, Tyler has decided to take Grannie with him everywhere now.

Following the Jenny Wiley reunion, Tyler will spend a week continuing the Reunion with his uncle Ted Hatfield, and cousin, Stephen Hatfield.

Cassie [Janet Bowe] and Steve Caudill are expecting their second child about the time of the Reunion, so they may not be joining us this year. Steve has designated a treasurer to keep track of the auction activities.



Spencer Wright

Spencer Wright [Joy Kay Hatfield] will enter the 10th grade at Cincinnati Country Day School in the fall. During his freshman year, he played on the school's basketball, football, and baseball teams. During one basketball game this winter, Spencer scored more points than the opposing team. He will be eligible for his driver's permit in July, so naturally Joy Kay is looking forward to having someone else to drive. Spencer is doing some

house-sitting jobs with his brother, Trey Wright, and some volunteer work for the summer.

**Great-Great Grandchildren and Beyond:**

Kelly Garrett Craig [Phyllis Blackburn], son of Gary and Teresa (Blackburn) Craig, received a Bachelor of Exercise Science degree from the College of Health and Human Services at The University of North Carolina Charlotte during Commencement Exercises held May 13, 2006. Several family members traveled to Charlotte to celebrate Kelly's graduation and Paris' 75th birthday. Cory Craig, Paris and Phyllis Blackburn, Steve and Bev Hatfield, J.B. and Janet Bowe, Jeannie Hatfield, Roger Blackburn Jr., Yvonne (Boots) Howell, Loy and Annabelle (Craig) Smith, and Lynn and Nancy (Craig) Duffee joined in for a great celebration! Through the summer Kelly was employed with the NFL North Carolina Panthers as an Assistant Strength and Conditioning Coach. Now he is working for TEKsystems in Charlotte, North Carolina. It is the nation's largest information technology staffing firm and he will be recruiting across the nation.



Phyllis Blackburn, Kelly Craig, and Paris Blackburn celebrate in North Carolina.

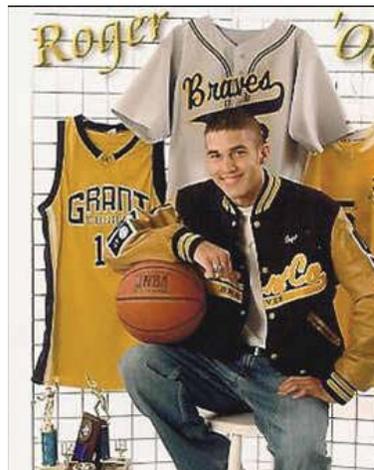
Eric Miller [Arnold Norman] graduated from Marshall University in May with a degree in Environmental Science and is working on his masters. He started the classes in January and is taking classes all summer to complete his masters by next May. Eric has had some law classes and really enjoyed them, so he is considering of law school potentially.

Lindsey Brooker, the granddaughter of Joe and Polly Breeze, graduated from Siloam Springs High School in May, 2006. Lindsey was a High Honor Graduate and was ranked number one in her class. Lindsey was an active member of the National Honor Society, Beta Club, Marching, Concert Band, and a three-year starter for the back-to-back state champion volleyball team. She was also a Senior Maid for the Football Homecoming Court. Lindsey received a full tuition scholarship to John Brown University, the Hall Foundation Leader Scholarship, along with several other scholarships. She is currently employed by Arvest Bank as a teller and she will continue to work in the fall when school starts. Lindsey plans to study business and accounting.



Lindsey Brooker graduates with honors in 2006.

Roger Daryl Blackburn Jr., [Phyllis Blackburn] son of Roger and Sharon Blackburn, grandson of Paris and Phyllis Hatfield Blackburn, graduated 11th in his class of 228 from Grant County High School on May 26, 2006. Roger graduated with honors, a 4.0 overall GPA, a Work Ethic Diploma, and the Distinguished Athlete Award from the United States Marine Corps. His next step includes a move to Lexington, Kentucky, to begin life as a freshman at the University of Kentucky where he has been accepted into the Pre-Physical Therapy Program. Roger had an eventful senior year! It began with a first time District win for Grant County High School's Soccer Team where Roger was instrumental playing as a forward. Then came basketball...his FAVORITE sport. The season began well until a Holiday tournament in Phoenix, Arizona. Actually, the trip was great and lots of fun with a trip to the Grand Canyon mixed in with some really good basketball games. Even his grandparents, Paris and Phyllis, came along to cheer him on



Roger Blackburn headed to UK in the fall.

in his last year of basketball. All was well until December 30, 2005, the last day before the flight home. It was almost six

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minutes into the first game of the day and Roger had already made two three pointers and had three steals. Once again, he had the ball, went to cut down the court, and fell to the floor screaming in pain. It was the athlete's nightmare come true... a torn ACL along with some other damage resulting from the tear. Surgery to repair the tear and other damage happened on January 16, 2006, and the family thanks God that all is now well. The surgeon said Roger has recovered in an unusually short amount of time even though he will likely have some trouble with the knee for at least a full year. Roger, Sharon, and Roger, Jr. want to thank you all for your thoughts and prayers during this turbulent time of their lives. They are certain that is why Roger was able to handle this situation with the acceptance, grace, and the extreme determination to recover quickly that he had. In the meantime, thanks to the help of cousin Chris Bowe, Roger had been interviewing through the Fall and Spring for a position at UK as a Student Athletic Trainer. The good news is that he has been accepted into the program which will give him lots of experience for his career as a Physical Therapist. The bad news is that because he has been assigned to the UK Football Team this year, he has to check in at UK on Thursday morning, August 3rd, and won't be able to attend the Hatfield Reunion this year. While he is very disappointed about missing out, he is extremely excited about this great opportunity.



Laura Cooper [Ted Hatfield] graduated from the 8th grade at Trinity Christian School in Fairfax, Virginia. She played Beethoven's Sonata No.8 in C Minor, Opus 13 as a piano solo. Laura has won several piano competitions, although this year she has spent a little less time with the piano since she has taken horse riding lessons.

Laura Cooper .

Sidney Hatfield [T.J. Hatfield] received a 110% on her family tree project! Since she had all her current family tree information, her teacher found it to be very interesting! Sidney will be starting Junior High School this fall. She was one of the top students in her 5th grade class and hopes to make the 6th grade competition cheer squad.

Emma Grace McClanahan [Glenna Hatfield] was born March 5, 2006, at Henrico Doctors Hospital in Richmond Virginia. Emma weighed 8 pounds, 1.5 ounces and was 20" long. Her proud parents are Ronny Lee and Gypsy McClanahan. [Some of us who went to Belfry can remember another Emma Grace!]



Emma Grace McClanahan gets her rest.

Tara Woodall [Arnold Norman] is pregnant and is due August 18 so they will not be at the reunion. Tara's aunt, Cathy Skidmore, truly hope it is a girl, because everything is in pink.

Annie Bowe [Janet Bowe] will be a freshman in the fall and is excited to attend New Albany High School (Ohio) as a member of the freshman cheerleading squad. During her 8th grade year she competed with the track team, won the district title, and now holds the middle school record for the 800m run at 2:37:20. Annie is now in training with the high school cross country team.



Annie Bowe takes to the track.

Clay Cooper [Ted Hatfield] has finished his freshman year at Trinity Christian School in Fairfax, Virginia, where he played on the basketball and baseball teams. Clay is a First Lieutenant in the Civil Air Patrol and will be attending the National Flight Academy this summer where he will solo a plane by the end of the training.



Corey Douglas Coleman gives a big smile.

Corey Douglas Coleman [Lyle Hatfield] was born on Feb 3, 2006, to parents, Debbie and Adam Coleman. Corey weighed 7 pounds, 10 ounces and was 20.5 inches. "Douglas" comes from his grandfather, Douglas

Carlyle Hatfield, who in turn was named after World War II General Douglas MacArthur.

Brooke Hatfield [T.J. Hatfield] pitched four innings and struck out nine players in a fast pitch softball game! Her sister, Brittany, plays the outfield and second base. With the great coaching from their dad, Jeff, their team won by a score of 13-5.

Matthew Brooker [Polly Breeze] will be a junior at Siloam Springs High School this year. He is an active member of the Debate Team, Basketball Team, Golf Team, and FCA. He is attending the FCA camp in Powell, WY, this summer. Matt is currently working at the Dawn Hill Country Club. He also worked with the Parks and Recreation Department giving children golf lessons. He enjoys playing the acoustic guitar, electric guitar and is currently working on mastering the keyboard.



Matt Brooker headed to the Big Sky Country.

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Chelsea Bowe [Janet Bowe] will be a junior at New Albany High School (Ohio) and is now driving. She is spending her summer watching Brooke and Brittany Hatfield three days a week and continues to play tournament softball every weekend. Over Father's Day weekend her team, The Franklin County Mustangs, won the Westerville Warcat Invitational Softball Tournament. There were 18 teams in her age bracket. Joe said it was the best Father's Day ever! She was also excited to attend the prom this past spring.



Chelsea Bowe and Matt Manson enjoy the New Albany prom.

Guy Hatfield [T.J. Hatfield] is currently playing baseball. Last year he was voted by teammates to the All Star team. He is already looking forward to football starting this year and playing with his cousin Michael Blackburn.

Cassidy Nicole Funk [Lyle Hatfield] was born on Feb 15th, 2006, to parents Anita and Bruce Funk. Cassidy is lucky to have big sister Carlysle to show her the ropes.



Cassidy Nicole Funk rests.

Ryan Bowe [Janet Bowe] will be in the 7th grade and is busy completing baseball season as the U12 Eagles catcher.

He has started conditioning for the M.S. football team. He is anxious to follow in his father's footsteps and enjoys "crushing the opposing team on the line."



Anthony "T.J." Hatfield

trying to crawl now, and chewing his fist like he is cutting teeth.

Anthony Ward Hatfield, Jr. [Leslie Hatfield] T.J. was born February 4, 2006, at 8:57 a.m. at Highlands Regional Medical Center in Prestonsburg, KY. He weighed 7 pounds 5 ounces and was 19.25" long. He is doing well,

**Get your fun in the sun  
at the 2006  
Hatfield Reunion!**



Please

contact Steve or

Bev Hatfield to cancel your

room reservations so they can inform

Jenny Wiley. Call them at 859-341-3985.

Jenny Wiley is not sending room deposit requests.

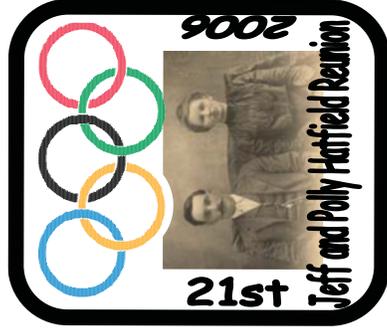
You should call Jenny Wiley's toll free number at

800-325-0142 to give them a credit card number

to hold your room.

If you have a question, call Steve or

Bev!



## 2006 AGENDA

### THURSDAY: AUGUST 4

- 7:00 p.m. Hatfield Potluck and Visits (*Tom & Jackie Hatfield*)  
 Hearts & Rook Tournament:  
 Jenny Wiley Lodge

### FRIDAY: AUGUST 5

- AM Golf  
 Pool-side Lounging  
 4:00 p.m. Jeff and Polly's Family Cookout: Picnic  
 Area Shelter (*Phyllis Blackburn, Teresa Craig, Kim Blackburn & Sharon Blackburn*)  
 4:30 p.m. Horseshoe Tournament (*Paris Blackburn*)  
 7:00 p.m. Auction: (*Steve Hatfield & Roger Blackburn*)  
 8:30 p.m. Post-Picnic Party: Jenny Wiley Lodge  
*Favorite Reunion Tapes (Everyone)*

### SATURDAY: AUGUST 6

- 8:00 a.m. Eighteenth Annual Bill Morris Memorial  
 Golf Tournament: Stumbo Golf Course  
 11:00 a.m. Family History Preservation Committee:

Jenny Wiley Lodge (*Katherine Scott, Opal Hatfield, and all family members*)

1:00 p.m. T-shirt picture

1:15 p.m. *Go for Gold*

Water Games: Jenny Wiley Pool  
 Toddlers' Events (Ages 1-5) (*Barbara Howard & Shelley Rader*)

Youth Events (6-12) (*Steve Hatfield & Cory Craig*)

5:30 p.m. Door Decoration Ballot Deadline

6:30 p.m. Business Meeting & Awards  
 Family Pictures

*Go for Gold Summer Games*

### SUNDAY: AUGUST 7

- 8:30 a.m. Breakfast Buffet:  
 Jenny Wiley Lodge



## T-Shirt and Shorts Order Form

The 2006 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 22 to have the shirt at the Reunion.** The email and the telephone number are:

Margaret Rader

859-582-2820

halonina1@comcast.net

The T-Shirts will be available at the Reunion on August 4 at Jeff and Polly's Family Cookout.

Name: \_\_\_\_\_

Telephone \_\_\_\_\_

<b>Adult Sizes</b>		<b>Number</b>		<b>Youths</b>		<b>Number</b>	
		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	Shorts: S - XL	\$10.00
	2X & 3X	9.00	XXL	10.50

**Total number of T-Shirts:** \_\_\_\_\_  
**Total number of shorts:** \_\_\_\_\_  
**Enclosed is my check for \$** \_\_\_\_\_