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THE HILL IN REVIEW

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WKU wide receiver Jaquez Sloan (2) runs with the ball while defended by Marshall wide receiver Donquell Green (4) during WKU's 17-20 loss to Marshall on Saturday, Sept. 29, 2018 at Houchens L.T. Smith Stadium
Silas Walker/HERALD



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- Attorney general visits WKU for domestic violence awareness month

Connor Keef, Senior, horse plays with Jacob Chamberlain, and Colby Clark during rehearsals for the play Tartuffe in Gordon Wilson Hall. The show runs from October 4th through October 9th.

Michael Blackshire/HERALD



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Kentucky awarded \$24.5 million grant to increase college enrollment

The Commonwealth of Kentucky has been awarded a \$24.5 million grant to increase college enrollment of low-income high school students according to a release by the Council on Postsecondary Education and Gov. Matt Bevin.

The grant comes from a service known as GEAR UP, which “focuses on identifying and closing achievement gaps of low-income, underrepresented, and underprepared students,” according to CPE Vice President Aaron Thompson.

Attorney general visits WKU for domestic violence awareness month

October is Domestic Violence Awareness Month, and Kentucky Attorney General Andy Beshear visited campus on Wednesday for the third year in a row to speak on the issue. Beshear signed a proclamation during his visit in a collaboration between WKU and the attorney general’s office with help from domestic violence shelter Barren River Area Safe Space, Inc. to raise awareness.

“We have a culture of rape and domestic violence,” Beshear said. “Letting people know we are here for them is so critical.”

City leaders receive flu vaccinations

Former Kentucky Congressman Ben Chandler and Bowling Green Mayor Bruce Wilkerson were among the city and state leaders who received their flu shots Wednesday to promote the Kentucky Medical Association’s public health campaign, “Focus on the Flu.”

This is the first year that the Kentucky Medical Association partnered with the Foundation for a Healthy Kentucky to advocate for statewide flu vaccines. Chandler is the CEO and president.

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Students cause heavenly laughter with Tartuffe

The cast and crew of “Tartuffe” were practicing a run-through in a room in Gordon Wilson Hall just days before opening night.

The lighthearted nature of the group continued as the director gave notes and the performers took their places, right up through the first few moments of the opening scene, which shows a household divided by a man named Tartuffe.

“It is engaging, funny and has a fantastic energy from start to finish,” Cast Member Natalie Thompson said.

‘Mindful Moments’ teaches stress management

“Mindful Moments,” the Counseling and Testing Center’s new meeting series, aims to help relieve some of the anxiety that accompanies academic responsibilities. “Mindful Moments,” led by licensed professional counseling associate and two-time WKU graduate Susan Harper, is a group that meets twice a week to practice mindfulness, which she defines as “a time to practice simply just being.”

“Mindful Moments” meets Mondays from 8:30-9:30 a.m. in Downing Student Union room 2113 and Fridays from 3:30-4:30 p.m. in Garrett Conference Center room 110.