



## THE MOREHEAD CLINIC IS NOW MOREHEAD MEDICAL SPECIALISTS

St. Claire Regional Medical Center and the Morehead Clinic have worked closely together to provide advanced healthcare to our region for more than forty years. In late 2010, the two entities announced an agreement to integrate services and staff of the Morehead Clinic with that of St. Claire Regional. On January 1, the clinic officially joined St. Claire Medical Group as Morehead Medical Specialists a service of St. Claire Regional Medical Center.

“The integration of the Morehead Clinic services with that of St. Claire Regional simply formalizes a long-standing and valued relationship”, says Mark J. Neff, SCR President/CEO. “We are excited about the potential growth opportunities of this new relationship and are fully committed to the success of both entities”, continues Neff. “The continuous development of a healthcare system that meets the needs of our patients will continue to be our focus.”

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### **MOREHEAD MEDICAL SPECIALISTS NO LONGER OFFERING EVENING CLINIC SERVICES**

The Morehead Medical Specialists is redirecting evening clinic services to the St. Claire Medical Group Family Medicine Morehead location. St. Claire Medical Group Family Medicine is located on West Second Street in the Center for Health, Education & Research.

The clinic is open Monday thru Friday 8:00 a.m. – 8:00 p.m. and Saturday 9:00 a.m. – 12:30 p.m. For more information regarding after hours care please call 606.784.3771.

## **Morehead Medical Specialists**

 St. Claire Medical Group

## ST. CLAIRE REGIONAL WELCOMES NEW HOSPITALIST – WORKU M. WONDAFRASH, M.D.



*Worku M. Wondafrash, M.D.*

St. Claire Regional is proud to announce the addition of Worku M. Wondafrash, MD. Dr. Wondafrash joined St. Claire Regional Medical Center in December 2010 as a hospitalist, a specialist in inpatient medicine. Dr. Wondafrash specializes in internal medicine and pediatrics.

Dr. Wondafrash completed his medical degree at the Addis Ababa University, Addis Ababa, Ethiopia. He completed his residency in internal medicine at Kingsbrook Jewish Medical Center, Brooklyn, NY.

“I am both happy and excited to be a St. Claire Regional Hospitalist team member,” says Dr. Wondafrash. “I very much enjoy the atmosphere and look forward to becoming involved in the community.” In his personal time, Dr. Wondafrash enjoys reading, watching movies (especially drama) and browsing the internet.

Please join us in welcoming Dr. Wondafrash to St. Claire Regional and our region.

## SHOUT OUT – JOB WELL DONE!

*Submitted By: Linda Fultz*



It is the busiest time of the year and often we overlook or fail to notice those unsung heroes who move among us taking care of business without any particular recognition. The ladies and gentlemen of the catering department deserve a big Shout Out – Job Well Done!! Everything they do is done with excellence, a keen eye to detail, care and consideration. It is easy to see that they enjoy what they do and take pride in their work. They’ve risen to the occasion more than a few times recently when the QM Department needed refreshments, lunch, etc and performed beautifully. It is obvious that they do what they do because they love it and their smiles and good attitude attest to their service.

*Again! Big Shout Out – Catering Department – YOU ROCK!*

## ST. CLAIRE REGIONAL WELCOMES ITS FIRST BABY OF 2011

*Morehead News*



*Mother Meghan McClain and New Year's  
baby Bryanna Eve McClain.*

St. Claire Regional's New Year's baby Bryanna Eve McClain was born to Meghan McClain. McClain was in labor at 4:30 a.m. and then her baby was born at 10:41 a.m. The child was 7 lbs. 9 oz. and 19 inches long and was healthy at birth, according to McClain.

"It's special to have Bryanna born on New Year's," McClain said. "I didn't think that my baby would be the New Year's Baby because I thought there were other babies that were going to be born first."

McClain received \$300 worth of gifts from SCR.

"They gave me a playpen, a Diaper Jeanie, a baby car seat cover, a basket

of clothes and toys, a bouncy seat, and I received a rocking horse from Paul Glesge from Pony Express Wooden Creations," McClain said. "They were really nice. I was surprised. They gave me a lot of stuff."

Women's Care Nurse Manager Lisa Wallace said it was a pleasure to be able to welcome the McClain baby on New Year's.

"It's very exciting to see who our New Year's baby is every year," Wallace said. "It's a miracle and they are a blessing."

Wallace said Bryanna McClain was the only SCR baby born on New Year's Day.



## Faces of Colon Cancer

PHOTOGRAPHY EXHIBIT-JANUARY 26-28

Join us for a reception at the  
Center for Health, Education and Research

Thursday, January 26th

from

4:30 p.m. to 6:00 p.m.

Speakers, refreshments and music with  
Ron Dobler and Harvey Pennington,  
KCTM Celtic Ensemble



## JANUARY BIRTHDAYS

|                         |                            |      |                              |                               |      |
|-------------------------|----------------------------|------|------------------------------|-------------------------------|------|
| Dianna McIntosh Bentley | Pharmacy                   | 1/1  | Cynthia Lynn Adams           | Health Information Management | 1/18 |
| Susan Bryant Hamlin     | Outpatient Care Center     | 1/1  | Robert D. Craft              | Pharmacy                      | 1/18 |
| Linda Roar              | Mental Health Unit         | 1/1  | Lisa Marie Earlywine         | TCU                           | 1/18 |
| Cheryl Kay Bridenthal   | Hospice                    | 1/2  | Alison Hayes                 | Pharmacy                      | 1/18 |
| Miranda L. Dearing      | CRSS General Surgery       | 1/2  | Connie B Mayhorn             | TCU                           | 1/19 |
| Willard Howard          | ICU                        | 1/2  | Johnny B. Napier             | Physical Therapy              | 1/19 |
| Melissa R. Thomas       | MMS Administration         | 1/2  | Mandy L. Smith               | 3rd Floor North               | 1/19 |
| Mildred K Cooper        | Family Medical Supply      | 1/3  | Matthew Bacon                | Hospitalist Physician         | 1/20 |
| Debra Lynn Cornell      | Environmental Services     | 1/3  | Andy L Cooper                | Environmental Services        | 1/20 |
| Patricia Ruth Eldridge  | FM - Olive Hill            | 1/3  | Christopher L. Fife          | CRSS Administration           | 1/20 |
| Curtis Lee Holbrook     | Infusion Solutions         | 1/3  | Lisa Ann Goldstein           | FM - Sandy Hook               | 1/20 |
| Marsha A Horsley        | Home Health                | 1/3  | Anita Gulley                 | SCR Family Medicine           | 1/20 |
| William D Lewis         | Radiology Physicians       | 1/3  | Jessica N Henderson          | Float Dept - Unit Sec         | 1/20 |
| Melinda Elaine Oakley   | Emergency Department       | 1/3  | Amanda K Rose                | Radiology                     | 1/20 |
| Kathy E Russell         | MMS Clinical Services      | 1/3  | Kevin Ray Snedegar           | Environmental Services        | 1/20 |
| Dreama D Rucker         | MMS Clinical Services      | 1/4  | Katrina Sue Tackett          | Float Dept - Unit Sec         | 1/20 |
| Calvin R Conn           | Bio Medical Engineering    | 1/5  | Chad Allen Wilson            | Sleep Lab                     | 1/20 |
| Crystal L Donathan      | TCU                        | 1/5  | Kathy Blevins                | Environmental Services        | 1/21 |
| Melissa D Montfort      | Laboratory                 | 1/5  | Joyce K. Dulin               | Environmental Services        | 1/21 |
| Jo Ann Pennington       | Financial Services         | 1/5  | Cindy J McKenzie             | Home Health                   | 1/21 |
| Beulah Francis Whitt    | FM - Sandy Hook            | 1/5  | Charles Russell Rister       | Environmental Services        | 1/21 |
| Dillon Little           | Food Services              | 1/6  | Leslie D Stamper             | FM - Olive Hill               | 1/21 |
| Judy M Buelterman       | Palliative Care            | 1/7  | Angie Kay Henderson          | Laboratory                    | 1/22 |
| Crystal Little          | FM- Owingsville            | 1/7  | Ada Ruth Albert              | Hospice                       | 1/23 |
| Randall Allen Robinson  | Family Medical Supply      | 1/8  | Pamela Sue Christy           | SPD                           | 1/23 |
| Marty R. Dickison       | Home Health                | 1/9  | Veronica Gail Hinton         | Hospice                       | 1/23 |
| Justin Matthew Ingles   | Patient Financial Services | 1/9  | Kimberly Jaudon Short        | ICU                           | 1/23 |
| Melinda Sturgill        | Food Services              | 1/9  | Veronica Fannin              | Emergency Department          | 1/24 |
| Alicia Swim             | 3rd Floor Central          | 1/9  | Sarah B Newcomb              | CRSS General Surgery          | 1/24 |
| Nancy J Conn            | Patient Access             | 1/10 | Tracy Manley Stewart         | Quality Management            | 1/24 |
| Raymond Cecil Steagall  | Facilities Management      | 1/10 | Tammie Kaye Witzke           | Surgery/Same Day Surgery      | 1/24 |
| Kathleen Gayle Hanson   | Emergency Department       | 1/11 | Carol J Applegate            | MMS Clinical Services         | 1/25 |
| David White             | Laboratory                 | 1/11 | Pamela Sue Bloomfield        | Home Health                   | 1/25 |
| Debra L Dickerson       | Homemaker II               | 1/12 | Salahadin Gharad             | MMS Clinical Services         | 1/25 |
| Carl Jones              | Information Services       | 1/12 | Donna Frances Lucas          | MMS Administration            | 1/25 |
| Vinnette Terry Little   | Hospitalist Physician      | 1/12 | Latoria Burton               | 3rd Floor North               | 1/26 |
| Holly Sabrina McGlone   | Nursing Administration     | 1/12 | John S Cooley                | Emergency Department          | 1/26 |
| Melinda J Morris        | Nursing Administration     | 1/12 | Carolyn Sue Epperhart        | Emergency Department          | 1/26 |
| Rebecca Lou Parker      | Emergency Department       | 1/12 | Carolyn Sue Ingram           | 3rd Floor Central             | 1/26 |
| Holly Stamper           | Patient Access             | 1/12 | Kathy Grace Catron           | Surgery/Same Day Surgery      | 1/27 |
| Jana Porter Thomas      | Surgery/Same Day Surgery   | 1/12 | Alice C. Ferguson            | FM - Sandy Hook               | 1/27 |
| Nancy Jo Bond           | Environmental Services     | 1/13 | Victoria Henderson           | Food Services                 | 1/27 |
| Tracey Lynn Dickerson   | MMS Administration         | 1/13 | Sean Ishmael                 | Environmental Services        | 1/27 |
| Anita Robin Hutchinson  | Emergency Department       | 1/13 | Kimberly Lynn Lambert        | Emergency Department          | 1/27 |
| Leigh Anne Stiltner     | Patient Financial Services | 1/13 | Brenda M Moore               | MMS Administration            | 1/27 |
| Carol J Barnett         | Mental Health Unit         | 1/14 | Kimberly Lenn Smallwood      | FM - Frenchburg               | 1/27 |
| Amy Dawn Brown          | Infusion Solutions         | 1/14 | Hal W Bledsoe                | Bio Medical Engineering       | 1/28 |
| Emily C Brown           | Patient Access             | 1/14 | Jessica Nicole Oldham        | Outpatient Care Center        | 1/28 |
| Adam Bryant             | Radiology Physicians       | 1/14 | Crystal Lynn Dunaway         | Family Medical Supply         | 1/29 |
| Melanie Ann Hurst       | Hospice                    | 1/14 | Fhonda Kay Thornsberry Hitch | Home Health                   | 1/29 |
| Glenna S Stevens        | Food Services              | 1/14 | Tabatha Johnson              | CRSS General Surgery          | 1/29 |
| Kia L. Gray             | Laboratory                 | 1/15 | Robin Purvis                 | Outpatient Care Center        | 1/29 |
| Rachel K Meadows        | Infusion Solutions         | 1/15 | Leanne Reed                  | Hospice                       | 1/29 |
| Lori Danielle Raleigh   | FM- Owingsville            | 1/16 | Stacy S Wages                | Home Health                   | 1/29 |
| Charles Rudd            | Pharmacy                   | 1/16 | Leslie Eickelberger          | Patient Access                | 1/30 |
| Michael T Smedley       | Security Services          | 1/16 | Michaela D Fultz             | Patient Access                | 1/30 |
| Shelia Caskey           | Food Services              | 1/17 | Latisha M Fyffe              | 3rd Floor Central             | 1/30 |
| Angela Lynn Gillespie   | Float Dept - Unit Sec      | 1/17 | Kristina L. Kegley           | Home Health                   | 1/30 |
| Kayla R. James          | Environmental Services     | 1/17 | Trina Pierce                 | Laboratory                    | 1/30 |
|                         |                            |      | Alisha Wolfe                 | Food Services                 | 1/30 |

**SCR EMPACT is proud to announce the following winners for the 2010 Christmas Decoration Contest**

**Most Creative**

**1<sup>st</sup> – Nursing Administration**

“Christmas Flutter”

**2<sup>nd</sup> – 3 Central**

“Healing Touch”

**3<sup>rd</sup> – Women’s Care**



**Most Representative of Department**

**1<sup>st</sup> – Out Pt. PT**

“Merry Crutchmas”

**2<sup>nd</sup> – SCR Family Medicine Supply**

“Comfort and Joy”

**3<sup>rd</sup> – Northeast AHEC**

“After Hours Entertainment Club”



**Most Beautiful**

**1<sup>st</sup> – Surgery**

**2<sup>nd</sup> – SCR Family Medicine**

Sandy Hook

“Country Christmas Comfort”

**3<sup>rd</sup> – Home Health**

“Primitive Star Tree”





# SCREMPACT

St. Claire Regional Medical Center's  
**EMPACT**  
Employee Activities/CQI Team

*Presents*

## *Sock Hop 2011*

*Saturday, February 5, 2011*

*7:00 – 11:00 p.m.*

*Carl Perkins Center*

*\$15.00 per person*

### *Menu:*

*Food Served from*

*7:30 – 9:00*

*Gourmet hamburgers*

*Gourmet hot dogs*

*Buffalo chicken*

*French fries*

*Onion rings*

*Kentucky hot brown*

*Garden salad*

*Soda Jerk till 9:30*

*\* Ole time soda bar*

*Featuring ice cream, malts,  
floats and sundaes.*

*Bar from*

*7:00 – 10:30*

*CASH BAR –*

*PLEASE BRING ID*

*DJ – Jim Tom Trent*

*Playing from*

*8:00 – 11:00*



# HIGHLIGHTING OUR CHAMPIONS

Submitted by: Tracy Stewart

The following comments are from SCR patients that completed our Press Ganey patient satisfaction surveys in December.

## INPATIENT

The nurses were very polite and attentive and they never made me feel embarrassed about any problems I had after cath. removal.

My physician was the best I could have had.

Dr. Damron is the BEST.

3rd floor north - wonderful nurses & aids.

Nurses & everyone else of 5th floor were very good to me.

Everyone was so nice & helpful. Dr. Burton & physicians staff was all very concerned. Couldn't ask for any better care.

Dr. Crouse very courteous,

## AMBULATORY SURGERY

Dr. Phillips is always very explanatory about what she is doing or going to do. Nurses were very nice, too.

I was very pleased with my experience overall.

All went well, everyone was very helpful.

## EMERGENCY DEPARTMENT

Every one was so nice & caring.

Had great service!

I have never been in an emergency room with such sufficiency & courtesy I was in shock at how fast I was helped & released great job.

## MEDICAL PRACTICE

Molly Carew does a great job she's my choice.

## UPCOMING EVENTS

### SCR EMPACT PRESENTS - SOCK HOP 2011

**Date:** February 5

**Location:** Carl Perkins Center

**Time:** 7:00 p.m. - 11:00 p.m.

Tickets: \$15 per person

### I CAN COPE - CANCER SUPPORT GROUP

**Date:** February 15

**Location:** St. Claire Regional - Cafe' D

**Time:** 5:00 p.m. - 7:00 p.m.

A free educational class for people with cancer, their friends and families. Guest speaker will be Jean Jones, Clinical Nutrition Services Manager. Light refreshments will be served. For more information please call, 606.783-6625

### SCR DIABETES SUPPORT GROUP

**Date:** February 8

**Location:** St. Claire Regional - Clinical Nutrition Department, located on the 2nd floor

**Time:** 6:00 p.m.

Dr. Laura Salyers will discuss Diabetes and Depression.



**St. Claire Regional  
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## SCR Welcomes New Staff

|                        |                          |
|------------------------|--------------------------|
| Amy L Allen            | 3rd Floor Central        |
| Anna B Barker          | 4th Floor Nursing        |
| Charles B Blackwell    | Nursing Administration   |
| Allison Kay Booth      | Surgery/Same Day Surgery |
| Casie Caldwell         | Laboratory               |
| Amanda G Engle.        | Patient Access           |
| Kia L. Gray            | Laboratory               |
| Thomas Howard          | Hospitalist Physician    |
| Ashley Nicole Howerton | Float Dept - Unit Sec    |
| Ashley Nicole Johnson  | Laboratory               |
| Amanda B May           | Float Dept - Unit Sec    |
| Amanda J Mullins       | Nursing Administration   |
| Dennis Lee Walling     | Emergency Department     |
| Lorna A Willis         | Nursing Administration   |
| Worku Wondafrash       | Hospitalist Physician    |