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Shinnston to take over Hutchinson water system

By Kara Linaburg

During the Feb. 27 City Council meeting, City Manager Chad Edwards discussed taking over the Hutchinson water system payments with Council members, and he requested permission to open an escrow account for said action.



During the Feb. 27 Council meeting, City Manager Chad Edwards said that he has all intentions of not only opening a closed parking lot but opening it as soon as possible. Photo by Kara Linaburg.

now, they have no way to pay us for the water we're selling... so that's the situation we are in right now. I know it's not ideal, but we're the heavy hitters in this part of the county, and we're the ones they're going to fall back on."

"I don't want to do it at all. No part of me wants to take over the system," Councilmember Patrick Kovalck said firmly about Shinnston taking over Hutchinson. Others agreed with him and voiced concerns and questions about what this could mean for the city to take on this extra responsibility.



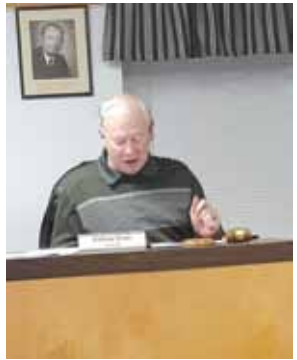
Councilmember Patrick Kovalck said that no part of him wishes to take over the responsibility of the Hutchinson water system. Photo by Kara Linaburg.



Councilmember Maryann Ferris voiced concerns over taking over the Hutchinson water system and had various questions for City Manager Chad Edwards. Photo by Kara Linaburg.

However, Edwards said that if they didn't take over Hutchinson now, he felt certain it would be handed to the city anyway further down the road and wished to take it now under the city's own terms. "So, the plan is, and the PSC okayed this, what we'll do is open a separate account for this, so the moneys don't get mingled until such a time as we are taking over the system. Right now, we'll put that money to the side and the only time we withdraw from it is when we need to pay their bill. So basically, they'll have their own account and we will manage it."

"There's a caveat to this too," Edwards added. "Any improvements (to the water system) we make, such as the meters... there's a type of emergency fund, and this is an emergency... And I'd say there is almost a 100% chance that we will get it, because the PSC is aware that this isn't an ideal situation for us. But the way I look at it personally, if we are going to be a water distributor, then we are going to have to take the good with the bad."



Mayor Rodney Strait said that a new city building will be coming but plans for size and the number of rooms are still in the works. Photo by Kara Linaburg.

After disagreements and continuing concerns voiced by the Council, Mayor Rodney Strait said that there were still a lot of details with taking over the system that

have yet to be decided upon, and the Council agreed to speak about taking over Hutchinson at a later date after the details had been written out.

Another point of interest on the agenda that night was going over the budget for the year. The amount for the rehabilitation of property amounts is set to \$112,000, and Edwards believes that will get the city through the end of the year as they begin work on demolishing dilapidated structures.

Strait also spoke about the reopening of the Sunset Ellis and the ribbon cutting he attended with various Council members. "It was busy," Strait said. "People were enjoying the restaurant being reopened. Give it some time. Service was a little slow, but they got new people."

Testing also took place by the Council that night for the soon-to-be-released new online system that citizens will be able to access from their cellular device. This system will be used to report problems with trash, utilities, and roads,

among other issues; ask questions; and allow locals to receive important notifications from the city. This will be available to access and use 24/7, as well as keep a continual record of issues being reported. The automated system will read citizens' texts and send reports to Edwards, who will mainly be managing the program.

Upon the release of the system, Edwards plans to hold a training at the library for those curious about how to use it.

The state auditor is coming to Shinnston with a team to audit the last four years and plans to have it complete by March 31. "They can find things we did wrong so we can fix them," Edwards said. "I'm happy about it."

A new city building is in the works and plans for the size of structure were discussed.

Shinnston Chief of Police Jon Harbert has been asked by Fairmont State University to teach, according to Edwards. "I think that's an honor to have our police chief teaching classes," Edwards said.

City officials receive state instruction on parking lot



The parking lot was closed in mid-February after Division of Highways officials learned initially that it lacked a permit and upon further review, that work had paved over sidewalk access.

By Kara Linaburg

City officials have received instruction from state transportation officials on how to meet state standards for road and sidewalk access at the closed parking area between Casey's and Main Street, which has been closed since mid-February and affecting local businesses. They hope to make the required changes to the parking area by St. Patrick's Day.

After a meeting with the West Virginia Division of Highways last week, city officials promised they will do whatever it takes to get the parking lot along Main Street re-open

for the community. "I want this to be done by the St. Patrick's Day parade. Clock's ticking," City Manager, Chad Edwards, said confidently at the Shinnston City Council meeting Feb 27.

Upon the closing of the parking lot, small business owners in the city feared how losing the parking would affect them. Jennifer Dooley, a spokeswoman for the West Virginia Department of Transportation, meanwhile, had said there was "no permit for the lot initially, and follow up for a complaint made by a citizen led to the discovery that sidewalk access had

been paved over."

Kayla Cline, owner of Kayla's Beauty & Barber at 219 Pike St. said that it's time for the community to stop fighting, resolve the problem, and just move on. "We have other issues in Shinnston that need to be taken care of." She went on to say that arising concerns, like the dilapidated condition of the roads leading into town, can also be a hindrance to the community and need to be fixed as well.

She said small businesses are the heart of the city, and they should come first. "Without us, no Shinnston."

Sarah Benson, owner of Soul Miner's Daughter, which is also on Pike Street, said of the city, "I think for sure they had the best of intentions and hindsight is 20/20." She explained that while she doesn't understand the rules and codes that the DOH has in place, she believes without a doubt that if the parking lot doesn't get open soon, it will leave a negative impact on her store as well as other

businesses. "The parking there (in the city) is atrocious without that option, (and) by the time we business owners get parked, there's no room for any potential customers."

Edwards, who has repeatedly apologized for the parking lot closure, met with the DOH in a meeting last week to find a solution. He said that the DOH appears to want to work with the city. "They want us to have the parking. I think it was a pretty positive meeting... We got a couple ideas..."

Dooley, of the public relations division for the DOH, echoed in an email Edwards' sentiments about how well the meeting had gone with the Council. "The meeting went very well," she said. "We provided direction to obtain permitting for ADA compliant sidewalks as well as access to (U.S. 19). Once those applications are received from the city, See "City Parking" on Pg 6



BUILDING AMAZING CITIES

By **JIM HUNT**
author, speaker, consultant

A weekend to remember



Jim Hunt's granddaughter, Sadie Bartlett, was not having it during an attempt at a family photo during a snowy and mountainous weekend trip

For the longest time, my wife has wanted to plan a beach trip in the summer and have our kids and grandkids join us. She has researched rental homes in Myrtle Beach, South Carolina and the Outer Banks in North Carolina and starts to circulate dates, only to have a myriad of issues and conflicts arise. With four grandchildren at various stages of their lives, there is always a summer camp, other planned trips, summer basketball league or dance recitals that thwart our effort to have that iconic beach photo, with everyone in white shirts and khaki shorts, lined up, with the ocean as a backdrop. Every time I see one on social media, I wonder if we are just not trying hard enough or maybe, I need to be more domineering and require that there are no excuses that will be accepted, with

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OPINION

Options available for utility bill assistance

By Charlotte Lane

Chair, WV Public Service Commission

Sadly, many people in West Virginia have a hard time making ends meet. Utility bills are a necessity that everyone must fit into the budget. If you struggle, there are resources that can help.

One of the first things to consider is budget billing. Many utilities offer this as a way to avoid sharp spikes or dips in your bill from month to month. Knowing how much your bill will be each month makes it easier to plan your budget.

If you receive financial assistance through the Department of Health and Human Resources, you may qualify for a 20% discount on your heating and water bills. The Special Reduced Residential Service Rate Program is administered by DHHR and is available from all natural gas and electric utilities, except municipal or cooperative service providers. West Virginia American Water also participates in the program.

If you receive assistance from Social Security Supplemental Security Income, WV WORKS, Temporary Aid to Needy Families, or if you are at least 60 years old and receive Supplemental Nutrition Assistance Program assistance, ask DHHR if you qualify for the utility discount program.

Another source of possible assistance is United Way's 211 program. Simply dial 2-1-1 to get contact information for agencies throughout the state that can help with utility bills and other household needs.

If you fall behind on utility bills, ask your utility about a deferred payment plan. The Public Service Commission requires that customers who have been notified their service is scheduled to be terminated for non-payment be given an opportunity to enter into a deferred payment agreement. Customers who have accrued an uncontested outstanding balance they are unable to pay may qualify for a deferred payment plan that allows them up to 12 months to catch up on their bill. However, you must request the plan before the utility discontinues your service, and current monthly bills must be paid in addition to the plan amount. Once service is disconnected the company is not required to honor the request for a 12-month payment plan and may require a substantial portion of the balance due be paid in order to restore service.

Contact the Public Service Commission prior to a scheduled service termination if you need assistance in establishing a deferred payment agreement with your utility company. Our staff will work with you and your service provider to try to resolve the situation.

THIS WEEK IN West Virginia History

The following events happened on these dates in West Virginia history. To read more, go to e-WV: The West Virginia Encyclopedia at www.wvencyclopedia.org.

March 9, 1832: George Robert Latham was born. At the onset of the Civil War, Latham turned his Grafton law office into a recruiting station, and he led the first Union troops in North Central West Virginia.

March 9, 1953: Football player Dennis Harrah was born in South Charleston. In the NFL, Harrah played in 168 games for the Los Angeles Rams (1975-87), was a six-time All Pro, and played in one Super Bowl.

March 9, 1965: President Lyndon Johnson signed the act establishing the Appalachian Regional Commission.

March 10, 1915: West Virginia's first Rotary International club was established in Wheeling.

March 10, 1920: West Virginia became the 34th state to ratify the 19th Amendment to the U.S. Constitution, which guaranteed the right of women to vote.

March 11, 1847: Boone County was formed from parts of Logan, Kanawha and Cabell counties and named for Daniel Boone.

March 11, 1848: Putnam County was formed

Super Crossword OFF THE GRID

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1 Imperfection
7 1970 Simon & Garfunkel hit
14 "— Lot" (Stephen King novel)
20 Geronimo's tribe
21 Scenting compound
22 Push forward
23 Footballer from a major Kansas city?
25 Dwell (in)
26 Corp. VIPs
27 Pimples
28 "The — of the Ancient Mariner"
30 Fashion designer Tahari
31 Actor Brynner
32 Strong urge
33 Footballer ejected from a nightclub?
36 She helped Theseus
39 Imparted fizz to
41 Critical
42 Not on a footballer's right?
44 For the most part
46 Aristocrat's home

47 Formerly
48 Liberal —
50 Mai — (rum drinks)
52 Salvador the surrealist
54 Hard hitter, biblically
60 Ship shelters
64 Footballer with a rod and reel?
67 PC-sent greeting
68 Hearing things
70 Fast shark
71 Bamboozles
72 Footballer working as a sound technician?
75 Matching pullover and cardigan
77 Old Chrysler
78 Think meditatively
79 "Uh, pardon me ..."
80 Like Goodwill goods
82 Apple variety
85 Humiliated
90 Expand, as a house
95 Footballer on a plane trip?
97 Thin pancake
98 Envious composer in "Amadeus"

101 Iterate
102 Visit a footballer?
104 Labor
106 Young fellow
107 Flush (with)
108 Sony Bravia or Sharp Aquos
109 Pool hall item
110 Piece of office furniture
112 Plaything for Fido or Fluffy
114 Declaration when a footballer arrives?
119 Angry speech
120 One casting a ballot
121 Urge on
122 Makes a sly verbal attack
123 Ecstasy
124 Feds, e.g.

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1 "See-saw, Margery —"
2 Fanciers of fine dining
3 Wrinkle-removing procedure
4 Iterate
5 Greek consonants
6 Vietnamese festival

7 Common infant illness
8 Girl played by Lily Tomlin
9 Bamboozles
10 Anger
11 Quick escape
12 Stuck going nowhere
13 When typical workdays start
14 Self-indulgent binge
15 Have existence
16 Experience a huge failure
17 Remove hair from, as one's legs
18 Like doctors' practices
19 In an aerodynamic way
24 Early Mexican
29 '80s Golden Arches burger
31 Bulldogs' school
32 Scared (of)
33 Kennel club classifications
34 Rowing need
35 TiVo device
37 — minimum
38 Connect-the-points puzzle
40 Abbr. limiting a list

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45 Exec. helper
48 Make — out of (rebut)
49 Skating place
51 "It's finally clear"
53 Woeful cry
55 Relatives of xylophones
56 Clickable screen image
57 Some ring wins, for short
58 Sommer of "A Shot in the Dark"
59 Take it easy
60 A helmet protects it
61 Take — from (do as suggested by)
62 Units of absorbed energy
63 Vigor, in music scores
64 "Oedipus complex" coiner
65 Egyptian goddess of fertility
66 Black-clad teen, maybe
69 High point
73 Blowout win
74 Enshrouded

76 Mink's cousin
79 "Mein Gott!"
81 "Such a pity!"
83 Erstwhile space station
84 Troublemaker
86 Rear, at sea
87 Marine animal's pelt
88 Title girl of old comics
89 Like green or purple hair
90 Doesn't reject
91 Embedded, as a nail
92 "Taking Woodstock" star — Martin
93 Source of flowing water
94 Tennis divider
95 Shark feature
96 Tot's wheels
99 Pollen bearer
100 Lowest parking garage tier, perhaps
103 "Absolutely!"
105 Earthy hue, to a Brit
109 Post-Q string
110 Fender flaw
111 Latin "Lo!"
113 Lyrical verse
115 Sales staffer
116 Outer: Prefix
117 Rio carmaker
118 Hi — image

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from portions of Kanawha, Mason and Cabell counties. It was named in honor of Gen. Israel Putnam, a leading commander at the Battle of Bunker Hill during the Revolutionary War.

March 11, 1856: Roane County was created from parts of Kanawha, Jackson and Gilmer counties. It was named for Judge Spencer Roane, a son-in-law of Patrick Henry.

March 12, 1835: Marshall County was created from part of Ohio County. It was named for John Marshall, chief justice of the U.S. Supreme Court.

March 12, 1850: Wheeling Hospital was chartered. During the Civil War, the institution was used as a general military hospital. The Sisters of Saint Joseph were hired as army nurses, treating wounded Union and Confederate soldiers side by side.

March 13, 2002: Herbalist and folk doctor Catfish Gray died in Huntington. Gray was known for his vast knowledge of traditional plant lore and for his quaint and engaging personality. At the height of the folklore revival of the 1970s, Gray was a frequent newspaper and television interview subject.

March 14, 1931: Noting the interest in the annual reunion of Carnifex Ferry battle veterans from the Civil War, the Legislature created the Carnifex Ferry Battlefield Park Commission.

March 15, 1882: Union leader Frank Keeney was born on Cabin Creek, Kanawha County. Keeney, who went to work in the mines as a boy, became a rank-and-file leader during the Paint Creek-Cabin Creek Strike of 1912-13.

March 15, 1952: Governor Earl Ray Tomblin was born in Logan County. He was elected as a Democrat from Logan County to the House of Delegates in 1974, when he was only 22 years old and still a senior at West Virginia University.

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N&J Briefs

FROM AROUND HARRISON COUNTY

The Shinnston News provides a calendar of events free of charge to churches and nonprofit organizations. Please submit your listing two weeks prior to the event. Send via email to newsandjournal@yahoo.com

Author Linda Zinn book signing

Thursday, March 9 | 4 p.m.-6 p.m.

First floor of the library

Clarksburg-Harrison Public Library is pleased to host Linda Zinn for a signing of her book "Arise! Shine!"

Register: <https://clarksburglibrary.org/events/author-linda-zinn-book-signing>

American Legion Auxiliary Unit 31 monthly meeting

Thursday, March 16

7 p.m., Post 31, Shinnston.

All members welcome.

Easter bake sale

St. Ann's Catholic Church, 619 Pike St., Shinnston

Annual Easter bake sale on April 1 from 8 a.m.-2 p.m. Breakfast from 8 a.m.-11 a.m.

Taking orders until March 20 for chocolate covered Easter eggs, peanut butter balls, cookie trays and cookies by the dozen. 304-841-1487, 677-0799, 592-2243, 203-8905, 592-0665.

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"Hunt" From Pg 1.



From left to right: Sadie Bartlett, holding Emery Sellhorst; Avery Sellhorst; and Ali Bartlett joined Hunt for a recent family vacation.

the exception of major surgery or me getting tickets to see Bruce Springsteen in concert!

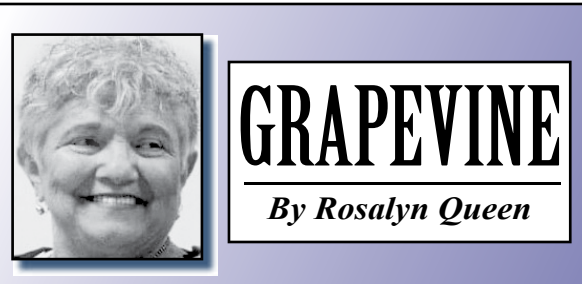
This year, as my wife was spending her evenings, looking at the glamorous beach houses on Vrbo, my daughter suggested us renting a cabin in the mountains of West Virginia during the winter. After looking at several cabins, we circulated some dates and arrived at a three-day weekend in February. To our surprise, everyone was available and excited to get together. We booked a beautiful cabin near Canaan Valley and started to plan out our snowy adventure in the mountains. We booked a day of sledding at Blackwater Falls and made a list of the winter clothes that our South Carolina-based daughter and her family, would need to enjoy, what we thought would be snow-filled holiday.

As the weekend approached, the temperatures in Clarksburg were hovering around 60 degrees and I called to make sure the sledding was still open. The lady explained that they had just that minute announced that all sledding was shut down for the week and that they would refund the money back to our credit card. We scrambled and found out that the snow tubing was still operating at Canaan Ski Resort and promptly secured reservations. After boarding our dog and packing the car, we were headed out to meet the family in the mountains. We arrived at the cabin and were excited to see our kids and their families, already making themselves at home in the hot tub and digging into snacks and pepperoni rolls. After a night of puzzles and card games, we turned in to get rested for our snow tubing and family picture, with the snow-filled mountains in the background.

After a great breakfast casserole, prepared by our son, we loaded up and headed for the tubing run. With the temperatures in the 50s and the parking lot near empty, we checked in and walked through a combination of gravel and mud, to arrive at the only snow we saw on the trip. Not to be discouraged, we gathered for our family photo and convinced a lady from Virginia to be our photographer. As everyone lined up and put on their best smile, our 3-year-old granddaughter decided that she was not really that interested in making my wife's dream of a family photo, a reality. As we coaxed and pleaded, there was no changing her decision and our volunteer photographer from Virginia was ready to relinquish her duties and get back to her family.

So, that is the story of our 2023 family photo at Canaan Valley Resort. While we weren't color coordinated and most of the snow was manmade, we had one of the nicest vacations that we ever had with all our family present. We laughed, ate great meals and spent a memorable afternoon, listening to some great music at the Purple Fiddle in Thomas. We're already planning next year's trip and realizing that we can have fun anywhere, as long as we're together!

Class of 1970 honors fellow graduate



With a little over 50 years since graduation, it certainly says something when seven of your fellow students gather in your honor. That is exactly what happened at the PWA's Women of Distinction Luncheon, on Feb. 24 when Rhonda Holyfield-Mangieri was the keynote speaker.

When the 1970 Washington Irving class graduated, little did seven of the girls know that 52 years later they would be gathering to celebrate each other and to honor fellow student, Holyfield-Mangieri. The girls gather monthly just to catch up and it was at this luncheon that they were catching up with each other and with fellow graduate, Holyfield-Mangieri.

Holyfield-Mangieri delivered the keynote message to the seven Black Heritage Month honorees and the approximately 80 attendees who had gathered to celebrate the month. Her message theme was "What in the World."

Holyfield-Mangieri grew up in the Clarksburg area attending local schools and graduating from W.I. before attending local colleges. She then moved to Ohio



Pictured with Rhonda Holyfield Mangieri, Women of Distinction Luncheon keynote speaker, standing, are Paula Johnson, Pam Mitchell, Carol Baker, Susie Wright, Beth Allen, Terry Brewer, and Mary Ann Ribas. All are 1970 graduates of Washington Irving.

where she worked and has established a home and where her son and his family resides.

I first met Holyfield-Mangieri when she was a freshman, and I was assisting with a Community Action Summer Camp. She was a friend of my sister, Cathy Burnett Fisher, and she then became my friend and for several years she served as a camp counselor. Holyfield-Mangieri has several members of her family still residing in Clarksburg and she returns here to visit them. Holyfield-Mangieri never hesitates to help me when I ask.

It was so rewarding to observe the kinship between Holyfield-Mangieri and her friends as they caught up. I personally want to thank these women for attending the luncheon and assure them that Holyfield-Mangieri was certainly honored.

I want to urge you to catch up with your fellow classmates. You know we are what we are and now all we can do is remember the "good times" from back then. Talk about our dances and our dates, our teachers and the clothes we wore. We will look at all of those happenings with a different perspective.

Time will be changing soon. Get out the green to celebrate St. Patrick's Day and just remember that spring is on its way.

Take care, stay healthy and until next week." Now You Have Heard It Through The Grapevine."

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Girls regionals full of excitement



The Bottom Line

By Bill Nestor
Sports Editor

The Cougars ended the regular season on a two-game win streak. Veteran mentor, Rob Hawkins guided his girls past Bridgeport and Notre Dame to garner momentum heading into postseason play.

The second season began with a home win over Elkins and gave Lincoln the opportunity to claim the sectional crown. They would be forced to play at One Eagle Way as Robert C. Byrd had earned the top seed.

The Flying Eagles jumped out to the 16-9 lead after one quarter and extended the lead to 29-16 at the break. The Cougars would finish the game strong, outscoring the host 17-14, but fell 54-38. Lincoln was paced by junior, Ashlyn Riley. Riley had a team-high 18 points and five rebounds. Sadie Adams chipped in with eight points in the evening.

Robert C. Byrd was led by Avery Childers. Childers netted a game-high 19 points and six caroms. Carleigh Curutz had 14 points and a game-high seven rebounds. Martina Howe also chipped in with 10 points in the victory.

The loss sent the Cougars on the short journey to East Fairmont. The Bees had won their sectional and had earned the right to host. It had been a season to remember for the Bees, who went into the match-up with a 22-2 record. These two had locked up previously on Jan. 11 in Shinnston with East Fairmont taking a 68-58 win.

Hawkins did an excellent job preparing his

squad to play. He is an exceptional motivator, and his girls came out focused in enemy territory.

The first segment went back and forth with East Fairmont holding a slim four-point lead. The second stanza belonged to Lincoln. The Cougars clamped down defensively allowing just eight points in the second period. The visitors drew to a single point at the break. The third frame was extremely frustrating for Hawkins and company as they would see only one field goal fall and momentum went to the Bees.

Lincoln would finish strong outscoring East 19-3 in the fourth quarter. It wasn't enough to overcome the slow start to the second half.

Riley exploded for a game-high 26 points while pulling down six rebounds. Senior, Megan Tucker played her last contest in a Cougars jersey and contributed eight points in the affair.

The Flying Eagles hosted Philip Barbour, a team they had beaten twice before in the regular season. Robert C. Byrd held the lead after the first, second and third quarters of play. A four-point advantage was held by the host heading into the heading into the final segment of play. The Colts canned four three-point shots and earned momentum. Childers came alive in the fourth, scoring nine points to force overtime. Martina Howe hit a three-pointer that proved to be the only points for the Flying Eagles. The 46-43 setback was the second consecutive loss to Philip Barbour in the regional co-championship.

Howe led Robert C. Byrd with 17 points. Childers finished with 12 points, nine rebounds, and three assists. Howe, Childers and Olivia Lowther played their last games for the Flying Eagles.

That will all for now. Until next week... take care and God Bless!

Harrison County EMS



Athletes of the Week

It's that time once again to acknowledge the efforts of Harrison County's student-athletes. Each week we review the performances of the athletes from the six schools (Bridgeport, Liberty, Lincoln, Notre Dame, Robert C. Byrd, and South Harrison) in our county.

The Shinnston News & Harrison County Journal's Athlete of the Week award is an avenue to promote the youth of our county while bringing attention to their athletic accomplishments.

Last week's winners of the Shinnston News & Harrison County Journal Athletes of the Week Award are Lincoln's Ashlyn Riley and Bridgeport's Anthony Spatafore.

Cougar standout basketball player, Ashlyn Riley had an impressive game this past Wednesday in a loss to East Fairmont. Riley hit for a game-high 26 points until pulling down six rebounds in the affair.

Indian hoopster, Anthony Spatafore led his team to a sectional championship with wins over Preston and Buckhannon Upshur. Spatafore knocked down a game-high in points (28) and rebounds (7). In the sectional final, Spatafore earned a game-high 23 points, hauled down eight caroms, and dished out a game-high four assists.

Congratulations to Lincoln's Ashlyn Riley and Bridgeport's Anthony Spatafore for being named the Shinnston News & Harrison County Journal Athletes of the Week.

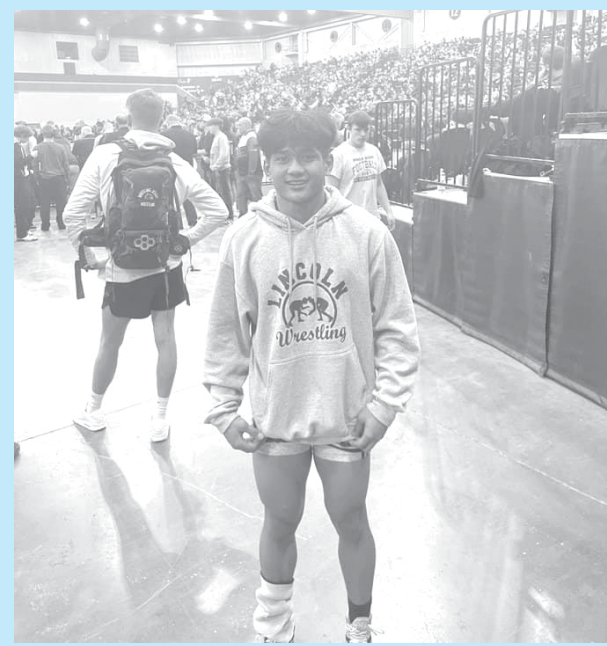
Tennis schedule set

The Lincoln High School tennis team schedule has been announced:

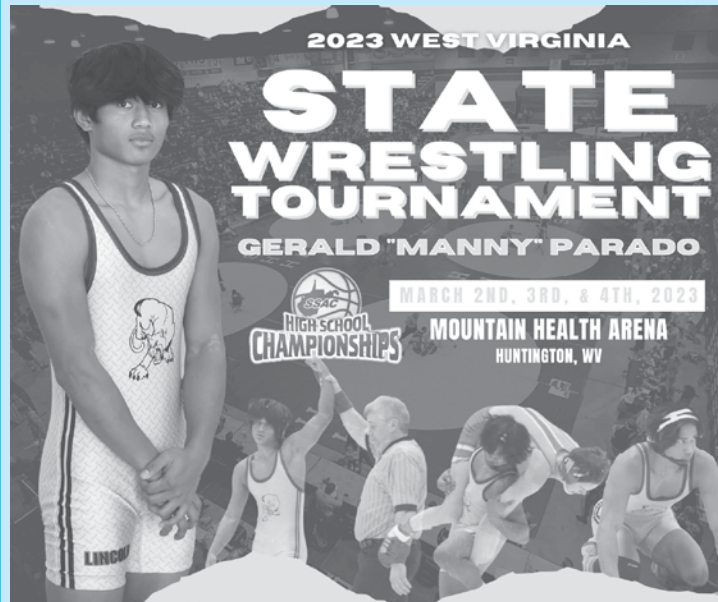
- March 18: Petersburg (H) at noon
- March 21: RCB (A) at 4:30 p.m.
- March 22: PB (A) at 4:30 p.m.
- March 23: Grafton (H) at 4:30 p.m.
- March 24: Parkersburg Catholic (H) at 4:30 p.m.
- March 27: Trinity (H) at 4 p.m.
- March 28: East Fairmont (H) at 4:30 p.m.
- March 29: Williamstown (H) at 4:30 p.m.
- March 30: Bridgeport (H) at 4:30 p.m.
- April 3: Buckhannon (A) at 4:30 p.m.
- April 4: Liberty (H) at 3 p.m.
- April 5: Notre Dame (H) at 3 p.m.
- April 5: Fairmont Senior (H) at 5 p.m.
- April 6: Lewis (H) at 4 p.m.
- April 8: Moorefield (A) at 1 p.m.
- April 10: North Marion (H) at 4:30 p.m.
- April 11: Elkins (A) at 4:30 p.m.
- April 12: Grafton (A) at 4:30 p.m.
- April 13: RCB (H) at 4:30 p.m.
- April 19-22: Big Ten Tournament at RCB
- April 29-May 5: Regionals



Gerald Parado of Lincoln High School lost by decision on Saturday, but he was guaranteed a place on the podium after previous wins in the state wrestling tournament over the weekend in Huntington. He took sixth place in the state and to be on the podium is a great accomplishment. He also plans to be back next year.



Gerald Parado of Lincoln High School made it to competing in the state wrestling tournament Thursday-Saturday.



The state wrestling tournament was held at Mountain Health Arena in Huntington.

Outdoor recreation expected to spike with warm weather



From The World of Parks & Recreation

By Doug Comer

So far, this area is pretty fortunate as the winter months have been very kind. Yes, we have had some cold mornings but overall, we have had less than 5" of snow during the period. And as we approach spring, most have taken advantage of the warmer weather doing some outdoor activities.

Jack Cann, recreation specialist here at the Rec Complex, noticed that the parks are starting to fill up a little more than usual mostly due to the increased temperatures here as of late. "The parks have been quite busy over the past week due to the warmer weather. It is great seeing the families come and use the facilities to get some exercise and enjoy the outdoor activities that we offer here at our facility," said Cann.

Recreation does seem to increase during the warmer months. Longer days and warmer weather draw people from the confines of the TV room and allows for some form of exercise. Parks with

multiple purpose resources are those that seem to attract those wanting to get the ball rolling before the summer comes. A walking area, playground, sports zone or other areas used for recreation can give families options on things to do.

At the Recreation Complex, located on U.S. Route 19 South just outside of Clarksburg, the multiple activities offered allows Cann to believe that while there are other avenues we should enter, we still have a great product at that particular area. "While the building itself is used for our enrichment and rental opportunities, the grounds itself has the offerings of a 9-hole disc golf course, an ADA compliant playground area with outdoor facilities to host events, a beach volleyball court as well as a walking trail that allows those wanting to take a hike but still be close to civilization," he said.

Now, there are those who take advantage of recreation all season long. The Bridge Sports Complex in Bridgeport has been very busy this winter for those who go to walk the track, get in a workout, play basketball or even get in a few games of pickleball, one of the fastest growing games nationwide. The opportunity to have access to outdoor activities but in an indoor arena allows those who choose to have activities all year-round.

"The ability to get out and spend family time during the winter was somewhat limited," said Director Mike Book. "There was the YMCA where you could do plenty of activities and today you have the Bridge off Saltwell road. The motivation to go and do some activities are harder in the winter months than in the spring or summer. The idea of some bright sun on your face and getting vitamin D seems to draw more people to do outdoor stuff compared to being inside doing similar activities."

With spring and daylight saving time right around the bend, we will continue to see the increase from indoor to outdoor activities, which strategically bodes well for the parks enrichment program, Walking with Dinosaurs. You see, the later dates allows for kids to get some outdoor recreation on days with good weather. The kids can explore the exhibit during the morning, have lunch and then spend some time on the playground that includes a Dino Yard with dinosaur themed playground equipment.

"Again, it is great to see the families come and take advantage of the warmer climate," said Cann. "We have a nice piece of property here and when the weather is right, the proof is in the amount of use at the park."

HCSCC SPOTLIGHT

Featuring news from the Harrison County Senior Citizen Center

Senior Olympians training underway



From left to right, Donna Burr, Jane Underwood, Virginia Harding, Diana Christafore, Margaret Davis, and Clifford Marshall practice their form for the annual Senior Olympics event, set for June 7-9.

Seniors interested in some good-natured competition and fun, demonstrating their talents, physical activity and chatting with others may look forward to the annual Senior Olympics competition.

The Mountain State Senior Olympics competition has been set for June 7-9 at WVU Potomac State College in Keyser. The annual event is organized by Aging and Family Services of Mineral County.

"The Seniors Olympics philosophy is to provide activities for all seniors regardless of age or athletic ability," the organization's website states.

Aging and Family Services of Mineral County sponsors the event every year, according to the website, and has since 2002. Annually, over 125 seniors participate.

The group aims to provide physical and non-physical competition. Activities have included Bocce ball, cornhole, Frisbee toss, poker, a talent show, and artificial flower arrangements, among others.

There will also be time to meet new people and catch up with old friends at a picnic and a banquet.

The event also provides socialization through gatherings at a picnic and a banquet.

Over 200 medals and trophies will be awarded in more than 15 field and indoor competitive events.

For more information, call the center at 304-623-6795.

Inspirational Book Talk planned



JoAnn James, a Bridgeport author, displays "Seeds for Enlightenment 101," the motivational and Bible-based book she'll be speaking about at the Clarksburg senior center on March 15.

A Bridgeport author who wrote a hopeful and faith-based book will present at the Harrison County Senior Center.

JoAnn James, a Bridgeport author, will present a Book Talk at the Harrison County Senior Center on Wednesday, March 15 at 11 a.m.

Her book, "Seeds for Enlightenment 101," is a compilation of reflective thoughts and aspirations, inspired by life experiences, as well as by the book of Ecclesiastes.

The reader is anticipated to obtain a new perspective and strength to be steadfast and unmovable in their personal faith.

The Book Talk will be hosted by the Harrison County Senior Center Book Club and co-sponsored by the Harrison County Senior Center and The Cultural Foundation of Harrison County.

For more information on future Book Talks, contact Book Club facilitator Bill O'Field at 304-623-6795.

Card group invites members to join the fun



From left to right, Cliff Marshall, Margaret Davis, Donna Burr, and Sandy Mossor play a friendly game of Skip-Bo. The card group is looking for new members.

Need a mid-week activity to fight the winter blues?

The Wednesday Kinley Café Card & Game Group is seeking new players for Skip-Bo, Phase 10, and Dominos – Chickenfoot games.

Phase 10 is a Rummy-type game, and Skip-Bo involves sequencing numbered cards, but those who've never played before will be taught by other members.

For more information, call Sandy at 304-672-0903.

Another bowling outing in the works

Members will have another opportunity for a free bowling game outing at Alley 304 in Clarksburg on Wednesday, March 29 at 9:30 am. Several outings have been successful and full of laughs.

Organize a lane group or join a lane group by calling the center at 304-623-6795.

Membership opportunities available

Signing up for the Harrison County Senior Center comes with a wealth of group activities, as well as help and in-home assistance for those who qualify.

Membership is \$10 yearly and open to those age 50+.

Activities and services available include using the fitness room, an exercise group, a toning group, a Tai Chi class, a Bingocize class, a line dance group, a ceramics class, Bingo Fun Club, Senior Olympics, daily cards and game playing in the café, a puzzle and TV room, a

computer lab, transportation, food box programs, in-home caregivers, socialization, and Kinley Café food service.

The center is open Monday through Friday from 8 a.m.-4 p.m.

In addition to the main center in Clarksburg at 500 W. Main St., there are 12 senior center satellite groups in Harrison County that meet at various times and locations throughout the month.

For more information on senior center activities, services, or satellites, call 304-623-6795.

Candy for the sweet



Board Member Donna Stuart presents a candy heart door prize to Marjorie "Jeanne" Prince at the Feb. 9 special bingo after lunch. In addition to door prize drawings, senior center meal tokens were awarded as bingo prizes.

Friends at heart



Harrison County Senior Center Director, Beth Fitzgerald, and six senior center members gather at the Gilmer County Senior Center Valentine's Dinner & Dance in Glenville. Pictured from left to right are Jim Hayes, Anita Hayes, Fitzgerald and Gilmer County Director Sallie Mathess. The social was held on Friday, Feb. 10.

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we will promptly review them and continue to assist in any way we can.”

Edwards said that the two serious issues that must be resolved are the lack of a straight sidewalk for pedestrians, and the safety concerns of backing out onto U.S. 19 from the parking lot. Once city officials draw up and get them approved by the DOH, the work for the reopening can begin.

The City Council spoke highly of citizens who have offered their time and services to get the parking lot re-opened. “I’m very proud of our citizens, how they just want to jump in and

help,” Amanda Sayers, councilmember, said.

“I’d say 99% of the community is behind us,” Edwards agreed. “I’m going to see what we can do to make this a community project. Because we’ve had so many people reach out and offer to help, I’d like to get a group together to have a volunteer workday.”

Even though there is a time crunch for the reopening by St. Patrick’s Day and a chance work will not be complete by then according to plan, Edwards said he will do all he can to see it happen in time for the parade. “I’m going to make a good college effort,” he said.

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Fundraiser set



Those who want to get in the Easter spirit and help out the senior center may buy tickets for this light-up welcome bunny. The drawing will support the Harrison County Senior Center’s fundraiser to replace the ballroom chairs.

The drawing will be Thursday, March 16 at noon. Winners do not need to be present to win.

Tickets are available at the Harrison County Senior Center front desk. They are six for \$5 or \$1 each.

Ceramic pieces were created and donated by Loretta Snider, ceramics class instructor.



THANK YOU

The greatest comfort during our sorrow was the expressions of sympathy conveyed to us in many ways. Thank you for the food, cards, phone calls, visits, and flowers.

Thank you to the Fraternal Order of Police, the Blue Knights, Shinnston, Clarksburg, White Hall, and Westover Police Departments. The Harrison County Sheriff’s Office and Courthouse, Shinnston Moose, Jewel City Church, and First Baptist Church.

A special thank you to cousin, Chief Jon Harbert of the Shinnston PD, for coordinating the law enforcement funeral rites and last call for our beloved Dave.

We deeply appreciate your thoughtfulness and outpouring of love for our family.

The family of Dave W. Harris.

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Pelkey and Pauline Ferrel, paternal uncles Dalton Moran and Michael Mollohan, as well as many great aunts, uncles, and cousins.

Jamison was an honorary member of Spelter Fire Department.

No amount of words can describe the impact Jamison left on so many hearts. Between his long lashes, high maintenance personality, and mean looks, Jamison offered so much love to everybody that met him. He loved beating up his stuffed animals and cuddling with mommy. He would flirt with nurses and "mean mug" doctors all day long. Jamison had many nicknames including Boogerbutt, Diaper Diva, and Baby J- but Baby Warrior, as his Mimi called him, is the best one to describe him. Jamison fought like a true warrior his whole 5 months of life. There wasn't a single day he did not fight as hard as he could. If love could have kept him here- he would be invincible. Jamison is now playing with his puppy, Ollie, who we know was waiting to greet him and all the other warriors taken from this earth too soon in heaven. He was truly too beautiful for this world.

Friends were received at Harmer Funeral Home on Friday, March 3, 2023 from 1:00PM-7:00PM. A funeral service immediately followed at 7:00PM.

Online memories and condolences may be shared at www.harmerfuneralhome.com

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**Jamison Luke
Freemont Mollohan**

Jamison Luke Freemont Mollohan, 5 months, passed away on February 25, 2023 of heart failure at UPMC Children's Hospital of Pittsburgh. Jamison Luke was born on September 13, 2022 in Morgantown to Tyara Jadyne Martin of Clarksburg and Brandon Alexander Mollohan of Spelter.

Jamison Luke was preceded in death by maternal great grandmothers Phyllis Neely and Sharon Ash, maternal great-great grandparent Donald Elbert Sr. maternal Uncle Robert Neely III, paternal great grandfathers Joe Mollohan and Richard Givens, and paternal great-great grandfather Leonard Mollohan.

In addition to Jamison's parents, he is also survived by his maternal grandparents Aimee Neely and Cody Ash and Rob and Tarina Neely, maternal great grandparents Tamara and Mitch Elmore, Don and Cathy Ebert, maternal great-great grandparents Mary Jo, Pete Lauderman, and Pat Ebert, maternal aunts and uncles Makenzie Neely, Brett Martin and Taylor Sanney, Megan Ash, Deanna Ash, Brady Ash, Sarah Olsen, and Luke Olsen, paternal grandparents Robert Mollohan, Jennifer and Brian Moran, great grandmothers Sue



**Harold L. "Bud"
Oldaker**

Harold L. "Bud" Oldaker, 88, of Spelter, passed away on Tuesday, February 27, 2023, at the Louis A. Johnson VAMC in Clarksburg. He was born in Buckhannon, August 26, 1934, a son of the late Frank and Edna Davis Oldaker. He was also preceded in death by his wife of 50 years, Mary Karnis Oldaker, who passed away November 28, 2004; one son, Michael Oldaker; and one brother, Raymond Oldaker.

Surviving are three children: Harold J. "Hoss" Oldaker and his wife Donna, Clarksburg, Veronica Rebrook and her husband Pat, Spelter, and Debourah Mullins and her husband Richard, Spelter; eight grandchildren and eight great grandchildren; one sister Wilma Durnal, Philippi, his long-time companion, Judith Smith, Spelter, and his life-long friends, Shafter Drummond and Harold Wilhelm, both of Spelter.

Bud was a Korean Veteran having served with the United States Marines where he was a Drill Sergeant. In 1997, he retired from the Clarksburg Casket Company where he was a truck driver for 28 years.

Following his retirement, he continued driving for the Mountain State Casket Company and The Lord's Pantry. He was

a member of the VFW Post 573, Clarksburg, the American Legion Post 31, Shinnston, and the Spelter United Methodist Church. Bud formerly served as the Chaplain of the Spelter Volunteer Fire Department and the Spelter Satellite Senior Citizens. He was loved and will be missed by everyone who knew him.

The family received friends at the Perine Funeral Home, 1348 S. Pike St., Shinnston, from 2-8pm, Friday where funeral services were held at 11am, Saturday, March 4th with Rev. Duane Bartrug and Pastor Jimmy Glaspell officiating. Interment will be in the Sunset Memorial Park in Mt. Clare where full military graveside rites will be accorded by the Harrison County Honor Guard.

Condolences may be extended to the family at www.perinefunerals.com. The Perine Funeral Home is honored to serve the Oldaker family.



George Frederick Gray

George Frederick Gray, 59 of Mannington, WV, passed away on Saturday, February 25, 2023 at United Hospital Center. He was born in Fairmont, WV on June 22, 1963, the son of the late Franklin Zane Gray Sr and Pauline Francis Toland Gray.

George worked as a construction worker for many years. Loved to spend time with his

family and friends. In his younger years he loved to hunt.

George is survived by one daughter Nicole George Verser of VA; one son Adam Gray; one step-son Tyler Campbell; two siblings, Vicki George and husband, Tom and Sharon Wilcox and husband Jay, both of Mannington, WV; as well as several nieces and nephews.

In addition to his parents, George was preceded in death by three brothers, David Alan, Terry Wayne Gray Jr.

The family would like to send a special thanks to Tom George, for always taking care of George and taking him to his appointments.

As per George's wishes, Davis Funeral Home and Onsite Crematory handled the cremation arrangements for the Gray Family. Online condolences can be made on Frank's memorial tribute page at www.DavisFuneralHomeWV.com.

Davis Funeral Home is honored to assist the Gray Family.



**Ruth Ann Smith
Talbott**

Ruth Ann Smith Talbott, 88, of Lost Creek passed away on Monday, February 20, 2023 in the United Hospital Center.

She was born in Folsom, WV on June 9, 1934, a daughter of the late Orville and Ethel Morgan Smith.

She was married to Robert "Bernard" Talbott in 1961, who preceded her in death in 1996.

Surviving are one son, Chris Talbott and his wife Sharon of Lost Creek; three grandchildren, Justin, Megan and Ben Talbott; four siblings, Ernest Smith, Harold Smith, Phyllis Nicholas and Mary Jo Knight and her husband Darel; and several nieces and nephews.

She was also preceded in death by two sisters, Naomi R. Yost and Glenda Lou Hayes.

Mrs. Talbott was a graduate of Wallace High School and was a sales representative at Mellett's Men's Clothing for many years. She enjoyed helping others and babysat many children. She also loved to garden

and was famous for her homemade candy. Mrs. Talbott was a member of the Rockford Methodist Church.

Family and friends may call at the Amos Carvelli Funeral Home, 201 Edison Street, Nutter Fort on Thursday from 2:00 pm to 8:00 pm, where funeral services will be held on Friday, February 24, 2022 at 10:00 am with Pastor Shari Stilgenbauer officiating. Interment will be in the Rockford Cemetery, Lost Creek.

Expressions of sympathy may be extended to the family at www.amoscarvelli.com. A service of Amos Carvelli Funeral Home.



**Gerald Edward "Jake"
Merriner**

Gerald Edward "Jake" Merriner, 92, of Jane Lew passed away on Monday, February 27, 2023 in the Stonewall Jackson Hospital.

He was born in Hundred, WV on April 24, 1930, a son of the late Robert Lee and Rebecca Taylor Merriner.

He was preceded in death by his wife of 50 years, Joan C. Plum Merriner, who passed away on January 4, 2019.

Surviving are one son, John Lee Merriner and his wife Penny of Winchester, VA; two daughters, Shelley Jo Matheny and her husband Ron of Clarksburg and Amy Rebecca McKee and her husband Mike of Weston; six grandchildren; nine great grandchildren; two great great grandchildren and one on the way; and two siblings, James Merriner and Betty Merriner. He is also survived by his dearest friends, Curtis Smith, Pat Casey, Arden Lynn Skidmore and Fred Sumpter. He also leaves behind his sidekick, Gus.

He was also preceded in death by one daughter, Regina Ann Seamon; one son, Gerald Edward Merriner, II; five brothers, June, Ancel, Charles, Wilbur and Harold; and one sister, Virginia Fowler.

Mr. Merriner was an honorably discharged United States Marine veteran having served from 1951 to 1959 during the Korean War.

He was retired from the city of Clarksburg Police Department with

Out of the Past

Memorable photographs from around Harrison County



Jesse Tyler & Lavina Jane (Hess) Sturm. Tyler served in Company H (Co. H) of the West Virginia Volunteer Infantry during the Civil War. Submitted by Bobby Bice.

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11 ½ years of service, where he received the Medal of Valor for an incident that happened on May 24, 1970 when he and his partner, Steve Toryak, were shot in a robbery on Duff Avenue.

Jake enjoyed hunting and fishing and loved his dog, Gus, but mostly he missed his wife dearly.

Family and friends may call at the Amos Carvelli Funeral Home, 201 Edison Street, Nutter Fort on Sunday from 4:00 pm to 6:00 pm, where funeral services will be held on Monday, March 6, 2023 at 11:00 am with Pastor Andrew Kind officiating. Entombment will be in the Floral Hills Memorial Gardens.

In lieu of flowers, the family requests memorial contributions be made to the Lewis-Upshur Humane Society, 318 Mud Lick Rd, Buckhannon, WV 26201.

Expressions of sympathy may be extended to the family at www.amoscarvelli.com. A service of Amos Carvelli Funeral Home.



Martha Jean Allman

Martha Jean Allman, 85, of Lost Creek passed away on Sunday, February 26, 2023

following a long battle with Alzheimer's.

She was born in West Milford on February 19, 1938, a daughter of the late William J. and Sarah DeLancey Gabriel.

She is survived by her husband, Robert Guy Allman, whom she married on October 28, 1971.

Also surviving are two sons, Michael Paige Furbee of Clarksburg and Daniel Robert Allman of Good Hope; two daughters, Stephanie Lynn Lloyd and her husband William of Clarksburg and Kelli Dawn Rhoades and her husband Brian of Good Hope; seven grandchildren; ten great grandchildren; one sister, Helen Jones of Clarksburg; one sister-in-law, Mary Gabriel of Annapolis, MD; and several nieces and nephews.

She was also preceded in death by one brother, William J. Gabriel and three sisters, Eleanor Beechler, Edith Casto and Gertrude Marshall.

Martha was a 1956 graduate of Unidis High School and a retired general manager with Chenoweth Ford. She was a member of the Full Gospel Worship Center in Bridgeport where she was also a

member of the worship team.

Alzheimer's took a lot from Martha, but her faith remained steadfast through her battle. During her time at Crestview Manor Nursing Facility, she could be found praying with other residents.

Family and friends called at the Full Gospel Worship Center, 9801 George Washington Hwy, Bridgeport on

Friday from 4:00 pm to 8:00 pm, where funeral services will be held on Saturday, March 4, 2023 at 11:00 am with Pastor Tim Maxwell officiating. Interment will be in the Rose Hill Cemetery, West Milford.

Expressions of sympathy may be extended to the family at www.amoscarvelli.com. A service of Amos Carvelli Funeral Home.

CLASSIFIEDS

Help Wanted: The Shinnston News & Harrison County Journal is seeking reporters. Qualified candidates should have strong writing, fact-checking, and proof-reading skills. They should also be well-organized, dependable, and interested in

journalism, particularly Shinnston and Harrison County news and events. Successful applicants will have flexible schedules but must be able to meet deadlines. To apply, send a resume and cover letter, introducing yourself and describing your inter-

est in the position, to newsandjournal@yahoo.com. Please include one to three writing samples.

WANTED: Christian writer for a native West Virginia senior biography. Text 281-235-6611. Will call back.

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(2021-S-00000392 - Harrison County - AMFLO ENTERPRISES LLC)

To: EDITH F. LAMBERT, WANDA R. LONG, WANDA R. LONG C/O EDITH F. LAMBERT, or heirs at law, devisees, creditors, representatives, successors, assigns, all known heirs, guardians, conservators, fiduciaries, administrators, lienholders, co-owners, other parties having an undivided interest in the delinquent property, and other parties that may have an interest in the subject property.

DISTRICT SARDIS OUTSIDE DISTRICT MAP 9999 PARCEL 0613 9671
You will take notice that AMFLO ENTERPRISES LLC, the purchaser of the tax lien(s) on the following real estate, Certificate of Sale: 2021-S-00000392, 25 AS O&G NR BROWN 1/2 INT CARNEGIE #8222 WL#446, located in SARDIS OUTSIDE DISTRICT, which was returned delinquent in the name of LONG WANDA R., and for which the tax lien(s) thereon was sold by the sheriff of Harrison County at the sale for the delinquent taxes made on the 4th day of November, 2021, has requested that you be notified that a deed for such real estate will be made to him or her on or after April 17, 2023, as provided by law, unless before that day you redeem such real estate. The amount you will have to pay on the last day, April 16, 2023, will be as follows:

Amount equal to the taxes and charges due on the date of the sale, with interest, to April 16, 2023.	\$ 99.45
Amount of subsequent year's taxes paid on the property, since the sale, with interest to April 16, 2023.	\$ 5.42
Amount paid for the Title Examination and preparation of the list to be served and for preparation and service of notice with interest from January 1, 2022, following the sheriff's sale to April 16, 2023.	\$ 983.64
Amount paid for other statutory costs with interest from following the sheriff's sale to April 16, 2023.	\$ 287.14
Total Amount Payable to Sheriff - cashier check, money order or certified check must be made payable to The Honorable Robert Matheny, Sheriff and Treasurer of Harrison County.	\$ 1,375.65
Cost of Certification of Redemption - cashier check, money order or certified check must be made payable to The Honorable John B. McCuskey, State Auditor.	\$ 35.00

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(2021-S-0000065 - Harrison County - JOHN & ADALINE STOUT)

To: JUDITHA. WILKINSON, MARGUERITE POST WILKINSON ESTATE C/O JUDITHA. WILKINSON, or heirs at law, devisees, creditors, representatives, successors, assigns, all known heirs, guardians, conservators, fiduciaries, administrators, lienholders, co-owners, other parties having an undivided interest in the delinquent property, and other parties that may have an interest in the subject property.

DISTRICT SIMPSON OUTSIDE DISTRICT MAP 9999 PARCEL 0659 0520
You will take notice that JOHN & ADALINE STOUT, the purchaser of the tax lien(s) on the following real estate, Certificate of Sale: 2021-S-0000065, 651.82 AC MINED OUT DEEP COAL BARNETTS RUN (MAP 26, located in SIMPSON OUTSIDE DISTRICT, which was returned delinquent in the name of WILKINSON MARGUERITE POST, and for which the tax lien(s) thereon was sold by the sheriff of Harrison County at the sale for the delinquent taxes made on the 4th day of November, 2021, has requested that you be notified that a deed for such real estate will be made to him or her on or after April 11, 2023, as provided by law, unless before that day you redeem such real estate. The amount you will have to pay on the last day, April 10, 2023, will be as follows:

Amount equal to the taxes and charges due on the date of the sale, with interest, to April 10, 2023.	\$ 107.06
Amount of subsequent year's taxes paid on the property, since the sale, with interest to April 10, 2023.	\$ 10.85
Amount paid for the Title Examination and preparation of the list to be served and for preparation and service of notice with interest from January 1, 2022, following the sheriff's sale to April 10, 2023.	\$ 983.64
Amount paid for other statutory costs with interest from following the sheriff's sale to April 10, 2023.	\$ 207.14
Total Amount Payable to Sheriff - cashier check, money order or certified check must be made payable to The Honorable Robert Matheny, Sheriff and Treasurer of Harrison County.	\$ 1,308.69
Cost of Certification of Redemption - cashier check, money order or certified check must be made payable to The Honorable John B. McCuskey, State Auditor.	\$ 35.00

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(2021-S-00000407 - Harrison County - NAJ LLC)

To: WILLIAM C. THURMAN, or heirs at law, devisees, creditors, representatives, successors, assigns, all known heirs, guardians, conservators, fiduciaries, administrators, lienholders, co-owners, other parties having an undivided interest in the delinquent property, and other parties that may have an interest in the subject property.

DISTRICT COAL OUTSIDE DISTRICT MAP 9999 PARCEL 0652 5922
You will take notice that NAJ LLC, the purchaser of the tax lien(s) on the following real estate, Certificate of Sale: 2021-S-00000407, 1/44INT 160 AC O&G CROOKED RN GARRETT FM/EMAX2145, located in COAL OUTSIDE DISTRICT, which was returned delinquent in the name of THURMAN WILLIAM C., and for which the tax lien(s) thereon was sold by the sheriff of Harrison County at the sale for the delinquent taxes made on the 4th day of November, 2021, has requested that you be notified that a deed for such real estate will be made to him or her on or after April 17, 2023, as provided by law, unless before that day you redeem such real estate. The amount you will have to pay on the last day, April 16, 2023, will be as follows:

Amount equal to the taxes and charges due on the date of the sale, with interest, to April 16, 2023.	\$ 99.45
Amount of subsequent year's taxes paid on the property, since the sale, with interest to April 16, 2023.	\$ 0.00
Amount paid for the Title Examination and preparation of the list to be served and for preparation and service of notice with interest from January 1, 2022, following the sheriff's sale to April 16, 2023.	\$ 967.74
Amount paid for other statutory costs with interest from following the sheriff's sale to April 16, 2023.	\$ 43.57
Total Amount Payable to Sheriff - cashier check, money order or certified check must be made payable to The Honorable Robert Matheny, Sheriff and Treasurer of Harrison County.	\$ 1,110.76
Cost of Certification of Redemption - cashier check, money order or certified check must be made payable to The Honorable John B. McCuskey, State Auditor.	\$ 35.00

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(2021-S-00000395 - Harrison County - AMFLO ENTERPRISES LLC)

To: ANTERO RESOURCES APPALACHIAN CORPORATION, CONSTANCE FORINASH, or heirs at law, devisees, creditors, representatives, successors, assigns, all known heirs, guardians, conservators, fiduciaries, administrators, lienholders, co-owners, other parties having an undivided interest in the delinquent property, and other parties that may have an interest in the subject property.

DISTRICT SARDIS OUTSIDE DISTRICT MAP 9999 PARCEL 0691 0077
You will take notice that AMFLO ENTERPRISES LLC, the purchaser of the tax lien(s) on the following real estate, Certificate of Sale: 2021-S-00000395, .0816 INT 108.31 AC O&G KATYLYCK (SWN/AAPH#2085) (E), located in SARDIS OUTSIDE DISTRICT, which was returned delinquent in the name of FORINASH CONSTANCE, and for which the tax lien(s) thereon was sold by the sheriff of Harrison County at the sale for the delinquent taxes made on the 4th day of November, 2021, has requested that you be notified that a deed for such real estate will be made to him or her on or after April 17, 2023, as provided by law, unless before that day you redeem such real estate. The amount you will have to pay on the last day, April 16, 2023, will be as follows:

Amount equal to the taxes and charges due on the date of the sale, with interest, to April 16, 2023.	\$ 165.77
Amount of subsequent year's taxes paid on the property, since the sale, with interest to April 16, 2023.	\$ 53.13
Amount paid for the Title Examination and preparation of the list to be served and for preparation and service of notice with interest from January 1, 2022, following the sheriff's sale to April 16, 2023.	\$ 983.64
Amount paid for other statutory costs with interest from following the sheriff's sale to April 16, 2023.	\$ 187.14
Total Amount Payable to Sheriff - cashier check, money order or certified check must be made payable to The Honorable Robert Matheny, Sheriff and Treasurer of Harrison County.	\$ 1,389.68
Cost of Certification of Redemption - cashier check, money order or certified check must be made payable to The Honorable John B. McCuskey, State Auditor.	\$ 35.00

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(2021-S-00000408 - Harrison County - NAJ LLC)

To: ROSE ELLEN HALL, or heirs at law, devisees, creditors, representatives, successors, assigns, all known heirs, guardians, conservators, fiduciaries, administrators, lienholders, co-owners, other parties having an undivided interest in the delinquent property, and other parties that may have an interest in the subject property.

DISTRICT COAL OUTSIDE DISTRICT MAP 9999 PARCEL 0665 5540
You will take notice that NAJ LLC, the purchaser of the tax lien(s) on the following real estate, Certificate of Sale: 2021-S-00000408, .0137 INT 149 AC O&G WEST FORK (CONS#26531)(EMAX/3, located in COAL OUTSIDE DISTRICT, which was returned delinquent in the name of HALL ROSE ELLEN, and for which the tax lien(s) thereon was sold by the sheriff of Harrison County at the sale for the delinquent taxes made on the 4th day of November, 2021, has requested that you be notified that a deed for such real estate will be made to him or her on or after April 17, 2023, as provided by law, unless before that day you redeem such real estate. The amount you will have to pay on the last day, April 16, 2023, will be as follows:

Amount equal to the taxes and charges due on the date of the sale, with interest, to April 16, 2023.	\$ 99.45
Amount of subsequent year's taxes paid on the property, since the sale, with interest to April 16, 2023.	\$ 5.42
Amount paid for the Title Examination and preparation of the list to be served and for preparation and service of notice with interest from January 1, 2022, following the sheriff's sale to April 16, 2023.	\$ 967.74
Amount paid for other statutory costs with interest from following the sheriff's sale to April 16, 2023.	\$ 133.57
Total Amount Payable to Sheriff - cashier check, money order or certified check must be made payable to The Honorable Robert Matheny, Sheriff and Treasurer of Harrison County.	\$ 1,206.18
Cost of Certification of Redemption - cashier check, money order or certified check must be made payable to The Honorable John B. McCuskey, State Auditor.	\$ 35.00

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(2021-S-00000409 - Harrison County - NAJ LLC)

To: JAMES J. WILSON, PATTI JEAM PORTER, or heirs at law, devisees, creditors, representatives, successors, assigns, all known heirs, guardians, conservators, fiduciaries, administrators, lienholders, co-owners, other parties having an undivided interest in the delinquent property, and other parties that may have an interest in the subject property.

DISTRICT COAL OUTSIDE DISTRICT MAP 9999 PARCEL 0686 7367
You will take notice that NAJ LLC, the purchaser of the tax lien(s) on the following real estate, Certificate of Sale: 2021-S-00000409, .0185 INT 84.42 AC O&G FALL RUN (CNX#3523-3540-355, located in COAL OUTSIDE DISTRICT, which was returned delinquent in the name of WILSON JAMES, and for which the tax lien(s) thereon was sold by the sheriff of Harrison County at the sale for the delinquent taxes made on the 4th day of November, 2021, has requested that you be notified that a deed for such real estate will be made to him or her on or after April 17, 2023, as provided by law, unless before that day you redeem such real estate. The amount you will have to pay on the last day, April 16, 2023, will be as follows:

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Amount of subsequent year's taxes paid on the property, since the sale, with interest to April 16, 2023.	\$ 5.42
Amount paid for the Title Examination and preparation of the list to be served and for preparation and service of notice with interest from January 1, 2022, following the sheriff's sale to April 16, 2023.	\$ 983.64
Amount paid for other statutory costs with interest from following the sheriff's sale to April 16, 2023.	\$ 87.14
Total Amount Payable to Sheriff - cashier check, money order or certified check must be made payable to The Honorable Robert Matheny, Sheriff and Treasurer of Harrison County.	\$ 1,175.65
Cost of Certification of Redemption - cashier check, money order or certified check must be made payable to The Honorable John B. McCuskey, State Auditor.	\$ 35.00

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LEGAL NOTICES

(2021-S-00000414 - Harrison County - NAJ LLC)

To: AGNES HAMBRICK, ROBERT HAMBRICK, or heirs at law, devisees, creditors, representatives, successors, assigns, all known heirs, guardians, conservators, fiduciaries, administrators, lienholders, co-owners, other parties having an undivided interest in the delinquent property, and other parties that may have an interest in the subject property.

DISTRICT EAGLE OUTSIDE DISTRICT MAP 9999 PARCEL 0670 1447

You will take notice that NAJ LLC, the purchaser of the tax lien(s) on the following real estate, Certificate of Sale: 2021-S-00000414, .0208 INT 104.50 AC O&G LAUREL RUN(CONS/LS#14046#1, located in EAGLE OUTSIDE DISTRICT, which was returned delinquent in the name of HAMBRICK RUSSELL R, and for which the tax lien(s) thereon was sold by the sheriff of Harrison County at the sale for the delinquent taxes made on the 4th day of November, 2021, has requested that you be notified that a deed for such real estate will be made to him or her on or after April 17, 2023, as provided by law, unless before that day you redeem such real estate. The amount you will have to pay on the last day, April 16, 2023, will be as follows:

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Amount of subsequent year's taxes paid on the property, since the sale, with interest to April 16, 2023.	\$ 5.42
Amount paid for the Title Examination and preparation of the list to be served and for preparation and service of notice with interest from January 1, 2022, following the sheriff's sale to April 16, 2023.	\$ 983.64
Amount paid for other statutory costs with interest from following the sheriff's sale to April 16, 2023.	\$ 207.14
Total Amount Payable to Sheriff - cashier check, money order or certified check must be made payable to The Honorable Robert Matheny, Sheriff and Treasurer of Harrison County.	\$ 1,295.65
Cost of Certification of Redemption - cashier check, money order or certified check must be made payable to The Honorable John B. McCuskey, State Auditor.	\$ 35.00

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(2021-S-00000418 - Harrison County - NAJ LLC)

To: ROBERT MCKEEHAN, BURR B. MCKEEHAN C/O ROBERT MCKEEHAN, LEONARD BENTON MCKEEHAN, BURR B. MCKEEHAN, LEONARD B. MCKEEHAN C/O ROBERT MCKEEHAN, or heirs at law, devisees, creditors, representatives, successors, assigns, all known heirs, guardians, conservators, fiduciaries, administrators, lienholders, co-owners, other parties having an undivided interest in the delinquent property, and other parties that may have an interest in the subject property.

DISTRICT GRANT OUTSIDE DISTRICT MAP 9999 PARCEL 0670 1447

You will take notice that NAJ LLC, the purchaser of the tax lien(s) on the following real estate, Certificate of Sale: 2021-S-00000418, 1/15 INT 16.58 AC O&G MINERAL LOST CREEK, located in GRANT OUTSIDE DISTRICT, which was returned delinquent in the name of MCKEEHAN LEONARD B JR-BURR B&, and for which the tax lien(s) thereon was sold by the sheriff of Harrison County at the sale for the delinquent taxes made on the 4th day of November, 2021, has requested that you be notified that a deed for such real estate will be made to him or her on or after April 17, 2023, as provided by law, unless before that day you redeem such real estate. The amount you will have to pay on the last day, April 16, 2023, will be as follows:

Amount equal to the taxes and charges due on the date of the sale, with interest, to April 16, 2023.	\$ 99.45
Amount of subsequent year's taxes paid on the property, since the sale, with interest to April 16, 2023.	\$ 5.42
Amount paid for the Title Examination and preparation of the list to be served and for preparation and service of notice with interest from January 1, 2022, following the sheriff's sale to April 16, 2023.	\$ 1,015.44
Amount paid for other statutory costs with interest from following the sheriff's sale to April 16, 2023.	\$ 484.28
Total Amount Payable to Sheriff - cashier check, money order or certified check must be made payable to The Honorable Robert Matheny, Sheriff and Treasurer of Harrison County.	\$ 1,604.59
Cost of Certification of Redemption - cashier check, money order or certified check must be made payable to The Honorable John B. McCuskey, State Auditor.	\$ 35.00

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(2021-S-00000423 - Harrison County - NAJ LLC)

To: DONALD DENNISON, or heirs at law, devisees, creditors, representatives, successors, assigns, all known heirs, guardians, conservators, fiduciaries, administrators, lienholders, co-owners, other parties having an undivided interest in the delinquent property, and other parties that may have an interest in the subject property.

DISTRICT SARDIS OUTSIDE DISTRICT MAP 9999 PARCEL 0666 8448

You will take notice that NAJ LLC, the purchaser of the tax lien(s) on the following real estate, Certificate of Sale: 2021-S-00000423, INT 140 AS O&G BIG ROCK CAMP, located in SARDIS OUTSIDE DISTRICT, which was returned delinquent in the name of DENNISON DONALD, and for which the tax lien(s) thereon was sold by the sheriff of Harrison County at the sale for the delinquent taxes made on the 4th day of November, 2021, has requested that you be notified that a deed for such real estate will be made to him or her on or after April 17, 2023, as provided by law, unless before that day you redeem such real estate. The amount you will have to pay on the last day, April 16, 2023, will be as follows:

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Amount of subsequent year's taxes paid on the property, since the sale, with interest to April 16, 2023.	\$ 5.42
Amount paid for the Title Examination and preparation of the list to be served and for preparation and service of notice with interest from January 1, 2022, following the sheriff's sale to April 16, 2023.	\$ 967.74
Amount paid for other statutory costs with interest from following the sheriff's sale to April 16, 2023.	\$ 43.57
Total Amount Payable to Sheriff - cashier check, money order or certified check must be made payable to The Honorable Robert Matheny, Sheriff and Treasurer of Harrison County.	\$ 1,116.18
Cost of Certification of Redemption - cashier check, money order or certified check must be made payable to The Honorable John B. McCuskey, State Auditor.	\$ 35.00

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(2021-S-00000430 - Harrison County - NAJ LLC)

To: WEST VIRGINIA DHHR, DANIEL JOSEPH MYERS, BRITTANY ANN HALL C/O WEST VIRGINIA DHHR, or heirs at law, devisees, creditors, representatives, successors, assigns, all known heirs, guardians, conservators, fiduciaries, administrators, lienholders, co-owners, other parties having an undivided interest in the delinquent property, and other parties that may have an interest in the subject property.

DISTRICT TENMILE OUTSIDE DISTRICT MAP 9999 PARCEL 0684 6087

You will take notice that NAJ LLC, the purchaser of the tax lien(s) on the following real estate, Certificate of Sale: 2021-S-00000430, .0149 INT 47.64 AC O&G SHAWRUN BERRY-API#4821-4822, located in TENMILE OUTSIDE DISTRICT, which was returned delinquent in the name of MYERS DANIEL JOSEPH, and for which the tax lien(s) thereon was sold by the sheriff of Harrison County at the sale for the delinquent taxes made on the 4th day of November, 2021, has requested that you be notified that a deed for such real estate will be made to him or her on or after April 17, 2023, as provided by law, unless before that day you redeem such real estate. The amount you will have to pay on the last day, April 16, 2023, will be as follows:

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Amount of subsequent year's taxes paid on the property, since the sale, with interest to April 16, 2023.	\$ 5.42
Amount paid for the Title Examination and preparation of the list to be served and for preparation and service of notice with interest from January 1, 2022, following the sheriff's sale to April 16, 2023.	\$ 983.64
Amount paid for other statutory costs with interest from following the sheriff's sale to April 16, 2023.	\$ 137.14
Total Amount Payable to Sheriff - cashier check, money order or certified check must be made payable to The Honorable Robert Matheny, Sheriff and Treasurer of Harrison County.	\$ 1,225.65
Cost of Certification of Redemption - cashier check, money order or certified check must be made payable to The Honorable John B. McCuskey, State Auditor.	\$ 35.00

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(2021-S-00000432 - Harrison County - NAJ LLC)

To: ALICE M. LAWSON, or heirs at law, devisees, creditors, representatives, successors, assigns, all known heirs, guardians, conservators, fiduciaries, administrators, lienholders, co-owners, other parties having an undivided interest in the delinquent property, and other parties that may have an interest in the subject property.

DISTRICT UNION OUTSIDE DISTRICT MAP 9999 PARCEL 0671 0124

You will take notice that NAJ LLC, the purchaser of the tax lien(s) on the following real estate, Certificate of Sale: 2021-S-00000432, .0167 INT 114 AC O&G TWOLICK (CONS/LS#14277-3 WELL, located in UNION OUTSIDE DISTRICT, which was returned delinquent in the name of LAWSON ALICE M, and for which the tax lien(s) thereon was sold by the sheriff of Harrison County at the sale for the delinquent taxes made on the 4th day of November, 2021, has requested that you be notified that a deed for such real estate will be made to him or her on or after April 17, 2023, as provided by law, unless before that day you redeem such real estate. The amount you will have to pay on the last day, April 16, 2023, will be as follows:

Amount equal to the taxes and charges due on the date of the sale, with interest, to April 16, 2023.	\$ 99.45
Amount of subsequent year's taxes paid on the property, since the sale, with interest to April 16, 2023.	\$ 5.42
Amount paid for the Title Examination and preparation of the list to be served and for preparation and service of notice with interest from January 1, 2022, following the sheriff's sale to April 16, 2023.	\$ 967.74
Amount paid for other statutory costs with interest from following the sheriff's sale to April 16, 2023.	\$ 88.57
Total Amount Payable to Sheriff - cashier check, money order or certified check must be made payable to The Honorable Robert Matheny, Sheriff and Treasurer of Harrison County.	\$ 1,161.18
Cost of Certification of Redemption - cashier check, money order or certified check must be made payable to The Honorable John B. McCuskey, State Auditor.	\$ 35.00

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(2021-S-00000428 - Harrison County - NAJ LLC)

To: DOUGLAS ALBERT KIDWELL, or heirs at law, devisees, creditors, representatives, successors, assigns, all known heirs, guardians, conservators, fiduciaries, administrators, lienholders, co-owners, other parties having an undivided interest in the delinquent property, and other parties that may have an interest in the subject property.

DISTRICT TENMILE OUTSIDE DISTRICT MAP 9999 PARCEL 0675 6968

You will take notice that NAJ LLC, the purchaser of the tax lien(s) on the following real estate, Certificate of Sale: 2021-S-00000428, .0356 INT 25.75 AC & 77.2 AC O&G CHERRY CAMP (DOMI, located in TENMILE OUTSIDE DISTRICT, which was returned delinquent in the name of KIDWELL DOUGLAS ALBERT, and for which the tax lien(s) thereon was sold by the sheriff of Harrison County at the sale for the delinquent taxes made on the 4th day of November, 2021, has requested that you be notified that a deed for such real estate will be made to him or her on or after April 17, 2023, as provided by law, unless before that day you redeem such real estate. The amount you will have to pay on the last day, April 16, 2023, will be as follows:

Amount equal to the taxes and charges due on the date of the sale, with interest, to April 16, 2023.	\$ 142.80
Amount of subsequent year's taxes paid on the property, since the sale, with interest to April 16, 2023.	\$ 66.15
Amount paid for the Title Examination and preparation of the list to be served and for preparation and service of notice with interest from January 1, 2022, following the sheriff's sale to April 16, 2023.	\$ 967.74
Amount paid for other statutory costs with interest from following the sheriff's sale to April 16, 2023.	\$ 133.57
Total Amount Payable to Sheriff - cashier check, money order or certified check must be made payable to The Honorable Robert Matheny, Sheriff and Treasurer of Harrison County.	\$ 1,310.26
Cost of Certification of Redemption - cashier check, money order or certified check must be made payable to The Honorable John B. McCuskey, State Auditor.	\$ 35.00

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(2021-S-00000431 - Harrison County - NAJ LLC)

To: JAMES RITTER, JAMES RITTER, JAMES RITTER, or heirs at law, devisees, creditors, representatives, successors, assigns, all known heirs, guardians, conservators, fiduciaries, administrators, lienholders, co-owners, other parties having an undivided interest in the delinquent property, and other parties that may have an interest in the subject property.

DISTRICT TENMILE OUTSIDE DISTRICT MAP 9999 PARCEL 0689 5666

You will take notice that NAJ LLC, the purchaser of the tax lien(s) on the following real estate, Certificate of Sale: 2021-S-00000431, .0191 INT 89 AC O&G GRASS RUN (CNX/API#3488) (MAP, located in TENMILE OUTSIDE DISTRICT, which was returned delinquent in the name of RITTER JAMES, and for which the tax lien(s) thereon was sold by the sheriff of Harrison County at the sale for the delinquent taxes made on the 4th day of November, 2021, has requested that you be notified that a deed for such real estate will be made to him or her on or after April 17, 2023, as provided by law, unless before that day you redeem such real estate. The amount you will have to pay on the last day, April 16, 2023, will be as follows:

Amount equal to the taxes and charges due on the date of the sale, with interest, to April 16, 2023.	\$ 106.74
Amount of subsequent year's taxes paid on the property, since the sale, with interest to April 16, 2023.	\$ 9.50
Amount paid for the Title Examination and preparation of the list to be served and for preparation and service of notice with interest from January 1, 2022, following the sheriff's sale to April 16, 2023.	\$ 999.54
Amount paid for other statutory costs with interest from following the sheriff's sale to April 16, 2023.	\$ 130.71
Total Amount Payable to Sheriff - cashier check, money order or certified check must be made payable to The Honorable Robert Matheny, Sheriff and Treasurer of Harrison County.	\$ 1,246.49
Cost of Certification of Redemption - cashier check, money order or certified check must be made payable to The Honorable John B. McCuskey, State Auditor.	\$ 35.00

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(2021-S-00000393 - Harrison County - AMFLO ENTERPRISES LLC)

To: ROBERT KYLE, KENNETH L. KYLE, SR. C/O ROBERT KYLE, KENNETH L. KYLE, SR. C/O ROBERT KYLE, or heirs at law, devisees, creditors, representatives, successors, assigns, all known heirs, guardians, conservators, fiduciaries, administrators, lienholders, co-owners, other parties having an undivided interest in the delinquent property, and other parties that may have an interest in the subject property.

DISTRICT SARDIS OUTSIDE DISTRICT MAP 9999 PARCEL 0664 4615

You will take notice that AMFLO ENTERPRISES LLC, the purchaser of the tax lien(s) on the following real estate, Certificate of Sale: 2021-S-00000393, .0125 INT 56.5 AC O&G CATFISH EMAX/API#2478 (EAST/, located in SARDIS OUTSIDE DISTRICT, which was returned delinquent in the name of KYLE KENNETH L SR, and for which the tax lien(s) thereon was sold by the sheriff of Harrison County at the sale for the delinquent taxes made on the 4th day of November, 2021, has requested that you be notified that a deed for such real estate will be made to him or her on or after April 17, 2023, as provided by law, unless before that day you redeem such real estate. The amount you will have to pay on the last day, April 16, 2023, will be as follows:

Amount equal to the taxes and charges due on the date of the sale, with interest, to April 16, 2023.	\$ 99.45
Amount of subsequent year's taxes paid on the property, since the sale, with interest to April 16, 2023.	\$ 5.42
Amount paid for the Title Examination and preparation of the list to be served and for preparation and service of notice with interest from January 1, 2022, following the sheriff's sale to April 16, 2023.	\$ 983.64
Amount paid for other statutory costs with interest from following the sheriff's sale to April 16, 2023.	\$ 177.14
Total Amount Payable to Sheriff - cashier check, money order or certified check must be made payable to The Honorable Robert Matheny, Sheriff and Treasurer of Harrison County.	\$ 1,265.65
Cost of Certification of Redemption - cashier check, money order or certified check must be made payable to The Honorable John B. McCuskey, State Auditor.	\$ 35.00

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(2021-S-00000327 - Harrison County - WVTJ LLC)

To: RONALD HOLT, RONALD HOLT, RONALD HOLT, RONALD HOLT, OCCUPANT, OCCUPANT, OCCUPANT, IRS, ATTN: ADVISORY CONSOLIDATED RECEIPTS, WV STATE TAX DEPARTMENT, RONALD HOLT, RONALD HOLT, RONALD HOLT, RONALD HOLT, or heirs at law, devisees, creditors, representatives, successors, assigns, all known heirs, guardians, conservators, fiduciaries, administrators, lienholders, co-owners, other parties having an undivided interest in the delinquent property, and other parties that may have an interest in the subject property.

DISTRICT CLAY OUTSIDE DISTRICT MAP 190 PARCEL 0019 0000

You will take notice that WVTJ LLC, the purchaser of the tax lien(s) on the following real estate, Certificate of Sale: 2021-S-00000327, 97.86 AC COON RUN, located in CLAY OUTSIDE DISTRICT, which was returned delinquent in the name of HOLT RONALD D, and for which the tax lien(s) thereon was sold by the sheriff of Harrison County at the sale for the delinquent taxes made on the 4th day of November, 2021, has requested that you be notified that a deed for such real estate will be made to him or her on or after April 10, 2023, as provided by law, unless before that day you redeem such real estate. The amount you will have to pay on the last day, April 9, 2023, will be as follows:

Amount equal to the taxes and charges due on the date of the sale, with interest, to April 9, 2023.	\$ 2,420.58
Amount of subsequent year's taxes paid on the property, since the sale, with interest to April 9, 2023.	\$ 2,150.41
Amount paid for the Title Examination and preparation of the list to be served and for preparation and service of notice with interest from January 1, 2022, following the sheriff's sale to April 9, 2023.	\$ 1,270.55
Amount paid for other statutory costs with interest from following the sheriff's sale to April 9, 2023.	\$ 525.70
Total Amount Payable to Sheriff - cashier check, money order or certified check must be made payable to The Honorable Robert Matheny, Sheriff and Treasurer of Harrison County.	\$ 6,367.24
Cost of Certification of Redemption - cashier check, money order or certified check must be made payable to The Honorable John B. McCuskey, State Auditor.	\$ 35.00

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(2021-S-00000324 - Harrison County - WVTJ LLC)

To: TERRY FERRETT, JAN L FERRETT, BB&T COLLATERAL SERVICE CORPORATION, TRUSTEE, BRANCH BANKING AND TRUST COMPANY, TERRY FERRETT, JAN FERRETT, TERRY FERRETT, JAN FERRETT, TERRY FERRETT, JAN L FERRETT, TERRY FERRETT, JAN FERRETT, TERRY FERRETT, JAN L FERRETT, TERRY FERRETT, OCCUPANT, IRS, ATTN: ADVISORY CONSOLIDATED RECEIPTS, WV STATE TAX DEPARTMENTS, or heirs at law, devisees, creditors, representatives, successors, assigns, all known heirs, guardians, conservators, fiduciaries, administrators, lienholders, co-owners, other parties having an undivided interest in the delinquent property, and other parties that may have an interest in the subject property.

DISTRICT CLARK CLARKSBURG CORP MAP 27 PARCEL 0206 0000

You will take notice that WVTJ LLC, the purchaser of the tax lien(s) on the following real estate, Certificate of Sale: 2021-S-00000324, 1 LOT PT 19-20 GOFF PLAZA 50 FT, located in CLARK CLARKSBURG CORP, which was returned delinquent in the name of FERRETT TERRY & JAN L, and for which the tax lien(s) thereon was sold by the sheriff of Harrison County at the sale for the delinquent taxes made on the 4th day of November, 2021, has requested that you be notified that a deed for such real estate will be made to him or her on or after April 10, 2023, as provided by law, unless before that day you redeem such real estate. The amount you will have to pay on the last day, April 9, 2023, will be as follows:

Amount equal to the taxes and charges due on the date of the sale, with interest, to April 9, 2023.	\$ 3,112.79
Amount of subsequent year's taxes paid on the property, since the sale, with interest to April 9, 2023.	\$ 2,824.34
Amount paid for the Title Examination and preparation of the list to be served and for preparation and service of notice with interest from January 1, 2022, following the sheriff's sale to April 9, 2023.	\$ 1,355.44
Amount paid for other statutory costs with interest from following the sheriff's sale to April 9, 2023.	\$ 934.26
Total Amount Payable to Sheriff - cashier check, money order or certified check must be made payable to The Honorable Robert Matheny, Sheriff and Treasurer of Harrison County.	\$ 8,226.83
Cost of Certification of Redemption - cashier check, money order or certified check must be made payable to The Honorable John B. McCuskey, State Auditor.	\$ 35.00

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(2021-S-00000374 - Harrison County - AMFLO ENTERPRISES LLC)

To: WILLIAM SOUTHERN, ELEANOR L. SOUTHERN, WILLIAM SOUTHERN, ELEANOR L SOUTHERN C/O WILLIAM SOUTHERN, or heirs at law, devisees, creditors, representatives, successors, assigns, all known heirs, guardians, conservators, fiduciaries, administrators, lienholders, co-owners, other parties having an undivided interest in the delinquent property, and other parties that may have an interest in the subject property.

DISTRICT CLAY OUTSIDE DISTRICT MAP 9999 PARCEL 0663 0782

You will take notice that AMFLO ENTERPRISES LLC, the purchaser of the tax lien(s) on the following real estate, Certificate of Sale: 2021-S-00000374, 1/28 INT 73.47 AS O&G SHINN RUN (TRIO PETRO/SOUTHER, located in CLAY OUTSIDE DISTRICT, which was returned delinquent in the name of SOUTHERN ELEANOR L, and for which the tax lien(s) thereon was sold by the sheriff of Harrison County at the sale for the delinquent taxes made on the 4th day of November, 2021, has requested that you be notified that a deed for such real estate will be made to him or her on or after April 17, 2023, as provided by law, unless before that day you redeem such real estate. The amount you will have to pay on the last day, April 16, 2023, will be as follows:

Amount equal to the taxes and charges due on the date of the sale, with interest, to April 16, 2023.	\$ 99.45
Amount of subsequent year's taxes paid on the property, since the sale, with interest to April 16, 2023.	\$ 5.42
Amount paid for the Title Examination and preparation of the list to be served and for preparation and service of notice with interest from January 1, 2022, following the sheriff's sale to April 16, 2023.	\$ 999.54
Amount paid for other statutory costs with interest from following the sheriff's sale to April 16, 2023.	\$ 130.71
Total Amount Payable to Sheriff - cashier check, money order or certified check must be made payable to The Honorable Robert Matheny, Sheriff and Treasurer of Harrison County.	\$ 1,235.12
Cost of Certification of Redemption - cashier check, money order or certified check must be made payable to The Honorable John B. McCuskey, State Auditor.	\$ 35.00

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(2021-S-00000376 - Harrison County - AMFLO ENTERPRISES LLC)

To: ELEANOR L SOUTHERN C/O WILLIAM SOUTHERN, ELEANOR L. SOUTHERN, WILLIAM SOUTHERN, or heirs at law, devisees, creditors, representatives, successors, assigns, all known heirs, guardians, conservators, fiduciaries, administrators, lienholders, co-owners, other parties having an undivided interest in the delinquent property, and other parties that may have an interest in the subject property.

DISTRICT CLAY OUTSIDE DISTRICT MAP 9999 PARCEL 0675 3300

You will take notice that AMFLO ENTERPRISES LLC, the purchaser of the tax lien(s) on the following real estate, Certificate of Sale: 2021-S-00000376, .0250 INT GAS .0125 INT OIL 71.11 AC BOOTH CK (EAS, located in CLAY OUTSIDE DISTRICT, which was returned delinquent in the name of SOUTHERN ELEANOR L, and for which the tax lien(s) thereon was sold by the sheriff of Harrison County at the sale for the delinquent taxes made on the 4th day of November, 2021, has requested that you be notified that a deed for such real estate will be made to him or her on or after April 17, 2023, as provided by law, unless before that day you redeem such real estate. The amount you will have to pay on the last day, April 16, 2023, will be as follows:

Amount equal to the taxes and charges due on the date of the sale, with interest, to April 16, 2023.	\$ 99.45
Amount of subsequent year's taxes paid on the property, since the sale, with interest to April 16, 2023.	\$ 5.42
Amount paid for the Title Examination and preparation of the list to be served and for preparation and service of notice with interest from January 1, 2022, following the sheriff's sale to April 16, 2023.	\$ 999.54
Amount paid for other statutory costs with interest from following the sheriff's sale to April 16, 2023.	\$ 130.71
Total Amount Payable to Sheriff - cashier check, money order or certified check must be made payable to The Honorable Robert Matheny, Sheriff and Treasurer of Harrison County.	\$ 1,235.12
Cost of Certification of Redemption - cashier check, money order or certified check must be made payable to The Honorable John B. McCuskey, State Auditor.	\$ 35.00

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(2021-S-00000398 - Harrison County - AMFLO ENTERPRISES LLC)

To: PAUL J. SMITH, MARLENE FOSTER, MAXINE LAUTSCH, ELVIE SMITH, THOMAS SMITH, PAUL SMITH C/O MARLENE FOSTER, MAXINE LAUTSCH, PAUL J SMITH, MARLEN FOSTER, THOMAS SMITH, MARLENE FOSTER, or heirs at law, devisees, creditors, representatives, successors, assigns, all known heirs, guardians, conservators, fiduciaries, administrators, lienholders, co-owners, other parties having an undivided interest in the delinquent property, and other parties that may have an interest in the subject property.

DISTRICT SARDIS OUTSIDE DISTRICT MAP 9999 PARCEL 0614 0749

You will take notice that AMFLO ENTERPRISES LLC, the purchaser of the tax lien(s) on the following real estate, Certificate of Sale: 2021-S-00000398, 1/8 INT 72 AC O&G GRASS RUN ANTERO RESC CORP#2797, located in SARDIS OUTSIDE DISTRICT, which was returned delinquent in the name of SMITH PAUL ETAL, and for which the tax lien(s) thereon was sold by the sheriff of Harrison County at the sale for the delinquent taxes made on the 4th day of November, 2021, has requested that you be notified that a deed for such real estate will be made to him or her on or after April 9, 2023, as provided by law, unless before that day you redeem such real estate. The amount you will have to pay on the last day, April 8, 2023, will be as follows:

Amount equal to the taxes and charges due on the date of the sale, with interest, to April 8, 2023.	\$ 116.09
Amount of subsequent year's taxes paid on the property, since the sale, with interest to April 8, 2023.	\$ 7.87
Amount paid for the Title Examination and preparation of the list to be served and for preparation and service of notice with interest from January 1, 2022, following the sheriff's sale to April 8, 2023.	\$ 1,047.23
Amount paid for other statutory costs with interest from following the sheriff's sale to April 8, 2023.	\$ 811.42
Total Amount Payable to Sheriff - cashier check, money order or certified check must be made payable to The Honorable Robert Matheny, Sheriff and Treasurer of Harrison County.	\$ 1,982.61
Cost of Certification of Redemption - cashier check, money order or certified check must be made payable to The Honorable John B. McCuskey, State Auditor.	\$ 35.00

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(2021-S-00000372 - Harrison County - AMFLO ENTERPRISES LLC)

To: VERISON WIRELESS, KATHRYN A. DEMARY, MVB BANK, INC., LARRY F. MAZZA, TRUSTEE, BRIAN D. GALLAGHER, CELLCO PARTNERSHIP D/B/A VERSION WIRELESS, CELLCO PARTNERSHIP D/B/A VERISION WIRELESS, JOHN DEMARY, or heirs at law, devisees, creditors, representatives, successors, assigns, all known heirs, guardians, conservators, fiduciaries, administrators, lienholders, co-owners, other parties having an undivided interest in the delinquent property, and other parties that may have an interest in the subject property.

DISTRICT CLAY OUTSIDE DISTRICT MAP 907 PARCEL 0114 0001

You will take notice that AMFLO ENTERPRISES LLC, the purchaser of the tax lien(s) on the following real estate, Certificate of Sale: 2021-S-00000372, 1 LOT (.52 AC) W ENTERPRISE (TOWER SITE), located in CLAY OUTSIDE DISTRICT, which was returned delinquent in the name of DEMARY JOHN, and for which the tax lien(s) thereon was sold by the sheriff of Harrison County at the sale for the delinquent taxes made on the 4th day of November, 2021, has requested that you be notified that a deed for such real estate will be made to him or her on or after April 17, 2023, as provided by law, unless before that day you redeem such real estate. The amount you will have to pay on the last day, April 16, 2023, will be as follows:

Amount equal to the taxes and charges due on the date of the sale, with interest, to April 16, 2023.	\$ 491.46
Amount of subsequent year's taxes paid on the property, since the sale, with interest to April 16, 2023.	\$ 369.25
Amount paid for the Title Examination and preparation of the list to be served and for preparation and service of notice with interest from January 1, 2022, following the sheriff's sale to April 16, 2023.	\$ 1,063.13
Amount paid for other statutory costs with interest from following the sheriff's sale to April 16, 2023.	\$ 984.99
Total Amount Payable to Sheriff - cashier check, money order or certified check must be made payable to The Honorable Robert Matheny, Sheriff and Treasurer of Harrison County.	\$ 2,308.83
Cost of Certification of Redemption - cashier check, money order or certified check must be made payable to The Honorable John B. McCuskey, State Auditor.	\$ 35.00

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(2021-S-00000375 - Harrison County - AMFLO ENTERPRISES LLC)

To: ELEANOR L. SOUTHER, ELEANOR L SOUTHERN, WILLIAM SOUTHERN, ELEANOR L SOUTHERN C/O WILLIAM SOUTHERN, or heirs at law, devisees, creditors, representatives, successors, assigns, all known heirs, guardians, conservators, fiduciaries, administrators, lienholders, co-owners, other parties having an undivided interest in the delinquent property, and other parties that may have an interest in the subject property.

DISTRICT CLAY OUTSIDE DISTRICT MAP 9999 PARCEL 0675 3275

You will take notice that AMFLO ENTERPRISES LLC, the purchaser of the tax lien(s) on the following real estate, Certificate of Sale: 2021-S-00000375, .0500 INT 58.47 AC O&G BOOTH CK (CONS/STORAGE WELL, located in CLAY OUTSIDE DISTRICT, which was returned delinquent in the name of SOUTHERN ELEANOR L, and for which the tax lien(s) thereon was sold by the sheriff of Harrison County at the sale for the delinquent taxes made on the 4th day of November, 2021, has requested that you be notified that a deed for such real estate will be made to him or her on or after April 17, 2023, as provided by law, unless before that day you redeem such real estate. The amount you will have to pay on the last day, April 16, 2023, will be as follows:

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Amount of subsequent year's taxes paid on the property, since the sale, with interest to April 16, 2023.	\$ 5.42
Amount paid for the Title Examination and preparation of the list to be served and for preparation and service of notice with interest from January 1, 2022, following the sheriff's sale to April 16, 2023.	\$ 999.54
Amount paid for other statutory costs with interest from following the sheriff's sale to April 16, 2023.	\$ 130.71
Total Amount Payable to Sheriff - cashier check, money order or certified check must be made payable to The Honorable Robert Matheny, Sheriff and Treasurer of Harrison County.	\$ 1,235.12
Cost of Certification of Redemption - cashier check, money order or certified check must be made payable to The Honorable John B. McCuskey, State Auditor.	\$ 35.00

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(2021-S-00000377 - Harrison County - AMFLO ENTERPRISES LLC)

To: JAMES MORAN, or heirs at law, devisees, creditors, representatives, successors, assigns, all known heirs, guardians, conservators, fiduciaries, administrators, lienholders, co-owners, other parties having an undivided interest in the delinquent property, and other parties that may have an interest in the subject property.

DISTRICT CLAY OUTSIDE DISTRICT MAP 9999 PARCEL 0691 9545

You will take notice that AMFLO ENTERPRISES LLC, the purchaser of the tax lien(s) on the following real estate, Certificate of Sale: 2021-S-00000377, .0133 INT 31.40 AC O&G COON RN, located in CLAY OUTSIDE DISTRICT, which was returned delinquent in the name of MORAN CHARLOTTE, and for which the tax lien(s) thereon was sold by the sheriff of Harrison County at the sale for the delinquent taxes made on the 4th day of November, 2021, has requested that you be notified that a deed for such real estate will be made to him or her on or after April 17, 2023, as provided by law, unless before that day you redeem such real estate. The amount you will have to pay on the last day, April 16, 2023, will be as follows:

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Amount of subsequent year's taxes paid on the property, since the sale, with interest to April 16, 2023.	\$ 5.42
Amount paid for the Title Examination and preparation of the list to be served and for preparation and service of notice with interest from January 1, 2022, following the sheriff's sale to April 16, 2023.	\$ 967.74
Amount paid for other statutory costs with interest from following the sheriff's sale to April 16, 2023.	\$ 133.57
Total Amount Payable to Sheriff - cashier check, money order or certified check must be made payable to The Honorable Robert Matheny, Sheriff and Treasurer of Harrison County.	\$ 1,206.18
Cost of Certification of Redemption - cashier check, money order or certified check must be made payable to The Honorable John B. McCuskey, State Auditor.	\$ 35.00

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(2021-S-00000015 - Harrison County - LAWSON MANGUN)

To: MICHAEL THOMAS ANGOTTI, ROBERT ANTHONY ANGOTTI, ROBERT ANTHONY ANGOTTI, FRANK W. ANGOTTI, MARY ELIZABETH ANGOTTI, JOHN B. ANGOTTI, MARY ANN ANGOTTI SMITH, JOHN DAVID ANGOTTI, or heirs at law, devisees, creditors, representatives, successors, assigns, all known heirs, guardians, conservators, fiduciaries, administrators, lienholders, co-owners, other parties having an undivided interest in the delinquent property, and other parties that may have an interest in the subject property.

DISTRICT CLARK CLARKSBURG CORP MAP 9999 PARCEL 0662 8036

You will take notice that LAWSON MANGUN, the purchaser of the tax lien(s) on the following real estate, Certificate of Sale: 2021-S-00000015, 17 ACRES COAL M/O RYAN ADD, located in CLARK CLARKSBURG CORP, which was returned delinquent in the name of ANGOTTI ROBERT ANTHONY ETAL &, and for which the tax lien(s) thereon was sold by the sheriff of Harrison County at the sale for the delinquent taxes made on the 4th day of November, 2021, has requested that you be notified that a deed for such real estate will be made to him or her on or after April 24, 2023, as provided by law, unless before that day you redeem such real estate. The amount you will have to pay on the last day, April 23, 2023, will be as follows:

Amount equal to the taxes and charges due on the date of the sale, with interest, to April 23, 2023.	\$ 101.35
Amount of subsequent year's taxes paid on the property, since the sale, with interest to April 23, 2023.	\$ 0.00
Amount paid for the Title Examination and preparation of the list to be served and for preparation and service of notice with interest from January 1, 2022, following the sheriff's sale to April 23, 2023.	\$ 1,079.02
Amount paid for other statutory costs with interest from following the sheriff's sale to April 23, 2023.	\$ 463.56
Total Amount Payable to Sheriff - cashier check, money order or certified check must be made payable to The Honorable Robert Matheny, Sheriff and Treasurer of Harrison County.	\$ 1,643.93
Cost of Certification of Redemption - cashier check, money order or certified check must be made payable to The Honorable John B. McCuskey, State Auditor.	\$ 35.00

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(2021-S-00000384 - Harrison County - AMFLO ENTERPRISES LLC)

To: BETH ANN DAVENPORT, ROGER DAVENPORT, SHARON MOORE, JOHN S. MOORE, BETH ANN DAVENPORT, ROGER DAVENPORT, SHARON MOORE C/O BOWELS RICE LLP - JOHN S MOORE, ESQUIRE, or heirs at law, devisees, creditors, representatives, successors, assigns, all known heirs, guardians, conservators, fiduciaries, administrators, lienholders, co-owners, other parties having an undivided interest in the delinquent property, and other parties that may have an interest in the subject property.

DISTRICT EAGLE OUTSIDE DISTRICT MAP 9999 PARCEL 0666 7528

You will take notice that AMFLO ENTERPRISES LLC, the purchaser of the tax lien(s) on the following real estate, Certificate of Sale: 2021-S-00000384, .0333 INT O&G UNDER 40 AS BINGAMON-CARNEGIE #4147, located in EAGLE OUTSIDE DISTRICT, which was returned delinquent in the name of DAVENPORT BETH ANN & ROGER, and for which the tax lien(s) thereon was sold by the sheriff of Harrison County at the sale for the delinquent taxes made on the 4th day of November, 2021, has requested that you be notified that a deed for such real estate will be made to him or her on or after April 24, 2023, as provided by law, unless before that day you redeem such real estate. The amount you will have to pay on the last day, April 23, 2023, will be as follows:

Amount equal to the taxes and charges due on the date of the sale, with interest, to April 23, 2023.	\$ 99.45
Amount of subsequent year's taxes paid on the property, since the sale, with interest to April 23, 2023.	\$ 5.42
Amount paid for the Title Examination and preparation of the list to be served and for preparation and service of notice with interest from January 1, 2022, following the sheriff's sale to April 23, 2023.	\$ 999.54
Amount paid for other statutory costs with interest from following the sheriff's sale to April 23, 2023.	\$ 210.71
Total Amount Payable to Sheriff - cashier check, money order or certified check must be made payable to The Honorable Robert Matheny, Sheriff and Treasurer of Harrison County.	\$ 1,415.12
Cost of Certification of Redemption - cashier check, money order or certified check must be made payable to The Honorable John B. McCuskey, State Auditor.	\$ 35.00

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(2021-S-00000396 - Harrison County - AMFLO ENTERPRISES LLC)

To: JOAN SMITH, D.J. SMITH, THOMAS MICHAEL SMITH, ANTERO RESOURCES CORPORATION, JOAN SMITH C/O D J SMITH, STATE OF WEST VIRGINIA HARRISON COUNTY MAGISTRATE CLERK, JOAN SMITH, JOAN SMITH, ANTERO RESOURCES CORPORATION C/O CT CORPORATION SYSTEM, or heirs at law, devisees, creditors, representatives, successors, assigns, all known heirs, guardians, conservators, fiduciaries, administrators, lienholders, co-owners, other parties having an undivided interest in the delinquent property, and other parties that may have an interest in the subject property.

DISTRICT SIMPSON OUTSIDE DISTRICT MAP 9999 PARCEL 0668 3528

You will take notice that AMFLO ENTERPRISES LLC, the purchaser of the tax lien(s) on the following real estate, Certificate of Sale: 2021-S-00000396, .0924 INT 20 AS WELL 3584 & LEASE H 49807, located in SIMPSON OUTSIDE DISTRICT, which was returned delinquent in the name of SMITH JOAN, and for which the tax lien(s) thereon was sold by the sheriff of Harrison County at the sale for the delinquent taxes made on the 4th day of November, 2021, has requested that you be notified that a deed for such real estate will be made to him or her on or after April 24, 2023, as provided by law, unless before that day you redeem such real estate. The amount you will have to pay on the last day, April 23, 2023, will be as follows:

Amount equal to the taxes and charges due on the date of the sale, with interest, to April 23, 2023.	\$ 96.47
Amount of subsequent year's taxes paid on the property, since the sale, with interest to April 23, 2023.	\$ 5.42
Amount paid for the Title Examination and preparation of the list to be served and for preparation and service of notice with interest from January 1, 2022, following the sheriff's sale to April 23, 2023.	\$ 1,031.33
Amount paid for other statutory costs with interest from following the sheriff's sale to April 23, 2023.	\$ 367.85
Total Amount Payable to Sheriff - cashier check, money order or certified check must be made payable to The Honorable Robert Matheny, Sheriff and Treasurer of Harrison County.	\$ 1,501.07
Cost of Certification of Redemption - cashier check, money order or certified check must be made payable to The Honorable John B. McCuskey, State Auditor.	\$ 35.00

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(2021-S-00000394 - Harrison County - AMFLO ENTERPRISES LLC)

To: JUDITH A. BOOKMAN, EDMUND B. BOOKMAN III, DAVID P. BOOKMAN, LILLIAN R. OSTEEN, JUDITH A. BOOKMAN, EDMUND B. BOOKMAN III, DAVID P. BOOKMAN, or heirs at law, devisees, creditors, representatives, successors, assigns, all known heirs, guardians, conservators, fiduciaries, administrators, lienholders, co-owners, other parties having an undivided interest in the delinquent property, and other parties that may have an interest in the subject property.

DISTRICT SARDIS OUTSIDE DISTRICT MAP 9999 PARCEL 0664 6347

You will take notice that AMFLO ENTERPRISES LLC, the purchaser of the tax lien(s) on the following real estate, Certificate of Sale: 2021-S-00000394, .0333 INT 49.45 AC O&G KATYKICK CNX#3533-3542/ AN, located in SARDIS OUTSIDE DISTRICT, which was returned delinquent in the name of BOOKMAN JUDITHA, and for which the tax lien(s) thereon was sold by the sheriff of Harrison County at the sale for the delinquent taxes made on the 4th day of November, 2021, has requested that you be notified that a deed for such real estate will be made to him or her on or after April 24, 2023, as provided by law, unless before that day you redeem such real estate. The amount you will have to pay on the last day, April 23, 2023, will be as follows:

Amount equal to the taxes and charges due on the date of the sale, with interest, to April 23, 2023.	\$ 114.34
Amount of subsequent year's taxes paid on the property, since the sale, with interest to April 23, 2023.	\$ 16.27
Amount paid for the Title Examination and preparation of the list to be served and for preparation and service of notice with interest from January 1, 2022, following the sheriff's sale to April 23, 2023.	\$ 999.54
Amount paid for other statutory costs with interest from following the sheriff's sale to April 23, 2023.	\$ 230.71
Total Amount Payable to Sheriff - cashier check, money order or certified check must be made payable to The Honorable Robert Matheny, Sheriff and Treasurer of Harrison County.	\$ 1,360.86
Cost of Certification of Redemption - cashier check, money order or certified check must be made payable to The Honorable John B. McCuskey, State Auditor.	\$ 35.00

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(2021-S-00000381 - Harrison County - AMFLO ENTERPRISES LLC)

To: WILMA K. OLDAKER, or heirs at law, devisees, creditors, representatives, successors, assigns, all known heirs, guardians, conservators, fiduciaries, administrators, lienholders, co-owners, other parties having an undivided interest in the delinquent property, and other parties that may have an interest in the subject property.

DISTRICT COAL OUTSIDE DISTRICT MAP 9999 PARCEL 0667 7492

You will take notice that AMFLO ENTERPRISES LLC, the purchaser of the tax lien(s) on the following real estate, Certificate of Sale: 2021-S-00000381, .25 INT 12.27 AC O&G WEST FK (EMAX/3583) UNDER MAP, located in COAL OUTSIDE DISTRICT, which was returned delinquent in the name of OLDAKER WILMA K, and for which the tax lien(s) thereon was sold by the sheriff of Harrison County at the sale for the delinquent taxes made on the 4th day of November, 2021, has requested that you be notified that a deed for such real estate will be made to him or her on or after April 17, 2023, as provided by law, unless before that day you redeem such real estate. The amount you will have to pay on the last day, April 16, 2023, will be as follows:

Amount equal to the taxes and charges due on the date of the sale, with interest, to April 16, 2023.	\$ 99.45
Amount of subsequent year's taxes paid on the property, since the sale, with interest to April 16, 2023.	\$ 5.42
Amount paid for the Title Examination and preparation of the list to be served and for preparation and service of notice with interest from January 1, 2022, following the sheriff's sale to April 16, 2023.	\$ 967.74
Amount paid for other statutory costs with interest from following the sheriff's sale to April 16, 2023.	\$ 43.57
Total Amount Payable to Sheriff - cashier check, money order or certified check must be made payable to The Honorable Robert Matheny, Sheriff and Treasurer of Harrison County.	\$ 1,116.18
Cost of Certification of Redemption - cashier check, money order or certified check must be made payable to The Honorable John B. McCuskey, State Auditor.	\$ 35.00

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(2021-S-00000385 - Harrison County - AMFLO ENTERPRISES LLC)

To: BETH ANN DAVENPORT, ROGER DAVENPORT, SHARON MOORE, JOHN S. MOORE, BETH ANN DAVENPORT, ROGER DAVENPORT, SHARON MOORE C/O BOWELS RICE LLP - JOHN S MOORE, ESQUIRE, or heirs at law, devisees, creditors, representatives, successors, assigns, all known heirs, guardians, conservators, fiduciaries, administrators, lienholders, co-owners, other parties having an undivided interest in the delinquent property, and other parties that may have an interest in the subject property.

DISTRICT EAGLE OUTSIDE DISTRICT MAP 9999 PARCEL 0666 7555

You will take notice that AMFLO ENTERPRISES LLC, the purchaser of the tax lien(s) on the following real estate, Certificate of Sale: 2021-S-00000385, .0167 INT 60 AS O&G BINGAMON CARNEGIE #10152-WELL, located in EAGLE OUTSIDE DISTRICT, which was returned delinquent in the name of DAVENPORT BETH ANN & ROGER, and for which the tax lien(s) thereon was sold by the sheriff of Harrison County at the sale for the delinquent taxes made on the 4th day of November, 2021, has requested that you be notified that a deed for such real estate will be made to him or her on or after April 24, 2023, as provided by law, unless before that day you redeem such real estate. The amount you will have to pay on the last day, April 23, 2023, will be as follows:

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Amount of subsequent year's taxes paid on the property, since the sale, with interest to April 23, 2023.	\$ 5.42
Amount paid for the Title Examination and preparation of the list to be served and for preparation and service of notice with interest from January 1, 2022, following the sheriff's sale to April 23, 2023.	\$ 999.54
Amount paid for other statutory costs with interest from following the sheriff's sale to April 23, 2023.	\$ 310.71
Total Amount Payable to Sheriff - cashier check, money order or certified check must be made payable to The Honorable Robert Matheny, Sheriff and Treasurer of Harrison County.	\$ 1,415.12
Cost of Certification of Redemption - cashier check, money order or certified check must be made payable to The Honorable John B. McCuskey, State Auditor.	\$ 35.00

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(2021-S-00000397 - Harrison County - AMFLO ENTERPRISES LLC)

To: BETTY JEAN STICKEL, BETTY JEAN STICKEL, or heirs at law, devisees, creditors, representatives, successors, assigns, all known heirs, guardians, conservators, fiduciaries, administrators, lienholders, co-owners, other parties having an undivided interest in the delinquent property, and other parties that may have an interest in the subject property.

DISTRICT TENMILE OUTSIDE DISTRICT MAP 9999 PARCEL 0688 7318

You will take notice that AMFLO ENTERPRISES LLC, the purchaser of the tax lien(s) on the following real estate, Certificate of Sale: 2021-S-00000397, .0357 INT 379 AC O&G JACOB RUN, located in TENMILE OUTSIDE DISTRICT, which was returned delinquent in the name of STICKEL BETTY JEAN, and for which the tax lien(s) thereon was sold by the sheriff of Harrison County at the sale for the delinquent taxes made on the 4th day of November, 2021, has requested that you be notified that a deed for such real estate will be made to him or her on or after April 24, 2023, as provided by law, unless before that day you redeem such real estate. The amount you will have to pay on the last day, April 23, 2023, will be as follows:

Amount equal to the taxes and charges due on the date of the sale, with interest, to April 23, 2023.	\$ 114.93
Amount of subsequent year's taxes paid on the property, since the sale, with interest to April 23, 2023.	\$ 19.80
Amount paid for the Title Examination and preparation of the list to be served and for preparation and service of notice with interest from January 1, 2022, following the sheriff's sale to April 23, 2023.	\$ 967.74
Amount paid for other statutory costs with interest from following the sheriff's sale to April 23, 2023.	\$ 43.57
Total Amount Payable to Sheriff - cashier check, money order or certified check must be made payable to The Honorable Robert Matheny, Sheriff and Treasurer of Harrison County.	\$ 1,146.04
Cost of Certification of Redemption - cashier check, money order or certified check must be made payable to The Honorable John B. McCuskey, State Auditor.	\$ 35.00

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(2021-S-00000411 - Harrison County - NAJ LLC)

To: MADYSON ALLI MISTUR, DOMINIC RILEY MISTUR, DOMINIC RILEY MISTUR, MADYSON ALLI MISTUR, or heirs at law, devisees, creditors, representatives, successors, assigns, all known heirs, guardians, conservators, fiduciaries, administrators, lienholders, co-owners, other parties having an undivided interest in the delinquent property, and other parties that may have an interest in the subject property.

DISTRICT EAGLE OUTSIDE DISTRICT MAP 9999 PARCEL 0686 7367

You will take notice that NAJ LLC, the purchaser of the tax lien(s) on the following real estate, Certificate of Sale: 2021-S-00000411, .0139 INT 121 AC O&G SHINN RUN XTO-API#1241, located in EAGLE OUTSIDE DISTRICT, which was returned delinquent in the name of MISTUR MADYSON ALLI &, and for which the tax lien(s) thereon was sold by the sheriff of Harrison County at the sale for the delinquent taxes made on the 4th day of November, 2021, has requested that you be notified that a deed for such real estate will be made to him or her on or after April 17, 2023, as provided by law, unless before that day you redeem such real estate. The amount you will have to pay on the last day, April 16, 2023, will be as follows:

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Amount of subsequent year's taxes paid on the property, since the sale, with interest to April 16, 2023.	\$ 5.42
Amount paid for the Title Examination and preparation of the list to be served and for preparation and service of notice with interest from January 1, 2022, following the sheriff's sale to April 16, 2023.	\$ 983.64
Amount paid for other statutory costs with interest from following the sheriff's sale to April 16, 2023.	\$ 267.14
Total Amount Payable to Sheriff - cashier check, money order or certified check must be made payable to The Honorable Robert Matheny, Sheriff and Treasurer of Harrison County.	\$ 1,355.65
Cost of Certification of Redemption - cashier check, money order or certified check must be made payable to The Honorable John B. McCuskey, State Auditor.	\$ 35.00

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(2021-S-00000412 - Harrison County - NAJ LLC)

To: RIC DAVILA, DDS, ELIZABETH DAVILA C/O RIC DAVILA, DDS, RICK DAVILA, DDS, ELIZABETH DAVILA C/O RIC DAVILA, DDS, or heirs at law, devisees, creditors, representatives, successors, assigns, all known heirs, guardians, conservators, fiduciaries, administrators, lienholders, co-owners, other parties having an undivided interest in the delinquent property, and other parties that may have an interest in the subject property.

DISTRICT EAGLE OUTSIDE DISTRICT MAP 9999 PARCEL 0633 0320

You will take notice that NAJ LLC, the purchaser of the tax lien(s) on the following real estate, Certificate of Sale: 2021-S-00000412, .0167 INT 198.23 AC O&G TENMILE XTO#1977-2084-3966, located in EAGLE OUTSIDE DISTRICT, which was returned delinquent in the name of DAVILA ELIZABETH, and for which the tax lien(s) thereon was sold by the sheriff of Harrison County at the sale for the delinquent taxes made on the 4th day of November, 2021, has requested that you be notified that a deed for such real estate will be made to him or her on or after April 17, 2023, as provided by law, unless before that day you redeem such real estate. The amount you will have to pay on the last day, April 16, 2023, will be as follows:

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Amount paid for the Title Examination and preparation of the list to be served and for preparation and service of notice with interest from January 1, 2022, following the sheriff's sale to April 16, 2023.	\$ 1,015.44
Amount paid for other statutory costs with interest from following the sheriff's sale to April 16, 2023.	\$ 534.28
Total Amount Payable to Sheriff - cashier check, money order or certified check must be made payable to The Honorable Robert Matheny, Sheriff and Treasurer of Harrison County.	\$ 1,654.28
Cost of Certification of Redemption - cashier check, money order or certified check must be made payable to The Honorable John B. McCuskey, State Auditor.	\$ 35.00

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Clarksburg museum seeking artifacts

The Clarksburg History Museum said, in an email, that it's looking for information about "Local Clarksburg High School Heroes" from Washington Irving, Victory, Roosevelt Wilson, Notre Dame, St. Mary's, Liberty, and Kelly Miller, including:

- Individual Player Record Holders
- Team Record Holders
- Championship Records
- Coaches Winningest and Losings Records
- State Records and City Records

They are also looking for old gymnasium flooring from all schools, as well as yearbooks from Kelly Miller, Victory, and St. Mary's.

Students of the Month honored

The January Students of the Month for Lincoln High School have been announced, said Holly Hawkins, assistant principal.



Alexis Herndon



Keri Jo Yanero

Alexis Herndon is the daughter of Chris Herndon and Tina Cappacione and the granddaughter of Richard and Debra Herndon.

Through her four years at Lincoln, Alexis has earned a spot on the honor roll due to her exceptional grades. She is in the top 25 of her class and has been a recipient of multiple top scholar awards in an array of subjects. Alexis has been inducted into the National Honor Society and the National Technical Honor Society in her junior year. She is the president of Lincoln's National Technical Honor Society chapter.

Alexis also excels athletically and has been a two-year member of the golf team. She placed 23rd at the 2022 West Virginia State Girls Invitational Golf Tournament at Mingo Bottom Golf Club.

Alexis has been a member of the Drug-Free Club, the Social Injustice Club, and DECA, where she serves as the Director of Finance and Fundraising. She has spent countless hours volunteering in her community; some of those projects include Angel Luv, Adopt-a-Highway, Shinnston Community Garden, The Lord's Pantry, and One Night Without A Home.

Alexis will attend Davis & Elkins College this fall, where she will continue her golf career and obtain a degree in biology.

Keri Jo Yanero is the daughter of Chris and Kristi Yanero of Fairmont, and the granddaughter of Chris and ChiChi Yanero of Fairmont.

Throughout her four years at Lincoln, Keri has earned a spot on the perfect honor roll due to her exceptional grades. She is ranked in the top 20 of the senior class, and has been the recipient of several Top Scholar awards.

Keri has also been an asset to multiple athletic teams at Lincoln. She is a member of the cheerleading team where her talent and dedication undoubtedly helped in winning the 2022 Class AA West Virginia State Cheerleading Championship. She is also a member of the tennis team where she was a two-time Harrison County Player of the Year, Big 10 Champion at #1 Seed Doubles, and made multiple appearances at the state championship.

The classroom and tennis courts are not the only places to find Keri excelling. She has also spent countless hours volunteering in her community to local businesses and programs. Some clubs she's involved in are Student Council, Key Club, and Drug Free Club.

Keri has been accepted into the University of Alabama where she plans to try out for their cheerleading team while majoring in nursing. She hopes to then continue her education to become a physician assistant.

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This week deemed Flood Resiliency Week



Governor Jim Justice

Gov. Jim Justice has signed a proclamation designating March 6-10 as Flood Resiliency Week in West Virginia.

The State Resiliency Office (SRO), West Virginia Emergency Management Division (WVEMD), Federal Emergency Management Agency (FEMA), US Army Corps of Engineers (USACE), West Virginia Volunteers Active in Disaster (WVVOAD), Ready West Virginia, and the National Weather Service (NWS) will share information about flood resiliency throughout the week.

On Wednesday, the team was scheduled to demonstrate flood resiliency tools and provide information on resiliency during an exhibit at the State Legislature on the lower rotunda of the State Capitol beginning at 8 a.m.

All West Virginians are encouraged to participate in Flood Resiliency Week by reviewing their home's risk for flooding, talking with an insurance agent about the need for flood insurance, and looking for ways to make homes more resilient to flooding.

"One of the primary tasks of the State Resiliency Office is to provide education and

outreach concerning flood awareness and disaster preparedness to the citizens of West Virginia," said WVSRO Director Robert Martin. "Flood Resiliency Week provides a great mechanism for us to promote awareness and get information out to the public. I am pleased that the SRO can participate."

- Flood resiliency starts with three steps:
1. **KNOW YOUR RISK** – Use West Virginia's Flood Tool at <https://www.mapwv.gov/flood/> to find your risk.
 2. **PLAN AHEAD** – Talk to your agent about flood insurance. Build an emergency kit (see <https://www.ready.gov/kit>) and make a plan (see <https://www.ready.gov/plan>) that considers all types of flooding and associated risks.
 3. **TAKE ACTION** – Look for ways to mitigate the impact of flooding to your home. Help neighbors and your community do the same.

Other organizations are encouraged to participate in Flood Resiliency Week. Consider including the hashtag #WVResiliency in your organization's related social media posts.

Hope Scholarship application period opens

State Treasurer Riley Moore announced, in a press release, that applications to use the Hope Scholarship education savings account program for the upcoming 2023-2024 school year that starts this fall are now available online.

Applications are available online at www.HopeScholarshipWV.com. The application period will remain open from March 1 through May 15.

“We’re excited to announce applications to use the Hope Scholarship are now open,” Treasurer Moore said. “We saw tremendous interest in this program for the current school year, despite unfortunate legal delays in the program’s implementation. We look forward to providing this program for the full school year that begins this fall.”

The Hope Scholarship is an education savings account program available for kindergarten through 12th grade students. It is designed to allow parents and families to use the state portion of their child’s education funding to tailor an individualized learning experience that works best for their child.

To qualify for the Hope Scholarship, a student must be a West Virginia resident and be either:

Eligible to be enrolled in a kindergarten program.

Enrolled full-time in a public elementary or secondary school program in this state for the entire instructional term during the current academic year (2022-2023) immediately preceding the academic year for which the student is applying to participate in the Hope Scholarship Program.

Or, enrolled full-time and attending a public elementary or secondary school program in this state for at least 45 calendar days during an instructional term at the time of application.

In addition to filling out the application, state law also requires participating families to fill out a notice of intent to participate in the program with their local county superintendent. A sample template for that notice is also available online at HopeScholarshipWV.com.

Important Note: Should the Legislature pass any reforms, the Hope Scholarship Board would provide updates on the program once those changes are enacted and take effect.

Burning restrictions return

The start of West Virginia’s annual spring fire season on March 1 marked the return of burning restrictions. In a news release, the West Virginia Division of Forestry (WV DOF) reminds residents to confine their outdoor burning to the hours of 5 p.m. to 7 a.m. due to state law. Fires set during that time must be put out before 7 a.m.

“Since January 1 we have responded to 162 fires that have burned approximately 1144.1 acres. Even though it seems that we have had some wet weather leading up to our spring fire season I would like to remind everyone that it doesn’t take much sun and wind to dry out our fine fuels that allow fires to spread rapidly,” said Assistant State Forester-Fire Jeremy Jones, WV DOF.

Jones said more than 99 percent of wildfires in West Virginia are caused by people and that burning debris accounts for 35 percent of all wildfires during the past 10 years.

Statewide burning restrictions will remain in effect until the close of the spring fire season on May 31. The Division of Forestry has issued burning guidelines. Regulations include:

- All fires must have a ring or safety strip.
- The safety strip itself must be cleared of burnable material and be at least 10 feet wide.
- Any fire must be attended until completely extinguished.
- Only vegetative materials such as leaves, brush and yard clippings are permitted to be burnt.
- Spark-throwing machinery such as power shovels or sawmills operating on land subject to fire must contain an adequate spark arrestor.
- Inflammable waste disposal areas must annually remove all grass, brush, debris, and other inflammable material adjacent to disposal areas to provide adequate protection, preventing the escape of fire to adjacent lands.

“Our fire laws protect one of West Virginia’s most valuable resources: our forests,” Jones said. “We urge everyone who burns anything outside to be completely familiar with the guidelines available on our website.”

Commercial burning during prohibited periods requires a permit, which are issued by local Wv DOF offices. permit is required for each commercial burning site.

Any person or company who causes a fire on any grass or forest land must reimburse the state for costs to suppress the fire. Fines for forest fires caused by negligence range from \$100 to \$1,000 with an additional civil penalty of \$200.

Video series created for migraine help

The National Headache Foundation (NHF) has announced the creation of a new video series for people living with migraine and headache disorders.

Tom Dabertin, CEO/Executive Director of the NHF, said the Migraine 101 videos address a comprehensive spectrum of topics, including lifestyle changes, diet, avoiding triggers, talking with your doctor, and the many migraine and headache treatment options available.

“These videos help to answer questions, concerns, and eliminate confusion,” said Dabertin. “We hope both patients and providers will take advantage of our updated and easily accessible video resources.”

Topics include:

- Lifestyle and Diet
- Avoiding Triggers
- Using a Headache Diary
- Acute Medications
- Monoclonal Antibodies
- Nasal Spray Injectables
- Geopants and Ditans
- Neurostimulation Devices

All of the Migraine 101 videos can be accessed at <https://headaches.org/migraine-101/>

Notice:

The Region VI Workforce Development Full Board will meet Thursday, March 9, 2023 at 10:30 a.m. at the Marion County Convention & Visitors Bureau located in Pleasant Valley. For more information about the meeting, contact Maria Larry at 304-368-9530.

Region VI is an Equal Opportunity Employer/Program. Auxiliary aids and services are available upon request for individuals with disabilities. If you have a hearing impairment and need assistance, please call WV Relay 7-1-1.

Multiple pets, large pets? No problem.

How to find pet-friendly accommodations for the whole crew

Submitted by TripsWithPets.com

We are a country that loves our pets. Nearly 70% of U.S. households have at least one pet. More Americans have pets than ever before, and more consider them to be family members than ever before. As a result, more pet parents are bringing their furry loved ones along with them when they travel – whether on a vacation, a weekend getaway, a move, or even a business trip.

Fortunately, more hotels are allowing pets. However, that welcome typically extends to one or two pets, and there are weight restrictions to contend with. This means that those traveling with three or more pets, larger-size pets, or both, find it a bit more challenging to find pet-friendly accommodations than those traveling with only one small pet.

Almost 25% of American households have multiple pets (i.e., dogs and cats) and 36% of dog owning households have pups larger than 40 lbs. So, there is indeed a demand for hotels, vacation rentals, B&Bs, etc. to consider broadening their pet policies.

“We frequently get requests from pet parents with three or more pets, and those with larger breeds and bully breeds,” says Kim Salerno, CEO/Founder of TripsWithPets.com, a website that provides online reservations at pet-friendly accommodations across the U.S. and Canada. “They want to find a place to stay with their pets, but they’re not having any luck. I have three large dogs, and I know it can sometimes be tricky. There aren’t a lot of hotels that have policies stating they allow more than two pets, and don’t have weight restrictions.”

It may be a bit more challenging, but there are steps that pet parents can take if they want to bring multiple pets or large breeds along with them when they travel.

Seek detailed pet policies

A visit to TripsWithPets is a great starting point. The site features comprehensive pet policy details for all of its pet-friendly properties, including the number of pets allowed and pet weight limits. Keep in mind that it is easier to find accommodations for larger pets than it is for more than two pets.

Divide and conquer

If you can’t find a hotel that can accommodate your whole crew, consider booking two rooms. Hotel pet policies work on a per-room basis. So, if the hotel allows two pets per room, and you have three or four pets and two human travelers, you can book two rooms, and everyone will be welcome.

Enlist extra assistance

If you still need some extra help finding accommodations, you can contact TripsWithPets directly. “We can personally help you find some options,” says Salerno. “If need be, we can reach out to some of our more flexible hotel and vacation rental partners on your behalf. We have a great relationship with them, and they are often willing to make exceptions. We’ve helped many pet parents find the right accommodations in this way. Once, we even helped a couple driving across the country with four dogs and two cats find hotels all along their entire route.”

Resist temptation

Whatever you decide, don’t be tempted to try to sneak unwelcome pets into any accommodation. In addition to being wrong, it’s unlikely to work, especially if you’re attempting to smuggle in a crowd of canines or a giant pooch. If you get caught, you’ll be asked to leave. Further, it can give pet parents a bad rap which could result in more pet restrictions.

In the end, while it may be a bit more effort to take the whole furry gang with you on your travels, it’s very doable. “I travel successfully with all three of my large dogs, and one of mine is a bully breed,” says Salerno. “You just have to do a bit more digging...and we can help.”

TripsWithPets is a leader in the pet travel industry – providing online reservations at pet-friendly hotels across the United States and Canada.

With over 50,000 accommodations, TripsWithPets provides pet travelers with a wide variety of pet-friendly options.

Pet parents go to TripsWithPets.com for all they need to find and book the perfect place to stay with their pets – including detailed, up-to-date information on hotel pet policies and pet amenities.

As passionate animal advocates, TripsWithPets supports local and national 501(c)(3) animal welfare organizations by raising much needed funds through their annual Partners for Animal Welfare Series (PAWS).