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There's always room for RoadKill

Suzanne Stewart
Staff Writer

Tropical Storm Ophelia was an uninvited guest, but heavy rain and chilly temperatures can't dampen the spirit of Pocahontas County's most unique celebration and that was evident last Saturday as eight teams competed in the RoadKill Cook-off during the Autumn Harvest Festival in Marlinton.

Many first-timers joined the competition this year to try to take on the Goliath team that is Pendleton Community Bank's PCB Buck Busters – the old pros. While their style was second to none – winning the team the Showmanship Award – it was indeed a year for the newcomers when it came to the top three awards and People's Choice.

The competition was all in good fun, and PCB Buck Busters leader Kendall Beverage was just happy to see more teams taking on the challenge.

"It's a great turnout," he said. "Just glad to have more teams out for this festival. The rain looks like it's getting ready to quit, so hopefully we're going to get the crowd we're looking for because we've got plenty of food for everybody."

Ironically, the first place



THE SCHOOL DAYS Child Care, LLC team – with the West Virginia Division of Transportation theme – took first place in the RoadKill Cook-off last Saturday in Marlinton. Above, team member Teresa Kloeker serves a crowd member a sample of the team's winning fare – grilled deer smashburgers served with a side-ditch of pothole potatoes, rolled in gravel. S. Stewart photo

award went to a team Beverage recruited to the cook-off.

In a last minute decision, School Days Child Care, LLC owner Jennifer Buzzard and her crew threw their hats – or in this case hardhats – in the ring and gave it a try.

"I've always wanted to do it," Buzzard said. "Kendall pushed us and said, 'I'd like some good competition.' That was Monday of this week. We came up with a

theme and then on Wednesday, we decided we were going to change our theme, so here we are."

The theme they landed on was West Virginia Division of Transportation. Dressed in caution vests and hardhats, the team whipped up grilled deer smashburgers served with a side-ditch of pothole potatoes, rolled in gravel.

Buzzard was joined by Teresa Kloeker, JoDee Friel

and Ron Huffman.

Second place and People's Choice went to the Pa-in-Laws, led by Michael Moore, of Reedsville, Ohio.

Moore was joined by his two sons-in-law in making Jackalope Chowder.

"It's five pounds of venison and five pounds of rabbit," he said. "It's a chowder, so it's got a creamy base. We

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MISS WEST VIRGINIA 2023, Karrington Childress, accompanied by her parents, Tina and Tim Childress, visited students at Marlinton Elementary School last Friday. L.D. Bennett photo

Miss West Virginia visits MES

Laura Dean Bennett
Staff Writer

Shannon Anderson's kindergarten class at Marlinton Elementary School was thrilled to receive a surprise visit from Miss West Virginia, Karrington Childress, last Friday afternoon.

The youngsters' eyes grew wide as Miss West Virginia swept regally into the classroom wearing her satin sash and glittering crown.

The warmth of her smile set the tone for a cozy visit as the elegant young lady

took her seat in a rocking chair and the class gathered around on the reading rug.

One little voice was heard to whisper, "You look just like a fairy tale princess!"

Childress, who is from Charles Town, told the class a little about her family – mom, dad, younger brother, Kolton, and their two dogs, Paisley and Lucy.

Childress recalled that Kolton had a hard time learning to read and consequently, struggled in school.

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Harvesting a healthy future

October is National Farm-to-School Month

Laura Dean Bennett
Staff Writer

Pocahontas County Schools began taking part in the Farm-to-School program in 2022.

The federal initiative, funded through the West Virginia State Department and administered by the Pocahontas County Board of Education, supports schools in purchasing fresh local produce, fruit and meat for school meals.

It's a win-win situation for our local economy and students, as well.

Farm-to-School programs create opportunities for developing meaningful community relationships between schools, parents and local farmers.

Local producers benefit by selling their produce to the school system and our young people benefit by being of-

fered healthy food choices and learning how food is grown.

The program is a collaborative effort between the Board of Education, the West Virginia Food and Farm Coalition, the USDA and West Virginia Extension Service.

Through the wide-ranging program, students are the recipients not only of the fresh produce their schools are purchasing from local producers but also the food they themselves are growing in their school gardens.

And it seems to be getting rave reviews from everyone involved – most importantly, the students themselves.

The Farm-to-School program provides another market for local growers, and also offers the opportunity for students to learn where fresh food comes from as they take a hand in growing it themselves in the schools' high tunnels and open air gardens.

In recent years, schools that participate in the Farm-to-School program have no-

ticed that strengthening the connection between local food producers and local schools enriches the entire community.

Even in a rural community like ours, where we are certainly no stranger to farming, and many families raise gardens and tend fruit trees, some school age children may not be familiar with a wide variety of produce.

Fortunately, our school lunch programs are doing something about that.

Julie Shiftlet, Pocahontas County School Board Director of Child Nutrition, Technology and Testing, coordinates the many aspects of the Farm-to-School program in Pocahontas County Schools.

Shiftlet helps keep track of producers as well as what school needs which produce. She makes sure that each school has what it needs for each succeeding week during the school year.

"Our cafeteria staffs try to incorporate as much fresh and homemade food as possible into school meals," Shiftlet said. "We're always

MARLINTON MIDDLE SCHOOL sixth and seventh grade students share a financial math lesson as they harvest lettuce in the school's high tunnel. From left: Julie Brown, Hailey Goldsberry, Jolene Workman and Madeleine Burns. Photo by Luci Mosesso

looking for ways to make our menus more appetizing for our students."

"For instance, each month, we have a food of the month," she continued.

"October's food of the month will be pumpkin. There will be homemade pumpkin muffins, among other pumpkin dishes served.

"On the last Wednesday of the month, we have a program called West Virginia Wednesdays. All the school cafeterias will serve locally-sourced West Virginia meals consisting completely of locally or regionally-sourced

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Holstine appointed commission liaison for pole agreement

Tim Walker
AMR Reporter

At its September 19 meeting, the Pocahontas County Commission appointed Mike Holstine, of the county's Broadband Council, to serve as the commission's liaison to obtain a pole agreement with First Energy. The agreement is needed in order to move forward with the construction of the ARC Broadband Project. The Pocahontas County Broadband Council has asked for this appointment since First Energy has complained that they have difficulty contacting a representative from the commission in order to reach the agreement.

The commission recently sent a letter to Frontier asking that it provide an update on the progress in building broadband in the parts of Pocahontas County. Frontier was awarded areas under the Rural Digital Opportunity Fund (RDOF).

William Wilhelm, Frontier Director of Federal

Regulatory and Legal, sent a reply and a county map showing the parts of Pocahontas County it was awarded, but the letter did not address the question about their progress.

Wilhelm did say that Frontier has until December 30, 2023 to meet their RDOF 40 percent completion milestone. The Broadband Council has expressed concerns that that RDOF milestone applies to Frontier's entire state RDOF project, and they are likely spending much of their time in the more profitable populated areas of the state rather than in rural areas such as Pocahontas County.

The commission also addressed a communication from Geoff Hamill. Hamill said his understanding is that the Federal STELAR Act requires the FCC to force satellite TV companies to provide local in-state TV channels to their customers if a county commission requests it by submitting a petition to the FCC. County Prosecutor Terri Helmick said she is

looking into this and has found that the county must first obtain information and cooperation from a West Virginia TV station before they can submit their petition to the FCC. She said she is still looking for a West Virginia TV station that is willing to do that.

Dave Dragan also pointed out that any Virginia TV station that would be displaced by this can challenge the petition, since a large part of Pocahontas County is located in an FCC Virginia broadcast district, and the Virginia channel would lose advertising revenue if it is replaced here by a West Virginia station.

Mark Smith, of the county's Public Service District (PSD), asked the commission for some financial support to replace the incorrect filters on their sewer plant which serves the Snowshoe area. He said incorrect filters were installed when the plant was built years ago and, as a result, the capacity of the

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BOE receives report on Summer SOLE program

Suzanne Stewart
Staff Writer

Career opportunities was the focus of this year's SOLE – Summer Opportunities for Learning and Engagement – summer school program in Pocahontas County. Coordinator Cammy Kesterson gave a report on the program at the Pocahontas County Board of Education meeting June 6.

Kesterson said this year, the four-week program was centered around the many career opportunities students may seek in the county.

"We do a lot of literature, arts and crafts, songs, movement, science and more," she said. "We just want kids to have a good experience, that they're not just sitting in their seats, doing worksheets all day long."

Each week had a theme and with that theme came field trips. The first week, the students traveled to Cass Scenic Railroad State Park and learned about all the jobs and departments there – from the company store, to the train shop, to hospitality.

Kesterson said the students were given a very special tour of the train shop, where the maintenance workers ensure the steam locomotives are running smoothly.

The second week was about the resources in the ground, so the students went to Appalachian Aggregates and Lost World Caverns. During the tour of Appalachian Aggregates, they learned there are 29 full-time employees at the business, but roughly 250 indirect employees, including contract drivers who transport the gravel.

In the third week, the students went to the Green Bank Observatory and got a special tour, including secret parts of the facility that most visitors never see. They learned about the scientists and engineers who work on the telescopes, as well as the employees in the machine shop who manufacture parts for the telescopes.

The final week was all about farming and agriculture. The students learned about the types of farms in Pocahontas County and visited Fort Warwick, Homegrown Harvest and Wilfong Farms.

Kesterson said by the end of summer school, the students had amassed 16 books each which they got to take home and keep in their collection. She said overall, the program was a great success and she and the teachers are already working on plans for next summer's program.

Summer SOLE teachers were Vada Boback and Penny Beam. Jessica Oxier and Tina Tracy were the aides. Serving as cafeteria manger was Lora Miller; Tomma Johnson was custodian; and Corey Rexrode was the bus driver. The program serves children in kindergarten through fifth grade.

The board thanked Kesterson for the report and her dedication to making summer school a fun program for the students.

The board also heard from Green Bank Elementary-Middle School parent Melia Thompson, who spoke on behalf of several parents from the school who wanted to share their concern about a new dress code policy at the school. Thompson explained that the parents received an email from principal Missy Jordan, who said the school's policy had changed in regard to jackets, coats and hoodies.

The policy states that students may wear jackets, coats and hoodies to school, but must store the clothing items in their lockers or cubbies for the school day.

Thompson said several parents met with Jordan at the school to express their concern and Jordan explained the policy is to keep children safe due to an influx of vaping and possible drug use.

Thompson said the parents did not feel the policy was well thought out and wanted the board to know of their displeasure. She also shared a petition with more than 200 signatures from parents against the policy.

Because neither Thompson nor the policy was on the agenda, the board could not respond or vote on the issue. It did thank Thompson and the parents for sharing their concerns.

In financial management, the board approved the following:

- Supplements – chief mechanic, \$2,500; technology coordinators, \$3,000; and the supervisor of maintenance HVAC, \$2,500.

In personnel management, the board approved the following:

- Employment of Kay Blackshire as athletic director for Green Bank Elementary-Middle School effective September 18, at a supplement of \$750 for the 2023-2024 school year.

- Employment of Virginia Shaw as academic interventionist for Hillsboro Elementary School at \$25 per hour, not to exceed \$5,460. Holi-

days are not part of this contract. Effective date of employment is August 28, 2023 through June 5, 2024.

- Employment of Jennifer Stewart as teacher of special education (multi-categorical) autism at Hillsboro Elementary School, at state minimum salary based on degree and experience plus equity. Term of employment is 173 days for the 2023-2024 school year and shall be 200 days each year thereafter.

- Employment of Trista Robinson as cafeteria manager, extracurricular, for the fresh fruit and vegetables program at Hillsboro Elementary School, at daily rate of pay, effective August 30, through the end of the 2023-2024 school year, or upon exhaustion of grant funds, shift being up to two hours per day, up to three days per week. Wages are contingent upon actually working the fresh fruit and vegetable program.

- Employment of Katherine Workman as academic interventionist for Marlinton Elementary School at \$25 per hour, not to exceed \$5,400. Effective date of employment is August 28, 2023 through June 5, 2024.

- Employment of Stephanie Ames as cafeteria manager, extracurricular, for the fresh fruit and vegetable program at Marlinton Elementary School, at daily rate of pay, effective August 30, through the end of the 2023-2024 school year, or upon exhaustion of grants funds, shift being up to two hours per day, up to three days per week. Wages are contingent upon actually working the fresh fruit and vegetable program.

- Employment of Sabrina Jordan as cook III, extracurricular, for the fresh fruit and vegetable program at Marlinton Elementary School, at daily rate of pay, effective August 30, through end of the 2023-2024 school year, or upon exhaustion of grant funds, shift being up to two hours per day, up to three days per week. Wages are contingent upon actually working the fresh fruit and vegetable program.

- Employment of Charlie Hughes, as PERTS Communities of Practice facilitator for Marlinton Middle School, for the 2023-2024 school year. Effective September 1, at \$25 per hour not to exceed \$2,340 for the year, funded by Project for Education Research That Scales (PERTS).

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Planned power outage

A planned outage to upgrade facilities is slated for Wednesday, October 4, from 9 a.m. to 1 p.m.

Approximately 210 customers will be affected in the vicinity of Highland Street, Main Street and the Staunton Parkersburg Turnpike in Durbin.

Affected customers will receive an automated call to the phone number associated with their account of record.

Circuit Court

The following hearings were recently held in Pocahontas County Circuit Court before the Honorable Judges Robert E. Richardson and Jennifer P. Dent:

A motions hearing was held in the case the State vs Ross Benedict, 37, of Marlinton, wherein five defense exhibits were admitted into evidence. Defense council then brought forth a motion that the State was unaware of – a motion to suppress DNA evidence. The court will take the motion as to admissibility under advisement and rule. Defense counsel then brought forth a motion to dismiss. The State objects and the court denied the motion. Benedict waived his right to a speedy trial and the matter is moved to the next term of court. Benedict was indicted by the August 2022 Grand Jury on one count, burglary; and one count, destruction of property.


A change of plea hearing was held in the case the State vs Angela Turner, 49, of Marlinton, wherein defense counsel asked for a continuance due to the defendant negotiating a plea agreement different from the one that she agreed to plead to at the August 10 hearing. The matter is continued to October 12. Turner was indicted by the December 2022 Grand Jury on one count, driving while license revoked for driving under the influence of alcohol, third offense; and by the August 2023 Grand

Jury on two counts, driving revoked for driving under the influence of alcohol. At her August 10 arraignment hearing, Turner pleaded not guilty to the latest charges and remains on previous \$6,500 bond.

In person sentencing was held September 14 in the case the State vs Casey Elizabeth Crabtree, 27, of Hillsboro, wherein a discussion was held on the matter of monthly restitution payments. As to each count of forgery, Crabtree was sentenced to the state penitentiary for an indeterminate sentence of not less than one year nor more than 10 years. Sentences to run consecutively. The sentences were suspended and the defendant was placed on probation for five years with terms and conditions outlined through probation. Monthly payment of restitution was reduced to

\$300 to be paid during the probation period. At a March 22 hearing, Crabtree tendered a written plea agreement to the court wherein she pleaded guilty to the felony offenses in Count I and Count III of the indictment, forgery; and guilty to the felony offenses in Count II and Count IV of the indictment, uttering. The state agreed to dismiss Counts V through XIII, six forgery and four uttering. The agreement related that Crabtree was to pay restitution in the amount of \$5,494.77 to the victim in 12 installments of \$457.90 per month beginning the month of the entry of the guilty plea order. Counts V through XIII were dismissed with prejudice. Sentencing and disposition was originally set for May 4. She was indicted by the August 2022 Grand Jury.

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Opera House performances ~Friday nights in October

Brynn Kusic
Operations Manager

The Pocahontas County Opera House will kick off its 23rd annual performance series Friday night, September 29, featuring saxophonist and blues vocalist Vanessa Collier. Traditionally, Opera House performances take place on Saturday evenings, but this year the first three shows of the series will take place on Friday night to give performers an opportunity to visit local schools.

On the afternoon of September 29, Vanessa Collier will bring her high energy blues to Marlinton Middle School (MMS) and share insights from her music journey with the students.

October 13, West Virginia's only touring Shakespeare Troupe, The Rustic Mechanicals, will bring an abbreviated version of *Hamlet* to MMS, as well.

October 20, students from Pocahontas County High School will have an opportunity to attend an afternoon performance with "The



Vanessa Collier

American Songster" Dom Flemons. This engagement will follow a series of audio tech workshops that will culminate with workshop participants helping to run sound for both the school and Opera House performances.

November 4, Opera House concerts will return to Saturday evenings with the Mike Gillespie Jazz Flute Quartet. Gillespie and fellow band members scheduled an extra day in the county to perform for Green Bank School and Pocahontas County High School on November 3.

The Opera House is excited to be able to offer so many opportunities for local students to experience music and theater during school assemblies this fall.

Please note that Opera House performances will take place on Friday evenings through October.

The Opera House is family-friendly and accommodates individuals with disabilities, with tailored adjustments available upon request, ensuring every visitor can thoroughly enjoy the performance irrespective of their unique needs.



Dom Flemons

TRIVIA – a little something to think about

Courtesy of Chuck Cornell

1. There are two major auction houses in the world today. One specializes in art; the other, not only art, but jewelry, real estate and collectables. Both were founded in London. What are they?

2. All the residents in the town of Arthurdale, West

Virginia, know the answer to this question: who was the longest-serving first lady of

the United States?

3. Ronald "Butch" DeFoe, Jr. lived in this small village on Long Island back in 1974. Butch killed his parents, his two brothers and his two sisters in their gambrel-roofed home at 112 Ocean Avenue. Name the town.

4. They have the same

name, although they lived 500 years apart. One was the wife of William Shakespeare; the other, an American actress who appeared in *Princess Diaries*, *Brokeback Mountain* and *The Devil Wears Prada*. What is their name?

Huntersville Traditions Days ~ October 5 – 7

This fall event has become a favorite for locals and visitors alike. The HTD committee works year-round to ensure that the Tradition Days are authentic and memorable.

This year's festival begins Thursday, October 5, with an Education Day – tours of the Huntersville School, Jail and Civil War Cemetery as well as demonstrations and a little time spent in the classroom to learn about the history of Huntersville.

Friday evening, there will be a free traditional

picnic at the Huntersville School along with a Pie Auction and Old-Time Cakewalk. Entertainment for the evening will be provided by The Bing Brother with Jake Krack.

Things heat up and pick up Saturday – all day long – with music throughout the town, horse and wagon rides, demonstrations, cloggers, the Quilt Show, an Old Fashioned Bean Pot meal, Salt Risen Bread and Cornbread Contests and more. Tours of the various historic buildings continue, as well.



2023 PCFM Market Openings

<p>GREEN BANK BFD Green Bank Station 4676 Potomac Highland Trail (Rt. 28/92) Wednesdays 2:30 - 5:30 p.m. Last Market date Oct. 11</p>	<p>MARLINTON Discovery Junction 3rd Ave. and 9th St. Saturdays 9 a.m. - noon Last Market date Sept. 30</p>
<p>HILLSBORO Across from Par Mar 7830 Seneca Trail (Rt. 219) Wednesdays 3 - 6 p.m. Last Market date Sept. 27</p>	<p>LINWOOD Linwood Alive! Pavilion 72 Snowshoe Drive Thursdays 3 - 6 p.m. Last Market date Sept. 28</p>

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Poetry Corner

I LOVED HER

I loved her. Why? I never knew;
Perhaps
Because her face was fair.
Perhaps because
Her eyes were blue and wore a
weary air;
Perhaps! Perhaps because her
limpid face
Was eddied with a restless tide,
wherein,
The dimples found no place to anchor and
Abide. Perhaps because her
tresses beat
a froth of gold about her throat,
and poured
in splendor to the feet that
ever seemed
Afloat. Perhaps because of that
wild way
Her sudden laughter
o'er leapt propriety;
or — who will say —
perhaps the way she wept.

~ James Whitcomb Riley



Marlinton Mayor's Corner

By Sam Felton

The email said: "Hello Mayor, A friend and I took a bike ride on the trail last evening, 9/20, about 4:30. We rode north to the tunnel and back. As we approached Marlinton on our return we were chased by a dog. It was not a friendly dog wagging its tail, but a good size dog with threatening behavior. Luckily, we had e-bikes which we could speed up quickly and out run it, but it chased us aggressively for probably 60 yards."

My Response: The person reporting this situation happens to be a business owner in the tourism industry and a member of the Greenbrier River Trail Association Board. These persons may be more sensitive to the immediate danger and potential fallout of this type of experience, but it should be a concern to all of us. For the safety of residents and visitors, I assure you, it is a major concern to the Town. We have seen first-hand what can happen. It should be a major concern for any animal owner. As the owner, you are responsible for dam-

ages and injuries. You should put yourself in the other person's shoes. Think about children who may have an encounter such as this.

I had a neighbor who recently passed away. She would routinely walk her little dog around the block. Her experience with dogs, a few years ago, sent her to the hospital. Worse yet, she never felt safe after that.

Besides, the lack of responsible care is not fair to the animal. Maybe this latest episode was not the norm. The dog may have gotten loose this particular time. Still, owners of animals that run loose must take responsibility for them. Be assured, an enforcement official will follow up on this complaint and others. Dogs are loose all over town. Owners must control their animals. We/the Town must do better with the issue of dogs running loose in the Town.

On a positive note, the sender of the email acknowledged the cleanup of the area alongside the River Trail and how much better it looked. Too bad, the email could not have stopped there.



Hillsboro Mayor's Corner

By Gail Siers

I would like to address and clear up the status of the Bank Building here in Hillsboro.

We did have a successful bidder to demolish the building, however after the contract was signed it had to be approved by HUD in Charleston. HUD said that they required two bids in order to get the money for the grant. In some cases, they would go with one, but said they wanted two. Bids will go out this week. We will meet October 20 at the Region 4 office in Summersville to open the bids. We are being told that if we get only one bid, they will

accept that bid. Also, some good news, our Sewer Lift Station is complete except for the generator. Generator has been on back order since July 2022. Expected delivery is December 2023.

We also have a grant to rebuild and update our Lagoon system. This project is moving along. We have no start date at this time. We received a grant to start design work on new sidewalks. This will be to finish both sides of Rt. 219, Lobelia, Main Street and

Denmar Road. Robinson Engineering will do the engineering work on this project. We will meet October 19 to develop a scope for this work.

I know the delay on the Bank Building is frustrating to all the people who can't wait for the building to come down. It's really frustrating to me, too.

I would like to thank all the people in Hillsboro who support me in all the things I try to do, and I encourage everyone to contribute to the pavilion at Hillsboro School.

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Community Calendar

OPERA HOUSE
Acclaimed musician and vocalist Vanessa Collier takes the stage Friday, September 29, at 7:30 p.m. Tickets, \$10, may be purchased in advance at the 4th Avenue Gallery or at pocahontasoperahouse.org or at the door the night of the performance. Children, 17 and younger, are admitted free.

PUBLIC NOTICE
Pocahontas Producers Special Calf Sale, Friday, September 29, 7:30 p.m. Regular Sale, Saturday, September 30, 2 p.m.

Flu shots, administered by the Pocahontas County Health Department, will be available at the following locations: Hillsboro Senior Center October 2, 9:30 to 11 a.m. Hillsboro Library October 2, 11 a.m. to noon. Green Bank Senior Center October 4, 10 to 11:30 a.m. Green Bank Library October 4, 1 to 2 p.m. Marlinton Senior Center October 5, 11:30 a.m. Durbin Library October 13, 10 to 11 a.m. FRN food pantry October 18, 8 to 10 a.m. Flu vaccines are available at the Pocahontas County Health Department at times not scheduled for off-site clinics. For more information, call 304-799-4154.

Red Cross Bloodmobile, Tuesday, October 3, noon to 6 p.m. at the Community Wellness Center. Sponsored by Mitchell Chevrolet, Inc. Call 1-800-733-2767 or visit Red Cross Blood.org to

schedule an appointment.
Hunter Education Course, Saturday, October 14, 9 a.m. to 5 p.m. and Sunday, October 15, 1 to 5 p.m. at Cass Fire Department. Alternate Delivery, Sunday, October 15 at 4 p.m. Pre-register at www.register-ed.com
Farmers Markets – Green Bank: Wednesdays, 2:30 to 5:30 p.m., Linwood: Thursdays, 3 to 6 p.m. through September 28; and Marlinton, Saturdays, 9 a.m. to noon.

EVENTS
FREE Community Dinner Thursday, September 28, 5 to 6:30 p.m. at Marlinton Presbyterian Church. Sponsored by area churches and community volunteers. Menu: Chicken Alfredo, salad and desserts.

Carnegie Hall's Second Stage Series presents "The Kid" at 100 – Celebrating a Charlie Chaplin Masterwork with Dan Kamin on Thursday, October 5, at 7 p.m. in

the Old Stone Room, 611 Church Street in Lewisburg. Seating is general admission
Highland County Hands and Harvest Festival, October 6 – 8, in Monterey, Virginia. Sugar Camps, Sunday Street Dance, seasonal food, arts and crafts and more.

Huntersville Historical Traditions, Thursday through Saturday, October 5 through 7. Educational tours Thursday. Events begin Friday with an old-time picnic at the Huntersville School, a pie auction and music by The Bing Brothers and Jake Krack. All day demonstrations and music on Saturday.

Huntersville Traditions Day Annual Salt Rising Bread and Cornbread contests, Saturday, October 7.

Mulligan Stew, Friday, October 13, 4 to 6 p.m. or until it's gone. Arbovale Community Center. Take out only. Bring your own quart containers.

Seventh Annual Empty

Bowls, Thursday, October 19, 6 to 8 p.m. at the Pocahontas County Opera House. Sponsored by Family Resource Network and Pocahontas County Arts Council. Advance tickets, \$25, are available at the FRN office. At the door, \$30.

LIBRARY NEWS
Budding Bookworms Playgroup at Green Bank Public Library Wednesdays beginning September 27 from 10:30 to 11:30 a.m. Storytime, activities, free play and snack for children

see Calendar pg 8

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Dates, times and prices will be posted on Facebook at CW's Corn Maze or wilfongfarmswv.com

FRANKFORD Autumn Festival & Homecoming
Saturday, September 30 • Frankford, WV
7 - 11 a.m. Frankford Presbyterian Church Pancake Breakfast
8 - 10 a.m. Parade registration and line up; judging at 10 a.m.
11 a.m. Autumnfest Parade

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3:30 - 6:30 p.m. Frankford Ruritan Club Spaghetti Dinner - cafeteria

LIVE MUSIC!
Noon - 1 p.m. The Thomas Taylor Band
1 - 2 p.m. Ben Hersman & The Sons of the Mountains
2 - 3 p.m. Eades Mountain Boys
3 - 4 p.m. Mudhole Control

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Lady Warriors win away and at home

The Pocahontas County High School Lady Warriors soccer team played and won two games last week. Summaries of these games are provided below.

September 21 – won at Nicholas County

The Lady Warriors scored two goals in the first half and the Nicholas County Lady Grizzlies scored 0 for a halftime score of 2-0 Pocahontas. The Lady Grizzlies scored two goals in the second half to tie the game, but the Lady Warriors scored another goal for a final score of 3-2 Pocahontas.

Lady Warrior scorers were forwards Miranda Gum and Riley Pollack and midfielder Mallory McCoy. Additional shots on goal were from forwards and

midfielders Mileya Bircher, Eden Smith, Brianna Cochran and Ramona Hardy.

Defenders and midfielders Hardy, Andrea Alderman, Elizabeth Friel, Mackenzie Taylor and Baylee Nelson stole and/or cleared the ball out of the defensive field 27 times.

Goalkeeper Shayla Bennett saved 2 goals and allowed 2.

September 23 – won vs Midland Trail at PCHS

The Lady Warriors scored two goals in the first half and the Midland Trail Lady Patriots scored one for a halftime score of 2-1 Pocahontas. The Lady Warriors scored two additional goals in the second half while the Lady Patriots scored 0 for a final score of 4-1 Pocahontas.

Lady Warrior scorers were forwards Eden Smith

and Mileya Bircher. Assists on these goals were from forwards Erin Rider, Smith and Jasey Kramer.

Additional shots on goal were from forwards and midfielders Brianna Cochran, Ramona Hardy, Kramer, Mallori McCoy, Riley Pollack, Allyson Taylor, Rider and Riley Cassell.

Defenders and midfielders Mackenzie Taylor, Andrea Alderman, Elizabeth Friel, Ellena Bauserman, Kynlee Wilfong, Pollack, Cassell, Alexis Arbogast and Baylee Nelson stole and/or cleared the ball out of the defensive field 35 times.

Goalkeepers Shayla Bennett and Wilfong saved 4 goals and allowed 1.

The team's record is 7 wins, 2 ties, 5 losses.

Please see MaxPreps.com for upcoming games.

RoadKill, from page 1

use chicken stock. We also use milk, sour cream and cheese."

It was also this team's first year competing, but not their first experience at the festival.

"We came to the RoadKill last year and had such a great time," Moore said. "I told them, 'next year, let's do this.' We've never done anything like this, so it was just something to jump in and do."

Third place was another first-timer team out of Mount Pleasant, South Carolina. Roadkill Art is also creator of the Roadkill App to which people can report roadkill sightings.

App creator Janet Arneau was the spokesperson for the team and said the cooking was done by teammates John and Kendra Criminger who also do a web series about hunting and roadkill.

"We are making a yellow line blazing squashed burger, crawling with fried worms and smeared with a sweet insect extract," Arneau said. "In delicious terms, we're making a deer burger infused with jalapeño peppers, covered in crunchy French fried onions, topped with a sweet honey sauce."

Arneau attended the festival last year to promote the Roadkill App and decided that she wanted to put together a team to compete this year.

"Last year was just a great way to find out what was going on and introduce the app for the first time," she said.

Other than the People's Choice, the awards were selected by three judges – Dylan Jones of *Highland Outdoors* magazine, Craig Snodgrass of *Blue Ridge Outdoors* magazine and Pocahontas County's own DNR Corporal Matthew Barkley.

The judges were tasked with sampling the eight dishes and determining the top three.

Also competing in the event were: The Road Trash Masters from Grant County; Pocahontas Whistle Pig Security, Cadavar Cleanup Crew, of Marlinton and Greenbrier County; Almost Heaven Smokehouse, of Slaty Fork; and Jellystone Scavengers, of Buena Vista, Virginia.

Unable to compete, but still wanting to provide a free "cook-off" meal were members of PETA – People for the Ethical Treatment of Animals. The team was set up near City National Bank and cooked up an alternative vegan stew.

Racheli Holstein, of Pittsburgh, Pennsylvania, and Mo Sullivan, of Washington, D.C. were joined by chef

Sasha Raj, of Phoenix, Arizona, to share the vegan chili with the crowd.

"We're here with our vegan chef, and we are serving up a hearty and delicious chili that has no animals in it," Holstein said. "We want to give the message that no one needs to eat meat, dairy or eggs to be healthy and actually, by switching to a vegan diet, it is better for our planet and human health. Every person who goes vegan can save about two hundred lives of animals each year."

Holstein added that those interested in the vegan diet may visit PETA.org for a free vegan starter kit.

The Autumn Harvest Festival also had dozens of crafters, businesses and non-profit organizations set up with booths to sell hand-made items, food and more.

Music was provided by Mud Hole Control and the Bing Brothers, featuring Jake Krack at the Discovery Junction.

The day may have ended with the most participants and visitors looking like drowned rats, but those drowned rats still managed to leave with smiles on their faces after enjoying the entertaining cook-off and festival.

Frankford Autumnfest

The Frankford Autumnfest will be held Saturday, September 30, in the quaint, small town of Frankford. This is a family friendly, community event.

The day will begin with the annual Pancake/Buckwheat Cake Breakfast at the Frankford Presbyterian Church from 7 a.m. until the parade starts at 11 a.m.

The Grand Parade is always a big hit and averages 50 to 60 entrants each year, including floats, horses, bands, civic groups, antique cars and much more. Line up and registration is from 8 to 10 a.m. Judging will be at 10 a.m. Only one entry per group, company or organization will be eligible for judging, others may join in the parade.

There will be an art tent with activities for all ages, as well as the Youth Marketplace, facepainting, games

and inflatables.

No festival is complete without food, and there will be food galore. Some of the goodies planned so far are nachos, burgers, hotdogs, walking tacos, biscuits, cinnamon rolls and lots of baked goodies. For the early birds, breakfast biscuits will also be available.

K9 demonstrations for search and rescue, as well as introductions to the traditional squirrel hunting and squirrel hunting with dogs, and an archery demonstration.

A Health Fair will be held in the school cafeteria, and there will be some mobile clinics from Robert C. Byrd and Maxwelton Health Center.

All day activities will include a Car Show, and live musical entertainment which will kick off at noon with The Thomas Taylor Band, followed by Ben Hersman and The Sons of the Moun-

tains at 1:00 pm. The Eades Mountain Boys at 2 p.m. and Autumnfest veterans Mud Hole Control at 3 p.m.

The annual Frankford Ruritan Club Dinner will be in the school cafeteria from 3:30 pm until 6:30 p.m. The menu this year is spaghetti and is being offered by donation. The proceeds from this event help to fund scholarships for high school seniors from the Frankford area.

The committee would like to remind motorists of the following safety concerns. US Route 219 from the old car wash just north of Frankford to the US Route 219 and Anthony Creek Road intersection will be affected by the parade. The parade will take place at 11 a.m. Detours will be set up as usual.

Please be aware of persons walking near or across the roadways throughout the day.

Hands and Harvest Festival in Highland County

Highland County's annual Hands and Harvest Festival returns with county-wide fall fun during the weekend of October 6 – 8 where everyone is invited to celebrate the traditions, harvest and crafts found in this rural mountain community.

From farms to a fire tower, visitors can experience the sights and tastes of the season while viewing the beautiful countryside of fall foliage. On the self-guided Harvest Trail, the public is invited to take part in traditional fall staples like cider

pressing, making apple butter, or picking pumpkins at local farms and maple sugar camps, or they can try something different like viewing the process of creating colorful barn quilts or taking a tour of a mini equine sanctuary.

Community activities include an exciting 5K Fall Color Run, Valley AeroSpace Team Rocket Launches, the restored Sounding Knob Fire Tower, popular annual sweater and used book sales, historic Monterey walking tours starting from the Highland Inn, wonderful arts and crafts and

more. New attractions like the Charles Pinckney Jones House Museum, the working cattle farm of Hazy Hollow Farm, and the grand opening of the local artist gallery The 3rd Space add to the opportunities to create lasting memories.

Bring your appetite, because there will be abundant food options available around the county.

Many adventures await. The full schedule, details and addresses of all the festival happenings can be found at www.highlandcounty.org/hands-harvest-festival

School Menus

October 2 – 6

Monday: Stuffed hashbrown, fruit. Barbecue chicken wrap, California blend, ranch potato wedge, carrots, fruit cup and milk.

Tuesday: Pretzel with cheese, orange wedges. Hot ham and cheese, local vegetables, green beans, birthday cake, fruit and milk.

Wednesday: Fruit and cream waffle,

dunkers. Sausage and egg, whole grain biscuit with gravy, hashbrown, baked apples and milk.

Thursday: Breakfast pizza and fruit. Cheeseburger, lettuce and tomato, roasted potatoes, broccoli, peaches and milk.

Friday: Sausage, egg and cheese wrap and fruit. Taco salad, refried beans, Mexican corn, pears and milk.

Super Crossword

ACROSS	DOWN	OH NO!
1 Vermicelli, e.g.	1 Butter square	36 "— got a feeling ..."
6 Commercial spots	2 Frau's "Alas!"	37 Geraint's title
9 16th-century pope	3 Small, agile Japanese dog breed	38 Theoretical physicist Paul Dirac
14 Olympic length unit	4 Irwin of "Crikey! It's the Irwins"	41 Way yonder
19 Had a dull, steady pain	5 "Puff" snake	42 Did karaoke
20 Chart topper, often	6 "I have it!"	46 Joanne of "Red River"
22 Cockeyed	7 Part of DVD	47 Bellybutton lye
23 Hidden stockpiles of certain infield bags?	8 Stride	48 Driveway goo
25 Low-pH liquids	9 Actress Zadora	49 Adorable
26 Certain Southern sib	10 Business mag	52 Eldest son of Mitt Romney
27 Tax doc. whiz	11 "I hate it!"	53 Be the author of
28 Lead-in to Pen	12 Precipitates cold pellets	54 Cockeyed
30 Ranch unit	13 Italian motor scooter brand	55 Duck cousins
31 Grassy tract	14 Hamm of soccer	57 Rapping "Dr."
34 Instructions for securing a bottle with a screw cap?	15 Boxed up	58 Very, in music scores
39 Gods, in Italy	16 Slow-paced martial art	59 Hwy. crime
40 Some thin batteries	17 Footballer's sweep	60 Banquet liquid holder
43 Owner of Zipcar	18 "Start over" buttons	61 Rival of D-H-L and FedEx
44 Promotional links	21 "Begone!"	62 Perp's story
45 Dad providing the finances?	24 Queen guitarist May	63 Having no knack for
49 Cottage cheese piece	29 Not off-key	64 Roger of "At the Movies"
	31 Alternatives to JPEGS	69 E-help page
	32 Sign on for another tour of duty	70 No more
	33 Hawk cousins	71 Former U.S. RR regulator
	35 Toddler's cry	72 Educ. facility
		73 A/C meas.
		74 Subtle glows
		76 Kihel's island
		77 Perplex
		80 Pan Am rival
		81 Paris palace
		82 Bi- plus one
		83 Make lighter
		84 Video surveillance syst.
		85 PC key abbr.
		90 Submits, as a test paper
		91 Mötley —
		92 High peaks
		93 Jungle knife
		94 Half — (java option)
		95 "Good" cholesterol, for short
		96 Lulu Hogg player Peggy
		97 Imam's God
		98 Villifies in print
		99 Scores 100 on the test
		100 Singing plant
		101 Certain radio frequency range
		105 Yippee Hoffman
		106 Not false
		108 Discomfit
		109 Raggedy — (some dolls)
		114 Livy's "Lol"
		117 Seer's "gift"
		119 Sanyo rival
		120 '60s war site
		121 ENTs, e.g.
		122 Hack down
		123 & so forth
		124 Once called



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Obituaries



Shirley Adams

Shirley Ruth Waring Adams, 81, of Marlinton, went to be with her Lord and Savior Monday, September 18, 2023.

Born February 19, 1942, in Escondido, California, she was a daughter of the late George Guy Waring and Lorna Ruth Waller Waring.

Shirley was married to Billie Eugene Adams, of Jolly, Texas, in January 1960. They lived in eight states before landing in Marlinton in 1977. Billie was a cowboy and a cement mason. They lived and worked on ranches in various states. Shirley cooked for the cowboys, and her love of cooking always stuck with her. If you ever had one of her homemade rolls, pizzas, pepperoni rolls, pies, cookies (or really anything), you would always ask for more.

She was extremely creative and talented in doll making and woodworking. She made dolls and miniatures at The Greenbrier Dollhouse and made lampshades for Gibson's at The Greenbrier Hotel for many years before opening her own craft shop at Cass Scenic Railroad State Park, where she created for 11 years. Her button dolls, Raggedy Ann and Andy dolls, stuffed bunnies and many other creative works can be found all over the county. Shirley also worked for the Pocahontas County Senior Center and the Pocahontas County Convention and Visitors Bureau

for 15 years before retirement. She served on The Historic Landmarks Commission as well as the Pocahontas County Opera House Board. She was a member of the Marlinton Church of Christ. She loved her church family and was strong in her faith and her love for God. Shirley always had a witty sense of humor and loved to make people laugh. She loved serving others and enjoyed spending time with her family and exploring Pocahontas County, especially on the Scenic Highway.

In addition to her parents, she was preceded in death by a sister, Patricia Waring Pitchford, and her husband, Floyd Pitchford; brother-in-law, Albert Bruce; son-in-law, Daniel Fisher; and daughter-in-law, Janett (Jenny) Adams.

She is survived by her children, Linda Adams, of Huntersville, Brenda Cochran, and husband, Greg, of Dunmore, Raymond Adams, and wife, Holly, of Morgantown, and Clifford (Kip) Adams, of Los Angeles, California; sisters, Georgia Bryce, of Kingman, Arizona, and June Langford, and husband, Jack, of Spokane, Washington; brother, Ralph Waring, and wife, Laurie, of Phoenix, Arizona; beloved grandchildren, Kellyn and Katie Cassell, Tausha and Joshua Grim, Courtney and Jared McClung, Sabrina and Andrew Raymond, Charlene Adams, Makinsey and Greg Poeppel, Sebastian Adams, Bryce Adams, Devin Adams, Dominic Adams, Ty Cochran and Morgan Cassell; and great-grandchildren, Hunter, Kenidy, McKenna, Maggie, Charlotte, Brailey, Chloe, Ellie, Leo, Kai and Baby Girl Poeppel coming in October.

She will be greatly missed. MamMa, you are our sunshine, our only sunshine, and we love you!

The funeral service was held Sunday, September 24,

at Marlinton Church of Christ with Brother Mike Moore officiating.

Interment was in Mountain View Cemetery.

In lieu of flowers, memorials may be made to the Pocahontas County Opera House, P. O. Box 282, Marlinton, WV 24954 or WV Caring Hospice and Palliative Caring - <https://www.wvcaring.org/hospice-center-donation-page/>

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

Funeral arrangements are entrusted to the Kimble Funeral Home in Marlinton.



James Davis

James Dilley Davis, age 89, peacefully passed away in the early evening of April 6, 2023, in Harrisonburg, Virginia, after a challenging battle with Alzheimer's.

Jim was born March 22, 1934, in Marlinton, and was a son of the late James Layman Davis and Helen Dilley Davis.

Jim grew up in the Allegheny Mountains in the prosperous little town of Marlinton in Pocahontas County. He was raised in the family apartment above Davis Motors, his father's auto garage, farm equipment and automobile dealership.

He spent his younger years repairing trucks and delivering John Deere tractors and American Motors cars for

his dad to customers across the state – sneaking away to swim in Knapps Creek with his friends whenever he had a free moment. Jim was a voracious reader, a lover of classical music, a passionate student of history and was always very proud to have won West Virginia's prestigious Golden Horseshoe Award for excellence in state history in 1948...

A graveside service will be held Saturday, September 30, 2023, at 11 a.m. at Mountain View Cemetery in Marlinton.

Following the service, the family will host a luncheon for friends at the Davis home at 1115 10th Avenue in Marlinton.



Audrey Friel

Audrey Carol Fitzwater Friel, 81, passed away Wednesday, September 20, 2023.

Born April 10, 1942, in Slaty Fork, she was a daughter of the late Dorothy Hannah Fitzwater and Thurman T. Fitzwater.

She is survived by her husband, George; children, Theresa Schnake (Greg), Tammy Connor (Jerome) and Bradley Friel (Cheryl); five grandchildren; three great-grandchildren; sister, Allene Bridges (Ed); and brother, Daniel Hammonds (Eileen).

In addition to her parents, she was preceded in death by her oldest brother, Clarence.

Audrey graduated from Marlinton High School, at-

tended college at West Virginia Wesleyan and continued her education at schools in Kansas, Missouri, Maryland (German Campus) and New Jersey.

She had an interesting life as she shared in the military career of her husband. Her greatest accomplishments (according to her) are her children and grandchildren.

A Celebration of Life will be held at Downing Funeral Home in Spring Hill, Florida, Friday, October 6, 2023, from 10:30 to 11:30 a.m. followed by a Chapel Service at 11:30 a.m.

Interment will be in Florida National Cemetery in Bushnell, Florida.

In lieu of flowers, please make any memorial donations to Pocahontas County Free Libraries, 500 8th Street, Marlinton, WV 24954 or a charity of your choice.

Thomas VanReenen

Thomas Wayne VanReenen, age 74, passed away Wednesday morning, September 20, 2023, at his farm in Hillsboro.

He was a devoted husband, father and follower of Christ.

Born March 2, 1949, in Marlinton, he was a son of the late Hubert and Hattie VanReenen.

Tommy grew up in Beard, and attended Hillsboro High School, graduating in the spring of 1967. Following graduation, he went to Potomac State College where he received an associate degree in agriculture. He then entered the United States Air Force and proudly served his country before returning home.

He married Linda Sue Hill on June 15, 1975, and they started a life together. She was teaching school, and he was selling farm machinery for Greenbrier Tractor Sales in Lewisburg. In 1979, they purchased the farm he called

home, right outside of Hillsboro, and built a beef cattle farm. In 1985, he started selling Ag Bag Feed System Machines. He was also a licensed insurance agent, writing for West Virginia Insurance Company of Harisville.

In addition to his work, he had many civic endeavors including the Pocahontas County Board of Education, Pocahontas County Veterans Honor Corps, American Legion and Oak Grove Community Cemetery Trustee. He served as a member of the Greenbrier Valley Conservation District for many years, being recognized as an Honorary Member of the West Virginia Association of Conservation Districts.

He was a member of the Beard Presbyterian Church and then moved his membership to the Oak Grove Presbyterian Church where he was active and served on the Board of Deacons and as an Elder.

He loved his country, farming and helping others. He was always amazed each spring as new calves were born, and seeds sprouted as God's handiwork in this world.

He is survived by his wife, Linda; son, Timothy W. VanReenen, and wife, Lauren; sisters, Sharon Sharp (Donald) and Sandra Simmons (Larry), of Hillsboro; brother, Charles VanReenen, of Asbury; sister-in-law, Phyllis Kinnison (Harlan), of Hillsboro; and many nieces and nephews.

The funeral service was held Sunday, September 24, at Oak Grove Presbyterian Church in Hillsboro. Interment, with Military Rites, was in Oak Grove Cemetery.

In lieu of flowers donations can be made to the Hillsboro Volunteer Fire Department, P.O. Box 81 Hillsboro, WV 24946.

Online condolences may be made at Lantzfuneralhome.com

Do you know which way you should go?

By R.A. Mathews

It's called, "The Valley of Dry Bones."

Sounds like a Stephen King novel, right? And the story is about a mass grave.

I saw plastic skeletons in school, but I've never seen an actual human skull or the bones that go with it. I can only imagine how awful it would be to come across thousands of skeletons—a life-changing experience.

"The Valley of Dry Bones" wasn't written by Stephen King. It's a story in Scripture where God sends a man to a mass grave.

It gets worse. He doesn't view it from afar or even get to stand at the edge. The man must walk through countless human remains—dry bones and skulls. Here's how he describes what he saw. "(God) caused me to pass among (the bones) round about, and behold, there were very many on the surface of the valley."

Can you name the man in this famous scene?

1. Ezekiel
2. Jeremiah
3. Paul
4. Peter

I'll give you a huge hint. The event happened in the 6th Century B.C.

Here's another hint. God called the prophet "son of man," a term of endearment. If you're in my daily, 1-minute Bible study, you'll know immediately.

Consider your choices and lock in your answer.

The prophet writes, "... (God) brought me out by the Spirit of the Lord and set me down in the middle of the valley; and it was full of bones." (Ezekiel 37:1)

The answer is No. 1, Ezekiel. God calls him "son of man" over 90 times; Ezekiel is special.

God then says, "Son of man, can these bones live?" (Ezekiel 37:3)

How does the prophet answer?



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1. "Yes, You can do anything."
2. "No, You meant for them to die."
3. "O, Lord God, You know."
4. None of the above.

Review your choices and lock in your answer. Ezekiel has just been placed by the Spirit in this valley of human skeletons.

The prophet has no idea how to answer; he's in

shock. Ezekiel says, "O, Lord God, You know." The correct choice is No. 3.

But Ezekiel is there for a reason. Immediately, God tells the prophet what he should do with the bones. Does he:

1. Prophesy to them;
 2. Gather up a skeleton;
 3. Find men to bury them;
- or
4. Warn a neighboring village?

Here's your hint: It's the choice you'd least suspect. Take a look and lock in your answer.

Great job! God says, "Prophesy over these bones..." The correct answer is No. 1.

What could Ezekiel possibly say to skeletons? His prophecy is that they are going to come to life. Here's where the scene gets dramatic—suddenly, there's a rattling.

"...as I prophesied, there was a noise, and behold, a rattling; and the bones came together, bone to its bone." (Ezekiel 37:7)

Ezekiel watches as the bones are given flesh and be-

come a valley of bodies. But they lack one thing, and Ezekiel prophesies again, calling for breath to enter the men. "...and they came to life and stood on their feet, an exceedingly great army." (Ezekiel 37:9-10)

Was this the scene of a great military battle? Or is Ezekiel in a vision?

The Lord answers.

"Son of man, these bones are the whole house of Israel; behold, they say, 'Our bones are dried up and our hope has perished. We are completely cut off.'" (Ezekiel 37:11)

This vision of the dry bones occurred after Jerusalem had been crushed by the Babylonians. Those who survived were taken away as slaves in chains.

It shouldn't have happened. If God's people had trusted Him and clung to His

words, the outcome would have been very different.

Ezekiel's vision is God's way of telling the broken-hearted Hebrews that all is not lost. They won't be slaves forever. Despite their faithlessness, God will bring them back home.

"Behold, I will open your graves and cause you to come up...I will put My Spirit within you, and you will come to life...and I will bring you into the land of Israel." (Ezekiel 37:12-14)

God says, "And then you will know that I am the Lord."

That's the theme of Ezekiel: "And then you will know that I am the Lord."

The Babylonian conquest was to teach one thing: Forget the Lord and He'll show you who's boss.

I say one prayer every day, all through my day, "God,

hold me close."

In fact, you can sum up everything I teach with these four words: Stay close to God.

Open your Bible every morning with praise and prayer. Take time to behold the mind of the Lord and to let God hold you.

Then you will have everything—His comfort, His guidance, His joy.

Stay close to God.

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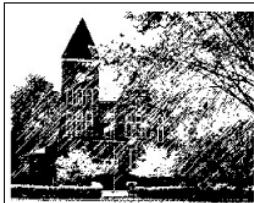
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Leslie Sharp near Huntersville – circa 1911



LESLIE SHARP, LEFT, on his farm near Huntersville with three unidentified men and a team of work horses. (Gladys Sharp Collection, Courtesy of Sheila Lipscomb; ID: PHP002140)

Preserving Pocahontas will have an exhibit upstairs at the Huntersville School on Saturday, October 7 for Huntersville Historical Traditions Day. We will also be scanning small collections of photographs for the archives. Arrangements may be made for large collections.

Access the “Preserving Pocahontas” Digital Library at <http://pocahontaspreservation.org/omeka/>

If you have photographs or documents to be scanned for the county Historical Archive contact Preservation Officer B. J. Gudmundsson at 304-799-3989 or email info@pocahontaspreservation.org Prints of photographs are available.

Seventy-Five Years Ago

Calvin W. Price, Editor

Thursday, September 30, 1948

In the Charleston Fair last week, there were a goodly number of winners from Pocahontas county in the sheep classes. Among them were Ray Kramer, with four firsts and a champion in judging; W. A. Arbogast, six firsts and a champion; Jimmie Sharp, eleven firsts and two champions; E. F. Williams and son, ten firsts and two champions.

THE POCAHONTAS TIMES

By Maurice Brooks, WVU

The Pocahontas Times has, in a peculiar way, become a state institution, and its influence is felt far beyond our borders. Through many years, it has been a symbol of personal journalism, with a flavor of our mountains and their people.

The Pocahontas Times speaks for these citizens, their problems, their achievements and the day by day events, large and small, of their lives are discussed. From its inception, the Times has been edited by one or another of the Price family. The Prices have known the local people, and have shared in their concerns. They have been participants in events, not spectators who wrote from the sidelines. When a bear kills some of Burner's sheep, it is a personal affront to Cal Price, and he rises in wrath to demand the bear's scalp...

Cal Price always said that his father got credit for the things that Andrew Price wrote and that Andy was credited with the things that Cal himself wrote. However that may have been, there was honor enough for all and Cal has for many years held undisputed sway over The

Times and its destinies.

When a volume in the American Mountains Series dealt with the Great Smokies and the Blue Ridge, one of its authors, Alberta Hannum, went many miles out of her field to cite and quote from The Times as being typical of mountain journalism at its best. She enjoyed, as thousands of others have done, the Field Notes, the personals and even the advertisements.

One business card which the Times carried for many years was that of a local citizen who offered his services as a “veterinarian and dentist.” For this same man, The Times, a short while ago, carried a notice to the effect, “All persons are warned not to hunt, fish or trespass on the lands of the undersigned. For your sake, for my sake and for God's sake!”

BIRTHDAY PARTIES

Mr. and Mrs. John A. Coffman gave a birthday party on September 26 in honor of their daughter, Martha. Those present were: Sandra and Kay Kershner, Jean and Gail LaRose, Car-

olyn Curry, Shirley Malcomb, Margaret Eubanks and Creola Jackson...

Mrs. M. D. Vaughan gave a birthday party September 15, in honor of her daughter, Mary Frances. Those present were: Misses Twila Anderson, Lynda Barcroft, Nannie Coxey, Vera Sue Vaughan, Carolyn and Ruby Lynn Hodges, Mrs. Louise Kennison, Delano and Norman Walker, Keith Hodges and James Edward Vaughan...

BIRTH

Mr. and Mrs. Dice Rimel are the proud parents of a daughter, born Tuesday, September 21, 1948. She has been named Patricia Catherine. This is their second child and second daughter.

DEATHS

On Sunday afternoon, the funeral service for Private Letcher L. King was held from the Cass Methodist Church by Rev. Harry Blackhurst. His body was laid to rest in the family cemetery near Greenbank.

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100-Years-Ago in The Pocahontas Times

Calvin W. Price, Editor

Thursday, September 27, 1923

It was announced last Sunday that the last service had been held in the old Methodist church in Marlinton, and the service next Sunday will be held in the fine large chapel room in the basement of the new church.

The Buckeye Presbyterian church was organized last Sunday afternoon by a commission of Greenbrier Presbytery... There are 24 charter members. Withrow McClintic, Hiram Barnes and Eustace Brindle were elected Elders; and Harper Adkison, Moody McNeill and Meade McNeill were elected Deacons.

Dogs made a raid on the flocks of John W. Moore and Andrew Moore on the mountain opposite Marlinton last Friday morning. About a half-dozen sheep were killed or badly injured and others are missing. A big old hound was killed in the act of chasing a sheep and two other dogs got away. This is the second time in six months and the third time in a year that these flocks have suffered from town dogs. Many farmers have quit trying to keep sheep because of the dog nuisance.

TO USE WASHINGTON'S TROWEL

The trowel used by General Washington when he laid the cornerstone of the capitol of the United States at Washington, D. C. on September 18, 1795, is to be used when the cornerstone of the imposing George Washington Masonic National Memorial is laid at Alexandria, Virginia, November 1, next. This trowel is now the property of Alexandria-Washington Lodge No. 22, A. F. and A.M. of Alexandria, just outside the capital city.

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ber 15, 1923, A. D. Neill conveyed to the Raine Lumber Company the sawmill and railroad and timber at Clover Lick, in consideration of the sum of \$230,000.

The deal transferred about five thousand acres of timber in the Greenbank and Huntersville districts, a band mill at Clover Lick, the railroad, engines, bridge, houses, office and so forth. The railroad is built up Laurel Run and Thomas Creek and passes over the divide to the waters of Thorny Creek...

The revenue stamps on the deed amounted to \$230. A good deal of the timber conveyed lies on the road between Huntersville and Dunmore and is a well known forest.

YOUR EARS AREN'T MATES

Do you know your ears are not mates?

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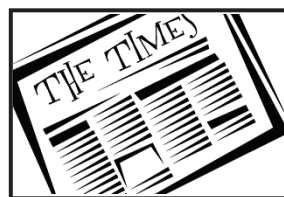
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Fifty Years Ago

Jane Price Sharp, Editor

Thursday, September 27, 1973

Snowshoe is already started on its way to becoming a reality. Dharl Dever and his equipment have moved in to work on roads, etc., and Tony Ricottilli and his men are clearing trees blown down by a wind storm, plus tops and other unsightly remains of logging operations. Tom Kramer and Dan Seme are busy filling people on the planned development.

The sewing factory at the fairgrounds is working steadily unless materials do not arrive on time, with about 42 women. Fifteen more are needed.

Hanover is working 66 at present, 29 men and 37 women, with more being added this week.

The Oddfellow Modern Woodman Building is receiving a new coat of paint to help brighten up Main Street.

The Monarch butterflies have been making their pilgrimage south the past two weeks. Someone thought it

was a little early. The hawks are making their migration a little early so maybe things are moving along ahead of schedule.

More Twins

Mrs. Lloyd Woods brought in a Siamese bean, the first she has seen in her years of gardening.

Mrs. Virginia Mason had a Siamese tomato, two big, lovely tomatoes, completely joined. She had it in the car ready to bring to the Times office and the pony at Gay farm reached his head in the window and ate it.

Bigger and Bigger

Mrs. Forrest McLaughlin killed a tremendously big copperhead on Browns Mountain Sunday, big around and over 30-inches long.

Greg Curry and Harold Moore were riding up Monday Lick Saturday and saw a yellow rattler, over 50 inches long with 13 rattles, killed by a man hunting ginseng.

Roger Helton ran over and killed a 36-inch copperhead on the Stillhouse Hollow road Sunday evening.

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Footsteps through History

The Pocahontas Times
Andrew Price, Editor

Thursday, September 29, 1898

There are two extremes, into one or the other of which many mothers fall – that of over-solicitude for their children, a fussiness and a tendency to coddle them and run with them to the doctor for every ache or pain; and that of cureless inattention to a child's complaint of feeling poorly or to injuries received in rough play.

In the first case the, the child is in danger of developing into an irritable, selfish valetudinarian, while the mother destroys the happiness of what ought to be the sweetest part of a woman's life, and is also in danger of driving herself into a condition of nervous invalidism.

On the other hand, the mother who habitually dismisses without a second thought every complaint by her child of discomfort or pain, or who thinks it will make her boy more manly if she schools herself not to betray sympathy for him in his physical troubles, runs the serious risk of ignoring some incipient ill which, if taken in time, may be arrested, but if neglected may develop into a life long affliction.

Of these two extremes, the former is attended with by far the more serious danger to the child, but the latter is not without its perils...

ROAD TO WEALTH

To our Friends and Patrons:

We wish to say that hereafter our business will be conducted on a cash basis.

Many of our friends and patrons may be surprised at this; we hope none will be offended.

Here are a few of the reasons:

The memory of a great portion of our credit customers is too brief.

People cannot pay for goods in time for us to pay for them.

Notes and accounts, we have found to be of no value when in need of money.

95 percent of men doing credit business fail.

95 percent of men doing cash business succeed.

We cannot discriminate between those who will pay when they say they will and those who will not.

Had we had sufficient money to loan out we would have started a bank instead of a store.

We did not know the facts connected with the credit business when we started our little business or we would never had sold a 3¢ box of matches on time; we would have let the customer have it for a penny for cash down...

STONY CREEK

Sowing wheat in full blast. A large acreage is being sown.

The closing of the Hamlin Chapel Sunday School on Sunday had a very good attendance. Besides several

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Prepping for power outages – comfort or need?

Melody Phillips
Staff Writer

There are three main categories to preparing for a mild to moderate power outage or disaster – needs (to sustain life), comforts (helps with morale for longer outages), and not necessary (self-explained).

Again, this is an individual thing, some items may need to be moved to other categories but be real and practical when thinking about it. Make the “needs” list as short as possible and focus on it first, so, of course, I’ll list those last.

There are many things you shouldn’t worry about and they fall into the not necessary category.

I know of a lot of people who might argue with me on this one, including my husband, but steak is not a necessity – neither are computers, TVs, gaming systems or the Internet. With rare exception, not having these items is merely an inconvenience as they are not necessary to sustain life. Cell phones should also go into this category or, at the most, into the comforts category. Exceptions to this would be for those who need to use

phones or the Internet to contact caregivers and vice versa, such as those who are bed-ridden, need daily care or are in similar situations. Outside of medical necessity, these little conveniences should be labeled as “not necessary.”

A suggestion from hubby: In the warmer months, if an outage is expected to be extended (more than one day for him) and there is no way to keep meat frozen, have a barbecue or cookout and invite friends and neighbors over. This will help limit food loss and may lift morale. Plan ahead for these moments by having charcoal or a gas grill or go old school and build a campfire to cook over.

“Comforts” help with morale when an event drags on longer than anticipated.

• Hand crank radio or battery operated radio – AM channels will broadcast during power outages. This may be considered a necessity depending on the situation. A radio may be the only way to hear what is going on around you when phone service and the Internet are not accessible. It not only serves to report weather and news about how cleanup and repairs are

going, but also provides some entertainment.

• Board and card games or musical instruments – Entertainment options that do not require power can help distract your mind during mild to moderate disasters and also help to keep up morale.

• Vehicles with a full tank of gas – If roads are clear and gas stations and stores are open, some may find relief in getting away from the house when the power has been off for a while. However, if roadways are blocked and half of the state is shut down, this could be helpful in connection with the next item in this list.

• Battery backup and inverters/solar panels – Years before tiny inexpensive generators came out, the use of batteries and inverters was a cheaper option compared to a generator. It was also an easier setup to carry and move around as needed. Having a good inverter that hooks up directly to a car battery can provide power to run small items or charge things like a cell phone. These must be properly hooked up or it may cause personal injury or property damage. The car should also be run from time to time to

ensure its battery stays charged. There have been many times when a heavy-duty inverter, hooked up to a deep cycle marine battery, has kept our pellet stove running all night long, in sub-zero temperatures, when we had no power. Having more than one battery on hand is nice. One battery can be on charge while the others are being used. There are several ways to charge batteries while the power is out, but I won’t cover that here.

• Generator – These are nice to have for keeping food cold and getting fresh water from wells, but fuel may be limited so use it wisely. Never operate a generator inside a home. They produce a poisonous gas, carbon monoxide, that can kill quickly and quietly. Also, as stated in Prepping for Power Outages – Intro, “generators are great, but if fuel cannot be obtained for a long time, alternative plans should be considered in advance. Don’t think that a generator is the “save all” during a disaster. If the generator is not damaged by the event causing the outage, the fuel can be stretched longer if it is only run now and then instead of constantly. Running a gener-



A PELLET STOVE running off of a battery backup, inverter or generator can be a wonderful source of heat during a long winter’s night without power. Photo by Richard Phillips

ator for about two hours, two to three times per day, will give freezers and refrigerators time to stay cold and allow the well water to run for refilling containers. Use

this tool wisely, for needs only, in order to sustain it for a longer timeframe.”

Part 1 of 2

Next time will be the “needs” category.

Healthy, from page 1

added, proudly.

“We’re working with local farmers and Mountain Steer, a Greenbrier County company which certifies and distributes fresh, dry-aged beef within days of harvesting, so that we can serve local Pocahontas County beef in our schools,” she explained.

“The educational component is teaching our kids that they can grow their own fruits and vegetables at home. And you don’t need a huge garden to do it. They are learning about small raised beds and container gardening.

“We want our kids to know where their food comes from and what goes into a healthy diet. We need to expose them to things like spinach and micro greens – the little sprouts and seedlings of edible plants and herbs – at an early age.

“The more exposure, the better,” she added.

The Farm-to-School program has really been well received.

“The kids love the Garden Bar, and we’re hoping to do more and more with it as time goes on,” Shiftlet said. “The state guidelines encourage us to offer the freshest possible produce in school meals and we are glad to do it.”

Like all the schools, the Marlinton Middle School salad bar – Garden Bar – regularly features locally-sourced produce and food grown in conjunction with the Farm-to-School program.

Father Arthur Bufogle, of Pocahontas County’s Catholic churches, and Pocahontas County Extension Agent Luci Mosesso have been working hand-in-hand with the students at MMS to put fresh, healthy choices on the menu.

Father Arthur and the St. John Neumann Catholic Church provide seeds, equipment and fertilizer and Father Arthur provides the labor.

“We work with the cafeteria staff to determine their needs,” he explained.

“The middle school high tunnel provides lettuce, tomatoes, peppers, cucumbers, onions and, sometimes, peas for the salad bar.

“This gives students an opportunity to participate in growing and picking some of the food that will be served at their school at lunchtime,” he added.

Cooks at the middle school, Laura Sue Miller and Sherrie Howe, have embraced the concept of using locally-sourced fresh food.

They have the salad bar set up for every lunch.

“The Garden Bar is really Sherrie’s baby,” Miller said. “She keeps track of



POCAHONTAS COUNTY EXTENSION Agent Luci Mosesso and Father Arthur Bufogle, of St. John Neumann Catholic Church, are passionate about sharing the bounty of the Marlinton Middle School high tunnel with students. The Farm-to-School program offers fresh, locally sourced food on the school’s Garden Bar. Photo by Silas Dean

what we’re going to need each week. She really enjoys doing it and puts out great looking fresh food very day.”

Recently, local county growers have been offering potatoes, corn, fresh from the field, regular tomatoes, cherry tomatoes, cucumbers, and, of course, lettuce, every week.

“Our kids love the fresh vegetables,” Miller said. “We hear positive comments from them about the salad bar all the time. They especially like the little cherry tomatoes.”

The day I visited the middle school, lunch consisted of a chicken cutlet sandwich, baked beans, baked sweet potato fries and the salad bar, which was overflowing with fresh, healthy food. Sitting next to it was a bowl of Virginia apples.

The salad bar was a riot of colorful choices – several varieties of lettuce and green, red and lighter green peppers from Father Arthur and sliced cucumbers from the Ruby Grow (High Rocks) high tunnel in Hillsboro.

Shiny red tomatoes and onions from Melia Thompson in Green Bank were sliced and served on a platter with crisp, leafy lettuce.

As I enjoyed my lettuce, cucumber and tomato salad, I looked around at the students sitting at the lunch tables and saw many of them doing the same.

Middle school principal Nebraska Scotchie came through the cafeteria and commented on the salad bar.

“Our kids really love the salad bar,” she said. “It’s fun for them to pick what they want, and it gives them an option of an extra vegetable.”

Smiling and chatting with students as they perused the salad bar was sixth grade teacher Louisa Kiner, who assisted students with their choices.

The cooks serve lunch to 120 students, in two shifts, every school day at MMS.

Miller commented on the fact that many middle school girls are quite interested in making healthier food choices.

“Some girls at this age are watching their weight,” Miller said. “They love the salad bar.”

“A lot of kids who don’t have gardens at home may not recognize all the fruits and vegetables. This gives them an opportunity to see and taste produce that may be new to them.

“Any time I can get a new or unusual vegetable out here for the kids to try, I like to offer it,” Scotchie added.

Miller has been the middle school cafeteria manager for 16 years.

“I started working under my mom, Betty Miller, at the elementary school, then transferred to the middle school under Mary Dilley.

“This Farm-to-School program will be an ongoing thing, and we’re hoping to add various new components, including locally-sourced meat, to our menus as time goes on,” Miller

added.

Even in the winter – except usually in the months of January and February, when there’s just not enough sunlight for growing vegetables – students will still get produce from the county’s high tunnels.

“There may not be the abundance that there is in warmer weather, but we’ll still be getting fresh fruits and vegetables,” Miller said.

It takes a village, well, in this case, an entire county, to make the system work.

Local producers include North Fork Farm, Roseboro Farm, Ruby Grow, Wilfong Farms, Homegrown Harvest and Father Arthur.

The FFA starts seedlings for all the school gardening programs and sponsors youth entrepreneurship programs.

The WVU Extension Service pitches in, too.

“We provide a small piece of the budget for the Farm-to-School program,” Extension Agent Luci Mosesso said. “It’s a worthwhile investment in a healthy future for our kids.”

The MMS high tunnel has been used in many ways throughout the years – as an outdoor classroom, an art room and for plant production.

“Regardless of the activity, students are always eager

to get into the space and work with their hands,” Mosesso added. “I haven’t met a student yet who didn’t like working there.”

“Last spring, we had sixth and seventh grade students from a financial math class participate in several lessons in the tunnel. They worked to calculate fertilizer amounts, learned about planting seeds and how to determine the number of days to harvest.

“One of the most memorable moments from my time in the tunnel occurred when a seventh grade student came up to me outside of school and said, ‘We ate those peppers that we grew in the tunnel.’ She was so excited to have a connection to the food being served on the salad bar.

“Later her mom told me her daughter had never before chosen to eat raw vegetables, but that this experience had given her the desire to try new foods because she had helped grow them.”

“That’s what it’s all about, connecting our youth to the foods they eat and empowering them with new skills and knowledge.”

During the summer, when students are out of school, Eryn Neyer manages the Farm-to-School program, which encompasses a total of four greenhouses. She is the West Virginia Food and Farm Coalition’s Foodshed Coordinator for Pocahontas, Randolph and Pendleton counties.

In addition to managing four greenhouses, Neyer designs and teaches gardening and nutrition classes.

“I teach six-week gardening and nutrition classes called ‘Learn, Grow, Eat, Go’ to third through fifth grade students at Marlinton

Elementary and first through fifth grade students at Hillsboro Elementary-Middle,” Neyer said.

She also provides early childhood lesson plans for initiating children into the world of gardening and healthy eating habits.

Last year, Neyer organized “taste testings” at the schools to introduce students to unfamiliar foods and “pop up markets” bringing local farmers to the schools for imitation farmer’s markets where students could meet the farmers and “shop” for fresh produce.

With October being National Farm to School month, Shiftlet and Neyer hope to get the word out about Pocahontas County’s Farm-to-School success, and they’re hoping students will carry the news.

“We’re rolling out a Farm-to-School marketing campaign,” Neyer said.

“There will be flyers up at all the schools featuring maps with our local producers’ names and locations so the students can see where their food is coming from.

“So far this calendar year, besides what we’ve received from local growers, our schools have harvested 530 pounds of vegetables from their gardens and high tunnels.”

It’s no secret that a healthy, balanced diet is critical for our health, whether we are adults, teenagers or younger children.

As many a parent will tell you, childhood is the best time to develop a willingness to try new foods and develop a taste for nutritious foods.

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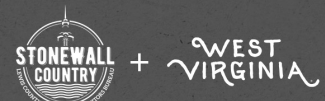


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- Unpaid medical leave of Jessica McLaughlin as teacher of special education at Marlinton Middle School, effective August 17, or upon exhaustion of personal leave, for a period of up to 12 weeks as needed, retroactive to August 17.
- Employment of Cory McNabb as head girls basketball coach at Marlinton Middle School for the 2023-2024 season at a supplement of \$1,125.
- Employment of William Meeham as PERTS Communities of Practice facilitator for Pocahontas County High School for the 2023-2024 school year, effective September 1, at \$25 per hour, not to exceed \$2,340 for the year, funded by Project for Education Research That Scales (PERTS).
- Employment of Chastity Taylor as athletic director at Pocahontas County High School, effective September 12, at a supplement of \$4,156.96 for the remainder of the 2023-2024 school year and a \$5,000 supplement each year thereafter.
- Employment of Logan Davis as volunteer football coach for Pocahontas County High School for the 2023-2024 season.
- Employment of Mary Sue Burns as itinerant K-2 classroom instructional support coach for Pocahontas County Schools at \$325 per day, not to exceed \$25,000, per coach funded

by K-2 classroom instructional support project grant. Effective for the 2023-2024 school year.

- Employment of Shannon Rittenhouse as itinerant K-2 classroom instructional support coach for Pocahontas County Schools at \$325 per day, not to exceed \$25,000, per coach funded by K-2 classroom instructional support project grant. Effective for the 2023-2024 school year.
- Employment of Kristi Hammons as technology coordinator for the Pocahontas County Schools. Term of employment shall be 217 days for the remainder of 2023-2024 school year, retroactive to September 5. Term of employment shall be 261 days each year thereafter.
- Christine Campbell as PERTS district lead, for Pocahontas County Schools, for the 2023-2024 school year, effective September, at \$25 per hour, not to exceed \$2,840 for the year, funded by Project for Education Research That Scales (PERTS).
- Employment of Kristi Hammons as PERTS data lead, for Pocahontas County Schools, for the 2023-2024 school year, effective September 1, at \$25 per hour, not to exceed \$1,590 for the year, funded by Project for Education Research That Scales (PERTS).
- Employment of the following as substitute aides for the Pocahontas County Schools, at state minimum service personnel salary for the 2023-2024 school year: Ashli Diller,

Hannah Jordan, Olivia Kesling, Brianna Morgan, Teresa Rhea and Natasha Trainer.

- Employment of Whitney Beverage and Mike Scadalis as substitute cooks for Pocahontas County Schools, at state minimum service personnel salary for the 2023-2024 school year.
- Employment of Mike Scadalis as substitute custodian for Pocahontas County Schools, at state minimum service personnel salary for the 2023-2024 school year.
- Employment of Logan Davis, Carleigh West and Roseanne Zeni as substitute teachers for Pocahontas County Schools, at state basic professional salary, based on degree and experience, for the 2023-2024 school year, as needed.
- Employment of Ruth Bland as substitute professional for Pocahontas County Schools, at state basic professional salary, based on degree and experience for the 2023-2024 school year, as needed, in the following areas: administrator, speech/language pathologist and technology integration specialist.
- Holly Beverage has requested to be removed from the substitute custodian list, retroactive to August 30.
- Rebecca Peteete has requested to be removed from the substitute aide list, effective August 30.
- Dawn Brewster has requested to be removed from the substitute aide and substitute teacher list, effective September 11.

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plant is less than 25 percent of what it should be. He said the matter has been under litigation for about four years, with no end in sight. In the meantime, the filters need to be replaced, which is a much more complicated and expensive job than simply replacing some filters, as it involves some reconstruction at the plant, as well. He said the bids to fix this came in \$475,000 over bid estimates. The commission said they will consider some sort of contribution at their next meeting.

The commission also discussed the Beard Heights Sewer Project and voted to purchase a one-acre lot near the existing sewer plant – already five years beyond its projected life – and build a new plant on that lot to serve the hospital and other structures on Beard Heights. The commission voted 2-1 to purchase the lot, with Commissioner Jamie Walker voting no, since he wanted to lease the lot first until they know they can get permits to build a treatment plant there.

The commission also:

- Agreed to accept a revised agreement from STI Networks

to provide a courthouse telephone upgrade. The revised contract will save the county \$3,700.

- Issued a resolution for, and approved signing the \$41,000 Courthouse Security Grant.
- Administratively closed nine estates which are more than three years old and there has been no response to a notification letter.
- Agreed to talk with Susan Pierce and their architect at their October 3 meeting about the Courthouse Annex project and about the Historic Registry status of the jail building.
- Received a Compliance Report from Chelsea Faulkner of the CVB.
- Agreed to advertise the clearing of, and possible sale of the timber on the site of the new 911 Center.
- Hired Nathan Tawney as a part-time ambulance driver for the county Ambulance Service at \$13 per hour; and approved for Commissioner John Rebinski to price the cost of purchasing either a new or reliable used ambulance for that service.
- Agreed to allow Dave White to use the county's railroad right-of-way at the East Fork Tannery in exchange for White allowing to county to have an easement they need to complete their East Fork sewer hook-up.

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MES, from page 1

“That’s why when it came time to choose my special project as Miss West Virginia, I knew right away it was going to be about the importance of reading,” Childress said.

Childress chose to focus on literacy with her “Readers are Leaders,” theme.

“When he was in first grade, Kolton really didn’t like school. It was all because of his trouble with reading. It took time and he really worked at it, but he finally became a good reader. After that, school became much easier.

“Now Kolton is in college and is doing phenomenally well,” she said proudly. “He’s studying to be a police officer.”

Miss West Virginia is a senior at Shepherd University, majoring in elementary education. After graduation, she plans to teach first grade, hopefully, somewhere in West Virginia.

Childress won her first crown at an early age, earning the title Little Miss Jefferson County Fair at the age of four.

She was crowned Miss Shenandoah in 2021 and Miss Morgantown in 2022 before finally being named Miss West Virginia at the competition in Martinsburg in June of this year.

During her visit last Fri-

day she read “Tales of the Dairy Godmother,” to the kindergartners.

The book is about Little Chuck, who dearly loves ice cream. His “dairy wish” is granted and he learns how ice cream is made.

The story cleverly combines two of Miss West Virginia’s favorite topics: literacy and agriculture.

The reading was well received, after all, who doesn’t like ice cream?

Miss West Virginia asked the class how many of them lived on a farm, near a farm or had relatives who had a farm and seemed bowled over to see so many hands fly into the air.

There was an exchange of many personal stories, as the children discovered all they had in common with the elegant young lady wearing a crown.

Childress explained that she kept her crown and sash in a “magic box” and that she would be entitled to keep that crown forever. She even graciously removed it and allowed it to be passed among the students.

“I trust you to have gentle hands,” Miss West Virginia said. And they did. It was passed along gingerly and with awe.

Childress has a Facebook page on which she hosts “Karrington’s Kids” and offers her recorded readings to parents and caregivers to enjoy with their youngsters.

During her tenure as Miss

West Virginia, Childress plans to visit elementary schools in all 55 counties, a goal made possible due to the financial support of the West Virginia Farm Bureau.

She hopes to visit public libraries in all 55 counties to promote reading, as well.

She told the kindergartners that “being Miss West Virginia is the coolest job in the world. I get to meet kids all over the state and I get to go to all kinds of interesting places.

During her travels around the state, Miss West Virginia was accompanied by her parents, Dustin and Tina Childress.

“We have been traveling quite a bit since I was crowned. It’s been so much fun meeting people and learning about each county.

“It wasn’t long ago that I was at the West Virginia State Fair and besides meeting so many nice people, I got to watch a baby calf being born.”

It was at the State Fair that Childress met Peggy Owens, Pocahontas County native and member of the Pocahontas County Arts Council. When Owens learned that Miss West Virginia wanted to make connections with elementary schools, she invited her to come to Marlinton Elementary, where she was sure Childress would receive a warm reception.

As the visit was coming



MISS WEST VIRGINIA, Karrington Childress, visited Shannon Anderson’s kindergarten class last week. Pictured: front row, l to r: Darren Ryder, Cayson Bennett, Chloe Curry, Kinley Beverage, Sam Bostic, Hadley Burns. Back row: Karsyn Cummings, Mazey Goldizen, Laylonee Fleming-Thomas, Miss West Virginia, Noah Alderman, Shannon Anderson, Gemma McNabb, Aramis Brown. Not pictured, Nathan Stewart. L.D. Bennett photo

to a close, Miss West Virginia asked the students to carry home an important message to their adult family members.

“Tell them that Miss West Virginia asked them to please read to you for at least ten minutes every day,” she said. “Reading is so important. It will make such a difference.”

Anderson said that the visit was the high point of her students’ week.

“The kids were mesmerized,” Anderson said. “The surprise was perfect for our

“Fun Friday” activities.

The students each got a chance to introduce themselves and shake hands with Miss West Virginia before she left to enjoy touring some of Pocahontas County’s tourist attractions.

The Childress family stayed overnight at River’s Edge Cabins in Marlinton as the guests of Crystal Dean.

On Saturday, they dodged the raindrops as they perused the arts and crafts on display and enjoyed the sights, enticing aromas and delicious flavors on offer at

the RoadKill Cook-off and Autumn Harvest Festival.

“It is not going to rain on my parade,” exclaimed Miss West Virginia, smiling and laughing from under her umbrella.

That’s the kind of spirit that will, hopefully, stand her in good stead as Miss West Virginia – Karrington Childress – takes on the competition at the Miss America pageant in January 2024.

Laura Dean Bennett may be contacted at ldb@pocahontastimes.com

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ages 5 and younger, accompanied by an adult. Will not meet when schools are closed.

MEETINGS

Pocahontas County Solid Waste Authority regular meeting Wednesday, September 27, 8 p.m. at the courthouse.

Marlinton Town Council regular meeting Monday, October 2, at 7 p.m. in the municipal building auditorium.

Allegheny Post 117 Tuesday, October 3, 6 p.m. at Arbovale Community Center. All members are encouraged to attend.

Pocahontas County Chapter of the West Virginia Farm Bureau and Pocahontas Producers Livestock Cooperative annual meeting Thursday, October 5, 6:30 p.m. at the Opera House in Marlinton.

An organizational meeting to plan for the future upkeep of the Emmanuel Church Cemetery on Bruffey Creek will be held Sunday, October 8, 2 p.m. at Westview Baptist Church on Caesars Mountain. If you have family members in Emmanuel Cemetery, you are encouraged to attend. For more information, contact

Dennis Vaughan at 304-653-4216.

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Yoga – Enjoy relaxing yoga at Durbin Library, Tuesdays at 5 p.m., Linwood Center, Wednesdays at 5:30

p.m. and Cass Community Center Fridays at 5:30 p.m.

CHURCH NOTICES

Marlinton Presbyterian Church – Sunday School 9 a.m.; Worship 10 a.m.

Arbovale United Methodist – Worship 11:15 a.m. Sundays; Bible Study 6 p.m. Thursdays.

New Hope Lutheran – Minnehaha Springs – Worship 8:45 a.m.

First Baptist Church – Huntersville – Sunday School, 9:30 a.m.; Worship, 10:30 a.m. Wednesday night service 7 p.m.

Seebert United Methodist Church – Sunday School every Sunday 9:20 a.m.; Worship second and fourth Sundays at 10 a.m.

Catholic Mass: St. John, Marlinton – Sunday 9 a.m.; St. Mark, Bartow – Sunday 11:30 a.m.

Liberty Presbyterian, Green Bank –Worship at 11 a.m.

Dunmore United Methodist Church – Worship 10 a.m. Adult Bible Study via Zoom 8 a.m.

Marlinton First Church of the Nazarene – Sunday School, 10 a.m.; Worship, 11 a.m.; Wednesday night Bible Study 7 p.m.

Marlinton United Methodist Church – Worship at 11 a.m. Parking lot service on 90.3 FM radio, or join us on Facebook.

New Hope Church of the

Brethren, Worship at 9:30 a.m. and Bible Study Wednesdays at 7:30 p.m.

Pine Grove Church of the Brethren, Arbovale – Sunday School 10 a.m., Worship 11 a.m.; Bible Study, Thursday, 7 p.m.

Cochran Creek Baptist Church, Rimel – Sunday School 10 a.m.; Worship 11 a.m.

Campbelltown Church,

Marlinton – Worship 10 a.m.; Sunday School 11 a.m.

Cook Town Community Church, Rt. 219 – Sunday Service 10 a.m.

Edray United Church – Sunday School 10 a.m.; Worship 11 a.m.

Marlinton Church of God, Beard Heights – Sunday School 10 a.m.; Worship 11 a.m. Wednesday Night Bible Study 6 p.m.

Marlinton Church of Christ, Lakeview – Sunday School 9:45 a.m.; Worship 10:45 a.m. and 6 pm. Wednesday Bible Study 7 p.m.

Trinity Baptist Church, Rt. 219 Buckeye Hill – Sunday School 10 a.m.; Worship 11 a.m.; Wednesday Bible Study 7 p.m. Pastor David Moore.



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MEMBERS OF THE Chesapeake & Ohio Historical Society held its annual conference at Cass Scenic Railroad State Park. During the conference, the members enjoyed a ride on the new Greenbrier Express – a ride from Cass to Durbin. The group is shown here with the train and Durbin Depot in the background.

Chesapeake & Ohio Historical Society holds Annual Member Conference in Cass

The Chesapeake & Ohio Historical Society, the organization based in Clifton Forge, Virginia, that preserves and publishes the history of the C&O Railway, recently held its annual member convention in Pocahontas County, in conjunction with Cass Scenic Railroad State Park and the Durbin & Greenbrier Valley Railroad.

First founded in Alderson in 1969, the non-profit organization's tradition of hold-

ing an annual convention started in 1970 when its earliest members met for the first time in Huntington.

Growing through the decades, the group would become a global network of more than 2,000 members that includes historians, authors, and modelers with a shared interest in the C&O Railway.

Following the 2023 event, C&O Historical Society President Mark Totten celebrated the completion of their latest annual confer-

ence. "Our 52nd Annual Conference in Cass was an enormous success thanks to the hospitality of Cass Scenic Railroad, the Durbin & Greenbrier Valley Railroad, and several amazing teams of contributors who worked to make the event memorable."

Sixty-six C&OHS members were in attendance, enjoying a full agenda of history and fellowship.

The re-linking of the line between Cass and Durbin

was the deciding factor in choosing Cass for the location of the C&OHS's annual conference.

"One hundred fifty years after the Chesapeake & Ohio Railway celebrated the completion of its 'Great Connection' between the Virginia shore and the Ohio River, we could not imagine a more symbolically-appropriate place to hold our 2023 convention," Totten explained.



Halterman appointed Forest Festival princess

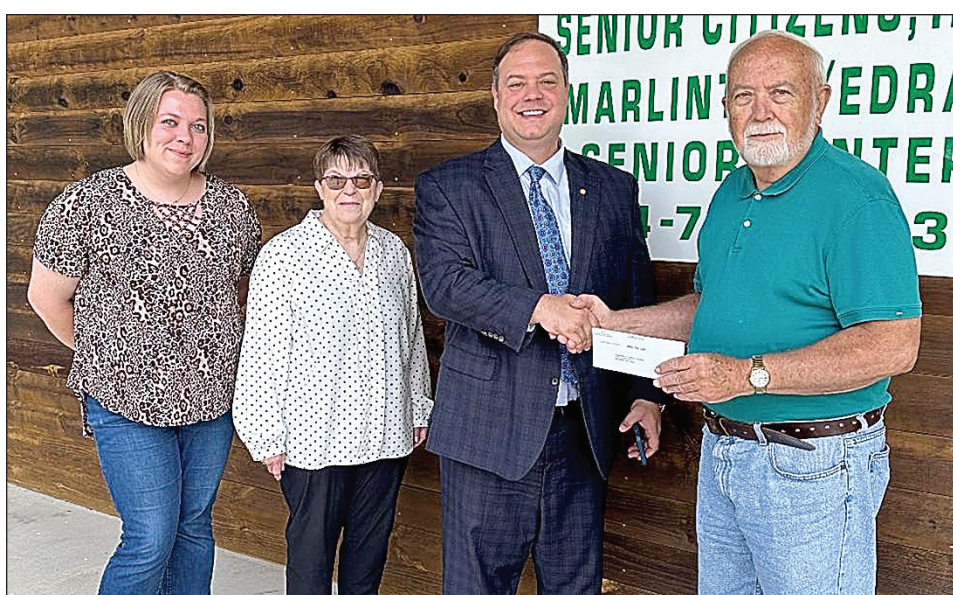
Mountain State Forest Festival Director General Jon Morgan has announced that Kaylee Dawn Halterman will serve as a Princess to the Royal Court of Maid Silvia LXXXV, Anna Marie Ruf.

Princess Halterman is the daughter of Carol Morgan and Randall Grimes, of Beverly, and Steve and Brenda Halterman, of Durbin, and the granddaughter of Arlie and Maggie Morgan, of Arbovale, and Hardrock and Georgette Halterman, of Mar-

tinsburg.

Kaylee is a 2019 graduate of Tygarts Valley High School, where she was on the cheer, basketball and track teams. She was also a member of RAZE and student government president. She is currently a freshman at Davis & Elkins College, where she is majoring in Nursing. Kaylee also works as a nurse intern at Davis Medical Center in the emergency department.

For more information, call the festival office at 304-636-1824 or visit the official website at www.forestfestival.com



DELEGATE TY NESTOR, (R) District 66, presents a check for \$7,950 to Pocahontas County Senior Citizens, Inc. director John Simmons at the Marlinton Senior Center. Also pictured: PCSC fiscal officer Kayla Shaw, left, and PCSC board president Sue Hollandsworth. PCSC photo

Senior Center receives funding

Pocahontas County's House of Delegate representative Ty Nestor came to the rescue of the Pocahontas County Senior Citizens, Inc. with a check for \$7,950 so the Marlinton/ Edray Center could replace a compressor in its walk-in cooler.

PCSC director John Simmons said when the compressor went down, a local repairman came to the center to see if he could fix it, but found the the compressor "was shot."

Simmons gave him the go-ahead to order a new one, saying, "we'll find the money somewhere."

Through in-house meals and its Meals on Wheels program, PCSC provides more than 33,000 meals to seniors from its Marlinton and Green Bank facilities.

Not replacing the walk-in cooler was not an option.

When Simmons was looking for a way to pay for the compressor, he remembered having a conversation with Nestor, who said to reach out to him if he could ever help in an emergency.

"I called him and told him we lost our compressor. He told me to get an estimate on it and he would forward it to Charleston. Lo and behold, the governor signed a \$7,950 check, and Ty got it over to us."

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2022 Real Estate Delinquent Taxes

Notice is hereby given that the following described tracts or lots of land or undivided interests therein in Pocahontas County and the tax liens that encumber the same which are delinquent for the nonpayment of taxes for the year (or years) will be certified to the Auditor for disposition pursuant to West Virginia Code SI IA-3-44 on the the 1st day of November, 2023.

Upon certification to the Auditor, tax liens on each unredeemed tract or lot, or each unredeemed part thereof or undivided interest therein, shall be sold at public auction to the highest bidder in an amount which shall not be less than the taxes, interest, and charges which shall be due thereon to the date of sale, as set forth in the following table:

Taxpayer	Legal Description	Total Due
2022 Real Estate 02-DURBIN CORP		
EADES LEXIE	R R & LT 15 BLK 5 40X120	87.64
JONES THOMAS E	GRBR RIVER & W MARYLAND RR 1.37 AC	1,058.62
JONES THOMAS E	P/O OLD STATE ROAD R/W 13,320 SQ FT FEE	82.84
REXRODE MELISSA L	LT 1-2 BLK 14 80X120 FEE	371.86
RIFFE LINDA G	LT 7-8 BLK 4 80X120	217.94
TOBASCO KRISTINA C & DENISON CHRISTOPHER M	P/O LT 14 BLK 7 DURBIN 19X120 FEE	576.74
TOBASCO KRISTINA C & DENISON CHRISTOPHER M	P/O LT 14 & 28 BLK 7 26.3X120 FEE	79.34
Total For 02-DURBIN CORP		2,474.98
03-EDRAY DIST		
1401 SOUTHWIND LLC	EXPEDITION STATION UNIT 406 2 BEDROOM & DEN	2,203.02
4R AT 4848 LLC	ALLEGHENY SPRINGS UNIT 304	519.47
ACOSTA CLEL L	EXPEDITION STATION UNIT 302 STUDIO	572.78
ACREE JEFFREY D & REBA D	LT 10 EAGLES NEST SD STONY BOTTOM PHASE I 2.01 AC	157.24
ALLEN JOHN R & PATRICIA C TRUSTEES	EXPEDITION STATION UNIT 108 STUDIO	303.34
ANGEMEER WILLIAM APEX RENTAL PROPERTIES LLC	LT 5 MEADOWS OF HAWTHORNE	236.72
ARMSTRONG ANGELA F RNOTT JOHN J & LANE PAMELA S	OVERLOOK CONDO 34E ALDER LICK RUN .70 AC	370.62 298.96
ATWOOD ENTITIES LLC	LT 4 WOODROW MOUNTAIN 2.01 AC	633.38
BALL AARON C	LT 14 WEST RIDGE SD .97 AC	399.12
BARBER AARON M & SARAH C	CAMP 4 UNIT 26	2,546.90
BARKER TODD A	LT C WARWICK 4.87 AC	344.32
BARTON ANTHONY T & REBECCA S	LEATHERBARK CONDO 208A	589.64
BAUGHAN MICHAEL D & SANDRA W	WHISTLEPUNK UNIT 27 BLDG 5	2,038.82
BEATTIE MARK S & BOBBI JO	MT LODGE UNIT 124 TRACT 1 BIRCH BEND SEC	585.00
BENNETT KEVIN L & TERESA L	SLATYFORK VILLAGE 2.17 AC FEE	159.84
BERTKE & BOGGS INVESTMENTS LLC	LT 10 UNICORN RIDGE SD 2 AC	271.84
BIGONEY CARL F REVOCABLE TRUST	TOP OF THE WORLD CONDO 105A	510.72
BKB CAPITAL LTD	SHAMROCK CONDO 27A BLDG B HYDROCARBON OIL & GAS (.998% OF 2.5%) 2.5% OF 6993.95 AC	879.50 49.42
BLACKSTEN PATRICIA & SMITH ANDREW	LT 131 SUNSET MTN VILLAGE	413.96
BOLEN WILLIAM S & RUTH S	4.37 AC SUMMIT RIDGE SECTION	
BOYKIN FAMILY LIMITED PARTNERSHIP	MT LODGE UNIT 350	315.00
BROWN LISA A	THE SENECA UNIT 201 3BR	2,611.74
BROWN LISA ANN & LEWIS KINETH	GRBR RIVER 16 AC FEE	388.88
BROWN MOTOHIRO T & DIANA L TRUSTEES	LT 1003 SUNSET MTN VILLAGE	298.14
BROWN TIMOTHY LEWIS	SUMMIT HIGHLANDS SEC 6.65 AC	1,357.28
BROWN VAUGHAN W & PAULA M	LICK RUN 2 AC	63.66
BRUFFY ANTHONY R & EVANS NATALIE R	LT 31 WEST RIDGE SD	1,107.96
BURNS BETHANY A	LT 15 EAGLES NEST SD	
CALL JARROD	STONY BOTTOM PHASE II 2.02 AC LANDS END UNIT 2 TOWNHOUSES	157.24 1,575.88
CHANDLER MARK ALLEN & BRET LEE	TRACT 1 ORCHARD HILL SECTION	
CHANNELL ADOLPH A & BARBARA	SLATYFORK VILLAGE 1.97 AC FEE	156.42
CHECK POINT CHICKY LLC	SITLINGTON CREEK 1 AC	261.00
CHITTUM LAND DEVELOPMENT LTD CO	WARWICK 3.47 AC	76.52
CHITTUM LAND DEVELOPMENT LTD CO	MT LODGE UNIT 152	585.00
CHITTUM LAND DEVELOPMENT LTD CO	LT 1 HIDEAWAY PHASE ONE 1.66 AC	182.32
COFFMAN DOUGLAS	LT 7 HIDEAWAY PHASE ONE 1.13 AC	184.92
COFFMAN DOUGLAS & LILE JOSEPH D II	LT 10 HIDEAWAY PHASE ONE	142.58
COFFMAN DOUGLAS M	ALLEGHENY SPRINGS UNIT 125 .81 AC	1,399.64
COPE JILL	LT 18 SLATY RIDGE SD SEC I 5.1 AC FEE	2,185.76
CURRY CRAIG W	HIGHLAND HOUSE UNIT 419 1BR	788.78
DAILEY BRIAN WILLIAM & ANN LEA	SUMMIT CONDO UNIT 208B	1,222.58
DICKSON CHARLES E JR	RIDGEWOOD UNIT 45 BLDG A	272.24
DICKSON CHARLES E JR	LT 6 SUNDOWN DIVISION	3,583.56
EDWARDS JOHN L	LT 9 DUNCANS LANDING SD	
ENTENMANN DEREK	GRBR RIVER 2.15 AC FEE	289.52
EQUITY TRUST COMPANY	LT 19 DUNCANS LANDING SD	
CUSTODIAN FBO	GRBR RIVER 2.28 AC FEE	232.50
200351882 IRA	MT LODGE UNIT 214	804.42
FASSETTE LARRY D	NR OVERLOOK 1.10 AC FEE	990.92
FCBR PROPERTIES LLC	MT LODGE UNIT 157	804.42
FIELDING BRYAN LEWIS	WOODROW .95 AC FEE COMB ACCT 3/40-13 & 10.2427.64	10,242.76
FINK JOHN & KIMBERLY	HIGHLAND HOUSE UNIT 318 STUDIO	694.62
FITZWATER TIMOTHY & HEATHER D	TREE TOP CONDO UNIT 8	576.38
FORD JOHN & MONICA	LT 78 WEST RIDGE SD	2,976.70
FRANCIS HARRY E & NAJAR DAVID	LT 119 WEST RIDGE SD	1,510.64
FRAZIER KEVIN & AMANDA	SNOWCREST CONDO 104B	563.34
FRENCH ANNAMARIE K & CHANDLER KRISTIN J	LT 108 NORTH WOODS SD	
FRENCH ANNAMARIE K & CHANDLER KRISTIN J	244.70X173.22X60X167.47	87.27
FURBEE RICHARD W	SITLINGTON CREEK .14 AC FEE	302.38
GALUS SCOTT & RABAYDA APRIL	LAUREL CREEK 11 AC	121.90
GIESE ALAN W & CAROL A	LAUREL CREEK 37 AC	406.96
GILMORE WILLIAM HOMER (ESTATE)	BIG SPRING FORK NR LINWOOD .67 AC	55.44
GLENN JEFFREY & SARAH	SUMMIT CONDO UNIT 102B	633.78
GRANT GREGORY L & MICHELLE A	LT 128 WEST RIDGE SD	1,326.58
GULL ERIN E & CARL RAYMOND III	S/S RT 219/7 BEARD HTS .16 AC 40X180	75.30
HAARLOW BLAIR R	WHISTLEPUNK UNIT 17 BLDG 3	1,041.92
HANDEL INVESTMENTS	RIMFIRE UNIT 217 BLDG 1 2BR	1,327.96
KON TIKI LLC	LEATHERBARK CONDO 104A	732.99
HANDEL INVESTMENTS	HYDROCARBON OIL & GAS (.167% OF 2.5%) 2.5% OF 5945.67 AC	49.42
KON TIKI LLC	THE SENECA UNIT 118 STUDIO	1,041.92
HARKINS ERIC P & APRIL M	THE SENECA UNIT 120 2BR	2,078.58
HARMON WILLIAM H & MARCELLA J	MT LODGE UNIT 339	585.00
HARRILL JOE B & PANCIONE PEGGY L	LT 3 TIMBERS AT SNOWSHOE .09 AC	836.77
HASKELL JAMES L & SHARON L	LT 1 SPRUCE FLATS	49.42
HASSEL AMY MORGAN	ALLEGHENY SPRINGS UNIT 310	1,735.68
HOLDER JERRY	TOP OF THE WORLD CONDO 306A	528.00
HOLDER JERRY W	LT 5 HAWTHORNE VALLEY SD 1.01 AC FEE	158.22
HOLDER JERRY W & ANN W	OVERLOOK CONDOMINIUM 3.7 AC	448.50
HOOVER TIMOTHY (LIFE)	LT 1 BIG SPRING ELK 2.814 AC FEE	1,114.58
CASSANDRA; BETHANY ETALS	SCHOOL LOT .50 AC 171X182 IRR	182.32
HOPPER CARY	HIGHLAND HOUSE UNIT 117 1BR	409.06
HUNEYCUTT D K	LEATHERBARK CONDO 104B	747.82
HUTCHISON PHILIP M & MONIQUE K	THE SENECA UNIT 315 STUDIO	1,094.70
JACKSON JOEL & KATHRYN	SOARING EAGLE UNIT 304 3BR	2,946.80
JAG PROPERTIES LLC	LT 200 SUNSET MTN VILLAGE 4.3 AC	362.98
JAG PROPERTIES LLC	LT 124 SUNSET MTN VILLAGE 2.01 AC	314.60
AG PROPERTIES LLC	LT 126 SUNSET MTN VILLAGE	
JAYARAM ASHWIN & KAUR PARAMJIT	2.83 AC SUMMIT RIDGE SECTION	330.06
	LT 1004 SUNSET MTN VILLAGE	
	SUMMIT HIGHLANDS SEC 3.5 AC	493.46

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STONY CREEK 1.04 AC FEE	697.64
BLACK BEAR CROSSING UNIT 33	4,839.62
MT LODGE UNIT 333	811.26
LAUREL CREEK 1 AC	301.96
STONY BOTTOM 4.534 AC	440.68
THE SENECA UNIT 209. 3BR/BALCONY	2,613.36
THE SENECA UNIT 211 STUDIO/TERRACE	470.98
LT 40 HAWTHORNE VALLEY SD 1.19 AC FEE	160.82
LT 38 HAWTHORNE VALLEY SD .94 AC	149.58
LT 36 HAWTHORNE VALLEY SD .99 AC	155.62
RIMFIRE UNIT 353 BLDG STUDIO	2 623.76
MT LODGE UNIT 331	309.30
RIMFIRE UNIT 243 BLDG 2 1BR	346.52
THORNY FLATS 2.64 AC (SURFACE)	218.81
INDIAN DRAFT 1 AC	170.68
SUMMIT CONDO UNIT 307A	621.37
ALLEGHENY SPRINGS UNIT 228	1,752.96
SHAMROCK CONDO 67 BLDG G	522.83
HIGHLAND HOUSE UNIT 214 STUDIO	694.62
NR CLOVER LICK 2.17 AC	206.60
CAMP 4 UNIT 5 BLDG 1	213.31
CLOVER LICK 11.2 AC (1/3 INT)	113.94
BUCKEYE 57 AC FEE	134.22
BUCKEYE .5 AC FEE	49.82
NR BUCKEYE 27 POLES .16 AC 70X390 IRR FEE	47.20
C MCNEILL. PLACE 70.063 AC FEE	463.16
NR BUCKEYE 92 AC FEE	118.88
NR BUCKEYE RENTAL HOUSE	401.74
SWAGO P/O SHOP LT 1.5 AC FEE	47.20
SWAGO CREEK 46 1/8 AC FEE	124.10
P/O SHOP LT SWAGO 1/2 AC	48.82
RIDGEWOOD UNIT 70 BLDG C	499.48
THE SENECA UNIT 313 1BR/BALCONY	1,055.76
ALLEGHENY SPRINGS UNIT 120	806.98
STONEY CREEK .23 AC 105X97	72.70
RIMFIRE UNIT 221 BLDG 1 (JR STUDIO)	528.80
LT 2 BIG SPRING FORK 1.93 AC FEE	349.94
TWIN GREEN TOWNHOUSE UNIT 2	
HAWTHORNE VALLEY SD P/O .41 AC	643.24
LT 11 SUNDOWN DIVISION	218.34
LT 12 SUNDOWN DIVISION	218.34
LT 3 NORTH WOODS SD	131.34
LT 2 RIVERVIEW ESTATES 1.480 AC	47.20
MT LODGE UNIT 268	811.26
MT LODGE UNIT 353	315.00
SWAGO CREEK 50.1 AC SURFACE	1,580.12
EXPEDITION STATION UNIT 117 STUDIO	303.34
LANDS END UNIT 10 TOWNHOUSES	3,092.92
MT LODGE UNIT 176	585.00
MT LODGE UNIT 186	804.42
MT LODGE UNIT 315	585.00
MT LODGE UNIT 341	420.06
LT 1 CROOKED FORK 5.62 AC	340.50
OLD FIELD FORK ELK 50 AC	49.42
WHISTLEPUNK UNIT 13 BLDG 3	3,009.02
SHAMROCK CONDO 45 BLDG D	1,187.06
POWDERIDGE CONDO 67J	711.88
BRUSH LICK RUN 1 AC	230.70
LT 15 NORTH WOODS SD	131.34
RIMFIRE UNIT 445 BLDG 2 1BR	705.06
LT G7 SAWMILL VILLAGE GATEHOUSE LTS	1,963.74
TR 1 HEADWATERS BIG SPRG ELK 3.50 AC FEE.	
LT 64 WEST RIDGE SD	399.12
MT LODGE UNIT 225	804.42
HIGHLAND HOUSE UNIT 324 1BR	788.78
MT LODGE UNIT 227 2BR DAVOS	811.26
HIGHLAND HOUSE UNIT 322 1BR	788.78
ADJ COOKS 2 AC	299.22
LT M10 SAWMILL VILLAGE	
PROPOSED 10' ADDN 900.07 SQ FT	235.10
MT LODGE UNIT 190	804.42
BRUSH LICK RUN	238.92
LT 119 SUNSET MTN VILLAGE	
SUMMIT RIDGE SEC 3.4 AC	333.48
MT LODGE UNIT 303 2BR DAVOS	420.06
SHAMROCK CONDO 66 BLDG G	463.96
MT LODGE UNIT 290	811.26
SWAGO CREEK 8.2 AC (SURFACE)	275.26
SWAGO CREEK 4.4 AC (SURFACE)	83.54
TRACT 4 BIG SPRING ELK 3.40 AC FEE	169.46
ADJ POAGE PLACE 1.688 AC FEE	268.82
MT LODGE UNIT 172	585.00
LTS SS-24; SS-25; SS-26	
SAWMILL VILLAGE SD .65 AC	693.00
LT B-1 SAWMILL VILLAGE SD .12 AC	261.00
LTS B-23 THROUGH B-29	
SAWMILL VILLAGE 1.04 AC	1,556.82
WILLIAMS RIVER .22 AC	115.06
ALLEGHENY SPRINGS UNIT 319	1,935.22
LT SS1 SAWMILL VILLAGE SLOPE SIDE LTS	6,606.38
LT H8 SAWMILL VILLAGE .08 AC	995.34
POWDERIDGE CONDO 36E	1,195.68
LT 114 WEST RIDGE SD	2,325.68
MT LODGE UNIT 220	85.00
MT LODGE UNIT 165	416.70
LT 11 KELLISON ACRES 12.13 AC	216.04
MT CREST CONDO UNIT 9 EFFICIENCY	483.84
RIMFIRE UNIT 158 BLDG 2 JR. STUDIO	495.88
MT LODGE UNIT 169	811.26
MT LODGE UNIT 155	811.26
MT LODGE UNIT 362	585.00
SUMMIT CONDO UNIT 106D	1,222.58
LT 56-57 BEARD HTS	174.10
INDIAN DRAFT 5.5 AC	195.76
BRUSH LICK RUN 6.08 AC	101.62
BRUSH LICK RUN 20 AC	670.52
WHISTLEPUNK SNOWSHOE .08 AC	390.50
LT 16 SLATY RIDGE SD SEC I 12.8 AC FEE	5,008.06
TOP OF THE WORLD CONDO 109A	510.72
TRACT 2 BIG SPRINGS OF ELK 1.889 AC FEE	271.44
RIMFIRE UNIT 201 BLDG 1 (JR STUDIO)	495.88
MT LODGE UNIT 314	804.42
RIMFIRE UNIT 308 BLDG 1 1BR	705.06
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 FRY JOSHUA THURMAN & 53.64
 ODESSA 115.32
 GAINER W ANNE & 552.90
 COSNER DELBERT JR 589.16
 GAINER W ANNE & 980.82
 COSNER DELBERT JR 63.08
 GOLFORD MICHAEL & ROSE 192.76
 GOLFORD MICHAEL L & ROSE M 159.30
 GUM BILLY JOE 155.62
 GUM HARRY JR (LIFE); 391.90
 CHILDREN OF HARRY P JR 825.50
 GUM HARRY JR (LIFE); 230.30
 CHILDREN OF HARRY P JR 93.38
 HALL WARREN W & BRENDA I 247.96
 HALL WARREN W & BRENDA I 49.42
 HALTERMAN WILLARD 49.42
 HAMMAN THOMAS L & SHERRY L 1.85% INT 503.41 AC
 HAMMAN THOMAS L & SHERRY L 133.14
 HARRIS FRANK R & NANCY K 84.76
 HASH WILLIS GRADY JR & 159.02
 MARY FRANCES 707.66
 HEIRI SCHUPPISSER TRUST 1,132.64
 HEIRI SCHUPPISSER TRUST 214.24
 HINKLE JEAN 121.08
 HINKLE JEAN 173.68
 JARRETT RALPH E & JUDITH A 238.67
 JONES JAMES RICHARD & 561.54
 BONNIE MAE 47.62
 KELLY JERRY & CHRISTLA 84.34
 KENTUCKY SCENIC PROPERTIES 123.68
 KUNKLE GARTH M & 269.64
 CHRISTINA G 402.28
 LILLY ANITA (1/2); 83.94
 MCCORMICK SHELBY (1/2) 79.54
 LOVELL JERRY L & BERNADETTE 112.04
 LOVELL JERRY L & BERNADETTE 55.44
 LYNCH RICHARD A & 69.10
 CHARLENE B 110.66
 MACE DAVID LEE & DANIELLE 67.48
 MACE DAVID LEE & DANIELLE 421.62
 MARIE GORDON & ROSE 73.10
 MARIE GORDON L & WANDA R 707.66
 MARSON HARRY C V & AMY L 221.86
 MCNEAL PATRICK SHAWN & 273.46
 SHARON 53.64
 MEADOWS GREGORY 82.96
 MINGHINI ROBERT D 195.76
 MOORE BRIAN A 152.20
 MOORE CHRISTINE 62.68
 MOORE CHRISTINE 64.48
 MOORE CHRISTINE 166.86
 NELSON BEATRICE R & 410.96
 SANDRA K 219.06
 NELSON ROBERT J & JOHN C 82.96
 NELSON ROBERT J & JOHN C 1,283.82
 NURNBERG JAMES W & MARJORIE; 101.20
 HAMMONTREE SCOTT A 338.70
 OWENS DONALD BRENT 101.20
 TRUSTEE 162.86
 OWENS DONALD BRENT 47.20
 TRUSTEE 49.42
 PARKER ROBERT E & 49.42
 ROY PATRICIA A 183.30
 PENNINGTON JAMES G & 692.88
 WOODARD KATHY J 299.94
 PIRNER JACK & GLENNA 93.38
 POLEN VESSELIN 308.58
 POLEN VESSELIN 232.30
 PRICE JOSHUA 216.04
 PUGH BRYAN C 210.02
 REED LLOYD JR & DAY MELISSA L 308.58
 REED LLOYD JR & DAY MELISSA L 95.18
 REED LLOYD JR & DAY MELISSA L 90.78
 REESE CLARK W & ETHEL M 140.96
 REESE CLARK W & ETHEL M 60.48
 REESE CLARK W & ETHEL M 60.48
 REESE CLARK W & ETHEL M 146.98
 REESE CLARK W & ETHEL M 308.58
 RHODES JOSHUA A & TARYN M 123.68
 ROHRBAUGH MARY E & 117.48
 RONALD W 96.00
 ROHRBAUGH MARY ELLEN & 89.96
 RONALD 144.38
 ROHRBAUGH MARY ELLEN & 156.82
 RONALD 80.34
 ROLES WESLEY A & VICKY D 145.18
 ROWAND STEPHEN & DOUGLAS (L); 324.86
 ROBERT ETALS (L); BARTLETT R 1,664.02
 SAMPLES CLIFFORD A & 821.68
 DEBORAH L 321.02
 SAMUELS DAMON 76.92
 SCHEIMREIF KARLEE 58.86
 SHEETS LARRY A & DONNA G 71.72
 SHREWSBERRY JEFFREY; JASON; 501.10
 JENNIFER; JARED 63.80
 SIMMONS WESLEY A 264.02
 SMITH KIRBY & KATHY 49.42
 SNODGRASS JACK MICHAEL 49.42
 SNODGRASS JACK MICHAEL 49.42
 STARKEY ANTHONY W & SALLIE E 49.42
 STULL PEGGY (LIFE); 49.42
 REBECCA; JASPER & JOHN 49.42
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 REBECCA; JASPER & JOHN 49.42
 SULLIVAN GERARD 49.42
 THAXTON HUNTER HERBERT D & 49.42
 JOSHUA HERBERT DAVID 49.42
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 VANDEVENDER JASON L 49.42
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 WALTON RPR LLC 49.42
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 WARD RUSSELL H III & LAURA L 49.42
 WARNER JUSTIN R & KELLEY M 49.42
 WARNER JUSTIN R & KELLEY M 49.42
 WATTS BARBARA J 49.42
 WAYBRIGHT TRAVIS 49.42
 WEST OZIE N JR 49.42
 WEST VIRGINIA COALS INC 49.42
 WHITE MICHAEL CORDELL 49.42
 WILEY DAVID L & CAROLYN S 49.42
 WILEY DAVID L & CAROLYN S 49.42
 WILEY DAVID L & CAROL S 49.42

YEAGER HOUSE LLC 413.96
Total For 04-GREENBANK DIST 39,164.57

05-HILLSBORO CORP
 DOSS BETTY (LIFE); 307.64
 FOSTER CAROLYN SUE 725.86
 MCCOY'S MARKET INC 50.92
 WEST VIRGINIA CORP 47.96
 MCLAUGHLIN MARY MOORE 47.96
 MCLAUGHLIN MARY MOORE 299.52
 MYERS ALEISHA 695.78
 SILVIA MILDRED SCOTT & 377.78
 KELLY LESLIE SHAWN 695.78
 SOLES JUDITH A 377.78
Total For 05-HILLSBORO CORP 1,827.56

06-HUNTERSVILLE DIST
 AMBROSE DUSTIN L & SHIRLEY D 378.44
 LT 1 COCHRANS CREEK 1.6 AC (C)
 ARTHUR BILLY M;
 STEVE OR LARRY JOE 73.52
 BARNES LORETTA 73.52
 KNAPPS CREEK 1 AC
 LT 2-6 BLK 4 MIN SPRINGS
 12.5% INT) CERTIFIED T 2018 TAXES 51.76
 ANTHONY CREEK .20 AC 87.76
 ANTHONY CREEK 100.5X80X91X66 49.42
 ANTHONY CREEK .20 AC 50.62
 BASHAM PAUL A
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 BASHAM PAUL A
 BENNETT LAURA DEAN & 50.62
 SUIT ELIZABETH GENNA MIRSON 50.62
 BEVERAGE COE & SADIE ESTATE 49.42
 BEVIL JOSEPH T & TINA M 279.08
 BOIX JEAN 246.34
 CLAY ROGER D & MARY M 153.00
 CLINE MICKY 157.24
 COMBS RICHARD 48.82
 CONN MICHAEL 267.02
 CROWN APPALACHIA P'SHIP LP 267.02
 BROWNS MTN MINERALS
 26,651.1 AC (49.9375% INT) 505.38
 LT 2-6 BLK 4 MIN SPRINGS
 (12.5% INT) CERTIFIED T 2018 TAXES. 51.76
 LT 11 SEC C FERN HILL SD 2.06 AC FEE 216.86
 BEAVER CREEK 1/3 AC 108.04
 TRACT 12 ALLEY MTN 3.343 AC 355.96
 THORNEY CREEK .81 AC 177.10
 HUNTERSVILLE 4 AC 298.14
 DAMON STEVE 79.54
 DONALDSON NINA 79.54
 FITZGERALD EARL 132.32
 FITZGERALD TROY D & AMANDA 132.32
 GRAY LARRY F JR 99.40
 GRIFFITH DAVID & LORETTA 99.40
 HARRIS APRIL; MORRIS 99.40
 JENNIFER; ESKEW GARY JR 99.40
 HERDMAN MELISSA D; POWELL 99.40
 CALVIN; ALLEN CHRISTIE M 99.40
 HERDMAN MELISSA D; POWELL 99.40
 CALVIN W; ALLEN CHRISTIE M 99.40
 HIGHTOWER PHILLIP; STONE JOHN 99.40
 BAYS DAVID; HATCHER DARRELL 99.40
 HOBBS LAVONDA 99.40
 JIORDANO ANGELO M & 99.40
 VINCENT J 99.40
 JIORDANO ANGELO M & 99.40
 VINCENT J 99.40
 JOHNSON MAY H 99.40
 KENNEDY JANET BETTY & 99.40
 CLYDE J 99.40
 KENNEDY MARY 99.40
 LEPAGE ERIC 99.40
 MCLAUGHLIN BROOKLYN KAYE 99.40
 GARY MCLAUGHLIN ESTATE 99.40
 MCLAUGHLIN BROOKLYN KAYE 99.40
 MCLAUGHLIN RICHARD 99.40
 MORRIS MATTHEW & KRISTA 99.40
 PICKETT WILLIAM C 99.40
 PICKETT WILLIAM C 99.40
 POLIZIANI CHRIS & CARLA 99.40
 POPE MARLENE U 99.40
 POPE MARLENE UNDERWOOD 99.40
 REESE MELISSA; FRANK P; 99.40
 PATRICIA; WALKER KEVIN 99.40
 RIDER JOHN JR & JONATHAN 99.40
 SHULL RICKY D 99.40
 TEMPLETON DWIGHT & SHARON; 99.40
 NUTTER JAMES F 99.40
 THOMPSON W V 99.40
 TONEY JOHN S 99.40
 TRIGAUX KENNETH A & JANET M 99.40
 TRIGAUX KENNETH A & JANET M 99.40
 TRIGAUX KENNETH A & JANET H 99.40
 VIOLET AARON & CHRISTINE 99.40
 WARREN ROBERT C 99.40
 WHITLOW MARTHA 99.40
 WORKMAN JAMES FRANKLIN & 99.40
 ANNE MARIE 99.40
 YOUNG MICHAEL S 99.40
Total For 06-HUNTERSVILLE DIST 10,500.94

07-LITTLE LEVELS DIST
 ARBOGAST SHANNON G & 258.40
 DARLENE D 258.40
 BAILEY FORREST G & DONNA 573.76
 BLAKE MICHAEL ALLEN 176.08
 BOGGS CHARLES A 58.86
 BOGGS CHARLES A 48.02
 BOGGS CHARLES A 345.12
 BOGGS GLENN; RALPH E; ROSS J;
 EARNEST W & TOMMIE M 47.88
 BRYAN JUNE TEICH 491.26
 BURKE ANDREW 281.68
 CAPOLUNGO-HARTMAN 281.68
 REBECCA 281.68
 CROWN APPALACHIA 281.68
 PARTNERS LP 281.68
 DEAN BARBARA 281.68
 DOSS FRED 281.68
 EASTERN MACHINING CORP 281.68
 ENTENMANN DEREK 281.68
 EVANS RICHARD T JR & 281.68
 MARY SUSAN 281.68
 GREGG JEFF 281.68
 HILL EDWIN T & MARY R 281.68
 HIVELY THOMAS B & CHERYL A 281.68
 HIVELY THOMAS B & CHERYL A 281.68
 HUMPHREYS RAMONA 281.68
 JONES BENJAMIN 281.68
 JP MORGAN CHASE BANK NA TRS 281.68
 ROBERT C POLEN TRUST 281.68
 LENGYEL MARTIN & SANDRA 281.68
 LESTER THURMAN 281.68
 LOUDERMILK RICK 281.68
 MANGIAPANE LAURENCE P 281.68
 MARTIN JAMES R; WILLIAM C & 281.68
 DANIEL W 281.68
 MCCOY LEO R & RUTH Y 281.68
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 MURRAY CURTIS & GAIL 281.68
 ORNDORFF JO ANN 281.68
 PAYBERG FRANK 281.68
 PUFFENBARGER SYDNEY 281.68
 RENEE 281.68
 ROSE DONALD L 281.68
 ROSE RHONDA L 281.68
 ROSE RHONDA L & DONALD L JR 281.68
 TEDDYS ALL SERVICES 281.68
 CONST INC 281.68
 TINCHER DALE & STEVE (LIFE) 281.68
 WALL TIMOTHY A 281.68
Total For 07-LITTLE LEVELS DIST 13,112.15

08-MARLINTON CORP
 BENNETT ROBERT L 323.88
 BRADY LAWRENCE W & 65.12
 BARBARA 65.12
 BRADY LAWRENCE W & 65.12
 BARBARA 65.12
 BROWN HOWARD L (ESTATE) 435.72
 CASSELL ANNA 503.28
 FRIEL BARBARA JEAN 192.84
 HEVENER ROLAND L 124.36
 JIORDANO ANGELO 125.81
 JIORDANO ANGELO 149.98
 JULIEN LLOYD 467.84
 LORE KARLA M & MYRA B 324.44
 LOUDERMILK PAMELA H 324.44
 MCLAUGHLIN RICHARD & LISA 192.84
 MCLAUGHLIN RICHARD & LISA 684.52
 MCMILLION RICHARD DOUGLAS 684.52
 MCMILLION RICHARD DOUGLAS 148.54
 MOORE RICHARD LEE (6/7 INT) 56.82
 MORGAN JOSEPH 46.58
 LT B P/O LT 13-18 BLK 7 396.78
 HAMILTON FIELD FEE 323.88
 LT E/S 6TH ST 65.12
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 LT 1-3 BLK 31 92X120 435.72
 LT 20 BLK 10 40X120 FEE 503.28
 LT 23 LAKE VIEW ESTATES 192.84
 LT 1ST AVE 124.36
 1/2 LT 19-20 BLK 13 60X80 125.81
 1/2 LT 19-20 BLK 13 RENTAL 149.98
 LT 9 1/2 LT 10 BLK 57 60X120 467.84
 E 1/2 LT 11-13 BLK 47 324.44
 LT 6 LAKEVIEW ESTATES 324.44
 LT 23-24 BLK 18 50X120 192.84
 LT 25 BLK 18 25X120 684.52
 LT 1 UPPER TANNERY 36X50 148.54
 LT OR PARCEL 75X45X41 TRI 56.82
 LT 19-20 BLK 44 58X120 46.58
 LT 12 1/2 LT 11 BLK 17 396.78

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Any of the aforesaid tracts or lots, or part thereof or an undivided interest therein, may be redeemed by the payment to the undersigned sheriff (or collector) before certification to the Auditor, of the total amount of taxes, interest, and charges due thereon up to the date of redemption by credit card, cashier's check, money order, certified check or United States currency.

Given under my hand this 6th day of September, 2023.

Signature of Jeff Barlow, Sheriff and Treasurer of Pocahontas County 9/14/23

IN THE FAMILY COURT OF POCAHONTAS COUNTY, WEST VIRGINIA
IN RE: CHANGE OF NAME
FROM: Celeste Elizabeth McKay
TO: David Franklin McKay
CHANGE OF NAME PROCEEDING
Notice is hereby given that on the 7th day of November 2023, at 12:30 o'clock p.m. at Family Court, 818 C 10th Avenue, Marlinton, WV, on said day or as soon thereafter as the matter may be heard, before the Honorable Joyce H. Carpenter, the Petitioner, Celeste Elizabeth McKay, will apply by petition to the Family Court of Pocahontas County, West Virginia, for the entry of an order by said Court, changing her name from Celeste Elizabeth McKay to David Franklin McKay at which time and place any interested party may appear and be heard if they so desire.

Office in Book 416, at Page 463. The Borrower(s) defaulted under the Note and Deed of Trust and the Substitute Trustee had been instructed to foreclose under the Deed of Trust. Accordingly, the Substitute Trustee will sell the following described property to the highest bidder at the front door of the Courthouse of Pocahontas County, in Marlinton, West Virginia, on the following date: Wednesday, November 1, 2023, at 11:00 a.m.
The land referred to herein below is situated in the County of Pocahontas, State of West Virginia, and is described as follows:
A tract described as Lot Number 1, beginning at a 3/4" iron pipe, found one (1) foot below the surface on the road right-of-way of Route 219, in the center of Seneca Drive, a 30' right-of-way, corner to J. Steven Hunter, witnessed a school bus stop sign, at 21.15'; thence along the right-of-way of U.S. Route 219, for the next two (2) courses: N 38-16 E, a distance of 181.62' to a point on the said right-of-way; N 36-26 E, a distance of 58.25' to a point on the right-of-way; thence S 52-36 E, through the land of J. Steven Hunter, et als., 270.80' to the point of Seneca Drive; thence along the center of Seneca Drive for the next three (3) courses; S 72-15 W, a distance of 220.63' to a point in the road; S 86-27 W, a distance of 54.50' to a point in the road; N 76-41 W, a distance of 44.61' to a point in the road, on the line of J. Steven Hunter; thence N 57-00 W, along the line of J. Steven Hunter 64.79' to the point of beginning and containing 1.0 acres, more or less, as surveyed in April, 1980, by Rodney W. Gardner, with all bearings from the Astronomic Meridian, and as shown on a plat attached hereto and made a part of this description.

5) The Trustee shall be under no duty to cause any existing tenant or person occupying the property to vacate said property, and any personal property and/or belongings remaining at the property after the foreclosure sale will be deemed to constitute ABANDONED PROPERTY and WILL BE DISPOSED OF ACCORDINGLY.
6) The total purchase price is payable to the Trustee within thirty (30) days of the date of sale, with ten (10%) of the total purchase price payable to the Trustee at sale.
Foreclosures@pillwvllaw.com
9/21/2023; 9/28/2023; 10/19/2023; 10/26/2023 9/21/23

NOTICE TO REDEEM
2020-S-00000043 - Pocahontas County - WVTL, LLC
TO: BARBARA WATTS, IRS, ATTN: TECHNICAL SERVICES ADVISORY GROUP MANAGER, WV STATE TAX DEPARTMENT, BARBARA J. WATTS, 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 any interest in the subject property.
DISTRICT: GREEN BANK MAP: 9999 PARCEL 0400 0660
You will take notice that WVTL LLC, the purchaser of the tax lien(s) on the following real estate, Certificate of Sale: 2020-S-00000043, CHEAT MTN MINERALS 232 AC AND 60 AC (1/5 INT) located in GREEN BANK, which was returned delinquent in the name WATTS BARBARA J, and for which the tax lien(s) thereon was sold by the Sheriff of Pocahontas County at the sale for the delinquent taxes made on the 21st day of October, 2020, has requested that you be notified that a deed for such real estate will be made to him or her on or after October 31, 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, October 30, 2023, will be as follows:

Amount equal to the taxes and charges due on the date of the sale, with interest, to October 30, 2023. \$ 129.05
Amount of subsequent years' taxes paid on the property, since the sale, with interest to October 30, 2023. \$ 17.58
Amount paid for 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 October 30, 2023. \$ 1,010.43
Amount paid for other statutory costs with interest from following the sheriff's sale to October 30, 2023. \$ 619.42
Total Amount Payable to Sheriff - cashier check, money order or certified check must be made payable to The Honorable Jeff Barlow, Sheriff and Treasurer of Pocahontas County. \$ 1,776.48
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
You may redeem at any time before October 30, 2023, by paying the above total less any unearned interest.

And
That certain Lot identified as Lot Number 2, and beginning at a 3/4" iron pipe, set, on the right-of-way of Route 219; thence along the right-of-way of U.S. Route 219, for the next two (2) courses; S 25-49 W a distance of 48.00' to a point on the right-of-way; S 36-26 W, a distance of 101.80' to a point on the right-of-way; thence S 52-36 E, through the land of J. Steven Hunter, et als., 270.80' to a point in Seneca Drive; thence N 72-15 E, along the center of Seneca Drive, 37.54' to a point in the center of the road; thence through the land of J. Steven Hunter, et als., for the next two (2) courses: N 37-24 E at 21.00' Passing 3/4" iron pipe, set, 118.00' total, to a 3/4" iron pipe, set; thence N 52-36 W, a distance of 303.62' to the point of beginning, and containing 1.00 acre, more or less, as surveyed, in April, 1980, by Rodney W. Gardner, with all bearings from the astronomic meridian, and as shown and identified on a plat attached hereto and made a part of this description.
TERMS OF SALE:
1) The property will be conveyed in an "AS IS" physical condition by Deed containing no warranty, express or implied, subject to the Internal Revenue Service right of redemption, all property taxes, prior Deeds, liens, reservations, encumbrances, restrictions, rights-of-ways, easements, covenants, conveyances and conditions of record in the Clerk's office or affecting the subject property.
2) The Purchaser shall be responsible for the payment of the transfer taxes imposed by the West Virginia Code § 11-22-1.
3) The Beneficiary and/or the Servicer of the Deed of Trust and Note reserve the right to submit a bid for the property at sale.
4) The Trustee reserves the right to continue sale of the subject property from time to time by written or oral proclamation, which continuance shall be in the sole discretion of the Trustee.

LETTER OF INTENT FOR IN-HOME CARE SERVICES
The West Virginia Health Care Authority announced that it has received a letter of Intent from Loved Ones in Home Care, LLC, CON File #23-12-12778-PC, to develop and provide In-Home Personal Care Services in the following West Virginia counties: Berkeley, Boone, Braxton, Cabell, Calhoun, Clay, Doddridge, Fayette, Gilmer, Grant, Greenbrier, Hampshire, Hancock, Hardy, Harrison, Jackson, Jefferson, Kanawha, Lewis Lincoln, Logan, Marion, Marshall, Mason, McDowell, Mercer, Mineral, Monongalia, Monroe, Morgan, Nicholas, Ohio, Pleasants, Pocahontas, Preston, Putnam, Raleigh, Randolph, Ritchie, Roane, Summers, Taylor, Tyler, Upshur, Wayne, Webster, Wetzel, Wirt, Wood and Wyoming counties.
Capital Expenditure: \$1,500.
Further information regarding the Letter of Intent, including the Certificate of Need application, when submitted, is on the Authority's website at www.hca.wv.gov
9/28/1c

NOTICE
There will be a meeting of the Board of Directors of the Public Defender Corporation, 11th Judicial Circuit at Dutch Haus located at 368 Brush Road Lewisburg, WV on October 5, 2023, at 12:00 p.m. All interested parties may attend.
9/28/1c

NOTICE OF TRUSTEE'S SALE
NOTICE OF TRUSTEE'S SALE is hereby given pursuant to and by virtue of the authority vested in the Substitute Trustee, Pill & Pill, PLLC, by that certain Deed of Trust dated November 25, 2016, executed by the Borrower(s), Kathleen L. Gordon and Ronald G. Gordon, to Douglas McElwee, the Trustee, of record in the Office of the Clerk of the County Commission of Pocahontas County, West Virginia, in Book 368, at Page 18. At the time of the execution of the Deed of Trust, this property was reported to have a mailing address of 11 Seneca Drive, Buckeye, WV 24924. Pill & Pill, PLLC was appointed as Substitute Trustees by an APPOINTMENT OF SUBSTITUTE TRUSTEE dated August 28, 2023, of record in the Clerk's

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VETERANS EDUCATION AND RESOURCE FAIR
Osborne Shelter at Veterans Memorial Park, Clarksburg, WV
FRIDAY, OCTOBER 6, 2023
11:00 A.M. TO 3:00 P.M.
Multiple VA disciplines, Hearts of Gold, Veterans and Heroes to Agriculture, Mountain CAP, CCWVCAA, Clarksburg Mission, Celebrate Recovery, Veterans Upward Bound, Morgantown Vet Center - Soldier and Family Readiness Program, WV Prevention Solutions, Operationa Welcome Home, Healthy Minds, Stars and Strides, Vets with Guitars, American Red Cross, VBA Voc. Rehab. (Refreshments Provided)
For more information, contact Jessica Chatham, RN, BSN, VHEC at (304) 623-3461 Ext: 2094 or Jessica.chatham@va.gov

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Stump Grinding WV2271-9538

RABIES CLINIC at our office
World Rabies Day Thursday, September 28, 11 a.m. - 4 p.m. Special price: \$8
Other vaccinations available. Cats must be crated; dogs leashed.
Stacy Tawney, DVM • 304-799-6803 Mon. - Fri. 8 a.m. - 5 p.m. Large/Small Animals • Farm Calls 150 Carl McCarty Drive 4.2 mi. N on Rt. 28 from Huntersville intersection

Early Notice and Public Review of a Proposed Activity in a 100-Year and 500-year Floodplain
To: All interested Agencies, Groups and Individuals
This is to give notice that the Responsible Entity under Part 58 (Pocahontas County Commission) has determined that the following proposed action under HUD Community Development Block Grant and 21CDBG0012 is located in the 100-year and 500-year floodplain, and the Pocahontas County Commission will be identifying and evaluating practicable alternatives to locating the action in the floodplain and the potential impacts on the floodplain from the proposed action, as required by Executive Order 11988, in accordance with HUD regulations at 24 CFR 55.20 Subpart C Procedures for Making Determinations on Floodplain Management and Protection of Wetlands. The proposed project is located in Marlinton, Pocahontas County at 26 5th Avenue. The former Pocahontas County Board of Education Building is a two-story structure with a footprint of approximately 12,400 square feet. The project will include the complete tear down of the structure, removal of debris, and the area to be graded to allow for future use.
There are three primary purposes for this notice. First, people who may be affected by activities in floodplains and those who have an interest in the protection of the natural environment should be given an opportunity to express their concerns and provide information about these areas. Commenters are encouraged to offer alternative sites outside of the floodplain alternative methods to serve the same project purpose, and methods to minimize and mitigate impacts. Second, an adequate public notice program can be an important public educational tool. The dissemination of information and request for public comment about floodplains can facilitate and enhance Federal efforts to reduce the risks and impacts associated with the occupancy and modification of these special areas. Third, as a matter of fairness, when the Federal government determines it will participate in actions taking place in floodplains it must inform those who may be put at greater or continued risk.
Written comments must be received by the Pocahontas County Commission at the following address on or before Friday, October 11th, 2023: Region 4 Planning & Development Council, 885 Broad Street, Suite 100, Summersville, WV 26651 and (304) 872-4970 ext. 303, Attention: Walt Helmick, President.
A full description of the project may also be reviewed from 8:30 a.m. to 4:00 p.m. at the same address listed above or 900 10th Avenue, Marlinton, West Virginia 24954.
Comments may also be submitted via email to mlehman@reg4wv.org.
Date: September 26, 2023
9/28/1c

ADVERTISEMENT FOR BIDS
The Town of Hillsboro is now accepting bids for the demolition and removal of one (1) condemned structure located at 44 Denmar Road & Rt 219 Hillsboro, WV 24946.
Sealed bids will be received by Lesley Taylor, Senior Project Specialist, Region 4 Planning & Development Council, 885 Broad Street, Suite 100, Summersville, WV 26651, on behalf of the Town of Hillsboro. Phone (304) 872-4970 until 2:00 p.m. on the 20th day of October 2023, at which time all sealed bids received will be publicly opened and read aloud.
Bid Packets may be obtained by contacting Jamie Baker, Project Assistant, Region 4 Planning & Development Council, 885 Broad Street, Suite 100, Summersville, WV 26651, Phone (304) 872-4970
All bidders will be required to certify, indicate, and acknowledge that Contractor has all appropriate licenses and meets all qualifications required by the statutes of the State of West Virginia, Pocahontas County, and the Town of Hillsboro.
The following will be required for the faithful performance of the contract: a Performance Bond in the amount of 100 percent of the contract price, with a corporate surety approved by the Town of Hillsboro, OR an irrevocable letter of credit in the amount of 100 percent of the contract price.
Asbestos abatement requirements for this structure will be included as part of the demolition contract.
Bidders on this work will be required to comply with the Presidents executive order No. 11246 and HUD Section 109, which prohibits discrimination in employment regarding race, creed, color, sex, or national origin.
This work is being funded by the US Housing & Urban Development (HUD) Community Development Block Grant (CDBG) Program.
Bidders must comply with the requirements for Affirmative Action and Minority Business Enterprises participation as described in the Federal Specifications insert to the Contract Documents.
The Town of Hillsboro reserves the right to reject any or all bids and to waive any informalities therein.
No bid may be withdrawn for a period of ninety (90) days after the time of opening of the bids.
Any contractor submitting a bid on this project hereby certifies, indicates, and acknowledges that he/she has a license and meets all qualifications required by the statutes of the state and subdivision in which the work is to be performed.
Lesley Taylor, Senior Project Specialist
Region 4 Planning & Development Council
885 Broad Street, Suite 100
Summersville, WV 26651
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Pocahontas County Board of Education Vendor List June 30, 2022

2023 Pocahontas County Bd of Ed Vendors

	Services	Supplies		
Paid over \$250				
4IMPRINT		303.71		
A NEW CHAPTER		3067.47		
ABSOLUTE ASSURANCE DRUG	2766.14			
ADKINS AUTO PARTS		949.99		
ADOBE SYSTEMS INCORPORATED	1223.28			
ADVANTAGE TECHNOLOGY		109125.00		
AED SUPERSTORE		403.00		
AFFORDABLE TOWING & REPAIR	990.00			
ALL ABOUT APPAREL		947.25		
ALL PARTITIONS & PARTS		634.00		
ALLEGHANY CUSTOM PRINTING LLC	595.09			
ALLEGHENY DISPOSAL, LLC	35124.82			
AMAZON.COM		188752.51		
AMERICAN BANKERS INS.	17651.00			
AMERICAN FAMILY LIFE ASSURANCE	2683.50			
AMERICAN FIDELITY	20889.88			
AMERICAN FIDELITY	63250.44			
AMTRUST NORTH AMERICA	29518.00			
ANDREW'S FOOD EQUIPMENT		8353.39		
ANGEL TRAX		9247.89		
APPALACHIAN AGGREGATES LLC		2697.28		
APPLIED EDUCATIONAL SYSTEMS		799.00		
APPTEGY, INC.	8800.00			
ASAP	10709.54			
B & J MUSIC		855.00		
BALL HORTICULTURAL CO.		690.55		
BATTERYSHARKS.COM		1179.57		
BEAM, TERENCE	4944.26			
BFG SUPPLY		2306.45		
BIOZONE CORPORATION		339.70		
BLICK ART MATERIALS		4148.49		
BLISS PRODUCTS & SERVICES INC		3654.80		
BLUE BIRD BUS SALES		122921.72		
BOARDWORKS		2519.00		
BONAZZO PRIVATE INVESTIGATIONS	880.00			
BOONE TRACTOR & IMPLEMENT INC		18955.00		
BOWLES RICE MCDAVID GRAFF & BRAINPOP	1200.00			
BREAKERS GALORE INC		2812.00		
BREWER & COMPANY OF WV, INC.	2500.00	7005.36		
BROUGHTONS SPORTS & TROPHY		323.00		
BSN SPORTS		2839.09		
BUCKEYE COUNTRY MART LLC		5765.70		
BUCKJOY, LLC.	2425.00			
BUCKLAND, JOHN	500.00			
BUILD A SIGN, LLC		381.00		
BULK BOOKSTORE.COM		2880.90		
BUREAU FOR CHILD SUPPORT	3436.92			
BUY-TWO-WAY-RADIOS.COM		802.79		
CAMP DAWSON EVENT CENTER	300.00			
CANAAN VALLEY	604.00			
CARDIO PARTNERS INC		5651.35		
CAREERSAFE ONLINE		320.00		
CARRINGTON, CHRISTOPHER	285.00			
CDWG		97234.18		
CEDAR LAKES CONFERENCE CENTER	484.00			
CENTRAL RESTAURANT PRODUCTS		559.96		
CENTRAL SUPPLY COMPANY OF WV		1665.87		
CERTIPORT		2686.40		
CHARLESTON MARRIOTT	1037.23			
CHIEF LOGAN LODGE	744.00			
CIMCO, INC.		6595.77		
CITCO WATER	1754.60			
CITY CONSTRUCTION COMPANY, INC	2165.00			
CLEAN IT SUPPLY.COM		2034.07		
C-LINE PRODUCTS		622.08		
CMC SUPPLY		25350.42		
COLE TRUCK PARTS INC.		64712.09		
COLLABORATIVE FOR TEACHING		1443.85		
COLLEGE BOARD SERVICES	1964.00			
COMFORT SUITES	1399.00			
COMMUNITY CARE OF WV INC	630.00			
CONSECO HEALTH INS. COMPANY	38307.80			
CONSTRUCTIVE PLAYTHINGS		328.87		
COOLE SCHOOL		403.76		
COUNTRY INNS & SUITES	880.38			
COURTYARD MARRIOTT	1444.00			
CPI		311.88		
CUMMINS		1953.89		
CURRICULUM ASSOCIATES LLC	26764.70			
CUSTOM INK CORPORATE OFFICE		1065.41		
DAYS INN	287.01			
DECKER INC		644.17		
DELTA MATH SOLUTIONS, INC.		600.00		
DEMCO, INC.		2301.06		
DIAMOND J HEATING/COOLING, LLC	1735.00			
DIDAX INC		1297.93		
DILLON, TESSA	4000.00			
DINN BROS.		2023.75		
DINSMORE & SHOHL LLP	42000.00			
DISCOVERY EDUCATION INC	2900.00			
DISPLAYS 2 GO		509.02		
DOLLYWOOD FOUNDATION		4000.00		
DONALDSON'S MGMT RESOURCES		555.00		
DYNALENE		1851.42		
EAI EDUCATION		1000.79		
EAST COAST TRUCK BODIES		398.54		
EBAY@HALF.COM		484.17		
EDDIE'S SERVICE CENTER	1522.95			
EILERS, JOHN, D.O.	1020.00			
			ELECTRIC MOTOR WAREHOUSE	846.30
			EMBASSY SUITES HOTELS	2696.29
			EPOXY PRO.COM	4905.00
			EQUIPARTS CORPORATION	13426.27
			EWELL EDUCATIONAL SERVICES	335.00
			FACILISERV, INC.	7094.00
			FAIRFIELD INN AND SUITES	716.00
			FILTER SOLUTION USA	8499.90
			FINCASTLE CONSULTING, INC	5734.00
			FIRE & LIFE SAFETY AMERICA INC	7635.48
			FIRE EQUIPMENT COMPANY INC	2870.00
			FOLLETT SCHOOL SOLUTIONS, INC	5754.03
			FORESTRY SUPPLIERS	769.88
			FORTNEY, ELLEN	400.00
			FRESNO COUNTY	9750.00
			FRONTIER	42976.36
			FRONTIER COMM OF MOUNT. STATE	106008.00
			GAWTHROP,STEPHEN J.	3000.00
			GLADE SPRINGS RESORT	598.02
			GLADE'S BUILDING SUPPLY	58878.27
			GLENVILLE STATE UNIVERSITY	893.75
			GLOBAL INDUSTRIAL	12866.65
			GOODALL, LESLIE J.	10799.14
			GOPHER SPORTS	407.29
			GORDON ELECTRIC SUPPLY -	1156.99
			GORDON FOOD SERVICE	246602.48
			GPG MUSIC	1995.00
			GREAT IDEAS FOR TEACHING	310.00
			GREAT MINDS PBC	9860.71
			GREEN BANK ELEMENTARY-MIDDLE	14134.38
			GREENBRIER VALLEY COMMUNITY	1000.00
			GREENBRIER VALLEY ECONOMIC	450.00
			GREENWOOD ENTERPRISES LLC	375.00
			HAMPTON INN	395.87
			HAMPTON INN CHARLESTON	277.20
			HANNAH INSURANCE AGENCY	6300.00
			H-D MEDIA COMPANY LLC	525.40
			HERSMAN'S SAFETY PRODUCTS	2696.00
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			KAPLAN EARLY LEARNING	1148.67
			KEREKES BAKERY	306.10
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			KING'S TIRE SERVICE	30970.00
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			LAKESHORE LEARNING	9213.87
			LANAIR PRODUCTS, LLC	1339.96
			LANE, SUSAN	605.10
			LECTRO COMPONENTS, LLC	421.07
			LEGALSHIELD	3117.72
			LEMON, DR. ANDREA	370.00
			LOVELL, AMY	531.42
			LOWE'S HOME CENTERS, INC.	1211.52
			M & L MILLER EXCAVATING, LLC.	10712.00
			M.C.DEAN INC	2481.56
			MARCHING SHOW CONCEPTS, INC.	1225.00
			MARENEM, INC	250.31
			MARLINTON ELEMENTARY SCHOOL	9701.84
			MARLINTON MIDDLE SCHOOL	6598.42
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			MASON, MELANIE	12650.00
			MATH STACKERS, INC.	447.00
			MCCOMB, CHRISTOPHER H.	400.00
			MCGRAW HILL EDUCATION INC	46220.01
			MICHAELS.COM	383.75
			MIDAMERICA BOOKS	499.90
			MITCHELL CHEVROLET, INC.	9322.61
			MON POWER	300184.33
			MOORE'S READY MIX, INC.	518.55
			MORTENSEN-SMITH, TILER	400.00
			MOTION PICTURE LICENSING CORP	842.82
			MOUNTAIN STATE ESC	700.00
			MOUNTAINEER FLEXIBLE BENEFITS	98014.64
			MUSIC IS ELEMENTARY	287.50
			MUSICIAN'S FRIEND, INC.	2227.06
			NAPA AUTO PARTS	23006.36
			NASCO	610.65
			NATIONAL CPR FOUNDATION	448.50
			NATIONAL RESTAURANT ASSOC.	2267.34
			NAT'L TECHNICAL HONOR SOCIETY	535.00
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			NEOLA INC	2145.00
			NEPTUNE FLOOD INCORPORATED	2615.84
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**STATEMENT OF NET POSITION
FYE JUNE 30, 2023**

	Governmental Activities
ASSETS AND DEFERRED OUTFLOWS OF RESOURCES	
Assets:	
Cash and cash equivalents	6,967,621
Investments	-
Inventory	-
Taxes receivable, net of allowance for uncollectible taxes	173,734
Deposit with Retirement Board	191,997
Food service receivable	-
Lease receivable	-
Other receivables	20,528
Prepaid Workers' Compensation	6,504
Other prepaid expenses	42,809
Due from other governments:	
State aid receivable	67,066
PEIA allocation receivable	182,900
Reimbursements receivable	920,102
Capital Assets:	
Land	240,001
Land improvements	-
Buildings and improvements	14,997,176
Furniture and equipment	3,435,324
Vehicles	2,636,283
Construction in process	692,770
Less accumulated depreciation	(6,190,642)
Total capital assets, net of depreciation	15,810,912
Right-of-Use Assets:	
Land	-
Buildings	-
Equipment	78,816
Vehicles	-
Subscription-based information technology arrangements (SBITAs)	-
Less accumulated amortization	(18,145)
Total ROU assets, net of amortization	60,671
Total assets	24,444,844
Deferred outflows of resources:	
Pension	218,197
Other post employment benefit (OPEB)	76,618
Other	-
Total deferred outflows of resources	294,815
Total assets and deferred outflows of resources	24,739,659

LIABILITIES, DEFERRED OUTFLOWS OF RESOURCES, AND NET POSITION

Liabilities:	
Salaries payable and related payroll liabilities	1,413,942
PEIA premiums payable	-
Compensated absences	52,752
Accounts payable	141,925
Other post employment benefit payable	-
Due to Other Fiscal Agents	(248,186)
Long-term obligations:	
Due within one year:	
Bonds and contracts	-
Accrued interest	-
Accrued sick leave payable	-
Finance lease liability	14,011
Financed purchases and other	-
SBITA liability	-
Due beyond one year:	
Bonds and contracts	-
Accrued sick leave payable	-
Finance lease liability	50,683
Financed purchases and other	1,110,018
SBITA liability	-
Asset retirement obligation (ARO) liability	-
Net pension liability - Proportionate Share	63,787
Net other post employment benefit (OPEB) liability - Proportionate Share	27,004
Total liabilities	2,625,936
Deferred inflows of resources:	
Pension	331,384
Other post employment benefit (OPEB)	247,138
Other	2,958
Total deferred inflows of resources	581,480
Total liabilities and deferred inflows of resources	3,207,416
Net Position:	
Net Investment in Capital Assets	15,810,912
Restricted for:	
Debt service	-
Special projects	-
Capital projects	-
Unrestricted	5,721,333
Total net position	21,532,245

Functions	Expenses	Program Revenues			Net (Expense), Revenue & Changes in Net Position Governmental Activities
		Charges for Services	Operating Grants and Contributions	Capital Grants and Contributions	
Governmental activities:					
Instruction	\$ 8,374,084	\$ 214,642	\$ 4,064,763	\$ -	(4,094,679)
Supporting services:					
Students	920,527	-	106,436	-	(814,091)
Instructional staff	613,327	-	128,048	-	(485,279)
General administration	339,232	-	2,717	-	(336,515)
School administration	748,565	-	-	-	(748,565)
Central services	159,288	-	-	-	(159,288)
Operation and maintenance of facilities	1,405,409	-	-	34,870	(1,370,539)
Student transportation	1,356,545	-	17,226	-	(1,339,319)
Other support services	306	-	-	-	(306)
Food services	1,043,513	14,040	842,299	-	(187,173)
Community services	19,120	-	-	-	(19,120)
Interest on long-term debt/finance leases	121,147	-	-	-	(121,147)
Total governmental activities	15,101,060	228,682	5,161,488	34,870	(9,676,020)
General revenues:					
Property taxes					4,410,467
Unrestricted state aid					7,113,591
Unrestricted investment earnings					88,422
Unrestricted grants and contributions					-
Extraordinary item - other post employment benefits					-
Gain (loss) on disposal of capital assets					(67,495)
Gain (loss) on termination of ROU assets					-
Transfers in					3,222,210
Transfers (out)					(3,222,210)
Total general revenues, extraordinary items and transfers					11,544,985
Change in net position					
Net position - beginning					19,663,280
Prior period adjustments - (See Note __)					-
Net position - beginning, as restated					19,663,280
Net position - ending					21,532,245

POCAHONTAS COUNTY, WEST VIRGINIA, BOARD OF EDUCATION

**BALANCE SHEET - GOVERNMENTAL FUNDS
FYE JUNE 30, 2023**

	11 General Current Expense	61 Special Revenue Fund	65 Special Revenue School Activity Fund	71 Special Revenue ESSERF Fund	21 Debt Service Fund	31 Bond Construction Fund	41 Permanent Improvement Fund	51 Capital Projects Fund	Total Governmental
ASSETS AND DEFERRED OUTFLOWS OF RESOURCES									
Assets:									
Cash and cash equivalents	\$ 6,364,367	\$ -	\$ 603,254	\$ -	\$ -	\$ -	\$ -	\$ -	\$ 6,967,621
Investments	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Inventory	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Taxes receivable, net	173,734	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	173,734
Deposit with Retirement Board	191,997	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	191,997
Prepaid Workers' Comp	6,504	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	6,504
Food service receivable, net	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Lease Receivable	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Other receivables	17,671	2,958	-	-	-	-	-	-	20,528
Other prepaid expenses	42,810	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	42,810
Due from other governments:									
State aid receivable	67,066	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	67,066
PEIA allocation receivable	182,900	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	182,900
Reimbursements receivable	236,529	344,557	-	339,017	-	-	-	-	920,102
Due from other funds	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Total assets	7,283,477	347,514	603,254	339,017	-	-	-	-	8,573,263
Deferred outflows of resources									
Total deferred outflows of resources	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
TOTAL ASSETS PLUS DEFERRED OUTFLOWS OF RESOURCES	\$ 7,283,477	\$ 347,514	\$ 603,254	\$ 339,017	\$ -	\$ -	\$ -	\$ -	\$ 8,573,263
LIABILITIES, DEFERRED INFLOWS OF RESOURCES AND FUND BALANCES									
Liabilities:									
Salaries payable and related payroll liabilities	\$ 1,413,942	\$ -	\$ -	\$ -	\$ -	\$ -	\$ -	\$ -	\$ 1,413,942
Other post employment benefits payable	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
PEIA premiums payable	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Accounts payable & Payable to others	118,530	23,280	-	116	-	-	-	-	141,925
Due to other fiscal agents	(253,790)	(233,553)	-	338,901	-	-	-	(99,744)	(248,186)
Due to other funds	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Total liabilities	1,278,681	(210,274)	-	339,017	-	-	-	(99,744)	1,307,681
Deferred inflows of resources									
Total deferred inflows of resources	92,991	2,958	-	-	-	-	-	-	95,948
Fund Balances:									
Nonspendable	246,046	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	246,046
Restricted	-	-	495,962	-	-	-	-	-	495,962
Committed	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Assigned	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Unassigned	5,665,760	554,830	107,292	(0)	-	-	-	99,744	6,427,626
Total fund balances	5,911,806	554,830	603,254	(0)	-	-	-	99,744	7,169,634
TOTAL LIABILITIES, DEFERRED INFLOWS OF RESOURCES AND FUND BALANCES	\$ 7,283,478	\$ 347,514	\$ 603,254	\$ 339,017	\$ -	\$ -	\$ -	\$ -	\$ 8,573,264

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	11 General Current Expense	61 Special Revenue	Special Revenue School Activity Fund	71 Special Revenue ESSERF	21 Debt Service Fund	31 Bond Construction Fund	41 Permanent Improvement Fund	51 Capital Projects Fund	Total Governmental
Revenues:									
Property taxes	\$ 4,407,496	\$ -	\$ -	\$ -	\$ -	\$ -	\$ -	\$ -	\$ 4,407,496
Other Local sources	321,422	164,571	436,362	-	-	-	-	-	922,356
State sources	9,597,272	345,798	-	-	-	-	-	34,870	9,977,940
Federal sources	370,660	1,917,418	-	1,923,766	-	-	-	-	4,211,845
Miscellaneous sources	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Total revenues	14,696,851	2,427,787	436,362	1,923,766	-	-	-	34,870	19,519,637
Expenditures:									
Instruction	7,618,540	1,112,748	412,661	559,340	-	-	-	-	9,703,289
Supporting services:									
Students	564,934	206,997	-	351,636	-	-	-	-	1,123,566
Instructional staff	419,347	169,397	-	181,556	-	-	-	-	770,300
General administration	323,534	-	-	23,987	-	-	-	-	347,521
School administration	754,144	1,637	-	136,636	-	-	-	-	892,416
Central Services	177,166	618	-	10,439	-	-	-	-	188,223
Operation and maintenance of facilities	1,761,741	19,703	-	106,586	-	-	-	-	1,888,031
Student transportation	1,375,449	102	-	264,790	-	-	-	-	1,640,340
Other support services	-	(1,563)	-	-	-	-	-	-	(1,563)
Food services	60,455	1,052,804	-	19,481	-	-	-	-	1,132,739
Community services	17,000	-	-	484	-	-	-	-	17,484
Capital outlay	247,636	79,612	-	248,709	-	-	-	48,561	624,518
Debt service:									
Principal retirement	283,289	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	283,289
Interest and fiscal charges	117,229	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	117,229
Finance Leases:									
Principal payment expense	11,740	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	11,740
Interest Expense	3,918	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	3,918
SBITAs:									
Principal payment expense	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Interest Expense	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Total expenditures	13,736,123	2,642,054	412,661	1,903,643	-	-	-	48,561	18,743,041
Excess (deficiency) of revenues over expenditures	960,728	(214,266)	23,701	20,123	-	-	-	(13,690)	776,596
Other financing sources (uses):									
Proceeds from disposal of real or personal property	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Proceeds from the sale of bonds	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Premium on sale of bonds	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Proceeds from finance lease	75,266	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	75,266
Proceeds from financed purchases	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Proceeds from SBITAs	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Transfers in	2,840,116	217,662	50,998	-	-	-	-	113,434	3,222,210
Transfers (out)	(3,087,933)	(56,319)	(57,834)	(20,123)	-	-	-	-	(3,222,210)
Total other financing sources (uses)	(172,551)	161,342	(6,836)	(20,123)	-	-	-	113,434	75,266
Extraordinary Item:									
Other post employment benefits	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Net change in fund balances	788,177	(52,924)	16,865	(0)	-	-	-	99,744	851,862
Fund balances - beginning	5,123,629	607,754	586,390	-	-	-	-	-	6,317,772
Prior period adjustments - (See Note ___)	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Fund balances - beginning, as restated	5,123,629	607,754	586,390	-	-	-	-	-	6,317,772
Fund balances - ending	\$ 5,911,806	\$ 554,830	\$ 603,254	\$ (0)	\$ -	\$ -	\$ -	\$ 99,744	\$ 7,169,634

POCAHONTAS COUNTY, WEST VIRGINIA, BOARD OF EDUCATION

RECONCILIATION OF THE STATEMENT OF REVENUES, EXPENDITURES, AND CHANGES IN FUND BALANCES OF GOVERNMENTAL FUNDS TO THE STATEMENT OF ACTIVITIES

FYE JUNE 30, 2023

Net change in fund balances - total governmental funds	\$	851,862	Differences in the cost and accumulated depreciation on disposed capital assets are reported as a loss and reduction in net position in the statement of activities.	
Amounts reported for governmental activities in the statement of activities are different due to:			Cost of assets disposed	(67,495)
Governmental funds report capital outlays as expenditures. However, in the statement of net position, the cost of capital assets is allocated over their estimated useful lives and reported as depreciation expense. The effect on net position is the amount by which capital outlays exceed depreciation in the current period.			Accumulated depreciation of assets disposed	-
Depreciation expense		(607,697)	Differences in the ROU asset and accumulated amortization on ROU asset terminated agreements are reported as a loss and reduction in net position in the statement of activities.	
Capital outlays		1,011,920	Right-of-Use assets terminated	-
Governmental funds report capital outlays as expenditures. However, in the statement of net position, the cost of lease assets is allocated over their estimated useful lives and reported as amortization expense. The effect on net position is the amount by which capital outlays exceed amortization in the current period.			Accumulated amortization of assets terminated	-
Amortization expense		(15,740)	Compensated absences are reported as liabilities in the statement of net position, but are only reported in government funds to the extent they have matured. This is the amount by which compensated absences (increased)/decreased.	
Capital outlays		75,266	Accrued vacation payable	1,299
Governmental funds report capital outlays as expenditures. However, in the statement of net position, the cost of SBITA assets is allocated over their estimated useful lives and reported as amortization expense. The effect on net position is the amount by which capital outlays exceed amortization in the current period.			Interest on long-term debt in the statement of activities differs from the amount reported in the governmental funds because interest is recognized as an expenditure in the funds when it is due, and thus requires the use of current financial resources. In the statement of activities, however, interest expense is recognized as the interest accrues, regardless of when it is due.	-
Amortization expense		-	Governmental funds report district pension contributions as expenditures. However, in the Statement of Activities, the cost of pension benefits earned net of employee contributions is reported as pension expense	
Capital outlays		-	District pension contributions	98,538
Certain receivables will be collected this year but are not available soon enough to pay for the current period's expenditures. This is the amount by which such receivables increased (decreased).			Cost of benefits earned net of employee contributions	23,341
Property taxes receivable		2,971	Governmental funds report district OPEB contributions as expenditures. However, in the Statement of Activities, the cost of OPEB benefits earned net of employee contributions is reported as OPEB expense	
Operating Grants and Contributions		(3,030)	District OPEB contributions	8,901
Other miscellaneous conversion adjustments			Cost of benefits earned net of employee contributions	269,068
A portion of the change in fund balances is the proceeds from the general obligation bonds issued during FYE JUNE 30, 2023. Those proceeds are not considered revenue items for the purpose of this statement.			Asset Retirement Obligations (AROs) are reported in the statement of net position, but are not reported in governmental funds. This is the amount by which the ARO has increased.	-
A portion of the change in fund balances is the proceeds from the premium on the general obligation bonds issued during FYE JUNE 30, 2023. Those proceeds are not considered revenue items for the purpose of this statement.			Finance Lease payables are reported as liabilities in the statement of net position, but are only reported in government funds to the extent they have matured. This is the amount by which finance lease payables decreased.	11,740
A portion of the change in fund balances is the current year amortization of the premium on general obligation bonds. The current year amortization of the premium is a reduction of interest expense rather than revenue for the purpose of this statement.			Financed purchases are reported as liabilities in the statement of net position, but are only reported in government funds to the extent they have matured. This is the amount by which financed purchases decreased.	
A portion of the change in fund balances is the proceeds from finance leases. Those proceeds are not considered revenue items for the purpose of this statement.		(75,266)	SBITA payables are reported as liabilities in the statement of net position, but are only reported in government funds to the extent they have matured. This is the amount by which SBITA payables decreased.	
A portion of the change in fund balances is the proceeds from financed purchases. Those proceeds are not considered revenue items for the purpose of this statement.			Change in net position of governmental activities	\$ 1,868,965
A portion of the change in fund balances is the proceeds from SBITAs. Those proceeds are not considered revenue items for the purpose of this statement.			see Legal Advertisements pg 19	
The repayment of the principal of long-term debt (e.g., bonds, leases) consumes the current financial resources of governmental funds. However, such repayment has no effect on net position.		283,289		

The deadline for **Letters to the Editor** is Monday at noon. Writers may use a maximum of 600 words. Letters should be issue-oriented and never personal.

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**POCAHONTAS COUNTY BOARD OF EDUCATION
SUPPLEMENTAL SCHEDULE OF EXPENDITURES
FOR THE FISCAL ENDED JUNE 30, 2023**

Salaries expenditures:

Board officials:	
Dr. Sue E. Hollandsworth	\$ 3,200
Rebecca Campbell	2,720
Jarrett D. McLaughlin	2,560
Howard S. Gibson	3,040
John Burns (for 2022)	160
Morgan G. McComb	3,200
Superintendent	117,379
Total salaries paid to other professional personnel	6,744,805
Total salaries paid to service personnel	2,490,709
Total salaries fixed costs (ins. soc sec, ret. work comp, taxes)	4,431,201
Total salary expenditures	13,798,973

Non-salary expenditures:

Expenditures paid in excess of two hundred fifty dollars (\$250):

(List the name of each firm, corporation and person to whom more than two hundred fifty dollars (\$250) in the aggregate from all funds was paid during the fiscal year, together with the aggregate amount paid and the purpose for which paid.)

Total non-salary expenditures paid in excess of two hundred fifty dollars (\$250)	5,794,928
Total non-salary expenditures paid of less than two hundred fifty dollars (\$250)	13,888
Total accrued expenditures, refunds, and other non-cash transactions	2,282,195
Total non-salary expenditures	8,091,011
Total expenditures per financial statements	\$ 21,889,984

STATE OF WEST VIRGINIA
COUNTY OF POCAHONTAS, TO WIT:

We, the undersigned, President, and Secretary of the Board of Education of the County of Pocahontas, hereby state under oath that the preceding attached financial statements of the funds of the Pocahontas Board of Education as of and for the fiscal year ended June 30, 2023, are true and accurate to the best of our knowledge and belief. However, these statements are unaudited and thereby subject to change.

Sue Hollandsworth

President

James R. Johnson

Secretary

Subscribed and sworn to before me in my said County, the 19th day of September 2023.

State of WV
County of Pocahontas

Sherry Lee Radcliff

Notary Public

My commission expires on the 13th day of August 2027.



****Please add this statement at the bottom of the financial statements: "The notes are an integral part of the financial statements, however, to conserve space, they are not included in the publication but are available for review at the board office."

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Homecoming

This Friday night the undefeated Pocahontas County Warriors play Montgomery High School in the Homecoming game on the high school field at Pocahontas County High School. PCHS has won four games. Last week, Matthew Withers gained 220 yards in the 22 – 8 victory over Cowen and was name Area Offensive Player of the Week by the Charleston Gazette.

This year there is added suspense to the Homecoming activities as the Queen is unknown until the Coronation ceremony when one of the three finalists, Doris Hungerbuhler, Marie McLaughlin and Susie Workman, will be crowned.

Merit Scholar

Pocahontas County High School Principal Fredric W. Smith has announced that Sarita E. Lantz is a semi-finalist in the 1974 National Merit Scholarship Program...

PROMOTED

Edward A. Friel has been named Vice President and General Manager Diesel Canada Limited, the Canadian Subsidiary of Cummins Engine Company, Columbus, Indiana.

Prior to his appointment to Canada, he spent two and a half years as Regional Manager for Cummins in Atlanta, Georgia...

Ed is the son of Mrs. Carl S. Friel, of Chillicothe, Ohio, and the late Carl S. Friel. He is married to the former Agnes Simmons, whose parents, Mr. and Mrs. Houston E. Simmons, reside in Seebert...

BIRTHS

Born to Mr. and Mrs. Stephen Mayor, of Arbovale, a daughter, named Stephanie Alicia.

Born to Mr. and Mrs. Herbert M. Pennington, III, of Brookville, Pennsylvania, a son, named Matthew Neal. Rev. Pennington was a former minister of the Marlinton United Methodist Church.

DEATHS

Walter W. Ruckman, 78, of Frost; born at Green Bank, a son of the late Otho W. and Ollie Sutton Ruckman. Funeral at Frost United Methodist Church. Burial in Mountain View Cemetery.

Mrs. Heater Sally Wilfong Jackson, 79, of Marlinton, a daughter of the late James Emmanuel and Martha Sharp Wilfong. Funeral service at Central Union United Methodist Church. Burial in the Wilfong Cemetery.

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recitations by members of the school, Rev. G. P. Moore and Mr. Henry Barlow gave talks which were very complimentary.

The Pine Grove Literary Society will meet at Pine Grove school house Friday, September 30, at 7 p.m. for the reorganization of the society. Everyone interested is cordially invited to attend and help make the society a success. – Tom Thumb

THE GALFORD CONNECTION

So far as now known, Thomas Galford, Senior, was the original ancestor of the Pocahontas Galfords. It is believed he came from the Middle Valley and was of Scotch descent. Thomas Galford lived on the place now held by F. Patterson and Charles Nottingham on Glade Hill, and it is the opinion of most that he came there just previous to the Revolution.

Thomas Galford had a brother, John, of whom but little is now known. There was a sister Jennie who became Mrs. Otho Gum and lived at the head of Crab Bottom, Highland County. Another sister became Mrs. John Chestnut, on Little Back Creek, where she has numerous descendants.

Thomas Galford Senior, married Naomi Slaven, late of Meadow Dale, and they were the parents of two sons, John and Thomas, Jr.; and a

daughter, Elizabeth...

Thomas Galford, Junior, married Frederika Hillery and lived at Huntersville, where he conducted a flourishing tannery. They had two sons and one daughter, Harrison, Geo., and Mary, who is now Mary V. Rodgers, near Buckeye...

His second marriage was to Henrietta Sutton...

John married Jennie McLaughlin and went to Lewis County...

In reference to the pioneer's daughter Elizabeth, the tradition is that when she was 14 years of age, she was sent on an errand to the mill, a quarter of a mile east of the residence. The child was never seen afterwards.

While parties were carefully searching the creek, Indian signs were discovered and it was at once concluded that she had been taken captive...

DIED

Of enteric fever at McDonald, Fayette County,

John C. Warwick, in the 32nd year of his age.

He was the eldest son of John W. Warwick and Caroline Craig, late of Edray...

He was educated at the Fishburne Military School in Waynesboro...

His wife was Miss Mabel Feamster, a granddaughter of Honorable James Withrow, of Lewisburg. She and her little son, George, survive him, along with three sisters: Mrs. Woodsey Moore, near Dunmore; Mrs. Maggie Lockridge, at Driscoll; and Miss Emma Warwick, near Edray...

His remains were borne to Lewisburg by the Masonic fraternity and buried in the cemetery near the Old Stone Church. Thus, it has come to pass in the brief period of two or three years, an affectionate family of eight persons has been called to mourn in rapid succession the deaths of five of their home circle.

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HELP WANTED
HELP WANTED - The Pocahontas County Solid Waste Authority is accepting applications for a part-time Substitute Green Box Attendant for the Marlinton location. Pay is \$10.50 per hour with no benefits. Applications may be obtained from the Solid Waste Office at Pocahontas County Courthouse, 900-H Tenth Avenue, Marlinton, WV 24954 or by calling 304-799-6262. Application deadline is 4:30 p.m. Friday, September 29, 2023. EOE. 9/21/2c

HELP WANTED
HELP WANTED - Looking for a Correctional Officer job? Testing will be offered at the Denmar Correctional Center, Hillsboro, WV, on a daily basis. Interested parties should contact Human Resources at the facility at 304-653-4201 to schedule an appointment. 1/19/tfnc

HOUSES AND REAL ESTATE
FOR SALE - 2012 mobile home, as is. Must be moved. Nanette Beckwith. 304-799-4687. 9/21/2c

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FOR SALE IN SEEBERT - Fishing/hunting camp, furnished. \$15,000 OBO. Call 304-619-3655 and leave message. 8/10/8p

POSITIONS AVAILABLE
POSITIONS AVAILABLE - Cass Scenic Railroad State Park is now taking applications for the following positions: Office Headquarters, Store Staff and Laundry. If interested, stop by the Park office for an application or call 304-456-4300 for more information. 9/28/2c

WANTED TO BUY
WANTED TO BUY - Ginseng and other roots and herbs. Fridays, 4 p.m. to 6 p.m. at IGA, Marlinton. New River Trading. 1-855-SENG-MAN. 9/21/tfnc

WANTED TO BUY - Ginseng roots and tops, Golden Seal roots and tops, all other roots and deer horns. Buying Saturdays at IGA, Marlinton, 11 a.m. to 1 p.m. Jesse Sams at 304-645-4047 or 304-667-6398. 8/31/5c

GARAGE SALE
GARAGE SALE - Friday, September 29, noon to 5 p.m. and Saturday, September 30, 9 a.m. to noon at 555 Seebert Road, Hillsboro. Downsizing: Lots of cake decorating, catering and commercial equipment, art and craft supplies, fabric, canning jars, freezer containers and much more. 9/28/1p

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Shelter News

If anyone has room in their heart and home for an additional family member, there are several beautiful felines awaiting adoption at the Pocahontas County Animal Shelter.

Right now, there are also an unusually high number of very nice dogs there. Anyone interested in adopting or fostering a cat or a dog should call the shelter. The shelter is located in Marlinton behind the ARC Building at 300 Second Avenue. Their hours are 9 a.m. to 2 p.m. Monday through Friday and the phone number is 304-799-4209.



THIS DARLING PAIR of gray and white tabbies are Elsie and Abby. They are four-month old sisters. This dynamic duo is full of the lovable antics that only kittens can provide. Elsie and Abby hope that they can find their “forever” home together.

who gets along with everyone. Penny is one-to-two years old. She promises to be the best friend you could ever have.



PENNY IS A very friendly, spayed female tan tabby



LITTLE BOY IS a six-month old angel with a shiny, solid black coat. He’s quiet, affectionate and loves to be cuddled.



MICKEY IS A lovely soft gray color. She’s about two years old, so she’s past most of the kitten zoomies and is ready to settle down with her special human. She has a sweet temperament and gentle manner.

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BIRTHS

Born to Mr. and Mrs. Oley W. Jackson, of Marlinton, September 20, a son.
Born to Mr. and Mrs. Gilbert Butterbaugh, of Huntersville, September 18, a son.
Born to Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Barlow, of Woodrow, September 26, a daughter.
Born to Mr. and Mrs. Ashby Higgins, of Elk, September 22, a son.
Born to Mr. and Mrs. Everett Alderman, of Huntersville, September 25, a son.

Born to Mr. and Mrs. R. J. Waugh, of Cheat Haven, Pa., September 16, 1923, a son.

J. C. KINNISON

J. Clayborne Kinnison died very suddenly at his home near Lobelia last Saturday morning, September 22, 1923. He was out in his field and suffered an attack of heart disease and died in a few minutes. He was past 80 years of age. Among his children are W. W. and Edward Kinnison. The deceased was one of the county’s best citizens. Burial at the Hill graveyard Sunday afternoon.

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The V. F. W. post of Marlinton was in charge of the funeral rites at the grave.

Private King is a son of Mrs. Lucy Jane King, of Cass. He is also survived by a brother, Eugene. He was killed in action May 12, 1944.

Mrs. J. B. Sutton, of Cass, has been notified that the remains of her nephew, Platoon Sergeant Garland Moore is enroute to the States.

Sgt. Moore was born on July 4, 1911, and was reared by his foster parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. B. Sutton, of Cass. He enlisted in the Marine Corps in 1928 and served in China from 1929 to 1936. Upon return to the States he was stationed to South Charleston at the Naval Ord-

nance Plant and late transferred to recruiting duty, stationed in Bluefield seven months and in Welch one month. He returned to active duty overseas on February 17, 1943.

Burial will be in Arlington Cemetery.

Mrs. Ella Moore White, aged 84 years, died at her home at Edray September 26, 1948. On Tuesday afternoon the funeral was held from the Edray Methodist Church... Her body was laid to rest in Mt. View Cemetery.

Walter D. Clark, born April 25, 1870, passed away Tuesday, September 21, at his home in Seebert. The deceased was a son of the late Samuel T. and Anna Lewis Clark. The funeral was conducted in the Oak Grove Presbyterian Church at Hillsboro, and the body was laid to rest in Mountain View

Cemetery at Marlinton.

Active pallbearers were P. C. Curry, George Edgar, Ernest McClung, R. H. Auldridge, Joel Beard and Charles LaRue. Honorary, H. M. Elmore, A. D. Pyles, Ross Goodman, Neal Wade, Lloyd Payne, Oakie Kinnison, G. L. Carlyle, Lake Auldridge, Bliss Shrader and Barney Slavin.

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