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Thursday July 7, 2022

# Moatstown Choir To Sing at Seneca UM Church

The Moatstown Choir will be singing at 10 a.m. Sunday at the Seneca United Methodist Church. Everyone is invited to attend.

# Delawder **Family** To Sing Sunday

The Larry Delawder Family and Barney Fife will be in concert at 6 p.m. Sunday at the First Baptist Church in Brandywine.

### Senior Sponsored Meal Scheduled

Bowmans' Hardware, Franklin Ruritan Club, Greer Limestone Company and South Branch Ruritan Club will be sponsoring "Lunch on Us" for 60+ Seniors July 15 at the North Fork Senior Center in Riverton (304-567-2240) and the Franklin Senior Center (304-358-2421). Meals will be served from 11:45 a.m. to 12:30 p.m. To reserve a free lunch, call by  $2~\mathrm{p.m.}$  July 14.

# **Quilters To Meet Monday**

The Sew and Sews Quilt Guild will meet at 7 p.m. Monday at Faith Lutheran Church in Franklin. JoAnn Dever will be demonstrating Sashiko stitching.

### Post 30 To Gather

American Legion Pendleton Post 30 will meet at 6:30 p.m. July 13 at the Star Restaurant in Franklin.

### Post 9666 To Gather

VFW Post 9666 will meet at 6:30 July 14 at the post home in Sugar Grove.

# Morrisey's Staff To Be Here July 13

A representative from Attorney General Patrick Morrisey's office will meet with residents from 11:30 a.m. to 12:30 p.m. July 13 at the Pendleton Senior and Family Services Center in Franklin.

> Office of the Attorney General released a "Memorandum Concerning the Effects of Dobbs v. Jackson Women's

that the court concluded that the 14th Amendment's obtain an abortion. Thus, "laws regulating or prohibit-

to heightened scrutiny" but are instead "governed by the same standard of review as other health and safety measures." Justice Samuel Alito and the justices who joined him concluded that a right to obtain an abortion was neither "deeply rooted in the nation's history and tradition," nor "implicit in the concept of ordered liberty." Consequently, substantive

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# Craig Selected as a Finalist in WV Birthday Cake Contest



Tom and Hayley Craig display an Apple-achian Birthday Cake, which captured a finalist placing in First Lady Cathy Justice's West Virginia Birthday Cake contest.

Franklin resident, Hayley Craig, was named one of seven finalists in First Lady Cathy Justice's West Virginia Birthday Cake contest. Justice announced the winners during the state's 159th birthday celebration June 20 at the Culture Center in

Charleston. Kim Wymer of Scott Depot took top honors with her "Ms.

Van's Blackberry Skillet Cake," which is now the official birthday cake of West Virginia. It will be served annually on June 20 to commemorate the anniversary of West Virginia's statehood.

\$100 Visa gift card and a participation certificate.

Each finalist was asked

three questions. The questions, along with Craig's answers, were as follows.

Are there any special toppings or decorations that you would add to your cake?

I suggest varying the cake to reflect the changing seasons. One thing I love about West Virginia is that people truly have a connection to the land. Many people grow and raise their own food. One could easily substitute peaches for the apples. Strawberries, wild raspberries, or blackberries could also be substituted (cinnamon would not be added to the berries). For decorations, I slice, instead of dice, apples and use the same mixture in the cake. I then place the cinnamon-brown sugar apple slices around the cake.

Does your cake recipe have a special story? Is it a family recipe or a unique creation?

This cake recipe does have a special story to me. When I first saw the contest, I was ecstatic. As a native of West Virginia, I have always ap-Craig's Apple-achian preciated the geography of Birthday Cake won her a our Wild and Wonderful state. The mountains have always provided a sense of security for me. Because of

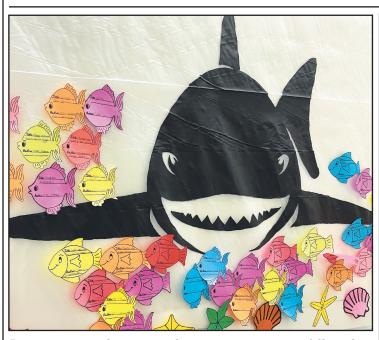
that, this is a recipe that I have created inspired by the land of West Virginia. The honey, made by our state's insect, is made in my parents' backyard with their one little hive. The maple syrup, to represent our state tree, was tapped by my family and boiled down on our kitchen stove. The golden delicious apples, our state fruit, were used because it represents the amazing things that come from West Virginia. My family does not own a large farm or a business. We tap a couple maple trees, have a couple hives, pick fruit from the four or five trees on our property. We live off the land and this recipe represents the goodness that West Virginia brings to us.

Why do you think this is the best cake to honor West Virginia?

I think this cake is the best cake to honor West Virginia because I have spent a lot of time creating this recipe to reflect what West Virginia means to someone who loves this state so dearly. I grew up in rural West Virginia on top of the Appalachian Mountains. This state molded and shaped who I

was. After getting married, due to some career circumstances for my husband, we moved to Maryland. We started careers and built a new house. But, all of that was not enough. We knew we had to get connected back to our homegrown roots. We sold our house, took pay cuts, and sacrificed a lot according to most people. Our friends and neighbors thought we were crazy. But being home, in our holler, listening to the creek and the wind brush the leaves, that is worth far more than anything to us. I have my dream job of teaching eighth grade social studies and WV History. Every day, I get to build pride and share the beauty of the state with young minds. Heck, I even made our honeymoon a road trip to visit 26 of the 35 state parks in a week. I say all of this to show that this cake was made by a native who loves West Virginia and is dedicated to pouring herself out to continue the traditions of the state. This recipe has all the love baked right into it. That is why I think this cake could truly honor West Virginia.

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Participants in the summer learning program can follow their progress in reading 100 books in 100 days. The title of the book and the child's name is written on the fish.

# Library Supports Summer Learning

By Ammie Ruddle

On Wednesdays during the summer, the Pendleton County Library plays host to a summer learning program. This year's theme is "Oceans of Possibili-

"Some of the things we do is encourage children to read by introducing them to different books as well as doing crafts with them," said Rebecca Mc-Connell.

The library staff travels to Brandywine Bolton Pavilion and North Fork Elementary School on Tuesdays and Thursdays, respectively.

In addition to summer learning, Pendleton County Library staff encourage 100 books in 100days. Patrons can get a form

from the library to keep track of their books and log their reading time. Students can receive prizes along their journey of reading 100 books in 100 days.

"Students can see their faces and progress on the wall in the library," said McConnell.

"The purpose of both programs is to encourage students and families to read, rather than use devices," McConnell stated. "Reading is the best way for children to learn."

Anyone interested in obtaining a library card, or participating in either the summer learning program, or 100 books in 100 days, or for more information on library activities, can call 304-358-7038 or go to the library on main street in Franklin.

# German Packaging Manufacturer Acquires Building in Moorefield it again, you'll never find investment will create up

By Shawn Stinson

An economic boost to the area is expected in Hardy County.

Gov. Jim Justice and members of the West Virginia Department of Economic Development announced, on June 27, that Papier-Mettler purchased an industrial building in Moorefield. The German-based packaging manufacturer is expected to invest \$48 million and create nearly 100 new jobs in the area.

The industrial space was acquired in May and will be the first Papier-Mettler production plant in the U.S.

"The investment Papier-Mettler is making in our great state is truly amazing. I've said it before and I'll say more dedicated, hardworking, and productive employees than those in West Virginia," Justice said during the announcement. "I am beyond excited that this \$48 million



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to 100 jobs for West Virginians. This is just another announcement proving that we've got the right people and the right business-friendly environment in West Virginia. I couldn't be happier that all kinds of world-class businesses like Papier-Mettler are setting up shop or expanding operations in West Virginia. Our rocket ship ride that I promised is continuing every day and all West Virginians should be incredibly proud."

Papier-Mettler is one of the leading manufacturers of flexible packaging in Europe. The company employs nearly 5,000 people in 16 countries and has a sales office in Raynham, Massachusetts.

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# Franklin Native Artist Attributes Success to Hometown of Franklin

By Ammie Ruddle

Raised around the trees and rolling mountains of West Virginia, Mary Remsburg found her passion and became a classicallytrained pianist.

Remsburg was raised in Franklin and was a homeschooled student. However, she enrolled in some college courses at Pendleton County Middle/High School until she graduated in 2012.

Upon graduation, she elected to pursue a degree in music education, with a focus in jazz and classical music at Shepherd Univer-

The daughter of Sharon Granofsky, Remsburg states her mother taught her how to play the piano in their

"farmhouse living room." Remsburg is known in the music industry as "Mister Mae" and has been featured on multiple radio stations both in the U.S. and in the

United Kingdom.

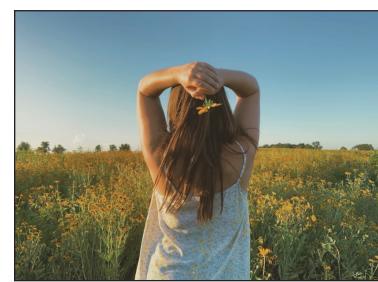
"I feel lucky to have been raised in an area where there was not a lot of distraction, just family, friends, music, and vast amounts of mountains and rivers to explore," Remsburg stated. "I hope my story and music will encourage others to follow their passions and goals."

She added, "I want to

encourage people, not just Franklin, but all of West Virginia to follow their

Remsburg will be featured on the podcast "Positively West Virginia" that will be available today. She will discuss her newly released songs that she claims, "are rooted in folk and Appalachian tradition."

dreams, just like I did."



Mister Mae's album cover Twisted Knotts

### Ruling Puts Onus on State ∡awmakers

By Ammie Ruddle

Like the rest of the United States, West Virginia lawmakers are now in a position to draft regulations regarding abortion, proceeding the overturn of Dobbs v Jackson and Roe vs. Wade on June 24 by the U.S. Supreme Court

So what does this mean for the residents of West Virginia?

The West Virginia State Health Organization."

The memorandum states reference to "liberty" does not establish any right to ing abortion are not subject

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# BUMOAURIODE

**Polly Anne Propst Thomason** 



Polly Anne Propst Thomason, 90, of Bridgewater, Virginia, passed away July 2, 2022, at Bridgewater Retirement Community.

She was born Feb. 2, 1932, and was the daughter of the late Daniel Michael Propst and Iva Margaret Propst.

Mrs. Thomason graduated from Franklin High School in 1950, and then moved to Washington, DC, where she attended George Washington University.

She was an analyst for the CIA in Japan and Southeast Asia from 1955 - 1965.

On Aug. 28, 1965, she married William R. "Dick" Thomason, and together they owned and operated Help Office Supply in Annapolis, Maryland, until retiring in 1995. After their retirement, they lived in Florida and South Carolina before settling in Bridgewater, Virginia, in recent years.

She loved playing bridge and golf, and belonged to many clubs in both. She was a Life Master in bridge and had made two holes in one in golf. Surviving in addition to her

husband of 57 years are two stepdaughters, Julie Thomason of Santa Rosa, California, and Sarah Thomason of Eastbourne, England; a brother, Roy Propst of Brandywine; and a number of nieces and

She was also preceded in death by two brothers, Elvin Propst and Hurl Propst; and three sisters, Norma Walker, Louise Vandevander and Wanda Eye Hedrick.

A graveside service was held Wednesday at Pine Hill Cemetery in Brandywine with Pastor Jess Felici officiating.

Memorials may be made to any local animal humane

memories may be shared at

www.kimblefuneralhome.com. Funeral arrangements were entrusted to Kimble Funeral Home in Franklin.



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Sincere Thanks

The Family of Effie Harr

would like to thank everyone for the

cards, food, phone calls, flowers, prayers,

memorial donations and Bibles.

A special thanks

to Pastor Mike Loudermilk and

the staff at Basagic Funeral Home.

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Forrest S. Friel



be with the Lord June 30, Elkins. 2022, at his home.

the late Warrick and Virgie and Kate Mallow. Payne Friel.

of the First Baptist Church School class of 1959. of Huntersville, a 101st Air Borne Army Korean veteran, retired coal miner and forester.

His wife, Susie Friel, sur-

Also surviving are daughters, Margaret Wilfong and husband, Ted of Hillsboro, Brenda Butler of Shenan- the Tri-County Fair parade. doah, Virginia, Connie Colaw of Monterey, Virginia, ville United Methodist Lisa Robertson and husband, Sherman of Buckeye, husband, Geno, and Sandra survives. Krout and Randall Bennett, all of Marlinton; a son, Forrest "Rusty" Friel of Franklin; 19 grandchildren; 23 great- grandchildren; five Bradley Dice (Beth) Malgreat-great-grandchildren; low of Petersburg; a brothand a sister, Adele Smith of Montecello, Virginia.

He was also preceded nieces and nephews. in death by two infant children, daughters, Judy McLaughlin, and Frances Castle; a great-granddaughter, Alleah Barnisky; brothers, Clarence Friel and Charles Friel; and sisters, Mary Ryder and Ada Galford.

held Sunday at the Lantz the Reverends Roger and Funeral Home in Buckeye Ann Harrison officiating. with Pastor Phillip Thomp- Interment was in the Lahson officiating. Burial fol- mansville Cemetery, 6385 lowed in Clawson Cemetery Patterson Creek Road, Lain Thorney Creek with mili- hmansville, WV 26731. tary honors by the Pocahontas County Veterans Honor may be made to Lahmans-

made at Lantzfuneralhome. Society or charity of donor's

**Dice Mallow** 



tersburg went to be with the Lord surrounded by his Forrest S. Friel, 88, of family on June 27, 2022, Marlinton went home to at Davis Medical Center in

Born July 1, 1933, in 1939, in Onego and was a Clawson, he was a son of son of the late Harry Vance

Virginia and was a general superintendent for Harkins Builders. He retired from CHS Inc in 2004. He and his wife enjoyed woodworking, along with fishing, hunting, NASCAR racing and driving his Corvette in He attended Lahmans-

Church.

and Teresa Johnson and Carol (Nelson) Mallow,

Also surviving are two sons, Michael Anthony (Wendy) Mallow of Fredericksburg, Virginia, and er, Roy (Judy) Mallow of Maysville; and numerous

death by a sister, Carol Sue (Mallow) Turner; and his grand-dogs, Bandit, Smokey, Diamond and Har-

held Friday in the chapel of the Schaeffer Funeral Funeral services were be Home in Petersburg with

Memorial contributions ville United Methodist Online condolences may be Church, American Cancer choice.



Dice Mallow, 83, of Pe-

He was born on June 27,

Mr. Mallow was a grad-Mr. Friel was a member uate of Circleville High He relocated to Northern

His wife of 59 years,

He was also preceded in

Funeral services were

# **WHITE Annual Reunion**

Descendants of Berlin & Clara White Sunday — July 10



River Rock Hideaway (old Bland campground)

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- Photo available of loved one in uniform suitable for digital transfer.
- Submission of information including name, branch and dates of service, wartime service information, date of birth and death.
- Receipt of payment for sponsorship.

There are a limited number of poles located in town limits of Franklin so flags will be claimed in order of met requirements.

To sponsor a flag or for more information, please call or text Liz Warner at 304-902-0915, or via Facebook messenger.

# Moorefield

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An Apple-achian

Birthday Cake

Cake ingredients

3 Golden Delicious apples

1/2 tablespoon cinnamon

1/4 cup brown sugar

1/2 cup of brown sugar

1 tablespoon baking powder

Preheat the oven to 350°F.

Grease two cake pans. Set

aside. Peel and dice 3 Golden

Delicious apples into small

pieces. Add 1/2 tbsp. cinna-

mon, 1/4 c. brown sugar, and

diced apples to a medium

size bowl and stir thoroughly.

Slightly mash apples and set

aside. Cream 1/2 c. butter, 1/2

c. brown sugar, 2 eggs, 1/4 c.

honey in a large bowl. In a

separate bowl, whisk together

1/4 tsp. salt, 1 tbsp. baking

powder, and 2 c. flour. Alter-

nate mixing dry ingredients

and milk into wet ingredients.

Stir apple mixture into cake

batter with a wooden spoon.

Separate batter into the cake

pans. Bake for 25-30 minutes.

(It is ready when a toothpick

entered into the center comes

out clean.) Pull cakes out of

the pan to cool for icing later.

5 cups of powdered sugar

4 tablespoons of maple syrup

Cream 1 c. butter into a

large bowl. Alternate mix-

ing in 5 c. powdered sugar

and 1/2 c. milk. Add 4 tbsp.

of maple syrup and whip ic-

ing thoroughly. If necessary,

add extra powdered sugar to

thicken icing up or milk if the

icing is too stiff. Place in the

refrigerator until the cake is

All of the finalist cake reci-

pes are available on the West

Virginia Birthday Cake

Contest webpage at https://

governor.wv.gov/birthday-

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cool enough to icing.

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1 cup softened butter

1/2 cup of milk

or glaze:

Ingredients for cake icing

1/2 cup of butter

1/4 cup of honey

1/4 teaspoon salt

1-1/2 cups of milk

2 cups of flour

 $2 \, \mathrm{eggs}$ 

"We are so excited to welcome this German packaging recycling and packaging manufacturing company to our great state and are happy they said 'yes' to West Virginia," said Mitch Carmichael, WVDED secretary. "This sustainable packing company is a great asset to our community and their \$48 million investment will benefit our economy."

Michael Mettler, Papier-Mettler CEO, said the U.S. is one of the "largest growth markets" for the company. He added the Moorefield plant will "create numerous advantages for us, but also for the local economy as well as the job market."

David Fansler, Hardy County Commission president, called the announcement huge."

"The addition of the Papier-Mettler to our community is a huge one," he said. "We can't wait to see all the good that comes from having this great business here. The creation of new jobs in our community is something that we strive for and we're excited that Papier-Mettler has chosen Hardy County as a place they'd like to invest in and do business."

Papier-Mettler officials touted Moorefield's proximity to the Port of Baltimore, Maryland, as well as planned infrastructure to make it a "strategic, sustainable location." In addition, future plans to move the project forward" are expected to be announced in the coming months.

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### **MENU** Pendleton Senior & Family Services

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FRIDAY, JULY 8 Baked Chicken Parsley Potates **Green Beans** Banana

Monday, July 11 **Stuffed Peppers Brussel Sprouts Spiced Pears** 

TUESDAY, JULY 12 Chicken Wrap Peppers/Onions Cowboy Beans Watergate Salad

WEDNESDAY, JULY 13 Hamburger Steak **Mashed Potatoes** Mixed Vegetables Melon





Meals served daily at the Franklin center 11:45 to 12:15. North Fork meals are served M, W, F from 11:45 to 12:15. Two percent milk served with every meal. Menus are subject to change.



# Health Mart Health Advisor Tip

### DIABETES

Did you know that nearly one-third of the 18 million Americans who have Diabetes are not aware of their illness? Symptoms of Diabetes include: frequent urination, excessive thirst, extreme hunger, unusual weight loss, increased fatigue, irritability, frequent infections, and blurry vision. Should you find yourself experiencing these symptoms, make an appointment to see your doctor right away. If diagnosed with Diabetes, your Health Mart Pharmacist can help you manage the disease and improve your quality of life.

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# Summer Fest Julie's Flea Market

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# Wildcats Take Fourth in Summer Tournament

By Shawn Stinson

The groundwork is being set for the 2022-23 Pendleton County boys basketball team.

The Wildcats participated in a summer tournament in Keyser and finished fourth in the regular season and tournament. Pendleton coach, Jeremy Bodkin, said it was good experience for the players to build on last season's success. Pendleton finished with a 19-4 record and an appearance in the Class A quarterfinal round in Charleston.

"At this time last year, we didn't have anything going on," Bodkin said. "It was a lot of good experience for some of the young guys. Even the junior varsity guys were able to play four games this summer."

The members of the Pendleton County Board of Education selected Bodkin at their Oct. 12, 2021, meeting, as head coach at Pendleton. Bodkin replaced Ryan Lambert, who resigned as coach following his promotion to principal at Brandywine Elementary School.

The Wildcats lost three starters – Cole Day, Braden McClanahan and Tanner Townsend – from last season's squad. Bodkin praised the play of returning starters Jacob Beachler and Clayton

Kisamore as well as returning players Braydon Beachler and Dusty Smith during the summer. In addition, Bodkin mentioned three incoming freshmen as catching his eye for their play – Cashton Kisamore, Chase Owens and Henry Warner.

Pendleton also participated in a one-day tournament in Shinnston. Bodkin said his team went 0-3 but squared off with Class AA, Class AAA and Class AAAA schools.

"We learned a lot that day,"

Earlier this summer, Bod kin and members of the 2021 22 varsity and junior varsity teams gathered for an awards

Day and Townsend were named as co-offensive most valuable players, and Clayton Kisamore was tabbed as defensive most valuable player. Jacob Beachler was selected as the most improved player, and Dusty Smith was picked to receive the Wildcat award.

Josiah Kimble was named as the JV team's offensive most valuable player, and Dillion Smith was the defensive most valuable player Wyatt Franklin was tapped as the most improved player, and Bradey Bowers earned the Wildcat award.



Allen Burkett displays his record-winning catfish.

# **Angler Breaks Long-standing Channel Catfish Record**

A 17-year record for the Keplinger, DNR fishery largest channel catfish caught in West Virginia has been broken, the West Virginia Division of Natural Resources announced last

On June 20, Allen Burkett of Criders, Virginia, caught a channel catfish that weighed 36.96 pounds and measured 40.59 inches in length. He was fishing with chicken liver from the shore of South Mill Creek Lake in Grant County.

Burkett's record fish was measured by Brandon biologist. The previous record chan-

nel catfish of 33.42 pounds and 40.3 inches was caught by Michael Sears in 2005 at Patterson Creek. Anglers who believe they

have caught a potential record-breaking fish should report his or her catch to the WVDNR for verification. Fish that do not qualify as a state record, may still qualify for a trophy citation.

For more information, visit wvdnr.gov/fishing/ state-records.

# Lawmakers

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due process rights do not embrace abortion. And unlike other due process rights that the court had separately recognized, abortion was said to implicate a unique state interest: "a state's interest in protecting prenatal life." In the court's view, that difference justified more latitude for the states.

Governor Jim Justice agreed with the decision saying, "We need to move faster and we need to move for further and more detailed clarification."

Justice is expected to pull lawmakers in a special session later this summer to address the issue.

The current abortion law in West Virginia was enacted in 1849. However, it has not been enforced within the last 50 years due to Roe vs. Wade ruling.

Current West Virginia law states, "Any person who shall administer to, or cause to be taken by, a woman, any drug or other thing, or use any means, with intent to destroy her unborn child, or to produce abortion or miscarriage, and shall thereby destroy such child, or produce such abortion or miscarriage, shall be guilty of a felony, and, upon conviction, shall be confined in the penitentiary not less than three nor more than ten years; and if such woman die by reason of such abortion performed upon her, such person shall be guilty of murder. No person, by reason of any act mentioned in this section, shall be punishable where such act is done in good faith, with the intention of saving the life of such woman or

According to Patrick Morrisey, the state's attorney general, the legislature is advised to re-enact a comprehensive framework governing abortions to avoid any potential variances among prohibitions, definitions, scope, exceptions or otherwise."

He outlined in the memorandum several decisions legislators will have to make on the issue: To enforce the state's abortion law through criminal statutes, or to weigh more civil enforcement measures that might involve medical licensing rather than imprisonment? Should there be penalties imposed on the provider, the pregnant woman, or both? Whether or not to maintain a decentralized criminal enforcement system, like county prosecutors, as opposed to central, statewide enforcement? Should there be any exceptions, which might include instances of rape or incest or the early months of pregnancy, and how to treat abortion drugs that may be available by mail? Should the ability of West Virginia doctors to prescribe these drugs be restricted?

The Women's Healthcare Center of West Virginia, located in Charleston, is the only abortion center in the state that provides elective abortion care. Katie Quinonez, executive director of Women's Health Center of West Virginia, spoke to WCHS stating, "the U.S. Supreme Court's ruling issued June 24 that allows states to ban abortion is making an immediate, hard-felt im-

"Any state abortion restriction must include an exception for abortions performed to save the pregnant woman's life," Morrisey said.

Delegate Bryan Ward, R-55, said, "West Virginia is a state that is deeply rooted in protecting children, including those who are unborn. I believe the state legislators will agree on that."

# DMV Extends Expiration Date on Mobility Impaired Placards

Due to a supply issue, the West Virginia Division of Motor Vehicles has announced that they will extend the expiration dates of all mobility impaired placards to Aug. 31.

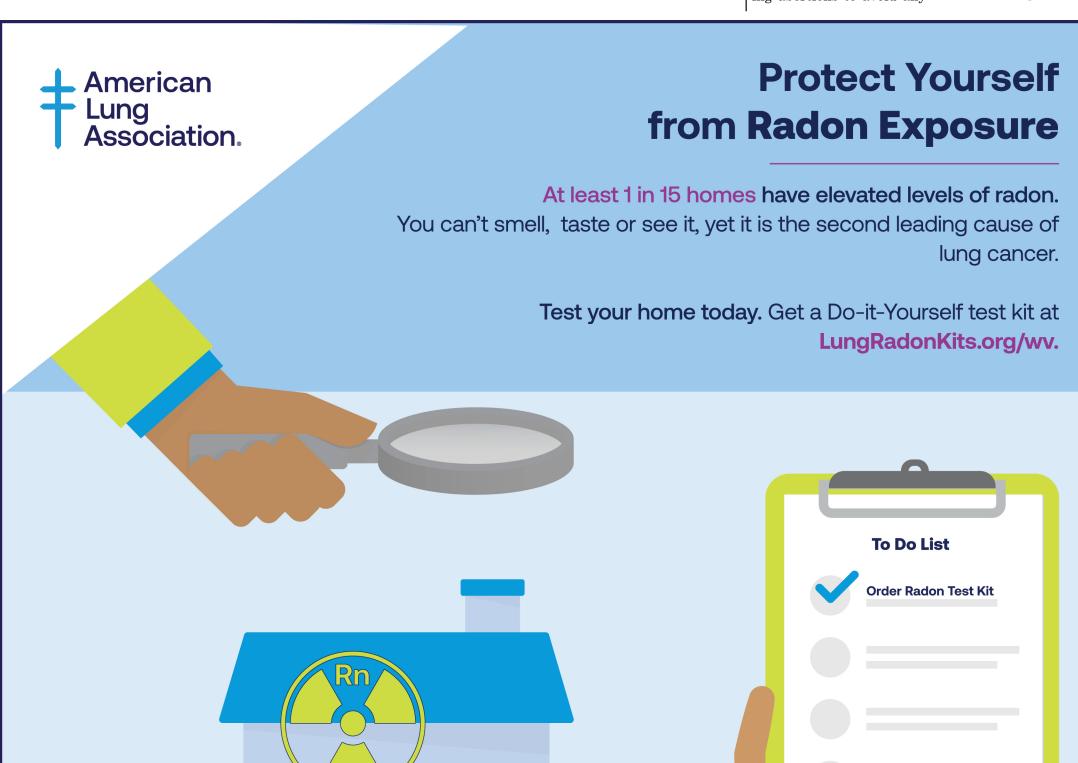
Renewal of a permanent mobility impaired placard occurs every five years, and the new cycle historically begins on July 1. However,

with supply chain issues, and in an effort to provide seamless, convenient customer service, Everett Frazier, DMV commissioner, announced the extension to Aug. 31 to make sure new placards are ready for cus-

"I believe in making sure our customers are taken care of. Unfortunately, due

to COVID and other supply chain issues, some of our materials are not available. We don't want our customers to be inconvenienced, so extending the expiration date, on my authority, makes the best sense," he said.

For more information, please visit the DMV website at dmv.wv.gov, and view the informational brochure on mobility impaired license plates and placards at https://transportation.wv.gov/DMV/ DMVFormSearch/Mobility-Impaired-Brochure-4-2014-wf.pdf. Customers need to follow the same application and renewal process. The only change is the current expiration date being extended.



To get a test kit, visit LungRadonKits.org/wv



20 Years Ago Week of July 4, 2002

### The Modest Man Behind County-wide 911

Last summer, four of the most powerful figures in West Virginia politics, Bob Wise, Harold Michael, Walt Helmick and Joe Martin, took center stage at the dedication of the new 911 center on Rt. 33 east of Franklin, as well they should

But the man who had worked for over 15 years to make some kind of functional, modern, countywide 911 facility a reality in Pendleton was no where to be seen—unless one ventured inside the gleaming new facility, where he sat, dressed in plain, everyday work clothes, in front of a computer, stress-testing the system, his "baby," that was to go on-line a couple of weeks hence.

That man was Bob Tuckerman, a native of Cleveland, OH, a "come-here" who retired to Pendleton County from suburban Maryland in 1978 and says he wants his local legacy to rest on his service as a volunteer rescue squad worker, as the acting director of countywide 911 services and as a member of the Pendleton County Library's board of trustees—to the extent that Tuckerman would accept the use of so highfalutin a term as "legacy," and he wouldn't.

### The Symbolic Meaning Of Flag Folding

A flag folding ceremony represents the same religious principal on which this contry was originally founded. The portion of the flag denoting honor is the canton of blue containing the stars representing all the states from which veterans served in uniform.

The first fold of the American flag is a symbol

The second fold is a symbol of one's belief in the eternal

The third fold is made in honor and remembrance of the veteran departing the ranks who gave a portion of life for the defense of this country to attain a peace throughout the world.

The fourth fold represents the weaker nature, for, as American citizens trusting in God, it is to Him one turns in times of peace, as well as in times of war for His divine guidance.

The fifth fold is a tribute to this country, for in the words of Stephen Decature, "Our country, in dealing with other countries, may she always be right; but it is still our country, right or wrong."

The sixth fold is for where one's heart lies. It is with the heart that one pledges alliance to the flag of the United States of America, and to the republic for which it stands, one nation, under God, indivisible, with liberty and justice for all.

The seventh fold is a tribute to the Armed Forces, for it is through the Armed Forces that one protects this country and the flag against all her enemies, whether

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they be found within or without the boundaries of the republic.

The eighth fold is a tribute to the one who entered into the valley of the shadow of death, that one might see the light of day, and to honor mother, for whom it flies on Mother's Day.

The ninth fold is a tribute to womanhood; for it has been through their faith, love, loyalty and devotion that the character of the men and women who have made this country great have been

The tenth fold is a tribute to father, for he, too, has given his sons and daughters for the defense of this country since they were first born.

The eleventh fold, in the eyes of the Hebrew citizen, represents the lower portion of the seal of King David and King Solomon and glorifies, in their eyes. God the Father. the Son, and the Holy Ghost.

When the flag is completely folded, the stars are uppermost, reminding one of the national motto, "In God We Trust."

### **SUGAR GROVE**

### July Fourth Is a Time To Appreciate Freedom

The Fourth of July is a joyful time with fireworks and picnics. How many people have stopped and thought what the day really means and appreciate the forefathers who won the freedom that one enjoys today? President Woodrow Wilson once stated, "A nation which does not remember what it was yesterday, does not know what it is today, nor what it is trying to do. We are trying to do a futile thing if we do not know where we came from or what we have been about." Around the 1776 period of Pendleton County, most of the pioneers had no schooling and could sign their names only with a mark. Paper was costly, and writing was done altogether with a goose or turkey quill. Books were few and seen only in occasional homes. One's forefathers knew the tremendous cost that had been made to secure one's freedom today. They continually acknowledged that God had made and preserved this nation. America's hope lies in returning to those values that were once held by one's Founding Fathers.

30 Years Ago

# Week of July 1, 1992

### **Pulling the Wool Over** One's Eyes' Began with **Prank of Earlier Era**

**SUGAR GROVE** 

In colonial times, if someone "pulled the wool over your eyes" it meant being tricked by another person — pretty much the same as it does today. The saying originated from a favorite prank of the era: pulling a person's wig over his face so he couldn't see what was going on!

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The concept of calming the beast in a person through gardening is not new in the United States and is even older in England.

"It has been long known," says William S. Ellis, writer for the current National Geographic, "that being around plants can be of significant benefit to the physically and mentally disabled and to older persons and inner-city youngsters turned surly."

Gardeners in America show a rising interest in heritage plants and seeds.

Of the great number of vegetable varieties available in the United States at the turn of the century, more than 80 percent have been abandoned.

Many U.S. gardeners today are making a statement of environmental concern. The trend is to organic gardening and biodegradable materials.

### 40 Years Ago Week of July 1, 1982

**Construction of Earth Sheltered Homes Being** Taught on Spruce Knob

AT WOODLANDS INSTITUTE

Participants in the Earth-sheltered Building Workshop held last week at Woodlands Institute discovered an unusual approach to learning about this new energy-efficient building method.

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Workshop participants learned that although earthsheltered homes are not necessarily less expensive to build than conventional homes, the long-term costs are lower because these buildings require very little energy to heat and cool.

60 Years Ago Week of July 5, 1962

100 YEARS AGO

McClellan Repels Lee **But Loses Campaign** 

By LON K. SAVAGE

Editor's Note-The following is one of a series of articles on the Civil War. Each weekly installment covers events which occurred exactly 100 years ago.

The army of federal Gen. George B. McClellan, like a huge grizzly bear attacked by a hive of bees, had fallen back swatting and fighting for the past six days, killing its tormentors by the hundreds but still retreating from their onslaught. On July

1, 100 years ago this week, the grand army of 100,000 men drew itself up for battle against the Confederate army of Gen. Robert E. Lee. It would be the last battle of McClellan's Peninsula campaign in Virginia. The scene was Malvern Hill, a large, cleared rise in the land just north of the James River about 15 miles east of Richmond, the capitol of the Confederacy. There,

McClellan posted his men

and artillery on the slopes

looking down over a creek

and a swampy woodland

that was swarming with

Confederates. In early afternoon, the first of Lee's Confederates began emerging from the woods and charging across the creek and up the slopes, and it was slaughter. The federal artillery and infantry raked the slopes as the Confederates crossed. and the Southerners fell in

Lee's generals couldn't get together. They brought their men up unit by unit, and as each group of men arrived, it was moved down. The heavily outnumbered Confederate artillery too, was brought up slowly, and frequently a Southern battery opened fire, only to attract the fire of 50 federal cannons and be blown to bits.

Confederate Gen. Bankhead Magruder's men tried three times to break the Yankee line with infantry and artillery, but each time the artillery was crushed, the men hurled back with tremendous losses. The other Confederates could do little

Evening came; the sun went down, but the slaughter continued until it was difficult to tell friend from foe. At 9 p.m., the Confederates finally withdrew.

The day had been a defeat for Lee, but at the same time it marked a resounding victory that was far more important than the defeat. For like the bear that is attacked by a hive of bees, McClellan's army was exhausted, badly injured, and—most importantly—it had been driven away. The siege of Richmond, which had begun in April and which had brought the federals to within sight of the city's church spires, had ended, and Richmond still was the

capitol of the Confederacy. That night and next day, McClellan's army marched back from Malvern Hill through a rainstorm to Harrison's Landing on the banks of the James, there to nurse their wounds and await further developments. Lee, too felt it was time to take a recess and soon pulled his army back toward Richmond.

In Richmond, citizens heaved a sigh of relief that the enemy had been driven from their door, even though the city was filled with injured. Throughout the South, hopes began to rise.

In Washington, President Lincoln was alarmed over the campaign's result and arranged for a call of 300,000 more troops to fight the Confederates. Within a week, he came to the Peninsula to talk to McClellan at Harrison's Landing, and the importance of the defeats began to sink in. As Lincoln wrote later, he "was as nearly inconsolable as I could be and live" over the collapse of the Peninsula campaign.

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70 Years Ago

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Smith Creek/

Friends Run

by Dave Ellis

Area residents have felt

the humidity condition of

summer. This is only the

beginning for the next two

months. There have been pop

up isolated showers which

are a blessing for the gardens.

Run Churches of the Breth-

ren: shut-ins - Mary Mitchell,

Shelda Warner, Vestyl Bible,

Bucky Moyers, Pam Riner,

Anna Tessi, Ruby Propst,

Alice Johnson, Arlin Dale

and Freda Jamison, Hazel

Simmons, Mary Alice Sim-

mons, Reva Hartman, Sandy

Washburn, Evelyn Ruddle,

Sandra Vandevander and

Larry Moyers; prayer list

- Richard Campbell, Brian

Wilton, Tyler Moore, Tristan

Hartman, Ronald Hayes,

Becky Hedrick, Joshua Shirk,

Ava George, Doug Judy, Kay

Alt, Jack Vogel, Ronnie Bow-

ers Sr., Allen Kile II, Donna

Bennett, Lloyd Hartman, Mia

Mahoney, Anne Hartman,

Rick Hoover, Ruth Simmers,

Roberta Bennett, Virginia

Richardson, Harry Allen

Warner, Quinley McConnell,

Jim Bible, Etha Mae Bow-

ers, Mary Jo Wilfong, Kenny

Williams, Dennis Mitchell,

Olin Hoover, Debbie Horst,

Rodney Crites, Raven Hoke,

Charlotte Copley, Randy

Bennett, Jason Conley, Wen-

dell and Darlene Nelson,

Carolyn Gilbert, Charlie

Westfall, Glenn Sites, Shyrl

Smith, Barbara Bennett,

Pam Rexrode, Billy Rowe,

Carole Rohrbaugh Zirk and

Prayer thought: "Father,

thank you for knowing ev-

erything about me. Please

forgive me when I'm harsh

in my judgment when I lose

High and low temperatures

and precipitation for June 27

through July 3, followed by

the same for last year, were

as follows: June  $27 - 77^{\circ}$ ,  $58^{\circ}$ ,

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# Happiness Is Comprised of Many Keys

Sugar Grove

By Paula Mitchell

There is a secret to happiness. It is called gratitude. All happy people are grateful, and ungrateful people can't be happy. There are many things that play into this.

- •Character. One's character is defined by who one is when no one is looking. It sets the tone of one's life. Character is finding a wallet and returning every dollar in it. Character is telling someone that they have given too much change. Character is doing what's right when one doesn't want to.
- Humor. A sense of humor is being able to laugh at one's self, oftentimes it being the escape valve from much of life's difficult situations. Never allow the sense of humor to show at the expense of someone else's feelings.
- Confidence and humility. Don't be afraid to admit when one needs help. Be sure of one's self in whatever is said
- than the person next to one. Get to work early and stay late if that is what it takes. •Sports. As one gets older, sports become less important

•Work ethic. Work harder

- in life. Surround one's self with good people. •Health. Take good care of the body. There is only one per person. There are a lot of
- bad things done to the body, especially when young. •Temper. Control it. A temper out of control brings unhappiness. "Thank you,"
- I'm sorry" and "I love you" will bring happiness. •Honor. One's word is a personal promise that tells a
- friend or stranger that "you can trust me." A handshake of agreement should mean no less than one's signature. •Compassion. Care about
- people who are less fortunate. Have sympathy for those who are sad. Without compassion, the soul becomes cold and
- •God. There is a God and He always loves and watches over a person.
- •Spouse. The most important decision in one's life will be who one decides to marry. Look for someone who will be a life partner, through the

to Robert Wilfong (Feb. 14, 1892 - Feb. 1984).

good times and the bad times. Being happy is not a given in life. It is something that only one can seek for one's self. It will not just come. One has

Life's little instructions to make every day happier in-

- you to the sender of a gift, or money for a special occasion. It is the right thing to do.
- 2. Always put something in the collection plate.
- 3. Life will sometimes hand one a magical moment. Sa-
- a yard, or select a Christmas tree after dark.
- est standard.
- pick up a dime.

Intermittent showers have brought about sustainable growth to the gardens. Evenings are cooling down following days of sultry temperatures. Birds continue to chirp their symphonies, whilst cattle graze in the pasture. Dog Days will begin in a few days, and then dogs, and people, will become lazy. Pidge Anderson has been having a bountiful supply of tomatoes and cucumbers while Brenda Fisher got her first tomato and is enjoying several cucumbers.

"There are two kinds of people in the world. Givers

"I was taught that the way of progress was neither swift nor easy." — Marie Curie

"The average dog is a nicer person than the average per-

"An ounce of sauce covers a multitude of sins." — Anthony

softest, sweetest hearts. In other words, great dads are real marshmallows." — Richelle E. Goodrich

On these hot, sultry days, swinging on the porch swing "Talk of the Grove."

Margie and Ken Roberts found that the conditions are

very hot!! Over the fourth, they were celebrating this holiday with their son-inlaw's pinning ceremony in Albuquerque, New Mexico. He has now become a Lieutenant Colonel in the Air Force, a rescue helicopter pilot and instructor.

Cary Hevener retired July

1 from Tactical & Survival Specialties. This was the culmination of 40 years of a finance career. Cary started her career in public accounting at Deloitte Haskins & Sells in Pittsburgh, Pennsylvania. Her next steps were still in public accounting with Naron and Wagner in Hagerstown, Maryland, followed by a stint at McGladrey & Pullen in Harrisonburg, Virginia. Cary left public accounting for a controller position at Hartman Motor Sales followed by another controller position at Dynamic Aviation. Her final position was chief financial officer with Tactical & Survival Specialties. Congratulations, Cary! Hope the new journey is very exciting.

Little Stony Run has some celebrations going on. Ronnie and Christene Bowers have celebrated their 51st anniversary. Congratulations to this happy couple!

Motoring from Charlotte, North Carolina, to spend several days with Tom and Paula Mitchell were Janelle Mitchell, Destiny and Natalie.

Gary Simmons of Rawley Pike, Virginia, surprised his sister, Diana Kenny, with a 65th birthday party on June 26th, which happened to be her birthday, at Traditions Restaurant in Harrisonburg Virginia. It was enjoyed by family and friends and those who were unable to attend were greatly missed. Good job, Gary, for pulling off this

Recent visitors of Rosalee Grogg were Steven Grogg, Marleta and Junior Wimer, Terri Grogg and friend, Claude, Bill and Diane Kuykendall, Leana Leap and Clint and Addie Davis.

Phil Downs was a visitor of K.D. and Verla Puffenbarger this past week.

Nancy Enyart spent four days at Oceanview Beach with Mary Frances Wadsworth. The ladies had a fun and relaxing time.

This week's clickety-clacks for the chin waggers are as follows:

• Michelangelo took 4-1/2 years to paint the ceiling of the Sistine Chapel.

- Food canning began in the late 1700s when Napoleon offered a prize for a simple way to preserve food.
- The growl of the male howler monkey sounds like the roar of a lion. •In the summer about
- 500,000 tons of water plunge over the Niagara Falls every
- Whales shed tears to protect their eyes from the salt in

Other July birthdays include Dale Kile and Jordan Hevener, first; Asher Mauzy, third; Vicky Losh and James Ryan, fifth; Jimmy Rexrode, sixth; Patricia Rexrode, ninth; Blair Mitchell, Terry Ryan and Jerry Lambert, 12th; Bruce Smith, 13th; Deloris Simmons, 14th; Garry Harman and Janet Judy, 15th; Eberly Gumm, 16th; and Ken Wilfong, 17th.

Concerns for this week are many. They are as follows: Charles Anderson, Dinah Beverly, Bill Brackman, Scherry Chambers, Charlotte Copley, Jeff Craig, Jeff Evick, Lee Roy and Ina Evick, Mary Eye, Ron Gilkeson, Barry Gordon, Lola Graham, Marlene Harman, Ramona Harman, Steve and Armanda Heavner, Starr Hedrick, George Hevener, Gary and Jackie Hills, Rose Hinkle, Virgil Homan, Jr., Charlie Marie Hoover, Lorena Hoover, Myrtle Hoover, Bob Hurry, Alice Johnson, Richard Judy, Margaret Kiser, Rex Landis, Vickie Losh, Angela Lung, Linda Malcolm, Roger and Skip Mallow, Yvonne Marsh, Neil McLaughlin, Naomi Michael, Joe Moats, Lincoln Moore, Ernie Morgan, Aaron Nelson, Kathy Nelson, Ken and Ruth Nelson, Bennie Nesselrodt, Cheryl Paine, Sutton Parrack, Alda Propst, Betty Lou Propst, Kara Propst, Linda Propst, Sheldon Propst, Verla Puffenbarger, Pam Rexrode, Donna Ruddle, Bernie Sasscer, Barbara Simmons, Emily Simmons, Erin Simmons, Eva Simmons, Charlie Sites, Ona Smith, Stanna Smith, the Steve Smith family, the Berlie Sponaugle family, Patricia Swecker, Rosa Tichenor, Sandra Vandevander, Jack Vogel, Judy Waggy, the Dottie Warner family, Amby Waybright, Jr., Ron White, Judy Williams, Larry Wimer, Carol Windett and the people of Ukraine.

# WorkForce WV Warns **Residents About** Fraudulent Texts

WorkForce West Virginia warns that a fraudulent texting scam has been launched throughout West Virginia claiming to be associated with the Job Jumpstart Program. WorkForce officials have received reports of West Vir-

ginians receiving text alerts with the following message: WORKFORCE WEST VIRGINIA: Your Back-to-work payment of 4,200.00 is now available, click on <provided link> to receive payment."

WorkForce West Virginia does not send text messages to Job Jumpstart applicants or claimants.

Text messages like this are fraudulent and should not

be responded to or clicked on. The website included is also fraudulent and dangerous.

"The WorkForce West Virginia fraud unit is working diligently to stop this fraudulent text message from reaching more people," said Scott Adkins, commissioner of WorkForce West Virginia. "The WorkForce West Virginia fraud unit is coordinating with relevant authorities, and will continue to be vigilant for other schemes to defraud West Virginians."

To report fraud, schedule a call with WorkForce representative, or apply for the Job Jumpstart Program, visit www.workforcewv.org.

# WIC Partners with Dolly **Parton's Imagination Library**

The West Virginia Special Supplemental Nutrition Program for Women, Infants, and Children (WIC) is partnering with Dolly Parton's Imagination Library, a program that provides free books by mail to encourage early childhood literacy. In line with the CDC's Developmental Milestones, reading and engaging with children is important for brain, language and speech development. Children are eligible for WIC through the age of 5 years, aligning with the Imagination Library program duration.

Each year, as part of the Imagination Library, a panel of early childhood literacy experts reviews books for inclusion in the monthly Imagination Library mailing. The program mails free books to registered children from birth to age five, no matter their family's income.

The review panel focuses on specific themes and concepts including inspiration, imagination, love of reading and learning, regard for diversity, culture, promotion of self-esteem and confidence, as well as an appreciation of art and aesthetics. Book selections vary by age.

Register for the Imagination Library online at https://imaginationlibrary.com/check-availability/#selectedCountry=US or at a WV WIC clinic. Once registered, the Imagination Library will mail an age-appropriate book to the family each month, addressed to the child.



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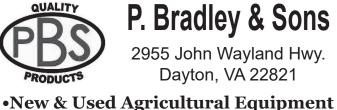
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5. Hold oneself to the high-

6. Don't stop the parade to

Quotes for the week are as

and takers. The takers may eat better, but the givers sleep better." — Marlo Thomas

son." — Andy Rooney

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# State Ends Fiscal Year With Collection Surplus

By Shawn Stinson

West Virginia lawmakers will have additional money to spend in the upcoming fiscal year.

The members of the Senate Finance Committee announced on July 1 the state had finished with nearly \$1.3 billion in tax revenue collected compared to estimates.

The state collected \$662.4 million in revenue in June, more than \$200 million above the estimate for the month. The final number for the 2021-22 fiscal year shows the state received nearly \$1.318 billion in revenues above the estimate in the

Dave Hardy, WV revenue secretary, predicted a strong finish to the fiscal year last month when he met with state lawmakers.

"We will be at least \$1.2 billion above projection for this fiscal year," Hardy said

on June 13. "Think about that for a minute. That's \$100 million a month on average that we have been above projection for the fiscal year we're wrapping up."

Gov. Jim Justice and state lawmakers have approved use of \$800 million of the revenue surplus in the next state budget. This will leave more than \$500 million to be available for other allocations. Hardy added there will be "a lot of decision-making that will need to be done."

Justice is expected to call a special session later this summer to address the additional revenue.

Severance tax collections spurred the revenue surplus. State officials estimated they would collect \$319.7 million in severance tax in the fiscal year. The actual tax collected during the 2021-22 fiscal year was nearly \$769 million – a difference of roughly \$450 million.

# Nesselrodt, DiFalco **Honored as Golden Horseshoe Winners**

Pendleton County Middle School students, Leah Nesselrodt and Mason DiFalco, were invited by the West Virginia Department of Education to attend the Golden Horseshoe Ceremony June 14 at the West Virginia Culture Center in Charleston.

Nesselrodt was knighted during the ceremony. The new Golden Horseshoe sword was designed by students at Musselman High School and forged by students at James Rumsey Technical Center in Berkeley County.

DiFalco was unable to attend the ceremony due to being on vacation.

The WVDE inducted the



Mason DiFalco

221 eighth-grade students as part of the 306th anniversary of the Golden Horseshoe legacy, recognizing them for their achievement in knowledge of West Virginia history.

"These students demonstrated both the resiliency and dedication required for this achievement," said W. Clayton Burch, state superintendent of schools. "The work ethic exemplified by this class is evidence that they will be incredible ambassadors for the Mountain State. I look forward to the many wonderful things they will achieve."



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# Teter and Pennington Earn SKSRT **Scholarships**

Emilee Teter, a 2022 graduate of Pendleton County High School, and Joshua Pennington, a 2022 graduate of Petersburg High School, were recipients of the annual scholarship provided by Spruce Knob Seneca Rocks Telephone. Presenting the scholarships was Robert Butler, SKSRT general manager. The \$500 scholarships are awarded to two graduating seniors whose parents or legal guardians are current customers of SKSRT.



Emilee Teter



Joshua Pennington

# Pendletonians Named to **WVU Honor** Lists

Twenty-one Pendleton County students were named to honor lists for the spring semester at West Virginia University in Morgantown.

Earning recognition on the

President's List were Colton Batson (sustainable food and farming major) and Hannah Knootz (nursing major), both of Brandywine, Reyenne Colaw (communication sciences and disorders major) of Circleville, Madison Evick (biology major), Lindsay Phares (education/human services major), Braelyn Young (elementary education major) and Kenton Young (electrical engineering major), all of Franklin, Bailey Thompson (engineering track 2 major) of Riverton, Sophia Harper (animal and nutritional sciences major) and Ryan Mitchell (civil engineering major), both of Sugar Grove, Kelsey Alt (health and well-being major) and Joshua Wagoner (exercise physiology major), both of Upper Tract. Named to the Dean's List

were Carrigan Hedrick (fashion, dress and merchandising major), Corinne Hedrick (psychology major) and Rachel Walls (nursing major), all of Brandywine, Lindsey Houck (elementary education major), Tiffany-Amber Perry (nursing major), Joelle Ruddle (child development and family studies major), Caylie Simmons (dental hygiene major), Kyle Evick (history major) of Morgantown and Jessica Stevens (political science major) of Seneca Rocks.

To be eligible for the President's List, students must attain a 4.0 grade point average. Students earning a 3.5 or higher GPA are named to the Dean's



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Capturing a gold ribbon with their "Fancy Shakes" presentation were, from left, Katie Keyser and Phoebe Pownell.

# 4-H'ers Excel at State Expo

Pendleton County 4-H members took the lead during the State Presentation and Speaking Expo, which was held virtually in 2022. During this contest, members could present, via YouTube or Padlet, a public speaking presentation, Power-Point or digital presentation or visual presentations, and recite the 4-H Creed. Members could turn in submissions in multiple categories, if they wished.

Vaylee Harper of the North Fork 4-H Club and Marion Williams of the Franklin Mountaineers 4-H Club both recited the 4-H Creed, which was written by an anonymous author and states the beliefs of 4-H members across the nation. Both Harper and Williams received at gold ribbon.

The State Presentation Expo consisted of six 4-H members who created their presentations, recorded themselves giving the presentations, and submitted their videos on YouTube for the contest. Participating in this year's contest were Cole Harper, Katie Keyser, Phoebe Pownell, Ross Pownell, Vivian Pownell and Marion Williams. Keyser and Phoebe Pownell

teamed up for a presentation titled "Fancy Shakes," which won them a gold ribbon. Vivian Pownell also won a gold ribbon with her presentation "The Felting Chick." Ross Pownell won a blue ribbon with his "Kitchen Sink Science" presentation. Harper and Williams submit-

ted PowerPoint presentations to the contest. Harper discussed "West Virginia University Football: Origin, History, and Impact." Williams showed her love for volcanoes in her presentation called "Don't You Lava Volcanoes?!" Harper earned a red ribbon with Williams receiving a white ribbon.

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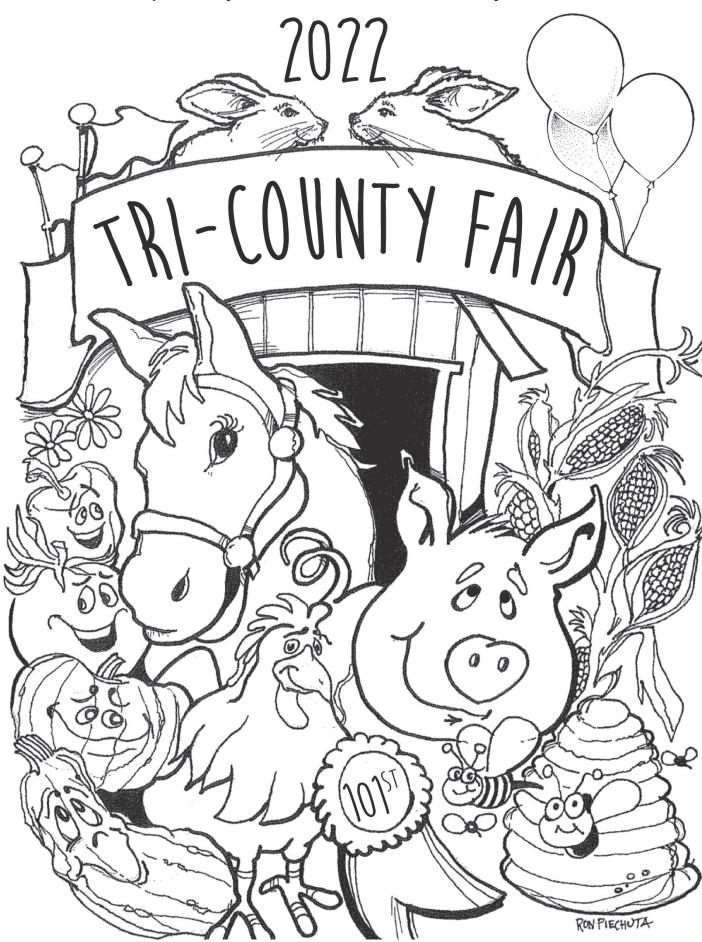
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Thirteen Pendleton County 4-H members participated in the 2022 West Virginia Purebred Sheep Breeders Association Sheep and Goat Judging event June 4 at the Tri-County Fairgrounds in Petersburg.

Four-H'ers judged four live animal classes - market lambs, ram lambs, breeding ewes and breeding does. In addition to the live classes, there were four other identification classes - meat and carcass cuts, breeds, forages and equipment.

Participating in the contest were Hannah Heavner, Katie Heavner, Lydia Heavner, Tia Heavner, Ty Heavner, Kallie Keyser, Katie Keyser, Alanna Miller, Jameigh Miller, Phoebe Pownell, Ross

Pownell, Aiden Whetzel and flock. Tia Heavner and Ross Marion Williams.

Lydia Heavner participated in the senior contest as an individual, while three teams participated in the junior contest. Pendleton Team #1, which consisted of Katie Heavner, Ty Heavner, Jameigh Miller, and Phoebe Pownell, placed first in the junior competition. Ty Heavner placed first over all with Phoebe Pownell placing eighth overall. Pendleton Team #2, consisting of Tia Heavner, Katie Keyser, Alanna Miller and Aiden Whetzel, placed third over-

Katie Keyser was presented the Young Shepherd Award, which gave her extra money to help grow her Pownell both received \$75 in credit towards the sale.

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