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North Fork Senior Center to Shut Down



North Fork Senior Center serving the community since 1973 will close its doors on Sept. 30.

By Ammie Ruddle

The North Fork Senior Center, a resource for families and seniors, will be closing its doors on Sept. 30. Until then all services at the site will continue.

More than 20 people, including Janice Lantz, the executive director of the Pendleton Senior and Family Services Inc., attended the meeting Aug. 17 to learn the status of the North Fork site.

Among those that attended the meeting were Larry Arbaugh and David Sponaule who utilize the site frequently for socialization.

Sponaule left in the middle of the meeting because he was “angry and frustrated.” He said, “They have money for what they want and not what we need.”

The North Fork Senior Center closure has remained a topic of discussion on the board’s agenda since early 2019 when the agency started experiencing financial difficulties.

According to Lantz, the operating costs including salaries have been cut across the entire agency as much as possible during the past four years to bring the organization back into good financial standing, while maintaining the quality and levels of services provided to the community and also maintaining the buildings.

“As an alternative to a congregate site setting, we will offer a grab and go meal to our regular congregate participants,” Lantz said. “These meals will be available Monday, Wednesday and Friday for half an hour. Additional details will be sent out to the regular participants as the final schedule and arrangements are made.”

The North Fork congregate site makes up 6.29% of the meals served, while the Franklin congregate site makes

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The 2022 Farming Heritage Award was presented to the Mallow family of Upper Tract. Family members attending the State Fair of West Virginia to receive the award were, from left, front row, Everett and Ezra Boner; middle row, Easton Boner, Linda Mallow and Cassie and Eleanor Boner; and back row, Cindie and Philip Mallow, Kent Leonhardt (commissioner of agriculture), Charles Wilfong (farm bureau president) and Adam Boner. Family members not pictured are Fred Mallow, Sharon Morford and Donald Mallow.

Mallow Family Earns Farm Heritage Award

The Mallow family of Upper Tract was recognized as the 2022 Farm Heritage Award winner Aug. 18 at the State Fair of West Virginia.

This distinguished award is presented to a family that has strived to maintain its rural lifestyle by contributing to the community, serving as role models, dedicating time to efficient agricultural production, and maintaining the upkeep of their farm through generations.

A luncheon was held in the family’s honor, at which time Charles Wilfong, president of West Virginia Farm Bureau, presented the award.

WV Department of Agriculture Commissioner Kent Leonhardt joined dignitaries from the State Fair of West Virginia acknowledging the family’s accomplishment. The WV Farming Heritage Award is sponsored by the West Virginia Farm Bureau and the State Fair of West Virginia.

The family received an engraved stone by Stone Signs, LLC to signify the honor.

While portions of the farm have been in the family since 1884, it was during Morris and Sue Mallow’s 72 years of marriage that Mallow

Farms in Upper Tract expanded its acreage tremendously with the help of their four children, Sharon, Donald, Bill and Fred.

In the early 1970s, Donald started a hog operation that grew substantially over the years. He also inherited his grandad’s, O.R. Mallow’s, herd of sheep, which he and wife, Linda, grew into a much larger flock. The farm was also involved in the trucking industry for several decades. Today, Fred continues to drive trucks for the farm, mainly hauling corn and cattle, when he’s

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Pendleton County BOE Adopts State Policy Updates

By Natasha Wilson



Pendleton County Schools’ new personnel for the 2022-2023 school year are, from left, front row, Lisa Roberson, Linda Hedrick, Amy Gardiner, Maria Pomaes, Lea Jones and Hannah Bailey; and back row, Lindsey Propst, Bobby Keesecker, Jessica Groves, Joshua Persson, Jade Saul and Matthew Barcus. Not pictured are Josie VanMeter and Franklin Myers.

Several new policies were reviewed and unanimously approved at the Aug. 16 Pendleton County Board of Education meeting. Among the new policies, security cameras are now required in all special education classrooms, with random reviews by school personnel and right to review by parents.

All board members were present for the meeting, either in person or by tele-conference.

Nicole Hevener, associate superintendent, announced the employment of seven individuals. The board members unanimously approved Christopher Wilburn, elementary health and physical education teacher at Franklin Elementary School; Heidi Davis, third-grade teacher at Brandywine Elementary School; Pat Alt, accountant, secretary and medication administrator at Pendleton County Middle/High School; Trisha Knicely, kindergarten early childhood classroom assistant teacher at BES; Dolly Rexrode, substitute aide, substitute cook and substitute custodian for Pendleton County Schools; Amber Nesselrodt, substitute secretary for PCS; and Vicki Hammer, substitute secretary for PCS.

Hevener also requested and was granted permission to

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Additional new personnel are, from left, Luke Cooper, Trey Cooper and Amy Wimer.

McCoy Siblings Exhibit Top Market Lambs



Brothers, Braden and Billy McCoy of Franklin, exhibited the grand champion and reserve champion market lambs, respectively, at the 97th annual State Fair of West Virginia in Lewisburg. More information about Pendleton youth exhibiting animals at the state fair can be found on page 3.

Pendleton County Receives \$4.8 Million In Broadband Awards

By Natasha Wilson

The biggest buzz between the Pendleton County Commission and the Pendleton County Board of Education meetings on Aug. 16 was approximately \$4.8 million in broadband awards to the county.

Pendleton County received awards from multiple agencies to fund vital projects in the region. From stated agency sources, Lingo Networks received approximately \$2.6 million to extend the county’s broadband system. The funding came from the Line Extension Advancement and Development program (LEAD). Another grand decision from the GigReady program is pending.

The county worked with the West Virginia Department of Economic Development, the West Virginia Broadband Enhancement Council and the state broadband office to secure funding.

The federal government awarded

nearly \$2.3 million to the A + Partners in Education, a consortium combining the efforts of Pendleton County Schools and Pendleton County Library. Funding will come from the Federal Communications Commission’s, Emergency Connectivity Fund or ECF.

J.P. Mowery, business manager/treasurer for PCS, said, “This commitment from ECF is another tremendous opportunity for Pendleton County. It is truly staggering to think about the progress the county has made within the past 12 months regarding improving broadband for county citizens.”

According to Mowery, broadband council members, particularly EDA Executive Director Laura Brown and Pendleton County Emergency Services Coordinator Rick Gillespie, continue to deserve much credit for their dedicated work behind the scenes in making these applications for funding look as attrac-

tive as possible to funding agencies. One of the review documents sent during the review process was more than 80 pages.

He added, “This project has the potential to drastically improve broadband access for hundreds of households in Pendleton County. While we are extremely grateful for this commitment, there is much work to be done with Internet Service Providers (ISP’s) to work through the many details and regulations for this implementation.”

Lingo Networks of Staunton, Virginia, was the only provider who responded to the county’s request for the LEAD extension and will begin building the broadband network for Pendleton County as soon as the contract is received from the state office. Lingo Networks and Shentel were both grant recipients for ECF. The project is slated to be completed in August 2023.

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OBITUARIES

Mary Rose Hinkle



Mary Rose Hinkle, 78, of Marlinton went to be with the Lord on Aug. 14, 2022, at Henrico Doctors Hospital in Richmond, Virginia, just four days shy of her birthday, and after a period of declining health.

She was born Aug. 18, 1943, at Cherry Grove and was a daughter of the late Vernon and Hilda Gordon of Pendleton County.

She was a member of the 1961 Franklin High School graduating class.

Rose was very proud of her work history. At the age of 18, she worked as a secretary for Ford Motor Company in Franklin, and later as a waitress at George's in Harrisonburg, Virginia. She then took a job as secretary at Franklin Elementary School where she worked until the birth of her first child. After several years of being an awesome stay-at-home mom, she went back into the work force with Pocahontas Construction Company in Marlinton once she was certain her boys could make their own breakfast before school and fend for themselves in the afternoons. For the construction company, she worked on a road paving crew as a certified nuclear compaction technician, a certification that filled her with much satisfaction.

On June 23, 1962, she married the love of her life, Ralph J. Hinkle, and they shared 57 wonderful years together until his death in 2019.

The couple had many adventures together, not the least of which was raising two boys. From riding motorcycles and snowmobiles, to camping and hunting, they were always together and always on the go. They enjoyed country, gospel and bluegrass music and were faithful followers of Juanita Fireball and the Continental Drifters.

She was an active member of the Huntersville United Methodist Church.

She loved her extended family of many brothers-in-law and sisters-in-law, nieces and nephews, her church family at Huntersville United Methodist and many, many friends. She was a generous woman and will be missed very much.

Surviving are two sons, Patrick Hinkle and wife, Eliza of Sylva, North Carolina, and Michael Hinkle and wife, Melinda of Mechanicsville, Virginia; six grandchildren (blessings), Tyler, John, Tori, Sallie, Janie, and Derek; a brother, Terry Gordon and wife, Judy of Circleville; and a special "rent-a-kid," Brooke Padgett of Mineral, Virginia. She was also preceded in death by a brother, Rodger Gordon; and a sister, Judy Propst.

A funeral service was held Friday at the Kimble Funeral Home in Marlinton with Pastor Sam Felton officiating. A graveside service was held Saturday at the North Fork Memorial Cemetery in Riverton with Pastor Jason Felici officiating.

Memorials may be made to the Huntersville United Methodist Church, 471 Burr Valley Road, Marlinton, WV 24954.

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

Kitty Ann (Landis) Simmons



Kitty Ann (Landis) Simmons, 87, widow of Blaine L. Simmons, went to her heavenly home on Aug. 18, 2022.

She was born May 27, 1935, in Riverton, a daughter of the late Ralph M. and Mary Kerlin (Sponaugle) Landis.

Mrs. Simmons graduated from Franklin High School in 1953.

She had been living at The Retreat at Fishersville. She gave her heart to Jesus in October of 1962 and has been a faithful servant since that time. She loved reading, spending time with family and holidays.

She was married for 66 years until her husband's death in December 2019.

Surviving are two sons and daughters-in-law, Richard and wife, Mary, and David and wife, Tammy; two daughters, Victoria Wiseman and Teresa Garber, with significant other, Wayne Wilfong; six grandchildren, Angela and Matthew Wiseman, Ryan (Jenna) Simmons, Joshua (Anna Ruth) Simmons, Nicole Simmons and Whitley Simmons and fiancé, Derek Shiflett; seven great-grandchildren, Cody (Brittany) Wiseman, Tori (Walton) Sprouse, Tristan Wiseman and fiancé, Cassandra Teter, Aedan Wiseman and Chase, Audrie, and Liliana Simmons; four great-great-grandchildren, Carson and Hudson Wiseman and Sammy and Parker Spouse; a daughter-in-law, Sharon Masincup; five brothers and sisters-in-law, Ralph, Jr. (Jane), Jimmie, Robert (Wanda), Olin (Elaine), and Larry (Lyn) Landis; a sister, Dolly Jean Nilsen; an aunt, Idelta Lambert; and many nieces and nephews.

She was also preceded in death by a son, Roger Lee Simmons; four brothers, Morris "Buster", Charles, Paul and John Landis; and a sister, Mary Ann Landis.

A celebration of life was held Monday in the Coffman Funeral Home Chapel with Pastor Jim Lundy officiating. Burial followed in Oaklawn Memory Gardens.

Active Pallbearers were Brian Landis, Jerry Paul Landis, Ryan Simmons, Joshua Simmons, Jerry Propst, Cody Wiseman and Tristan Wiseman.

Condolences may be expressed to the family online at www.coffmanfuneralhome.net.

Coffman Funeral Home and Crematory in Staunton, Virginia, was in charge of her arrangements.

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Commissioners Approve Members to Three Local Boards

By Natasha Wilson

Storms, touring opportunities, broadband funding and more, stirred discussion at the most recent Pendleton County Commission meeting.

Two of the three commissioners – Gene McConnell and Carl Hevener – were present at the Aug. 16 meeting at the Pendleton County Courthouse.

Rick Gillespie, county emergency services coordinator, and the commissioners continued their conversation about potential flooding in the area due to high incidents of rain fall and current ground saturation levels. The county remains watchful for any signs of flooding in the area.

Laura Brown, director of the Economic Development Authority, announced the award of \$4.8M in grant funding to Pendleton County to bring broadband services to the area, with an anticipated project end date of August 2023.

Brown and the commissioners also discussed the separation of the Pendleton County Convention and Pendleton County Visitors Bureau from the Pendleton County Chamber of Commerce. Until recently the two entities had worked together as one unit, an uncommon occurrence in our state, but have recently voted to officially separate and operate independently of each other within the bounds of their own separate bylaws.

McConnell, president of the County Commission, expanded on the CVB and Chamber of Commerce separation, explaining that the CVB would be working closely alongside the EDA with a significant commitment to acquiring and incubating new businesses. A board is being established for the newly separated CVB; one member will be appointed by the county commission, one member by the Town of Franklin, and then five additional members will form the required seven-person board.

McConnell remarked on the state's unprecedented investment in tourism; highlighting marketing efforts throughout the state intended to drive the local tourism industry and promote outdoor activities such as hiking and rock climbing.

Tina Eye, president of the Pendleton County Emergency Rescue Squad, and the commissioners began a conversation about ways in which the Pendleton County Emergency Rescue Squad could become more effective in the area. Follow up meetings are being scheduled so the conversation can progress into the actions needed to make effective change.

The commissioners unanimously approved the appointment of three members to local boards: Janice Lantz, board of health; J.P. Mowery, Economic Development Authority; and Shannon Donnelly, board of parks.

The commissioners also without dissenting vote or comment approved the estate settlements, exonerations, and fiduciary appointments.

The minutes from the Aug. 2 meeting were accepted unanimously by the commissioners. The next meeting is scheduled for 9 a.m. Sept. 6 at the Pendleton County Courthouse.

Community CALENDAR

PVCD Board To Meet Aug. 31

The Potomac Valley Conservation District board meeting will be held at 7 p.m. Aug. 31 at the Farm Credit building, 550 S. Main Street in Moorefield. The meeting agenda will be available three days

prior to the meeting on the district website at www.wvca.us/district/pvcd.cfm or by contacting the Romney office at 304-822-5174. The public is invited to participate.

Revised PCMS Wildcat Football Schedule

Aug. 31	Romney	.....	6:30 (H)
Sept. 7	Tygarts Valley	.....	6:30 (H)
21	Pocahontas Co.	.....	6:30 (A)
28	Moorefield	.....	6:30 (A)
Oct. 5	East Hardy	.....	6:30 (H)
12	Capon Bridge	.....	4:00 (A)
19	Petersburg	.....	6:30 (H)

Emmanuel Chapel

CHICKEN BBQ

Saturday, August 27

Ready at 9 a.m.

Town Parking Lot - Main Street

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Raffle Winners!

- Gun—Chris Reel, Sugar Grove
- Gun—Jack Bowers, Sugar Grove
- \$20—Lucinda Harper, Brandywine
- \$20—Jeff Moats, Brandywine

88th Annual Alt & Kimble Reunion

Sunday, August 28

Old Judy Church

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Morning Church Service - 10:30 a.m.

Music by "Raw Country" beginning at 12:30 p.m.

Refreshments Ice Cream Door Prizes

Everyone Welcome!

Limited Resources, Just One of the Obstacles

By Ammie Ruddle

With resources limited to schools and school sanctioned activities, residents turn to self-care to address mental health issues.

According to Jamie Hudson, chief executive officer of Pendleton Community Care, PCC offers integrated behavioral health services; however, there are more specialized behavioral health services that need to be referred out and those services are difficult because specialized behavioral health services including long term therapy can have long wait lists for patients to get access.

Janice Lantz, the executive director for Pendleton Senior and Family Services Inc. said, "Many residents are referred to one place, such as DHHR (Department of Health and Human Resources) only to be told they can't help. Then they are referred to someone else who refers them to another place, and by this point many residents give up."

Longtime resident, Jennifer Taylor-Ide, a behavioral health specialist with decades of experience in the county, discussed the various mental health issues not being addressed. These issues include multi-generational trauma, the physical and emotional safety for the healthy development of children, social media's influence on children and families, diet and nutrition and even lack of sleep.

Taylor-Ide discussed recommendations to address these issues using resources already within the county. "First and foremost, I think that we need to pivot our thinking from an over-focus on individual service, which is staff intensive, to a more universal mindset," she added. "This would involve significantly increasing a wide variety of training for local

professionals such as teachers and health care workers, parents, law enforcement and community members in general."

Other recommendations included having programs available to address universal healthy development, broadening the engagement opportunities available to people of ages so they can find ways to contribute, grow, and participate with others. "This is especially important for young people," Taylor-Ide said.

Taylor-Ide added, "We need to find some way to staff competent, individual counseling services over time, to meet the needs of those who are willing to tackle their challenges directly for as long as it may take. We have school counseling and limited-session counseling, but do not have adequate places to refer people who are identified as needing additional care."

The largest obstacle the county faces, according to Taylor-Ide, is the encouragement for a community where people feel safe to speak up, seek assistance and learn.

Note: Article two in the Mental Health series.

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FRIDAY, AUGUST 26

Pork Roast/Gravy

Mashed Potatoes

Green Beans

Fruit/Birthday Cake

MONDAY, AUGUST 29

Cheeseburger/

Lettuce/Tomato/Onion

French Fries

Macaroni Salad

Watermelon

TUESDAY, AUGUST 30

COOK'S CHOICE

WEDNESDAY, AUGUST 31

Spaghetti/Meat Sauce

Limas

Garlic Bread

Fruit Cocktail

Meals served daily at the Franklin center from 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.

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Pendleton Exhibitors Excel at State Fair

Fourteen Pendleton County youth loaded their hog, lambs or cattle unto trailers and headed for livestock shows held during the 97th annual State Fair of West Virginia in Lewisburg.

"The youth participating in livestock shows at the state fair excelled on the state level and made Pendleton proud," commented Kami Keyser.

McCoy siblings, Braden and Billy, captured top honors in the market lamb show. Braden McCoy exhibited the grand champion market lamb while Billy McCoy showed the reserve grand champion market lamb. Braden McCoy also showed the third overall market lamb and was named the champion senior sheep showman and champion master sheep showman.

Aubriana Holloway exhibited the champion heavy weight feeder steer. She also showed a market lamb.

The reserve champion all other breeds heifer was exhibited by Trina Mallow. She also showed a market lamb and a market steer.

Bailee Kiger showed the third overall breeding heifer.

Ty Heavner received several awards: reserve champion junior sheep showman, fifth overall junior sheep premier exhibitor, fifth overall junior goat exhibitor and seventh overall junior goat showman.

Tia Heavner captured fifth overall in both the junior sheep and junior goat showmanship contests.

Katie Keyser earned several awards: reserve champion novice sheep showman. Overall high junior premier sheep exhibitor and overall high junior skill-a-thon winner.

Kallie Keyser placed third overall in the novice sheep showmanship and was named fourth overall junior premier sheep exhibitor.

Showing a hog and a goat,



Tia Heavner



Trina Mallow



Marissa Hoover



Aubriana Holloway



Bailee Kiger



Ty Heavner



Kallie Keyser



Aiden Whetzel



Reagan Atkins



Katie Keyser



Gracie Hedrick

Marissa Hoover was the third overall senior goat exhibitor and placed sixth overall in the senior goat showmanship.

Reagan Atkins placed third overall in the novice goat showmanship contest.

Aiden Whetzel was 11th overall in the novice sheep showmanship event.

Exhibiting a market steer was Lindsey Smith, and Ethan Kile showed market lambs.

The Mountain State Show Series also had an award ceremony during the fair. Participants must show in five of nine sponsored events throughout the summer to qualify for awards. Pendleton exhibitors in the various shows throughout the summer were Billy McCoy, Braden McCoy, Tia Heavner, Ty Heavner, Gracie Hedrick, Aubriana Holloway, Katie Keyser, Kallie Keyser, Brynleigh Ruddle, Aiden Whetzel and Colton Whetzel.

Winning awards for the Mountain State Show Series were the following:

Senior sheep showman – Billy McCoy, reserve overall, and Braden McCoy – third overall;

Junior sheep showman – Ty Heavner, reserve overall, and Katie Keyser – fifth overall;

PeeWee sheep showman – Gracie Hedrick, third overall; and

Junior goat showman – Tia Heavner, fifth overall.

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West Virginia Offers Many Wonders

Sugar Grove

By Paula Mitchell

Pendleton County is one of 55 counties in West Virginia. As is the case of all states, and counties, there is much to enjoy in West Virginia. A jogger, using a leisurely pace, can travel across West Virginia in less than an hour at Weirton, never leaving the city limits. There, the Ohio and Pennsylvania borders lie only 5 miles apart.

West Virginia is the only state having two panhandles, Northern and Eastern, with Pendleton County being at the very bottom of the Eastern Panhandle. West Virginia is the only state that lies entirely within the Appalachian Mountain range. Although rich in natural resources like coal, natural gas, and hardwood timber, the state has one of the nation's lowest per capita income rates. The state offers outdoor lovers some of the largest expanses of public land, in the east, including one million acres of national forest land.

West Virginia has spawned "Barney Fife" actor Don Knotts, The Good Earth author and Nobel Laureate, Pearl S. Buck, John Forbes Nash (the game theory genius of A Beautiful Mind), the game show host of Hollywood Squares, Peter Marshall, Brad Paisley, Jerry West, Kathy Mattea, Mary Lou Retton, Steve Harvey and Chuck Yeager to name a few. This beautiful area offers some of the nation's best hiking, fishing, mountain biking, rock climbing, caving, skiing and whitewater rafting.

It would make for a long day's drive, but in West Virginia it's possible to go to Berlin, Cuba, Congo, London, Glasgow, Ottawa, Yukon, Vienna, Ireland, Burma, Rangoon and Cairo. Then there is Peru, Palestine, Shanghai, Port Rico, Venus, Sun, Pluto, Vulcan and Red Star.

Pendleton County boasts of having the highest peak in the state, Spruce Knob. The panorama seen there, on a clear day, is awesome. The streams are clear which adds to the sport of fishing.

West Virginia is a patriotic, friendly and church-going state. That said, if one visits here, one will be welcome and not be a stranger very long.

West Virginia is a beautiful state with beautiful people residing here.

Life's little instructions include the following:

1. Walk away from judgmental people, and those who keep a person down.
2. Wave to children riding the bus.
3. There are two kinds of people in this world - givers and takers. Which is one?
4. Stop for buses that are transporting precious cargo.
5. Be kind to everyone a person meets.

Has anyone kept up with the number of fogs in August? Has anyone noticed how high the hornet's nests are? And the wooly worms? This coming winter should be very interesting. Dog Days were over Aug. 11, and the showers have begun to be enjoyed by all the residents. Many folks in Pendleton County watch nature as a means for forecasting the weather. Sitting on the porch swing is a good place to hear the "Talk of the Grove."

Charles and Pidge Anderson had some visitors, Herbert

and Lois Lam. This was the first time they have been to visit since Herbert had his stroke in the spring. The Andersons enjoyed seeing them.

Bill and Donna Arrington, along with many others, celebrated Brody Whitlock's seventh birthday Saturday at the VFW park. Brody is the son of Tiffany and Bruce Whitlock. A water slide was set up with lots of pizza and cake.

It is official. Congratulations to Nikki Cook and Hunter McConnell who tied the knot on Saturday.

Ed Rader of Davis and Bill Berlin of Arlington, Virginia, were visitors and enjoyed a luncheon last Thursday in the home of Willard and Judy Rader.

The 71st Noah Eckard reunion was held Sunday at Oakdale Park in Bridgewater, Virginia. Everyone enjoyed the fellowship and all the delicious food.

Rhonda Nash enjoyed two birthday celebrations recently. She had lunch one day at Olive Garden with Helen, Vickie Nash and friend, Jenny O'Neil, both of Fredericksburg, Virginia. The next day she had dinner at the Valley Smokehouse with Helen and niece, Myah Hidalgo, who spent the weekend before returning home to Richmond, Virginia.

Beautiful weather was on the agenda as Judy Costello and Janet Judy accompanied their mother, Evelyn Varner, to Bath, New York. It was there they visited with Evelyn's brother, Ona Smith, and his family, before returning home Saturday evening.

Recent visitors of Rosalee Grogg were Marleta Wimer, Leana Leap, Hendrix Bogan, Madison Grogg, Anthony and Asher Mauzy, Steven Grogg and Kim Evick.

The Sugar Grove Lions Club held its annual family night picnic Friday evening. A delicious dinner was enjoyed by all in attendance.

Phil Downs visited with K.D. and Verla Puffenbarger this past week.

Quotes for the week are as follows:

"Anyone who does anything to help a child is a hero to me." — Mister Rogers

"The best thing you could probably do as a father is make sure they see how much you love their mother." — Matthew McConaughey

"Children must be taught how to think, not what to think." — Margaret Meade

"Children want the same things we want. To laugh, to be challenged, to be entertained, and delighted." — Dr. Seuss.

"I wish you a world of happiness, my dear child. Have a lovely time in school." — the writer.

This week's clickety-clacks for the chin waggars are the following:

• The first motorcycles, invented about 100 years ago, were powered by steam engines.

• In Italy, volcanoes are used as a source of electric power

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• Most spiders have eight eyes, while others have no eyes at all.

• In Venice, all gondolas, except those of high officials, must be painted black.

• A flea's 13-inch jump is equivalent to a man bounding the length of two football fields.

Concerns for this week are many, and they are as follows: Charles Anderson, Lynn Beatty, the Earl Bible family, Bill Brackman, Scherry Chambers, Charlotte Copley, Jeff Craig, Ralph Dunkle, Jeff Evick, Lee Roy and Ina Evick, Mary Eye, Ron Gilkeson, Barry Gordon, Lola Graham, Marlene Harman, the Anita Frances Harper family, Steve and Armanda Heavner, Starr Hedrick, George Hevener, Gary and Jackie Hills, the Rose Hinkle family, Virgil Homan, Jr., Charlie Marie Hoover, Keith Hoover, Lorena Hoover, Myrtle Hoover, Enos Horst, Bob Hurry, Alice Johnson, Richard Judy, Melissa Lambert, Robin and Kitty Lambert, Robert Lambert, Rex Landis, Angela Lung, Linda Malcolm, Betty Mallow, 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, Ronnie Pitsenbarger, Wanda Pitsenbarger, the Billy Pratt family, Alda Propst, Betty Lou Propst, Kara Propst, Kathy Propst, Linda Propst, Marilyn Propst, Sheldon Propst, Pam Rexrode, Donna Ruddle, Bernie Sasscer, Barbara Simmons, Emily Simmons, Erin Simmons, Eva Simmons, Robbie Sites, Ona Smith, Stanna Smith, Patricia Swecker, Rosa Tichenor, Sandra Vandevander, Jack Vogel, Judy Waggy, Ron White, Judy Williams and Larry Wimer.



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Antiques: Two Schwinn bicycles (excellent condition), porch glider, Pepsi barrels, cloth Pepsi bottle carrier, metal Pepsi bottle carrier, metal Coca Cola carrier, Electrolux vacuum, wooden wardrobe, older wooden rocker, embroidered pillow cases, farm table, wooden bench, draw knife with folding handles, wooden block plane, spoke shave, plumb hatchet, scribes, old carpenters chest, apple crate, oyster cans, wash tubs, ringer washer, double tub washer, 68 Volkswagon parts, old books, old license plates, blue jars, old salt shakers, stone jugs, enamel pan, porcelain pitcher, White House vinegar jug, aluminum lunch box, bail jars, food mixer, medicine bottles, milk glass, Redwing ware, old soda bottles, Big Wheel toy (never assembled), child rocker, old baby dolls, old toys, Tonka toys, kerosene jug, carpenter tool box, Queen city milk bottle, Potomac Farms milk bottle, Copper Kettle (excellent shape), black iron kettle, ladle, Imperial ice cream tin, Keyser milk bottle, milk bottle carriers, gulf sprayer, old metal roller skates, cabinet sewing machine, records, cabinet radio, Zenith radio, Guardian ware and yard sticks.

Household: Refrigerator, kerosene heater, air purifier, air conditioner, recliner, armchairs, couch, end stands, bed and chest drawers, vanity with mirror, Kirby vacuum, Corelle ware, canning jars, VCR, lava lamp, baby stroller, baby changing table and metal highchair.

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Senior Center

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up 33.75%. The rest of the meals served are home delivered to clients in both the Franklin and North Fork areas. This fiscal year (Oct. 1, 2021 to July 31) has received a total number of reimbursement amounts of \$26,298 from funding sources for the congregate meal program. The funding covers both Franklin and North Fork sites.

Arbaugh discussed what the program needs as well as what the program means to individuals who participate in it. "What we need is a cook. If we had a cook, the numbers would go up," he said. "This place is like a support group for us."

According to Lantz, the total cost of operating the North Fork site alone for the same time period is \$27,031. This number includes the costs for only the North Fork salaries, including the North Fork site coordinator, raw food, disposables, and building operating costs.

One attendee in the crowd suggested administrative costs could be to blame and should be cut.

"This number does not reflect any administrative costs," Lantz said.

Another individual asked, "What is the plan for the building?"

Lantz said, "At this time we have no plans for the building; there are no plans to sell the building. We would like to look for alternative ways to support the building, maybe through alternative funding or grants, allowing us to reopen in the future."

However, Sponaugle questioned if utilities would continue to be paid and the heat remained on through the cold months. "If they are not shutting off the utilities then why can't we continue to meet here?"

"We come here for the fellowship. We can eat at home," Arbaugh added.

Citizens attending the meeting asked to extend the closure until COVID is no longer an issue.

"Numbers at North Fork were already falling prior to COVID. It can no longer be justified to keep this building operating for approximately eight regular participants," Lantz added.

Several members of the program questioned why PSFSI would hire someone to maintain landscaping and lawn, when members of the program were originally caring for the grounds. One member said it was a wasted expense.

While another, who wished to remain anonymous, said, "Why did we get a print out of Franklin expenses to prepare for the North Fork meeting?"

Others wanted to know why the board members weren't fighting for them and how they can justify figures during COVID when the building was not in use.

PSFSI is working to restructure home meal routes to accommodate people who will no longer have access to the nutrition site. "We are doing this so that we can continue to assist individuals with nutritional needs," Lantz said.

While one anonymous member of the program said, "It was an agenda--that's it--an agenda that excludes the people."

Remembering Army Vet Mason Harper

By Charles Teter

Adding to the list of "Unsung Heroes," who left for war as boys and came back as men, is a bit of information on Mason Harper from the North Fork area.

Before the U.S. entered World War II, it had just come out of an economic depression. People had no jobs, no money and the young men, who were 18 years of age, enlisted so their families would have money.

I also found out in my research that a lot joined the Paratroopers or the Air Force. They received a \$25 per month stipend.

At this period of time, patriotism and religion were very important to family lives. There are stories where men walked 60 miles to enlist into the service.

Mason served in the South Pacific, earning two Bronze Stars, Combat Infantry Badge and no wounds. He was a front man for his squad. Someone asked why he wasn't wounded, and he stated they always let the first man go through and then ambushed the middle.

He told a story once that it was raining, and he was in a fox hole. All of a sudden, a Japanese soldier jumped in with him. No one got

shot, because Mason said, "I could look in his eye and tell he wasn't going to shoot me, and the Japanese soldier could tell I wasn't going to shoot him."

After Mason finished his tour in the South Pacific, he was brought back to Oakland, California. He told the company commander he would like to see a professional baseball game. The company commander took the whole company of men to see a professional baseball game. Mason was right; that was the only professional game he ever saw.

Mason returned home, married and had a family.



Mason Harper

He worked hard until he passed away at a ripe old age.

Mallow Family

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not looking after many other aspects. Together, he and Donald both continue to work full-time as owners and partners of Mallow Farms, and Sharon tends to the record keeping and office management.

While Donald's four children, Michael, Phillip, Cassie and Zebulun, all grew up working and helping with the farming operations, currently his middle son, Phillip, works full time on the farm. Son-in-law, Adam Boner, also helps out each day with anything needed, especially with record keeping of the cattle. Donald's three grandsons, Easton, Everett, and Ezra Boner, help their pawpaw, ride-along in whatever piece of equipment they can con their way into and care for the many animals, as well.

Through the years, the farm has seen many changes, developments, and additions. What once started



Overhead view of the Mallow Farm

simply as a common way of life for that time period, has evolved into the sole occupation for several family members. Today, the farming operations consists of cow/calf, stockers, finishing cattle and row crops in both Pendleton and Grant counties.

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PENDLETON MANOR



Hartman Descendants Gather for Annual Two-Day Event

On a very hot and humid day, July 23, the descendants and friends of the late Isaac and Lucy Vandevander Hartman gathered for their annual two-day reunion, July 23 and 24. Despite the 93° weather, everyone was ready to go on the hayride, as well as side-by-sides. This year's ride went to the beautiful property owned by Preston and Joan Simmons, which was the former homeplace of Woodrow Hartman, and to the Hartman Family Cemetery on the farm of the late Bill Hartman. The tractors were furnished by Lynn Warner and Larry Armentrout with Matt Pennybacker furnishing two wagons. Tractors were driven by Adam Hott and Seth Chapman.

The blessing for the evening meal was given by Jennifer Huffman Dudley. Despite a storm of high winds and rain, all of the attendees stayed calm. Family and friends were able to get in line for the food, which consisted of hot dogs and pork and was prepared by Jasper, Jay, Jacob and Jed Hartman and Joseph Calhoun. Family members were assigned side dishes for Saturday.

Evening entertainment, which was to be provided by Mika and Tiffany (Hartman) Ah Loe and family, was canceled due to the rain.

The attendance for the first day was 141.

On July 24, Garry Simmons gave the lunch blessing. This year's meal was catered by T&K Markets with salads and desserts provided by family.

Joyce Calhoun, president, and Betty Kimble, vice president, shared their appreciation to everyone who had helped with any reunion preparation.

Adam and Katie Hott furnished the wagon for the main stage.

Rebecca Hedrick, family photographer, captured family

group pictures and random pictures of children and families.

Cindy Hartman, historian/secretary, reported family updates for 2021-2022. There were 12 births, eight marriages and four deaths.

The following people were recognized: Woodrow Hartman, 105 years of age, the nephew of Isaac Hartman; oldest male first cousin, Garry Simmons, 84; oldest female first cousin, Ann Shirley Hyde, 87; youngest baby, Jack William Price, 3 months; longest married, Bobby and Pat Bodkin, 54 years; newest married, Sydney Hoover and Seth Butcher, 13 months; traveling the farthest by plane, Rob and Latrisha Frye and family of Nappa, California; and traveling the farthest by automobile, Somner and Elizabeth Price and family of New Hampshire, 11 hours.

This year's raffle consisted of the following: Carla Hartman - Thirty-One bag with items donated by Betty Kimble; Stephanie Aschcraft - Every Moment Matters Scentsy warmer donated by Betty Kimble; Jodi Miller - decorated table lantern donated by Cindy Hartman; Emily Conley - Country Living Scentsy warmer donated by Betty Kimble; Brittany Amtower and Joyce Calhoun (one each) - pioneer bonnet from pattern of Lucy's made by Diana Crawford; Lori Simmons - Night Sky Scentsy warmer donated by Betty Kimble; Cindy Hartman - framed photo of ducks on South Mill Creek Dam made by Jodi Miller; Brooklyn Smith - framed photo of Kile Knob made by Jodi Miller; Brittany Amtower - framed photo of dogwood tree made by Jodi Miller; Riley Frye - framed photo of fall trees made by Jodi Miller; Betty Kimble - framed photo of barn in Mauzy Gap made by Jodi Miller; Brooklyn Smith - framed photo of Fall at South Mill Creek Dam made by Jodi Miller; Brittany Amtower - framed collage prints of wild flowers made by Jodi Miller;

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post an extracurricular job exploration coordinator position.

The board approved the purchase of planning contracts presented by Hevener: Corrie Wagoner, mentoring and development of an elementary band program; Sandy Simmons, library manager; and Traci Rightsell, lead SAT Process.

The financial report was presented to the board members by J.P. Mowery, business manager/treasurer. Mowery highlighted the A + Partners in Education, a consortium consisting of Pendleton County Schools and the Pendleton County Library, which received \$2.3M in grants specifically focused on broadband connectivity and equipment. This is considered a necessity for the continuing education of students in otherwise unprecedented times.

Travis Heavner provided several updates regarding the county school facilities including mulching at PCM/HS, pouring of concrete for the new PCMHS freezers, the ordering of new fire doors for FES and PCMHS, paving of Wildcat Drive, and painting the first floor at FES. HVAC technicians were onsite to address lingering issues. Heavner also shared future plans to paint the stairwells and

second floor of FES, replace grip tape on PCMHS bleachers, and do new flooring, paint and add partitions in several PCMHS bathrooms.

The first day of school for students K-12 was Aug. 19. Charles Hedrick, Pendleton County Schools superintendent, stated that the first day got off to a really good start, with just a few bumps in the road with evening dismissal. Overall, everything went well and the students and staff were all excited to be back.

The board members unanimously accepted the minutes from the Aug. 2 meeting. The next meeting is scheduled for 6 p.m. Sept. 6 at the North Fork Elementary School.

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Antiques: cast iron wood stove, plows, tubs, barrels, tins, video camera, scale, sheep shearing machine, shoemaker tools, horse harnesses, yokes, roller skates, wooden sled, rocking horse, briefcase, stoneware 3 gal. jug, housewares, baskets, flasks, yearbooks, stamps, booklets, Potomac Farms milk box, dovetailed crayon box, Kendall 2 sided sign. **Household items:** matching brown faux leather living room set, vintage couch with barn scene, solid wood round dining table, padded chairs (4), cedar chest, steamer trunks, wood entertainment stand with glass door, blonde wood bedroom set, gun safe, antique corner cabinet w/ glass doors, gas grill, JVC flat screen TV with mount, Magnavox CD shelf stereo radio w/ bluetooth speaker system (6), HP printer, Shark vacuum, dryer, misc. household goods, lamps, pillows, art, housewares, hotel-style coffee maker (2), Panasonic microwave, white standup freezer, slim white gas stove, Griswold #31 stove burner, commercial size stainless sink, table combo **AND MANY OTHER ITEMS TOO NUMEROUS TO MENTION!**

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Rugar Hartman - kid boys basket with items donated by Natalie Chapman; Riley Frye - kid girls basket with items donated by Natalie Chapman; Jared Simmons - afghan donated by Bonnie Simmons; Becky Hedrick - homemade apple dumplings made by Linda Simmons; and Stephanie Hartman - handmade quilt by Judy Simmons.

The M&M count winner was Emma Hartman, who guessed 302. The total number of M&Ms was 311.

The Calhoun family furnished prizes for the duck pond, ages 0-3. Perry and Linda Simmons provided toys for treasures in the hay, ages 3-12.

Kid water balloon toss winners were Destry Mellott and Tyler Hartman. Adult water balloon toss winners were Bryce Hoover and Seth Butcher.

Kid egg toss winners were Viliamu Ah Loe and James Smith. Adult egg toss winners were Brooklyn and Ryan Smith.

Attendance for the day was 162.

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POSITION: FULL TIME PHLEBOTOMIST/ASSISTANT FOR LABORATORY DEPARTMENT — SHIFT OR HOURS NEEDED: Evenings; including weekends and holidays. 40 hours per week. Phlebotomy experience drawing patients of all ages, preferred. Maintain patient and specimen information. Provide excellent customer service skills to all patients. Collect and prepare specimens for testing and analysis. Computer experience recommended. DEADLINE FOR APPLICATION: 09/02/2022

POSITION: TEMPORARY FULL TIME DESK CLERK FOR MEDICAL SURGICAL UNIT — SHIFT OR HOURS NEEDED: Days/Evenings; (3) 12 hour shifts per week, with alternating weekends required. Performs a wide range of clerical, receptionist duties including but not limited to admitting/discharge duties in support of patient care department. Excellent customer service, computer and communication skills including telephone etiquette required. Basic CPR, recommended. High school diploma or equivalent, required. This job requires a person who is pleasant, cooperative and exhibits a positive attitude. Must be able to communicate effectively and work productively under stress. DEADLINE FOR APPLICATION: 09/02/2022

POSITION: FULL TIME NURSE MANAGER FOR MEDICAL SURGICAL/SPECIAL CARE UNITS — SHIFT OR HOURS NEEDED: Primarily dayshift, with rotating evening/night/weekend hours required to meet departmental demands. Hours may vary to help fill schedule to cover needs/call-ins. On call hours for nursing administration for all nursing units, required. Graduate of accredited School of Professional Nursing, BSN preferred. Current West Virginia RN license required. Current CPR/ACLS certification, preferred. One year charge nurse or manager experience preferred. Experience preferred in day-to-day and long-term planning in patient care, directing and developing staff, collaborating with physicians and multidisciplinary professional staff. Exhibits good judgement, informs others, promotes teamwork, and creates a safe environment. Promotes AIET in communication with patients and follows the Five Pillars of Excellence. Flexible pro-active approach to work. Must be able to manage teams and have good listening skills. Ensure patient and staff satisfaction while maintaining a safe environment for staff, patients, and visitors. Excellent customer service skills required. Ensure standards and quality of care are maintained. Must be capable of multitasking and have critical thinking skills. DEADLINE FOR APPLICATION: 09/09/2022

POSITION: FULL TIME NURSE MANAGER FOR EMERGENCY DEPARTMENT — SHIFT OR HOURS NEEDED: Primarily dayshift, with rotating evening/night/weekend hours required to meet departmental demands. Hours may vary to help fill schedule to cover needs/call-ins. On call hours for nursing administration for all nursing units, required. Graduate of accredited School of Professional Nursing, BSN preferred. WV nursing license, required. BSN degree and CPR/ACLS/PALS/TNCC certifications, preferred. Current West Virginia RN license required. One year manager experience preferred. Experience preferred in leadership, day-to-day management, and long-term planning in patient care, directing and developing staff, collaborating with physicians and multidisciplinary professional staff. Exhibits good judgement, promotes teamwork, creates a safe environment, and informs others, Promotes AIDET in communication with patients and follows the Five Pillars of Excellence. Excellent customer service and good decision-making skills. Must be capable of multitasking in a fast-paced environment, have critical thinking skills and work as part of a team. Professional and responsible with great work ethic. DEADLINE FOR APPLICATION: 09/09/2022

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Drive High, Get a DUI

Leading to and including Labor Day weekend, the West Virginia Governor's Highway Safety Program is partnering with the U.S. Department of Transportation's National Highway Traffic Safety Administration and West Virginia law enforcement agencies for the annual If You Feel Different, You Drive Different. Drive High, Get a DUI high visibility enforcement mobilization. Through Sept. 5, law enforcement agencies across West Virginia will be emphasizing dedication to protecting the lives of residents in their communities to take drug-impaired drivers off the road. "It doesn't matter if you're impaired by drugs or alcohol, make a good decision and don't put yourself or other West Virginia road users at risk. It's not worth it. Never drive impaired," Gov. Jim Justice said.

It is illegal to drive while impaired by any substance, including illegal drugs, alcohol, or certain prescription medications.

No matter what term a person uses—stoned, high, or wasted—no one should drive while impaired. If a person thinks being high won't affect one's driving, one is wrong. Studies have proven that marijuana can slow reaction times, impair cognitive performance, and make it more difficult to safely operate a vehicle. This is true for certain medications, too. There is a reason why some prescription medications come with a warning to not operate heavy machinery - like a motor vehicle - while taking that medication.

Nationwide, in 2019, 49% of drivers killed in crashes and were tested for drugs, tested positive. This startling statistic is why both high visibility enforcement of West Virginia's impaired driving laws and lifesaving messages like If You Feel Different, You Drive Different. Drive High, Get a DUI are an important part of the GHSP's year-round activities to reduce crashes, fatalities, and injuries in West Virginia. The GHSP supports several statewide high-visibility enforcement mobilizations targeting impaired driving throughout the year.

"Enforcing our impaired driving laws is just one of the many ways law enforcement officers keep West Virginians safe. Regardless of what the substance is, if it affects your ability to safely operate your vehicle, you should not be driving," said Bob Tipton, GHSP director.

West Virginia has been a Drug Evaluation Classification state since 2013, allowing law enforcement officers to have the opportunity to become a Drug Recognition Expert. Officers who are DREs are specially trained to conduct detailed evaluations of individuals suspected of driving while impaired by illegal drugs or impairing prescription medications. DREs are an integral part of keeping drugged drivers off West Virginia's roadways. Violating West Virginia's drug-impaired-driving laws will lead to a DUI, which includes fines and possibly jail.

"Driving impaired is a choice, and it's a bad and potentially deadly choice. Some of the consequences of impaired driving include being in a crash, injuring or killing yourself or someone else, or being issued a citation," Tipton continued. "If you've used an impairing substance, make the right choice and find a sober

ride home. Keep yourself and those in your community safe."

Remember these safety tips as a person prepares for the end-of-summer festivities, and spread the message to one's friends and family:

- It is illegal to drive while impaired by any substance, whether illegal or prescribed. If a person has used an impairing substance, such as marijuana or certain prescription medications, do not drive. Passengers should never ride with an impaired driver. If one thinks a driver may be impaired, do not get in the car.

- If a person has used an impairing substance, get a sober driver to safely drive one to one's destination. Like drunk driving, it is essential that drug-impaired drivers refrain from driving a vehicle. It is never okay to drive while impaired by any substance.

- If available, use the community's sober ride program.
- Does one have a friend who is about to drive while impaired by drugs? Take the keys away and arrange to get them home safely. Don't worry about offending someone — they'll thank one later.

- If a person sees an impaired driver on the road, contact local law enforcement.

Share the lifesaving message, "If You Feel Different, You Drive Different."

For more information, visit www.nhtsa.gov/risky-driving/drug-impaired-driving.

For more information about the West Virginia Governor's Highway Safety Program, visit highwaysafety.wv.gov or call 304-926-2509.


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Proposals will be received from prequalified and West Virginia licensed contractors only except that on Federal-Aid Projects a contractor's license is not required at time of bid, but will be required before work can begin. Registration is required with the Department of Administration, Division of Purchasing, in accordance with Chapter 5A, Article 3, Section 12 of the West Virginia Code. All contractors submitting bids on project(s) must submit electronically with their bid a Proposal Guaranty Bond for \$500.00 or 5% of total bid, whichever is greater.

The West Virginia Department of Transportation, Division of Highways reserves the right to defer, delay or postpone the date for receiving and publicly opening proposals for any project designated in this advertisement, without the necessity of renewing such advertisement. The deferment, delay, postponement, and the date that proposals will be received and publicly opened will be available on www.bidx.com.

The West Virginia Department of Transportation, Division of Highways hereby notifies all bidders that it will affirmatively insure that in any contract entered into pursuant to this advertisement, minority business enterprises will be afforded full opportunity to submit bids in response to this invitation and will not be discriminated against on the grounds of race, color, religion, sex or national origin in consideration for an award.

NOTICE OF SALE UNDER DEED OF TRUST

Notice is hereby given that under authority of that certain Deed of Trust hereinafter described, the undersigned Trustee will by virtue of authority vested in him at the front door of the Pendleton County Courthouse in Franklin, West Virginia,

**AT 11:00 A.M.
ON FRIDAY,
AUGUST 26, 2022**

offer for sale certain property described in that deed of trust executed by Justin W. Stroop and Mary J. Propst to Jeffrey S. Bowers, Trustee, which deed of trust is described as bearing date the **9th day of June, 2007**, and of record in the Office of the Clerk of the County Commission of Pendleton County, West Virginia, in Trust Deed Book 115, at Page 542, and given to secure Carey A. Evick Jr. and Claudia N. Evick, the Beneficiary, the payment of certain indebtedness represented by note therein described, of which property is more particularly described with the buildings and improvements thereon located, situated, lying and being situate on the West side of and abutting on U. S. Route 33 in **Bethel District**, Pendleton County, West Virginia, as follows:

BEGINNING at a post on an old line also on line of right-of-way of U. S. Highway No. 33; thence with line of road S. 41 W. 15.50 poles to a stake; thence N. 54½ W. 12.36 poles to a stake by a fence; thence with the fence N. 27 E. 3.92 poles to a post; thence N. 45 E. 11.84 poles to a stake in an old line and with the same S. 54 E. 12.40 poles to the beginning, containing one acre and thirty-six square poles, more or less, and being the same real estate conveyed to Justin W. Stroop by those certain Deeds of record in the Clerk's Office of the County Commission of Pendleton County, West Virginia as follows: Deed Book 175, at Page 136, and Deed Book 187, at Page 358, to which references are herewith made for all pertinent purposes.

There is excepted from the foregoing description of said 1 acre and 36 square poles, an out-conveyance therefrom of a parcel containing 5/8 acre of record in the Clerk's Office aforesaid in Deed Book 81, at page 246, therefore, **leaving a parcel of 3/5 acre, more or less, which was conveyed (assessed as 0.60 acres, more or less).**

The conveyance was made subject to a right-of-way over the south side of the real estate conveyed adjoining the property of Frederick Rexrode and Margaret D. Rexrode, his wife, (formerly Edwin Nesselrodt) as conveyed to J. Herman Trumbo and Mary Madeline Trumbo by Audley G. Simmons and Lena Simmons, his wife, in that certain Deed dated April 8, 1957, and of record in the Clerk's Office aforesaid in Deed Book 78, at page 485. The conveyance was also made subject to the provision contained in the aforesaid Deed to J. Herman Trumbo and Mary Madeline Trumbo, his wife, providing that said parties shall build and maintain the fence on the west side

of the parcel conveyed.

The Grantor further granted and conveyed unto the Grantees, their heirs and assigns, all rights of way and easements appertaining to the aforesaid real estate.

The conveyance was made subject to all exceptions, reservations, covenants, conditions, easements, and rights-of-ways created or mentioned in prior instruments of record affecting the property herein conveyed, as well as granting and conveying any all rights of ways or easements of benefit for said property.

This sale and the conveyance of title to the above described real property will be by Special Warranty. Environmental warranties disclaimed and subject to all covenants, restriction, easements, rights of way and reservations which may be a matter of record in the aforesaid Clerk's Office or visible upon the ground, all prior liens and encumbrances, including, with limitation. The subject property will be sold as "AS IS" condition. The Trustee shall be under no duty to cause any existing tenant or person occupying the subject property to vacate said property.

This sale is also made subject to the rights of tenants under the Protecting Tenants at Foreclosure Act of 2009. Neither the Trustee nor the holder of said note makes any representation or warranties as to the existence of any leases or other occupancy agreements affecting the subject property.

The real property **taxes on the above described will be prorated as of date of sale and any excise tax shall be paid by Purchaser, as well as recording costs upon recordation of said special warranty deed.**

FEDERAL TAX LIEN: In the event there are Federal Tax Liens against the property, the United States would have the right to redeem the property within a period of 120 days from the date of such sale or the period allowable for redemption under local law, whichever is longer.

TERMS OF SALE: Twenty Percent (20%) in hand on day of sale or evidence of credit acceptable to the secured party, and balance at closing, not to exceed thirty days. Announcements made at sale take precedence over any written notice or advertisement.

The undersigned trustee reserves the right to reject any and all bids received, and to continue said sale from time to time, upon announcement thereof given verbally, on day of sale and any continuance thereof. The secured parties reserve the right to purchase the property at such sale.

Persons interested in viewing the property may contact Jeffrey S. Bowers, PO Box 849, Franklin, West Virginia 26807, (304) 358-3333.

DATED This 19th day of July, 2022.

JEFFREY S. BOWERS,
TRUSTEE
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988 Suicide, Crisis Lifeline Available

The West Virginia Department of Health and Human Resources, Bureau for Behavioral Health reports that West Virginia has successfully transitioned to the National Suicide Prevention Lifeline's new three-digit number (988).

Since the new three-digit dialing code went live on July 16, 855 calls have been received. The 988 Suicide & Crisis Lifeline, formerly known as the National Suicide Prevention Lifeline, is operated in West Virginia by First Choice Services and funded by the BBH.

"The 988 Suicide & Crisis Lifeline serves as a universal

entry point so that no matter where you live, you can reach a trained crisis counselor who can help," said Christina Mullins, commissioner of DHHR's Bureau for Behavioral Health. "With options for using 988 through voice calls, chat, and text, individuals can receive the help they need in the way that is most convenient and comfortable."

Funding for the transition was awarded by the Substance Abuse and Mental Health Services Administration. To learn more about 988, visit <https://www.samhsa.gov/find-help/988>.



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OTHER: Feed boxes, pipe clamps, grease gun, gas hauling box, black gutter hoses, PVC pipes, large tarp, brown gutter pieces, bird houses, 5-gallon buckets, old gas cans, roll of chicken wire, baseboard trim pieces, horseshoes, snatch block, Tyvek partial roll, pallets, walnut and oak boards, roll of Masonite, dolly hand truck, camo clothes, hats, mud flaps, wooden bench, old sewing cabinet machine, miscellaneous liquids, sprays, buttons, etc. **AND MUCH MORE!!!**

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REUNIONS

OLIVER PROPST Reunion Sunday, September 4, 12:00 p.m. Rodney Hoover residence, 5274 Thorn Creek Road. Everyone welcome. p THE descendants of Phillip and Cordelia Kisamore Reunion, Sunday, September 4, at noon, Yokum's Campground, River Pavilion. Friends and family welcome. 3c

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The West Virginia Department of Transportation (WVDOT) is seeking input to help guide the future of transportation in West Virginia. Based upon information obtained from prior public workshop held on June 30, 2022, WVDOT staff has developed a Draft 6-year Statewide Transportation Improvement Program (STIP) covering federal fiscal years (FFY's) 2023-2028. The Draft 2023-2028 STIP identifies planned programs and project investments over the 6-year period to fund the operation, preservation, rehabilitation, and expansion of West Virginia's highway and transit assets statewide with the revenue that is estimated to be available.

WVDOT is hosting a virtual public workshop on **September 1, 2022, from 4:00pm to 6:00pm**, for the public to review information on future federal transportation funding and projects for the 6-year period and provide comments on the Draft STIP document. The workshop will provide a venue for the public to ask questions and discuss the programs established in the Draft STIP with the project team. Please visit the STIP website at any time during the workshop to access the virtual meeting.

https://transportation.wv.gov/highways/Programming/STIP/Pages/default.aspx

Each time the STIP is updated, the public is given the opportunity to participate in the transportation planning process. This public workshop will initiate the official 45-day public comment period for the adoption of the Draft 2023-2028 STIP. The public is encouraged to provide comments on the published STIP material located at the link above. The 45-day public comment period will conclude on **October 15, 2022**. Comments and questions can be submitted electronically via DOTSTIP@wv.gov or by mail to:

Mr. Chris Kinsey
Programming Division,
West Virginia Division of
Highways,
1900 Kanawha Boulevard,
Building 5, Room 650,
Charleston, West Virginia
25305

The West Virginia Department of Transportation will, upon request, provide reasonable accommodations including auxiliary aids and services necessary to afford an individual with a disability an equal opportunity to participate in our services, programs, and activities. The WVDOT will consider, upon request, every request for reasonable accommodations to provide language interpretation for people with Limited English Proficiency and translations of written materials necessary to access project information.

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