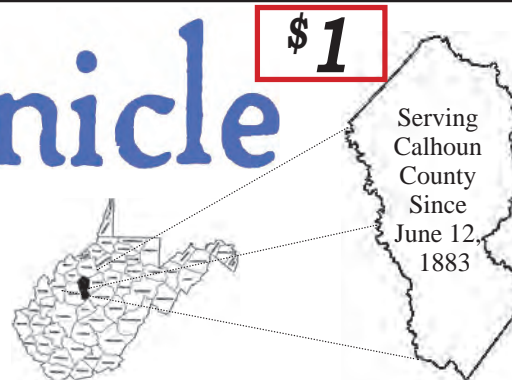




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Thursday, June 17, 2021

Commission To Hold Special Meeting On Sale Of Alcohol

The Calhoun county commission announced on Friday that a special meeting will be held in the courthouse little courtroom on Wednesday at 3 p.m.

Included on the agenda is a petition for Special Election, Sale of Alcohol, that would be held on Tuesday, Aug. 10.

If approved by the commission, the following information will be effective:

Absentee ballots for the upcoming Special Election to be held on Tuesday, Aug. 10, can be requested now through Aug. 4. You can apply for an absentee ballot by calling the county clerk's office, 354-6725.

You can also go to GOVOTEWV.com and print an absentee ballot application and return to the clerk's office by hand, or mail to P.O. Box 230, Grantsville, WV 26147.

How to check the status of your absentee ballot: Go to GOVOTEWV.com; click the button, "Track Your Absentee Ballot"; type in your first name, last name, and date of birth, and click the submit button.

The absentee ballot tracking page shows you the history of your absentee ballots, date requested, date the ballot was sent, and the date the ballot was received back in the county clerk's office.

Dates to remember:
--Tuesday, July 20, last day to register to vote in the Aug. 10 election.

--Wednesday, Aug. 4, last day to request an absentee ballot.

--Monday, Aug. 9, last day to receive hand delivered absentee ballots.

--Tuesday, Aug. 10, Special Election, Sale of Alcohol, precincts open from 6:30 a.m.-7:30 p.m.

--Wednesday, Aug. 11, last day for the clerk's office to receive an absentee ballot by mail.

Also included on Wednesday's agenda is approval to establish a new canine rescue dog fund.

The next meeting of the commission will be held on Monday, June 28, at 9 a.m.

The commission also meets virtually (using zoom), #5936021621, password, 1234; by phone, +13126266799 or +19292056099 (toll free).

SPECIAL EVENTS

Wednesday, June 16

County commission special meeting in courthouse little courtroom and also virtually (using zoom), 3 p.m.; #5936021621, password, 1234; by phone, +13126266799 or +19292056099 (toll free).

Calhoun County Solid Waste Authority's monthly meeting, Mom's Place Too, Grantsville, 4 p.m.

Thursday, June 17

Grantsville Farmer's Market, Wayne Underwood Field, 9 a.m.-1 p.m.

Sunday, June 20

FATHER'S DAY.
WEST VIRGINIA DAY

Monday, June 21

Vacation Bible School begins at Brooksville Baptist Church, Big Bend, 6 to 8 p.m.; continues (Continued on Page 2)

Election Results

The June 8 Grantsville Municipal Election results were as follows:

Mayor: Robert Petrovsky, 29; Derek Villers, 7.

Recorder: Timothy G. Davis, 28.

Council: Linda Staton, 28; Cheryl Cheesbrew, 22; Dorothy A. McCauley, 22; William (Bill) Villers, 22; Judy Powell, 20.

Calhoun Summer School Openings Are Available

During Monday's 5:30 p.m. board of education meeting, superintendent Kelli Whytsell updated members on the opening of summer school on Tuesday, June 22.

She said that approximately 100 students had signed up, and that parents may register students through opening day. For information, call 354-7011.

During the six weeks of summer school, classes will include:

Arnoldsburg: STEM, science adventures, love of music, astronomy, food prep/snack.

Pleasant Hill: science adventure, summer crafts,

STEM, love of music, astronomy, food prep/snack.

Calhoun Middle: night skies, cooking, community service, outdoor, STEM, love of music, math field prep, credit recovery 5-8.

Calhoun County High School: love of music, STEM, cooking, night skies, outdoor, ACT prep ELA, community service, driver's ed 9-11, credit recovery 9-12, strength and conditioning, 5-11.

Calhoun-Gilmer Career Center: hunter safety 5-11, engine repair maintenance 5-7, engine repair maintenance 8-11, L&P safety.

Kinderboost, PK to K,

AES and PHS, July 12-23.

PK Jump Start, July 26-27.

Among the items approved under new business were:

--Contracts: Shared child nutrition director services; Minnie Hamilton Health System for School-Based health centers.

--Surplus items: Ice machine, CM/HS.

--Middle School sports identification: cross country, co-ed; wrestling, co-ed; football, co-ed; cheerleading, co-ed; baseball, male; softball, female; boys basketball, male; girls basketball, female; volleyball, female.

High School sports identification: cross country, co-ed; wrestling, co-ed; football, co-ed; cheerleading, co-ed; baseball, male; softball, female; boys basketball, male; girls basketball, female; golf, co-ed; track, co-ed; volleyball, female.

After an executive session was called at 6:06 p.m., the following items were approved when the meeting reconvened at 6:33 p.m.:

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Nine New Cases Listed

The Dept. of Health and Human Resources has reported nine new COVID-19 cases in Calhoun over the past week, which moves the county's total to 381.

After decreasing for four weeks, new COVID-19 cases in Calhoun and surrounding counties were 33, the same number as the previous week.

New cases in addition to Calhoun (and total): Braxton, 10 (1,001); Gilmer, 6 (881); Wirt, 3 (456); Roane, 3 (657); Ritchie, 1 (755); and Clay, 1 (541).

Calhoun remained one of 48 counties in green on the DHHR's county alert system map.

Calhoun's 381 cases remains the lowest in the State, followed by Clay,

541; Webster, 543; Tucker, 545; and Wirt, 456.

The percent positivity for Calhoun is now at 1.42, with infection rate at 6.03.

West Virginia cases on the year total 163,221, with 2,856 deaths.

There are 708,352 residents fully vaccinated in the State, with 2,540 doses administered in Calhoun County.

Don't Forget To Sign Up

The West Virginia vaccine incentive lottery will begin on June 20 and run through Aug. 4.

The giveaway will include a \$1.588 million grand prize, a \$588,000 second prize, full scholarships to any higher education institution in West Virginia, custom-

outfitted trucks, weekend vacations at state parks, lifetime hunting and fishing licenses, and custom hunting rifles shotguns.

West Virginians ages 12 and older, who have had at least one dose of the COVID-19 vaccine, can register by visiting doitforbabydog.wv.gov.

WAG In Orma Area

Welfare of Animals Group will be humanely trapping stray and feral cats in the Orma area on Thursday, June 24, to have them spayed/neutered, vaccinated, and ear tipped (the universal sign that a cat has been part of a Trap-Neuter-Return program).

According to the news release, "We would appreciate if you would not put food out for them

on Wednesday, June 23, as we will be trapping on June 24.

"Once the cats have recovered from anesthesia (at least 24 to 48 hours), we will return them to their exact location. They will be healthier, happier, and not reproducing and fighting. Thank you for your cooperation.

"So far, we have spayed and neutered 504 community cats (283 females and 221 males).

"Please keep your personal cats indoors or put a collar on them Thursday, June 24. If you have questions, call Linda Buchanan, 354-7506.

"If you are aware of a feral cat colony in your area, let us know. Female kittens can begin breeding at four months old, so the best time to spay/neuter a colony is when there are only five or six cats. Trap-Neuter-Return is provided to county residents at no cost to the caretaker."

Funded in part by McDonough Foundation, Oakland Foundation, and Dept. of Agriculture.



Competing in the 4x800-meter relay were, left to right, Cassie Fowler, Savannah Cunningham, Grace Vincent and Lacy Hicks.

Calhoun Competes In Class A States

Five members of the Calhoun County High School track team competed last week in the Class A Track and Field State Championships at Laidley Field, Charleston.

Savannah Cunningham earned All-State honors with a sixth place finish in the 100-meter dash. She was seventh in the 400-meters and 10th in the 800-meters.

Anthony Schoo, who competed in the 3200 run, placed 11th.

Wednesday and Thursday, June 9-10 Class A States Laidley Field Girls

Team results: Calhoun 1 (tied for 23rd of 25 teams scoring). Top four Class A teams were from Little Kanawha Conference.

Calhoun girls individual scoring: Savannah Cunningham 1.

Calhoun girls individual results:

100-meter dash: Savan-

nah Cunningham, 6th of 16, 13.70.

400-meter dash: Savannah Cunningham, 7th of 15, 1:02.84.

800-meter run: Savannah Cunningham, 10th of 15, 2:41.54.

4x800-meter relay: Calhoun, 11th of 16, 12:56.57 (Savannah Cunningham, Cassie Fowler, Lacy Hicks, Grace Vincent).

Boys
Team results: Calhoun 0 (8th of 8).

Calhoun boys individual scoring: None.

Calhoun boys indivi-

dual results:
3200-meter run: Anthony Schoo, 11th of 16, 11:14.09.



Anthony Schoo competed in the 3200.



Savannah Cunningham is shown with a sixth place medallion for her efforts in the 100-meters.

OBITUARIES

JERRY ALAN CONLEY

Jerry Alan Conley, 70, of Spencer, died Wednesday, June 9, 2021, at Roane General Hospital.

He was born at Spencer, the son of the late Freer and Carrie Ellen Miller Conley. He was a retired employee of W.Va. Dept. of Highways, with 27 years of service. He was a member of the former Spencer Baptist Temple, Spencer.

Surviving are his wife, Carolyn M. Conley; one son, Scott Conley and wife Robin of Sandyville; two grandchildren, Megan and Cody; and one sister, Patsy Metz of Clinton, Ohio.

He was preceded in death by an infant brother and a sister.

Services were held at John H. Taylor Funeral Home, Spencer, with Pastor Rick Perrine officiating. Burial was in Oak Grove Cemetery, Normantown.



HOLLY ROSCOE GREATHOUSE, JR.

Holly Roscoe Greathouse, Jr., 92, of Newton Falls, Ohio, died Tuesday, June 8, 2021, at St. Joseph Eastland Hospital, Warren, Ohio.

He was born in Elizabeth, the son of the late Holly Roscoe Greathouse and Ottis Salthill Greathouse, Sr., and lived in Newton Falls from 1964-1974. He moved to Annamoriah, before moving back to Newton Falls in 2016. He was a farmer and welder and retired from General Motors, Lordstown, Ohio. He was a member of Beacon of Hope Baptist Church, Warren.

Surviving are one daughter, Mary Newton of Phillipi; one son, David Greathouse of Newton Falls, with whom he lived; one daughter-in-law, Vicky Greathouse of Annamoriah; one sister, Gwen Gibson of Bristolville, Ohio; one brother, Gary Greathouse of Newton Falls; five grandchildren, Heidi Phillips, Amy Rahming, Gary Greathouse, Angela Slomcheck and Richard Greathouse; 17 great-grandchildren; and eight great-great-grandchildren.

He was preceded in death by his wife of 67 years, Waneda May Hendrickson Greathouse, on Oct. 24, 2017; one son, Holly W. Greathouse; one granddaughter, Lilie Greathouse; one great-grandson, Richard Levi Greathouse; two sisters, Bessie Arthur and Garnet Hess; and four brothers, Garland Greathouse, Carl Greathouse, Eugene Greathouse and Larry Greathouse.

Services were held at Snyder Chapel Church, Annamoriah, with Brother Farley Blankenship and Pastor Pete Hennessey officiating. Burial was in Annamoriah Cemetery.



WHEELER WAYNE

Wheeler Wayne, 99, of Orma, died Thursday, May 20, 2021.

He was the son of the late Shirley and Mary Waggoner Wayne and graduated from Calhoun County High School. He was a member of the Freemason and Scottish Rite for over 50 years. He served in the U.S. Army during World War II. He retired at age 55 from Firestone, Akron, Ohio, where he worked for 30 years. He returned to Orma, where he spent the last 44 years.

Surviving are one son, Michael Wayne; one daughter-in-law, Donna Wayne; two grandchildren, Caressia Hoy and husband Tom, and Michael Wayne; seven great-grandchildren; and three great-great-grandchildren.

He was preceded in death by his wife of 67 years, Catherine Berdine Wayne; two sisters, Ruby Black and Geneva Cline; and one brother, George Wayne.

Memorial service will be held at a later date. Online condolences may be expressed at www.stumpfuneralhomes.com.



EDWARD WESTFALL, JR.

Edward C. Westfall, Jr., 83, of Spencer, died Wednesday, June 9, 2021, at Camden Clark Medical Center, Parkersburg.

He was born in Lockney, the son of the late Edward C. and Wilma L. Dotson Westfall. He was a 1956 graduate of Spencer High School and graduated from WVU with a degree in secondary education. He was a science teacher and a principal of Spencer High School for 26 years. He became the first principal of Roane County High School and retired in 1997. He was a farmer, who spent his younger years raising polled Hereford cattle with his family. He was a genealogist and had recently finished writing an extensive history of the Westfall family. He was a breeder of Bouvier des Flanders dogs and sold puppies to people all over the U.S.

Surviving are his wife, Carol Board-Westfall; one daughter, Jayne Ann Hanstine and husband Tom of Spencer; one son, Jay Westfall of Wilmington N.C.; three granddaughters, LeeAnn Bennett and Katelyn Daniel and husband, Jason all of Spencer, and Alex Moran and husband Joe of Weston; four great-grandchildren, Owen and Audrey Debar and Olivia and Harper Moran, all of Weston; one sister, Sandra Tupes and husband Charlie of Charlotte, N.C.; two brothers, Bernard Westfall and wife Marion of Morgantown and James Westfall and wife Candace of Spencer; and many nieces and nephews.

He was preceded in death by his wife, Doris Westfall, and an infant sister, Barbara Ann.

Per his request, his body was cremated and there will be no services.



GREGORY SHANE KELLAR

Gregory Shane Kellar, 48, of Arnoldsburg, died Wednesday, June 9, 2021, at home.

He was born in Grantsville, the son of Denzel Paul Kellar of Arnoldsburg and the late Shirley May Morton Kellar. He was a machinist.

Surviving in addition to his father are his wife of 11 years, Michelle Marshall Kellar; one daughter, Maggie "Doodlebug" Kellar at home; one sister, Kim Harris of Arnoldsburg; mother-in-law and father-in-law, Debby and David Marshall of New Jersey; two sisters-in-law, Melissa Westcott and Lori Seubert, both of New Jersey; one brother-in-law, Scott Marshall of New Jersey; and several nieces, nephews, grand-nieces, grand-nephews, aunts, uncles and cousins.

He was preceded in death by his maternal and paternal grandparents.

There will be no visitation or service at this time. Condolences may be shared at www.taylorfuneralhomeinc.com.



RANDALL LEON SIERS, JR.

Randall Leon Siers, Jr., 59, of Arnoldsburg, died Thursday, June 10, 2021, at home.

He was born in Akron, Ohio, the son of the late Randall Leon and Arnett Hood Siers, Sr. He was a truck driver and attended Walnut Memorial Church.

Surviving are his wife, Crystal Siers of Rockwell, N.C.; one son, Shadrach Siers of Rockwell; two sisters, Robin Bare of Concord, N.C., and Rhonda Siers of Orma; several nieces, nephews, aunts and uncles; special friend, Patricia Runnion of Arnoldsburg; and best friend, Gilbert Rome of Salisbury, N.C.

He was preceded in death by his grandparents.

No visitation or service is planned at this time. Condolences may be shared at www.taylorfuneralhomeinc.com.

KEITH DAVISSON

Keith A. Davison, 54, of Chloe, died Monday, June 14, 2021, in Morgantown.

He was born in Gassaway, the son of the late Buddy E. and Wanda M. Cross Davison. He was a 1985 graduate of Waynedale High School, Apple Creek, Ohio.

Surviving are his mother, Wanda Smithville, Ohio; one son, Brett A. Davison of Wooster, Ohio; four grandchildren; one sister, Helen Hicks of Smithville; and numerous aunts, uncles and cousins.

Following his wishes, cremation has taken place and private family services will be held.



Obituaries of local interest are free and subject to editing for space, conciseness, and content, which includes direct descendants, their spouses, if clearly stated as such and are local residents, number of grandchildren, etc. Information must come from a funeral home. Memorials and obituaries are available as a paid advertisement.

TOP HAIL REPORTS

SUNDAY

LOCATION

▶ Sheffield, PA	1.75"
▶ Edgewood, PA	1.25"
▶ Chloe, WV	1.00"
▶ Temperanceville, OH	1.00"
▶ Vinton, VA	1.00"

Chloe was mentioned on national weather reports for having inch-size hail on Sunday.

Around Calhoun

by Bill Bailey

On Friday afternoon north and went inside to check the radar.

This time, the storm was developing just to our north and was growing quickly, both in size and intensity. When the heavens let go, it rained even harder than it had Friday, and within minutes our little creek, which coincidentally bears the official name of Big Run, was indeed a very, very big run.

It was almost a foot higher than the super flood that had hit us just two days before. This time doing everything possible to do damage to everything that happens to be downstream and creek related.

We were unable to get out until Monday afternoon, when I was too tired to go anywhere to check the damages elsewhere.

According to my sources, all of Calhoun County experienced these floods, some more and some less, but all receiving some damages. Power outages, gardens destroyed, basements flooded, small bridges moved downstream or destroyed altogether, trees falling down from the wind and the saturated ground, and roads washing out, along with culverts in many places.

All in all, we suffered through two "Once in Century" flash floods within three days. Jeanne has suggested that we begin building a huge boat to help get us through the coming apocalypse, but I think I already have enough inflatable rafts and kayaks to rescue Jeanne, Shiloh, Brownie and myself, if the Big Flood occurs. All of the other animals will simply have to learn to tread water.

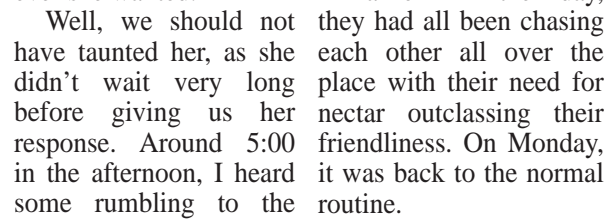
Jeanne and I both give a huge thank you to Terry Yoak for his help getting us back to mobility on Monday afternoon with his heavy-duty four-wheel-drive tractor. The rain did do something that was wonderful, at least in my eyes. As the storm began to abate on Sunday, there were four or five hummingbirds sitting peacefully on one of the feeders.

Earlier in the day, they had all been chasing each other all over the place with their need for nectar outclassing their friendliness. On Monday, it was back to the normal routine.

Our daughter Amy was looking for some decent exercise, so she came to the house, parked on the other side of the creek, and put on her mud-mucking boots to give me a hand with the problem before us, moving big rocks back to where they could protect the crossing. After hours of hard, back-breaking work with spudbars and pinchbars, shovels, and even a old Red Rider wagon, we had the crossing well suited for all of the storms that Mother Nature might throw at us for the rest of the summer.

We even laughed and dared Mother Nature to give this well-constructed wall of rocks a test whenever she wanted. Well, we should not have taunted her, as she didn't wait very long before giving us her response. Around 5:00 in the afternoon, I heard some rumbling to the

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This Week In History

The following reports are taken from *The Calhoun Chronicle* archives:

1921, 100 years ago

Spencer White and his father, Frank White, Sr., of White Pine were pleasant visitors in town on Monday. The elder Mr. White is getting rather infirm and feeble, but still has possession of his good humor and cheer.

Carr Shaffer and his two small sons of Mt. Zion were visitors in town on Monday. The former was attending to business affairs, while the boys were taking in the sights of the city. The boys are bright lads and during a pleasant visit to the Chronicle office were much interested in the mechanical end of getting out a newspaper.

Floyd S. Rose, one of Sheridan District's prominent citizens, died at his home on Tuesday of typhoid fever. His condition had been critical for some time. He was about 40 years of age and was actively and prominently identified with the business and political life of Sheridan District. He was once elected justice of the peace and served in other capacities. His death will be regretted in the community in which he resided, as he was an honest and upright citizen.

We are requested to announce that memorial services for their dead will be held by the Odd Fellows of Lodge No. 210, Apple Farm, on June 14. The services will especially honor those who lost their life in France in defense of their country.

The Odd Fellows and Rebekahs of Dodrill Lodge will meet at Sand Ridge Cemetery on Sunday for the purposes of decorating the graves of their dead.

A beautiful tombstone is being set at the grave of Cecil Lampe's little daughter, Arito, at Mt. Zion Cemetery this week.

Eddystone Co. has made a location for a well on the A. Gunn farm at Mt. Zion, and material for drilling is being hauled to the grounds now. W.H. Bickle will drill the well.

1946, 75 years ago

After a three-day search, the body of James Robert Williams of Big Springs was found in the Little Kanawha River on Sunday morning about 11:00, just below the mouth of Leading Creek. He drowned on Wednesday night or early Thursday morning.

Williams, accompanied by Earl Freed and Robert Rose, had crossed the river to Industry for the purpose of making a trade for an automobile with Lawrence Bell on Wednesday evening. On their way back to cross the river after dark, they were unable to find their boat. According to the story of Freed and Rose, they searched for some time and finding no way to re-cross the river, the three men lay down on the river bank and went to sleep. On waking the next morning, Freed and Rose found that Williams had left, but his hat was on the ground nearby.

The two men came to Grantsville that morning and reported Williams missing. Sheriff Doy Arnold and Trooper L.E. Haynes of the local detachment of State Police were notified and they immediately started investigating, and found that Williams had not been seen by anyone since being in the company of Freed and Rose. A search of the river was started on Thursday morning and continued until Sunday morning, when the body was found, approximately 150 yards below where he was supposed to have fallen into the river. It is surmised that Williams, while searching for the boat after the others had gone asleep, had slipped into the river and due to the darkness was unable to find his way back to the shore.

After the body had been found, Stump Funeral Home was called and the remains were removed to Grantsville. After being stripped and carefully examined, there were no marks of violence found on the body. Prosecuting attorney L.C. Hamilton and coroner Gerald Stump decided to call the Medical Association in Parkersburg, and contacted Dr. Dick, a pathologist, who came to Grantsville on Sunday evening and conducted an autopsy, after which it was determined that there had been no foul play and that the death had been caused by drowning.

Williams was said to have had a considerable sum of money on him, but part of that amount was not found and it is assumed that it had been washed from his person while in the river.

Williams, 55, was a son of Cornelius and Delphia Barr Williams. He was born near Grantsville and had spent almost his entire life in that vicinity. He married Nellie Ferrell and had several children. He was a farmer, stock dealer, and had been in the used car business. During the war, he gave up his business for a while and worked in industrial centers.

Services were held on Monday morning at Bethlehem Cemetery, with Rev. Fell Kennedy officiating.

1971, 50 years ago

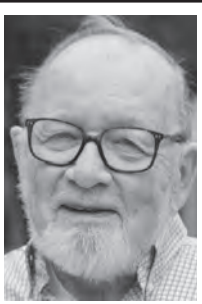
Holly Bell, son of Mr. and Mrs. Jim Bell of Grantsville, was presented the second Wayne Underwood Trophy on May 25 at Calhoun County High School's class night. Bell was selected from a group of seven senior boys suggested by the Calhoun coaching staff.

Some of Holly's accomplishments were: honorable mention LKC football, special honorable mention AA All-State football, LKC first team basketball, and honorable mention on the combined All-State basketball team.

Holly will enroll at Glenville State College and play football for coach Bill Hanlin's Pioneers.

CURIOSITY CORNER

by Dr. Jerry D. Wilson,
Emeritus Professor of Physics,
Lander University



Question: How does acupuncture work? (Asked by an anonymous column reader with pain.)

Reply: Acupuncture, sometimes learned as an alternative medicine, is the procedure that provides local anesthesia or treats illness by the insertion of needles at specific points in the body. (Acus is Latin for needle.) It has been around for some time, with references found in Chinese writings from 200 BCE. (I wouldn't want to use the needles of those days!)

The traditional Eastern philosophy is that there are two opposing streams of energy, the yin and yang, which must be kept in balance within the body. Imbalance causes pain or sickness. By inserting needles at certain points in the body, the energy streams are believed to be regulated and bring the body back into proper balance. In Chinese philosophy, yin and yang are two principles: one negative (yin) and one positive (yang), whose interactions influence all things.

Today, the needles are made of very fine steel and cause little discomfort (so I'm told). Depending on the fat layers, the needles are usually inserted five to ten millimeters under the skin, being rotated on insertion. An acupuncture practitioner may use up to 15 needles in different locations, and they are generally inserted for 20-30 minutes. The needles are rotated every few minutes to stimulate the acupuncture point.

There have been several theories on how acupuncture works (aside from yin and yang). None have been satisfactory. The latest theory that is being tested is one that involves adenosine, a substance released by cells around the inserted needle. This is helped by needle rations. According to this latest theory, adenosine molecules bind to cells on pain nerves, thus reducing the pain. Adenosine has also been shown to have an anti-inflammatory effect. Inflammation is the cause of such things as tennis elbow.

So, does acupuncture really work? Personally, I don't know. I've never had the experience; however, it is reported that acupuncture has had positive effects for back and neck pains, headaches, and migraines. Proponents of acupuncture also point out that it does not have the side effects that pain killer drugs might.

Like many treatments, acupuncture may work for some and not for others. Before getting punctured, check with your doctor. Lastly, don't try it yourself with sewing needles--you need to know the right puncture spots.

C.P.S. (Curious Postscript): "The jest loses its point when he who makes it is the first to laugh."
--Johann Von Schiller.

Curious about something? Send your questions to Dr. Jerry D. Wilson, College of Science and Mathematics, Lander University, Greenwood, SC 29649, go to www.curiosity-corner.net, or email jerry@curiosity-corner.net. Selected questions will appear in the Curiosity Corner.

Waste Not/Want Not

by Judy Wolfram

Got some pests? Oh, I don't mean children, neighbors or relatives.

Although all of the above would qualify. No, I mean the ones with four feet, who watch your garden grow until it's chow time for them.

Let's start with rabbits. Only about seven percent of all rabbits live to be a year old, but you may feel that the entire surviving population is in your neighborhood.

Rabbits mate early and often, and produce several litters each year, ranging in number from four to seven. They do not hibernate and are mostly active during the day. They are especially destructive to young fruit trees, garden vegetables, and tulip leaves.

To protect fruit trees from rabbits, build a cylindrical fence of chicken wire or hardware cloth around the trunk, or purchase the perforated plastic strips offered through seed catalogs or garden stores.

The strips can be wound around the tree to a height of 24 inches and make it difficult for rabbits to make a meal of the bark. These protections for fruit trees will discourage mice too.

Fortunately, rabbits are timid creatures and are easily frightened. A toy snake or even an old piece of garden hose left in the garden will fool them--at least temporarily.

Tie a dog near the garden, as that will keep them away. The family cat, if a good hunter, will eliminate them all together.

Dried blood meal is a good deterrent, and helps the soil. Sprinkle it near the plants and replace it when it rains. Sprinkle powdered rock phosphate on leaves or young plants. Do not use chemical repellents on the market that are for ornamental plants on vegetables. Read all labels to find out the ingredients.

You can soak a clothesline in a repellent and stretch it from stakes a few inches from the ground or stretch it around your fence. Mothballs or moth crystals should be used with caution. Never use them around children or pets.

You can sprinkle powdered aloe, tobacco dust, cayenne or black pepper, wood ashes and cow manure around tulips and young plants. Not all at one time--pick one.

Fish spray will work also. Take three to four ounces of chopped garlic bulbs and soak in two tablespoons of mineral oil for one day. Add a pint of water, in which one teaspoon of fish emulsion has been dissolved. Stir well.

Strain the liquid and store in a glass or china container, as it reacts with metals. Dilute this, starting with one part of it with 20 parts of water, and use as a spray.

You can also plant onions in and around your cabbage, lettuce, peas and beans. Rabbits dislike onions.

So, there you go. Happy Gardening and Happy Father's Day.



This Week In West Virginia History

The following events happened from June 17-23 in West Virginia history. To read about West Virginia's people, history, places, science, arts and culture, visit www.wvencyclopedia.org.



June 20, 1963: On the 100th birthday of West Virginia, President John F. Kennedy made his last appearance in West Virginia. Speaking in Charleston in a pouring rain, he said, "The sun does not always shine in West Virginia, but the people always do."

June 20, 1970: The play, "Hatfields and McCoys," opened at Grandview State Park amphitheater. Written by Billy Edd Wheeler, with music by Ewel Cornett, the show joined "Honey in the Rock" as a regular summer offering.

June 21, 1920: Wheeling Steel Corp. was organized when La Belle Iron Works, Whitaker-Glessner Company, and Wheeling Steel & Iron Works combined. In the 1920s, Wheeling Steel employed more than 17,000 workers, and ranked as the nation's third-largest steelmaker.



June 21, 1959: Musician Kathy Mattea was born in South Charleston, but grew up in nearby Cross Lanes. In junior high school, she learned to play the guitar, and in high school, she practiced her vocal skills by singing classical music in choir class.



June 22, 1926: Earl Olgebay died in Cleveland. He was one of West Virginia's most successful industrialists and a generous benefactor.

June 23, 1944: A tornado struck Shinnston and the surrounding area, killing 103 people and injuring hundreds more.

June 23, 2016: Eight inches of rain fell in a 12-hour period. The Meadow, Cherry and Elk rivers, as well as Howard Creek, flooded downtowns and The Greenbrier resort, and killed 23 people.

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June 17, 1813: Gen. Thomas Maley Harris was born at present Harrisville. He rose to prominence after the Civil War, when he served on the military commission that tried conspirators who acted with John Wilkes Booth in the assassination of President Abraham Lincoln.

June 17, 1916: West Virginia High School Athletic Association was organized at Charleston, with 11 charter members. The name of the organization was changed to W.Va. Secondary School Activities Commission in 1955.

June 17, 1961: A Wayne County bridge was named in honor of TV newsman David Brinkley. The condition of the bridge had become a news item during the 1960 presidential primary. State officials closed the bridge, repaired it, and invited Brinkley to return for the ceremony to officially name it the "Brinkley Bridge."

June 18, 1937: Jay Rockefeller was born in New York City. He became West Virginia's 29th governor in 1977, and in 1984, he was elected to the U.S. Senate.

June 18, 1944: "It's Wheeling Steel" aired its last program. A half-hour musical variety radio program that drew upon talented Wheeling Steel employees and families, the show ran eight years and was broadcast nationally.

June 19, 1905: Sen. Rush Dew Holt was born in Weston. At 29, he was the youngest person ever elected to the U.S. Senate, earning him the nickname "Boy Senator." Since the Constitution sets 30 as the minimum age for senators, Holt had to wait until his birthday in June 1935 to take his seat, nearly six months into the 74th Congress.

June 19, 1909: Oak Park, an amusement park in Preston County, opened. It was an easy ride from Morgantown, and helped to fill up trains on weekends and holidays. On one summer day in 1909, 14 trains brought more than 4,000 people to the park.

June 20, 1861: Francis Pierpont was unanimously elected as governor of the unionist Reorganized State of Virginia, which sat at Wheeling until West Virginia entered the Union two years later.

June 20, 1863: West Virginia became the 35th state. Arthur Boreman was the state's first governor.

June 20, 1932: The West Virginia capitol was officially dedicated. Construction had begun in

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Calhoun Summer School--

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Personnel:
--Resignation: extra-curricular, David Gaul, CMS football coach; summerschool, Tammey Webb, program coordinator/teacher; Timothy Abel, bus operator/custodian III; administration, Amy Nicholas, principal, PHS; professional, Allison Moss, 4th grade teacher, PHS.

--Employee contracts: probationary, professional, Raymond Ray, Michael Batton; service, Lou Richards, Brittany Parsons.

--Employment: professional, Phyllis Nutter, drivers education/health/physical education teacher, CM/HS; Jordan Thompson, general science teacher, CM/HS, pending certification; John Bugby, Tammey Webb, substitute teachers (county); Dr.

Deborah Rasmussen, program coordinator/interventionist, STC, PHS; Administrative: David Gaul, principal, CM/HS; Service: Deidre Brannon, multi-classified aide II/supervisory aide, specialized health care procedures, Early Childhood classroom assistant teacher; Multi-classified aide II/supervisory aide/bus, specialized health care procedures, county, itinerant: Kevin Boak, Jennifer Hoskins, Betty Jones, CM/HS 5th grade; Samantha Hanlon, Kayla Falls, CM/HS resource room; Sandra Ballengee, AES 1st grade; Jessica Summers, AES Special Education resource room; Erica Greathouse, Carrie Collins, PHS 1st grade; Holly McKown, PHS Special Education resource

room; Lisa Walker, PHS kindergarten. Summer School: Tracy Arden, K-12 tutor; Christina Miller, AES, and Stacey Wagoner, PHS, kindergarten Summer Boost multi-classified aide II/supervisory aide/bus. Extra-curricular, Bryan Sterns, assistant varsity football coach. After approval of personnel, the board was scheduled to hear two expulsion hearings. The next regular board meeting will be held on Monday, July 19, 5:30 p.m., in the Mt. Zion board office.

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Poker Run

Creston Community Building's Summer ATV Poker Run will be held on Saturday, June 26, starting at the building at 340 Ann's Run Road, Creston.

Registration is from 9 a.m. to noon, with a \$10 entry fee. Payout is: 1st place, 30%; 2nd, 10%; and 3rd, 10% of the door.

There will also be door prizes and 50/50 drawing. Kitchen will be open for purchase of breakfast and dinner items. For information, call 275-3578 or 275-0003.

Lions Club Bingo

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Chief Engineer of Programs

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IN THE FAMILY COURT OF CALHOUN COUNTY, WEST VIRGINIA

TO:
Chad Hughes
3635 Sycamore Road
Millstone WV 25261
DOB: 10/07/1990

Magistrate Court Case No. 21-M07D-00010
Family Court Civil Action No.: 21-DV-9

ORDER OF PUBLICATION (PROTECTIVE ORDER / HEARING DATE)

- The object of this suit is to obtain protection from the Respondent.
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TO THE ABOVE-NAMED RESPONDENT:

It appearing by evidence duly taken in this action that you could not be found in or that you have left the State of West Virginia, you are hereby notified of the ORDER referenced above. A copy of the Petition and Order may be obtained at the Calhoun County Circuit Clerk's office. This PROTECTIVE ORDER will remain in effect until a hearing on the Petition is held and an Order is issued by the Family Court.

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Calhoun Middle/High School Honor Roll (3.5+ grade point average) and Achievement Roll (3.0-3.499 GPA) listed:

HONOR ROLL

12th Grade -- Tori Arnold, Bronson Bennett, Adrianna Brannon, Patrick Carpenter, Waylon Carter, Tavia Fowler, Madison Gribble, Brandon Hacker, Mckenna Heiney, Jayden Hickman, Shyanna Jeffrey, Hannah Johnson, Summer Jones, Christopher Kendall, Philine Lippmann, Alexandra Lipscomb, Kyla Lovejoy, Gabriel Metz, Kaylin Parsons, Paige Persinger, Rhiana Radcliff, Levi Richards, Carter Ritchie, Briar Stehman, Isabella Stump, Jaden Swearingen, Samantha Tanner, Marissa Taylor, Levi Walker, Dominick Whipkey, Trinity Yeager, Abigail Yoak, Jordan Yoak.

11th Grade -- Jesse Allen, Caleb Barr, Hayden Bennett, Katey Bever, Chase Blair, Cody Blosser, Zachary Brannon, Abby Butler, Savannah Cunningham, Samuel Garcia, Lexi Gregory, Ava Helmick, Tysa James, Makayla Jones, Daniel Kargol, Brooklyn Keener, Antonio Mattero, Pepper McCormick, Josie Montgomery, Hannah Muniz, Anne Pingley, Ian Richards, Nicholas Rubel, Dylan Rush, Matthew Siers, Cheyanne Tingler, Abigail White.

10th Grade -- Adriaana Arnold, Ashley Arnold, Emily Bell, David Boggs, America Boothe, Savanna Carpenter, Jordan Collins, Christeena Craddock, Elijah Dickey, Cassandra Fowler, Michael Frederick Bandy, Marlee Hall, Caelan Harper, Ariety Hickman, Lacy Hicks, Joshua Hixon, Kason Hupp, Ethan Jarvis,

Jaelyn Jett, Alexis Joseph, Colby Lamb, Levi Morris, Caleb Morton, Malachi Muniz, Kiley Murphy, Summer Parsons, Dylon Sampson, Mason Siwicki, James Starcher, Keeley Sturms, Aislin Summers, Hunter Thacker, Akeara Webb, Madison Westfall, Zenna Zwoell.

9th Grade -- Emily Anderson, Trista Arnold, Austin Baker, Matthew Boggs, Marissa Brannon, Abby Cain, Emily Dennison, Jaiden Francis, Troy Frederick, Karlee Garrett, Abigail Godfrey, Trey Heiney, Mia Houchin, Brianna Jarvis, Caden Jones, Mattea Miller, Trenton Nelson, Tyler Nelson, Whitney Nettles, Kade Swearingen, Owen Taylor, Jacob Toney, Kameryn Toney, Grace Vincent, Tyler Whited, Alyssa Yeager.

8th Grade -- Shayna Arnold, Brealle Arthur, Rylie Gerlach, Camron Jarvis, Lauren Lovejoy, Kayden McCormick, Eliza Miller, Lindsey Nettles, Abigail Nicholas, Landon Richards, Mason Richards, Logan Tingler, Alexis Villines, Abigail Waldron, Addison Welch, Abigail Wright.

7th Grade -- Emily Basnett, Maximillia Beam, Courtney Blosser, Holly Carper, Hobie Holbert, Abby Kruzan, Lana Laughlin, Faith McClain, Addison McCumbers, Jimmy McCumbers, Maddison McCumbers, Annabel Nicholas, Wyatt Nichols, Landon Sampson, Chloe Sillaman, Emily Sillaman, Emilee Swisher, Isaac Wagoner, Logan Walls.

6th Grade -- Micah Allen, Laney Arnold, Eli Bailey, Brennen Carpenter, Isabella Cronin, Madison Cunningham, Raylee Cunningham, Kamille Dye,

Maeson Grogg, Madison Jones, Addison Laughlin, Logan McCormick, Alex McKown, Cooper Morris, Kyla Myer, Kayleigh Poling, Kylee Quick, Mariah Richards, Summer Rogers, Summer Sampson, Chase Schoolcraft, Reese Schoolcraft, Levi Sillaman, Maddox Siwicki, Raeonna Stamper, Paige Sterns, Chasen Stirling, Orion Swearingen.

5th Grade -- Nicolis Butler, Brennah Casner, Addison Collins, Ryleigh Crislip-Garrett, Madison Cummings, Paisley Cummings, Jacob Elkins, Hoyt Helmick, Gavin Hicks, Aubrey Laughlin, Evan Miller, Caydence Moss, Izabella Nicholas, Wattson Nichols, Griffen Parsons, Laura Reeves, Bret Richards, Brody Richards, Josie Richards, Christian Rogers, Aayden Rush, Tucker Sampson, Kendall Snodgrass, Coby Staples, Brennon Swisher, Owen Swisher, Jasmyne Tingler, Eithen Villines.

ACHIEVEMENT ROLL

12th Grade -- Levi Allen, Cainenon Carpenter, Austin Echard, Mycheal Edgell, Linda Lamb, Meaghan McCumbers, Emily Sears, Logan Smith, Lacy Whytsell.

11th Grade -- Autumn Butler, Rebekah Cunningham, Kirsta Dye, Kolton Garrett, Drue Goad, Ellarose Hess, Brandon Keener, Kaitlyn Marks, Hunter Schoolcraft, Grant Sterns, Allison Stevens, Joseph Sturms, Breanna Wagoner.

10th Grade -- Brayden Alfred, Hayden Bajcar, Joel Basnett, Isaiah Boggs, Amelia Cain, Mickaylee Cowan, Felicity Critchfield, Jesse Hess, Jaron Jett, Colin Jones, Haley Jones, Chelsea McCumbers, Ian Persinger, Anthony Schoo, Ryan Sillaman, Shiloh Stanley, Bryan Thomas, Joselynn Yeager.

9th Grade -- Mackenzie Bailey, Landon Bennett, Maria Collins, Jordan Hall, Jlynn Helmic, Adam Hughes, Zoey Kute, Morgan McCumbers, Kasey Milliron, Breanna Parish, Dakota Quick, Jacy Stehman, Levi Stump, Nyla Warner.

8th Grade -- Ashlyn Boak, Landon Church, Nickolas Dickey, Mariah Frederick, Carlie Heiney, Hanna Knight, Dakotah Rook, Tyler Sampson.

7th Grade -- Kagen Ferrell, Grayleigh Houchin, Hannah Knicley, Joseph Nelson, Makinze Owens, Kassidy Parsons, Zander Quick, Kelsey Snider, Sandra Tanner.

6th Grade -- Tyler Butler, Kayleigh Cunningham, Lillian Gibson, Kolten Holbert, Amara Hosey, Wyatt Knicley, Zachary Kute, Destiny Langford, Layken Nichols, Kirstian Parsons, Kamri Richards, Mia Starcher, Brayden Tawney, Brycen Toney, Olivia Zwoell.

5th Grade -- Camden Carpenter, Ryleigh Hardman, Ethan Harris, Braydon McKown, Bailey Metz, Whitney Rogers, Lucien Springston, Braden Starcher, Kian Wise.

CCCOA To Open Site June 22--

(Continued from Page 5) list of winners, and tickets and/or prizes will be distributed at a later date.

Hand sanitizer will be placed throughout the building and made available to anyone entering the senior center. All bathrooms will be sanitized multiple times a day. Masks will be made available to those who are not vaccinated, as well as to anyone who feels more comfortable wearing one.

Activities

Alter schedules, such as staggering meal and activity times, and creating pods (that is, forming small groups that regularly participate at the same times) and do not mix with individuals in other groups.

Practice physical distancing and wear masks indoors or outdoors for both staff and participants.

Prioritize outdoor activities over indoor activities, when possible. Staff should ensure sun safety for all participants and staff.

Clean tools, materials, and computer or other equipment before and after the participant has finished using them, or at least daily.

Postpone musical activities and performances that include playing wind instruments, singing, chanting, or shouting during events, especially when participants are in close proximity to each other.

Group sizes may be limited, and reservations may be taken to limit the number of seniors.

Multiple time slots may be given to an activity so that we may limit the number of seniors, but accommodate everyone that wants to participate.

SHIP counseling will continue by appointment only and will be conducted by telephone or outside when possible. The number of people allowed will be limited to the client and one other person. No children will be allowed during counseling sessions. Clients will be asked to wear a mask while meeting with the counselor.

Transportation will be scheduled by reservation on a first come, first served basis. Those riding the bus on the daily bus route will be asked to wear a mask while on the bus, as well as while boarding and exiting.

Alternating rows of seats will be skipped on each side of the bus, with the row directly behind the driver skipped/left empty, and establishing the pattern for the rest of the bus. The opposite side of the bus will utilize the rows skipped on the driver's side, and skip those rows utilized on the driver's side.

The ground floor will remain closed to the public, and the library section, with adjoining bathroom (and isolated exit door at Simon St.) will be used as an isolation area in the event it is needed for anyone demonstrating COVID-19 symptoms while at the center.

The following guidance will be utilized regarding isolating and transporting persons with symptoms:

--Isolate and transport staff and participants who have symptoms while at the center.

--Plan to have an isolation room or area (preferably with access to a dedicated restroom) that you can use to isolate a sick participant or staff member. Ensure that

isolated participants are wearing masks, are at a distance of six feet or greater from others, and remain under supervision.

--Staff should isolate people who begin to have these symptoms from others. Prepare a list of all individuals who have been in close contact with sick participant(s) or staff member(s).

--Notify an emergency contact regarding the sick person's symptoms and arrange safe and accessible transportation home. Arrange emergency transport to a healthcare facility for participants or staff with severe symptoms.

--Close off areas used by a sick person and do not use these areas until after cleaning and disinfecting them; this includes surfaces or shared objects in the area, if applicable.

--Wait as long as possible (at least several hours) before cleaning and disinfecting. You should ensure safe and proper use of cleaning and disinfection products.

--Close off areas used by the person who is sick.

--Open outside doors and windows to increase air circulation.

--Increase ventilation and wear a mask (in addition to other protection needed for safe use of cleaning and disinfection products), while cleaning and disinfecting.

--Clean and disinfect all areas used by the person who is sick, such as offices, bathrooms, and common areas.

--Notify health officials and close contacts.

--Inform those who have had close contact with a person diagnosed with COVID-19 to stay home and self-monitor for symptoms, and

follow CDC guidance if symptoms develop.

--Visit community prevention guiding principles for further considerations.

In the event of an outbreak involving the center or community in general, CCCOA reserves the right to curtail any services and/or to close to the public until management and/or other governing agencies deems it appropriate to reopen.

CCCOA reserves the right to amend or modify these policies.

Approved by the CCCOA board of directors on May 27, 2021.



Vacation Bible School Brooksville Baptist Church

It's Vacation Bible School time at Brooksville Baptist Church in Big Bend, W. Va.!

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The Bandits were this year's Minor League baseball champions. Members include, left to right, first row, Carter Goodrich, Jack Snider, Launa Elswick, Snider, Vada Barnhart, Ellie Hall, Marky Plumby, Ari Bremar, Lizzie Collins, Brantley Schoolcraft, Clara Barnhart; third row, coaches Shaun Snodgress, Cruz Frymier, Silas Cunningham, Bentley Snodgress; second row, Sam Okey Collins and Kevin Cunningham.



40th Bower Reunion held At Calhoun County Park

Descendants of Roy and Icy Taylor Bower gathered at Calhoun County Park on Sunday, May 30, for the 40th family reunion since 1980 (no reunion held in 2020 due to pandemic).

The following 50 attendees of family and friends enjoyed an afternoon of fellowship and a potluck dinner:

Jeff, Barbara, Woody and Ben Taylor, Fairmont; Haley Stevens, Morgantown; Ron and Lisa King, Waynesburg, Pa.; Gary and Carolyn

Preston, Belpre, Ohio; Ronnie, Ellen and Andrea Owens, Davisville;

Darrell and Mary Bower, Ron Blankenship, Todd Godfrey, Jim and Sheila Garretson, Frankie, Jayden and Jakiah Hickman, Shyanna Jeffrey, Bridgett Collins, Mike and Darlene Crane, Grantsville;

Lisa and Jason Walker, Tim and Terry Hickman, Alfred and Jeannie Hickman, Big Springs; Kerri Buck, Parkersburg; Rose Hick-

man, Jason Sypolt, Phillip and Micki Hickman, Renick;

Keegan Kirkpatrick, Pt. Pleasant; Curt, Kristin, Turner, Ryne and Kellen Garretson, Charles and Donna Owens, Mineral Wells; Hatzel Hickman, China Grove, N.C.; Kathy and Jerry Hopkins, Elizabeth; and April, Noah and Asher Williams, Frankford.

The next reunion will be held on Sunday, May 29, 2022.

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Saturday July 3rd
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Fireworks
10 PM



Water slide
1:00 to 3:00 PM



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5 to 7 PM



Concessions



John Richards
3 to 6 PM

50th Anniversary



Tom and Sandra Sullivan celebrated their 50th wedding anniversary at a picnic gathering of family and friends, hosted by their daughter, Ann Lambert.

Tom is the son of the late Earl and Eileen Sullivan. Sandra is the daughter of Mamie Dawson and the late John Dawson. They were married on June 11, 1971, at Bryner Chapel by the late Rev. Glendon McKee.

Tom was employed by Mt. State Steel and by Cabot Corp. before retiring in 2008. Sandra is a homemaker, and had previously been employed as an English teacher at Calhoun County High School.

They are members of Washington United Methodist Church, and are parents of two daughters, Lisa Roberts and husband Michael and Ann Lambert and husband Joseph. They have five grandchildren: Aidan, Carrick and Truman Roberts and Elliot and Seth Lambert.

Municipal business licenses need to be paid by June 22, 2021. You can mail your money to us or drop it in the red box by our office between the hours of 8 a.m. and 4 p.m., Monday through Friday. I will either mail your license or drop off at your business.
 Pamela S. Davis, Office Manager