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## READY TO STRIKE?

*Groundbreaking ceremony held for Bowling Entertainment Center, Pages 2-4*







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Ground was officially broken for the new Bowling Entertainment Center at Harrah's Cherokee Casino Resort on Tuesday, July 9. Shown (left-right) are Brooks Robinson, Harrah's Cherokee regional senior vice president and general manager; Jim Owle, TCGE Board of Advisors chairman; Principal Chief Patrick Lambert; Tribal Council Chairman Bill Taylor; and Vice Chief Richard G. Sneed.

# READY TO STRIKE?

## Tribe, Harrah's break ground on Bowling Center

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**N**ext fall, Harrah's Cherokee Casino Resort will not only be filled with the sounds of gaming machines, a portion will be filled with the sounds of bowling pins being knocked around. Officials and leaders from the Eastern Band of Cherokee Indians, along with officials from Harrah's Cherokee, broke ground on the Bowling Entertainment Center at the casino resort on Tuesday, July 19.

"It's been proven many, many times in business that without growth and without change, business would die," said Shawn Crowe, an EBCI tribal member who served as the emcee for Tuesday's event. He went on to praise the casino's place in western North Carolina and Cherokee itself. "I don't want to take it too lightly, and I think a lot of other enrolled members feel the same, that we appreciate what you, Harrah's Cherokee, have done for us."

Tribal Council passed a resolution during Budget Council on Wednesday, Feb. 3 to build the \$13 million Bowling Entertainment Center. The resolution, submitted by Principal Chief Patrick Lambert, has the Eastern Band of Cherokee Indians responsible for half or roughly \$6.5 million of the price tag with the TCGE (Tribal Casino Gaming Enterprise) being responsible



for the other half.

Chief Lambert commented on Tuesday, “We’ve all waited a long time for this day. There’s been a lot of people that have come before that have worked to get this day here.”

He thanked everyone who had a part in the project, “Today is a very important day for our Tribe and our casino enterprise. Today, we break ground on a new facility – a new Bowling Center that will serve our people and our casino customers. This project has been a long time coming, and it will be delivered completely debt-free.”

Chief Lambert noted that since taking office in October 2015, he has made economic diversification one of his administration’s top priorities. “That’s why I’ve directed our team to do everything they can to bring the best food, the best retail, the best entertainment right here into our town. We’ve all created a vision together. It’s a shared vision – a vision of economic diversification that makes good business sense, respects Cherokee culture, creates new job opportunities, and provides family-friendly attractions that will entice our visitors to visit and stay longer.”

During his speech, Chief Lambert challenged Tribal Council to a game of bowling once the Center opens. “Since there are so many members of Tribal Council and just one of me, I’m going to pick my team right here. My team is going to consist of the gold medalists elders sitting right here,” he said lightheartedly referring to a group of EBCI elders who are active in the Senior Games, many having won medals in bowling.

The 50,000 square foot Center will contain two floors. According to information from the TCGE, the



**Junior Miss Cherokee Abigail Taylor, Little Miss Cherokee Madison Ledford, and Teen Miss Cherokee Blake Wachacha sing the Cherokee National Anthem to open Tuesday’s event.**

first floor will cost \$8,723,090 and will contain 16 bowling lanes, a food and beverage outlet, and an arcade area. The second floor will cost \$4,578,523 and will contain eight bowling lanes, a bar, and a potential food area.

Vice Chief Richard G. Sneed stated, “There are so many people who have put a great deal of work into this project to its fruition, too many in fact to try to name everyone...this project represents what I think will be the first of many projects to help increase our economic diversity. As Chief Lambert said, economic diversity and economic prosperity are at the forefront of the agenda for this administration.”

He added, “This will increase our diversity and profitability while

simultaneously providing jobs and entertainment value for both our community and our visitors.”

Tribal Council Chairman Bill Taylor related, “This has been a project that’s been on the table ever since I’ve been on Tribal Council, and today it’s finally come to life.”

He recognized the senior bowlers who were instrumental in bringing the project forward. “This is your project. You all started this project. We would not be here today breaking ground if you all hadn’t kept pushing for this project so I applaud you.”

Chairman Taylor went on to say, “This Bowling Center is going to provide jobs for our people, increase revenue, and increase our people’s per capita. This amenity

will also make sure that our property, our resort, will stand out in the forefront of Indian Country when it comes to Indian gaming casinos and resorts.”

Brooks Robinson, Harrah’s Cherokee regional senior vice president and general manager, said, “Harrah’s Cherokee has achieved unparalleled success since opening in 1997 as evidenced by this constant growth...the addition of this Bowling Entertainment Complex is yet another milestone for us as we continue to solidify ourselves as the premier resort in the southeast and in Indian Country. Strong leadership and visionary thinking has been the catalyst for various

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**BOWLING:** Ground broken for new facility, from page 3

Cherokee successes. Staying competitive in the casino industry is critical, and I have been fortunate to be a part of a team of visionaries who have pushed forward for the betterment of this business."

He stated that this venture represents a joint venture between the Tribe and the TCGE (Tribal Casino Gaming Enterprise), the first of its kind. "It's exciting, very exciting, the first in our history. By working together, the Tribe and Harrah's Cherokee will launch a new and exciting amenity that fills both a need for our community and also for our casino guests."

Painttown Rep. Tommye Saunooke has worked on the project for years. "This is not only



**An artist's rendering of the Bowling Entertainment Center was on display at the event.**

going to help the seniors, it's going to help the youth too. So, you can bring your kids to this one, and that's a great thing."

She said the Junaluska Leadership Council first brought the idea of a bowling alley to Tribal Council

in 1998. "In 2001, Jim Owle and B. Ensley brought a resolution in, and Tribal Council passed it unanimously, to go ahead with a theater and a bowling alley. Well, we did the theater, but we didn't have the money to do the bowling alley. But,

now we do."

Yellowhill Rep. B. Ensley commented, "I want to thank the seniors and all the bowlers. They stayed on Jim (Owle) and I for years and years, and we kept pushing forward."

Annie Owens, an EBCI elder from the Yellowhill Community who is active in the senior games and bowling, commented, "A wonderful day has happened, and I want to extend a great thank you and appreciation to Tribal Council and the Chief (Lambert), a special thank you to Bill Taylor, B. (Ensley) and Tommye (Saunooke) for bringing this thing forward. We have our seniors, we have our families, we have our youth, we have our casino guests, people out in the communities that can come and join in and have fun like we do."

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# Hep C reaches epidemic level in Cherokee

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**H**epatitis C virus (Hep C or HCV) is a viral infection that affects the liver. The disease, transmitted “primarily through large or repeated percutaneous – passage through the skin – exposures to infectious blood” according to the CDC, has reached epidemic status in Cherokee according to health officials.

Christy Duke, a senior epidemiologist with USET, gave a report to the EBCI Health Board on Wednesday, July 20 in which she outlined a study she performed on the prevalence of Hep C within the population of the Eastern Band of Cherokee Indians. She started by telling about the difference between acute (short term, no lasting liver damage) and chronic (long-term, can cause significant liver damage) Hep C.

“About 30 percent of those with acute Hep C will go on to develop chronic Hep C,” said Duke who analyzed the RPMS (Resource and Patient Management System) figures for the EBCI for her study.

She related that the number of EBCI patients diagnosed with chronic Hep C has steadily increased from 2011-15 as such: 2011, 70 patients; 2012, 103 patients; 2013, 143 patients; 2014, 196 patients; and 2015, 204 patients.

The CDC estimates that between 2.7 and 3.9 million Americans have chronic Hep C.

Duke also gave EBCI rates for acute Hep C per 1,000 population

including: 2011, 1.9 percent, 19 patients; 2012, 1.6 percent, 16 patients; 2013, 2.4 percent, 21 patients; 2014, 1.6 percent, 17 patients; and 2015, 1.2 percent, 13 patients. Conversely, she gave the rates for the state of North Carolina for three years including: 2011, .006 percent, 60 patients; 2012, .006 percent, 63 patients; and 2013, .008 percent, 79 patients. The EBCI patients were not counted in the state totals.

“The rates here on the reservation,” said Tribal Council Chairman Bill Taylor, “it’s scary. It’s an epidemic.”

He said patient education about the disease is vital especially when

IDUs typically have a much higher prevalence (approximately 70-99 percent) of HCV (Hep C virus) infection, reflecting the increased risk of continued injection drug use.”

In discussing a possible needle exchange program, Vickie Bradley, EBCI Secretary of Public Health and Human Services, related, “It is the only proven, effective way to curb an epidemic of Hep C.”

Laura Davis, a public health nurse with Cherokee Community Health, explained needle exchange programs a little more. “It’s not just a straight needle that they get. They get what they consider a cooking kit. It’s cotton, it’s the little cookers. All of those come

## “It’s scary. It’s an epidemic.”

*- Tribal Council Chairman Bill Taylor  
on the rates of Hep C among the EBCI population*

it comes to intravenous drug users. “You’ve got the IV users out there now, they’re not sharing needles. They’ve got their own needles, but they don’t understand the process that when they’re loading the needles that they’re still sharing a needle. I’ve done my homework on this, and that’s where it’s happening. They think just because they’re using their own needle, they’re safe, but they’re not.”

According to the CDC, roughly one-third of injection drug users (IDUs) age 18-30 are infected with Hep C. “Older and former

individually to the person using so they’re not sharing the equipment. So, when we say needle exchange, I think sometimes people think, ‘oh, we’re just going to give them a pack of needles’, but it’s also things that are shared among users.”

During Wednesday’s discussion, the question was raised as to the cost of treating someone with Hep C.

Casey Cooper, Cherokee Indian Hospital CEO, commented, “I don’t have a total cumulative cost, but we know that the treatment is extremely expensive. The new drugs

are very effective. The last estimate I heard was \$20,000 a month for a three-month treatment.”

He went on to say, “We have some numbers that are significantly different.”

Cooper said Duke tried to meet with them, but they were unable to get together on it. “We’ve got numbers that are more than twice of what she is able to extract out of the system, and I think that we may have numbers and ledgers that are not in the RPMS database. The magnitude of this is even much larger than what you’re seeing. The most recent number I have is 539.”

Chairman Taylor commented that it’s important to get the proper numbers and put a dollar figure for treatment to it. “If we can save a life, then I’m all for it. That 539 is just the ones that have been tested or came into the hospital for a reason and were tested. That’s nowhere near the number that’s walking around out here that don’t even know they have it.”

Big Cove Rep. Richard French told of a recent visit to Hastings Hospital in Oklahoma where they are doing innovative work with Hep C patients. “We need to reach out to these people in Indian Country. It’s not just here. It’s all over, and if there’s someone that’s got information that is working, we need to open up and start calling them and reaching out.”

Cooper related that the Cherokee Indian Hospital will provide a more thorough report on Hep C and its treatment to the Health Board next month.

# Crisis Stabilization Unit discussed in Health Board

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A week after ground was broken on the future Snowbird Residential Treatment Center, the construction of a Crisis Stabilization Unit to further help those struggling with substance abuse was discussed in Health Board on Wednesday, July 20. The proposed Unit would be located at the old Cherokee Indian Hospital site and is part of the hospital's Phase II Renovation.

"It moves all of Analenisgi and the center-based services into the old hospital," Casey Cooper, Cherokee Indian Hospital CEO, told Health Board. "This would allow us to be self-sufficient and kind of unplug ourselves from the dependency that we have on the state crisis network system."

The facility would include 15 beds, 12 of which would be dedicated mostly to substance abuse patients with the remaining three for high acuity patients.

"It would decrease our dependency on Broughton and other state facilities," commented Cooper. "It would decrease our dependency on mobile crisis. In essence, all of these patients who are being unfortunately housed in the emergency room for



Image courtesy of Cherokee Indian Hospital

**The image above shows the space allotments for the various components of the proposed Crisis Stabilization Unit at the old Cherokee Indian Hospital.**

anywhere from seven to 14 days, we could get these folks right into one of our own beds."

Tribal Council Chairman Bill Taylor stated that it's important for patients to have a place to go prior to entering a rehabilitation facility. "If they don't have that, then more than likely they're going to relapse. And, I think we're failing them right there."

He inquired how many beds are currently being used for this at the new hospital.

Cooper replied, "It averages about 50 percent of our beds. Yesterday, we had 15 patients in the In-Patient Unit and eight of them were substance abuse or detox-related patients."

During Wednesday's discussion, Forrest Parker, Cherokee Indian Hospital Authority executive director of engineering, gave a presentation on the proposed Unit where he related

that there is 66,000 square feet of functional program space at the old hospital. "Currently, 50,000 square feet of that space is unassigned. It doesn't have operational hospital programs in it such as maintenance, housekeeping, human resources, IT, and the like."

Parker related the renovation plan would include the following space allotments:

- In-Patient Crisis Stabilization Unit: 13,200 square feet
- Out-Patient – Analenisgi Recovery Center: 16,240 square feet
- IT and Human Resources: 3,900 square feet
- Common/public circulation space and possible upgrades: 8,040 square feet

The remaining space will be addressed in Phase IIB renovations.

Parker said the project would take approximately 22 months from start to

finish. "That is taking it all the way from schematic design all the way to opening the doors for service."

He said the total budget for the project is \$23.8 million which includes \$12.4 for construction, \$1.7 million for design and consultants, as well as \$4 million for contingency and escalation costs.

"We included a 5 percent escalation per item for three years. That way, we know that we're covering those and nothing can catch us off guard with market changes. At this point, it's just kind of industry standard to allow for 15 percent contingency. Where we don't have a design yet, we feel that's the best way to go."

Parker related that the age of the building is contributing to costs. "One of the most important things that is driving the costs is we have \$6 million of required infrastructure improvements and exterior skin remediation for the facility."

He added that the building must be brought up to code once renovations start, and that will include sprinklers throughout the building, modifications to air flow, as well as dealing with water issues due to the age of the exterior skin. "The old exterior has been there for a long time, and it's really bad."

Chairman Taylor asked if numbers had been developed for building an entirely new facility versus remodeling the existing structure.

Cooper related they have not but stated, "We absolutely will do that Mr. Chairman. It's a great idea. Now, we have something to compare against."

Vice Chairman Brandon Jones said, "I do think that we're at a crisis point with our own community members. I think we need to take care of our own first because if we can't help ourselves, we can't help anybody else. So, I think we need to do everything we can to get this going as fast as we can because we see we're two, two-and-a-half years out from being where we need to be to have a complete program."

Cooper said he would like to discuss the project in further detail in a working session of Tribal Council. "If this ends up not being the desire of tribal leadership, we want to be able to talk with you about some things that we can do that are short of this that would still help. If it is the desire of leadership, we want to make sure you know that we're committed to implementing your vision."

Chairman Taylor said he will schedule the working session.

# Mattocks indicted on kidnapping charges

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ONE FEATHER STAFF

**T**he mother of three Cherokee children who allegedly kidnapped them and took them to Mexico has been formally indicted on kidnapping charges. Arrested and taken into custody in June, Shira Elizabeth Mattocks, 27, aka Shira Elizabeth Raman, was indicted on three counts of International Parental Kidnapping in a Bill of Indictment filed in U.S. District Court on Tuesday, July 19.

After her arrest last month in Mexico, a 10-page Criminal Complaint was filed against Ms. Mattocks which stated, “there is probable cause that Shira Elizabeth Mattocks violated Title 18, U.S.C., Section 1204, i.e., International Parental Kidnapping Crime Act of 1993 – at some point after November 14, 2014, when she fled to Mexico from the U.S. in an effort to evade her child custody responsibilities.”

Ms. Mattocks is currently in federal custody and will have her arraignment hearing before Magistrate Judge Dennis Howell on Wednesday, July 27 at 9:40am at the Federal Courthouse (Courtroom 2) at 100 Otis St. in Asheville.

## Background

The Criminal Complaint alleges that Ms. Mattocks had child custody disputes with two men – Jonathan Reed Mattocks, the father of Evelyn (now almost 2), and Donald “Donny” James Owle, the father of James (now 10) and Samuel (now 7). The Complaint alleges that



**Shira Elizabeth Mattocks**

Donald Owle dropped off James and Samuel to their grandmother, Teresa Arneach Arreaga (Teresa), aka Teresa Lovins, in Cherokee on Nov. 14, 2014.

“That was the last time Donald ever saw his children,” the Complaint alleges. “In accordance with the custody agreement, they were supposed to retrieve J.O. and S.O. the upcoming Sunday (November 16, 2014), but neither Teresa nor Shira showed up.”

The Complaint went on to say that Cherokee Indian Police Department officers contacted various members of Ms. Mattocks family in an effort to locate her and the children. “According to CIPD Detectives, those family members indicated they knew where Shira and the missing children were, but they (family members) were confrontational and not helpful. The CIPD investigation began to yield indicators that Shira and Teresa had fled the United States (U.S.) to Mexico...”

Shortly thereafter, charges were filed in Tribal Court against

Ms. Mattocks including one count of Failure to Obey a Lawful Court Order and two counts of Custodial Interference.

Teresa Arneach was arrested at Ms. Mattocks’ residence in Cherokee on May 27, 2015. Charges were filed in Tribal Court against her including two counts of Criminal Conspiracy, two counts of Custodial Interference, and one count of Failure to Obey a Lawful Order of the Court. The One Feather reported that those charges were Dismissed with Leave to Refile on March 9, 2016.

The Complaint states that Arneach’s phone was seized upon her arrest by CIPD officers. “A tribal search warrant was obtained and certain data was exploited from the phone which further validated CIPD officers’ belief that Shira had fled to Mexico. According to CIPD Detectives who reviewed the phone, there were text messages reflecting communications via a phone number which appeared to be a number from Mexico. The text messages indicated Shira was near Tamazula,

Mexico.”

CIPD officers contacted the FBI in June 2015 and requested their assistance, and on July 2, 2015 an international parental kidnapping case was opened by the Bureau.

In October 2015, FBI officials interviewed Maria Arias Negrete, the mother of Jose Arias who is the ex-husband of Arneach. She allegedly told them that Ms. Mattocks and the three children were staying near her home in Tamazula, Jalisco, Mexico. “At some point, around the middle of 2015, Maria personally observed Shira and her three children temporarily residing in the area of Maria’s home residence...” the Complaint alleges. “While there, Shira was living with Maria’s grandson, David Villa Rivera, with whom Shira had developed some type of intimate relationship.”

Starting in March 2016, a confidential source began an investigation and tracked Ms. Mattocks and Rivera whereabouts through interviews with various family members of Rivera in Mexico.

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# CIPD Arrest Report July 18-25

The following people were arrested by the Cherokee Indian Police Department and booked into the Anthony Edward Lossiah Justice Center. It should be noted that the following defendants have only been charged with the crimes listed and should be presumed innocent until proven guilty in a court of law.

## Jacobs, Colby Draven – age 19

Arrested: July 18 (no booking time given)  
Released: July 20  
Charges: Failure to Appear on Misdemeanor

**Number of times in CIPD Detention: 2**

## Teesateskie, Treavor – age 47

Arrested: July 18 at 10:02  
Released: July 20  
Charges: Failure to Appear on Misdemeanor (two counts)

**Number of times in CIPD Detention: 2**

## Bennett, Lauren Sterling – age 37

Arrested: July 19 at 22:31  
Released: July 19  
Charges: Driving While License Revoked

**Number of times in CIPD Detention: 7**

## Mata, Felisa Benita – age 27

Arrested: July 19 at 00:40  
Released: July 23  
Charges: Public Nuisance

**Number of times in CIPD Detention: 2**

## Groenewold, William Gavin – age 21

Arrested: July 20 at 22:50  
Released: July 22  
Charges: Breaking and Entering, Failure to Appear on Misdemeanor

**Number of times in CIPD Detention: 1**

## Walkingstick, Deborah Dee – age 51

Arrested: July 20 at 16:00  
Released: July 22  
Charges: Failure to Appear on Misdemeanor

**Number of times in CIPD Detention: 1**

## Ward, Joseph Calvin – age 30 (mugshot not available)

Arrested: July 20 at 10:30  
Released: July 20  
Charges: Simple Assault

**Number of times in CIPD Detention: 1**

## Zepeda, Travis Aron – age 20

Arrested: July 20 at 16:45  
Released: July 21  
Charges: Failure to Appear on Misdemeanor

**Number of times in CIPD Detention: 7**

## Maney, Jerry Lee – age 55

Arrested: July 21 at 12:00  
Not released as of press time  
Charges: Aggravated Sexual Abuse

**Number of times in CIPD Detention: 1**

**Reed, Anthony Lee – age 37**

Arrested: July 21 at 14:45  
Not released as of press time  
Charges: Receiving or Possessing Stolen Property, Aggravated Weapons Offense

**Number of times in CIPD Detention: 1**

## Youngdeer, Samantha Dion – age 25

Arrested: July 21 at 09:00  
Released: July 21  
Charges: Failure to Appear on Misdemeanor

**Number of times in CIPD Detention: 1**

## Bradley, Darian Shantelle – age 20

Arrested: July 22 at 02:33  
Released: July 23  
Charges: Purchase/Attempt Fortified Wine, Liquor, Mix Beverage Less than 21; Resisting Public Officer; Disorderly Conduct; Simple Assault; Second Degree Trespass

**Number of times in CIPD Detention: 2**

## Calhoun, Mary Elizabeth – age 41

Arrested: July 22 at 02:47  
Released: July 23  
Charges: Disorderly Conduct, Resisting Public Officer, Second Degree Trespass

**Number of times in CIPD Detention: 1**

## Crowe, William Ryan – age 26

Arrested: July 22 at 20:00  
Released: July 23

Charges: Second Degree Trespass  
**Number of times in CIPD Detention: 3**

## Smith II, Greg – age 26

Arrested: July 22 at 03:05  
Released: July 22  
Charges: Failure to Appear on Misdemeanor

**Number of times in CIPD Detention: 3**

## Smith, Jack Daniel – age 27

Arrested: July 22 at 08:00  
Released: July 22  
Charges: False Pretenses, Receiving or Possessing Stolen Property

**Number of times in CIPD Detention: 1**

## Tooni, Denise Diane – age 35

Arrested: July 23 at 17:29  
Released: July 24  
Charges: Failure to Appear

**Number of times in CIPD Detention: 1**

## Jones, Clay Sials – age 23

Arrested: July 24 at 22:19  
Not released as of press time  
Charges: Child Abuse in the Second Degree, Assault on a Female

**Number of times in CIPD Detention: 1**

## Littlejohn, Burton – age 46

Arrested: July 24 at 20:26  
Not released as of press time

see **ARRESTS** next page

# Creek poet added to UT faculty

## Acclaimed Poet Joy Harjo named Chair of Excellence in Creative Writing

**K**NOXVILLE, Tenn. - Joy Harjo, an award-winning poet, musician, and author whose works reflect her Muscogee Creek tribal heritage, will be coming to the University of Tennessee (UT) in the fall as the new Chair of Excellence in Creative Writing.

Harjo will be the twelfth faculty member to be honored with a Chair of Excellence at UT. This title is reserved for scholars and writers of the highest distinction.

Harjo most recently was on the faculty of the American Indian Studies program at the University of Illinois at Urbana-Champaign.

Born in Tulsa, Okla., Harjo began writing poetry when she was a college student in the Southwest in the 1970s to give a voice to the Native America rights movement. She received a bachelor's degree from the University of New Mexico and an MFA from the Iowa Writers' Workshop at the University of Iowa.

Known primarily as a poet, Harjo plays saxophone with her band, the Arrow Dynamics, performs one-woman shows, edits literary journals, and writes screenplays.

Her books of poetry include "Conflict Resolution for Holy Beings" (2015); "How We Became Human: New and Selected Poems" (2002); "A Map to the Next World: Poems" (2000), which won PEN Open Book Award; "The Woman Who Fell From the Sky" (1994), which received the Oklahoma Book Arts Award; and "In Mad Love and War" (1990), which received an American Book Award and the Delmore Schwartz Memorial Award. She has also written a memoir, "Crazy Brave" (2012), which won the 2013 PEN Center USA literary prize for creative nonfiction.


She has released five award-winning music CDs and

in 2009 won a Native American Music Award for Best Female Artist of the Year for "Winding Through the Milky Way".

Harjo recently won the \$100,000 Wallace Stevens Award for her poetry from the Academy of American Poets, and The New York Times recently featured her poem Fall Song.

Harjo's many awards include the New Mexico Governor's Award for Excellence in the Arts, a Rasmussen US Artists Fellowship, the William C. Williams Award from the Poetry Society of America, and a Guggenheim Fellowship.

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Charges: Larceny, Aggravated Weapons Offense

**Number of times in CIPD Detention: 2**

**Littlejohn, David James – age 23**

Arrested: July 24 at 20:26

Not released as of press time

Charges: Aggravated Weapons Offense, Failure to Appear on Misdemeanor (five counts)

**Number of times in CIPD Detention: 2**

**Toineeta, Jonathan Nathaniel – age 45**

Arrested: July 25 at 00:37

Not released as of press time

Charges: Assault on a Female

**Number of times in CIPD Detention: 4**







Photo contributed

## Powerful youth

Nicholai Solis, an EBCI Tribal member from Big Cove, deadlifts 105lbs to take first place in the 66 lbs. Youth (6-7 Pure Raw) class at the 2nd Annual IronBoy Cherokee Powerlifting Championships Event on Saturday, June 18. Solis is a member of the Cherokee Fitness Complex Powerlifting Team who took first place in the Full Power Co-ed & Male Team Division at the event held at the Cherokee Fitness Complex.



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## Pokemon Go

While not an official sport, Pokemon Go has many people up and active. This Clefairy was spotted in the parking lot of Qualla Arts and Crafts last week.



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Photos courtesy of Luzene Hill

**EBCI tribal member Luzene Hill works on an art installation entitled “Retracing the Trace” at the Eiteljorg Museum in Indianapolis. She was recently named a Native Arts and Cultures Foundation (NACF) National Artist Fellow.**

## Tribal member named NACF Fellow

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**L**uzene Hill, an EBCI tribal member, is known worldwide for her out-of-the-box visual arts. She has shown her work in New York City and Russia and on Wednesday, July 20 was awarded a \$20,000 Native Arts and Cultures Foundation (NACF) National

Artist Fellowship.

“The Native Arts and Cultures Foundation Fellowship is a coveted prize, and I’m truly grateful for this award,” said Hill. “I’m honored to have my work recognized in this way and very excited to have funding for my new work.”

She has begun two new projects. “I continue to explore the Inka khipu motifs that informed ‘Retracing the Trace’, which is currently being exhibited at the Eiteljorg Museum. Both of my new installations will address the issue of violence against Native American women through traditional symbols and references.”

When asked what direction her artwork is

taking these days, Hill responded, “For the last several years, I felt I was working on parallel, but separate, paths as I made conceptual installations about violence against women and with illustrations for Cherokee language instruction books. The illustration work led to the production of a letterpress artist’s book, “Spearfinger”, that was completed this spring. As I worked on that book, initially planned to be bi-lingual, I came to feel it was important to assert indigenous language sovereignty by making it in Cherokee syllabary only.”

Hill added, “I’ve been reading Sarah Deer’s books and embrace her idea that the key to stop-



ping violence against Native women is to reclaim our languages and our original cultural values. This thinking helped me realize that my parallel paths of interest – the language and empowering Native women – are now converging as I embark on new work.”

She was previously named an Eiteljorg Fellow and a First Peoples Fund Fellow, and this spring Hill participated in a Native art show entitled “Culture Shift” in Montreal, Canada. “These experiences and connections have expanded my awareness of issues that affect all indigenous people in the Americas. It also expanded my knowledge of new art that’s being created by a wide range of talented and passionate artists. I’m very interested in the work of Doris Salcedo, who lives in Colombia, and I continue to explore and research pre-contact art, which is a rich resource that provokes my own art making.”

Hill joins the following 2016 NACF Native Artist Fellows: Mark Keali’i Ho’omalulu (Native Hawaiian), artistic innovation; Erica Trembley (Seneca-Cayuga Nation), artistic innovation; Kelli Jo Ford (Cherokee Nation), literature; Susan Power (Yanktonai Dakota), literature; Tiokasin Ghosthorse (Mniconjou/Itazipco Lakota), music; Thea Hopkins (Aquinnah Wampanoag), music; Laura Ortman (White Mountain Apache), music; Aaron J. Sala (Native Hawaiian), music; Theresa Secord (Penobscot Nation), traditional arts; TJ Young (Haida Nation), traditional arts; Cannupa Hanska Luger (Mandan, Hidatsa, Arikara, Lakota), visual arts; Brenda Malloory (Cherokee Nation), visual arts; Preston Singletary (Tlingin), visual arts; Bunky Echo-Hawk (Pawnee,



A drawing by Hill entitled “Shapeshifting” appears in a book entitled “Spearfinger”.

Yakama), visual arts in painting; and Mateo Romero (Cochiti Pueblo), visual arts in painting.

Francene Blythe, an EBCI tribal member who also has Dine’ and Sisseton-Wahpeton heritage, is the NACF director of program. She commented, “NACF fosters and supports the vision, creativity and innovation of Native artists in a number of disciplines that feature the ongoing vibrancy and range of artistic careers and accomplishments across the U.S. We are honored to award this year’s National Fellows. They, too, continually raise the visibility of Native arts and cultures to higher levels of achievement, excellence and endeavor.”

**“...the language and empowering Native women – are now converging as I embark on new work.”**

# Longtime Cherokee art teacher retires

**SCOTT MCKIE B.P.**  
ONE FEATHER STAFF

**D**ecades and decades of students at Cherokee High School have learned more about their culture, particularly as it relates to arts and crafts,

through the tireless work of Alyne Stamper. Now, after 44 years with the school's Cherokee art program, she is retiring at the end of July.

Stamper said she officially has 44 years with the school, but that number is actually a little higher as she started filling in while still a student. "We

had a teacher get sick while I was in the 10th grade so we'd go down and cover her class for about half a day, and that's sort of when I became interested in teaching. I enjoyed it, and it was something that I felt I was good at. I had a rapport with the kids, and it made you feel like you were really doing something very special."

Stamper said the daily interaction with the students was the reason she stayed at the job so long. "The students are what kept me there. Even when I got ready to retire, some of them begged me to stay."

While she is happy to be retiring, she did say it will be hard. "I'm still 100 percent, and I know when school starts, I'm going to miss it. The kids made my life so much richer. There isn't a day that goes by that I don't thank God for letting me have that job that I had because it was never like a job to me. It was something I loved to do."

She said it was like having two families. "Some of them (students) needed more than instruction. They needed somebody to talk to or somebody to listen to them, and sometimes I was able to be that person."

Being there for the students was something Stamper always held dear and took very seriously. "I would tell them that I loved them. I always told them I loved them, and I still do... some you get closer to because they let you. I made lots and

lots of friends with the students and the parents."

Stamper is very proud of the Cherokee art program she's been able to help build at the school. "It's an outstanding program. I don't think there is anywhere in the United States that has a class like we do."

The school is currently in its fifteenth year of partnering with the Cherokee Preservation Foundation on a basket weaving program. Stamper said before the grant monies, only a handful of students would be able to participate due to the lack of funding. "Now, we have a regular basket weaving class; not before school, not after school, but in school."

She went on to say, "I don't regret being there the 44 years I've been there. They were some of the happiest times of my life. I really, really enjoyed working there, but the students are what made it. They're the ones that kept me there all those years."

Stamper's family is hosting a retirement dinner for her on Tuesday, Aug. 9 at 6pm at the Oconaluftee Island Park. Everyone is invited with meat, drinks, bread, and cake being provided. If you plan to attend, it is asked that you bring one of the following covered dishes: bean bread, cabbage, potato salad, or fat back. If you plan on attending, call 736-6001 with your name and the number of people in your party. Registration is required.



Photo courtesy of Cherokee Central Schools

**Alyne Stamper is retiring from Cherokee High School after 44 years as a Cherokee art teacher.**





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## Case Management grads

Cherokee Indian Hospital held the 1st Commencement of the Case Management Support (CMS) Trainee Program on Wednesday, July 20. The CMS is responsible for the coordination and management of administrative duties for a Primary Care Provider team as well as the Integrated Care Team. Graduates are shown (left-right) including: Ashley Crowe, Rhonda Driver, Anthony Smith, Bradley Welch, Kristina Washington, and Brittney Rodgers.



Photo courtesy of Pam Blankenship

## Five generations

Five generations are shown in this photo including Lula Owl (sitting), great great grandmother; (standing left-right) Laura Blankenship, great grandmother; Pam Blankenship, grandmother; Kaitlyn Parker, mother who is holding Vaelyn Donley Owl, granddaughter/daughter.



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The AM Superstars are excited to join the line up once again for the Oconaluftee River Stage 2016. All members are from Cherokee, NC. They consist of Will Thompson on vocals and guitar, Brad Kanott on vocals and guitar, and Jeff Thompson on vocals and harmonica. The Superstars enjoy playing their own brand of original acoustic music, along with choice country covers, as well as a variety of Rock & Roll covers that span the decades from the 50's all the way through the 90's.



The Will Hayes Band is a local group hailing from Cherokee, Ela, Qualla, and Bryson City. Consisting of members that have been playing for music together over the past 11 years, Will Hayes has morphed into a classic country and rock band that also specializes in golden oldies and 50's dii-wop. The Band: Bill 'Big Daddy' Doshier-bass and vocals; Kathy Carlton-lead vocals and percussion; Donna Lambert-vocals and percussion; Mike Ledbetter-drums; Vince Stautter-lead guitar and vocals; Rory Gunther-keyboards and vocals; Dave Lambert-guitar and vocals.



A36 has been playing together for over 6 years. The band plays a blend of different genres of music from Classic Rock to New Age and Original songs.

A36 consists of five members: Stanley Dogan, Franklin NC-Lead Guitarist, Song-writer, Back-up vo-cals. Will Thompson, Cherokee NC-Lead vocals. Nathaniel Wade, Cherokee NC-Bass Guitar. Brad Kanott, Cherokee NC-Rhythm Guitar, Back-up vocals, Daniel Sainz, Franklin NC-Drums.

- August 5**  
**Robert Running Wolfe &**  
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- August 6**  
**AM Superstars**
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- August 13**  
**AM Superstars**
- August 19**  
**A36 Band**
- August 20**  
**Will Hayes Band**
- August 26**  
**Robert Running Wolfe &**  
**the Renegades**
- August 27**  
**Eastern Blues Band**
- September 2**  
**Reba Elders**
- September 3**  
**Will Hayes Band**



# Things to do in Cherokee for August

**COMPILED By SCOTT MCKIE B.P.**  
ONE FEATHER STAFF

## **Event: Morgan's Doggie Dash**

Date: Tuesday, Aug. 2 from 6-7:30pm

Where: Cherokee Phoenix Theater

What: Pets and their "human" will walk or run over a one-mile course from the Theater to the Cherokee Indian Fairgrounds. Proceeds will go to local animal shelters. The event will also feature vendors, live entertainment, and information on dogs.

Cost: \$15 per doggie with their human, \$5 for each additional doggie, \$5 for humans without a doggie, the first 50 paid registered doggies will receive a Doggie Swag Bag

Info: Samantha 736-0452, scrowe-hernandez@hotmail.com

## **Event: EBCI Back to School Bash**

Date: Wednesday, Aug. 3 from 3-7pm

Where: Cherokee Indian Fairgrounds

What: All EBCI tribal member students will be able to pick up a school supply starter kit at this event sponsored by Principal Chief Patrick Lambert. There will also be hot dogs, inflatables, door prizes, and more.

Cost: Free

Info: Denise Walkingstick, Office of the Principal Chief, 359-7008

## **Event: Big Latch On**

Date: Friday, Aug. 5; registration from 9:30-10:15am, event starts at 10:30am

Where: Oconaluftee River Stage in downtown Cherokee

What: This event is being held in conjunction with the Global Latch On which involves groups of breastfeeding women coming together to latch on their child at the same time.

Cost: Free

Info: EBCI WIC - Debora Lowery 359-6235, Brenda French 359-6230, Nikki Crowe 359-6233

## **Event: 15th Annual Talking Trees Children's Trout Derby**

Date: Saturday, Aug. 6

Where: Oconaluftee Island Parks

What: This annual event routinely draws thousands of children from all around the southeast for a day of fishing fun on the Oconaluftee River. Smaller children can fish in man-made ponds and pools. Prizes, live animal exhibits and more make this a fun-filled day for the whole family.

Cost: Free

Info: Cherokee Welcome Center (800) 438-1601, travel@nc-choerokee.com, or www.FishCherokee.com

## **Event: Blueberry Festival**

Date: Saturday, Aug. 13 from 9am - 2pm

Where: Cherokee Indian Fairgrounds

What: The NAIWA Cherokee Chapters hosts this annual event dedicated to everything-blueberry. Blueberry pancakes and products will be available for sale. A Cornhole tournament is planned along with a talent show and other entertainment.

Cost: Admission is free, products will be available for sale at various prices

Info: Carmaleta Monteith 497-2717, Carmaleta@msn.com

## **Event: EBCI Family Safety/Foster Care Recruitment Community Meeting**

Date: Tuesday, Aug. 16 at 6pm

Where: Wolftown Gym

What: An information and recruitment meeting will be held for those interested in the Foster Care Program. The event will include a presentation by current foster parents as well as an overview of the Foster Care Licensing process.

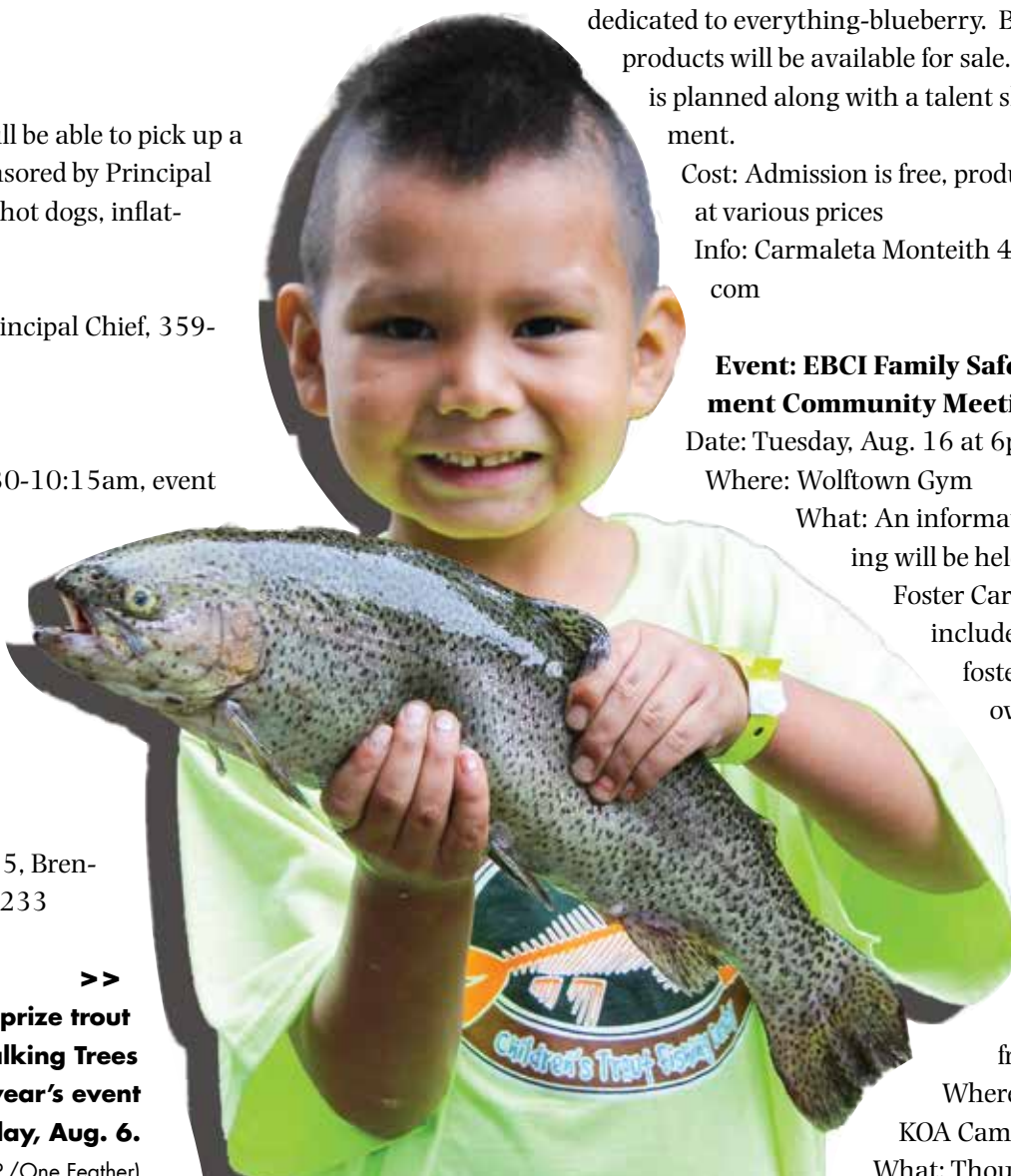
Cost: Free

Info: Nikki Toineeta 359-1520

## **Event: KOA Summer Fishing Tournament**

Date: Saturday, Aug. 20  
from 7:30am - 6pm

Where: KOA Campground at 92  
KOA Campground Road in Cherokee  
What: Thousands of dollars in prize



**>>  
Russell Reed shows off a prize trout during a previous year's Talking Trees Children's Trout Derby. This year's event is set for Saturday, Aug. 6.**

(SCOTT MCKIE B.P./One Feather)



money will be available in this tournament

Cost: Each person must have a Cherokee fishing permit (\$10) which is available online at [www.FishCherokee.com](http://www.FishCherokee.com).

Info: KOA Campground 497-9187

**Event: Qualla Arts and Crafts Open Air Indian Art Market**

Date: Saturday, Aug. 27 from 9am – 4pm

Where: Qualla Arts and Crafts Mutual Inc. at 645 Tsali Blvd. in Cherokee

What: Dozens of EBCI artists and crafters will showcase their work which will be for sale.

Cost: Admission is free, art will be for sale as well as traditional Cherokee meals by NAIWA Cherokee Chapter for \$10/each

Info: Vicki Cruz 497-3103, [Vicki@quallaartsandcrafts.org](mailto:Vicki@quallaartsandcrafts.org)

**Event: 2nd Annual Brew BQ**

Date: Saturday, Aug. 27 from 12-7pm

Where: Harrah's Cherokee Riverwalk

What: Some of the best beer and barbecue around will be available at this event which will include area craft breweries including: Highland, Catawba, Asheville Pizza and Brewing, and more.

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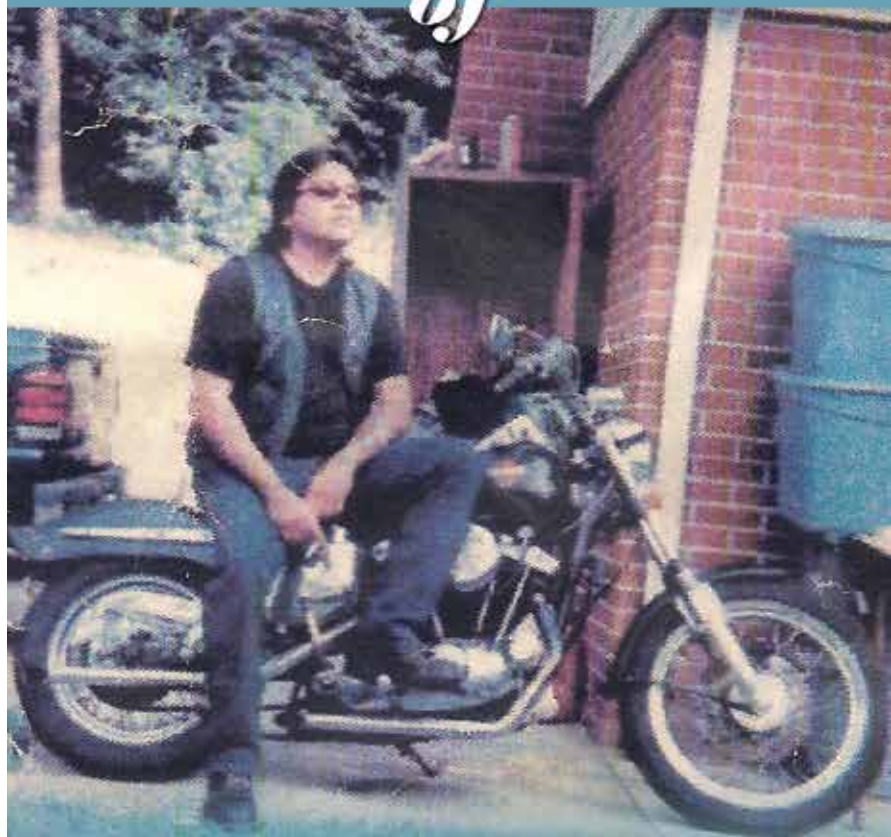
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*John 8:12*



## OBITUARIES



### Christopher David Mintz

Christopher David Mintz, 45, of Waynesville, went home to be with the Lord, Monday, July 18, 2016, in a Buncombe County health care facility. A native of Haywood County he was the son of Oscar Mintz

and Sandra Roland of Waynesville. He was a lifelong resident of Haywood County and resided with his late grandmother, Marie Roland. In addition to his grandmother, he was also preceded in death by a maternal grandfather, Kelly Roland; paternal grandparents, John and Violet Mintz; one brother, Randy Fowler, and a nephew, Dillon Bernhisel.

Chris attended JROTC in High School and after High School he served in the National Guard where he spent five years. He also served as a volunteer Fire Department Member in Clyde for three years.

Chris enjoyed watching the NASCAR Races and singing in Church with his grandmother Marie.

In addition to his parents, Chris is survived by his wife, Jennifer Mintz of Waynesville; one daughter,

Catilyn Mintz of Hendersonville; three sisters, Kelly West and husband Angelo of Cherokee, Ellen Williams and husband Eric of Colorado, and Carla Mintz of Waynesville; two brothers, David Hedrick and wife Cindy of Madison County, and Palmer Mintz of Waynesville; five nieces; three nephews; and two great nieces.

Funeral Services were held on Wednesday, July 20 at Crisp Funeral Home Chapel. Revs. Neil Roland and Roger Roland officiated with burial in the Jarrett-Blythe Cemetery.

Pallbearers were Kevin Hedrick, Brandon Hedrick, Jose Santoyo, Scott Dover, Taka Lincoln and Tori Nichols.



### Lula Reed Owl

Lula Reed Owl, 97, of Cherokee went home to be with the Lord Saturday, July 23, 2016. A native of Cherokee, she was the daughter of the late Fidele and Addie Hornbuckle Reed. She was a member of the Cherokee United Methodist

Church. She worked for 27 years at the Cherokee Indian Hospital and sat with the elderly. A giving person, she enjoyed helping others that were less fortunate and loved to cook.

She was preceded in death by her daughter, Betty Wolfe Queen; six sisters; four brothers; several grandchildren and great grandchildren.

She is survived by her children, Lucille Wolfe, Laura Blankenship (Bob), Elsie Rattler, Bill Wolfe (Lucille); 18 grandchildren; 51 great grandchildren; 53 great great grandchildren; and sister, Maggie Owl of Murphy.

Funeral services were held on Monday, July 25 in the chapel of Crisp Funeral Home. Rev. John Ferree officiated with burial in the Piney Grove Cemetery.

### James Raymond Jenkins Nix

James Raymond Jenkins Nix, 40, of Cherokee went home to be with the Lord Saturday, July 23, 2016. A native of Cherokee, he was the son of the late James Murphy and Selma Geraldine Lambert Jenkins.

He is survived by three brothers, Emmett Jenkins and family, Richard Jenkins and family, Mike Jenkins and family, all of Cherokee; and caregiver/best friend, Kenontoy.

Funeral services were held on Tuesday, July 26 at Crisp Funeral Home chapel.

This meeting will be hosted by Family Support Services  
for more information, please contact  
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# One Feather deadline Friday at 12noon

## Native American veterinarian scholarship established at NC State

The NC State College of Veterinary Medicine (CVM) has announced the establishment of the Old Main Native American Indian Veterinarian Scholarship Endowment in the amount of \$50,000. The fund will be used to subsidize the educational expenses of Native American Indian students at the CVM. This is part of the College's ongoing efforts to emphasize diversity and inclusiveness by assisting groups Under-Represented in Veterinary Medicine (URVM). The endowment was announced by Dr. Paul Lunn, Dean of the CVM, and Dr. Allen Cannedy, the College's Director of Diversity and Multicultural Affairs, during a visit to the campus of the University of North

Carolina-Pembroke.

The scholarship endowment was established by gifts totaling in excess of \$25,000 from Dr. David Brooks, DVM, Pembroke, and others, along with matching funds from the R.B. Terry Charitable Foundation.

This is the first step in an expanded ongoing effort to encourage enrollment of Native American Indian veterinary students at NC State.

Dean Lunn spoke to the importance of the new scholarship fund. "Native Americans are a critically important under-represented group in veterinary medicine," he said, "and we are excited and proud to be able to offer this new source of assistance to students from these communities. I cannot thank Dr. Brooks and his fellow donors enough for what they have accomplished, and for their partnership with NC State."

- NC State

## Attention Miss Cherokee contestants

If you are a female EBCI tribal member between the age of 18-25 and are interested in running for Miss Cherokee 2016, applications may be picked up at the Council House. The application and fee is due by Sunday, Aug. 28. You may turn in the application at the Council House or bring it to the first practice on Aug. 28. Info: Royalty Board [ebcimisscherokee@gmail.com](mailto:ebcimisscherokee@gmail.com)

- Miss Cherokee Royalty Board

## Attention EBCI artists and crafters

If anyone is interested in participating in the Red Clay State Park Cherokee Heritage Festival Aug. 6-7, contact Ric Bird 736-3229.

- Ric Bird

## Wolftown News

The Wolftown Community Club will be hosting potluck dinner for

the Wolftown Free Labor group on Thursday, July 28 at 6 pm at the Wolftown Gym. Meat and drinks will be provided, so bring your favorite side dish. The annual School Supply Event will be held on Saturday, Aug. 6 from 10am - 12pm at the Wolftown Gym. Students must be present. During this time, donations will be taken for the Dialysis Center. Items needed are snacks (crackers, juice, etc.), small fleece blankets, and earbuds. Any and all donations are greatly appreciated. The next regular Community meeting will be on Monday, Aug. 1 at 7pm at the Wolftown Gym.

- Tammy Jackson, Secretary  
Wolftown Community Club

## LETTER TO THE EDITOR Belated thank you from Big Y

Big Y Community held their first annual Big Y day on Friday, July 1. It was attended by over 100 people. We would like to thank everyone who came by! Great food, fireworks and time spent visiting with friends, family, and neighbors was enjoyed by all. We would like to thank the following for door prize donations: Mandara Spa, Talking Leaves Book Store, the wonderful ladies at the Hair Clan Salon, Trina, Viv and Paislee, Missy Reed, Eva Reed, Agnes Reed, Charlie Jumper, Woochie George, Reva and Don Brown, Bill Taylor and Bo Crowe, and a huge thanks to Big Y Community Volunteers for all the hard work that made this possible.

Watch our Facebook for upcoming events, and we would like to invite you to become more active in your community by attending our monthly meeting. It is scheduled for the second Tuesday of every month.

- Big Y Community Club

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## Church Events

**Pastor David Hansel Ministries.** **July 28-29** at 7pm nightly at Evangelistic Tabernacle, 5701 Grassy Branch Road in Bryson City. Info: 488-3098

**Church Homecoming.** **July 31** at 10am at Zion Hill Church in the Snowbird Community. A message by Rev. Tommy Hooper and a special singing by the Locust Family, James and Donna Sequoyah, and Cecil and June Rogers Family. Lunch will follow. Pastor Michael Rattler invites everyone.

## General Events

**Alyne Stamper retirement dinner.** **Aug. 9** at 6pm at Oconalufee Island. Stamper is retiring from Cherokee High School after 44 years of service. All students, their families, and Alyne's friends and family are invited. Meat, drinks, bread, and cake will be provided. If you plan to attend, please bring one of the following covered dishes: bean bread, cabbage, potato salad, or fat back. If you plan on attending, call 736-6001 with your name and number of people who plan on attending. You must be registered to attend.

**Sherman Taylor Reunion.** **Aug. 14** at 3pm at Tsali Manor Pavilion. Please bring a favorite covered dish. Info: Stacy Bird 508-4078, Agnes Welch 497-0208, or Katie 788-3133

## Sports Events

**Wrestling Reunion with Coach**

**Carney.** **Aug. 7** at 2pm at Oconalufee Island Park. Bruce Carney, former wrestling coach at Cherokee High School, is inviting all former wrestlers and friends to meet with him. Info: Sam Lambert 497-7850

## Upcoming Pow Wows for July 28-31

*Note: This list of pow wows was compiled by One Feather staff. The One Feather does not endorse any of these dances. It is simply a listing of ones occurring throughout the continent. Please call before traveling.*

**Fort Totten Days 49th Annual Wacipi.** **July 29-31** at Andrew Shaw Sr. Arena in Fort Totten, ND. Emcees: Danny Seaboy, Butch Felix. Info: Clifford Abrahamson (701)

652-5871

**150th Winnebago Homecoming Celebration.** **July 28-31** in Winnebago, Neb. Emcees: Chris "Hay-na" Grezlik, Lance Long. Special Invited Drum: Iron Bull. Invited Drums: Young Bear, Wild Band of Comanches. Info: Tara Hernandez (612) 910-8299

**34th Annual Lake of the Eagles Traditional Pow Wow.** **July 29-31** at Eagle Lake, Ontario, Canada. MC: Clarence White. Info: Trisha (807) 755-5526 or Bob (807) 755-1586

**66th Annual Indian Hills Pow Wow.** **July 29-30** in Oklahoma City, Okla. Emcees: Wallace Coffey,

Sammy Tone-kei White. Head Southern Singer: Leonard Cozad Jr. Info: Tom Morgan (405) 826-8189, [okcpowwowclub@gmail.com](mailto:okcpowwowclub@gmail.com)

**Long Plain First Nation Pow Wow.** **July 29-31** at Long Plain First Nation, Manitoba, Canada. Emcees: Donny Speidel, Keveon Kingbird. Host Drum: Mountain Soul. Info: Maurice Meeches (204) 252-2731 or Annette Whitehawk (204) 252-2553

**Saginaw Chippewa 32nd Annual Pow Wow.** **July 29-31** at Pow Wow Grounds in Mt. Pleasant, Mich. Info: (888) 732-4537, [sagchippowwow@sagchip.org](mailto:sagchippowwow@sagchip.org)



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**64th Annual Tulsa Pow Wow.**  
**July 30-31** at Cox Business Center in Tulsa, Okla. Emcees: Tom Phillips, Eugene Blackbear. Head Southern Singer: Rusty Cozad.  
 Info: Terri Rhodes (918) 217-5985, [www.tulsapowwow.org](http://www.tulsapowwow.org)

**Nipmuck Indian 36th Annual Council Pow Wow. July 31** at Lake Siog Park in Holland, Mass.  
 Info: Cheryll Holley (508) 853-5575, [info@nipmuchmuseum.org](mailto:info@nipmuchmuseum.org)

## Ongoing Events

**VFW Bingo. Every Tuesday at the Governor's Island VFW.** Early bird at 5:30pm, regular games at 7pm. Info: Billy Whitt 736-4146

**AA and NA meetings in Cherokee.** Nar-Anon (family support): Mondays at 6pm at Church of Christ. Alcoholics Anonymous (AA): Tuesdays at 7pm at Cherokee Indian Hospital (CIH), Saturdays at 10am at CIH conference room. Narcotics Anonymous (NA): Mondays at 8pm at CIH, Thursdays at 8pm at CIH, Fridays at 7pm at CIH conference room


**Elvis Museum** is now open on Hwy 19 (2289 Wofltown Road). New hours 11 am to 3 pm Tuesday-Saturday.

*Note: Listings in the Happenings section are free of charge. Send your event information (name of event, date(s), time(s), place, cost of admission, brief description of event, and contact information) to [scotmckie@nc-chokeee.com](mailto:scotmckie@nc-chokeee.com) or message us on the Cherokee One Feather Facebook page.*

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JULY 25-31, 2016






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Tuckaseegee River	Hatchery Supported Regulations	Good	Rainbow, brook, brown trout, smallmouth bass	Light Cahill, Caddis-Brown & Grey, Sulphurs, Yellow and Green Stone Fly	No restrictions, Light Cahill, Yellow Sallies, Comparadun Sulphur, Goddard Caddis Little Green Stonefly, Prince Nymph, Pheasant Tails Nymphs, Streamer Patterns
Chattooga & Whitewater Rivers	Not stocking, all wild brown trout and catch and release	Good	Rainbow trout and brown trout	Caddis, Sulphurs, Light Cahill, Yellow Stonefly	Caddis Patterns various colors, Light Cahill, Parachute Adams, Stimulator, Yellow Sally, Prince Nymph, Hares Ear Nymph, Pheasant Tail Nymphs, Stone Fly Nymphs
Inside GSMNP Oconaluftee River & Small Streams	Follow posted regulations- wild trout	Good. Best early morning and late evening.	Rainbow, Brown and Appalachian Brook Trout	Yellow & Green Stoneflies, Light Cahill, Caddis, Yellow May Fly, Green Drake, Sulphurs	Light Cahill, Yellow Sally, Little Green Stonefly, Jim Charlie, Comparadun Sulphur, Charlie Whopper, Yellow Palmer, Adam Variant, Grey Fox, Tellico Nymph, Stick Bit, Pheasant Tail & Hares Ear Nymphs, Ants & beetles

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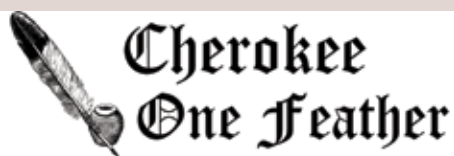
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## Poll Responses

Note: The following comments were made on the Cherokee One Feather Facebook page and website to our weekly poll question:

***What activities and facilities do you think need to be provided for Cherokee youth?***

**Roger George:** Vocational: auto mechanics, carpentry, HVAC, etc...fun can't buy a life skill.

**Carrah Shawnee-Swimmer:** Indoor softball/ baseball academy, public outdoor pool and splash pad for smaller children, skating rink, lacrosse league, language education center, indoor jump house and obstacle course

**Tina McCulloch:** Intergenerational programs with the nursing home

**Teresa Santa Maria:** Outdoor pool

**Monique Taylor Sokol:** Public outdoor pool, covered or indoor play areas, well-advertised summer activities that are open to walk-ins, trampoline park

**Isaiah Chekelelee:** Is Snowbird ever going to get anything or not?

**Michael Jenkins:** Outdoor culturally-oriented aspects in plants, medicine, animals, language... basically show the youth the need to get back in the woods, not on these streets...

**Margaret French-Welch:** All of these are awesome ideas. Gear them to the youth on the Rez and not the tourists.

**Taran Swimmer:** The Mavericks softball team is doing a fantastic job of teaching softball at a young age. I'd like to see programs like that for

other sports too. Our Native youth can be amazing at anything they do. It just has to be available to them.

**Lauren Crowe:** Vocational traning!

**Jaye Simmons:** More tech training sponsored by industry and colleges which could lead to jobs and industries; maybe a STEM (Science Technology Engineering and Math) program; more training in hospitality degrees that could help in future work in hospitality; maybe a junior volunteer program to encourage young people to enter health care professions; in thinking of Ashton Locklear, maybe a gymnastic program and team; swim teams are great in the summer, maybe a year-round program with enclosed pool for the community and swin programs

**Angela Diaz:** Home construction and engineering

**Wayne Kalonaheskie:** A trade school...offer different trades...or invite manufacturers for a career day...or military day, all branches could do a career day

**Megan Smoker:** Large outdoor public pool with playground...like one big rec. center

**Jimmie Poindexter:** Junior Achievement

**Christine Roberts McMahan:** A zoo

**Rechanda Waldroup:** I think we should have the community gyms open longer with playground equipment to take the kids in the evening. Kids always want to go to the park in Sylva to play... maybe a walking trail or bike trail nearby to get the kids outside, public pool in each community, roller skating rink to have an option for youth alongside bowling alley

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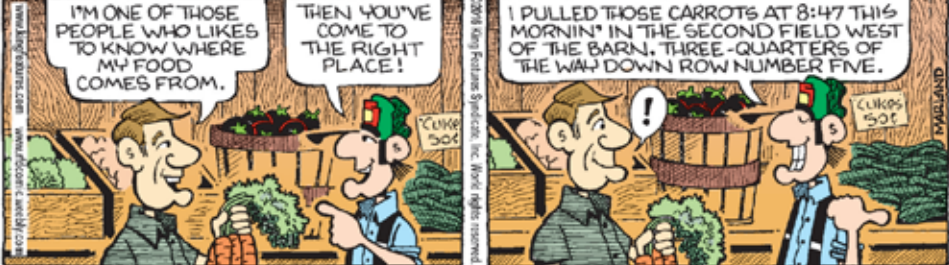
Amber Waves

by Dave T. Phipps



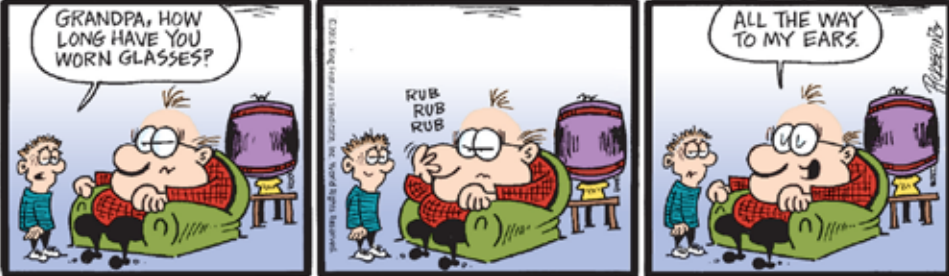
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by Mike Marland



The Spats

by Jeff Pickering



**Weekly SUDOKU**

by Linda Thistle

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**DIFFICULTY THIS WEEK: ♦♦**

♦ Moderate ♦♦ Challenging  
♦♦♦ HOO BOY!

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BY HENRY BOLTIHOFF

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**ACROSS**

1 Let the cat out of the bag  
5 Culture medium  
9 Seek damages  
12 Frost  
13 Contemptible  
14 Moreover  
15 Saharan  
16 Sculpted head  
17 18-wheeler  
18 Pedestal part  
19 "The Greatest"  
20 Fisherman's hope  
21 TV watchdog org.  
23 Away from NNW  
25 In a just manner  
28 Certainly  
32 Nome dome home  
33 Heart line?  
34 Aromatic resin  
36 Brawl  
37 Supplement, with "out"  
38 Scoot  
39 Alger's money  
42 Twitch  
44 Lends a hand  
48 Coloration  
49 Pruritus  
50 Thought

**DOWN**

1 Actor Pitt  
2 Old Italian  
3 In the thick of  
4 State of great comfort  
5 Monastery office  
6 France, once  
7 Francis' home  
8 On Soc. Sec., maybe  
9 Hindu garment  
10 One  
11 Advantage  
20 Sideshow performer's cot?  
22 Cape  
24 Glitch  
25 White lie  
26 Khan title  
27 Not up to par  
29 Blunder  
30 Greek vowel  
31 Rotation  
35 Stamina  
36 Like some eyebrows  
39 Comical Caroline  
40 "— Lang Syne"  
41 Pirate treasure, in part  
43 Pedestal occupant  
45 "American —"  
46 Sandwich shop  
47 Sodium chloride  
49 Doctrine

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Answer

Trivia test by Fifi Rodriguez

- LITERATURE: Which conservationist wrote the book "The Sea Around Us" in 1951?
- FOOD & DRINK: What are the food items mentioned in the song "Take Me Out to the Ball Game"?
- GEOGRAPHY: What is the capital of the Bahamas?
- BIRTHSTONES: What is another name for a ruby, July's birthstone?
- CARTOONS: What kind of creatures are Disney characters Chip and Dale?
- GENERAL KNOWLEDGE: What is the nickname of the University of Idaho sports teams?
- EARTH SCIENCE: What is magma?
- GAMES: What word refers to a draw in the game of chess?
- BIBLE: In which two books of the Bible do the Ten Commandments appear?
- TELEVISION: In this 1970s-80s TV drama of the same name, what does the acronym "CHiPs" refer to?

**King Crossword**

Solution time: 24 mins.

Answers

**Trivia Test Answers**

- Rachel Carson
- Peanuts and Cracker Jack
- Nassau
- Red cornundum
- Chipmunks
- Vandals
- Molten rock
- Stalemate
- Exodus and Deuteronomy
- California Highway Patrol



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**Big Cove Pentecostal Holiness Church.** 497-4220

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497-2286

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497-3334

**Cherokee Church of God.**  
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**Cherokee Pentecostal Holiness Church.** 674-2690

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586-5453

**Christ Fellowship Church.**  
Great Smokies Center.

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**Macedonia Baptist Church.**  
508-2629 [dconseen@gmail.com](mailto:dconseen@gmail.com)

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**Wilmot Baptist Church.** 2015 554-5850

**Wrights Creek Baptist Church.**  
497-5262

**Yellowhill Baptist Church.**  
506-0123 or 736-4872

**Community Clubs**

**Big Y Community Club** meets the second Tuesday of each month at 6pm at the Big Y Community Building. Bunsey Crowe, president, 497-6339 or 788-4879

**Big Cove Community Club** meets the first Tuesday of every month at 7pm at the Big Cove Rec. Center. Chairman Sam Panther 497-5309 or Secretary Consie Girty 736-0159 or [walerb@gmail.com](mailto:walerb@gmail.com)

**Birdtown Community Club** meets the last Thursday of each month at 6pm at the Birdtown Community Building. Potluck at 6pm, meeting at 6:30pm. Jody Taylor, chairperson, 736-7510

**Paint Town Community Club** meets the last Monday of each month at 5:30pm at the new Painttown Gym. Lula Jackson 736-1511, Lois Dunston 736-3230, Abe Queen (Free Labor) 269-8110, Jennifer Jackson (building rental) 269-7702

**Snowbird Community Club** meets the first Tuesday of each month or the Tuesday before the Tribal Council meeting. Roger Smoker, chairman, (828) 479-

8678 or (828) 361-3278, [roger-smoker@yahoo.com](mailto:roger-smoker@yahoo.com)

**Wolftown Community Club** meets the first Monday of each month at 7pm at the Wolftown Gym Until further notice, meetings will be held at the gym due to water damage at the Community Building. Tuff Jackson, chairman, 788-4088

**Yellowhill Community Club.** First Tuesday of every month unless it's a holiday. Reuben 497-2043

BIBLE

TRIVIA

by Wilson Casey

1. Is the Book of 1 Thessalonians in the Old or New Testament or neither?

2. To keep Adam and Eve away after the Fall, what did God place around the Tree of Life? *Smoking pits, Deep moat, Cherubim with flaming swords, Walking vipers*

3. From 2 Samuel 12, what personality did God name Jedidiah? *David, Amos, Solomon, Joab*

4. What type water did Jesus offer the Samaritan woman at the well? *Fresh, Cool, Living, Clean*

5. From John 10, to what type of animals are Christians compared? *Camels, Sheep, Lions, Serpents*

6. Which was a type of food? *Yoke, Manna, Prodigal, Mina*

ANSWERS: 1) New; 2) Cherubim with flaming swords; 3) Solomon; 4) Living; 5) Sheep; 6) Manna

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### Cherokee Community

Ireta Lynn Thacker Arkansas, April Dawn Huskey Fisher, Mark Howard Jackson, Doris Lee Johnson, Larry Leland Miller, Vera Lynn Davis Rickman, Letina Renee Saunooke, Tennie Mae Standingdeer Sequoyah, Henry Dean Standingdeer, Ken Lumar Standingdeer, Ricky Lee Standingdeer, Martha C. Elizabeth Jackson St. Clair, Michael Thompson,

### Painttown Community

Aubry Anne George Bigmeat, Wesley Goines Bigmeat, Letisha Nicole Bird, Michael Dock Lambert, Samuel John Lambert, Ted Major Lambert, Jeffrey Lossiah, Jr., Eloise George Maney, Madge Elizabeth Lambert Owle

### 3200 Acre Tract Community

Stanley Ray Ledford, Sonya Rena Ledford, Sandra Leigh Ledford Robbins, Christine Ledford Walkingstick, Sheena Roxana Walkingstick

### Cherokee County

Robert Terry Gilmor, Thomas Winkler Gilmor, Denise Winkler Hall, Kathryn Susan Jasper, Elizabeth Jo Poscich, David Erik Rogers, Kathryn Winkler Rogers, Nathan Scott Rogers, Henry Larkin Wright, Jr., William Edward Wright, Lois Winkler Wyatt

### Wolfetown Community

Mia Xan Younce Aldridge, Sara Mozelle Arch, Tennie Marie Arch, Douglas Robert Arneach, Richard Earl Arneach, Jr., Goodlow Bark, Russell Bigmeat, Jr., Charles William Bigwitch, William Allen Bird, Ronald Sequoyah Bowman, Christopher Adrian Clark, Ethan Andre Clark, Henderson Junior Climbingbear, Mary Elizabeth Thompson Climbingbear, Jacquelyn M. Lossiah Corral, Carlotta Linette Crowe, Edith Inez Crowe, Enoch Sampson Crow, Jr., Jason Daniel Cucumber, Nancy Marie Trull Driver, Dinah Ann Catolster Grant, Mark Montgomery Grant, Sherry Darlene Trull Lambert, Lea Jo Cucumber Ledford, Anthony Kirk Locust, Bo Soap Lossiah, John Lossiah, Tina Marlene Lossiah, Justin John Matthews, Juana Maria Martinez, Jose Guadalupe Martinez, Jr., Charlene Lee Roland Mull, Shannon Elaine Johnson Parris, Paul Jordan Lee Puckett, Paul Puckett, Jr., Andrea Danielle Rattler, Douglas Leander Rattler, Temot Zena Rattler, Robert Bruce Reed, Jackson Dale Rickman, Jr., James Michael Roland, Kerry Neal Roland, Sandra Gail Roland, Mistie Rae Johnson Scott, Linda Norene Roland Sutton, Martha Lou Talalah, Harold Dennis Trull, Janet Jessie Walkingstick, Sara Margaret Arneach Watson

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## EMPLOYMENT

### THE CHEROKEE INDIAN HOSPITAL AUTHORITY has the following jobs available:

FT REGISTRATION RECEPTIONIST  
CLERK

EMERGENCY HIRE RN / ER

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### JOB ANNOUNCEMENT COOK

ORGANIZATION: Oconaluftee Job Corps (Cherokee Boys Club Contract – U.S. Forest Service), P. O. Box 507, Cherokee, N. C. 28719 (52 CBC Loop)

DEPARTMENT: Oconaluftee Job Corps  
OPENING DATE: July 20, 2016  
CLOSING DATE: August 3, 2016

Application and job description can be picked up from the Club Receptionist at the Information Window between the hours of 8:00 a.m. and 4:30 p.m. Monday through Friday (828-497-9101).

The selected applicant must submit to a pre-employment drug screen and local, state, and federal civil and criminal background and sexual offender screens. Payroll direct deposit is mandatory.

Indian Preference does apply in the filling of this position. If claiming Indian Preference, applicant must submit the appropriate

certificate. **7/28pd**

### TRIBAL BINGO ENTERPRISE JOB ANNOUNCEMENT

ANNOUNCEMENT DATE: July 27, 2016

CLOSING DATE: August 3, 2016

At 4:00pm

NAME OF POSITION: Custodian

NUMBER OF POSITIONS: 2

SHIFT: Days

SUMMARY OF JOB: Enforces company regulations and oversees the operation of Tribal Bingo. Presents a professional appearance. Proven communication and interpersonal skills. Enjoys working around people. Strong communication skills. Ability to coordinate multiple tasks simultaneously. Most importantly, demonstrate confidentiality. One year custodian experience required. Must obtain a valid NC Drivers License and High School Diploma or GED. Application and a complete job description may be picked up at the Tribal Bingo Hall and returned to April Bradley.

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Apply at [usajobs.gov](http://usajobs.gov) Job Announcement Number: 1753020NASU-DE-1720(GRSM) **8/4pd**

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Eastern Band of Cherokee Indians  
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### **In the Matter of the Estate of Henry Queen Littlejohn**

All persons, firms and corporations having claims against this estate are notified to exhibit them to the fiduciary(s) listed on or before the date listed or be barred from their recovery.

Debtors of the decedent are asked to make immediate payment to the appointed fiduciary(s) listed below.

Date to submit claims: October 5, 2016  
Henrietta Littlejohn, P.O. Box 2428  
Cherokee, NC 28719, **7/28pd**

Eastern Band of Cherokee Indians  
Cherokee, North Carolina  
Estate File No. EST 16-041

### **In the Matter of the Estate of Joseph Russell Parker**

All persons, firms and corporations having claims against this estate are notified to exhibit them to the fiduciary(s) listed on or before the date listed or be barred from their recovery.

Debtors of the decedent are asked to make immediate payment to the appointed fiduciary(s) listed below.

Date to submit claims: October 5, 2016  
Myra Cloer, P.O. Box 471  
Cherokee, NC 28719, **7/28pd**

Eastern Band of Cherokee Indians  
Cherokee, North Carolina  
Estate File Nos.: EST 09-051; EST 08-022; EST 07-035; EST 06-051; EST 09-038; EST 09-014; EST 10-010; & EST 06-003.

In the Matter of the Estates of:  
Anthony Allen (d. 8/15/2009);  
Bonnie Burgess (d. 8/15/2009);  
Golinda Hill (d. 6/3/2007); Rachel Hill (d. 7/29/2006); Dorothy Smith (d. 7/3/2009); Richard Franklin Youngdeer (d. 1/16/2009);  
Richard Irvin Youngdeer (d. 6/16/2009); & Wayne Wolfe (d. 1/1/2006).

All persons, firms, or corporations having outstanding claims or interest in these estates are hereby notified of a hearing to settle the above named estates at the following date and time or be barred from making any further claims against the estate.

Courtroom 1

EBCI Justice Center  
August 18th, 2016 at 1:30pm

Eastern Band of Cherokee Indians  
Cherokee, North Carolina  
Estate File No. EST 16-047

### **In the Matter of the Estate of Carroll Crowe**

All persons, firms and corporations having claims against this estate are notified to exhibit them to the fiduciary(s) listed on or

before the date listed or be barred from their recovery.

Debtors of the decedent are asked to make immediate payment to the appointed fiduciary(s) listed below.

Date to submit claims: October 26, 2016

Margaret M. Crowe, 201 John Crowe Road, Cherokee, NC 28719.  
**8/18pd**



**ARIES** (March 21 to April 19) A more harmonious aspect favors all relationships. Family ties with mates and children are strengthened. Libra is Cupid's choice to win the amorous Aries' heart.

**TAURUS** (April 20 to May 20) The bold Bull is ready to take on fresh challenges. Expect some opposition as you plow new ground — but supporters will outnumber detractors.

**GEMINI** (May 21 to June 20) An upcoming job change could mean uprooting your family to a far-distant location. Weigh all considerations carefully before making a decision one way or the other.

**CANCER** (June 21 to July 22) A long-standing problem is resolved by a mutually agreed upon compromise. You can now focus on getting the facts you'll need for a decision you'll soon be asked to make.

**LEO** (July 23 to August 22) The Big Cat needs to be wary of what appears to be a golden investment opportunity. That "sure thing" could turn out to be nothing more than a sack of Kitty Glitter.

**VIRGO** (August 23 to September 22) You give of yourself generously to help others, but right now you must allow people to help you. Confide your problems to family and trusted friends.

**LIBRA** (September 23 to October 22) Relationships benefit from a strong harmonious aspect. Things go more smoothly at work. Someone you thought you'd never see again asks for a reconciliation.

**SCORPIO** (October 23 to November 21) A minor distraction interferes with travel plans, but the delay is temporary. Meanwhile, expect to play peacemaker once again for feuding family members.

**SAGITTARIUS** (November 22 to December 21) Keep that positive momentum going on the home front. Arrange your schedule to spend more time with your family. You'll soon have news about that job change.

**CAPRICORN** (December 22 to January 19) Control that possessive tendency that sometimes goads you into an unnecessary display of jealousy. You could be creating problems where none currently exist.

**AQUARIUS** (January 20 to February 18) A new project holds some challenges you hadn't expected. But don't be discouraged; you'll find you're more prepared to deal with them than you realized.

**PISCES** (February 19 to March 20) Yours is the sign of the celestial Chemist, so don't be surprised if you experience a pleasant "chemistry" betwixt yourself and that new **Leo** in your life.

**BORN THIS WEEK:** You enjoy being fussed over, as befits your "royal" Leonine nature. You also have a strong loyalty to family and friends.

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## BIDS, RFPs, etc.

### Request for Proposals

The Cherokee Tribal Court seeks competitive proposals for a Juvenile Public Defender on a contractual basis. These services will be paid on a contractual basis from the Cherokee Tribal Court.

Interested individuals should submit a brief letter proposal including the following:

1. Name and contact information.
2. Copies of certifications
3. Relevant work experience

Proposals may be submitted at any time, but those received on or before August 26, 2016 will receive priority over later submissions.

Please mail or fax proposals to Donna Toineeta-Lossiah, Court Administrator, Post Office Box 1629, Cherokee, NC 28719. Fax 828-359-0012.

This is a solicitation of proposals and not an offer to contract. The Cherokee Tribal Court reserves the right to decline any proposals received. **8/25pd**

### Requests for Qualifications

Office of Natural Resources  
OENR

Projects: Old Riverview  
Campground

OENR is requesting bids/qualifications for the completion of the above mentioned project. The deadline for proposals is Aug. 5, 2016 at 4:30 pm.

You may request the full RFQ and bid requirements for proposals through the OENR. If you have any questions or comments, please contact OENR at (828)-359-6111 or [Patrbree@nc-chokeee.com](mailto:Patrbree@nc-chokeee.com).

**8/4pd**

### Requests for Proposals

Eastern Band of Cherokee Indians  
Cherokee Department of Transportation (CDOT)

680 Acquoni Road

Cherokee, North Carolina 28719

Phone: (828) 359-6530

Pavement Marking

The Eastern Band of Cherokee Indians' CDOT Office is requesting

sealed Proposals (NCDOT Qualified Firms) for pavement marking services on two (2) Roads located on the Eastern Band of Cherokee Indians' Qualla Boundary. The roads are located in Swain County off of Hwy 19 S. The deadline for submitting proposals will be August 5, 2016 at 4 p.m.

Please be advised that all TERO rules and regulations, Tribal procurement policies, applicable state and federal rules, regulations and laws shall apply to the performance of any work awarded pursuant to this solicitation and to the procurement of work solicited through this advertisement.

You may request the full request for qualifications and proposal requirements through the CDOT Office. If you have any questions or comments, please contact CDOT at (828)-359-6530. **7/28pd**

### Requests for Proposals

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680 Acquoni Road

Cherokee, North Carolina 28719

Phone: (828) 359-6530

Pavement stripping

The Eastern Band of Cherokee Indians' CDOT Office is requesting sealed Qualification proposals (NCDOT Qualified Firms) for services to assist the EBCI with NEPA and related permitting. The deadline for submitting proposals will be August 10, 2016 at 4 p.m.

Please be advised that all TERO rules and regulations, Tribal pro-

curement policies, applicable state and federal rules, regulations and laws shall apply to the performance of any work awarded pursuant to this solicitation and to the procurement of work solicited through this advertisement.

You may request the full RFQ through the CDOT Office. If you have any questions or comments, please contact CDOT at (828)-359-6530. **8/4pd**

### Advertisement for Bids

Cherokee Enterprises, Inc., an Equal Opportunity Employer, is soliciting subcontractor and material proposals for the Snowbird Recovery Center from certified TERO vendors. This phase of work generally consists of survey, clearing and grubbing, grading, excavating, paving, site improvements, trucking and site utilities. All proposals should be in our office by Monday, August 1, 2016 at 1 p.m. Proposals can be mailed or faxed to our office, 828-497-5566. Project plans and specifications can be viewed at our office located at 1371 Acquoni Road in Cherokee, N.C. with prior appointment. Workers compensation, auto, and general liability insurance are required from all subcontractors. Bonding may be required of sub-contractors dependent upon the size of the submitted scope and in accordance with the owner's requirements. Please contact our office at 828-497-5617 with questions or for additional information. **8/28pd**

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1. Public Safety Administrative Assistant-Public Safety (\$31,078 - \$38,848)
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3. Data Specialist - Qualla Boundary HS & EHS (\$34,112 - \$42,640)

### Closing August 5, 2016 @ 4 pm

1. Full Time Paramedic - EMS (\$34,112 - \$42,640)
2. Teacher (3) - Qualla Boundary HS & EHS (\$28,372 - \$35,465)
3. Secretary/Receptionist - Qualla Boundary HS & EHS (\$23,616 - \$29,520)
4. Administrative Assistant - Juvenile Services (\$25,830 - \$32,288)
5. Homebuyer Services Coordinator - Housing Services (\$34,112 - \$42,640)
6. Utility Worker (3) - Tribal Construction (\$23,616 - \$29,520)

### Open Until Filled

1. Patrol Officers - CIPD (\$34,112 - \$42,640)
2. Detention Officer - Detention Services (\$31,078 - \$38,848)
3. Part Time- Paramedic - Tribal EMS (\$34,112 - \$42,640)
4. RN Supervisor - Tsali Care (\$49,200 - \$61,500)
5. Cook Aide - Tsali Care Center (\$19,598 - \$24,498)
6. RN - Tsali Care Center (\$45,018 - \$56,273)
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8. Accounting Coordinator II - Finance (\$41,082 - \$51,353)
9. Academy Curriculum Developer - KPEP (\$41,082 - \$51,353)
10. Language Specialist Assistant - KPEP (\$25,830 - \$32,288)
11. Language Specialist - KPEP (\$31,078 - \$38,848)
12. Family Partnership/Lead Teacher - KPEP (\$34,112 - \$42,640)
13. Early Childhood Language Specialist - KPEP (\$31,078 - \$38,848)

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If you have already submitted your application, it will be considered active for 6 months from the date of application. To qualify, applicants must be 21 years or older (18-21 years eligible for non-gaming positions), must successfully pass an RIAM hair/drug test and undergo an investigation by Tribal Gaming Commission. Preference for Tribal members. This property is owned by the Eastern Band of the Cherokee Nation, managed by Caesars Entertainment. The Talent Acquisition Department accepts applications Mon. - Thur. from 9am - 4:30pm. Call 828.497.8778, or send resume to the Talent Acquisition Department, 777 Casino Drive, Cherokee, NC 28719 or fax resume to 828.497.8540.



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