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# Cherokee One Feather

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**OUT FOR A RIDE:** Sharon Aalfs, from Chattanooga, Tenn., took to the Fire Mountain Trail in Cherokee early on the morning of Saturday, June 10. She was joined by her friend, Jennifer Brown, also of Chattanooga, on the trail that opened Friday. (SCOTT MCKIE B.P./One Feather)

***If you build it,  
they will come***  
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# Fire Mountain Trail opens in Cherokee

SCOTT MCKIE B.P.  
ONE FEATHER STAFF

Blue skies and a steady breeze welcomed Cherokee into the realm of eco-tourism as the Fire Mountain Trail System opened on Friday, June 9. The 10.5 mile trail system, which features mountain bike trails for three different skill levels that are also open to runners and hikers, is located at the top of the Oconaluftee Indian Village parking lot.

"There's been a lot of hard work and dedication to make this trail system a reality," said Jeremy Hyatt, EBCI Secretary of Administration and avid cyclist. "And, the reality that we've created is a premier trail system for the region, certainly for western North Carolina."

He said the project is now open, but it's not finished. "We're hoping to create more trailheads."

Hyatt said he has received calls from all over the country inquiring about the trail system. "We really appreciate the community's support. We don't want to stop here. We want to identify other properties...we have an opportunity, here in Cherokee, to create an eco-tourism mecca, and I think that we can really truly do that."

Though, he noted the most important part of the project is "the opportunity for us and our neighbors to get out and enjoy the fresh air and splendor of what we all call home."

Principal Chief Richard G. Sneed, an avid cyclist who rode on the 2014 Remember the Removal ride, commented, "This is really the



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**OPEN:** Ed Sutton, of Trail Dynamics who constructed the trail, and Tinker Jenks, who played an instrumental part in the trail's development (both shown holding scissors), cut the ribbon to officially open the Fire Mountain Trail on Friday, June 9. Shown (left-right) are – Cherokee County – Snowbird Rep. Adam Wachacha; Principal Chief Richard G. Sneed; Sutton; EBCI Secretary of Administration Jeremy Hyatt; Jenks; Zeke Cooper, of Aniwaya Design & Planning; and Big Cove Rep. Richard French.

jumping off point for Cherokee and our move into eco-tourism. As Jeremy stated, this is really a premier trail system."

He went on to thank Ed Sutton, whose Trail Dynamic company constructed the trail, as well as Tinker Jenks, an EBCI tribal member who currently works at the Cherokee Preservation Foundation but was instrumental in starting the project while she worked previously with the former EBCI Economic & Community Development Office. "There have been a lot of people who have done a lot of work behind the scenes. Oftentimes, in leadership, we get to come to events like this, and we cut the ribbon and we get our picture taken and the credit seems to go to those in the front. But, in reality, it is all of those folks who have been working behind the scenes, working diligently, to see this project come to its fruition."

Hyatt also acknowledged Jenks' work on the project referring to her as "the idea maker" and noting, "She is the one who started the process in terms of getting grant funding for the trail, and this probably wouldn't have started without her."

Jenks spoke briefly and stated, "The idea of having the trail system started years and years ago." She said some of the ideas started with the Junaluska Leadership Council and the Cherokee Youth Council. "They just all talked about how they really wanted a trail system that was close to town, that was safe, and that a lot of different users could use. So, when I became a tribal planner, this was one of the first things that I took up. It was my baby project."

Tribal Council passed Res. No. 170 (2014), which was submitted by the Junaluska Leadership Coun-

**"...the reality that we've created is a premier trail system for the region, certainly for western North Carolina."**

- Jeremy Hyatt,  
EBCI Secretary of Administration

cil, in April 2014. The resolution stated, "...there is a need to diversify the local economy through greater promotion of Eco Tourism and developing mountain bike/hiking trails throughout the Qualla Boundary stimulating economic growth and providing healthy recreational activities for enrolled members." It went on to authorize the planning and development of the trails.

Jenks said there were several setbacks in the development of the trail system, including a fire on Mt. Noble, but she said perseverance was the name of the game. "When you hear a great idea for the community, don't give up. Jump over those roadblocks that come at you. Just keep going because persistence pays off."

Sutton thanked the Tribe for their support on the project and said working on the project was an honor for himself, his wife, and his crew. "We always dream, as trail builders, to have a project where

you can work in a beautiful place like this and have a canvas that's as gorgeous as this mountain to work with. This was our home for six months. We were here every day. We saw the fall, all the fires in the winter, we saw the azaleas bloom in the spring."

He told the crowd of an amazing, emotional experience he had on the trail. "The blossoms from the laurel were starting to fall, and it was like snow and they were on the trail. And, I thought it couldn't be more beautiful than this. It was amazing. It touched me."

The trails were designed by Aniwaya Design & Planning, and Zeke Cooper, Aniwaya principal and landscape architect, spoke on the project, "This project would not have happened without Tinker and Damon Lambert...everybody here

needs to tell her thank you and remember her when you're on this trail."

He added, "To really see a project come from nothing to this point is really exciting."

The trail system itself is split into three main trails that are divided by difficulty level. The green level spans 1.5 miles, is designed for beginner-level cyclists and includes two trails: Tinker's Dream and Kate's Weave. The blue level spans six miles and includes four trails designed for different levels including Waya, Lazy Elk, and Spearfinger which are for cyclists with intermediate skills and Uktena for those with advanced to expert skills. The red level spans 2.5 miles and includes the Kessel Run for those cyclists with advanced to expert skills.



**DREAM:** Jeremy Hyatt (left), EBCI Secretary of Administration, presents a plaque designating a trail as "Tinker's Dream" to Tinker Jenks, who played an instrumental role in the development of the Fire Mountain Trail System.

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# Chief Sneed lays out vision to tribal employees

**SCOTT MCKIE B.P.**  
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Principal Chief Richard G. Sneed gathered employees of the Eastern Band of Cherokee Indians together on the morning of Tuesday, June 6 in the Chief Joyce Dugan Cultural Arts Center to lay out his vision for his administration. The event started with a short film, produced by the EBCI Communications Department, whose message centered around the lyrics and music video style of the song “Right now” by Van Halen.

“In everything that has happened over the last few months, I think everyone has had some anxiety,” said Chief Sneed who said now is the time for healing and forgiveness. “It’s time for us to come together. It’s time for us to be a Tribe again.”

He said a core value of his administration will be to “do things the right way”, and he outlined some plans and goals to meet that tenet. “People who are running for office and people who are running for re-election always promise to do things the right way. It’s what we say to you. We say, ‘If you vote for me, I’m going to do things the right way...you can trust me.’ And, some do. And, some don’t.”

Chief Sneed said, “It is the commitment of this administration that we’re going to do things the right way, and we’re going to do them right now. Starting right now, from day one of this administration, things will be done the right way.”

One of the first areas Chief Sneed touched on during his speech on Tuesday morning was



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**PLAN:** Principal Chief Richard G. Sneed addresses tribal employees and outlines the vision for his administration during a meeting at the Chief Joyce Dugan Cultural Arts Center on the morning of Tuesday, June 6.

human resources. “My commitment to every one of you, as a tribal employee, is that our HR (human resources) policies will be followed. That is my promise to you. HR policies are not just in place so that you know what our expectations are of you. But, it is important that you know what you can expect from us.”

He said the hiring process, which goes along with the human resources policies, will be followed. “As you can imagine, my phone has blown up the past week. Many people have been saying, ‘Hey, I’m so glad you’re there. I need a job.’ And, I understand that, but my response has always been the same since I took the office of Vice Chief. Apply, there’s a process.”

Another major area he touched on was housing. “We spend a lot of money every year on housing,

and we put very few homes on the ground...there are some very serious challenges that we face in housing.”

Chief Sneed said he is currently planning a Housing Summit to get everyone involved in housing for the Tribe together for a day of input, listening, and problem-solving. “We’re taking a collaborative approach to correct the shortfalls of our overall system. It’s like anything else. The system, over the years, has grown with not a lot of real direction. And, when organizations just grow with no direction, you create bureaucracy and things tend to just bog down and things don’t get done.”

He said his administration will adhere to what he calls the “Three Cs” which are communication, collaboration, and community. “No one has all the answers,” he noted

stating the need for both communication and collaboration between tribal programs and departments. “It takes all of us working together to make this thing work.”

During the event, Chief Sneed introduced his new leadership team including: Jeremy Hyatt, Secretary of Administration; Tara Reed, Secretary of Human Resources (will take job later this month); Cory Blankenship, Secretary of Treasury; James Bradley, Secretary of Education; Dr. Mickey Duvall, Secretary of Commerce; Vickie Bradley, Secretary of Public Health and Human Services; Joey Owle; Secretary of Agriculture and Natural Resources; Albert Crowe, Director of Tribal Realty Services; Juanita Wilson, Director of Cherokee County/Snowbird Services; and Paxton Myers, Chief of Staff. The Secretary of State position has been eliminated, and the Secretary of Housing position, whose duties will be discussed in the upcoming summit, will be filled at a later date.

“Leadership is a servant position,” Chief Sneed commented stating he learned valuable leadership lessons from Ray Kinsland, former Cherokee Boys Club general manager. “He would always say, ‘Remember I work for you, not the other way around’. My commitment to you is that I work for you, not the other way around. This team of leaders, we work for you. We are here to serve you. We are here to equip you, to facilitate you in your duties every day so that you can accomplish the mission of your department for our enrolled members.”

# Tribe's public health program urges Zika, LACV awareness

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The Zika Virus has only hit the United States in small doses, but Cherokee health officials are warning EBCI tribal members to be careful when traveling to areas where it is active. The virus, spread mostly through the bite of an Aedes species mosquito or by sexual contact, is not considered life-threatening to most, but it can have serious effects on unborn fetuses.

"Zika is not being locally transmitted, and we don't have the type of mosquito that would allow that as of now," said Abby Holmes, EBCI Public Health and Human Services public health preparedness coordinator.

The CDC previously designated several places in the United States as Zika cautionary areas - Miami-Dade County, Florida, whose cautionary designation was removed June 2, and Brownsville, Texas which still is under the designation. The CDC currently advises pregnant women to "consider postponing travel to Brownsville" due to the possible threat.

"Right now, there is no local transmission in the U.S., but they are anticipating that there will be again in Florida as we go through summer," Holmes noted. "So, what we need to be concerned about locally is travel - travel into areas with active transmission. Make sure you try to avoid getting mosquito bites if you travel to an area with Zika. Be aware that it is also sexually transmitted."

Holmes said there have been

several people from North Carolina who have acquired Zika while traveling. "And, there are probably thousands in the U.S. who have acquired it while traveling."

Prior to traveling, Holmes advises checking the CDC website (<https://wwwnc.cdc.gov/travel/page/zika-travel-information>) to view the most up-to-date information and warnings/advisories.

Zika is particularly dangerous for pregnant women. The CDC states, "The Zika virus can be passed from a pregnant woman to her fetus. Infection during pregnancy can cause a birth defect called microcephaly and other several fetal brain defects."

Holmes said that those with the Zika Virus many times do not know they have it. "Most people don't present symptoms, so a lot of people don't know that they have it. But, the symptoms are fever, rash, headache, and joint pain similar to the flu. So, definitely go see your physician if you're concerned at all."

Lacrosse encephalitis (LACV), another mosquito-borne illness, can cause inflammation of the brain and has been much more common here in western North Carolina. "I think encephalitis is probably the biggest concern of mosquito bites in this area," said Holmes who said the rates of this and other mosquito-borne illnesses increase yearly. "Everyone should definitely be protecting themselves from mosquito bites, especially children."

To lessen your chances of receiving mosquito bites, the CDC recommends the following:

- Use insect repellent containing DEET, picaridin, IR3535 or oil of lemon eucalyptus on exposed skin and/or clothing. The repellent/insecticide permethrin can be used on clothing to protect through several washes. Always follow the directions on the package.
- Wear long sleeves, pants and socks when weather permits.
- Have secure intact screens on windows and doors to keep mosquitoes out.
- Mosquitoes lay eggs in standing water. Eliminate mosquito breeding sites by emptying standing water from flower pots, buckets, barrels, tires and other containers. Drill holes in tire swings so water drains

out. Keep children's wading pools empty and stored on their side when they aren't being used.

Even though the incidences are increasing, the CDC reports that there are still only around 80-100 cases of reported in the United States annually. "LACV disease cases occur primarily from late spring through early fall, but in subtropical endemic areas, e.g., the Gulf states, rare cases can occur in winter," CDC information states.

The CDC also states that while there is no vaccine or preventative drug for LACV, less than 1 percent of all cases are fatal.

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## Tribal Court Report

### Judgment Summary for May 24

#### **CROWE, Chester Paul**

14-95.5(c) Drugs: Simple Possession of Marijuana – Dismissed SAA completed  
14-10.16 Second Degree Trespass – Dismissed SAA completed

#### **FRADY, Aaron Lee**

14-40.1(b)(5) Domestic Violence – Violation of Court Order – Dismissed

#### **HOLLIFIELD, Nashayla**

14-95.5(a) Drugs: Possessing a controlled substance classified in schedule I, II, III, IV, and V – Guilty Plea, 60 days jail time suspended, 12 months probation, credit for time served (32 days), defendant must enroll in First Offenders Program  
14-70.18 Providing Contraband – Dismissed on Plea  
14-95.5(a) Drugs: Possessing a controlled substance classified in schedule I, II, III, IV, and V - Dismissed on Plea

14-10.64 Unauthorized Use of a Motor Vehicle - Dismissed on Plea  
14-95.11 Drugs: Possession of Drug Paraphernalia - Guilty Plea, 60 days jail time suspended, 12 months probation, credit for time served (32 days), defendant must enroll in First Offenders Program  
14-95.5(a) Drugs: Possessing a controlled substance classified in schedule I, II, III, IV, and V – Dismissed on Plea

#### **KOMENDA, Melissa**

14-30.6 Child Abuse in the Second Degree – Dismissed, Settled in Mediation  
14-40.62(a)(1) Simple Assault –

Dismissed, Settled in Mediation  
14-40.64 Reckless Endangerment – Dismissed, Settled in Mediation

#### **LASSITER, Jaime L.**

14-30.3 Compulsory School Attendance – Guilty Plea, Prayer for Judgment Continued

#### **MCCOY, Frank Joseph**

14-10.64 Unauthorized Use of a Motor Vehicle – Dismissed, Settled in Mediation

#### **RABY, John Wesley**

14-95.6(b) Drugs: Manufacturing, Selling or Delivering, Possessing with intent to sell or deliver schedule I, II, III, IV, ad V – Dismissed With Leave to Refile  
14-95.5(a) Drugs: Possessing a controlled substance classified in schedule I, II, III, IV, and V – Dismissed With Leave to Refile  
14-95.6(c) Drugs: Manufacturing, Selling or Delivering, Possessing with intent to sell or deliver schedule VI – Dismissed with Leave to Refile

#### **Sequoyah, Danica J.**

14-40.32 Custodial Interference – Dismissed on Plea  
14-30.6 Child Abuse in the Second Degree – Dismissed on Plea  
14-30.1(a)(1) Contributing to the Delinquency or Undisciplined of a Minor - Dismissed on Plea  
14-40.32 Custodial Interference - Dismissed on Plea  
14-95.11(c) Drugs: Possession of Drug Paraphernalia - Dismissed on Plea  
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14-30.1(a)(1) Contributing to the Delinquency or Undisciplined of a Minor – Drug Court, Stay Judgment

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14-70.17 Obstructing Justice – Dismissed on Plea  
14-95.6(c) Drugs: Manufacturing, Selling or Delivering, Possessing with intent to sell or deliver schedule VI – Dismissed on Plea  
14-95.5(c) Drugs: Simple Possession of Marijuana – Dismissed on Plea  
14-40.64 Reckless Endangerment – Dismissed on Plea  
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#### **SMITH, Leigh Adair**

14-10.60 Larceny – Dismissed at Complainant's Request

#### **SUTTON, Chantel Nicole**

14-40.1(b)(1) Domestic Violence – Bodily Injury – Dismissed, Prosecuting Witness Failed to Appear  
14-30.6 Child Abuse in the Second Degree – Dismissed, Prosecuting Witness Failed to Appear

#### **TEESATESKIE JR., Steve Allen**

14-40.56 Assault on a Female (DV) – Dismissed with Leave to Refile  
14-30.1(a)(2) Contributing to the Abuse of a Minor – Dismissed with Leave to Refile  
14-40.56 Assault on a Female (DV) - Dismissed with Leave to Refile  
14-40.56 Assault on a Female (DV) - Dismissed with Leave to Refile  
14-30.6 Child Abuse in the Second Degree - Dismissed with Leave to Refile  
14-40.56 Assault on a Female (DV) - Dismissed with Leave to Refile  
14-40.49 Assault by Strangulation

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- Dismissed with Leave to Refile  
 14-40.56 Assault on a Female -  
 Dismissed with Leave to Refile  
 14-40.57 Assault on a Child - Dis-  
 missed with Leave to Refile  
 14-30.6 Child Abuse in the Second  
 Degree - Dismissed with Leave to  
 Refile

**WAHNETAH, Samuel**

14-10.40 Burglary – Dismissed  
 upon Completion of Drug Court,  
 defendant must enroll and com-  
 plete 12 months of treatment pro-  
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**WARD, Brandon Lee**

20-313(a) No Insurance – Dis-  
 missed on Plea  
 20-140 Reckless Driving – Dis-  
 missed on Plea  
 20-28 Revoked License - Dismissed  
 on Plea  
 20-138.1(a) Driving While Im-  
 paired - Dismissed on Plea  
 20-111(2) Expired Registration  
 Plate - Dismissed on Plea  
 14-10.60 Larceny – Guilty Plea,  
 20 days jail time suspended, six  
 months probation  
 14-2.2 Criminal Conspiracy - Dis-  
 missed on Plea  
 14-60.30 False Pretenses - Dis-  
 missed on Plea  
 14-40.56 Assault on a Female (DV)  
 - Dismissed on Plea

14-10.61 Receiving or Possessing  
 Stolen Property - Dismissed on Plea

**Judgment Summary for  
 May 31**

**ARCH, Myra**

14-30.3 Compulsory School Atten-  
 dance – Dismissed for Compliance

**LEE, Debra Sue**

14-25.13 Harassment – Dismissed,  
 Settled in Mediation

**SEQUOYAH-PEPION, Tashina**

14-30.3 Compulsory School Atten-  
 dance – Guilty Plea, 15 days active  
 jail time

**WELCH JR., Benny Lee**

14-30.3 Compulsory School Atten-  
 dance – Dismissed for Compliance

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# CIPD Arrest Report May 22 - June 12

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.

## Kirkland, Jami Leigh – age 34

Arrested: May 22 at 23:20

Released: May 23

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



## Rickman, Thomas Ronson – age 42

Arrested: May 22 at 12:38

Released: May 22

Charges: Failure to Appear on Misdemeanor  
**Number of times in CIPD Detention: 2**



## Brady-Smith Jr., Billy Joe – age 22

Arrested: May 23 at 20:45

Released: June 2

Charges: Probation Violation  
**Number of times in CIPD Detention: 1**

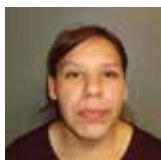


## Crowe, Kendra Alyese – age 23

Arrested: May 23 at 03:10

Released: May 23

Charges: Intoxicated and Disruptive in Public  
**Number of times in**



## CIPD Detention: 4

### Murphy, Tashina Michele – age 31

Arrested: May 23 at 23:40

Released: May 25

Charges: Providing Contraband; Drugs: Manufacturing, Selling or Delivering, Possessing with intent to sell or deliver a counterfeit  
**Number of times in CIPD Detention: 4**



### Wildcatt, Brenda K. – age 50

Arrested: May 23 at 23:10

Released: May 23

Charges: Failure to Appear on Misdemeanor  
**Number of times in CIPD Detention: 1**



### Wilnoty, Jacob Neal – age 22

Arrested: May 23 at 22:27

Released: June 8

Charges: Failure to Appear on Misdemeanor  
**Number of times in CIPD Detention: 3**



### Rattler, Jacob Hunter – age 25

Arrested: May 24 at 23:00

Released: May 25

Charges: Failure to Appear on Misdemeanor (two counts)  
**Number of times in CIPD Detention: 3**



### Sequoyah, Johnson Lloyd – age 35

Arrested: May 24 at 12:00

Released: Not released as of June 8



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Charges: Probation Violation, Filing False Emergency Report, Obstructing Governmental Functions, Obstructing Justice, Resisting Lawful Arrest  
**Number of times in CIPD Detention: 6**

### Walkingstick, Ardina Bobbie – age 23

Arrested: May 24 at 14:27

Released: May 24

Charges: Failure to Appear on Misdemeanor  
**Number of times in CIPD Detention: 4**



### Washington, Tyler Dillion – age 23

Arrested: May 24 at 01:08

Released: May 28

Charges: Receiving or Possessing Stolen Property  
**Number of times in CIPD Detention: 4**



### Bird, April Dawn – age 38

Arrested: May 25 at 10:38

Released: May 27

Charges: Simple Assault  
**Number of times in CIPD Detention: 10**



### Climbingbear, Henderson – age 68

Arrested: May 25 at 16:23

Released: May 28

Charges: Failure to Appear on Misdemeanor  
**Number of times in CIPD Detention: 5**

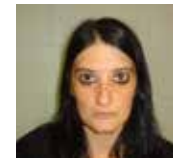


### Gregory, Loretta Faye – age 31

Arrested: May 25 at 16:10

Released: May 25

Charges: Failure to Appear on Misdemeanor  
**Number of times in CIPD Detention: 2**



### Toineeta, Samuel Abraham – age 38

Arrested: May 25 at 09:10

Released: May 25

Charges: Failure to Appear on Misdemeanor  
**Number of times in CIPD Detention: 2**

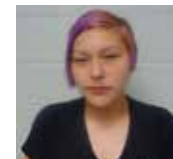


### Smith, Kira Chantelle – age 27

Arrested: May 26 at 20:00

Released: May 27

Charges: Driving While Impaired, Child Abuse in the Second Degree, Possession of Open Container, Expired Inspection  
**Number of times in CIPD Detention: 1**

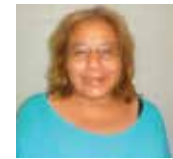


### Cucumber, Heather Marie – age 39

Arrested: May 27 at 19:00

Released: Not released as of June 8 report

Charges: Failure to Appear on Misdemeanor  
**Number of times in CIPD Detention: 2**



### Jackson, Rain Edwind-Swimmer – age 22

Arrested: May 28 at 19:14



Released: June 2  
Charges: Failure to Appear on Misdemeanor



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

**Owl, Jessica Rain – age 23**



Arrested: May 28 at 14:58

Released: May 28  
Charges: Larceny

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

**Jackson, Alexandria Jade – age 25**



Arrested: May 29 at 02:00

Released: June 7

Charges: Possession Schedule II Controlled Substance

**Number of times in CIPD Detention: 5**

**Larch, Samantha Rene – age 23**



Arrested: May 29 at 14:50

Released: Not released as of June 8 report

Charges: Careless and Reckless Driving, Driving While License Revoked, Violation of Probation

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

**Bird, William Allen – age 52**



Arrested: May 30 at 09:45

Released: June 2

Charges: Assault on a Female (DV)

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

**Rattler, Cornelia Iona – age 19**

Arrested: May 30 at 02:26  
Released: June 1  
Charges: Failure to Appear on Misdemeanor, Second Degree Trespass



**Number of times in CIPD Detention: 5**

**Taylor, Edward Dwayne – age 29**



Arrested: May 30 at 08:41

Released: June 1

Charges: Failure to Appear, Larceny

**Number of times in CIPD Detention: 6**

**Taylor, Lori Lynn – age 40**



Arrested: May 30 at 09:30

Released: May 30

Charges: Disorderly Conduct

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

**Voss, Kyle August Paul – age 31**



Arrested: May 30 at 10:45

Released: Not released as of June 8 report

Charges: Obstructing Justice

**Number of times in CIPD Detention: 8**

**McCoy II, Timothy Jason – age 26**



Arrested: May 31 at 06:15

Released: May 31

Charges: Obstructing Governmental Functions

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

**Smith, Brooke Leighann – age**

**21**

Arrested: May 31

at 03:54

Released: Not

released as of June 8 report

Charges: Failure to Appear on Misdemeanor

**Number of times in CIPD Detention: 6**

**Lossiah II, John Ricky – age 36**



Arrested: June 1 at 13:31

Released: June 1

Charges: Failure to Appear on Misdemeanor

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

**Lossiah Jr., Kirk Wilson – age 27**



Arrested: June 1 at 13:53

Released: June 1

Charges: Receiving or Possessing Stolen Property

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

**Marrow-Wilson, Britany Maria – age 28**



Arrested: June 2 at 19:36

Released: June 7

Charges: Possession Schedule III Controlled Substance; Possession Schedule IV Controlled Substance; Trafficking (two counts); Possession with intent to Manufacture, Sell or Deliver Schedule II Controlled Substance (two counts); Importing Controlled Substance; Possession Drug Paraphernalia

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

**Owle, Lloyd Edward – age 37**

Arrested: June 1 at 20:41

Released: June 1

Charges: Receiving or Possessing Stolen Property

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

**Sequoyah, Cheryl Lynn – age 38**



Arrested: June 1 at 18:18

Released: June 7

Charges: Possession with intent to Manufacture, Sell or Deliver Schedule II Controlled Substance; Failure to Appear on Misdemeanor

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

**Taylor, Salvador Hugo – age 25**



Arrested: June 1 at 19:36

Released: Not released as of June 8 report

Charges: Possessing a Controlled Substance Classified in Schedule II (two counts); Trafficking (two counts); Possession with intent to sell or deliver Schedule II (two counts); Importing Controlled Substance; Possession of Drug Paraphernalia

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

**West, Roman Gregory – age 38**



Arrested: June 1 at 13:41

Released: June 7

Charges: Failure to Appear on Misdemeanor

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

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**ARRESTS:** CIPD report from page 9

**Arkansas, Frances Elaine – age 46**



Arrested: June 2 at 12:17  
Released: June 2  
Charges: Probation Violation  
**Number of times in CIPD Detention: 5**

**Driver, Melvin Anthony – age 19**



Arrested: June 2 at 03:15  
Released: June 2  
Charges: Failure to Appear on Misdemeanor (two counts)  
**Number of times in CIPD Detention: 1**

**Aguilera, Adrian Emanuel – age 27**



Arrested: June 3 at 03:58  
Released: June 3  
Charges: Possession Drug Paraphernalia, Possession Schedule II Controlled Substance  
**Number of times in CIPD Detention: 3**

**Garcilita, Reyna Angelica – age 20**



Arrested: June 3 at 17:40  
Released: June 3  
Charges: Failure to Appear on Misdemeanor (four counts), Obstructing Justice  
**Number of times in CIPD Detention: 1**

**Johnson, Maricela Christian – age 25**

Arrested: June 3 at 13:10  
Released: June 3

Charges: Possession Drug Paraphernalia  
**Number of times in CIPD Detention: 4**



**Lambert, Michael Edward – age 33**



Arrested: June 3 at 23:25  
Released: June 4  
Charges: Possession Schedule I Controlled Substance  
**Number of times in CIPD Detention: 2**

**Toineeta, James – age 58**



Arrested: June 3 at 04:05  
Released: June 4  
Charges: Second Degree Trespass  
**Number of times in CIPD Detention: 7**

**Tramper, Dustin Henry – age 28**



Arrested: June 3 at 12:22  
Released: June 3  
Charges: Failure to Appear on Misdemeanor  
**Number of times in CIPD Detention: 6**

**West, Charles Ray – age 38**



Arrested: June 3 at 16:30  
Released: June 4  
Charges: Breaking and/or Entering  
**Number of times in CIPD Detention: 5**

**White, Shannon Deann – age 45**

Arrested: June 3 at 17:49  
Released: June 3

Charges: Failure to Appear on Misdemeanor  
**Number of times in CIPD Detention: 5**



**Wolfe, Jordan Rae – age 22**



Arrested: June 3 at 03:44  
Released: June 3  
Charges: Possession Schedule IV Controlled Substance, Possession Schedule II Controlled Substance, Possession Drug Paraphernalia  
**Number of times in CIPD Detention: 2**

**Youngdeer, Jarrett Cody – age 32**



Arrested: June 3 at 13:10  
Released: June 6  
Charges: Failure to Obey a Lawful Court Order, Possession Drug Paraphernalia, Simple Possession Schedule II Controlled Substance  
**Number of times in CIPD Detention: 3**

**Biddix, Callie May – age 33**



Arrested: June 4 at 05:09  
Released: June 6  
Charges: Larceny, Providing Contraband, Drugs: Possessing a Controlled Substance  
**Number of times in CIPD Detention: 7**

**Bigmeat, Natasha Regina – age 25**



Arrested: June 4 at 19:30  
Released: Not released as of June 8 report

Charges: Obstructing Justice  
**Number of times in CIPD Detention: 1**

**Lee, Brandon William – age 32**



Arrested: June 4 at 20:43  
Released: June 6  
Charges: Public Nuisance  
**Number of times in CIPD Detention: 14**

**Sequoyah, Tashina Pepion – age 34**



Arrested: June 5 at 08:30  
Released: Not released as of June 8 report  
Charges: School Attendance Law Violation  
**Number of times in CIPD Detention: 3**

**Bradley, Calvin Ray – age 35**



Arrested: June 5 at 16:06  
Released: Not released as of June 12 report  
Charges: Failure to Appear  
**Number of times in CIPD Detention: 7**

**George, Maria Guadalupe**



Arrested: June 5 at 19:29  
Released: June 5  
Charges: Manufacture Schedule VI Controlled Substance, Possession Drug Paraphernalia (two counts), Importing a Controlled Substance  
**Number of times in CIPD Detention: 1**

**Watty, Jason Adam – age 39**



Arrested: June 5 at

12:03  
Released: Not released as of June 12 report  
Charges: Simple Possession Schedule IV Controlled Substance  
**Number of times in CIPD Detention: 1**

**Calhoun, Hanna – age 31**

Arrested: June 6 at 02:29

Released: June 6  
Charges: Aggravated Weapons Offense, Assault with a Deadly Weapon

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

**Fouts, Alicia – age 30**

Arrested: June 6 at 12:55

Released: June 6  
Charges: Possession Schedule II Controlled Substance, Child Abuse in the Second Degree  
**Number of times in CIPD Detention: 1**

**Gunter, Jeremy Lee – age 32**

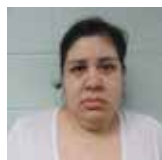
Arrested: June 6 at 20:56

Released: June 6  
Charges: Failure to Appear on Misdemeanor  
**Number of times in CIPD Detention: 1**

**Johnson, Corliss – age 21**

Arrested: June 6 at 12:00

Released: June 6  
Charges: Failure to Appear on Misdemeanor  
**Number of times in CIPD Detention: 1**



**Lambert, Samuel Steven – age 58**

Arrested: June 6 at 11:01

Released: June 6  
Charges: Failure to Appear on Misdemeanor  
**Number of times in CIPD Detention: 5**

**Littlejohn, Shira Lynn – age 27**

Arrested: June 6 at 14:56

Released: June 9  
Charges: Possession with intent to Manufacture, Sell or Deliver Schedule II Controlled Substance  
**Number of times in CIPD Detention: 7**

**Martens, Robert Glen – age 35**

Arrested: June 6 at 18:40

Released: June 6  
Charges: Obstructing Justice  
**Number of times in CIPD Detention: 9**

**Thomas, Angela DecAnne – age 39**

Arrested: June 7 at 20:23

Released: June 7  
Charges: Child Abuse in the Second Degree, Second Degree Trespass (two counts), Possession Drug Paraphernalia, Importing Controlled Substance, Simple Possession of Marijuana, Possession Schedule II Controlled Substance  
**Number of times in CIPD Detention: 1**

**Wahnetah, Kevin Robert-Blaine – age 28**

Arrested: June 6 at



13:59  
Released: Not released as of June 12 report  
Charges: Failure to Appear on Misdemeanor  
**Number of times in CIPD Detention: 5**

**Watty, Dalisa Daniela – age 23**

Arrested: June 6 at 12:49

Released: Not released as of June 12 report  
Charges: Probation Violation  
**Number of times in CIPD Detention: 4**

**Wolfe II, Leonard Dawayne**

Arrested: June 6 at 19:49

Released: Not released as of June 12 report  
Charges: Importing Controlled Substance; Trafficking; Possession with intent to Manufacture, Sell or Deliver Schedule II Controlled Substance; Possession Schedule II Controlled Substance; Possessing Drug Paraphernalia  
**Number of times in CIPD Detention: 1**

**Huskey, Darryl – age 56**

Arrested: June 8 at 06:13

Released: June 8  
Charges: Possession Schedule II Controlled Substance  
**Number of times in CIPD Detention: 1**

**Long Jr., Henry Allen – age 26**

Arrested: June 8 at 19:32

Released: June 8  
Charges: Failure to Appear on Mis-



demeanor (two counts)  
**Number of times in CIPD Detention: 2**

**Maney, Tonya Lynn – age 28**

Arrested: June 8 at 16:43

Released: June 9  
Charges: Possession Schedule II Controlled Substance, Importing Controlled Substance, Possession Drug Paraphernalia  
**Number of times in CIPD Detention: 5**

**Montelongo Jr., David – age 38**

Arrested: June 8 (no booking time given)

Released: Not released as of June 12 report  
Charges: Failure to Appear on Misdemeanor  
**Number of times in CIPD Detention: 8**

**Parker, Ben Donley – age 61**

Arrested: June 8 at 00:38

Released: June 8  
Charges: Weapon Offense  
**Number of times in CIPD Detention: 1**

**King, Erica April – age 46**

Arrested: June 9 at 03:32

Released: June 9  
Charges: Driving While Impaired, Driving While License Revoked, Reckless Driving  
**Number of times in CIPD Detention: 1**

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## Dr. Toedt named IHS chief medical officer

Capt. Michael Toedt, M.D., has been named as the new Indian Health Service chief medical officer as of Thursday, June 1. In his position, he will oversee policy and staff of the Indian Health Service network.

Dr. Toedt is the former Cherokee Indian Hospital executive director of clinical services, a job he served in from September 2007 to September 2014. In his 26 years of federal government service, Dr. Toedt has served in several other capacities including IHS Chief of Staff from January 2005 to September 2007.

"I know Dr. Michael Toedt as a strong advocate for quality health care services for Indian people, and



IHS photo

### Capt. Michael Toedt, M.D.

I am so pleased to welcome him to his new position as permanent IHS chief medical officer," said Rear Adm. Chris Buchanan, IHS acting

director. "Dr. Toedt's lifelong commitment to service is an inspiring example. His important work on clinical and community-based health programs will lead our IHS professionals in further advancing the IHS mission."

According to information from IHS, "The IHS chief medical officer is responsible for overall patient care policy and program development, implementation, monitoring and evaluation. The chief medical officer guides IHS in evaluating, designing, and implementing health care delivery systems and coordinates with staff regarding health services, clinical guidelines, and planning activities. The chief

medical officer also serves as the primary liaison and advocate for IHS health professionals."

Dr. Toedt earned a bachelor's of science degree in applied physics from Georgia Tech University in 1991 and four years later, he earned a doctor of medicine degree from Uniformed Services University of the Health Sciences. He is a member of the Health Information Management and Systems Society, the North Carolina Academy of Family Physicians, the American Academy of Family Physicians, the Commissioned Officers Association of the USPHS, and the Military Officers Association of America.

- One Feather staff report



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USET photo

**RIDER VISIT:** The Remember the Removal Riders stopped in Nashville, Tenn. on Thursday, June 8 to visit with USET (United South and Eastern Tribes) and the Indian Health Service Nashville area office. Riders shared their riding experiences as well as what they have learned to this point. USET and Indian Health Service leadership shared about their organizations and the work they do. The EBCI riders are pictured with Brandon Stephens (far left), an EBCI tribal member who serves as USET development director. Shown (left-right) are - Stephens, Zane Wachacha, Chavella Taylor, Taylor Wilnoty, Sheyahshe Littledave, Renissa McLaughlin, and Israel Rodriguez. The riders departed New Echota, Ga. on Sunday, June 4 as they retrace the northern route of the Trail of Tears on their way to Tahlequah, Okla.



SCOTT MCKIE B.P./One Feather

**FOR ELDERS:** Principal Chief Richard G. Sneed signs a proclamation (shown below) in his office on Thursday, June 8 designating June 15, 2017 as Elder Abuse Awareness Day within the Eastern Band of Cherokee Indians. Shown (standing left-right) are – Peggy Hill, an EBCI tribal elder from the Yellowhill Community; EBCI Beloved Man Jerry Wolfe; Betty Maney, an EBCI tribal elder from the Big Cove Community; Debbie West, Tsali Manor director; Vickie Bradley, EBCI Secretary of Public Health and Human Services; Sharon Faust, EBCI Adult Protective Services supervisor; Kathy Collins, EBCI Adult Protective Services social worker; and Sharon Wiley, EBCI Adult Protective Services social worker.

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# One Nation, Many Voices

## Museum hosts 20th Annual Cherokee Voices Festival,

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**ELDER:** Amanda Swimmer, an EBCI tribal elder from the Big Cove Community and a fluent Cherokee speaker, is shown at the 20th Annual Cherokee Voices Festival at the Museum of the Cherokee Indian on Saturday, June 10.



**BELOVED:** EBCI Beloved Woman Shirley Oswald, a fluent Cherokee speaker from the Snowbird Community, works on preparing corn beads for a necklace.



**WEAVING TALES:** Lloyd Arneach Sr., an EBCI tribal elder from the Yellowhill Community, tells Cherokee stories in the Ken Blankenship Education Wing.



**DELICATE PROCESS:** Mary Thompson works with speed and precision as she prepares river cane splints for a basket.



**INTRICATE:** Above is an example of one of Mary Thompson's river cane baskets that was on display Saturday.



**SMALL BEADS:** Monique Sokol works on a pair of beaded earrings.



**KNOWLEDGE:** EBCI Beloved Man Jerry Wolfe tells a story at the opening of Saturday's event.



**CONTEST TIME:** A dart can be seen flying out of Jarrett Wildcatt's blowgun during a small contest held at the event on Saturday.

# A Cherokee Gardeners Journal: Grow a Row

**JODY BRADLEY**

**O**ur Cherokee Grow A Row mission is to provide fresh, healthy produce to those in need. We have distribution points at the Cherokee Indian Hospital Primary Care entrance and at the Dora Reed Child Care Center office area. Chief Richie Sneed sponsors the Cherokee's Grow A Row project which is in its second season.

Grow a Row has a simple premise. When you plant a row of cucumbers for your family, grow a row to donate to the community. When the cucumbers come in, take them to the distribution point of your choice. When your crop comes in, share the extra with Grow A Row. That's it.

We recommend crops that stay fresh, e.g. beans, beets, broccoli, cabbage, corn, cucumbers, eggplant, onions, peppers, potatoes, peas, Swiss chard, spaghetti squash, butternut squash, okra, yellow squash.

Grow a Row is a great project for individuals, youth groups, churches, or community clubs. Plant, harvest, and donate the bounty of a garden to those in need. You may work with your peers to make a difference in their community while learning gardening basics and the importance of community service. With as little as one to four hours a week, you can make a difference in the lives of many Cherokee people.

Thank you to the following who signed up for Grow A Row this year: Kathi Littlejohn, DeNora Rasul, Kina Swimmer, Bobbi George, Rachael Truesdell, Justice Littlejohn, Ann Bradley Hunt, Mary Welch, Nancy Pheasant, Sheena Brings Plenty, and Terri Bradley.

You don't have to be a farmer to Grow a Row.



**ABOVE:** Bradley recommends crops that stay fresh, such as yellow squash shown above, for the Cherokee Grow A Row program. **INSET:** Growers are encouraged to share their extra crops in the Cherokee Grow A Row Program. (Photo by Jody Bradley)

You don't have to sign up. All you need to do is share with your community. Drop off your extra produce at the a Grow A Row site. Help feed your

community and those in need.

Like us on Facebook at Cherokee Grow A Row.



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## Kituwah Celebration

Friday, June 30th 2017

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# Several Cherokee runners participate in Glow Run

**ROBERT JUMPER**  
ONE FEATHER EDITOR

**C**LYDE - The Lake J 5K Glow Run/Walk was held Friday night, June 9. A total of 142 runners from around western North Carolina, and one from Illinois, enjoyed excellent running and walking weather for the evening event. Leading and tailing and providing a safe environment were members of the Clyde police and fire departments. Runners, including four from Cherokee, gathered at the Clyde Elementary

School to kick off the run.

The runners were encouraged to dress in reflective material and to “get creative” with an assortment of glowing accessories provided at the event, such as glow sticks and glow rings. The idea is two-fold; have a fun, unique appearance and be visible to traffic-including fellow runners.

The starter sounded at 8:45pm, and the runners traveled the route that encompassed the downtown area of Clyde. Kendall Toinetta, an EBCI tribal member currently attending

Lenoir-Rhyne University, ran the course with a time of 17:40.7, earning her second place overall and taking top honors in the women’s division. Other runners completing the 5K from the Cherokee area included Kendall’s father, Bruce Toinetta, Dawna Paul, and William Cuprak. Race organizer Misty Brown thanked the runners, volunteers, town and county officials, and sponsors who made the run possible.

The 3-mile run gets its name from Lake Junaluska (Lake J) First Baptist Church, the hosting organization for the event.

## OBITUARY

### Amy Autumn Crowe

Amy Autumn Crowe, 33, passed away unexpectedly Sunday, June 4, 2017.

Amy was born and reared in Cherokee but resided in Mint Hill at the time of her death. She was a member of Bethabara Baptist Church and got saved on July 14, 1994. Amy was such a kind and loving person who never met a stranger. She made people laugh, and sometimes she would make you laugh so hard that you would

cry but it was good tears that she would give you. She knew how to lift your spirit. She was full of stories that I wished she would have written a book. Because her kindness will be missed, she was a friend to many and her beautiful smile will be missed. She was a ray of sunshine to a lot of people. Maybe this was her purpose in life.

Amy is survived by her father, Eugene Harlan, and her mother, Jeanne Crowe Lira; one daughter, Marley Jais Crowe; step-father, Carlos Lira; one sister, Luci Lira; grandmother, Liz Crowe; uncle Albert and Lisa Crowe; uncle Tun-

ney and Sarah Crowe; aunt Rhonda and Kenny Long; uncle Ed Walkingstick, all of Cherokee; special friend, Beth Kinney; cousins whom she thought of as her brothers and sisters, Summer, Rebecca, Izzy, Abb, Jr., Jake, Tyler, Paige, Gina, Nikki, and Travis; also many loving children of her cousins.

Amy was preceded in death by her grandfather, Gene Crowe; and one aunt, Sharon Crowe.

Funeral services were held on Thursday, June 8 at Bethabara Baptist Church. Brother Denny Crowe, Brother Richard Pickup, and Brother

## THANK YOU LETTERS

### Tow String and Big Cove Communities,

I would like to thank you for your support during the Primary. I ask for your continued support at the General Election. If you have any questions or concerns, I can be reached at (828)497-0685 or (828) 226-4034.

**Karen “French” Browning**

### Thank you Yogi Crowe Scholarship

I would like to share my sincerest gratitude to the Richard (Yogi) Crowe Memorial Scholarship Fund

for awarding me funding for the summer of 2017. I will be attending classes this summer at the University of Tennessee, and this will assist me greatly in my pursuit of my doctorate degree in sport management.

This funding enabled me to attend one of the biggest and most prestigious Sport Management academic conferences in the world, the North American Society for Sport Management Annual Conference in Denver, Colo. My colleagues and I had our research accepted for a presentation at the conference and we were able to represent our school, and I my Tribe, while shar-

ing our work. These experiences have already enhanced my education so much and I’m thankful for the opportunity and ability to participate. I have made so many valuable connections through experiences like this and I could not have made it happen if it were not for the assistance from the Richard (Yogi) Crowe Memorial Scholarship.

I also plan to continue my research on Native American sport with a specific focus on Cherokee stickball. It is so rewarding to share my Tribe’s stories and the importance of sport in preserving our culture. I hope can inspire

other young people to pursue their dreams and higher education. Anything is possible and we are so lucky to have the support of the Richard (Yogi) Crowe Memorial Scholarship Fund and the entire community.

Sgi,  
**Natalie Welch**  
Wolfetown

**Note: Thank you letters are free of charge. There is a 250 word limit, and the deadline for submission is each Friday at 12pm.**



Photo contributed

**GRAD:** Brian Dover, an EBCI tribal member, graduated from Grace Academy Homeschool in Florence, SC on Saturday, May 20.



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**PINNED:** Crissy Choltia, an EBCI tribal member, was among the honorees during a pinning ceremony for graduates of Southwestern Community College's Human Services Technology program last month in Sylva.



Photo by John Moriarty Photography

**AWARDS:** At the Democratic Party 11th District Convention recently, Brenda Donargo (second from right), Whittier-Cherokee Precinct vice chair, and Roger Parsons (second from left), Swain County Commissioner, received the Liston B. Ramsey awards for service to Swain County. Shown (left-right) are - Wayne Goodwin, North Carolina Democratic Party chair; Parsons; Leila Tvedt, Swain County Democratic Party treasurer; Donargo; and Kathy Sinclair, 11th District Democratic Party chair.

### Haywood Community releases spring Dean's list

Haywood Community College released the Dean's list for spring on Friday, June 9. Three Cherokee residents were named to the list including: Tevis Aaron Blankenship, Cory R. Ross, and Renee Burdick Kocher. In order to qualify for the distinction, students must take a minimum of 12 credit hours and obtain a current grade point average of 3.50 or above.

- Haywood Community College



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## University of Tennessee offering scholarship

The University of Tennessee Graduate School at Knoxville will award one Yogi Crowe Scholarship recipient (graduate student accepted and in good standing) a \$15,000 fellowship for academic year 2017-2018.

Applicants for the fellowship must make a request in writing to the Yogi Crowe Memorial Scholarship Fund Board of Directors, P. O. Box 892, Cherokee, NC 28719 or email [jans\\_28719@yahoo.com](mailto:jans_28719@yahoo.com) by Saturday, July 1 to be considered. If more than one application is received, the Yogi Crowe Memorial Scholarship Fund Board of Directors will recommend a student to UT Graduate School to receive the fellowship.

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Info: Scholarship Fund board members: Dr. Reva Ballew, president 631-1350; Dr. Jennifer Thompson, vice president 507-5997; Mary Herr, secretary 497-9498; Tamitha Fourkiller, treasurer 497-7034; Dr. Carmaleta Monteith 497-2717; Sunshine Parker 506-1952; Jan Smith 507-1519; or Shannon Swimmer 736-3191.

- Yogi Crowe Memorial Scholarship

**ARRESTS:** CIPD report from page 11

### Long, Rayelita Dawn – age 25

Arrested: June 9 at 15:00

Released: June 11

Charges: Importing a Controlled Substance, Possession Schedule II Controlled Substance, Possession Drug Paraphernalia

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

### Ross, Cassandra Dawn – age 31

Arrested: June 9 at 12:00

Released: Not released as of June 12 report

Charges: Probation Violation

**Number of times in CIPD Detention: 5**

### Bradley, David Alvin – age 28

Arrested: June 10 at 15:00

Released: Not released as of June 12 report

Charges: Driving While License Revoked

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



### Hornbuckle, Stormi Aris-ta-Richelle – age 31

Arrested: June 10 at 05:01

Released: June 10

Charges: Simple Possession of Marijuana, Possession of Drug Paraphernalia, Child Abuse in the Second Degree

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

### Medford, Graham Ansel – age 25

Arrested: June 10 at 10:00

Released: Not released as of June 12 report

Charges: Failure to Appear on Misdemeanor

**Number of times in CIPD Detention: 6**

### Wahnetah, Carla Maria Ann – age 29

Arrested: June 10 at 03:58

Released: June 11

Charges: Breaking and Entering, Child Abuse in the Second Degree

**Number of times in CIPD Detention: 8**



### Welch, Charles Patrick – age 38

Arrested: June 10 at 14:01

Released: June 11

Charges: Failure to Appear on Misdemeanor

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

### Crow, Sarah Na-dean – age 38

Arrested: June 11 at 11:30

Released: June 11

Charges: Obscene Literature and Exhibitions

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

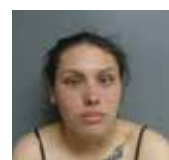
### Wilnoty, Megan Dawn – age 23

Arrested: June 11 at 11:37

Released: Not released as of June 12 report

Charges: Assault Government Official/Employee, Probation Violation

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



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### Facebook Weekly Question Responses

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

***Should the Eastern Band of Cherokee Indians seek professional assistance to construct a tribal constitution? The National Congress of American Indians has offered their help in the past.***

**Janet Conard:** In my person opinion, a tribal constitution should be drafted by the Cherokee elders and then perhaps have it reviewed by the National Congress of American Indians.

**Donald Johnson Sr.:** You need valuable help from somewhere.

**Lea Wolf:** No, we have the education to do this ourselves. We, as indigenous people, are unique. Our traditions and law should be implemented. My opinion is we do not need any type of western-style government or judiciary systems. They interpret the laws to fit their need when it contradicts what is in front of them. And, as we've seen here lately even in our own, Tribal Council laws are twisted to fit their needs. So, no outside opinions won't do us justice. I also need to add that there is already a constitution in existence that was disregarded in the 80s. A big part of the problem is we ourselves are our own enemy. And, just to be honest, we do need this. We do have unwritten laws, but those need to be brought into the light and

implemented as well.

**Connie Welch:** I agree with Lea Wolf. It should be written by members of the Tribe, not outsiders.

**Isabel Catolster:** It's been ongoing for decades. A lot of the elders did work on several, and they have passed away knowing nothing has been accomplished. So sad.

**Mary Long:** It looks like we need someone's help because it is taking too long. The elders can have input, but it needs to get done.

**Kathryn Queen:** The answer is an emphatic yes!

**Vincent Wesley:** Yes

**Carmen Flores:** Yes

**Cole Allison:** They need all the help they can get.

**Joseph Holland:** Just keep liberals out of it. They will give away everything you have.

**Christy Long:** Possibly retaining someone with working knowledge of Indian Country. Recruiting someone with an unbiased view seems difficult, obviously. I feel that transparency is key. I also feel that the establishment of the grounds for a constitutional change have

not been laid out in an open, honest, and consistent manner. Without a clear vision and basic understanding of our political history, sustainability and the opportunity to heal will be undermined by incompetency. How can anyone formulate anything meaningful without truth, and a clear context? Our history, no matter how deeply buried, is a missing link and has limited our social attitudes and productivity. Facilitate that.

**Mikell D. Dyer:** It doesn't matter if a rewrite is done at whatever costs if you don't follow what it says!

**Lee Goins:** Let the FBI do everything for you.

**Deborah Lambert:** Yes!

**Janene Cooper Lancaster:** Yes

**Wayne Kalonaheskie:** Well... it should! Get it into action. The Cherokee people need to quit stalling and repeating the debacle of what took place. Our own people not having a say-so as in the Grand Council incident is unsettling too...so, yes, every bit helps. Just get it done and set in stone.

**Terri Taylor:** Yes

**Sandi Owle:** Yes

**EBCI Election Board**  
**359-6361**

# HAPPENINGS

Event listings are free of charge. Send your event name, date and time, location, and contact info to scotmckie@nc-chokeee.com.

## Cultural Events

**14th Annual Kituwah Celebration.** **June 30** from 6-8pm at Kituwah Mound. Food, music, dance, celebration. Free to all.

**42nd Annual Eastern Band Cherokee Nation Pow Wow.** **June 30 – July 2** at Acquoni Expo Center in Cherokee. MC: Juaquin Hamilton. Host Northern: War-paint. Host Southern: MGD. Over \$60,000 in prize money. Dancer Registration: \$10, Drum Registration: \$50. Point system beings on Friday at grand entry. Visitor admission: \$12/day, cash only purchased at the event. Info: travel@nc-chokeee.com, (800) 438-1601

## Folkmoot Cherokee Amba-

**sador's Day. July 25** at 10am. The day includes visiting the Oconaluftee Indian Village, Qualla Arts & Crafts, and the Museum of the Cherokee Indians, as well as a catered lunch at the Cherokee Indian Fairgrounds. This will be followed by an all-group performance and cultural exchange at the Chief Joyce Dugan Cultural Arts Festival. The cost of this event is \$35-65. Groups of 20 or more receive a 20 percent discount. EBCI tribal members are admitted free. Info: Lisa Spring Wilnoty, Folkmoot Cherokee Programs coordinator, (828) 452-2997

## Fundraisers/Benefits

**Benefit Supper. June 16** at 6pm at Whittier United Methodist

Church. The proceeds are used for the many local outreach ministries in which the church is involved. The menu is potluck (meats, vegetables, and salad) and includes drinks and dessert. Cost: \$8. Info: Gloria Nolan 497-2393

**Turkey Shoots. June 17 and 24** at 5pm at Jess Welch's residence in the Big Cove Community. Good prizes, good food, and good fun. The June 17 event will be a benefit for Aaron Long sponsored by Maybelle Watty, and the June 24 event will be a benefit for the Ninja girls softball team sponsored by Ned Stamper. Info: Jess Welch 497-2434

**Show & Shine event. June 23-24** from 10am – 3pm daily at the

Cherokee Indian Fairgrounds. Car show, car wash, and silent auction all benefiting the Speak to the Mountain 2017 Divine Healing Crusade. Info: (727) 439-8010, www.speaktothemountain.net

## General Events

### Big Y upcoming events

- Community-wide litter pick-up. June 17. Build your own ice cream sundaes social from 9:30am – 12:30pm
- Pucker-toe moccasin class. June 24 from 11am – 4pm. This class is currently full, and a list has been started for July. Get your supply list for this class from Brianna Lambert or check the Big Y Facebook page.
- Big Y's 2nd Annual Fourth of July Celebration. July 1. BBQ and fireworks.

**Dance. June 17** at 7pm at Yellowhill Activity Center. Admission is \$6 per person. All proceeds benefit the Appalachian Community Dance Association. Free line dance lessons will be provided early at 6:30pm. Info: 788-0502

**Swain County Democratic Party meeting. June 20** at 6pm at Birdtown Gym. All are welcome. Agenda items include: Guest speaker Matt Coffay. Info: Gerri Grady 497-2442 or Brenda Donargo 488-1118

**Jackson County Democratic Party meeting. June 20** at 6:30pm at party headquarters on Mill St. in Sylva. The meeting is open to all Democrats. Frank C. Burrell, chair, will preside.

## Health and Sports Events

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## WNC FLY FISHING TRAIL WEEKLY FISHING REPORT

JUNE 12-18, 2017



WATERSHED	STOCKING	PRODUCTIVITY	ACTIVE SPECIES	HATCHES	FLY/BAIT
<b>Tuckaseige River</b>	Check flow releases for rising water levels.	Best mornings and evenings	Rainbow, Brook, Brown Trout, Smallmouth Bass	Midges, Blue Wing Olives, Light Cahill	Light Cahill, Midges, Woolly Buggers, Stonefly Nymphs, Streamers, Copper Johns, Hare's Ear, Minnow Patterns
<b>Chattooga &amp; Whitewater Rivers</b>	Not stocking, all wild brown trout and catch and release	Good all day	Rainbow and Brown Trout	Sulphurs, Yellow Sallies, Light Cahills	Stimulators, Parachute Adams, Light Cahill, Stone Fly Nymphs
<b>Inside GSMNP Oconaluftee River &amp; Small Streams</b>	Follow posted regulations-wild trout	Good all day	Rainbow, Brown, and Brook Trout	Sulphurs, Yellow Sallies, Light Cahills	Stimulators, Parachute Adams, Light Cahill, Stone Fly Nymphs, Elk Hair Caddis, Pheasant Tail Nymphs

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### BEST FISHING TIMES BASED ON THE LUNAR CYCLE

MONDAY, JUNE 12	TUESDAY, JUNE 13	WEDNESDAY, JUNE 14	THURSDAY, JUNE 15	FRIDAY, JUNE 16	SATURDAY, JUNE 17	SUNDAY, JUNE 18
GOOD	AVERAGE	AVERAGE	AVERAGE	AVERAGE+	AVERAGE	AVERAGE
3:43 AM-5:43 PM 4:07 PM-6:07 PM	4:31 AM-6:31 AM 4:55 AM-6:55 PM	5:19 AM-7:19 AM 5:43 PM-7:43 PM	6:06 AM-8:06 AM 6:30 PM-8:30 PM	6:53 AM-8:53 AM 7:17 PM-9:17 PM	7:41 AM-9:41 AM 8:05 PM-10:05 PM	8:30 AM-10:30 AM 8:55 PM-10:55 PM

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**Elder Abuse Awareness Walk on the Qualla Boundary. June 15** from 6-7pm at Tsali Manor Senior Citizen Center. Registration starts at 5pm. Info: Sherry Welch 359-6290

**Free Soccer Clinic. June 19-23** from 6-7:45pm nightly at Wolf-town Field. Open to boys and girls ages 5-15 who want to learn the game of soccer. No experience needed. Bring tennis shoes or cleats. There will also be a soccer coaching clinic this year. This clinic will be taught by professional, collegiate, and club-level soccer players from Atlanta and is sponsored by Mission to the World. Info: David Scott ga\_dscott@yahoo.com

**Ninjas Knockout Co-ed 3-on-3 Basketball Tournament. June**

**17** at 12pm at Painttown Gym. Registration deadline is June 16 at 10pm. This is a fundraiser to help the Ninjas 5th grade girls basketball team from Cherokee travel to the National Championship on June 29 – July 2. The Co-ed tournament costs \$50 per team, five players per team (one woman required on each team). Info: Laura 736-6566

**Cherokee Healing and Wellness Coalition. June 22** at 12pm at Agenlink Walkingstick Conference Room. Everyone is welcome to bring your lunch and join in the planning for new projects to promote wellness, recovery for adults, and substance abuse prevention programs focused on youth. Info: (828) 331-8688 or 497-9498

**Upcoming Pow Wows for**

**June 16-18**

*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.*

**26th Annual Grand Hinckley Celebration Pow Wow. June 16-18** at Grand Casino in Hinckley, Minn. Invited Drums: Pipestone, Whitefish Bay, The Boyz. Info: John Thompson (320) 384-4574, DThompson2@grcasinos.com

**47th Annual City of Roses Delta Park Pow Wow & Encampment. June 16-18** at East Delta Park in Portland, Ore. MC: Gilbert Brown. Info: Sande Bea Allman (503) 984-7303, uncibea@gmail.com

**Chief Joseph and Warriors Memorial Pow Wow. June 16-18** at Pi-Nee-Waus Community Center in Lapwai, Idaho. Info: Clendon Allen ilpiltuuynu@icloud.com

**Rainy River First Nations Pow Wow. June 16-18** at Manitou Rapids in Emo, Ontario, Canada. Emcees: Thomas Mason, Ron Indian-Mandamin. Host Drum: Manitou Rapids. Traditional Invited Drum: Buffalo Lodge. Info: Nicole Cochrane (807) 482-2479, n.cochrane@rrfns.com

**Twin Buttes Celebration. June 16-18** in Twin Buttes, ND. Emcees: Ruben Littlehead, Lawrence Baker, Charlie Moran. Info: Jessica Howling Wolf (701) 421-6173

**Osage River Pow Wow. June 17-**



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18. Tuscumbia Riverside Park in Tuscumbia, Mo. Info: Janet Dudley (573) 369-2710, oldjed@hughes.net

**Stephenson 5th Annual Family Pow Wow. June 17-18** at Wichita Tribal Dance Grounds in Anadarko, Okla. Emcees: Cy Ahtone, R.G. Harris. Head Southern Singer: Stephen Littlecook. Info: Punkin Stephenson (405) 933-0334 or Goatie Nelson (605) 200-0219

**36th Annual Plains Indian Museum Pow Wow. June 17-18** at Center of the West's Robbie Pow Wow in Cody, Wyo. Info: Hunter Old Elk (307) 578-4012, hunter0@centerofthewest.org

### Community Club Meetings

**Big Y Community Club** meets the second Tuesday of each month at 6pm at the Big Y Community Building. For information on renting the building for your special occasion, call Bunsey Crowe, president, 497-6339 or 788-4879. Rent is \$60/day for gym and community room with \$25 returnable clean-up fee.

**Big Cove Community Club** meets the first Tuesday of every month at 7pm at the Big Cove Rec. Center. Info: Chairman Butch Hill 497-7309, Vice Chairman Joe Red Cloud 269-6130, Secretary Lavita Hill 736-3126, or Treasurer Lisa Hardesty 788-1646

**Birdtown Community Club** meets the last Thursday of each month at 6pm at the Birdtown

Community Building. Potluck starts at 5:30pm, meeting starts at 6pm. To reserve the building for your special occasion, call Faye McCoy, treasurer, 226-5194 (\$50 fee with \$20 key deposit).

**Paint Town Community Club** meets the last Monday of each month at 5:30pm at the new Paint-town Gym. Info: 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. Info: Roger Smoker, chairman, (828) 479-8678 or (828) 361-3278, rogersmoker@yahoo.com

**Wolfstown Community Club** meets the first Tuesday of each month at 7pm at the Wolfstown Community Club Building. Info: Tuff Jackson, chairman, 788-4088

**Yellowhill Community Club** meets the first Tuesday of every month unless it's a holiday. If anybody would like to teach an art or craft call Reuben 497-2043 to be scheduled.

### Community Groups

**Big Y Archery Club** meets every Tuesday at 7:30pm at the Big Y Community Club Building. Indoor targets and 3D game targets available. This is free of charge to all and everyone is welcome. Instruction is available.

### Support Groups/Meetings

**Cherokee Diabetes Support Group.** This group, for community members with diabetes or pre-diabetes and their family and friends, meets at the Cherokee Indian Hospital Demonstration Kitchen on the first Tuesday of each month from 4:30-5:30pm. Info: Nilofer Couture, MPH, RD, LDN, CDE, 497-9163 ext. 6459 or Nilofer.Couture@cherokeehospital.org

**AA and NA meetings in Cherokee.** 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

### Analenisgi Recovery Center weekly class schedule

**Monday:** Community Culture 11:15am – 12:30pm; Stressed No More 2-3pm; Nar-Anon 6-7pm (1st and 3rd Mondays); CoDA 6-7pm (2nd and 4th Mondays)  
**Tuesday:** Recovery Thru Art 8:45-9:45am; Healthy Relationships 11am – 12pm; Employment Workshop Series 11am – 12pm (2nd Tuesday); Family Support Skills 1-2pm; Surviving Emotions 2-3pm  
**Wednesday:** Managing "Mon-

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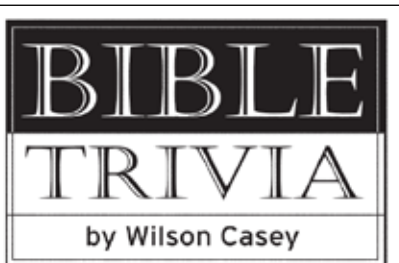
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1. Is the book of Ecclesiastes in the Old or New Testament or neither?
2. Which book could be summarized, "God will hold us accountable for all our actions"? *Daniel, Hosea, Zephaniah, Haggai*
3. From Genesis 28, who had the vision of angels going up and down a ladder reaching into heaven? *Joseph, Ahab, Ehud, Jacob*
4. What does Paul say is the supreme gift of the Spirit to believers? *Faith, Love, Holiness, Eternity*
5. From Genesis 19, where did Lot encounter an angel? *Wilderness spring, City gate, New temple, Tent door*
6. Where did Jesus turn water into wine? *Bethany, Nazareth, Cana, Gethsemane*

ANSWERS: (1) Old; (2) Zephaniah; (3) Jacob; (4) Love; (5) City gate; (6) Cana  
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key Mind” 10-11am; Recovery is Happening Now 11am – 12pm; My Self, My Boundaries 2-3:30pm; Family Support Skills 5-6pm; HIV/AIDS/Hep C Support Group 5:45-6:45pm (2nd and 4th Wednesdays)

**Thursday:** Life Recovery Bible Class 9-10am; Connections with Brene’ Brown 10-11am; Managing “Monkey Mind” 11am – 12pm; Improve Self-Esteem 1-2:30pm

**Friday:** Recovery Thur Art 9:30-11am and 11am – 12pm; Cherokee Language Class 1-2:30pm  
Info: 497-9163 ext. 7550

**CIHA Bariatric Support Groups** meet every second Thursday of the month at Snowbird Clinic from 11am – 12pm (Chrystal Frank) and every second Thursday of the month at Cherokee Indian Hospital from 12-1pm (Nilofer Couture)

and 4:30-5:30pm (Linda Johnson). Groups are led by registered dietitians. Info: CIHA Nutrition Dept. 497-9163 ext. 6459

**Cherokee Cancer Support**

**Group** meets the first Thursday of each month at Betty’s Place at 40 Goose Creek Road. A pot luck is held at 5:30pm, and the meeting is open to all. Betty’s Place is also open Monday – Friday 10am – 2pm and provides counseling and support services to cancer patients that may include supplies, travel, and meals. Info: 497-0788

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JUNE 15, 2017

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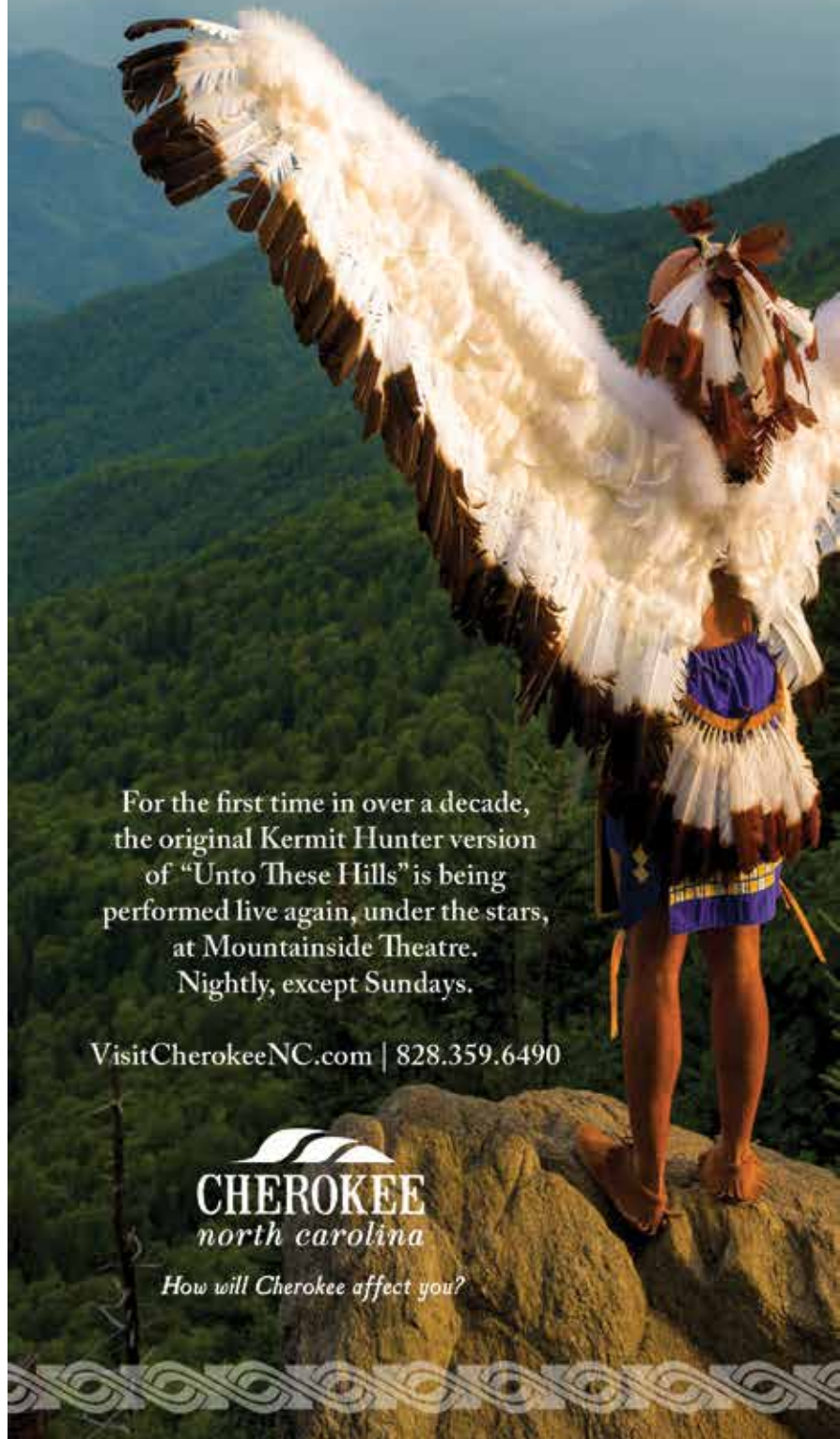
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## YARD SALES

Yard Sale – Saturday, June 10 from 9am – 12pm at Tsali Care

Center, 55 Echota Church Road. Children's clothing, children's toys, adult clothing, knick-knacks, accessories, sno-cones.

## WANTED

Bearmeat's Indian Den - I am needing wood carving of animals and masks. They have to be of good quality. Bring them by and let me see what you have carved. Call first 497-4052 or if you have any older masks, I'd like to see them also. 6/15

## REALTY

### Proposed Land Transfers

Jessica Lynn Bernett to Andrew Joseph Bryant, for 3200 Acre Tract

Community Parcel No. 176-A (Part of Parcel No. 176), containing 0.893 Acres, more or less, together with all improvements located thereon.

James Allan Tooni to Annie Wolfe James, for Big Cove Community Parcel No. 95, containing 0.76 Acre, more or less, together with all improvements located thereon.

Jacqueline Elite Pheasant to James Henry Bradley and Alicia Colleene Pheasant Bradley, for Big Cove Community Parcel No. 517 (Part of Parcel No. 169), containing 0.785 Acres, more or less, together with all improvements located thereon.

Madge Rosella Hord Hearon to Martha Anne Brown Hernandez, for Cherokee County Parcel No. 196-S, containing 4.195 Acres, more or less, together with all improvements located thereon.

Eastern Band of Cherokee Indians to Lance Adam Lane, for Cherokee County Community Parcel No. 196-M (Part of Parcel No. 196-J), containing 1.000 Acres, more or less, together with all improvements located thereon.

### Proposed Quit Claims

Gaynell Crowe Trejo, Lisa Jo Crowe Cucumber and Delores Fay Crowe Bird to Charles Kenneth Crowe, for Upper Cherokee Community Parcel No. 334-B, containing 1.567 Acres, more or less.

Sharon Elizabeth Bradley, Judson Gregory Bradley, Glenn Joseph Bradley and Susan Bradley Jones to Helena Ann Bradley Lipscomb, for Wolfetown Community Parcel No. 676 (Part of Parcel No. 356), containing 1.532 Acres, more or less.

**CHEROKEE LIFE RECREATION  
SPECIAL NEEDS INITIATIVE**

**Every THURSDAY  
JUNE 15 to AUG 3**

**Cherokee Life Recreation** is now offering a new program for any special needs individual interested in staying active, meeting new people, and having fun.

The activities provided will help develop motor skills. Balance, coordination, and body strength will be the primary focus when selecting activities.

**8 Weeks**  
**Every Thursday from 5:30-7:30**  
**2 hours of Physical Activity**  
**No distractions!**  
**Activities and games such as walk/run, bean bag toss, and an obstacle course!**

**BIG Y REC CENTER**  
2641 Wrights Creek Rd  
(828) 497-9649  
M-Th 7:45am - 9pm  
F 7:45am - 4:30pm



# Cherokee Boys Club Job Announcements



Cherokee Boys Club P.O. Box 507  
Cherokee, NC 28719

**Part-Time Mowers**  
(Mowing and Trimming Crew)

**Lead Teacher**  
(Agelink)

**Teacher's Aide**  
(Agelink)

**Opening Date:** June 9, 2017  
**Closing Date:** June 23, 2017

Application and job description can be picked up from the Receptionist at the Boys Club 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. *The Cherokee Boys Club reserves the right to extend position closing dates or readvertise positions without notice.*

# EASTERN BAND OF CHEROKEE INDIANS



For deadlines and applications call 554-6388. Indian Preference does apply. A current job application must be submitted. Resumes will not be accepted in lieu of a Tribal application.

## POSITIONS OPEN

*\*Please attach all required documents\**  
*\*eg: Driver's license, Enrollment, Diplomas, Certificates\**

**Closing Friday, June 23, 2017**

1. Cook - Senior Services - Snowbird/Cherokee Co. Services (\$23,616 - \$29,520)
2. Housekeeper I-Light Duty (X 3) - Housekeeping - Administration (\$21,484 - \$26,855)
3. Housekeeper II-Heavy Duty (X 4) - Housekeeping - Administration (\$23,616 - \$29,520)
4. Education & Training Manager - Education & Training - Education (\$53,792 - \$67,240)
5. Director of Youth & Adult Education - Education & Training - Education (\$70,192 - \$87,740)
6. Health Manager - Qualla Boundary HS/EHS - PHHS (\$45,018 - \$56,273)
7. Carpenter - Facility Management - TCP/Road Maintenance (\$31,078 - \$38,848)
8. Accounts Payable Processor I - Higher Education & Training - CERS (\$23,616 - \$29,520)
9. Construction Manager - Qualla Housing Authority - Housing (\$58,794 - \$73,493)
10. Education Program Specialist - Higher Education & Training - CERS (\$31,078 - \$38,848)
11. Mechanic - Qualla Housing Authority - Housing (\$31,078 - \$38,848)
12. Administrative Assistant - Qualla Housing Authority - Housing (\$31,078 - \$38,848)
13. Carpenter Helper (X 2) - Qualla Housing Authority - Housing (\$23,616 - \$29,520)
14. Recreation Coordinator - Senior Citizens - PHHS (\$28,372 - \$35,465)
15. Painter - Qualla Housing Authority - Housing (\$28,372 - \$35,465)
16. Carpenter Crew Leader - Qualla Housing Authority - Housing (\$37,474 - \$46,843)
17. HR Program Service Coordinator - Qualla Housing Authority - Housing (\$37,474 - \$46,843)
18. Licensed Plumber Supervisor - Qualla Housing Authority - Housing (\$41,082 - \$51,353)
19. Surveyor I - GIS/Surveying - Realty Services (\$49,200 - \$61,500)
20. Homeowner/Rental Occupancy Specialist - Qualla Housing Authority - Housing (\$34,112 - \$42,640)
21. GIS Land Record Tech (X 3) - GIS/Surveying - Realty Services (\$45,018 - \$56,273)
22. GIS Mapping Tech (X 2) - GIS/Surveying - Realty Services (\$34,112 - \$42,640)
23. Administrative Assistant - GIS/Surveying - Realty Services (\$31,078 - \$38,848)
24. Accounting Coordinator II - Finance - Treasury (\$41,082 - \$51,353)
25. Income Maintenance Eligibility Specialist - Eligibility Services - PHHS (\$34,112 - \$42,640)
26. Historic Preservation Specialist - Tribal Historic Preservation Office - Administration (\$45,018 - \$56,273)
27. Lead Environmental Lab Technician - Natural Resources - Agriculture & Farming (\$34,112 - \$42,640)

**Closing Friday, June 16, 2017 (EXTENDED)**

1. Library Aide - Snowbird Community Library - Snowbird & Cherokee Co. Services (\$23,616 - \$29,520)
2. Security Life Technician I (Re-Advertisement) - Security & Surveillance - Executive (\$34,112 - \$42,640)
3. Security Life Technician II (Re-Advertisement) - Security & Surveillance - Executive (\$37,474 - \$46,843)
4. Recreation Supervisor - Cherokee Life Recreation - CERS (\$31,078 - \$38,848)
5. Senior Games Coordinator - Cherokee Life Recreation - CERS (\$34,112 - \$42,640)

**Open Until Filled - PHHS**

1. Family Safety Program Manager - Family Safety - PHHS (\$64,206 - \$80,238)
2. Family Safety Social Worker (X 6) - Family Safety - PHHS (\$41,082 - \$51,353)
3. Domestic Violence Program Manager - Domestic Violence - PHHS (\$45,018 - \$56,273)
4. Social Worker - Tsali Care Center - PHHS (\$41,082 - \$51,353)
5. RN Supervisor - Tsali Care Center - PHHS (\$49,200 - \$61,500)
6. C.N.A. (10 positions) - Tsali Care Center - PHHS (23,616 - \$29,520)
7. C.N.A. - Part-time (1 position) - Tsali Care Center - PHHS (23,616 - \$29,520)
8. C.N.A. (3 positions) - Home Health (\$23,616 - \$29,520)
9. Family Safety Grant Coordinator - Family Safety (\$34,112 - \$42,640)
10. RN - Tsali Care Center (\$45,018 - \$56,273)
11. Cook Aide - Tsali Care Center (\$19,598 - \$24,498)
12. Teacher Assistant - Dora Reed Center/QBHS/EHS (\$21,484 - \$26,855)
13. Teacher - Dora Reed Center/QBHS/EHS (\$28,372 - \$35,465)
14. Recreation Coordinator - Senior Citizens - PHHS (\$28,372 - \$35,465)

**Open Until Filled - All others**

1. Detention Officer - Detention Services (\$31,078 - \$38,848)
2. Shift Sergeant - Police Dept. - Public Safety (\$45,018 - \$56,273)
3. School Resource Officer - Police Department - Public Safety (\$34,112 - \$42,640)
4. Patrol Officer - Police Department - Public Safety (\$34,112 - \$42,640)
5. Associate Attorney General III - Civil Law (\$76,670 - \$95,838)
6. Network Administrator - Broadband (\$41,082 - \$51,353)
7. Part Time - Paramedic - Tribal EMS (\$34,112 - \$42,640)
8. Full Time - Paramedic - Tribal EMS (\$34,112 - \$42,640)
9. Corrections Officer (X 2) - Corrections - Public Safety (\$34,112 - \$42,640)
10. Natural Resource Enforcement Officer (X 9) - NRE - Public Safety (\$31,078 - \$38,848)
11. Education Supervisor - CYC - Education (\$31,078 - \$38,848)
12. Recreation Aide Part-Time (X 2) - Cherokee Life Program - Education (\$21,484 - \$26,855)
13. Elementary Immersion Instructor (X2) - Kinawah Academy - CERS (\$31,078 - \$38,848)
14. Finance & Investment Analyst - Financial Assets - Treasury (\$41,082 - \$51,353)



## TWO DECADES OF TURNING JOBS INTO CAREERS.

*"I've been employed with Harrah's Cherokee for 20 years and cannot imagine myself working anywhere else!"*  
- Regina (Employed by Harrah's Cherokee Casino Resort for 20 years)

- HARRAH'S CHEROKEE CASINO RESORT**
- Bar Helper \*\$500 HIRING BONUS
  - Bartender
  - Cage Cashier
  - Casino Cocktail Server (FT) \*\$500 HIRING BONUS
  - Chef Stage Buffet Service Person (PT)
  - Cleaning Specialist (PT/FT)
  - Cook I & Cook II (FT) \*\$400 HIRING BONUS
  - Drop Count Staff \*\$500 HIRING BONUS
  - Dual Rate Table Games Service Supervisor - Experienced (FT)
  - EMT/Security Officer
  - Engineering Tech in Development
  - F&B Cashier
  - Food Runner - Food Court
  - Gaming Host (PT & Temp/Seasonal)
  - Laundry Attendant (PT)
  - Poker Dealer - Experienced (PT)
  - Rooms Attendant (FT/PT)
  - Sales Associate (FT)
  - Security Officer

- HARRAH'S CHEROKEE VALLEY RIVER CASINO**
- Bar Porter (PT)
  - Barista (PT)
  - Casino Cocktail Servers (PT)
  - Casino Services Representative (PT)
  - Cleaning Specialist (PT)
  - Cook I (PT)
  - Diamond Lounge Host (PT)
  - Food Market Cashier (PT)
  - Room Attendants (PT)
  - Stewards (PT)
  - Table Games Dealers (FT)
  - Valet Parker (PT)
  - Steward
  - Table Games Dealer - Experienced (FT & PT)
  - Table Games Dealer Training School (PT)
  - Table Games Service Supervisor - Experienced (FT)
  - Valet Parker (PT)
  - Valet Parking Clerk

Visit **HARRAHSCHEROKEEJOBS.COM** or call **828.497.8778** for a complete listing of jobs.  
\*Eligibility restrictions do apply for hiring bonus positions. Please see Talent Acquisition Department for details.



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 RIAH hair/drug test and undergo an investigation by Tribal Gaming Commission. Preference for Tribal members. This property is owned by the Eastern Band of Cherokee Indians, managed by Caesars Entertainment. The Talent Acquisition Department accepts applications Mon. - Thur. from 8am - 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.

Scan this code to connect with us instantly by using Facebook Messenger!

Download Applications & Job Descriptions  
<https://ebci.com>

## EMPLOYMENT

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

Housekeeper

Applications and job descriptions are available at the Cherokee Indian Hospital Human Resources Office, Monday – Friday from 8:00am - 4:00pm. For more information please call (828) 497-9163 and ask for Sheila Brown, Sarella Jackson, Chantelle Smith or Elle Bradley. These positions will close on June 15, 2017@ 4:00pm. Indian preference does apply and the original CIHA job application must be submitted. Resumes will not be accepted in lieu of CIHA application. **6/15pd**

## LEGAL NOTICES

Eastern Band of Cherokee Indians  
Cherokee, North Carolina  
Estate File No. EST 11-033

### **In the Matter of the Estate of Mary Hazel Lambert**

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: 90 DAYS  
FROMDATE OF FIRST PUBLICATION  
Pamela Lambert, P.O. Box 433, Whittier, NC 28789. **6/15pd**

Eastern Band of Cherokee Indians  
Cherokee, North Carolina  
Estate File No. EST 11-032

### **In the Matter of the Estate of Thomas Jay McCoy**

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: 90 DAYS  
FROMDATE OF FIRST PUBLICATION  
Jayson Crusenberry, P.O. Box 394,  
Cherokee, NC 28719. **6/15pd**

Eastern Band of Cherokee Indians  
Cherokee, North Carolina  
Estate File No. EST 11-030

### **In the Matter of the Estate of Wilbur Long**

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: 90 DAYS  
FROMDATE OF FIRST PUBLICATION  
Garfield Long Sr., 506 Long Branch Rd., Cherokee, NC 28719. **6/15pd**

Eastern Band of Cherokee Indians  
Cherokee, North Carolina  
Estate File No. EST 11-031

### **In the Matter of the Estate of Waneema Littlejohn Driver**

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: 90 DAYS  
FROMDATE OF FIRST PUBLICATION

Eugenie Saunooke, P.O. Box 2415,  
Cherokee, NC 28719. **6/15pd**

In the Cherokee Court  
Eastern Band of Cherokee Indians  
Cherokee, Qualla Boundary, North  
Carolina

### **Notice of Service of Process by Publication CV-16-368**

Tribal Child Support Enforcement;  
o/b/o Muriel M. Morgan, plaintiff  
Vs Rebecca Lynn Jenkins, defendant  
TO: Rebecca Lynn Jenkins, 59 Rock Hill Church Road, Whittier, North Carolina 28789 (last known address)

PLEASE TAKE NOTICE that a pleading seeking relief against you has been filed in the above entitled action. The nature of the relief being sought is as follows: Establishment of child support

You are required to make defense



### STAFF OPPORTUNITIES AVAILABLE

Wireless Networking Specialist  
Housekeeper 2nd Shift  
Support Services Specialist – Book and Supply Store  
Director of Intercultural Affairs  
Director Ramsey Activity Center / Coordinator University Events

### FACULTY OPPORTUNITIES AVAILABLE

Visiting Assistant Professor (*Engineering, Chemistry & Physics, Musical Theatre*)  
Lecturer – Communications  
Assistant Professor (*Parks & Recreation Management, Nursing, Computer Science, Psychology, Social Work, Web Development Librarian*)

VISIT [JOBS.WCU.EDU](http://JOBS.WCU.EDU) FOR DETAILS AND TO APPLY

An Equal Opportunity/Access/Affirmative Action/Pro Disabled & Veteran Employer.  
Persons with disabilities requiring accommodations in the application and interview process please call 828.227.7218 or email at [jobs@email.wcu.edu](mailto:jobs@email.wcu.edu).



Tri-County Community College is currently accepting applications for the following positions:

Spa Services Coordinator/Instructor –  
Cosmetology (Full-time)

Nursing Instructor (Full-time)

Controller (Full-time)

Complete position announcements can be viewed on the college website: [www.tricountycc.edu](http://www.tricountycc.edu). For information on the application process and application deadline contact the Human Resources Office at Tri-County Community College, 21 Campus Circle, Murphy, NC 28906. Phone: (828) 835-4201 or e mail: [humanresources@tricountycc.edu](mailto:humanresources@tricountycc.edu).

Equal Opportunity Employer

to such pleading not later than 10 July 2017, and upon your failure to do so, the party seeking service against you will apply to the Court for the relief sought.

This the 31st day of May 2017.  
COLLINS & HENRY, P.A., JOSPEPH M. COLLINS, Attorney for the Plaintiff,  
217 Iotla Street, Franklin, North Carolina 28734. (828) 524-0017.

**6/15pd**

In the Cherokee Court  
Eastern Band of Cherokee Indians  
Cherokee, Qualla Boundary, North Carolina

**Notice of Service of Process  
by Publication  
CV-16-404**

Tribal Child Support Enforcement;  
o/b/o Antonio Sanchez, plaintiff  
Vs Rebecca Lynn Jenkins, defendant  
TO: Rebecca Lynn Jenkins, 59 Rock

Hill Church Road, Whittier, North Carolina 28789 (last known address)

PLEASE TAKE NOTICE that a pleading seeking relief against you has been filed in the above entitled action. The nature of the relief being sought is as follows: Establishment of child support

You are required to make defense to such pleading not later than 10 July 2017, and upon your failure to do so, the party seeking service against you will apply to the Court for the relief sought.

This the 31st day of May 2017.  
COLLINS & HENRY, P.A., JOSPEPH M. COLLINS, Attorney for the Plaintiff,  
217 Iotla Street, Franklin, North Carolina 28734. (828) 524-0017.

**6/15pd**

Eastern Band of Cherokee Indians  
Cherokee, North Carolina

Estate File No. EST 17-021

**In the Matter of the Estate of  
Priscilla S Cooper**

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: 90 DAYS  
FROM DATE OF FIRST PUBLICATION  
Lawana Cooper Almond, P.O. Box 546, Cherokee, NC 28719. **6/22pd**

Eastern Band of Cherokee Indians  
Cherokee, North Carolina  
Estate File No. EST 17-035

**In the Matter of the Estate of  
Lex Owl**

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: 90 DAYS  
FROM DATE OF FIRST PUBLICATION  
Barbara T. Owl, P.O. Box 852, Murphy, NC. **7/6pd**

Eastern Band of Cherokee Indians  
Cherokee, North Carolina  
Estate File No. EST 17-036

**In the Matter of the Estate of  
Richard Terry Reed**

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: 90 DAYS  
FROM DATE OF FIRST PUBLICATION  
Kimberly Crowe, 149 John Crowe Road, Cherokee, NC 28719. **7/6pd**

Eastern Band of Cherokee Indians  
Cherokee, North Carolina  
Estate File No. EST 17-029

**In the Matter of the Estate of  
Kina Elaine Lossiah**

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: 90 DAYS  
FROM DATE OF FIRST PUBLICATION  
Lizzie Poe, P.O. Box 1020, Cherokee, NC 28719. **7/6pd**

**There are personal items that are currently being held in the property room at the Cherokee Indian Police Department.** As of today, May 10, 2017 you have 60 days to contact our evidence personnel at 828-359-6609 or 828-359-6618. After July 12, 2017 any property not picked up will be destroyed or turned over to the Cherokee Indian Police Department.

Evidence personnel will arrange a date and time with you to collect your property. They will also instruct you on necessary documents to bring in order for the property to be turned over to you.

The following need to contact our evidence personnel: Bryan E. Shell, Azrael Watty, Bradley Dale Waycaster, Charlie Reed, Jose Morales, Jody Brown, Cynthia Diane McSparan, Dennie Ervin Jackson, Candido Martinez, Ryan N. Smith, Brandon

see **LEGALS** next page

# THANK YOU WOLFTOWN and BIG Y

I want to thank all of the people in the Wolfstown and Big Y communities who came out to vote in the primary election. Thank you to all of those who have supported me in this Primary Election and throughout my terms as Council Member and as Your Tribal Council Chairman, and I look forward to your continued support. There are many of you who I didn't get to sit down and talk to and visit with before the Primary, but I'm going to make it a point to get out and talk to as many of you as I can before the General Election. It's very important that I hear your issues and concerns. I truly care about the people in the Wolfstown and Big Y communities and all of our Tribal Members. I will continue to work for the betterment of all of our enrolled members whether it is in Washington, DC or in Raleigh or with my continued work with Indian Country as a whole. I want to congratulate all of those who campaigned for office and to all of those candidates who move on to the General Election. I would also like to thank the poll workers who put in a long days work to make sure our Election went smoothly.



Thank You,  
**Dennis Edward (Bill) Taylor**

Paid for by Candidate

Waldroup, Owen Randall Pheasant, Larry Ward, Dawn Dee Davis, Ursula Huskey, Tracy Weir, Sarah Marie Thompson, Dwanna Parker, Joel Daniel Toineeta, Ben Swimmer, William Joseph Brady, Reggie Queen, Zachariah Lightening Rattler Jr., Cory Matthew Davis, Justin M. Arch, David Hornbuckle, Allen E. McCoy, Dusty Lyn Jones, Adam Chris Lambert, Kenneth Lee Brooks, Steven Daniel Bird, Joseph William Leavell, Jeffery D. Catt, Jacob Jackson Ivey, Nikki Lambert, Benny Lee Welch, Moses Lossiah, Dustin Tramper, Shira McCoy, Zachariah Gale Rattler, Angelic Isom, Brian William Armachain, Franklin George Sanger, Callie May Biddix, Leanna Marie, Winchester, Vicky Jo Channell, Annie Young, Brandy Sherrie Dupuis, Moses Reed, Elbert Parris, Calvin Murphy, Jason Smith's (Mary Jackson

Smith), Rueben Teesatuskie, Hunter Rattler, Doris Ann Snow, Tessa Dawn Jagnandn, Julie A. Smith, Keonta Ardrey, Megan Wilnoty, Raymond Joseph Burle III, Dazi Buchanan, Angelica L. Lumpkins, Eddie Bird, Kenneth James Huffstetler, Amy Matthews, Terrie Fuller, John Taylor Sr., Christina Yvonne Davis, Robin or Jimmy Locust, Bryan James Lilly, Jerry Donald Justice, Keith Martinez Jr., Furman Jason Roberts, Matthew Watty, Cecelia Bigwitch, Amanda Ray Thompson, Charles Shippe, Hannah Roxanne Johnson/Reed, Marilyn Swimmer, Joshua Waren McDowell, B. Jay Bigwitch, Tracy Parker, Tracy Parker or Jason Dyer. **7/6**

**BIDs, RFPs, etc.**

**Request for Proposals**

The Cherokee Tribal Court seeks

competitive proposals for a Certified Transcriptionist on an as-needed basis. These services will be paid on a contractual basis as needed by the Cherokee Tribal Court.

Interested individuals should submit a brief proposal including the following:

- Name and contact information.
- Copies of certificates.
- Relevant work experience.
- The amount the individual proposes to charge the Cherokee Tribal Court per page or any other charges the individual may foresee charging.

Proposals may be submitted at any time, but those received on or before June 30, 2017 will receive priority over later submissions. Please email, mail or fax to:

Amber Shuler, Court Administrator  
ambeshul@nc-chokeee.com  
PO Box 1629  
Cherokee, NC 28719  
(828)359-0012 (fax)

This is a solicitation of proposals and not an offer to contract. The Cherokee Tribal Court reserves the right to decline any proposals received. **6/29pd**

**Request for Proposals**

The Cherokee Court is now taking applications for one (1) part-time Magistrate. This position will substitute for the full time magistrates at the Cherokee Courts while the magistrate is on leave status. This magistrate will also be guaranteed eight (8) hours per week. Familiarity

with the Cherokee community and with a court system (state, federal, or tribal) is preferred. Ability to work with the public and handle conflicts is required. Following training, this position will have full authority to make all magistrate related decisions, including issuing warrants and subpoenas, and other duties as assigned by the Chief Justice.

Education and experience: Requires any combination of at least four (4) years practical work experience or education in a legal or law enforcement related field. Position will require both in-office and on-call performance of duties.

Qualified candidates must be willing to submit to drug testing and background checks.

Interested individuals should submit the following:

- Name and Contact Information
- Relevant Work Experience
- Copies of Certificates

Proposals may be submitted at any time, but those received on or before July 7, 2017 will receive priority over later submissions. Please email, mail or fax to:

Amber Shuler, Court Administrator  
ambeshul@nc-chokeee.com  
PO Box 1629  
Cherokee, NC 28719  
(828)359-0012 (fax)

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**Cherokee Central Schools Position Openings**

- **Middle School Nurse** - RN preferred; but will consider an LPN.
- **Middle School Computer Teacher** - NC Teaching license required.
- **Elementary Teacher K-5 (Multiple Positions)** - NC Teaching license required.
- **High School English Teacher** - NC Teaching license required.
- **Pre-K Teacher** - NC Teaching license required in Birth-Kg.
- **Pre-K Teacher Assistant**- Requires Associate's degree or 48 completed semester hours of study at an institute of higher education.
- **Security (Part-Time)** - Require HS diploma or GED.
- **SPED Teacher Assistant (2 positions)** - Requires Associate's degree or 48 completed semester hours of study at an institute of higher education.
- **Special Education Teacher K-12** - NC Teaching license required.

*Applicants who have retired from EBCI or other affiliated entities must wait a period of 6 months before applying for employment. Applicants who have accepted the Early Retirement Incentive Plan (ERIP) from EBCI or affiliated entity must wait 3 years before applying for employment.*

**APPLY ONLINE at:**  
<https://phl.applitrack.com/chokeeecentral/onlineapp/>  
or visit [www.ccs-nc.org](http://www.ccs-nc.org) for more information.

*2017 Cherokee Indian Fair Theme*  
**“One Nation, One Community,  
Always United”**

# Cherokee Tribal Bingo Job Announcements

**ANNOUNCEMENT DATE: June 14, 2017**  
**CLOSING DATE: June 21, 2017 at 4:00pm**

**NAME OF POSITION: Full Time Concession Attendant**  
**NUMBER OF POSITIONS: 1; SHIFT: Evening**

**SUMMARY OF JOB:** Presents a professional appearance. Proven communication and interpersonal skills. Enjoys working around people. Must be able to oversee concession area. Strong communication skills. Ability to coordinate multiple tasks simultaneously. Most importantly, demonstrate confidentiality. One year experience preferred. Must obtain a valid NC Drivers License and High School Diploma or GED.

**NAME OF POSITION: Custodian**

**NUMBER OF POSITIONS: 1; 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.

**NAME OF POSITION: Full Time Floor Attendant**

**NUMBER OF POSITIONS: 1; SHIFT: Evening**

**SUMMARY OF JOB:** 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 experience preferred. Must obtain a valid NC Drivers License and High School Diploma or GED.

**NAME OF POSITION: Part Time Cashier**

**NUMBER OF POSITIONS: 2; SHIFT: Evening**

**SUMMARY OF JOB:** 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 cashier/cash handling experience required. Must obtain a valid NC Drivers License and High School Diploma or GED.

**NAME OF POSITION: Part Time Floor Attendant**

**NUMBER OF POSITIONS: 2; SHIFT: Evening**

**SUMMARY OF JOB:** 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 experience preferred. Must obtain a valid NC Drivers License and High School Diploma or GED.

**NAME OF POSITION: Part Time Security Guard**

**NUMBER OF POSITIONS: 1; SHIFT: Evening**

**SUMMARY OF JOB:** 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 security guard experience required. Must obtain a valid NC Drivers License and High School Diploma or GED.

THE TRIBAL BINGO ENTERPRISE, AN ENTERPRISE CREATED BY THE EASTERN BAND OF CHEROKEE INDIANS, RESERVES THE RIGHT TO REJECT ANY AND ALL APPLICANTS AND EMPLOYMENT IS SUBJECT TO THOSE TERMS WHICH THE TRIBAL BINGO ENTERPRISE DEEM APPROPRIATE. PREFERENCE WILL BE GIVEN TO QUALIFIED MEMBERS OF THE EASTERN BAND OF CHEROKEE INDIANS. Applications and a complete job description may be picked up at the Tribal Bingo Hall and returned to April Bradley.



**Duke's Animal Haven, Inc.**

Waynesville

828-734-0267

[dukesanimalhaven.org](http://dukesanimalhaven.org)

**Cashiers-Highlands**

**Human Society**

Cashiers

828-743-5752

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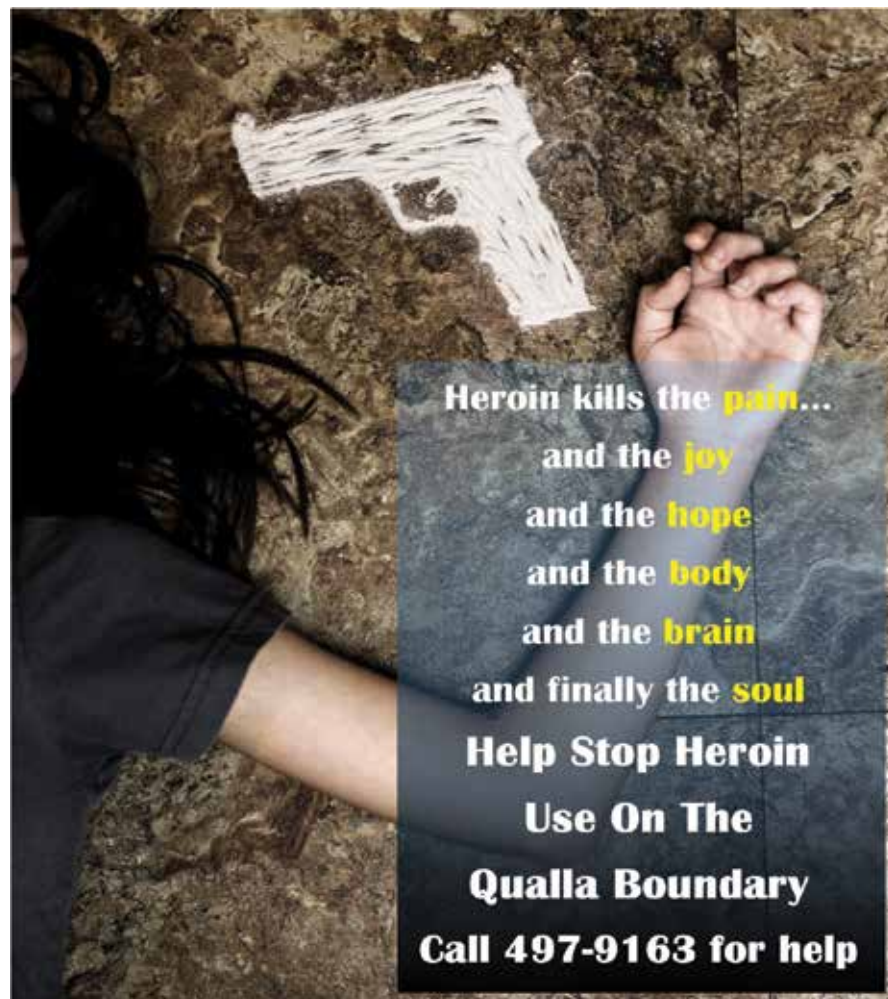
**Brother Wolf**

**Animal Rescue**

Asheville

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[bwar.org](http://bwar.org)



Heroin kills the **pain...**

and the **joy**

and the **hope**

and the **body**

and the **brain**

and finally the **soul**

**Help Stop Heroin**

**Use On The**

**Qualla Boundary**

**Call 497-9163 for help**

**Three Nights**  
**Six Communities**  
**Twelve seats**  
**One Nation**

Hosted by:  Cherokee  
One Feather

**Chief Joyce Dugan Cultural Arts Center**

**Thursday, July 13:** Big Cove, Birdtown

**Thursday, July 20:** Cherokee Co./Snowbird,  
Painttown

**Thursday, July 27:** Wofltown, Yellowhill

Each night will start at 5pm

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LANGUAGE

