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EBCI Beloved Man opens N.C. Senate

RALEIGH - EBCI Beloved Man Jerry Wolfe delivered the opening prayer in the Cherokee language at the North Carolina Senate session in Raleigh on Thursday, June 19.

Wolfe, 89, was named a Beloved Man by the Tribal Council in April 2013, an honor which has not been bestowed by the Eastern Band in more than 200 years. He is a fluent speaker of the Cherokee language and a tribal traditionalist steeped in the knowledge of tribal history and culture. Widely recognized for his service to the Tribe, Wolfe is a Navy veteran who was aboard a ship both during the D-Day invasion at Normandy and the Japanese surrender that ended World War II.

He has received numerous honors over the years for his cultural knowledge including the North Carolina Folk Heritage Award in 2003 and the Brown-Hudson Folklore Award from the North Carolina Folklore Society in 2010.

"Jerry Wolfe is a well-respected and tremendous leader for our people, which he has demonstrated through his life's work," commented Principal Chief Michell Hicks. "It is a great honor for him, and for our Tribe, to open a session of the North Carolina



EBCI Public Relations photo

EBCI Beloved Man Jerry Wolfe (Center) delivered the opening prayer in the Cherokee language at the North Carolina Senate session on Thursday, June 19. Shown (left-right) are Big Cove Rep. Perry Shell, Vice Chief Larry Blythe, Wolfe, Birdtown Rep. Tunnie Crowe, and N.C. Senator Jim Davis.

Senate in the Cherokee language."

Wolfe was accompanied by Vice Chief Larry Blythe and members of his family at Thursday's event.

- EBCI Public Relations

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- Principal Chief Michell Hicks



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Remember the Removal Riders are shown (left-right) at the Oklahoma state line including: Pat Watkins, Elizabeth Burns, Jamekah Rios, Katie Sneed, Tye Carnes, Chance Rudolph, Zane Scullawl, Adriana Collins, Keeley Godwin, Cassie Moore, Charli Barnoskie, Ty Bushyhead Boyd, Russell Bigmeat, Madison Taylor, Noah Collins, Richie Sneed, Jordan McLaren, Kelsey Owle, Jacob Chavez and Ride Coordinator Joseph Erb.

Remember the Removal Bike Riders complete 950-mile journey

Riders celebrate at return ceremony

TAHLEQUAH, Okla. — After bicycling more than 950 miles, 19 Cherokees rolled into Tahlequah on Thursday, June 19 to complete the 2014 Remember the Removal Bike Ride. Thirteen Cherokee Nation students and six EBCI tribal members traveled across seven states to retrace the northern route of the Trail of Tears and remember their Cherokee ancestors who were forced to make the trek on foot 175 years ago.

“We celebrate a group of exceptional young Cherokee citizens, as their journey across seven

states led them back home to Oklahoma,” said Cherokee Nation Principal Chief Bill John Baker. “People who witness the riders rolling through their communities along the trek often ask why our teens are doing this, and the answer is always the same. It is to remember: remember our ancestors, remember their hardships 175 years ago and, most importantly, remember their courage and resilience.”

The group, ranging in age from 15 to 53, started in New Echota, Georgia, on June 1 and traveled across Tennessee, Kentucky, Illinois, Missouri and Arkansas to arrive on the Cherokee Nation Courthouse Square in Tahlequah. They were awarded medals by Chief Baker, Deputy Chief S. Joe Crittenden and Miss Cherokee Julie

Thornton, and welcomed home by Cherokee leaders, family members and friends.

“I’m proud of myself and everyone else for making it,” said Cherokee citizen Chance Rudolph, 18, of Claremore. “We did this ride in honor of our ancestors, to retrace their steps and learn the history of our people, who had the strength to carry on. Just as they did, we’ve all pushed ourselves hard to get here.”

The riders visited various gravesites and historic landmarks significant to the history of the Trail of Tears, including Blythe Ferry in Tennessee, which was the last piece of Cherokee homeland the ancestors stood on before beginning the trek to Indian Territory. Riders also visited Mantle Rock in Kentucky, which provided

shelter to the ancestors as they waited for the Ohio River to thaw in order to cross safely. They stopped to pray at Shellsford Cemetery in Tennessee, where Cherokees who died on the route are buried.

The Cherokee Nation started the ride 30 years ago, in 1984, as a leadership program and so that Cherokee youth would never forget the hardships of their Cherokee ancestors. Of the estimated 16,000 forced to make the journey to Indian Territory, approximately 4,000 died due to exposure, starvation and disease.

"The end of this journey is bittersweet," said Pat Watkins, 53, an EBCI tribal member. "I've come to know and love everyone on this ride, and I'm going to miss them. I hear people say it all the time, but this ride has given me the inner strength and clarity of situations to head into the next phase of my life. I've come through this, so I know I can get through anything."

- Cherokee Nation release



Remember the Removal riders arrive in downtown Tahlequah, Okla. on Thursday, June 19.

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Area Summer Events Calendar

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Event: Cherokee Bonfire

When: Daily from 7-9pm through July 5; Thursdays, Fridays, and Saturdays from July 10 – Aug. 30; and Sunday, Aug. 31

Where: Oconaluftee Island Park adjacent to the Island Indian Market

What: Storytelling, roasting marshmallows, history, free of charge

Info: Cherokee Welcome Center (800) 438-1601, 554-6490 or travel@nc-chokeee.com

Event: Prevention is Caring HIV Testing Day

When: June 27 from 10am – 2pm

Where: Oconaluftee Island Park

What: EBCI Public Health and Human Services is sponsoring this event which will feature various health programs along with free HIV and Hep C tests.

Info: 554-6180

Event: Mountain Artisans “Summertime” Arts & Crafts Show

When: June 28-29 from 10am-5pm

Where: WCU’s Ramsey Center, Cullowhee

What: Arts and crafts vendors, \$4/adults, children 12 and under free

Info: (828) 524-3405 or www.mountainArtisans.net

Event: 39th Annual Cherokee Indian Pow Wow

When: July 4-6

Where: Acquoni Expo Center

What: Grand entries – Friday at 7pm, Saturday at 1pm and 7pm,



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Bradley Welch, 2012 Teen Miss Cherokee, is shown at last year’s Talking Trees Children’s Trout Derby. This year’s event is scheduled for Saturday, Aug. 2.

Sunday at 1pm. Head Dance Judge: Will Tushka, MC: Dennis Bowen Sr., Arena Director: Gabe Bullock, Host Northern Drum: Medicine Tail; Host Southern Drum: Wild Band of Comanches
Info: Daniel Tramper (828) 399-0835 or dtramper@gmail.com

Event: Franklin July 4th Parade and Celebration

When: July 4 from 10am – 1pm

Where: downtown Franklin

What: Parade starts at 10am, activities following

Info: (828) 524-2516 ext. 304

Event: Graham County Heritage Festival

When: July 4 from 11am-11pm

Where: North Main Street, Robbinsville

What: meet the “Moonshiners”, Cornhole contests, lumberjack contests, horseshoe tournament, kids games, music and dancing
Info: Teresa Garland (828) 479-3250 or visitrobbinsville@gmail.com

Event: Bubbles in the Park

When: July 12 from 11am-2pm

Where: Konahete Park, Murphy

What: ice cream, water play, bubble play

Info: Family Resources (828) 837-3460

Event: NAYO Softball & Baseball Tournament

When: July 17-19

Where: John A. Crowe Complex and Birdtown Rec. Center

What: Entry fee is \$150. Five age divisions: 7-8, 9-10, 11-12, 13-15, 16-17. Coaches meeting for 7-8 division will be July 17 at 8am at the John A. Crowe Complex. Coaches meeting for all other divisions will be July 17 at 7pm at the Birdtown Rec. Center.

Info: Donald Queen 497-0149 or 736-6803

Event: Cherokee’s Dog Days Trout Tournament

When: July 18-19

Where: Cherokee waters

What: \$11 entry fee, \$10,000 in prize money

Info: Brittany Watson 554-6113

Event: Rumble on the Rez Twilight 5K and 12K Races

When: July 18 at 7:30pm

Where: Cherokee High School

What: Registration on-site (4-6:30pm) is \$35. Early online registration (by July 10) is \$25. Groups of eight or more are \$18/person. The 5K and 12K races start at 7:30pm, and the Fun Run and Walk starts at 8pm. T-shirts are guaranteed to the first 100 runners to register.

Info: 554-5030

Event: Talking Trees Children’s Trout Derby

When: Aug. 2 from 6am – 2pm

Where: Oconaluftee Island Park

What: free food, fishing, live animal exhibits, prizes

Info: (800) 438-1601

Event: Open Air Indian Art Market

When: Aug. 30 from 9am – 4pm

Where: Qualla Arts & Crafts Mutual, Inc.

What: Cherokee artists and crafters will be selling their work.

Info: Vicki Cruz 497-3103

Event: Cherokee BBQ & Bluegrass Throwdown

When: Sept. 5-6 from 11am – 7pm

Where: Cherokee Indian Fairgrounds

What: BBQ and Bluegrass

Info: (800) 438-1601

Event: 7 Clans Rodeo

When: Sept. 5-6 from 6-10pm

Where: old Cherokee Elementary School field

What: Rodeo events

Info: 497-1826

Dancing and fireworks on July 4 in Cherokee

ROBERT JUMPER
ONE FEATHER EDITOR

According to Howard Wahnetah, EBCI events and fairgrounds supervisor, July 4th fireworks are a must see. Over 3000 people gathered to view the display last year with some coming from as far away as Alabama and Mississippi. This year's show will be put on by East Coast Pyrotechnics, a commercial fireworks provider who has presented spectacular fireworks displays for Cherokee, NASCAR, City of Charlotte and the Atlanta Braves.

Wahnetah says that the 20-minute fireworks show will return to the Acquoni Expo Center this year on Friday, July 4 with the first charge to start the show being lit at 10pm. Asked about weather conditions affecting the display, Wahnetah stated that light rain would not stop the launch of fireworks. Heavy rain, lightning or high winds could cause a postponement. He said that everything possible will be done to get the fireworks in the air that night. If the show is cancelled for any reason, an alternate date will be announced.

He also wanted the public to know that the July 4 Pow Wow will be in progress, which will affect the availability of parking. Those coming just for the fireworks should come very early to allow time to find a parking spot. The

Acquoni Expo Center lot will likely be filled with Pow Wow attendees.

Wahnetah anticipates that some organizations may offer pay parking at the Cherokee Youth Center, American Legion Center/Courthouse and other retail store lots in the immediate area. There will also be parking available in the Visitor Center parking lot adjacent to the Barclay Outlet/Fun Park properties. The fireworks presentation will be highly visible from any property adjacent to an area near the Expo Center.

Wahnetah suggests that the best idea is to come to the Cherokee Pow Wow early and spend the entire day at the Expo Center. There will be food, crafts and entertainment throughout the day, and then guests can top off the night with a great fireworks display.

For our readers in other areas:

Andrews

- Starts 30 minutes after dark
- Best place to view: Andrews Rec. Park

Bryson City

- Starts at 10pm
- Best places to view: Everett Street Bridge, along Everett Street, Post Office

Murphy

- Starts 30 minutes after dark



- Best places to view: Ingles parking lot, Wal-Mart parking lot, Konahete Park

Hayesville

- No fireworks this year

Sylva

- No fireworks this year

Robbinsville

- No fireworks this year

Franklin

- Starts at dark
- Best places to view: Softball fields by the Franklin Fun Factory or any business parking lot along Georgia Rd.



Trademark cancelled for Washington Redskins

SCOTT MCKIE B.P.
ONE FEATHER STAFF

In a landmark decision, the U.S. Patent and Trademark Office (USPTO) cancelled the “Redskins” trademark on Wednesday, June 18. The 2-1 decision came down from the Trademark Trial and Appeal Board (TTAB) and cancelled the Washington, DC – based NFL team’s name “disparaging of Native Americans”. A total of six trademarks, each bearing the word ‘Redskin’, were cancelled.

The USPTO released a statement on Wednesday in which they said, “The decision to cancel the registration means that, if not appealed or not affirmed following a possible review by a federal court, the trademark owner (Pro Football, Inc.) will lose the legal benefits conferred by federal registration.”

The USPTO did state that the team has only lost its trademark status, not the ability to use the name. “The Trademark Trial and Appeal Board does not have jurisdiction in a cancellation proceeding to require that a party cease use of a mark, but only to determine whether a mark may continue to be registered.”

Bob Raskopt, Washington Redskins trademark attorney, released the following statement on the decision, “We’ve seen this story before. And, just like last time, today’s ruling will have no effect at all on the team’s ownership of and right to use the Redskins name and logo. We are confident we will prevail once again and that the Trademark Trial and Appeal Board’s divided ruling will be overturned on appeal.”

The USPTO cancelled the six trademarks in 1999, but U.S. District Court Judge Colleen Kollar-Kotelly threw out the decision stating the Office had used dated and partial evidence submitted by the plaintiffs.

“We are confident that when a district court reviews today’s split decision, it will reach a similar conclusion,” Raskopt said on Wednesday.

“it is an unacceptable racial epithet that reminds us of our painful place in the history pages of this country.”

- USET president Brian Patterson

The current case of Blackhorse v. Pro Football, Inc. involved five American Indian plaintiffs including: Amanda Blackhorse, Marcus Briggs-Cloud, Phillip Gover, Jillian Pappan, and Courtney Tsotigh. The plaintiffs were represented in the case by attorney Jesse Witten of the Washington, D.C.-based law firm Drinker Biddle & Reath LLP.

“We are extraordinarily gratified to have prevailed in this case,” said Alfred W. Putnam Jr., chairman of Drinker Biddle & Reath. “The dedication and professionalism of our attorneys and the determination of our clients have resulted in a milestone victory that will serve as an historic precedent.”

Witten added, “The Trademark Trial and Appeal Board agreed with our clients that the team’s name and trademarks disparage Native Americans. The Board ruled that the Trademark Office should never have registered these trademarks in the first place. We presented a wide variety of evidence – including dic-

tionary definitions and other reference works, newspaper clippings, movie clips, scholarly articles, expert linguist testimony, and evidence of the historic opposition by Native American groups – to demonstrate that the word ‘redskin’ is an ethnic slur.”

President Barack Obama didn’t comment on the issue on Wednesday, but he has stated his opinion on the matter in recent months. In

an interview with the Associated Press in October 2013, he said, “If I were the owner of the team, and I knew that there was a name of my team – even if it had a storied history – that was offending a sizeable group of people, I’d think about changing it.”

In a statement on Wednesday, Sen. Jon Tester (D-Mont.), chairman of the Senate Committee on Indian Affairs, commented, “This decision is a step forward for Indian Country and for all Americans who champion tolerance. No team or organization should profit from a dictionary-defined racial slur.”

Reactions throughout Indian Country were pretty much the same.

The Oneida Indian Nation of New York started the Change the Mascot campaign a few years ago. On Wednesday, Oneida Nation representative Ray Halbritter and NCAI executive director Jackie Pata issued a joint statement, “If the most basic sense of morality, de-

cency and civility has not yet convinced the Washington team and the NFL to stop using this hateful slur, then hopefully today’s patent ruling will, if only because it imperils the ability of the team’s billionaire owner to keep profiting off the denigration and dehumanization of Native Americans.”

They went on to thank those who have worked on this issue for many years. “We would like to sincerely thank Suzan Shown Harjo and Amanda Blackhorse for their tireless efforts that helped lead to today’s historic milestone.”

Courtney Gordon, social media moderator at powwows.com, wrote on the Cherokee One Feather Facebook page, “There is simply no way around it: the word is a racial slur. Those who believe it should stay make me question just how far this nation has come in accepting Native people as full human beings and citizens.”

USET president Brian Patterson said in a comment on Thursday, June 19, “For many fans of the Washington, D.C. NFL team, the nickname has been one that they say reflects honor and reverence for our people. But, for Native Americans, it is an unacceptable racial epithet that reminds us of our painful place in the history pages of this country.”

He added, “Despite the confidence expressed by the team in their ability to once again reverse this decision, we feel that the Change the Mascot campaign has been successful in educating the public and garnering strong, overall public sentiment and support in our united stance to oppose the use of this term.”

Cherokee Cultural Summer Camp holds "A Night of the Arts"



Zoey Walkingstick made this doll wearing traditional Cherokee clothes.



Cherokee students perform the Cherokee Bear Dance.



SCOTT MCKIE B.P./One Feather photos

Samantha Blythe made this pottery gorget and plate featuring stamped designs of the Cherokee clan masks. They were just some of the artwork on display at the Cherokee Cultural Summer Camp's "A Night of the Arts" program on Friday, June 20.

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Cherokee Nation honors five veterans at June Tribal Council

TAHLEQUAH, Okla. — The Cherokee Nation honored three World War III and two Korean War era veterans with the Cherokee Medal of Patriotism at its June Tribal Council meeting.

Cyrus Beatty Gilmore, 84, of McMinnville, Tenn.; the late Gippy Woodall, of Welch, Okla., who was honored posthumously; Andy Girty, 80, of Lawrence, Kansas; Joseph Hubert Leathers, 92, of Big Cabin, Okla.; and Winfred Clark Chamberlain Jr., 93, of Texas City, Texas, received a medal and plaque from Cherokee Nation Principal Chief Bill John Baker and Deputy Chief S. Joe Crittenden June 16, acknowledging their service to the country.

Seaman Gilmore was born Oct. 2, 1929, to Donald Bruce and Carolyn Elizabeth Johnson Gilmore, in Davenport, Oklahoma. In 1947, Gilmore enlisted in the U.S. Navy and completed basic training in San Diego. After basic training, he was assigned to the USS Hollister and trained for gun fire control. Gilmore received an honorable discharge in 1951 and was awarded the Korean Service Medal, Good Conduct Medal and more. After his service, Gilmore became an electrician working mainly in the oil fields of Taft, California. In 1969, he and his



Cherokee Nation photo

Cherokee Nation veteran Cyrus Gilmore (center), of McMinnville, Tenn., is surrounded by family as he accepts his Cherokee Nation veteran award from Cherokee Nation Principal Chief Bill John Baker, Deputy Chief S. Joe Crittenden and Tribal Council.

wife, Linda, moved their family to McMinnville, Tennessee, where he currently lives.

"I'm proud to be a Cherokee, and I am proud to have served our country and God, and the Cherokee Nation," Gilmore said. Pfc. Woodall was born March 16, 1916, to Ira Coon Woodall and Grace Bell Dotric, near Welch. Woodall helped his father haul coal by wagon from west of Welch to Pitcher before joining the U.S. Army. While serving in Italy during World War II, Woodall was killed in action when his company was ambushed by German

forces in 1944. German soldiers buried his body in a mass grave, where he remained until the early 1950s. Woodall now lies in a cemetery in Welch. The Craig County Court House has a plaque with the names of all Craig County military killed in World War II, including Woodall's name.

Spc. Girty was born Feb. 15, 1934, to Tobacco and Jennie Girty, at the Claremore Indian Hospital. Raised on Greenleaf Hill in Tahlequah, Girty was the oldest of six children. He graduated from Tahlequah High School, and then Haskell Institute in

Lawrence, Kansas. Following graduation, Girty was drafted into the U.S. Army in 1957. He completed basic training at Fort Carson, Colorado, and then spent eight weeks in clerical school at Fort Knox, Kentucky. Girty worked as a vehicle parts clerk in the motor pool at Fort Lee, Virginia until he received his honorable discharge in 1959. Girty now lives in Lawrence, Kansas, with his wife, Frances, and still serves as a professor at Haskell Indian Nations University part time.

Seaman Apprentice Leathers was born April 14, 1922, to James and

Attie Lee Hargis Leathers, in Adair. Leathers dropped out of school to work on the family farm. In 1942, Leathers was drafted into the U.S. Navy, and while waiting to be called up for basic training he worked for B & B Transportation Line in Tulsa. In April 1945, Leathers went to basic training in San Diego and then sent to San Pedro, California, to serve as a mechanic aboard the USS O'Neill. Leathers worked to repair the ship after it suffered damage in combat in Okinawa, Japan. Leathers received an honorable discharge in October 1945. He still lives in Big Cabin

near Adair with Ellen, his wife of 40 years.

"I have had people ask me what nationality I am, and I say, well, I'm Cherokee. I'm proud to be Cherokee," Leathers said.

Lt. j.g. Chamberlain was born March 1, 1921, to Winfred and Ethel O'Neil Chamberlain, in Houston. Chamberlain was attending Rice Institute when the Japanese attacked Pearl Harbor. In 1942, Chamberlain enlisted in the U.S. Navy and completed basic training in San Diego. With some college ed-

ucation, the U.S. Navy sent Chamberlain to North Western Midshipmen School in Chicago, where he was commissioned as an U.S. Navy officer after completion. Chamberlain served as a skipper of a landing ship tank in the Pacific Ocean. Chamberlain and his crew were preparing to move toward the Japanese mainland when the war ended. He received an honorable discharge in 1946. Chamberlain now lives in Texas City, Texas.

- Cherokee Nation

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August

19 – vs. Swain
21 – at Blue Ridge
26 – at Andrews
28 – vs. Highlands

September

2 – vs. Hayesville
4 – at Murphy
9 – vs. Robbinsville
11 – vs. Rosman
16 – at Swain
18 – vs. Blue Ridge
23 – vs. Andrews
25 – at Highlands
29 – at Hiwassee Dam
30 – at Hayesville

October

2 – vs. Murphy
6 – vs. Hiwassee Dam
7 – at Robbinsville
9 – at Rosman
11-15 – Smoky Mountain Conference tournament at Hayesville
18 – First Round of Play-offs

Start Times: Middle School 4pm, JV 5pm, Varsity 6pm

SOFTBALL

Blanton Scholarship winners



Photo contributed

The winners of the 2014 Trooper Shawn Blanton Memorial Scholarship are (left-right): Erin West, Andrews; Molly Kerr, Clyde A. Erwin; Morgan Sisk, Rosman; Tristan Woodall, Tuscola; Ashley Doolin, Smoky Mountain; Kendra Kirkland, Swain; and not pictured – Morgan Scholtz, Enka.

The Trooper Shawn Blanton Memorial Scholarship Fund held their 7th annual fundraiser at Sequoyah National Golf Club in Jackson County on Saturday, June 14. . At the conclusion of the fundraiser, the 2014 Scholarship winners were announced.

The winners were selected among numerous applications received from multiple counties across western North Carolina and included: Erin West, Andrews; Molly Kerr, Clyde A. Erwin; Morgan Sisk, Rosman; Tristan Woodall, Tuscola; Ashley Doolin, Smoky Mountain; Kendra Kirkland, Swain; and Morgan Scholtz, Enka.

To qualify for the scholarship, each applicant must be participating in their high school softball program, be a senior, be accepted to a university or a college, and present a letter requesting consideration for the scholarship.

Each winner received a \$1000 scholarship to go towards the expenses related with furthering their education.

Trooper Blanton was shot and killed on I-40 in Haywood County while conducting a traffic stop on June 17, 2008. After his death, his father, David Blanton, organized a Scholarship Fund for young ladies who played high school softball that

wanted to further their education. Trooper Blanton was the head JV softball coach at Smoky Mountain High School and an avid recreational softball player. Since beginning the scholarship, there has been \$32,000 given to help these ladies pursue their education.

David Blanton, the entire Blanton family, and the Board of Directors related they would like to thank all of the participants and sponsors who make this event possible year after year.

- Trooper Shawn Blanton
Memorial Scholarship

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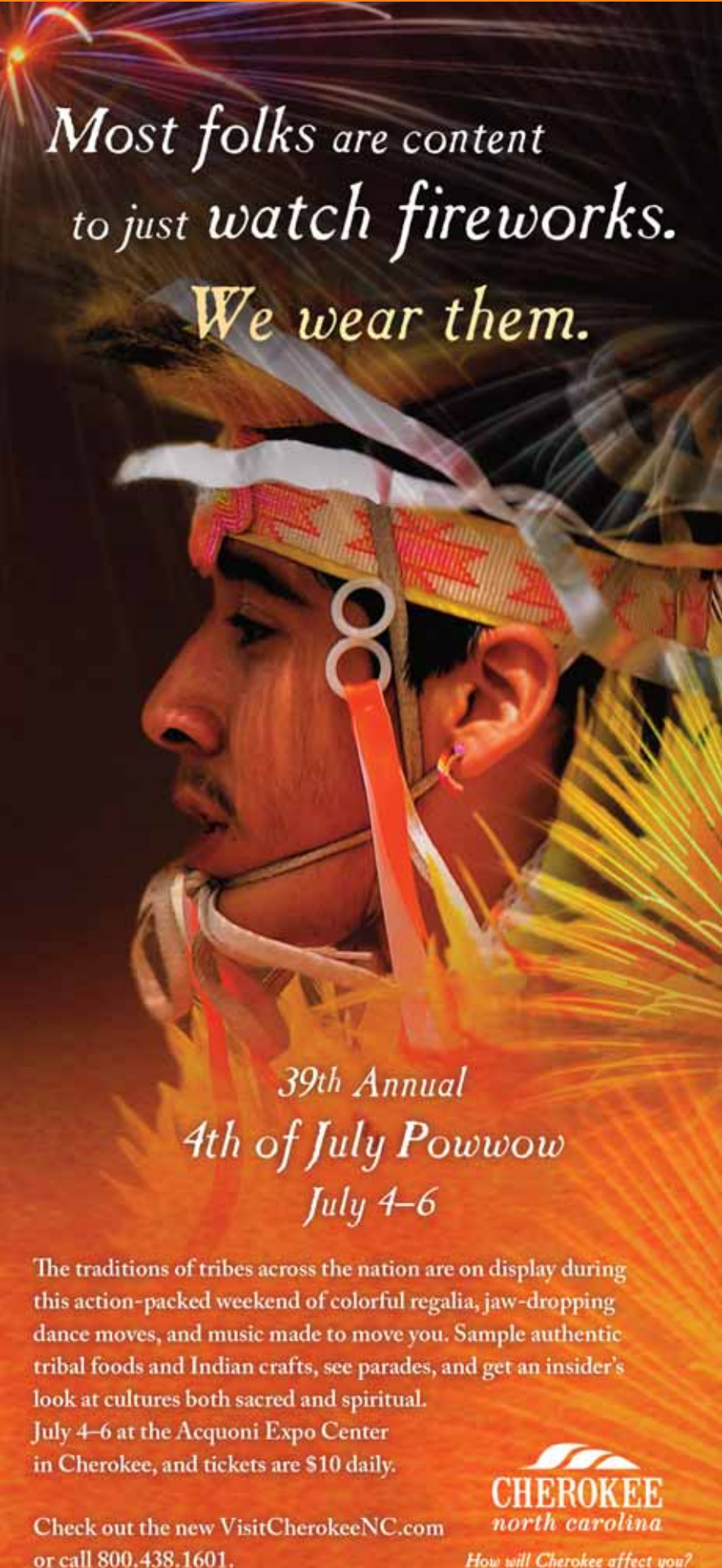


Monk is a nine year old Siberian Husky belonging to Mark and Kristy Herron



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COMMUNITY

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Big Cove Community thanks participants volunteers

At our June community meeting, two recipients of the Jones Bowman Leadership Award Program were present to present the community with a check for \$250 from funds they had recently raised at their Cornhole Tournament.

In April, we had our annual Kolanvyi Day celebration. It was a great success! Thanks to all those who helped out and who came out to cele-

brate. In May, Cherokee celebrated their Annual Day of Caring. We would like to recognize our recipient for Quiet Hero which was Ruth Lossiah. Big Cove also nominated Terry Holt, owner/operator of River Valley Store, for the Good Neighbor award. We also had a benefit Bingo for our chairman Sam Panther on May 23. We would like to thank the following people for making it a success: Joyce Bowman, Kym Parker, Jeff Girty, and

Butch Hill for donating prizes; the other club officers for working the Bingo; and all those who came out and played. Special Thanks to Sheriff Curtis Cochran and the Cherokee Police Commission for their monetary donations.

*Consie Girty on behalf of the
Big Cove Community Club*

Cherokee Boys Club Report

CLUB SCHEDULE:

Friday, July 4 – Fourth of July Holiday (Boys Club Closed)

Wednesday, July 9 – Managers' Meeting – 8:30 a.m.

Tuesday, July 15 – Health Screen – 7:30 a.m. to 8:30 a.m. – Club Lobby

Wednesday, July 16 – Board Meeting – 8:30 a.m.

Thursday, July 17 – Safety Committee Meeting – At Boys Club – 11:30 a.m.

BUS DEPARTMENT NEWS

Allan Oocumma, Bus and Truck Department Manager, has announced his retirement from the Boys Club. Allan will be on annual leave beginning August 1 until his last day with the Club on Sept. 12. In the Board meeting on Wednesday, the Board passed a resolution naming Albert Arch the Acting Bus and Truck Department Manager effective July 1 until that position can

be filled. Jasper Wolfe of the Bus and Truck Department has also announced his retirement from the Club. His last day will be Thursday, July 31.

CHILD CARE NEWS

The Agelink and After-School programs are participating in many different activities over their summer vacation. Visiting church groups will be providing Bible School on the following dates:

June 23-27: Trinity Presbyterian Church from Harrisburg, Pennsylvania

June 30-July 3: Peace Korean from Fair Lawn, NJ

July 21- 25: Tampa Bay Church from Tampa, Florida

The children are also are enjoying field trips, trips to the movies, community walks, visits to the Library, Ginger Lynn Welch Center, the Arcade and Dairy Queen.

Their summer topics include pirates, oceans, outer space and bugs. Special events include rocket launch, tie-dye shirts and socks, building a pirate ship and water play. They are also experiencing special foods such as tropical fruit, ice cream and locally grown fruits and vegetables.

NEW CHILDRENS HOME CONSTRUCTION

Work continues on the construction of the new Children's Home facility in the Birdtown Community. Check out the Children's Home's Facebook page for pictures of the progress being made. The new Home is located on Goose Creek Road where the former Family Support Services office used to be.

Funds are still being raised for this construction project. If you would like to make a financial donation or ask about payroll deduction donations, please contact Cris Weatherford or Monica "Tigger" Lambert 497-5009.

Happy Father's Day Mom

*I love you and miss you!
You had to be my dad and mom. I was always doing
wrong but because of you, I am a better man.
Thank you for raising me.
I will always love you.*

**Your Son
Tanner "T Bone" Larch**

*A crumpled up
newspaper has
been known to
scare off zombies...*



BUY A ONE FEATHER BEFORE IT IS TOO LATE!!



Photo by Sebrina Crowe/Troop Leader

Girl Scouts visit Biltmore

Members of Cherokee Girl Scout Troop 01811 visited the Biltmore House in Asheville recently. They are shown (left-right) Natalie Crowe, Ariyanna Toineeta, Alexandria Hopkins, Praire Toineeta, Abby Ledford and Taelynn Crowe.

Tribal Child Care closings

Cherokee Tribal Child Care Services will be closed on the following upcoming dates:

- Friday, June 27 for an In-Service training day
- Wednesday, July 2 for the Tribal Employee Picnic
- Thursday, July 3 for Administrative Leave
- Friday, July 4 for observance of Independence Day

Volunteers needed for Trout Derby

Volunteers are needed for the 13th Annual Talking Trees Children's Trout Derby on Aug. 1-2. Volunteer spots are available on Friday, Aug. 1 from 9am – 8pm for pre-registration. Saturday spots include: Registration (5:30-10am); Spotters (7:30am – 12pm); Lunch (10am – 12:30pm); Bait, Weight, and Fish Cleaning Stations (7:30am – 12:30pm); Volunteer Hospitality Station (5:30am – 12pm); and Trout Ponds (7:30am – 12pm). Info: Yolanda Saunooke 554-6854 or yolasaun@nc-chokeee.com



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Advanced Cherokee Grammar Classes with Ben Frey, PhD

June 23-July 28-New Kituwah Academy

Monday-Wednesday-Friday: 12:00-1:00 p.m.; Tuesday-Friday: 10:30-12:00 p.m.

Sponsored by: Kituwah Preservation & Education Program

Funded in part through a grant from the Cherokee Preservation & Education Program

Dr. Ben Frey
UNC Chapel Hill
General Description

This course will cover the basic elements of Cherokee grammar from a linguistic perspective, with the intent of helping teachers at New Kituwah Academy apply this knowledge to their immersion classrooms. Over 5 weeks, we will discuss 4 of the major word categories in Cherokee: Verbs, nouns, adjectives, and adverbs. The course will include discussions of grammatical terminology, sound alternation rules, and sentence structure.

Expectations

Material in the class will be cumulative. Because Cherokee is so verb-oriented, much of the material in the unit on verbs will apply to other units as well, and many of the sound alternation rules will apply in multiple contexts. Consequently, students are strongly encouraged to attend classes regularly. If you miss class, please do your best to catch up before you return – contact fellow students or me for missed handouts and/or homework assignments.

Material

Much of the material covered in this course comes from linguistic research done in consultation with Cherokee speakers, both from NC and OK. These works include: A Grammar of North Carolina Cherokee (Bill Cook, 1979), and A Reference Grammar of Oklahoma Cherokee (Brad Mont-

gomery-Anderson, 2008), among others. The grammar presented here is an attempt to describe the intuitive systems that operate in the minds of fluent speakers. Because of that, fluent speakers are acknowledged as the ultimate authority on how the language should be spoken. It is the job of linguists not to dictate, but to describe. Because fluent speakers have these rules embedded in their minds, they will have intuitions about the language that non-speakers or second language learners do not have access to. These should be trusted and followed. After all, it is the Cherokee language – not the Linguist's language. Our purpose is only to provide a possible framework in which the language can be considered.

Correspondence

E-mail list – I will maintain a list of students' email addresses in order to provide updates about any potential changes to the course schedule, to send out readings, and to answer any questions you may have. Please feel free to e-mail with questions and/or to set up individual appointments. Remember: questions you have may be shared by the rest of the class! It always pays to speak up.

Pacing

The class will be offered in two sections: A Monday/Wednesday/Friday section and a Tuesday/Thursday section. I will do my best to keep both sections on a similar schedule, but slight differences may emerge due to different scheduling times. Of course, students may feel free

to attend either section. For example, if you miss a Monday section, please feel free to attend the Tuesday one. This variety in scheduling is provided to make it easier for everyone to have access to the course. The breakdown for scheduling is as follows:

Homework

Homework is not graded, but it is assigned for your edification. Practice at home AND in class is the surest way to gain skill and familiarity with the material. Homework assignments will include an answer key so that you may check your work. Please come prepared with any questions you may have about the homework assignments and do any readings ahead of class in order to prepare for discussions.

Assessment

In order to gauge your progress in learning the material, I will provide a midterm and a final examination. These exams, like the homework assignments, will not be graded, but will serve as benchmarks by which to measure your progress in the course. The final should be thought of as an opportunity to display how much you have learned.

Assessment Dates:

Midterm: Final:
MWF Section: Session 8 (July 9) Session 16 (July 28)
TR Section: Session 5 (July 10) Session 9 (July 24)

THANK YOU Cherokee Choices says thanks

Cherokee Choices would like to extend an enormous debt of gratitude to Endless River Adventures for taking the Cherokee Lifestyle Balance families kayaking at the Fontana Finger Lakes on June 17. Over 20 participants of all ages enjoyed a free evening of kayaking-some for the first time! All of the families were very grateful and can't wait to try it again!

Nomination deadlines extended for **Leadership** Programs

The Cherokee Right Path, "Du-yu dv-i" Adult Leadership Program and the Coulter Regional Leadership Program have extended their deadlines for nominations for their 2014-15 programs to Monday, July 7 at 5pm.

Right Path is a 12-month leadership program for EBCI tribal members to learn Cherokee history and culture and to develop leadership competencies.

Candidates must be age 18 and over, have a high school diploma or GED and have some college experience. Knowledge of Cherokee culture and/or experience in a professional environment is a plus. Persons wishing to nominate a candidate can go to wnclead.wcu.edu and download the nomination form. The Right Path

Adult Leadership Program is part of the WNC Leadership Initiative, funded by the Cherokee Preservation Foundation, and administered locally through WCU.

The Coulter Program is a 12-month leadership program for adults ages 25-55 who have some involvement in community activities and have the potential to become dynamic leaders. Nominees must reside in the counties of Haywood, Macon, Jackson, Swain, Clay, Cherokee, Graham, or the Qualla Boundary. Persons wishing to nominate can go to <http://www.wcu.edu/academics/ed-outreach/WNCLeadershipInitiative/index.asp> and download the nomination form. The Coulter Regional Leadership Program is part of the WNC Leadership Initiative, funded by the

Cherokee Preservation Foundation, and administered locally through WCU.

Letters of nomination will be accepted online, by fax, email, or in-person delivery to the Western Carolina University (WCU) Cherokee Center, Acquoni Road, Cherokee, NC, Attention, Juanita Wilson, Program Director:

- Online: wnclead.wcu.edu
- Fax: 828-497-0469
- Email: jmwilson@wcu.edu
- Physical Location: WCU/Cherokee Center, 1594 Acquoni Road, Cherokee, NC 28719

Info: Juanita Wilson, Program Director, 497-7920, 788-2579 or jmwilson@wcu.edu





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Qualla 2020 meetings planned

June 27 from 9am – 3pm and July 15 from 9am – 3pm at Harrah's Cherokee Conference Center. The purpose of the Qualla 2020 Initiative is to diversify the Cherokee economy and reduce its risks so that it can better ensure the wellbeing of the Cherokee population into the future. Qualla 2020 is a six-month initiative that consists of monthly committee meetings and several follow-up subcommittee meetings. Citizens and business leaders are actively participating in the formulation of the Qualla 2020 actions plan. The committee will choose action plans to recommend to the EBCI administration, EBCI Tribal Council and the Cherokee Preservation Foundation (CPF). Anyone from the community is welcome to join in on the process or learn more by contacting jtaylor@cherokeepreservation.org.

New summer hours for Cherokee Life Center

Monday – Thursday: 5am – 8pm
Friday – 5am – 6pm
Saturday – 9am – 2pm

Blue Ridge National Heritage Area Partnership announces **grant** cycle

The Blue Ridge National Heritage Area Partnership (BRNHA) has announced the availability of more grants available for the preservation, interpretation, development, and promotion of heritage resources in five thematic areas including: agricultural heritage, Cherokee heritage, craft heritage, music heritage, and natural heritage.

Applications in the new grant cycle are due by Oct. 1 and funding decisions will be announced in January 2015.

The total pool of funding for the 2014 grant cycle is \$150,000. The maximum grant award will be \$16,000. Applicants must provide at least a one-to-one match from non-federal sources. Nonprofit organizations, academic institutions, and units of state and local governments are eligible to apply. Further details, including guidelines and application forms, are available on our website at www.blueridge-heritage.com/partners/grants.

BRNHA staff will hold several grant information

sessions around the BRNHA region in July. Attendance is optional, but is recommended for those who have not attended information sessions for previous BRNHA grant cycles.

A meeting will be held in Cherokee on Wednesday, July 16 from 2-3pm at the Museum of the Cherokee Indian.

Over the past ten years, the Blue Ridge National Heritage Area Partnership has awarded 111 grants totaling over \$1.8 million to projects that preserve, interpret, and develop the heritage resources of the

region. These awards have leveraged over \$3.5 million in state, local, and private matches.

Grants awarded in previous cycles have supported indoor and outdoor exhibits, oral history projects, video documentaries, interpretive programs, visitor brochures, music classes, and the marketing of heritage destinations. The grant projects have provided engaging and authentic heritage experiences to hundreds of thousands of visitors and residents.

- BRNHA



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4th of July Cherokee Pow Wow Schedule

Friday, July 4

- 5pm** – gates open to the public
- 12-6pm** – Registration
- 6:45pm** – Drum Roll Call
- 7pm** – Grand Entry
- Intertribal Spots
- Tiny Tots
- Juniors
- Golden Age Men
- Golden Age Women
- Specials
- 1st Round: Hand Drum
- 10pm** – Fireworks
- 10:30pm** – 1st Round: Men's Fancy

Saturday, July 5

- 9am – 12pm** – Registration
- 12pm** – gates open to the public
- 12:45pm** – Drum Roll Call
- 1pm** – Grand Entry
- 1:30-5pm** – Contests and dancing
- Tiny Tots
- Drum Contest
- Intertribals
- Junior Girls/Junior Boys
- Teen Boys: Traditional, Grass, Fancy
- Teen Girls: Traditional Jingle, Fancy
- Intertribals
- Drum Contest
- Dance Contest: Men's and Women's
- Intertribals
- Contest Specials
- 2nd Round: Hand Drum
- Junior's Specials
- 5pm** – Dinner break
- 6:45pm** – Drum Roll Call
- 7pm** – Grand Entry
- Tiny Tots
- Juniors
- Teen Boys: Traditional,



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EBCI tribal member Will Tushka, who is serving as this year's Head Dance Judge, dances at a previous EBCI pow wow.

- Grass, Fancy
- Teen Girls: Traditional Jingle, Fancy
- Intertribals
- Women's: Northern Traditional, Jingle, Fancy, Southern Cloth, Southern Buckskin
- Men's: Traditional, Grass, Fancy, Straight, Chicken
- Intertribal Spots
- Women's Jingle Dress Spe-

- cial
- Hand Drum Contest
- Intertribal
- Final: Men's Fancy
- 10pm** – Pow Wow closes

Sunday, July 6

- 12pm** – gates open to the public
- 1pm** – Grand Entry
- Tiny Tots
- Intertribals

- Cowboy Special
- Cowgirl Special
- Men's Straight Special
- Old Style Fancy Shawl Special
- Drum Contest
- Ties and run-offs
- Intertribals
- 6pm** – Winners announced

DNA testing schedule for July

The deadline for all new applicants to be DNA tested and results returned by the Sept. 15 deadline is Friday, Aug. 22. The following dates are available to schedule appointments for DNA collection:

- Tuesday, July 1
- Wednesday, July 2
- Wednesday, July 9
- Thursday, July 10
- Wednesday, July 16
- Friday, July 18
- Wednesday, July 23
- Friday, July 25
- Wednesday, July 30

Please check with the EBCI Enrollment Office prior to scheduling at 554-6465 to make sure you are eligible for enrollment. The local collection site is at the EBCI Tribal Enrollment office located at the Ginger Lynn Welch Complex. Appointments will be scheduled by the staff of 1 Family Services from 9-11:30am and 1-3pm. To schedule an appointment at the local collection site, contact Michelle at Tribal Enrollment 554-6463. To schedule an out-of-town appointment, contact Amber (918) 685-0478. All DNA questions should be directed to the staff of 1 Family Services.

- EBCI Enrollment



Photo courtesy of Tammy Jackson

Costa Rica bound

The 2014 Costa Rica Eco-Study Tour departed for San Jose, Costa Rica on Monday, June 16 for 12 days of interactive events that will expose them to many aspects of the Costa Rican people and culture. Shown (left-right) are front row - Matti Sneed, chaperone Hope Huskey, Lou Montelongo, Eason Esquivel, Ethan Swearengin; back row - chaperone Yona Wade, chaperone Tammy Jackson, chaperone Nikki Crisp, Mellissa Hensley, Sadie Long, Faith Long, Jaiden Welch, Josh McCoy, Jason McMillan, and chaperone John Ross. This year, students will work alongside the people of the Cabecar Tribe in an effort to build a new restroom for their local school. Thanks to everyone who purchased coffee from the team. Proceeds from the coffee fundraiser were used for the building of this project. This tour is made possible by a grant funded by the Cherokee Preservation Foundation.



Open Enrollment Announcement!!

New Kituwah Academy will be accepting applications for the 2014-2015 school year for:

- 2 year old Classroom
- 3 year old Classroom
- Pre-Kindergarten Classroom
- Kindergarten Classroom

Mission Statement:

New Kituwah Academy provides a nurturing learning environment in a language immersion setting where students, staff, families, and the community work in partnership to rekindle our language and to instill pride in being "Kituwah First."

Applications may be picked up at the New Kituwah Academy front desk. Questions? Call 828-554-6401 or email kylishul@nc-chokeee.com (elementary) or martledf@nc-chokeee.com (early childhood.)

Cherokee One Feather Poll of the Week

What is your favorite social media?

Facebook	26
Instagram	2
Pinterest	2
YouTube	2
Twitter	0
Flickr	0
Other	0

Question of the week now up on theonefeather.com:
Should the Washington Redskins change their team name?

Museum to offer Summer Institute for educators

The Museum of the Cherokee Indian will offer the Cherokee History and Culture Institute for educators on July 14-19. The goal of the Institute is to provide accurate information about the Cherokees (and other American Indians,) resources, and to provide connections with Cherokee people. The readings and discussions will include books and articles. Interviews, field trips, and experiences on the Qualla Boundary, will be integrated with academic study.

The Institute covers Cherokee archaeology, history, anthropology, geography, folklore, literature, and current issues.

“Every academic discipline

contributes something to our knowledge about Cherokee history and culture,” said Barbara R. Duncan, Museum education director. “We look at how those academics work, and also at their limitations.”

In addition to readings and discussions with Duncan, every day includes presentations by Cherokee people and field trips to Cherokee sites. To see the syllabus and activities, go to: <http://www.cherokeemuseum.org/education-history.htm>

Cost for the institute is \$500 per person and includes all activity fees, one dinner and one lunch. Discounts are available for Museum members at the appropriate

level, and EBCI tribal members. Participants are responsible for their own accommodations and books. Books will include Cherokee Nation; a Troubled History; Living Stories of the Cherokee; Plants and the Cherokee DVD; Timberlake Memoirs; and the Cherokee Heritage Trails Guidebook.

Class size will be limited and participants will be registered on a first-come, first-served basis.

Info: Barbara R. Duncan, Ph.D., education director, 497-3481 x306 or bduncan@cherokeemuseum.org.

- Museum of the Cherokee Indian

In Loving Memory of
Jonathan Arch
June 19, 1952 - June 18, 2012

*The moment that you died
Our hearts were torn in two
One side filled with heartache,
The other died with you
We often lay awake at night
When the world is fast asleep
And take a walk down memory
Lane with tears upon our cheeks
Remembering you is easy,
We do it every day
But missing you is heartache
That ever goes away
We hold you tightly within our
hearts and there you will remain
Until the joyous day arrives
That we meet again*

We love and miss you every day
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In Remembrance

ROBERT JUMPER
ONE FEATHER EDITOR

Cherokee has many memorial grounds and cemeteries. These parcels of land contain the remains of our loved ones and mark a part of our family histories. I think we, each person in the Tribe, owe it to the memories of those who have passed to maintain these memorial sites.

The Qualla Boundary has many public and private memorial sites. Usually, in the case of

private or family sites, there are individuals from the family who will maintain those. Public cemeteries are different in that sometimes the personal connection to the site is lost over time.

Each one of us can make a difference in how these sites are maintained. Some men and women are already stepping up and providing landscaping and repair services for the public cemeteries in our communities, but there is much to do. Grounds-keeping can be time consuming and expensive. More

people need to join in the effort.

While most recently placed graves have family and friends that will keep up appearances, there are many other plots of people who have been long forgotten by family and are in need of maintenance and repair.

If you have free time or funds you may contribute to the cause of cemetery maintenance and repair, it is a worthy investment. It will honor the memory of those who have passed and are another way to preserve the history of our communities.



HAPPENINGS

Church Events

Vacation Bible School. June 24-25 from 5:30p7:30pm at Whittier United Methodist Church. All children ages 6-12 are invited to participate. The theme, "Love your neighbor as yourself", will be presented through games, music, stories and crafts. A light supper will be served each evening, and parents are invited to come and enjoy supper with their children on the last evening. Info: Kay Mason 497-0605

Memorial Gathering to Remember Jean Armachain Sills. June 28 from 5-7pm at Acquoni Baptist Church. Ray Kinsland, a special friend of Jean's, will be the guest speaker. The Old Antioch and Lane Smoker gospel groups will be singing. Afterwards, the floor will be open for friends and relatives to share memories of Jean, followed by a fellowship dinner. Please bring a covered dish. Contact Emily West 497-0247 or Joy Smith 497-1138 if you plan to attend.

General Events

Cherokee Historical, Cultural, Language, and Genealogy Group meeting. June 26 at 5pm at the Ken Blankenship Education Wing at the Museum of the Cherokee Indian. The meeting will include a tour of the "back side" of the Museum acquainting the attendees with many resources of the Museum. Attendees will then be able to use the Museum's computers to access and learn what materials and information the Museum has. The next meeting is scheduled for July 25 at 5pm at the Qualla Boundary Public Library. Info: Mary Wachacha 497-5350 or 788-1196 or Robin Swayney 554-6725

Prevention is Caring HIV Testing Day. June 27 from 10am – 2pm at the Oconaluftee Island Park. The EBCI Public Health and Human Services Division is sponsoring this event which will feature free HIV and Hep C testing. Info: 554-6180

Spaghetti Benefit Dinner for Tahnee Arkansas. June 27 from 11am – 2 pm at the

Dora Reed Center. Dinners include: spaghetti, corn, salad, garlic bread, dessert and drink for \$8. In-town delivery only. All proceeds will go to help Tahnee and her family. Info: 554-6592

Indian Taco and Frybread & Chili Benefit for the Jason McMillan Family. June 27 at 11am at the Old Yellowhill Community Building. All proceeds will go to assist Jason's trip to the 2014 Factory Team National World Series event in Bradenton, Fla. The menu consists of Indian Taco with drink for \$7 and Frybread and chili with drink for \$6. Walk-ins are welcomed or delivery is available upon request for four or more orders. Please call in orders by 9am on Friday, June 27. Info: Lou Johnson 788-2853 or Barry McMillan 554-5093.

The Art of Branding a Community Workshop. June 27 from 1-3pm at the Best Western River Escapes Inn & Suites in Dillsboro. Roger Brooks will discuss branding, product development, and marketing for communities. This event is co-sponsored by the Town of Dillsboro. Info: www.visitsmokies.org

Blood Drive. July 2 from 10am – 2:30pm at the Cherokee Indian Hospital. Info: Sally Penick 497-6193 ext. 6498

39th Annual Cherokee Indian Pow Wow. July 4-6 at the Acquoni Expo Center. Grand entries – Friday at 7pm, Saturday at 1pm and 7pm, Sunday at 1pm. Head Dance Judge: Will Tushka. MC: Dennis Bowen Sr. Arena Director: Gabe Bullock. Host Northern Drum: Medicine Tail. Host Southern Drum: Wild Band of Comanches. Info: Daniel Tramper (828) 399-0835 or dtramper@gmail.com

Qualla Arts & Crafts Membership/Pot Luck meeting. July 10 at 5pm at the Cherokee Indian Fairgrounds. Members are invited to join them and bring your favorite side dish or dessert. Meat, bread, and drinks will be provided. Members will be voting on applicants from February and July. Info: 497-3103

Art event in Asheville to celebrate Cherokee artists. July 14 from 10am – 3pm at the Asheville Chamber of Commerce. The event, co-sponsored by the Asheville Chamber and the Sequoyah Fund, will feature Cherokee artists who will have booths set up to sell their art. A networking reception will take place immediately following from 3-5pm allowing the artists to meet with Chamber funders and board members. Sequoyah Fund is currently selecting artists to participate. Space is limited. Info: Hope Huskey (828) 359-5005

The Jackson County Board of Social Services regularly meeting. July 15 at 9:30am at the Social Services Building in Sylva.

NAYO Softball & Baseball Tournament. July 17-19. The entry deadline is July 7 at 2pm. No late entries will be accepted. The entry fee is \$150 with check or money order payable to: EBCI (Cherokee Life). Five age divisions: 7-8, 9-10, 11-12, 13-15, 16-17. Coaches Meeting for 7-8 division will be on Thursday, July 17 at 8am at the John A. Crowe Complex. The 7-8 division will play on July 17. Coaches Meeting for all other divisions will be on July 17 at 7pm at the Birdtown Rec. Center. Info: Donald Queen 497-0149, 736-6803

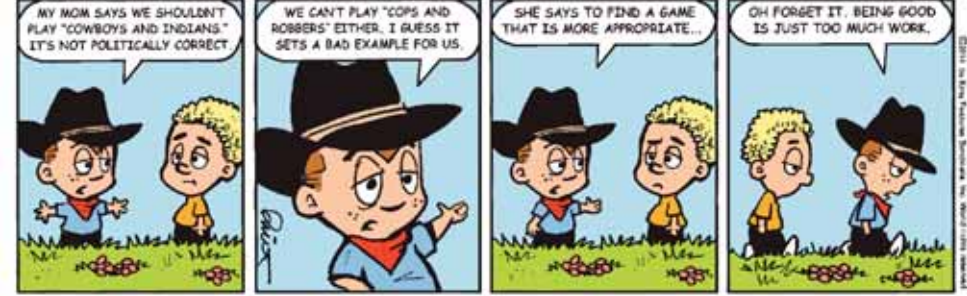
Rumble on the Rez Twilight 5K and 12K Races. July 18 at Cherokee High School. Registration from 4-6:30pm - \$35. Early online registration by July 10 is \$25. Groups of eight or more are \$18/person. The 5K and 12K races begin at 7:30pm. The Fun Run and Walk (\$5) starts at 8pm. T-shirts are guaranteed for the first 100 runners to register. Info: 554-5030

WNC Youth Entrepreneurship Camp. July 21-24 at the Wolfstown Gym. The camp, for kids ages 10-14, gives kids the opportunity to have fun while learning the skills that make business people successful. The first 20 applicants can get a \$200 scholarship. The cost of the camp is \$250. Info: Sequoyah Fund (828) 359-5005 or hopehuskey@sequoyahfund.org

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by Mike Marland



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by Jeff Pickering



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by Linda Thistle

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DIFFICULTY THIS WEEK: ★★★

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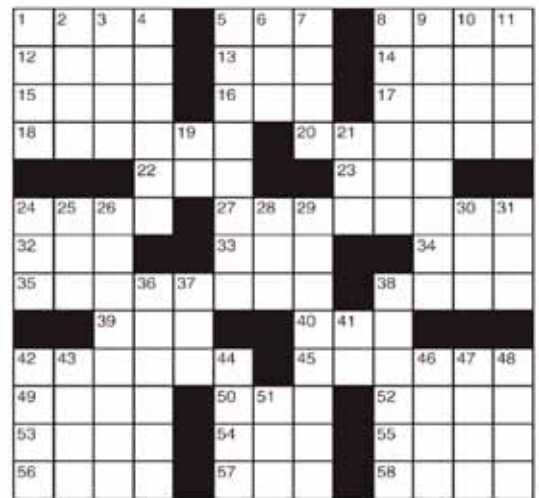
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- 5 Bottom line?
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- 27 Clerics' vesting place



- 32 Melody
 - 33 Ring decision
 - 34 Ball prop
 - 35 Bishop, often
 - 38 Now, on a memo
 - 39 Pitch
 - 40 Understood
 - 42 Mountain range
 - 45 Whole
 - 49 Comedy Central's Daniel
 - 50 — de deux
 - 52 Paradise
 - 53 "Beetle Bailey"
 - 54 Perch
 - 55 Coaster
 - 56 Nasty stinger
 - 57 Type squares
 - 58 "— of the D'Urber-villes"
 - TV 8 Forward, in Florence
 - 9 Asks
 - 10 Malaria symptom
 - 11 Sheepish remarks
 - 19 With 41-Down, continue
 - 21 Listener
 - 24 Bankroll
 - 25 Midafternoon, in a way
 - 26 Disapprovers' demonstrations
 - 28 Alias (Abbr.)
 - 29 Creates a
 - jam
 - 30 Earl Grey, for one
 - 31 "Uh-huh"
 - 36 Drive-in staffer
 - 37 Blunder
 - 38 Authenticate
 - 41 See 19-Down
 - 42 Pack away
 - 43 Greek vowel
 - 44 Cathedral feature
 - 46 Between jobs
 - 47 Roger of "Cheers"
 - 48 Tackles' teammates
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DOWN

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Trivia test by Fifi Rodriguez

- 1. TELEVISION: Which television sitcom was set at the Stratford Inn?
 - 2. GEOGRAPHY: Where is the Bay of Fundy?
 - 3. SCIENCE: How much faster does sound travel in water than in air?
 - 4. MATH: What is the origin of the word "zero"?
 - 5. ENTERTAINERS: Which famous comedian/actor had a brief boxing career?
 - 6. ANATOMY: Where is the macula in the human body?
 - 7. LANGUAGE: What is a "beau geste"?
 - 8. MEASUREMENTS: What does a "gill" measure?
 - 9. GENERAL KNOWLEDGE: What is the color of the circle on Japan's national flag?
 - 10. AD SLOGANS: Which company urged customers to "make a run for the border"?
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Weekly SUDOKU

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Answer

King Crossword

Solution time: 25 mins.

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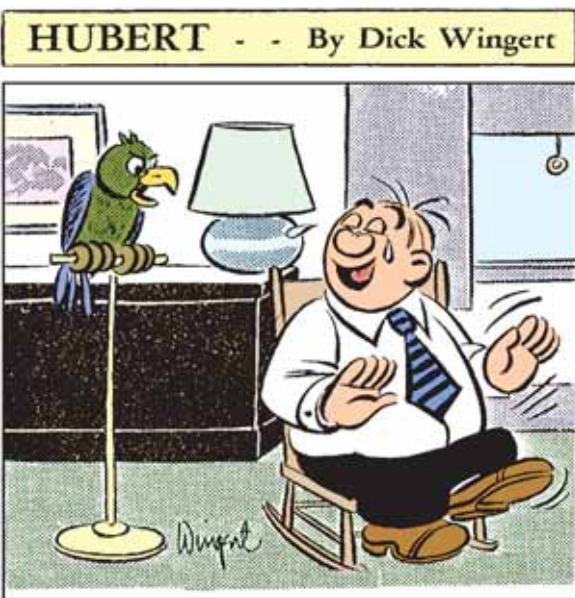
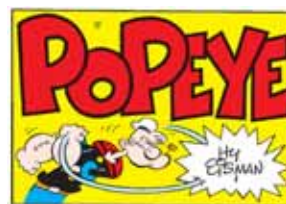
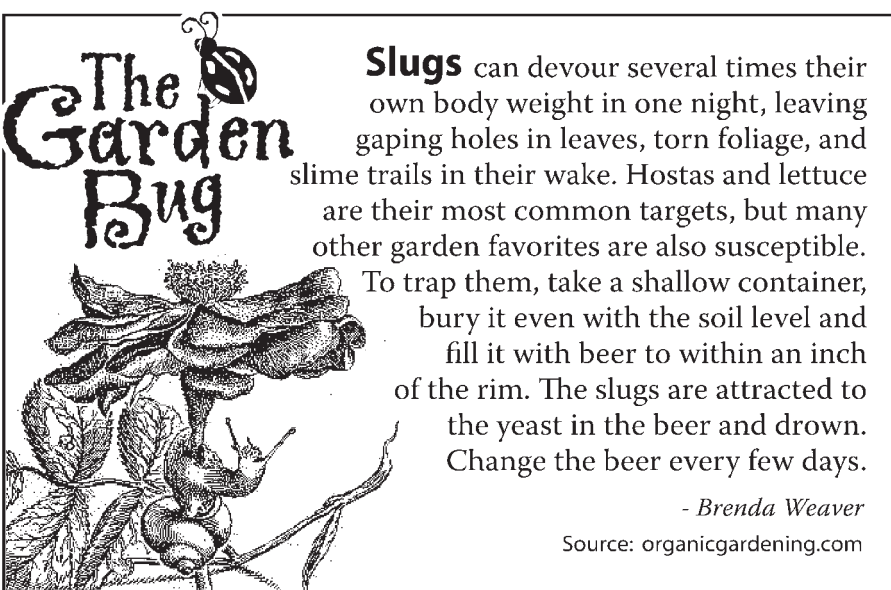
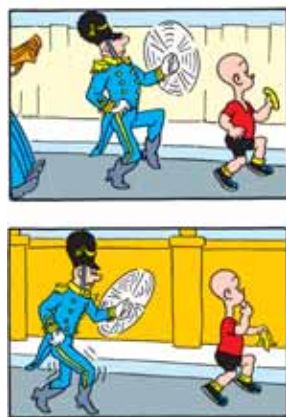
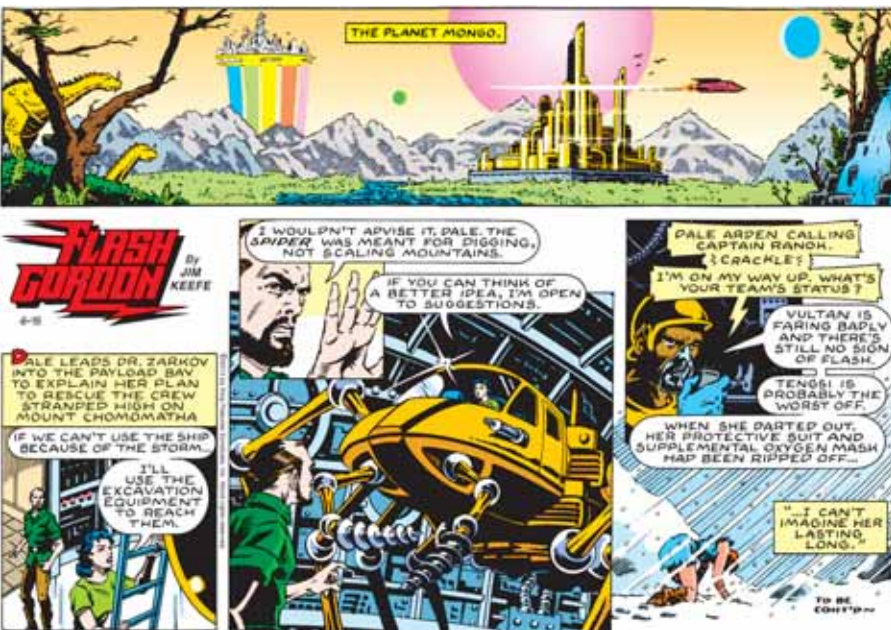
ACROSS

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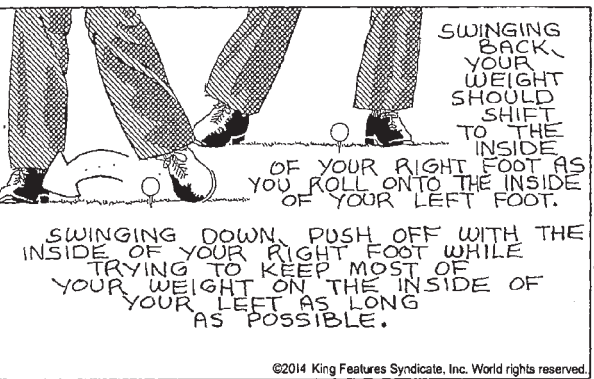
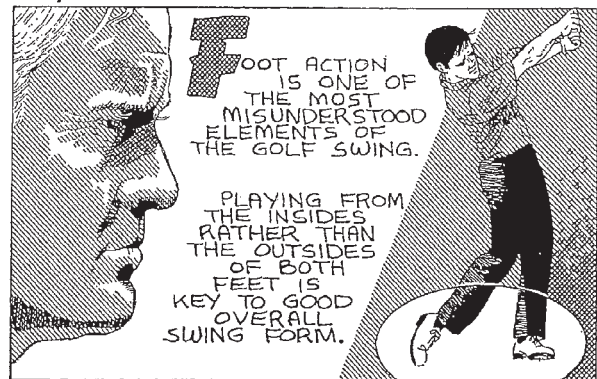
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- Trivia Test Answers
- 1. "Newhart"; 2. Between the Canadian provinces of New Brunswick and Nova Scotia; 3. About four times faster; 4. Arabic, from the word "sifr," which means empty; 5. Bob Hope; 6. The eye; 7. A magnanimous gesture; 8. Liquids, about one-quarter of a pint; 9. Red; 10. Taco Bell



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CHURCH

BIBLE TRIVIA

By WILSON CAVEY

1. Is the book of Lamentations in the Old or New Testament or neither?
2. Which book may be summarized, "It really is true, Jesus Christ is God Himself"?
3. In Esther 2:17, Es-ther was made queen instead of ...? Vashti, Ruth, Anna, Sapphira
4. Who gave Solomon cedar and fir trees ac-cording to all his de-sire? David, Hiram, Chalcol, Mahol
5. From Ecclesiastes 3, there is a time to mourn and a time to ...? Leave, Dance, Love, Profit
6. In 1 John 4:8, God is "what"? Always, Grace, Love, Beloved

ANSWERS: 1) Old; 2) John; 3) Vashti; 4) Hiram; 5) Dance; 6) Love

Comments? More Trivia? Visit www.Triv-iaGuy.com

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Acquoni Baptist Church. 722 Ac-quoni Road. 497-7106. Sunday School 10am. Sunday Morning Wor-ship 11am. Sunday Evening Worship 6pm. Sunday Choir Practice 7pm. Monday Visitation and Singing 6pm. Wednesday Prayer Meeting 6pm. Pastor Ed Kilgore (497-6521 (h) or 788-0643 (c)

Antioch Baptist Church. Coopers Creek Road. Sunday School 10am. Sunday Service 11am. Sunday Night Service 6pm. Wednesday Night Bible Study 7pm. Pastor Danny Lambert

Beacon of Hope Baptist Church. Sunday Worship 11am. Wednesday Service 7pm. Pastor Wesley Stephens (828) 226-4491

Bethabara Baptist Church. 1088 Birdtown Road. Sunday School 10am. Sunday Service 11am and 7pm. Wednesday Service 7pm. Youth Meeting Wednesday 7pm. Pas-tor Eddie Sherrill 497-7770

Big Cove Missionary Baptist Church. 6183 Big Cove Road. Sun-day School 10am with a Cherokee Language class for adults. Sunday Morning Worship 11am. Sunday Evening Worship 6pm. Wednesday Prayer Service 7pm. Monthly Busi-ness Meeting is first Wednesday 7pm. Pastor James “Bo” Parris 497-4141

Big Cove Pentecostal Holiness Church. 7710 Big Cove Road. Sun-day School 10am. Sunday Worship Service 11am. Wednesday Night Service 7pm. Pastor Doris McMillan 497-4220

Calico Church of Christ. Big Cove Community. Sallie Bradley 497-6549

Cherokee Baptist Church. 812 Tsalagi Road. Sunday School 9:45am. Sunday Worship 11am.

Sunday Evening Worship 6pm. Youth Classes Wednesday 6:30pm. Wednes-day Worship 6:30pm. Pastor Percy Cunningham 497-2761, 497-3799 (fax)

Cherokee Bible Church. Olivet Church Road. Sunday Service 11am. Wednesday Service 7pm. Pastor Randy Miller 497-2286

Cherokee Church of Christ. 2350 Old Mission Road and Hwy. 19. Sun-day Bible Study 10am. Sunday Wor-ship 11am. Sunday Evening Worship 7pm. Wednesday Bible Study 7pm. Minister Jim Sexton 497-3334

Cherokee Church of God. 21 Church of God Drive. Sunday School 10am. Sunday Worship Service 11am. Sunday Night Service 6pm. Wednesday Night Service 7pm. Pas-tor Charles Griffin (828) 400-9753

Cherokee Church of the Nazarene. 72 Old School Loop off Big Cove Road. Sunday Morning Service 11am. Continental Breakfast served Sunday 10:30am. Sunday Evening Prayer Service 6pm. Wednesday Bible Study 7pm. Food and Clothing Ministry M-Th 4-8pm. Pastors Lester and Lisa Hardesty 497-2819

Cherokee Pentecostal Holiness Church. 135 Long Branch Road. Sunday School 10 am, Sunday wor-ship service 11 am, Sunday evening service 6 pm, Wednesday night 6 pm.

Cherokee United Methodist Church. Hwy 19 – Soco Road. Sun-day Worship Service 11am. Wednes-day night family night starting with dinner at 6pm then Bible classes for all ages. Pastor John Ferree (336) 309-1016, www.cherokeemission.org

Cherokee Wesleyan Church. Hwy

19 across from Happy Holiday Camp-ground. Sunday School 10am. Sun-day Worship 11am. Sunday Evening Service and Kids Club 6pm. Wednes-day Prayer meeting 6pm (except third Wednesday of Month at Tsali Care 6:30pm). Rev. Patricia Crockett 586-5453

Christ Fellowship Church. Great Smokies Center. Sunday Service 11am. Wednesday Service 6:30pm. Pastor Richard Sneed 736-8912

Ela Missionary Baptist Church. Hwy 19 South. Sunday school 10am, Sunday worship 11am, Sunday evening worship 7pm, Wednesday evening worship 7pm. All visitors welcome. Pastor Larry W. Foster

Goose Creek Baptist Church. Sun-day School – 10am, Sunday Worship Service 11am, Sunday Evening Serv-ices 6pm. Pastor – Bro. James Gunter

Jesus is the Light Full Gospel Min-istries. 1921 US 441 N. Sunday serv-ice 10am. Thursday service 7pm. Pastor Margie Hall 736-9383

Living Waters Lutheran Church. 30 Locust Road. Sunday Service 11am. Pastor Jack Russell 497-3730, prjack@frontier.com, lwchero-kee@frontier.com

Macedonia Baptist Church. 1181 Woltfown Rd. Sunday School 10am, Sunday Morning Worship 11am, Sunday Evening Worship 6pm, Wednesday Evening Bible Study 7pm. Pastor Bro. Dan Conseen, 828-508-2629 dconseen@gmail.com

Olivet United Methodist Church. 811 Olivet Church Road. Sunday School 9am. Sunday Service 9:45am. Rev. John Ferree, www.olivet-umc.org. Search “John Ferree” to watch ser-mons on You Tube.

Our Lady of Guadalupe Catholic Church.

82 Lambert Branch Road. Saturday Spanish Mass 7pm. Sunday Mass 9am. Pastor Shawn O'Neal 497-9755 or 497-9498

Piney Grove Baptist Church.

Grassy Branch Road. 736-7850. Sunday School 10am. Sunday Worship Service 11am. Sunday Evening Service 6pm. Wednesday Worship 6pm.

Potter's House of Prayer.

Inez Welch Residence on Adams Creek. Sundays at 9:30am and 6pm, Wednesdays at 6pm. Preacher: William Cornwell. Everyone welcome. Come as you are. Info: William 736-6925, Charlene Cornwell 736-2232

Rock Hill Baptist Church.

Sunday Services 11am, Thursday Bible Study 7pm. Pastor Red Woodard (828) 356-7312

Rock Springs Baptist Church.

129 Old Gap Road. Sunday School 10am. Sunday Service 11am and 6:30pm. Wednesday Service 6:30pm. Pastor Greg Morgan 497-9455, 736-1245 (cell)

Sequoyah Sovereign Grace Church.

3755 Big Cove Road. Sunday School 10:15am. Sunday Service 11am. Sunday Evening Service 1pm. Wednesday Night Bible Study 7pm. Pastor Tim James 497-7644

St. Francis of Assisi Episcopal Church of

Cherokee. 82 Old River Road. Holy Communion Sunday 9:30am. Rev. Dr. Norma H. Hanson (828) 277-7399

Straight Fork Baptist Church.

Big Cove Loop. Sunday school 10am. Sunday morning worship 11am. Sunday evening worship 6pm. Wednesday night prayer service 7pm. Youth group meetings also. Pastor Charles Ray Ball 488-3974

Waterfalls Baptist Church.

Wrights Creek Road. Sunday Morning 10am. Sunday Evening 6pm. Wednesday Evening 6:30pm. Pastor James "Red" Bradley

Wilmot Baptist Church.

Thomas Valley Road. Sunday school: 10am, Worship: 11am, Sunday night worship: 6pm, Wednesday prayer service: 7pm, every other Thursday night (Youth night) singing, bible study and crafts: 6pm. Pastor: Johnny Ray Davis

Wrights Creek Baptist Church.

Wrights Creek Rd. Sunday School 10am. Sunday Worship Service 11am. Sunday Evening Service 6pm. Wednesday Night Bible Study 6pm. Visitors welcome. Pastor Dan Lambert.

Yellowhill Baptist Church.

Sunday School 9:45am. Sunday Worship Service 11am. Sunday Evening Service 6pm. Wednesday Night Service 7pm. Pastor Foreman Bradley 506-0123 or 736-4872

Gadugi Ecology: White-tailed Deer Monitoring Project

1. Precise Location: _____

2. Date and Time Observed: _____

3. Deer Identification Number: _____

4. Notes:



Mail to:
Fisheries and Wildlife
P.O. Box 1747
Cherokee, NC. 28719

Email:
ebcifw@gmail.com

Call:
(828) 554-6110

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House for Rent: 3BR/1BA in Birdtown Community. \$750 per month plus security and deposit. Serious inquires only. Call 828-421-5604 for details. **7/17pd**

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Attention - I am still buying Junk – cars and scrap metal. I will come to you, call Nelson 828-488-9848 – 828-269-3292. **8/28pd**



EMPLOYMENT

Western Carolina University is seeking qualified individuals for the following positions:

Academic Advisor (1472)
Asst Dir
Development/Catamount Club
Asst Dir Distance Learning (0611)
Asst Dir Financial Aid (0036)
Asst Football Coach (3613)
Assoc Dean, Health & Human Science (0996)
Assoc Dir, Student Community Ethics (143851)
Assoc Dir University Cntr Programs (4508)
Assoc Provost for Academic Affairs (4772)
Assoc Vice
Chancellor/Dean of Students (140461)
Bldg & Env Svcs Tech (Housekeeping & Grounds)
Business & Technology Appl Spec (2250)
Dean, Kimmel School of Construction (0619)
Dir, Campus Activities (3552)
Dir, Conference Services (143586)
Dir, Equal Opportunity & Diversity (0459)
Dir, Field Experiences (4768)
Dir, Int'l Programs & Services (0608)
Dir Planning Design & Construction (3000)
Instructional Developer (2035)
International Student Scholar Svcs (2554)
Librarian, Research & In-

struction (2926)
Library Tech (2960)
Research Development Spec (4019)
Resident Director (3579)
Strength & Conditioning Intern (T00933)
Vice Chancellor for Admin & Finance (0004)
Faculty Positions:
Accounting (1741)
Biology (2034)
Chemistry & Physics (1178)(T10026)
Clinical Psychology (1580)
Construction Management (2029 & 0184)
Criminology & Criminal Justice (131838)
Economics (1421)
Educational Research (1171)
Engineering & Technology, (1191)
Forensic Science Instructor (141714)
Management (0372)
Musical Director (120565)
Nursing (140584)(T10023)
Nursing (2) – DNP & RIBN Program Director (140583)
Philosophy & Religion (2327)140559
School of Music (0755 & 1831)
School of Teaching & Learning (1528)
Social Work (151819)

Please go to jobs.wcu.edu for details and to apply online. AA/EOE **6/26pd**

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 July 11, 2014 @ 4 pm

1. Housekeeper II (X2) (\$23,040-\$28,800)
2. Community Mobilization Coordinator (\$33,280-\$41,600)
3. Tele-communicator (\$30,320-\$37,900)
4. Assistant Manager-Tribal Operations (\$36,560-\$45,700)
5. Collections Processor (\$27,680-\$34,600)
6. Computer Specialist-IT (\$40,080-\$50,100)
7. Director-QHA (\$74,800-\$93,500)
8. Electrician Helper-QHA (\$23,040-\$28,800)
9. Plumber Helper-QHA (\$23,040-\$28,800)
10. Corrections Sergeant (\$43,920-\$54,900)
11. Sergeant-Traffic Enforcement (\$\$43,920-\$54,900)
12. Family Support Coordinator (\$30,320-\$37,900)
13. Kituwah Academy Teacher (\$40,080-\$50,100)

Open Until Filled

1. EMT-P (Part-time) – EMS
2. Teacher- Tribal Child Care
3. Teacher Assistant- Tribal Child Care
4. IT Auditor- Internal Audit
5. Attorney General- Legal
6. Early Childhood/Elementary Language Specialist- KPEP
7. Language Specialist Assistant- KPEP
8. Jail Administrator- Detention Services
9. Detention Sergeant- Detention Services
10. Detention Officers- Detention Services
11. Aquatics Coordinator- Cherokee Life
12. Exercise Physiologist- Cherokee Life

Health & Medical Positions

Open Until Filled

1. C.N.A. Tsali Care Center (X3)
2. R.N. Tsali Care Center
3. Cook Aide – Tsali Care Center
4. Medication Aide – Tsali Care Center
5. Assistant Supervisor, Maintenance – Tsali Care Center
6. Cook – Tsali Care Center
7. LPN – Tsali Care Center
8. CHR – Community Health
9. Cook Supervisor – Tsali Care Center
10. Housekeeper – Tsali Care Center

Download Applications & Job Descriptions

NC-Cherokee.com/HumanResources/Employment/Job-Opportunities

WIA Summer Youth Workforce Training Program

The Higher Education and Training Program currently has several opening on WIA Youth Workforce program. Applications may be submitted beginning Thursday June 23, 2014 thru Thursday July 9, 2014. This program is an income based program and follows the 2014 poverty guidelines established by the Health and Human Services. Applications are available at the Education and Training Office, located at the Ginger Lynne Welch Building, and at the Snowbird Library. Applicants must be 16-21 years of age and currently attending school to be eligible to apply. Additional information is available with the application. **7/3pd**

Cherokee Central is now taking applications for the following positions:

The following positions are open until filled: UPDATED: 6/20/2014

- Teacher Assistants
- Trade and Industrial Teacher**
- Elementary Teacher**
- High School English Teacher**
- Agriculture Education Teacher**
- SPED Teacher**
- Full Time Substitute**
- Health Occupation Teacher**
- Registered Nurse/School Nurse
- Varsity Cheerleading Coach
- Varsity Volleyball Coach
- Middle School Softball Coach
- Substitute Custodians
- Substitute Teachers
- Substitute Security

**A NC teaching license is required for all Teaching positions

*Teacher assistants serving in Title 1 schools, in an instructional capacity, must have an Associate's Degree or two years (48 semester hours) of study at an institute of higher education. **6/26**

The Jackson County Department of Social Services is recruiting for a Processing Assistant in its Cherokee Office. This position requires a general knowledge of office procedures, the ability to learn and apply a variety of guidelines, to work efficiently and independently, and relate to others with courtesy and respect. Duties will include reception, typing, filing, data entry, scanning, file development and other related clerical tasks. Applicants must have completed high school and have at least one year of clerical experience or an equivalent combination of training and experience. The starting salary is \$25,340.22. Applicants should complete a NC State application form (PD-107) and submit it to the Sylva branch of the NC Employment Security Commission as soon as possible. **6/26**

THE CHEROKEE INDIAN HOSPITAL AUTHORITY has the following job available:

FT LPN or CMA / Immediate Care Center

Anyone interested should pick up an application and position description from Teresa Carvalho or Deborah Toineeta at the Cherokee Indian hospital Human Resources Office between the hours of 8:00am – 4:00pm Monday –Friday. These positions will close JUNE 27, 2014 @ 4pm. Indian preference does apply and a current job application must be submitted. Resumes will not be accepted in lieu of CIHA application. **6/26**

Cherokee Home Health

**located at Beloved Women's and Children's
Wellness Center**

**Hours: M-F 7:45am - 4:30pm
554-6870**

RFPs, BIDs, etc.

Advertisement for Request for Proposal

Eastern Band of Cherokee Indians - Benefits Office

Ginger Lynn Welch Center

Suite 160, P.O. Box 554, 810 Acquoni Road

Cherokee, North Carolina 28719

Phone: (828) 554-6391, Fax: (828) 497-8198

Request for Proposal Title:

Investment Performance Consultants for the EBCI Employee Defined Benefit Pension Plans and the 401(k) Retirement Plans

The Eastern Band of Cherokee Indians Benefits Office (EBCI) is requesting sealed proposals for the Investment Performance Consultants for the EBCI defined benefit plans and 401(k) Retirement Plans, both Commercial and Governmental Plans.

All interested parties shall meet the deadline for proposals by sending them to the Tribal Employee Benefits Office no later than June 30th at 4:00 PM. Firms that do not submit their proposals by this deadline will not be considered. Please be advised that Indian Preference (as defined by the Tribal Employment Rights Office) applies for this contract

You may request a copy of the RFP by contacting EBCI Retirement Specialist, Kristin Smith at (828) 554-6391 or krissmit@nc-cherokee.com.

6/26

Harrah's Cherokee Casino Resort is requesting Bids from qualified vendors for the following: "Valley River Casino & Hotel Offsite Utility Improvements." Bid Documents may be obtained from 4D Engineering via telephone: 803-356-0909 or email: Charlie@4DEngr.com. Hard copy Bid Documents must be requested seven days before bid due date or sooner. A prebid meeting will be held on June 23, 2014 at 11am (EST) in the Whiting Turner Field Office located at 57 Snap On Drive in Murphy, North Carolina. Sealed bids must be received by July 3, 2014 2pm (EST) at 305 North Lake Drive, Lexington, South Carolina, 29072. This project is being bid in accordance with TERO law. **6/26pd**

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Request for Proposal Title:

Performance Consultants for the EBCI Health and Welfare Plans

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LEGAL NOTICES

Eastern Band of Cherokee Indians
Cherokee, North Carolina Estate File No.
14-044

In the Matter of the Estate of Charles James Hornbuckle

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: July 10, 2014
Suzanne Hornbuckle, PO BOX 1744,
Cherokee, NC 28719. **7/10pd**

Eastern Band of Cherokee Indians
Cherokee, North Carolina Estate File No.
14-030

In the Matter of the Estate of Ryan Arch Miller

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: July 17th,
2014
Jessica Nicole Miller Davis, 404 Welch
Road, Cherokee, NC 28719. **7/17pd**

REALTY

Painttown Community

The following is a list of tribal members that have documents to sign in the BIA Realty Office. These are land transfers from both Tribal Members and the Eastern Band by Resolution.

Aubrey Anne George Bigmeat, Wesley Goins Bigmeat, Nick Bradley Jr., Wanda Lee Smith Bradley, Rebecca Smith Bridges, Letisha Nicole Bird, Leslie Shannon Swimmer Bryant, Freda Charlene Wolfe Cisneros, Linda Dianne Hornbuckle Fortner, Daniel Lamar Hornbuckle, Michael Thorton Hornbuckle, Thurman Hornbuckle III, Michael Doc Lambert, Samuel John Lambert, Ted Major Lambert, Kara Ann Little, Patricia Ann Maney Little, Jerry Los-siah Jr., Eloise George Maney, Madge Elizabeth Lambert Owle, Sally Ann George Shehan, *Rowena Smith, Sandra Helen Lambert Sneed, Charles Wolfe, *Anna Lee Swimmer Youngdeer, *John Irvin Youngdeer, Lucinda George McCoy, Donna Roberta George Walkingstick

Proposed Land Transfers

Timothy Ray Taylor to Ruth Marie Sequoyah McCoy for Birdtown Community Parcel No. 841, containing 1.005 Acres, more or less, together with all improvements located thereon.

Jonnie Ann Lambert Cunningham to Peggy Rosalie Lambert Lambert for Birdtown Community Parcel No. 38-G (Part of Parcel No. 38-F), containing 0.091 Acres, more or less.

Janey Karyl Smith to Tonya Elizabeth Carroll for Birdtown Community Parcel No. 691 (Part of Parcel No. 685), containing 0.997 Acres, more or less, together with all improvements located thereon.

Christy Lou Wachacha to Gail Marie Wachacha for Wolfetown Community Parcel No. 473 (Part of Parcel No. 468), containing 0.535 Acres, more or less, together with all improvements located thereon.

Ruben Teesatuskie to Misty Dawn Teesatuskie for Upper Cherokee Community Parcel No. 670-J (Part of Parcel No. 670-H), containing 1.201 Acres, more or less.

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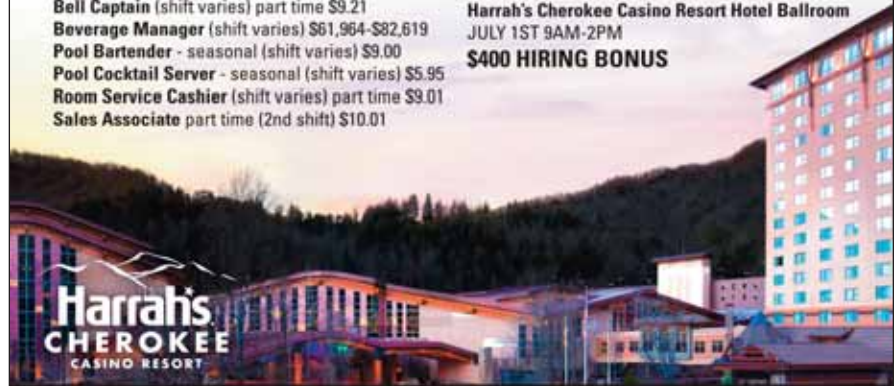
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Bell Captain (shift varies) part time \$9.21
Beverage Manager (shift varies) \$61,964-\$82,619
Pool Bartender - seasonal (shift varies) \$9.00
Pool Cocktail Server - seasonal (shift varies) \$5.95
Room Service Cashier (shift varies) part time \$9.01
Sales Associate part time (2nd shift) \$10.01

Engineering Technician in Development
(shift varies) \$12.00
Engineering Technician (3rd shift) \$14.10-\$21.55
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part time (swing) \$5.25 + tips
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GRAND ENTRIES

FRI: 7pm • SAT: 1pm & 7pm • SUN: 1pm

HOST DRUMS

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Men's Golden Age Combined (50+)

Women's Golden Age Combined (50+)

Men's & Women's Categories (18-49)

Men's Traditional, Grass, Fancy, Straight, Chicken

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Buckskin

1st \$1,000 • 2nd \$700 • 3rd \$500 • 4th \$300

Teen Categories (13-17)

Teen Boy's Traditional, Grass, Fancy

Teen Girl's Traditional, Jingle, Fancy

1st \$300 • 2nd \$200 • 3rd \$100 • 4th \$50

Junior Categories (6-12)

Tiny Tots (5 & Under)

Exhibition Day Money

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Tickets Available at the Event Gate

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Registration Hours: Friday Noon-7 pm • Saturday 9 am-
Noon

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Dancer Registration: \$10 • Drum Registration: \$50

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VENDOR INFO:

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