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REMEMBERING our fallen

Cherokee to observe Memorial Day 2016

LEW HARDING

Being buried with military honors is a ceremony deeply meaningful to the family and friends of a fallen

warrior. It is short, about eight to 10 minutes, and performed by a band of brothers and sisters who honor the sacrifice of the fallen and choose not to forget. Words of sympathy and gratitude are spoken over a flag-draped coffin. An honor guard fires rifles in a 21-gun salute. The carefully-folded flag is presented to the grieving family followed by a prayer and the presentation of empty casings.

Somehow, it is never enough. For the families that have lost loved ones, every day is Memorial Day. It is a day of remembrance honoring those who gave so much and who made the ultimate sacrifice so that we might be free. On this day, let us all pause to remember the very high price of freedom.

We will do that as a community on Monday, May 30 at 11am at the Yellowhill Veterans Memorial Cemetery. For those of us that remain, it is our duty to recognize and ensure that future generations remember and are inspired by their heroism in support of our country. Walking in a Veterans Memorial Park while reflecting on all that was done for us is a very moving experience. We do indeed owe them a debt we can never repay.

what: Cherokee Memorial Day observance
when: Monday, May 30 at 11am
where: Yellowhill Veterans Cemetery
who: everyone is welcome, admission is free

We grieve for the feelings of pain and loss in the families. May we never take for granted the blessings that we have been given. And, may we never again sacrifice one warrior in some politician's trumped-up cause. Hearts can be healed, and the painful memories of Memorial Day can give way to forgiveness and love and joy and peace. Let us renew our commitment to our fallen and to each other as we honor the memories of those who gave so much to pass the torch of freedom.

On Memorial Day, at 3pm local time, please join our fellow Americans in observing 60 seconds of silence. This national Moment of Remembrance honors U.S. service members the world over who gave their lives in the line of duty.

Harding is the Commander of the Steve Youngdeer American Legion Post 143.



SCOTT MCKIE B.P./One Feather

SFC Clifford Long and SFC Alva Brown lay a wreath in honor and memory of EBCI tribal members that were killed in action in WWI, WWII, Korea, and Vietnam during last year's Memorial Day observance at the Yellowhill Veterans Cemetery.

Bradley sentenced to 10 years for killing husband

ASHEVILLE - Pattie Sue Bradley, 43, an EBCI tribal member of Cherokee, was sentenced on Thursday, May 19 to 120 months in prison for killing her husband, announced Jill Westmoreland Rose, U.S. Attorney for the Western District of North Carolina. U.S. District Judge Martin Reidinger also sentenced Bradley to three years of supervised release following her prison term.

According to the information to which Bradley pleaded guilty, other documents filed in this case and statements made in court, on or about Jan. 13, 2015, within the

boundaries of the Cherokee Indian reservation, Bradley stabbed and killed her husband, Henry Bradley, also an Indian. Court records show that the Cherokee Indian Police Department arrived at the Bradleys' residence in response to a 911 call. When the responding officer asked Pattie Bradley about what had occurred, she told him that another individual had tried to break into the house and she had cut him with a knife.

According to court records, the officer then noticed that the victim was sitting and passed out on the couch inside the couple's home. The officer also observed that the

victim's hands were covered with blood. Pattie Bradley stated that the victim had a cut on his hand, but when emergency technicians arrived at the scene they determined that the victim had actually been stabbed once in the abdomen.

The victim was transported to the hospital, where he later died. On Jan. 14, 2015, CIPD interviewed Pattie Bradley who told the officers that on the night of the incident she and the victim had been drinking and arguing, and she admitted to stabbing the victim over the course of the argument.

Bradley pleaded guilty on Oct. 23, 2015 to one count of assault

with intent to commit murder. She is currently in custody and upon designation of a federal facility, she will be transferred to the custody of the Federal Bureau of Prisons. Federal sentences are served without the possibility of parole.

The FBI and CIPD investigated the case. Assistant U.S. Attorney John Pritchard prosecuted the case. U.S. Attorney Rose was joined in making Thursday's sentencing announcement by John A. Strong, Special Agent in Charge of the Federal Bureau of Investigation (FBI), Charlotte Division; and Cherokee Chief of Police James Dike Sneed.

- Department of Justice

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CIPD Arrest Report May 16-23

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.

Frady, Jeffery Lee – age 30

Arrested: May 16 at 23:00

Not released as of press time
Charges: Assault on a Female, Failure to Appear



Driver, Joseph Melvin – age 39

Arrested: May 17 at 17:02

Released: May 17
Charges: Probation Violation



Watty, Ariella Jo – age 31

Arrested: May 17 at 08:30

Not released as of press time
Charges: Failure to Appear on Misdemeanor



Parton, Reagan Elizabeth – age 23

Arrested: May 18 at 03:30

Not released as of press time
Charges: Failure to Appear



Ledford, Nigel Holmes – age 20

Arrested: May 19 at 21:00

Not released as of press time
Charges: Receiving or Possessing Stolen Property, Unauthorized Use



of Motor Vehicle

Squirrel, Joshua Brent – age 29

Arrested: May 19 at 01:14

Not released as of press time
Charges: Failure to Appear on Misdemeanor



Bird, Martine – age 25

Arrested: May 20 at 22:45

Not released as of press time
Charges: Assault on a Female (DV)



Bird, William Allen – age 51

Arrested: May 20 at 01:16

Not released as of press time
Charges: Assault on a Female



Cruz, Althia Lossie – age 51

Arrested: May 20 at 22:20

Released: May 21
Charges: Second Degree Trespass



Lossiah, Johnnie Ray – age 24

Arrested: May 20 at 15:35

Not released as of press time
Charges: Failure to Appear on Misdemeanor



Welch, Mallory Dannelle – age 21

Arrested: May 20 at 16:00

Released: May 21
Charges: Failure to Appear



George, Richard – age 22

Arrested: May 21 (no booking time given)



Not released as of press time
Charges: Failure to Appear on Misdemeanor

Jackson, Rain Edwind – age 21

Arrested: May 21 (no booking time given)

Released: May 21
Charges: Failure to Obey Lawful Court Order



McCoy II, Kallup Earl – age 29

Arrested: May 21 at 11:26

Not released as of press time
Charges: Receiving or Possessing Stolen Property, Resisting Lawful Arrest, Possession Schedule I Controlled Substance, Possession Drug Paraphernalia



Bigmeat, Robyn Michelle – age 44

Arrested: May 21 at 23:00

Not released as of press time
Charges: Disorderly Conduct, Intoxicated and Disruptive in Public



Holder, Timothy Dale – age 44

(mugshot not available by press time)

Arrested: May 23 at 00:32

Not released by press time
Charges: Child Abuse in the Second Degree, Weapons Offense, Aggravated Weapons Offense, Resisting Lawful Arrest, Assault by Pointing a Gun

Waldroup, John Calvin – age 54

(mugshot not available by press time)

Arrested: May 23 at 01:20

Not released by press time
Charges: Assault on a Female, Larceny



CIPD photo

A DWI checkpoint in Cherokee on Saturday, May 14 netted multiple offenders.

CIPD checkpoint nets 13 DWI charges

The Cherokee Indian Police Department (CIPD) partnered with the western North Carolina chapter of MADD and the N.C. State Highway Patrol to conduct multiple checking stations on the Qualla Boundary on Saturday, May 14.

During these checkpoints, a “Highly Wanted” subject was apprehended, 37.5 grams of methamphetamine were seized and 13 drunk drivers were arrested. Cherokee Chief of Police Dike Sneed stated, “We would like to thank the NCSHP and MADD for working with our agency. We are fortunate to have these types of relationships and look forward to our continued partnerships to keep impaired drivers off of the roadways.”

- CIPD

Georgia Cherokee group doesn't meet federal recognition criteria

SCOTT MCKIE B.P.
ONE FEATHER STAFF

The Georgia Tribe of Eastern Cherokee, Inc., a state-recognized tribe in Georgia, does not meet the criteria for federal recognition according to a notice posted in the Federal Register on Friday, May 13. The group, which received state recognition in 2001 according to the Georgia Council on American Indian Concerns, was denied federal recognition in a 97-page "Proposed Finding Against Acknowledgment" signed by Larry Rogers, Acting Assistant Secretary – Indian Affairs.

The group did not meet three of the seven criteria for federal recognition including being an established Indian entity since 1900, being a distinct Indian community, and maintaining political influence over its members.

"The Petitioner claims to have evolved from the pre-Removal Cherokee Nation, once located in present-day north Georgia and

bordering states, before the United States forced the Nation to remove west," the notice states. "The petitioner implies it remained part of the Nation until about 1900, but provides little evidence to show its ancestors continued as part of the Nation, or that they evolved to become a distinct community in Georgia after the final Removal in 1838 or after 1900."

The group sent a request to apply for federal recognition to the Bureau of Indian Affairs on Dec. 3, 1978. It was received at the Bureau on Jan. 1, 1979, and the group, known then as "Petitioner #41", sent petition materials on Feb. 5, 1980.

In the years that followed, other groups contacted the Bureau claiming to be factions or parts of the group. According to the notice, "...a group led by Mrs. Mary Ann Cain represented a faction of Petitioner #41 and filed a separate letter of intent to petition as the 'Cane Break Band of Eastern Cherokee' on Jan. 9, 1979. The Department designated the Cane

Break group 'Petitioner #41A'. By the early 1990s, the Department began to receive letters from other individuals claiming to represent Petitioner #41, including 'The Georgia Tribe of Eastern Cherokee, Inc.', the 'Georgia Tribe of Eastern Cherokee', 'Georgia Tribe of Eastern Cherokee – Echota Fire', and the 'Georgia Tribe of Eastern Cherokee Echota Fire UKB'."

The group known as Petitioner #41 is the only one dealt with in this current ruling. "The petitioner claims to have evolved from the pre-Removal Cherokee and to represent a specific Cherokee family that did not remove westward with the Nation in the 19th century. The vast majority of petitioner's members identify descent from Daniel Davis and his Cherokee wife, Rachel Martin, and primarily their three children who remained near Dahlanega, Ga., after the Cherokee Nation removed to Indian Territory in the 1830s."

The notice further states, "The Department's analysis finds that the petitioner does not represent an entity that existed within the Cherokee Nation that evolved over

time to form a distinct Cherokee community in Georgia."

An abridged version of the notice that appears in the federal register states, "The evidence demonstrates that petitioner's ancestors were active participants in Cherokee society before 1838. There is no evidence, however, that after the Cherokee Removal the petitioner's ancestors established a separate and distinct community of other Cherokee who did not remove, but remained in Georgia, and there is no evidence that they continued to participate in Cherokee society in Indian territory."

There is a 180-day comment period from the day the notice was posted (May 6) during which interested parties may comment on the petition ruling. Following the comment period, the Department will issue its final determination.

Attempts to reach officials of the Georgia Tribe of Eastern Cherokees were unsuccessful. The website link on their Facebook page (GateCherokee.com) is currently for sale, and a message left at their tribal headquarters was not returned by press time.



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CHS graduation coverage,
EBCI grad photos, Memorial Day
observance coverage,
CHS athletic awards, and more



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Lambert places at State

Cherokee's Darius Lambert (#8) took fifth out of a field of 16 competitors in the boys 1600M Run at the NCHSAA 1A State Championships at NC A&T State University on Friday, May 20. Lambert finished the race by clocking in at 4:45.83, a personal best.

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How will Cherokee affect you?



Cherokee Middle students attend tech conference

LINDA DILLS and BETTE FITZGERALD
CHEROKEE MIDDLE
SCHOOL

The spring Middle School STAC (Student Technology Advisory Council Conference) was held last month at Cherokee Central Schools. There were 11 schools in attendance with a total of 131 students. In the Charles George Memorial Arena, teams of four students designed and programmed their robots to earn point at a variety of challenges.

That morning was the first time the students saw the challenges, forcing them to do some creative building and problem solving. Cherokee Middle took first place in the robotics competition followed by Hiwassee Dam Team 1 and Murphy Team 1. Hayesville Middle School STAC won the School or Community Service competition, and Rachel Reid (Murphy



Photo courtesy of Bette Fitzgerald, CMS STAC sponsor

Cherokee Middle School Robotics team took first place at the recent STAC competition. They are shown (left-right) - Adam Reed, Dreyton Long, Maya Cruz, Kylan Pheasant and Linda Dills.

Middle) won the Hobbies or Special Interest category competition.

WNC EdNET sponsors the Student Technology Advisory Councils (STAC), and students are selected for STAC based on their interest and skills in technology as well as their leadership abilities. Each school

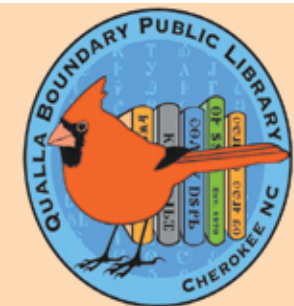
develops a plan to help fulfill the STAC mission in their schools, and the students work throughout the year to implement their plan. A grant from Cherokee Preservation Foundation makes the program possible.

The robotics competition was designed and coordinated

by students from Southwestern Community College's Mechatronics program under the direction of Jim Falbo. Judges for the competitions included current and retired school personnel who donated their time.

Students had the opportunity to select from

various workshops during the conference including: Cherokee Beadwork: Past and Present, Carmen Davis, Cherokee Central Schools technology coordinator; Cherokee Science: A Cultural Evolution of Weapons, Tools and Pottery, Ethan Clapsaddle and staff, Museum of the Cherokee Indian; Electromagnetic Windows in the Sky, Christi Whitworth, Pisgah Astronomical Research Institute (PARI); Google Cardboard Virtual Reality Explorations, Rachel McLean, Tri-County Community College; Reverse Engineering, Janet Frazier, Jackson County Public Schools; Spheros, Let's Get the Ball Rolling!, Theresa Carroll and Jodi Marr, Swain County Schools; The Science of Flavor, Summer Cortinas, N.C. Bionetwork; Trash to Treasure (Entrepreneurship), Hope Huskey, The Sequoyah Fund; and Virtual Learning with zSpace Labs, Bette Fitzgerald, Cherokee Central Schools.



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Long graduates from JCEC

Jacob Long graduated with his high school diploma and an associate's degree from Jackson County Early College last week. Long joined the Cherokee Youth Council program in 2011 and will graduate from the youth council within the next couple months.



"Jacob is a big part of our family and we are so sad to see him go but we can't wait to see what he will do next," says Sky Sampson, Youth Council program manager. "His determination is admirable and he has become such a wise young man within the past five years."

Long is planning to attend Western Carolina University to receive his pre-Veterinarian degree in the fall of 2016 and plans to attend the University of Tennessee to complete his Veterinarian education. He has also applied to be involved with the Jones-Bowman Leadership Program this upcoming year.

"We wish him the very best of luck within the coming years," said Sampson. "Congratulations Jacob! We love you!"

- Cherokee Youth Council

Summer Care Packages for Children's Home

The Cherokee Teen Center is taking donations for summer care packages for children at the Cherokee Children's Home. Their goal is to make 20 packages that will be for kids age 6-18. You can drop off the following items at the Cherokee Youth Center: sunscreen, bug spray, deodorant, aloe, body soap,



Photo contributed

Bowman receives degree posthumously

An honorary degree in biology from High Point University was bestowed on the late Tyler Shane Bowman this spring as this would have been his graduation year. His parents, Kevin Bowman and Denise Walkingstick, are shown with the degree.

Band aids, lotions, and hair brushes. The last day to drop off items is Friday, May 27. Info: Melissa Bodfield 359-6277

- Cherokee Teen Center

deadline to apply is June 1.

This scholarship was named in honor of previous Tribal Coun-

Justice Center visitations

According to officials at the Anthony Edward Lossiah Justice Center, there will be no visitation on Monday May 30. Visitors seeing inmates with a last name that begins with (A-F) may visit on Tuesday, May 31.

- CIPD

Bill Taylor Scholarship deadline is June 1

Applications for the Bill Taylor Scholarship are now being accepted by the Eastern Band Community Foundation. This scholarship is available to all EBCI tribal members or their immediate family members who study business or a business-related curricula. The

cil Chairman Bill Taylor for his involvement and encouragement in bringing the gaming industry to Cherokee and has awarded \$30,762 in scholarships since 2000. Awards are based on students meeting various eligibility requirements detailed on the NCCF website www.nccommunityfoundation.org. Applications can also be downloaded on this site under "Qualla Reservation".

Info: Norma Moss
normahmoss@gmail.com

- Eastern Band Community Found.

New Kituwah Kindergarten registration

New Kituwah Academy is now enrolling students for Kindergarten. Students must turn 5-years-old on or before Aug. 31. Info: 359-6401

- New Kituwah Academy

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James Paul Owle

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Evelyn Grace Arneach

3 months old / F / Brown Hair / Brown Eyes



All three children are believed to be with their non-custodial mother, Shira Raman Mattocks, 26, from Cherokee.

If you have any information on the whereabouts of Shira Raman Mattocks or the children, please contact the Cherokee Indian Police Department 497-4131 or your local law enforcement agency.

Food Vendors

The Cherokee Indian Fair-grounds is taking names for the food vendor drawing until Friday, June 17 at 4pm. Food vendors must be 18-years-old to qualify for spaces or booth. Submit your name and menu to Lisa Frady (lisafrad@nc-chokeee.com, 359-6471) by the deadline above. No exceptions will be made. The drawing will be held on Monday, June 27 at 5:30pm. You must be present at the drawing and pay in cash for your booth on the spot if one is awarded. A receipt will be issued at time of payment.

The fee for the food vendor spaces are the total amount for the five-

day event. Preference will be given to EBCI tribal members for the food booths. There is an exception for space outside of the booths for first-come, first-serve basis. There is also a deposit of \$125 for booth key return and booth clean-up. Deposit will be returned upon key return and clean-up. Payment is required with the payment on the day of drawing. The prices for the spaces are as follows:

Food Vendor space outside of
the booths 10'x20' = \$250
Booth without fryer = \$300
Booth with fryer = \$400

Arts and Crafts Vendors

The Cherokee Indian Fairgrounds is also taking names for arts and crafts vendor spaces at the 104th Cherokee Indian Fair. There are a limited number of spaces.

Arts & Crafts vendors must be 18-years-old to qualify for a space. Submit your name and contact information to Lisa Frady (lisafrad@nc-chokeee.com, 359-6471) by Friday, June 17 at 4pm. You will be contacted by Monday, June 27 as to whether you receive a space or not. Payment will be expected in cash by 4pm on June 27 or your space will be forfeited to another vendor. No exceptions will be made. Spaces are 10'x10' and will be located on the Exhibit Hall porch at the Cherokee Fairgrounds. The fee is \$200 total for each space for the entire five-day event.

If food or craft spaces are available after the deadline, the remaining spaces will be first-come, first-served until they are gone.

- Cherokee Indian Fairgrounds

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May 31, 2016, beginning at 11:30 am.

The Cherokee Speakers Gathering for the month of May will be held at the New Kituwah Academy on May 31, 2016, beginning at 11:30 am. The New Kituwah Academy is located on 60 Waterdam Rd., Cherokee, NC 28719.

The gathering will be a working session with a pot-luck lunch so bring your favorite side dish of vegetables or dessert. We will also be holding a fundraiser auction with baked goods and other items. All Cherokee Speakers and Cherokee second language learners are invited to attend.

For more information call Myrna Climbingbear, KPEP Community Mobilization Coordinator @ 359-6406 or email her at myrnclim@nc-chokeee.com.

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Durbin Feeling a fluent Cherokee speaker, author and teacher will be presenting his work on "The Morho-Semantic study of the Cherokee Verb" at New Kituwah Academy June 22nd –the 24th from 9 am – 3pm. Durbin Feeling is a member of The Cherokee Nation Education Services and Translation Group. He received a bachelors in Journalism at Northeastern University in Tahlequah, Oklahoma; earned a Master's degree in Linguistics at the University of California-Irvine; received an honorary doctorate for his work from The Ohio State University in Columbus, Ohio. Professor Feeling taught at the University of Tulsa for 6 years and The University of Oklahoma for 8 years and is a respected and revered co-author of the Cherokee to English dictionary.

Durbin Feeling's workshop will bolster Cherokee language teachers' pedagogy with a keen insight to semantics, origins and development for teachers and advanced students. Space is limited and daily attendance is required.

This program is sponsored by The Eastern Band of the Cherokee Indians, Kituwah Preservation and Education Program and through funding provided by the Cherokee Preservation Foundation.

To reserve your seat, please contact Bo Lossiah at 359-6408 bolossi@nc-chokeee.com or Myrna Climbingbear at 359-6406 myrnclim@nc-chokeee.com by June 03, 2016.



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OBITUARIES

Charles Regan "Chuck" Brogan Jr.



Charles Regan "Chuck" Brogan Jr., 73, of Whittier, went to be with the Lord on Tuesday, May 17 after a very courageous and long battle with cancer. He was born April 6, 1943 in Midland, Pa.

Chuck was a graduate of St. Petersburg Junior College, St. Petersburg, Fla. in psychology. He did drug counseling in St. Petersburg and led divorced, separated and widowed Catholic groups in the St. Petersburg area for several years. He worked for Sears for 13 years in Florida before moving permanently in 1979 to the Smoky Mountains that he'd loved since his teenage years. In Whittier, he co-owned with his wife Mary, the Misty Mountain Motel, Brer Rabbit Nursery School, and had the franchise for Lincoln Log Homes. In 1984, he went to work for Eckerd Drugs for 13 years. Chuck finished out his work career from 1997-08 retiring from Harrah's Cherokee Casino after 11 years.

Chuck was a family man who loved all his children, loved traveling, and fixing anything broken. In recent years, he loved his Bible Studies at Our Lady of Guadalupe

Catholic Church.

He is survived by his wife, Mary Brogan; his children, Therese Tubbs (Glenn), Suzy O'Connell (Bruce), Mike Brogan (Kim), Angela Stone (Edgar), Marianne Ward (Rory), Lisa Statton (Jason), and Chris Brogan (Ines); his grandchildren, Ryan, Natalie, Ellen, Hannah, Collin, Sean, Brandon, Kyndall, Tia, Samantha, Maggie, Brogan, Lillie, and Tori; one great-grandchild, Gage Ward; one brother, Terry Brogan (Peggy); two sisters, Patty Gaston (Gary) and Peggy Roberts (Bob); and one sister-in-law, Betty O'Neil, sister of Mary.

He was preceded in death by his father, Charles Brogan Sr. and his mother, Mabel Brogan.

The honorary pallbearers are his sons-in-law Glenn Habib, Bruce O'Connell, Edgar Stone, Rory Ward, and Jason Statton.

Memorial may be made to St. Jude's Children's Hospital or to your favorite charity.

R. Steven Rice

R. Steven Rice, 53, went to be with the Lord on Monday, April 25, 2016.

He was born Aug. 3, 1962 in Macon County.

He worked for the Boys & Girls Clubs of America in Cherokee and Snowbird Youth Centers as a Development/Fundraising Officer. He moved to Choctaw, Miss. to open Clubs for the youth there and ended his career with B&GCA in North Central Georgia.

His goal in life was to work with and help children and families.

He is survived by his parents, Ralph and Linda Rice; brother Phil Rice and Sandi; and sister Joan Welch and Jeff; three nieces, Melissa, Britany, and Katie; two neph-

ews, Christopher and Jacob; and special friends, Sam and Helga.

A Memorial Service was held on Saturday, April 30 at the Clarks Chapel Methodist Church. Donations can be made to the church and family, Ralph & Linda Rice 754 Lake Emory Rd Franklin, NC 28735.

William H. Kanott

William H. Kanott, 95, of Cherokee, passed away Wednesday, May 18, 2016 at the Cherokee Indian Hospital.

He was born Dec. 11, 1920 in Cherokee to the late Columbus Kanott and Vinnie Seay Kanott. William was a coal miner for 40 years. He was a veteran of WWII serving in the US Navy. He was a strong Carolina Panthers, Carolina Tarheels, and Cubs fan.

William is survived by his children, Patricia "Tootie" Lambert, Billie Jean "Cookie" Wolfe (husband Noah), Kathy "Rock" Burgess, Nancy Wahneta (husband Rob), Mark "Moe" Kanott (wife Chris), Dennie Kanott, and Brad Kanott (wife Ellita), all of Cherokee and Brenda Kanott of Colorado; one brother, Johnny Kanott; 16 grandchildren; 24 great grandchildren; and 4 great-great grandchildren.

In addition to his parents, William was preceded in death by his wife, Naomi Jackson Kanott; son, Eddie Kanott; grandsons, Xavier Otter, John Burgess, and Kevin Long; and daughter-in-law, Francis Kanott.

The funeral service was held on Saturday, May 21 at Acquoni Baptist Church. Burial followed at the Jackson Cemetery with William's grandsons serving as Pall Bearers. Pastor Ed Kilgore and Ray Kinsland officiated.

Long House Funeral Home assisted the family with arrangements.

Geneva Alene Youngdeer

Geneva Alene Youngdeer, 93, of Cherokee, passed away Thursday, May 19, 2016.

She was born May 19, 1923 in Hanna, Okla. to the late William Isaac Stafford and Cordelia Cox Stafford. She was a proud native Oklahoman.

She is survived by her husband of 73 years, Robert S. Youngdeer; one son, Merritt E. Youngdeer Sr. and wife Lulie of Cherokee; one daughter, Judith A. Nelson and husband John of Lawton, Oklah.; grandchildren, Connie S. O'Neill of Groton, SD, Audra L. Vogel of Aberdeen, SD, Lauren Armachain of Cherokee, Angela M. Nelson of Atlanta, Ga., Carla Alene Williams of Lawton, Okla., and John R. Nelson of Cherokee; great grandchildren, Taylor Lynn and husband Skyler Spellman of Loma Linda, Calif., Payton N. Maine of Groton, SD, Ashley S. Vogel of Aberdeen, SD, Zack Vogel of Aberdeen, SD, Orion D. Holmberg of Cherokee, Kenneth C. Williams of Lawton, Okla., and Robert C. Williams of Lawton, Okla.

In addition to her parents, Geneva was preceded in death by one grandson, Merritt E. Youngdeer Jr.; and eight brothers and sisters.

Funeral services were held on Monday, May 23 at the Macedonia Baptist Church with Pastor Dan Conseen and Merritt E. Youngdeer Sr. officiating. Private burial followed at the Youngdeer cemetery. Pallbearers were among family and friends.

Long House Funeral Home served the Youngdeer family.

Cherokee Elementary School Awards - Kindergarten - 4th

Kindergarten

Braves Achievement Award:

Derick Owle, Abigail Lambert

Most Academic Improvement

Award: Javone Saunooke, Alana Squirrell, Wakinyan Raines, Arian-na Hernandez, Jay-Jay Ledford, Emily Sampson, John Calvin Gloyne, Darian "Dot" Jenkins, Laranzo Wilnoty, Meikka Pheasant, Ander Antone, Gabrielle George

Outstanding Art Students

Most Outstanding Student: Roxy Solis, Colton French
Most Improved Student: Gabrielle George, Ander Antone
Best All-Around Student: Camaron Oocumma

P.E. Awards

Most Outstanding Student: Camaron Oocumma, Julissa Martin
Most Improved Student: Alex Antone, Lillian Bradley
Best All-Around Student: James Smith

Most Academic Excellence

Award: Keaton Locust, Justice Hamilton, Kollin Sampson, Roxy Solis, Levi Smith, Jessica Arsana, Jeremiah Locust, Maia Lane, Vladimir Owle, Kahmera Pheasant, Ivan Morales, Geli Caztro-Wachacha

100 Book Club Award:

Kimberly Crowe, Ivan Moralas, Derick Owle, Nicholas Paramo, Ryleigh Postoak, Wakinyan Raines, Aliyah Watty, Preston Roach, Jovane Saunooke, Miah Sneed, Cainyan Welch, Brendan "Luke" Wolfe, Keysa Collins, David Davis, Jacoby Lambert, Jay-Jay Lambert, Cora Lightfoot-Underwood, Isaiah Lightfoot-Underwood,



SALLY DAVIS/One Feather photos

Jessica Arsana (center), receives the Best All-Around Tribal Council Award for Cherokee Elementary School Kindergarten from Wolfetown Rep. Bo Crowe and Big Cove Rep. Teresa McCoy during an awards ceremony at the Cherokee Indian Fairgrounds on Friday, May 13.

Caius Littlejohn, Haley Locust, Jae McMillan, Emily Sampson, Levi Smith, Briann Teesateskie, Laylah Thompson, Willie Welch, Jeremiah Locust, Dezmond Shelton, Malia Brady, Rayden Locust, John Morgan, Vladimir Owle, Kahmera Pheasant, Meikka Pheasant, Calvin Taylor, Christopher Toineeta

Top Reader (401 books): Jessica Arsana

Outstanding Cherokee Language Award: Ryleigh Postoak, Derick Owle, Jessica Arsana, Isaiah Lightfoot-Underwood, Shawn Driver, Kahmera Pheasant, Camaron Oocumma, Darian Jenkins, Julissa Marin, Keaton Locust, Karmelita Montelongo Huertz-Perez, William "Willie" Welch

Outstanding Music Students

Most Outstanding Student: Maia Lane, John Morgan
Most Improved Student: Alana Squirrell, Kyam Arch
Best All-Around Student: Edna Wilnoty

Best All-Around Award: Cainyan Welch, Ryleigh Postoak, Isaiah Lightfoot-Underwood, Edna Wilnoty, Eva Hill, Ariel Hoyle

Outstanding Computer Students

Most Outstanding Student: Khloe Cucumber, Kyam Arch
Most Improved Student: Abigail Lambert, Ernest Pheasant
Best All-Around Student: Kahya Cucumber

Outstanding Classworks Students

Most Outstanding Student: Jessica

Arsana, Levi Smith
Most Improved Student: Walela Ledford, McKyan Panther
Best All-Around Student: Drake Cruz

Daily Attendance Award: John Morgan

Tribal Council Merit Award: Karmelita Montelongo, Drake Cruz, Khloe Cucumber, Camaron Oocumma, Justice Hamilton, Keaton Locust, Aliyah Watty, James Smith Jr., Laylah Nichole Thompson, Jacoby Ryan Lambert; Best All-Around: Jessica Arsana

1st Grade

Braves Achievement Award: Carlito Huerta-Perez, Emily Maney

Traditional Singers: Denver Porterfield, Cynthia Saunooke, Roeleanna Welch, Livia Crowe, Da-isee Fourkiller-Raby, Kayla Guillen, Stone Marlowe

Outstanding Art Students
Most Outstanding Student: Lucas Wildcatt, Addison Stewart
Most Improved Student: Jayden Bradley, Aniebreigh Mora
Best All-Around Student: Kyitan Johnson

Outstanding Computer Students

Most Outstanding Student: Emily Maney, Reginald Hyatt
Most Improved Student: Alexis Armachain, Beau Wildcatt
Best All-Around Student: Aleiyah Hull

Outstanding Classworks Students

Most Outstanding Student: Teela Ross, Chaz Martens
Most Improved Student: Jamee McMillan, Kaden Wolfe
Best All-Around Student: Livia Crowe

Academic Improvement Award: Luke Stamper, Madigan Welch, Nicholas Ensley, Nyla Queen, Christian Luna-Martinez, Meli Winstead, Riley Scales, Brandy Martinez, Drallen Ledford, Taleeah Murphy, Beau Wildcatt, Auron Taylor

100 Book Club: Jayden Bradley, Marley Crowe, Daisee Raby-Fourkiller, Johnny Long, Chaz Martens, Jonathan Rivera, Teela Ross, Phillip Saunooke, Zaynon Taylor, Joscelyn Stamper, Luke Stamper, Dalton Yates, Tayah Bird, Emilee Brady, Jezakiah Driver, Nicholas Ensley, Kiowa George, Chloe Locust, Deanna Long, Emily Maney, Joseph McCoy, Nyla Queen, Adrian-na Rojas, Annie Trampler, Kymani Foalima, Christian Grant, Alexis Grimes, Nevaeh Hughes, Kyitan Johnson, Stone Marlowe, Denver Porterfield, Cynthia Saunooke, Jozie Swayney, Kaidyn Walkingstick, Dillon Beam, Trennan Calhoun, Drallen Ledford, Taleeah Murphy, Carlito Perez, Kingston Welch, Livia Crowe, Eloise Frady, Reginald Hyatt, Felix Lossiah, Christian Luna-Martinez, Jamee McMillan, Qinyen Panther, Mason Powers, Nicholai Solis, Jess Walkingstick, Meli Winstead

Top Readers: Aleiyah Hull (950 books), Utsela Saunooke (1,050 books)

Academic Excellence Award: Dalton Yates, Daisee Fourkiller-Raby, Kiowa George, Chloe Locust, Reginald Hyatt, Jamee McMillan,

Stone Marlowe, Alexis Armachain, Kingston Welch, Aubree Grimes, Phillip Saunooke, Aniebreigh Mora

Outstanding Cherokee Language: Riley Scales, Roeleana Welch, Emilee Brady, Nicholas Ensley, Johnny Long, Madigan Welch, Aubree Grimes, Carlito Huerta-Perez, Livia Crowe, Felix Lossiah, Aleiyah Hull, Zaynon Squirrel-Taylor

Outstanding PE Students
Most Outstanding Student: Kingston Welch, Livia Crowe
Most Improved Student: Nicholas Ensley, Cynthia Saunooke
Best All-Around Student: Joscelyn Stamper

Presidential Physical Fitness Award (1st and 2nd grades): Kellen Bradley, Matix Stamper, Jack Teesateskie, Joshua Hornbuckle, Leilah Lossiah, Zachary Seay, Sara Toineeta, Suri Watty, Slevin Youngdeer, Easton Edwards, Javan Garcia, Shawnee Kirkland

Outstanding Music Students
Most Outstanding Student: Jamee McMillan, Drallen Ledford
Most Improved Student: Aniebreigh Mora, Beau Wildcatt
Best All-Around Student: Teela Ross

Best All-Around Award: Johnny Long, Adrianna Rojas, Livia Crowe, Jozie Swayney, Dillon Beam, Albert Toineeta

Daily Attendance Award (1st and 2nd grades): Nakaiya Hill

Perfect Attendance Award (1st and 2nd grades): Tayvin Bark

Tribal Council Merit Award: Utsela Saunooke, Nicholai So-

lis, Emilee Dawn Brady, Aubree Grimes, Deanna Marie Long, Kingston Everette Welch, Josecelyn Stamper, Alexis Renee Grimes, Zaynon Taylor, Kayla Marie Guillen;
Best All-Around: Aleiyah Hull

2nd Grade
Braves Achievement Award: Easton Edwards, Lucianna Trampler

Traditional Singers: Nia Sequoyah, Keith Smith, Sara Toineeta, Aaliyah Voss, Suri Watty, Izabella Wilson, Marleigh Aguilera, Shona Cole, Ayaisha Driver, Payton Driver, Nakaiya Hill, Rayven Hughes, Taylor Kazhe, Leilah Lossie, Trinity Martinez, Hunter Mathis

Outstanding Art Students
Most Outstanding Student: Blake Wolfe, Trinity Martinez, Logan Biddix
Most Improved Student: Antonio “Fonzie” Wilnoty, Ayaisha Driver
Best All-Around Student: Rayven Hughes

Outstanding Computer Students
Most Outstanding Student: Kieaira Ensley, Timber Sampson
Most Improved Student: Danelle Bushyhead, Slevin Youngdeer
Best All-Around Student: Suri Watty, Logan Biddix

Outstanding Classworks Students
Most Outstanding Student: Shona Cole, Chaske’ Raines
Most Improved Student: Lilia Jarvis, Timber Sampson
Best All-Around Student: Araceli Martinez-Arch

Academic Improvement Award: Timber Sampson, Josilyn Ledford, Dawoni Dvdisdi, Alyssa Hoyle,

Gus Burgess, Suri Watty, Jayden Trampler, Lilia Jarvis, Keith Smith, Ayianna Locust, Gabby Smith, Logan Biddix

200 Book Club Award: Easton Edwards, Lilia Jarvis, Shawnee Kirkland, Trinity Martinez, Kayla Morgan, Josyah Ward, Owen Bird, Gus Burgess, Nakaiya Hill, Ayianna Locust, Leilah Lossie, Elijah Sherrill, Keith Smith, Oscar Guillien-Swayney, Sara Toineeta, Suri Watty, Izabella Wilson, Kieaira Ensley, Chloe Owle, Chaske’ Raines, Timber Sampson, Jadence Saunooke, Nikki Toineeta, Dayton Wilnoty, Tommy Valdez

Top Reader: Payton Driver (612 books)

Academic Excellence Award: Dayton Wilnoty, Chloe Owle, Fred George Jr., Kiera Toineeta, Owen Bird, Sara Toineeta, Javin Garcia, Marleigh Aguilera, Joshua Hornbuckle, Kayla Morgan

Outstanding Cherokee Language: Tayvin Bark-Cruz, Lilia Jarvis, Kieaira Ensley, Timber Sampson, Rayven Hughes, Leilah Lossie, Payton Driver, Fred George Jr., Aaliyah Voss, Jayden Taylor, Matix Stamper, Francesca Armachain

Outstanding PE Students
Most Outstanding Student: Oscar Guillien-Swayney, Kieaira Ensley
Most Improved Student: Timber Sampson, Yvonne Saunooke
Best All-Around Student: Easton Edwards

Outstanding Music Students
Most Outstanding Student: Taylor Kazhe, Leland Locust, Gabby

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2016 Music On The River

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John Emil, an accomplished singer/songwriter, guitarist, and a master of slide guitar, has delivered show stopping performances at major music festivals like the Telluride Blues and Brews Fest, the Leek Blues & Americana Festival UK, the Florida and South Florida Folk Festivals, the Decatur Blues and Bluegrass Festival, the Bangor On Dee Blues Festival UK and the 2012 Zoetemeer Blues Festival in the Netherlands.

Equally adept with the acoustic Hawaiian lap steel guitar and Dobro, Emil first appeared on the South Florida music scene in 2000. Fans hear haunting, subtle hints of Delta bluesmen Son House and Blind Willie Johnson, but Emil ultimately creates a unique style all his own by integrating country blues, folk, bluegrass and lush Hawaiian sounds into his repertoire.



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

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



The AM Superstars are excited to join the line up once again for the Oconaluftee River Stage 2016. They have proudly been a part of the series since the very first year of inception. All members are from Cherokee, NC. They consist of Will Thompson on vocals and guitar, Brad Kanott on vocals and guitar, and Jeff Thompson on vocals and harmonica, as well as an occasional guest performer. The Superstars enjoy playing their own brand of original acoustic music, along with some choice country covers, as well as a variety of Rock & Roll covers that span the decades from the 50's all the way through the 90's. So if you lucky enough to be in town during one of their performances you'll surely be entertained.

The Will Hayes Band is a local group hailing from Cherokee, Ela, Qualla, and Bryson City. Consisting of members that have been playing for music together over the past 11 years, Will Hayes has morphed into a classic country and rock band that also specializes in golden oldies and 50's dii-wop. With a focus on dancing, most of their tunes are great for couples looking for an enjoyable evening of music with dancing, and an occasional classic rocker thrown into the mix to change things up and make the experience most enjoyable! The Band: Bill 'Big Daddy' Doshers-bass and vocals; Kathy Carlton-lead vocals and percussion; Donna Lambert-vocals and percussion; Mike Ledbetter-drums; Vince Stautter-lead guitar and vocals; Rory Gunther-keyboards and vocals; Dave Lambert-guitar and vocals.



MAY 27
A36 Band

May 28
Will Hayes Band

June 3
Running Wolfe & the Renegades

June 4
AM Superstars

June 10
A36 Band

June 11
Aaron Jones Band

June 17
Aaron Jones Band

June 18
John Emil Montagnino

June 24
Running Wolfe & the Renegades

June 25
Will Hayes Band

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Smith, Logan Biddix
Most Improved Student: Danelle Bushyhead, Adaneti Durham
Best All-Around Student: Ayla Ross

Best All-Around Award: Samantha “Nikki” Toineeta, Francesca Armachain, Nathaniel Smedley, Shona Cole, Jayvin George

Tribal Council Merit Award: Chaske’ Raines, Jadence Saunooke, Fred George Jr., Marleigh Aguilera, Payton Driver, Javan Garcia, Zachary Seay, Rayven Hughes, Leilah Lossiah, Kayla Morgan, Gabby Smith; Best All-Around: Kieaira Ensley

3rd Grade

Braves Achievement Award: Chanttin Tramper, Hillary Howell, Epps Welch, Jogeta Panther

Vocational Opportunities Award (3rd and 4th grades): Bud Mathis

Traditional Singers: Natalie Bradley, Emery Driver, Hannah Morgan, Izzy Fourkiller-Raby, Amiya Lequire, Addi Taylor, Native Walkingstick

Outstanding Art Students
Most Outstanding Student: Chayton Ledford, Ayosta Lossie
Most Improved Student: Alvin Swayney, Emerald Quijada, Epps Welch
Best All-Around Student: Kai Saunooke, Jogeta Panther

Outstanding Computer Students
Most Outstanding Student: Kieran Wolfe, Adrian Martin-Garcia, Epps



SALLY DAVIS/One Feather

George Saunooke (center), a fourth grade student at Cherokee Elementary, receives a Tribal Council Award from Wolfetown Rep. Bo Crowe and Big Cove Rep. Teresa McCoy.

Welch
Most Improved Student: Falon Welch, Xavier Sanchez, Jogeta Panther, Thomas Sequoyah
Best All-Around Student: Elliott Shell

Outstanding Classworks Student

Most Outstanding Student: Shawnee Bushyhead, Gideon Freeman
Most Improved Student: Amiya Lequire, Elliot Shell
Best All-Around Student: Braiden Long

Academic Improvement Award:

Native Walkingstick, Jada Cruz, Emery Driver, Luke Smith, Josiah Sherrill, Shalina Blanton, Sean Henderson, Abbygail Wildcatt, Xain Maney, Amiya Lequire, Dalton Burgess, Noqwisi Crowe, Thomas Sequoyah

Battle of the Books Award (3rd and 4th grades): Jasmine Robertson, Ann Toineeta, Sean Fitzgerald

Traditional Dancers: Tazavian

Byfield, Kiri Hill, Xain Maney, Kai Saunooke, Chanttin Tramper, Kieran Wolfe

Academic Excellence Award:

Vincent Owle, Joselyn Long, Kai Saunooke, Isabelle Fourkiller-Raby, Gideon Freeman, Haylie Woodard, Matthew Wahnetah, Abreana Hornbuckle, Jessie Hernandez, Aaliyah Reed, Eli Squirrel, Lylah Hughes, Brett Elders

Outstanding Cherokee Language:

Vincent Owle, Joselyn Long, Sadie Rivera-Gomez, Jessie Hernandez, Luke Smith, Kiri Hill, Haylie Woodard, Chanttin Tramper, Samuel Welch, Abreana Hornbuckle, Natalie Bradley, Kai Saunooke

Outstanding PE Students

Most Outstanding Student: Colby Lossie, Addyson Welch, Epps Welch
Most Improved Student: Dalton Burgess, Shawnee Bushyhead, Jogeta Panther, Brett Elders
Best All-Around: Kedrick Panther

Presidential Physical Fitness

Award: Alexis Davis, Savian Davis, Emerald Quijada, Isabelle Fourkiller-Raby, Adrian Martin, Kedrick Panther, Brandon Santiago, Neva-yah Panther, Gailia Pete, Matthew Wahnetah, Aliyah Reed, Josiah Teesateskie

Outstanding Music Students

Most Outstanding Student: Joselyn Long, Kedrick Panther
Most Improved Student: Werahre Codynah, Devan Bottchenbaugh, Jogeta Panther, Brett Elders
Best All-Around Student: Natalie Bradley

Chorus Students: Gideon Freeman, Emerald Quijada, Galilea Pete, Haylie Woodard, Jocelyn Long

Best All-Around Award: Alexis Davis, Adrian Martin-Garcia, Nevayah Panther, Addyson Welch, Malachi Driver, Hannah Morgan, Jogeta Panther, William Epps Welch

Daily Attendance Award (3rd and 4th grades): Emery Driver

Perfect Attendance Award (3rd and 4th grades): Amiya Lequire, Isaac Welch

Tribal Council Merit Award:

Tyruss Thompson, Kiri Hill, Josiah Sherrill, Alexis Davis, Nevayah Panther, Vincent Owle, Eliana West, Matthew Garcia-Wahnetah, Amiya Lequire, Malachi Driver, Jogeta Panther, Epps Welch, Thomas Sequoyah; Best All-Around: Isabelle Fourkiller-Raby

4th Grade

Braves Achievement Award: Julius Pepion, Madison Ledford, Evie Nations

Traditional Singers: Ofelia Garcia, Madison Ledford, Loshi Ward

Outstanding Art Students

Most Outstanding Student: Ezequiel Martinez, Triniti Littlejohn, Evie Nations

Most Improved Student: Tristen McCoy, Alitama Perkins

Best All-Around Student: Aliah Locust

Outstanding Computer Students

Most Outstanding Student: Isabella Jones-Han, Julius Pepion

Most Improved Student: Sateva Youngdeer, Dyami Saunooke

Best All-Around Student: Jenna Cruz, Evie Nations

Outstanding Classworks Students

Most Outstanding Student: Seshadri Miylaya Pratama, Dayvian Pheasant

Most Improved Student: Laura Martinez, Preston Davis

Best All-Around Student: Sean Fitzgerald

Academic Improvement Award:

Elias Griffin, Awee Walkingstick, Erik Fitzgerald, Boie Crowe, Dante Taylor, Bayley Wright, Mason Salazar, Jaylynn Brady, Zachariah Rattler, Marla Panther, Rylee Hughes, Sateva Youngdeer

Traditional Dancers:

Alitama Perkins, Esiah Postoak, Awee Watty

Academic Excellence Award:

Dreyvon Taylor, Roxi Bark, Sean Fitzgerald, Carys Holiday, Ahanu De Los Reyes, Jasmine Robertson, Isaac Welch, Loshi Ward, George Saunooke, Janna Girty, Adrian Armachain, Awee Watty-Ivey, Evie Nations

Outstanding Cherokee Lan-

guage: Mason Salazar, Jaylynn Brady, Roxy Bark, MacKenzie Rattler, Breydan Ensley, Jenna Cruz, Jasmine Robertson, Littlehawk Reed, Janna Girty, Esiah Postoak, George Saunooke, Ann Toineeta

Outstanding PE Students

Most Outstanding Student: Mason Salazar, Madison Ledford

Most Improved Student: Dillon Bigwitch, Jimya Driver

Best All-Around Student: Sean Fitzgerald, Evie Nations

Presidential Physical Fitness

Award: Laura Martinez, Boie Crowe, Jenna Cruz, Jimya Driver, Sean Fitzgerald, Danica Hill, Madison Ledford, Dalaina Mills, Eve Stamper, James Swayney, Kyla Moore, Isaac Picon, Javian Martin, Trevan Lambert

Outstanding Music Students

Most Outstanding Student: Boie

Crowe, Kaesyn McCoy

Most Improved Student: Marla Panther, James Swayney

Best All-Around Student: Brody Baker, Evie Nations

Chorus Students: Julia Gonzalez, Mary Martinez, Bud Mathis, Kaesyn McCoy, Kelly Pete

Best All-Around Award:

Lupita Toineeta, Dalaina Mills, Ileyeni Wolfe, Zeke Martinez, Esiah Postoak, Kenyon Martin

Tribal Council Merit Award:

Loshi Ward, Isaac Welch, George Saunooke, Kyla Moore, Esiah Postoak, Dayvian Pheasant Crowe, Shelby Solis, Seshadri Miylaya Pratama, Carys Holiday, Ann Toineeta; Best All-Around: Jenna Cruz

Brooklyn Diane Brown

Swain County High School Graduate

2016 Miss Ridgerunner



My granddaughter, Brooklyn, has always had a thirst for knowledge. She entered Cherokee Elementary School at age 5, having been ready and begging to go since age 3.

We were very fortunate at that time to have the best teachers anyone could ever hope for, to give their baby a good start. Sammi Saunooke and Jessie Smith made all the difference in the world, and to these two women, I will always be eternally grateful.

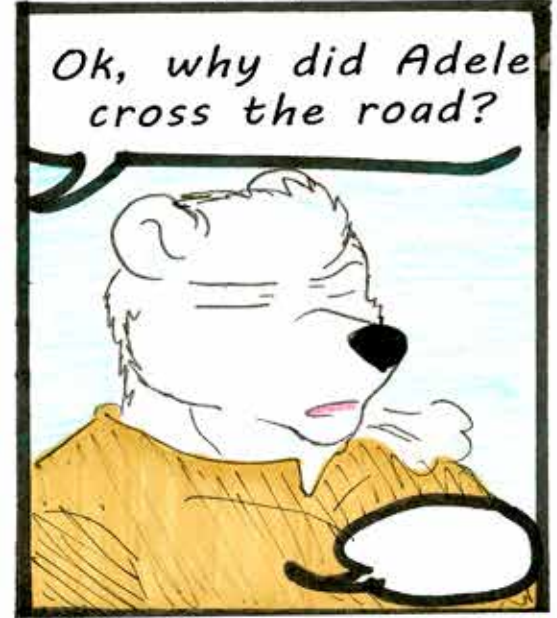
Brooklyn excelled and continues to excel. She has been a straight A student her entire school life, including the end of year testing. (Thirteen years of straight A's) She is graduating from Swain County High School on June 4th at 10am at SCHS Memorial Stadium. We would like to invite all of her Cherokee family and friends to attend.

Brooklyn will be attending Chapel Hill (Go Tarheels) this fall and is going to major in Biochemical Engineering and/or English (to make her grandmother proud), as if I couldn't be any more proud.

With sincerity,
Linda Joyce Lambert

Yohn and Yona

By Dylan West



COMMUNITY GROUPS

Houses of Worship

Acquoni Baptist Church.
497-6521 (h) or 788-0643 (c)

Antioch Baptist Church. Coopers Creek Road.

Beacon of Hope Baptist Church. (828) 226-4491

Bethabara Baptist Church.
497-7770

Big Cove Missionary Baptist Church. 497-4141

Big Cove Pentecostal Holiness Church. 497-4220

Boiling Springs Missionary Baptist Church. 488-9202

Cherokee Baptist Church.
497-2761, 497-3799 (fax)

Cherokee Bible Church.
497-2286

Cherokee Church of Christ.
497-3334

Cherokee Church of God.
(828) 400-9753

Cherokee Church of the Nazarene. 72 Old School Loop off Big Cove Road. 497-2819

Cherokee Pentecostal Holiness Church. 674-2690

Cherokee United Methodist Church. (336) 309-1016, www.cherokeemission.org

Cherokee Wesleyan Church.
586-5453

Christ Fellowship Church.
Great Smokies Center.

Goose Creek Baptist Church.
631-0331 or 497-3512

Jesus is the Light Full Gospel Ministries. 736-9383

Living Waters Lutheran Church. 497-3730, prjack@frontier.com, lwcherokee@frontier.com

Macedonia Baptist Church.
508-2629 dconseen@gmail.com

Olivet United Methodist Church. (336) 309-1016, www.YouTube.com/user/OlivetUMC, www.Olivet-UMC.org

Our Lady of Guadalupe Catholic Church. 736-5322

Piney Grove Baptist Church.
736-7850.

Rock Hill Baptist Church. (828) 356-7312

Rock Springs Baptist Church.
497-9455, 736-1245 (cell)

Sequoyah Sovereign Grace Church. 497-7644

St. Francis of Assisi Episcopal Church of Cherokee. (828) 280-0209, cherokeepiscopal@gmail.com

Straight Fork Baptist Church.
488-3974

Waterfalls Baptist Church.
Wrights Creek Road.

Whittier United Methodist Church. 497-6245

Wilmot Baptist Church. 2015 554-5850

Wrights Creek Baptist Church.
497-5262

Yellowhill Baptist Church.
506-0123 or 736-4872

Community Clubs

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

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

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

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

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

8678 or (828) 361-3278, roger-smoker@yahoo.com

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

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



1. Is the Book of Cornelius in the Old or New Testament or neither?
2. Whose first chapter begins, "God, who at sundry times and in divers manners"? *Mark, Galatians, Hebrews, Jude*
3. What were Gihon, Pison, Tigris and Euphrates as connected with the Garden of Eden? *Cities, Kings, Rivers, Caves*
4. From 1 Kings, who is given credit for writing 1,005 songs? *Jacob, Solomon, Philip, David*
5. From Acts 13, where were Paul and Barnabas deserted by Mark? *Jericho, Perga, Athens, Damascus*
6. From Revelation 2, what city was said by John to have "Satan's seat"? *Pergamos, Miletus, Patara, Sodom*

ANSWERS: 1) Neither, 2) Hebrews, 3) Rivers, 4) Solomon, 5) Perga, 6) Pergamos
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It takes money, education and trust to make money

ROBERT JUMPER

ONE FEATHER EDITOR

The Eastern Band of Cherokee Nation is known as being the biggest economic engine in western North Carolina. Since the advent of the casino, government jobs and retail has expanded at an incredible rate. The Tribe has not only put more people to work on the Boundary, we have provided jobs throughout the southeast. The power of the tribal dollar has been felt all the way to Washington, DC.

The tribal government has been able to service tribal members with better housing, healthcare, educational opportunities, child care services, elder care services, and programs for the chronically ill and dependents. We have built a new school that is the envy of the state and a hospital that visiting North Carolina Governor Pat McCrory said should be the model for hospitals across the country.

Every tribal member has the opportunity to supplement their family income with a per capita payout every six months (some reject the casino generated dollars as a matter of religious conviction). Members begin accruing monies from the "per cap" at birth. All monies are divided equally, regardless of blood quantum or age. So, an infant is rationed the same amount each payout as an elder, and a 1/16th blood quantum member will net the same as a "full blood".

There seems to be plenty of money to go around.

One of the reasons for the great success of the casino is that the Tribe decided early on to let the experts do what they do best. The management team for the casino was tasked with and given the tools by the Tribe to craft strict management and employee policies to ensure that clients got the level of customer service needed to entice gamblers to the Boundary. This team knew the design and structure needed to lure those clients in to spend on

a grand scale.

Another big reason for its success was that the tribal leadership was willing to take the financial risk...a well-calculated, but big financial risk. The initial loan to build the casino was approximately \$93,000,000 (in 1994 dollars). While the management company supported and eventually took responsibility for the loan, the Tribe had some liability for the debt.

One report stated that the tribal budget pre-casino was in the \$10 to \$20 million range. Current tribal budgets are over \$200 million. Additional hundreds of millions were expended on expansions, like hotel towers and a satellite operation in Murphy. Quite a financial success story by anyone's estimation.

Looking back at historic documents and research papers, even though the monetary success was great, public support for the casino was not. There was a major campaign waged by some who felt that there were not just moral issues to consider, but public safety and health issues. Many felt that bringing gambling to Cherokee would cause major issues like increased alcohol issues, drug abuse, prostitution and organized crime. There were calls for a referendum on the issue of gaming that were not entertained by the Tribal Council of the day. Negotiations regarding the casino were not open to the public, so many of the decisions were made by government leaders without consultation with the people. Many of the tribal leaders responsible for getting the tribal gaming compact and eventual first casino were either voted out of office (only 2 of the 12 council members returned to the community seats in the 1995 election) or resigned under the threat of impeachment. In 1996, the tribal attorney, chairman of the TCGE and even the editor of the Cherokee One Feather were fired from their positions because of their alleged roles in the

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Poll Responses

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

Who is better suited to interpret the laws of the EBCI as made by the Tribal Council? (Tribal Council themselves, Tribal Court, or EBCI Executive Office)

Danny Owl: I think a board should be put together of all three branches so there shouldn't ever be a misunderstanding or to just have clarity without wasting time in a Council session waiting on someone else to answer those questions when you have a Council member on that board.

Tim Rattler: Why should it be interpreted? Aren't the words plain?

Iona Sequoyah: I think all of them should get together! If not, that's where miscommunication comes into play and, as always, conflict follows.

Joey Owle: It should be performed by individuals who are qualified to do so. Given only one of our Tribal Council members has a law-related background, I do not think Tribal Council is the best branch of government of which interpretation of law should solely be responsible for, even though they are the legislative branch. As we have all seen, Tribal Council has the Tribal Attorney General in session to inquire into accurate interpretation of our Tribal Code for various issues. Our Chief is a license attorney, which I believe qualifies him to be involved in the decision-making process. The main point of this question should focus on 'interpretation'.

Cherokee One Feather Poll of the Week Results

Who is better suited to interpret the laws of the EBCI as made by the Tribal Council?

Tribal Council	19%
Tribal Court	69%
Executive Office	12%

Questions of the week now up on theonefeather.com:
Would you support the idea of a tribally-owned contemporary fine arts gallery that would feature EBCI tribal member art (paintings, textiles, sculptures, etc.)?

Interpretation varies based on opinion, and we all have different opinions, even when there are cases and legal examples that set precedent for decisions rendered. What one thinks is a fair interpretation, another may not.

Sheena Brings Plenty: I think the Tribal Court is the best suited of anyone (or, at least they should be). They are already interpreting laws on a daily basis, so they should handle all of it. I think it's a bad idea for Tribal Council to interpret the laws because they (usually) don't have a law background, plus, that's not their job.

Charles Penick: Tribal Court under and established Constitution

Christopher McCoy: Should be a court system, with the capability of holding elected bodies responsible for actions taken. There should be a system by which the people and the Tribal Code is protected by a legal, autonomous body.

Roger George: Perhaps neutral parties with no vested interests.

Michael Zepeda: The breakdown is in Tribal Court and Council. Council members come and go.

So, I think we need two permanent advisors that are lawyers, like a defense attorney and a prosecuting attorney. When I say permanent, I don't mean they can't be fired, but you need good reason and Council will need to approve it. Our court system has some bugs in it. One, they're trying to rush things... every one of our communities have community meetings. And, then the leaders of those community

meetings have a meeting. I think we need to give those people the power to do something if our Council is out of line. Those people are not getting paid. They go because they care about their community. To me, if the majority of the chairs of each community walked into a Council meeting and said, 'this is wrong', fix it. It would be unethical to ignore them. What is considered ethical and unethical has changed dramatically through the years. To just try to write something down is just to write something you're going to have to erase.

William Ledford: Although I voted Tribal Court, I believe that the AG's office and then the Court should interpret the laws. And, the laws should be in accordance with the EBCI Constitution. Oops, oh yeah, we ain't go one of those do we?



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establishment of gaming in Cherokee.

My point is that, even if your intent is good and your cause worthy, keeping the community in the dark is a recipe for disaster. Fortunately, the research was sound and the management was good with regard to the revenue projections for the casino operation from year to year. Tremendous good has been provided to our people as a result of the Tribe's gamble back in 1994. But, it was a gamble none-the-less.

And, I believe, because of the way that the casino was acquired, the people are so much more distrustful of government that a repeat with any other revenue or diversification campaign is highly

unlikely. An example is the push to have Tribe-wide alcohol sales and distribution a few years ago. The people insisted on a referendum vote on the issue. Efforts were put forth to explain the economic advantages to the proposal. Tribal officials got on the agendas of community club meetings to espouse the potential benefits and the safeguards that would be put in place to reduce abuse. Yet, with all the assurances of the government with regard to economic impact and protections, and with Jackson County approving alcohol all the way to the doorstep of the Qualla Boundary, the people voted hand's down to ban alcohol from any other locations (tribal members voted several years earlier in a referendum to approve alcohol sales at Harrah's Cherokee).

I believe that we, as a tribal government, are not doing enough to engage the communities in the decisions that are made with regard to municipal and economic development projects. The key to growth and prosperity for the Eastern Band of Cherokee Nation lies within the grasp of the people. We have hundreds of dedicated individuals, tribal members and non, who are working diligently to engage and diversify the Cherokee economy so that when (not if) gaming begins to decline due to economic trends or more competition, that we will be able to continue to enjoy the benefits that come with a strong revenue stream...new and better health and education opportunities, housing support, per capita payments, etc.

We must include the people in every decision affecting their future. Yes, we elect officials to represent us and to serve us, but that does not mean that it is okay for us to go to sleep and not voice our direction when it comes to decisions that will impact our present and our children and grandchildren's future. It needs to come from all of

us, even if it means three or four referendum questions on every ballot. We need to be educated on all the issues surrounding proposed projects. For example, "What will an investment in an Adventure Park or Bowling Alley generate in revenue and municipal services?"; "How will the language and culture benefit from allowing alcoholic beverages to be served in restaurants and special events venues?" Tribal leadership needs to communicate more answers and we need to be asking more questions.

I think we, the Cherokee people, have a strong and bright future. But, it is up to us just how bright that future will be. I have heard many places and from many people, even from a representative in Council, that it takes money to make money. And, I know that money is an essential catalyst, but along with money, we need educated, well-strategized decisions. We also need to know the people who are working for us, making those decisions are people we can trust. That comes with getting to know those people and transparency in tribal dealings.

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WATERSHED	STOCKING	PRODUCTIVITY	ACTIVE SPECIES	HATCHES	FLY/BAIT
Tuckaseegee River	Catch & release, single hook artificial only	Great (Check stream flow)	Rainbow, brook, brown trout, smallmouth bass	Dark caddis, blue Quills, Quill Gordon, March Brown, Prince nymph, Yellow Sally	Stone flies, bird's nest nymph, soft hackle pheasant tails, girdle bugs, streamers (sculpin), San Juan worm, Prince nymph, Yellow Sally
Chattooga & Whitewater Rivers	Not stocking, all wild brown trout and catch and release	Good	Brown trout	Quill Gordon, Blue Quill, March Brown, Yellow Sally, Size 14 & 16	Quill Gordon, March Brown, (dry flies), Yellow Sally, Parachute Adams, Prince nymphs, pheasant tails, hare ears, stone fly nymphs, Blue wing olive
Inside GSMNP Oconaluftee River & Small Streams	Follow posted regulations- wild trout	Good	Rainbow, Brown and Appalachian Brook Trout	Blue wing olive, Blue Quill, Quill Gordon, March Brown, Midge, Yellow Sally	Parachute Adams, Parachute Hares Ear, Elk Hair Caddis, Prince Nymph, Pheasant tail nymph, Hares Ear, Topper John, Yellow Sally, Green Grakes

BEST FISHING TIMES BASED ON THE LUNAR CYCLE

MONDAY, MAY 23	TUESDAY, MAY 24	WEDNESDAY, MAY 25	THURSDAY, MAY 26	FRIDAY, MAY 27	SATURDAY, MAY 28	SUNDAY, MAY 29
BETTER	GOOD	AVERAGE	AVERAGE	AVERAGE	AVERAGE	AVERAGE
2:04 AM-4:04 AM 2:29 PM-4:29 PM	2:54 AM-4:54 AM 3:19 PM-5:19 PM	3:44 AM-5:44 AM 4:10 PM-6:10 AM	4:35 AM-6:35 AM 5:01 PM-7:01 PM	5:26 AM-7:26 AM 5:51 PM-7:51 PM	6:17 AM-8:17 AM 6:42 PM-8:42 PM	7:08 AM-9:08 AM 7:33 PM-9:33 PM

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Church Events

Mission to the World Sunday morning worship service. **June 5** at Norman Recreation Park on Recreation Park Road. Service will begin 10:45am Sunday mornings. Info: Pastor Scott Hill 508-7836

General Events

Cherokee Language Bingo. **May 27** at Yellowhill Activity Building. Doors open at 6pm. Games will be called in the Cherokee language by Bo Lossiah.

Cherokee Cancer Support Group Prime Rib dinner fundraiser. **June 11** from 5-7pm at Cherokee Indian Fairgrounds. Tickets are \$15 each and advanced tickets can be purchased from any cancer support board member or by calling 497-0788. Raffle items for the raffle to be held at the dinner are also being accepted. Items can be dropped off at Betty's Place from 10am - 2pm, Monday to Friday or by calling 497-0788 for pick-up.

Public Hearing on 2016-19 Child Care Development Fund Plan. **June 23** from 6-7pm in the Agelink Conference Room. The plan will be available for review and comment. The draft plan will be available for review prior to the public hearing at the Agelink office between 9am and 4:30pm the week of June 20.

Sports Events

2nd Annual Childhood Brain Tumor Awareness Zombie 5K and Fun Run. **June 4** at Kituwah. Registration starts at 6pm

with run at 6:30pm. Prizes for first, second and third place. All proceeds go to the Pediatric Brain Tumor Foundation. Pre-registered runners are guaranteed a shirt. Cost: Adults - \$25 pre-register, \$30 day of; Kids - \$15 pre-register, \$20 day of. Info: Amorie Gunter 788-3367

Soccer Camp. **June 6-10** from 6-7:45pm nightly at the Wolfetown Stickball Field. This free camp is for ages 5-14, no experience needed. It is being provided by Mission to the World. Agility, ball handling skills and brief Bible lesson following each session. Info: perryanne-scott@yahoo.com

Upcoming Pow Wows for May 27-29

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.

12th Annual Seven Clans Casino Pow Wow. **May 27-29** at Seven Clans Casino in Thief River Falls, Minn. Emcees: Wallace Coffey, Keveon Kingbird. Host Drum: Midnite Express. Info: Ron Lussler (218) 407-1261

35th Annual UCR Pow Wow. **May 27-28** at University of California - Riverside Sports Complex in Riverside, Calif. Info: Joshua (951) 827-4143, joshuag@ucr.edu

Leech Lake Memorial Pow Wow. **May 27-29** at Veterans Memorial Grounds in Cass Lake, Minn. Info: Rod Northbird (218) 308-3120, rod.northbird@nwioic.

org, or Leah Gale Monroe (218) 760-3127, leahgale@hotmail.com

7th Annual Native Woodland Gathering. **May 28-29** at Hall-Fawcett Park in Zanesfield, Ohio. MC: David Russel. Host Drums: Southern Singers, Chaske Hotain. Info: Dave Holland (937) 441-1565, shawney@bright.net

Gissiwass Creek Pow Wow. **May 28-29** in Marion, Mich. Info: (616) 813-7639, terri.kogler@gmail.com

American Indianist Society 48th Annual Memorial Day Pow Wow. **May 28-29** at 4-H Camp Marshall in Spencer, Mass. Info: ais-inc@earthlink.net

Yellowfish Descendants Pow Wow. **May 28** at Comanche Tribal Complex Watchetaker Hall in Lawton, Okla. Emcees: R.G. Harris, Edmond Tate Nevaquayah. Head Southern Singer: Burky Monoessey. Info: Edward Yellowfish (405) 203-4741 or Sandra Gallegos (580) 215-3300

9th Annual Pow Wow for the People. **May 28-29** at Cole County Fairgrounds in Jefferson City, Mo. MC: Ed Smith. Host Drum: Young Bucks. Info: Dona McKinney (816)

679-0695, donamckinney1952@yahoo.com

Jim Preston Memorial Pow Wow. **May 28-29** at Gold Country Casino in Oroville, Calif. MC: Eric Kimple. Host Drum: Southern Express. Info: Lucky Preston (530) 532-1611, orovillepowwow@gmail.com

23rd Annual Memorial Day Pow Wow. **May 28** at American Legion Post 59 at Laredo, Texas. MC: Abel Flores. Host Drum: Wisache Creek. Info: Robert Lozano Jr. (956) 285-3410, rlozano1@yahoo.com

Ongoing Events

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

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



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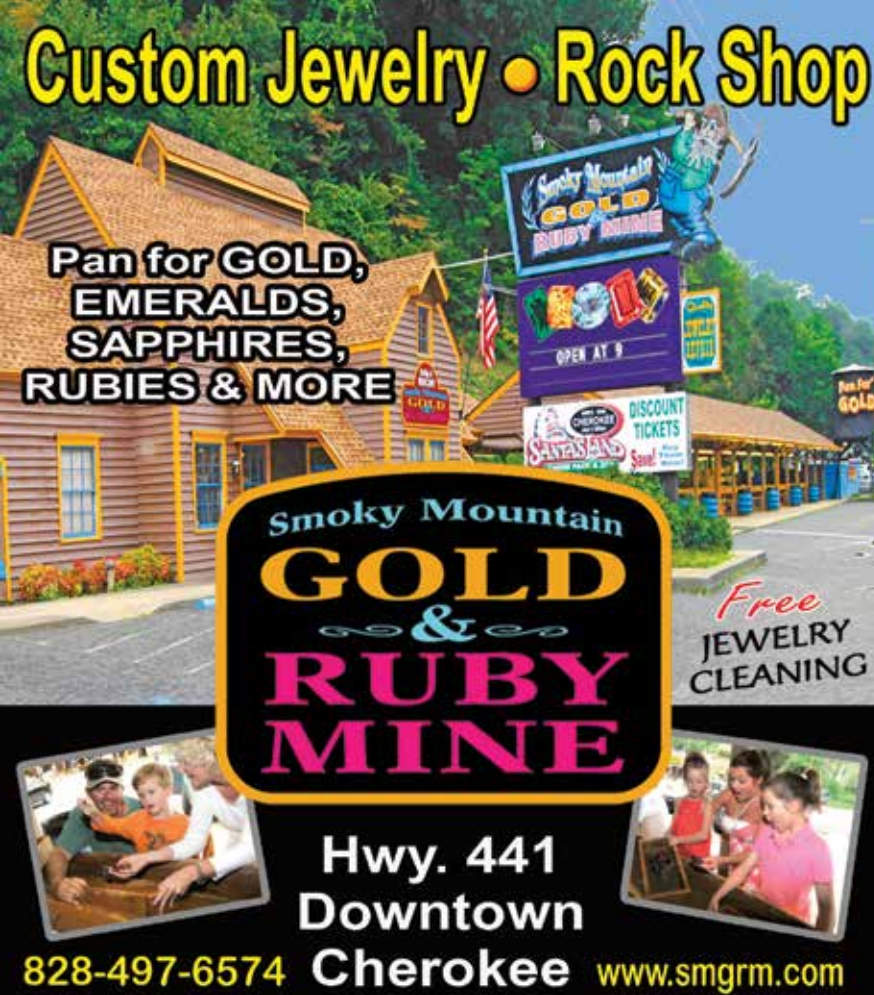
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5. Office Assistant- Education & Training (\$25,830-\$32,288)
6. Cook Aide- KPEP (\$19,598-\$24,498)
7. Driver- Transit (\$23,616-\$29,520)
8. Administrative Assistant- Board of Elections (\$25,830-\$32,288)
9. Assistant Court Clerk (Re-advertisement)- Tribal Court (\$34,112-\$42,640)
10. C.N.A (Re-advertisement)- Home Health (\$23,616-\$29,520)

Closing June 6, 2016 @ 4 pm

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3. Cook Aide (Re-advertisement)- Tsali Care Center (\$19,598-\$24,498)
4. C.N.A- (Re-advertisement) (\$23,616-\$29,520)
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2D: 11:00am, 1:30pm, 2:00pm, 4:00pm, 4:30pm, 6:40pm, 7:10pm, 9:10pm
 3D: 11:30am & 9:50pm

The Angry Birds Movie (PG)

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Eastern Band of Cherokee Indians
Cherokee, North Carolina
Estate File No. EST 16-027

In the Matter of the Estate of
Kent Elliott Cucumber

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
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Victoria Cucumber, P.O. Box 919,
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NOTICE OF SERVICE OF PROCESS
BY PUBLICATION
STATE OF NORTH CAROLINA
SWAIN COUNTY
IN THE GENERAL COURT OF
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IN RE: BIRD, A MINOR
JUVENILE
FILE NO. 14 JT 33

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:

ADJUDICATION OF A TERMINATION OF PARENTAL RIGHTS PROCEEDING FOLLOWED BY A DISPOSITION CONSIDERING THE NEEDS OF THE JUVENILE WITH ENTRY OF AN ORDER DESIGNED TO MEET THOSE NEEDS AND THE OBJECTIVES OF THE STATE
Filed November 12, 2015, in the District Court in Swain County, North Carolina
Amended March 14, 2016

TO: NICHOLAS BIRD

You are required to make a defense to such pleading no later than 45 days from the date of first publication of this notice and upon your failure to do so, the Petitioner, the Swain County Department of Social Services, seeking service against you, will apply to the Court for the relief sought.

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FILE NO. 14 JT 33

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ADJUDICATION OF A TERMINATION OF PARENTAL RIGHTS PROCEEDING FOLLOWED BY A DISPOSITION CONSIDERING THE NEEDS OF THE JUVENILE WITH ENTRY OF AN ORDER DESIGNED TO MEET THOSE NEEDS AND THE

OBJECTIVES OF THE STATE
Filed November 12, 2015, in the District Court in Swain County, North Carolina
Amended March 14, 2016
TO: APRIL NATIONS

You are required to make a defense to such pleading no later than 45 days from the date of first publication of this notice and upon your failure to do so, the Petitioner, the Swain County Department of Social Services, seeking service against you, will apply to the Court for the relief sought.

If you are indigent you are entitled to appointed counsel. Counsel may be appointed to you by the Court at the first hearing after service. You should contact the Swain County Clerk of Court at 828-488-7400 for information regarding how to request and apply for counsel.

A dispositional order or a subsequent order may require certain actions of you or may terminate your parental rights.

Upon service, failure to comply with any order of the Court may cause the Court to issue a show cause order for contempt.
Kristy L. Parton, Attorney for Petitioner, Swain County Department of Social Services, PO Box 944
Sylva, NC 28779, (828) 586-4247
6/2pd

Eastern Band of Cherokee Indians
Cherokee, North Carolina
Estate File Nos.: EST 2008-17; EST 2010-032; EST 1996-002; EST 2006-004; EST 2007-077; EST 2008-030; EST 2010-034; EST 2010-029; EST 2007-048
In the Matter of the Estates of:
Noah Lossiah (d. 2008); Joe Jasper Cucumber, Jr. (d. 2010); Howard Kalonaheskie (d. 1995); Tamara Susan Seay (d. 2006); Helen B.

Smith (d. 2007); Beatrice Sue Standingdeer (d. 2008); Frank Gillette Tahquette (d. ca. 2010); Henry Joshua Wachacha (d. 2010); and William Douglas Catt, Sr. (d. 2007).

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

Courtroom 1, EBCI Justice Center
June 16th at 1:30pm 6/2pd

Eastern Band of Cherokee Indians
Cherokee, North Carolina
Estate File No. EST 16-029
In the Matter of the Estate of
John Henry Burgess

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

Kathy Burgess, PO Box 1867, Cherokee, NC 28719. 6/9pd

Eastern Band of Cherokee Indians
Cherokee, North Carolina
Estate File No. EST 16-031
In the Matter of the Estate of
Nickyjack David Walkingstick

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

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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 George, 1005 Swimmer Branch Road, Cherokee, NC 28719. **6/16pd**

Eastern Band of Cherokee Indians
Cherokee, North Carolina
Estate File No. EST 16-032

In the Matter of the Estate of Sallie Smith Bradley

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

Vita Nations, PO Box 1378, Cherokee, NC 28719. **6/16pd**

BIDS, RFPs, etc.

Requests for Quote

Eastern Band of Cherokee Indians
Cherokee Building Rental
810 Acquoni Rd,
Cherokee, NC 28719

Email: ccooper@nc-cherokee.com

Phone: 828-359-6713

Quotes are requested for the selective demolition of the Cherokee Expo Center (Old High School)

down to the super structure, Building Rental office is requesting sealed quotes. The deadline for submitting a quote will be June 17th 2016 at 11:00am. Please be advised that all TERO rules and regulations, Tribal procurement policies, applicable state and federal rules, regulations and laws shall apply to the performance of any work awarded pursuant to this solicitation and to the procurement of work solicited through this advertisement. You may request the full request for the requirements for the quote through the Building Rental Program. If you have any questions or comments, please contact Building Rental at (828)-359-6713. **5/26**

Advertisement for Bids

Sealed proposals will be re-

ceived until no later than 3 p.m. on Wednesday, June 15, 2016, in The Board Room of the Burrell Building, Southwestern CC for remediation of approximately 400 tons of lead impacted soil via removal, treatment, and disposal at the Southwestern Community College Firing Range.

Complete electronic documents can be obtained from the environmental specialist, Jim Bevers, ECS Carolinas, LLP, 1900 Hendersonville Road, Suite 10, Asheville, NC 28803 without charge. Contact jbevers@ecslimited.com or 828-575-7183. The College reserves the unqualified right to reject any and all proposals.

Signed: Mr. Clifford Stalter, VP for Financial and Administrative Services, Southwestern Community College **5/26pd**

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charbrys@nc-cherokee.com



KNOW THE LAWS ON LIGHTS

Per NC GENERAL STATUTE:

§ 20-130.1. Use of red or blue lights on vehicles prohibited; exceptions.

(a) It is unlawful for any person to install or activate or operate a red light in or on any vehicle in this State. As used in this subsection, unless the context requires otherwise, "red light" means an operable red light not sealed in the manufacturer's original package which: (i) is designed for use by an emergency vehicle or is similar in appearance to a red light designed for use by an emergency vehicle; and (ii) can be operated by use of the vehicle's battery, vehicle's electrical system, or a dry cell battery. As used in this subsection, the term "red light" shall also mean any forward facing red light installed on a vehicle after initial manufacture of the vehicle.

§ 20-130.3. Use of white or clear lights on rear of vehicles prohibited; exceptions.

It shall be unlawful for any person to willfully drive a motor vehicle in forward motion upon the highways of this State displaying white or clear lights on the rear of said vehicle. The provisions of this section shall not apply to the white light required by G.S. 20-129(d) or so-called backup lights lighted only when said vehicle is in reverse gear or backing. Violation of this section does not constitute negligence per se in any civil action. (1973, c. 1071.)

EMPLOYMENT

CHEROKEE BOYS CLUB

Administrative Assistant

Organization: Cherokee Boys Club, P. O. Box 507, Cherokee, NC 28719; (52 Boys Club Loop)

Department: Garage/Shop/Body Shop

Opening Date: May 19, 2016

Closing Date: June 2, 2016

REQUIREMENTS:

Education: High School Diploma, GED, or equivalent combination of education, related experience or

training is necessary

Other: Valid NC Driver's License

required with verifiable driving

record; must have working knowl-

edge of Microsoft Office Suite

Software

A job description and application can be picked up from the Receptionist at the Cherokee Boys

Club between the hours of 8:00 a.m. and 4:30 p.m., Monday through Friday. For more information call 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 if applicable.

Indian Preference does apply in the filling of this position. If claiming Indian Preference, applicant must submit the appropriate certificate. **5/26pd**

Cherokee Language Camp

Teachers and Assistants:

Summer Camp positions in Robbinsville. Camp teachers must have a good command of Cherokee language and minimum of two years teaching Cherokee language

experience. Minimum of HS graduate and college classes preferred. Camp assistants must have some language background. Assistants must be able to hike at least ten miles on mountain terrain and good physical condition. Knowledge of native plants and foods preferred. First Aid and CPR trained but not required but given preference. Contact: Shirley Oswalt at (828)479-8375/Mary Brown at 479-7432. **6/2**

Cherokee Central Schools Position Openings (open until filled):

- Elementary School Nurse - Must have RN or LPN.
- High School SPED Teacher Assistant-NC Teaching license required.
- Special Education First Grade Teacher-NC Teaching license

required.

•Elementary Teacher - NC Teaching license required.

•Volleyball Coach - Previous successful experience preferred.

•Elementary Teacher Assistant - Multiple positions available. Must have Associates Degree or 48 semester hours of study at an institute of higher education.

For complete job descriptions please visit CCS Human Resources at www.ccs-nc.org **5/26pd**

THE CHEROKEE INDIAN HOSPITAL AUTHORITY has the following jobs available:


FT RN EVENING FLOAT / IN PATIENT

EMERGENCY HIRE RN / ER

7:30AM-8:00PM

EMERGENCY HIRE RN / ER EVENING SHIFT

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 Teresa Carvalho or Deb Toineeta. These positions will close on June 3, 2016 @ 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. **6/2pd**



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EBCI Banishment List

Following is the official banishment list of the Eastern Band of Cherokee Indians. The following individuals have been banished from all tribal lands of the tribe. Each listing is shown with the resolution and date of banishment. This list was provided by the TOP Office, and was last updated on Thursday, May 5, 2016.

Res. 365 – July 6, 2000
Polly Katherine Renfro
Eddie Junior Robinson
Buddy Powers
Jennifer Powers
Johnny Hartness
Res. 758 – April 6, 2001
Ruth Ann Martin Taylor
Res. 358 – Aug. 5, 2004
Wesley Burgess Young Jr.
Res. 632 – Jan. 7, 2005
Jefferson Clinton Burrell
Res. 687 – Feb. 24, 2005
Drew Burrell
Res. 867 – June 21, 2005
Randy Blevins
Res. 975 – Aug. 4, 2005
Tamela Smith aka Tamelah Blevins
Debbie Everhart aka Debbie Phillips
Robert Lee Smith
Res. 699 – Feb. 1, 2007
Javier Garcia
Res. 843 – May 3, 2007
Charles Ray Edwards
Res. 844 – May 3, 2007
Pearl Dawn Fielding
Res. 847 – May 29, 2007
Susan Denise Owen
Res. 848 – May 29, 2007
James Michael Hornbuckle
Res. 849 – May 29, 2007
Daniel West

Res. 994 – Aug. 2, 2007
Steven Ray Black
Res. 995 – Aug. 2, 2007
David Neal
Res. 996 – Aug. 2, 2007
Robert Christopher Sherrill
Res. 997 – Aug. 2, 2007
Aaron Dayton Keel
Res. 998 – Aug. 2, 2007
James David Cooper
Res. 999 – Aug. 2, 2007
Miguel Perez
Res. 1061 – Sept. 12, 2007
Andrew James Henry
Res. 1062 – Sept. 12, 2007
Craig McNeilly
Res. 74 – Nov. 1, 2007
Reese Kevin Orr
Res. 75 – Nov. 1, 2007
Jeffery Patrick Brooms
Res. 76 – Nov. 1, 2007
Connie Jean Martin
Res. 122 – Dec. 6, 2007
James Edward Ballew
Res. 123 – Dec. 6, 2007
Steven Anthony Melton
Res. 144 – Jan. 7, 2008
Isaac Ishmall Rivers
Res. 192 – Feb. 7, 2008
Stephanie Nicole Ogle
Res. 193 – Feb. 7, 2008
Chad N. Bragg
Res. 194 – Feb. 7, 2008
Peggy Darlene Bearden
Res. 195 – Feb. 7, 2008
Temporary
David Dixon Owen
Res. 196 – Feb. 7, 2008
Michael Derek Braden
Res. 248 – March 6, 2008
Teddy Lee Wilson
Higinion Macedo
Res. 542 – Sept. 4, 2008
Inoel Sanchez Vizcalla
Res. 773-A – April 2, 2009
Derrick Jamison Graham

Res. 1026 – Sept. 10, 2009
Justin Edward Deing
Res. 21 – Oct. 12, 2009
Edward Dewayne Gregory
Res. 533 – Oct. 27, 2010
Christopher McNeilly
Res. 618 – Feb. 3, 2011
Charles Kyle Doalson
Res. 693 – April 11, 2011
Zara Ellis Saddler
Res. 712 – May 5, 2011
Patrick Scott Carringer
Res. 713 – May 5, 2011
Ricky Lee Gunter
Res. 813 – Aug. 11, 2011
Angelica Michele Isom
Temporary
Res. 864 – Sept. 8, 2011
Steel Eugene Frazier
Res. 88 – Jan. 12, 2012
Jon Blanton Legere
Res. 89 – Jan. 12, 2012
Mark Wayne Ballard
Res. 90 – Jan. 12, 2012
Donald Dee Gosnell
Res. 368 – Oct. 13, 2014
Laquan Ellis Harding
Res. 727 – Sept. 8, 2015
Donovan Edward Coleman
Res. 728 – Sept. 8, 2015
Mathew Adam Freeman
Res. 729 – Sept. 8, 2015
Dorothy Ray Franco
Res. 730 – Sept. 8, 2015
Gabriel David Simcox
Res. 94 – Jan. 7, 2016
Justin Lambert
Res. 93 – Jan. 7, 2016
Will Parsons
Res. 195 – April 7, 2016
Matthew Leon Dockery
Res. 196 – April 7, 2016
Ahmed Saeed Adam
Res. 197 – April 7, 2016
Andrew Tab Kilpatrick
Res. 198 – April 7, 2016
Chase Cecil Shafer
Res. 199 – April 7, 2016

Chelsea Dean Robinson
Res. 200 – April 7, 2016
Cristine Marie Difabion
Res. 201 – April 7, 2016
Darian Dre'Von Smith
Res. 202 – April 7, 2016
Dennis Larry Dockery
Res. 203 – April 7, 2016
Erin Marie Haithcock
Res. 204 – April 7, 2016
Heather Kelly Hawkins

Res. 205 – April 7, 2016
Heather Nicole Ramsey
Res. 206 – April 7, 2016
Jordan Donavan Hall
Res. 207 – April 7, 2016
Shannon Leigh Woody
Res. 208 – April 7, 2016
Tyler Lee Gibbs
Res. 209 – April 7, 2016
Tosha Savannah Eller
Res. 210 – April 7, 2016



ARIES (March 21 to April 19) Lots of possibilities begin to open up by midweek. Some seem more appealing than others. But wait for more facts to emerge later on before you consider which to choose.

TAURUS (April 20 to May 20) Bravo to the determined Bovine. While others might give up, you continue to search for answers. Expect your Taurcan tenacity to begin paying off by week's end.

GEMINI (May 21 to June 20) You might want to consider stepping back from the task at hand for a while. This could help you get a better perspective on what you've done and what still needs to be done.

CANCER (June 21 to July 22) Your keen Cancerian insight should help you determine whether a new offer is solid or just more fluff 'n' stuff. The clues are all there, waiting for you to find them.

LEO (July 23 to August 22) Being ignored is difficult for any proud Leo or Leona. But pushing yourself back into the spotlight might be unwise. Instead, let things work themselves out at their own pace.

VIRGO (August 23 to September 22) Trying to uncover a colleague's secret under the pretext of showing concern is ill-advised. Control your curiosity in order to avoid raising resentment in the workplace.

LIBRA (September 23 to October 22) Expect to hear good news about a loved one. Also, be prepared for some changes in several family relationships that could develop from this lucky turn of events.

SCORPIO (October 23 to November 21) Some surprises are expected to accompany a number of changes that will continue through part of next week. At least one could involve a romantic situation.

SAGITTARIUS (November 22 to December 21) You might be upset by some of your critics. But most of your associates continue to have faith in your ability to get the job done, and done well.

CAPRICORN (December 22 to January 19) A workplace goal that suddenly seems out of reach is no problem for the sure-footed Goat, who moves steadily forward despite any obstacles placed in his or her way.

AQUARIUS (January 20 to February 18) Uncertainty about who is right and who isn't might keep you from making a clear-cut decision. Wait until you know more about what you're being asked to decide.

PISCES (February 19 to March 20) Be careful to keep your emotions in check when dealing with a demanding personal situation. You need to set an example of strength for others to follow.

BORN THIS WEEK: You have an extraordinary ability to rally people to do their best. You would be a treasure as a teacher.

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