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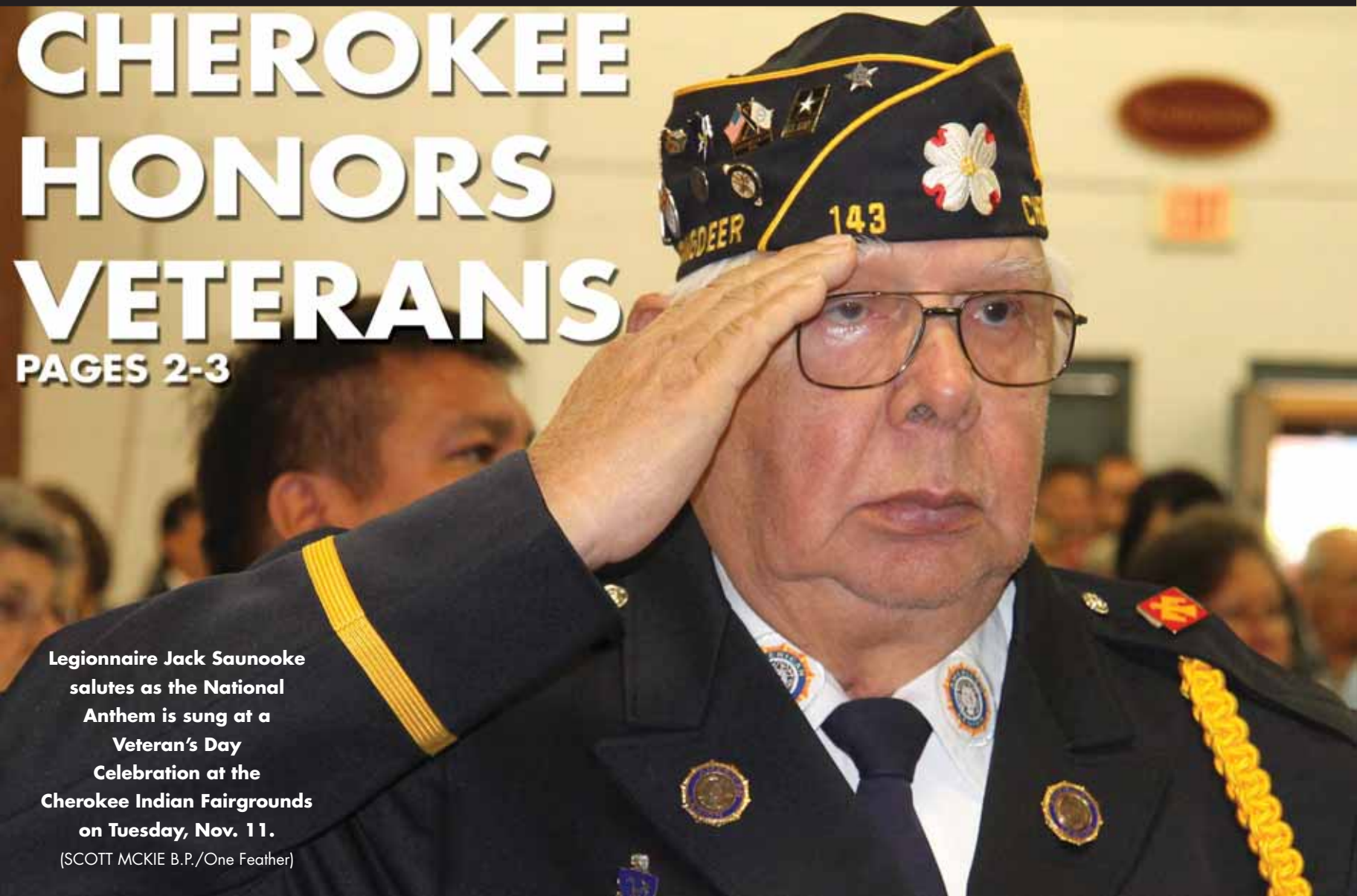
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Legionnaire Jack Saunooke
salutes as the National
Anthem is sung at a
Veteran's Day
Celebration at the
Cherokee Indian Fairgrounds
on Tuesday, Nov. 11.

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Veteran's Day Ceremony held at Fairgrounds

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ONE FEATHER STAFF

Veterans of all branches of the armed forces were honored during a ceremony in Cherokee held on the eleventh hour of the eleventh day of the eleventh month. The Steve Youngdeer American Legion Post 143 hosted the event at the Cherokee Indian Fairgrounds on Tuesday, Nov. 11.

"Veterans have served their country many times with great sacrifice," said Lew Harding, Post 143 Commander. "They fought with their minds and their hearts as well as with their bodies. Our veterans recognize that service to our country does not stop when we come off of active duty, but continues when we come home to our communities to serve and lift up our country and to lift up each other."

Commander Harding went on to say, "It is true that many of our brothers and sisters did not return. It is a feeling of peace and also profound gratitude that we offer them our appreciation for a job so lovingly done and the ulti-



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Warren Dupree (2nd from right) was given the Legionnaire of the Year Award at the Veteran's Day Ceremony hosted by the Steve Youngdeer American Legion Post 143 at the Cherokee Indian Fairgrounds on Tuesday, Nov. 11. Shown (left-right) are Big Cove Rep. Perry Shell, a U.S. Army veteran; Col. Bob Blankenship, former Tribal Council Chairman and a Vietnam Veteran; Dupree; and Principal Chief Michell Hicks.

mate sacrifice paid by those brothers and sisters." Post 143 gave out several awards during the event including the Legionnaire of the Year Award which went to Warren "Hoppy" Dupree, U.S. Army retired, who serves as the Post's service officer. Of Dupree, Commander Harding said, "I have never seen or been blessed to ex-

perience the enthusiasm, initiative and leadership that brother Hoppy has brought to us." The Certificate presented to Dupree read in part, "...for your willingness to go above and beyond the requirements of your job and raise the standards of other veteran's service organizations and for your forward-looking,

no-nonsense example of leadership, we thank you." American Legion Distinguished Achievement Awards were presented to the following: Don Rose, U.S. Air Force retired, Tribal Gaming Commission chairman; Ray Rose, U.S. Navy retired, Tribal Casino Gaming Enterprise chairman; William "Bill" Boyum, Chief Justice

Cherokee Tribal Court; Casey Cooper, Cherokee Indian Hospital Authority CEO; Ben Reed, Chief, Cherokee Indian Police Department; Curtis Arneach, Chief, Cherokee Fire Department; and Donna Owle, Cherokee Emergency Medical Services executive director. "I'm thankful for all of our veterans," said Princi-

pal Chief Michell Hicks. "Being in the service is a true commitment, and it requires bravery, courage, and such a commitment from the family that we just don't appreciate that enough, and I just want to personally thank everyone for serving and giving us the freedom that we have here today."

Several princesses were in attendance including Miss Cherokee Taylor Wilnoty, Teen Miss Cherokee Madison Hye Long, Junior Miss Cherokee Jade Ledford, Little Miss Cherokee Jenna Cruz, Miss Indian North Carolina Karyl Frankiewicz, and Senior Miss Indian North Carolina Judy Smith.

"I am beyond honored to be with you today," said Wilnoty. "Today is in honor of you all for going above and beyond in being a member of this Tribe and of this great nation and for all of your sacrifices, hard work and dedication that you gave and continue to give."

A special wreath laying ceremony was held with the wreath being placed by Col. Blankenship, Maj. William Underwood and Sgt. Clifford Long. Maj. Underwood then read the list of EBCI tribal members killed in action in WWI, WWII, Korea and Vietnam while Sgt. First Class Alva Brown rang a bell in their honor and memory.

The Post 143 color guard posted the colors at the beginning of the event.



"They fought with their minds and their hearts as well as with their bodies."

- Lew Harding, Post 143 Commander

The invocation was given by Rep. Shell, a Cherokee prayer was offered by EBCI Beloved Man and U.S. Navy veteran Jerry Wolfe, and the benediction was given by Maj. Underwood. Musical presentations were given by Yona Wade who sang "God Bless America" and Legionnaire Phyllis Shell who sang "It's An Honor to Serve."



Col. Bob Blankenship (left), who served as a U.S. Army helicopter pilot during the Vietnam War, is shown with former Principal Chief Robert S. Youngdeer who served with the 1st Marine Raider Battalion known as Edson's Raiders in World War II.



The Post 143 Color Guard posts the colors to open the event.

Harrah's hosts Community Celebration

Harrah's Cherokee Casino Resort held a
free Community Celebration at the Event
Center on Thursday, Nov. 13.

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Tribal Court Report

Judgment Summary for Nov. 12

ARCH, Stefanie Michelle

14-15.5 Intoxicated and Disruptive in Public – Guilty Plea, one day active jail time, credit for time served (1 day)

ARMACHAIN, Albirda

14-30.3 Compulsory School Attendance – Guilty Plea, Prayer for Judgment Continued, \$190 court costs

BLACKFOX, Cassandra Dawn

14-25.12 Disorderly Conduct – Guilty Plea, No Contest, \$50 fine, \$190 court costs

BRADY, James

14-30.3 Compulsory School Attendance – Dismissed, Child No Longer in School

CRUZ, Althia Sadongei

14-30.3 Compulsory School Attendance – Guilty Plea, Judgment Stayed, 31 days jail time stayed
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HORNBUCKLE, Adrian Thomas

14-60.30 False Pretenses – Dismissed on Plea
14-10.61 Receiving or Possessing Stolen Property – Guilty Plea, Prayer for Judgment Continued, PJC one year, \$190 court costs
14-10.60 Larceny – Dismissed on Plea

LOSSIAH, Sammi Lynn

20-138.1(a) Driving While Impaired – Guilty/Responsible, 30 days jail time suspended, one year probation, obtain Substance Abuse Assessment, credit for time served (22 days)
20-28 Revoked Driver's License – Dismissed on Plea
14-70.14 Obstructive Governmental Functions – Dismissed on Plea

LOSSIAH, Thomas Lyle

14-15.6(b) Purchasing, Attempt to Purchase, Possession or Consumption of Alcoholic Beverages by Persons under 21 – Deferred Prosecution

for six months, 50 hours community service, obtain Substance Abuse Assessment

MAHSETKY, Henry

20-138.1(a) Driving While Impaired – Guilty/Responsible, 60 days jail time suspended, two years probation, credit for time served (15 days), \$400 fine, \$190 court costs
14-15.3 Transportation of Alcoholic Beverages – Dismissed on Plea
14-95.5(c) Drugs: Simple Possession of Marijuana - Dismissed on Plea
14-95.11(c) Drugs: Possession of Drug Paraphernalia - Dismissed on Plea
14-34.10 Weapons Offense - Dismissed on Plea
14-40.62(a)(2) Assault and Battery - Dismissed on Plea
20-7(a) No Operator's License - Dismissed on Plea

MITCHELL, Mareen Nicole

14-10.61 Receiving or Possessing Stolen Property – Dismissed Upon Completion of Drug Court, 365 days jail time, \$500 fine
14-10.40 Burglary – Dismissed Upon Completion of Drug Court

SEQUOYAH, Sammi Lynn

14-34.11 Aggravated Weapons Offense (DV) - Dismissed on Plea
20-7(a) No Operator's License - Dismissed on Plea
20-28 Revoked Driver's License - Dismissed on Plea
14-40.50(a) Assault With a Deadly Weapon With Intent to Kill Inflicting Serious Injury (DV) - Dismissed on Plea

TAFOYA, Phylicia Kaye

14-70.19 Resisting Lawful Arrest – Guilty Plea, No Contest, 90 days jail time suspended, one year probation, obtain Substance Abuse Assessment, waive costs and fines
14-70.14 Obstructing Governmental Functions - Dismissed on Plea
14-30.6 Child Abuse in the Second Degree - Dismissed on Plea
14-25.12 Disorderly Conduct - Dismissed on

Plea

TOINEETA, James

14-10.16 Second Degree Trespass – Guilty Plea, Prayer for Judgment Continued, PJC six months, stay away from casino property, \$190 court costs

TRAMPER, Kenneth Lee

14-40.56 Assault on a Female (DV) – Guilty Plea, No Contest, three years active jail time, credit for time served (64 days),
13CR1935/1936PV to run 180 days concurrent

WACHACHA, Eugene

14-10.60 Larceny – Dismissed at Complainant's Request

WALDROUP, Brandon

14-10.16 Second Degree Trespass – Dismissed on Plea
14-10.60 Larceny – Guilty Plea, No Contest, 30 days jail time suspended, one year probation, \$100 fine, \$190 court costs, \$40 restitution ordered

WATTY, Krystal Pheasant

14-95.11(c) Drugs: Possession of Drug Paraphernalia – Guilty Plea, No Contest, 60 days jail time suspended, one year probation, 24 hours community service, credit for time served (4 days), \$200 fine, \$190 court costs, \$1000 DARE
14-95.11(c) Drugs: Possession of Drug Paraphernalia – Guilty Plea, No Contest, 60 days jail time suspended, one year probation, 24 hours community service, credit for time served (4 days), \$200 fine, \$190 court costs, \$1000 DARE
14-95.5(a) Drugs: Possessing a controlled substance classified in schedule I, II, III, IV, and V – Dismissed on Plea

WOLFE, Starlina Locust

14-30.3 Compulsory School Attendance – Guilty/Responsible, 80 days active jail time
14-30.3 Compulsory School Attendance – Guilty/Responsible, 80 days active jail time

Harjo to receive Presidential Medal of Freedom

WASHINGTON - President Barack Obama has named nineteen distinguished individuals as recipients of the Presidential Medal of Freedom. Among the recipients of this prestigious award is Suzan Shown Harjo (Cheyenne & Hodulgee Muscogee), president of The Morning Star Institute since its inception in 1984. She served as executive director of the National Congress of American Indians (NCAI) from 1984-89 and continues to serve as co-chair of the NCAI Subcommittee on Human, Religious, and

Cultural Concerns.

The Medal of Freedom, established by President John F. Kennedy in 1963, is the nation's highest civilian honor bestowed to individuals who have made especially meritorious contributions to the security or national interests of the United States, to world peace, or to cultural or other significant public or private endeavors.

Harjo's career has spanned decades of involvement in Indigenous human rights issues and causes. Her traditional knowledge, extensive capacity for research regard-



Photo contributed

Suzan Harjo

ing Indigenous cultures, and her indomitable spirit has led her to significant victories in non-Native arenas, including congressional and administrative venues. She is a founder of the National Museum of the American Indian and guest curator and general

editor of the exhibit and book, "Nation to Nation: Treaties Between the United States and American Indian Nations."

NCAI President Brian Cladoosby expressed congratulations to Dr. Harjo, stating, "We are extremely proud of Suzan Harjo and her continued and profound advocacy on behalf of Native peoples. Her commitment to preserve and protect Native human remains, cultural patrimony, sacred places, and sovereignty is well known throughout Indian Country. Today is a great day for Native Peoples, and we cel-

ebate and honor our friend and colleague, a former director of NCAI, for her achievements and recognition by the President for her exceptional meritorious service."

Medal of Freedom recipients are selected by the President, either on his own initiative or based on recommendations, and this year's list includes: Alvin Ailey, Tom Brokaw, Patsy Mink, Ethel Kennedy, Charles Sifford, Meryl Streep, and Stevie Wonder.

This year's awards will be presented at the White House on Monday, Nov. 24.

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Groundbreaking Ceremony held for NPS Collections Preservation Center

TOWNSEND, Tenn. - National Park Service (NPS) officials were joined by representatives from Senator Bob Corker's office, Representative John Duncan's office, Friends of the Smokies, Great Smoky Mountains Association, Great Smoky Mountains Heritage Center, and AMEC Environment & Infrastructure Inc. to break ground on the new NPS Collections Preservation Center on Thursday, Nov. 13.

The NPS facility will preserve 418,000 artifacts and 1.3 million archival records documenting the history of Great Smoky Mountains National Park and four other NPS areas in east Tennessee including Andrew Johnson National Historic Site, Big South Fork National River and Recreation Area, Cumberland Gap National Historical Park, and Obed Wild and Scenic River. AMEC Environment & Infrastructure Inc. from Knoxville was awarded the contract to build the new 14,000 square-foot facility on a 1.6 acre parcel of land adjacent to the Great Smoky Mountains Heritage Center (GSMHC) in Townsend, Tenn. which was donated to the park from GSMHC.

"This is not just a success story about preserving our cultural heritage, whose stories are told at these five national parks, it



NPS photo

Ground was broken on the NPS Collections Preservation Center on Thursday, Nov. 13 in Townsend, Tenn. Shown (right-left) are Jane Jolley, Senator Coker's Knoxville Office field director; Jim Hart, Friends of the Smokies president; Bob Patterson, GSMHC executive director; Alan Sumeriski, Park acting deputy superintendent; Vickie Flynn, Congressman Duncan's Maryville Office manager; Lizzie Watts, Andrew Johnson National Historic Site superintendent; Terry Maddox, GSMA executive director; Niki Nicholas, Big South Fork National River and Recreation Area and Obed Wild and Scenic River superintendent; Clayton Jordan, Park acting superintendent; and Sula Jacobs, Cumberland Gap National Historic Site superintendent.

is also a testament about partnership and what we can accomplish by bringing together public and private interests towards a great purpose," said Acting Superintendent Clay Jordan.

Funding for the \$ 4.125 million facility was made possible through public-private partnerships bringing together both federal funds and public donations. The Friends of the Smokies and Great Smoky Mountains Association donated \$1.9 million for the construction of the building.

"The Friends of the Smokies is privileged to partner with the Great Smoky Mountain Association (GSMA) to assist the NPS in the creation of such a lasting and meaningful resource for our area," said Jim Hart, Friends of the Smokies president.

The new facility centralizes irreplaceable materials in a conveniently located, secure, climate-controlled space in which they will be preserved, as well as office and lab space where they can be studied by NPS staff and visiting re-

searchers.

"Great Smoky Mountains Association is honored to be a part of this landmark project that pays tribute to the people who gave up their homes and communities for the creation of this national park. Of all the park projects GSMA has supported over the last 61 years, this is one of the very most important," said Terry Maddox, GSMA executive director.

The historic artifacts include: pre-historic projectile points, logging-era equipment, vintage

weapons, clothing, farm implements, tools and other possessions that would have been found on the farmsteads of the Southern Appalachians in pre-park days such as everyday items including hair combs, butter churns, beds, looms, and spinning wheels, all handmade and all one-of-a-kind. The collection also includes documentary history through oral histories of Southern Appalachian speech, folklore, official documents, photographs and stories.

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Birdtown Free Labor rebuilding ball field

The Birdtown Community Free Labor group is teaming up with Padgett & Freeman Architects to begin the planning process to rebuild the Ting Rogers ball field in the Birdtown Community. This project is sponsored in part by the Cherokee Preservation Foundation. Shown (left-right) are Travis Smith, Birdtown Free Labor; Scott Donald, Padgett & Freeman Architects; and Birdtown Rep. Albert Rose.

Park records most Oct. visits in 27 yrs.

The Great Smoky Mountains National Park recorded the highest October visitation in 27 years with 1,261,104 people visiting the park. October is traditionally the second busiest month of the year for the national park, driven by visitors coming to see the park's fall foliage. This year, visitors continued to come to the park despite record rainfall at the beginning of the month, a strong wind event, and a major snow storm on the last day of the month.

Although visitation through the park's major entrances at Gatlinburg, Townsend, and Cherokee was up, outlying areas led the way in making this month the fourth highest October on record. Visitation at the outlying areas of

the park in October was 73 percent above the 20-year average. Outlying areas include places like Foothills Parkway, Cosby, Big Creek, Greenbrier, Deep Creek, Cataloochee, and Abrams Creek.

Visitation has been up nearly every month this year with over eight million people visiting the park so far. The highest annual visitation on record was set in 1999 when 10,283,598 people visited Great Smoky Mountains National Park.

For more information about visitation, visit the National Park Service Visitor Use Statistics web page at <https://irma.nps.gov/Stats/>.

- NPS

Cooper selected to N.C. Boxing Authority

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Cameron Cooper, an EBCI tribal member, has been selected to serve as a commissioner on the North Carolina Boxing Authority which oversees all combat sports in the state. He is the first person from western North Carolina to ever serve on the Authority.

"They are a regulatory body so anything and everything that deals with boxing such as a promoter needing a license, a referee needing a license, or a

fighter needing a license, they provide them," said Cooper. "It's to keep the fighters protected and the promoters protected. It's just a regulatory body for anything that deals with combat sports."

Cooper, a huge fan of mixed martial arts (MMA), said that combat sports are growing in North Carolina and related that the state is ranked in the top ten in the number of night events it is hosting.

He said he is hoping to work with the other commissioners to promote the state and attract larger-

scale events. "We want to try to get North Carolina on the map as a fighting state. It would be great to see that and add more UFC (Ultimate Fighting Championship) and Bellator matches which are big names. I know UFC has been here before, and it'd be great to have them back."

"Our job is just to keep everybody safe and see what we can do for North Carolina," said Cooper.

He said he could also help people wishing to get into the realm of promoting fights. "Hopefully, I

could help facilitate that and help them along. They would at least have a connection in this area."

Information from the N.C. Boxing Authority states, "In 2013/14 FY, the Boxing Authority issued more than 1,400 licenses to promoters, matchmakers, managers, cornermen, judges, referees, timekeepers, knockdown timekeepers, announcers and fighters. The Boxing Authority maintains records on over 10,000 amateur and professional fighter and toughman contenders."



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Cameron Cooper has been selected to serve on the N.C. Boxing Authority.

Matthew 5:9
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"Blessed are the peacemakers: for they shall be called the children of God."

New Kituwah Academy holds an annual Honor the Veterans ceremony each year to show appreciation and respect for our men and women in service or who have served our country. On November 10, 2014, students held a breakfast with members of the Steve Youngdree Post 143. Students presented the members with gifts following the flag raising ceremony. Framed art, cards, crafts, and a large woven wall hanging were presented. Warren Dupree spoke to the group expressing their appreciation for the gifts, which will be on display at the VFW post.

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FOOTBALL

Pride tops Braves 38-21 in playoffs

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HUNTERSVILLE – It was a tough loss for the

Braves, who traveled to North Mecklenburg High School for the 1st round of the NCHSAA playoffs against the hosting Pine Lake Prep Pride who topped Cherokee 38-21 on Friday, Nov. 14. The contest was held at the North Mecklenburg High School due to the lack of facilities available at the Pine Lake Prep site.

The Cherokee faithful brought a small, but noisy crowd on the cold, blustery night where temperatures were in the high 20's and the wind chill took it down in the teens.

Freshman quarterback, Tye Mintz, completed 10 of 24 passes for 188yds, 2TD and 1 INT. He also ran the ball 9 times for 22yds.

Jason McMillan lead the Braves receivers with 4 receptions for 91yds and 1TD, followed by Dustin Johnson with 3 receptions for 59yds and 1TD.

Logan Teesateskie lead the Braves defensively with 27 tackles, followed by western North Carolina leading tackler Keenan Panther with 20 tackles.

The Braves opened the game with a strong defen-



AMBLE SMOKER/One Feather photos

Jason McMillan (#8), Braves wide receiver, breaks a tackle during Friday's playoff game against Pine Lake Prep. He led Braves receivers with 4 catches for 91 yds and 1 TD.

sive stand when Cherokee's Matthew Lee recovered a fumble on the second play from scrimmage. The Braves opened up shop at the Pride 42-yard line. A few plays later, senior running back J.J. Benjamin trotted into the end zone to put the Braves up 7-0 after

a Steven Swayney extra-point.

After another stout defensive stand, the Braves took over about mid-field. A few plays into the drive, Mintz connected with Dustin Johnson on a 37-yard touchdown pass to put the Braves ahead 13-0

at the 5:34 mark in the first quarter. The point after by Steven Swayney was no good.

Pine Lake Prep Pride was able to develop a scoring drive on their next possession when Austin Cook scored on a 3-yard gallop to put the Pride on the board.

However, controversy struck when Byron Locust and Channing Lossiah of the Braves stopped Austin Cook in the backfield but Cook pitched the ball from his back to a teammate who was able to run into the end zone for the two-point conversion. The con-

version counted and Cherokee led 13-8.

Going into the second quarter, the defense for both teams tightened up. After a few exchanges of possessions, Cherokee was able to find the end zone again when Mintz hit Jason McMillan on a 58-yard bomb. A pass to Keenan Panther was good for two-points and would extend the Braves lead to 21-8. Austin Cook of the Pride would cross the goal line again with 54-seconds in the second quarter. A two-point conversion run by Cook would close the gap as the Braves took a 21-16 lead into half-time.

Unfortunately, the Braves wouldn't cross the goal line in the second-half of the game as the Pride scored 22 unanswered points. The scoring summary was as follows:

- 3rd (3:17) – Austin Cook 2-yard run, PAT run no good

- 3rd (0:54) – Hart 10-yard pass to Bradley Pirkle, Hart pass to Joe Berg for two-point
- 4th (1:24) – Austin Cook 3-yard touchdown run, Will Harwood run for two-point

The Braves finished their promising season at 3-9 but have plenty to build on in the upcoming years.

After the game, Coach Kent Briggs said, "The seniors fought hard this year to turn this program around. We're sad to see them go, but we know football will help them in their life experience and that is what this game is all about. We are very disappointed in the way we finished. We had an opportunity and the guys were fighting hard. We just didn't get it done. Hopefully, these will be things we can improve on in the upcoming year and get better on the years down the road."



Tye Mintz (#7), Braves quarterback, drops back for a pass. He completed 10 of 24 passes for 188 yds, 2TD and 1 INT.

NDN Racin Team

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Toineeta signs with Lenoir-Rhyne

Kendall Toineeta (center), a senior at Cherokee High School, signs a letter of intent on Wednesday, Nov. 12 to play college basketball at Lenoir-Rhyne. Last season, Toineeta averaged 19.2 pts/game for the Lady Braves and was named the Big Smoky Mountain Conference Player of the Year. Her parents Bruce and Tonya are shown watching her sign the letter on Wednesday.

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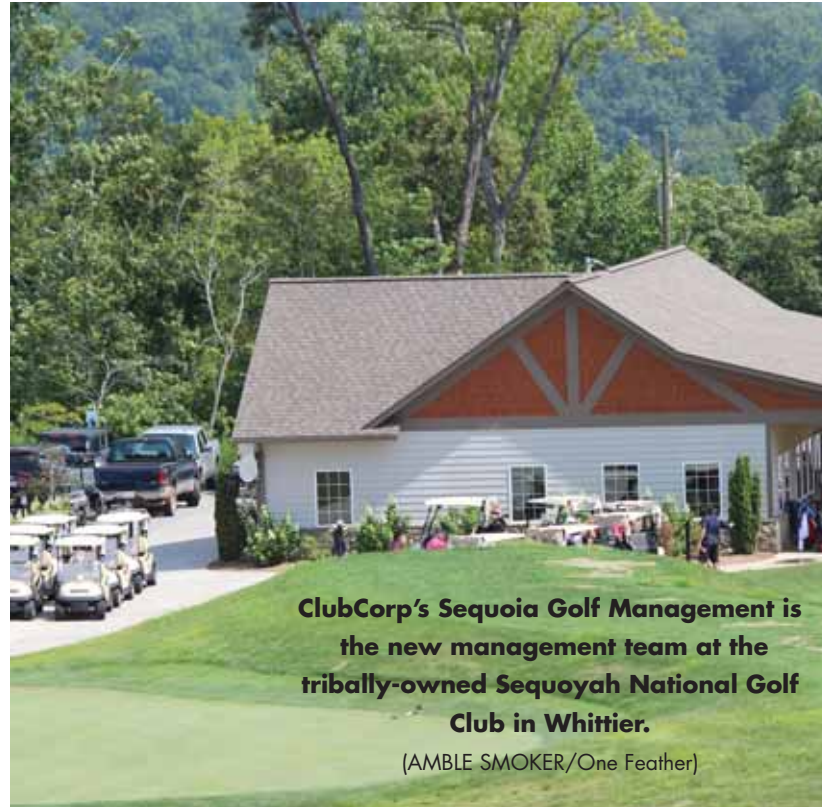
Sequoyah National Golf Club welcomes new management

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ClubCorp's Sequoia Golf Management is the new management team at the Sequoyah National Golf Club which is owned by the Eastern Band of Cherokee Indians. Sequoia Golf took control of operations on Oct. 17 and replaces Troon Golf, who managed Sequoyah National since the opening of the course in 2009. Class-A PGA member, Kenny Cashwell, is the new general manager. He is a former member of the management team who previously helped turn around the conditions at The Ridges Golf Club in Hayesville. Brannon Burnes has also stepped onboard as the new superintendent. EBCI tribal member Wayne Carr Crowe will continue his duties as the head golf professional at the course. The new management team has retained all employees who elected to stay.

"We see this as a great opportunity to make a great step forward," said Crowe. "Morale seems to be really positive with the staff that we did retain. Everything is looking great moving forward for 2015 and beyond. I'm pleased with the progress that has taken place so far, and I feel comfortable in where we're going."

Sequoia Golf plans to improve the overall conditions of the course through a variety of



ClubCorp's Sequoia Golf Management is the new management team at the tribally-owned Sequoyah National Golf Club in Whittier.

(AMBLE SMOKER/One Feather)

projects scheduled over the upcoming months. Major projects are already in place such as rebuilding cart paths, several irrigation issues, and over-seeding the golf course from the first tee box to the eighteenth green.

"The main goal for this season is to continue with good course conditions, which we're establishing now with the over-seed," said Cashwell. "We also plan to build relationships with the community. We've reached out to several hotels in the area, many of whom have not been contacted. We will have a marketing campaign for the 25,000 members with Sequoia Golf who are from the Atlanta area. We plan to market to those folks and hope to get them up here, especially if they are unfamiliar with

the area."

"We're hoping the community will see a better bottom line. In addition to the tremendous asset the golf course can be to the community, it also needs to be something that is not perceived as a financial burden. It is our goal to help alleviate that perception."

ClubCorp, a publicly-traded company (NYSE: MYCC) is a leading owner-operator of private golf and country clubs, as well as business, sports, and alumni clubs in North America. Since 2007, ClubCorp has spent more than \$400 million reinvesting in many of its clubs to make them more relevant in their communities and better fit the changing needs of today's private club members.

Basketball sign-ups open until Friday

Cherokee Life Community League Basketball will hold sign-ups open until Friday, Nov. 21 at 12noon. There will be no exceptions after this date. Anyone who has signed up to coach, the Cherokee Life Staff will be contacting you about a coaches meeting to be held at the Birdtown Gym on Thursday, Nov. 20 at 6pm. If anyone is still interested in coaching, contact Tim Smith 554-6891 or Dinah Grant 497-3345. This goes for all communities. Coaches are and will be subject to a local and federal background check.

SCOREBOARD

Area Prep Football

First Round of State Playoffs,
Friday, Nov. 14

1A West

Pine Lake Prep 38 Cherokee 21

Murphy 55 Andrews 20

Robbinsville 35 Hayesville 7

Rosman 26 Comm. School of Davidson 20

1AA West

Swain 14 Mt. Airy 0

CMS Basketball

at Hiwassee Dam Ranger, Monday, Nov. 11

Braves 99 HDR 41

Lady Braves 63 HDR 28

at Martins Creek, Thursday, Nov. 13

Braves 66 Martins Creek 25

Lady Braves 52 Martins Creek 6

Cherokee Travel League

Saturday, Nov. 15

Pee Wee Girls: Cherokee 30 Canton 8

Pee Wee Boys: Cherokee 14 Canton 12

Termite Girls: Cherokee 34 Canton 4

Termite Boys: Canton 28 Cherokee 20

Mite Girls: Cherokee 43 Canton 2

Mite Boys: Cherokee 39 Canton 35

Ice Skating at Cherokee Lights and Legends Christmas

ROBERT JUMPER
ONE FEATHER EDITOR

A unique feature of the Cherokee Lights and Legends Christmas event at the Fairgrounds will be a synthetic ice skating rink. Beginning Friday, Nov. 28, the rink will be open for skating. Hours of operation will mirror event hours. Everyone is invited to a special tree lighting ceremony on Friday, Nov. 28 at 5:30pm.

There will be plenty of time for fun on the ice. Cherokee Lights and Legends is scheduled to open Friday and Saturday after Thanksgiving Day, then every Wednesday through Saturday until Saturday, Jan. 3, 2015J (except Christmas Eve and Christmas day).

The ticket to skate is \$3 for 30 minutes (in addition to the \$5 admission fee to the event). There will 30 minute segments of skating to minimize confusion and ensure that everyone gets a fair amount of time on the ice. There will be a 15 minute break between skating sessions.

Persons wishing to bring their own skates may skate at a rate of \$2 for 30 minutes. The rink has been constructed on the Fairgrounds and is made of a synthetic material. The regular hockey type skates are ok, but figure skates may not be used.

According to

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tureskate.net, "Synthetic skating rinks are made to simulate real ice as closely as possible, while delivering the best, most economic system available... All components are thoroughly tested and carefully engineered to make installation and removal as easy as possible, and...to provide a unique skating experience for many years, no matter what the season."

Marty Coyne, president of Future Skate, was in Cherokee to oversee the Fairgrounds installation. He said, "This is an awesome opportu-

nity for us. I appreciate the opportunity that the Eastern Band of Cherokee Indians has afforded us and working with Frieda, Howard and the Fairgrounds staff. I know this will be something that will have a lot of use".

In addition to the skating rink, custom Christmas lighting, food and craft vendors, carnival rides will be available, including a Ferris wheel, carousel, glass house, giant slide and pony rides.

Community nights will be Friday, Nov. 28, Saturday, Dec. 6 and

**30 minute Ice
Skating sessions
starting at 6:30pm**

Friday, Nov. 28

1st session – 6:15pm
2nd session – 7:00pm
3rd session – 7:45pm
4th session – 8:30pm

Saturday, Nov. 29

1st session- 5:30pm
2nd session – 6:15pm
3rd session – 7:00pm
4th session – 7:45pm
5th session – 8:30pm
6th session – 9:15pm

Wednesday, Dec. 3

1st session- 5:30pm
2nd session – 6:15pm
3rd session – 7:00pm
4th session – 7:45pm
5th session – 8:30pm

Wednesday, Dec. 31. Enrolled members of the Eastern Band of Cherokee Indians and any other federally recognized tribe will just need to show their enrollment card or other proof of enrollment at the front gate.

For more information on Cherokee Lights and Legends Christmas, contact Frieda Huskey 554-6492 or Howard Wahnetah 554-6471.

Christmas Store apps available

Family Support Services will begin accepting applications for the Christmas Store is now accepting applications through the month of November. The Christmas Store is for eligible families with children ages 0-12. Come by Family Support offices at 134 Boys Club Loop in Cherokee or 90 Indian School Road in Snowbird. Info: Leslie Lossiah 497-6092

Free wills for Tribal Members

Wills will be drafted free for EBCI tribal members. Call the EBCI Attorney General Office 497-7434 for an appointment.

ITC Scholarship

The Truman D. Picard Scholarship Program, sponsored by the Inter-tribal Timber Council, is dedicated to American Indian/Alaskan Native students pursuing a higher education in natural resources. The application process includes a letter of application, resume, three signed letters of reference, evidence of enrollment in a federally-recognized Indian tribe or Alaska Native Corporation and transcripts. All requested information must be received by the close of business on Jan. 16, 2015. Info: www.itcnet.org, itc1@teleport.com, (503) 282-4296

Cherokee Lights and Legends is more than just pretty lights

Entertainment Schedule

Friday, Nov. 28

5:30pm – Tree Lighting Ceremony
6pm – Amazing Grace singing group (Larry and Lucetta Ward) – gospel singing
7pm – Cokers from Sevierville, Tenn. – singing
8pm – Jake Sneed - singing

Saturday, Nov. 29

6pm – Harpist for the Lord – Sarrinna and Shane
7pm - Amazing Grace singing group (Larry and Lucetta Ward) – gospel singing
8pm- Cokers from Sevierville, Tenn. – singing

Wednesday, Dec. 3

8pm – Jake Sneed – singing
Schedule is subject to change. Cancellations may occur due to inclement weather. Feel free to bring your own lawn chairs and blankets.

Parking in front of the main entrance to the Fairgrounds is reserved



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for handicapped and elder parking only and drop-off and pick-up traffic. EBCI Transit will be offering a free shuttle from parking areas near the Fairgrounds for the Cherokee Lights and Legends Christmas event. Look for the Cherokee Lights and Legends Christmas Shuttle stops behind the Cherokee Post Office, the Museum of the Cherokee Indian, and the Cherokee Council House in order to catch the shuttle to the main entrance of the Cherokee Fairgrounds.

As a holiday gift from the Chero-

kee Transit Program, a free transit shuttle will be offered to the Cherokee Fairgrounds every Friday in December.

A nightly Christmas bazaar will be held at the Cherokee Lights and Legends Christmas event featuring a variety of handmade and handcrafted items as well as baked goods. This is a great opportunity to support the buy local movement for the holiday season.

The Cherokee Lights and Legends Christmas event also has food vendors selling their specialty holiday and event food items during the event.

The Cherokee Christmas Parade, with the theme of Cherokee Lights and Legends, will be held Saturday, Dec. 6 at 5:30pm. 1st place is \$1,000 and 2nd place is \$700. Entry forms may be picked up at the Cherokee Welcome Center located across from the Cherokee Indian Fairgrounds. The deadline to turn in the form is Friday, Dec. 5. Info: 554-6490

Cherokee Tribal Child Care news

On Monday, Nov. 10, Cherokee Tribal Child Care (CTCC) classrooms talked about Veteran's Day and how veterans are honored. Classrooms made different projects and displayed them around the Center to honor veterans. On Tuesday, Nov. 11, the Center was closed in observance of Veteran's Day. On Wednesday, Nov. 12, Cherokee Dental Clinic staff came to the Center to provide the children with a dental

screening.

Miss Cherokee Taylor Wilnoty visited the Center on Wednesday and Thursday, Nov. 13 and did a Thanksgiving Day craft activity with the children. Each child used their creativity to create their own feather for the Dora Reed Center turkey that will be displayed in the center.

"Cherokee Tribal Child Care would like to say thank you to Taylor Wilnoty for taking time out of her schedule to come do an activity with our children," CTCC staff related. "We really enjoyed having Taylor, and the

children loved her!"

Also on Thursday, the Center held a Parent Activity for all CTCC parents and children. The activity was an art project, and the children made Indian corn and turkeys to celebrate the upcoming Thanksgiving Day holiday. CTCC staff commented, "Cherokee Tribal Child Care would like to thank all of the parents and guardians for participating in all of the activities that take place in our center. You all are greatly appreciated. Thank you!"

- Sarah Beck, Cherokee Tribal Child Care

Obituary

Roxie Wiggins

Roxie Wiggins, 89, of the Birdtown Community, passed away Friday, Nov. 14, 2014 at Tsali Care Center in Cherokee. A native of Cherokee, she was the daughter of the late Emery Martin and Myrtle Lambert Martin Enloe and wife of the late Walter Wiggins. She was a member of Antioch Baptist Church.

She is survived by two children; Allen Dale Rowland and wife Ella Mae of Cherokee, Gaynelle Estes of Cherokee; two grandchildren, Jamie Rowland and fiancée Heather Queen and Angie Jones and husband Jeff; five great grandchildren, Caleb Rowland, Callie Cook, Coy Rowland, Taylor Jones, and Kyndle Jones; two sisters, Beulah Benfield, Mary Ellen Rhodes and husband Clarence, and one Brother Harold Enloe and wife Helen.

Funeral Services were held on Sunday, Nov. 16 in the Chapel of Crisp Funeral Home. Revs. Danny Lambert and Percy Cunningham officiated with burial in Swain Memorial Park.

VETERANS CORNER

Charles George, Cherokee hero

In the Nov. 13 edition of the One Feather, we were introduced to the Cherokee military hero Charles George. We pick up part two in a three part series here.

"PFC Charles George was assigned to Company C, 179th Infantry Regiment, 45th Infantry Division and during the late autumn of 1952, the Thunderbird Division was fighting the Chinese in an area just north of Seoul. In mid-November orders were given for Company C to engage the enemy and capture a prisoner for interrogation. After nightfall on November 29, Company C launched their assault on the enemy with Charles George, Armando Ruiz, and Marion Santo on point. Heavy arms fire and a rugged slope slowed their advance, and mortar rounds showered around them. Wounded soldiers cried out for help as the troops pressed onward. Cresting the hill, PFC George and Armando Ruiz leaped into the enemy trenches. It was hand to hand combat. Then it was quiet. The enemy had been silenced.

After securing a prisoner for interrogation, the

patrol leader called out to George, Ruiz, and Santo, ordering them to provide cover. American guns fell silent, and the patrol quickly began making their way back to camp while George, Ruiz, and Santo crouched silently in darkness. The men were alone. The patrol was on the move back to camp, Company C was behind them, and the men waited for the Chinese to retake the hill.

Charles George Advanced Warfare Training Japan, 1951 Weapons in hand and facing north, Charles George was on the left side of the trench, Marion Santo was in the middle, and Armando Ruiz secured the far right flank. When the enemy grenade landed, Corporal Ruiz didn't see it hit the ground; all he heard was Charlie yelling for him to get out of the way. PFC Santo was closest to the grenade. Before fully realizing what was happening, Santo felt a huge jolt that sent him flying. It wasn't the grenade concussion that caused him to go airborne; it was Charlie. PFC George shoved Santo with everything he had, turned back to the danger, and threw himself on the grenade, absorbing

the full impact with his body. In an instant, Charles George had recognized the dire situation and took control to save his people. Mortally wounded, PFC George remained conscious. Rolling him over, Santo and Ruiz saw the intense pain in George's eyes. As life drained from his body, Charlie knew there was one last thing he could do to help his friends. Crying out in pain would have alerted the oncoming Chinese to their position and assured that all three men would have died that night. PFC George did not make a sound - not even a whimper.

As quickly they could, Ruiz and Santo carried Charlie back to the aid station where medics tried in vain to save him. Nothing could be done to stop the inevitable, and in the early hours of November 30, 1952, Charles George succumbed to his wounds. The young warrior from the Qualla Boundary had traveled to the far side of the world, fought up the rugged slopes of Korea, engaged the enemy in brutal combat, and with full knowledge of the consequences, Charles George gave his life to save his

brothers in arms.

Armando Ruiz and Marion Santo survived that battle at Songnae-dong and the remainder of the Korean War. These men, and all soldiers of combat, carry scars upon their memories that no one can fully understand. Every experience is different and only those who serve shoulder to shoulder in battle can relate to what happened. Few soldiers have ever witnessed bravery in action like that of Charles George. Traumatic at the time and painful to relive, Ruiz and Santo did not dwell upon the horrors of Korea.

They returned to the United States, married, had families and lived each day as a gift from God. Marion Santo never misses a day saying a prayer for Charles George. Every year on November 20, Marion Santo lights a candle for Charlie." Pick up the Nov. 27 edition of the One Feather for the conclusion of the three-part series.

Content provided by a biography on Charles George titled "One of Many Feathers" by the U.S. Department of Veteran Affairs.



Photo courtesy of Heather Driver/CCS

Cherokee students rock their mocs

Cherokee Elementary School students and teachers participated in Rock your Mocs day on Friday, Nov. 14 as part of the school's celebration of Native American Heritage Month.

Do you find buying a new or used vehicle a hard shot to make??



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Exit 31 Canton
1-800-532-4631

CHEROKEE PET OF THE WEEK



Mr. Frisky, a Yorkie mix that will turn 2 years old in January, lives with his owner, Vita Nations, in the Big Cove Community.



Is your pet your best friend? If you'd like to have your pet (whatever that may be) featured as the Cherokee Pet of the Week, send a high resolution photo, type and name of pet to: salldavi@nc-cherokee.com. Info: Sally Davis 554-6262

Miss Cherokee's report for October

TAYLOR WILNOTY MISS CHEROKEE 2014

Shiyo nigada, hello everyone, my name is Taylor Wilnoty, and I am your 2014 Miss Cherokee! After I was crowned, I have been busy non-stop! But, I have enjoyed every second of it! My first official order of business was the annual Cherokee Indian Fair parade where I had the honor of presenting myself to our community. I had a lot of fun watching the children get so excited to have candy, and it was an amazing feeling to here people say, "Look, there's Miss Cherokee!"

One of the amazing events I had the privilege of attending was the 15th annual Prayer Breakfast with our local churches and visiting churches from Oklahoma. It was truly inspirational to listen to the choirs sing and worship our Creator. I got to attend every day of the Fair and participate in most of the



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Miss Cherokee Taylor Wilnoty (left) poses with the recipients of the Distinguished Citizen Award at Ned Long Day on Wednesday, Oct. 29 at the Cherokee Youth Center.

events held for the community. During Elders Day, I got to help serve lunch to our elder. Do you know how heavy an Indian dinner is?! It was worth every step of the way to serve our elders. I also got to participate in the Fair Veteran's Day ceremony for our community's veterans and present some of them with their Quilts of Valor. It was an honor to stand up there with them as their true he-

roes!

Another event I attended was a get-together for the 50-and-over athletes of the community. These people are an inspiration to us all. Some of these members had three to give medals around their neck. I also got to attend the annual Harvest 5K & Half Marathon where the other princesses and myself got to hand out completion medals to all the runners.

I attended the Substance Use/Abuse In Adolescent Prevention Health Fair where I was able to share my thoughts on substance abuse in our Native community. I also went to the Western Carolina Homecoming Football game where during the halftime Homecoming Ceremony, an EBCI member, Trace Shuler won the title of Homecoming King! I was beyond excited and hon-

ored to have my picture taken with him!

I also attended the annual Ned Long Day hosted by the Junaluska Leadership Council. I had the honor of being there and congratulating four tribal elder recipients of the Distinguished Citizens Award. These elders show great devotion and determination to help educate, and better our community.

October was my first month as Miss Cherokee, and it was beyond amazing! If this is any indication of what the rest of the year holds for me, I am so excited! I would like to thank all those who had invited me to attend these events and thank you to everyone that participated. I also want to thank my parents for attending all of the events with me! I love you both!

If you want me to attend an event, please contact Elnora Thompson with your request.

Dedvdagvhiyu~ until next time! Sgi, thank you!

DNA testing schedule

The following dates are available to schedule appointments for DNA collection:

- Friday, Nov. 21
- Monday, Nov. 24
- Monday, Dec. 1
- Tuesday, Dec. 2
- Wednesday, Dec. 3

- Thursday, Dec. 4
- Friday, Dec. 5
- Wednesday, Dec. 10
- Thursday, Dec. 11
- Friday, Dec. 12
- Wednesday, Dec. 17
- Thursday, Dec. 18
- Friday, Dec. 19
- Monday, Dec. 22
- Monday, Dec. 29

- Tuesday, Dec. 30

Please check with the EBCI Enrollment Office 554-6465 prior to scheduling 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, 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 Office

Perfect Attendance students at Dora Reed for October



Photos by Toineeta Kirkland/Dora Reed

Shown (left-right) are Braelyn Lambert, Benjamin Sneed, Kaeson Bradley, Aubrey Crowe, Triniti Caley, Cade Dills and Scarlett Hawkins.



Tahquette Wallace



Kendra Wright



JaBrien Wilnoty and Makennedy Ensley

Shown (left-right) are Kennedy Moore, Darian Oocumma, Maya Lossiah, Colton Wilnoty and Samantha Cucumber.

Wolfetown seeking light donations

The Wolfetown Community Club is asking for donations of lights and outdoor Christmas decorations (new and used if working) for the community building decorating contest. Call Tuff Jackson 788-4088, and he will meet you at the building for drop-off.

- Wolfetown Community Club

Big Cove upcoming events

Big Cove Community is having a friendly competition with other communities to see who can decorate their community building the best. Volunteers will be needed. Call Totsie Welch 497-7172 for more details.

The community Thanksgiving dinner will be held on Monday, Nov. 24 at the Nazarene Church at 6pm. The community will supply the meat and drinks. Please bring a covered dish or desert. Everyone is invited.

The community Christmas lighting contest will take place on Tuesday, Dec. 9. If you wish to enter your house in the contest, you must sign up by calling Totsie Welch.

The next community meeting will take place on Tuesday, Dec. 2 at 7pm.

- Lisa Hardesty

Big Cove Comm. Treasurer



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Library is Frozen

It's been chilly outside lately, but the windows at the Qualla Boundary Public Library are frozen.

THANK YOU LETTERS

Big Cove Community says thanks for community participation

We had our monthly meeting at the Rec Center on Tuesday, Nov. 4. A lot of people came out for the meeting, and Tim Smith, youth sports coordinator, was our guest speaker. He shared a lot of information with us and addressed our concerns. Thanks Tim for coming out to meet with us.

Yvonne Bushyhead has been serving as our community representative on the Constitution Committee, and she presented to us a document for community review that she believes is a good document. Thanks Yvonne for all your hard work along with all the other members of the Constitution Committee.

Thanks to Cindy West and all of

the volunteers who made our Halloween Carnival a success. Everyone had a great time.

Lisa Hardesty

Big Cove Community Treasurer

Daughter says thanks for caring for her mother

My husband and I would like to thank Tsali Care, and also Mission Hospital in Asheville, for taking care of my mom, Sue Ellen Littlejohn, in her last days. Also, I would like to give a big thank you to the following for coming to mom's funeral and setting-up from Robeson County: LeBreska Lowery and her son, Kaiscent Lowery; LeBreska's brothers, Bostic Locklear and LeShawn Locklear; their cousin, Justin Locklear; and Mollie Smith.

I would like to thank my sister-in-

law, Sarah Nomberg and her husband Jerry, for coming to the funeral and setting-up from Charleston, SC. My mother considered Kaiscent Lowery as her grandson. Also, a thank you to Rock Springs Baptist Church for the beautiful services and the food the people brought and the flowers and for the singers of Zena Wolf's group and of the Rock Springs Choir.

And, thank you to Nehi and Reva Toineeta, Stacy Bird, and my aunt, Lucy Bigmeat, for singing to my mother in her last hours. I really appreciate what all of you did for me. Greg Morgan, Rev Bo Paris and Denny Crowe did wonderful preaching at the setting-up and the funeral. I appreciate everything that all of you did.

Yours truly,

Paulette Littlejohn Taukchiray

Painttown

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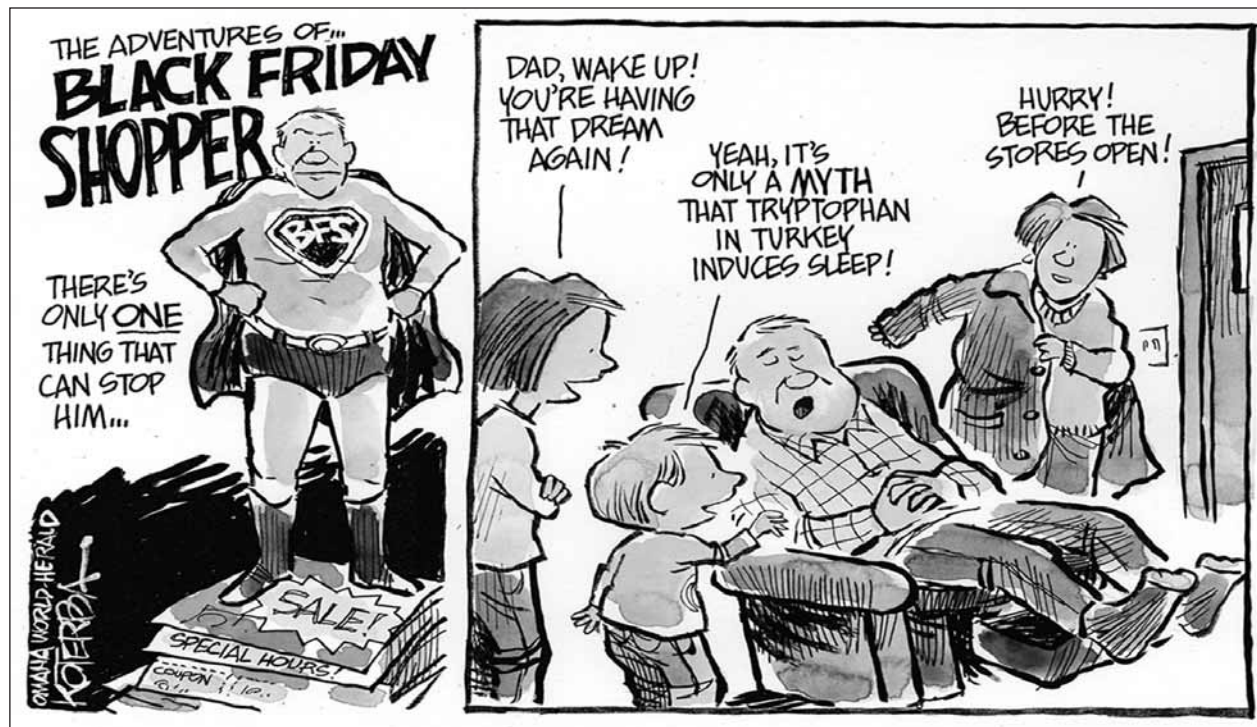
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Due to the Thanks-giving Holidays, the **deadline for the Dec. 4 paper** will be extended to Monday, Dec. 1 at 12noon to give everyone a chance to get ads/submissions to us.

Cherokee One Feather Poll of the Week

Do you have plans to attend a Veteran's Day Ceremony?

Yes	48%
No	52%

Question of the week now up on theonefeather.com:
How many times a week does your family prepare home-cooked meals?

HAPPENINGS

General Events

“Understanding our Past, Shaping our Future” exhibit to return to Cherokee. Now – Dec. 17 at the Chief Joyce Dugan Cultural Arts Center. The exhibit focuses on Cherokee language and culture, using sound recordings as the basis for presenting a coherent story in words and text. Info: Yona Wade, Cultural Arts Center, 554-5124

Great American Smoke-Out Day. Nov. 20 from 8am – 1pm at the Cherokee Community Health Building at 93 Boys Club Loop Road. Door prizes, free coffee or hot cocoa, flu shots. Info: Community Health 554-6882

Grief Support Meeting. Nov. 20 at 1pm at Betty’s Place (Cherokee Cancer Support Group House). Pastor Bo Parris will lead this meeting for anyone dealing with the loss of a friend or loved one. Info: 497-0788

National Association of Social Workers meeting. Nov. 20 from 6:30-7:30pm at City Lights Café in Sylva. The meeting is free and one hour of continuing education is available (free for NASW members, \$15 for non-members). Info: gklagan@gmail.com

2nd Annual Cherokee High School Indian Market. Nov. 21. Indian Market vendors are invited to participate. Tables are free, but limited. All items must be the original work of the artist. Info: Heather Driver 554-5004 or hdriver@cherokeecentral.gaggle.net

Turkey Shoot. Nov. 21-22 at 7pm at Darnell Farms near Bryson City. Everyone is invited to this event being

hosted by the Bryson City and Cherokee Memorial (Whittier) VFW Posts.

Cherokee 5K Turkey Strut. Nov. 22 at the Acquoni Expo Center. Registration starts at 10:30am with the race starting at 12pm. Top three overall winners get a turkey. Walkers and runners are welcome. Proceeds go towards The Cherokee Children’s Coalition. \$10 for adults and \$5 for children under 12 and seniors 60+. Pre-register at: <http://emtiming.com/2014Cherokee-ChoicesRaces.html>

Wolfetown Community Club Potluck Honoring the Veterans and Thanksgiving Dinner. Nov. 22 from 1-4 at Wolfetown Gym. There will be a table set up if you would like to bring a picture to display. Meat and drinks will be provided. Bring your favorite dish.

Birdtown Community Thanksgiving Dinner. Nov. 22 from 2-5pm at the Birdtown Community Building. This event is being hosted by the Birdtown Community Club. The monthly meeting has been moved from Nov. 25 to Nov. 18.

Turkey Shoot. Nov. 22 at 5pm at Jesse Welch’s residence in the Big Cove Community. \$2/shot and concession will be available. This event is sponsored by the Lossiah family.

NAIWA Bake Sale. Nov. 25 from 11am – 1pm at the Yellowhill Community Building. For \$5 you can either get a hot dog and chips with a drink or a bowl of chili and cornbread with a drink. This is being sponsored by the NAIWA Cherokee Chapter.

Cherokee Central Schools Pow Wow. Nov. 26 from 9-11am at the Charles George Arena. All dancers who wish to participate are welcome. Info: Heather Driver 554-5004, hdriver@cherokeecentral.gaggle.net

Big Y Community Dinner. Nov. 27 at 12pm at the Big Y Community Building. Turkey, ham, dressing and traditional sides will be provided. Please bring a covered dish or dessert to share.

2014 Christmas Bazaar. Dec. 4-5 at the Yellowhill Activity Center. School children will be attending. Info: Jan 497-2037

Turkey Shoot. Dec. 6 at Jesse Welch’s residence in the Big Cove Community. Shooting starts at 5pm. This is a fundraiser for Toys for Tots sponsored by the Brothers in the Wind. Info: Ned Stamper 736-2780

Turkey Shoot Fundraiser. Dec. 13 at 5pm at Jesse Welch’s residence in the Big Cove Community. Shoot for all forms of prizes from Cherokee Braves merchandise to food boxes. All proceeds will go to those families enrolled in the EBCI Nurse Family Partnership Program Christmas fund. A small concession will also be available.

Ongoing Events

Phil’s Barn Dance. Every Saturday Night in Bryson City. Winter months 7-10pm. From Highway 74, take exit 64, turn right and right again on Hwy 19. There will be a sign on the right. Clogging, two-step, Waltz, line dancing and more. Music by the Running Wolfe Band. Info: 497-3144

Upcoming Pow Wows

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.

Football Benefit Contest Pow Wow. Nov. 21-22 at Whitehorse High School in Montezuma Creek, Utah. MC: J.R. Keeswood. Host Northern: White Ridge. Host Southern: Lickity Split. Info: (435) 651-3427

40th Annual Baltimore American Indian Center Native American Festival and Pow Wow. Nov. 22-23 at University Union in Towson, Md. Info: (410) 675-3535, info@baic.org

Squamish Nation NAAW Pow Wow. Nov. 22-23 in Squamish, British Columbia. Info: (604) 848-2228, Shirley_lewis@squamish.net

8th Annual OKCPS Native American Student Services Contest Pow Wow. Nov. 22 at U.S. Grant High School gym in Oklahoma City, Okla. MC: Mark Wilson. Head Singer: Glen Ahhaitty. Info: NASS (405) 587-0355, rwerito@okcps.org

Community Club Meetings

Big Y Community Club meets the second Tuesday of each month at 6pm at the Big Y Community Building. For information on renting the building for your special occasion, call Don Long, president, 788-2443. Rent is \$40/day with \$20 cleaning deposit.

Birdtown Community Club meets the last Tuesday of each month at 6pm at the Birdtown Community Building. To reserve the building for your special occasion, call Charlene Owle, secretary, 788-3723 (\$50 fee with \$20 key deposit). Info: Jody Taylor, chairperson, 736-7510

Paint Town Community Club meets the last Monday of each month at 5:30pm at the Community Building. Info: 497-3731, ChairPTCC@gmail.com

Snowbird Community Club meets the first Tuesday of each month or the Tuesday before the Tribal Council meeting. Info: Roger Smoker, chairman, (828) 479-8678 or (828) 361-3278, rogersmoker@yahoo.com

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

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

Local Groups/Clubs

Bee Keepers meet the second Thursday of every month at 7pm at Southwestern Community College (old Almond School) past Bryson City. Info: Bill Williams 488-1391

Cherokee Children's Coalition meets the last Thursday of each month at 11am at the Agelink School Age Conference Room.

Cherokee Runners meet on the second Tuesday of each month at 5pm at the Age Link Conference Room. Anyone interested in walking or running, no matter your fitness level, is invited to join. See their Facebook page or check out their website at www.cherokeerunners.com.

Cherokee Speakers Gathering is normally held on the fourth Thursday of every month. All Cherokee speakers and Cherokee Language learners are welcome to enjoy a potluck dinner and an evening of fellowship in the Cherokee language. These events are sponsored by the

Kituwah Preservation & Education Program and, in part, by the Cherokee Preservation Foundation. Info: Billie Jo Rich 554-6404 or bjrich@nc-choke.com

EBCI 4-H Archery meets every other Tuesday from 5:30-7pm. Beginners to advanced, ages 5-17. Must have a responsible adult present and turn in a notarized 4-H application. Info: Sarah McClellan-Welch 554-6935

Local Foods Network meets the last Tuesday of each month (Jan. to Oct.) from 11am – 1pm at the EBCI Cooperative Extension office. Info: Sarah 554-6935, Tammara 554-6936 or Heather 554-6932

North American Indian Women's Association (NAIWA) Cherokee Chapter meets the second Thursday of each month at 6pm at the Birdtown Recreation Center. Info: Carmaleta Monteith, chapter treasurer, Carmaleta@msn.com

Yellowhill Judo Club meets every Tuesday and Thursday from 6:30-8pm at the old Cherokee High School weight room. Classes are free. Info: Will Lambert 736-1600

Support Groups

Cherokee Cancer Support Group is a non-profit

organization assisting cancer patients and care-givers on the Boundary, indiscriminately. Their objective is to support, educate and provide individual services as needed. The support group meets the first Thursday of each month at 5:30pm at SAFE HAVEN, 40 Goose Creek Rd. SAFE HAVEN is staffed from 10am – 2pm on Tuesdays and Wednesdays. Appointments can be made for ad-

ditional assistance. Personal fittings can be arranged during these times as well. Info: 497-0788, email: chero-keeCSG@gmail.com, P.O. Box 2220, Cherokee.

Substance Use Family Support Group meets Tuesdays at 5:30pm at Church of Christ at 2350 Old Mission Road in Cherokee. Info: (828) 226-0455



ARIES (March 21 to April 19) There could be an unexpected change in plans for your upcoming holiday travels. But keep in mind that a little flexibility goes a long way in resolving any disappointments.

TAURUS (April 20 to May 20) A new relationship might not be responding quite as quickly as you'd hoped. Could you be expecting too much too soon? Try to ease up and let things happen at their own pace.

GEMINI (May 21 to June 20) As we approach the frenetic pace of pre-holiday planning, take time out now to reconnect with the wonderful people who share your life, especially the one who also shares your dreams.

CANCER (June 21 to July 22) A misunderstanding should be resolved before you get caught up in the flurry of holiday preparations. Set your pride aside and deal with it, regardless of who might have hurt whom first.

LEO (July 23 to August 22) Being told that a colleague might have been trying to undercut your effectiveness might or might not be true. Get all the facts before you even think about acting on this so-called information.

VIRGO (August 23 to September 22) It's a good idea to start your holiday preparation plans early in order to avoid a time crunch if an unresolved workplace situation causes a problem. That old friend might have some welcome news.

LIBRA (September 23 to October 22) A family member's actions continue to surprise you, but this time with positive results. Could be your wise counsel finally got through. It's like having an early holiday gift, isn't it?

SCORPIO (October 23 to November 21) Your reluctance to act in a current situation could be traced to your inner self advising you to take more time to study its complexities before you attempt to deal with it. Good luck.

SAGITTARIUS (November 22 to December 21) Soothing hurt feelings before they can ignite an angry outburst is the wise thing to do. And, of course, when it comes to doing the "wisdom thing," you do it so well.

CAPRICORN (December 22 to January 19) Budget your time so that you can handle both your workplace duties and your personal holiday planning — including travel arrangements — without burning out on either end.

AQUARIUS (January 20 to February 18) You might find that you still need to firm up one or two of those still-outstanding decisions so that you finally can move forward as you had planned. Weigh the facts, then act.

PISCES (February 19 to March 20) You usually don't carry grudges, but you might feel this is one time when you're justified in doing so. But aren't you spending too much energy holding onto it? Let it go and move on.

BORN THIS WEEK: You have a way of using your quiet strength to persuade people to follow their better instincts and do the right thing.

Amber Waves

by Dave T. Phipps

MOM, ARE YOU THE ONE WHO ANSWERS ALL MY LETTERS TO SANTA?

OF COURSE NOT! SANTA HAS ELVES AT THE POST OFFICE WHO GET HIM MAIL.

I NEVER REALIZED ALL THE NETWORKS INVOLVED IN SANTA'S OPERATION.

FOR CHRISTMAS I WANT A PITBULL OR A PLAYSTATION. THE CHOICE IS YOURS.

R.F.D. by Mike Marland

YOUR HUSBAND CERTAINLY GOES TO SOME PRETTY GREAT LENGTHS JUST TO PULL A PRANK!

YES HE DOES, MOM.

'CUZ HE KNOWS DAD WILL FALL FOR 'EM!

WHAT-- YOU DIDN'T HEAR ABOUT THE NEW POSTAL REGULATIONS, BILL?

THIS IS AN OUT- RAGE!

The Spats by Jeff Pickering

SOMEDAY ALL OF THIS WILL BE YOURS

IS THAT A THREAT OR A PROMISE?

Weekly SUDOKU by Linda Thistle

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Place a number in the empty boxes in such a way that each row across, each column down and each small 9-box square contains all of the numbers from one to nine.

DIFFICULTY THIS WEEK: ★★★

★ Moderate ★★ Challenging ★★★ HOO BOY!

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HOCUS-FOCUS BY HENRY BOLTONOFF

CAN YOU TRUST YOUR EYES? There are at least six differences in drawing details between top and bottom panels. How many can you find them? Check answers with those below.

DIFFERENCES: 1. Most is missing; 2. Wall is shorter; 3. Mitten is different; 4. Hat is different; 5. Scarf is shorter; 6. Pocketbook is missing.

Posting Date November 10, 2014
King Crossword

ACROSS

1 Knock
4 Wound covers
9 TV network with an eye logo
12 Lamb's mother
13 Chicken (Sp.)
14 Former acorn
15 Bright hue
17 Attempt
18 Fuss
19 Kind of inspection
21 Appliance at a movie snack counter
24 Farmer's home, in song
25 Prince — Khan
26 15-Across, e.g.
28 Body powders
31 Latvia's capital
33 Aachen article
35 Surrealist
36 "Throw — from the Train"
38 "To be or —"
40 "— Town"
41 Pulpit of yore
43 Third-place

DOWN

1 Gun the engine
2 Shock and —
3 Apiece
4 Miss Muffet's frightener
5 Used crayons
6 Boxer Muhammad
7 Vital fluid
8 14-line poem
9 Formal ball
10 Homer's son
11 Terrier type
16 Atlas entry
20 Bang the door
21 Pizzeria cheese, for short
22 Hodgepodge
23 Play that became "My Fair Lady"

27 Lair
29 Actress Penelope
30 Angry
32 Bullets et al.
34 Theft
37 Away from the mouth
39 Cave-dwelling giants
42 Last Greek letter
44 Hooter
45 Charitable donations
46 Suitor
50 Auction action
51 "— Impossible"
52 Have bills
53 Present

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Trivia test by Fifi Rodriguez

- LITERATURE: What 19th-century novel's opening line is, "Call me Ishmael"?
- HISTORY: The Battle of Hastings was fought for control of which country?
- U.S. STATES: How much did the United States pay Russia for the Alaskan territory in 1867?
- MUSIC: Who sang the duet in the pop song "Ebony and Ivory"?
- GEOGRAPHY: Where is Mount Vesuvius?
- TELEVISION: Who played Morticia on "The Addams Family" TV series?
- INVENTIONS: Who pioneered the concept of a blood bank?
- ENTERTAINERS: Which entertainer also is known as "The Divine Miss M"?
- AD SLOGANS: Which company featured the ad slogan: "A diamond is forever"?
- FAMOUS QUOTES: What 20th-century civil-rights leader said, "Our lives begin to end the day we become silent about things that matter"?

- Trivia Test Answers
1. Moby-Dick; 2. England; 3. \$7 million; 4. Paul McCartney and Stevie Wonder; 5. Italy; 6. Carolyn Jones; 7. Dr. Charles Richard Drew; 8. Bette Midler; 9. De Beers; 10. Martin Luther King Jr.

Answer

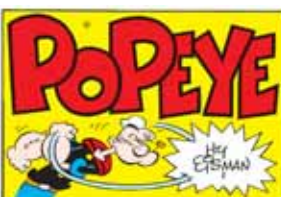
Weekly SUDOKU

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5	7	1	3	2	4	9	8	6

Solution time: 21 mins.

Answers

King Crossword



The Garden Bug

Prepping for winter

Clean and dry your breakable items, like terra-cotta pots or rain gauges, and bring them into a shed or garage before the first hard freeze settles in. Inventory all your tools, seeds, and other gardening items as you prepare them for winter storage – when someone asks you for holiday gift ideas, you can tell them what you need for gardening next year.

- Brenda Weaver

Source: www.bhg.com, www.steinging.com, www.wikihow.com

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Artist Spotlight:
Michael T. Gilbert

Today's Flash Gordon Sunday page features a ghastly gallery of Mongolian monsters... so who better to illustrate it than Mr. Monster creator Michael T. Gilbert?

Known for the versatility of his art and writing styles, Michael has worked on characters as diverse as Batman, Eerie and Donald Duck.

In 1984 he breathed life into the ultimate monster-fighting hero, Mr. Monster.

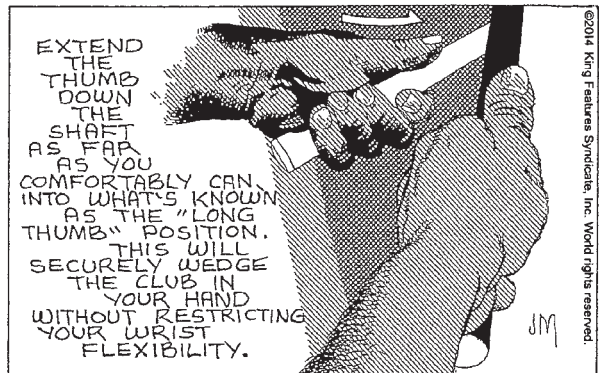
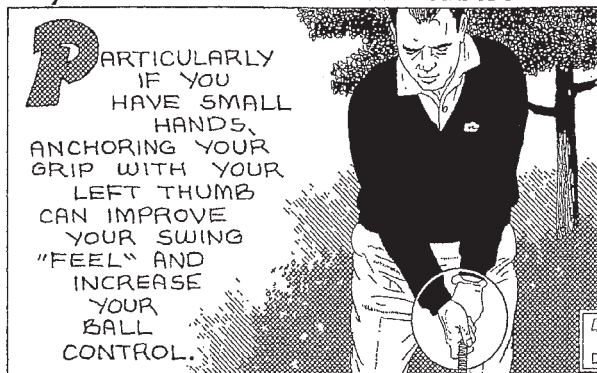


HUBERT - - By Dick Wingert



"Good morning—that will be \$4.98 for a new alarm clock please!"

Play Better Golf with JACK NICKLAUS



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CHURCH

BIBLE TRIVIA

By WILSON CAVEY

1. Is the book of Simon in the Old or New Testament or neither?
2. From 1 Samuel 3, whose voice did Samuel think it was when he first heard God calling him? Jonathan, Saul, Ahiah, Eli
3. How many chosen men of Israel did Saul take with him to the wilderness of Ziph to search for David? 12, 100, 200, 3,000
4. The word of God is quick, and powerful, and sharper than any ...? Tongue, Knife, Two-edged sword, Wit
5. From Genesis 26, where did Isaac stay when there was a famine in the land? Gerar, Endor, Sychar, Lydda
6. What insect was a plague on the Egyptians? Wasp, Locust, Flea, Cockroach

ANSWERS:

1) Neither: 2) Eli; 3) 3,000; 4) Two-edged sword; 5) Gerar; 6) Locust

Comments? More Trivia? Visit www.TriviaGuy.com

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Acquoni Baptist Church. 722 Acquoni Road. 497-7106. Sunday School 10am. Sunday Morning Worship 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. Pastor Eddie Sherrill 497-7770

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

Big Cove Pentecostal Holiness Church. 7710 Big Cove Road. Sunday 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. Wednesday 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. Sunday Bible Study 10am. Sunday Worship 11am. Sunday Evening Worship 6pm. Wednesday Bible Study 6pm. 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. Pastor 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. Located behind the Wolfetown Gym. Sunday School: 10am, Sunday worship: 11am, Sunday evening worship: 6pm. Wednesday night worship: 6pm. Welcoming our new Pastor: Louise Stamey (828) 492-0366

Cherokee United Methodist Church. Hwy 19 – Soco Road. Sunday Worship Service 11am. Wednesday 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 Campground. Sunday School 10am. Sunday Worship 11am. Sunday Evening Service and Kids Club 6pm. Wednesday 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. Sunday School – 10am, Sunday Worship Service 11am, Sunday Evening Services 6pm. Pastor – Bro. James Gunter

Jesus is the Light Full Gospel Ministries. 1921 US 441 N. Sunday service 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, lwcherokee@frontier.com

Macedonia Baptist Church. 1181 Wolfstown 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 sermons on You Tube.

Our Lady of Guadalupe Catholic Church. 82 Lambert Branch Road. Saturday Spanish Mass 7pm. Sunday Mass 9am. Pastor Peter Shaw 736-5322

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

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 Service 11am. Sunday Bible Study 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. Everett Fredholm, (828) 280-0209, cherokeepiscopal@gmail.com

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

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Valet Parking Clerk (shift varies) \$9.01
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Barhelp (sunrise shift) part time \$8.00+Tips
D/R Poker Supervisor (experienced)
(shift varies) Base/\$18.80-\$28.73

Technician I Games Performance
(shift varies) \$11.91
Senior Steward (2nd Shift) \$10.13
Gaming Host (swing shift) part time \$5.25
Casino Cocktail Server
(shift varies) \$5.95+tips
Catering Bartender/Server
(shift varies) part time \$9.00
Server Assistant
(shift varies) full time & part time \$6.25+Tips
Food Runner (shift varies) \$8.50
Senior Cook (shift varies) \$12.53
Security Officer (shift varies)
part time \$10.50
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11/20pd
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For Rent - 2 Bedroom, 1 bath on Private Lot on Goose Creek Road. \$600 per month, \$500 deposit. (828) 507-0962.

11/20pd
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On Stillwell Branch, 2 bedrooms, 1 bath house, quiet neighborhood, unfurnished, w&d. \$500 deposit, \$550.00 per month, does not include utilities. No pets allowed. Deposit and first month's rent in advance. Must have references and permanent employment. Serious inquiries only. Contact Kim at 497-5355 after 4:30. No calls after 9:00pm.

11/27pd

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YARD WORK - Need leaves removed? Ned brush cleared? Call Maney's Clean-Up Crew for free estimates. Call Katrina Maney 788-4026 or 736-8942.

11/20pd
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BUYING

Attention – Nelson is still buying junk cars and scrap metal. Call (828) 269-3292. **1/29/15pd**

YARD SALES

FALL Yard Sale Vita Nations Store-Big Cove, Nov. 22 at 9am-? Curly Mustard Greens, Canned Goods, LOTS OF NEW-Unopened Gifts, Toys, New Vera Bradley Bag, 26/28 Womens Clothes, Furniture, Cancel if Rain. **11/20pd**

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.
Lawana Elaine Cooper Almond, Aubry Anne George Bigmeat, Wesley Goins Bigmeat, Nick Bradley Jr., Wanda Lee Smith Bradley, Rebecca Smith Bridges, Letisha Nicole Bird, Leslie Shannon Swimmer Bryant, James Arnold Cooper, Priscilla Blanche Sneed Cooper, Bessie Jane Queen French, Daniel Lamar Hornbuckle, Michael Thorton Hornbuckle, Thurman Hornbuckle III, Nellie Mae Queen Jones, Michael John Kirby, Michael Doc Lambert, Samuel John Lambert, Ted Major Lambert, Tammie Lynn Ledford, Kara Ann Little, Patricia Ann Maney Little, Jerry Lossiah Jr., Eloise George Maney, Lauwanda Kaye Reagan McCoy, Lucinda George McCoy, Madge Elizabeth Lambert Owle, Sally Ann George Shehan, *Rowena Smith, Sandra Helen Lambert Sneed, Shena Dale Pigeon Standingdeer, Tony Standingdeer, Tonya Shantelle Melton Toineeta, *Anna Lee Swimmer Youngdeer, *John Irvin Youngdeer, Donna Roberta George Walkingstick, Charles Wolfe, Savetta Rowena Bradley Williams, Mary Ann Queen Winstead, Parent or Guardian for Kendall Alantis Toineeta, Parent of Guardian for Anthony Ray Toineeta

Proposed Land Transfers

Theresa Donna Saunooke Ball to Mark Allen Littlejohn for Upper Cherokee Community Parcel No. 209, containing 0.749 Acres, more or less, together with all improvements located thereon.
William Alfred Bradley and Juanita Littlejohn Bradley for Big Cove Community Parcel No. 625-C (Part of Parcel No. 625-B), containing 2.000 Acres, more or less.
Mary Alice Brady Lam-

bert to Theresa Brady Tahquette for Birdtown Community Parcel No. 67-B (Remainder of Parcel No. 67), containing 0.542 Acres, more or less, together with all improvements located thereon.
Donald Allan Brady to Theresa Brady Tahquette for Birdtown Community Parcel No. 67-B (Remainder of Parcel No. 67), containing 0.542 Acres, more or less, together with all improvements located thereon.

EMPLOYMENT

TEACHER ASSISTANT

ORGANIZATION: Cherokee Boys Club
P. O. Box 507, Cherokee, N. C. 28719
DEPARTMENT: Agelink Child Care Department
OPENING DATE: November 17, 2014
CLOSING DATE: Until Filled
REQUIREMENTS: Must have GED or High School Diploma, NC Child Care Credentials 1 and 2
Application and job description can be picked up from the Receptionist at the Boys Club Information window between the hours of 8:00 a.m. and 4:30 p.m. Monday through Friday (828-497-9101).
The selected applicant must submit to a pre-employment drug screen and local, state, and federal civil and criminal background and sexual offender screens. Payroll direct deposit mandatory.
Indian Preference does apply in the filling of this position. If claiming Indian Preference, applicant must submit the appropriate certificate. **11/27**

Mandara Spa at Harrah's Cherokee is seeking ambitious, dedicated individuals for the following positions: Senior Concierge (supervisory experience required), Esthetician, Male Spa Host and Female Spa Host. Competitive compensation and benefits packages available. Apply in person or contact Lauren Crowe at laurenw@mandaraspa.com or 497-8550. **11/20pd**

EMPLOYMENT

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 December 5, 2014 @ 4 pm

1. Truck Driver/Crewleader- Sanitation (\$33,280-\$41,600)
2. NRE Officer- Natural Resources Enforcement (\$33,280-\$41,600)
3. Animal Control Assistant- Animal Control (\$23,040-\$28,800)
4. Compensation & Benefits Specialist- Benefits & Compensation (2 Positions) (\$43,920-\$54,900)
5. Receptionist- Corrections (\$23,040-\$28,800)
6. EMT-P- EMS- (Full Time) (\$33,280-\$41,600)
7. Utility Worker- Tribal Construction (3 Positions) (\$20,960-\$26,200)
8. Carpenter Helper- HELP (\$23,040-\$28,800)
9. Housing Services Manager- QHA (\$48,000-\$60,000)

Open Until Filled

1. EMT-P (Part-time) – EMS
2. Teacher- Tribal Child Care
3. Teacher Assistant- Tribal Child Care
4. Attorney General- Legal
5. Early Childhood/Elementary Language Specialist- KPEP
6. Language Specialist Assistant- KPEP
7. Kituwah Academy Teacher
8. Patrol Officer- CIPD
9. Lead Accountant- Budget & Finance
10. Evidence Control Custodian- CIPD
11. Corrections Officer- CIPD

Please attach all required documents

Health & Medical Positions

Open Until Filled

1. C.N.A- Tsali Care Center
2. R.N- Tsali Care Center
3. Medication Aide- Tsali Care Center
4. Cook Supervisor – Tsali Care Center
5. Cook Aide- Tsali Care Center
6. DV Intake Worker- Domestic Violence

Download Applications & Job Descriptions
NC-Cherokee.com/HumanResources/Employment/Job-Opportunities

THE CHEROKEE INDIAN HOSPITAL AUTHORITY has the following jobs available:

FT PHYSICIAN / ER

EMERGENCY HIRE RN / ER

FT LPN/CMA - OPD

FT MEDICAL TECHNICIAN / MEDICAL LAB TECH(open until filled)

Anyone interested should pick up an application and position description from Teresa Carvalho or Deb Toineeta at the Cherokee Indian hospital Human Resources Office between the hours of 8:00am – 4:00pm Monday –Friday. This position will close 11/21/2014 @ 4pm. Indian preference does apply and a current job application must be submitted. Resumes will not be accepted in lieu of CIHA application. **11/20**

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

- Asst Athletic Trainer (3614)
- Asst Dir Outdoor Programs (4606)
- Asst Vice Chancellor, Development (152744)
- Assoc Dir of Advising (0382)
- Assoc Dir University Cntr Programs (4508)
- Assoc Dean, Health & Human Svcs (0996)
- Assoc Vice Chancellor of Human Resources (0006)
- Bld Env Svcs Tech
- Dean, Fine & Performing Arts
- Dir, Procurement & AP Services (0051)
- Dir, School of Stage & Screen (2335)
- IT Project Analyst/Manager (5197)
- Research Scientist (1100)(150465)
- Senior Educational Technologist (2115)
- Student Mentor for Nursing

(T00791)

- Univ Prog Spec – Asst Dir Development (143617)

Faculty Positions:

- Anthropology (0831)
- Arts & Sci - Sequoyah Distinguished Prof (0694)
- Clinical Psychology (1580)
- Communications (1237)
- Economics (1421)
- Emergency Medical Care (1514)
- Forensic Science Instructor (141714)
- Math & Computer Science (1308)
- Nursing (140584)
- Nutrition & Dietetics (0512)
- Political Science & Public Affairs (1834)
- School Director for Health Sciences (1894)
- Social Work (150741)
- Sociology (1736)

Please go to jobs.wcu.edu for details and to apply online. AA/EOE **11/20**

Free Training Classes by Robins & Morton

Robins & Morton is holding free Craft Training Classes every Tuesday until New Year's open to anyone interested in attending. You do not have to be skilled. All classes will be held at the new Cherokee Indian Hospital Jobsite. Seats are limited so please contact Sarah Crow 497-3533 and sign up for one or all of these great opportunities.

Classes	Company	Date	Time
Sheet Metal	NETA	11/11	4PM
Med-Gas	Rock City Mechanical	11/18	4PM
Electrical	Cherokee Electrical	11/25	4PM
Fire Protection	Fire Performance	12/2	4PM
Framing/Drywall	Murray Drywall	12/9	4PM
Pipe & Duct Insulation	Old Dominion	12/16	4PM
Carpenter/Laborer	Robins & Morton	12/30	4PM

12/18pd

The Jackson County Department of Social Services is recruiting for two Social

Workers in Child Protective Services. These positions investigate reports of child abuse and neglect, provide services to families where needs have been identified, and/or work with foster children and their families. These positions require limited availability after hours and on weekends on a rotating basis. The salary range is \$41,276.54 – \$46,484.09, depending upon qualifications. Minimum qualifications include a four year degree in a Human Service field. Preference will be given to applicants with a Master's or Bachelor's Degree in Social Work and/or experience providing Social Work services. Applicants should complete a NC State application form (PD-107) and submit it to the Sylva branch of the NC Division of Workforce Solutions (formerly ESC) as soon as possible. **11/27pd**

EMPLOYMENT

THE CHEROKEE INDIAN HOSPITAL AUTHORITY has the following jobs available:

FT HVAC TECHNICIAN / MAINTENANCE MECHANIC

FT PHARMACIST (open until filled)

FT LPN JUSTICE CENTER / IMMEDIATE CARE CENTER (open until filled)

FT CMA JUSTICE CENTER / IMMEDIATE CARE CENTER (open until filled)

Anyone interested should pick up an application and position description from Teresa Carvalho or Deb Toineeta at the Cherokee Indian hospital Human Resources Office between the hours of 8:00am – 4:00pm Monday – Friday. This position will close 12/01/2014 @ 4pm. Indian preference does apply and a current job application must be submitted. Resumes will not be accepted in lieu of CIHA application. **11/27**

RFPs, BIDs, etc.

Request for Proposals General Notice

Qualla Housing Authority (QHA), a housing division of the Eastern Band of Cherokee Indians, a federally recognized Indian Tribe, is requesting proposals from all Qualified FIRE AND SPRINKLER SYSTEM MONITORING COMPANIES

- Fire and Sprinkler System Monitoring
- Provide Annual Maintenance/ Inspection of System

The home(s) under this RFP are to be located on Cherokee Indian Reservation, North Carolina and to be identified by Qualla Housing Authority. Packets and information will be available beginning November 3, 2014 at QHA Main Office located at 687 Acquoni Road, Cherokee NC 28719, QHA Warehouse 2234 Old Mission Road, during the hours -8:00 A.M. – 4:00 P.M. Monday thru Friday, or electronically by emailing to henrmcco@nc-cherokee.com ask for proposal. Contractor License, State License, and/or Certifications will be required. Workers Compensation, auto, and general liability are required for all contractors.

Proposals must be received on or before 4:00 P.M. November 17, 2014 at the Qualla Housing Warehouse located on 2234 Old Mission Road Cherokee, North Carolina.

For more Information call: 828-554-6348, Email: henrmcco@nc-cherokee.com or fax(828)497-7312) or write to; Henry McCoy, Job Foreman, Qualla Housing Authority, 2234 Old Mission Road, P.O. Box 1749, Cherokee, NC 28719. **11/20**

REQUEST FOR PROPOSALS

VOLUNTEER INCOME TAX ASSISTANCE (VITA) COORDINATOR

The Tribe is requesting proposals from a qualified individual to coordinate its Volunteer Income Tax Assistance (VITA) program. This program is offered in cooperation between the Office of Budget & Finance and the Cherokee Extension Officer. The Volunteer Income Tax Assistance (VITA) program offers free tax help to people who generally make \$53,000 or less, persons with disabilities, elderly and limited English speaking taxpayers who need assistance in preparing their own tax returns. IRS-certified volunteers provide free basic income tax return preparation with electronic filing to qualified individuals on a schedule set by the tribe. The EBCI VITA tax preparation site serves over 300 clients per year.

The VITA Coordinator should be well versed in tax related matters, tax law, regulations and should be experienced in preparing and filing tax returns. The coordinator will be responsible for organizing, scheduling, coordinating and providing consultation for tax preparation sites, ensure all required materials are on site, manage the Tax Wise preparation and filing software, oversee VITA volunteers, provide quality control and ensure accuracy of tax preparation and filing.

If interested, please contact: Lavita Lambert, Financial Skills Educator, Phone: 828/554-6939, Email: lavilamb@nc-cherokee.com. **11/27**

LEGALS

INTENT TO FILE

Eastern Band of Cherokee Indians Revenue Department

PO Box 537, Cherokee, NC 28719

Re: Complaint for Money owed

TO

Cody Teesateskie
Melissa L. Taylor
Alex G. Thompson
Donna L. Long
Eric L. Owle
Travis L. Jackson
Phillip Pheasant
Justin R. Lambert
Anthony E. Maney
Edwin Crowe
Flint Griffin
Richard A Wiggins
Becky Jenkins
Bob Connor

Jama Anders
James Nevgin
Jeff Darnell
Linda Jenkins
Matt Prather
Michael Green
Robin Reyes
Scott Gunter
Jenkins Construction
Talmadge Hoyle Inc.
B&B Maintenance
Ballard Construction
David Austin

Take notice that the Eastern Band of Cherokee Indians is seeking relief for money owed. You are required to make a defense to such pleading no later than the 5th day of December 2014 said date and upon your failure to do so the party seeking against you will apply to the court for the relief sought. This the 14th day of November 2014

Winnie Jumper, Billing & Collections Specialist, PO Box 537, Cherokee, NC 28719, (828) 359-7060, **12/6**

LEGALS

Legal Notice

Notice of Service of
Process by Publication
Cherokee Tribal Court Reg-
ulations In Cherokee Tribal
Court

EASTERN BAND OF CHEROKEE INDIANS V. Alex Hamilton, Justin Hamilton

Take Notice that a
Pleading seeking relief
against you has been filed
in the above entitled ac-
tion. The nature of the re-
lief being sought is as
follows:

Complaint for Summary Ejectment (Eviction)

Your are required to
make defense of such
pleading no later than the
1st day of December 2014
and upon your failure to do
so the (Eastern Band of
Cherokee Indians) seeking
service against you will
apply to the court for the
relief sought.

This the 6th day of October
2014

Jay M Gallinger, Esq.
Associate Counsel, Office of
EBCI Attorney General
PO Box 455, Cherokee, NC
28719
828-497-7431. **11/20pd**

LEGAL NOTICE

Notice of Service of
Process by Publication
Cherokee Tribal Court Reg-
ulation

In Cherokee Tribal Court Eviction (Summary Ejectment) and for Money Owed QUALLA HOUSING AU- THORITY

VS.

Allen D Lane, John E Toi-
neeta, Ashley Benita Brady,
Samantha Teesateskie, Ber-
nice A Taylor, Chantel Sut-
ton, Timothy Teesateskie,
Samuel Steven Lambert,
Cheryl D Reed, Edna Horn-
buckle, Edna Faren
Galindo, Velva Powell,
Daniel L. Ledford, Rose
Shell, Crystal Hicks, Robert
Martens, Jean A. Chapa,
Michelle Lynn Orr, Peggy
Bradley, Destiny Badillo,
Johnny Long, Camila B.
Bumgarner, Melvena
Swimmer, Isaac
Teesateskie, Gwynneth
Bird, Jack Allen Beck,
James David Maney, Linda
T. Bradley, Jacqueline Marie
Porter, Joe Panther/Terri
White, Harriet H. Samp-
son, Michelle L. Edwards,
Kevin George, Elise Feather,
Mario L. Esquivel, Lisa E.
Burke, Kristine L. Gunter,
Mary Alice Sherrill, Lois W.
Pensavalle, Rachel
Chiltoskie, Betty Maney,
Mike Daniel Walkingstick,
Londa Rivera, Karen L.
George, Mike Walkingstick
Jr., Jessica Maney, Sher-
ronda/Christopher Watty,
Norman R. Walkingstick,
Larry P./Jackie B. McCoy,
Judith Biello, Pamela
Smith, Jeremiah Jumper,
Marvel A. Welch, Randy
Wachacha, Jarette Cal-
houn, Jessica D. Martinez,
Rena J. Terry, Jona Bird,
Terri Lyn Welch, Robin P.
Parker, Johanna Driver
Take Notice that a
Pleading seeking relief
against you will be filed in
the above entitled action.
The nature of the relief

being sought is as follows:
Eviction (Summary Eject-
ment) and Money Owed

You are required to
make defense of such
pleading no later than De-
cember 1ST 2014 and
upon your failure to do so
the Party (Qualla Housing
Authority) seeking service
against you will apply to
the Court for the relief
sought.

This is the 24th day of Oc-
tober 2014

Agent for the Plaintiff:
Julius F. Taylor, PO Box
1749, Cherokee, NC
28719
(828)554-6321. **11/27**

Eastern Band of Cherokee
Indians
Cherokee, North Carolina
Estate File No. EST 14-082

In the Matter of the Estate of Mark Mead

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

Debtors of the dece-
dent are asked to make im-
mediate payment to the
appointed fiduciary(s)
listed below.

Date to submit claims:
December 25, 2014
Sarah C. Smith
48 Delores Davis Dr.
Cherokee, NC 28719
11/20pd

Eastern Band of Cherokee
Indians
Cherokee, North Carolina
Estate File No. EST 14-017

In the Matter of the

Estate of

Ruth Jona Car

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

Debtors of the dece-
dent are asked to make im-
mediate payment to the
appointed fiduciary(s)
listed below.

Date to submit claims:
February 3, 2014
Joseph Caro
1142 Templar Blvd.
Norfolk, VA 23518
11/27pd

Eastern Band of Cherokee
Indians
Cherokee, North Carolina
Estate File No. EST 14-075

In the Matter of the Estate of Samuel Emmett Walkingstick

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

Debtors of the dece-
dent are asked to make im-
mediate payment to the
appointed fiduciary(s)
listed below.

Date to submit claims:
December 25, 2014
Joel Danny Walkingstick
36 Gene Crowe Drive,
Rough Br., Cherokee, NC
28719, **12/4pd**

Eastern Band of Cherokee
Indians
Cherokee, North Carolina

Estate File No. EST 14-087

In the Matter of the Estate of Kallup McCoy

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

Debtors of the dece-
dent are asked to make im-
mediate payment to the
appointed fiduciary(s)
listed below.

Date to submit claims:
February 3, 2014
Kerry McCoy, PO Box
16654, Asheville, NC
28816, **12/4pd**

**Outdoor
World**

**Using Weather to
Hunt Waterfowl**

With the low visibility of heavy fog, ducks and geese don't like to fly much, but when they do, they become vulnerable to calling.

They don't like to move much during heavy rains either, but as soon as it's over they will search for newly flooded areas. If it didn't rain where they are, they seem to sense that it has rained nearby and will leave to find new water created by the rain. Find that water before they do and be there when they arrive.

Cold fronts do push ducks and geese south, but not all the time. Sometimes as they can find suitable areas to roost and feed, they will stick around.

On bright, sunny days, ducks and geese don't move much either unless the temperatures dip. If temps do drop, they will feed actively no matter if it's sunny or not.

By Larry Whiteley, Host of the award-winning Outdoor World Radio

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**CHEROKEE SPEAKERS GATHERING
NOVEMBER 20, 2014**

**Don't Forget
Speakers
Gathering in the
Big Cove
Community
November 20,
2014, beginning
at 6:00-8:00 p.m.**



**Pot Luck Dinner
Bring your
favorite side dish**

For more information
please call Myrna
Climbingbear at 554-
6406

Sponsored by the Kituwah
Preservation and Education
Program

The Cherokee Speakers Gathering will be held in the Big Cove Community this November 20, 2014. The gathering will be held at the Nazarene Church beginning at 6:00 p.m. - 8:00 p.m.. The Nazarene Church is located in the old Big Cove school building between the Big Cove Day Care and the Big Cove Grocery.

We are looking forward to holding the Speakers Gathering in the Big Cove Community and encourage the Cherokee speakers of the community to come and share their most memorable events occurring in the community as well as share their knowledge of the traditional values and practices they grew up with in the community.

In the coming new year the Kituwah Preservation and Education Program will be visiting the Cherokee Communities and arranging the Speakers Gatherings in the communities that wish to participate in the gatherings.

There will be a pot luck dinner so please bring your favorite side dish. We encourage all Cherokee speakers (regardless of community membership) as well as second language learners to attend the meeting. We look forward to seeing our Cherokee speakers in the Big Cove Community on November 20, 2014.

H.C.D REHAB COLD WEATHER TIPS

- Replace dirty Air filters in heating & cooling systems for better performance this is the cheapest and simplest way to save money Set your thermostat at 68 or below and then forget about it .If you change the temperature a lot during the day you will be wasting energy
- Get your heating equipment checked out before we get too deep into winter. If your equipment does need repair or replaced do not wait. Today's energy efficient units is likely to pay for itself by saving energy
- Most ceiling fans have a reverse mode for winter that pulls the warm air down towards floor level
- Check well house to make sure heat tape is working properly & replace light bulb.
- Cover drafty windows with a plastic sheeting. Install weather stripping around drafty doors
- Have gutters cleaned to keep water from freezing & backing up on to the roof
- In extreme cold weather it's best to keep the faucets open to allow water to flow this will keep your pipes from freezing
- **And always keep your pets in mind when cold weather hits!!!!!!**

Thanks,
Darrell Brown
HCD Rehab Manager

