

Cherokee Mites defeat Murphy to take the Cracker Bowl, pages 14-15

Cherokee Mites players celebrate following their 12-6 win over the Murphy Bulldogs at Saturday's Cracker Bowl in Franklin.

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Tribal Member charged with Murder in Fatal Stabbing

obert Benjamin Smith, 24, of Cherokee, has been charged in a federal criminal complaint with murder in connection with a fatal stabbing which allegedly took place on the Cherokee Indian Reservation on Oct. 22. The announcement of the charges was made on Monday, Nov. 1 by U.S. Attorney Anne M. Tompkins of the Western District of North Carolina, Owen D. Harris, Special Agent in Charge of the FBI, Charlotte Division, and Ben

Reed, Chief of the Cherokee Indian Police Department.

According to information contained in official court documents filed Oct. 29, Smith, an EBCI tribal member, faces a maximum statutory penalty of imprisonment for life if convicted. Smith remains in custody in Cherokee on Tribal warrants, which were issued on Oct. 26,

and will make his initial appearance in federal court in Asheville at a later date.

Under the Federal Rules of Criminal Procedure, a defendant arrested on a federal criminal complaint is entitled to a probable cause hearing within ten (10) days of his/her arrest, unless indicted or unless a criminal information against the defendant is filed in U.S. District Court before the passage of ten days.

The case is being investigated by the FBI and the Cherokee Indian Police Department, and being handled for the government by Assistant U.S. Attorney Don Gast of the U.S. Attorney's Office in Asheville.

The public is reminded that a criminal complaint contains mere allegations and that a defendant is presumed innocent unless and until proven guilty in a court of law.

- Source: U.S. Attorney's Office



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Bat Creek Stone Research Presented to Tribe

Wolter examines Mysterious Stone

Scott Wolter, forensic geologist, presented his findings on the Bat Creek Stone in Tribal Council Chambers on Wednesday, Oct. 27. This artifact was excavated from a Cherokee mound in 1889, and is inscribed with writing, that according to Wolter's forensic examination, is older than its date of excavation in 1890, and may in fact be thousands of years old.

"If this artifact shows European contact with the Cherokees two thousand years ago, then this is a significant part of Cherokee history," said EBCI tribal member Don Rose, who commented after Wolter's presentation.

Wolter conducted microscopic examination of the artifact at the University of Tennessee in May of 2010, and then used their Scanning Electron Microscope to conduct a more in-depth study. He concluded that the most modern marks on the stone were made after 1890.

Another mark that he examined



BARBARA DUNCAN/Museum of the Cherokee Indian

Bob Blankenship (left), Chairman of Board of Directors of the Museum of the Cherokee Indian, is shown with Scott Wolter, forensic geologist and author, EBCI tribal member Don Rose and his daughter Leslie Rose Kalen following Wolter's presentation on the mysterious Bat Creek Stone.

was made by a metal probe when the stone was excavated in 1889. He found that the inscription was carved much earlier, be-

cause the grooves in the letters were weathered much more than the other marks. The other items found with the stone in the mound were dated to about 100 AD.

"The best research shows that the inscription is in Paleo-Hebrew," Wolter said, citing the work of Hugh McCullough. Other scholars have claimed that

the text is Phoenician, ancient Cherokee, or a hoax. Wolter has written several books and produced several documentaries for the History Channel about European contact in American before Columbus, including "Who Really Discovered Americaaired this year.

The Bat Creek Stone is currently on display at the McClung Museum at the University of Tennessee. It is on loan from the Smithsonian, who financed the original excavations of the Bat Creek Mounds, a few miles west of present-day Vonore, Tennessee. The Smithsonian's purpose was to determine who the Moundbuilders were, and Cyrus Thomas concluded that they were the ancestors of the present-day Cherokees.

> - Source: Museum of the Cherokee Indian



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Lookin' for passage to the Alderaan system? Lloyd Arneach won the Rod Cooper Best Costume Award for his Chewbacca costume.



I'm Late!

The Cherokee Boys Club won the Rod Cooper Best Booth Award for its "Alice in Wonderland" themed booth.



Photos by SCOTT MCKIE B.P./One Feather

The 10th Annual Safe Trick or Treat Night was held at the Acquoni Events Center (aka the old High School) on Saturday, Oct. 30 and attracted throngs of trick-or-treaters from the area. In addition to the awards mentioned elsewhere on this page, the Rod Cooper Scariest Booth Award went to Tribal Construction. According to event organizer Radonna Crowe, of Healthy Cherokee, there were a total of 1,857 trick-or-treaters and 5,571 people in attendance.



It's T-shirt time!

Jake "The Situation" Swimmer and Samantha "Snooki" Hernandez portray two of Jersey Shore's finest at the "Hollywood" booth set up by the Cherokee Youth Center. The booth won the John Tripp Best Theme Award.

Jury Convicts Fake Lawyer

LAREDO, TX-A 28-

year-old Dallas area resident who falsely represented himself to the U.S. District Court in Laredo to be a lawyer licensed to practice law has been convicted by a federal jury of two counts of obstructing the due administration of justice and filing a motion with the court containing false representations, United States Attor-Angel Moreno ney José announced today. The jury returned its verdict late on Wednesday, Oct. 20.

Dale Allen Richardson Jr., 28, of Plano, Texas, was convicted of obstructing the due administration of justice in each of two court appearances before United States Magistrate Judge J. Scott Hacker and of making false statements in the pro hac vice motion filed with the court. Richardson has been ordered detained without bond pending his sentencing hearing Jan. 13, 2011, before U.S. District Judge Micaela Alvarez.

All three counts of conviction arose from Richardson's unlawful representation of a defendant in a criminal case pending before U.S. Magistrate Judge J. Scott Hacker.

During the course of the two-day trial before U.S. District

Texas Man claimed to be Licensed by State of Massachusetts and Cherokee Nation (Okla.)

Judge Micaela Alvarez, testimony, including that of Judge Hacker, proved that on June 4, 2010, Richardson appeared before Judge Hacker in the Southern District of Texas (SDTX) District Court, Laredo Division, representing himself as the attorney for an alien defendant charged in cause No. 5:10-po-3410. The defendant in that case had been arrested by the United States Border Patrol and charged with the misdemeanor offense of illegally entering the country.

Richardson, who had been hired by the defendant's family, appeared in court as an out-of-town attorney. On that date, Richardson claimed the defendant had a meritorious immigration appeal pending and attempted to negotiate with a federal prosecutor for the dismissal of the criminal case. Based upon Richardson's representations, Judge Hacker reset the case for June 29, 2010, to allow Richardson time to continue plea discussions.

On June 29, 2010,

Richardson again appeared in federal court before Judge Hacker. Both the government and Richardson asked the court to dismiss alien defendant's case based upon Richardson's statement as an attorney and officer of the court regarding the status of the defendant's immigration appeal.

That same day, Richardson filed a pro hac vice motion requesting the court's permission to temporarily appear in the SDTX court to represent the defendant. In his motion, Richardson identified himself as the "Law Office of Dale Richardson, P.C.," and claimed to be licensed by the Massachusetts Bar Association and the Cherokee Nation Bar Association.

However, the U.S. District Court Clerk's Office could not verify a license in the Commonwealth of Massachusetts for Richardson. In response to a request from the clerk's office to confirm the information provided and request for additional documentation, Richardson re-submitted the same information, which included a copy of a badge emblazoned with the words "Attorney," "Officer of the Court," and "Cherokee Nation."

The FBI conducted an investigation of the matter. Through that investigation it was learned from Richardson's business cards and a web page for his "law firm" that Richardson advertised himself as a "US Immigration Attorney" and a "federal defense attorney" with an office in Farmers Branch, Texas.

In 2009, Richardson had sought to be admitted as a licensed attorney in federal court in the Eastern District of Oklahoma and in 2010 had represented at least two clients, including Reyes, in immigration court in Dallas, Texas.

However, the FBI's investigation found that despite his representations, Richardson was not licensed by the Supreme Court of the Commonwealth of Massachusetts. His membership in the bar association, a nonprofit voluntary organization serving the public and the legal profession, did not authorize Richardson to practice law.

The FBI also determined that while Richardson had gained admission to the bar of the Supreme Court of the Cherokee Nation in Oklahoma in 2009, he did so by stealing the bar number of an attorney with a similar sounding name who is licensed in California.

During trial, a clerk for the Cherokee Nation Supreme Court testified that Richardson was disbarred on Oct. 4, 2010, and that she had never seen a badge like Richardson's "Attorney" badge because the court does not issue them to its licensed attorneys. The mother of the alien defendant testified that although Richardson claimed he was not going to charge her for helping her son in the criminal case, she was going to help grow his law practice by referring clients.

Assistant United States Attorney Diana Song prosecuted the case.

- Source: FBI

Interior Secretary to accept Award from National Park Trust

Secretary of the Interior Ken Salazar will accept the National Park Trust's (NPT) American Park Experience Award for his outstanding work to connect communities and young people to our public lands and the outdoors.

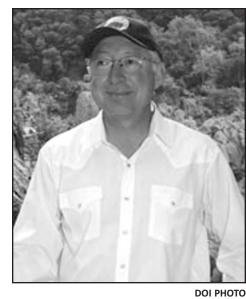
NPT's Board of Directors unanimously selected the Secretary to receive the Award for his work spearheading the America's Great Outdoors initiative, which will help reshape the nation's conservation policies and for his work to create Youth in Natural Resources Programs. NPT also applauds his initiatives at the Department of Interior to build a 21st Century Youth Conservation Corps to engage, educate and employ young people from all backgrounds to explore, connect with and preserve our country's unique natural and "The Secretary's passion to engage youth with the outdoors and in conservation, especially those who are underserved, is an inspiration..."

- William Brownell, NPT Chairman of the Board

cultural heritage.

NPT also praises his lifetime commitment to protect the nation's public lands. This is exemplified by his past support for the creation of Great Sand Dunes National Park, by his work in the South Platte River Basin, and by his current work at the Department of the Interior to achieve full funding of the Land and Water Conservation Fund and to expand protection of our treasured landscapes. "The Secretary's passion to engage youth with the outdoors and in conservation, especially those who are underserved, is an inspiration for our Youth to Parks programs and for the many students, teachers, and families who participate in the Trust's youth programs, including our Where's Buddy Bison Been?®Program," says William Brownell, NPT Chairman of the Board.

- Source: National Park Trust



Interior Secretary Salazar

3 Sisters Enterprises will be closed from November 4, 2010 through November 30, 2010. We will re-open December 1, 2010 for your holiday orders. Also, look for **3** Sisters at the Christmas Bazaar. **Happy Holiday!** 11/4





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CHEROKEE NEWS BRIEFS

Veterans Day Ceremony planned for Cherokee

The American Legion Steve Youngdeer Post #143 will host a Veterans Day Ceremony on Thursday, Nov. 11 at 3pm at the Exhibit Hall at the Cherokee Indian Fairgrounds. All EBCI veterans and family members are invited to attend.

- Source: American Legion Post 143

Bus to be provided for Vets wishing to attend Ceremony

The EBCI Travel & Promotion Program will be sponsoring a 55-passenger bus to the Charles George VA Medical Center in Asheville for all veterans who wish to attend the Veteran's Day Ceremony on Nov. 11. The featured speaker for the event will be Robert Youngdeer, former Principal Chief of the EBCI. The bus will begin loading at the Cherokee Indian Fairgrounds at 8:30am for a 9am departure. The bus will return for the Steve Youngdeer American Legion ceremony to be held at the Cherokee Indian Fairgrounds at 3pm.

- Source: EBCI Travel & Promotion

Wolftown Community Club News

Bv POLLY JO CASTORENA

Wolftown Community Club will be having BINGO night on Saturday, Nov. 6 from 6-9pm. It will be 25cents per card. Mini Concession stand will be open. We are asking for donations of prizes. This is our first fundraiser to prepare us for the holidays and cold weather. Come and out and have some fun!

Our next Community Club meeting is Monday, Nov. 8 beginning at 7pm. Agenda includes scheduling of Community Fitness Classes, discussing the use of the Wolftown Gym for our community Club meetings and what that means to the future of our current Community Club Building, and our community project for

Thanksgiving. We invite everyone to come and participate in the meeting.

Diabetes Walks to be held

The Cherokee Diabetes Program is sponsoring two walks to recognize November as "Diabetes Awareness" month. The first walk/run is taking place on Tuesday, Nov.9 at 2pm in the Snowbird Community. The walk/run will begin at the Snowbird Community Building. The second walk will be held, in conjunction with World Diabetes Day, on Friday, Nov. 12 at 3pm in Cherokee and will start in the parking lot of the Cherokee Diabetes Program.

- Source: Cherokee Diabetes Program

American Legion seeking **Desert Storm, Iragi Freedom** Vets

The American Legion Steve Youngdeer Post 143 is gathering names of Enrolled members that were in: Operations of Desert Shield/ Desert Storm, Operations Iraqi Freedom/ New Dawn and Operation Enduring Freedom. Info: Post Service Office Warren Dupree (828) 508-2657 or email: americanlegionpost143@frontier.com

- Source: American Legion Post 143

American Legion Collecting Veterans Stories

Are you a veteran? Are you a family member of a veteran? If so, would you tell your story? The Legion is collecting oral histories of all veterans. Angela Ragan, archivist, will set up a date and time for you to tell your story. All oral histories will be housed in the Robert S. Youngdeer Veterans Memorial Centers Charles George Memorial Library. Info: 497-7997. If you have any military memorabilia, please consider donating items to the Legion for display as well in the Charles George Museum.

- Source: American Legion Post 143

Tribe to distribute Christmas Checks

Enrolled members turning 60 years of age or older this year will receive a Christmas check from the Eastern Band of Cherokee Indians. It is not necessary for these individuals to submit statements, requests or to sign up.

In order for enrolled members under the age of 18 to receive a Christmas check they must submit a current doctor's statement indicating they are disabled and/or handicapped.

In order for enrolled members between the ages of 18 and 60 to receive a Christmas check they must waive their per capita checks and also submit a current doctor's statement indicating they are disabled and/or handicapped.

New statements are required each year and will not be returned. Please attach address, telephone number and enrollment number with each statement. Statements must be received by the Tribal Operations Program (T.O.P.) Office, which is located beside the Council House, by Monday, Nov. 29. Info: Denise Walkingstick 497-7022.

- Source TOP Office

Wreath-laying Ceremony planned for Junaluska Gravesite

unaluska Memorial Site and Museum will host the annual Junaluska Wreath Laying Ceremony on Friday, Nov. 12 at 10:00. This year is a special celebration that marks the

100th anniversary of the commemoration of the Junaluska gravesite monument. Junaluska gained fame for his

participation in the Battle of Horseshoe Bend. It was there that the Cherokee Nation assisted Andrew Jackson's Tennessee forces in the defeat of the Creek Nation in 1814. Junaluska is credited for recruiting 100 Cherokee warriors from North Carolina for the American cause.

Upon returning from Alabama, Junaluska returned to his home in Sugertown, today the town of Franklin. He lived there until being forced off of his land due to the state of North Carolina's zeal to acquire land ceded under the Treaty of 1817.

Junaluska moved with his wife and children to Valleytown, in present day Andrews, NC, sometime around 1822. They were joined by his family, including brother's Wachacha and Scoya. Also moving from Sugertown were Junaluska's sister Rebecca and her white husband, Gideon Morris, as well as family friend John Welch.

During the removal of 1838, Junaluska departed with a detachment led by the Reverend Jesse Bushyhead on September 3, on the infamous Trail of Tears. Several weeks later Junaluska and Wachacha led a group of 50 others who deserted their detachment and attempted to return to their homes. Junaluska led a group of 25 older people while his little brother led a younger group of 25. Junaluska's group was captured just north of Knoxville, Tennessee and forced to remove to Indian Territory.

A couple years later, Junaluska made his way back to North Carolina, and returned to his home place along Valley River. Because of his heroic status, the state of North Carolina granted Junaluska 337 acres of land in 1847. A large portion of his land is now a part of the present day town of Robbinsville.

Junaluska passed away on November 20, 1858. He was buried on the land granted to him, along with his third wife Nicie. In 1910 the General Joseph Winston Chapter of the Daughters of the American Revolution placed a monument at his gravesite. This property was donated to the EBCI in 1998, when the Friends of Junaluska assumed responsibility for the memorial site and museum. In 2001, the EBCI Cultural Resources Office (Kituwah Preservation and Education Program) began managing the site. The centennial event will begin at 10 a.m. Parking for this year's event will be at the Robbinsville football field. Shuttles buses will begin at 9:15 to transport you to the museum. For those unable to walk to the monument, assistance will be provided. Lunch will be provided after the event.

Those who are assisting with this year's event include the Kituwah Education and Education Program, Junaluska Youth Leadership Council, Graham County Indian Education, the American Legion Post 143, the EBCI Office of the Principal Chief, Robbinsville High School, Swain County High Schools, and the Snowbird Community. Info: TJ or Louise (828) 479-

4727.

- Source: Kituwah Preservation and Education Program

Manage Your EBCI Money program to start in '11

By SHAWN SPRUCE

In June, the *One Feather* reported on an exciting educational resource recently produced for the Eastern Band, the Manage Your EBCI Money online financial education program. Created as a response to the pressing need to provide personal finance skills to Cherokee youth, the web-based curriculum was successfully piloted earlier this year with student groups who found its subject matter convenient to use, practical to apply, and relevant to their own lives.

So relevant in fact that on Sept.er 9, the EBCI Tribal Council voted unanimously to approve a resolution from the Junaluska Youth Leadership Council which will make completion of the Manage Your EBCI Money curriculum a requirement for recipients of the Minors' Trust Fund.

EBCI Financial Skills Educator, Keith Sneed, has been the inspiration behind Manage Your EBCI Money since its inception last year and believes an online program is the best model to present money management training to tribal youth.

"The Eastern Band has been blessed with a financial windfall from Harrah's Casino and its other business ventures, while growing per capita payments to tribal members help to highlight these accomplishments." Sneed stated during an interview from his office at the EBCI Cooperative Extension Center.

"Unfortunately many of our children and their parents lack the skills necessary to effectively manage such large sums of money, sadly causing some families to suffer dire consequences. Manage Your EBCI Money will fill that void by giving our youth access to the quality financial education they deserve."

Created by First Nations Development Institute, a Longmont Colorado based non-profit that specializes in personal finance training for Native communities, Manage Your EBCI Money is designed to take students about three hours to complete and includes lessons on managing a bank account, using credit responsibly, car buying and insurance, basic investing, avoiding scams, and understanding taxes. The website requires a username and pass code for security purposes and is accessible from any internet ready computer while those without web access are welcome to use computers in Sneed's office to utilize the program. All customized lesson content which includes financial calculators, downloadable budgeting worksheets, and informational videos are specifically designed for the EBCI community and funded by a generous grant from the Administration for Native Americans.

Feedback from students who have already completed the program has been overwhelmingly positive. Cherokee High School junior, Brittany Arch (Big Cove/Wolftown), enjoyed piloting Manage Your EBCI Money and found the information valuable. "I liked the website a lot." Arch commented. "It taught me ways to manage my money after I graduate, such as how to make a spending plan and how to invest for my future.

In closing Sneed explained that seniors graduating in the spring of 2011 who are applying for the Minors' Trust Fund will be the first class subject to the financial education requirement. He also stated that letters will be mailed to applicants' households later this year with detailed instructions on how to complete the online course. In the meantime he is available to answer questions regarding the website and the new policy, and invites any enrolled member interested in checking out the site to stop by his office for a tour.

Shawn is the programs consultant for the First Nations Development Institute.



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OPINIONS & LETTERS

Letters to the Editor

Belated Thank You

A belated thank-you to Mike Rich for carrying his grill and other supplies to the KPEP Summer Language Camp cookout. He also grilled the burgers and hotdogs, and helped clean up afterward. Also, a thank-you for lending us his fish-fryer for the East/West Language Consortium fish fry and picked up and brought tanks of gas to be used to cook the food. Thank you for volunteering your time to help out.

Billie Jo Rich Community Mobilization Coordinator Kituwah Preservation & Education Program

Thank You

The Cherokee Traveling Soccer Teams would like to extend a very heartfelt "Thank You" to the following for their donations and for the people that bought tickets in support of the children and their soccer teams. Without your help, this fundraiser would not have happened: 80 GB Ipod Classic – Gary R. Ledford TaylorMade R7 Golf Club – Gary R. Ledford

Beaded wrist and watch band – Veronica Toineeta

4 person golf pass – Larry Blythe Rattlesnake Gourd – Kay Sharpe Seven Clans Clock – Cherokee by Design

Again, "Thank You" from all the players on both Cherokee Traveling Soccer Teams!

Thank You

I would like to thank everyone that bought 50/50 tickets and chances on the Pendelton Blanket that we sold for Angelo West, the winner for the 50/50 drawing was Lucrettia Hicks and the winner for the Pendalton blanket was Willard Lossie.I would also like to thank Sonya Arch for coordinating a Bake Sale, that was held at Cherokee Hospital. We appreciate all that everyone is doing. May God Bless You all!!

> Thank You, Angelo West & Family

Thank You

The Rotary Club of Cherokee would like to thank Mary Jane Ferguson, Director of EBCI Marketing and Promotion, for speaking to the club regarding ongoing marketing plans for the area during our weekly breakfast meeting. Your willingness to serve as a guest speaker enriched all who attended and gave greater insight into marketing, area events, and growth opportunities.

The Rotary Club of Cherokee is dedicated to community engagement, service, and building goodwill. For more information about exciting events and projects now happening through the Rotary Club of Cherokee contact Hugh Lambert at hughlamb@nc-cherokee.com or visit http://rotaryofcherokee.org

Rotary Club of Cherokee

Thank You

The staff and students of the Oconaluftee Job Corps Civilian Conservation Center would like to thank the Cherokee Police Department for their support of our Red Ribbon Drug Awareness festival "Leave Out Drugs". Students enjoyed the activities and learned a good deal about how to leave drugs out of a happy and productive life. Your contributions to making this event possible were much appreciated by all.

> Oconaluftee Job Corps Civilian Conservation Center

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Disclaimer: the opinions expressed on the Opinions pages do not necessarily reflect the views of the Cherokee One Feather, the Principal Chief, the Vice Chief or Tribal Council of the Eastern Band of Cherokee Indians.

Gaming/Resort Facility in Cherokee

County (Item No. 2)

Annual Council Results Wednesday, Oct. 27

Tabled Res. No. 191 – Request for a newChildren's Home – submitted by GunnieBradley and Francine Watty –Amended/Passed

Tabled Ord. No. 356 – Criminal Code – Article II – Crimes Against Public Peace Ordinance – Remains Tabled for November

Tabled Ord. No. 427 – Ch. 113 – Hunting& Fishing Ordinance amendments – Remains Tabled for November

Tabled Ord. No. 428 – Balanced Budget Act Ordinance for TCGE, TBE & TGC – Passed

Tabled Ord. No. 429 – Budgetary & Financial Authority – TCGE – Passed

Tabled Ord. No. 430 – Budgetary & Financial Authority – TBE – Passed

Tabled Ord. No. 431 – Budgetary & Financial Authority – EGC – Passed

Tabled Res. No. 441 – Big Cove Community desires property for use as Indian Ball Field, walking trail, picnic area – Remains Tabled

Tabled Res. No. 452 – Sale of Alcoholic Beverages – increase fines placed on criminal charges of the illegal sale of alcoholic beverages – Passed

Res. No. 513 – New Kituwah Language Academy Kindergarten and First Grade Classes desire to name bridge in honor of Cherokee Hero Charles George – Passed **Res. No. 514** – Last will & testament of Charles Lee Whitetree (d) – Passed **Res. No. 515** – Last will & testament of Charles Roscoe James (d) – Passed

Res. No. 516 – Successors in interest to Betty Lucille Screamer (d) recognized – Passed

Res. No. 517 – Last will & testament of Cornelia Mae Lossiah Rattler (d) – Passed **Res. No. 518** – Successors in interest to Lucinda Ann Littlejohn (d) recognized – Passed

Res. No. 519 – Last will & testament of Katherine Armachain Taylor (d) – Passed **Res. No. 520** – Last will & testament of Deanna Mae Wachacha (d) – Passed **Res. No. 521** – Last will & testament of

Betty Louise Davis Crowe (d) – Passed **Res. No. 522** – Successors in interest to John Queen Jr. – Passed

Res. No. 523 – Last will & testament of Ella Marie Sequoyah Carroll (d) – Passed **Res. No. 524** – Successors in interest to Bessie Evelyn Owle Long (d) – Amended/Passed

Res. No. 525 – Successors in interest to Donovan Phillip West (d) – Passed

Res. No. 526 – Last will & testament of Hilary Paul Osborn (d) – Passed

Res. No. 527 – Assignment of mutual-help homes – Dennis Ray Sneed, Sr. ; Angela Diane Long; Ketteri Lavonne Cagle Gibson; Thelma Bird; Charles Anthony Cabe; Earl McMillan – Passed

Res. No. 528 – Donations passed – Robbinsville Peewee, Termite, Mite football teams; Robbinsville Mite Cheerleaders; Swain Peewee, Mite football teams; Swain Midget Cheerleaders; Swain Varsity

Cheerleaders – Passed **Res. No. 529** – Resolution requesting to make Max Ramsey an honorary member

of EBCI – Tabled until November **Res. No. 530** – EBCI endorses and formally supports the completion of the Corridor-K four-lane highway linking Andrews and Robbinsville – Passed **Res. No. 531** – ERISA plan re: new employees benefit retirement plan – Amended/Tabled

Ord. No. 532 – Amendments to Hunting & Fishing Ordinance – new one submitted – Tabled

Res. No. 533 – Banishment of Christopher James McNeilly – Passed

Tribal Council Agenda Thursday, Nov. 4

***Indicates timed item

8:30am – Reports and Announcements ***9:00am – Tara McCoy request for time – Chief's Challenge and upcoming 5K update

***9:10am – Janelle Rattler – recognition of Senior Game participants

***9:20am – Request by Amy Walker that Sec. 16 of Charter & Governing regarding first descendants be placed on referendum (Item No. 1)

***9:30am – Request by Amy Walker that EBCI tribal members be allowed to vote on referendum pertaining to development of gaming on whether to build a Class II

***9:40am - Request by New Kituwah Parent Association for donation from Tribal Council (Item No. 3) 9:50am – Tabled Res. No. 238 – Request by Teresa McCoy for 3% COLA increase for Tribal Employees (Item No. 4) ***10:00am - Tabled Res. No. 529 - Request that Max Ramsey be made honorary member of EBCI (Item No. 5) ***10:10am - Tabled Ord. No. 356 -Crimes Against Public Peace - submitted by John Ayers (Item No. 6) ***10:20am - Tabled Res. No. 493 - Arlyce Watkins desires that the old Cherokee Elementary School site be designated as community garden and open-air market (Item No. 7) 10:30am - Tabled Res. No. 531 - EBCI Governmental Defined Benefit Retirement Plan provide vesting period for new Tribal employees at ten years (ERISA) 10:30am - Tabled Ord. No. 427 - Hunting & Fishing Ord. Amendments (Item No. 9) 10:40am – Budget Amendments: #1 for Child Care Services - Head

Start/EHS (Item No. 10) #1 for Cooperative Extension (Item No.

#1 for Cooperative Extension – (Item No.11)

#1 for Internal Financing Fund – (Item No. 12)

#1 for Supplemental Health Insurance – (Item No. 13)

#1 for Diabtes (Item No. 14)

#1 for Bioterrorism (Item No. 15)

#1 for CIP (Item No. 16) *** Banishment items

- Source: TOP Office

Native Artist Fellowships available from IARC

The Indian Arts Research Center (IARC) at the School for Advanced Research (SAR) offers four artistinresidence fellowships annually to advance the work of mature and emerging Native artists. Each fellowship includes a \$3,000 monthly stipend, housing, studio space, supplies allowance, and travel reimbursement to and from SAR. These fellowships provide time for artists to explore new avenues of creativity, to grapple with new ideas to further advance their work, and to strengthen existing talents.

The fellowships support diverse creative disciplines such as sculpture, performance, basketry, painting, printmaking, digital art, mixed media, photography, pottery, writing, and film making. Artist fellows must live on the SAR campus, complete a project resulting in the creation of one or more works, and make a public presentation at the end of their fellowship. While in residence, artists can access the IARC collection of Native arts for research and study. Additionally, SAR would like to see the fellow's work represented in the object, archives, or photo collection; therefore, IARC requests the donation of a single piece created while working at SAR. If selected for the fellowship, artists must agree to participate in interviews, photo sessions, video recordings, and exit interviews to document the fellow's process and progress. This information will be entered into the IARC archives to serve as a permanent public record.

Submit the following materials by the Jan. 15, 2011 application deadline:

• Completed application form

• Current résumé (include education, relevant training, awards/honors, exhibitions, performances)

• Artist statement, no more than two pages in length

• Examples of your current work (will not be returned) as described below:

Visual Art: Submit 8 slides, print images, or CD of images (in jpeg or tiff format) of recent work. Each slide/image should indicate your name and a number corresponding to numbers on an accompanying sheet listing all slides/images submitted, along with the title of the piece, medium, size, and year of completion. Do not send portfolios or original work.

Writing: Writing samples should be photocopies of published work or clean, double-spaced, numbered manuscript pages in a common font so it is easy to read. Samples should not exceed 20 pages. Your name and the date of completion should appear on the sample. Do not send books or bound manuscripts.

Documentation of a stage or film production on VHS or DVD may also be included if applicable. Writers are encouraged to apply for the Lannan Fellowship.

Film/Video: Submit VHS videotape or DVD. Film/video scriptwriters should also send a script. Label each sample with your name, title, duration, and date of work. If your project is focused more on writing, please consider applying for the Lannan Fellowship.

Dance/Performance Art: Submit VHS videotape or DVD. Label sample with your name, title, duration, and date of work.

Composers: Submit a CD, DVD, or cassette containing up to three works (labeled with title, your name, date completed, duration of composition), and, if available, the corresponding scores for the work. Total audio sample should not exceed 30 minutes and may be composed of entire pieces or excerpts.

Other Artists: If your project does not fall clearly within one of the above disciplines, please contact the IARC to discuss an appropriate work sample.

For additional information, call (505) 954-7205, e-mail poon@sarsf.org, or visit the IARC web page at artists.sar-web.org.

- Source: IARC

<u>Obituaries</u> Frederick L. Brady

BRYSON CITY - Frederick L. Brady, 73, went home to be with Lord and Family on Sunday October 31, 2010. He was veteran, serving in the USMC, during the Korean War. He is survived by his wife of 51 years, Betty; an Aunt Juanita Blanton of Dunedin FL, one sister Mary Jo Tober of Eatonton GA; four children Fred W of St. Petersburg FL, Shannon R. of Griffin GA, Dianna A of Mooresville, NC and Kelly A of Cherokee, NC. He was also a grandfather of ten; great grandfather of two and friend to more than can be counted.

A memorial service was held at Shoal Creek Baptist Church on Wednesday, Nov. 3. In lieu of flowers donations to West Care Hospice are appreciated.

Crisp Funeral Home is in charge of the arrangements.

An online register is available at www.crispfuneralhome.org

Judiah Edward Pheasant

Judiah Edward Pheasant, unborn infant died on October 26, 2010. He was

the son of Ernest Pheasant Sr and Marie Pheasant of Cherokee.

In addition to his parents he is survived by his brother, Ernest Pheasant Jr., paternal grandmother Hattie Panther of Cherokee maternal grandmother Barbara Stansberry of Bryson City and numerous aunts and uncles.

He was preceded in death by his paternal grandfather Edward J. Pheasant and maternal grandfather Sam Walkingstick.

Graveside services were held October 29, 2010 at 2pm at the Pheasant Family Cemetery in the Big Cove Community. The Rev. Bo Parris officiated.

Long House Funeral Home assisted with the arrangements

Judith O. Robert Hornbuckle

Judith O. Roberts Hornbuckle, 42, of Cherokee died unexpectedly at Cherokee Indian Hospital on October 23, 2010. She was a member of the Cherokee Church of Christ and had been employed in the recent past at Harrah's Cherokee Casino.

She is survived by her father, Hugh Roberts of Cherokee, sons John R. Hornbuckle and Nathaniel Shinkman, both of the home and daughter jessica Hornbuckle of Cherokee, brother Edgar Hugh Roberts, five grandchildren, two close nieces, Candice and Tamara Shinkman, special friend Larry Hornbuckle and close friend Amanda Patrick.

She was preceded in death by her mother Ollie Hazel Welch McQueen and sister Allison Shinkman.

The family received friends on Tuesday, October 26 from 6pm to midnight at Wright's Creek Baptist Church. The service was 2pm on Wednesday, burial was in the church cemetery. Rev. Roland Whitaker and Rev. Bo Parris officiated. Pallbearers were friends.

Long House Funeral Home assisted the family with arrangements.

Eva Nell Cooper Simmons

WEST UNION – Eva Nell Cooper Simmons, 52, of 240 Dutch Fork Road, passed away Sunday, October 31, 2010 at Oconee Medical Center.

Born in Cherokee, NC, to Kelly Thomas and Rachel Allen Cooper of Cherokee, NC, she was the owner and operator of Dairy Queen in West Union and was of the Baptist Faith.

Survivors include her son, Curtis Thomas Cooper II of West Union; brothers Curtis Thomas Cooper of Raleigh, NC and Jack Cooper of Hopwood, PA; sisters Loretta Elaine Cooper and Kathy Long both of Cherokee, NC; and several nieces and nephews.

Her husband Hayne L. Simmons and brother, Johnny George Cooper preceded her in death.

Funeral Services were held 3 PM, Wednesday, November 3, 2010 from the Chapel of Sandifer Funeral Home. Burial will follow in Oconee Memorial Park, Seneca.

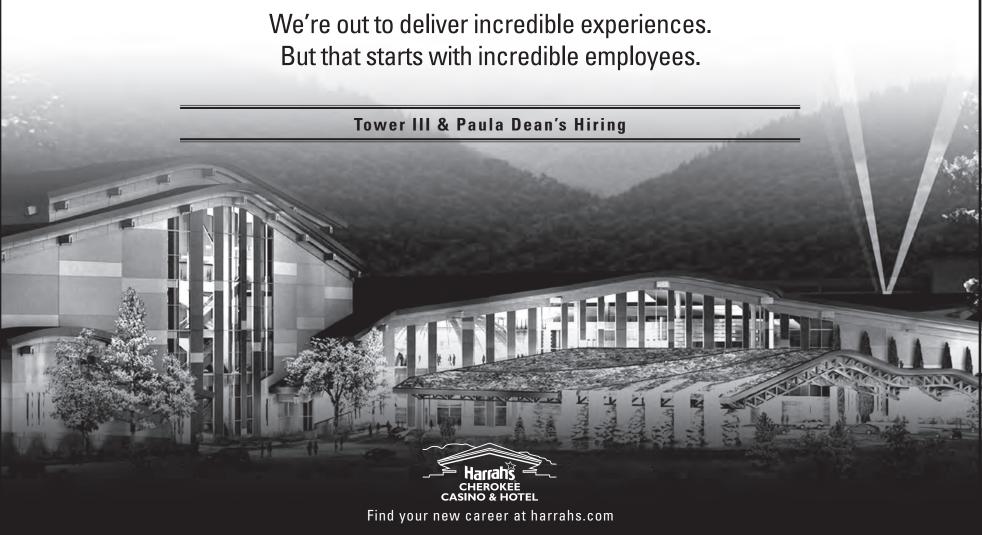
The family will receive friends one hour prior to the service on Wednesday at Sandifer Funeral Home. The family is at the residence. In Lieu of flowers, memorials may be made to Diamond in the Ruff Rescue & Rehab, PO Box 8328, Seneca, SC 29678. A message of condolence may be written to the family by visiting www.sandiferfuneralhome.com

Sandifer Funeral Home is assiting the family.

William Dale Owle

William Dale Owle, 69, died Monday, November 1, 2010.

Service will be held at 2 p.m. Thursday at Cherokee United Methodist Church. Visitation will be begin at 6 to the service hour.



If you have already submitted your application, it will be considered active for 6 months from the date of application. To qualify, applicants must be 21 years or older (18-21 years eligible for non-gaming positions), must successfully pass an RIAH hair/drug test and undergo an investigation by Tribal Gaming Commission. Preference for Tribal members. This property is owned by the Eastern Band of the Cherokee Nation, managed by Harrah's NC Casino Company LL.C. The Human Resources Department accepts applications Mon. thru Thur, from 10 am - 3 pm. Call 828.497.8778, or send resume to Human Resources Department, 91 Bingo Loop Road, Cherokee, NC 28719 or fax resume to 828.497.8402.



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Cherokee Boys Club Report

CLUB SCHEDULE:

Wednesday, November 10 – Deadline for Board Resolutions – 8:00 a.m.
Thursday, November 11 – Veteran's Day Holiday (Tribe, School and Club)
Friday, November 12 – Deadline for Frell Owl Award Nominations – 4:30 p.m.
Monday, November 15 – Health Screen – 8:00 a.m. to 9:00 a.m.
Wednesday, November 17 – Board of Directors Meeting – 8:00 a.m.
Thursday, November 18 – Club Safety Committee Meeting – 11:30 a.m.
Thursday, November 25 – Thanksgiving Holiday (School, Tribe and Club)
Friday, November 26 – Tsali Day (School, Tribe and Club Holiday)

FORMER CLUB EMPLOYEE PASSES

Gus George, 74, formerly of the Construction and Facility Department of the Boys Club, passed away on Friday, October 29. He worked with the Club from 1982 to 2002 as a truck driver. Please remember Gus' family in your thoughts and prayers.

<u>CONGRATULATIONS TO THE BOYS CLUB</u> <u>ON THE 2010 SAFE TRICK OR TREAT BOOTH</u>

The Cherokee Boys Club's booth won the award for Best Booth in this year's Safe Trick or Treat competition. The theme this year was based on "Alice in Wonderland". Many thanks to Tiffani Reed and Trista Welch who coordinated this project for the Club. Thanks also to the many Club employees, friends and family members who helped with the construction, decorations, donations and candy.

DAYLIGHT SAVINGS TIME ENDS NOVEMBER 7 SET YOUR CLOCKS BACK ONE HOUR AFTER YOU GO TO BED <u>SATURDAY NIGHT</u>

CONGRATULATIONS TO THE CHEROKEE MITES FOR WINNING THE CRACKER BOWL ON SATURDAY <u>THEY DEFEATED MURPHY 12-6</u>

BOYS CLUB HOURS AND PHONE INFORMATION

Please note that there is someone available to answer the Boys Club phones Monday through Friday during normal business hours. The Club's number is 828-497-9101. Please use this number if you call the Club before or after business hours, on holidays or during the weekend. The Club has implemented an automated phone system that goes into effect after hours. Listen to the recording options to determine which department number you need to choose and follow the instructions provided. Thanks for your cooperation.

INCLEMENT WEATHER NOTIFICATION

With the possibility of inclement weather approaching, please note that the Cherokee Boys Club and DOT will continue to check the roads and will send any information regarding School delays or closures to WLOS – Channel 13 by 6:30 a.m. for broadcast.

BOYS CLUB MANAGERS, DEPARTMENTS AND PHONE NUMBERS

Tammy Bradley	Agelink/School Age	497-6726
Frank Cooper	Finance and Audit Manager	497-9101
Barbara Jones	Family Support Manager	497-6092
Tommy Lambert	General Manager	497-5120
Vickie McCoy	Administrative Manager	497-5228
Allan Oocumma	Assistant to General Manager	497-5126
Donnie Owle	Garage Manager	497-5761
Cindi Squirrel	Acting C&F Manager	497-5274
Cris Weatherford	Children's Home Manager	497-5813
Trista Welch	Acting Graphics Manager	497-5510
Noah Wolfe	Bus and Truck Manager	497-5962

2011 DATE LOGS WILL BE AVAILABLE BY THE END OF THIS WEEK

Cherokee Central School Menus

Nov 5 – Biscuit w/ gravy lunch chick fillet on bun w/lettuce, pickle, french-fries, fresh apple

Nov 8 – Chicken biscuit lunch chicken nuggets or fish fillet on bun, mac-n-cheese, steamed green beans, pineapple chunks

Nov 9 – Cinnamon roll, peach slices lunch steak-n-gravy or BBQ sandwich, broccoli w/ cheese sauce, spiced apples, biscuit

Nov 10 - Piggle stix, applesauce lunch taco salad w/ all the trimmings, steamed yellow corn, juicy orange wedges

Nov 11 - No School

Nov 12 - Biscuit w/ gravy lunch hamburger on bun w/wo cheese, lettuce, pickle, tater tots, sherbet cup

Nov 15 – sausage biscuit lunch cheese dippers w/ marinara sauce or ravioli w/ cheese toast, corn on the cob, mixed fruit

Nov 16 – Belgian waffles, blueberries lunch baked potato w/ diced ham/cheese, sour cream/butter, tossed salad w/ dressing, Mandarian oranges, garlic bread

Nov 17 – Breakfast pizza, pineapple chunks lunch sausage biscuit, gravy, eggs, grits, tator tots, applesauce

Nov 18 – Oatmeal, cinnamon toast lunch chicken parmesan or burrito w/ Mexican rice, steamed green beans, orange wedges

Nov 19 – Biscuit w/ gravy lunch hot dog on bun, w/wo chili, coleslaw, baked beans, ice juice

Nov 22 – Chicken biscuit lunch chick fillet on bun w/lettuce, pickle, pork-n-beans, spice apples

Nov 23 – Cinnamon roll, peach slices lunch pizza, steamed yellow corn, diced pears Nov 24 – Piggle stix, applesauce lunch turkey w/ gravy, dressing, creamy mashed potatoes, steamed green beans, cranberry sauce, roll, pumpkin pie

Nov 25 – No School

Nov 26 – No School

Nov 29 – Sausage biscuit lunch mini corndogs or chicken rings, creamy mashed potatoes, steamed green peas, applesauce

Nov 30 – Belgian waffles, fresh banana lunch pizza, corn on the cob, mixed fruit, strawberry Jell-o

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- Source: Cherokee School Board



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ONE FEATHER STAFF REPORT

Jordan Collins gained 160 yards rushing and scored three touchdowns to lead the Andrews Wildcats to a 20-14 victory over the Braves on Friday, Oct. 29 at Ray Kinsland Stadium.

Cherokee had two running backs go over 100 yards, but were only able to generate 14 points. Dorian Walkingstick continued his quest for a 2,000 yard season with 154 yards on 35 carries and QB Jesse Blanton added 108 yards on 16 carries. Blanton threw for one touchdown and ran for another.

Walkingstick needs 219 yards in this Friday's game at Robbinsville to pass the 2K mark on the regular season.

Cherokee got on the board first in the contest as Blanton hit Eli Crowe on a 9-yard touchdown pass with just 23 seconds left in the first quarter. Tommy Lossiah added the extra point and Cherokee led 7-0.

The second quarter was all Andrews as Collins scored twice on runs of 33 and 17. The first point-after kick failed, but they were able to convert the

two-point conversion after the second touchdown to take a 14-7 lead into the locker room.

BRAVES STATS ON THE YEAR (through 10 games)

RUSHING

Dorian Walkingstick 258 rushes, 1,758yds, 15 TDs

Jesse Blanton 103 rushes, 539vds, 7 TDs Corbin Wright 48 rushes, 239yds, 1 TD Greg Bradley 27 rushes, 173yds, 2 TDs

PASSING

Blanton 27 of 64, 423yds, 7 TDs, 3 INTs

RECEIVING

Gabe McMillan 7 catches, 125yds, 3 TDs

Eli Crowe 7 catches, 77yds, 1 TD Poncho Ramirez 5 catches, 56yds, 1 TD Bradley 3 catches, 86yds, 1 TD

PUNT RETURNS

Bradley 3, 116yds, 1 TD Forrest Stamper 1, 10yds

KICK RETURNS

Bradley 12, 319yds, 1 TD Walkingstick 11, 275yds Seth Littlejohn 6, 93yds

INTERCEPTIONS

Corbin Wright 2, 88yds, 1 TD Walkingstick 1, 42yds, 1 TD J. Bradley 1, 32yds Blanton 1, 23yds

TACKLES (unassisted, assisted)

Buddy Arch 25, 83 Stamper 22, 55 McMillan 17, 23 S. Littlejohn 15, 45

NEXT FOR THE BRAVES Friday, Nov. 5 at 7:30pm at

Robbinsville



AROUND THE MOUNTAINS

Swain 41	Pisgah 49
Rosman 7	Smoky Mtn. 20

Murphy 56 Hayesville 20 E. Henderson 45 Tuscola 30

PLAYER OF THE WEEK

CHS coaching staff selected Jesse Blanton as the player of the week. He will receive a \$10 gift certificate from Granny's Kitchen, a specially-designed t-



shirt from Three Sister's Enterprise Screen Printing and Embroidery and a plaque from Wendy's restaurant of Cherokee.

100% Tobacco Free Schools No tobacco use anytime, anywhere on school grounds, by anyone!

Support the Cherokee Braves









THURSDAY, NOVEMBER 4, 2010	cherokee one feather	

Collins added another touchdown in the third quarter on a 25-yard run. The kick failed again and Andrews led 20-7 just two minutes into the half.

That was the end of scoring for the third quarter and most of the fourth as well. Blanton scored on a 6-yard run with just over two minutes left. Lossiah added the point-after kick, but it wasn't enough as the Wildcats took the win 20-14

Cherokee

kick)

A - Collins 17-yd run (Curtis pass to Han-

cock)

<u>4th quarter</u>

A - Collins 25-yd run (kick failed)

C - Blanton 6-yd run (Lossiah kick)

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BY THE NUMBERS

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INDIVIDUAL STATISTICS

First Downs

RUSHING - Cherokee: Walkingstick 35-154, Blanton 16-108, S. Littlejohn 1-0, Wright 1-(-10); Andrews: Collins 24-160, Curtis 11 (-15), Jacobs 1-7

PASSING - Cherokee: 4-14, 46yds, 1TD; Andrews: Curtis 7-9, 172yds, 1int

RECEIVING - Cherokee: Ramirez 2-26, Crowe 2-20; Andrews: Jacobs 3-102, Arreaga 2-53, Prendergast 1-11, Hancock 1-6

GAME SUMMARY

1st quarter C - Blanton 9-yd pass to Crowe (Lossiah

2nd quarter

A - Collins 33-yd run (kick failed)

SMOKY MOUNTAIN YOUTH FOOTBALL

CHEROKEE MITES WIN CRACKER BOWL

By SCOTT MCKIE B.P. ONE FEATHER STAFF

FRANKLIN – The Cherokee Mites capped off their season by defeating the Murphy Bulldogs 12-6 to win the 2010 Cracker Bowl on Saturday, Oct. 30. Cherokee DB Isaiah Evans picked off a Murphy pass with less than a minute left in the game to seal the victory for the Braves.

Cherokee got the ball first to start the contest, but were unable to move it and turned it over on downs. Murphy took over 1st and 10 at the Cherokee 49-yard line.

On second down, Cherokee's Issiah Bradley intercepted a ball and returned it 20 yards to the house for the first score of the game. The two-point conversion failed and Cherokee led 6-0 at the 2:48 mark in the first quarter.

Murphy started their next drive at the Cherokee 40-yard line. Following an off-sides penalty on the Braves and a subsequent holding penalty by the Bulldogs, Murphy's Kadrian McCray ran the ball on first down to the 7-yard line.

Cherokee's defense held tight on the first two downs, but McCray ran it in for a score from six yards out on third down. The two-point conversion failed and Murphy tied the game at 6-6 with 2.6 seconds left in the quarter.

The Braves started the second quarter at their own 48-yard line. Evans got the call on the next two plays and carried the ball to the 23-yard line on rushes of 16 yards and 9 yards.

On the next play, Braves QB Ty Mintz bolted 23 yards for a touchdown to put Cherokee up again. The two-point conversion failed and Cherokee led 12-6 with just over seven minutes left before the half.

The Bulldogs started their next drive at their own 39-yard line, but it was short lived as they put the ball on the ground on third down. It was recovered by the Braves who set up shop at the Bulldogs 45-yard line.

Cherokee drove down to the 18yard line before a holding penalty took it back to the 23 and one play later Mc-

Cray intercepted a Braves pass and

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Braves QB Ty Mintz runs for a 23-yard score in the first half as Murphy's Kadrian McCray tries to catch him.



The expressions of the Murphy fans tell the story as Isaiah Evans (#2) intercepts a Bulldogs pass with less than a minute left in the game to seal the victory for the Braves in Saturday's Cracker Bowl.



returned it to the 37.

Murphy was unable to move the ball and time expired on the half.

The Bulldogs received the ball first in the second half, but they wouldn't have it for too long. Demetrius Bradley recovered a fumble for the Braves at the Cherokee 40-yard line on the third play of the half.

They weren't able to capitalize on the turnover and had to punt the ball.

Murphy, in turn, was unable to move the ball and turned it over on downs to end the third quarter.

Cherokee punted on the next possession and Murphy started their final drive of the game at the Cherokee 45-yard line with just over three minutes to play.

The Braves defense held them to just a few yards on the first three plays and the Bulldogs faced a 4th and 2 from the 37yard line.

Bulldogs QB Joey Curry kept their drive alive by converting the first down on a quarterback keeper to the 33.

Cherokee's defense tightened it up again, and held them to little or no gains on the first three plays to set up a 4th and 8 from the 31.

It was then that Evans intercepted a Murphy pass to seal the deal for the Braves. Cherokee ran out the clock and took home the Cracker Bowl Championship.



Cherokee fans erupt following Evans' interception in the 4th quarter. The Braves were able to run out the clock and take the win.

STOP THE VIOLENCE Cherokee Choices Domestic Violence Awareness 5K Run/Walk

Saturday, Nov. 20 at 10am at the Cherokee Indian Fairgrounds Registration is from 8-9am

Registration Fee: \$10 for adults and \$5 for kids and 50+ Proceeds go towards Cherokee Domestic Violence Support Group

For pre-registration, call Tara 497-1976 or Phyll 497-1971







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Kenzie Garcia





2010 Records Flames High School Level (5-1-1) SCORE **FLAMES GOALS** DATE Sept. 18 Flames 4, Henderson 1 Russsell Bigmeat (2), Jeremy Parker, **Chayton Thompson** Flames 8, ABYSA North 0 Sept. 25 Tommy Lossiah (2), Jeremy Parker (2), Taran Swimmer, Roxanne Parker, Dylan Thompson, Driver Blythe Oct. 2 Flames 3, Henderson 1 Darius Thompson (2), Russell Bigmeat **Oct. 9** Flames 1, Owen 1 Jeremy Parker Oct. 16 Flames 3, ABYSA South 2 Kenzie Garcia, Jeremy Parker, Spirit Lossiah Flames 8, Asheville 4 Jeremy Parker (2), Driver Blythe (2), Dylan **Oct. 23** Thompson, Tommy Lossiah, Spirit Lossiah, **Kenzie Garcia** Oct. 30 ABYSA South 3, Flames 2 Jeremy Parker, Driver Blythe Flames U-14 (3-4-0) SCORE **FLAMES GOALS** DATE Sept. 18 Yancey 5, Flames 2 Storm Ledford, Ryan Tranter Kenzie Garcia, Matthew Climingbear, Ryan Sept. 25 Flames 4, Henderson 2 Tranter, Bailey Littlejohn Oct. 2 Henderson Two 10, Flames 3 **Oct. 9** Flames 1, Reynolds 0 **Ryan Tranter** Oct. 16 **ABYSA West 4, Flames 0** Oct. 23 Flames 3, Reynolds 0 Kenzie Garcia (3) Oct. 30 ABYSA West 7, Flames 0

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Wade Wolfe clears the ball for the Flames.

Coach's Commentary on this Past Week's Matches

By COACH GARY LEDFORD

It was a weekend with conditions unsuitable for burning, and soccer, as both Flames teams failed to ignite.

In the U14 (Little Flames) game, the result was never in doubt, as a strong ABYSA West team dominated from start to finish.

The Little Flames were on their heels for the majority of the game, as West's strong Mid-Field and Forward players engaged in multiple attacks and a torching of the Cherokee goal. Scoring opportunities for Cherokee were few and far between, as West's defensive speed virtually eliminated any real threat to their goal.

This loss drops the Little Flames to a record of 3-4, with the final game of the season coming up on November 6th.

In the U18 (Big Flames) match, Cherokee took the field against ABYSA South, a team they had beaten earlier in the season, 3-2. Determined to send The Flames back to Cherokee with their first loss, South turned up the energy early and worked the field with precision, pressing the Cherokee defense at every turn.

The Flames responded by generating some heat of their own and sending multiple shots on South's goal. The South goalie was up to the task, though, and rejected everything that came his way. South's front line responded to the great goal play, and punched in two goals to take a 2-0 halftime lead.

The second half was a different story, as Cherokee came alive and stoked the soccer fire. "Scrappy" Parker and Driver Blythe banged in two goals, to even the match, as the entire Flames squad appeared rejuvenated and ready to finish off South. Sadly enough, however, it was not to be, as a thirty yard prayer off the foot of a South forward, in the final minutes of the game, slipped past the Cherokee goalie. The Flames could not re-light before the final whistle, and the game would end 3-2, thus ending their unbeaten streak at 6.

The Big Flames, now 5-1-1, play their final game this Saturday, the 6th of November, in Asheville.











Derrick Ledford





Chavton Thompson





Driver Blythe





Jeremy Parker









Kenzie Garcia

Taran Swimmer

CROSS COUNTRY



Several members of the Cherokee Boys Cross Country team start out during the 1A Regional Meet held in Hendersonville on Saturday. Shown (left-right) are Levi Swearingen (#337), Hunter Lambert (#334), Anthony Lee (#335) and Gerald Mahan (#336).

Cherokee Cross Country Teams participate in Regional Meet

ONE FEATHER STAFF REPORT

HENDERSONVILLE – The Cherokee High School Cross Country teams participated in the 1A Regional meet in Hendersonville on Saturday, Oct. 30. Neither team cracked the top four to qualify for the State Meet according to results from nc.preptrack.com.

On the boy's side, the top four teams were Robbinsville (21), Highland Tech (85), Hayesville (90) and Hendersonville (103). The top four teams on the girl's side were Hendersonville (28), Robbinsville (61), Hayesville (71) and Swain County (98).

Tacey Trammell, a senior at Robbinsville, took first place in the girl's division with a time of 19:13.68. She was followed by Kristen Stout, a senior from Hendersonville, with a time of 19:57.91 and Mary Chesnut Smith, a senior from Avery with a time of 20:42.93.

Shayna Ledford, a junior who placed 31st, posted the top time for Cherokee's girls with a time of 23:25.40. She was followed by sophomore Jordyn Thompson (38th) with a time of 23:49.24 freshman Jasmyn Wolfe (54th) with a time of 27:52.00 Creaighton Boxberger, a senior at Robbinsville, took first place in the boy's division with a time of 16:21.21. He was followed by Tyler Massey, also a senior at Robbinsville, with a time of 16:21.58 and Dylan Thompson, a sophomore at Hayesville, with a time of 16:36.47.

Anthony Lee, a sophomore who placed 28th, posted the top time for Cherokee's boys with a time of 18:56.32. He was followed by sophomore Gerald Mahan (29th) with a time of 18:57.40, freshman Levi Swearingen (48th) with a time of 20:09.13, freshman Earl Carroll with a time of 20:41.03 and freshman Hunter Lambert (63rd) with a time of 21:24.23.

Members of the girls team start out including (left-right) Jasmyn Wolfe, Jordyn Thompson and Shayne Ledford.

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Photos courtesy of Denise Walkingstick

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Photo courtesy of Clara Bradley

Tribal Member completes first Marathon

Natalie Welch (right), an EBCI tribal member, completed her first marathon (26.2 miles) on Saturday, Oct. 30 in Greenville, SC. She finished in 3 hours 41 minutes with a pace of 8 minute 27 second miles. She was 4th out of 21 in her age group and 121 out of 604 overall.

2010 Cherokee Indian Fair Community Day Contest winners

Longest Hair Boys 1-10

1st – Damion Clark, Painttown, 41" 2nd – Ethan Armachain, Wolftown, 23.5" 3rd – Da Wo Ni Dv Di S Di, Big Cove, 19.5"

Longest Hair Boys 11-7 1st - Mathia Crow, Birdtown, 40" 2nd – Gabe Crow, Wolftown, 36" 3rd - Fabian Crow, Wolftown, 34" Longest Hair Girls 1-10 1st - Lisa Harrison, Raleigh, 45" 2nd – Amber Sherrill, Painttown, 38" 3rd – Nataya Huskey, Wolftown, 29.5" 4th – Alyana Toineeta, Birdtown, 24.5" 5th - Jalee Panther, Birdtown, 24" Longest Hair Girls 11-17 1st – Kayla Bradley, Big Cove, 37" <u>Longest Hair Men 18+</u> 1st - Kerry Reed, Wolftown, 42" Longest Hair Women 18+ 1st - Ellie Locust Maney, Big Cove, 54" Women's Clogging 1st - Nikki Crisp, Yellowhill 2nd – Tiffany Taylor, Yellowhill 3rd - Jami Kirkland, Birdtown Jimmy Myers Memorial Clogging Contest 1st – Quentin Watty, Big Cove 2nd – Randy Saunooke, Yellowhill 3rd – Dane Feather, Yellowhill

<u>Horsehoe Tournament</u>

1st – Clement Calhoun and John Bird 2nd – Eddie Hill and Jessie Welch

- 3rd Eddie Lossiah and Dillon Bird
- Men's Wood Chopping
- 1st Jeremy Lane, Birdtown, 47
- 2nd Tony Standingdeer, Painttown, 43, 43 (tie)

3rd – Travis Watkins, Qualla, 43, (38 tie) 4th – Russell Bigmeat, Wolftown, 43 (34 tie)

Women's Wood Chopping

1st – Nancy Lossiah, Big Cove, 24 2nd – Jami Kirkland, Birdtown, 23 3rd – Julia Lossiah, Wolftown, 20 4th – Quet Sampson, Wolftown, 14 <u>Men's Blowgun</u>

1st – Driver Pheasant, Wolftown

2nd – William Swimmer, Painttown

- 3rd Sonny Ledford, Birdtown
- 4th William Johnson, Painttown

Women's Blowgun

1st – Melissa Garcia, Painttown 2nd – Nancy Pheasant, Wolftown 3rd – Christina Goings, Birdtown 4th – Rachel Hicks, Painttown <u>Archery – Men's Recurve</u>

1st – George Pheasant, Big Cove 2nd – Deino Panther, Big Cove 3rd – Gerald Jones, Virginia 4th – Steve Powell, Alabama

Archery – Youth Compound

1st – Devon Cabe, Birdtown

2nd – Kendra Panther, Big Cove

3rd – Sharlotte Jackson, Birdtown Archery – Women's Compound

- 1st Jennifer Wildcatt, Big Cove
- 2nd Laura Cabe, Birdtown
- 3rd Natalie Smith, 3200 Acre
- Archery Men's Compound
- 1st Chris Ledford, Big Cove
- 2nd Joseph Saunooke Jr., Big Cove 3rd – Michell Hicks, Painttown
- 4th Jake Crow, Birdtown

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Free – Gospel Sermons in book form, by the late Rev. William Branham. Elijah of Malachi 4_V5 to order: print name and address abnd mail to Watkins, P.o. Box 4636, Beaufort, SC. 29903 12/16pd.

LOST/STOLEN

Have you seen these shells?

A set of two turtle shell rattles were in a black carrying case in a white Styrofoam cooler. The name and address of the owner was with the shells which were left in the woods behind the Oconaluftee Visitors Center. These shells are precious family heirlooms. If you find them, please return them to the *Cherokee One Feather* office or contact the office 497-1750. No questions will be asked.

Stolen – Wood splitter from front yard on Goose Creek Rd, it does not belong to the family, but to the Indians in Sobriety Committee. Please return the splitter, if anyone has any information on the whereabouts or who may have taken the splitter please call 828-736-7509, reward is offered.

BIDS, RFPs, Etc.

Pre-Proposal Meeting for the FY2011 Highway Enhancement/Litter Pickup RFP. Nov. 4 at 3pm at the Brad Building on 1840 Painttown Road in Cherokee.

EMPLOYMENT

Education and Development Director

The Cherokee Historical Association is looking to hire someone with experience in education, development and grants. Requirements for applying are submission of a cover letter, resume, and three sealed reference letters. Applicants have until November 19th at 4:00 pm to submit all requirements to the Cherokee Historical Association's administration building. A full job description is available in the front office of the administration building. For more information please call 497-1128. 11/11

Cherokee Central School Position

Cherokee Central School is taking applications for a **Substitute Food Service Worker** for the Spring Semester (January until May). Must hold a current NC Teaching License. Opened till filled cherokeecentral.sharpschool.com. or call (828) 554-5096 11/4

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Kituwah Mentor

KPEP currently has two positions open for the **Kituwah Mentors Program for high school students** who are interested in advancing their Cherokee Language skills and also interested in continuing their educational needs in the Early Childhood Education and/or Early Elementary Education. Information packets are available at Atse Kituwah Interns will work from 3:00 pm to 5:00 pm every afternoon with the Fire Keepers Afterschool program at Atse Kituwah. Please submit a letter stating why you want to participate in the Mentors Program and how your experience here will contribute to your future educational goals. We will be accepting letters beginning November 5, 2010 through November 12, 2010. All letters will be due by the close of business on the last day. All letters can be mailed to Cynthia Grant, Community Language Supervisor PO Box 486 Cherokee, NC 28719 or faxed to the attention of Cynthia Grant - 828-497-0328

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.

Carla Marie Sneed Ballew, Letisha Nicole Bird, Flora Mae Swimmer Bradley, Linda Kay Tramper Bradley, Leslie Shannon Swimmer Bryant, Freda Charlene Wolfe Cisneros, Garnel Lee Craig, Nellie Marie Tramper Driver, Aaron Elton Hornbuckle, Charles James Hornbuckle, Daniel Lamar Hornbuckle, Keona Hornbuckle, Michael Thorton Hornbuckle, Thurman Hornbuckle III., Yohna Zadoc Hornbuckle, Michael Doc Lambert, Patricia Eldean Sneed Lambert, Samuel John Lambert, Ted Major Lambert, Patricia Ann Maney Little, Laraine Long, Jerry Lossiah Jr., Madge Elizabeth Lambert Owle, Alvin Wesley Smith, Hester Ruth Reagan Smith, Rowena Smith, Sammy Anthony Smith, Howard Vincent Sneed, Sandra Helen Lambert Sneed, Amanda Sequoyah Swimmer, Ammons Perry Tramper, Donna R. George Walkingstick, Mary Louise Sneed Welch, Cynthia Louise Williams Wilnoty, Charles Wolfe, Anna Lee Swimmer Youngdeer, John Irvin Youngdeer

Proposed Transfers

Ella Charlene Smith Cabe to Rebecca Smith Bridges Cherokee (Village) Community parcel no. 78 (part of parcel no. 3) containing 5.829 acres more or less. UNDI-VIDED INTEREST

Alice Mae Catt Lewis to Kenneth Malcolm Lewis Jr., Lower Cherokee Community parcel no. 140-D (part of parcel no. 140-A) containing 1.261 acres more or less.

MARKETPLACE

LEGAL NOTICE Eastern band of Cherokee Indians Cherokee Tribal Court Cherokee, NC CASE NO.: 10-CV-591 SAUNOOKE LAW FIRM V. DUSTIN SAMPSON	LEGAL NOTICE Eastern band of Cherokee Indians Cherokee Tribal Court Cherokee, NC CASE NO.: 10-CV-593 SAUNOOKE LAW FIRM V. HENRY W. SEQUOYAH	LEGAL NOTICE Eastern band of Cherokee Indians Cherokee Tribal Court Cherokee, NC CASE NO.: 10-CV-551 STEVEN D. TEESATESKIE V. KONAWV P. TESSATESKIE	LEGAL NOTICE Eastern band of Cherokee Indians Cherokee Tribal Court Cherokee, NC CASE NO.: 10-CV-552 LAURA CROWE V. SABRINA SAUNOOKE
TAKE NOTICE that the Plaintiff has set for hearing the above captioned matter FOR DEFAULT on the issue of BREACH of CONTRACT and MONEY OWED at the following date and time: December 6, 2010 Cherokee Courthouse 9:30 a.m. This the 26th day of October 2010 Saunooke Law Firm, P.A. P.O. Box 2369 Cherokee, NC 28719 828-497-3041 11/11	TAKE NOTICE that the Plaintiff has set for hearing the above captioned matter FOR DEFAULT on the issue of BREACH of CONTRACT and MONEY OWED at the following date and time: December 6, 2010 Cherokee Courthouse 9:30 a.m. This the 26th day of October 2010 Saunooke Law Firm, P.A. P.O. Box 2369 Cherokee, NC 28719 828-497-3041 11/11	TAKE NOTICE that the Plaintiff has set for hearing the above captioned matter FOR DEFAULT on the issue of dissolution of marriage, complaint for cus- tody, and final hearing on dissolution of marriage and complaint for custody at the following date and time: Tuesday November 16, 2010 Cherokee Courthouse 9:30 a.m. This the 18th day of October 2010 Saunooke Law Firm, P.A. P.O. Box 2369 Cherokee, NC 28719 828-497-3041 11/11	TAKE NOTICE that the Plaintiff has set for h above captioned matter FOR DEFAULT on the custody, ex parte custody, and final hearing of at the following date and time: Tuesday November 16, 2010 Cherokee Courthouse 9:30 a.m. This the 18th day of October 2010 Saunooke Law Firm, P.A. P.O. Box 22 Cherokee, NC 28719 828-497-3041 11/11
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LEGAL NOTICE Eastern band of Cherokee Indians Cherokee Tribal Court Cherokee, NC CASE NO.: 10-CV-592 SAUNOOKE LAW FIRM V. TRISTAN SANCHEZ	LEGAL NOTICE Eastern band of Cherokee Indians Cherokee Tribal Court Cherokee, NC CASE NO.: 10-CV-594 SAUNOOKE LAW FIRM V. RANDALL RAY SIMONDS	Eastern band of Cherokee Indians Cherokee Tribal Court Cherokee, NC CASE NO.: 10-CV-596 SAUNOOKE LAW FIRM V. TIMMY RAY TAYLOR	Eastern band of Cherokee Indians Cherokee Tribal Court Cherokee, NC CASE NO.: 10-CV-598 SAUNOOKE LAW FIRM V. ESTEVAN WELCH

Low Income Energy Assistance Program

The Low Income Energy Assistance Program gives families a one-time cash payment to help pay their heating bills. This program is open to all residents of Jackson County. Applications will be accepted at Jackson County Department of Social Services located at The Bureau of Indian Affairs, November 1, 2010 through November 12, 2010. The office will be closed Thursday, November 11th in observance of Veteran's Day. Applications may be made Monday through Friday between the hours of 7:30 a.m. and 4:00 p.m. Applications will not be accepted before November 1st or after November 12th. The office will have extended hours on November 4th from 7:30 a.m. until 8:00 p.m. All eligible households will receive a payment around the first of February 2011.

Food and Nutrition Service households that meet Low Income Energy guidelines will automatically receive a payment for heating costs. These households received a notice in mid October. If your household has not received a notice, or if you received a Notice of Denial, you may apply in person, at the Jackson County Department of Social Services, between November 1 and November 12, 2010.

Families must meet the following guidelines to be eligible:

1. The household's total income must be equal to or below 110% of the federal poverty level.

2. The household must be responsible for it's heating bills.

3. The household cannot have assets over \$2,200.00, excluding primary home and automobiles.

4. The household must include a U.S. citizen or an eligible alien.

The applicant should bring proof of October gross income, information about any household bank accounts, stocks, bonds, property and other assets, and social security numbers for all household members.

Once all applications are processed, payment amounts are based on:

1. The total number of eligible households to be served by the program.

- 2. The total income for each household.
- 3. The number of household members.
- 4. The type of heat the household uses.
- 5. The region of the state where the family lives.

For more information about the Low Income Energy Assistance program, contact the Jackson County Department of Social Services, 15 Griffin Street, Sylva, N.C. or call Tammy Bradley at 586-5546, extension 131. 11/11

LEGAL NOTICE Eastern band of Cherokee Indians Cherokee Tribal Court Cherokee NC CASE NO.: 10-CV-597 SAUNOOKE LAW FIRM V.

QUINCY WATTY

TAKE NOTICE that the Plaintiff has set for hearing the above captioned matter FOR DEFAULT on the issue of BREACH of CONTRACT and MONEY OWED at the following date and time:

December 6, 2010 Cherokee Courthouse 9:30 a.m. This the 26th day of October 2010 Saunooke Law Firm PA PO Box 2369 Cherokee, NC 28719 828-497-3041 11/11

> LEGAL NOTICE Eastern band of Cherokee Indians Cherokee Tribal Court Cherokee, NC CASE NO.: 10-CV-595 SAUNOOKE LAW FIRM V.

> > JIM SMITH

TAKE NOTICE that the Plaintiff has set for hearing the above captioned matter FOR DEFAULT on the issue of BREACH of CONTRACT and MONEY OWED at the following date and time:

December 6, 2010 Cherokee Courthouse

9:30 a.m. This the 26th day of October 2010 Saunooke Law Firm, P.A. P.O. Box 2369 Cherokee, NC 28719 828-497-3041 11/11

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LEGAL NOTICE Eastern Band of Cherokee Indians Cherokee Tribal Court Cherokee, North Carolina Estate File No. 10-053 Notice to Creditors and Debtors of **Billy DustinLane**

All Persons, firms, and corporations, having claims against, this estate are notified to exhibit them to the fiduciary (s) listed on or before the date listed or be barred from their recovery. Debtors of the decedent are asked to make immediate payment to the appointed fiduciary (s) listed below.

Deadline to submit claims: January1, 2011. This is the 18th day of October, 2010. Kenitra L. Corbin P.O. Box 1801 Robbinsville, NC. 28771 11/11 pd

> Notice of Service of Process by Publication Eastern Band of Cherokee Indians Cherokee Court

Cherokee, North Carolina File #SP-10-167

In RE: Matter of Baby Boy Doe TO: Unknown Parent of Baby Boy Doe

TAKE NOTICE THAT an adoption proceeding has been filed regarding a minor child, born on the 11th day of August, 2003. It is alleged that you are the biological father of said child. Be further advised that if you do not respond to this notice by December 7, 2010, said date being forty (40) days from the date of first publication of this notice, the adopting Petitioner shall request that the Court enter an Order allowing this adoption to proceed without your consent and also provide that you will not receive any further notices of this adoption proceeding including the time and place of any further hearings. Your response to this notice should be sent to the Clerk for the Cherokee Tribal Court in Cherokee, North Carolina and a copy sent to the undersigned attorney

THIS the 21st day of October, 2010.

Lawrence Nestler, Attorney for Petitioner .Legal Aid of NC, INC - Sylva Office P.O. Box 426 Sylva, NC 28779 Telephone: 828/586-8931 11/11

"The 411 on Ordinance 401"

Q&A on the New Manage Your EBCI Moeny Program

By SHAWN SPRUCE

Are you an enrolled EBCI member who will graduate from high school in 2011?

If so, a new requirement passed by Tribal Council, Ordinance No. 401 (effective April 1, 2011), states: "Any minor member, applying for their minors trust fund, will be required to complete the online Manage Your EBCI Money Course (manageyourebcimoney.org) and include his/her Certificate of Completion to be entitled to receive any monies."

So what does this mean for me?

What it means is that before you can get your trust fund money, you are going to have to complete a short online financial education course, called Manage Your EBCI Money, in addition to completing your high school education or GED. What is the Manage Your EBCI Money course?

An exciting new website specially designed just for you, EBCI youth, and dedicated to the fascinating world of personal finance. The site is loaded with valuable information such as a

financial calculator that will show you how long it will take to become a millionaire if you start investing your money when young 3 you're (hint: before you are 40 if you play your cards right!), fun car buying factoids to help you make an informed decision regarding your next auto purchase, and even music videos geared towards a host of relevant financial topics such as identity theft, understanding credit cards, and managing your bank account; all for the purpose of assisting you with making the most of your EBCI money!

So how do I access the website?

Type manageyourebcimoney.org into the browser window of any web accessible computer and press enter. You will see a log-in screen with directions that you can take from there. You will need a valid email address as well.

Is the website complicated or difficult to understand? The program is divided into 8 different learn-

The program is divided into 8 different learning modules and will take about three hours to complete. Each module contains a short quiz and you will have to answer 4 out of 5 questions correctly to move on to the next module. There is no time limit and you can retake the quizzes as many times as you need until you pass.

What if I do not have a computer or access to the internet?

You can stop by the Qualla Financial Freedom office located inside the EBCI Cooperative Extension Center at 876 Acquoni Rd to use a computer there. And more satellite computer stations will be coming soon.

Why am I being required to take an online course and why was this not started sooner?

As you well know, your EBCI minors trust fund is a substantial amount of money and your tribal leaders want to provide you with the skills, knowledge, and tools so that you can make smart choices with your money both now and for the future. A web-based course was determined to be the most effective way to provide this information and the new program has actually been several years in the making. Where can I get more information?

Drop by Qualla Financial Freedom* 876 Acquoni Road Call: 554-6937 Or text: 788-2356, Key words: "Get Paid" *Please direct all inquiries to QFF. DO NOT contact the Enrollment or Budget and Finance offices for questions regarding Manage Your EBCI Money.

Shawn is the program consultant for the First Nations Development Institute.

Celebration of Family Caregivers of November

By HEATHER D. BIRD

National Family Caregivers Month (NFC Month) – observed every November –is a nationally recognized month. This month seeks to draw attention to the many challenges that family caregivers face, to advocate for stronger public policy to address family care giving issues, and to raise awareness about the community programs that support family caregivers. NFC month is a time to thank, support, educate, and advocate for the more than 50 million family caregivers across the county. During NFC Month and every day, NFCA encourages family caregivers to take four steps every day to empower them to act on behalf of themselves and their loved ones. These four steps assist in the removal of barriers to ensure Tsali Manor positive health and well being for the caregiver.

BELIEVE in yourself; PROTECT your health, REACH OUT for help, and SPEAK UP for your rights

Mission Statement: To coordinate services for those who are providing care to elders, though a system of collaboration with other programs, to provide case management, education and emotional support.

For information contact Tsali Caregivers Support Program 554-6872 and speak with Tavish Panozzo, Caregiver Case Manager or Heather Bird, Outreach Worker II 554-6860.

Heather is an Outreach Worker II at Tsali Manor.

Red Cross Emergency Shelter Training

The American Red Cross and the Cherokee Emergency Management Program is offering a training session for volunteers working in an emergency shelter. The class will be held on Monday, Nov. 15 from 1-4pm at the EOC Building at 282 Seven Clans Lane in Cherokee.

This free class prepares volunteers to assist in setting up a shelter; greet and welcome shelter residents; receive and set up materials and food for residents; and manage the general operations of the shelter while meeting the needs of its residents. Info: David Wachacha 554-6433, Craig Arch 554-6449, or Mollie Grant 554-6434.

- Source: Cherokee Emergency Management

NEW TRIBAL ROAD REQUESTS AS OF November 02, 2010

John Cucumber Rd - Starts at 357 Lizzie Cucumber Rd

Landscape Maintenance Training

By SARAH McCLELLAN-WELCH

EBCI Cooperative Extension is holding a landscape training geared for Cherokee's commercial landscapers and public grounds maintenance staff. The three-hour training is offered free-ofcharge, but participants will donate their time to the community through the hand's on educational activities. The training will be lead by Sarah McClellan-Welch, EBCI Agriculture Extension Agent. To sign-up call Sarah at 828-554-6935.

Pruning Trees & Shrubs – Tuesday, November 16th 10am to 12pm

2 hours of hand's-on training at Tsali Manor Walking Path – meet at the pavilion. Maintenance of trees and shrubs will be discussed. Participants will learn proper pruning techniques for landscape trees, shrubs and fruit trees.

Maintenance of Turf & Herbaceous Perennials – Tuesday, November 16th 1pm to 2pm 1 hour at Cherokee Indian Hospital grounds – meet at lower parking lot. Participants will learn basic principles of turf maintenance and how to care for annuals and perennials.

11/11

Sarah is an Ag Agent with EBCI Cooperative Extension.

TERO Job Bank Members Enrolled members

Cherokee Bingo Hall, Thursday, November 4 10am – 12 noon.

The TERO office and Harrah's Casino will be holding a meeting for potential employment opportunities for the New Restaurants and Hotel Expansion. This will be a great opportunity for long term employment. Please come and attend if you are looking for employment opportunities.

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NEWS ka-no-he-da

Tabled EBCI Legislation

Tabled Ordinance No. 503 (2010) Submitted by Angela Wolfe

WHEREAS, the Eastern Band of Cherokee Indians has the sovereign authority to create laws that protect the health and welfare of its children; and

WHEREAS, the Eastern Band of Cherokee Indians recognize and honor the special status of children in its culture; and

WHEREAS, it is the right of all children to have the sanctity, innocence and purity of childhood protected by tribal law; and

WHEREAS, sexual abuse against a child is currently and historically intolerable in our Cherokee culture and society; and

WHEREAS, it is the duty of the Eastern Band of Cherokee Indians to allow a parent or custodian of a child to protect that child from the risks of harm inherent to it if the accused child abuser has unfettered rights of access to that child during the investigation of the child abuse.

NOW, THEREFORE BE IT OR-DAINED by the Tribal Council of the Eastern Band of Cherokee Indians in annual council assembled, at which a quorum is present, that Chapter 50, Article II, Section 50-12 of the Cherokee Code shall be amended to read as follows:

Sec. 50-12. Other family law issues. (E) It shall be grounds for denial of custody and/or visitation to a party in a custody action if such party to the action has been convicted of, entered a plea of guilty or no contest to a crime of a sexual nature against a child, as codified under tribal law or the law of the jurisdiction in which the person was charged, regardless of where the crime took place or the sentence issued.

(F) A party to a custody action accused of a sexual act against a child, and such allegation is contained in any legal pleading before the court or a criminal charge in any jurisdiction, shall be grounds for requiring supervised custody and/or visitation until the merits of the allegation have been fully adjudicated, tried or finally resolved.

BE IT FURTHER ORDAINED that this ordinance shall be effective upon ratification by the Principal Chief and that all prior ordinances and resolutions that are inconsistent with this ordinance are rescinded.

Tabled Resolution No. 506 (2010) Submitted by Sam Panther on behalf of American Legion Post 143

WHEREAS, Veterans who are enrolled members of the Eastern Band of Cherokee Indians deserve our recognition and appreciation for serving our Country and our Tribe so courageously; and WHEREAS, we currently have the Cherokee Veterans Monument located beside the Tribal Council House Complex, but there is nothing more on our Reservation dedicated specifically to our Veterans or in appreciation of them; and

WHEREAS, it is the desire of the American Legion Post 143 that Acquoni Road be renamed in honor of our Cherokee Veterans to Veterans Boulevard. NOW, THEREFORE BE IT RE-SOLVED by the Tribal Council of the Eastern Band of Cherokee Indians in Annual Council assembled, at which a quorum is present, that Acquoni Road be renamed in honor of all of our Cherokee Veterans to Veterans Boulevard. BE IT FINALLY RESOLVED that the Principal Chief is authorized to carry out the intent of this resolution.



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WCU Cherokee Center having a busy Fall

By ROSEANNE BELT

his is a busy time of year for everyone and the students, faculty and staff at Western Carolina University are hard at work. They did find the

time, with the guidance of Dr. Anne Rogers and Janina Dehart, advisor to the Native Students at Western, to put together a Safe Trick-or-Treat booth for the event at the old high school track on Saturday night. Students and friends from Digali i, the Native student organization included Kayla Skitzki, Meghann Locklear, Timmie Locklear, Patience Owl, Adam Craig, Candice Craig, Brittany Starnes, Felicia Furr, Aaron Furr, Kelly Driver, Jordan Wilcox, and Nathan Bush. Students from Anne Roger's Contemporary Cherokee Culture and Society course included Jared Gallamore and his family, Angela Squirrel and daughter, and Lenny Crisp as well as Dr. Roger's husband. Thank you for the interest and concern for the event.

Next week, beginning on Nov. 10 at 11am, Intercultural Affairs, the Cherokee Center, Cherokee Studies and Digali i will host the 2nd annual Native American Expo. The Expo runs through Friday, Nov. 12 at 2 pm and will be held



Digali i, the Native American Student Organization at Western Carolina University set up a booth at Saturday's Safe Trick or Treat Night in Cherokee.

in the University Center Grand Room and the Courtyard Dining Hall. The Expo will include art work by students from Cherokee Schools. The events will include demonstrations and presentations by Tonya Carroll, Hawk Brown, Freeman Owle, Jeff Marley, TJ Holland, Dr. Lisa

Lefler, Jonnie Walkingstick and Dr. Lisa Bloom, and Roseanna Belt. A musical performance of Manco Sneed's music will be presented by Wayne, Margaret and Joe Martin. Cherokee Language preservation and education will also be included in the Expo.

For additional information, please contact the Western Carolina University-Cherokee Center at 497-7920.

Roseanne is the director of the WCU **Cherokee Center.**

The Department of Intercultural Affairs, Cherokee Center, The Center for Cherokee Studies, and Digali'i present

WEDNESDAY

11:00AM - 2:00PM

Cherokee Elementary Traditional Singers **Traditional Cherokee** Flautist Hawk Brown **Traditional Cherokee** Stories and Art Freeman Owle, Storyteller and Cherokee Carver **DINING HALL**

2:30PM - 3:45PM

Cherokee Language Revitalization Cherokee Language Program at WCU GRAND ROOM

6:00PM - 7:30PM

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Save Kituwah Project against Duke Energy and the preservation of Sacred Land Natalie Smith, Organizer GRAND ROOM

THURSDAY

12:30PM - 1:30PM

National Boarding School Apology Initiative Roseanna Belt, Director WCU Cherokee center GRAND ROOM

1:30PM - 2:30PM

Research Policies and Methods of the Eastern Band of Cherokee Indians T.J. Holland and Lisa Lefler GRAND ROOM

2:30PM - 3:30PM Sacred Path: **Education Model** of Cherokee **Central School** Jonnie Walkingstick and Dr. Lisa Bloom GRAND ROOM

3:30PM - 400PM

Oconaluftee Institute of Cultural Arts: Infusing tradition and Contemporary Art Instruction Jeff Marley GRAND ROOM

6:00PM

The Music of Manco Sneed Performance by Wayne, Margaret and Joe Martin **Opening remarks** by Roseanna Belt GRAND ROOM

FRIDAY

American

11:00AM - 12:00PM

Cherokee Ambassador Tonya Carroll, Ms. Cherokee 2010 DINING HALL

12:00PM - 1:00PM

Kituwah Academy Immersion School

12: 00 PM Kindergarten perforr 12:30 PM 1st Grade Performan DINING HALL

for more information please contact

CHEROKEE CALENDAR

GENERAL EVENTS

Smoky Mountain High Fall Open House. Nov. 4 from 4-6pm at the High School. Folks will be able to visit teachers, chat with other parents and see where students spend their day. Progress reports will be available for pick-up.

Cherokee Rod Run "Cruise the Smokies". Nov. 5-7 at the Cherokee Events Center (old CHS on Acquoni Road). Info: 497-2603 or cherokeerodders.com

All Veteran's Picnic. Nov. 6 at 1pm at the Sylva National Guard Armory in Webster. The menu will consist of a BBQ lunch with all the fixins. A \$5 donation will be collected at the door. Info: 586-4314

Planning Meeting gathering Places. Nov. 9 from 4-5pm at the RTCAR offices at the Cherokee Cooperative Extension Building. Info: Beth Ross Johnson 554-6925

EBCI Professional Skills Certificate class. Nov. 9 – Dec. 21 each Tuesday from 8am – 12pm. Signup online at www.getworkplacesolutions.com/tmpsignup. Info: Sarah Teesateskie 554-6385 or saratees@nc-cherokee.com.

Veterans Day Ceremony. Nov. 11 at 3pm at the Exhibit Hall at the Cherokee Indian Fairgrounds. This event is hosted by the American Legion Steve Youngdeer Post 143 and all EBCI veterans and family members are invited to attend.

17th Annual AA Convention. **Nov. 11-14** at the Events Center (Old Cherokee high School) on Acquoni Rd. Registration begins Thursday at 12pm. Sunrise services, speaker meetins, Al-Anon meetings, marathon meetings, entertainment: sobriety pow wow, Thunderhand Joe, former member of Redbone. Come join for good clean sober fun.

Gathering Places. Nov. 12-14 at the Great Smokies Center in Cherokee. Presenters from Hawaii, Oklahoma, South Carolina and Michigan. This project is supported by the Cherokee Preservation Foundation. Info: Beth 554-6925.

In-Door Yard Sale for Big Y Community Club. Nov. 13 from 8am – 12pm at the Big Y Community Center. Spaces are available for \$10 with table or \$8 if you bring your own table. An Old-Time Box Supper and Bingo will begin at 6pm.

Artist Talk and Hand-Tint Photo Workshop. Nov. 13 from 11am – 4pm at the Oconaluftee Institute for Cultural Arts. This workshop, taught by EBCI tribal member Shan Goshorn, is free, but space is limited to only 20 slots. A reservation is required to participate. Info: Tonya Carroll 497-3103

National Veterans' Pow Wow & Indian Festival . Nov. 13-14 at Boling Park in Canton, Ga. The event will be held 11am – 7pm on Saturday and 11am – 6pm on Sunday.

4-H Native American Craft Club Meeting. Nov. 22 at 5pm at the Cherokee Cooperative Extension Office (formerly the Women's Wellness Building). The craft will be Daisy Chains and is for children ages 9-12. The Native American Craft Club is designed to strengthen the bond between the children and their parents/guardians. Info: Trish 554-6933

Cherokee Phoenix Book Club. Nov. 27 in the Qualla Public Library. The book for November is The Little Bee. The moderator will be Kathy Dugan. Info: 497-1764 or robisway@nc-cherokee.com

A celebration of Food Production . Dec. 6-10 at the Flamingo Hotel in Las Vegan, NV. This event is hosted by the Indian Nations Conservation Alliance and Intertribal Agriculture Council. Info: (406) 259-3525, (406) 684-5199, or fax (406) 256-9980

Christmas Bazaar. Dec. 11 from 8am – 8pm at the Exhibit Hall at the Cherokee Indian Fairgrounds. \$10 for one table and two chairs. All items must be hand/homemade. Table requests will be taken until the close of business on Dec. 9 at 5pm. Info: Josie Long at the Cherokee Welcome Center 554-6490 or email travel@nc-cherokee.com

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HEALTH & SPORTS

Youth Basketball Coaching Clinic. Nov. 7 from 2-4pm at the Jackson County Recreation Center. The clinic, by Coach Kevin Cantwell, is open to any youth basketball coach, school coach or parent who wishes to become more knowledgeable in teaching skills. Pre-register 293-3053.

Yogo for Every Body in Big Cove. Starts Nov. 8 from 6-7pm at the Big Cove Community Center. The 6-week yoga program, sponsored by Cherokee Choices, is for families and individuals and is open to everyone. Space is limited though so please come early and signup to reserve a spot. All children must be accompanied by a parent. Info: Renee 497-1973

Indian Ball Games. Nov. 13 at 2pm at the Wolftown Gym and Field in honor of the late Bill Reed. There will be a potluck dinner after the game. Please bring your favorite dish. The public and singers are invited. Info: Frances Reed 497-9837

GENERAL ANNOUNCEMENTS

Low Income Energy Assistance Program. One-time only payment mailed by check to approved households the First Week of February, to help with winter heating costs. If you are already receiving food stamps, a notice will be mailed concerning eligibility. Applications will be taken at Swain County DSS Bryson City Office from Nov. 1 - 12 from 8:30-4:30 call 828-488-6921 to schedule an interview. Applications will be taken at the Cherokee BIA office November 1 - 12 from 8:30-3pm call 828-497-9156 for an interview or questions.

Apps for Christmas Store available. Applications for the Family Support Services Christmas Store are available now until Monday, Nov. 22 at 4:30 pm. Applications may be picked up and returned to the Family Support Office at 508 Goose Creek Road. Applications in the Snowbird Community may be picked up and returned to Kathy Holloway at the Family Support Office in the Snowbird Complex.

BENEFITS

Stevi Sutton. Nov. 5. at the Yellowhill Comm Bldg starting at 11am . Indian dinners w/ drink and dessert

3rd Annual Brothers in the Wind Toy Run. Nov. 27 at the Cherokee Indian Fairgrounds. \$15/person or \$20/couple or toy of equivalent value. Car and bike trophies. Registration begins at 10am, ride begins at 12noon. Raffle, door prizes, music, and food. Rain or shine. Info: Sam Reed 269-7923

Turkey Shoot Schedule 2010 Jesse Welch (Big Cove) Shoots are at 5pm

Nov 6 – Big Cove Free Labor group Nov 13 – Big Cove Daycare Parent group Nov 20 – Maggie Lossiah Family Nov 27 – Maggie Lossiah Family Dec 4 – Fire Dept

Health Wellness

Dec 11 – NO SHOOT, Cherokee Christmas Parade Dec 18 – Big Cove Daycare Parent Group Dec 25 – Jesse Welch Benefit for Christmas

Support the Cherokee Braves 100% Tobacco Free Schools No tobacco use anytime, anywhere on school grounds, by anyone!

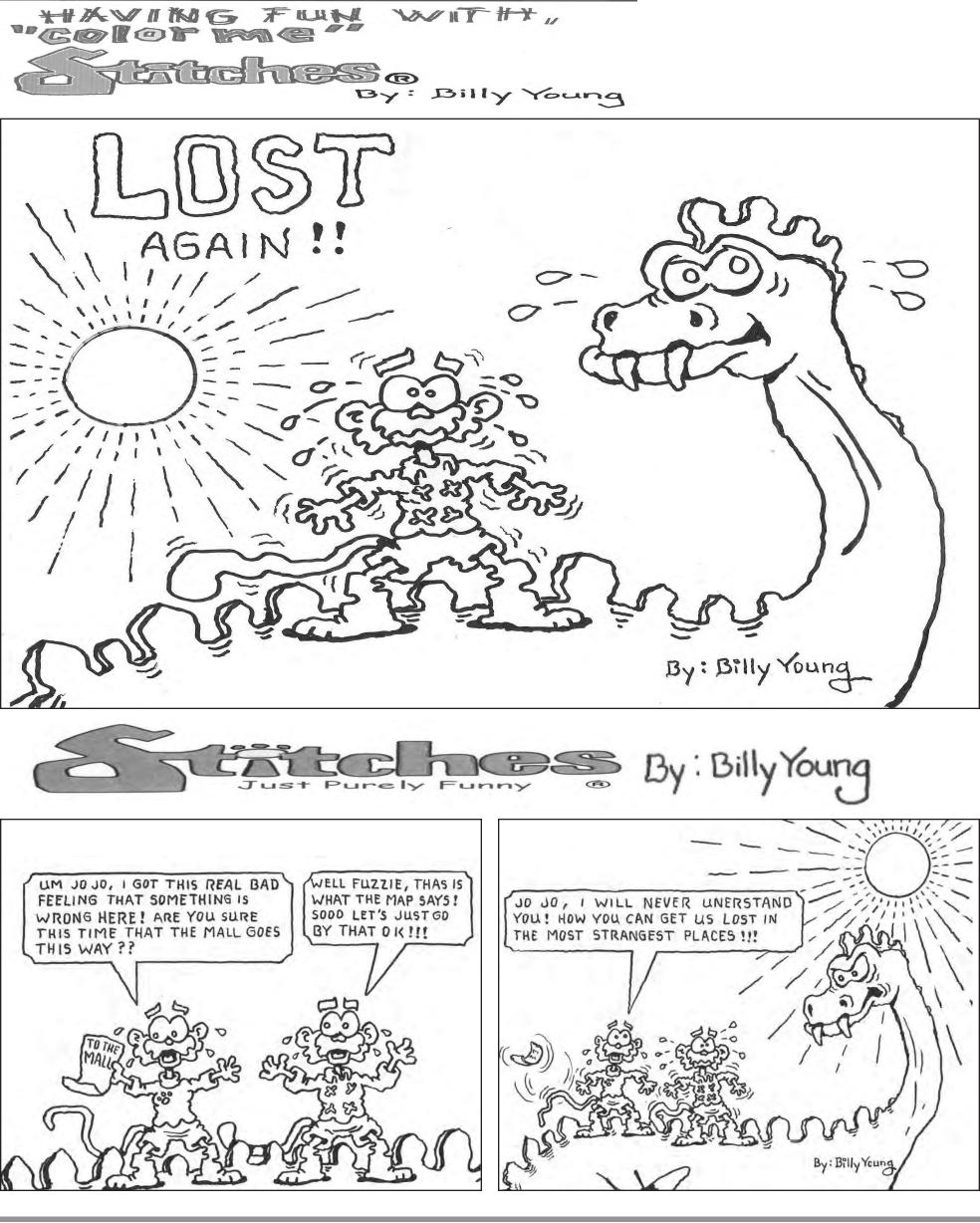




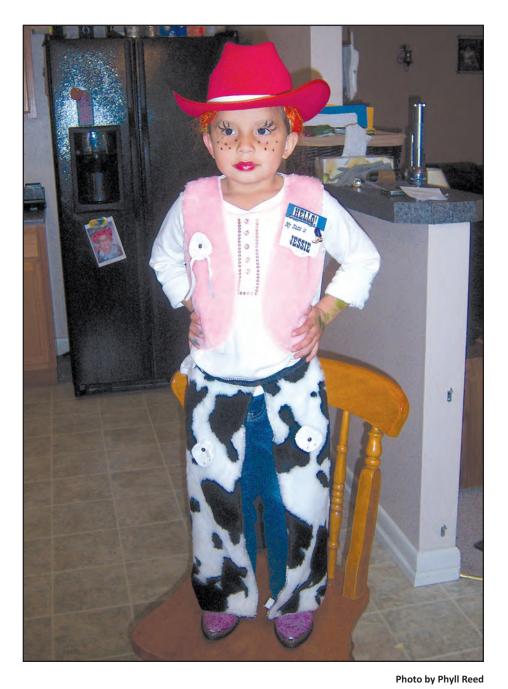


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YEE-HAWWW!

Danica Hill gets ready for some trick-or-treating on Saturday, Oct. 30 as Jessie from Toy Story 3.

CHEROKEE IN A SNAP



The Protector Boomer in Bigwitch looks like he was trying to protect the resting cherub.



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Photo by Karina Bottchenbaugh **Spooks in Yellowhill** Some of the characters from the Cherokee

Some of the characters from the Cherokee Youth Council's Haunted House at the Yellowhill Community Building stop scaring people for a second to pose for a photo.



News We have New Audio Books!

New Hours for Snowbird Community Library Monday- 8:00am – 7:00pm Tuesday- 8:00am – 7:00pm Wednesday- 8:00am – 5:00pm Thursday- 8:00am – 5:00pm Friday- 8:00am – 5:00pm Phone #: 828-479-3917 located at 50 Snowbird School Rd



Photo courtesy of Snowbird Library Look who is Reading!

Edith Deyton, of the Snowbird Community, dropped into the Snowbird Community Library for a visit recently.

Big Cove Free Labor Turkey Shoot

Saturday Nov. 6 at 5pm Jesse Welch Residence Good Prizes, Good Food, Great Cause!!! All guns welcome, firing lines are staggered to give everyone a chance to win.



Weekly Deadlines

Tuesdays by Noon

Last paper of 2010 December 16th A CHEROME

Genealogy class Thursdays 5-7pm

Library hours;

Monday , Tuesday, Thursday open 8am till 7pm Wednesday 8am - 5pm Friday 8am - 4:30pm Phone#: 828-497-1764 located at 810 Acquoni Rd



Photos courtes of Qualla Library

New Cherokee Phoenix Book Club

The first book club meeting was held Oct. 29 in the library. The book of the month was The Girl With the Dragon Tattoo. There were cider, tea and a few cookies to go along with the book discussion. Next months meeting will be Nov. 29 at the Library. November's Book selection is Little Bee by Chris Cleave. If you are interested in attending please grab the book and READ we would love to see you there.



Pumpkin Bowling

Qualla Library had Pumkin Bowling at this year's Healty Trick or Treat at Cherokee Elementary School. This year, the School Health Advisory Council decided to try something new for Halloween and put together a healthy trick or treat event for the elementary school children. As you can see we had lots of fun (Pumpkin toss, above). A great big thank you to the upper classmen that helped us out. We hope to see you gobblins again next year!

CELEBRATIONS



AMPER Cambry Amrra Stamper born October 15, 2010 to Rob and Miranda Stamper weighing 7lbs 8oz and 20 inches at Haywood Regional Hospital.



Happy 2nd Birthday Chloe Cooper - Nov. 5th you bring joy and laughter into our lives Papaw. granny, Auntie Dusty, Wannie, Aunt Lil, Uncle Chad, Eddie & Nana Cooper



Happy Birthday 11/5to my Sweet Sister Love, Elise



Happy Birthday

Love, Your Big Sister Tsa -si

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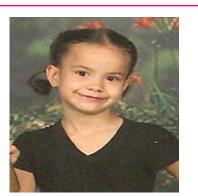


Youngdeer 67th Anniversary



November 6, 1943 - November 6, 2010

Thank you Alene for the many years of love and care. The Marine Corps didn't issue wives but through the Corps, I found you through a war time transfer to Oklahoma. i just want to express my love and appreciation to you as the clock ticks slowly on to the next hour. Your Loving Husband, Robert



Happy 7th birthday Alayna We love you, Mom & Dad



Happy 7th Birthday Alayna

Love, Nan & Paw (Ruby & Virgil Crowe)

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DEADLINE

Happy birthday

Alayna

Love.

Yoru brothers Ethan and Nolan

for Thursday, Nov. 25 (Thanksgiving paper) is Monday, Nov. 22 at 12 noon NO EXCEPTIONS!!

Congratulations Cracker Bowl Champs



The 2010 Cherokee Mites are Conference and Cracker Bowl Champions, the parents are so proud of all the players and coaches, everyone worked hard this season. Coaches: Gunter, Bradley, George, Driver and Hayes. Players: karson, Issiah, Wren, Seth, Josh, Cameron, Tye, Terence, garrett, Demetryus, Jossiah, Logan, Adam, Isaiah, Nathan, P-Nut, David, Holden, Tre, John, Eric, Julian, Shannon, Will, Wesley, Will, Kellen and Jacob.