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Taylor Wilnoty, Angel Squirrel and Amorie Gunter are the three contestants for this year's Miss Cherokee pageant scheduled for Saturday, Oct. 4 at 6pm at the Chief Joyce Dugan Cultural Arts Center. [SCOTT MCKIE B.P./One Feather]

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Three to compete for Miss Cherokee crown

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hree young ladies will vie for the Miss Cherokee crown during the annual pageant scheduled for Saturday, Oct. 4 at 6pm at the Chief Joyce Dugan Cultural Arts Center. Amorie Gunter, Angel Squirrel and Taylor Wilnoty will be judged in various categories including traditional dress, traditional talent, public speaking and more.

"We're just pleased this year that we have three beautiful, talented young women in the pageant," said Debbie West, pageant coordinator. "They've been a lot of fun to work with. We'd like to see the pageant continue to grow. Our Tribe has a lot of really beautiful women. We're just really pleased with being able to work with these girls. They're just really talented, and I can't wait to see what they can do on stage."

Amorie Gunter is the 19-year-old daughter of Angie and Frank Gunter from the Birdtown Community. A 2013 graduate of Swain County High School, she is currently



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Kristie Hyatt (right), Miss Cherokee 2011, helps the three contestants practice for the interview portion of the competition during a pageant practice session at Tsali Manor on Sunday, Sept. 21. Shown (clockwise from left) are Amorie Gunter, Taylor Wilnoty, Angel Squirrel and Hyatt.

studying to become an occupational therapy assistant at Southwestern Community College.

"I hope to improve Tsali Care and just help out our elders a lot," said Amorie. "I have always wanted to help, and I've never really known how to help around the community. I just thought this would be a good opportunity to get out there more and have more opportunities to volunteer."

Angel Squirrel is the 19-year-old daughter of Angela Squirrel from the Wolfetown Community. A 2013 graduate of Cherokee High School, she is currently a tour guide at the Oconaluftee Indian Village.

"I want to educate others about our language, who we are as a Tribe, our culture, and our history," said Angel. "I hope to bring people to know who they are as a person and have them get more involved in their history and traditions, community, and eliminate some of the drug problem on the reservation with our young people and getting them more involved."

Taylor Wilnoty is the

19-year-old daughter of Michael and Savannah Wilnoty from the Painttown Community. A 2013 graduate of Cherokee High School, she is currently studying nursing at Southwestern Community College.

"I'd like to be a role model for our younger girls, not just because I'm wearing a crown, but to teach them that Cherokee women have always been and always will be the backbone and strength of this Tribe," said Taylor.



Amorie Gunter is the 19year-old daughter of Angie and Frank Gunter from the Birdtown Community.



Taylor Wilnoty is the 19year-old daughter of Michael and Savannah Wilnoty from the Painttown Community.



Angel Squirrel is the 19year-old daughter of Angela Squirrel from the Wolfetown Community.

Congress passes Tribal General Welfare Exclusion Act

n an extraordinary demonstration of bipartisan support, the 113th U.S. Congress passed the Tribal General Welfare Exclusion Act 2013 (Act). On Thursday, Sept. 18, the Act was passed by the U.S. Senate by unanimous consent.

Earlier in the week, the U.S. House of Representatives passed the measure by over two-thirds majority. It is fully expected to be signed into law by the President. The Act gives greater clarity and permanence to tribal government general welfare programs.

The Act firmly supports tribal selfdetermination and sovereignty by granting flexibility for tribal leaders to determine appropriate programs and services to their citizens and also requires ambiguities in the statute to be resolved in favor of Indian tribes.

Importantly, the Act builds upon the Internal Revenue Service (IRS) Revenue Procedure [Rev. Proc. 2014-35] issued in June 2014 and further directs the Secretary of the Treasury

to:

Establish a Tribal Advisory Committee to advise on matters relating to taxation of tribal governments;
 Require the training and education of IRS agents on federal Indian law and the implementation of the new provisions; and

3. Temporarily suspend the general welfare examinations of tribal governments.

- NAFOA



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Chief Hicks meets with Atlanta Dream officials

Principal Chief Michell Hicks (2nd from left) met with staff of the Atlanta Dream last week about possible partnerships with Harrah's Cherokee Casino Resort and the Eastern Band of Cherokee Indians and was presented with a basketball signed by all of the Atlanta Dream players. Shown (left-right) are Danielle Brown, Atlanta Dream business operation manager; Chief Hicks; Brooks Robinson, Harrah's Cherokee Casino Resort general manager; Angela Taylor, Atlanta Dream president and general manager; Big Cove Rep. Perry Shell; and Alton Byrd, Atlanta Dream chief revenue officer.

Annual Council scheduled for October

Per the Charter and Governing Document of the Eastern Band of Cherokee Indians Section 10, October is Annual Council month. Tribal Council will meet on Monday, Oct. 6 to open the Annual Council month; however, the first session of Annual Council will start on Monday, Oct. 13 at 8:30 a.m.

The deadline to submit resolutions. ordinances, and requests for time for a timed slot on the agenda for Oct. 13 is Friday, Sept. 26. Please have all requests along with all proper documentation required submitted to the Tribal Operations Program (TOP) by 4p.m. on this day. Any requests signed in which do not have all of the required information will not be placed on the agenda.

Also, please remember that if you are scanning items into the system for the Council session, you must still complete a resolution sign-in sheet. Those are available on cweb. Any items in the system which do not have a sign-in sheet will not be accepted.

If you have any questions, please feel free to contact any of the TOP Staff.

- Kelly L. Sampson, EBCI TOP assistant manager

Big Y wins big prize at Extension Awards

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he Big Y Community had a lot to celebrate on Tuesday, Sept. 16 as it received first place in the Community Development Awards category at the EBCI Cooperative Extension Community Awards dinner held at the Cherokee Indian Fairgrounds. Big Cove took second place followed by Tow String, Yellowhill and Birdtown.

Roy Lambert and Allen Oocumma received special recognition certificates from Janet Owle, EBCI Cooperative Extension interim director, for their volunteer work with the Extension office programs. Robin Swayney received a certificate for her volunteer work with 4-H and Allen Groenewold, Deino Panther and Kendra Panther received special certificates for their volunteer work with the newly established Cherokee 4-H Archery group.

Sky Kanott, Cherokee Youth Council program manager, distributed awards to members of the Council in the following categories:

- Spirituality Award Emily Welch
- Group Harmony Award Grayson Cotes
- Strong Character Award Keanu Crowe
- Honoring the Past Award Eason Esquivel
- Sense of Humor Award Lou Montelongo
- Educating the Children Award Hannah Ledford
- Integrity Award Jacob Long
- Community Service Award Deliah Esquivel
- Most Improved Awards Mary Ann Driver and Jullian Rubio



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Janet Owle (right), EBCI Cooperative Extension interim director, presents the 1st Place Award in the Community Development Award category to members of the Big Y Community during the Extension Awards dinner at the Cherokee Indian Fairgrounds on Tuesday, Sept. 16.

• Recognition Award – Simon Montelongo

Dawn Russell and Lori Rubio received the Cherokee Youth Council Most Involved Parent awards and Ralph Wright-Murphy and Joey Owle received the Cherokee Youth Council Most Involved Advisor awards.

Sarah McClellan-Welch, who handed out the garden awards, noted that a total of 55 gardens were judged for this year's contest. Harold and Nancy Long were honored with a certificate for their contribution to local foods in Cherokee. **Youth Gardens**

- 6-8 years old
- 1st Boie Crowe, Big Y
- 9-11 years old
- 1st Jalen Motola, Wolfetown gar-

den (Birdtown resident), and Jos Bridges, Tow String 2nd – Evan Maney, Snowbird 3rd – R.J. Radford, Birdtown Special recognition to Jonah Edwards, Birdtown, for his garden built by Hunter Radford of the Cherokee Youth Council

12-14 years old 1st – Ietan and Hayes Reed, Wolfetown

2nd – Hunter Radford, Birdtown 16-18 years old

1 st – Cody Fuller, Birdtown 2nd – Sarah Hyatt, Tow String 3rd – Tristan Bottchenbaugh, Big Cove

Community Gardens Youth Group Organic Community Gardens 1st – Cherokee Youth Gardeners at Kituwah (Joey Owle) 2nd – Birdtown Community Club Youth Garden (Arlyce Watkins) **Organic Community Garden** 1st – Betty's Place Cancer Support House (Harold and Nancy Long) **Community Garden** 1st – Garden at Becky Boyum's house, Birdtown

Adult Gardens Cherokee County

1st Adult – Irene Mathis 2nd Adult – Phil Haigler 1st Elder – Holt Palmer 2nd Elder – Louise Davenport 1st Senior Elder – Gertrude Kilpatrick 1st Family Garden – Charles Raper

1st Family Garden – Charles Raper and his three grandchildren: Christian (13), Clinton (10) and Isaac Romesberg (6)

Snowbird

1st Adult – Lily Bird and Ronnie Whisnant

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1st Adult – Allen Mills 1st Family Garden – Michelle Evans and Brent Lambert

Big Y

1st Adult – Jodi Adams 2nd Adult – Laura Smith (Janie) 1st Elder – Charlotte George

Wolfetown

1st Organic Garden – Harold and Nancy Long 1st Adult – Barry Reed

2nd Adult – Tresa Sampson

1st Elder – Mary and Ned Smith

Birdtown

1st Organic Garden – Arlyce Watkins

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Big Cove

1st Organic Garden – Bernice Bottchenbaugh 1st Adult – Davey Bradley 2nd Adult – Tommy Bradley 3rd Adult – Vita Nations



Kevin Welch (center) presents a special certificate honoring Harold (left) and Nancy Long for their contribution to local foods in Cherokee.

1st Elder – Tom Bradley 1st Senior Elder – Amy West 1st 100 years+ - Sallie Bradley 1st Family Garden – Mary Hill To view and/or purchase more photos from this event, visit: http://onefeather.smugmug.com/E BCI-Cooperative-Extension/

INDIAN DINNERS

and where to find them!

If you serve Indian Dinners and would like your restaurant listed, send info to scotmckie@nc-cherokee.com.

Little Princess Restaurant

(Tuesday) 11am – til out of beanbread or close

Newfound Restaurant (Thursday) 11am – 7pm

Paul's Diner (Monday & Friday) 11 am - close

Miss Cherokee looks back on year

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iss Cherokee 2013 Madison Crowe has had a full year for sure. The Mars Hill University junior, who has a double major in art therapy and art education, has juggled her duties as ambassador for the Eastern Band of Cherokee Indians with her responsibilities at school, and she somehow found the time to open a business, Two Crowe's Ice Cream Parlor, with her brother, Tagan.

"I know that I have served as people's first impression of Cherokee, and I am honored to have had that privilege."

One thing she said she has been able to take away from the experience is a sense of togetherness. "I think it is amazing that, in today's world, that Native Americans have come together and made a force to be reckoned with...we are standing together as Indigenous people. We are united."

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Ceremony in Robbinsville,

Veteran's Day Celebration

in Cherokee, Cherokee In-

Attending the Choctaw

Fair was one of her fondest

memories, and she praised

Cherokee Indians for their

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rades, and many more

events.

Mother's Day 5K, Cherokee

Crowe has represented the Tribe at numerous events this past year including: 39th Annual Eastern Band Cherokee Pow Wow, Choctaw Indian Fair, EBCI Cooperative Extension's 100 year celebration, USET meeting in Cherokee, Relay for Life in Cherokee, Cherokee Days at the Nahospitality. "They took me in like I was one of their own. I had a traditional meal at a house of people that we didn't know, but they invited us to come and eat with them...they were all really welcoming."

In her time as Miss Cherokee, Crowe has made it her purpose to educate as many as she can about the Tribe and American Indian people in general. "I got to talk about what it means to be a matrilineal society."

She has been proud to be able to share the Cherokee language with others. "After I speak, people come

Forwer serves dinners to elders at the annual Rainbows

Crowe serves dinners to elders at the annual Rainbows and Ramps Festival in Cherokee in March.

Miss Cherokee 2014 Madison Crowe performs the Cherokee Bear Dance with members of the Warriors of Anikituwah at the opening ceremonies for the Annual USET Meeting held in Cherokee in October 2013.



up and say, 'that was beautiful, your language is beautiful.'''

During her reign, Crowe has had the opportunity to meet many interesting people including lots of dignitaries and leaders from throughout Indian Country. At last October's annual USET meeting, held in Cherokee, she was excited to have met NCAI president Brian Cladoosby as well as Oneida Nation Rep. Ray Halbritter.

"At USET, I spoke on how what you do today affects seven generations behind you, and you should always keep that in mind... the USET president and vice president actually used my quote about the seven generations in their speeches, and I thought that was awesome."

Crowe will crown Miss Cherokee 2014 during the upcoming pageant on Saturday, Oct. 4 at 6pm in the Chief Joyce Dugan Cultural Arts Center. When asked what advice she would give to the next Miss Cherokee, she related, "Take in every moment and absorb the information that you hear."

She added, "Don't think that just because you have a crown on your head that you lose your voice as a person and a Native American. Don't let the crown hold you back from anything that you believe in. Stay strong."



Crowe speaks during the groundbreaking ceremony for the new Cherokee Indian Hospital in March.

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Tribal Court Docket for Oct. 1

Note: This is a schedule for Tribal Court, and defendants are scheduled to appear on the dates listed. It should be noted that the following defendants have only been charged with the crimes listed and should be presumed innocent until proven guilty in a court of law.

AMMONS, Earl

14-95.5(a) Drugs: Possessing a controlled substance classified in schedule I, II, III, IV, and V

BIGMEAT, John Allen

14-10.41 Breaking and Entering 14-10.9 Criminal Mischief 14-10.60 Larceny 14-10.60 Larceny 14-10.60 Larceny 14-10.60 Larceny 14-10.40 Burglary 14-10.9 Criminal Mischief 14-10.60(c) Grand Larceny 14-10.60(c) Grand Larceny 14-10.9 Criminal Mischief 14-10.41 Breaking and Entering 14-60.30 False Pretenses 14-10.61 Receiving or Possessing Stolen Property 14-10.60 Larceny 14-10.60 Larceny 14-10.60 Larceny 14-10.60 Larceny 14-10.60 Larceny 14-10.40 Burglary 14-60.30 False Pretenses 14-10.61 Receiving or Possessing Stolen Property 14-60.30 False Pretenses 14-10.61 Receiving or Possessing Stolen Property 14-10.40 Burglary

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14-60.30 False Pretenses
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14-60.30 False Pretenses

CRUZ, Yona A.

14-95.5(a) Drugs: Possessing a controlled substance classified in schedule I, II, III, IV, and V

DRIVER, Henry James

14-30.6 Child Abuse in the Second Degree14-10.9 Criminal Mischief14-25.12 Disorderly Conduct14-70.19 Resisting Lawful Arrest

HERNANDEZ, Trista C. 14-95.5(a) Drugs: Possessing a controlled substance classified in schedule I, II, III, IV, and V

14-95.11(c) Drugs: Possession of Drug Paraphernalia

JOHNSON, Corliss Mikal 14-95.5(c) Drugs: Simple Possession of Marijuana

LAMBERT, Jesse Skyler 14-95.5(a) Drugs: Possessing a controlled substance classified in schedule I, II, III, IV, and V 14-95.6(b) Drugs: Manufacturing, Selling or Delivering, Possessing with intent to sell or deliver schedule I, II, III, IV, and V

MCCOY, Glen Joseph

14-20.2 Aggravated Sexual Abuse 14-30.1(a)(2) Contributing to the Abuse of a Minor 14-30.5 Child Abuse in the First Degree 14-40.57 Assault on a Child 14-20.8(1) Abusive Sexual Contact 14-30.1(a)(2) Contributing to the Abuse of a Minor 14-40.57 Assault on a Child 14-30.6 Child Abuse in the Second Degree

MCCOY, Norman 14-40.62(a)(1) Simple Assault

OOCUMMA, Sara 20-28 Revoked Driver's License

PHEASANT, Brandon Charles

20-28 Revoked Driver's License 14-10.61 Receiving or Possessing Stolen Property 14-10.60 Larceny

SAUNOOKE, Jessie Malin 14-95.5(c) Drugs: Simple Possession of Marijuana

SMITH CABE, Precious 14-10.60 Larceny

SWAYNEY, Natasha

14-95.5(a) Drugs: Possessing a controlled substance classified in schedule I, II, III, IV, and V 14-95.11(c) Drugs: Possession of Drug Paraphernalia

THOMPSON, Victoria Grace

14-95.5(a) Drugs: Possessing a controlled substance classified in schedule I, II, III, IV, and V 14-95.11(c) Drugs: Possession of Drug Paraphernalia

TIGER, Samantha

 $14\mathchar`-15.6(b)$ Purchasing, Attempt to Purchase, Possession or Consump-

tion of Alcoholic Beverages by Persons under 21

WALKINGSTICK, Cecil Eli

14-50.26 Violation of Sex Offender Restrictions

WATTY, Krystal Pheasant

14-95.5(a) Drugs: Possessing a controlled substance classified in schedule I, II, III, IV, and V 14-95.11(c) Drugs: Possession of Drug Paraphernalia

WATTY JR., Quincy

14-95.5(c) Drugs: Simple Possession of Marijuana 14-95.11(c) Drugs: Possession of Drug Paraphernalia

WELCH, Richard David

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WHITECOTTEN, Raymond Dakota

14-95.11(c) Drugs: Possession of Drug Paraphernalia

WILDCATT, Stephanie Ann

20-111(2) Expired Registration Plate 14-95.5(a) Drugs: Possessing a controlled substance classified in schedule I, II, III, IV, and V

Harrah's Cherokee employees donate to PHHS

hrough a community service initiative led by the Harrah's Cherokee Casino Resort Operations division, employees collected 10,264 needed items for the Cherokee Public Health and Human Services (PHHS) division.

Hundreds of Harrah's Cherokee employees from across the property's multiple departments donated thousands of toothbrushes, toothpaste, bath soap, wash towels, dish soap, sponges, and toilet paper over a three-month period.

"We were all so surprised at the overall amount of items that Harrah's employees collected and donated," PHHS Health Operations Director Aneva Turtle Hagberg said. "The staff, as well as the families we serve, is very appreciative. There's always an on-going need of some of the most basic necessities in life that some of us take for granted."

The benefitting PHHS programs include the Children's Dental Program, Community Health Nursing Program, Emergency Housing Program, Home Health Nursing Program, and Women, Infants, and Children (WIC) Program. Many of the donations will be used to organize welcome baskets for emergency housing participants, give tooth-



Harrah's Cherokee photo

Harrah's Cherokee Casino Resort employees collected and donated more than 10,000 supplies for the Cherokee Public Health and Human Services division. Shown (left-right) are: Manager of Juvenile Services Clarence Jackson, Manager of Supplemental Health Insurance Calvin Hill, Emergency Housing Coordinator Tamara Jackson, Manager of Domestic Violence Program Iva Key, Manager of Community Health Vivian Solis, Manager of Family Services Barbara Jones, Manager of Home Health Melanie Ashe, Manager of Heart to Heart Brandi Cooper, Administrator of Tsali Care Center Davis Hunt, and Harrah's Cherokee Casino Administrator Michelle Sneed.

brushes and toothpaste to children starting back to school, and assist PHHS staff prepare meals and clean for in-home individuals.

Over a three-month collection period, hundreds of Harrah's Cherokee employees donated toothbrushes, toothpaste, bath soap, wash towels, dish soap, sponges, and toilet paper for the Cherokee PHHS division. The collection drive, spearheaded by Harrah's Cherokee Casino Resort Administrator Michelle Sneed, was an effort to ensure all of the Cherokee PHHS programs have the needed items for the people they support. Most of the programs rely heavily on volunteers and donations to provide their daily supplies.

"We all experience great loss at some point in

our lives," Sneed said. "I think our employees who participated did it because they've been there or would like to know that someone would care for them in their time of need."

Through the PHHS supply drive alone, Harrah's Cherokee employees earned nearly 70 percent of the property's goal of 15,000 volunteer hours for the year.

- Harrah's Cherokee

"The staff, as well as the families we serve, is very appreciative."

> - Aneva Turtle Hagberg, PHHS health operations director

10 SPORTS

FOOTBALL Braves win key road game at Brevard

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REVARD – Cherokee (2-3) pulled to within one game of .500 on the season with a 30-19 win at Brevard on Friday, Sept. 19. Cherokee never trailed in the game and caused four Brevard turnovers to take the key victory on the road.

Brandon Buchanan, Braves quarterback, had another solid game as he went 7 of 18 for 70yds, 1 TD, 1 INT and rushed the ball 11 times for 51yds and 1 TD. J.J. Benjamin, Braves running back, rushed 10 times for 48yds and 2 TDs. Channing Lossiah led Cherokee's receiving corps with 2 catches for 44yds and 1 TD.

Kennan Panther, who is tied for second in all of western North Carolina in tackles, led Cherokee's defense with 23 tackles in this game. He was followed by Jaron Bradley and Logan Teesateskie with 12 each. Panther also recovered a fumble as did Benjamin and Darius Blanton.

Brevard got the ball first in this game, but it was a short-lived possession as Cherokee's Lossiah intercepted a pass at the Blue Devils 30-yard line just minutes in. On first down, Benjamin ran to the Brevard 8-yard line. Several plays later, Buchanan would run in for an 8-yard score. He followed that with a run for the twopoint conversion and Cherokee led 8-0 at the 8:01 mark in the first.

Brevard would start their next possession in a very similar fashion. Just a few plays into the drive, they fumbled the ball which was recovered by Kennan Panther at the Braves 21-yard line.

A few plays later, Buchanan connected with Lossiah on a 36-yard touchdown pass up the left sideline. Buchanan hit Blanton for the two-point conversion and the Braves led 16-0 with just 19 seconds left in the first.

Cherokee got the ball back very soon as Blanton recovered a Brevard fumble on the ensuing kickoff. The Braves had good field position at the Blue Devils 31yard line. Panther had a nice run to the Brevard 16yard line on first down, but a costly holding penalty negated the play and led to an eventual punt by Cherokee.

Brevard took over at their own 24-yard line and put together a four-minute drive that culminated in a 43-yard field goal by Isaac Bingle with 7:43 left before the half.

Jason McMillan got Cherokee in great field posiJ.J. Benjamin (#5), Braves running back, slides outside on a 5-yard touchdown run in the second quarter of a game at Brevard on Friday, Sept. 19. He scored two on the night as the Braves (2-3) won 30-19 over the **Blue Devils.**

(SCOTT MCKIE B.P./One Feather photos)

tion with a 50-yard return on the ensuing kickoff all the way to the Brevard 30yard line. Several plays later, Benjamin ran around the right side of the line for a 5-yard touchdown. Lloyd Mitchell added the pointafter kick and Cherokee led 23-3 with 6:24 left in the quarter.

The Blue Devils would

strike back quickly though as they would take the ball following the kickoff and drive 68 yards in under a minute. Tanner Pettit finished the drive off with a 14-yard touchdown run. The point-after kick failed and Cherokee led 23-9 at the 5:54 mark.

Cherokee turned the ball over on downs on their

next possession, and Brevard took over at their own 19-yard line with just over three minutes left in the half. They drove down the field, and Bingle hit a 38yard field goal with 1.9 seconds left to make it Cherokee 23 Brevard 12 at the half.

Brevard got the only score of the third quarter

as Pettit ran in from 22 yards out at the 7:42 mark. Bingle added the pointafter kick and Cherokee led 23-19.

The fourth quarter opened with Brevard starting at their own 42-yard line following a Cherokee punt. Cherokee's defense held them to a three-andout and forced the Blue Devils to punt. An errant snap that went way over the punter's head led to great field position for Cherokee as they started their next possession at the Brevard 26-yard line with 9:15 left in the game.

A few plays later, Benjamin found the end zone on a 3-yard run. Mitchell added the point-after kick and Cherokee extended its lead to 30-19.

Cherokee held Brevard and forced a punt following another three-and-out. The Braves weren't able the move the ball on the following possession, and Brevard took over at their own 21-yard line with 4:51 left. On the fifth play of the drive, an errant snap was recovered by Benjamin at the Cherokee 27-yard line and the Braves were able to run out the clock to secure the win.

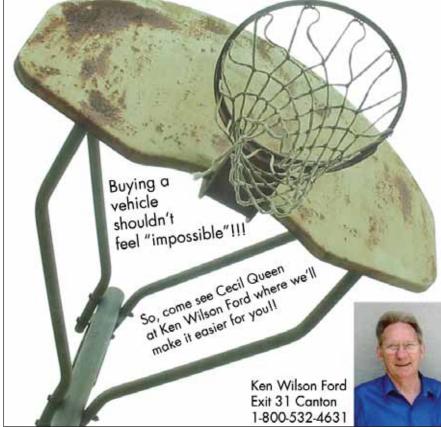
The Braves host Hayesville (2-2) for their Homecoming game on Friday, Sept. 26 at Ray Kinsland Stadium at 7:30pm. Homecoming festivities will occur during halftime.



Channing Lossiah (#28), Braves wide receiver, outruns a Brevard defender on a 36yard touchdown pass from Brandon Buchanan in the waning seconds of the first quarter. To view and purchase photos from this event, visit http://onefeather.smugmug.com/SPORTS/FOOTBALL/FOOTBALL-Cherokee-at-Brevard-9/



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BRAVES BEAT SWAIN

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Ryson CITY -The JV Braves (3-0) have a flair for the dramatic. For the second week in a row, they sealed the game with less than two minutes left.

Cherokee stopped a two-point conversion by Swain (4-1) with 1:04 left in the ballgame to take a 14-12 win at Swain on Thursday, Sept. 18.

"It's a great atmosphere for a big game," said JV Braves head coach Chris Mintz moments after their victory. "Both teams gave it their all. They didn't quit, and we didn't quit. It was a pretty special game."

Swain got the ball first in the game, but the Braves defense came in fired up and held them to a threeand-out. The Braves started their first drive at their own 30-yard line, but Swain's defense held tight – a common theme for both teams throughout the game – and Cherokee had to punt following a threeout-out.

Swain started its second possession of the game midway through the first quarter at its own 34-yard line. Several plays later, Keshaun Beaner ran 20 yards to the Cherokee 42yard line for a first down.



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Tye Mintz (#1), JV Braves quarterback, runs past a slew of Swain defenders en route to a 64-yard touchdown run in the third quarter of a game at Swain on Thursday, Sept. 18. The score put Cherokee ahead by eight points.

Two plays later, Shane Swimmer ran 33 yards for an apparent touchdown, but it was called back for holding. The Maroon Devils continued to drive though, and Beaner found the end zone on an 8-yard run several plays later. The two-point conversion failed and Swain led 6-0 at the 1:08 mark in the first.

Cherokee would strike back quickly.

Following the kickoff, the Braves set up shop at their own 42-yard line. Tye Mintz, JV Braves quarterback, kept the ball on first down and ran 26 yards to the Swain 32-yard line. On the next play, Isaiah Evans, JV Braves running back, took it 32 yards to the house for Cherokee's first score. George Swayney caught a Tye Mintz pass for the two-point conversion and Cherokee led 8-6 with 13 seconds left in the first.

Both defenses tightened the reins even more in the second quarter which saw little offense. Swain punted once and turned the ball over on downs once and Cherokee turned the ball over on downs once.

The Braves did get the ball back right before the half, but they were unable to capitalize as they drove deep in Swain territory but had an incomplete pass in the end zone as time expired on the first half.

Cherokee got the ball

first in the second half at its own 35-yard line. Mintz hit Holden Straughan on a 32-yard pass play that took them into Swain territory.

But, on the next play, Swain's Shane Swimmer intercepted a pass and Swain took over at its own 33-yard line. Cherokee's defense rose to the occasion and held the Maroon Devils to a three-and-out.

The Braves started their next drive at their own 32-yard line with just The next few possessions went back and forth between punts, several fumbles by Swain that were recovered by Cherokee's Straughan, and Cherokee turning the ball over on downs with just over two minutes left in the game.

Swain took over at its own 32-yard line. Following a first down run of 17 yards, the Maroon Devils found themselves within Cherokee territory at the 49-yard line. On fourth down, Swimmer caught a 46-yard touchdown pass with 1:04 left in the game. Following a holding penalty on the first two-point try, Swain was unable to convert on the second try and Cherokee held onto a 14-12 lead.

Swain tried an onsides kick, but Kyler Hill fielded the ball cleanly for Cherokee, pounced on it and effectively ended the game. Cherokee was able to take a knee and run out the clock for the victory.

The JV Braves host the Murphy JV Bulldogs at Ray Kinsland Stadium on Thursday, Sept. 25. It will be Homecoming Week for Cherokee with festivitiesd during halftime.



Isaiah Evans (#2), JV Braves running back, scoots to the outside en route to a 32yard touchdown run in the waning seconds of the first quarter. To view and purchase photos from this game, visit:

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AYNESVILLE – Posting the lowest team score in the six-year history of Lady Braves golf, Cherokee took all three spots on the podium at the Donald Ross-designed, Carolina course at the Waynesville Inn match against the Highlands Lady Highlanders on Monday, Sept. 15.

"The Lady Braves finally broke under 50 and posted the lowest team score in six years at CHS," said Lady Braves coach Sharon Bradley after the match.

Bree Stamper lead the Lady Braves by carding a season low 47 to finish atop the leaderboard. She was followed by Peri Wildcatt who took second by shooting a 48 and Tysha Sampson in third with a score of 51.

The stout performance at the Waynesville Inn comes off the heels of another strong performance on Thursday, Sept. 11, when the Lady Braves traveled to the Asheville Municipal Golf Course for a match against several Asheville area high schools for a non-conference match. Wildcatt, Sampson, and Kendra Wiggins all carded a 53 to finish in



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Tysha Sampson Celebrates after shooting par on hole-four at the Waynesville Inn in a match against the Highlands Lady Highlanders on Monday, Sept. 15.

the upper echelon of the leaderboard and, along with Bree Stamper (59), propelled the Lady Braves to a second place team finish behind North Buncombe. Enka, Mountain Heritage, and Reynolds rounded out the top five at the match.

While the Lady Braves

continue to finish strong in conference and non-conference matches, the team has bigger aspirations to be in the mix for a playoff spot at the NCHSAA Regional tournament at the Lincoln Country Club on Oct. 20. In order to qualify, golfers must have a season average of 54 or under. "Continued low scores will qualify us as a team and individuals for regionals, possibly State," Coach Bradley explained. "We have seven matches left. Regional competition is set for Oct. 20 and cut off scores for state competition is usually around 85-88 for 18 holes. We have players "The Lady Braves finally broke under 50 and posted the lowest team score in six years at CHS."

> - Lady Braves head golf coach Sharon Bradley

who are working hard to get there and our averages are coming down as we continue to play more."

The Lady Braves return to action Sept. 25 at the Waynesville Inn for an 18hole match against the Highlands Lady Highlanders where the team looks to improve their season average and make a strong push for playoff contention.

To view and purchase photos from these events, visit:

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Braves, JV Braves Players of the Week named



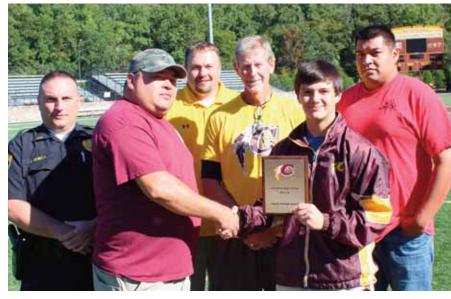
Cherokee Braves Offensive Guard Nichalus Hill is the EBCI Public Safety Player of the Week for the week of Sept. 8-12. Hill anchored the offensive line and helped the Braves accrue 360-yards against the Rabun Gap Eagles on Sept. 11.



Cherokee Braves WR and OLB Channing Lossiah is the EBCI Public Safety Player of the Week for the week of Sept. 15-19. Lossiah led the receiving corps with 2 receptions for 44 yards, including a 36yard touchdown reception and also had an interception on defense in the Braves victory against the Brevard Blue Devils on Sept. 19.



Cherokee JV Braves QB Tye Mintz is the EBCI Public Safety JV Player of the Week for the week of Sept. 8-12. Mintz had a 65-yard rushing touchdown, a 39-yard passing touchdown, and returned a fumble for a touchdown in the Braves victory over the Robbinsville Black Knights on Sept. 10.



Cherokee JV Braves Holden Straughan is the EBCI Public Safety JV Player of the Week for the week of Sept. 15-19. Straughan recovered two fumbles and played an instrumental role on the defense in the Braves victory against the Swain County Maroon Devils on Sept. 18.

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COMMUNITY

What's happening at the Fair on **Saturday**?

ROBERT JUMPER

ONE FEATHER EDITOR

he Cherokee Indian Fair will take place Oct. 7-11 at the Cherokee Indian Fairgrounds. The Destination Marketing Department has prepared the lineup for this year's event. The theme for this year's Fair is Cherokee People: Our Legends and Tales.

The fifth and final day (Saturday) is traditionally known as "Community Day". Each day of the Fair has its own unique theme. There will be several competitions throughout the day in which community members are welcome to participate.

To be a competitor in the archery and blowgun competitions, entrants need to be at Unity Field no later than 9:30 am. Those interested in entering an animal in the livestock competition need to go to the old elementary school site across from the Oconaluftee Island Park at 9:30 am. The archery competition, blowgun competition and livestock judging will start promptly at 10:00 am.

Gates will open at 11am. The exhibit hall displays, including the Agricultural Extension Office contest entries, Community displays, Veteran remembrance display and

While his competition prepares their darts, Sonny Ledford (center) shoots during a past Fair's blowgun competi-Qualla Arts and Crafts Cogroup, the New Maggie Valley Boys, which includes

operative contest entries will all be available for viewing throughout the day. Carnival rides will be running on schedule for Saturday along with the food and craft booths. Raymond Fairchild will take the Amphitheatre stage at noon. Fairchild is a world-renowned bluegrass musician. His accomplishments are several recordings including two gold records, five awards as a champion banjo picker and a performance at the Grand Old Opry that was carried on WSM in Nashville. He was born in Cherokee and

regularly performs with his

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his son, Zane Fairchild, in Maggie Valley. Raymond Fairchild is known for his style of fast, intricate banjo picking.

Two favorite competitions will be returning this year. The wood chopping and corn shucking competitions will take place at noon at the Fairgrounds. Wood chopping will test the speed and muscle of local men and women as each attempt to chop the most wood in a timed event. Similarly, woman will compete for prizes and determine who can shuck the most corn in another

timed competition. Signups to participate in the wood chopping and corn shucking competitions will be at the Fairgrounds on Friday (October 10) from 5-7pm. The will be three men's stickball games on Saturday; elder men's stickball at 1pm, men's stickball at 2pm and 5pm.

Crowd favorites, the Rye Holler Boys, will sing and play at 3:30 pm. Formed in 2007, RHB has grown from a small local band to recording multiple cd's and performing at large bluegrass festivals. The band's interests are simple and stated on their Facebook page, "We love

just being country boys, singing old Bluegrass and Gospel music and being friends". Two Qualla Boundary-based bands will perform at this year's Cherokee Indian Fair. Cherokee's Soco Creek will be on stage at 6:00 pm with their unique styling of new country.

At 7pm, the Kingfisher Family Trio, a gospel music group from Tahlequah, Okla. sings for the Cherokee audience. Robbinsville's FastGear band brings their mixture of country top 20 sounds to the stage. Their sound is a heavy dose of country with a little bit of rock and roll.



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FastGear performs at 7:45 pm.

The finalist for Cherokee Idol will take the stage on Saturday and a new Cherokee Idol will be crowned. Cherokee Idol is a singing competition where local singers compete for prizes. The Idol competition is always a crowd favorite and the audience participates in the selection of the winners. At press time, the organizer was still accepting applicants for the competition. Those interested in signing up should contact the organizer. Any amateur singer may contend for the prizes, even a previous Idol winner.

Stage entertainment will conclude with the long

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standing, all-in-fun Pretty Legs competition. Brave men from around the Boundary compete for prizes and the coveted title of Mr. Pretty Legs by exposing their gams. A gam is defined by dictionary.com as "a person's leg, especially an attractive female leg". The theme for this year at the Pretty Legs competition is "It's Raining Men". Men in the Pretty Legs competition do their best impression of women and the audience judges who has the prettiest legs. Howard Wahnetah. Fairgrounds and Events Supervisor, suggests that, with the great prize money award in this "pageant", organizations should sponsor men to compete and raise money for their organization. Exposure at the Fair will also heighten awareness to their causes.

The Cherokee Indian Fair Fireworks Finale will be put on by East Coast Pyrotechnics, a commercial fireworks provider who has presented spectacular fireworks displays for Cherokee, NASCAR, City of Charlotte and the Atlanta Braves. The display will last about 20 minutes starting at 10:45 pm.

Christopher Watty is the organizer for Community Day. He may be reached at 828-554-6490 or chriwatt@nccherokee.com. General questions about the Chero-

Saturday (Community Day) schedule

9:30am - Archery and Blowgun sign-ups at Unity Field, Livestock sign-ups at old Cherokee Elementary site 10am - Archery and Blowgun contests at Unity Field, Livestock judging at old Cherokee Elementary site **11am** – gates/exhibit hall opens 12pm – Raymond Fairchild, Wood Chopping contest 1pm – Elder stickball **2pm** – Stickball: Big Cove vs. Hummingbirds 3:30pm – Rye Holler Boys 5pm – Stickball: Wolfetown vs. Snowbird **6pm** – Soco Creek **7pm** – Kingfisher Family 7:45pm – Fast Gear 8:45pm – Cherokee Idol 9:45pm - Pretty Legs contest 10:45pm - Fireworks 11pm – Fair closes

kee Indian Fair should be directed to Howard Wahnetah 554-64571 and howawahn@nccherokee.com) or Frieda Huskey 554-6492 and friehusk@nccherokee.com).

CHEROKEE PET OF THE WEEK



Darci, a Bulldog that will turn two years old in November, belongs to Moni Toineeta.

Is your pet your best friend? If you'd like to have your pet

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CHS selects Homecoming Court



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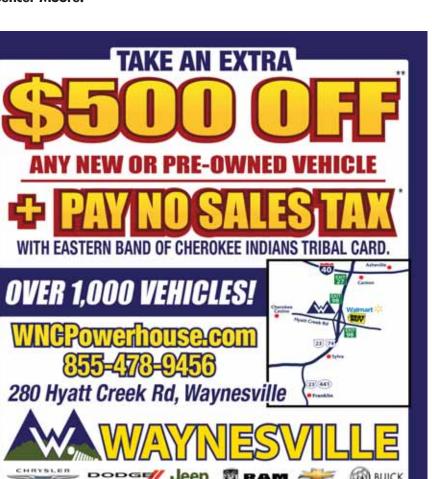
Members of the 2014 Cherokee High School Homecoming Court are as follows (left-right) Tierra Martinez, Brionna Jumper, Macie Welch, Kendall Toineeta, Madison Hye Long, Dre Crowe, Blake Wachacha, Taylor Nelson, Lacey Arch, and Bree Stamper.



Members of the 2014 CHS Homecoming Court are shown with their escorts (left-right) Madison Hye Long escorted by Xan Sadongei, Bree Stamper escorted by Cole Wildcatt, Kendall Toineeta escorted by Anthony Toineeta, Taylor Nelson escorted by Tye Mintz, Tierra Martinez escorted by Nesta Bradley, Blake Wachacha escorted by Simon Montelongo, Dre Crowe escorted by Steven Straughan, Brionna Jumper escorted by Justin Brady, Lacey Arch escorted by Treannie Arch, and Macie Welch escorted by Holden Straughan.



This year's CHS Homecoming Court attendants, selected from Cherokee Elementary School first grade students, are Yvonne Saunooke and Spencer (Bubba) Moore. Saunooke is the daughter of Sheena and Jason Saunooke and Moore is the son of Brittany and Spencer Moore.



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he WCU Cherokee Center is serving as a drop-off location for the "Cards for Soldiers" project sponsored by the Military Student Services at WCU. Please support our service members in VA hospitals and overseas by dropping off new unsigned cards or already-signed cards. The Cherokee Center is open 8-5, Monday-Friday, and can be reached at 497-7920. For more information, you may also call the Military Student Services (828) 227-3074. Help us collect a large number of Christmas greeting cards, now through Thanksgiving.

Tickets are on sale now at the Cherokee Center for \$10 for the Western football game on Saturday, Nov. 1, WCU vs. Chattanooga. This game is designated as Eastern Band of Cherokee Indians day. We will sponsor a tailgating event prior to the game in a reserved area for EBCI. This game day will also recognize kids by having inflatable games and free PAWS bobble heads for the first 1000 people to enter the gate. All WCU alumni please call the Cherokee Center and help us make it a very special day.

CANAR seeking logo contest entries

ANAR (Consortia of Administrators for Native American Rehab) is currently seeking submissions for the 2014 CANAR Annual Training Conference: Honoring Our Wisdom Keepers, logo contest. Anyone is eligible to enter this contest. First prize includes \$100; onepage Artist Spotlight in the Conference Booklet; logo displayed on Conference T-Shirts, Conference Bags, Conference Booklets, Conference Website, and other promotional items. All submissions should be composed on a 12" x 12" medium (standard for full front T-Shirts) with a four color maximum to allow for economical screen printing. Info: Kim Lambert, local contact, 497-9827. Submissions should be sent via email to CBurich@CANAR.org as a jpeg attachment no later than Tuesday, Sept. 30.

Manage Your EBCI Money deadline approaching

he next distribution of minor funds for qualifying members is the first week of December. To be eligible to receive funds in December, minors must complete the online Manage Your EBCI Money course, be 18 years old with either a high school diploma or GED, or 21 years of age by Friday, Sept. 30.

To complete the online course:

• Log onto www.manageyourebcimoney.org Info: Janet Owle, EBCI Extension Center, 554-6937 - EBCI Extension Center

Cherokee Boys Club Report

BOYS CLUB SCHEDULE

Friday, Sept. 26 – School Early Release Wednesday, Oct. 1 - Board and General Manager Swearing In Ceremony Thursday, Oct. 2 - Managers' Meeting -8:30 a.m. Tuesday, Oct. 7 - School Early Release -11:30 a.m. Wednesday, Oct. 10 – Board Resolution Deadline - 8:30 .m. Monday, Oct. 10 – Teacher Work Day (No School) Tuesday, Oct. 16 - Health Screen - 7:30 a.m. to 8:30 a.m. Wednesday, Oct. 17 - Boys Club Board Meeting – 8:30 a.m. Thursday, Oct. 18 - Safety Committee Meeting -11:30 a.m.

OUR THOUGHTS AND PRAYERS

The Club extends its sincere sympathy to the friends and family of Louise Taylor who passed away on Sept. 18. Louise was the mother of Albert Arch of the Club's Bus and Truck Department and Tina Saunooke of the Club's Child Care Department.

Our sympathy also goes out to the friends and families of Mark Donald Mead, Brianna Jade Bradley and Sydney Marie Jackson who passed away this past week. Please keep all of these families in our thoughts and prayers during this very difficult time.

2014 BOYS CLUB DATE LOGS

The 2014 Boys Club Date Logs that were distributed last fall show Cultural Heritage Day as Wednesday, Oct. 1 – this is incorrect. Cultural Heritage Day is actually Wednesday, Oct. 8. The Date Logs were reprinted after this mistake was caught; however, many of the calendars were given out before the reprint. We apologize for this mistake and hope that it did not cause any inconvenience.

THANKS FROM THE FUEL DEPARTMENT

Donnie Owle, Manager of the Shop Department, wants to thank everyone for their patience and cooperation during the recent fuel system transition. The system was upgraded to use fuel cards as opposed to the old chip keys. The new system will be more user friendly and will allow more concise reporting for the departments that use the system. We apologize for any inconvenience this may have caused. If you have not picked up your new fuel card, please see Donnie Owle at the Boys Club Shop or call (828) 736-7612.

NEW GRAPHICS EQUIPMENT

The Boys Club's Graphics Department (CBC Printing) recently received new equipment that will allow them to do screen printed t-shirts. For more information on this service please call (828) 497-5510.

December 2014 per capita deadlines

The deadline to submit direct deposit forms for the December 2014 per capita distribution will be Wednesday, Oct. 1. All direct deposit forms must be notarized. Bring a voided check for deposit into your checking account or a statement from your bank indicating your savings account number and routing number for deposit into your savings account.

The deadline to submit federal tax withholding forms, waivers, letters of administration, or court ordered guardianship will be Wednesday, Oct. 15 at 4:30 p.m. Forms are available at the Tribal Enrollment Office, located at the Ginger Lynn Welch Complex, Monday through Friday from 7:45a.m. - 4:30p.m. Address changes will be accepted until Friday, Nov. 7 at 4:30p.m.

- Tribal Enrollment Office

Obituaries

Brianna Jade Bradley

Brianna Jade Bradley, 21, of Cherokee, passed away unexpectedly on Sept. 16, 2014 in Cherokee.

She is the daughter of the late John Lewis "Johnny" Bradley and surviving mother, Peggy Lynn (Saunooke) Bradley of Cherokee.

Also surviving are her two girls, Braelyn Johnay Bradley Murphy and Marley Christine Murphy; grandparents Solomon and Mary Ann Saunooke; a brother, Jeffery Bradley and three sisters, Chavis R. Wright, Brandi Cooper and Stephanie Hornbuckle; three uncles, Tom Saunooke, Jonah Saunooke and Sam Taylor all of Cherokee.

A visitation was held at the Bethabara Baptist church in Birdtown Community on Friday, Sept. 19. Brianna remained at the church until the funeral service officiated by Pastor Jimmy Lambert on Saturday, Sept. 20. An immediate burial followed the service in the Saunooke Family Cemetery with Cameron Cooper, Jonah Cary, Matt Cary, Nick Swayney, Chris Murphy and John Swimmer acting as pall bearers.

Long House Funeral Home assisted the family in the final arrangements.

Mark Donald Mead

Mark Donald Mead, 49, of Cherokee, and formerly of his birth home Warren, Mich. and recently of Fairveiw, NC passed away unexpectedly on Monday, Sept. 15, 2014.

He was the son of the late Jay Donald Mead and surviving mother, Sara Jane Catt of the Wolftown community in Cherokee. Mark was a wood craftsman of home interiors and had recently moved to the Cherokee area to be closer to his mother.

He is survived by his children, sons, James Donald Mead, Ricky Edward Mead and daughter, Jessica Ann Mead all of the Asheville/Fairview communities; two brothers, Jeff Bush of Shelbyville, Tenn. and Michael Mead of Melber, Ky.; sisters, Taya Houser of Shelbyville, Tenn. and Donna Mead of Pittsburgh, Pa.; one aunt, Shirley Ironshell of Rosebud, SD; one uncle, Robert Catt of Whittier; six grandchildren, Nahla, Amayla, Mariah, Sophia, Major and Maleke.

Mark was preceded in death by grandmother, Betty Lois Queen and grandfather, Robert Boy Catt.

A memorial service was held for Mark on Friday, Sept. 19 in the Chapel of Long House Funeral Home. The service was officated by the Rev. James "Bo" Parris of the Big Cove Missionary Baptist church.

Cherokee Central Schools schedule revisions

- Friday, Oct. 10 is now a Teacher Work Day
- Monday, Oct. 13 is now a Regular Student Day

Disabled Fuel Assistance

Applications for Disabled (age 60 and below) Fuel Assistance will be available on Monday, Oct. 6 at the Tsali Manor Senior Center, the Snowbird Senior Center, and the John Welch Senior Center (Cherokee County). Bring a copy of your current disability statement and a current power bill if you're using electric power. Info: Deb West 554-6860

DNA testing schedule for October

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

- Wednesday, Oct. 1
- Friday, Oct. 3
- Thursday, Oct. 9
- Friday, Oct. 10
- Wednesday, Oct. 15
- Friday, Oct. 17
- Wednesday, Oct. 22
- Friday, Oct. 24
- Wednesday, Oct. 29
- Friday, Oct. 31

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

- EBCI Enrollment Office

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PUBLIC NOTICE

Improvements made to Substance Abuse Treatment Services

herokee Indian Hospital and the Behavioral Health/Analenisgi staff have developed a plan to ensure a safe and secure environment for patients to begin the process of recovery from drug or alcohol dependence. Former patients will notice a big change in daily routines and safety procedures.

There are several components to the plan. First, a training program for inpatient staff and providers is underway. Second, we are making significant changes to detoxification policies and procedures. We will offer expanded therapy services on site. This will eliminate the need for inpatients to travel to Birdtown for services while in detox at Cherokee Indian Hospital. To accomplish this, Behavioral Health staff have made changes to the outpatient substance abuse treatment program.

Our goal is to better serve individuals at each stage in the recovery process. Wanda Lambert, nurse manager Inpatient, states "Inpatient nursing and physician staff members are very excited about this improvement of care and safety."

The new program will be implemented Monday, Sept. 22.

- Cherokee Indian Hospital



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September is National Cholesterol Education Month What's in your diet?

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ave you ever been told that you have high cholesterol? Approximately 40% of Eastern Band Cherokee Indians have high cholesterol. Cholesterol is a wax-like substance found in the blood. In unhealthy levels, it will bind with other substances and form plaque. This results in a narrowing of artery walls, which leads to cardiovascular disease, heart attack, and stroke. It is important to eat a diet low in fat, specifically saturated fats, for a healthy heart.

A diet high in fats such as saturated fats can cause an increase in cholesterol levels. These are found in meats such as chicken with skin, fatty beef, sausage, and bacon. They are also found in common foods like full fat dairy and cheese, butter, and lard. Instead, heart healthy omega-3 fats help lower cholesterol. Good sources of omega-3s include fresh fish, walnuts, olive oil, and flaxseed.

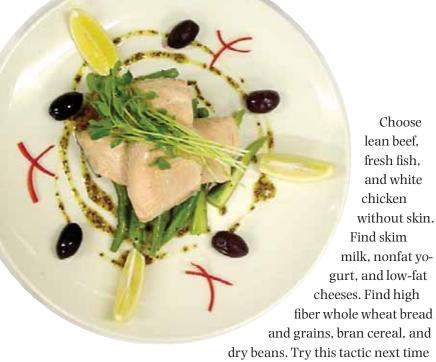
With all of this in mind, it is hard to picture what you should be shopping for at the grocery store. Shopping the edges of the store first will fill your cart with fresh fruits and vegetables, lean meats, whole grains, and nonfat dairy. Select a variety of fresh fruits and vegetables that have skin.

> Energy Tip of the Week Presented by Cameron Cooper, Energy Program Coordinator 828-554-6713 ccooper@nc-cherokee.com

SMART POWER STRIP...

Many appliances continue to draw a small amount of power when they are switched off. These "vampire loads" occur in most appliances that use electricity, such as DVD players, TVs, stereos, computers, and kitchen appliances. Don't fret there are devices that can help manage your electronics, so you are not constantly unplugging your devices in those hard to reach places.

Look into purchasing a Smart Power Strip. These strips look like a regular surge protector but have the ability to turn your electronics off completely. Some models have active outlets for electronics that never need to be turned off as well as the energy saving outlets. They also tend to be color coded for ease of use. They can be expensive but when you factory in that a computer monitors uses up to 30 watts even in sleep mode. That can add up to about \$2.19 a month or \$26.67 a year in energy costs for one electronic device.



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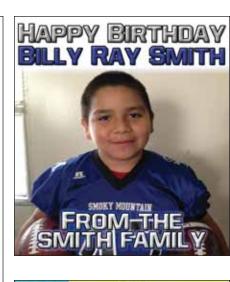
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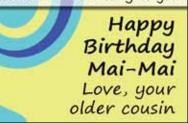
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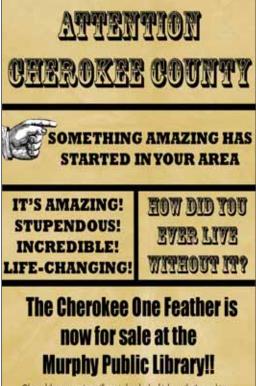
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Cherokee Central Schools Administrator Yona Wade talks to Mrs. Pinnix's Cherokee language class about Cherokee geneology last week.

The Tribal Cannery will be closed from Friday, Oct. 3 through Friday, Oct. 10.

Cherokee One Fe	eather Poll of the Week
Which of these is y Bean Bread	your favorite bread? 25%
Chestnut Bread	35%
Lye Dumplings	25%
Sweet Potato Bread	2%
Bagel	13%

Question of the week now up on theonefeather.com: What is your favorite day of the Fair?



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Sequoyah Birthplace Museum joins Smithsonian Magazine's Tenth Annual Museum Day Live!

Vonore, Tenn. -Sequoyah Birthplace Museum will open its doors free of charge on Saturday, Sept. 27 as part of Smithsonian magazine's tenth annual Museum Day Live! A nationwide event, Museum Day Live! offers free admission to visitors presenting a Museum Day Live! ticket at a participating museum or cultural institution.

Inclusive by design, the event represents Smithsonian's commitment to make learning and the spread of knowledge accessible to everyone, giving museums across all 50 states the opportunity to emulate the admission policy of the Smithsonian museums in Washington, D.C. Last vear's event drew over 400,000 participants, and this year's event expects record-high participation.

Visitors who present the Museum Day Live! ticket will gain free entrance for two at participating venues for one day only. One ticket is permitted per household, per email address.

Info: Sequoyah Birthplace Museum (423) 884-6246

- Sequoyah Birthplace

26 HAPPENINGS

Church Events

Memorial for Barbara Kosko-Holm. Sept. 27 from 11am – 1pm at the Rock Hill Church in Birdtown. Kosko-Holm was a substance abuse counselor and facilitated Celebrate Recovery meetings in Cherokee. "Barbara attended Bible Study groups, loved the Lord with all her heart and volunteered with the Indians in Sobriety, helping with the Annual Sobriety Campout and the Annual AA Convention," said Pastor Red Woodard. "We encourage friends, loved ones, and those she counseled to join us in celebrating her life." A potluck meal will be served following the memorial service.

Hot Dog Dinner and Singing.

Sept. 28 at 5pm at Shoal Creek Baptist Church. Dinner at 5pm, Singing at 6:30pm. They will serve hot dogs, slaw, baked beans, dessert and drink for a donation to the Building Fund. Chris Smith, the one-man quarter, is the guest for the singing. Everyone is welcome.

Appreciation Barbeque Dinner. Oct. 1 at 1pm at the Big Cove Pentecostal Church. This is an appreciation dinner for the summer singings as well as to celebrate the Third Homecoming. Blessed Children Drama Team, Soul Winners, Styles, Firm Foundation, Darlene Johnson, Freewill Missions, Humble Hearts, and Big Cove Children's Choir.

General Events

The American Legion Steve Youngdeer Post 143 will host both NC Division of Veterans Affairs District Service Officer, Steve Robertson, and NC Department of Commerce Veterans Employment Consultant, Michael Casey, on Thursday Sept. 25 at the Qualla Library in the Ginger Lynn Welch Building, Cherokee, NC. United States Armed Forces Veteran's and family members are invited to attend and learn more about Veteran's benefits. Office hours on Thursday, Sept. 25 will be 10 am to 2 pm.

Wings over the Smokies annual rally. Sept. 25-27 at the Acquoni Expo Center. This event is being hosted by the North Carolina GWRRA District. If you wish to register for the rally, visit www.gwrranc.org to obtain specific details. Info: ncdd@nc.rr.com.

Cherokee Archaeological Symposium. Sept. 25-26 from 8:15am - 4pm daily at Harrah's Cherokee Casino Resort Council Fire Ballrooms. Learn about the fields of archaeology, anthropology, and history. Speakers are scheduled from universities throughout the Southeast, federal agencies, and other professional archaeologists. The deadline to register is Monday, Aug. 4. Info: Miranda 554-6850 or mirapant@nc-cherokee.com

Women's Self-Defense Seminar. Sept. 27 from 10am – 1pm at the Painttown Community Building. Instructor – Master Brandon Beach (4th degree black belt in Tang Soo Do/Hapkido and Brazilian jui jitsu purple belt. \$20/person. Info: (229) 669-1031, www.cmartialarts.com

Cherokee Community Chorus organizational meeting. Oct. 2 at 7pm at the Cherokee Baptist Church. All community members are invited to discuss and plan for the formation of a Cherokee Community Chorus. All singers from around the area are welcome to attend. Practices will be held every two to three weeks. It is the hope to have at least two to three performances yearly. Info: Mary Wachacha 497-5530 or 788-1196 or Frela Beck 497-3761

6 Weeks To A Better Business. Oct. 6 – Nov. 10 on Monday nights at 6pm. This course, through the Sequoyah Fund, will cover all aspects of management for small businesses from finances and human resources to day-today operations. Info: http://sequoyahfundtraining.weebly.com or Hope Huskey hopehuskey@sequoyahfund.org

Cherokee Idol. Oct. 7, 9, 11 at the 102nd Annual Cherokee Fair at the Cherokee Indian Fairgrounds. The Cherokee Idol winner will receive \$1,000, and the runner-up will get \$500. All contestants will be entered into a drawing for \$250. Contestants will sing a variety of musical styles during the three-day contest. The contest is limited to the first 20 singers to register. Info: Chris Watty 554-6486, chriwatt@nc-cherokee.com

Parent/Caregiver Mentor Training. Oct. 9 and 16 from 6-9pm at the Graham County Community Center in Robbinsville and Oct. 7 and 14 from 6-9pm at the Children's Development Services Agency in Sylva. This two-day training, sponsored by the Family Support Network of Region A, is for parents and caregivers raising children with special needs. You must attend both nights to receive a certificate of completion. Info: Jody L. Miller 631-3900 ext. 154, jody@regionalkids.org

Sneed Family Reunion. Oct. 11 at the Yellowhill Activity Center. Includes all Archibald and Mary Ann Blythe Sneed descendants. Lunch at 12pm. Pot luck with turkey and dressing and baked ham provided along with beverages and paper products. Bring side dishes and desserts. 1pm - Sneed genealogy shared by Bob Blankenship. Bring family photos, documents and items to share. 2pm - Singing and other talen presentations. 3pm – Fiddle music with Manco Sneed recordings and square dancing. Bring your instruments.

Graybeard and Ledford Family Reunion. Oct. 11. Time and place will be announced soon. Bring a covered dish. Info: Regina Rosario 788-5655

Qualla 2020 Community Forum. Oct. 13 from 6-8pm at the Chief Joyce Dugan Cultural Arts Center. A community discussion on the topic of economic diversification for the EBCI with topics including: knowledge industry, tourism, real estate, and small business and entrepreneurial development. Sponsored by the Cherokee Preservation Foundation

3rd Annual Breast Cancer Awareness Walk. Oct. 14 at

3:30pm at the Little Snowbird playground in the Snowbird Community. This event is being sponsored by Snowbird Community Health. Info: 554-6990 or 554-6991

Finishing touches put on Mountain <mark>Heritage Day</mark> plans

ULLOWHEE – The finishing touches are being made to celebrate the region's rich history and culture at Mountain Heritage Day on the campus of Western Carolina University on Saturday, Sept. 27.

This year, two Cherokee stickball teams, the Hummingbirds team from Cherokee at 2 p.m. and -for the first time -- the age 11-and-younger Big Cove youth team at 11 a.m., will demonstrate the traditional competition that is older than written history. Visitors will see new a new logo and new directional signage at the festival, some of it featuring the Cherokee language in honor of this integral part of the area's saga of civilization.

The annual Mountain Heritage Day 5K has been planned just since the beginning of the school year by class members of new WCU instructor Charlie Parrish's Sport Management 435 course. They remain ready to accept online registrations with a newly redesigned website at

http://claws.wcu.edu/sma/ 5K/, complimenting the university's redesign of the Mountain Heritage Day site itself, at http://mountainheritageday.com. Students



in different groups planned the marketing of the event; amount of entry fees; cooperation with local law enforcement on the route: acquisition and distribution of supplies like runner's bibs. T-shirts. awards and refreshments - all of the details of the race. Entry fees support an endowed scholarship fund created by Sport Management Association, a student organization which reached its goal last year to make an award to its first recipient, Liberty Cozart. The race begins at 8 a.m., and should be finished in an hour so that the route may be opened for festival traffic.

This year, a revised parking plan should make it easier for demonstrators and vendors to have access to the festival grounds separately from attendees, diverting their usually-larger vehicles from the traffic flow.

Two recent exhibits in the free-admission Mountain Heritage Center, located in the nearby H.F. Robinson Building, celebrate 125 years of university history and 40 years of Mountain Heritage Day. The university began in a one-room schoolhouse, from which four women and one man graduated three years later. Artifacts ranging from photographs and commencement programs to cheerleader outfits, sports team uniforms and mascot costumes tell the school's story as it grew. The festival's exhibit commemorates long-gone events like candidate stump speeches, pet shows, moonshine sniffing and tobacco spitting.

More than 100 booths will offer handmade arts and crafts in juried compe-

tition on the festival grounds, sharing space with living history and craft demonstrations; shape-note singing; cooking, canning and baking contests; beard-and-mustache and chainsaw rivalries; an antique auto show; tractor and horse- or muledrawn wagon rides; plus a tent featuring children's activities all day. Tempting festival foods - from traditional to historic to ethnic, offered by vendors in trucks and booths – will sustain an entire day's enjoyment of the opportunities.

Free admission and free parking remain the tradition at Mountain Heritage Day. Visitors are encouraged to bring a blanket or chair, and an umbrella to shed unwanted sunshine or rain. Service animals are welcome, but guests are asked to leave pets at home. - WCU

Upcoming Pow Wows

Note: This list of pow wows was compiled by One Feather staff. The One Feather does not endorse any of these dances. It is simply a listing of ones occurring throughout the continent. Please call before traveling.

Comanche Nation Fair Pow Wow. Sept. 26-28 at the Comanche Nation Complex in Lawton, Okla. Head Singer: Berkey Monoessy. Emcees: Neil Lawhead, Eddie Mahseet. Info: (580) 492-3240

Standing Bear Pow Wow. Sept. 26-27 in Ponca City, Okla. Info: (580) 762-1514, (580) 762-3148

Last Chance Community Pow Wow. Sept. 26-28 in Helena, Mont. Info: (406) 439-5631 or lccpw@hotmail.com

Pabanamanina Pow Wow. Sept. 26-28 at the Paiute Palace Casino in Bishop. Calif. Host Southern: Cozad. MC: Ruben Littlehead. Info: bishoppowwow@yahoo.com

 Puyallup Tribal Well

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 27 in Puyallup, Wash.

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"I CAN'T WAIT UNTIL THEY MAKE A WATCH THAT WILL ALLOW ME TO TIME-TRAVEL BACK TO WHEN I DIDN'T RELY ON SMART TECHNOLOGY..."

Mars Hill NASA president weighs in on "Cowboys and Navahoes" party

he Native American Student Association's (NASA) viewpoint on these types of parties is that they are offensive. In NASA's opinion dressing as the perceived notion of how a Native American dresses or would dress is equally offensive as a person putting on black face. The disregard that these situations have in 2014 is astounding; the fact that dressing as a stereotype of any other race is considered more offensive than a person being dressed with feathers, painted face, and "buckskin." It is all offensive once the stereotypical

dress is put on.

It hurts knowing a person can get away with dressing as an "Indian" if they just plead ignorance of not seeing how it is discourteous to Native Americans. When people do not think of how this affects a population or culture is when the real damage is done.

> Landon French Mars Hill NASA president (Note: Landon is an EBCI tribal member from the Yellowhill Community)

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- KING Crossword -

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1. GEOGRAPHY: The Yakima River flows through which U.S. state?

2. TELEVISION: What was the theme song to the sitcom "Friends"?

3. MUSIC: What pop music group had a hit album in 1969 titled "The Age of Aquarius"?

4. COMICS: Which comic strip featured a character called "Dragon Lady"?

5. MEDICINE: How long is the average adult's spinal cord?

6. FOOD AND DRINK: What fast-food franchise featured the story of Jared S. Fogle, who lost a lot of weight eating their products?

7. LITERATURE: Where did the Grinch live in the Dr. Seuss story "How the Grinch Stole Christmas!"?

8. MOVIES: What was the name of the mad scientist in "The Rocky Horror Picture Show"?

9. GENERAL KNOWLEDGE: What is the significance of the acronym ROY G BIV?

10. FAMOUS QUOTES: What comedian and actor once said, "A day without sunshine is like, you know, night"?

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"They certainly took their good old sweet time getting rid of us."

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BIBLE TRIVIA By WILSON CAVEY

1. Is the book of Revelation in the Old or New Testament or neither?

2. In Genesis 16, who called the name of the Lord that spake unto her, "Thou God seest me"? Hagar, Naomi, Cozbi, Baara 3. What method of death was for a man who blasphemed the Lord's name with a curse? Hanging, Stoning, Starvation, Beaten 4. Who used handkerchiefs and aprons to heal the sick and drive out demons? Jesus, Paul, Mark, Jeremiah 5. What did God call the firmament? Rapture, Armageddon, Passover, Heaven 6. In Romans 6:23. "For the wages of sin is ..." Riches, Eternal life, Death. Freedom **ANSWERS**:

1) New; 2) Hagar; 3) Stoning; 4) Paul; 5) Heaven; 6) Death

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

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

Beacon of Hope Baptist Church. Sunday Worship 11am. Wednesday Service 7pm. Pastor Wesley Stephens

(828) 226-4491

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

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

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

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

Cherokee Baptist Church. 812 Tsalagi Road. Sunday School 9:45am. Sunday Worship 11am. Sunday Evening Worship 6pm. Youth Classes Wednesday 6:30pm. Wednesday Worship 6:30pm. Pastor Percy Cunningham 497-2761, 497-3799 (fax)

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

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

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

Cherokee Church of the

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

Cherokee Pentecostal Holiness Church. Located behind the Wolfetown Gym. Sunday School: 10am, Sunday worship: 11am, Sunday evening worship: 6pm. Wednesday night worship: 6pm. Welcoming our new Pastor: Louise Stamey (828) 492-0366

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

Cherokee Wesleyan Church. Hwy 19 across from Happy Holiday Campground. Sunday School 10am. Sunday Worship 11am. Sunday Evening Service and Kids Club 6pm. Wednesday Prayer meeting 6pm (except third Wednesday of Month at Tsali Care 6:30pm). Rev. Patricia Crockett 586-5453

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

Ela Missionary Baptist Church. Hwy 19 South. Sunday school 10am,

Sunday worship 11am, Sunday evening worship 7pm, Wednesday evening worship 7pm. All visitors welcome. Pastor Larry W. Foster

Goose Creek Baptist Church. Sunday School – 10am, Sunday Worship Service 11am, Sunday Evening Services 6pm. Pastor – Bro. James Gunter

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

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

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

Olivet United Methodist Church. 811 Olivet Church Road. Sunday School 9am. Sunday Service 9:45am. Rev. John Ferree, www.olivetumc.org. Search "John Ferree" to watch sermons on You Tube.

Our Lady of Guadalupe Catholic Church. 82 Lambert Branch Road. Saturday Spanish Mass 7pm. Sunday Mass 9am. Pastor Shawn O'Neal 497-9755 or 497-9498

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

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

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

Sequoyah Sovereign Grace Church. 3755 Big Cove Road. Sunday Service 11am. Sunday Bible Study 1pm. Wednesday Night Bible Study 7pm. Pastor Tim James 497-7644

St. Francis of Assisi Episcopal Church of Cherokee. 82 Old River Road. Holy Communion Sunday 9:30am. Rev. Everett Fredholm, (828) 280-0209, cherokeeepiscopal@gmail.com

Straight Fork Baptist Church.

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

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

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

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

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

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REALTY

Wolfetown 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. Lechay Raelyn Arch, Sara Mozelle Arch, Tennie Marie Arch, Troy Alex Arch, Bernadette Bird Armachain, Matthew Sampson Armachain, Douglas Robert Arneach, Richard Earl Arneach Jr., Charles William Bigwitch, William Allen Bird, Ronald Sequoyah Bowman, Deborah Ann Bradley, Fred Bradley

Jr., Gaynell Johnson Bradley, Gregory Dean Bradley, John Richard Bradley Jr., Ryan David Bradley, Samantha Christine Bradley, Matilda Marian Reed Calhoun, Travis Wyatt Thompson Climbingbear, Jacquelyn M. Lossiah Corral, Robert Donnally Craig, Carlotta Linette Crowe, Edith Inez Jackson Crowe, Enoch Sampson Crowe Jr., Patricia Ann Crowe, Bobby Jo Cucumber, Jason Daniel Cucumber, Lee Edward Culler, Nancy Marie Trull Driver, Charmane Gertrude Dupree, David Joseph Dupree, Warren Donley Dupree, Carol Lynn George, Dinah Ann Catolster Grant, Mark Montgomery Grant, James Griffin, Mary Crowe Griffin, Dewayne Gene Hicks, John David Huskey, Nellie Mae Queen Jones, Angela Anne Killian, Kimberly S. Killian, Hugh Nolan Lambert III, Sherry Darlene Trull Lambert. Stephen Jesse Lambert, Will Thomas Lambert, Lea Jo Cucumber Ledford, Tammie Lynn Ledford, Henson Junior Littlejohn, Peggy Darlene Littlejohn, Anthony Kirk Locust, Justin Edward Long, Bo Soap Lossiah, John Lossiah, Tina Marlene Lossiah, Mary Ellen Maney, Jose Guadalupe Martinez Jr., Justin John Matthews, Ginger Renee Parker McCaslin, Charlene Lee Roland Mull, Jeremiah Oocumma, Jerry Francis Parker, Shannon

Alaine Johnson Parris, Va-

lencia Lee Cucumber

Pheasant, Brenda Toineeta Pipestem, Andrea Danielle Rattler, Douglas Leander Rattler, Jackie Lee Rattler, Janell Rattler, Temot Zena Rattler, Agnes Dianne Reed, Eva Tooni Reed, Frederick Gerald Reed Jr., Frederick Gerald Reed, John Adam Reed, Robert Bruce Reed, Treva Fave Hicks Reed, Jackson Dale Rickman Jr., Brittaney Leshay Rogers, James Michael Roland, Kerry Neal Roland, Sandra Gail Roland, Corv Ryan Ross, Mistie Rae Johnson Scott, Alan Theodore Smith, Brenda Joyce Owle Smith, Jack Hamilton Smith, James Leonard Smith, Joel Hartman Smith, Satara Joyce **Owle Smith**, Ernest Jarrett Sneed, Hilliard Paul Sneed, Hillard Sneed, Sandra Helen Lambert Sneed. Linda Norene Roland Sutton, Colene Marie Taylor Swayney, Martha Lou Talalah, James Donald Taylor, Jonathan Larch Taylor, Velma Jean Wolfe Taylor, Susan Coleen Toineeta, Harold Dennis Trull, Sarah Jane Washington Wabagkeck, Janet Jessie Walkingstick, William Francis Washington Jr., Sara Margaret Arneach Watson, Bessie Jean Bird Welch, Martha Reed Wolfe, Guardian of Ethan Clark, Guardian of Christopher Adrian Clark, Guardian of Paul Jordan Lee Puckett, Parent of Raine Douglas Bradley, Parent of Rebeccah Leanne Otter, Parent of Michael Henry Otter, The Estate of William Douglas

Catt Sr. Proposed Land Transfers

Gaynell Johnson Bradley to John David Huskey for Wolfetown Community Parcel No. 1338 (Lot #5), containing 0.970 Acre, more or less.

YARD SALES

Yard Sale, Saturday 9/27/14 start at 7am-?, 893 Sunset Farm Road, near Smoky Mtn. Elem. School. toys, furniture and more. Follow signs. 9/25pd



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EMPLOYMENT





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

Positions Open

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

Closing September 26, 2014 @ 4 pm 1. Electrician- Facility Mgt (\$30,320-\$37,900)

2. WTP Operator- Water Treatment (\$30,320-\$37,900)

Closing October 3, 2014 @ 4 pm

- 1. Water Lab II- Water Treatment (\$27,680-\$34,600)
- 2. Housing Services Manager- QHA (\$48,000-\$60,000)
- 3. Supply Manager- QHA (\$33,280-\$41,600)

Open Until Filled

- 1. EMT-P (Part-time) EMS
- 2. Teacher- Tribal Child Care
- 3. Teacher Assistant- Tribal Child Care
- 4. Attorney General- Legal
- 5. Early Childhood/Elementary Language Specialist- KPEP
- 6. Language Specialist Assistant- KPEP
- 7. Kituwah Academy Teacher
- 8. Patrol Officer- CIPD

Please attach all required documents

Health & Medical Positions

Open Until Filled

- 1. C.N.A- Tsali Care Center
- 2. R.N- Tsali Care Center
- 3. Medication Aide- Tsali Care Center
- Cook Tsali Care Center
 Cook Supervisor Tsali Care Center
- 6. Sexual Assault Advocate- Domestic Violence
- 7. Cook Aide- Tsali Care Center
- 8. Public Health Nurse- Community Health

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

Dental Assistant

Looking for an enjoyable position with appreciative doctors, a fun team, and modern, excellent care?? Experience desired but not mandatory; looking for a team player with great attitude and professional work ethic; PT (2 days to start). (828) 497-4028. **10/2pd**

THE CHEROKEE INDIAN HOSPITAL AUTHORITY has the following jobs available:

FT MASTERS LEVEL THERAPIST / BEHAVIORAL HEALTH FT MID-LEVEL PRACTITIONER / SATELLITE CLINIC (open until filled)

Anyone interested should pick up an application and position description from Teresa Carvalho or Deb Toineeta at the Cherokee Indian hospital Human Resources Office between the hours of 8:00am - 4:00pm Monday –Friday. This position will close September 26 @ 4pm. Indian preference does apply and a current job application must be submitted. Resumes will not be accepted in lieu of CIHA application. **9/25**

Western Carolina University is seeking qualified individuals (154242)for the following positions: · Academic Advisor (2557) (4019)· Asst Basketball Coach (1524) · Asst Dir Development/Catamount Club (2115)· Asst Dir, RN-BRES · Asst Vice Chancellor, Development nance (0004) (152744)· Assoc Dir University Cntr Programs (4508) · Assoc Dean, Health & Human Svcs (0996)· Assoc Registrar (0220) (141714)Dean, Fine & Performing Arts Dir, Int'l Programs & Services (0608)Dir, Outdoor Programs (4606) Dir, School of Stage & Screen (2335)Librarian, Head of Content Org & (1834)Mngmt (2380) Librarian, Research & Instruction (2926). 9/25

· Medical/Nursing Assistant · Research Development Spec • Research Scientist (1100) · Senior Educational Technologist · Vice Chancellor for Admin & Fi-**Faculty Positions:** \cdot Accounting (1467) \cdot Economics (1421) • Emergency Medical Care (1514) · Forensic Science Instructor · Geography (Adjunct) · Nursing (140584)(4754) \cdot Nursing (2) – DNP & RIBN Program Director (140583) • Nutrition & Dietetics (0512) · Political Science & Public Affairs Please go to jobs.wcu.edu for details and to apply online. AA/EOE

Internship Program

The Eastern Band of Cherokee Indians Office of Budget & Finance is seeking qualified candidates for an Internship Program. Applicants must possess an interest in the Budget & Finance field, have strong work ethic and be willing to assist with a variety of projects and tasks.

Program guidelines and application packets can be picked at the Finance Office (located behind the Council House).

Questions? Contact (828) 554-6000. 10/2

EMPLOYMENT

PRECISE Healthcare has two (2) Physician opportunities for a Family Medicine, General Practice, or Internal Medicine Practitioner, and an opportunity, for a Physician Assistant, or Nurse Practitioner. The jobs are in the Western North Carolina area. The Practitioners will work one day a week from 8am to 5pm. Competitive compensation. Travel-related expenses covered. A-rated medical malpractice insurance provided, licensing, and credentialing support from our team. Please Phone Karen Weinberg @ 855.718.6992. 9/25

RFPs, **BIDs**, etc.

Requests for Proposals

Eastern Band of Cherokee Indians **Cherokee Department of Transportation** 680 Acquoni Road, Cherokee, North Carolina 28719 Phone: (828) 554-6530

Long Range Transportation Update

The Eastern Band of Cherokee Indians CDOT Office is requesting sealed proposals for planning services. The deadline for submitting proposals will be October 16th 2014 at 2:00p.m.

Please be advised that all TERO rules and regulations, Tribal procurement policies, applicable state and federal rules, regulations and laws shall apply to the performance of any work awarded pursuant to this solicitation and to the procurement of work solicited through this advertisement.

You may request the full request for qualifications and proposal requirements for proposals through the CDOT Office. If you have any questions or comments, please contact CDOT at (828)-554-6530. 10/2

Requests for Proposals

Eastern Band of Cherokee Indians **Cherokee Department of Transportation** 680 Acquoni Road Cherokee, North Carolina 28719 Phone: (828) 554-6530

Old#4 and Old River Rd Retaining Walls

The Eastern Band of Cherokee Indians CDOT Office is requesting sealed proposals for structural wall construction services. The deadline for submitting proposals will be October 9th 2014 at 2:00p.m.

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REOUEST FOR PROPOSALS

TO: Interested Bidders Date: September 9, 2014 FROM: Housing & Community Development COPIES TO: Paulette Cox, Edwin Taylor SUBJECT: Home Interior Repairs for Snowbird home REFERENCE: Request for Proposal – Queen Home repairs The Housing and Community Development Division of the Eastern Band of Cherokee Indians, is seeking proposals from qualified Contractors for an Interior Rehabilitation of a home on Long Hungry Road in Snowbird. Proposals may be hand delivered or mailed to EBCI Housing & Community Development Division, PO Box 455, 756 Aquoni Road, Cherokee, NC, 28719. Proposal must be received no later than 4:30 p.m. on October 3rd,

2014. Proposal submitted via U.S. Postal Service should be mailed to the following address:

HCD Queen Home repairs Proposal, Attn: Mr. Mark Kephart, P.O. Box 455 Cherokee, NC 28719

Electronic proposals may be sent to markkeph@nc-cherokee.com The Owner reserves the right to reject any and all proposals.

Questions related to this Request for Proposals should be submitted to Mr. Mark Kephart at 828-557-4397 or by email at: markkeph@nc-cherokee.com

A Mandatory pre-proposal meeting will be held on site at 23 Long Hungry Road, Robbinsville NC 28771 at 1:00PM on September 29, 2014. Attendance is mandatory as a qualification to submit a proposal.

Proposing Contractors must be properly licensed according to applicable state and tribal laws and must include a copy of their Tribal Business License, IRS W-9, Insurance Certificates for general liability, automobile and workers compensation, As well as a time schedule for completion of the project.

Scope of Work:

Job will require several trades to include, Sheetrock, Interior Door and Trim, Gas stove modification and Paint/Stain work. A building permit will be required! Proposals must include a proposed schedule, a budget broken down by trade as well as an overall price proposal for the total project.

The successful respondent will be selected based on qualifications and overall price.

Note 1: Should engineering services be required to complete the project the Owner may request that the Contractor provide said service, but reserves the right to self-procure said services.

Note 2: Selected Contractor shall be responsible for compliance with all applicable codes and laws as well as contacting and moving any public utilities required to complete the project at the contractors expense. Required inspections and supervision will be arranged for by the Housing and Community Development Division. No payments for any work will be made until designated inspector submits final inspection report to the HCD project manager.

Note 3: Preference will be given to Certified Economic Entitles under Chapter 92 of the Cherokee Code in the awarding of any contract or work related to this Request for Proposals.

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RFPs, BIDs, etc.

Requests for Proposals

Eastern Band of Cherokee Indians Cherokee Department of Transportation 680 Acquoni Road Cherokee, North Carolina 28719 Phone: (828) 554-6530

The Eastern Band of Cherokee Indians CDOT Office is requesting sealed bids for the completion of Highway Enhancement / Litter Pickup for FY 2015. Proposals are due October 2nd, 2014 2:30PM.

Please be advised that all TERO rules and regulations, Tribal procurement policies, applicable state and federal rules, regulations and laws shall apply to the performance of any work awarded pursuant to this solicitation and to the procurement of work solicited through this advertisement.

You may request the full RFP and bid requirements for proposals through the CDOT Office, or TERO. If you have any questions or comments, please contact CDOT at (828)-554-6530. **9/25**

THE EBCI HOUSING AND COMMUNITY DEVELOPMENT DIVISION Cherokee and Graham Counties

Is seeking proposals from contractors for work in Cherokee and Graham Counties who specialize in general residential rehabilitation and repairs including but not limited to removing and replacing shingled and metal roofs and flooring; plumbing, electrical and HVAC repairs; remodeling bathrooms; rough and finish construction; building of decks and handicap accessible ramps, as well as lawn mowing and landscape maintenance.

Several building professionals/contractors may be selected. Selections will be made based on hourly price and qualifications. HCD is also seeking contractors specializing in Plumbing, Electrical, and Heating & Cooling systems, Landscaping, Mowing, Painting, Wood, Carpet and Tile Flooring, Tile Showers, Backsplash, Dumpster and Portable Toilet services. The work to be performed under this request is subject to Tribal Ordinance 280, Chapter 92 Tribal Business preference law. TERO certified and qualified vendors will be given preference. HCD reserves the right to reject any and all bids based on budget constraints and EBCI contract requirements. A copy of the company's Tribal business license, General liability, Automobile and Worker's Compensation insurance certificates, TERO certification and W9 will be included with proposal.

There will be a required site visit to all sites where mowing is requested in Cherokee and Graham Counties at 9:00AM on Monday, September22 2014 at the Housing Division office at 334 Airport road, Marble NC 28905

Submit proposal to: Mark Kephart Housing Services Manager, drop off at the Housing & Community Development office at 756 Aquoni Road or mail to P.O. Box 455 ATTN: Mark Kephart, Cherokee NC 28719. Deadline for sealed bid submission is Friday, September 26, 2014 by 4:30PM. For more information or questions call Mark Kephart at (828) 557-4397 or email at markkeph@nc-cherokee.com. **9/25**

Requests for Proposals

Eastern Band of Cherokee Indians Cherokee Department of Transportation 680 Acquoni Road Cherokee, North Carolina 28719 Phone: (828) 554-6530

Big Cove Road and Acquoni Road Intersection Safety Improvements

The Eastern Band of Cherokee Indians CDOT Office is requesting sealed proposals for Engineering and design services. The deadline for submitting proposals will be October 16th 2014 at 2:00p.m.

Please be advised that all TERO rules and regulations, Tribal procurement policies, applicable state and federal rules, regulations and laws shall apply to the performance of any work awarded pursuant to this solicitation and to the procurement of work solicited through this advertisement.

You may request the full request for qualifications and proposal requirements for proposals through the CDOT Office. If you have any questions or comments, please contact CDOT at (828)-554-6530. **10/2**

Requests for Proposals

Eastern Band of Cherokee Indians Cherokee Department of Transportation 680 Acquoni Road Cherokee, North Carolina 28719 Phone: (828) 554-6530

Sara Jones Bridge Replacement

The Eastern Band of Cherokee Indians CDOT Office is requesting sealed proposals for Bridge Reconstruction services. The deadline for submitting proposals will be October 23rd 2014 at 2:00p.m.

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You may request the full request for qualifications and proposal requirements for proposals through the CDOT Office. If you have any questions or comments, please contact CDOT at (828)-554-6530. **10/2**

ATTENTION COMMERCIAL PROPERTY OWNERS

Do you have available Commercial Property you would like to lease or sell?

The Cherokee Enterprise Development Center would like to help you advertise through our **COMMERCIAL PROPERTY BANK**. Let us help ADVERTISE your property for FREE and assist you in finding potential clients for your empty business space! Additionally, contact us to see our current listings and possibly find the perfect property for your business. Please bring us photos of your property to assist us in helping you lease or sell your property.

If interested in listing your properties please call Jacob Reed, at 554-6716, Gloria Griffin at 554-6718 or Kim Winchester at 554-6719.

RFPs, BIDs, etc.

THE EBCI HOUSING AND COMMUNITY DEVELOPMENT DIVISION Rehab & Rentals

Is seeking proposals from contractors for work On tribal Properties, who specialize in general residential rehabilitation and repairs including but not limited to removing and replacing shingled and metal roofs and flooring; plumbing, electrical and HVAC repairs; remodeling bathrooms; rough and finish construction; building of decks and handicap accessible ramps, As well as Lawn mowing and Land Scape Maintenance.

Several building professionals/contractors may be selected. Selections will be made based on hourly price and qualifications. HCD is also seeking Contractors specializing in Plumbing, Electrical, and Heating & Cooling systems, Landscaping, Mowing, Painting, Wood, drywall, Carpet and Tile Flooring, Tile Showers, Backsplash, Dumpster and Portable Toilet services. Also fire Extinguishers, Mold Abatement, & locksmith and pest control. the work to be performed under this request is subject to Tribal Ordinance 280, Chapter 92 Tribal Business preference law. TERO certified and qualified vendors will be given preference. HCD reserves the right to reject any and all bids based on budget constraints and EBCI contract requirements. A copy of the company's Tribal business license, General liability, Automobile and Worker's Compensation insurance certificates, TERO certification and W9 will be included with proposal.

Submit proposal to: Darrell Brown Housing Rehab Manager, Dropped off at the Housing & Community Development office at 756 Aquoni Road or mail to P.O. Box 455 Cherokee NC 28719. Deadline for sealed bid submission is Monday September 29th, 2014 by 4:30PM. For more information or questions contact Darrell Brown darrbrow@nc-cherokee.com or @828-736-5157. **9/25**

Requests for Proposals

Eastern Band of Cherokee Indians Cherokee Department of Transportation 680 Acquoni Road Cherokee, North Carolina 28719 Phone: (828) 554-6530

Shut In #3 Bridge Replacement

The Eastern Band of Cherokee Indians CDOT Office is requesting sealed proposals for Bridge Reconstruction services. The deadline for submitting proposals will be October 23rd 2014 at 2:00p.m.

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You may request the full request for qualifications and proposal requirements for proposals through the CDOT Office. If you have any questions or comments, please contact CDOT at (828)-554-6530. **10/2**

Notice of General Election

GS 163-33 (8) Swain County Board of Elections gives notice of the General Election on November 4th, 2014. Polls will be open from 6:30 am until 7:30 pm at the following locations: BC1-Chamber of Commerce 210 Main St. Bryson City, BC2-Swain County Administration Building, 101 Mitchell St. Bryson City, Alarka#3-3601 Alarka Rd. Bryson City, Almond #4-60 Almond School Rd. Bryson City, and Whittier-Cherokee-1212 Birdtown Rd. Cherokee.

Absentee voting by mail began on September 5th, 2014. This is open to all Swain County voters. Requests for absentee ballots must be made only using the State Absentee request form and must be made by 5:00 pm on November 3rd, 2014. Requests must be postmarked by 5:00 pm on November 4th, 2014 to the Swain County Board of Elections mailing address at PO Box 133 Bryson City, NC 28713 and the Swain County Board of Elections office by November 3rd, 2014 by 5:00 pm if delivered in person. The deadline to register to vote is October 10th, 2014 by 5:00 pm. One-Stop voting begins October 23rd, 2014 from 8:00 am until 8:00 pm. We will also be open October 24th, 2014 from 8:00 am until 8:00 pm. October 25th, 2014 hours will be from 8:00 am until 5:00 pm. October 27th, 28th, and 29th hours will be 8:00 am until 5:00 pm. October 30th and 31st hours are 8:00 am until 8:00 pm. Last day of One-Stop voting will be November 1st, 2014 from 8:00 am until 1:00 pm. One-Stop voting will be available at the Swain County Board of Elections office located at 1422 Highway 19 South Bryson City, NC 28713 and the Birdtown Recreation Center located at 1212 Birdtown Road Cherokee, NC 28719. By resolution, the absentee meeting will begin at 2:00 pm on November 4th, 2014 at the Board of Elections office. Results will not be processed until the close of polls at 7:30 pm on election day.

GS 163-182.7 (b) Canvass will be November 15th, 2014 at 11:00 am at the Swain County Board of Elections office.

Additional Board meetings are as follows: September 17th, October 14th, October 21st, October 28th, October 31st, and November 3rd at 5:00 pm. Provisional ballots will be counted on November 7th, 2014 at 10:00 am at the Board of Elections office.

For additional information, contact Joan Weeks, Director at the Swain County Board of Election office, 1422 Hwy. 19 South Bryson City, NC 28713. By email at swain.boe@gmail.com, phone 828-488-6177, fax 828-488-6463, or by mailing address PO Box 133 Bryson City, NC 28713. **9/25**

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LEGALS

Notice of Service of Process by Publication Cherokee Tribal Court Regulations In Cherokee Tribal Court **Mountain Credit Union** Vs James Blue Welch (CV -14-124) and (CV-14-125) Tommy Eugene Driver (CV -14-177) William C. Penland Jr. (CV -14-076)

Take Notice that a Pleading seeking relief against you has been filed in the above entitled action. The nature of the relief being sought is as follows: Complaint for Money Owed and/or Repossession

Your are required to make defense of such pleading no later than the 6th day of October 2014 and upon

Your failure to do so the Party (Mountain Credit Union) seeking service against you will apply to the Court for the relief sought.

This is the 8th day of September, 2014

Agent for the Plaintiff: Sarah Davis, PO Box 241, Cherokee, NC 28719, 828-497-6211 **10/9**

Eastern Band of Cherokee Indians Cherokee, North Carolina Estate File No. EST 14-068 In the Matter of the Estate of Valeria Ann Saunooke

All persons, firms and corporations having claims against this estate are notified to exhibit them to the fiduciary(s) listed on or before the date listed or be barred from their recovery. Debtors of the decedent are asked to make immediate payment to the appointed fiduciary(s) listed below. Date to submit claims: November 27, 2014

Robert Earl Price, 295 Seven Clans Lane (PO Box 587), Cherokee, NC 28719. **10/2pd**

Small Claims Publication Summons and Notice

CHEROKEE TRIBAL COURT Regulations, Cherokee, NC In Cherokee Tribal Court Lucy Bigmeat (Plaintiff) vs. Tootsie Maney (Defendant) CV14-142

To The Person Name Above As Defendant:

You are being sued by the person named above as Plaintiff. This publication will serve as your notice as stated in the caption above.

The lawsuit will be heard in the following: Small Claims Court, Eastern Band of Cherokee Indians, The Cherokee Tribal Court, P.O. Box 1629, Cherokee, North Carolina 28719

This publication will run four weeks in the Cherokee One Feather as your Notification as required by the Cherokee Tribal Court. After such time, a Court date will be issued by the Cherokee Clerk of Court.

If the judgment debtor fails to appear after notice of the hearing, the judgment debtor shall be subject to Civil contempt powers of the Court. (Ord. 333-A, 11-5-1998, Ord. 548, 5-13-1999). A judgment which Requires payment of money may be enforced by an Order of Execution. You received a copy of the claim for Small Claims Judgment on June 2, 2014. A judgment may be enforced as provided by law. A judgment awarding money may become a lien against any real estate you own now or in the future, and may also be enforced by garnishment of wages or seizing of personal property to satisfy the judgment of \$1,800,000 plus interest from the date of judgment until the judgment is paid. Date: September 12, 2014 Lucy Bigmeat, P.O. Box 156, Cherokee, NC 28719. 1**0/9pd**

NOTICE OF SERVICE OF PROCESS BY PUBLICATION THE EASTERN BAND OF CHEROKEE INDIANS IN THE CHEROKEE TRIBAL COURT FILE NO.: CV 14-378 EAGLE PRODUCTS, INC., a Missouri Corporation, v. DMMK ENTERPISES, LLC, a North Carolina Company, d/b/a Cherokee's Best; GOLAN PEREZ; and ROMI JAGASIA.

TO DMMK ENTERPISES, LLC, GOLAN PEREZ and ROMI JAGASIA: Take notice that a pleading seeking relief against you has been filed in the aboveentitled action. The nature of the relief being sought is collection on an open account, action against guarantor, action against the principals and unjust enrichment, quantum meruit. The pleadings seek: damages for a sum in excess of EIGHT THOUSAND TWO HUN-DRED AND EIGHTEEN DOL-LARS AND FIFTY FIVE CENTS (\$8,218.55) plus applicable interest, costs and expenses and any further relief that the Court deems appropriate. You are required to make defense to such pleading not later than November 8, 2014 and upon failure to do so, the party seeking service against you will apply to the court for the relief sought. This the 25th day of September, 2014. James W. Kilbourne, Jr., Esq., DUNGAN, KILBOURNE & STAHL, P.A., One Rankin Avenue, Third Floor, Asheville, North Carolina 28801, ATTOR-NEYS FOR PLAINTIFF, EAGLE PRODUCTS, INC. **10/16**

INTENT TO FILE

Eastern Band of Cherokee Indians **Revenue Department** PO Box 537 Cherokee, NC 28719 **Re: Complaint for Money** owed то **Candina Brown Donna Jackson Gary Maney Glenn Davis & Jessica Miller Richard C Smith Michael Smith** Joseph Saunooke **Phillip Smith Brent Cochran Jackie Fuller Kelly Hunt** Mac Kelly **Zick Graff Melissa Bradley B&B** Maintenance **Carolina Contracting Duke Energy JC Contractor Jones Roofing KJ's Painting Mountain Dumpsters MP** Utilities **RCM Farms Rentenbach Construction** Inc **Shular Tree Trimming** Take notice that the Eastern Band of Cherokee Indians is seeking relief for money owed.

You are required to make a defense to such pleading no later than the 17th day of October 2014 said date and upon your failure to do so the party seeking against you will apply to the court for the relief sought.

This the 25th day of September 2014 Winnie Jumper Billing & Collections Specialist PO Box 537, Cherokee, NC 28719. (828) 497-7060 **10/9**

Cherokee Words and Phrases Provided by Garfield Long, KPEP Gatsv – where Hani – here Nogwu – now Unatsvsdi – bathroom or restroom Didananv – store

Gatsv tesi? - where are you going? Hinena – let's go (you and i) Hidena – let's go (all) Gatsv danesi? where are we going? (you and i) Gatsv dadesi? where are we going? (more than two) Didananv danesi – we are going to the store Gatsv unatsvsdi? – where is the bathroom? Agiyosiha – I am hungry Tsayosihatsu? – are you hungry? Halisdayahvga –

you eat **Hidalisdayahvga** – let's eat

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Saturday, Oct. 4 at 6pm Chief Joyce Dugan Cultural Arts Center Free Admission