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# Cherokee Art on display



Baskets in all shapes and sizes decorate the exhibit table of Cherokee basketmaker Betty Dupree during the annual Qualla Arts & Crafts Open Air Indian Art Market held Saturday, Sept. 1.

Qualla Arts and Crafts showcases Cherokee artists at the annual Open Air Indian Art Market held Saturday, Sept. 1

PHOTOS By SCOTT MCKIE B.P./One Feather

Butch Goings always has a nice time talking to the public about his carvings.



Kissi Hornbuckle works on a honeysuckle basket during Saturday's Open Air Indian Market.



Owen Walkingstick talks about the process of of how he does his carvings which include interesting subjects including dragonflys and ants.



Cherokee storyteller Lloyd Arneach, Sr. talks with Elizabeth Lewis about some of his books and Cherokee stories.

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# Tribe receives \$300K to conserve Hall Mountain

**By SCOTT MCKIE B.P.**ONE FEATHER STAFF

he Eastern Band of Cherokee Indians has received a grant to help conserve the Hall Mountain Tract, a 108 acre tract located near Franklin. The grant was announced on Tuesday, Aug. 28 as part of the U.S. Forest Service Community Forest and Open Space Conservation Program.

"This tract of land will serve as an experimental research station similar to those of the Forest Service," said Tommy Cabe, EBCI Environmental & Natural Resources. "Through the grant, it was decided to have it open to the community. Not just the Tribe's community, but the community as a whole."

He said the property will be open to students, 4-H clubs, Job Corps students, and other groups. "It's a demonstration forest, a demonstration type area."

Cabe the property will be a learning and research center and will be managed "to reach a certain goal that will be influenced by Cherokee culture and Cherokee reasoning."

"This tract of land will serve as an area to where we can manage the tract but also have a trail system and a bike system where someone can stop and learn about what area is being managed, how it's being managed and why." he related.

Cabe said the area, once completed, will be similar in nature to the North Carolina Arboretum in that a minimal day usage fee will be charged, but that hasn't been established yet. Arboretum staff will actu-

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ally help the Tribe in conducting an inventory of native plants on the property.

The conservation of this property is a new thing. "This property was originally slated for a housing development so it has a roads system already in it with some house sites already on it. Those house sites could be used for greenhouses," Cabe added. "They could be used for a campground setting for a little group to come and camp there for a week and learn about how we, as Cherokees, are starting to get into the 21st Century and manage our lands accordingly and preserve our culture as well."

Cabe noted the Tribe hopes to have the gates open for the property in two to three years, maybe earlier.

He said it was interesting how the Tribe became involved in the property to begin with.

"We were approached by the Little Tennessee Land Trust, and they were concerned that this land was going to be developed. It also resides within the viewshed of the Cowee Mound off of Highway 28."

"So, it was very significant to us, as a Tribe," said Cabe, "to secure the viewshed first and and foremost. We

didn't necessarily think that having multi-million dollar homes looking down on a sacred and spiritual site was aesthetically pleasing."

The grant made the securing of the property a reality. "I know that the Tribe is pretty excited about expanding its land base for conservation. We only have a little more than 5,000 acres here on the Boundary that is called tribal reserve."

Cabe said conservation of the property is of the utmost importance. "Given that this land is adjacent to the North Carolina Wildlife Commission land, I think it gives us an opportunity to really get into wildlife management as well. Management is going to be the key to us on this piece of property as a Tribe."

Sen. Kay Hagan (D-NC) commented, "We must take steps to ensure that future generations will be able to enjoy our forests and public lands. I'm pleased that the EBCI will reap the economic, environmental, and educational benefits of conserving Hall Mountain tract."

She is the vice-chair of the Congressional Sportsmen's Caucus and co-sponsored the Roadless Area Conservation Act of 2011 and the Rural Heritage Conservation Extension

Act.

Agriculture Undersecretary
Harris Sherman related, "These
truly are community forests: envisioned by a local community, supported by the local community and it
is the local community who will reap
the economic and environmental
benefits. This program will give thousands of Americans better access to
the great outdoors, while fostering
the next generation of American
conservationists."

Other funded projects in the program include:

- \* Easton, NH and Sugar Hill, NM community forest
- \* Pilgrim Community Forest, Portage Township, Mich.
- \* Foy's Community Forest, Kalispell, Mont.
- \* Mount Ascension Natural Park, Helena, Mont.
- \* Lincoln Community Forest, Lincoln, Wisc.
- \* North Kitsap Heritage Park, Kingston, Wash.
- \* Barre Town Forest, Washington County, Vt.
- \* Nine Times Community Forest, Pickens County, SC
- \* Indian Creek Community Forest, Kalispel Tribe of Indians

Information from the USFS states, "The Community Forest and Open Space Conservation Program provides financial assistance grants to local governments, tribes and qualified nonprofit organizations working to establish community forests with a focus on economic and environmental benefits, education, forest stewardship and recreation opportunities."



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Read the *Cherokee One Feather* each week for full job listings on the Cherokee Indian Reservation.



The 2012 CHS Homecoming Court is (left-right) Jordyn Thompson, Tyra Standingdeer, Andrea Cedillo, Alexis Maney, Avery Mintz, Kendall Toineeta, Deija Burgess, Dre Crowe, Ashley Bottchenbaugh and Holly Meuse.

# **CHS** names 2012 Homecoming Court



Jordyn Thompson

Jordyn, 12th grade, is the daughter of Jennifer Thompson and resides in the Yellowhill Community. She is a member of the cross country team.



**Avery Mintz** 

Avery, 11th grade, is the daughter of Chris and Keila Mintz and resides in Whittier. She is a member of the volleyball and cross country teams.



**Kendall Toineeta** 

Kendall, 10th grade, is the daughter of Bruce and Sunshine Toineeta and resides in the Wolftown Community. She is a member of the volleyball and cross country teams.



Ashley Bottchenbaugh

Ashley, 12th grade, is the daughter of Frankie and Andrea Bottchenbaugh and resides in the Big cove Community. She is a member of the varsity cheerleading squad.



Alexis Maney

Alexis, 12th grade, is the daughter of Matt and Alicia Maney and resides in Sylva. She is a member of the varsity cheerleading squad and the cross country



Andrea Cedillo

Andrea, 11th grade, is the daughter of Faye McCoy and resides in the Birdtown Community. She is a member of the varsity cheerleading squad.



**Dre Crowe** 

Dre, 10th grade, is the daughter of Bo and Kim Crowe and resides in the Big Y Community. She is a member of the volleyball team.



**Holly Meuse** 

Holly, 11th grade, is the daughter of Cynthia and Richard Meuse and resides in the Big Cove Community.



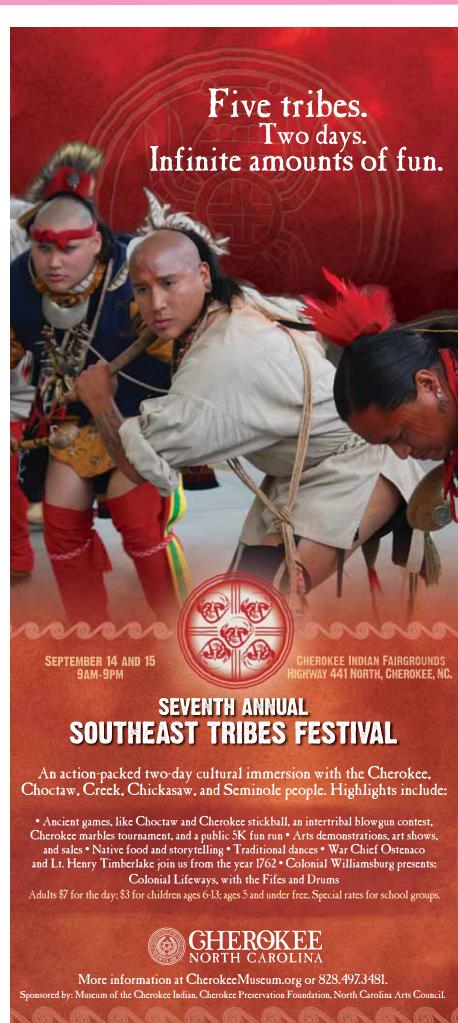
Tyra Standingdeer

Tyra, 9th grade, is the daughter of John and Kelly Sampson and resides in the Yellowhill Community. She is a member of the volleyball team.



Deija Burgess

Deija, 12th grade, is the daughter of Brandon Burgess and Amy Anders and resides in the Big Y Community. She is a member of the volleyball team.



# August Report from Miss Cherokee

**BV KRISTINA HYATT** MISS CHEROKEE 2011

have been very busy throughout the month of August fulfilling various roles and attending various events. I completed an internship with the Finance Department, was busy fulfilling Miss Cherokee duties, and began my journey as a dental hygiene student.

On Aug. 3, I volunteered at the trout derby registration at the Cherokee Fairgrounds. I had my picture made with some of the registrants and welcomed them to Cherokee. On Aug. 4, at 5:30 am, I volunteered at the trout derby event and mingled with the participants. There were so many people! I was glad to see everyone, especially the children having such a wonderful time.

On Aug. 7, I attended the Big Cove Community Club meeting held at the Big Cove Community Rec Center. I presented them with a picture of myself, Big Cove Councilmen, and Heath Shuler to express my appreciation to them. They were one of my

sponsors for the 2011 Miss Cherokee pageant.

On Aug. 20, I began the Dental Hygiene Program at AB Tech. I am very excited to be starting this new chapter in my life and want to encourage you all to pursue your dreams. As members of the Eastern Band of Cherokee Indians, we are very blessed and have the potential and resources necessary to be successful.

On Aug. 30, I will be travelling to Oklahoma to attend Cherokee Holidays. I am very excited about this trip and look forward to interacting with Western Cherokees! I will be participating in their parade and I am sad to say that this will be the last parade that I will participate in as Miss Cherokee.

After my trip to Oklahoma, I will have one remaining trip that will close out my reign as Miss Cherokee. There are also a couple of local events that I will attend. I would like to encourage each of you to attend the Miss Cherokee 2012 Pageant that will be held on Sept. 29.



Miss Cherokee 2011 Kristina Hyatt (right) is shown at the Talking Trees Children's Trout Derby with Fayla and Falon Welch on Saturday, Aug. 4.

# One-stop voting locations in the area

Individuals who miss the registration deadline to vote in the General Election may register in person and then vote at One-Stop Voting sites (early voting). The registration deadline is Oct. 12. In order to register during a one-stop period, the applicant must show acceptable proof of name and residence in the county.

In NC counties, One Stop Voting will be held from Oct. 18 through

In Swain County One Stop Voting

will be held at:

- Swain County Board of Elections, 1422 Highway 19 South, Bryson City. Monday through Friday from 8 am-5 pm daily. The Board office will also be open on Saturday Nov. 3 from 9 am-1 pm.
- Cherokee Life Center, 37 Cherokee Boys Club Loop, Cherokee NC. Monday through Friday from 12 noon-7 pm. Saturday, Nov. 3 from 9 am-

In Jackson County, One Stop Vot-

ing will be held at:

- Jackson County Board of Elections, 401 Grindstaff Cove Road, Sylva. Monday through Thursday from 8 am-6 pm, Fridays from 7 am-5 pm, Saturdays Nov. 20 and 27 form 10 am-1 pm, Nov 3 from 10 am-5 pm.
- Wolfetown Community Building, 28 Long Branch Road, Cherokee. Closed Mondays. Tuesday through Friday 12 noon-5pm, Saturdays from 10 am-1 pm

In Graham County, One Stop

Voting will be held at:

• Graham County Board of Elections, 18 Court Street, Robbinsville. Monday through Friday from 8:30 am-5 pm, Saturday from 8:30 am-1pm.

In Cherokee County, One Stop Voting will be held at:

· Cherokee County Board of Elections, 40 Peachtree Street, Murphy. Monday through Friday from 8 am-6 pm, Saturday from 9 am-1 pm.

For more information on voting, go to www.ncsbe.gov.

# www.theonefeather.com

# Sequoyah Birthplace to host Great Island Festival this weekend

VONORE, Tenn. - The Sequoyah Birthplace Museum, Tennessee's only tribally owned museum and Fort Loudoun State Historic Area are partnering for the Great Island Festival, slated for Sept. 8-9, from 10a.m. until 5:00 p.m.

At the Sequoyah Birthplace Museum, visitors will have the opportunity to step back in time to experience Native American food, arts and crafts demonstrations, music and dance. Special demonstrations and displays will include Cherokee life in 1762 and a Civil War encampment and battle re-enactment. This year's theme is "The 250th Anniversary of Lt. Timberlake's Visit to the Cherokee Overhill". Visitors will experience the same sights, sounds, tastes and smells Lt. Henry Timberlake experienced when he discovered the region some 250 years ago. Dozens of craftsmen and demonstrators will be on hand recreating everything Timberlake documented on his first visit. Meet Miss

Cherokee. Special entertainment will be provided by the Warrior Dancers of Ani-Kituhwa the Eastern Band of the Cherokee Indians official ambassadors, Cherokee flutis Matt Tooni, a Cherokee Stickball game, Cherokee food demonstrations by Cherokee author Johnnie Sue Myers.

On Saturday, the Tennessee Wildlife Birds of Prey program will be featured and on Sunday a blowgun competition will be held. Stop by the museum from 1-3pm both days and meet Bill Landry from the Heartland Series. Bill will be doing a book signing for his book "Appalachian Tales & Heartland Adventures" and check out our new Emissaries of Peace exhibit in the museum as well.

Saturday evening starting at 6pm will be a Civil War period dance with music in our pavilion. Be sure to bring a blanket or a chair to enjoy the music and dancing.

Other activities include a blow gun competition and posters from Cherokee Elementary School. Darts,

beads, talking sticks, face painting and free Cherokee name cards will be available for children. Traditional Indian Fry bread, Indian tacos, and other food and drinks will be sold. At the 18th century Trade Faire at Fort Loudoun will feature encampments of soldiers, settlers and Native Americans. There will be demonstrations throughout the day in artillery and musketry, along with several battles and skirmish re-enactments. Merchants and artisans will be on hand to peddle food and wares reminiscent of the time. Period food will be sold by "Two French Tarts."

Music and other entertainment acts will include The Traveling Caudells, a traditional vocal duo; Out of the Ordinary, featuring a hammered dulcimer, English guitar, harp and vocals; and the Beggar Boys, talented singers and fiddlers. An 18th century magician, Common Stocks Curious Booth of Wonders, and the Amazing Juggling Budabi Brothers will also delight and astonish visitors

of all ages. Returning this year will be Faire Wynds Circus, featuring musicians, a conjuror, equalibrialist contortionist and an escape artist. The festival is named for the "Great Island," a Cherokee village site 250 years ago. Today, Fort Loudoun State Historic Area and the Sequoyah Birthplace Museum occupy an island created by the Tellico Lake Project.

Festival parking is at Sequoyah Birthplace Museum; located at 576 Highway 360 in Vonore, Tenn. Free shuttle buses will provide transportation for visitors from each site (approximately 1.5 miles). Adult tickets are \$5.00 to the Sequoyah Birthplace Museum and \$5.00 to the Trade Faire. Kids 12 and under are admitted free of charge. Advance tickets are on sale at both locations until September.

Info: Sequoyah Birthplace Museum (423) 884-6246 or Fort Loudoun State Historic Area (423) 884-6217.

- Sequoyah Birthplace Museum



### THPO to host 2nd Annual Cherokee Archaeology Day

By BRIAN BURGESS

EBCI THPO

The Eastern Band of Cherokee Indians Tribal Historic Preservation Office assumed cultural resource protection duties on tribal lands within traditional territories a little more than 11 years ago. Cultural and archaeological resource protection pursuant to the National Historic Preservation Act was assumed from eight regional State Historic Preservation Offices; Virginia, West Virginia, Kentucky, Tennessee, Alabama, Georgia, South Carolina, and North Carolina. The Eastern Band of Cherokee Indians was the 23rd tribe in the nation to qualify for THPO status. As of today, there are 132 federally recognized tribes that have achieved THPO status. Ideally, the THPO is involved in government to government consultation during a project's planning phase. To comply with federal law stipulated in

the National Historic Preservation

Act (1969), any construction activi-

ties planned on federal lands, incor-

requires federally permitting, must

be reviewed by the THPO to ensure

that previously identified archaeo-

logical sites are protected. If a prop-

porate federal funding, or that

erty has no record of an archaeological survey and is determined to be an area of high probability in regards to cultural resources, it is the THPO's responsibility to recommend archaeological investigation prior to project construction. Such "compliance archaeology" has yielded a vast amount of information for the scientific community, and equally important, has given the tribe certain knowledge about their culture otherwise lost amidst fervent development.

Being stalwart stewards of cultural resources is the THPO's ultimate goal. In the face of unchecked land development, perhaps there is no greater honor than realizing actions taken by the THPO protects Cherokee graves and significant archaeological features. However, the historic preservation program is more than just archaeological compliance. Incorporating Tribal cultural values into the historic preservation program is a constant priority for the EBCI THPO. The office holds a monthly Elder Advisory Board meeting to gain insights and opinions from Tribal Elders in regards to general knowledge of recent history, conventional customs, traditional land, plant and animal usage.

In addition, Elder involvement and opinion on specific archaeological projects that require sensitive treatment of cultural resources is useful and sometimes critical. As one can imagine, Cherokee Elders have a unique and different take on Cherokee culture than archaeologists. A majority of archaeologists, at least those with which the EBCI maintains a professional working relationship, have grown to strongly value elder insight and approval.

In recent years, the THPO has had the privilege to work with a vast array of archaeologists from across the region on intriguing projects including: The Ravensford Project, The Cherokee Towns and Mounds Project, The Judaculla Rock Project, The Sacred Hiawassee Riverscape, Prehistoric Cave and Rock Art in Tennessee, The Archaeology of Cherokee Life at the Time of Removal, The Cherokee Archaeological Field School, The Appletree Site, The Hickory Log site in north Georgia, TVA and Native American Graves Protection and Repatriation commitment, Peaks of Otter (an archaic stratified site in western Virginia). DeSoto's Route through Cherokee Border Lands, and archaeological investigations at the Spanish Fort San

Juan, the earliest known European settlement in the United States Interior, and the associated role of Cherokee Diplomacy.

On Friday, Sept. 7, the THPO will host the 2nd annual Cherokee Archaeology Day at the Chestnut Tree Inn. The event will begin at 8:15am and will run through 3pm with several professional archaeologists presenting topics related to Cherokee archaeology throughout the day. There will be speakers from Tennessee Valley Authority, Western Carolina University, Warren Wilson College, The United States Forest Service, University of Tennessee-Knoxville, and many more. The goal is to provide information on Cherokee archaeological projects both on and off the Qualla Boundary, and to provide education to the community about how Archaeology and Anthropology can teach us more about Cherokee life, culture, and history. This event is open to the public. Please feel free to attend the entire day, or drop in for presentations which pique your interest. You can RSVP for the event by contacting Miranda Panther 554-6850, miralane@nc-cherokee.com or Yolanda Saunooke 554-6854, yolasaun@nc-cherokee.com.

# Cherokee Schools continued Backpack Program

### **By LAURA CABE**

n collaboration with the School Health Advisory Council (SHAC), the Child Nutrition Program, Cherokee Youth Center and Ms. Ronnie Via's high school calculus class, Cherokee Central Schools is continuing the MANNA backpack program for the fifth year beginning on Friday, Sept. 7. This program is called the MANNA Abundance backpack program and is sponsored by MANNA food bank of Asheville. The program is designed to meet the needs of at

risk elementary and middle school students in Western North Carolina. On Friday afternoons, a bag of supplemental items such as canned fruits, vegetables, soups/ravioli, crackers, cereal/oatmeal, protein items, and snack items are sent home with a selected number of students. These bags are intended to help those families in most need to bridge the gap during the weekend and holiday's when school is not in session.

Currently, 134 students in the elementary school served it is hoped

to expand to the middle school in the hope of reaching more families in need, especially during these hard economic times. If you are a family in need and have a student enrolled in Cherokee Central Schools, please contact Laura Cabe 554-5090 to be enrolled in this program.

Cherokee Central Schools LunchPrepay.com for "A la Carte" Sales

The Child Nutrition Program has launched into the age of new technology by using LunchPrepay.com. Using the secure site to make your payments and

monitor your student's account gives you the assurance of knowing where your money is going and how it is being spent. LunchPrepay.com is an easy, secure and convenient way to apply funds directly to your student's account online. Visit LunchPrepay.com to start an account and to find more information of frequently asked questions and answers.

Laura is the child nutrition director at Cherokee Central Schools.







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# Cherokee Boys Club Report www.cherokeeboysclub.com (828) 497-9101

### **CLUB SCHEDULE:**

Friday, Sept. 14 – School Early Release – Staff Development Wednesday, Sept. 12 – Resolution Deadline – 8:30 a.m.

Tuesday, Sept. 18 – Health Screen – 7:30 a.m. to 8:30 a.m.

Wednesday, Sept. 19 – Board of Directors Meeting – 8:30 a.m. (Current Board Members)

Thursday, Sept. 20 – Safety Committee Meeting – 11:30 a.m.

Monday, Sept. 24 – School Furlough

Wednesday, Sept. 26 – School Early Release – Sacred Path

### STUDENT BOARD REPRESENTATIVE ELECTED

The election for the Student Representative for the Boys Club Board of Directors was held on Thursday, Aug. 30 at the High School. Nominees for the Student Representative were taken from students who participated in the Club's summer Onthe-Job training program or students who have participated in the vocational classes that the school offers (Automotive Technology and Graph-

The students eligible for nomination could not be a senior because they have to serve the two-year Board term before they graduate. The five nominees were Constance Cline, Fernando Garcia, Austin Padilla, Jesse Toineeta and Cole Wildcatt. Cole Wildcatt received the most votes and will represent the school on the Boys Club Board.

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The newly elected Board members met on September 4 to select two outside business people to serve on the Board and to elect officers for this term. Council appoints a representative (currently Perry Shell) bringing the total number of board members to nine.

The new Board for the 2012-2014 term will be installed on Monday, Oct.1. The current board will continue to serve until Sept. 30, 2014.

### IT'S A GIRL!

Congratulations to Holly Jackson and Jakeli Swimmer on the birth of their daughter, Natalie Arie Swimmer, who was born on Monday, Aug. 27 at 5:30 a.m. Natalie was 19 ½ inches long at birth and weighed in at 8 lbs. 9 oz. Natalie is the granddaughter of Cindi and Fred Squirrel and Maureen and Clarence Jackson, Jr. Cindi Squirrel works in the Club's Construction/HIP Office.

### **SCHOOL BUS SAFETY TIPS**

- 1. Leave plenty of time to get to the bus stop. When you rush, you may not follow safety rules.
- Walk on sidewalks when avail-2. able.
- 3. Remain alert at all times; don't listen to your MP3 players, text, talk on your cell phones or play video games because you won't be aware of what is happening around you.
- 4. Be careful when wearing your hood up; it makes it difficult for you
- 5. When you wait for the bus, stay away from the road. Don't play around so you will be aware of traf-
- 6. Make sure the bus driver can see vou at all times.
- 7. Wait for the bus to stop completely before you approach it to get on or before you stand up to get off.
- 8. Clothes or back packs should not have draw strings, toggles or key chains. They can get caught on bus handrails and doors.

- 9. Hold the handrails so you don't trip on the stairs.
- 10. Find a seat and sit down immediately.
- 11. Know your bus driver's name and bus number to be sure you are boarding the right bus.
- 12. Be courteous and respectful to your driver.
- 13. Talk and laugh quietly with friends, but do not scream; it will distract the driver.
- 14. Do not put your head, arms, papers or anything out of the windows. 15. If you drop something near the bus, don't pick it up. The driver may not see you. Instead, ask the driver for help.
- 16. If you have to cross the road, wait until the driver lets you know it is okav.
- 17. Stay away from the bus wheels at all times – especially the back wheels where it is hard for the bus driver to see you.



## Oconaluftee Job Corps CCC celebrates 20 Graduates

By HOLLY KRAKE, MSEd

conaluftee Job Corps Civilian
Conservation Center joined
125 other Job Corps centers
across the country to celebrate the
second annual 'National Job Corps
Commencement Day'. Held on Friday, Aug. 24, the local ceremony
congratulated 20 students who
graduated the program this year
with successful education and career
training in everything from Forestry
Conservation to Office Administration.

At the Oconaluftee JCCCC, these young adults aged 16-24 were offered a set of diverse academic opportunities and career pathways tailored to meet the needs of today's business and industry. Nationally each year, thousands of youth are given a second chance to complete their education and advance into careers, higher education or the military. Program graduates then return to their local area as active contributors to the economic and social fabric of the community much like the original CCC work programs of the 1930's.

Sen. Kay Hagan (D-NC), wrote to Oconaluftee's graduates "I don't have to tell you that our country is facing hard economic times. This day showcases to the community, employers, and tax payers that the Job Corps program is one of the nation's most effective career preparation programs... our focus must once again be on progress and job creation".

Mark Shriver, the son of Job Corps founder Sargent Shriver, congratulated the 60,000 students who graduated from Job Corps across the country this year. "Job Corps is a great investment for the American people," Shriver said in a special nationwide video address delivered in

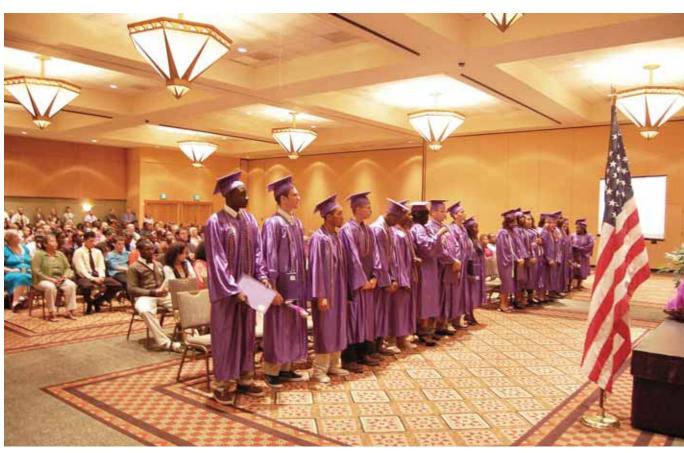


Photo by Holly Krake/OJCCCC

Graduates proudly wait for the announcement to move their tassels from right to left as graduates. Students shown completed a career program in Office Administration, Health Occupations, Forestry Conservation and Wildland Firefighting, Carpentry, or Facilities Maintenance.

front of the United States Capitol. "Your commitment and dedication to get good-paying jobs make Job Corps the most successful federal training program serving your age group."

Graduate, Ashley Mitchell, understands this first hand. "I know good jobs are out there-I just have to be willing to run after the opportunity with everything I've got. I volunteered hundreds of hours this year for that one extra good reference and bullet point on my resume". Mitchell graduated from the Forestry Conservation and Wildland Firefighting program.

Shriver ended his video address

by passing along advice from his father and Job Corps founder Sargent Shriver: "Just keep working hard. Something good will happen."
Oconaluftee's graduates are proof of that including 1997 Oconaluftee
JCCCC graduate and keynote graduation speaker, Jennifer Charand who completed the Health Occupations program and is now a successful Senior Program Manager with Aetna Healthcare in Georgia.

The Oconaluftee Job Corps Civilian Conservation Center is associated with the National Forests of North Carolina. It is accredited by the Council On Occupational Education and currently serves 104 stu-

dents. The mission of the USDA Forest Service is to sustain the health, diversity, and productivity of the Nation's forests and grasslands to meet the needs of present and future generations. The Agency manages over 200 million acres of public land, provides assistance to State and private landowners, and maintains the largest forestry research organization in the world.

Holly is the liaison specialist and WBL manager with the Oconaluftee Job Corps Civilian Conservation Center.

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## Opinions and Letters word Limit for Letters is 250 words

### Thank you

I would like to say a big thank you to Larry Ward and Junior Jenkins for taking their time going and getting the free food for the reservation. I would also like to thank the helper for helping to hand the food out. All food is free even if you don't have a donation.

**Jimmy Williams** 

### Thank you

The family of Beatrice Maney Carver would like to take this opportunity to thank everyone for the prayers, flowers, food, support and beautiful singing during her illness and subsequent passing. We would like to say a very special thank you to her nieces, Vera Rathbone and Rena "Iggy" Wachacha, for the special care shown to her daily. Thank you Sis Ensley and Aunt Linda Wiggins for always being there for her when she needed you, and now for being there for us too.

We'd also like to say thank you to all the singers who came to sing for our mother and family; she truly loved to hear each and every one of you and was comforted by the kind words spoken and by all the prayers lifted up on her behalf. Thank you to all the countless people who brought food, shared stories, or who just came to lend a shoulder to cry on, we will never forget you and are so thankful that you showed our mother how much she truly meant to us all.

We would also like to apologize to Abbygayle Grace Swayney, Andy Ray Carver, and Jack Johnson, for the misspelling of your names in the obituary, it was most definitely unintentional. Thank you to Pastor Richie Sneed for conducting the services and to the pall bearers –

Dwayne Wiggins, Jack Johnson, Justin Carver, Johi Griffin, Darrell Brown and Steve McCoy – she sincerely loved all of you! Also, a special thanks to Rick Sneed, the CBC Construction & Facility Department, and Tribal Construction for preparing the grave site.

Words will never be able to express our appreciation and gratitude to everyone; please continue to keep us in your prayers and may God richly bless you all.

Allen "Rabbit", Chad, Rhonda, Abbygayle and Statham

### Senior Citizens Fuel Program taking applications started Wednesday

The Cherokee Senior Citizens Program started taking fuel applications on Wednesday, Sept. 5.

- 1. Must be 59½
- Must be an enrolled member of the Eastern Band of Cherokee Indians
- 3. Must live in the five (5) counties service area: Swain, Jackson, Cherokee, Graham and Haywood 4. The residence where the fuel is to be delivered must be the primary residence of the senior citizen.
- 5. Only (1) one service per residence
- 6. Only (1) one type of fuel per residence
- 7. All seniors must reapply every year
- 8. Must apply for the primary heat source only

- 9. Applications will start being taken in September. A notice will be put in the local papers as to what date.
- 10. Heating season is from Oct. 1 thru May 31.
- 11. Gas must be the primary heating source to receive a gas tank purchase.
- 12. A one-time purchase of a 320 gallon tank or purchase of the tank that is currently being used at the residence.
- 13. Only one gas tank per household. If clients already own a tank purchased with tribal funds such as HIP Program, Qualla Housing or any other program they will not receive another tank.

  14. If a gas tank is purchased then the primary

heat cannot be changed for three (3) years.

- 15. Client assumes all responsibility for the tank
- 16. All accounts must have a zero balance before any new funding will be applied for the new heating season.
- 17. It is the client's responsibility to pay for any fuel that is delivered over the budgeted amount (\$1000.00).

If heating with electric, please bring power bill.

Info: Kathy Smith 554-6860

- Senior Citizens Program







### Yellowhill Judo Club wins medals at Nito Cup

Three members of the Yellowhill Judo Club won medals at the Nito Cup in Winston Salem on Saturday, Aug. 25.

Nickolas Wolfe won a silver medal in the 7-8 light division and a bronze medal in the 7-8 medium division. Francisco Sky Figueroa won a gold medal in the 11-12 heavy division and William F. Lambert won a bronze medal in the 90kg division.

"Thank you to all who continue to help donate so they can compete in tournaments," said Mary Wolfe-Lambert, Yellowhill Judo Club.

- Yellowhill Judo Club

# Lady Braves volleyball falls to Franklin, Swain

The Lady Braves varsity volley-ball team (2-4) lost 3-0 to Franklin on Monday, Aug. 27. The match scores were 25-11, 25-9, 25-12.

"There was outstanding net play by Callie Phillips, Avery Mintz and Taran Swimmer with finished with six, five and four kills respectively and combined with Miranda Smith for six blocks and numerous put-backs," said Coach Kim Arkansas.

The next night they took on Swain and lost 3-0 with match scores of 27-25, 25-10, 25-15. "Tuesday night's match against Swain wrapped up a tough threematch stretch against some of the premier volleyball teams in our area," said Arkansas. "The Lady Braves are improving every day and we look forward to getting some

more marks in the win column." The JV Lady Braves also dropped two games this week. They lost to Franklin 2-0 and Swain 2-0. Coach Arkansas related, "Our JV continue to play a high level of volleyball. Our team made some incredible hustle plays during the match."

- ONE FEATHER STAFF REPORT

### **Attention Bear Hunters**

In an effort to better understand the black bear population on tribal lands, the Cherokee Department of Fisheries and Wildlife Management is giving blaze orange hats to hunters who report harvest data and submit premolar teeth for aging. Report forms and tooth envelopes are available at the Fisheries and Wildlife Management office (Tribal Utilities Building, 1840 Paint Town Rd.) and the Natural Resource En-

forcement office (517 Sequoyah Trail). Info: Mike LaVoie 497-1802

- Cherokee Dept. of Fisheries and Wildlife Management

### Attention all EBCI Livestock Owners

If you are interested in showcasing your livestock at the 100th Annual Cherokee Indian Fair on Oct. 2-6, please contact Howard Wahnetah 554.6471 or Frieda Huskey 554.6492 about the kinds of animals you want to showcase and approximately how much space your animals will need. The deadline to submit your information will be Thursday, Sept. 6 at 4pm.

- Tonya Carroll, Division of Commerce



### **Rita Ramsey Martinez**

Rita Ramsey Martinez, 46, of the Wolfetown community went home to be with the Lord, Sunday, Aug. 26, 2012 in Cherokee Indian Hospital. A native of Cherokee, she was the daughter of the late Charlie and Betty Arch Ramsey. She also was preceded in death by two brothers, Johnathan Arch and David Long, Sr. She is survived by her husband of 28 years, Lupe Martinez; one son, Joe Martinez of the home; three sisters, Clara Seguoyah of Cherokee, Annie Young of Cherokee, Brenda Hernandez of Cherokee; two brothers, Allen Ramsey of Cherokee, Clarence Cucumber of Canton; several half brothers and sisters.

No services are planned. Online condolences at www.crispfuneral-home.org

### **Dennis Lee Coons**

Dennis Lee Coons, age 57, left us Wednesday, Aug. 29, 2012. Dennis was the son of the late Carroll A. Coons and Phyllis Coons. Dennis lost his battle with a very fast acting cancer.

Dennis was born in Bryson City on April 3, 1955. He was a military veteran and had joined the US Air Force in 1975 and proudly served until 1983. After traveling the world he returned to his beloved mountains.

He is survived by his mother, Phyllis; brother, Carroll Jr. (Mike); sister, René; daughter, LeeAnn; grandsons, Austin and Zachary; niece Rebel, and a host of aunts, uncles and cousins.

The family received friends on Saturday, Sept.1 from 6-7pm at the chapel of Long House Funeral Home. No other services are planned.

Long House is assisting the family with arrangements. In lieu of flowers, the family requests that donations may be made in his memory to the USO. An on-line memorial register is available at www.longhousefuneralhome.com.

### Norma Michelle Rattler

Norma Michelle Rattler, age 44, of Cherokee passed away on Aug. 30, 2012 at Mission Hospital in Asheville following a brief Illness. She was preceded in death by her parents, Norman M. Rattler and Corporation.

nelia Lossiah Rattler; a son, Travis Brent Wade, and a sister, Woodie Denise Rattler.

She is survived by her husband, Brian Keith Watty; son, Joseph Lee Otter; daughter, Cornelia Iona Rattler; stepson, Ryan Keith Watty; brother, Dennis L. Rattler; and sister, Esther S. Roach, and one grandchild The family received friends on Saturday, Sept. 1 at Piney Grove Church. The body remained at the church until the service hour of 2pm on Sunday, Sept.2.

The Rev. James "Bo" Parris officiated. Pall bearers were John Toineeta, Kenny Roach, William Tosh Davis, Henry Shell, Alvin Tolley and Jake Lambert.

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Call 554-6263 or email scotmckie@nc-cherokee.com for more information about print display ads and web ads.



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If you any questions about Encephalitis please contact Healthy Cherokee/ Injury Prevention 497-7460.

PSA Courtesy of Healthy Cherokee/ Injury Prevention



# **EBCI Cooperative Extension News**

### Youth are encouraged to enter arts/crafts in Indian Fair

### By HEATHER JAMES

EBCI 4-H AGENT

T's that time of year again to be preparing your youth to participate in the Cherokee Indian Fair by taking part in a time old tradition of entering their items for display and judging for all the community to enjoy. Did you know that anything created during the last year is eligible for entry in the youth, young adult and Cloverbud division"

Those amazing arts/crafts your child has been creating all year at school and in their free time are perfect to share with the community by entering them into the fair. This is a way to encourage your child to be active in the community, as well as help the Cherokee Indian Fair exhibit hall be a spectacular sight to enjoy during fair week. As an added

bonus, your child may earn a little spending money to boot!

Don't worry if you have not thought about what your child is entering yet because there is still plenty of time. The first thing to do is to check out what categories are offered for your child to enter their creations in. This can be done by looking online at www.theonefeather.com for the categories, or coming by Cooperative Extension to pick up a full book of entry categories.

One category that has always been a favorite of mine is the recycled craft. This can be done using a variety of things around your house that you already have! This is also a wonderful opportunity to teach your child about the importance of reducing, reusing and recycling. In the hustle and bustle of everyday life, recycling isn't always the number one

priority. But, with our environment in need of greater awareness and care, it's important that we teach our kids about the importance of taking care of the world in which we live.

### Did you know?

The average person generates 4.5 pounds of trash every day – about 1.5 tons of solid waste per year. And, the Environmental Protection Agency (EPA) estimates that 75 percent of solid waste is recyclable, only about 30 percent is actually recycled.

There's no better day than today to talk to kids about recycling, why it's helpful and what we can do as families to make our own positive footprint on Mother Earth.

### Job Description: EBCI Extension Director

The EBCI Extension Director is a member of the faculty of North Carolina State University. The major responsibility of the job is to provide leadership for and coordinate the efforts of the Extension staff in developing an effective total Extension educational program. Responsibilities also include marketing Extension programs and its impacts to stakeholders. Experience working with the Eastern Band of the Cherokee Indians or other Native American Tribes or groups is a plus.

To apply for this position, please click on the following link:

http://iobs.ncsu.edu/post-

http://jobs.ncsu.edu/postings/10723

### 2012 Cherokee Indian Fair Exhibits info

### Theme: Timeless Traditions & Culture

Exhibit entries for the fair will be accepted Friday, Sept.28 from 8am – 8 pm at the Exhibit Hall.

• Fresh items: Entries for Baked Goods will be accepted on Monday, Oct. 1, from 8am -1 pm.
Wildflowers and Garden Flower
Arrangements will be taken on Monday, Oct. 1 from 8 am – 1 pm. Pickup for Baked Goods & containers will be 4 pm – 6 pm.

### **Entry Requirements:**

- You must present an enrollment card verifying you are an enrolled member of the Eastern Band of Cherokee Indians.
- A W-9 form must be completed before prize money can be awarded.
- You must have made what you are

exhibiting and it must have been made since the Fair last year.

- Items must fit into a category on the exhibit list to be eligible for a prize.
- Only one entry per person per category.
- Cooperative Extension reserves the right to reject any entry.
- Items are entered "at your own risk." Cooperative Extension cannot guarantee the safety or condition on your exhibited items.
- All prize money will be mailed to the winners.
- Judges' decisions are final.

### **Community Club Exhibits**

Community Club officers need to reserve booth space through the Extension office at 554-6939. Booths will be assigned through a drawing

held at 8 am on Saturday, Sept. 29. Booths must be completed by 5 pm on Saturday. Prize money will range from \$800 for first place to \$50 for tenth place.

Judging Criteria:

- Reflecting the theme
- Agriculture
- Culture
- Church
- Youth Activities
- Senior Citizens Activities
- Other Community Activities (sport, educational, environmental, etc.)
- Evidence of Progress in the Community
- Overall Appearance of Booth Exhibit

- Janet Owle

### **Quilting Class**

The Extension Center is offering free quilting classes to the public. They will meet once a month, usually on Monday evening from 6-8pm. If you do not have a sewing machine, there is an extra one at the office. The group will be starting a Christmas Quilt in September. Everyone is welcome to attend. Info: Janet Owle 554-6934 or Beth Johnson 554-6925.

- Janet Owle

### RTCAR works with LTLT on river cane

n Friday, Aug. 24, RTCAR (Revitalization of Traditional Cherokee Artisan Resources) joined with Dennis Desmond of the Land Trust for the Little Tennessee and five truckloads of basketmakers, harvesters, and family to scope out butternut plantings and the river cane they are monitoring in Tessentee. Although the cane there needs another year or two to be basket quality, harvesters were able to go to Cowee to harvest. Shown in the photo is first time harvester Megan Stamper who learned to weave river cane baskets at Cherokee High School from Lucille Lossiah, who was also on the trip. Stamper is now a full time student at Southwestern Community College. RTCAR works with watershed organizations as partners to look for quality cane for basketmakers.

- Beth Ross Johnson, RTCAR



Photo by Beth Ross Johnson, RTCAR Megan Stamper was one of several Cherokee basketmakers to make a trip to Tennessee

Extension Calendar

**Qualla Quilters Guild**Monday, Sept. 10 at 5pm
Cooperative Extension Offices.

Cherokee Preservation
Foundation 10th Annual
Photo Contest Winners
(and all youth submissions)on
exhibit Wednesday, Sept. 12Oct. 10
Cooperative Extension Offices

Fair Submissions
Friday, Sept. 28 from 8am –
8pm Exhibit entries

**Cherokee Indian** 

Monday, Oct. 1 from 8am – 1pm Baked goods and flowers

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to evaluate river cane growing there.



# **Cherokee Indian Hospital Authority Report**

# Just say no to MRSA

By ANDREA CRISP, RN

CHEROKEE COMMUNITY HEALTH

he start of school can mean the start of a year of sports-football, basketball, soccer, wrestling and baseball just to name a few. It can also mean lots of cuts and bumps and bruising. Pair this with locker rooms, dirty hands and shared equipment and it can mean a recipe for disaster. There are things that can be done to minimize this risk. This article will talk about skin infections related to MRSA and ways to prevent or minimize that risk.

MRSA stands for methicillin resistant staph aureus. Simply put, it is a staph germ that has become resistant to certain antibiotics. Potentially, it can become a serious infection. About half of the 12 million doctor visits each year for skin infections

can be attributed to MRSA. There are things we can do to decrease our chances of getting infected with MRSA. Athletes can be at higher risk because of many factors. Certain sports increase skin to skin contact. Training facilities are used by multiple people. Often the equipment is not cleaned between participants and it would be almost impossible to change that in many cases. Also, players sweat a lot and often wear clothing that can rub or irritate the skin causing abrasions or pimple like areas. A few hygiene tips can go a long way to help decrease this risk.

First, take good care of yourself. Shower daily. Shower after work outs. Wash your hands before entering the workout room and again as soon as you are done. Don't share towels, razors, bar soap or other personal items. Don't pick at cuts, scabs

or pimples. If you are asked to help bandage a wound, wash your hands before and after and wear gloves. If no soap and water is available, use alcohol based hand sanitizer. If you have a cut or scrape, cover it up. Wear a bandage or a band aid. Don't pick up or touch dirty bandages. Make sure they go in a trash can. If possible, wear flip flops in community showers. Wash your clothing after each use. If at all possible, dry it in a dryer. Heat from a dryer will kill MRSA.

If you think you may have an infection, show a parent, coach or trainer. Signs of infection are redness around the wound, hot or warm feeling skin around the wound, pain and /or drainage from the wound. Fever may indicate the wound has gotten seriously infected and you should seek medical attention. Often

patients think they have been spider bit. If you think you have a skin infection, see your health care provider immediately. Prompt attention to infection dramatically decreases the chances the infection will become serious. Remember, not all infections are MRSA.

Coaches and trainers need to enforce good hygiene. They also need to be sure proper cleaning occurs in locker rooms, weight rooms and showers. The EPA offers guidance on the types of products that should be used to disinfect and how to use them. MRSA can be spread by touching contaminated objects, therefore good hand washing is key to prevention as well as wearing clean clothing and using clean towels. Info: Cherokee Community Health 554-6882.

### Mosquitoes causing record West Nile Virus Outbreak

### SUBMITTED By BELINDA WILSON

West Nile Virus (WNV) is a viral infection caused by the bite of a diseased mosquito. About 80 percent of people infected with WNV will have no symptoms. A few people, about 1 out of 150, who have the virus will develop severe illness. A few people will see symptoms develop in 3 to 14 days after an in-

fected mosquito bite.

According to the CDC, people over the age of 50 or those with chronic disease, such as diabetes or kidney disease run the highest risk of developing serious symptoms and less than 1 percent of those with West Nile Virus will develop encephalitis or meningitis.

What are the symptoms of wnv?

High fever

- Headache
- Neck stiffness
- · Nausea and vomiting

A milder virus can also cause body aches, swollen glands and a rash. The virus has no specific treatment, however the elderly and chronically ill may require hospitalization.

If you are chronically ill with kidney disease, diabetes, high

blood pressure or cancer and you develop unusually severe headaches or confusion, seek medical attention quickly.

Belinda is a public health nurse with Cherokee Community Health.

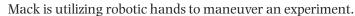
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Cherokee Center Report
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Pictured at right is Mack Lackey, son of Mr. Rick Lackey who teaches 5th grade at Cherokee Elementary School. Mack attended the MedCat program in July with other high school students in the region at Wake Forest University. MedCat, Medical Careers and Technology, is a cooperative effort between Western Carolina University and WFU to promote careers in medicine. Highlights of the intensive program were touring Wake Forest Medical School and Hospital. They observed and had hands-on experiences in a chemistry and medical labs, a cardiac cath lab, and bioimaging. At the hospital they got to observe a prostate gland removal and the insertion of a stint into the heart. The students worked in teams on a project and met with health professionals and medical students to learn how to reach the goals they set. The MedCat program will continue, as funding allows, so high school students and parents keep your eyes open for announcements on this incredible opportunity. In the meantime, you may contact the Cherokee Center or Dr. Lisa Lefler at the Health and Human Sciences College for more information.





WCU Photo

### **Board of Elections** Contact Information

Swain County Board of Elections 1422 US Highway 19 South Bryson City, NC 28713 828-488-6177

Jackson County Board of Elections 401 Grindstaff Cove Road, Suite 249 Sylva, NC 28779 828-586-7538

Graham County Board of Elections 18 Court Street Robbinsville, NC 28771 828-479-7969

Cherokee County **Board of Elections** 40 Peachtree Street Murphy, NC 28906 828-837-6670

### EBCI HOUSING AND COMMUNITY DEVELOPMENT DIVISION

Is seeking qualifications from contractors who are Professional Licensed Surveyors with a cFeds certificate from the Bureau of Land Management. Requirements include but are not limited to: Provide professional surveying services by a licensed Professional Surveyor who has obtained a Certified Federal Surveyors Certificate through the Bureau of Land Management, for enrolled members of the E.B.C.I. Working through the Realty office of the B.I.A. and funded by the Housing and Community Development Division Survey Program. Contractor shall supply all materials and labor necessary to complete required survey work to include paper, Mylar and digital documents as required by the contract. Contractor is required to install iron pins at all turns and aluminum caps at two opposite corners of the property being surveyed. All lines will be cut out and marked with flagging to insure clear definition of the property lines. All surveys will be grid tied to North Carolina Ground Plane using Laser Instruments and Global Positioning Systems according to North Carolina and Tribal laws. All work must be sealed by the licensed surveyor with a minimum of \$1,000,000 of liability insurance as well as professional services insurance to cover the work guarantee that will be required by the contract. Automobile liability insurance with coverage for owned, hired, and non-owned automobiles, with limits of not less than \$1,000,000; Workers Compensation insurance as well as a certified copy of surveying license and cFeds certificate is required. This request is for qualifications and the contract will be awarded according to qualifications for said services, as well the EBCI Housing and Community Development office has the right to reject any and all submissions based on lack of required qualifications.

More than one professional surveyor may be selected. Selections will be made based on qualifications not price but per hour prices for services should be included for reference. 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.

Submit proposal to: Mark A. Kephart (828-557-4397) Housing Services Manager at the Housing & Community Development office by mail at PO Box 455, or in person at 756 Acquoni Road, Cherokee NC 28719.

Deadline for return is Friday, September 14th, 2011 by COB.

# \* Cherokee Churches submit new listings or changes to scotmckie@nc-cherokee.com.

Acquoni Baptist Church. 722 Acquoni Road. 497-7106. Sunday School 10am. Sunday Morning Worship 11am. Sunday Choir Practice 6pm. Sunday Evening Worship 7pm. Monday Visitation and Singing 6pm. Wednesday Prayer Meeting 6pm.

Pastor Ed Kilgore 497-6521 (h)

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. Contact information 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. Supper is provided at 5:30 each Wednesday evening in the Fellowship Hall. Pastor Percy Cunningham 497-2761, 497-3799 (fax)

Cherokee Bible Church. Olivet Church Road. Sunday Service 10am. Wednesday Service 7pm. Pastor Randy Miller 497-2286

Cherokee Church of Christ. 2350 Old Mission Road and Hwy. 19. Sunday Bible Study 10am. Sunday Worship 11am. Sunday Evening Worship 6pm. Wednesday Bible Study 6pm. Minister Jim Sexton 497-3334

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

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

**Cherokee Healing Waters Mission.** New Hours Tuesday night Bible Study 7pm, Pastor Tony Bernhisel 497-2122, Tony11110@frontier.com



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Cherokee Pentecostal Holiness Church. 135 Long Branch Road. Wednesday night service, 7pm; Sunday school, 10am; Sunday worship service, 11am; Sunday night service, 6pm., Pastor Donald Ensley 497-5829

Cherokee United Methodist Church. Hwy 19 – Wolftown Road. Sunday Worship Service 11am. Sunday Praise and Worship 7pm. Wednesday Family Night 5:30-7:30pm. Thursday Bible Study 6:30pm at Ramada Inn. The Reverend Heidi Campbell-Robinson 497-2948

Cherokee Wesleyan Church. Hwy 19 across from Happy Holiday Campground. Sunday School 10am. Sunday Worship 11am, followed by Fellowship Dinner second Sunday of each month. Sunday Evening Kids Club 5pm. 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

Church of Jesus Christ of Latter Day Saints. Hwy 441S. Sacrament Service 10am. Wednesday Meetings 6:30pm. 497-7651

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

**Living Waters Lutheran Church.** 30 Locust Road. Sunday Service 11am. Food Pantry Open 2nd and 4th Wednesdays of each month from 14pm. 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.gbgm-umc.org/olivetumnc-whittier/

Our Lady of Guadalupe Catholic Church.

82 Lambert Branch Road. Spanish Mass Saturday 7:30pm. Sunday Mass 9am. Pastor Shawn O'Neal 497-9755 or 497-9498

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

Potter's House of Prayer. Inez Welch Residence on Adams Creek. Sundays at 9:30am and 6pm, Wednesdays at 6pm. Preacher: William Cornwell. Everyone welcome. Come as you are. Info: William 736-6925, Charlene Cornwell 736-2232 or Deacon John Biddix

**Rock Hill Baptist Church.** 736-6334. Sunday Worship 11am. Choir practice after church. Thursday Bible Study 7pm. Pastor Red Woodard

**Rock Springs Baptist Church**. 129 Old Gap Road. Sunday School 10am. Sunday Service 11am and 6:30pm. Wednesday Service 6:30pm. Pastor Greg Morgan 497-6258, 736-1245 (cell)

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

**St. Francis of Assisi Episcopal Church of Cherokee.** 82 Old River Road. Holy Communion Sunday 9:30am. Rev. Dr. Norma H. Hanson (828) 277-7399

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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# \* Clubs/Organizations SUBMIT NEW LISTINGS OR CHANGES TO SCOTMCKIE@NC-CHEROKEE.COM.

Big Y Community Club meets the second Tuesday of each month at the Big Y Community Build-

**Birdtown Community Club** meets the last Tuesday of each month at 6pm at the Birdtown Community Building. Info: Sarah Sneed, chairwoman, 269-4493

The Cherokee Cancer Support Group is a non-profit organization assisting cancer patients and care-givers on the Boundary, indiscriminately. Their objective is to support, educate and provide individual services as needed. The support group meets the first Thursday of each month at 5:30pm at SAFE HAVEN, 40 Goose Creek Rd. SAFE HAVEN is staffed from 10am – 2pm on Tuesdays and Wednesdays. Appointments can be made for additional assistance. Personal fittings can be arranged during these times as well. Info: 497-0788, email: cherokeeCSG@gmail.com, P.O. Box 543, Cherokee.

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

The Cherokee Runners meet on the 1st and 15th of each month at 7pm at the Age Link Conference Room. If those dates happen to fall on a Sunday, they will meet the following day. Info: Gerri Grady gerrgrady@yahoo.com or visit www.cherokeerunners.com

Cherokee Speakers Gathering is normally held on the fourth Thursday of every month. All Cherokee speakers and Cherokee Language learners are welcome to enjoy a potluck dinner and an evening of fellowship in the Cherokee language. These events are sponsored by the Kituwah Preservation & Education Program and, in part, by the Cherokee Preservation Foundation. Info: Billie Jo Rich 554-6404 or bjrich@nc-cherokee.com

### Girl Scout Carolinas Peaks to Piedmont.

Serving girls in Clay, Cherokee, Graham, Jackson, Macon, Swain Counties and the Qualla Boundary. This program is for girls in grades K-12. Info: Karen Bartlett, membership manager, 488-6537 or KBartlett@GirlScoutsP2P.org

The North American Indian Women's Association (NAIWA) Cherokee Chapter meets the second Thursday of each month at 6pm at the Birdtown Recreation Center. Info: Bessie Wallace, chapter president, 497-2389 or Carmaleta Monteith, chapter treasurer, Carmaleta@msn.com

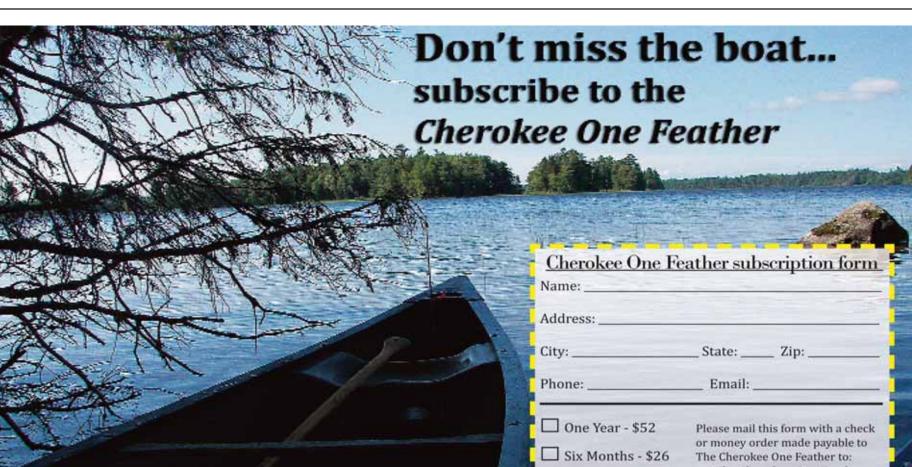
Paint Town Community Club meets the last Monday of each month at 5:30pm at the Community Building. Info: 497-3731, ChairPTCC@gmail.com

**Solid Rock Outreach.** Monday -Closed; Tuesday - 9am-3pm Food Boxes Available; Wednesday - 9am-3pm Food Boxes Available; Thursday 9am-3pm Food Boxes Available; Saturday - 9am-1pm Food Distribution

**Snowbird Community Club** meets the first Tuesday of each month or the Tuesday before the Tribal Council meeting. Info: Roger Smoker, chairman, (828) 479-8678 or (828) 735-2533, smoker7@frontier.com

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

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



# \* Cherokee Happenings submit new listings or changes to scotmckie@nc-cherokee.com.

### Church Events

Fundraiser breakfast. Sept. 7 at 6:30am at Yellowhill Community Building. This event is sponsored by the Living Waters Lutheran Church and will include a yard sale and raffle items. The menu includes your choice of bacon or sausage, coffee or juice, gravy, two eggs, and a biscuit.

Revival Services. Sept. 9-12 at Macedonia Baptist Church. Bro. Brandon Morris will be preaching 11am and 6pm Sunday and 7pm the remainder of the week. There will also be special singing every night.

### Healing Ministry classes. Sept. 9, 16 and 23

from 11:15am -12pm in the parish hall at St. Francis Episcopal Church which is behind the Econo Lodge in downtown Cherokee. The series is made by Francis McNutt, well known in the healing ministry and former Catholic priest. Info: Norma Hanson (828) 277-7399

Blessing for animals. Oct. 7 at 2pm at St. Francis Episcopal Church. Rev. Norma Hanson will bless all animals brought the church. Dogs should be on leashes, cats in carry-on crates, and others like lizards can be brought in boxes. Horses and goats are welcome. All God's critters have a place in God's kingdom. Info: Norma Hanson (828) 277-7399

Solid Rock Outreach. Monday-Closed; Tuesday-Closed; Wednesday- 8am-4pm Food Boxes Available; Thursday-8am-4pm Food Boxes Available; Friday- 8am-4pm Food Boxes Available; Saturday-Closed until further notice. Info: (828) 356-7312

### General Events

Farm Service Agency outreach meeting. **Sept. 6** at 4:30pm in the Exhibit Hall of the Cherokee Indian Fairgrounds. A BBQ meal will be served at 5:30pm with a presentation on Prescribed Grazing, Farm Land Preservation, Grants and Research from WCU at 6pm. Info and handouts available from various agencies. Info: 488-2684, ext. 2 or 586-6193, ext. 2

Energy Efficiency Presentation. Sept. 6 from 5-7pm at the Birdtown Gym (MMA facility). This presentation, hosted by the EBCI Office of Environment & Natural Resources, will include energy saving techniques of current homeowners, green building techniques for new home construction and products to use to during construction and re-modeling to increase a healthy home space (i.e.

Low VOC Products, Child Safe Products). All EBCI tribal members are encouraged to attend.

17th Annual Fire Side Circle Sobriety Camp Out. Sept. 6-9 at Yogi in the Smokies Campground on Big Cove Road. Registration is \$35 per person and includes campsite and meals. Registration is free to EBCI tribal members. Activities include AA/AL-ANON speakers, Talking Cirles, Sobriety Walk, and a Sobriety Pow Wow on Saturday. The Sobriety Walk will be held Friday, Sept. 7. Walkers should meet at 10am at the parking lot across the street from the casino. Reserve your spot by mailing your check to Fireside Circle, c/o Herb Wachacha, P.O. Box 2015, Cherokee, NC 28719. Info: Herb 506-8563

Benefit for David Tranter. Sept. 7 at the Cherokee EMS Building. Indian taco, desert and drink for \$7. David works with the Cherokee Fire Dept. and has been out of work since February due to a knee injury. For call-in and delivery, Jamie 788-2454

**Mountain State Fair. Sept. 7-16** at the Western N.C. Ag Center in Fletcher. Competitions are open to North Carolina residents only, and the deadline to submit entry forms is Aug. 24. Contest information can be downloaded at www.mountainfair.org/mountain-state-fair/competitions.html. Info: www.mountainfair.org

Sampson Boss and Lizzie (Arneach) Welch **Family Reunion. Sept. 9** from 1-5pm at the Cherokee Indian Fairgrounds.

### Girl Scout recruitment meeting. Sept. 12

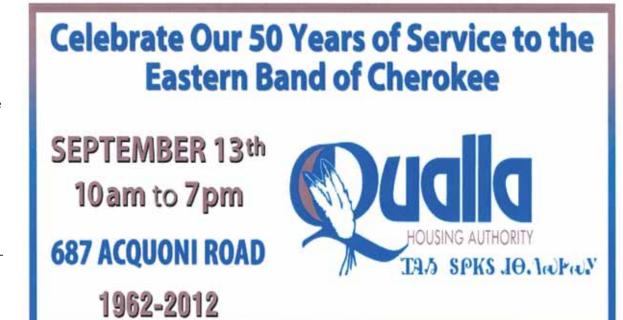
from 5-7pm at the Wolftown Community Building. Info: Karen Bartlett 488-6537, kbartlett@girlscoutsp2p.org or visit www.girlscoutsp2p.org

Cherokee Mask Making Class. Sept. 17-19 at the Yellowhill Community Club Building. This class, led by Reuben Teesateskie, is funded by a grant from the Cherokee Preservation Foundation. Ten places are available for EBCI tribal members. Bring a knife and chisels. Info: Dawn 497-3103 or darneach@quallartandcrafts.org

Painttown After -School Sign-ups are ongoing. The cost is \$15 a week per child, and the center can take up to 25 children.

### Artists, craftspeople, food vendors wanted for 7th Annual Southeast Tribes Festival

The Seventh Annual Southeast Tribes Festival will take place Sept. 14 and 15 at the Cherokee Indian Fairgrounds. The festival welcomes all the original tribes of the Southeast. All participants must be enrolled members of federally recognized tribes, and their work will be juried. Submit an application and \$25 non-refundable fee for a booth for artists, craftspeople, and food vendors. Food vendors must also pay the Swain County health inspection fee and arrange for inspection. Applications are available at the front desk of the Museum of the Cherokee Indian and need to be returned by Sept. 4. Info: www.cherokeemuseum.org



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### Cherokee Trading Post Classified ads are \$5 for 30 words

### **FOR SALE**

New 2 bedroom, 14 wide, only \$22355. Call now! Only one left! 667-2529. UFN

New 14X80 Special 3 bedroom, **2 bath.** Spacious! Only \$28281! Call while supplies last. 667-2529. **UFN** 

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Why rent? Only \$28281 for this new 14X80 spacious 3 bedroom! Call now at 667-2529. **UFN** 

40 Acre Farm for Sale by Owner. 13 miles from Harrah's. 1 ½ miles from Sylva. 2 homes with new horse barn. Maine Ranch type. Home has 3200 heated space with 900 square foot deck and 20'x 40' breezeway, guest house has 3 bedrooms, its own water and sewer systems and is private from the main home. Balance of property is in stand of young timber and is under tax deferment by the USFS. Property is approved by Jackson Co. Planning Board and has many beautiful home sites. Creek runs full length of the property with 4 springs. Can be bought for county appraisal. Owner retiring. 828-736-4388. 9/6pd

RED WHITE AND BLUE SALE, **IULY 26-28!** BIG DISCOUNTS! FOOD AND MUSIC ON SATURDAY, JULY 28, DON'T WAIT!! DON'T RENT! FIRST TIME HOMEBUYERS PROGRAMS AND MORE! CALL 667-2529 FOR DETAILS. UFN

**HUGE CASH DISCOUNTS ON ALL** SINGLEWIDES!!! CALL 667-2529. **UFN** 

10 acres-pasture, 50 mile views, easy access, electric, home & barn site, more land available. \$165,000.00 Owner financing. 863-221-1091. **9/20pd** 

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**Know that all your real estate** dreams can be done by a company you can trust and the agent you need. Call Summer Adams with Dancing Stones Real Property Services for buying, selling, leasing or renting on the Cherokee Qualla Boundary or anywhere in western North Carolina. Tribally approved and licensed to service on the Boundary. Approximately 50-75 building sites in the 3200 Acre Tract to be developed. \$5,000 for the first acre and \$4,000 each afterwards. 828)371-2998 or email at smadads30@yahoo.com. UFN

Avenues Counseling w/Beth Farris, LPC and Licensed Addiction Specialist is available to help you address stressors and to look at different coping skills. Non-DWI Substance AbuseAssessments or Trauma and or Couples Counseling. Call 828-421-9855 for more info. **9/6pd** 

Handy Man. Yard work and build rustic furniture, house painting, deck preserving, power clean, window cleaning, remodeling work. Call Ham Huskey (828) 736-6694. 9/13pd

### 18th Century Silver Jewelry.

Trade Beads, Beaded Belts, Baskets, Pottery By Joel Queen, Carvings, Pendleton Blankets, Mountain T-Shirts. Coyote's 1053 Tsalagi Rd., Beside Subway. Cherokee (828) 497-2444. **9/27pd** 

Real Estate - Residential and **Commercial Property.** Featured Listing: On Trust Land in the Wolfetown Community: \$275,000 for a 3 BR/1.5 Bath House with 3 acres +/- and \$150,000 for 58 acres +/with at least ten buildable home sites. Or \$380,000 for all the possessory holding property. Commercial Leases available in Downtown Cherokee area and near the Casino. Deeded home site tracts on Black Rock adjacent to the Cherokee boundary for sale. Visit www.CherokeeMountains.info for Trust Land property listings and www.TheCherokeeMountains.com for Deeded property listings. Contact REALTOR/Broker at 828-497-3015 or arizona@dancingstones.com. Dancing Stones Real Property Services - TERO certified. 9/13pd

### WANTED

**Buying Wild Ginseng.** 2pm – 4pm Saturday, Sept. 1 at Jenkins Grocery then every Sunday and Thursday at the same time. Green only until Sept. 15 then green or dry. Call Ricky Teem (828) 371-1802 or (828) 524-7748. **9/13pd** 

### **FOR RENT**

**For Rent: Grassy Branch:** 3bdrm/2bath unfurnished **home.** Very Private with lots of room. \$1100 per month plus security deposit. References required. Pets acceptable with deposit. Call Yellow Rose Realty at 828-488-2797 for additional details. 9/6

**Bad Credit and Minimum Wage** shouldn't be the end of your **Home Owning Dreams**. When the thought of owning your own home seems impossible, come see us, we know. From us to you we've been there. You work hard to scrape by and make your rent every month essentially paying someone else's mortgage. Why not put that same money into a home that's yours? We here at Southern Affordable Homes make it happen every day. Give us a call, just ask...(828) 452-3355. 9/27pd

For rent: Older home near Sylva. Located on 2.90 acres. Fully furnished, includes water & sewer. Very private with small creek. Ideal for kids. \$550 per month – first & last. No pets. 828-736-4388. 9/6pd

Two BR mobile home for rent behind the Casino, 1 bath, quiet neighborhood, partially furnished, w&d. \$450 deposit, \$475.00 per month, includes water only. No pets. Deposit and first month's rent in advance. Must have references and permanent employment. Available September 1st. Contact Kim at 497-5355 after 4:30. 9/6pd

For rent: 2 bedroom trailer with washer & dryer. Minutes from casino. No drugs. No drunks. No parties. No pets. If interested, call 828-736-2262. 9/20pd

### For Rent: Whittier:

3bdrm/2.5bath unfurnished home in Smoky Mtn Country Club. Access to Country Club Amenities. No pets. No smoking. \$1375/month plus sec.dep. References required. Call Yellow Rose Realty at 828-488-2797 for additional details. 9/6

For rent: 3 bedrooms, 2 baths **mobile.** Ouiet park in Ela. No pets. References/background check required. \$450 per month, \$300 deposit. 828-488-8752. 9/27pd

### **EMPLOYMENT**

### **Eastern Band of** Cherokee Indians

For Deadlines and applications please call 497-8131. Indian Preference does apply A current job application must be submitted. Resumes will not be accepted in lieu of a Tribal application.



### **Positions Open**

### Closing September 14, 2012 @ 4 pm

1. Benefits Clerk-Benefits & Compensation (\$26,140-\$33,340)

### **Open Until Filled**

- 1. EMT-P (Part-time) EMS
- Teacher-Tribal Child Care
- Teacher Assistant-Tribal Child Care
- 4. Language Specialist Assistant- KPEP

### **Health & Medical Positions**

- 1. C.N.A.-Tsali Care Center
- 2. Physician Assistant/Nurse Practitioner- Diabetes
- 3. Clinical Psychologist- Analenisgi
- RN/PRN- Qualla Youth Health Center
- 5. Cook Aide-Tsali Care Center
- 6. Masters Level Therapist- Analensgi
- LPN-Tsali Care Center
- 8. RN-Tsali Care Center (4 Positions)
- 9. Breastfeeding Peer Counselor- WIC

Download Applications/Job Descriptions at the following website! http://www.nc-cherokee.com/humanresources/employment/jobopportunities

**Administrative Secretary** – Serve as receptionist and telephone operator; perform secretarial duties such as typing, filing, creating spreadsheets and other office duties. Will have some duties pertaining to Human Resources. Must have high school diploma or equivalent. Prefer at least a 2 year degree in Office Management or Business or comparable experience. Must be proficient in Microsoft Office. Pay depends on experience. Apply in person at Webster Enterprises, 140 Little Savannah Rd, Sylva NC. Mon.-Fri. 7 am-4:30 pm. 9/20

### **General Election Calendar**

Absentee ballots available for General Election Sept. 7

Oct. 12 Voter registration deadline

for Nov. 6 General Elections

Oct. 18-Nov. 3 One-Stop Voting (early voting) Oct. 30 Deadline to request absentee ballot in writing

Deadline to request ballots for sickness/disability Nov. 5 Absentee ballots must be received in CBE office

Nov. 5 Nov. 6 General Election Day -

Polls open from 6:30 am until 7:30 pm

### Network Support Technician I, II

ORGANIZATION: Cherokee Broadband Enterprises, PO Box 1899, Chero-

kee, NC 28719 (149 B Children's Home Rd)

**DEPARTMENT: Network Operations** 

**OPENING DATE: Immediately** 

CLOSING DATE: September 14, 2012

Cherokee Broadband Enterprise is a growing internet service provider, offering a wide range of outsourced solutions for residential and commercial clients. Our highly dynamic work environment encourages creative thinking, initiative and offers the opportunity to gain experience in many areas of new and advanced technologies.

We are seeking a highly motivated Network Support Technician, with a background in Microsoft, UNIX and Data Networking technologies, who will assume responsibility for the day-to-day support of existing wireless and network service clients.

We value a hands-on, proactive attitude and seek an individual who has a passion for complex technical challenges, with a strong sense of pride in quality of work and performance. Our company works in a highly collaborative fashion, but relies on its employees to set priorities, manage deadlines, complete project plans and support daily tasks.

To obtain a full job description or submit a resume, see Rebekah Young, Office Manager, at Cherokee Broadband Enterprise, Monday through Friday, from 8:00am to 5:00pm or call (828) 359-1001. 9/6

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

- Academic Advisor
- Adjunct Faculty various depts.
- Admin Support various depts.
- Assoc Dir, Intercultural Affairs (0417)
- Asst/Assoc Prof, Eng & Tech (0164)
- Asst/Assoc Prof, FNP Program (1883)
- Asst/Assoc Prof, Human Svcs (1703)
- Asst/Assoc Prof, Special Ed (2329)
- Asst Professor, Hosp & Tourism (2031)
- Asst Professor, Criminology (112721)
- Asst Professor, Political Sci & Pub Affairs (1834)
- Counselor (1370)
- Dir, Intensive English (0178)
- Dir, Special Programs/Teaching Fellows (0316)
- Dist Prof, Instructional Technologies (0478)
- Lecturer various depts.
- Visiting Asst. Prof. various depts.

Please go to jobs.wcu.edu for details and to apply online. AA/EOE. 9/6

### **Cherokee Central Schools Position Opening**

Middle School Science Teacher – NC teacher license is required. Teacher Assistant for Special Education students – AA degree required Cherokeecentral.sharpschool.net Opened till filled. 9/13

**Cleaner Position** – Maintain interior/exterior of manufacturing facility according to FDA/OSHA/ISO and high quality standards. Able to work independently and supervise trainees in our rehabilitation program. Knowledge of the use/mixture of cleaning chemicals. Experience preferred. High School Diploma and driver's license required. Pay depends on experience. Apply in person at Webster Enterprises, 140 Little Savannah Rd, Sylva NC. Mon.-Fri. 7 am-4:30 pm. 9/20

### **LEGALS**

### NOTICE OF FORECLOSURE SALE

FILE NO. CV 12-286

Under and by virtue of the power of sale contained in that certain Deed of Trust executed by AH Cherokee NC, LLC to J.K. Coward, Jr., Trustee, dated August 1, 2007 and recorded in Book XXXVIII, at Page 72, and re-recorded in Book LVII, at Page 2, in the Land Title and Records Office of the Cherokee Agency, Bureau of Indian Affairs, Cherokee, North Carolina, and recorded in Book 1693, at Page 462, Jackson County Register of Deeds, default having been made in the payment of the Note thereby secured by the said Deed of Trust, and the undersigned having been substituted as Trustee in said Deed of Trust by instrument duly recorded in the office of the Land Title and Records Office of the Cherokee Agency, Bureau of Indian Affairs, and in the Office of the Register of Deeds of Jackson County, North Carolina, and the Holder of the Note evidencing said indebtedness having directed that the Deed of Trust be foreclosed, the undersigned Substitute Trustee will offer for sale at the front doors of the Land Titles and Records Office, Cherokee Agency, Bureau of Indian Affairs, 257 Tsali Boulevard, Cherokee, North Carolina, on September 27, 2012, at 10:30 a.m. and will sell to the highest bidder for cash the following leasehold estate:

Generally described as certain real property, with any and all improvements thereon, located in The Qualla Boundary (Eastern Band of Cherokee Indian Reservation), Jackson County, North Carolina, and being more particularly described as follows:

LEASE AREA - PAINTTOWN COMMUNITY PARCEL NO. 780 (PART OF PARCEL NOS. 70, 72 AND ALL OF PARCEL NO. 779 - BEGINNING on Marker No. 771 set in Painttown Community, on the E side of an Access Rd. and is a corner to Parcel No. 71. Thence running with Parcel No. 7, S 87-31E 50.00' to Marker No. 710. Thence running S 04-30W 40.00' to a point, passing over a ½" Iron Rod at 30.00'. Thence leaving Parcel No. 71 and running S 87-31E 233.51 to a point. Thence running N 04-29E 194.00 to Marker No. 706 set on the S R/W of US Hwy. No. 19, passing over a ½" Iron Rod at 10.00' and passing over Marker No. 709 at 40.00. Thence running with the R/W, N 87-30W 210.74' to a point a corner to Parcel No. 781. Thence leaving the R/W and running with Parcel No. 781, S 04-30W 109.00' to a point passing through a building 10.00' from the E end. Thence running N 85-55W 72.68' to a point set on the E side of an Access Road. Thence running S 04-30W 47.09 to The Point of BEGINNING, containing 1.036 Acres.

Together with all additional rights, title, and interests of Grantor conveyed and described in the Deed of Trust recorded in Book XXXVIII, at Page 72, and re-recorded in Book LVII, at Page 2, in the Land Title and Records Office of the Cherokee Agency, Bureau of Indian Affairs, Cherokee, North Carolina, and recorded in Book 1693, at Page 462, Jackson County Register of Deeds

This is the same property described in the Deed of Trust recorded in Book XXXVIII, at Page 72, and re-recorded in Book LVII, at Page 2, in the Land Title and Records Office of the Cherokee Agency, Bureau of Indian Affairs, Cherokee, North Carolina, and recorded in Book 1693, at Page 462, Jackson County Register of Deeds.

The current owner of the leasehold interest is AH Cherokee NC, LLC. The sale is made subject to all taxes (including but not limited to any applicable transfer taxes), special and homeowners' association assessments, and prior liens or encumbrances of record against the said property, unrecorded mechanics' and materialmen's liens, and any recorded releases.

The leasehold interest to be offered pursuant to this Notice of Foreclosure Sale is being offered for sale, transfer and conveyance "AS IS, WHERE IS, AND WITH ALL FAULTS." Neither the Substitute Trustee nor the Holder of

the Note secured by the Deed of Trust/Security Agreement, or both, being foreclosed, nor the officers, directors, attorneys, employees, agents or authorized representatives of either the Substitute Trustee or the Holder of the Note make any representation of warranty relating to the title or any physical, environmental, health or safety conditions existing in, on, at or relating to the leasehold interest being offered for sale, and any and all responsibilities or liabilities arising out of or in any way relating to any such condition expressly are disclaimed.

To the extent not inconsistent with the terms of the Deed of Trust, the Substitute Trustee reserves the right to offer the leasehold interest for sale as a whole or in such parts or parcels thereof as are separately described in the Deed of Trust, or the Substitute Trustee may offer the leasehold interest for sale by each method and sell the leasehold interest by the method which produces the highest price.

A cash deposit not to exceed the greater of five percent (5%) of the amount of the bid or Seven Hundred Fifty and No/100 Dollars (\$750.00) may be required at the time of the sale. If no upset bid is filed within ten (10) days from the date the Report of Foreclosure Sale is filed, a Trustee's Deed will be tendered to the highest bidder. Any successful bidder shall be required to tender the full balance of the purchase price so bid in cash or certified funds at the time the Substitute Trustee tenders to him a Trustee's Deed for the property or attempts to tender such deed, and should said successful bidder fail to pay the full balance purchase price so bid at that time, he may remain liable on his bid as provided for in N.C. Gen. Stat. §§ 45-21.30(d) and (e). In addition to the purchase price so bid any successful bidder will also be responsible for payment of revenue stamps and other costs of closing the

This leasehold interest is subject to limitations regarding possession and transfer under federal and Tribal law.

This the 15th day of August, 2012.

Lance P. Martin
For WASLAW, LLC
Substitute Trustee
Post Office Box 2020
Asheville, NC 28802-2020
Telephone: 828.348.6070

### 9/20

### **Legal Notice**

Eastern Band of Cherokee Indians Cherokee, North Carolina Estate File No. 12-051 Notice to Creditors and Debtors of

### **Irene Beatrice Derry**

All persons, firms and corporations having claims against this estate are notified to exhibit them to the fudicary(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 fudicary(s) listed below.

Dates to submit claims: Dec. 6, 2012

Summer Dawn Priester Adams 46 Meadow Wood Circle Franklin, NC 28734 **9/20pd** 

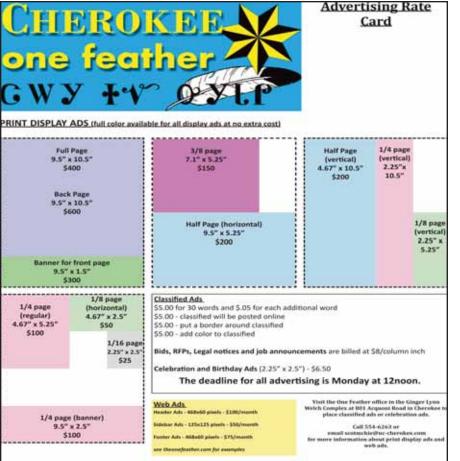
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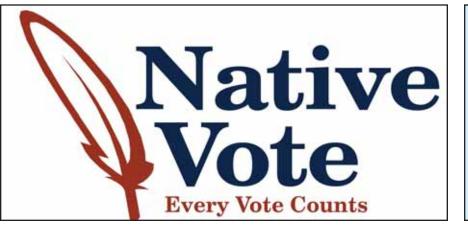
### BIDS, RFPs, etc.

### **Internal Audit Co-Sourcing RFP (OIA-12-03)**

The Office of Internal Audit of the Eastern Band of Cherokee Indians is requesting proposals from experienced individuals, firms or groups for Internal Audit Co-Sourcing opportunity. The work will include assurance and consulting services for select engagements and must conform to the Institute of Internal Auditors' International Standards for the Professional Practice of Internal Auditing and/or other applicable standards. All work will be coordinated with the Director of Internal Audit.

For details, a complete RFP package may be requested by contacting Sharon Blankenship, Director of Internal Audit at 828-497-7071 or sharblan@nc-cherokee.com. Proposals must be received on or before September 21, 2012. **9/13** 





### 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.

Mia Xan Younce Aldridge, Sara Mozelle Arch, Tennie Marie Arch, Philip Sampson Armachain, Douglas Robert Arneach, Ida Lee Cooper Arneach, Richard Earl Arneach, Jr., Rebecca Reed Bigwitch, Edwin Bird, John Douglas Bird, Myrtle Lee Queen Bird, William Allen Bird, Charles Brandon Blackfox, Lucille Ann Driver Blackfox, Lucinda Kate Blackfox, Kevin Ross Blackfox, William Mark Boyum, Charles Randall Bradley, Glenn Joseph Bradley, Jr., Jimmie Dean Bradley, Judson Gregory Bradley, Katlin Elizabeth Bradley, Stephen Jarret Bradley, Buck Brown, Jonah Brown, Leverne Brown, William Allen Brown, Matilda Marian Reed Calhoun, Will Daniel Catolster, Jacquelyn M. Lossiah Corral, Carlotta Linette Crowe, Cynthia Lorene Barnes Crowe, Daniel Crowe, Warren Harding Crowe, Jr., Warren Harding Crowe, III, Edith Inez Jackson Crowe, Enoch Sampson Crowe, Jr., Virgil Dennis Crowe, Frances Fanny Cucumber, Kent Elliott Cucumber, Wanda Sue Murphy Cucumber, Fred Lyle George, Samuel George, Jr., Dinah Ann Catolster Grant, Mark Montgomery Grant, James Griffin, Mary Crowe Griffin, Kristin D Hamilton, Dewayne Gene Hicks, Patrick Wayne Hill, Timothy Lane Hill, Aaron David Hogner, Kathleen Brown Holloway, Aubrey Dewayne Hornbuckle, Mary Lou Queen Hornbuckle, Nannie Louise Taylor Hornbuckle, Shelby Danielle Hornbuckle, Jacob Pete Johnson, Susan Bradley Jones, Sylvia Ruth Washing ton Lambert, Henson Junior Littlejohn, Peggy Darlene Littlejohn, Anthony Kirk Locust, Nancy Ann Rose Long, Ronald Eugene Long, Bo Soap Lossiah, Donna Jean Toineeta Lossiah, John Lossiah, Tina Marlene Lossiah, Justin John Matthews, Ronald Lloyd Matthews, Rose Lynn Toineeta Mills, Shannon Alaine Johnson Parris, Paul Jordan Lee Puckett, David Gregory Queen, Joel Thomas Queen, John Curtis Queen, Mary Naomi Queen, Ronald Harding Queen, Andrea Danielle Rattler, Douglas Leander Rattler, Jackie Lee Rattler, Janell Rattler, Jonathan Allen Rattler, II, Jonathan George Rattler, Joy Tashena Rattler, Temot Zena Rattler, Kerry Nathaniel Reed, Robert Bruce Reed, Jackson Dale Rickman, Jr., Stacy Bird Rogers, Reba Leonetta Sampson, Sally Ann Catolster Sampson, Tamara Leigh Sampson, Mistie Rae Johnson Scott, Jack Hamilton Smith, James Leonard Smith, John Wilbur Smith, Sr., Joel Hartman Smith, Joy Annabelle Armachain Smith, Ryan Nicole Smith, Tait Edward Smith, Ernest Jarrett Sneed, Hilliard Paul Sneed, Hilliard Sneed, Sandra Helen Lambert Sneed, Colene Marie Taylor Swayney, Martha Lou Ta lalah, Jonathan Larch Taylor, Nelda Sue Washington Thompson, Frances Queen Toineeta, Nehemiah Agina Toineeta, Marietta Louise Sampson Toineeta, Roberta Ann Toineeta, Janet Jessie Walkingstick, Fred Arnold Washington, William Francis Washington, Jr, Sara Margaret Arneach Watson, Billie Jean Kanott Wolfe, Taylor Duke Wolfe

# Reward offered for items stolen at Oconaluftee Indian Village

The Oconaluftee Indian Village was broken into recently and a few items were stolen out of one of the cabins. A blowgun belonging to William "Juggie" Swimmer, a flint knife, an obsidian knife, and a tomahawk with a wooden handle were the items taken. If anyone knows the whereabouts or any information leading to the recovery of these items please call the Cherokee Historical Association 497-2111 or 736-6393. There is a cash reward offered to the individual who can give information leading to the recovery of these items.

- Cherokee Historical Association

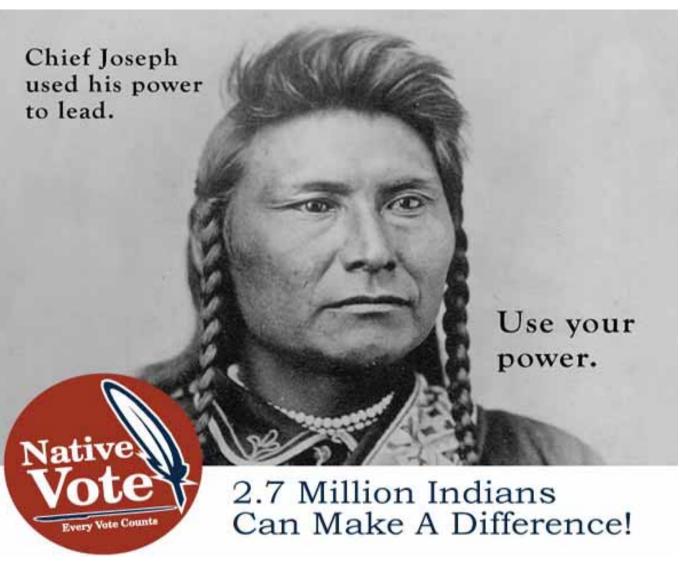
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### TSALAGI WORD FIND / Things Found On or In a House

12- Lock.....dagasi

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3- Heating stoveaganawohisdi										14- Paintedasuwisv								
4- Telephoneditlonohedi										15- Bricksnvyaditvdanv								
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This puzzle will have words up, down, across, diagonally, backwards. If you're a student of our Cherokee language this will assist in your learning the phonetic sounds and pronunciation. There are some words that may differ and this being the differences of native speakers "dialect". Have Fun!



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