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WV STATE MARCHING BAND INVITATIONAL WINNERS ANNOUNCED

Cabell Midland Wins Old Gold Division; Hurricane Tops in Blue Division

Thirty-six bands from around the state showcased their talents in the 13th annual West Virginia State Marching Band Invitational Championship University of Charleston Stadium, Laidley Field in Charleston, Saturday, Oct. 26.

Cabell Midland High School won the Overall "Honor Band" Award and Old Gold Division Grand Champion, and Hurricane High School won the Blue Division Grand Champion award. Bands were judged on general effect, marching and maneuvering, music, music effect, percussion, drum major, color guard, majorettes and feature twirler.

Cabell Midland took home the 2024 Governor's Cup Marching Band Series Championship trophy with a first-place finish in the overall standings. The Governor's Cup consisted

of ten local competitions, along with the Marching Band Invitational finals. Points were awarded at each competition and then the winner was determined by the band who received the most points throughout the series.

Participating bands were Bluefield High School, Bluefield, Mercer County; Braxton County High School, Sutton, Braxton County; Buckhannon-Upshur High School, Buckhannon, Upshur County; Cabell Midland High School, Ona, Cabell County; Calhoun County Middle/High School, Mt. Zion, Calhoun County; Capital High School, Charleston, Kanawha County; Elkins High School, Elkins, Randolph County; Greenbrier East High School, Lewisburg, Greenbrier County; Greenbrier West

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Veterans Honored at Annual County Appreciation Day Ceremonies



Veterans of the Army, Navy, Air Force, and Marine Corps stepped forward as the WHS Band played the anthem of their military branch.

Sunday, November 3, was a time of recognition for veterans of every branch of the United States military at the courthouse parking lot in Winfield.

James E. Marshall American Legion Post

187 Winfield, the William B. Fulks Marine Corps League Detachment 1474 Hurricane, and the Winfield

High School band teamed to make the day memorable for the veterans and their families in attendance.

Members of the Future Leaders Program posted the colors and Kate Wallace, Continued to Page 3



Pictured is the Hurricane High School Marching Band performing at the Putnam County Homecoming in September.

Flora Francis Recognized by State Democratic Party

Flora Francis, of Hurricane, was named one of West Virginia's Outstanding Democrats of the Year at the Roosevelt-Kennedy Dinner Celebration held at the Charleston Coliseum & Convention Center, in Charleston, on Friday, September 27, 2024. This Outstanding Democrat was selected by local county leaders for hard work and dedication to the Democratic Party in Putnam County. This year's special guest speaker was the Mayor of Cincinnati, Ohio, the Honorable Aftab Pureval.

Karen Coria, a Putnam County Democratic leader and chair of the 39th Annual Awards Ceremony stated that the award was established to recognize local party officials and volunteers whom Democratic leaders feel have contributed most to the party's efforts. "Our goal is to recognize these special people who have distinguished themselves by contributing to our society, by working within the framework of our



Pictured (l-r): Karen Coria, chair, Flora Francis holding Certificate of Appreciation and President PCDWC Ivin Lee.

democracy and political party system," Coria said.

"Mesmerizing and inspiring to all who are privileged to learn from her, with over 50 years of teaching experience, her style is a blend of passion, creativity, and deep empathy. Whether as a member of the Democratic Party Executive Committee or as the chaplain of her county's Democratic women's club, she often uses real-world examples, storytelling, and interactive activities to make her lessons come alive. She is

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WEATHER SUMMARY		
October 29 - November 4		
	Low	High
October 29		
Hurricane	40°	75°
October 30		
Hurricane	46°	76°
October 31		
Hurricane	47°	83°
November 1*		
Hurricane	35°	63°
November 2		
Hurricane	30°	61°
November 3		
Hurricane	28°	72°
November 4		
Hurricane	44°	72°
*RAIN		
0.1 inch recorded Nov. 1		

ValleyCon — Another First for County



Sara and Greg Mick – and Britney, a 14-foot Burmese python – are excited about the upcoming ValleyCon pop culture convention and welcome the public to visit the Zoology Zone Science Center. (Photo by Betsy Allen)

By Betsy Allen

An exciting new event is coming to Teays Valley – ValleyCon, Hurricane's very

first comic and pop culture convention! A fundraiser for the Zoology Zone Science Center, the convention will be held on Saturday,

November 16, from 10 a.m. to 8 p.m. at the Valley Park Convention Center. West Virginia has a large

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Batmobile Wheelchair Spotted Trick or Treating in Western Hills



Shown above are Rodney Tucker, Poison Ivy, Charlee Young, Eric Stone, Karsyn Stone, and Sebastian Tucker. (Photo by Betsy Allen)

By Betsy Allen

Many children dress up as Batman for Halloween, but Sebastian Tucker of Hurricane got to go trick or treating in the Batmobile. Sebastian, who is the son of Rodney Tucker and Cindy McCallister, has cerebral palsy and uses a wheelchair to get around. For the past few years, Rodney has constructed props

to fit around Sebastian's wheelchair so that he could have a unique Halloween costume that incorporates his mobility device. This year's creation was a Batmobile prop for the wheelchair which makes it seem as though Sebastian is actually driving the famous vehicle. Family members dressed up as heroes and villains from the Batman comics and accompanied

Sebastian on his rounds about the Western Hills neighborhood. Last year, Sebastian trick or treating as a member of the band KISS. His costume depicted him as the drummer and disguised his wheelchair as a giant drum. Other costumes from the past included a firefighter, complete with his wheelchair decorated to resemble a firetruck.

Community Calendar

If you want your event listed in the Community Calendar, write to the Hurricane Breeze at PO Box 310, Hurricane, West Virginia 25526, or phone 304-562-9881. If you have email, send it to breezenews@citynet.net and mark your subject line "Community Calendar." There is no charge for posting an event in the calendar.

THURSDAYS

THROUGH NOVEMBER

- Bringing Back the Village - Free seminars for seniors and their caregivers will be held at 5:30 p.m. on Thursdays at the Putnam County Main Library in Teays Valley.

NOVEMBER 8 - 9

- Yeager Design and Interiors, 168 Great Teays Boulevard, Scott Depot, will be holding their Christmas open house from noon to 7 p.m. on Friday and 10 a.m. to 6 p.m. on Saturday.

NOVEMBER 8

- Friends of Old Time Music and Dance (FOOTMAD) will be hosting a community dance from 7 to 10 p.m. at Kanawha United Presbyterian Church, 1009 Virginia Street E, Charleston.

- There will be an online safety class for teens and tweens at noon at the Putnam County Main Library in Teays Valley.

- There will be special singing at 7 p.m. at the Sycamore Missionary Baptist Church, 5832 Sycamore Road, Hurricane.

- There will be a Marine Corps birthday celebration at VFW Post 9097, 3836 Teays Valley Road, Hurricane. There will be virtual markman target practice from 4 to 7 p.m., and a birthday party starting at 8 p.m.

- Jim and Valerie Gabehart will be performing at 7 p.m. at Barnyard BBQ, 1101 Hospital Drive, Hurricane.

- There will be a foam dance party for ages 7-14 from 7 to 9 p.m. at The Foam Garage, 2716 Putnam Avenue, Hurricane. The cost is \$10 per child.

NOVEMBER 9

- The Bee Ridge Bears 4-H Club will meet at 10 a.m. at the Wade Chapel United Methodist Church, 4490 McLane Pike, Red House.

- American Legion Post 187 will be holding a 5K

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Run and Walk starting at 10 a.m. at the picnic area of the Locks and Dam in Eleanor.

- There will be a food pantry from 9 a.m. to noon at Winfield Nazarene Church, 10822 Winfield Road, Winfield.

- Putnam Area Robotics Team presents Robocycle from 1 to 4:30 p.m. at Winfield Middle School. Elementary school students can build a robot and explore other STEM activities.

- Mount Vernon Baptist Church, 2150 Mount Vernon Road, Hurricane, will be holding their fall harvest vendor fair from 9 a.m. to 3 p.m.

- West Teays Elementary will be hosting designer purse bingo at the Valley Park Convention Center in Hurricane. Doors open at 2:30 p.m.; games start at 4 p.m. Tickets are \$35 at the door.

- The Pottery Place, 3550 Teays Valley Road Suite 4, Hurricane, will be holding a vintage Christmas tree painting workshop from 6 to 9 p.m. Pay \$60 to reserve your seat, which includes a \$10 non-refundable event fee and \$50 deposit toward a ceramic tree or light up. For more information, call (304) 931-5077.

- There will be a foam dance party for ages 1-6 from 1 to 3 p.m. at The Foam Garage, 2716 Putnam Avenue, Hurricane. The cost is \$10 per child.

- Community Church, 212 Dudding Avenue, Hurricane, will be holding their annual craft show from 8 a.m. to 2 p.m.

- There will be a free community showing of "Sound of Hope: The Story of Possum Trot" for National Adoption Month at 2:30 p.m. at River Ridge Church, 1 Saturn Way, Hurricane. Doors open at 2 p.m.

NOVEMBER 10

- John's Cyclery Shop will be holding a mountain bike ride from 2 to 4 p.m. at Ridenour Lake Park in Nitro. Meet up at the trailhead beside the pump track.

- There will be a Santas Helpers fundraiser for the Poca Fire Department at noon at the Poca Middle School.

- Red House Bible Church, 51 Warner Lane, Red House, will be holding a special Veterans Day service starting at 10:45 a.m.

- The 2024 Putnam Bridal Expo will be held from 2 to 4 p.m. at Valley Park in Hurricane. The cost to attend is \$5.

NOVEMBER 11

- Veterans Appreciation Dinner: There will be a free meal for a veteran and one guest from 4 to 7 p.m. at the Hurricane High School commons. Call 304-562-5896 to be added to the guest list.

NOVEMBER 12

- Oodles Gift Shop, 2825 Main Street, Hurricane, will be holding a Very COLORful Christmas shopping experience from 4 to 8 p.m.

NOVEMBER 13

- The Dress for Success Clothing Drive will be held from 7 a.m. to 4 p.m. at Area 34, 971 WV Route 34, Hurricane. Items accepted: gently worn professional clothing, nice jeans and tops, scrubs, work shoes, and accessories.

- Express Employment Professionals will be holding a walk-in recruiting and hiring event from noon to 4 p.m. at Area 34, 971 WV Route 34, Hurricane.

NOVEMBER 14

- The Putnam County Chamber of Commerce will be hosting Business After Hours at Celebration Villa

National Notary Public Day

From The Office of WV Secretary of State Mac Warner

National Notary Public Day will be celebrated throughout the United States on November 7. According to the National Notary Association, that date was chosen in 1975 to recognize Notaries for their contributions to commerce and public services. Thomas Fugill is recognized as the very first Notary in the United States. He was commissioned on November 7, 1639 in the New Haven Colony - which would eventually become the state of Connecticut.

In the United States, a notary public is a person who is appointed by a state government to act as an impartial witness when important documents are signed. The earliest evidence of Notaries dates back to 2750 BC in Egypt, where scribes were responsible for handling official communications.

Citizens who are registered with the WV Secretary of State's Office as a Notary Public help protect individuals and businesses from fraud, making the Notary's work essential in today's legal and business environments. November 7 is a day dedicated to recognizing the vital role of notaries and highlighting their work of ensuring the authentication of important documents and transactions across the United States.

Becoming a Notary in West Virginia is made simple thanks to the West Virginia Notary Handbook, provided by the WV Secretary of State's Office. The handbook shares step-by-step requirements and the application process, so that a West Virginia resident can easily become a Notary Public in West Virginia.

What is the process and

in Teays Valley from 5 to 7 p.m.

- Destination Metro Valley - Building Regional Tourism Conference will be held from 9 a.m. to 3 p.m. at Valley Park Conference Center in Hurricane.

- A photo club meets at 5:30 p.m. at the Valley Park Conference Center in Hurricane. Any camera (cell phone included) is welcome.

NOVEMBER 16

- There will be a handmade craft show from 10 a.m. to 2 p.m. at the Greene Center, 10494 Charleston Road, Kenna.

Putnam County Food Pantries

Christian Community Cupboard

2843 Virginia Avenue Hurricane (304) 562-9373

Open from 10 a.m. to noon Tuesdays and Fridays

Five Loaves Two Fish Food Pantry

Poca United Methodist Church Silver Street (304) 755-7341

Open from 9 a.m. to noon second and fourth Saturday

Food and More At The Bridge

The Bridge Church 279 Dairy Road Poca (304) 373-6068

Offers hot meals, food pantry boxes, and a clothing closet from 5 to 8 p.m. on the third Thursday of each month

Calvary Baptist Church

3653 Teays Valley Road Hurricane (304) 757-8829

Open from 8:30 to 11

how much does it cost to become a Notary? A West Virginia citizen must complete the application online and submit the statutory fee of \$52.00 to the Secretary of State's Office. A Notary Public commission is valid for five years from the date the commission is approved by the Secretary of State. To renew the commission, a Notary Public must submit their application, online, with the Secretary of State's Office, before their expiration. This can be completed, no more than 60 days prior to the expiration.

Notaries play a crucial role in helping individuals and businesses with important documents. Official services provided by a Notary provide peace of mind and ensure that transactions are legitimate and secure. Attorneys, accountants, and banking officials routinely require the services of a Notary Public for the documents they prepare for their clients.

"Notaries are essential to our American way of life," said Secretary of State Mac Warner. "They verify people's identity and prevent fraud. They witness documents that facilitate business transactions."

"Like oil that allows machines to run smoothly, Notaries assist with verifying important documents that allow public and private transactions to be completed properly," Warner said.

There are approximately 35,000 Notary Publics registered in West Virginia. To learn more about how to become a Notary Public, visit the WV Secretary of State's website at www.wvsos.gov

- The Ducks Unlimited Kanawha River Sportsman's Party will be held at 4 p.m. at The 1267, 17588 Charleston Road, Buffalo. Raffles, silent auction, and games. For ticket information, call 304-610-1080.

- Nitro Church of the Nazarene, 1400 Sattes Circle, Nitro, will be holding their annual holiday festival from 9 a.m. to 3 p.m.

- The First Annual ValleyCon Pop-Culture Convention will be held at Valley Park Convention Center in Hurricane from 10 a.m. to 8 p.m. Admission is \$5.

The Way We Were, The Way We Are

By Brenda Burke

Halloween is over... my least favorite holiday... the boys don't do much trick or treating... thankfully... they can't have the sugar anyway... thus... we look to the next Holiday, which is of course, THANKSGIVING... Oh, my goodness, the memories... the memories... long gone times of WV holidays with family... first to Mother for a delicious meal and then to the Burke's for the second delicious meal of the day... the houses crowded with the members of the family, babies, toddlers, kids, and oh... those aromas... yummm...

Thanksgiving is so different today... less work... memories and low key menu... just enjoying each other... Always in my mind is my son's comment about working hours to prepare a meal that is over in an hour... so true... the day should be about visiting, not eating... especially with all of us health conscious people...

For years, I looked forward to Black Friday... getting up early with my daughter and grandgirls... going to the stores, enjoying the crowds... most folks were really nice because we were all saving so much money... it was worth it to save hundreds... Today, that is not needed as checks

and gift cards go to one family and my son finds the gifts for the other... I reimburse...

I like putting my tree up early in November... enjoy it for awhile... I have to look for a tiny one this year as the one from last few years broke... just something small with a few ornaments... no more putting up huge trees that took hours and energy. leave that to the kids and grands at their homes...

Christmas in Florida is different... as is Thanksgiving... outside weather... warm and balmy... holidays that are as important today as they always were... the little boys won't know Nana's home in WV with the family sitting around the dining room table... they would be aghast at the amount of food... they will, however, remember sitting at the table eating a super healthy meal... chatting and discussing the days gone... the present, and the future... their thoughts are utmost in our minds and thoughts... they are the center of attention because the way we were is the way we are... loving our families in so many different ways. This year, I imagine utmost in our minds will be the thought that we survived the hurricanes again... and please, no more...

Thanks Giving Campaign To Benefit YWCA Sojourner's Shelter

YWCA Charleston will transition from the previous year's Foodie Feast to Thanks Giving, a digital donation campaign to last November 1st to November 28th. Each tier of giving is based on classic Thanksgiving dishes, allowing you to contribute while celebrating the flavors of the season. Sponsored by Encova, this annual event began over 25 years ago as a dinner at Wellington's and has now evolved into a modern, virtual experience where you can support a great cause.

Many Kanawha Valley restaurants supported our virtual and in-restaurant events during COVID. This year, we're excited to introduce our "Levels of Giving" tiers as part of the YWCA's Thanks Giving initiative campaign, aiming to raise crucial funds for the YWCA Sojourner's Shelter for Homeless Women & Families. Instead of attending another holiday event, we invite you to help us provide a memorable feast for the residents and families at Sojourner's Shelter.

All contributors will be recognized on the YWCA

Baby Love Pantry

The Baby Love Pantry at Cross Lanes United Methodist Church, 5320 Frontier Drive, will distribute free diapers and wipes, as well as formula when available.

The pantry is open the first and third Friday of each month from 10:30 a.m. to noon. The next distribution dates is November 15.

Proof of identification will be needed along with proof that the child you are getting supplies for is your child, grandchild, or that you are that child's legal guardian.

See the Baby Love Pantry Facebook page for more information.

Charleston website and social media outlets. Your generous gift is changing lives and making a direct impact on the families we serve in crisis. Funds collected will be used to provide food, personal care supplies, and other needs for the residents and families at YWCA Sojourner's Shelter. Plus, with your donation, you'll be entered for a chance to win a pair of tickets to a WVU men's basketball game!

All proceeds benefit YWCA Sojourner's Shelter for Homeless Women & Families, which serves homeless single women, women with children, men with custody of their children, intact families, and veterans. The program provides shelter, counseling, substance abuse intervention, educational advancement, job training and placement. In the last year, YWCA Sojourner's provided 23,738 nights of shelter for 610 homeless children and adults.

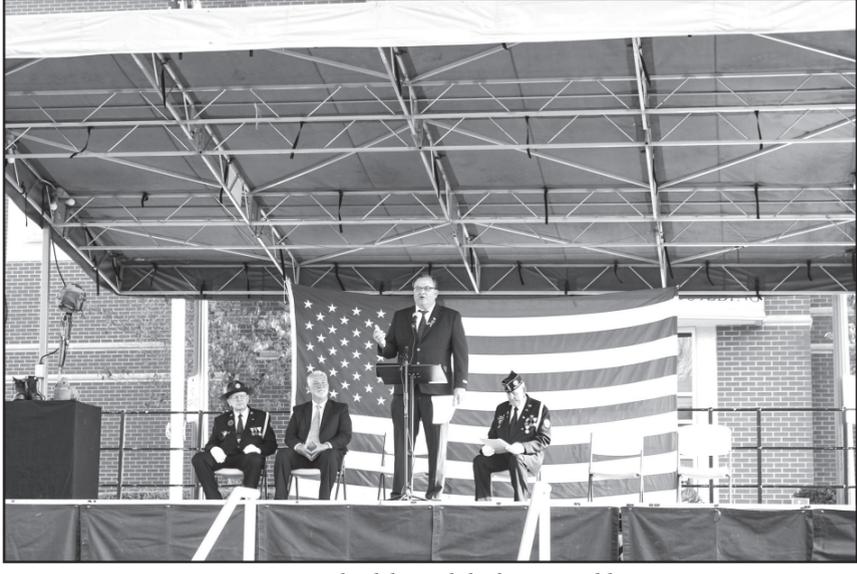
The funds from Thanks Giving help bridge a financial gap within the Sojourner's program, where we can continue addressing the needs of the entire family by providing a safe environment of hope, dignity, and acceptance. Sojourner's residents can actively engage in the services available to achieve economic and housing stability.

To learn more about giving, visit <https://www.ywcacharleston.org/thanksgiving> where you can find out more about our tiers of donations, giveaways, and what your donations support. Sponsorships are still available. For sponsorship information or questions, please contact Andrea Arbogast at aarbogast@ywcacharleston.org or visit <https://www.ywcacharleston.org/thanksgiving>

Veterans Honored at Annual County ValleyCon — Another First for County Appreciation Day Ceremonies



MCL members James Vance, Warren Bryant, and Jim McDade conduct the 13-fold flag ceremony.



Sgt. Major Ret. Brian Scott Combs delivered the keynote address.

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senior drum major with the WHS band, sang the National Anthem.

The Winfield High Band played the Star Spangled Banner, Anchors Aweigh, the Marine Corps Hymn, the Army Goes Rolling Along, Wild Blue Yonder, Coast Guard Anthem - Semper Paratus, and the Space Force Anthem - Semper Supra.

County Commissioner Brian Ellis read a

proclamation signed by Commissioners Andy Skidmore, Steve Dewese, and himself, and County Clerk Brian Wood declaring the week of November 3 to be Veterans' Appreciation Week in Putnam County.

Veterans of the Army, Navy, Air Force, and Marine Corps stepped forward as the WHS Band played the anthem of military branch in which they served.

MCL Detachment 1474 conducted the 13-fold flag

ceremony and Post 187 executed the three volley 21-Gun Salute.

Sgt. Major Ret. Brian Scott Combs delivered the keynote address. SGM Combs grew up in Putnam County and joined the service after high school.

Ceremonies concluded with the playing of Taps.

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fanbase of people who are interested in pop culture, comics, anime, gaming, cosplay, and other fannish pursuits. While Kanawha and Cabell Counties have their share of conventions, including the Huntington Comic Con, CharCon Gaming Convention, and the Tsubasacon Anime Convention, ValleyCon will be the first event of its type held in Putnam County.

ValleyCon will feature video game tournaments hosted by Game Grove, the popular gaming store located in Putnam Village Shopping Center. Video games include Mario Kart, Smash Bros, Street Fighter, and EA Sports College Football 25. Those interested in joining the video game tournament should contact Game Grove at (304) 207-0809. Blue Falcon Gaming and Rt. 60 Man Gaming will be hosting tabletop games. There will also be a virtual marksman range.

Some of ValleyCon's other main events include a cosplay contest, and Imperial Legion Star Wars lightsaber battles and training. There will be panels and workshops, an artist alley, local book authors, and children's activities. The convention will also feature 40 vendors geared towards comics, collectibles, sports cards, crafts, and video games, as well as multiple food trucks. There will also be activities held at the Zoology Zone Science Center.

"This is an opportunity for foodies, nerds, and reptile enthusiasts," said Greg Mick, one of the convention volunteers. "There is something for all ages."

ValleyCon's main

sponsors are Game Grove of Putnam Village and Element 304, a Teays Valley based company which specializes in 3D printed miniatures. Game Grove and Element 304 have been instrumental in organizing the convention and supporting the Zoology Zone Science Center.

Tickets for the convention are \$5 at the door, with everyone under the age of 18 having free admission. For more information about ValleyCon, go to <https://zoologyzone.org/> information or <https://www.facebook.com/ValleyConWV>

Proceeds from ValleyCon will go towards the Zoology Zone Science Center, which is located across the green from Valley Park Convention Center. Monies raised will help create new exhibits, reptile and amphibian habitats, and expansion projects.

The Zoology Zone is West Virginia's only dedicated reptile and amphibian rescue, and currently cares for over 80 animals. Many of the reptiles and amphibians are rescues from the tristate area. Reptiles and amphibians are not protected under the same laws as other animals, and need a safe haven. Some owners surrender their animals when they realize that they can no

longer provide for them, and occasionally animals escape from their enclosures and find themselves far from home. Unfortunately, many reptiles and amphibians are rescued from animal cruelty situations, or are abandoned by their owners.

Some of the animals which come to the center can be adopted out, while others become permanent ambassadors of the zoo. The Zoology Zone has many success stories of rehomed animals. They try to turn bad situations around and give these creatures happy endings.

The Zoology Zone offers several education programs, such as classes for home school students, family friendly workshops, art classes, and sensory friendly activities.

"It is important to us that we are all inclusive," says Sara Mick, Zoology Zone Director of Operations.

The center also participates in field trips - sometimes ambassador animals are brought to local schools, and sometimes student groups come to the center to meet the animals. Many members of the community benefit from the programs offered by Zoology Zone Science Center.

For more information about Zoology Zone, go to <https://zoologyzone.org>



The following events happened on these dates in West Virginia history. To read more, go to e-WV: The West Virginia Encyclopedia at www.wvencyclopedia.org.

Nov. 7, 1775: The historic Forks-of-Cheat Baptist Church was organized about six miles north of Morgantown. It is the oldest church with continuous records west of the Alleghenies in West Virginia.

Nov. 7, 1943: During World War II, Medal of Honor recipient Herbert J. Thomas Jr. was killed in the South Pacific. Thomas, who grew up in South Charleston, died by throwing himself on a grenade, saving his fellow squad members. WVU Medicine's Thomas J. Memorial Hospital in South Charleston is named in his honor.

Nov. 8, 1936: "It's Wheeling Steel," a half-hour musical variety radio program, debuted over WWVA in Wheeling. The program was an instant success with local audiences and later became

a nationwide sensation. Nov. 9, 1874: Matthew Mansfield Neely was born in Doddridge County. He was the 21st governor of West Virginia.

Nov. 9, 1952: The Huntington Museum of Art opened as Huntington Galleries. The museum is located on more than 50 acres in the Park Hills section of Huntington.

Nov. 10, 1777: Cornstalk, his son Elinipsico, and the sub-chief Red Hawk were murdered in captivity by enraged settlers who blamed them for two recent killings. Cornstalk, a Shawnee leader who lived in what is today southeastern Ohio, had commanded Indian forces at the Battle of Point Pleasant.

Nov. 10, 1861: A Confederate cavalry force of more than 700 attacked a Union recruit camp at Guyandotte in Cabell County.

Nov. 10, 1978: The New River Gorge National River was established by Congress. It was designated a National Park and Preserve in 2020.

Nov. 10, 1979: The last home game was played at Old Mountaineer Field at West Virginia University. More than 38,000 people attended the game, in which WVU nearly upset highly ranked Pitt.

Nov. 11, 1922: Jane Taylor Cox George was born in Possum Hollow, Roane County. As a 4-H leader, she introduced young people to traditional crafts and dance in Kanawha, Putnam, Mercer, Monroe, and Roane counties, helped oversee the first Mountain State Art & Craft Fair in 1963, and was a longtime contributor to the Vandalia Gathering and other festivals.

Nov. 11, 1929: The Memorial Arch was dedicated on Armistice Day in Huntington. The Memorial Arch stands at the intersection of 11th Avenue and Memorial Boulevard. The arch pays tribute to Cabell County soldiers who fought in World War I.

Flora Francis Recognized

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a beacon of light in our educational journey," Coria added.

Joining State Democratic Party Chair Mike Pushkin and Coria in acknowledging the accomplishments of the honoree were Gubernatorial Nominee and Mayor of Huntington, the Honorable Steve Williams and U.S.

Senate Nominee and former Mayor of Wheeling, the Honorable Glenn Elliott.

"The efforts of the honoree demonstrates the importance of the work of every individual in affecting the outcome of local, state and national races. These people are the truly effective party workers," Coria added.

Marching Band Invitational

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High School, Charmco, Greenbrier County; Hurricane High School, Hurricane, Putnam County; James Monroe High School, Lindside, Monroe County; Jefferson High School, Shenandoah Junction, Jefferson County; Liberty High School, Clarksburg, Harrison County; Liberty High School, Glen Daniel, Raleigh County; Morgantown High School, Morgantown, Monongalia County; Musselman High School, Inwood, Berkeley County; Nitro High School, Nitro, Kanawha County; North Marion High School, Farmington, Marion County; Paden City High School, Paden City, Wetzell County; Parkersburg High School, Parkersburg, Wood County; Philip Barbour High School, Philippi, Barbour County; PikeView High School, Princeton, Mercer County; Princeton High School, Princeton, Mercer County; Ravenswood High School, Ravenswood, Jackson County; Richwood High School, Richwood, Nicholas County; Robert C. Byrd High School, Clarksburg, Harrison County; St.

Marys High School, St. Marys, Pleasants County; Shady Spring High School, Shady Spring, Raleigh County; Summers County Comprehensive High School, Hinton, Summers County; Tyler Consolidated High School, Sistersville, Tyler County; Wayne High School, Wayne, Wayne County; Webster County High School, Upperglade, Webster County; Westside High School, Clear Fork, Wyoming County; Wirt County High School, Elizabeth, Wirt County; Woodrow Wilson High School, Beckley, Raleigh County; and Wyoming East High School, New Richmond, Wyoming County.

The West Virginia State Marching Band Invitational Championship was sponsored by the WVDACH in participation with the Save The Music Foundation, Conn-Selmer Division of Education, the West Virginia Department of Education and the Higher Education Policy Commission. The State Marching Band Championship helps to promote, encourage and celebrate arts education throughout West Virginia.

Hinton

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Pack up the family and embark on a journey through the National Coal Heritage Area's scenic beauty and history.

National Coal Heritage Area + WEST VIRGINIA

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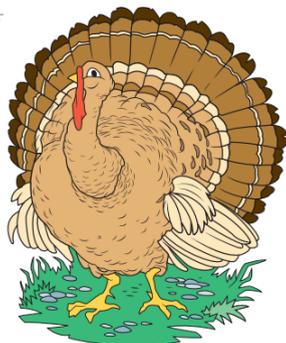
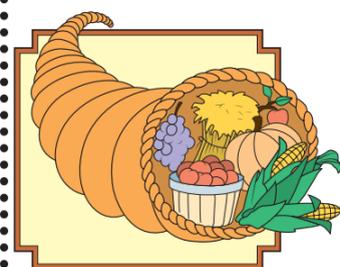
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3109 Teays Valley Road, Hurricane

Located inside Fruth Pharmacy

Fillers Page

Edited by Betsy Allen



Being Happy

Submitted by Myra Simmons

A big part of being happy is being excited. Be excited for everything - making a cup of tea, seeing a friend, being with your children or grandchildren, the next episode of your favorite show, buying something you have been saving up for, sunrises and sunsets, traveling, falling in love.

There is so much power in believing that everything will work out.

Live a life you are excited about!



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5 Habits to Help Maintain Immune Health

(Family Features) Cold and flu season is here. The best way to battle cold and flu season is to prevent coming down with anything at all. While it's impossible to stay entirely safe from germs, sniffles and coughs, there are a few healthy habits you can incorporate for extra protection this year.

Along with the guidance you receive from your health care provider, consider these dietary and lifestyle recommendations to support your immune system naturally.

Commit to a Healthier Diet: Essential for optimizing your immune system, eating a healthy diet consisting of more foods like fruits, vegetables, nuts, seeds, legumes and whole grains is recommended by experts. These foods contain beneficial plant compounds linked to health benefits in humans. Case in point: fresh grapes.

Natural grape compounds, including antioxidants and other polyphenols, may protect the health and function of cells. At the most basic level, healthy cells are the foundation of good health.

Making simple swaps such as choosing fresh California grapes instead of processed snacks or adding grapes into favorite recipes for a healthy boost are tasty ways to add these beneficial compounds.

Studies suggest some grape compounds may positively influence immune function, including resveratrol and certain flavonoids. Additional studies show adding heart-healthy grapes to your daily diet can help support brain, colon and skin health. Grapes are also a good source of vitamin K, which may help support lung health. Incorporate the health benefits of grapes into your diet with an easy, convenient recipe like Grape and Brussels Sprout Slaw, perfect for eating on its own or pairing with a favorite protein such as grilled chicken breast.

Prioritize Basic Hygiene: Preventive practices can help you avoid germs, protecting yourself and others at the same time. Frequently wash your hands using soap and water, limit contact with others who may be sick and cover your nose and mouth with a tissue or elbow while coughing or sneezing.

Stay Active: Cold and flu season lines up with brisk temperatures, often making it more difficult to get outside for exercise. Find an activity you enjoy like moderate-intensity walking, jogging, biking or playing an aerobic sport. The "Journal of Sport and Health Science" reports exercise can help improve immune response and reduce inflammation, making it a key way to prepare your body to fight back.

Hydrate, Hydrate, Hydrate: Staying hydrated helps your immune system by keeping the body's defenses functioning properly. In addition to drinking water, you can increase hydration by eating foods with high water content like grapes, which contain about 82% water.

Manage Stress: You can help control stress - which has a negative impact on overall health and wellness - in a number of ways. Practice deep breathing or meditation, engage in activities and hobbies that bring joy and develop nighttime habits that promote good sleep. If snacking in the evening, choose foods such as grapes that are a natural source of melatonin, a compound which helps regulate sleep cycles. Talk with someone you trust, like a friend, family member or mental health professional, to help relieve stress.

Visit GrapesFromCalifornia.com to find more ways to support your immune health.

Grape and Brussels Sprout Slaw

Servings: 6

- 1 bag (12 ounces) shredded Brussels sprouts
- 2/3 cup finely shredded red cabbage
- 2 cups red Grapes from California, halved lengthwise
- 1/2 cup finely diced red onion
- 3 scallions, trimmed and thinly sliced
- 2 tablespoons rice vinegar
- 1 1/2 tablespoons honey
- 1 teaspoon fresh lemon or lime juice
- 1 teaspoon low-sodium soy sauce
- 2 tablespoons olive oil
- 1 tablespoon toasted (dark) sesame oil
- freshly ground black pepper, to taste
- 3 tablespoons toasted sesame seeds

In large mixing bowl, combine shredded sprouts, cabbage, grapes, onion and scallions.

In small bowl, whisk vinegar, honey, lemon or lime juice and soy sauce. Drizzle in olive and sesame oils while whisking. Toss well with slaw mixture. Chill 45 minutes to incorporate flavors. Season with pepper and sprinkle sesame seeds on top.

Nutritional information per serving: 170 calories; 4 g protein; 22 g carbohydrates; 9 g fat (48% calories from fat); 1.5 g saturated fat (8% calories from saturated fat); 0 mg cholesterol; 60 mg sodium; 4 g fiber.

Fillers from Linda

Submitted by Linda~Lavender Armstead
Washington Hill Road, Hurricane



True leaders lift others up.

The rich would have to eat money if the poor farmer did not provide food.

Never forget that we are under the same sky, looking at the same moon.

Dance before the music is over. Live before your life is over.

Don't you just hate that moment when you are so tired but as soon as you get in the bed, you are wide awake.

If stores pay a person to watch me at self-checkout, they can pay them to open a register and provide real customer service.

The ultimate value of life depends upon awareness and the power of contemplation rather than upon mere survival.

Don't be distracted by criticism. Remember, the only taste of success some people get, is taking a bite out of you.

I see people my age running marathons, climbing mountains. I feel lucky getting my leg through my pants without losing my balance.

Whatever happens, do not lose hold of the two main ropes of life - hope and faith.

In true love the smallest distance is too great, and the greatest distance can be bridged.

Never underestimate the importance of having a person in your life that can make you smile.

Look back in forgiveness, forward in hope, down in compassion, and up in gratitude.

Other people and things can stop you temporarily. You're the only one who can do it permanently.

The number "forty" is the only number that has in the English language all of its letters in alphabetical order.

It's okay to cry. Remember that tears are prayers, too. They travel to God and He will see you though.

End the day with gratitude. There is someone, somewhere that has less than you.

Gratitude is the fairest blossom which spring from the soul. - Henry Ward Beecher

When you're thankful, you're most likely to be at peace and appreciate life.

Stars can't shine without darkness, nor can we grow without challenges.

Where there is great

Time decides who you meet in life, your heart decides who you want in your life, and your behavior decides who stays in your life.

A buried seed brings fruit; a selfless life reaps an eternal harvest.

The secret of peace is to give every anxious care to God.

The love of God for us is revisited in His letter to us - the Bible.

Christ came to seek and to save the lost.

Don't tell God how big your giants are. Tell your giants how big God is.

When God saves us, our sins are forgiven forever.

By God's grace, we can reflect the light in the dark times.

In prayer, God can steal our heart and quiet our minds.

I love God because even though I deserve nothing, He gave me everything.

We expect soldiers to fight our battles. Later, we should support them when they fight theirs.

The quarrels of lovers are like summer storms; everything is more beautiful when they have passed.

The reason I get blessed in the end is because I don't treat people how they do me.

Friends are connected heart-to-heart; distance and time can't break them apart.

Dreams are often most profound when they seem the most crazy. - Sigmund Freud

Don't lose this moment, searching for another.

There is nothing lonelier than outliving someone you love.

Your beliefs don't make you a better person, your actions do.

What you do today can change all the tomorrows of your life.

There is no elevator to success, you have to take the stairs.

It's not the length of life, but the depth of life that matters.

The distance between dreams and reality is called "action."

Be kind. Work hard. Stay humble. Smile often.

Either you run the day or the day runs you.

What defines us is how well we rise after we fall.

Encouragement is the fuel on which hope runs.

Give up, give in, or give it all you got.

You cannot find peace by avoiding life.

I'd rather be tired than broke.

Jokes From

Linda

Submitted by Linda
Lavender Armstead



Wife on the phone: I forgot to tell you to get deodorant.

Husband: Okay, I'll make a pit stop.

Salesman: The car you're interested in can seat six people without any problems.

Customer: I don't think I know six people without any problems.

What is easy to lift but hard to throw?
A feather.

love, there are always miracles.

Back in my day, we didn't have GPS. We had Road Maps.

What if your favorite thing is to do nothing?

If things go wrong, don't go with them.

Pets are not disposable. Pets are family.

You will walk in sunshine. The Lord will be your everlasting light, and your God your glory.

Don't sit at tables where they talk about others, because when you get up, you're the topic.

Sometimes people must be escorted from the VIP section of your life to a regular seat.

Family is always having someone you can count on.

Always remember that you are absolutely unique.

You never look good trying to make someone else look bad.

It's amazing what you can see when you just sit quietly and look.

I don't have a fit-bit, but I have several fat-bits.

Through Christ, I am stronger than the storm.

I am blessed because I have God in my life.

It's impossible to forget a doggy who gave you so much to remember.

It's time to release your grip. Stop holding onto the people who have already let you go.

A kiss is a lovely trick designed by nature to stop speech when words become superfluous.

Don't look for more honor than your learning merits.

Leadership is the capacity to translate vision into reality.

Love is what you've been through with somebody.

The measure of a man is what he does with power.

If you have a good friend, you don't need a mirror.

Who, being loved, is poor? - Oscar Wilde

It's nice to have your own doggy to talk to.

Bible Verse



For am I now seeking the approval of man, or of God? Or am I trying to please man? If I were still trying to please man, I would not be a servant of Christ.

— Galatians 1:10

Winfield Middle Defeats Hurricane, 32-12; Claims MVAC Trophy



Chase Snead (37) finds running room.



The Generals celebrate following their 32-12 victory.



Levi Craigo (8) launches a long pass and . . .



. . . Owen Painter makes the catch.



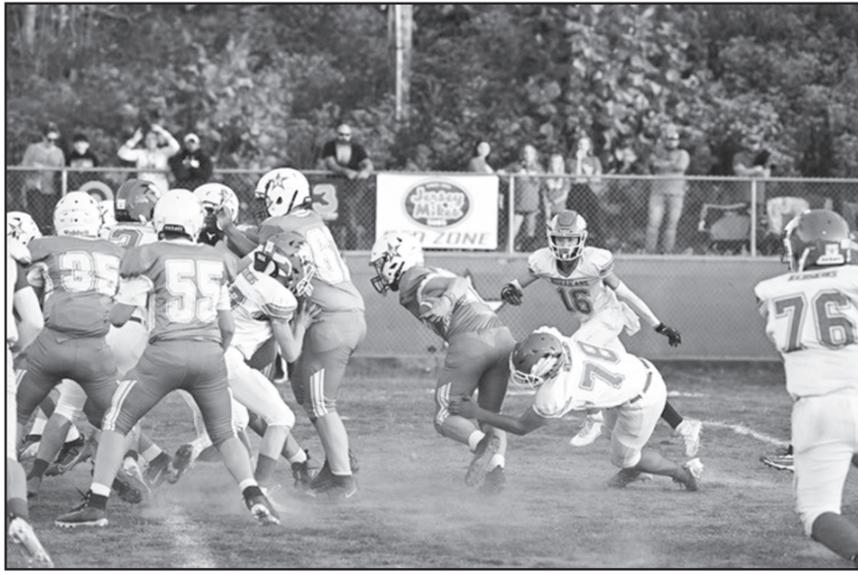
Redskin quarterback Paxton Bocook pitches to Colton Davis.



Davieon Williams (1) attempts to escape the grasp of Owen Painter.



Kyler Graley (7) waits to make a reception for the 'Skins.



The Hurricane defense throttled the Generals on this play.



There was little running room for Hurricane against the General defense..



The Redskins advance the ball.

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THE RAVAGES OF WAR



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Today all is quiet on the beach at Normandy; waves have long ago washed away the blood and the roar of tanks and guns has given way to the roar of the sea. But the memories of these things are forever etched in our history. Wars have begun and ended in many places throughout the world during the last century, yet memories never end for those men and women who were present in the horrors of combat. Memories never end for the families of those who were lost or ruined. This Veterans' Day let us pray that the peace of god that passes all understanding will quiet the hearts and minds that still rage from the ravages of war.

Daily Bible Readings

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BASIC BIBLE

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Nineveh Repents

Jonah 3:1-10

The Lord first instructed Jonah to arise and go to Nineveh in chapter 1. Jonah disobeyed. In the text before us, God instructs Jonah again to go to Nineveh and to "preach unto it the preaching that I bid thee."

God most certainly wanted Nineveh to turn from its wicked way. Sending Jonah to deliver His message was hardly God's only option but it most certainly is the option which God chose. In sending Jonah a second time, God sends us a message. We would be remiss to ignore that message. That message is loud and clear: Past failures do not count. Past failure to act upon and to obey the word of God does not result in one's being eternally cast aside. God sees past our present failings but He also sees the victories which we cannot see.

The Jonah that God sent to Nineveh the second time was not the same Jonah to whom God spoke on the first occasion. The individual whom God sent in chapter 3 is one whom He raised up from the belly of the fish. The Jonah to whom God spoke the first time was not ready to go to Nineveh and deliver God's message. The Jonah to whom God spoke the second time was fully qualified. God supplied the needed qualification training in a period of three days and three nights.

As it was with Jonah, it is with us. Past failures are to be cast aside.

Verses 3 and 4 document Jonah's response to God's instruction. Jonah went to Nineveh as directed and he proclaimed that Nineveh would be overthrown in 40 days. Jonah's actions and his words were in exact compliance to the Lord's command.

The author of this book was moved by the Holy Spirit to describe Nineveh as a great city of three days journey. While we do not know the distance of a day's journey, it would seem likely that Nineveh was stretched out along the Tigris River for fifty or sixty miles. The size of the city is important because it gives perspective to the mission which Jonah had been given. Jonah was to declare to a very large and, in all likelihood, a very powerful city that God would cause the city to be overthrown in 40 days.

It is evident that Jonah clearly communicated that his God (the God of heaven which made the sea and the dry land) would cause this to happen. God, through Jonah, presented the Ninevites with a choice. Believe the God of Jonah or do not believe the God of Jonah. The people believed and responded by proclaiming a fast and by putting on sackcloth visibly proclaiming their internal sorrow (v. 5). Fasting and putting on sackcloth was done from the greatest of them to the least. We do not know the population numbers of the city but we do know that the number of children which were too young to discern between their left hand and right hand to be 120,000 (see Jonah 4:11). It is apparent that those who heard Jonah's message declared it to others who, in turn, made God's message known to all. In the vernacular of today, the message of the coming fall of Nineveh went viral.

When the king heard of that which Jonah spoke, he removed his robe and donned sackcloth and sat in ashes. The king issued a decree requiring every person and every beast not to eat or to drink and to be covered with sackcloth. The king further decreed that everyone should cry mightily to God and to turn from their evil way and turn from their violence (v. 8).

Why? God had announced that the city would be overthrown. God did not announce that He would spare the city if the people were to repent. The question "Why?" is answered in verse 9. Who can tell what God will do if men cry out to Him?

New Testament believers know the answer. We know that He is able save all who come to Him by Christ Jesus who was, three days and three nights, in the heart of the earth (Matt. 12:40). He is able to save all who cry out to Him [For whosoever shall call upon the name of the Lord shall be saved (Rom. 10:13)].

The Ninevites cried out to God and God responded. God saw their works (v. 10). God saw that they had turned from their evil way. God saw and then God did not do (overthrow the city) as He said that He would do.

Why did God not overthrow Nineveh as He had said that He would do? The answer: God is God. God requires men to live by the law which He places in the hearts of all (see Rom. 2:14-16). The law is above all men. God is love. God is greater than the law. God, in His love, made provision for the failure of men. The Ninevites called out to God whom they did not know. They called out confessing their evil ways. They called out for His mercy and His love was made known to them.

Returning to verse 9. Note the use of the pronoun "we." In this instance, "we" refers to the pagan Gentiles of Nineveh. "We" are all that turn from evil ways and call upon the Lord. The human author of Jonah also uses "we" in chapter one. In chapter one, like in verse 9 of chapter 3, "we" refers to a people who do not know God but call upon Him. The "we" of chapter one, like the "we" of chapter three, cry out to God whom they do not know such that they shall not perish. Neither the Ninevites of chapter three or the mariners of chapter one perished.

God in His love extends His righteousness to all who will call upon Him believing that He will provide as He has promised.



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Obituaries

LARRY E. CLENDENIN

Larry E. Clendenin, 77, of Scott Depot, passed away at home on Thursday, October 31, 2024. Larry had suffered for many years from the effects of Lyme's disease contracted while working as a natural gas well tender.

Larry was a dedicated husband, father, and grandfather. He was a 1965 graduate of Dunbar High School and served in the Marine Corps Reserves where he was honorably discharged as a Lance Corporal. Larry served as a baseball, basketball and soccer coach as well as a Hurricane High School band dad. He was a jack of all trades and loved to work on and repair friends' and neighbors' autos, lawn mowers, etc. Racing old cars was what Larry loved to do and he was inducted into the WV Drag Racers Hall of Fame in 2017. He loved to help anyone, especially his two sons, with anything when they needed him. He was a friend to all that new him.

He leaves behind his wife of 57 years, Judy Clendenin; sons: Mitchell Clendenin (Sherry) of Thompsons Station, TN; Bryan Clendenin (Stacy Claude) of Asheville, NC; grandchildren: Aaron Clendenin of Thompsons Station, TN, Hollis and Merin Clendenin both of Asheville, NC; sister, Caroline Gardner of Dunbar, WV and several nieces and nephews.

At this time there is no services.

JASON CUNNINGHAM

Jason Dee Cunningham, 45, of Hurricane, a loving father, son, brother, and grandson, unexpectedly passed away at home on Tuesday, October 29th, 2024. Jason was born on April 11th, 1979 in Hurricane and to Joanie Cunningham and

late Cliff Cunningham.

He is preceded in death by his father, Cliff Cunningham, and his grandparents Janet and Harold Cunningham. Surviving Jason is his mother, Joanie Cunningham of Hurricane; his grandmother, Shirley Elswick of Hurricane; his grandfather, Franklin D. Elswick of Hurricane; his sons, Evan and Seth Harris; His sisters, Jessica Ronk and Stacie Johnson all of Hurricane, as well as several nieces and nephews. He will be greatly missed by all who knew him, and will always be remembered.

Funeral service was Tuesday, November 5th, 2024 at Valley View Memorial Park Mausoleum, Hurricane.

KATHY HENLINE

Kathy Ann Henline, 57, of Hurricane, passed away October 27, 2024. She was born on August 20, 1967. Kathy was a beloved wife, sister, mother, and grandmother and married to Dillard Henline, Jr. Preceding her in death were her parents Leonard Wiley and Pearl Jean Wiley, sister Patricia Chittenden and brother Glen Wiley.

Surviving husband Dillard Henline, Jr, Children, Marie Norman, Dillard Henline III, Timothy Henline and Jessica Mosley, Grandchildren, Aaron Norman, Jameson Henline, Garrett Henline, Noah Hively, Gracie Norman, Alessa Henline, Taylor Henline and Grayson Bandy. Sisters, Sharon Blevins Comer and Maude Colegrove, She is also survived by 6 nieces and 5 nephews which she loved very much and also their children.

Kathy liked the outdoors, enjoyed fishing and camping were among her favorite hobbies. Kathy attended "Glad Tidings Church". She

also spent many days playing different games with her grandchildren. The people that knew her would agree in saying she had a "Heart of Gold"

Service was Friday, November 1, at Allen Funeral Home Chapel with Pastor Rebekah Goff Jarrell officiating. Burial was in Culloden Cemetery, Culloden.

JOYCE HOLLEY

Joyce Ann Holley (nee Stanley), aged 89, passed away on October 31, 2024, in Hurricane. Born on May 23, 1935, in Kayford, West Virginia, to Lonnie and Kathryn Stanley, Joyce was a cherished member of her community and a beloved figure in the Putnam County School system where she worked for many years as an aide. Her compassion and warmth made her a surrogate grandmother to many students, enriching their lives with her kindness and wisdom.

Joyce is survived by a loving family: her husband, Joseph M. Holley; her daughter, Malinda A. Shanklin (David); her sons, Bradley J. Holley and Mark M. Holley (Terri); her grandchildren, Clifton D. Shanklin (Alyson), Adam M. Holley (Jenny), Tracy N. Garrett (Jason), Nicholas Holley, and Chloe M. Ashton (Hunter); and her great-grandchildren, Bryce M. Pfeiff, Makenzy A. Shanklin, Annabelle G. Garrett, Haley N. Shanklin, Eliana F. Garrett, and Barrett M. Holley. She also leaves behind two brothers and one sister.

Joyce was preceded in death by her parents, Lonnie and Kathryn Stanley, five brothers, and two sisters.

Joyce's life was a testament to the power of nurturing and love. Her legacy will continue

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Obituaries

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to live on in the hearts of those she touched. She will be deeply missed by her family, friends, and all who knew her.

Funeral service was Monday, November 4, 2024 at Allen Funeral Home with Rev. Larry Cooper officiating. Burial was in Holley Cemetery.

DORIS MAE HUNTER

Doris Mae Hill Hunter, 86, of Winfield, passed away Friday, November 1, 2024.

Doris was born December 21, 1937 in Follansbee to the late Robert and Cleo Hill. In addition to her parents she was preceded in death by her husband, Bob; brothers: William (Yvonne), Robert (Janice), and John Hill.

Doris graduated from Follansbee High School where she met the love of her life and beloved husband of 61 years, Bob Hunter. Both were in the high school band, where Doris played both trumpet and baritone. Music played an important role throughout her life, as she played the piano and hand bells for her church and also sang alto in the church choir.

After having her 5 children, Doris completed her elementary education degree at West Liberty. She worked mainly in Pre-K and Kindergarten in numerous locations. After retiring, she was very active in the church doing various music and children's programs, and MOPS. She also became a Stephen Minister and participated in the Walk to Emmaus.

Doris is survived by her children: Roberta (Augie) Zicarelli, Rick (Aiwu) Hunter, Ray (Christy) Hunter, Ronda (Dan) Wilkes, Reva (Frank) Capehart; 13 grandchildren; 10 great grandchildren; and numerous nieces, nephews and cousins.

A memorial service for Doris will be 1:00 pm, Sunday, November 10, 2024, at Winfield United Methodist Church, Winfield.

MARGARET DALE MICHAU

Margaret Dale Michau, 78, of Hurricane, passed away on October 30, 2024, after a courageous battle with cancer.

Born on March 18, 1946, in Bremerton, Washington, Margaret, affectionately

known as Marge and Margie, was a beacon of joy and generosity, cherished by all who knew her. Marge was a spitfire and loved life! Dancing, listening to music, gathering with friends and family are the ways she loved to celebrate life.

Marge dedicated her career to helping others, first through her work with The ARC, where she formed many lifelong friendships, and later with the West Virginia Citizen Group, where she engaged in spirited discussions on political and social issues. Her commitment to service and community left a lasting impact.

She was a woman of profound spiritual beliefs, celebrating her faith in everyday moments and interactions. Marge's hobbies included reading, gardening, traveling throughout West Virginia, dining out, watching sports, and, most importantly, spending time with her cherished family.

Marge was preceded in death by the love of her life, Richard Bruce Zegeer, on July 1, 2015. She is also preceded by her parents, brother, and many aunts and uncles.

Surviving Marge is her daughter, Andrea L. Graziano and husband Philip, their daughters, Alexis and Annabella Graziano, along with pup, Allie; her son Dr. Kenneth J. Michau and wife Kate, along with children, Jake and Will Scarlett. Also, her life-long friends, that were just like family, Don and Sylvia Smith, of Pittsburgh, PA, and their children and grandchildren; sister, Lurah Houghtaling and husband Harry, their children and grandchildren of GA, FL and SC.

Honoring her wishes, there will be no services.

JOHN MITCHELL NAPIER

John Mitchell Napier, 87, of Red House, passed away Saturday, October 26th, surrounded by family at St. Mary's Medical Center. John was a 1955 graduate of Scott High School. He attended Warren Wilson College in Swannanoa, NC and then Marshall University where he graduated with a masters degree plus 45 in education. Over his long teaching career he taught at Scott High School, Buffalo High School, and Putnam County Vocational School. He also

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coached numerous sports at Scott and Buffalo. He was a dedicated teacher and coach who touched the lives of many students and athletes during his career.

John served in the Army National Guard and was a member of the American Legion Post 187 and Kanawha Valley Lodge #36 A.F & A.M. in Buffalo. He attended Christ Community Church in Scott Depot. In his free time, John volunteered at the Hospice House, enjoyed camping, bluegrass music, gardening, and woodworking, where he made many beautiful items such as: clocks, guitars, canes, furniture, and more. He also enjoyed watching sports, spending time with family and friends, and with his beloved dogs Buddy and Ginger. John will be remembered as a kind and generous man who would do anything for his family and friends. He took in many relatives over the years and treated them as if they were his own children.

He was born on July 20th, 1937, in Logan County to the late Hawk Napier and Edna Napier. In addition to his parents, he was preceded in death by his loving wife, Elizabeth Moore Napier; sisters, Delores Daniels, Irene Beckner, and Mary Osborne; brother, Ronald Napier.

He is survived by his children, Debbie Sayre of Leon and Rick (Robyn) Napier of Scott Depot; brother, Elmer Napier of Vienna and sister, JoAnn Keenan of Largo, FL. He will be dearly missed by all of his cherished grandchildren, who called him "Pop Pop": Zach (Gari) Sayre of Point Pleasant, Colby Sayre of Leon, Mackenzie Baldrige of Coal Grove, OH; and Taryn (Geoffrey) Bramblett of Valdosta, GA; great-grandchildren, Presleigh and Blair Baldrige, Madison and Wesley Pearson, Nick Cichon-Ledderhose, and

De Luca, and Sean Wilson. He recently was honored to become a great great grandpa to Evelyn and Dexton Evans. He also leaves behind special brother- and sister-in-law, Jerry and Janet Moore, and nephews and great nephews and nieces, Jared (Kelsi) Moore, Corey (Kierra) Moore, Noah Moore, Ason Moore, Ella Moore, Emma Moore, and Natalie Jones who he considered to be like his own children and grandchildren; as well as numerous brother-in-laws, sister-in-laws, nieces, and nephews.

A private family celebration of his life will be held at a later date.

LINDA FAY PARKER

Linda Fay "Linde" Parker, 72, of Poca, went home to be with the Lord Friday, November 1, 2024.

Linde was born to the late Robert and Madonna Parker. She enjoyed going to church and gospel sings with her best friend and caregiver, Elma Hornish.

Left to cherish her memories are her siblings Frank Parker, Harold Parker, Mary Parker, and Ellen Bays, and special friends Jesse and Patty Rowley and their family. Linde is also survived by other family and a host of friends.

A tribute to the life of Linda Parker was held Monday, November 4, 204 at Gatens-Harding Funeral Home with Chad Harding officiating. Private burial was in Haven of Rest Memory Gardens, Red House.

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NOTICE OF TRUSTEE'S SALE
NOTICE is hereby given by virtue of that certain Deed of Trust executed by Andrea Myers, David W. Myers and Pamela L. Myers, dated February 26, 2010, of record in the Office of the County Commission of Putnam County, West Virginia, in Trust Deed Book 930, Page 914, conveyed unto J. R. Wilson, Trustee; and by virtue of that certain Substitution of Trustee, dated September 16, 2024, of record in the aforesaid Clerk's Office in Book 1372. page 537, appointing Eric S. Embree in place of stead of, J. R. Wilson, as Trustee, the maker of the note and obligation having failed to pay the same as provided for under the terms of the Note and Deed of Trust and the holder of said Note having declared the balance to be due and payable and having requested the undersigned to make sale of the real estate described in said Deed of Trust, the undersigned will offer for sale and sell at public auction to the highest bidder on the 4th day of December, 2024 at 12 p.m., at the north front door of the Courthouse of Putnam County, in Winfield, West Virginia, the following described real estate:

All of the following described real estate, together with the improvements thereon and the appurtenances thereunto belonging, situate in Scott District, Putnam County, West Virginia and being more particularly bounded and described as follows:

BEGINNING at a stake on the western right of way line of Rocky Step Road, which said stake is situate S. 50 021 40" W. 220.6 feet from the northeastern most corner to the tract of land of which the subject property is a part and on said right of way line: thence from said beginning corner, on a new line through the land of Bruce S. Dotson and Sarah A. Dotson. his wife, N. 770 35' 54" E., 212.56 feet to a point; thence S. 50 0 33 38" W., 155.84 feet to a point; thence S. 1 30 35' 20" E., 159.72 feet to a stake; thence N. 76 0 20' 27" E., 303.63 feet to a stake on said right of way line; thence with the westerly right of way line of Rocky Step Road, N. 1 0 55' 43" W., 136.98 feet to the place of beginning, containing 1.37 acres. more or less, and shown and designated upon that certain map entitled, "A Plat Showing a Revised Survey of Lots 1, 2 and 4 of the Bruce Dotson Sub-Division, Being Situate in Scott District, Putnam County, West Virginia", dated August 16, 1988. prepared by Roger K. Randolph. PE #6246, a copy of which is recorded in the Office of the Clerk of the County Commission of Putnam County, West Virginia in Deed Book 3 1 5, page 765.

Being the same real estate conveyed unto Andrea Myers and David Myers and Pamela Myers. husband and by Sarah Jo Brown by deed dated February 26, 2010. to be recorded in the aforesaid Clerk's Office simultaneously with this instrument. It is the intention of this notice to sell the secured property by proper description as was intended to be transferred and conveyed in the aforesaid deed of trust. The described real estate is reported to have a mailing address of: 166 Rocky Step Road. Scott Depot. West Virginia 25560.

TERMS OF SALE: Sale will be made without warranty, as is, subject to all unpaid real property taxes and special assessments. if any, and also subject to any exceptions. reservations, restrictions, covenants. conditions, agreements and easements as found in the chain of title which affect any part of the property aforesaid. specifically including any which may be incorporated by reference in the aforesaid deed of trust. Any buyer is advised to retain counsel before the sale.

The Purchaser shall be responsible for the payment of the transfer taxes imposed by the West Virginia Code 11-22-1.

The Beneficiary and/or the Servicer of the Deed of Trust and Note reserve the right to submit a bid for the property at sale.

Trustee at sale is under no duty to cause any existing tenant or person occupying the subject property to vacate said property, and any personal property and/or belongings remaining at the property after the foreclosure sale will be deemed to constitute ABANDONED PROPERTY AND WILL BE DISPOSED OF ACCORDINGLY.

The total purchase price is payable to the Trustee by certified check, cash or the equivalent within thirty (30) days of the date of sale, with ten (10%) of the total purchase price payable to the Trustee at sale by certified check, cash or the equivalent.

Should any party have any inquires, objections to the sale or protests regarding the sale, or request regarding the sale, please notify the Trustee below.

FEDERAL TAX LIEN: In the event that there are federal tax liens against the property, the United States would have the right to redeem the property within a period of 120 days from the date of such sale or the period allowable for redemption under local law, whichever is longer.

The part(ies) secured by the Deed of Trust reserve the right to purchase the property at such sale. If the purchaser at sale is unable to complete the terms of purchase within 30 days, the Trustee reserves the right to transfer the property to the next highest bidder.

Any sale hereunder may be adjourned from time to time without any notice other than oral proclamation, at the time and place appointed for this sale or by posting of a notice of the same. Should the Trustee not appear at the time appointed for the sale and there is no notice posted of a continuance please contact the office of the Trustee to make further inquiry. Any sale may be conducted or adjourned by the designated agent or attorney of the Trustee. The undersigned is fully vested with the authority to sell said property as Trustee by instrument of record.

Given under my hand this 24th day of October, 2024. ERIC S. EMBREE, Substitute Trustee Tyree Embree and Associates, PLLC 3564 Teays Valley Road Hurricane, West Virginia 25526 Phone: (304) 757-0021

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PUBLIC SERVICE COMMISSION OF WEST VIRGINIA CHARLESTON

CASE NO. 24-0704-G-P

HOPE GAS, INC. Petition to convert farm-tap customers to propane, retain those customers as tariff customers, and for approval of related cost recovery proposals.

NOTICE OF FILING AND HEARING

On August 23, 2024, Hope Gas, Inc. (Hope), a public utility, filed with the Public Service Commission of West Virginia a Petition requesting authority to convert certain Hope farm-tap customers to propane (or electric, if desired by the customer), purchase and provide them with propane under Hope's tariff, and recover the cost to supply propane and the expenses to convert customers to propane or electric service.

Hope proposes to convert approximately 479 residential farm-tap customers located on Hope-owned gathering system pipelines and 150 farm-tap customers served off of pipelines owned by Diversified Gas and Oil Company, Pillar Energy, Noumenon Corp., and Pine Mountain Inc. that include 1,068 miles of gas lines located in the counties of Barbour, Braxton, Calhoun, Clay, Doddridge, Gilmer, Harrison, Jackson, Kanawha, Lewis, Marion, Mason, Monongalia, Pleasants, Ritchie, Roane, Taylor, Tyler, Upshur, Wetzel, Wirt, and Wood. The pipelines and farm-tap locations are identified in the Petition, which is on file and available for public inspection at the Commission's offices at 201 Brooks Street, Charleston, West Virginia, and on the Commission's website, www.psc.state.wv.us.

Hope maintains that the pipelines can no longer provide safe, reliable, and economical gas service to the farm-tap customers or are in jeopardy of being unable to continue providing service. The pipelines are no longer necessary or useful to Hope's provision of service to Hope customers and are uneconomical to continue to operate, maintain, or replace.

Hope estimates that the cost to operate and maintain the pipelines will far exceed \$10 million per year, and replacing the lines with new plastic pipelines will cost over \$600 million. Hope projects that if approved, the cost to convert customers to propane or electric service will be approximately \$6 million, or \$10,000 per customer, plus \$2,000 for propane storage and house lines.

Hope does not seek a rate increase in this proceeding. Hope anticipates recovering the ongoing cost of supplying propane to the converted customers through Hope's purchases gas adjustment (PGA) mechanism and PGA rates. Hope proposes to defer and recover the expenses incurred to convert customers to propane or electric service under W. Va. Code §24-3-7(d).

A hearing will be held by the Public Service Commission, which will begin at 9:30 a.m. on December 9, 2024, in the Howard M. Cunningham Hearing Room at the Commission's offices at 201 Brooks Street, Charleston, West Virginia. The Commission may cancel the hearing for good cause shown. Interested persons intending to attend the hearing should monitor the web docket.

Anyone desiring to protest the relief requested by Hope may file a written protest or request to intervene in Case No. 24-0704-G-P, online, through the Commission website using the "Submit a Comment" link, by mail addressed to: Executive Secretary of the Public Service Commission at P.O. Box 812, 201 Brooks Street, Charleston, West Virginia 25323, or may appear at the hearing.

Anyone desiring to protest the relief requested by Hope may file a written protest or request to intervene that briefly states the reason for the protest or request to intervene. Requests to intervene must comply with the rules on intervention set forth in the Commission's Rules of Practice and Procedure and must be filed within ten (10) days following the date of this publication unless otherwise modified by Commission order. The Commission will receive public comments throughout the entirety of the proceeding. All written comments and requests to intervene should state the case name and number and be addressed to Karen Buckley, Executive Secretary, P.O. Box 812, Charleston, West Virginia 25323. Public comments may also be filed online at http://www.psc.state.wv.us/scripts/onlinecomments/default.cfm by clicking the "Formal Case" link.

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IN THE CIRCUIT COURT OF PUTNAM COUNTY, WEST VIRGINIA

In Re: Change of Name from Benjamin Edward Henley to Branwyn Elaine Henley

LEGAL NOTICE OF PUBLICATION CHANGE OF NAME PROCEEDING Civil Action No. 24-P-136 Circuit Court of Putnam County, West Virginia

Notice is hereby given that on the 6th day of December, 2024, at 2:00 p.m. on said day, or as soon thereafter as the matter may be heard, before the Honorable Judge Phillip M. Stowers, Benjamin Edward Henley will apply by Petition to the Circuit Court of Putnam County, West Virginia for the entry of an order by said Court, changing his name from Benjamin Edward Henley to Branwyn Elaine Henley, at which time and place any interested party may appear and be heard, if they so desire.

You are hereby notified that this matter may be rescheduled without further notice or publication.

A copy of said Petition can be obtained from the undersigned Clerk at his office at 12093 Winfield Road, Ste. 12, Winfield, WV 25213.

ENTERED by the Clerk of said Court this 22nd day of October, 2024. Stephanie M. Smith Putnam County Circuit Clerk 10-31-21

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PUBLIC SERVICE COMMISSION OF WEST VIRGINIA CHARLESTON

CASE NO. 24-0611-E-T-PW

APPALACHIAN POWER COMPANY and WHEELING POWER COMPANY Application for approval for revisions to Schedules LCP and IP.

NOTICE OF FILING AND HEARING

On July 18, 2024, Appalachian Power Company (APCo) and Wheeling Power Company (WPCo) (jointly the Companies), filed an Application for Approval of Revisions to their Schedules LCP and IP (Tariff Sheet Nos. 14 and 15, respectively) (hereinafter the Application) pursuant to W. Va. Code § 24-2-4a.

The Companies proposed to add new language to the "Special Terms and Conditions" section of each Schedule. The new language is:

The following terms and conditions apply to Customers over 200 MW:

Contracts will be made for an initial period of twenty (20) years and shall remain in effect thereafter unless cancelled or modified pursuant to the terms hereunder.

Either party shall give at least five years' written notice to the other of the intention to discontinue service under the terms of this Schedule. Such notice shall not reduce the twenty-year initial term. In the event of a permanent closure by the customer occurring after the first five (5) years of the initial contract term, the customer may exit the contract by providing a one-time payment equal to five (5) years of minimum billing under this Schedule.

The customer shall give at least five (5) years' written notice to the Company of the intention to reduce the contract capacity specified in the contract, but any contract capacity changes may be implemented with less than five (5) years' notice with mutual agreement. Such notice shall not reduce the maximum contract capacity established during the term of the contract by more than 20 percent, except by mutual agreement. Such notice shall not be given during the first five (5) years of the initial contract term.

In addition to the Measurement and Determination of Demand and Energy provisions, the customer's monthly billing demand shall in no event be less than 90 percent of the greater of (a) the customer's on-peak contract capacity or (b) the customer's highest previously established monthly billing demand during the past 11 months or (c) the customer's maximum demand created during the billing month.

The customer shall provide collateral in a form acceptable to the Company based upon the creditworthiness of the customer. The amount of collateral provided shall be equal to 24 times the customer's previous maximum monthly non-fuel bill. During the first year of the contract, the maximum expected bill for the year shall be used. The amount of collateral to be provided will be recomputed annually, and updated if the recomputed value is 10 percent greater than the current amount held.

According to the Application, the Companies do not propose any change in rates. Further, the proposed revisions to Schedules LCP and IP would not apply to current customers; only to "certain potential large new customers." In addition, the Companies stated that the proposed revisions would not impose an incremental rate burden on any of the Companies' West Virginia Retail Customers.

The Application is on file with and available for public inspection at the Commission, 201 Brooks Street, in Charleston, West Virginia, and is available online at the Commission website (www.psc.state.wv.us).

The Commission schedules this matter for evidentiary hearing to be held on January 22, 2025, at 9:30 a.m., continuing, if necessary, on January 23, 2025, at 9:30 a.m., to be held in the Howard M. Cunningham Hearing Room, Commission Headquarters, 201 Brooks Street, Charleston, West Virginia. Interested persons should be able to view the evidentiary hearing via an internet livestream. The Commission website, www.psc.state.wv.us, contains links to "Case Information," "Submit a Comment," and "Commission Webcast."

Anyone desiring to intervene should file a written petition to intervene no later than 4:00 p.m., November 13, 2024. Failure to timely intervene may affect your right to participate in the proceeding. All requests to intervene should briefly state the reason for the request to intervene and comply with the rules on intervention set forth in the Commission's Rules of Practice and Procedure. The Commission will receive public comments and protests until the beginning of the hearing. All written comments, protests and requests to intervene should state the case name and number and be addressed to Karen Buckley, Executive Secretary, P.O. Box 812, Charleston, West Virginia 25323. Public comments may also be filed online at http://www.psc.state.wv.us/scripts/onlinecomments/default.cfm by clicking the "Formal Case" link.

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HURRICANE MUNICIPAL PLANNING COMMISSION

The Hurricane Municipal Planning Commission will have a Public Hearing on Friday, November 15, 2024 at 3:00 pm at the Hurricane Municipal Building: 3255 Teays Valley Road. The purpose of this hearing will be to review a request from Isabella S. Cook regarding the rezoning of property she owns at 2760 5th Street to B-1. The public is invited to attend. 10-31-21

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NOTICE OF TRUSTEE'S SALE

NOTICE OF TRUSTEE'S SALE is hereby given pursuant to and by virtue of the authority vested in the Substitute Trustee, WV Trustee Services, LLC, by that certain Deed of Trust dated January 24, 2000, executed by Borrower(s), Ernest W. Hedrick and Shirley J. Hedrick, to O. Gay Elmore, Jr., the Trustee of record in the office of the Clerk of the County Commission of Putnam County, West Virginia, in Book 489, at Page 859. At the time of the execution of the Deed of Trust, this property was reported to have a mailing address of 3608 36th St, Nitro, WV 25143. WV Trustee Services, LLC were appointed as Substitute Trustees by APPOINTMENT OF SUCCESSOR TRUSTEE dated May 28, 2024, of record in the Clerk's Office in Book 1365, Page 684. The borrower(s) defaulted under the Note and Deed of Trust and the Substitute Trustees have been instructed to foreclose under the Deed of Trust. Accordingly, the Substitute Trustees will sell the following described property to the highest bidder at the front door of the Courthouse of Putnam County, in Winfield, West Virginia, on the following date:

19th day of November, 2024 at 11:15 a.m.

All that certain lot or parcel of real land, together with the improvements thereon and the appurtenances thereunto belonging, situate in the City of Nitro, Putnam County, West Virginia, and being known and designated as Lot No. 3608-36th Street, hereinafter referred to, located, bounded and described by reference to the co-ordinate survey called, "A Primary Reference System", established by the United States Government (1918) covering Explosive Plant C, and indicated by co-ordinate parallels as follows: BEGINNING at an iron pipe on the south line of Thirty sixth Street, common corner between Lots #3606 and #3608, co-ordinate location North seventy-one plus thirty-four and thirty-six hundredths East thirty nine plus twenty four and ninety three hundredths; thence with the line of thirty sixth street in an easterly direction fifty feet to an iron pipe, common corner between lots #3608 and 3610; thence ninety degrees to the right with one line of Lot #3610 sixty five feet to an iron pipe, common corner to Lots #3608, #3610, #3509 and #3507; thence ninety degrees to the right fifty feet to an iron pipe, common corner to Lots #3606, #3608, #3505 and #3507; thence ninety degrees to the right, with one line of Lot #3606, sixty five feet to the place of beginning, containing seven (.7) hundredths acre, more or less, more or less; and being the same property conveyed unto Ernest W. Hedrick and Shirley Jean Hedrick, his wife, by deed dated February 22, 1990, from Mary Hazel Hedrick, widow, of record in the office of the Clerk of the County Commission of Putnam County, West Virginia, in Deed Book 323, at page 691.

TERMS OF SALE:

- 1) The property will be conveyed in an "AS IS" physical condition by Deed containing no warranty, express or implied, subject to the Internal Revenue Service right of redemption, all property taxes, prior Deeds, liens, reservations, encumbrances, restrictions, rights-of-ways, easements, covenants, conveyances and conditions of record in the Clerk's office or affecting the subject property.
2) The Purchaser shall be responsible for the payment of the transfer taxes imposed by the West Virginia Code § 11-22-1.
3) The Beneficiary and/or the Servicer of the Deed of Trust and Note reserve the right to submit a bid for the property at sale.
4) The Trustee reserves the right to continue sale of the subject property from time to time by written or oral proclamation, which continuance shall be in the sole discretion of the Trustee.
5) The Trustee shall be under no duty to cause any existing tenant or person occupying the property to vacate said property, and any personal property and/or belongings remaining at the property after the foreclosure sale will be deemed to constitute ABANDONED PROPERTY AND WILL BE DISPOSED OF ACCORDINGLY.
6) The total purchase price is payable to the Trustee within thirty (30) days of the date of sale, with ten (10%) of the total purchase price payable to the Trustee at sale..

WV Trustee Services, LLC, Substitute Trustee BY: Jim Ashley, Limited Signing Officer WV Trustee Services, LLC McGuire Office Center 618 Tenth Street, Suite 108 Huntington, WV 25701 (304) 853-3336 jim.ashley@wvtrusteeservices.com 10-24-41

LEGAL ADVERTISEMENT

Notice of Public Hearing The Putnam County Board of Zoning Appeals will meet on Thursday, December 12, 2024, at 6:30 pm in Room 221 of the Putnam County Courthouse, 12093 Winfield Road, Winfield, WV to conduct a Regular Meeting and hold the following public hearing:

Zoning Variance Request: Alley Cat Signs has applied to the Putnam County Office of Planning & Infrastructure to request approval of a 24.6 square foot wall sign to be placed on the west facing wall of the proposed Human Bean building to be constructed at 73 Pointe Place, Hurricane, WV 25526 (Tax Map 222E, Parcel 62.1). The property is zoned "C-1" Suburban Commercial. Article 1400 of the Zoning Ordinance for the Zoned Unincorporated Areas of Putnam County, West Virginia states wall signs shall be permitted at one (1) square foot per one (1) lineal foot of primary building frontage. The lineal frontage will be 14 feet, allowing for 14 square feet of wall signage.

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To the Creditors and Beneficiaries of the following deceased persons estates:

I have before me the estates of the deceased persons and the accounts of the fiduciaries of their respective estates as listed below:

Estate No.: 5815 Estate Of: Inez L Bird Executor: Keith W Alford 304 Teays Lane Hurricane, WV 25526 Estate No.: 5805 Estate Of: Helen Ruth Burnside Executor: Thomas R Burnside 139 Waterside Circle Winfield, WV 25213 Estate No.: 5808 Estate Of: Gregory Allen Ray Administratrix: Linda L Cullum 4321 Trace Creek Road Hurricane, WV 25526 Estate No.: 5868 Estate Of: Allen Eugene Reed Administratrix: Nicole R Reed 461 Forest Circle South Charleston, WV 25303 Estate No.: 5791 Estate Of: Mamie Rebecca Scarberry Administrator Cta: Oran W Scarberry 5450 Hagerty Road Ashville, OH 43103

All persons having claims against the estate(s) of any of the above-named deceased persons whether due or not, are notified to exhibit their claims with vouchers thereof, legally verified, to the fiduciary of such deceased person as shown above within 60 days of November 7, 2024; or, if not, to exhibit the same at the office of the undersigned Fiduciary Supervisor at the address shown below by said date; otherwise any or all such claims may by law be excluded from all benefits of said estate(s). No claims against the estate shall be accepted by the fiduciary supervisor after said date. All beneficiaries of said estate(s) may appear either before the above-named fiduciary by the date first shown above, or thereafter before the undersigned fiduciary supervisor by the date last shown above to examine said claims and otherwise protect their respective interests.

All persons seeking to impeach or establish a will must file a complaint pursuant to W. Va. Code. Any person objecting to the representative's qualifications, venue or jurisdiction must file a complaint within 60 days of November 7, 2024. Subscribed and sworn to before me on the 31st day of October 2024. Fiduciary Supervisor Putnam County Commission 10293 Winfield Road, Winfield, WV 25213 11-7-21

LEGAL ADVERTISEMENT

To the Creditors and Beneficiaries of the following deceased persons estates:

I have before me the estates of the deceased persons and the accounts of the fiduciaries of their respective estates as listed below:

Estate No.: 5815 Estate Of: Millie G. Adkins Executor: Robert S Adkins 3733 Turkey Crk Rd Hurricane, WV 25526 Estate No.: 5892 Estate Of: Shirley Ruth Casto Executrix: Cathy A Chaney 3702 Cambridge Drive Hurricane, WV 25526 Estate No.: 5832 Estate Of: John P Hannah Executor: Gary L. Hollingshead 1012 Elm Drive Hurricane, WV 25526 Estate No.: 5870 Estate Of: Othena Higginbotham Executrix: Patsy A Rummell 1650 Grandview Ridge Road Red House, WV 25168 Estate No.: 5693 Estate Of: Shirley Jean Landis Executor: Jonathan Scott 1andis 229 21st Street Dunbar, WV 25064 Estate No.: 5804 Estate Of: Barbara Jean Wilson Executrix: Lori A Lambert 106 Vista Lane Hurricane, WV 25526 Estate No.: 5861 Estate Of: Shawna McKay Wilson Administratrix: Jennifer M Miller PO Box 51 Poca, WV 25159

All persons having claims against the estate(s) of any of the above-named deceased persons whether due or not, are notified to exhibit their claims with vouchers thereof, legally verified, to the fiduciary of such deceased person as shown above within 60 days of October 31, 2024; or, if not, to exhibit the same at the office of the undersigned Fiduciary Supervisor at the address shown below by said date; otherwise any or all such claims may by law be excluded from all benefits of said estate(s). No claims against the estate shall be accepted by the fiduciary supervisor after said date. All beneficiaries of said estate(s) may appear either before the above-named fiduciary by the date first shown above, or thereafter before the undersigned fiduciary supervisor by the date last shown above to examine said claims and otherwise protect their respective interests.

All persons seeking to impeach or establish a will must file a complaint pursuant to W. Va. Code. Any person objecting to the representative's qualifications, venue or jurisdiction must file a complaint within 60 days of October 31, 2024. Subscribed and sworn to before me on the 25th day of October 2024. Fiduciary Supervisor Putnam County Commission 10293 Winfield Road, Winfield, WV 25213 10-31-21

LEGAL ADVERTISEMENT

NOTICE OF TRUSTEE'S SALE

NOTICE OF TRUSTEE'S SALE is hereby given pursuant to and by virtue of the authority vested in the Substitute Trustee, WV Trustee Services, LLC, by that certain Deed of Trust dated September 21, 2002, executed by Borrower(s), Alex Bennett and Stephanie Bennett, to James B. Crawford III, the Trustee of record in the office of the Clerk of the County Commission of Putnam County, West Virginia, in Book 593, at Page 157. At the time of the execution of the Deed of Trust, this property was reported to have a mailing address of 10 Cordoba Rd, Hurricane, WV 25526. WV Trustee Services, LLC were appointed as Substitute Trustees by APPOINTMENT OF SUCCESSOR TRUSTEE dated September 13, 2024, of record in the Clerk's Office in Book 1373, Page 277-279. The borrower(s) defaulted under the Note and Deed of Trust and the Substitute Trustees have been instructed to foreclose under the Deed of Trust. Accordingly, the Substitute Trustees will sell the following described property to the highest bidder at the front door of the Courthouse of Putnam County, in Winfield, West Virginia, on the following date:

4th day of December, 2024 at 11:00 a.m.

ALL OF THAT CERTAIN LOT OR PARCEL OF REAL ESTATE, TOGETHER WITH THE IMPROVEMENTS THEREON AND THE APPURTENANCES THEREUNTO BELONGING, SITUATE IN SCOTT DISTRICT, PUTNAM COUNTY, WEST VIRGINIA, AND BEING ALL OF LOT NUMBER TEN (10) OF CORDOBA ESTATES AS SHOWN ON A MAP THEREOF ENTITLED, "CORDOBA ESTATES", MADE BY E. L. ROBINSON ENGINEERING, RECORDED IN THE OFFICE OF THE CLERK OF THE COUNTY COMMISSION OF PUTNAM COUNTY, WEST VIRGINIA, AND FURTHER AS SHOWN A CERTAIN MAP ENTITLED, "MORTGAGE VERIFICATION FOR PAUL A. MATTOX, JR. AND STEPHANIE L. MATTOX, LOT 10, CORDOBA ESTATES, HURRICANE, WEST VIRGINIA", DATED JUNE 19, 1986, AS REVISED ON AUGUST 27, 1986, AS PREPARED BY WILLIAM J. WHITMAN, LICENSED LAND SURVEYOR #645 OF DUNN ENGINEERS, INC., WHICH SAID MAP IS ATTACHED AND RECORDED WITH THE DEED RECORDED IN THE AFORESAID CLERK'S OFFICE IN DEED BOOK 297, PAGE 379. BEING THE SAME REAL ESTATE CONVEYED UNTO PAUL A. MATTOX AND STEPHANIE L. MATTOX BY SEVILLE INVESTMENT CO., BY DEED DATED AUGUST 29, 1986, RECORDED IN THE AFORESAID CLERK'S OFFICE IN DEED BOOK 297, PAGE 379. REFERENCE IS ALSO MADE TO THE DEED FROM PAUL A. MATTOX TO STEPHANIE L. MATTOX, NOW STEPHANIE L. BENNETT, DATED DECEMBER 4, 1997, RECORDED IN THE AFORESAID CLERK'S OFFICE IN DEED BOOK 387, PAGE 888.

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Tariff Form No. 8-C
(Tariff Rule 14.2 et seq. (Historical Rule 30-C))

PUBLIC NOTICE OF CHANGE IN RATES UPON APPLICATION

NOTICE is hereby given that Hope Gas, Inc. (the "Company"), a public utility, as Successor to Consumers Gas Utility Company ("Consumers"), has filed with the PUBLIC SERVICE COMMISSION OF WEST VIRGINIA, an application containing decreased rates, tolls and charges for furnishing natural gas service to all of its customers, including former Consumers customers in various locations in the Counties of Cabell, Jackson, Putnam, Ritchie, Roane, and Wayne.

The Interim Recommended Decision rates and charges will become effective November 1, 2024. Residential customers will be billed a two-part Residential Sales Purchase Gas Adjustment ("PGA") rate consisting of a gas usage-based charge and a monthly fixed pipeline recovery charge. Commercial customers will be billed a Commercial Sales PGA rate consisting of a gas usage-based charge, which is the volumetric equivalent to the two-part Residential Sales PGA rate. The average monthly bill for the various classes of former Consumers customers will be changed as follows:

HOPE GAS, INC. as SUCCESSOR to CONSUMERS GAS UTILITY COMPANY – INTERIM RECOMMENDED DECISION	\$	%
TYPE OF CUSTOMER	INCREASE/ (DECREASE)	INCREASE/ (DECREASE)
Residential Sales	(\$11.65)	(14.43%)
Commercial Sales	(\$45.71)	(16.95%)

The decreases shown are based on averages of all customers in the indicated classes. Each class may receive a decrease greater or less than stated here. Individual customers may receive decreases that are greater or less than average.

A copy of the Interim Recommended Decision rates, as well as a representative of the Company to provide any information requested concerning it, is available to all customers, prospective customers, or their agents at the Morgantown office of the Company, 781 Chestnut Ridge Road, Suite 100, Morgantown, West Virginia.

Chief Administrated Law Judge issued Interim Recommended Decision in Hope Gas, Inc.'s Case No. 24-0666-G-PC and Consumers Gas Utility Company's Case No. 24-0667-G-30C on October 4, 2024.

A copy of the Interim Recommended Decision rates is also available for public inspection at the office of the Executive Secretary of the Public Service Commission at 201 Brooks Street

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NOTICE OF TRUSTEE'S SALE is hereby given pursuant to and by virtue of the authority vested in the Substitute Trustee, WV Trustee Services, LLC, by that certain Deed of Trust dated February 27, 2002, executed by Borrower(s), Teddy B Brisendine Jr and Sheila A Searls, to Carl H. Cather, III, Esq., Spilman, Thomas & Battle, PLLC, the Trustee of record in the office of the Clerk of the County Commission of Putnam County, West Virginia, in Book 565, at Page 96. At the time of the execution of the Deed of Trust, this property was reported to have a mailing address of 3944 E 39th Street, Nitro, WV 25143. WV Trustee Services, LLC were appointed as Substitute Trustees by APPOINTMENT OF SUCCESSOR TRUSTEE dated January 4, 2024, of record in the Clerk's Office in Book 1365, Page 187-188. The borrower(s) defaulted under the Note and Deed of Trust and the Substitute Trustees have been instructed to foreclose under the Deed of Trust. Accordingly, the Substitute Trustees will sell the following described property to the highest bidder at the front door of the Courthouse of Putnam County, in Winfield, West Virginia, on the following date:

19th day of November, 2024 at 11:00 a.m.

All that certain lot, tract or parcel of land, together with the improvements thereon and the appurtenances thereunto belonging, lying adjacent to the City of Nitro, in Pocatalico District, Putnam County, West Virginia. PARCEL ONE: Being known, numbered and designated as all of Lot No. Forty One (41) of the R. G. Saunders Addition to Nitro, 40th Street Extension, as shown upon a certain map of said Addition duly of record in the Office of the Clerk of the County Commission of Putnam County, West Virginia. PARCEL TWO: Being known, numbered and designated as all of Lot No. Forty Two (42) of the R. G. Saunders Addition to Nitro, 40th Street Extension, as shown upon a certain map of said Addition duly of record in the Office of the Clerk of the County Commission of Putnam County, West Virginia.

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- The total purchase price is payable to the Trustee within thirty (30) days of the date of sale, with ten (10%) of the total purchase price payable to the Trustee at sale..

WV Trustee Services, LLC, Substitute Trustee
BY: _____
Jim Ashley, Limited Signing Officer
WV Trustee Services, LLC
McGuire Office Center
618 Tenth Street, Suite 108
Huntington, WV 25701
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TRUSTEE'S SALE OF VALUABLE REAL ESTATE

The undersigned Substitute Trustee, by virtue of the authority vested in it by that certain Deed of Trust dated August 23, 2019, and duly recorded in the Office of the Clerk of the County Commission of Putnam County, West Virginia, in Deed of Trust Book 1222, at Page 344, Heather Dornisfe did convey unto Chris Eller, Trustee, certain real property described in said Deed of Trust; and the beneficiary has elected to appoint Pill & Pill, PLLC as Substitute Trustee by a Substitution of Trustee recorded in the aforesaid Clerk's Office; and default having been made under the aforementioned Deed of Trust, and the undersigned Substitute Trustee having been instructed by the secured party to foreclose thereunder, will offer for sale at public auction at the front door of the Putnam County Courthouse, in Winfield, West Virginia, on November 19, 2024, at 4:57 PM

The following described real estate, with its improvements, easements and appurtenances thereunto belonging, situate in the Scott District, Putnam County, West Virginia, and more particularly described as follows:

All that certain lot, piece or parcel of land, together with the improvements thereon and the appurtenances thereunto belonging, being Revised Lot Forty Six (46), Section Seven (7) in Brierwood Estates, Scott District, Putnam County, West Virginia, and being further described as follows:

BEGINNING at a found pipe on the Summit Ridge Road right of way and the corner of the Edgar L. Davis, Jr. property; thence running with the Summit Ridge Road right of way 9 calls: N. 25° 35' 18" E. 42.96 feet to a found pin; thence N. 65° 01' 32" E. 122.24 feet to a set 5/6" pin; thence N. 73° 36' 46" E. 39.19 feet to a set 5/8" pin, thence S. 39° 52' 42" E. 13.96 feet to a 5/8" pin; thence S. 08° 11' 56" W. 61.98 feet to a set 5/8" pin; thence S. 25° 39' 52" W. 42.33 feet to a found pin; thence S. 32° 58' 46" W. 157.88 feet to a set 5/8" pin; thence S. 29° 06' 12" E. 42.05 feet to a found pin; thence S. 56° 35' 24" E. 42.06 feet to a set 5/8" pin on the line of the Andreze J. Stanislaw and Jeanne Mae Goldman property; thence running with the Andreze J. Stanislaw and Jeanne Mae Goldman property, N. 87° 49' 32" W. 97.52 feet to a found pipe on the corner of the Edgar L. Davis property; thence with the Edgar L. Davis, Jr. Property N. 06° 02' 54" W. 198.54 feet to the beginning, containing 0.67 acre, more or less.

Subject to those certain covenants and restrictions as contained in that certain document of record in the Office of the Clerk of the County Commission of Putnam County, West Virginia, in Miscellaneous Book 34, at page 299.

At the time of the execution of the Deed of Trust, this property was reported to have a mailing address of 149 Summit Ridge Road, Hurricane, WV 25526.

AND BEING the same real estate which was conveyed to Heather Dornisfe, by Deed dated August 15, 2019, from Christopher James Misner and Sarah Ann Misner, and recorded in the Office of the Clerk of the County Commission of Putnam County, West Virginia, in Deed Book 580, at Page 807.

The above-described property will be sold subject to any covenants, restrictions, easements, leases and conditions of record, and subject to any unpaid real estate taxes.

The subject property will be sold in "AS IS" condition. The Substitute Trustee shall be under no duty to cause any existing tenant or person occupying the subject property to vacate said property.

TERMS: Ten percent (10%) of the purchase price as a deposit with the balance due and payable within 30 days of the day of sale.

Pill & Pill, PLLC, Substitute Trustee
Richard A. Pill, Member
P. O. Box 440, 85 Aikens Center, WV Martinsburg, WV 25404
Phone (304) 263-4971,
Fax (304) 267-5840,
e-mail: foreclosures@pillwv.com
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Putnam Property Transfers

The following property transfers were recorded by the Putnam County Clerk between October 3, 2024 and October 25, 2024:

C&E LLC to Cameron and Crystal Horn - Lot, Teays Terrace Subdivision, Scott District for \$252,500.00.

Nyoka Armentrout to Donald Weathersbee - Lot, Poca District for \$122,040.00.

MRD Development LLC to Tyler and Taylor Shamblin - Lot, Long Meadow Estates, Scott District for \$46,000.00.

Lee and Lee Inc. to 60 Scarlet Dr LLC - Five Lots, Scarlet Hills Subdivision, Poca District for \$145,000.00.

William Stanley to Ryan Gregory - Lot, Teays Valley District for \$13,000.00.

DET LLC to Sprout Salon LLC - Parcel, Scott District for \$292,220.00.

MCLP Asset Company Inc to David Joplin - Two Lots, Helen Butler Subdivision, Poca District for \$25,000.00.

Helen Perry to Eric Matheny - 1.01 Acre, Curry District for \$5,000.00.

BW RRI IV LLC to Omstays LLC - 2.00

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To the Creditors and Beneficiaries of the following deceased persons estates:

I have before me the estates of the deceased persons and the accounts of the fiduciaries of their respective estates as listed below:

Estate No.: 1270
Estate Of: Martiele Ballingall
Administratrix: Pattay Jo Gillespie
213 Beechwood Est
Scott Depot, WV 25560

Estate No.: 1134
Estate Of: Patricia Ann Binion
Julius Wayne Binion
714 Strawberry Rd
St. Albans, WV 25177

Estate No.: 1241
Estate Of: Elwood Brafford
Daivd Brafford
Rt. 3 Box 208
Hurricane, WV 25526

Estate No.: 1526
Estate Of: Michael Joseph Eads
Administratrix: Lori Gibson
152 Miracle Drive
St. Albans, WV 25177

Estate No.: 1468
Estate Of: Karen Lou Grimm
Christopher B. Campbell
403 Mitchell Road
Gallipolis, OH 45631

Estate No.: 1524
Estate Of: Eugene Kiser
Administratrix: Joy Anna Sabel
PO Box 14
Elkview, WV 25071

Estate No.: 1452
Estate Of: Donald Joseph Knowles
Joseph Anthony Benuzzi
9831 Stephenson Drive
New Port Richey, FL 34655

Estate No.: 1660
Estate Of: Janice Ann Nease
Administratrix: Richard A. Nease
4002 Poca River Road N
Poca, WV 25159

Estate No.: 1646
Estate Of: Gary Wayne Scott
Administratrix: Carolyn S. Scott
PO Box 118
Leon, WV 25123

Estate No.: 1450
Estate Of: Ladonna Jean Townsend
Executor: Joel J. Townsend
PO Box 39
Hurricane, WV 25526

All persons having claims against the estate(s) of any of the above-named deceased persons whether due or not, are notified to exhibit their claims with vouchers thereof, legally verified, to the fiduciary of such deceased person as shown above within 60 days of October 31, 2024; or, if not, to exhibit the same at the office of the undersigned Fiduciary Supervisor at the address shown below by said date; otherwise any or all such claims may by law be excluded from all benefits of said estate(s). No claims against the estate shall be accepted by the fiduciary supervisor after said date. All beneficiaries of said estate(s) may appear either before the above-named fiduciary by the date first shown above, or thereafter before the undersigned fiduciary supervisor by the date last shown above to examine said claims and otherwise protect their respective interests.

All persons seeking to impeach or establish a will must file a complaint pursuant to W. Va. Code. Any person objecting to the representative's qualifications, venue or jurisdiction must file a complaint within 60 days of October 31, 2024.

Subscribed and sworn to before me on the 23RD day of October 2024.

Fiduciary Supervisor
Putnam County Commission
10293 Winfield Road,
Winfield, WV 25213
10-31-2t

Acres, Scott District for \$3,150,000.00.

Claude and Pamela Ruby to Zachary and Hannah Brant - Two Parcels, Curry District for \$126,000.00.

Cyntha Butcher to Jason and Jodi Winter - Lot, Home Builders Estates, Curry District for \$108,000.00.

Grey Galford, Joan Galford and Brian Galford to Kimberly Solomon - Two Lots, Maple Heights Addition, Hurricane District for \$250,500.00.

CMH Homes Inc to Falien Burgess - 0.791 Acre, Poca District for \$199,000.00.

Bryan and Melissa Plotkin to Cynthia Mollette - Lot, Pebble Creek Subdivision, Teays Valley District for \$320,000.00.

Jeremy and Hether Hopkins to Debra Fitch - Two Lots, Hurricane Heights, Hurricane District for \$43,000.00.

Charles Handley to Steven and Angel Perry - Two Parcels, Scott District for \$275,000.00.

AM Investments LLC to Hunter and Madysson Jungenbery - Lot, Ortin Heights, Poca District for \$189,900.00.

Vanessa Rau to Judy Harold - Lot, River Valley Subdivision, Poca District for \$210,000.00.

Husson Family Limited Partnership to Jacob Petry - Lot, Rosehill Acres, Scott District for \$30,000.00.

Soran Sadoon, Lucy Sadoon and Maria Sadoon to Anthony Pollara - Two Parcels, Vintroux Baby Farms, Scott District for \$9,000.00.

Charlotte Morgan and Katherine Christian to Gilbert and Carmen Lambert - Lot, Gables of Teays Valley, Scott District for \$315,000.00.

Matthew and Brianna Wright to Travis Nida - Lot, Nitro District for \$159,500.00.

Carolyn Tant, Theresa Allison and Pamela Knight to Anthony Valdez - Parcel, Scott District for \$270,000.00.

Grenn Valley Properties Inc to Padmanabham Ramasundaram and Vidya Vaithianathan - Lot, Bent Tree Estates, Scott District for \$395,000.00.

Lemuel Griffith to Seth Haynes and Adriana Smith - Lot, Hale Street Subdivision, Hurricane District for \$795,000.00.

Kenneth and Stacy Lindsay to Jim and Sarah Lynch - Lot, Cobblestone Subdivision, Scott District for \$795,000.00.

Robert and Kathy Adkins to Stephen and Wanda Deahl - Lot, Beechwood Estates, Scott District for \$340,000.00.

Russell Rollyson, WV State Auditor, WV Auditor Delinquent Land and Robert Bonnett to David and Judy Mercer - Two Lots, North Nitro Addition, Union District for \$3,200.00.

Almost Heaven Burgers Inc and Checkers Drive In Restaurant to Kok Kin Properties LLC - Lot, Nitro District for \$250,000.00.

WV Trustee Services LLC and Courtney Moore to AM Investments LLC - Lot, Grassie Addition, Poca District for \$75,500.00.

Neil Williams to Steven and Barbara Kaska - Lot, Castleknock Ridge, Scott District for \$415,000.00.

Jackie Adkins to Robert and Linda Adkins - Lot, Curry District for \$1,000.00.

Linda Adkins to Michael Adkins - 0.94 Acre, Curry District for \$155,000.00.

Cynthia Shearer to Richard Chandler - Lot, Glass Addition, Poca District for \$18,000.00.

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Eric Embree, Kim Whittington and Amy Whittington to Jeremiah and Melissa Darnall - 0.49 Acres, Poca District for \$14,000.00.

Ruth Hatten and Richard Dunbar to David and Ruth Hatten - Lot, Hillsdale Subdivision, Scott District for \$60,000.00.

Robert Foster to Tod and Wensdi Kreitzer - Two Parcels, Union District for \$800,000.00.

James Reed and Cierra Hackett to Dane and Penney Ryan - Parcel, Midway Addition, Poca District for \$165,000.00.

Neil and Holly Clark to William and Angela Hill - Parcel, Union District for \$40,000.00.

Nicholas and Roxanne Jeffries to Rylynn Holdings LLC - Lot, Lynnhurst Addition, Hurricane District for \$149,889.54.

Wanda Winship, Wanda Payne, Wanda Lusk to Steven Martin - Two Parcels, Buffalo District for \$195,000.00.

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Pipe Plus Inc to Appalachian Power Company - Right of Way, Poca District for \$17,220.00.

Margaret Dailey / Refett to Appalachian Power Company - Right of Way, Scott District for \$25,000.00.

Platinum Investments Group to Appalachian Power Company - Right of Way, Scott District for \$35,370.00.

Vanderbilt Mortgage and Finance Inc to Ariel Gwynn - Lot, North Nitro Addition, Union, District for \$85,000.00.

William Atkins and Natalie Hansen Atkins to Tyler Abbott and Haley Fowler - Tract, Poca District for \$40,000.00.

Sims Properties LLC to Best Virginia Holdings LLC - 2.00 Acres, Scott District for \$1,278,291.00.

Jerry and Diana Jividen to Bradley Hodges - Parcel, Union District for \$203,000.00.

Ronnie Harvey to Terron Burks - Lot, Nitro District for \$215,000.00.

Jordan and Ashley Thompson to Chad and Chelsea Lasure - Lot, White Pine Subdivision, Scott District for \$324,000.00.

Gregory and Marla Lipari to Johnny and Melanie Jacobs - Lot, Castleknock Ridge, Scott District for \$510,000.00.

Jack Keeling to Amanda Johnson - Lot, Poca Subdivision, Poca District for \$270,000.00.

William Keech to James and Stephanie Witt - Lot, Forest Park, Poca District for \$259,900.00.

Ellis Finch to Edna Fisher - Two Parcels, Teays Meadows Subdivision, Scott District for \$295,500.00.

Christian and Jennifer Beam to Shane and Fallon Usner - Lot, Wedgewood Glen Subdivision, Hurricane District for \$460,000.00.

Harold Basham to Geroge and Joyce Martin - Lot, Winsor Court, Teays Valley District for \$469,900.00.

Nicholas and Tracy Smith to Robert and Devon Burgess - Two Lots, Olympia Fields, Scott District for \$525,000.00.

Jessica Clay to Heather Saunders - Two Parcels, Eldorado Acres, Scott District for \$140,500.00.

Marsha Kelley to Amy Saunders - Unit, Deer Valley Townhouses, Scott District for \$195,000.00.

Obituaries

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BARBARA A. PRINGLE

Barbara Ann Pringle, 76, of Hometown, went home to be with the Lord, Monday, November 4, 2024, in CAMC Hospice.

Barbara was born November 20, 1947, to the late Glen and Irene Ranson. She is also preceded in death by her husband John Allen Pringle and her brother William "Bud" Ranson.

She attended Liberty Community Church and Allens Fork Community Church. She is a graduate of Poca High School and began working in childcare after graduation. Barbara was a homemaker most of her life and enjoyed crafts, traveling, and spending time with her family.

She is survived by her daughters Vicki Lynn Arthur and husband Mark of Poca, Lorrie Lee Workman of Dunbar, and Robert Allen Pringle and wife Stacey Pringle of Louisiana; brother Ralph Ranson and wife Edith of Liberty; stepdaughters Anita Lynn Pringle Cheeks of Bancroft and Angela Pringle Witt of Red House; and grandchildren Brandon

M. Arthur, Sierra L. Arthur, Tanner Dworsky, Mason Harrison, Miranda Pringle, Cody Witt, and Hannah Witt Townsend.

A tribute to the life of Barbara Ann Pringle was held Thursday, November 7, 2024, at Gatens-Harding Funeral Home Chapel with Pastor Jerry Bonnett officiating.

SANDRA 'SANDEE' SIMMS

Sandra 'Santee' Ann Simms, 76, of Hurricane, was called by God on October 31, 2024. She was a devoted Mother, Wife, and Friend, and will be missed by all.

She was the daughter of the late Maryanne (Cremeans) Layne and Ivan Cremeans. Sandee is survived by her Husband, Danny R Simms; Children, Jeffrey Cremeans, Brett Simms (Amy), and Jeremy Simms (Leanne); Grandchildren, Brandon, Grant, Jenna, Lauren and Emmy; Great Grandchildren, Hunter and Brooklynn.

Funeral service was Tuesday, November 5, 2024, at Allen Funeral Home with Rev. Ellis Conley officiating. Burial was in White Chapel Memorial Gardens in Barboursville



BETH PARTIN Lexington, Kentucky, 62nd Birthday October 31	IRIS ANN WALKUP 954 Goodlette Road 125-B Naples, Florida 87th Birthday November 9
RICK RAY Hurricane Birthday November 4	ALEXANDRIA OSTEEEN Houston, Texas 26th Birthday November 9
DONNA LESLIE 118 Deer Valley Hurricane Birthday November 8	JANET ROSE Joe's Branch Road Hurricane Birthday November 9
FRANCES LAVERTY P.O. Box 652 Milton Birthday November 8	MASON SMITH P.O. Box 1013 Milton Birthday November 10
SHARON ARMISTEAD LENNINGTON 1004 N E 72nd Street, Unit 50 Vancouver, Washington 71st Birthday November 8	JORDYN BRIANNA KING Charlotte, North Carolina 17th Birthday November 10
GREG DAMRON Catlettsburg, Kentucky 46th Birthday November 9	HAYDEN JAMES FRAZIER Barboursville 13th Birthday November 10
TRACI WESTFALL 402 Ada Delle Avenue Hurricane Birthday November 9	GAYLE CHAPMAN 5201 5&20 Mile Road Frazier's Bottom 69th Birthday November 11
JOANN COYNER SMITH Teays Valley Road Scott Depot 84th Birthday November 9	ZACHARY SPEARS Route 1, Box 128-B Milton Birthday November 11
COLE BOCK 120 Teays Meadows Scott Depot 18th Birthday November 9	ROBERT HALLMAN JR 5086 Township Road 313 Millersburg, Ohio 76th Birthday November 11
ELI SHAUN GUTHRIE Rock Branch 13th Birthday November 9	PAULA SOVINE Culloden 73rd Birthday November 11
SANDY TAYLOR 1092 Cow Creek Road Hurricane 72nd Birthday November 9	MARCELLA SMITH 587 Buffington Acres Milton Birthday November 12
SHARON YOUNG 12507 Terra Nova Lane Austin, Texas 72nd Birthday November 9	HENRY FERGUSON 134 Oakwood Estates Scott Depot Birthday November 12
BERNARD MITCHELL Hurricane 73rd Birthday November 9	

Attorney General Morrissey's Mobile Office Sets November Stops For Metro Valley

Attorney General Patrick Morrissey announced a representative from his office will meet with Metro Valley residents in November to discuss consumer-related issues and answer any potential questions.

"These public events are a great way for consumers to talk one-

on-one with our consumer representatives," Attorney General Morrissey said. "Residents can easily get questions answered, learn what is going on in their area and how to keep personal information safe and secure."

Susan Azevedo, a consumer outreach and compliance specialist with the office, will host the events as scheduled below:

MATT LYONS New Orleans, Louisiana 47th Birthday November 12	ROBIN WOODYARD Route 60 Hurricane 68th Birthday November 13
CLARA ELLEN CHAPMAN 107 Green Drive Hurricane 12th Birthday November 13	LILY ADISON SNYDER Florida 9th Birthday November 13
CONNIE DAWSON 523 Meadow Circle Hurricane Birthday November 13	KATHY DUNN HOLLEY Milton Birthday November 13
HEATHER PHILLIPS LYONS New Orleans, Louisiana Birthday November 14	STEVEN RAY YOUNG 418 Kanawha View Road Red House 64th Birthday November 14
EMMA FLYNN 495-A Kentucky 21st Birthday November 14	NANCY TAYLOR Hurricane 50th Birthday November 14

- Nov. 11: 10:30 a.m. to 11:30 a.m. – Hansford Senior Center, 500 Washington St., St. Albans
- Nov. 12: Noon to 1:30 p.m. – Kanawha County Commission, 409 Virginia St. E., Charleston
- Nov. 13: 11:30 a.m. to 12:30 p.m. – Hometown Senior Center, 40 1st Ave., Hometown
- Nov. 14: 10 a.m. to 11:30 a.m. – Cabell County Commission, 750 5th Ave., Suite 300, Huntington
- Nov. 18: 1 p.m. to 2 p.m. – Milton Public Library, 1140 Smith St., Milton
- Nov. 20: Noon to 1 p.m. – South Charleston Public Library, 312 4th Ave., South Charleston
- Nov. 26: 5 p.m. to 6:30 p.m. – Putnam County Commission, 12093 Winfield Road, Winfield

For information on additional requirements specific to any location, attendees are encouraged to contact Susan Azevedo at 304-590-1831. In case of inclement weather, please call ahead.

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Fraziers Bottom Native Wins \$100,000 Scholarship

Mason Glascock of Fraziers Bottom was one of ten National Junior Hereford Association (NJHA) members who received a \$10,000 Vanier Family Scholarship, totalling \$100,000 of financial support, during the 2024 American Hereford Association (AHA) Annual Meeting and Conference in Kansas City, Mo., on Oct. 25. During the award ceremony, the Hereford Youth Foundation of America (HYFA) and its donors awarded \$165,500 in scholarships to 27 National Junior Hereford Association (NJHA) members to help support their higher-education goals.

"HYFA is proud to continue carrying on Jack and Donna's legacy by awarding 10 scholarships in the Vanier family's name each fall," said Cowan, AHA director of youth activities and foundation.

"Thanks to the Vanier family's philanthropy over the years, nearly \$1 million has been awarded to more than 80 NJHA members in the Vanier name."

The Vanier family believes the work ethic NJHA members learn growing up in the Hereford breed sets them apart in today's workforce. "To be able to support young people in their aspirations and their education has always been really important," said Mary Vanier, daughter of Jack and Donna Vanier.

Mason Glascock, Fraziers Bottom, is a junior at the University of Kentucky majoring in agricultural ecosystem sciences. His career goals focus on assisting farmers and ranchers with things such as crop analysis, soil management, soil mapping and livestock monitoring. He also hopes to receive his remote pilot certification and pesticide license in the next 5-10 years.

The selection committee continues to be impressed by the high caliber of applicants. "It's a true pleasure to review the HYFA scholarship applications. So many of the applicants have stellar records and have interesting and creative career ambitions that reviewers can't help but be certain the future of the industry is in good hands," said George Sprague, HYFA scholarship committee member.

The scholarship fund serves as the bedrock of HYFA, and countless youth benefit from its mission. Since its inception, HYFA has awarded scholarships fueling educational opportunities. For years, these scholarships have been lighting the way for youth in the Hereford breed. Recently, the foundation celebrated awarding more than \$2 million in scholarships to assist Hereford youth further their education, since its founding in 2000.

Mount Vernon Baptist Craft Fair

The Mt. Vernon Baptist Church Fall Harvest Market will be held on Saturday, November 9, from 9 a.m. to 3 p.m. The church is located at 2150 Mt. Vernon Road, Hurricane.

Great vendors, great food, great fellowship.

For more information, call the church at 304-757-9110.

Community Church Craft Fair

Community Church, 212 Dudding Avenue, Hurricane, will be holding their annual craft show from 8 a.m. to 2 p.m. on Saturday, November 9.

Come shop, eat, and have some fun at the church's annual craft show! The proceeds will help the youth get to the fall conference. There will be various crafts, a silent auction, food (hot dogs, BBQs, nachos, and more), baked goods, and hard candy.

Buffalo Church of God Bazaar

The annual Buffalo Church of God Bazaar is set for Saturday, November 23, from 10 a.m. - 3 p.m. The menu includes Hot Dogs, Beans & Cornbread, Macaroni Salad, Potato Casserole. Homemade chocolate covered peanut butter balls, peppermint patties, chocolate covered cherries, Bavarian crème, rock candy and more. Baked goods and homemade crafts; this year there will be some local vendors with homemade items to sell.

The church is located on Church Street, Buffalo, and the sale will be held in the new fellowship center.

Animal Shelter Needs Supplies

The Putnam County Animal Shelter is running low on supplies. Supplies can be dropped off at the shelter during business hours (Tuesday - Saturday from noon to 4 p.m.). Other drop off locations include Valley Cakes & Cafe in Poca, The Next Chapter Antiques & Things in Nitro, Tractor Supply in Hurricane, Valley Barbershop in Teays Valley, and Petco in Teays Valley. Supplies needed include bleach, paper towels, blankets, and towels.

Dress For Success Clothing Drive

It's almost time for Area 34's quarterly Dress for Success Clothing Drive, and your donations mean so much to women who are on their road to a new professional destination!

The Dress for Success Clothing Drive will be held on Wednesday, November 13, from 7 a.m. to 4 p.m. at Area 34, 971 WV State Route 34, Hurricane.

What is accepted at the clothing drive? Gently worn professional clothing, nice jeans and tops, scrubs, gently work shoes and accessories. These items need to be securely tied in garbage bags.

Questions? Call the Putnam County Chamber of Commerce at 304-757-6510.

Articles Welcome

We would love to publicize your event. Send press releases and announcements to the Hurricane Breeze, PO Box 310, Hurricane, W. Va.; by emailing hurricanebreeze@citynet.net; or calling/faxing (304) 562-9881.

Happy Anniversary

Eddie and Sara Johnson Covington of Milton will celebrate their twenty-first wedding anniversary on November 8.

Kenneth and Jessica Terry of Nitro will celebrate their eleventh wedding anniversary on November 8.

Curt and Vicki Arvidson of 266 Poplar Fork Road in Hurricane will celebrate their forty-fifth wedding anniversary on November 10.

Kyle and Samantha Neal of Salt Rock will celebrate their sixth wedding anniversary on November 10.

Rick and Shawntel Maynor Houdersheldt on Ona will celebrate their seventh wedding anniversary on November 10.

Dr. Rev. Jeffrey and Karen Johnson of #28 Meadow Wood Estates in Scott Depot will celebrate their thirty-fifth wedding anniversary on November 11.

Tommy and Rachel Jones of Chaska, Minnesota, will celebrate their fourteenth wedding anniversary on November 12.



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