

Community Calendar

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TUESDAYS THROUGH AUGUST 10

Appalachian Boarding Company is holding paddleboard lessons at the Hurricane City reservoir. Session 1 is from 5 to 6:30 p.m. and session 2 is from 7 to 8:30 p.m. The cost is \$25 for one session, or \$35 for both sessions. To register, text 304-610-8999.

THURSDAYS

Hope for Addiction meetings are held every Thursday at 6:30 p.m. at Mount Vernon Baptist Church, 2150 Mount Vernon Road, Hurricane.

THURSDAYS THROUGH AUGUST

The Kiwanis Free Swim Night will be held every Thursday at the Nitro Pool through Aug. 26 from 6:00-8:30 p.m.

THURSDAYS IN JUNE AND JULY

Valley Park’s Night Market and Movie Night will be held from 6:30 to 10:30 p.m. on Thursdays in June and July at Valley Park in Hurricane.

FRIDAYS DURING SUMMER

Food Truck Friday is held every Friday from 11 a.m. to 2 p.m.

SATURDAYS UNTIL OCTOBER

The Putnam County Farmers’ Market will be open from 9 a.m. to 1 p.m. at Valley Park, Hurricane.

SUNDAYS DURING SUMMER

Thankful Valley Farms will be giving away fresh produce every Sunday this summer from 3 p.m. to 4:30 p.m. in the parking lot of Stokes Grocery in Buffalo.

NOW - JULY 17

The Putnam County Fair will be held at the fairgrounds in Eleanor. 4H/FFA Animals, Carnival Rides, Music, Motorsports, Rodeo, Food, and more.

NOW - JULY 16

There will be Birdhouse Painting at the Poca Library from 10 to 11 a.m., and 1 to 2 p.m. Please call

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304-755-3241 to register.

JULY 16

Make succulent junk gardens at 4 p.m. at the Buffalo Library. Call to register - 304-937-3538.

Enjoy a peaceful morning’s yoga by the beautiful Kanawha River led by Leslie, co-owner of Moxie Fitness. Bring your own yoga mat and water and meet under the shelter by the Winfield bridge at 10 a.m.

JULY 17

There will be a benefit for seven-year-old heart transplant patient Avery Sweat at 8 p.m. at the Milton American Legion Post 139. Live music with the Mello Fellows.

Teays Valley Church of God, 185 Connection Point, Scott Depot, will be holding a free women’s health conference with doctors from Marshall Health from 11 a.m. to 1 p.m. Call 304-757-9222 to register.

The Community Autism Resources & Education Systems (CARES) June Summer Day Camp will be held from noon to 6 p.m. at Camp Appalachia, 167 Fletcher Road, Scott Depot. To sign up, go to www.wvcaresforautism.org

The Glow Worm 1980’s themed Glo-In-The-Dark fun run will be held at 8 p.m. at the Hurricane City Park. To register, go to runsignup.com/Race/Dashboard/Overview/104855

The Cops-N-Rodders Classic Car Club will be holding a cruise-in from 5 p.m. until dusk at the Putnam County Bank parking lot in Hurricane.

JULY 19 - 23

Oma Chapel Church, 2116 Arbuckle Creek Road, Leon, will be holding “Christmas in July” Vacation Bible School from 6:30 to 8:30 p.m. nightly.

JULY 19 - 20

The Macholah Ballet, 6422 Teays Valley Road, Scott Depot, will be holding Radiate ballet and lyrical camp for students ages 10 to 12 from 1 to 3 p.m. The cost to attend is \$60. Register by going to dancestudio-pro.com/online/themacholahballet

JULY 20

The Macholah Ballet will be hosting Books and Ballerinas at 10 a.m. at Valley Park in Hurricane. Dancers read portions of their favorite fairy tales and perform selections to illustrate the story.

JULY 23

The Macholah Ballet, 6422 Teays Valley Road, Scott Depot, will be holding a Flashback Friday adult jazz class at 7 p.m. Register by going to dancestudio-pro.com/online/themacholahballet

Create tree murals for Art in the Park from 5:30 to 7:30 p.m. at Valley Park in Hurricane. Finished work will be displayed at the park. To register, go to putnam-county-parks.ticketleap.com/art-in-the-park-series

The Rustic Mechanicals, West Virginia’s only professional touring Shakespeare troupe, will be performing “Twelfth Night” at Valley Park at 7 p.m. Admission is free.

There will be an open night for children and teens ages 9 to 14 at the Foam Garage, 2716 Putnam Avenue, Hurricane. For more information, call (681) 235-2603.

JULY 24

The Genesis Running Group is hosting Sundown Showdown 5K starting at 5:45 p.m. at Nitro High School. Tickets range from \$25-30. To register, go to aptiming.com/race/1235

Kim Riddle leading Putnam Rotary for 2021-22



Rotary President Brandon Porter presents President-Elect Kim Riddle with a certificate for completion of three steps of the club’s Leadership Institute.

Kimberly W. Riddle has been sworn in as president of Putnam Rotary for the coming year by assistant district governor Cindy Farley and outgoing club president Brandon Porter “It’s been a tough year,” Porter told club members. “We’ve been through a pandemic, and we have changed our meeting schedules.

Porter came into his term as club leader several months early in time to catch the start of the COVID crisis when Jarrod Dean resigned to take a position in another part of the state.

Porter balanced the weekly meetings with roundtable discussion groups. The club met virtually through the Zoom Meeting internet software, and sometimes as a “hybrid” group meeting both in person and by internet simultaneously.

The past year was also the first for a new district organization, pushing the number of local clubs to 55 and 2,000 members across the state.

And the club once again gave scholarship grants to Putnam high school graduates, while working with the Parks Board and AmeriCorps volunteers to develop the Walter Nature Park near Red House.

New president Kim Riddle had taken part in several Rotary projects when she was inducted into the club three years ago, sponsored by Ashley Glance.

She had been active in the community as development director for United Way of Central West Virginia.

The Madfest 2021 Mental Health Awareness Music and Art Festival will be held from 10 a.m. to 11 p.m. at Ridenour Lake in Nitro.

The Macholah Ballet, 6422 Teays Valley Road, Scott Depot, will be holding a Live Loud workshop from 10 a.m. to 2:30 p.m. Contemporary, street jazz, creative worship, performance makeup, live music. For ages 11 and up. The cost is \$60 per person or \$50 with the donation of a toiletry item. To register, go to dancestudio-pro.com/online/themacholahballet

The Battle Run Obstacle Race will be held from 8 a.m. to 3 p.m. at Camp Appalachia, 167 Fletcher Road, Scott Depot. Tickets are \$35-40. For more information, go to BattleRun.EventBrite.com

Two months ago, she completed three steps of Rotary Leadership Institute training.

She is a graduate of Marshall University where she was an avid football fan and a member of the Omicron Delta Kappa honorary leadership society.

Riddle and spouse John are residents of Hurricane.

West Virginia Department of Arts, Culture and History Seeking Entries for Juried Exhibition

The West Virginia Department of Arts, Culture and History (WVDACH) is still seeking entries for its 22nd biennial West Virginia Juried Exhibition. The show will be on display at the Culture Center in Charleston. Since 1979, the exhibition has celebrated the exceptional talents and creativity of Mountain State artists. Submissions for the exhibit in the form of digital images on CD or USB flash drive will be accepted until Monday, Aug. 2, 2021.

Artists may submit two pieces for the exhibition with a limit of three digital images per entry. Entry forms and properly identified images must be accompanied by a non-refundable fee of \$20 per piece. Make check payable to West Virginia Department of Arts, Culture and History. Digital images can be mailed to WVDACH, West Virginia Juried Exhibition (WVJE) 2021, The Culture Center, 1900 Kanawha Blvd., E., Charleston, W.Va. 25305-0300, or hand-delivered to the Culture Center at the State Capitol Complex. An option to email images will be available this year by first contacting Cailin Howe, exhibits coordinator, to ensure your images are submitted properly. Image file sizes must be small enough to be received through email, an entry form must be included, and entry fee will still need to be mailed to the department.

Eligible entries include works created in the past two years in the areas of painting, sculpture, printmaking, drawing, photography, digital art, mixed media and crafts.

Entrants must be over the age of 18 and must be residents of or maintain a permanent residence in West Virginia.

The Way We Were, The Way We Are

By Brenda Burke

One of my favorite places to visit, besides the forty-six states I have enjoyed, Canada, England two times, NYC of course, the ocean... oh yes... is a little place on the side of the road in West Virginia. I love Camden Park... I always have. From the first time I went there until today. Unfortunately, I have not lived in West Virginia for the last four years and haven’t gone there... but I have the best memories of the fun place.

When I was a little girl, Mother took us; friends went with us; the church youth group went. We rode the roller coaster, the ferris wheel, and always the gorgeous merry-go-round (that is what we called it). The little train... the log ride... cotton candy... so much to do and see...

The roller rink was one of my favorite things to do... sadly it burned down and was not replaced. The memories.

Mother took a picnic lunch which we devoured after a few hours running from ride to ride. Ice cream treats were dessert... oh, those were the days...

When my kids were little, we lived a couple of

hours from Kings Island, which they enjoyed so much. We also took them to Disney World... they experienced amusement parks from Texas to the East Coast... the rides at Myrtle Beach... Six Flags in Texas... Ohio... we went... often... but there was something about going to Camden Park with Grandma. They grew up going on the rides whenever we visited Mother in the summer.

When I moved back to West Virginia, I took my little granddaughters to Camden Park. Thinking they would not be that excited, as they had also been to Kings Island, other parks, and Disney World, I didn’t expect much. They loved it and wanted to return each summer... we did... a treasure right in the midst of West Virginia...

I remember the last time the girls went, the two younger granddaughters (2016 or 2017), they were old enough to go off on their own... they enjoyed that so much. I sat in the air conditioned restaurant or walked with them and sat on the benches. I enjoyed the haunted house that year and the log ride... oh yes the train ride... NOT the roller coaster anymore... We had so much fun that year. The three girls are older now... one just graduated from Purdue University, one will be in third year of college in fall, the other will be a junior—home schooled—high schooler... they have fond memories of Nana’s Park.

Camden Park is clean, seldom crowded during the week... no long lines... no time wasted... just fun... I loved it back in the day, and I love it now. I wish I could take the two little grandsons. It is just too far to go that often...

Coming off the log ride with wet hair and damp clothes... riding the tiny train as if the moments would bring back memories... the merry-go-round... remembering the kiss atop the ferris wheel... holding hands with a boyfriend on the roller coaster... walking down the streets with friends and loved ones...

If my two little grandsons could go to Camden Park, what fun we would all have... maybe one day, although they might be too old by then. Wait... does anyone get too old for Camden Park? I think not... it is a hidden jewel in the state in which I was born... it is one of the last of its kind... not too expensive and so much fun for one day of the year... or more if one chooses... why do we love places like this?

I am thankful my granddaughters enjoyed going with me... that they didn’t think it was old fashioned or too small... that they appreciated the time we spent there... memories.

Because the way we were is the way we are... nostalgic, fun loving... and always wanting to go back to the places where we had such a good time and made fantastic memories... memories...

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BHS Football Car Show now a 4th of July event



Shown above is Mike Buckle of Apple Grove with his 1942 Chevrolet pickup truck. The decal on the truck's door says "Buck's Chevrolet Garage." The truck features a roadster style front end. Buckle did all of the work on the vehicle himself. (Photo by Betsy Allen)

Continued from Page 1 Wayne Childers of and purple 1932 Ford, Scott Depot won Best and Steve Holsten of Whitesville won People's Choice with his cream



Steve Holsten of Whitesville won the new People's Choice award with his 1969 blue and white Camaro 2-28. (Photo by Betsy Allen)

Choice with his 1969 blue and white Camaro 2-28. A total of seventy-three vehicles were entered into the car show. The event also featured a raffle with over seventy items which were donated by parents and local businesses. Some of the items offered included gift certificates to local businesses and events, such as football games and the Putnam County Fair; jewelry and other handcrafted items; home and yard décor, automotive supplies, and themed gift baskets. Proceeds from the event went to the football booster program, which helps with travel, food, and equipment expenses.

The Centennial History of Hurricane Meet Some of Hurricane's Oldest Families



Curtis Melvin and Wilmoth Hannah Rumbaugh Golden Wedding Anniversary



Rumbaugh Family: Charles, Arnold, Curtis, Karl, Annie and Ethel

Wilmoth, better known as "Snooke," married Charles O'Dell in 1956. They went to Berea, KY, while Charley finished college, then to Silver Springs, MD, while he earned a Master's Degree. They have lived in North Carolina, South Carolina, Texas but are settled in Blacksburg, VA. Charley is on the staff at VPI and they own and operate a pick-yourown farm. Snooke has participated in some musical group all her adult life, either singing or directing.

They have two daughters, Mary Jane and Leah Caroline.

A digital copy of the Centennial History can be obtained from the Hurricane City Hall for a small donation. For more information, call the City of Hurricane at (304) 562-5896.

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conservative of necessity. Often garments were made of feed sacks or from hand-me-downs. She was a nutritionist before we knew what the word meant. Curtis was a good gardener and fruit grower. After all, he had four daughters to pick strawberries and vegetables.

In addition to farming, Curtis worked at various jobs until he went to work at Carbide in 1934. He worked there until his retirement in 1957.

First Baptist Church was an important activity for the Rumbaugh family. At one time Curtis was the custodian. He served several offices in the church, perhaps best remembered as teacher of a Sunday School class for young men. Wilmoth was an active participant in the women's work. That activity is still important to the family, down to great grandchildren. Curtis and Wilmoth spent several winters in Florida after his retirement. They celebrated their golden wedding anniversary in 1966.

The four daughters graduated from Hurricane High School. They participated in music, drama, speech, school newspaper - you name it. They could always count on parental support.

Laeuna married her neighbor, Wayne Erwin. They lived in McDowell County, Wayne's post as a West Virginia Trooper. After three years in the Navy during WW II, the

family, now with Wayne Jr. and Lucy Joanna, returned to McDowell County. In 1948 Wayne was employed at Carbide so they came back home. He worked there until 1975 then enjoyed his hobbies until his death in 1983.

In 1960 Laeuna began a 24 year career in library work. She is now enjoying her hobbies. Lucy Jane was teaching school on Big Creek when she met John Settle from Hamlin. They were married in 1943. John's Navy career took him to the South Pacific. Lucy worked at Carbide while John was away. On return, he worked at Viscose.

Their family is: Jane Hanna, John Clayton, Valerie Jean and James Curtis.

After raising her family, Lucy completed her degree and resumed teaching until retirement. John retired from Carbide and they now spend their winters in Florida.

Virginia Ann began making music with Jesse Lazear in Hurricane High School Band. They were married in 1946. Jess has served in the Army during WW II so he and "Ginny" both worked at Carbide until their daughters were born. They are Anna Christine, Amy Curtis and Margaret Jane.

Jess' career at Carbide has taken him all over Europe. Ginny's career has kept her making music, beautiful hand work and travelling with Jess. Even in retirement, both are busy with their varied interests.

Winfield Boy Completes Simulated Space Mission

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This program is specifically designed for trainees who have a passion for space exploration. Nathaniel spent the week training with a team that flew a simulated space mission to the International Space Station (ISS), the Moon or Mars. The crew participated in experiments and successfully completed an extra-vehicular activity (EVA), or spacewalk. Nathaniel and crew returned to earth in time to graduate with honors.

Space Camp uses astronaut training techniques to engage trainees in real-world applications of STEM

subjects. Students sleep in quarters designed to resemble the ISS and train in simulators like those used by NASA.

Almost one million trainees have graduated from a Space Camp program since its inception in 1982, including European Space Agency astronaut, Samantha Cristoforetti and NASA astronauts

Dottie Metcalf-Lindenburger, Dr. Kate Rubins, Dr. Serena Auñón-Chancellor and Christina Koch, who set the record for the longest duration space flight by a female. Children and teachers from all 50 states and almost 150 international locations have attended a Space Camp program.

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Registration & Inspection Begin at 5:00 PM



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Ranch Style Home on Large Private Lot
2 bedroom/1 Bath
Potential for 3rd bedroom off family room
1360 SF
Built 1920
0.78 acre lot fenced on sides and rear
Large family room with laundry area
All contents convey except piano
Gas space heat and gas fireplace
Window AC
New gas lines
Public water
Septic
18x24 Pole barn
12x24 Storage building
Double carport
Driveway easement across front of property by highway
House is in Putnam County but 500 feet from Jackson County line
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From Red House take WV 34 N from WV 62 (Charleston Road). Go 16.2 miles to property on the left. From I-77N take exit 124 (Kenna) to left on WV21 to right on WV 34 to just across the Putnam County Line to house on right

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Thursday, July 22nd at 5PM
Registration and Inspection Begin at 4:30PM



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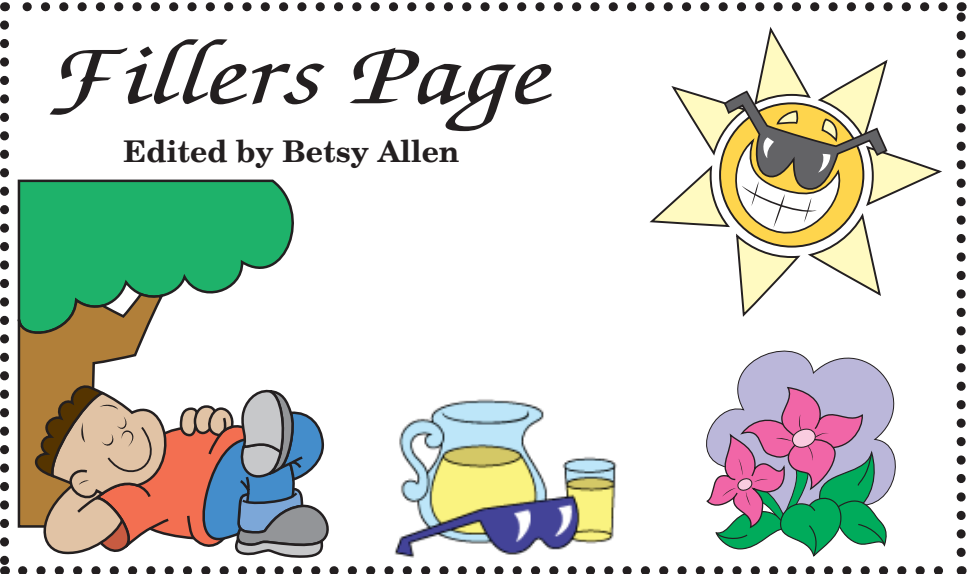
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District 17, Map 19, Parcel 45

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Mingo County Hike

By Velma Kitchens of Culloden

Last month I went on a trip to Mingo County, West Virginia. I have been to many of our counties but I had never been to Mingo County. I was invited so I went. I was told we would be walking about fifteen to twenty minutes on a road to see an old log cabin. The trip started out well. We even stopped and got some broasters genuine chicken at a store along the road. I had my picture taken with the big chicken who was probably ten feet tall.

It was a bright sunny day and temperature in the 80's. I had no intention of hiking but it did turn out to be one of the most strenuous hikes. The Appalachian Trail hike was more flat than this road. The man who was directing us lost his sense of direction and he took us up and up an old coal mine road, and this is in Mingo County, so you know it is very secluded but peaceful.

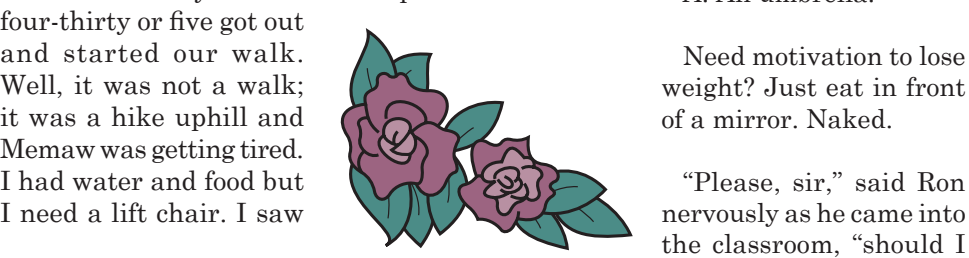
We took our water and lunch, but in the meantime the man's car quit working so he rode with us. He left his car at a church parking lot and called Triple A when we had cell service, which was spotty.

We eventually around four-thirty or five got out and started our walk. Well, it was not a walk; it was a hike uphill and Memaw was getting tired. I had water and food but I need a lift chair. I saw

a stream and put water on my face, arms and neck and kept going. Two thirds of the way, I asked how much longer, and the man directing us said we were almost there. I was so elated!

Up the hill I went—again. Finally, we came to a small creek with a foot log and the cabin was there. I would not like to be there at night as the lions, tigers and bears may get you, not to mention the panthers and bobcats. I don't know if they live in those parts but I believe they do.

We had a good day and got home late. The next morning, however, I passed out and went to the ER. Doctors ran tests—I was admitted—was dehydrated. I was given IV fluids throughout the night. I had never been in a hospital overnight since my kids were born which was forty years ago. I was so tired and exhausted, I slept all night! The lesson I learned—don't overdo it! But in reality if I had known the hike was that difficult, I would have stayed home. You must hydrate and drink something other than water, which I did not. Be careful out there, young or older, as anyone could end up in the ER.



Fillers Contributors Wanted

The Hurricane Breeze always wants Fillers Page contributors. We would like to print your recipes, inspirational sayings, poems, jokes, fun facts, and other submissions. Please send contributions to The Hurricane Breeze Fillers Page, PO Box 310, Hurricane, WV 25526. You can also email submissions to breezenews@citynet.net

Sweet, Simple Solutions for Family Meals

(Family Features) Busy mornings, afternoons and evenings are the norm for many families with days full of work, school, extracurricular activities, social commitments and more. Finding time to pause and share a meal is often a priority that may remain difficult to achieve.

With easy family-friendly recipes that call for Envy apples – named America's No. 1 apple for taste, crispness, aroma and appearance, according to an independent sensory test by Forward Agency – you can bring your loved ones together for shared meals.

Easily recognized by their large, sharable size, Envy apples boast bright red skin that sometimes features a golden blush. They are ideal for snacking, with their satisfying crunch and balanced sweetness, and can also be served as part of any meal of the day. For example, Apple Avocado Toast provides a simple way to fuel up on weekday mornings or can be enjoyed as part of a weekend brunch with the family.

Find these delicious apples at a grocer near you by visiting EnvyApple.com.

Apple Avocado Toast

2	eggs
	water
4	slices sourdough bread
1	ripe avocado, sliced
1	Envy apple
1	teaspoon lime juice
1/4	cup shaved Parmesan cheese
2	teaspoons chia seeds
1	tablespoon minced chives
	edible flowers, for garnish

In pot, cover eggs with 1 inch cold water. Boil 6-7 minutes then place in cool water bath.

Peel eggs, halve lengthwise and set aside.

Toast sourdough bread then mash avocado across bread with fork.

Cut apple into thin slices and place on top of avocado along with egg halves.

Top with lime juice, Parmesan cheese, chia seeds and chives.

Garnish with edible flowers.

Fillers from Linda

Submitted by Linda~Lavender Armstead

Washington Hill Road, Hurricane

Yesterday is not ours to recover, but tomorrow is ours to win or lose. - Lyndon B. Johnson

I am still far from being what I want to be, but with God's help I shall succeed. - Vincent Van Gogh

The world is changed by your example, not by your opinion.

Autumn is a second spring when every leaf is a flower.

Strength is not hurting those who hurt you.

Strength is putting a smile on your face when you want to cry a river.

They say money doesn't bring you happiness - neither does being broke.

Sit with animals quietly and they will show you their heart. Sit with them quietly and they will help you locate yours.

You know you're old when you barely do anything all day but still need a nap to continue doing barely anything.

First rule of family gatherings, always bring your own vehicle so you can leave when you want.

I might wake up and go running. I also might wake up and win the lottery. The odds are about the same.

The road to success isn't straight. There are curves and loops. You will have flat tires, but if you have a spare called strength and a driver called God, you will make it.

You can tell a lot about a woman by her hands. For example, if they're around your throat she's probably slightly upset.

I'm still waiting patiently for the wisdom that supposedly comes with old age. What about you?

Until you're retired you'll never really know what you can get done in your pajamas.

Never argue with liars because they believe their own lies.

The weather just went from 95 to 55 like it saw a state trooper.

Death doesn't get the last word. Resurrection does.

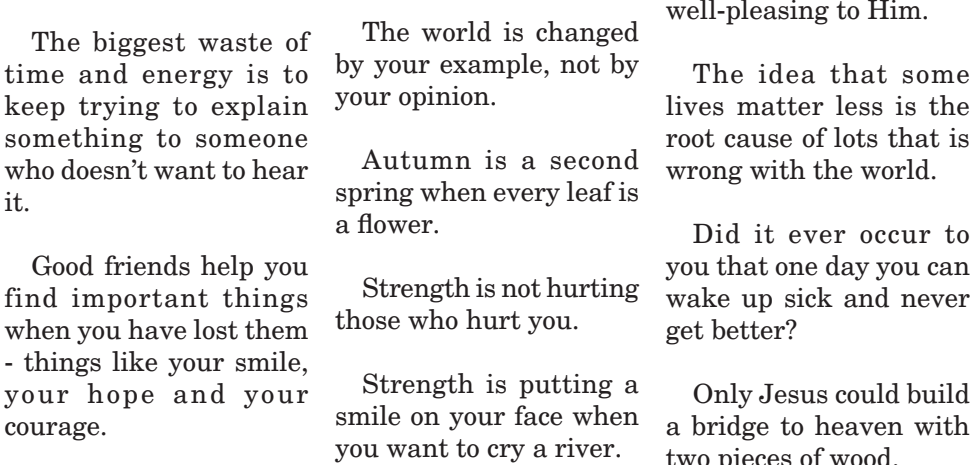
The worst kind of enemies are those who pretend to be your friends.

No matter how stressed you are, remember how blessed you are.

The best weight you'll ever lose is the weight of other peoples opinions.

A lot of problems in the world would disappear if we talked to each other instead of about each other.

Winning doesn't always mean being first. Winning means you're doing better than you've done before.



Cell phone without battery is useless. Guitar without strings is useless. Life without God is useless.

Today, be aware of your choices. Choose God over the things of this world. Walk in a manner well-pleasing to Him.

The idea that some lives matter less is the root cause of lots that is wrong with the world.

Did it ever occur to you that one day you can wake up sick and never get better?

Only Jesus could build a bridge to heaven with two pieces of wood.

Making it a success is to focus on goals, not obstacles.

You most always pass failure on the way to success.

You need to know what you know what you know.

Some people feel the rain, some just get wet.

Tomorrow wouldn't be the same without you!

Sharks can smell blood, dogs can smell drugs, but humans can't even smell themselves when they need deodorant.

The child of God has only one dread - to offend his Father. The child of God has only one desire - to please and delight in Him.

No where can a man find a quieter or more untroubled retreat than in his own soul.

God's truths are not bricks to throw at people. They are bread to feed people.

Where there is peace and meditation, there is neither anxiety nor doubt.

Fill your life with adventures, not things. Have stories to tell, not stuff to show.

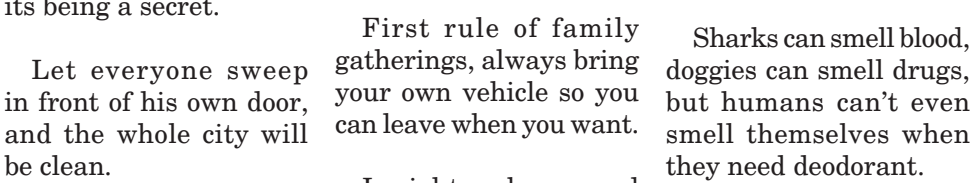
As a Christian, the way you treat others is in fact how you treat Jesus.

We need to stop just pulling people out of the river. We need to go upstream and find out why they're falling in.

Don't save up love like you're trying to retire on that. Give it away like you're made of it.

God is not interested in whether you've stood with the great. He's interested in whether you've sat with the broken.

If you have to choose between being kind and being right, choose being kind and you will always be right.



A pastor was 10 minutes into a sermon when he noticed his young son in the balcony with a pea-shooter. He was leaning over the balcony aiming, and popping people in the head. As the pastor prepared to deliver a very public scolding of his boy, the seven-year-old son hollowed out, "You keep preaching, Dad, and I'll keep them awake!"

Kathleen: I want to take a trip.

Bank account: I highly suggest it be a trip to work.

Prison officer: "Sir, I have to report that 10 prisoners have broken out."

Warden: "Blow the whistles, sound the alarms, alert the police!"

Prison officer: "Shouldn't we call the doctor first? It looks like it might be measles."

Q: What goes up when the rain comes down?

A: An umbrella.

Need motivation to lose weight? Just eat in front of a mirror. Naked.

"Please, sir," said Ron nervously as he came into the classroom, "should I be punished for something I haven't done?"

"Of course not," said the teacher kindly.

"Thank you, sir," said the boy with a sigh of relief. "I haven't done my homework."

The only reason people take you for granted is because they assume you'll always be there. It's up to you to prove them right or prove them wrong.

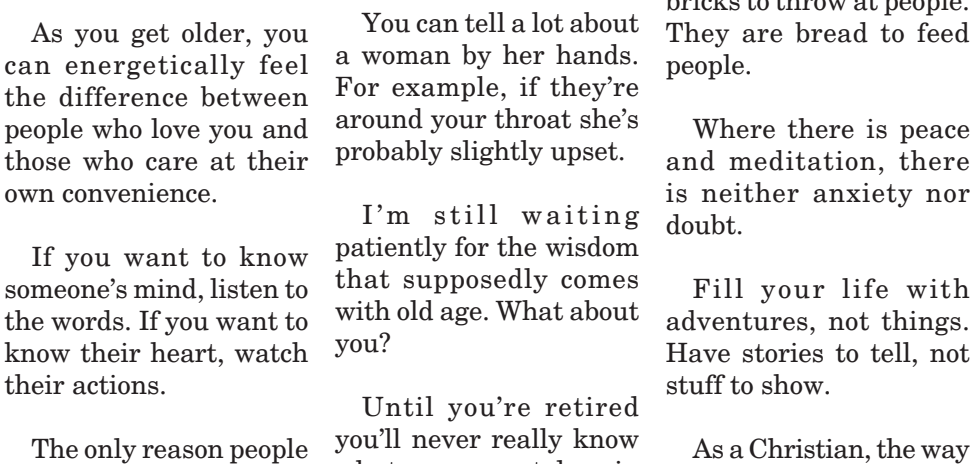
Sometimes it's better to move on rather than to hold on to someone who doesn't understand you. Your absence will teach what your presence never could.

Happiness is like a butterfly: the more you chase it, the more it will elude you, but if you turn your attention to other things, it will come and sit softly on your shoulder.

Life is so ironic. It takes sadness to know what happiness is, noise to appreciate silence, and absence to value presence.

Don't worry about getting older; you're still going to do dumb stuff - only slower.

God gives you everything you need because He is everything you need.



Bible Verse

I have brought you glory on earth by completing the work you gave me to do.

—John 17:4

Putnam County Fair Kids Pageant



Anastasia Riggs crowned by 2021 Teen Queen Whitney Good



0-6 month winner Gwendolyn Cherry is crowned by 2020 Teen Queen Gracie Clark



Ezra Wilson was King 7-12 month Boys



13-24 month Boys King was Beckham Canterbury



7-12 mos. Queen was Lauren Rhodes



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13-24 month Queen was Tatum Blankenship

Joint Committee on Redistricting Public Hearing Dates Set

The West Virginia Constitution requires Congressional and Legislative boundary lines to be drawn every 10 years utilizing U.S. Census data to indicate changes in population. Despite Census delays at the federal level, public hearings throughout the state will allow residents to weigh in on the process. The Legislature's Joint Committee on Redistricting will host 12 in-person public hearings and three virtual public hearings, with each taking place from 6 to 8 p.m. House Rule 84 governs public hearings and allows the Joint Committee on Redistricting Chairmen to limit the time allowed for public comments at each hearing based on total number of participants. Senate rules govern standing committees and will be followed in the actions and proceedings of this committee as applicable. A hearing is scheduled for July 27 at the Putnam County Judicial Building in Winfield.

Morrissey Targets Google in Antitrust Lawsuit

West Virginia Attorney General Patrick Morrissey joined a coalition of 37 attorneys general in filing suit against Google alleging the tech giant engaged in unlawful conduct relating to the Google Play Store for Android mobile devices and Google Billing. The bipartisan, antitrust lawsuit sets forth allegations of anticompetitive and unfair business practices. It accuses Google of using its dominance to unfairly restrict competition with the Google Play Store. The action harmed consumers by limiting choice and driving up app prices. "Vigorous competition protects consumers and helps the economy thrive," Attorney General Morrissey said. "Our nation's antitrust laws play a vital role in helping

to foster innovation and ensure that consumers pay a fair price. Likewise, our nation loses when one company can use unlawful means to monopolize a particular market. We must feverishly oppose such tactics." The lawsuit centers on Google's alleged exclusionary conduct, which substantially shuts out competing app distribution channels. The attorneys general allege Google unlawfully requires app developers that offer their app through the Google Play Store to use Google Billing as a middleman. Such an arrangement forces app consumers to pay Google's commission – up to 30 percent – on in-app purchases of digital content the consumers create through apps that are distributed via the Google Play Store.

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Daily Devotional Reading						
Ephesians 2:1-22	Ephesians 3:1-21	Ephesians 4:1-16	Ephesians 4:17-32	Ephesians 5:1-20	Ephesians 5:21-6:4	Ephesians 6:10-24
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Nehemiah Combats Derision and Danger

Nehemiah 4:1-9

The text before us is an account told by Nehemiah about the difficulties that he encountered in rebuilding the walls of Jerusalem. Nehemiah had not been assigned to the position of project manager for rebuilding the walls by anyone. When Nehemiah learned of the condition of the city of Jerusalem and its walls he was distressed and went to the Lord in prayer (Neh. 1:4). Nehemiah prayed to God asking that God would restore the remnant of the children of Israel to Himself and would remember His covenant with Abraham, Isaac and Jacob (Deut. 4:31). Nehemiah asked God to grant him mercy in the sight of Artaxerxes, king of the Persian Empire. God granted Nehemiah’s request and Nehemiah was fully convinced that his mission and the restoration of the remnant was in full accord with the will of God.

The favor that Nehemiah requested of the king was that he be given leave to rebuild the walls of Jerusalem and given the resources needed to do the job. The resources that he requested and received included letters of authority bearing the king’s seal. When Sanballat (governor of Samaria) learned of Nehemiah’s mission, he was distressed that one had come to “seek the welfare of the children of Israel” (ch. 2, v. 10).

Speaking before the army of Samaria, Sanballat mocked Nehemiah. Sanballat suggested that the Jews were foolish because they sought to fortify themselves with burnt stones buried in heaps of rubbish; they sought to offer sacrifices to their God; and they sought to do in a day that which would require months and maybe years. Tobiah the Ammonite joined Sanballat in chorus saying that any wall that the Jews would build would be so weak that a fox brushing against it would cause it to fall.

When Nehemiah learned of their words, he went to the Lord in prayer (v. 4). Nehemiah did not ask the Lord for help in rebuilding the wall. He asked God to bring His wrath upon Sanballat and his allies because they stood in opposition to that which God would have him do — rebuild Jerusalem.

“So built we the wall; and all the wall joined together unto the half thereof: for the people had a mind to work” (v. 6). Building the wall was more than building the wall of a city. It was an expression of a changed heart. They were returning, as a people, to the Lord their God. Their mission was to lift up the Lord God of their fathers. The ridicule of Sanballat and Tobiah would be of no effect.

Sanballat’s and Tobiah’s words of ridicule were directed at the builders of the wall who were the heirs of Abraham according to the flesh. Their belittlement of the builders was directed at Abraham to whom the Lord said: “. . . I will bless them that bless thee, and curse him that curseth thee” (Gen. 12:3). The words of Sanballat and Tobiah were spoken against the Lord God of all creation.


When Sanballat and his allies heard that the walls were being restored and the gaps were being closed, they were angry and conspired to fight against Jerusalem. This was no small conspiracy. They knew that Nehemiah had come in the full authority of the king of the Persian Empire. Nehemiah had presented them with letters from the king stating that which Nehemiah was to do. While not explicitly stated in scripture, it would seem that Sanballat intended to use small bands of raiders to disrupt the building such that he might portray the attacks as that of renegades.

The alliance against Nehemiah consisted of Sanballat of Samaria (north of Jerusalem), the Arabians (south of Jerusalem), the Ammonites (east of Jerusalem), and Ashdodites (west of Jerusalem). Jerusalem was opposed on every side.

When Nehemiah learned of their conspiracy, he and Jerusalem with him prayed. Nehemiah set a watch against the would be attackers day and night (v. 9). Nehemiah assigned half of his workforce to defensive positions on the wall. Using a divided workforce, he was able to complete the wall in a period of 52 days (see Neh. 6:15).

The building of the wall was accomplished because the hearts of the people were turned to God and they sought to do His will. God strengthened Nehemiah and the remnant in Jerusalem to do the impossible. Nehemiah prayed and the impossible followed.

New Testament believers, likewise, are strengthened to do the impossible by the Lord. Our Lord and Savior has given us the sure promise: “And whatsoever ye shall ask in my name, that will I do, that the Father may be glorified in the Son” (Jn. 14:13). Let us love one another as He loves us.



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GARY GENE DUNLAP

Gary Gene Dunlap, 80, Scott Depot, died Thursday, June 24, 2021 at home with family. Born in Sod, he was the son of the late Cal Jefferson and Madeline Paul Dunlap; widow of Susie. He was predeceased in death by his brother, Louie Dunlap. Gary was a Bayer Corp., Institute Plant retiree, Duval High School graduate, and a USAF veteran.

Survivors include his wife, Doris Burns Dunlap; three children; a brother; sister-in-law; six grandchildren; and a great granddaughter.

Service was held Monday, June 28, at Bartlett-Nichols Funeral Home, St. Albans, by Craig Gillenwater with burial in Cunningham Memorial Park, St. Albans.

SANDRA GILBERT

Sandra Cook Gilbert, 79, of Charlotte, NC, formerly of Scott Depot, passed away Saturday, July 3, 2021.

Born June 18, 1942 in Welch, she was a daughter of the late Herman L. and Minnie Maxie Cline Cook. She was also preceded in death by her husband, Dwayne Mason Gilbert, Sr.; sister and brother-in-law, Freda and Ed Harless; infant brother, Charles Herman A. Cook.

Sandy was a graduate of Morris Harvey College,

Charleston and was a retired Kanawha County Elementary School teacher. She was a former member of Calvary Baptist Church, Hurricane.

Surviving are her son, Dwayne Mason Gilbert, Jr. (Colleen) of Charlotte; niece, Joyel Finley (Scottie) of Milton; nephew, Parrish Harless of Charleston and several other family and friends.

Funeral service was Thursday, July 8, 2021 at Chapman Funeral Home with Pastor Mark Finley officiating. Graveside service was at Cline Family Cemetery, Hanover, WV.

ROBERT GLENN

Robert McKinley Glenn, 82, of Frazier's Bottom, passed away July 9, 2021 at United Hospital Center, Bridgeport, following a short illness.

He was a retired road maintenance worker for the West Virginia Department of Highways and loved riding 4-wheelers.

Preceding him in death were his daughter, Wanda Glenn; parents, Andrew and Ruth Hughes Glenn; brothers, Lotus and Russell Glenn; and sister, Betty Taylor.

Surviving are his sons, Robert Glenn of Frazier's Bottom, Jeffery and Chuck Glenn both of St. Albans; brothers, George

and John Glenn both of New Carlisle Ohio, David Glenn of Troy, Ohio; five grandchildren; and three great grandchildren.

In keeping with Mr. Glenn's final requests, his cremation wishes will be honored and there will be no other services.

JEANETTIA HARRISON

Jeanettia Harrison, 56, of Scott Depot, passed away July 9, 2021, peacefully at home after a long history of illnesses.

She will be remembered for how big her heart was, and how she always took care of everyone else before herself.

She is survived by her daughters Nesia and Chad Arthur of Winfield and Brittany Harrison of Scott Depot; her grandchildren whom she loved very much Quentin Allen, Ian Harrison, Hunter Arthur, Elijah Harrison, and Kira Harrison and her sister Tane Smith of NC.

She is preceded in death by her husband of 33 years, Jonathan Harrison of Scott Depot, her parents Patricia Perry and William Perry of Scott Depot, and her brothers Carl and William Perry of Scott Depot.

At Jeanettia's request there will be no services.



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HELEN HEMMINGS
On Friday, June 9, 2021, Helen Dorsey Hemmings passed away after a battle with cancer. She is survived by her sons, Aaron and Chad, her grandchildren Cole, Lane and Olivia, sister Glendale and brothers, Glen, Calvin and Bernard. We were blessed to learn many valuable lessons from Helen during her 70 years, among them: Family and friends are the most important, hard work and self-reliance leads to success, gratefulness is the key to life, all snakes and lizards are bad, no exceptions and many others.

As a sales manager, florist and landlord, Helen was a force, worked tirelessly and made long lasting impressions. She found her place in life helping others. As a mother and grandmother, she instilled lifelong virtues and left us with an extraordinary example of the beauty of the simple human heart. Helen left detailed instructions for her sons to celebrate her life here. Her letter to everyone she knew includes the following:
“If you are reading this I have passed through this life and it’s ok, I have seen my sons grow to become fine men. I have the privilege of knowing and loving all of my precious grandchildren, what wonderful times we

have had..... I am so very grateful for the time.”
“I want all of you to have lots of happiness, lead a productive life by following your dreams and know I will always be with you. Don’t be sad for too long because I am so grateful for the time I have had with each of you. I always thought maybe I could write you letters for when I pass but there are no words I can write to go to the depth I feel for each of you.”
A graveside service was held at Emma Chapel United Methodist Church in Liberty, West Virginia.

MARY FRANCES LANE
Mary Frances Koontz Lane, 85, of Hurricane, received her wings Monday, July 5, 2021 surrounded by her family. She was a member of the Hurricane Church of God. She was preceded in death by her two husbands Dana O. Koontz and James Vernon Lane; mother Mary P. Oye; father Henry Pearl Armstrong; daughters Nancy Jane and Judy Ann Koontz; son Ralph E. Koontz; sisters Leone Bailes and Gealinde Cook, and brother Pearl Golden Armstrong.
Surviving her are her three children Carolyn Alley of Chesapeake, OH, Dana E. (Buzz) Koontz (Elizabeth) of Lansing, WV, and Cynthia Brubaker of Oak Hill, WV; eight

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grandchildren; 17 great-grandchildren; 4 great-great-grandchildren; sisters Norma Grubbs of Amherst, VA, Carolyn Detraz of Bedford, VA, Nancy Harris of Vineland, NJ, and Olivia Bowyer of Vineland, NJ.
Funeral services was Thursday, July 8, at High Lawn Funeral Home with Kenneth Hayes of Hico officiating.

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TERRY WAYNE LUCAS

Terry Wayne Lucas, the only grandson of thirteen grandchildren, passed from this life July 5, 2021, from complications of diabetes.

Left to enjoy the memories of his life are Teresa, his wife of 42 years, son, Kenny (Becky), daughter, Christa (Jay), grandchildren, Lucas and Maddy. He is survived by his sister Cathy (Danny), and nephew, Christopher “Bubba”(Kaylah “Josephine”)

He was retired from Charleston Newspapers after 42 years. He loved riding his Harley and watching Westerns. Also, left to mourn his passing, is every hot dog vendor in the valley and Little Debbie.

Funeral service was Thursday, July 8th, 2021 at Raynes Funeral Home, Buffalo. Burial was in Buffalo Memorial Park, Buffalo.

DONNIE JOE MATTHEWS SR.

Donnie Joe Matthews Sr., 77, of Buffalo, passed away Tuesday, July 5, 2021 at CAMC Memorial following a long illness. He was a 1962 graduate

of Nitro High School and a graduate of WV Barber College. He attended the Buffalo Church of God. Donnie worked for 55 years as a barber and worked in the chemical industry for 29 years. He was a member of Kanawha Valley Lodge No. 36 A.F. & A.M. in Buffalo and Buffalo Chapter No. 150, Order of the Eastern Star. He was an avid outdoorsman and loved to hunt rabbits, deer and turkey.

He was preceded in death by his parents, Joe Lee Matthews and Helen Whittington Matthews. In addition to his parents he was preceded in death by an infant brother.

Survivors include his loving wife of 57 years, Gaye Harlow Matthews; sons, Donnie Joe (Lee Ann) Matthews II and William Lee “Bill” (Melody) Matthews; daughter, Melissa Gaye (Mitchell) Burch all of Buffalo; grandchildren, Jacob Matthews (fiancé Madison), Hannah Matthews and Cali Smith (fiancé Preston); great grandson, Jase Matthews; step grandchildren, Meagan (Leo) Flores, Andrew (Jessica) Burch; step great grandchildren, Kohen, Shiloh, Jaunie, Sparrow and Goldie.

Funeral service was Friday, July 9, 2021, at Raynes Funeral Home, Buffalo, with Rev. Mitchell Burch and Rev. David Bowen officiating. Burial with masonic graveside rites was in Buffalo Memorial Park, Buffalo.

JOSEPH A. MCKAY

Joseph A. McKay, 69, of Hurricane, went home to be with the Lord on Friday, July 9th, after taking his long health battle one day at a time.

Joe was born April 18, 1952 in Charleston, and was preceded in death by both his parents, Clifford and Pauline McKay, grandparents, John and Dorothy Cobb and Virginia McKay. They later moved to Ironton, OH where he met his surviving wife, Cheryl Legg McKay, in high school. The two married a few months after graduation and reached 50 years of marriage

this past December. Also surviving are their only child and daughter, Allison, the founder of Delight Thyself Design Ministries, a ministry focused on reaching people with the printed Word of the Gospel.

He was a member of Teays Valley Baptist Church in Hurricane, who always wanted to lift up the Name of Jesus, and was an avid soul winner who simply believed that one tract can make a difference. Joe worked for The Kroger Company for 45 years, and was loved by many faithful customers. Also surviving are his oldest brother, John (Annette) McKay of Charleston, sister, Joyce (Steve) Cook of Nitro, youngest brother, Jim (Lydia) McKay of Nitro, brother-in-law, Jim (Jenny) Legg of Lexington, Ky. and several close friends who were really family: Ron (Donna) Hunt, David (Ruthanna) Withrow, Harold (Kay) Hillabold, Dwaine (Dee) Withrow, and several others.

Services were Wednesday, July 14, 2021 at Teays Valley Baptist Church with Pastor John D. Smith officiating. Burial was in Valley View Memorial Park.

JUDITH KAY SIMPSON

Judith Kay Simpson, 74, of Hurricane, passed away on July 6, 2021 to be reunited with her one true love, husband Sam on what would have been their 58th wedding anniversary and her daughter Carissa.

Kay was preceded in death by her parents, John Lewis Young and Eunice Watkins Young, husband Sam Simpson, daughter Carissa Simpson-Averbeck and siblings, Peggy Rigney and Danny Young.

Kay was a 1966 graduate of Huntington East High School and was an avid WVU football fan.

She is survived by her beloved daughter and daughter-in-law, Kindra Simpson (Hannah) of Dunbar and other family members.

Funeral service was Friday, July 9, 2021 at Chapman Funeral Home, Hurricane, with Gerald Foster officiating. Burial was in Valley View Memorial Park, Hurricane.

MICHELLE LEE SMALLEY

Michelle Lee Smalley, 51, of Hometown, passed away July 8, 2021.

Michelle is a graduate of Poca High School and a former employee of Putnam County Schools. She is a former bar tender for the Nitro Moose Lodge and loved fishing and the outdoors. Michelle also loved supporting her community.

She is survived by her husband Danny Smalley, Sr.; father Joseph Dolson; mother Debra Dolson; sons Scott Faulkner and Danny Smalley, Jr.; brothers Joseph and Derrick Dolson and granddaughter Leighton Hope.

The family will have a gathering of family and friends starting at 6:00 PM on Saturday July 17, 2021 at the home of Michelle's uncle Keith Meeks.

ROBERT WHITTINGTON

Robert G. “Bob” Whittington, 81, of Buffalo, went home to



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.

July 15, 1886: Congressman Cleveland Monroe “Cleve” Bailey was born on a farm in Pleasants County. He represented West Virginia's third congressional district for eight terms in the U.S. House of Representatives, 1945–47 and 1949–63.

July 15, 1988: Interstate 64 was completed when the final section between Sam Black Church and the West Virginia Turnpike was opened to traffic.

July 16, 1869: Philanthropist Michael Late Benedum was born in Bridgeport. He made a fortune in the oil and gas business, but he is best remembered for the establishment of the Claude Worthington Benedum Foundation.

July 17, 1861: The Battle of Scary Creek took place in Putnam County. It was one of the earliest battles of the war and one of the first Confederate victories.

July 17, 1914: Singer Eleanor Steber was born in Wheeling. She made her debut with the Metropolitan Opera in 1940.

July 17, 1922: The Cliftonville Mine Battle took place east of Wellsburg, Brooke County. The gun battle between striking miners and sheriff's forces left at least nine people dead.

July 18, 1776: The Methodist bishop Francis Asbury first set foot in present West Virginia outside of Berkeley Springs. He worked extensively in what is now the Eastern Panhandle, preaching and lecturing

be with the Lord on Thursday, July 8, 2021 at Bellaire at Devonshire following a short illness. He was a U.S. Army veteran serving in the Korean Conflict. He retired from from the I.B.E.W Local 317 with 36 years of service. He was a faithful Christian and member of Oma Chapel Church, Grimms Landing.

He was preceded in death by his parents, Brodie and Leona Whittington. In addition to his parents he was preceded in death by his loving wife of 41 years, Ruth Ann Whittington; sisters, June Mitchell and Reba Tucker; brothers, Melvin Whittington and Gary Whittington.

Survivors include his children, Robert Lee (Kristen) Whittington of Leonardtown, Maryland, Melinda A. (Jamie) Barton of Hurricane, Laxa K. Lyons of Grimms Landing, Patty L. Karnes of Lubbock, Texas, and Leeanna (Bravin) Hughart of Point Pleasant; grandchildren, Olivia L. Whittington, Sophia G. Whittington, Amelia E. Whittington, Owen R. Whittington, and Daizy Hoffman; sister, Karen Jeffers of Robertsburg; as well as extended family and many friends.

Funeral service was Tuesday, July 13, 2021 at Raynes Funeral Home, Buffalo, with Pastor Larry Mobley and Pastor Randy Parsons officiating. Burial with military graveside honors was in Tucker Cemetery, Grimms Landing.

almost every day, before continuing farther into western Virginia.

July 18, 1893: Spencer State Hospital opened. With its connected brick buildings, a quarter-mile in length, the hospital was sometimes referred to as the longest continuous brick building in America. Spencer State Hospital remained in operation until June 1989.

July 19, 1850: Pope Pius IX established the Diocese of Wheeling, naming Richard V. Whelan as its first bishop.

July 19, 1863: A Confederate raid led by Gen. John Morgan came to an end on Buffington Island, near Ravenswood. The Confederates were overtaken by federal troops, local militia, and three U.S. Navy gunboats.

July 19, 1946: Author Stephen Coonts was born in Morgantown. After graduating from West Virginia University and serving in the navy during the Vietnam War, Coonts became a best-selling action and adventure novelist with the 1986 publication of Flight of the Intruder.

July 20, 2010: Carte Goodwin became the nation's youngest senator when he took the oath of office. Goodwin was appointed to fill Robert C. Byrd's seat in the U.S. Senate following Byrd's death.

July 21, 1924: Don Knotts was born in

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ORDER OF PUBLICATION

IN THE FAMILY COURT OF PUTNAM COUNTY, WEST VIRGINIA

Taylor Huffman Case No. 21-FIG-12 vs. Clark J. Huffman

THE OBJECT OF THIS SUIT IS TO OBTAIN NOTICE OF FINAL HEARING ON PETITION OF INFANT GUARDIANSHIP. It appearing by affidavit filed in this action that **Clark J. Huffman**, whose address is unknown is a party in the above matter and that a hearing was set for August 2, 2021 at 8:30 a.m., before Judge Witt, Family Court Judge, located at the Judicial Building, 12093 Winfield Road, Ste. 12, Winfield, WV 25213.

A copy of said Petition for Infant Guardianship and Notice of Hearing can be obtained from the Putnam County Circuit Clerk's Office.

Entered by the Clerk of said Court on this **8th** day of **July, 2021**. WILLIAM MULLINS/cs Circuit Clerk

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CASE NO. 21-0366-G-390P

UNION OIL & GAS, INC., a public utility, Charleston, Kanawha County.

Surcharge on Infrastructure Improvements

REVISED NOTICE OF FILING AND HEARING

On April 30, 2021, Union Oil & Gas, Inc. (Union) filed historical true-up information and an application for approval of an Infrastructure Replacement and Expansion Program (IREP) under the provisions of W. Va. Code § 24-2-1k, which authorizes the Public Service Commission of West Virginia to approve expedited cost recovery projects to replace, upgrade and expand natural gas utility infrastructure that are deemed to be just and reasonable and in the public interest.

In its Application, Union proposes to reconcile the volumetric base rate component of its rates in conjunction with its investment with actual levels of investments, costs, and associated revenues beginning July 2019 and ending June 2020. The project is complete, and Union is not proposing any future investment at this time. The Application is on file and available for public inspection at the Commission's offices at 201 Brooks Street, Charleston, West Virginia.

Union proposes to recover costs associated with this investment through an additional increment within the volumetric base rate component of its rates, to be effective September 28, 2021. Union projects that if the program and rate increment are approved as requested, the average monthly bill for its various classes of customers will be changed on September 28, 2021, as follows:

	\$ DECREASE	% DECREASE
Residential (4 Mcf)	\$ 0.09	0.20%
Commercial (21Mcf)	\$ 0.46	0.26%
Public authority (30 Mcf)	\$ 0.66	0.27%
Transportation service (1,052 Mcf)	\$12.52	0.38%

The decreases shown above are compared to the rates currently in place and are based on averages of all customers in the indicated class. Each class may receive a decrease greater or less than stated here. Individual customers may receive decreases that are greater or less than average.

By Order dated June 16, 2021, the Commission set a procedural schedule, including a hearing on the Application, if necessary, that will begin at 9:30 a.m. on August 24, 2021. By Order dated July 7, 2021, the Commission modified the hearing time to 9:00 a.m. on August 24, 2021, in the Howard M. Cunningham Hearing Room at the Commission's offices at 201 Brooks Street, Charleston, West Virginia. If no opposition to the Application is received by the Commission within one week of the hearing date, the hearing may be waived and the Commission may issue a final order within 150 days of the Application filing date.

Anyone desiring to intervene should file a written petition to intervene within twenty days following the date of this publication unless otherwise modified by Commission order. 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 until the beginning of the hearing. All written comments and requests to intervene should state the case name and number and be addressed to Connie Graley, 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.

Public Service Commission of West Virginia
7-15-11

Morgantown. Knotts will be forever remembered as Barney Fife on the “Andy Griffith Show.”

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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.: 4733
Estate Name: Ralph Charles Bailey
Administratrix: Wendy J. Williams
746 Ridgeview
Estates Road
Chapmanville, WV
25508

Estate No.: 4610
Estate Name: Mark Alan Burks
Executrix: Roberta Jane Burks
1746 Stave Branch
Road
Fraziers Bottom, WV
25082

Estate No.: 4730
Estate Name: Phyllis Ann Crago
Administratrix: Patty Pack
8826 Heizer Creek
Road
Poca, WV 25159

Estate No.: 4665
Estate Name: Michael Allen Joplin
Executrix: Nancy A. Joplin
309 Belvue Drive
Hurricane, WV 25526

Estate No.: 4700
Estate Name: John Floyd Koehn
Co-Executor: Dustin K. Pinson
50 Williamsburg Way
Hurricane, WV 25526
Co-Executrix: Kimberli Koehn
Anderson
3 Wedgewood Drive
Hurricane, WV 25526

Estate No.: 4722
Estate Name: Keith Lee
McClanahan
Regina E. McClanahan
1144 Dupont Road
Poca, WV 25159

Estate No.: 4731
Estate Name: Nancy Lee Rohrig
Williams
Executrix: Cynthia W. Skiles
601 Tower Road
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 July 8, 2021; 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 July 8, 2021.

Subscribed and sworn to before me on the 2nd day of July 2021. Putnam County Commission
10293 Winfield Road,
Winfield, WV 25213

7-8-21

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IN THE CIRCUIT COURT OF PUTNAM COUNTY, WEST VIRGINIA

RONALD R. KARRES, Plaintiff,
vs. **Civil Action No.: 20-C-56**

MATTHEW EGGLETON and CONNIE EGGLETON, Defendants.

ORDER OF PUBLICATION

The above-styled civil action is to quiet title to certain tracts of real property located in Wayne County, West Virginia, and the object of this Order of Publication is to Effectuate Service Of Process On Defendants Matthew Eggleton and Connie Eggleton.

To: **Matthew Eggleton**
Connie Eggleton

It appearing by Complaint filed in this action that the Plaintiff, Ronald R. Karres is seeking to recover for personal injury from a motor vehicle collision involving the defendants. That by affidavit filed herein, the whereabouts and addresses of the above persons are unknown at the present time. It is therefore **ORDERED** that Matthew Eggleton and Connie Eggleton appear at the hearing of this Complaint to be held at the Putnam County Courthouse, in the Circuit Courtroom, before the Honorable Judge Reeder, on September 2, 2021, at 11:00 a.m., or otherwise serve their response upon Scott D. Maddox, counsel for Plaintiff, whose address is 2320 Adams Avenue, Huntington, West Virginia 25704 by August 25, 2021.

Failure to appear or respond will result in Plaintiffs seeking the relief requested in the Complaint filed herein.

Entered by the Clerk of said Court this 8th day of July, 2021.
William R. Mullins/clg
Circuit Clerk

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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 7, 1998, executed by Borrower(s), David Allen Tinney and Ruby Lynn Tinney, to Richard W. Rhoades, the Trustee of record in the office of the Clerk of the County Commission of Putnam County, West Virginia, in Book 425, at Page 133. At the time of the execution of the Deed of Trust, this property was reported to have a mailing address of 101 Cross Lanes Dr, Nitro, WV 25143. WV Trustee Services, LLC were appointed as Substitute Trustees by APPOINTMENT OF SUCCESSOR TRUSTEE dated June 10, 2021, of record in the Clerk's Office in Book 1290, Page 884. 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:

30th day of July, 2021

at 10:15 a.m.

All of that certain tract or parcel of land, together with the buildings and improvements thereon and the appurtenances thereunto belonging, situate in Poca District, Putnam County, West Virginia, and being all of lots nos. five (5) and six (6) of block 5 of Nitro Annex as the same are shown upon a map thereof duly of record in the office of the clerk of the county commission of Putnam County, West Virginia; and being the same property conveyed unto David A. Tinney and Ruby L. Tinney, his wife, by Noel M. Gibson and Jo Ann Gibson, his wife, by deed dated the 4th day of October, 1977 of record in said Clerk's Office in Deed Book 228 at Page 32.

TERMS OF SALE:

- 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.
- 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.
- 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.
- 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.
- 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:

Dionne Reynolds, Limited Signing Officer

WV Trustee Services, LLC
McGuire Office Center
618 Tenth Street, Suite 108
Huntington, WV 25701
(304) 853-3336
dionne.reynolds@WVtrusteeservices.com

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A black and white photograph showing a young boy walking a small dog on a leash. The dog is wearing a dark, long-sleeved sweater. They are in a sandy, fenced-in area, possibly a dog park or training area. In the background, several people are sitting on bleachers under a large, open-sided structure with a corrugated metal roof. The scene is outdoors, with trees visible through the open sides of the structure.

Pirates of Caribbean

A black and white photograph of a tractor pull event. In the center, a tractor is pulling a heavy sled on a dirt track. The tractor has a sign that says "W. H. HARRIS". To the left, a large trailer is also visible. In the background, there is a small, two-story building and a dense line of trees. Spectators are visible in the foreground, some sitting in chairs. The text "the Colombian" is visible on the left side of the image.



SATURDAY, AUGUST 14, 2021

CITYWIDE YARD SALE

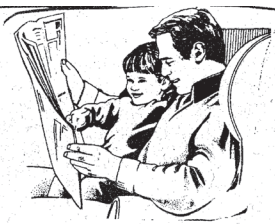
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Hurricanewv.com**

**To add your address to our list, contact us by
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or 304-562-5896**

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BEVERLY LEMLEY 1307 3rd Street Milton 63rd Birthday July 15	ALEC DRENNAN 297 Glen Oaks Court Hurricane 13th Birthday July 18
CHELSIE PAULEY 2345 Cherry Street Hurricane 33rd Birthday July 15	JULIE REEVES DAVIS Russell, Kentucky 47th Birthday July 18
EDDIE RUSHBROOK Scott Depot 71st Birthday July 16	ROBIN NEACE HC 68 - Box 6 North Springs 64th Birthday July 19
HANNAH HAGE CHILDERS Woodclyffe Chase Hurricane 37th Birthday July 16	DEBBIE YOUNG BROOKS Florida Birthday July 19
SHIRLEY SHEPPARD 1733 2nd Street Milton 66th Birthday July 17	OWEN ALEXANDER OYLER Texas 3rd Birthday July 19
SUMMER DAWN PAYNE 1720 Whitten Ridge Road Milton 21st Birthday July 17	LOUISE JIVIDEN P.O. Box 244 Eleanor 96th Birthday July 20
GORDON LEGG 2844 Virginia Avenue Hurricane Birthday July 17	B.J. YOUNG 641 Coleman Creek Road Frazier's Bottom 44th Birthday July 20
LAURA PONZIO Denver, Colorado Birthday July 18	KEITH GRANT Winfield 75th Birthday July 20
ANNETTE DAVIS LUNSFORD 1110 Church Street Milton 85th Birthday July 18	CHARLIE SHEETS Huntington 47th Birthday July 20
TROY BIRD Culloden 40th Birthday July 18	BECKY LOU HAGER 109 Eureka Road 84th Birthday July 20
JERRY COWAN Pliny Birthday July 18	WESLEY DANIEL BLACK Milton 3rd Birthday July 20
HUNTER SCOTT BREWER 4041 Hurricane Creek Road Hurricane 7th Birthday July 18	GARY MARKHAM P.O. box 846 Milton Birthday July 21
PAM ALFORD 150 Cline Avenue Hurricane 64th Birthday July 18	REBECCA HARTLEY FOSTER 2002 Cherry Street Hurricane 79th Birthday July 21
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THE PUTNAM COUNTY FAIR

There is no time like fair time! The return of the Putnam County Fair is upon us all...and they've added an extra day of fun for this year's lineup! The fair is in town July 9-17. There are endless programs, events, exhibits and entertainment; if you're traveling to Putnam County, be sure to book a room and stay a few days!

For the most up-to-date information, find all of the details for this week-long event on their Facebook page at <https://www.facebook.com/PutnamCountyFairWV>

VALLEY PARK NIGHT MARKET

Valley Park's Night Market is a free summer concert series and movie night occurring select Thursdays in June and July! The next Night Market is Thursday,

81st Birthday July 21
KELLE ANGLE Huntington Birthday July 21
NICHOLAS HOLLEY 2872 Cow Creek Road Hurricane 27th Birthday July 21
SUSAN HYRE MAYO Springfield, Ohio 47th Birthday July 22
MICKEY WALKER 1205 Ann Street Huntington Birthday July 22
DARWIN BIRD Culloden 46th Birthday July 22
DON KING 5321 North State Hwy 67 Upper Sandusky, Ohio 80th Birthday July 22
DEBPRAH FUGATE SPRADLING P.O. Box 913 Scott Depot 72nd Birthday July 22
JOHN LEWIS 564 Mason Street Milton Birthday July 22

Happy Anniversary

Mr. and Mrs. Bill Lane of 4531-C Winfield Road in Winfield will celebrate their fiftieth wedding anniversary on July 17.

David and Melissa Koontz Erwin of Hurricane will celebrate their twenty-ninth wedding anniversary on July 17.

Paul and Diane Bailey of Charleston will celebrate their fifty-first wedding anniversary on July 18.

Danny and Tammy Bock of 120 Teays Meadows in Scott Depot will celebrate their twenty-third wedding anniversary on July 18.

Harold and Sue Bennett of 2916 Washington Avenue in Hurricane will celebrate their forty-sixth wedding anniversary on July 18.

Patrick and Stephanie Flynn of Kentucky will celebrate their eighteenth wedding anniversary on July 19.

Allen and Imogene Leadmon of Hurricane Creek Road in Hurricane will celebrate their

July 8th for live music from The Settlement, food, craft vendors and a movie on the big screen at nightfall. This week's movie is The Sandlot!

Music begins at 6:30 pm until 8:30 pm. Movie will start at dark.

For all of the details, head to their Facebook page at <https://www.facebook.com/putnamcountyparks>

TAILS, TALES & TRAILS!

The Putnam Library is kicking off their summer reading program with a fun way to cap off the adventure this year... tails, tales & trails - a virtual 5K to experience your favorite Putnam County trail! This virtual race can be completed any time from Saturday, July 24-Saturday, July 31!

Register at <https://tristateracer.com/event.php?RaceID=11387> to participate and follow the Putnam Library and Putnam County CVB Social Media pages as we visit our Putnam County trail systems and share a tale or two during the Putnam Library's summer reading program 2021!

PEOPLE OF PUTNAM

What does everyone love the most about Putnam County? The people! We're sitting down with several folks to find out what makes Putnam County so special. Recently, we caught up with Donovan of The Pallet Bar in Scott Depot, WV to learn all about The Pallet, what she loves about Putnam County, West Virginia and find out what her own Putnam County slogan is in our newest video in our #PeopleOfPutnam series! Check it out at <https://www.facebook.com/hashtag/peopleofputnam>

TRAIL OF THE WEEK

This week's featured trail in Putnam County is the Bear Wood Fairy Door Trail! A must-see, especially for young children, the Bear Wood Fairy Door trail is located along the walking trails at Valley Park! You'll

wedding anniversary on July 20.

Okey Ray and Margie Alford Mitchell of 150 Cline Avenue in Hurricane will celebrate their fifty-third wedding anniversary on July 20.

Jim and Wilma Savidge of 216 North 8th Street in Upper Sandusky, Ohio, will celebrate their fifty-third wedding anniversary on July 20.

Dwayne and Lisa Kay Templeton of 1635 Jenkins Creek Road in Glenwood will celebrate their thirtieth wedding anniversary on July 20.

Aaron and Shelley Chapman of 1967 Martin Lane in Culloden will celebrate their ninth wedding anniversary on July 20.

Garry and Sandy Handley of 17 Cleveland Street in Culloden will celebrate their fifty-fourth wedding anniversary on July 22.

Doug and Robin Gibson Bryant of Crown City, Ohio, will celebrate their fourth wedding anniversary on July 22.

A Note of Thanks



I want to thank everyone who sent my mother, Eva Fisher, a card to help her celebrate her 97th birthday on June 21! Every card had a special meaning to her.

Thanks to the encouragement from one of the Hurricane Breeze readers who put a touching note inside her card regarding my Fillers column, calling them "sermons in a sentence." I really appreciate the note! Sometimes every one of us needs encouragement and this woman did exactly that for me!

If anyone wants to send mom a card for any reason they can do so at:

Eva Fisher
732 Washington Hill Road
Hurricane, WV 25526

Buffalo Alumni Banquet

The Buffalo Alumni Banquet will be held on Friday, July 30, from 6:30 to 11:30 p.m. at the Sleepy Hollow Golf Club in Teays Valley. The cost to attend is \$35 per person. For reservations, call Lana Sullivan Adkins at 304-444-7046 or write PO Box 878, Eleanor, WV 25070.

Available Pets at the Putnam Animal Shelter

These are a few of the many pets up for adoption at the Putnam County Animal Shelter. By the time that this issue of the Hurricane Breeze is published, these animals may have already been adopted and found their forever homes. However, there are many pets at the shelter that still need homes.

For more information, call the Putnam County Animal Shelter at 304-586-0249.



Meet Calypso (Id #45202). Calypso is a one-year-old female domestic short haired cat who came to the shelter as a stray. Her adoption fee has been sponsored so only a refundable \$50 sterilization deposit would need to be left to take this sweetie home.



Meet Otis (Id #45188). Otis is a three-year-old neutered male domestic short haired cat waiting on a new home. Come visit this guy!