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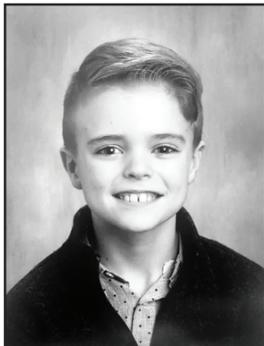
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## Hurricane 10-Year-Old to Represent State at World Championship

Lenon Hodge, a 10 year old student at Hurricane Town Elementary School, has qualified for the 2021 NASP World Archery Championship. Hodge qualified for the World Championship by finishing in the top 100 in the United States in the NASP National Tournament.



Lenon Hodge

The National Tournament was held virtually this Spring. Hodge took second place in the state of West Virginia in the National Tournament and he took 54th place in the United States among the elementary division. A record 15,683 archers from 1,053 schools competed in the 2021 Nationals.

Hodge began shooting a bow in the 2019-2020 school year by participating in the National Archery in Schools Program (NASP). In early 2020, he won the West Virginia State Tournament by taking 1st place among all

elementary students. Hodge and his team brought the very first championship archery trophy to his school. In February 2020, Hodge took 1st place in the Cabell Midland Archery Invitational. Additionally, he took 1st place in the West Virginia State University Archery Invitational and 3rd place in the Elkview Middle School Archery Tournament held at Marshall University in 2020. Hodge has two other top ten tournament finishes.

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## Memorial Trail Race Empowers MCL Mission to Veterans



Hendrix Hudson of South Charleston, winner of the 5K, was the first to cross the finish line.

By Ron Allen

More than 70 individuals, ranging in age from 9 to 73, turned out to compete in the Cpl. William B. Fulks 5K & 10K Memorial Race at the Meeks Mountain Trails at Hurricane City Park on Saturday, May 22, 2021.

The participants are competitors who enjoy both running and giving. Cpl. William B. Fulks Detachment #1474 of the Marine Corps League was the beneficiary of their participation.

Proceeds from the race and sponsorships will empower Detachment #1474 to continue to fulfill its mission of service to all veterans and their families.

Detachment #1474 was chartered in honor of Cpl. Fulks who died from second and third degree burns and massive internal injuries which were incurred during combat operations in Anbar Province, Iraq, in 2006. Cpl. Fulks

was a member of the 2nd Reconnaissance Battalion, 2nd Marine Division, II Marine Expeditionary Force,

Camp Lejeune, N.C. He grew up in Milton and attended Cabell Midland High School and Marshall University.

Cpl. Fulks' mother Kim Adams and father William Fulks were present at the race to thank runners

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## Forty Years Ago

### Oat Bias Kept Law and Order During Depression

By Irene Ambler

**Editor's Note** — This article, first printed in the May 28, 1981 issue of the Breeze, captures a picture of law enforcement during the Great Depression.

Law and order was not so big a problem during the Great Depression era of the 1930's. Possibly most folks had enough to do just to keep body and soul together and in trying to find something to put on the table for the next meal to get out and do a lot of law-

breaking. Policemen were more respected then than they are now, also. I do not remember ever hearing our policemen being called a "pig," nor did I ever hear of "police brutality." Another thing we didn't hear much about was "rights. Everyone had "rights" so long as they obeyed the law; and when they broke the law, they were put in jail.

Of course, during the Depression there were murders both in Hurricane and throughout the country; but these crimes of violence could usually be attributed to domestic problems or

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## Former Putnam Judge Named Outstanding Democrat of the Year



Judge Thompson is presented with a plaque from Putnam County Democrats. Left to Right: Flora Francis, PCDWC; Judge Thompson; Ben Barkey, Chair PCDEXC and Sharon Bowles, member PCDEXC. District 1.

The Putnam County Democratic Executive Committee decided it was about time former Judge James (Jimmy) Lee Thompson was recognized for his many contributions to his home county.

"Turning 100 years old this year, appears to be the perfect time to honor nonagenarian, Judge Thompson with the distinguished Outstanding Democrat of the Year Award," said Putnam County

Democratic Party Outstanding Democrat Chair Ben Barkey. This recognition is given each year (36 years) to a hardworking Democrat from each county.

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Karen Coria.

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## Taking In Hurricane's Pop-Up Concert



Dale Harper and the Highlanders (inset) perform to the delight of onlookers at the Gazebo on Saturday, May 22nd.

By Ron Allen

Last Saturday's Live at the Gazebo Pop-Up Concert with Dale Harper and the Highlanders was a fun happening for all who have fun watching others have fun.

Fun viewers were able to double their pleasure

by stepping across Main Street and grabbing a sandwich and made-on-the-spot iced beverage at Drip's Cafe or latching onto pizza at the Belknap Dough Company.

The concert was the last of the season in Hurricane but not the end to fun watching on

Main Street. Beginning June 4, fun watching will return with Food Truck Friday and will continue every Friday until fall. Music is always on the menu during Food Truck Fridays, as will be grab and go treats from Drip's Cafe and Belknap Dough Company.

WEATHER SUMMARY		
May 18 - 24		
	Low	High
May 18		
Hurricane	48°	78°
May 19		
Hurricane	44°	82°
May 20		
Hurricane	44°	82°
May 21		
Hurricane	47°	85°
May 22		
Hurricane	54°	86°
May 23		
Hurricane	56°	86°
May 24		
Hurricane	57°	86°
*RAIN None Recorded		

### The Centennial History of Hurricane

## Meet Some of Hurricane's Oldest Families

In 1988, The Centennial History of Hurricane, WV was published to commemorate the town's 100th anniversary. Since the Centennial History is now out of print, the Breeze is reprinting articles from the book as space allows. This week's selection will be the 194th installment of the Centennial History.

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GEORGE SILVIE RACER  
Submitted by  
Mrs. Glenna June Sansom  
George S. Racer was

born January 5, 1903, at Coal Mountain, Putnam County, West Virginia and died April 12, 1977. He married Hazel G. Henson, born on February 19, 1904 and died December 20, 1972.

George and Hazel were married January 5, 1935 and moved to Hurricane so he could be close to his job at United Fuel Gas Company in which he worked until his retirement.

They lived first on Rhoda street and adopted a little girl born on August 17, 1940, named Glenna

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## 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.

**Due to the COVID-19 pandemic, nothing is certain at this time. Please contact the organizers or check social media pages before making any plans.**

### THURSDAYS

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

### SATURDAYS UNTIL OCTOBER

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

### MAY 28

There will be a fundraiser for the Heart of Phoenix horse rescue organization from 6:30 to 9 p.m. at Paint and Sip, 948 4th Avenue #101, Huntington. \$45 includes an evening of guided painting. Bring a snack and your favorite drink.

There will be a paint and plant event at Gritt's Farm, 864 Gritt Road, Buffalo. It will be an event of painting pottery, snacks, games, and plant knowledge. To register, go to [www.thepotteryplace.biz/s/order](http://www.thepotteryplace.biz/s/order)

**Battleground Wrestling** will be coming to the Valley Park Conference Center in Hurricane. 7 p.m. bell time. General Admission: \$15, Preferred \$20, Front Row: \$25 For tickets, go to [www.battlegroundwrestlingwv.com](http://www.battlegroundwrestlingwv.com)

### MAY 29

The Rivers to Ridges Mountain Bike Race & Ride will be held from 10 a.m. to 2 p.m. at Gritt's Farm in Buffalo. For more information and to register, go to [runsignup.com/Race/WV/Nitro/RiverstoRidgesRaceandRide](http://runsignup.com/Race/WV/Nitro/RiverstoRidgesRaceandRide)

Elk River Boots and Saddle Club will be holding an open horse

show starting at 1 p.m. at the Winfield Riding Club. Admission is \$5 per person. For more information, call 304-541-6399.

The Church at the Depot Family Fun Run will be held at Camp Appalachia, 167 Fletcher Road, Scott Depot, from 10 a.m. to 4 p.m. For more information, go to <https://www.facebook.com/Church-at-The-Depot-366525234880>

There will be a Basic Vehicle Maintenance Class at Ferrell Automotive, 501 Midland Trail, Hurricane, at 2 p.m.

### STARTING JUNE 3

Heritage Farm, 3300 Harvey Road, Huntington, will be open On Thursdays, Fridays, and Saturdays from June-August from 10 a.m. to 3 p.m. For more information, visit [www.heritagefarmmuseum.com](http://www.heritagefarmmuseum.com)

### JUNE 3

The ReWild Camp Open House will be held from 5 to 7:30 p.m. at Camp High-Tor, 179 Church Camp Road, Hurricane. Learn more about the YMCA's Camp High-Tor.

### JUNE 4

The Putnam County Chamber of Commerce is hosting Business Before Business at 7:30 a.m. at the Wingate by Wyndham Hotel, 417 Hurricane Creek Road, Hurricane. To register, call 304-757-6510.

Team trivia night will be held from 7:30 to 10 p.m. at the Wave Pool at Valley Park, Hurricane. The cost is \$10 per person to attend.

### JUNE 5 - 6

The Huntington Comic and Toy Convention will be held at the Mountain Health Arena, 1 Civic Center Plz., Huntington, from 9 a.m. to 4 p.m. For more information, go to [www.huntingtoncomiccon.com](http://www.huntingtoncomiccon.com)

### JUNE 5

The Macholah Ballet will be performing its Other-Worldly Dance Recital from 2 to 4 p.m. at the Cabell Midland High School. For more information, visit <https://www.facebook.com/themacholahballet>

The Nitro Antique Car Club will be holding a cruise-in at the Nitro Living Memorial Park, 20th Street and 2nd Avenue, from 5 p.m. until dusk.

There will be a flea market from 9 a.m. to 3 p.m. at the Sweet Buy and Bye Shoppe, Route 62, Buffalo.

Ladies Lifestyle Bazaar Presents A Slice of Summer starting at 9 a.m. at Area 34, 971 WV Route 34, Teays Valley.

The annual backpack packing day will be held from 10 a.m. to noon at Teays Valley Church of the Nazarene, Teays Valley Road, Hurricane.

The West Virginia Cupcake Festival Queen's Pageant will be held at 1 p.m. at Valley Park in Hurricane.

Dr. Philip Hatfield, local historian, will be signing copies of his book "For the Union: The Civil War Experiences of Captain John Valley Young and His Family" from 10 a.m. to 12:30 p.m. at the Hurricane City Hall.

### JUNE 8

The Mark Wood Fun Magic Show will be coming to the Valley park

## Foster Parents Recognized

Dear Editor,  
May is National Foster Care Month, and the National Youth Advocate Program wants to take this opportunity to thank our foster parents for the work they do caring for the youth and families in West Virginia. By opening their homes and hearts, foster parents play a vital role in helping youth and families in crisis heal.

The National Youth Advocate Program foster families not only provide temporary homes, safety, and nurturing to youth, but they also help birth families by ensuring that youth can be safely reunited with them. And, when reunification is not possible, many of our families choose to adopt the youth who have been placed in their homes, offering permanency and stability the youth may otherwise not know.

The commitment of our foster parents leaves an indelible mark on generations to come. The foster parents are helping to end cycles of neglect, abuse and/or drug

addiction and are often helping a youth be the first in his or her family to finish high school or even go to college. Youth leave our foster homes knowing there are many other paths in life than what they've known.

Foster Parents don't get nearly enough thanks or recognition for their efforts. We would like to thank foster parents for sharing your family, your home, giving love, encouragement, and hope to youth and families in need.

Anyone interested in learning more about becoming a foster parent can contact the National Youth Advocate Program at 304-366-5832, visit our website at [www.nyap.org/nfcm](http://www.nyap.org/nfcm) or email [dmcginty@nyap.org](mailto:dmcginty@nyap.org). You can also visit the National Youth Advocate-West Virginia page on Facebook. Training to become a foster parent and the home study process are now virtual, making it easier than ever to become a foster parent!

## Democrat Club To Meet

The Putnam County Democrat Club meeting is scheduled for Monday, June 14th, in the old courthouse, second floor at 6:30 p.m. Mark your calendar to be with the club to make plans for 2021.

## Baby Love Pantry

Cross Lanes United Methodist Church is offering the Baby Love Pantry, which provides free diapers, sizes newborn - 6, and wipes as well as formula when available. The pantry will be open on Friday, May 27, from 10:30 a.m. - to noon.

There are no income restrictions. Only an ID and the child's name is needed.

Enter through the church lower parking lot doors.

For more information, call (304) 415-3194, or join Baby Love Pantry Facebook Group for updates.

in Hurricane at 10 a.m., and the shelter behind the Eleanor Library at 1 p.m.

### JUNE 10

There will be a class in phone photography for tweens and teens at 6 p.m. at the gazebo at the Eleanor City Park.

### JUNE 11

Break the Seal will be performing from 8 a.m. to midnight at Riverside Cafe in Winfield.

Create whimsical fairy stakes at Art in the Park from 11 a.m. to 1 p.m. at Valley Park in Hurricane. The cost is \$5. Go to [putnam-county-parks.ticketleap.com/art-in-the-park-series](http://putnam-county-parks.ticketleap.com/art-in-the-park-series) to register.

The Putnam Chamber Annual Dinner & Celebration will be held at Valley Park in Hurricane at 6 p.m.

### JUNE 12

Putnam County Grad Night will be held from 8 a.m. to 11 p.m. at the Wave Pool in Hurricane. Entry is \$10 per person. There will be a live DJ, prizes, games, food, and a showing of "The Meg" on the big screen.

### JUNE 13 - 16

The 35th West

## The Way We Were, The Way We Are

By Brenda Burke

Friends...  
When I think of friends, I remember the show, "Friends," about the six who stayed together for years... close... I never watched the show back then, but I have watched the episodes on Hulu... also with "Golden Girls" about three women... I laugh out loud at both of these programs just as I always have at "Reba"... funny sitcoms... friends...

As I live in a condo complex in Florida now, I don't imagine I will have the opportunity to make new friends easily. I am still attending church (mine in Indy) online... not comfortable going into the building during Covid... I am also so busy with my family here that there is no need to fill up hours with others.

I have written so many columns about my friends... over and over again... as I said when I write about growing up in Hurricane, my readers can skip this column... it has been done... it will be done again... I am old... I like to remember when...

In elementary school, I had girl friends and friends who were boys... not boyfriends per se... just friends... The most fun we had was when we attended our Sunday School parties at the Casey's home... those were great times... as always, I remember our teachers then (and junior high) were Mr. Casey, Mrs. Dunlap, and Mrs. Comer. I loved them. They were the best ever.

First Baptist Church was a place where we grew up socially, enjoying our times together. Let's don't forget church camp at Cabwaylingo. A week for togetherness... don't know how we would handle the communal restrooms during a pandemic... we would not, of course... or sleeping beside others in those uncomfortable beds... but oh my, the fireside Bible studies... the walks... the pool (I still don't swim)... friendship...

We had friends... Barbara Cottrell... Jane Ellen Henderson, June Lee Handley, Pam Qualls, Becky Foster, Becky Turner, Beverly Higgins, Kay Sergeant, Karen Comer, Karol Clark, John Casey, James Sampson, Steve Casto, Mary Jane Pruitt, and more... attended our church... or at least, if I remember correctly, all of these did... I can't recall all the names, but I bet somewhere there are attendance books that would verify who went and when... I hesitate to type names because I will leave out someone... okay... I did

## Hurricane Breeze on Microfilm

If you are looking for an older issue of the *Hurricane Breeze*, microfilm copies of the paper can be found at both the Putnam County Main Library in Teays Valley and the West Virginia State Archives in Charleston.

The Putnam County Main Library has microfilm copies from 1913 through 1975, while the West Virginia State Archives in Charleston has issues from 1913 through last year.

Sandy Bird... Lorraine Rappold, Linda Searls, Vess Hendricks, Norma Kessler, Dorothy Graves, Jimmy Kelly, David Good, Zula Strickland, Bobby Ashworth, Barbara Byrnside, Joyce Pauley, and others in elementary but not at our church perhaps... what fun times... and our church had hay rides to Camden Park... Won't try to list again...

I would love to hear from those friends... my email is [bburke701947@gmail.com](mailto:bburke701947@gmail.com)... just drop a line...

It would be nice... we are all old now, of course. Just kidding... I am lucky to remember first and last names...

Friends... there were so many of us... church... Y Teens, Rainbow for Girls... all kinds of gatherings. Pajama parties... and the parents... I loved so many of the parents... Becky Turner's mom made the best waffles... Barbara Cottrell's mom was so, so sweet and kind... Becky Foster's mom welcomed us for the best Halloween party... Mrs. Sergeant was like a second mom to many of us... as was Mrs. Searls, my second mom. Mrs. Higgins had some of us in eighth grade for a cheerleading party... the first time I had pizza. The Pruitts... what can I say? The Redskin Inn... I loved Mrs. Handley forever... she died while Mother was in the hospital with cancer at the end... so good to us. My memory is not what it was, but I know we had gatherings at other homes... so many great parents... kids don't do much of that today... parents are busy... we did have a huge pajama party our senior year at the Kesslers... Friends...

We graduated 56 years ago this year... I have heard they have yearly reunions for our class, but I am not sure... the last time I saw many of these "kids" was at the all school reunion in 2010... at the high school... fun... raised so much money for scholarships and show choir... by the way, please feel free to send a donation for scholarship to Putnam County Bank c/o Phyllis Canterbury... would like to give another one next year... I might fly into West Virginia and present it...

Friends... we were not like the television shows... we were ordinary people growing up together with common interests... going our own way... when I watch these shows, I think about my friends from back in the day... the one I have stayed closest with today... and ironically, one of my best friends was one of our teachers in junior high, Flora Lee. I adore her just as we did then... I have the Fabulous Five and if I add the Sensational Six, I have two friends from school... others not from Hurricane... Sensational Six... we text... call... write... stay in touch... Friends forever... we won't ever be on television or in a movie... we won't get together often if ever... however, the way we were is the way we are... friends to the end... caring and loving each other...

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# Forty Years Ago

## Oat Bias Kept Law and Order During Depression

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personal fights between individuals. I do not remember any crimes during the Depression whereby anyone just killed someone for the fun of it or for the purpose of robbery. There could have been people who were robbed and killed; but I cannot recall an instance such as that.

Some of the local stores were burglarized; but the robbers were caught and sent to jail. In fact, the most outstanding robbery I can remember was when a grocery store was robbed on Putnam Avenue. The robbers were from Huntington. Petty stealing was a problem, but not a very big one. I cannot remember a case which was burglarized, or any armed robbery of any kind in Hurricane during the 1930's. Chicken stealing was big. Just about everyone who had chickens would eventually go to the hen house some morning and find that they had no chickens to feed. Those chicken thieves were very skillful, being able to pluck a fat hen off the roost without evoking a cluck, a cackle or a cockle-doodle-doo. My brother told me about some very well-known boys from respectable families in town who would rob the hen houses of local chicken growers and then sell the chickens to Mr. Lem Burdette, who had a store and who also would from time to time buy back unknowingly some of his very own chickens. My brother DID NOT steal chickens; but if I told you the names of the ones who did, you would be shocked. No, I will not tell you, because some of these chicken-takers are still around; and their high social standing would be besmirched if the truth got out on them.

I did not mean to make this story a saga of chicken-stealing. What I intend to write about is our Depression era police

department. The entire police department of the town of Hurricane was composed of ONE man ñ Otis M. "Oat" Bias. Oat was the only town policeman for more years than I can possibly tell. I do know that he kept law in Hurricane through the entire Depression years, as well as (I believe) years before and many, many years after the end of the Great Depression.

Oat died in the 1960's and was well over ninety years of age. If he ever had an automobile, I never saw it. Neither did he have a scanner, radio equipment or a walkie-talkie. He always lived in the center of town and was on duty seven days a week and twenty-four hours a day. I do not remember that he had a vacation or even that he was off sick. He walked all over town on his patrol, but mostly, of course, his beat was on Main Street, where there were usually located three beer parlors. Her had a way of dealing with drunks and those beer parlor habitués who would every often decide to test their strength against another beer drinker. There were lots of fights, lots of arguments and sometimes the little jail behind the present City Hall would have overnight guests. Most usually, though, Oat would separate the fighters, settle them down real good and start them for home. Many a Saturday afternoon we would see Oat supporting a drunk or drunks and walking them up Putnam Avenue toward Hurricane Creek Road (or just near the city limits sign) and telling them in his authoritative voice, "All right, you Laddy Bucks, if I catch you back in town, you are going to jail." He called everybody "Laddy Bucks." The drunks would not try to resist Oat, but usually they would stagger their way on down the Creek or up Teays Valley, glad to be set free to go home instead of the cross bar hotel.

Oat was a strong, fairly large man, with dark hair, dark complexion

and a sort of serious scowl on his face. No one dared argue with him, but usually did as he said. It was a different age when Oat Bias was town policeman; and while he handled the job without a great trouble then, he couldn't do it now. I do not believe he would have had any patience with the drug scene, the juvenile delinquency, the speeding and the general society of today. Hurricane was a little town with small ideas; everyone knew everyone for miles around; and actually there was not so much crime and law-breaking. It was a good town, then.

My mother had a little Boston bulldog named Corky during the 1930's. Corky was a house dog; and Mom was just crazy about him as we all were. Well, Corky was prone to act like any other dog, enthusiastically entering into local dog fights and dog romances at each and every opportunity which presented itself. Whenever Corky would get out of the house and run away from home to engage in dog activities, Mom would just go into a tizzy. She was afraid Corky would get killed. Oat Bias knew how much Mom liked corky; and during spring and fall seasons he would faithfully watch out for Corky. Corky, for some reason or other, would always end up on the main drag down in the center of Main Street or Virginia Avenue, or somewhere near the town jail. We got so we could depend on a telephone call from Oat concerning the incarceration of Corky. Now, Oat had a slight speech impediment; ad he called Corky "Cawky." The phone would ring and there would be the deep voice of the town marshal, saying, "Mrs. Forth, I've got Cawky down there in jail." He would actually put Corky behind bars, keeping him there until we would go after him and bring him back home. I believe that Oat knew every dog in town and knew each by name.

Currently, in my series about the town's businesses during the Depression years I have been writing about local businesses and business people; but I also have to include the professions. Oat Bias was a professional policeman. I do not remember that he ever did any other kind of work except that of town cop. He was the police department from my earliest recollection; but I have no way of knowing how many years he served in that position. Oat and his wife had two sons ñ Virgil and Charles. Virgil was one of the first school bus drivers in this county. In the very early 1930's the county school system, which had previously been operated on a district basis, was changed to what was called the "County Unit Plan." At that time the transporting of students was done on a county wide basis. Virgil was a bus driver for many years; and he also served as a member of the House of Delegates. He has been dead for many years. The other son, Charles, now lives in Florida.

Possibly the most serious phase of law enforcement during those long-ago Depression years was that of moonshining and bootlegging. As you know, prohibition was repealed during the

early years of Franklin D. Roosevelt's first term of office. Moonshining, which had been a time-honored profession of this area, had long been flourishing in the hollers and on the hills of, not only Putnam County, but in most other southern and mountain states, and the repeal of the Eighteenth Amendment had little, if any, effect on the moonshiners and their profession. There was plenty of moonshining going on right around Hurricane and plenty of bootlegging the white lightning after it had been made. Lots of men who were too proud to take charity (which is what they called relief) fed and clothed their families by making moonshine; and many others supported their families by bootlegging the finished product. I knew a lot of moonshiners and also some of the bootleggers. I liked them all; they were just like other people; and they had a strict code of honor and honesty that was not found in some of the people who condemned them. I never could see why it was wrong for an individual to make and sell good whiskey to support his family and why it was right for a state to sell it. It seems that it was not really a moral or legal issue, but was rather just another way for the state to collect taxes. Well, I never did use the booze in any form; but I never could see where the payment of taxes could whitewash something that was supposed to be wrong. I still can't.

I can remember one time when a man on High School Avenue (he doesn't live there now) had a bathtub full of "Old Hen," which was the name for mash made from corn chop, sugar and I don't know what else. The mash was for making a batch of booze. The odors permeating the neighborhood evidently shook up some pious neighbor; and the neighbor had called the law. It happened just before noon; and we were in school close by. Well, the revenue agents emptied the mash in the man's backyard; and it didn't take us long to know that there was a lot of excitement over on the lower end of High School Avenue. We had an our for noon and we all went running over there to see what was so funny and exciting. It so happened that one of the neighbors had a flock of chickens which was allowed to run loose, as was the custom then. The chickens, which had probably been existing from what they could pick up off the soil, naturally just about went crazy over that bathtub full of corn chop, which was also nice and sweet; and was probably delicious if you were a chicken.

Did you ever see a drunk chicken? Well, I have. In fact, I as well as many other Hurricane residents saw a whole flock of drunk, clucking, cackling, crowning, staggering chickens. I swear that they were drunk as mojos. There was only one rooster in that flock; and I'll bet he had a rooster-sized hangover the next day. He was so drunk that he staggered from one end of that back yard to the other, falling and making peculiar noises for quite a long time, rising up valiantly and taking another bill full of that alcoholic delicacy.

## Hurricane 10-Year-Old to Represent State at World Championship

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"God always has a plan to turn bad things into good," Hodge said. "For example, last year we were not able to shoot for Nationals because of Covid. But this year, I shot at Nationals and did well which qualified me for the World Championship. God also gave me a wonderful coach named Justin Brooks. He has done an awesome job guiding me through my archery career. I am really excited to go to Myrtle Beach for the championship,"

Hodge concluded.

Lenon's parents, Tony and Jessica Hodge are very excited for him as well. "We are so incredibly proud of Lenon's hard work and accomplishments. God has blessed him with an amazing talent and we can't wait to watch him use his gift on the world stage," said Jessica Hodge.

The NASP World Championship will take place June 10-12 in Myrtle Beach, SC. Hodge is planning his trip now and is expected to be joined by his coach.

## Former Putnam Judge Named Outstanding Democrat of the Year

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Judge Thompson served as Circuit Court Judge in the 29th Judicial Court from 1962-1969 and a second term until he retired in 1976. He was widely known as being a faithful and capable public servant. Judge Thompson was married

for more than 70 years to the late Eloise Erwin Thompson who passed away in 2019 at the age of 96. "I think it's great to be able to celebrate my 100th birthday and be recognized as an Outstanding Democrat. It just makes me feel like I'm ready to start over." added Judge Thompson.

### PUTNAM ROTARY NEWS

## Major Commercial Development Slated for Teays Valley

By Sam Sentelle

Putnam county commissioner Andy Skidmore announced to Rotarians on May 18 plans for a 400-acre commercial development in Scott Depot. The site will be at the junction of I-64 and US 35 with access for several businesses.

Logging is now underway, he said, with excavation to follow for a 300-acre flat area. A large transportation plaza is planned by the primary lease holder with commercial properties to follow.

The commission is also planning a major upgrade to 5-G internet service with optic fiber cable extensions in the area, he added. Putnam now has only one provider, and many parts of the county lack fiber access or the service is inadequate.

"Companies are not putting their profits back into infrastructure," he said. "They are taking the profits out of the state," he said, "and failing to repair and improve their infrastructure."

"Some communities Finally, he did indeed pass out, falling over on his back, sticking his legs up in the air, kicking feebly a few times and eventually falling over on is side, lapsing into an alcoholic-soaked sleep which probably lasted most of the afternoon.

Bet you never saw a drunk rooster, did you? Well, I have. Fact is, lots of fun things happened in Hurricane back in those Depression days of not-so-long ago; it was a good town then to grow up in.

### The Centennial History of Hurricane

## Meet Some of Hurricane's Oldest Families



Glenna, Hazel and George Racer. Background, United Fuel rig

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June Oxley. They moved to a house on Second Street, which became McGees Meat Market and is now a beauty shop. The last move was to 315 High School Avenue.

Glenna met and married a wonderful man by the name of Charles Kenneth Sansom who was from Wayne, West Virginia, on December 5, 1961. They have four children: Charles Eric, born October 30, 1962; Mark Christopher, born September 4, 1967; Kimberly Lucretia, born January 23, 1977;

and Glendon Patrick born November 5, 1978. Glenna and Kenneth now live on farm in Wayne.

What's in a name like Hurricane? All the beautiful people young and old that make up all the wonderful memories of childhood. **HAPPY BIRTHDAY, HURRICANE.**

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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.

### Submissions

The deadline for submissions to the Breeze is Monday at noon. Submissions may be emailed to: [hurricanebreeze@citynet.net](mailto:hurricanebreeze@citynet.net)

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# Fillers Page

Edited by Betsy Allen



## People and Words

By Velma Kitchens of Culloden

As I have said before, I love to read quotes by famous people, but some folks are not famous but they say good things. I worked with a girl who said when she was growing up her mom had some home remedies for injuries. This girl hurt her ankle and her mom put slices of bacon around her ankle. She said all went well until all the dogs in the neighborhood started chasing her. When she told me that, I laughed until tears came down my cheeks. She is a special person. She had a baby at 40 and had four other children. God blesses those who really want children and treat them right.

Another girl told me while getting gas months ago that she felt led to tell me that Jesus loves me. I got so excited and told her thanks and that I had not had the best of times that day, but God makes the day and we need to rejoice in it. That girl obeyed the spirit of the Lord and helped me tremendously. Like I said, some not famous people say things that are so helpful along this road we call life.

I also had a man tell me that a doctor didn't do anything for him, and he thinks he should just pay half a co-pay. He was joking, but I thought it was worth mentioning. Another lady said use Dial soap for leg cramps, but I don't know to lather or not to lather; do you just rub dry soap on the leg? And by the way, most cramps happen at night in bed, so by the time you go get the Dial soap all the cramp is gone. But my how it hurts!

I have a co-worker who has a sister who lived in California for years and she is a lawyer. I spoke with her one day and I was asking about some things in her life. She was invited to a party, and she is tall, and it was crowded. She said the only thing she could see was Kenny G's bald spot. Like I say, people say stuff that is worth repeating. I think it was a four hour dinner, and she said she could have eaten and been home in an hour, but it was work. When she first went to Los Angeles, her co-workers told her she was pale and needed a new hairstyle. She didn't think so. She said LA is different if you work at a business that is "up there," but she didn't care. She is a West Virginia girl at heart. They told her to get a spray tan and have her hair dyed. She didn't do it, so I guess they liked her work.

The next time I write, I am going to tell you about the ice storm in February, or was it March? Really all runs together. That was an adventure, but we survived.

## A Creamy Recipe Created for Families

(Culinary.net) A lazy Sunday afternoon cuddled up with family, playing in the rain with your kids and tasting a perfect, sweet treat on a summer day can be some of the simplest yet best parts of life.

Recipes that can be made with clean, fresh ingredients in a matter of minutes make some of the best-tasting dishes, snacks and treats. Sometimes keeping it simple is the best route to take as opposed to confusing prep that takes too much time.

This Strawberry Mousse, which is made with families in mind, is a perfect recipe to make with your little ones or for a date night dessert. It's great to take for an outing at the park, a neighborhood party or just to snack on throughout the week.

It's sweet, fluffy and smooth all at the same time. Made to serve a handful of people, it only takes a few moments to complete. Moms love it and kids enjoy the taste and texture.

To start, puree 1 cup of strawberries in blender until smooth.

In a mixing bowl, combine whipping cream and powdered sugar until smooth.

In a different bowl, beat cream cheese until smooth then add the pureed strawberries.

Finally, add the whipped cream mixture to the cream cheese and strawberries. Stir all the components together until they reach the desired consistency before serving with fresh fruit.

It's easy, fresh and delicious. Your kids can help you combine all the ingredients and excitedly try the sweet result.

Find more sweet recipes at Culinary.net.

If you made this recipe at home, use #MyCulinaryConnection on your favorite social network to share your work.

### Strawberry Mousse

Servings: 6-8

1 cup strawberries, halved  
2 cups heavy cream  
1 cup powdered sugar  
1 package (8 ounces) cream cheese, softened  
assorted fruit, for serving

In blender, puree strawberries until smooth. Set aside.

In mixing bowl, whip heavy cream and powdered sugar until fluffy.

In separate mixing bowl, beat cream cheese until smooth. Add strawberry puree to cream cheese and mix until combined. Add whipped cream and stir until combined.

Serve in bowl with fruit.



## Jokes From Linda

Submitted by Linda  
Lavender Armstead



What is a builders favorite kind of paper?  
Construction paper.

Saturday morning my granddaughter and I were making cupcakes. I gave her a spoon to begin mixing the batter while I went to grab some napkins, but when I came back, she was stirring it with her finger. I asked her why she wasn't using the spoon, and she said, "The directions said to hand mix it."

What type of dogs make the best librarians?  
Hush puppies.

When Pete was taking his three-year-old grandson, Bradley for a walk around the park one afternoon, he suddenly asked if his grandpa could carry him the rest of the way. When he asked Bradley why he needed to be carried, he responded, "Because my feet are bored."

Why is the letter "A" like a flower?  
Because a Bee comes after it.

## Fillers from Linda

Submitted by Linda~Lavender Armstead  
Washington Hill Road, Hurricane

God's grace is sufficient for us anywhere His providence places us.

You must do the things you think you cannot do.  
- Eleanor Roosevelt

Every time the grief steals my breath, I remember the love was worth it.

Measure what is measurable, and make measurable what is not so.

If marriage were outlawed, only outlaws would have in-laws.

A foul tongue tells more about you than who you are using it against.

I was expelled from school on pajama day. It's not my fault I sleep naked.

How much of what weighs you down is not yours to carry?

The secret to a happy life is prioritizing God.

No matter if you win or lose, the most important thing in life is to enjoy what you have.

We should be lifting each other up and cheering each other on, not trying to outshine one another. The sky would be awfully dark with just one star.

One song can change a moment. One idea can change your world. One step can change a journey. But one prayer can change the impossible.

On particularly rough days, I'd like to remind myself that my track record for getting through bad days so far is 100%, and that's pretty good.

Your journey is not the same as mine, and my journey is not yours, but if you meet me on a certain path, may we encourage each other.

Never forget what you are. The rest of the world will not. Wear it like armor, and it can never be used to hurt you.

Obstacles are seldom the same size tomorrow as they are today. – Robert H. Schuller

One minute you are young and carefree and the next minute you can feel rain coming in your knee.

Have you ever been in one of those moods where you don't really know what's wrong but you feel really irritated with so everyone and everything?

Sometimes miracles are simply good people with kind hearts.

Speaking to your spouse before making a decision isn't a control thing; it's a respect thing.

Use your smile to change the world. Don't let the world change your smile.

If walls and guns don't work; then why are celebrities and politicians surrounded by them?

Reality is merely an



illusion, albeit a very persistent one. - Albert Einstein

I exercised once, but found out I was allergic to it. My skin flushed and my heart raced. I got sweaty and short of breath. Very dangerous.

If we could look into each others hearts and see the challenges each of us faces I think we would treat each other with more love, kindness, compassion and patience.

You know you live in a great country when even the people that absolutely detest it refuse to leave.

The most important thing is to enjoy your life, to be happy - it's all that matters. - Audrey Hepburn

It's a sad day when it's easier to abort the American child than it is to deport an illegal alien.

This world of ours must avoid becoming a community of dreadful fear and hate, and be, instead, a proud confederation of mutual trust and respect. – Dwight D Eisenhower

Vaping back in my day was Vicks VapoRub.

I'm having people over to stare at their phones later if you want to come by.

Try to remember, the greener grass across the fence may be due to a septic tank issue.

Worst lie you heard was eat all your food so you can be big and strong – now look at you – just big.

Once you hit a certain age, you become permanently unimpressed by a lot of stuff.

There is no better karate instructor, than a spiderweb in your face.

Do yourself a favor. Learn how to say no without feeling like you need to explain why.

Change is scary it makes you do things that are uncomfortable but this is how you grow.

The words you use are far less important than the energy, intensity, and conviction with which you use them.

Courage isn't having the strength to go on; it's going on when you don't have the strength.

If you're deep inside a tunnel and there is no end in sight just carry on until the dawn. It's darkest right before the light.

Nothing is more attractive than a guy who respects you, makes you laugh, and can hold a conversation.

If you're willing to send the boy off to fight your wars, be prepared to help the man fight his battles when he returns home.

I wish I could drop my body off at the gym and pick it back up when it's ready.

Listen without defending. Speak without offending.

Just keep your heart beautiful and the rest will fall into place.

Reverence and boasting cannot be found on the same platform.

Don't let insecure thoughts ruin something amazing.

Be even stronger than your first cup of coffee.

Opinions are like armpits. Everybody has one and most of them stink.

Never let your sense of morals prevent you from doing what is right.

Think where man's glory most begins and ends, and say my glory was I had such friends. - W. B. Yeats

No matter how good you are there is always one person who hates you for no reason.

Remember when your mom gave you a pre-ripped half piece of double mint gum and it tasted like perfume or purse dirt?

Jesus healed the one who arrested Him, served the one who betrayed Him, and loved the world who crucified Him.

Happiness is laughing with a toddler about something then makes absolutely no sense.

One day you'll look back and realize that you worry too much about things that don't really matter.

There is nothing else in this world that can trouble you more than your own thoughts.

Be willing to walk alone. Many who started with you won't finish with you.

Don't change yourself so that other people will like you. Be yourself so that the right people will love you.

Don't quit. Someone is praying for you and you will make it through this. God is on your side.

Pain is a sign that you're alive. Problem is a sign that you're strong. Prayer is a sign that you're not alone.

Standing alone is better than standing with people who hurt you.

## Bible Verse



If we live by the Spirit, let us also keep in step with the spirit.

– Galatians 5:25

# Cpl. William B. Fulks Memorial Trail Race



Female 5K winners pictured with plaques fashioned by Bear Wood Company of Hurricane (l-r): Jennifer Elphick, Laura Bradley, and Katie Doerner.



Members of Detachment 1474 pose with Cpl. William B. Fulks' mother Kim Adams and father William Fulks.

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and hand out engraved medallions.

Boy Scout Troop 236 participated in opening ceremonies.

10K winners were: 1st male - Andrew Dawson of Hurricane, 1st female - Teresa Ranick of Winfield; 2nd male - Chuck Dent of Scott Depot, 2nd female - Bobbie Wisniewski of Charleston; 3rd male - Matthew Young of Hurricane, 3rd female - Nicole Michaelis of Charleston.

Other 10K participants were: Aaron Dunlap, Kevin Slack, Seth Harshbarger, Thomas Norton, Tim Daly, Neal Serist, Walker Killian, Michele Monn, Holly Edwards, Maddy Lucas, Marnie Edwards, Sherry McKown, Penny Elam, Amy Crossan.

5K winners were: 1st male - Hendrix Hudson of South Charleston, 1st female - Laura Bradley of Ashland; 2nd male

- Jacob Volpe of St. Albans, 2nd female - Jennifer Elphick of St. Albans; 3rd male - John Jenkins of Hurricane, 3rd female - Katie Doerner of Hurricane.

Other 5K participants were: Brandon Doerner, Sean McLain, Charles Cooper, Evan Smalley, Greg Wageman, Dean Cordle, Brian Nimmo, Ethan Glenn, Aaron Doerner, Caroline Sands, Jim Ranck, Chuck Clay, Laura Moon, Cole Gross, Andrew Price, AJ Price, Greg Perry, Ashley Byrd, Mike Byrd, Mindy Huffman, Michelle Thayer, Delbert Brannon, Becky Lucas, Connie Perry, Brooke Miller, Mike Bosley, Pamela Bosley, Laura Hudnall, Emily Gross, Chrissy Ball, Traci Thomas Wells, Elijah Parker, Vickey Chapman, Kerri Weese, Deana Miller, Alaina Miller, Harriet Cartmill, Jo Perry, Sophia Perry, Debbie Goff, Jessica Holley, Stephanie Thomas, Andrea McNeill.



Third place 5K female finisher Katie Doerner (center) crossed the finish line a few steps ahead of 1st place 10K winner Andrew Dawson. Dawson's 10K time was 51:27.4. Katie ran the 5K in 41:27.6.

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### High School Baseball

May 14  
Buffalo 8, Poca 2  
Hurricane 6, John Marshall 1  
May 15  
Buffalo 10, Tolsia 2  
Hurricane 23, Spring Mills 5  
Hurricane 8, Greenbrier East 3  
Poca 9, Braxton County 7  
May 17  
Winfield 12, Nitro 5  
May 18  
Hurricane 7, St. Albans 2  
Sissonville 10, Winfield 3  
Sherman 5, Buffalo 2  
May 19  
Hurricane 14, Ripley 1  
May 20  
Buffalo 10, Van 0  
Hurricane 11, Beckley 0  
Huntington 7, Winfield 3  
May 21  
Hurricane 11, Geo. Washington 1  
Logan 9, Winfield 2  
Man 13, Buffalo 3  
May 24  
Scott 6, Poca 0  
Winfield 12, Buffalo 2  
May 25  
Hurricane 7, St. Albans 0

### High School Softball

May 14  
Cabell Midland 17, Hurricane 2  
Hurricane 12, Capital 4  
May 15  
Winfield 6, Independence 0  
Winfield 8, Independence 7  
Hurricane 9, Riverside 8  
May 18  
Pt. Pleasant 3, Winfield 1  
St. Marys 11, Buffalo 3  
May 19  
Winfield 3, Ripley 1  
Poca 4, Logan 2  
May 20  
Buffalo 12, Williamston 3  
Buffalo 8 Williamston 0  
Nitro 11, Poca 1  
May 21  
Winfield 9, Lincoln County 4  
Buffalo 7, Tyler Consolidated 4  
Buffalo 10, Tyler Consolidated 2  
Poca 4, Tug Valley 1  
May 22  
Winfield 5, Chapmanville 1  
May 24  
St. Albans 2, Winfield 1  
Hurricane 7, Riverside 5

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### Daily Scripture Readings

Acts 7:44-8:3	Acts 8:4-25	Acts 8:26-40	Acts 26:1-32	Acts 27:1-38	Acts 27:39-28:15	Acts 28:16-31
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## BASIC BIBLE

By Ron Allen  
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### Ministry to Unbelievers

Romans 15:15-27

In the text before us, Paul comments upon the things which he has written in this epistle. In verse 15, the apostle states that he has written boldly. Paul's words suggest that he may have written more boldly in this epistle than the manner in which he wrote in his previous epistles.

Romans reads differently than Paul's epistles to believers at Corinth or Galatia or Ephesus and elsewhere. In Romans, Paul cites passages from the books of Moses, the Psalms, and from the prophets more than fifty times, twice the total of all passages cited in his other epistles combined. In verse 14, the apostle makes it clear that his boldness was not triggered by any lack of goodness or knowledge on the part of the Romans. Paul's reason for boldness is not to correct. His boldness stems from the grace which God has given him. His boldness is linked to his having been chosen by God to deliver the gospel to the Gentiles.

Paul states that his boldness is because of the grace which God has given to him. God revealed to Paul that he was chosen to be the minister of Jesus Christ to bring good news (the gospel of God) to the Gentiles such that "the offering up of the Gentiles might be acceptable, being sanctified by the Holy Ghost" (v. 16).

The offering up of the Gentiles is the offering up of spiritual sacrifices to God by the Gentiles which sacrifices are holy and acceptable (see I Pet. 2:5, Rom. 12:2). Neither Jew nor Gentile possesses the capacity to manufacture anything that is holy and acceptable. No man, Paul included, possesses this ability. Paul's role was to deliver the gospel to the Gentiles such that they might hear, believe and receive. Upon believing, one receives the Comforter (the Holy Spirit) who acts as an intercessor of prayers. The Holy Spirit helps believers overcome our failings by interpreting our innermost feelings (Rom. 8:26). God the Father sees only that which the Holy Spirit has filtered — that which is holy and acceptable.

Awareness of God's grace was given to Paul by revelation from God such that His purposes might be realized. It is and was by revelation that Paul was given the understanding necessary to expound upon that which is recorded in the books of Moses and the Psalms and upon the words of the prophets. Moses, the Psalms, and the prophets, all proclaim the coming of a time in which God shall establish a new relationship with a people who are not a people. The Gentiles are that people.

In verses 17, Paul states that he has cause to glory through Jesus Christ in "those things which pertain to God." Those things which pertain to God most certainly include the fulfillment of that which Moses and the prophets spoke. Paul was the chosen vessel to be the apostle to the Gentiles. Paul does not glory in that which he has done. He glories in that which Christ has done by him (v. 18). Paul is glorying in the work of God the Son.

Paul states that his ministry was powered by "mighty signs and wonders, by the power of the Spirit of God" (v. 19). Paul's boldness in writing that which he wrote is, likewise, powered by the Holy Spirit. It is not by coincidence that Paul links his boldness in writing to his preaching of the gospel in places where it had never before been preached (v. 20-21). Paul's epistle and the grace which he received work together for God's purposes.

In verse 23, Paul states that he has no more place in these parts. These parts consist of the region extending from Jerusalem to Illyricum (see v. 19). Paul's presence is no longer needed there because the people who were no people from Jerusalem to Illyricum had heard and received understanding (see v. 21).

Paul states his great longstanding desire to visit them (v. 23) and to be "brought on my way thitherward by you" (v. 24). Thitherward is Spain, Paul's destination after visiting Rome. Paul was moved by the Holy Spirit to ask believers in Rome assist in bringing the gospel to Spain.

Paul states that he must first go to Jerusalem to deliver a donation which will be used to meet the material needs of the saints there (v. 25-27). The Gentile believers in Macedonia and Achaia were moved to send a monetary gift which was designated to meeting a material need. Paul states that believers, once empowered by the Holy Spirit to offer up acceptable spiritual gifts, are also obligated to provide for the material needs of other believers.

The epistle to the Romans is for believers in every place and of every era. All believers are to assist in bringing the gospel to people who are no people such that they, too, may offer up that which is holy and acceptable. It is our reasonable service (Rom. 12:1).



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# Obituaries

### JERRY W. CHANDLER

Jerry W. Chandler, age 75, of Saint Albans, and Melbourne, FL, passed away peacefully on Friday, May 21, 2021 after a long illness.

He was born July 5, 1945 to Fleary C. "Butch" Chandler and Janice L. Hanson Chandler. His paternal grandparents were Alfred J. Chandler and Carrie I. Chandler. His maternal grandparents were Earl B. Hanson, Sr. and Kathleen Ritter Daugherty Hanson. Because he had trusted Jesus as his Savior, the family rests in knowing he is in Heaven with his mom, dad, and many other loved ones who have gone before him. What a beautiful reunion that must have been.

Jerry loved people. His family meant the world to him. He loved his many friends dearly. He enjoyed time spent at his camp in Bergoo, WV and his winter home in Melbourne, FL. He had a very charming personality and never met a stranger. Jerry was a husband, father, grandfather, great-grandfather and friend to many who loved him and he will be greatly missed.

Jerry grew up in Poca, and graduated from Poca High School in 1963. He proudly served his country in Vietnam from 1966-

1968 in the United States Army. He was retired from both the WV Laborers' Union Local 1353 and Jerry Chandler's Body Shop of Nitro.

Jerry is survived by his wife, Patricia Ann Amos Chandler. They were married October 11, 1993. He is also survived by his sister, Nancy H. Gunter (Keith); sister, Patricia A. "Patti" McClanahan (Roger); and brother, Richard L. "Dicky" Chandler (Sherry Wood). Jerry treasured his two sons, Rock Allen Chandler (Kim Long) and Casey Creed Chandler (Dawnna). He is survived by five grandchildren: Hunter Scott Chandler (Mychaela Boggess), Madison Elizabeth Chandler (Jake Willis), Sarah Michelle Chandler, Chloe Grace Chandler, Blake Allen Chandler and two great grandchildren, Harper Jade Chandler and Kinsley Grace Willis.

Celebration of Life service was Tuesday, May 25, 2021, at Chapman Funeral Home in Hurricane, with Pastor Delbert Hawley officiating. Internment was in Haven of Rest Memorial Gardens, Red House

Heaven on May 15, 2021 to be reunited with his mother (Jean), father (Walter) and loyal dog Murray.

Mike was a graduate of Nitro High School (1968) where he was a pitcher for the baseball team. He was a graduate of West Virginia State College (1972) where he was in ROTC and on the bowling team. He taught Art and English at Herbert Hoover High School and Saint Albans Junior and Senior High Schools for 37 years. Sensei Mike was a Seibukan Karate instructor for 45 years and was a 9th degree black belt.

He is survived by wife, Linda Gregory Clark; son, Christopher (Melanie); stepdaughter, Melanie Weaver (Jackson); grandchildren, Miles Clark, Arianna O'Neal, Chase, Kade and Laurel Weaver. He is also survived by cousins, Kenneth and Janet Clark; father and mother-in-law, Jack and Shirley Gregory and sister-in-law, Mary Whitehair (Larry).

Funeral service was Thursday, May 20, 2021 at Chapman Funeral Home, Hurricane. Burial was in Valley View Memorial Park, Hurricane.

**MICHAEL V. CLARK**  
Michael V. Clark, age 70, of Scott Depot, entered into

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### RUTH PAULINE WHITTINGTON

Ruth passed away at home with her loving daughters by her side on May 23rd, 2021.

She was born February 24, 1923 in Shelbyville, Indiana to Zella (Knouse) Anderson, and Hallard Anderson. Ruth was one of four children, and was predeceased by her sister Marietta, brother Cleo, and younger brother Gerald, who passed away in infancy. Ruth spent her childhood in Shelbyville and in her teens moved to Columbus Ohio with her mother. She worked for Curtiss-Wright during the war, then Ohio Bell as a telephone operator, then Timken Company where she met and married her husband of 40 years, Wilbur Clarke Whittington, who passed away in 1999.

Ruth was an independent and self-reliant woman, who was dedicated to her family and friends. She loved to read, do jigsaw puzzles, sudoku puzzles, and to take care of her yard. Though quiet and shy,

she didn't hesitate to speak her mind when she felt the need. Her quiet spirituality and resilience guided her through life's difficulties and triumphs. Ruth leaves behind, her daughters Alicia "Lisa" Devine (Kevin), and Sandra Lytle; Granddaughters: Amanda Bordage (Kevin), Bree Lytle (Renee Owdom) and Samantha Devine (Nate Pubentz); and her great-grandson Elliott Bordage, with another great-grandchild on the way. Ruth will be dearly missed by all who knew and loved her.

A graveside memorial service will be held at 1:00 P.M. on Tuesday, June 1, 2021, in the Whittington section of Tucker Cemetery in Grimms Landing, with a special reading led by cousin, Brent Null officiating. The funeral procession will leave Raynes Funeral Home, Buffalo at 12:30 P.M.

#### LEGAL ADVERTISEMENT

##### IN THE CIRCUIT COURT OF PUTNAM COUNTY, WEST VIRGINIA

In Re: Change of Name from Rose Fox Torreyson to Tyler Fox Torreyson  
LEGAL NOTICE OF PUBLICATION CHANGE OF NAME PROCEEDING  
Civil Action No. 21-P-49  
Circuit Court of Putnam County, West Virginia

Notice is hereby given that on the 24th day of June, 2021, at 11:30 a.m. on said day, or as soon thereafter as the matter may be heard, before the Honorable Judge Phillip Stowers, Melissa Hager will apply by Petition to the Circuit Court of Putnam County, West Virginia for the entry of an order by said Court, changing her child's name from Rose Fox Torreyson to Tyler Fox Torreyson, 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 19th day of May, 2021.  
William Mullins/sy  
Circuit Clerk

5-20-21

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## Qualified Newspapers

Only newspapers with a bonafide circulation are qualified to publish legal advertisements. A free distribution newspaper has a bonafide circulation of zero and does not meet state code requirements.

The Breeze is qualified to publish all legal advertisement pertaining to Putnam County.

#### 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.: 4522  
Estate Name: Claris Ann Baum Baer  
Executor: Jackson L. Ellis, Jr.  
86 Crestridge  
Scott Depot, WV  
25560

Estate No.: 4550  
Estate Name: Evelyn Euldean  
Craig  
Executor: David Craigo  
3909 Jim Ridge Road  
Given, WV 25245

Estate No.: 4502  
Estate Name: Alfred George Denkins, II  
Administratrix: Colleen M. Denkins  
342 Teays Valley Road  
Hurricane, WV 25526

Estate No.: 4669  
Estate Name: Sharon Alice Jackson  
Executor: Christopher C. Jackson  
110 Oakwood Estates  
Scott Depot, WV  
25560

Estate No.: 4681  
Estate Name: John Fredrick Leslie  
Administratrix: Beverly B. Leslie  
1118 Oak Bridge Drive  
Hurricane, WV 25526

Estate No.: 4595  
Estate Name: Sondra Lee Rice  
Administrator: Jeramy Rice  
340 Rhoda Street  
Hurricane, WV 25526

Estate No.: 4659  
Estate Name: Marsha Louise Stewart  
Administratrix: Phyllis Wilcox  
140 Washington Circle  
Hurricane, WV 25526

Estate No.: 4673  
Estate Name: Gary David Woodall  
Administratrix: Tammy J. Woodall  
2471 Main Street  
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 May 20, 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 be lawfully 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 May 20, 2021.

Subscribed and sworn to before me on the 14th day of May 2021

Subscribed and sworn to before me on the 29th day of April 2021.

Putnam County Commission  
10293 Winfield Road,  
Winfield, WV 25213

5-20-21

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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.: 4567  
Estate Name: Robert Lee Bowen  
Administratrix: Karen Sue Bowen  
2636 Virginia Avenue  
Hurricane, WV 25526

Estate No.: 4677  
Estate Name: Clifford Rodney Harper  
Executor: Ashley O. Harper  
576 Windwood Road  
Hurricane, WV 25526

Estate No.: 4687  
Estate Name: Larry Ransel Huffman  
Administratrix: Regina E. Huffman  
200 Berry Hills  
Winfield, WV 25213

Estate No.: 4603  
Estate Name: Frank Harold Leighty  
Executor: Kimberly A. Berlinski  
744 Fairmont Pike  
Wheeling, WV 26003

Estate No.: 4632  
Estate Name: John L. Patton  
Administratrix: Joyce Patton  
43 Burman Avenue  
Poca, WV 25159

Estate No.: 4609  
Estate Name: William J. Sentman  
Executor: Sarah L. Sentman  
141 Hidden Valley Estates  
Scott Depot, WV  
25560

Estate No.: 4676  
Estate Name: Lenvel Alvin ("Alven") Spencer, Sr.  
Executor: Joie Spencer  
P. O. Box 1271  
Eleanor, WV 25070

Estate No.: 4490  
Estate Name: Peggy A. Stotlar  
Administrator: Jason A. Stotlar  
87 Camelot Drive  
Red House, WV  
25168

Estate No.: 4601  
Estate Name: Terry David Wilson  
Administratrix: Rebekah Wilson Hoh  
19 Deer Valley Drive  
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 May 27, 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 be lawfully 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.

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Subscribed and sworn to before me on the 24th day of May 2021.

Putnam County Commission  
10293 Winfield Road,  
Winfield, WV 25213

5-27-21

#### LEGAL ADVERTISEMENT

##### ORDER OF PUBLICATION IN THE FAMILY COURT OF PUTNAM COUNTY, WEST VIRGINIA

Case No. 21-FIG-6

Demetria Mills v.

Curt Pettit

Leslie Lilly

##### 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 Curt Pettit, whose address is unknown is a party in the above matter and that a hearing was set on June 8, 2021 at 2:30 p.m. before Judge Witt, Family Court Judge, located at the Judicial Building, 12093 Winfield Road, Suite 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 17th day of May, 2021.  
WILLIAM MULLINS/cs  
CIRCUIT CLERK

5-20-21

#### LEGAL ADVERTISEMENT

##### ORDER OF PUBLICATION IN THE FAMILY COURT OF PUTNAM COUNTY, WEST VIRGINIA

Case No. 21-FIG-7

Elizabeth Kessell v.

Kristopher Johnson

Amber Lovejoy

##### 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 AMBER LOVEJOY, whose addresses are unknown is a party in the above matter and that a hearing was set on June 8, 2021 at 2:00 p.m. before Judge Witt, Family Court Judge, located at the Judicial Building, 12093 Winfield Road, Suite 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 May 12, 2021.  
WILLIAM MULLINS/dh  
CIRCUIT CLERK

5-20-21

#### LEGAL ADVERTISEMENT

##### Bid Notice

The City of Hurricane is accepting bids for material, labor and supervision of an automatic fire sprinkler protection system for an existing building (approximately 5,800 square feet) located in Hurricane, West Virginia. System must be equipped to protect first, second and attic levels.

Interested persons or firms must submit bid to Andy Skidmore, City Manager, City of Hurricane, 3255 Teays Valley Road, Hurricane, WV 25526 or via email at askidmore@hurricanewv.com no later than 3:00 pm on Monday, June 7, 2021 in order to receive consideration.

The City of Hurricane reserves the right to reject any and/or all proposals or parts of proposals. For further information, please contact Andy Skidmore, City Manager, City of Hurricane, 3255 Teays Valley Road, Hurricane, WV 25526 or by phone at 304.562.5896.

5-27-21

#### LEGAL ADVERTISEMENT

##### STATE OF WEST VIRGINIA DEPARTMENT OF ENVIRONMENTAL PROTECTION DIVISION OF WATER AND WASTE MANAGEMENT

##### PUBLIC NOTICE

WEST VIRGINIA DEPARTMENT OF ENVIRONMENTAL PROTECTION'S, PUBLIC INFORMATION OFFICE, 601 57TH STREET SE, CHARLESTON, WEST VIRGINIA 25304-2345 TELEPHONE: (304) 926-0440.

##### APPLICATION FOR A WEST VIRGINIA NATIONAL POLLUTANT DISCHARGE ELIMINATION SYSTEM WATER POLLUTION CONTROL PERMIT MODIFICATION

Public Notice No.: L-47-21 Public Notice Date: May 27, 2021

Paper: Hurricane Breeze

The following has applied for a WV NPDES Water Pollution Control Permit Modification for this facility or activity:

Appl. No.: WV0024503

Applicant: WINFIELD, CITY OF  
PO BOX 596  
WINFIELD, WV 25213

Location: WINFIELD, PUTNAM COUNTY

Latitude: 38:31:55 Longitude: 81:54:02

Receiving Stream: KANAWHA RIVER

Activity: To modify the existing WV/NPDES permit to incorporate language and limits concerning the land application of sewage sludge from the current wastewater treatment pond. Also, to incorporate the requirements relative to Title 33, Series 2 of the West Virginia Legislative Rules for the processing and disposal of sewage sludge generated by the wastewater treatment plant. Sewage sludge generated and/or processed at the permittee's facility shall be land applied, provided that the sewage sludge shall not be applied in a manner that exceeds the agronomic or lifetime loading rates. The land application sites meet all other regulatory standards and are identified as follows: Valdeacort Farm - Fields 1 and 2 at 15586 Winfield Road, Winfield, WV 25213.

Business conducted: Municipality

Implementation: N/A

On the basis of review of the application, the "Water Pollution Control Act (Chapter 22, Article 11-8(a))," and the "West Virginia Legislative Rules," the State of West Virginia will act on the above application.

Any interested person may submit written comments on the draft permit modification and may request a public hearing by addressing such to the Director of the Division of Water and Waste Management within 30 days of the date of the public notice. Such comments or requests should be addressed to:

Director, Division of Water and Waste Management, DEP  
ATTN: Lori Devereux, Permitting Section  
601 57th Street SE  
Charleston, WV 25304-2345

The public comment period begins May 27, 2021 and ends June 26, 2021.

Comments received within this period will be considered prior to acting on the permit modification application. Correspondence should include the name, address and the telephone number of the writer and a concise statement of the nature of the issues raised. The Director shall hold a public hearing whenever a finding is made, on the basis of requests, that there is a significant degree of public interest on issues relevant to the Draft Permit Modification(s). Interested persons may contact the public information office to obtain further information.

The application, draft permit modification and any required fact sheet may be inspected, by appointment, at the Division of Water and Waste Management Public Information Office, at 601 57th Street SE, Charleston, WV, between 8:00 a.m. and 4:00 p.m. on business days.

5-27-11

## NOTICE TO CUSTOMERS

Appalachian Power plans to maintain a portion of its power line rights of way in West Virginia through aerial application of registered herbicides. Weather permitting, the program will begin on or about June 1, 2021.

Questions about the program or information about sensitive areas near the power lines listed below, such as springs, wells, streams, lakes, ponds, orchards, crop areas, gardens, pastures, meadows, year-round dwellings, public recreation areas, and Christmas tree farms, may be directed to the company by calling toll-free 1-800-642-3622.

Right-of-way maintenance agreements between the company and landowners are available to those preferring to accept responsibility for clearing the right of way crossing their property in lieu of aerial herbicide applications. Such agreements provide for compensation equivalent to the cost of aerial herbicide maintenance, provided the work meets the company's specifications.

Landowners desiring to enter into right-of-way maintenance agreements with Appalachian Power should call the toll-free number above. Maps showing the location of rights of way to be maintained in their areas also are available for inspection.

Herbicides to be used have been extensively tested and are registered by the U.S. Environmental Protection Agency and the West Virginia Department of Agriculture. They are glyphosate, imazapyr, metsulfuron methyl, fosamine, triclopyr, aminocyclopyrachlor and aminopyralid. All applications are performed by certified applicators.

#### Rights of way involved in the program are:

##### PUTNAM COUNTY

**Amos-Baker 765 kV** – A transmission line, 58 miles long, on steel structures beginning at the Baker Station on Route 23 near Prichard, running northeast, passing the midpoints of Wayne, Culloden and Scott Depot and ending at the John Amos plant near Poca.

**Culloden Loop 765 kV** – A transmission line on steel structures beginning at a structure point off the Amos-Baker 765 kV line near the Culloden Station on James River Turnpike near Culloden, running to the Culloden Station and continuing onward and ending at the Amos-Baker 765 kV line near Charleys Creek Road in Culloden.

**Bancroft-Nitro 69 kV** – A transmission line on wood poles beginning at the Bancroft Station located on Route 817 south of Winfield, running south and passing the midpoint of Poca and ending at the Nitro Station off Route 52 in Nitro.

Complaints about possible damage resulting from herbicides may be made by contacting the company at the above toll-free number. Complaints may also be directed to the Department of Agriculture, Pesticide Regulatory Programs Unit, which may be contacted in Charleston at 304-558-2209.



An AEP Company

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 July 7, 2005, executed by Borrower, David W Woodall, to Dru A. Shope, the Trustee of record in the office of the Clerk of the County Commission of Putnam County, West Virginia, in Book 753, at Page 468. At the time of the execution of the Deed of Trust, this property was reported to have a mailing address of 106 A Kilgore Rd, Scott Depot, WV 25560. WV Trustee Services, LLC were appointed as Substitute Trustees by APPOINTMENT OF SUCCESSOR TRUSTEE dated February 3, 2020, of record in the Clerk's Office in Book 1235, Page 267. The borrower 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:

**14th day of June, 2021 at 10:30 a.m.**

The following described real estate:

PARCEL ONE; All that certain lot, tract or parcel of land, together with the improvements thereon and the appurtenances thereunto belonging, situate on Big Scary Creek, in Scott District, Putnam County, West Virginia, and being more particularly bounded and described as follows:

BEGINNING at a five-eighth (5/8th) inch iron pin on the east side of a small drain and 4.0 feet northeast of an 18 inch hickory tree and 4.0 feet southwest from the inlet end of a corrugated metal pipe culvert; thence by new lines severing lands of Thelma Roach Alexander up the said drain, S. 14° 46' 49" E. 254.12 feet to a five-eighth (5/8th) inch iron pin on the east side of said drain; thence crossing said drain, and up the hill, S. 71° 09' 00" W. 212.28 feet to a five-eighth (5/8th) inch iron pin at a 20 inch wild cherry tree; thence around the hill, N. 2° 19' 25" W. 257.99 feet to a five-eighth (5/8th) inch iron pin on a steep bank; thence down the hill N. 68° 54' 26" E. 157.05 feet to the place of beginning, and containing 1.207 acres, as shown upon that certain map or plat entitled, "Map Showing 1.207 Acre Tract Severed From Lands Owned: Thelma Roach Alexander, Widow, Deed Book 112, Page 509 Situate: South Of and Near Abutting Kilgore Road, Rte. 35/5, 0.2 mile +/-, West From Rock Step Road, Waters of Rock Step Creek, Scott District, Putnam County, West Virginia" dated June 18, 1987, made by Carl Kinder, Sr. L.L.S., which map is attached to that certain deed dated the 25th day of June, 1987, and of record in the Office of the Clerk of the County Commission of Putnam County, West Virginia, in Deed Book 304, Page 693, reference to which is hereby made for all pertinent purposes.

ALSO GRANTED AND CONVEYED, all right, title and interest, including right of survivorship, in and to that certain easement or right of way twenty (20) feet in width from the northernmost line of the hereinabove described 1.207 acre tract to the intersection of said twenty (20) foot right of way with the southern right of way limit of Kilgore Road, for the purpose of vehicular ingress, egress and regress to and from said 1.207 acre tract of land and the said Kilgore Road and for the further purpose of utility lines, the west or left line of which twenty (20) foot right of way is more particularly described as follows, to-wit:

Beginning at a three-eighth (3/8th) inch iron pin in the north line of the subject 1.207 acre tract, said point being further located as S. 68° 54' 26" W. 37.12 feet from the northeast corner thereof; thence with the west or left line of said twenty (20) foot right of way, N. 35° 32' 00" E., crossing a stream, 77.48 feet to a 3/8th inch iron pin, thence continuing N. 11° 16' 43" E. 149.83 feet to an existing iron pin, the southeast corner to property owned by Steven R. & Cindy L. Cook; thence with one line of the said Cook property, N. 13° 36' 00" E. 97.10 feet to its junction with the south right of way limit of Kilgore Road. It is the intent of the party of the first part to convey an easement or right of way twenty (20) feet in width to the party of the second part herein, as aforesaid, which twenty (20) foot easement or right of way shall be twenty (20) feet on the easterly side of the hereinabove described line, as said easement or right of way is shown upon the aforesaid map dated June 18, 1987, a copy of which is attached to that certain deed dated the 25th day of June, 1987, and of record in the aforesaid Clerk's Office in Deed Book 304, Page 693, reference to which is hereby made for all pertinent purposes. It is further the intent of the party of the first part herein that the dominant easement shall be the easement for vehicular traffic and that the easement herein granted for utility lines shall be subservient easement.

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a 3/4" pipe, said point being in the northwest corner of a 1 acre tract of land now or formerly owned by Noel Cook; thence running with the common division line of the property herein conveyed and the property of said Cook, S 39 19' E. 250.50 feet to an existing 1" pipe; thence leaving the division line of said Cook and severing the lands of Thelma Roach Alexander, S. 77 49' 47" W. 117.16 feet to an existing re-bar, said re-bar being in the southeasterly corner of the property presently owned by said Armstrong; thence running N. 14 46' 49" W. 254.12 feet to the place of beginning and estimated to contain 0.342 Acre, (14,8875 [sic] square feet), more or less, and being more particularly shown and described upon that certain map entitled, "MAP SHOWING 0.342 ACRE TRACT SEVERED FROM LANDS OWNED: THELMA ROACH ALEXANDER, WIDOW, DEED BOOK 112, PAGE 509, PARCEL 3RD. SITUATE: 325 FEET SOUTH FROM KILGORE ROAD AT 600 FEET FROM ROCK STEP RD. WATERS OF SCARY CREEK, TRIBUTARY OF KANAWHA RIVER, SCOTT DISTRICT, PUTNAM COUNTY, WEST VIRGINIA, SURVEYED FOR: RONALD G. ARMSTRONG AND MARTHA J. ARMSTRONG", survey and map prepared by Carl Kinder, Sr. L.L.S. No. 309, Date: July 12, 1989, a copy of said map is attached to that certain deed dated the 14th day of July, 1989, and of record in the Office of the Clerk of the County Commission of Putnam County, West Virginia, in Deed Book 319, Page 615, reference to which is hereby made for all pertinent purposes.

ALSO GRANTED AND CONVEYED, all right, title and interest, including the right of survivorship, in and to that certain easement or right of way twenty (20) feet in width, for the purpose of ingress and egress to and from the subject property to and from Kilgore Road.

All coal, oil, gas and other minerals rights have been reserved in prior deeds in the chain of title.

This conveyance is subject to any and all restrictions, reservations, covenants, conditions and exceptions of record in prior deeds in the chain of title and as more particularly set forth in that certain deed dated the 14th day of July, 1989, and of record in the aforesaid Clerk's Office in Deed Book 319, at Page 615.

Being the same property conveyed to David W Woodall by the Deed dated June 18, 1999 and recorded in Deed Book 402 at Page 809 in the Office of the Clerk of the County Commission of Putnam County, West Virginia.

**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.

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**ORDER OF PUBLICATION IN THE FAMILY COURT OF PUTNAM COUNTY, WEST VIRGINIA**  
 Case No. 21-FIG-7  
**Elizabeth Kessel**  
 v.  
**Kristopher Johnson**  
**Amber Lovejoy**

**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 **AMBER LOVEJOY**, whose addresses are unknown is a party in the above matter and that a hearing was set on **June 8, 2021** at 2:00 p.m. before Judge Witt, Family Court Judge, located at the Judicial Building, 12093 Winfield Road, Suite 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 May 12, 2021.  
 WILLIAM MULLINS/dh  
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 5-20-2t

**Submissions**  
 Submissions may be emailed to: [hurricanebreeze@citynet.net](mailto:hurricanebreeze@citynet.net) or mailed to: Hurricane Breeze, PO Box 310, Hurricane, WV 25526

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**NOTICE OF TRUSTEE'S SALE**  
 Notice is hereby given that by virtue of the authority under that certain deed of trust executed by Shirley Raye Kelley, to Samme L. Gee and Lew G. Tyree, Trustee dated March 30, 2005, and recorded in the office of the Clerk of the County Commission of Putnam County, West Virginia, in Trust Deed Book 740, at page 1, by which was conveyed to said Trustee(s) the hereinafter described real estate to secure the payment of a certain promissory note set out and described therein, and default having been made in the payment of said note, the undersigned Substitute Trustee(s) having been appointed Substitute Trustee by an Appointment of Substitute Trustee dated April 6, 2021, and having been requested in writing by the holder of said note, will sell to the highest and best bidder on June 2, 2021 at 1:45 p.m., at the front door of the courthouse of Putnam County, West Virginia, the real estate conveyed by said deed of trust and situate in Hurricane Town District, Putnam County, West Virginia, together with easements, improvements and appurtenances thereunto belonging, and at the time of the signing of the Deed of Trust it was reported that the address was 2839 Washington Avenue, Hurricane, WV 25526 and being more particularly bounded and described therein as follows:

All that certain lot or parcel of land, together with the improvements thereon and the appurtenances thereunto belonging, situate in the Town of Hurricane, Putnam County, West Virginia, and being all of Lot Number Five (5) of Harbourland Estates, as shown upon a map thereof, dated July 22, 1966, made by D. T. Taylor, R.P.E. 2714, of record in the Office of the Clerk of the County Commission of Putnam County, West Virginia, in Deed Book 161, at page 320.

Being the same property conveyed to Shirley Raye Kelley by deed dated March 30, 2005, from Iva N. Broyles, of record in the aforesaid Clerk's Office, in Deed Book 455, at page 27.

This sale is made subject to any special assessments, unpaid taxes, easements, conditions, reservations and restrictions affecting the aforesaid real estate.

The property will be conveyed in an "AS IS" condition by Deed containing no warranty, express or implied, subject to 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.

Pursuant to the terms of said deed of trust, the Substitute Trustee(s) may postpone the sale by public announcement at the time and place designated for the sale. The West Virginia Housing Development Fund or its designee may purchase the property at any sale.

The Substitute Trustees 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.

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

**DATED** this 28th day of April, 2021.

Pill & Pill, PLLC, Substitute Trustee  
 BY: Richard A. Pill, Member  
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 foreclosures@pillwvlaw.com  
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**NOTICE OF TRUSTEE'S SALE**  
 Notice is hereby given that by virtue of the authority under that certain deed of trust executed by Trudy Lynn McNeal, to Samme L. Gee and Lew G. Tyree, Trustees dated , and recorded in the office of the Clerk of the County Commission of Putnam County, West Virginia, in Trust Deed Book 743, at page 398, by which was conveyed to said Trustee(s) the hereinafter described real estate to secure the payment of a certain promissory note set out and described therein, and default having been made in the payment of said note, the undersigned Substitute Trustee(s) having been appointed Substitute Trustee by an Appointment of Substitute Trustee dated April 6, 2021, and having been requested in writing by the holder of said note, will sell to the highest and best bidder on June 2, 2021 at 1:48 p.m., at the front door of the courthouse of Putnam County, West Virginia, the real estate conveyed by said deed of trust and situate in Curry District, Putnam County, West Virginia, together with easements, improvements and appurtenances thereunto belonging, and at the time of the signing of the Deed of Trust it was reported that the address was 56 Crandall Drive, Culloden, WV 25510 and being more particularly bounded and described therein as follows:

All that certain tract or parcel of land, together with the improvements thereon and the appurtenances thereunto belonging, situate in Curry Tax District, Putnam County, West Virginia, and being all of Lot No. 56 as shown on a map or plat entitled "Map showing Lots 30 through 58, Home Builders Estates in the Town of Culloden, Curry District, West Virginia, April 12, 1971, Scale 1" = 50'", made by N. L. Rose, Reg Prof. Engineer, Nitro, West Virginia, a copy of which is duly of record in the Office of the Clerk of the County Commission of Putnam County, West Virginia, in Map Book 4, at page 122.

This sale is made subject to any special assessments, unpaid taxes, easements, conditions, reservations and restrictions affecting the aforesaid real estate.

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

**DATED** this 3rd day of May, 2021.

Pill & Pill, PLLC, Substitute Trustee  
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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 September 18, 2019, executed by Borrower(s), Deanna L Taylor, to Teays Valley Trustees, LLC, the Trustee of record in the office of the Clerk of the County Commission of Putnam County, West Virginia, in Book 1223, at Page 770. At the time of the execution of the Deed of Trust, this property was reported to have a mailing address of 3515 35th Street, Nitro, WV 25143. WV Trustee Services, LLC were appointed as Substitute Trustees by APPOINTMENT OF SUCCESSOR TRUSTEE. 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 Charleston, West Virginia, on the following date:

**14th day of June, 2021 at 10:15 a.m.**

All that certain lot, tract or parcel of land, together with the improvements thereon and the appurtenances thereunto belonging, situate in the City of Nitro, Nitro Town District, Putnam County, West Virginia, known and designated as Lot No. 3515 in Area "S" of the Nitro Reservation and 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 Explosives Plant C, and indicated by co-ordinate parallels as follows:

Beginning at a point on the North street line of 35th Street, common corner of Lots 3513 and 3515, co-ordinate location N. 70 plus 4.36 and E. 41 plus 24.93 and running thence in an easterly direction along the 35th Street line for a distance of fifty (50) feet, common corner to Lots 3515 and 3517; thence ninety degrees to the left for a distance of sixty-five (65) feet, a common corner to Lots 3515, 3517, 3616 and 3618; thence ninety degrees to the left for a distance of fifty (50) feet common corner to lots 3513, 3515, 3614 and 3616; thence ninety degrees to the left for a distance of sixty-five (65) feet to the point of beginning, embracing an area of eight hundredths (0.08) acre, more or less.

Being the same property conveyed to Deanna L Taylor by the Deed dated September 18, 2019 and recorded in Deed Book 591 at Page 190 in the Office of the Clerk of the County Commission of Putnam County, West Virginia.

**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.
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- 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.
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**ORDER OF PUBLICATION IN THE FAMILY COURT OF PUTNAM COUNTY, WEST VIRGINIA**  
 Case No. 21-FIG-6  
**Demetria Mills**  
 v.  
**Curt Pettit**  
**Leslie Lilly**

**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 **Curt Pettit**, whose address is unknown is a party in the above matter and that a hearing was set on **June 8, 2021** at 2:30 p.m. before Judge Witt, Family Court Judge, located at the Judicial Building, 12093 Winfield Road, Suite 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 17th day of May, 2021.  
 WILLIAM MULLINS/cs  
 CIRCUIT CLERK  
 5-20-2t

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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](http://www.wvencyclopedia.org).

**May 27, 1912:** Legendary golfer Sam Snead was born at Ashwood, Virginia. When The Greenbrier reopened as a resort after World War II, Snead returned as the golf pro.

**May 27, 1922:** Labor leader Bill Blizard was acquitted of treason charges. He was charged following the Battle of Blair Mountain in 1921.

**May 28, 1863:** Arthur Boreman was elected as the first governor of the new state of West Virginia.

**May 28, 1938:** Basketball player Jerry West was born on Cabin Creek, Kanawha County. West led East Bank High School to the state basketball championship in 1956 and then rewrote the record book at West Virginia University.

**May 28, 1998:** The Robert C. Byrd United States Courthouse in downtown Charleston was dedicated. The 440,000-square-foot building incorporated Neoclassic, Egyptian, and Art Deco designs.

**May 29, 1778:** Dick Pointer, a slave, helped save about 60 settlers who were attacked by Indians at Fort Donnally near Lewisburg.

**May 29, 1961:** Elderson

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**FOR SALE**  
 2006 Chevy Impala  
 Bids will be accepted for a 2006 Chevy Impala, 148,702 Miles, White, Fair Condition. Available for inspection at Buffalo Town Hall during normal business hours. Bid envelope must be sealed. Please label outside of envelope "SEALED BID". Bids will be accepted until 06/04/2021 and will be opened and read during the Council meeting on 06/07/2021. The Town of Buffalo reserves the right to reject any and all bids. The vehicle is being sold "as is and where is" with no guarantees. Mail to PO BOX 307, Buffalo, WV 25033, or drop off at town hall during regular business hours. The Town of Buffalo is not responsible for any undelivered bids and will only consider those in our possession prior to the bid deadline.

Please call 304-937-2041 or email [townofbuffalo@frontier.com](mailto:townofbuffalo@frontier.com) for questions.  
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Muncie in McDowell County received the first food stamps in the nation. After observing malnutrition and poverty during his campaign, President John Kennedy directed the government to establish a pilot food stamp program.

**May 30, 1940:** Smoke Hole Caverns in Grant County opened for tours. The cave is beautifully decorated with stalactites hanging in rows along the ceiling; the main room is called the "Room of a Million Stalactites."

**June 1, 1880:** The bare-knuckle prize fight for the championship of the world was held in the Brooke County town of Colliers, between defending champion Joe Goss and challenger Paddy Ryan. Boxing was illegal in every state, and matches were often held in railroad villages to



**BUTCH BROWNING**  
516 Hamon Drive  
Scott Depot  
68th Birthday May 22

**PARTICK RAMSEY**  
Ravenswood  
74th Birthday May 12

**DIANA FAULKNER JARRETT**  
Hurricane  
61st Birthday May 27

**DICKIE DRURY, SR.**  
St. Albans  
Birthday May 27

**EATHAN GENE HEDRICK**  
2503 Cow Creek Road  
Hurricane  
17th Birthday May 27

**JAKE BOCK**  
120 Teays Meadows  
Scott Depot  
17th Birthday May 27

**JERRY HODGES**  
135 Moorefield Place  
Scott Depot  
64th Birthday May 27

**KATIE LYNN FRAZIER**  
Frazier's Bottom  
7th Birthday May 27

**MARGIE ALFORD MITCHELL**  
150 Cline Avenue  
Hurricane  
74th Birthday May 28

**THOMAS A ROBINSON**  
P.O. Box 328  
Hamlin  
72nd Birthday May 28

**CARL CALDWELL**  
Buff Creek  
Hurricane  
73rd Birthday May 28

**DONNA LEWIS**  
Route 2, Box 131  
Milton  
75th Birthday May 28

**DARRELL GIBSON**  
Foster Road  
Hurricane  
Birthday May 28

**RACHEL HEDRICK**  
105 Gene Drive  
Frazier's Bottom  
24th Birthday May 28

**JENNA KAY GETER**  
803 Washington Hill  
Road  
Hurricane  
12th Birthday May 28

**BYRDIE BRUNTON**  
Putnam Nursing Home  
Hurricane  
97th Birthday May 28

**JOSEPH SWAIN**  
P.O. Box 183  
Culloden  
Birthday May 28

**SANDRA CHAPMAN**  
103 Thoroughbred Way  
Milton  
74th Birthday May 28

**KELLI CLAGG**  
2345 Kilgore Creek  
Road  
Milton  
53rd Birthday May 29

**DARRELL YOUNG**  
305 Merrywood Lane  
Hurricane  
75th Birthday May 29

**BARBARA GREGORY KARASTURY**  
Rumer Station  
Red House  
68th Birthday May 29

**SHARON ALYCE CRUM SMITH**  
Huntington  
Birthday May 29

**DIANNA LYNN CHANEY-GLOVER**  
Hurricane  
50th Birthday May 29

**JACK RUNION**  
Hurricane  
Birthday May 29

**CATHY FRAZIER AKERS**  
Frazier's Bottom  
Birthday May 29

**REV MIKE LACY**

1670 Holderby Road  
Huntington  
67th Birthday May 30

**CHERYL ORD**  
109 Carriage Way  
Nitro  
72nd Birthday May 30

**DENISE ERWIN**  
2449 Hurricane Creek  
Road  
Hurricane  
Birthday May 30

**JUSTIN HINKLE**  
Charleston  
Birthday May 30

**TRENTON SPEARS**  
Route 1, Box 128-A  
Milton  
25th Birthday May 30

**REANNA DEVORE**  
Route 2, Box 329-A  
Ona  
Birthday May 30

**LUCY VOORHEES JONES**  
Chaska, Minnesota  
73rd Birthday May 30

**REV EVERETT BAILEY**  
Culloden  
Birthday May 30

**DANIEL SAUNDERS**  
4357 5&20 Mile Road  
Frazier's Bottom  
Birthday May 30

**MEAGAN MATTESON**  
Virginia  
28th Birthday May 31

**CHRISTOPHER TYLER CASTO**  
Bancroft  
24th Birthday May 31

**KIM WINTERS**  
Charleston  
68th Birthday May 31

**KEVIN LONG**  
Columbus, Ohio  
60th Birthday May 31

**DOUG PATE**  
865 Valley Pine Drive  
St. Albans  
51st Birthday May 31

**ROBERT "ROB" CLAGG**  
Diamond Drive  
Hurricane  
50th Birthday May 31

**ELOISE ROLLINS**  
2045 Whitten Ridge  
Road  
Milton  
78th Birthday June 1

**WILLIAM (BILL) DOYLE**  
305 Country Oaks Drive  
Nitro  
79th Birthday June 1

**ROSEMARY SPENCE**  
Box 35 Bias Fork Road  
West Hamlin  
72nd Birthday June 1

**NANCY ERWIN**  
1415 U S North  
Pliny  
82nd Birthday June 1

**LINDA TONEY**  
2255 Lincoln Avenue  
Nitro  
70th Birthday June 1

**REV EVERETT BAILEY**  
1050 White Street  
Culloden  
72nd Birthday June 1

**BILLY JOE DAY**  
5654 Glen Carla Drive  
Huntington  
86th Birthday June 2

**BUDDY FRANKLIN**  
Spanish Fort, Alabama  
67th Birthday June 2

**NORMAN RYDER**  
2203 Circle Drive  
Milton  
Birthday June 2

**RAYMOND JAYNES**  
Nitro  
91st Birthday June 2

### Faith Missionary Baptist 54th Anniversary

Faith Missionary Baptist Church held its first service on June 4, 1967. Later that summer they called Rev. John Hoskins to serve as their first pastor. He served until his death 35 years later. The church is celebrating its 54th anniversary on Sunday June 6 at the 11:00 AM service. The preacher for the day will be Dr. Dan Anderson, president of Appalachian Bible College near Beckley, who has served in that capacity since 1983. While the college has made tremendous progress on many fronts under his presidency, it is his passion for the cause of Christ as exemplified in his servant/leadership that has characterized his ministry. He has been a mentor and friend who has encouraged many in the service of the Lord Jesus Christ.

The Faith Missionary Baptist Church is located at 701 West MacCorkle Avenue one mile west of Winfield Rd. near St. Albans. FMBC is an independent, fundamental Bible believing church.

For more information

### Happy Anniversary

Chris and Robin Hardwick of Huntington will celebrate their fifteenth wedding anniversary on May 27.

David and Theresa Cornell of Route 2, Box 120-A in Milton will celebrate their wedding anniversary on May 28.

Joseph Ty and Tara LeeAnne Mullins Chapman of 6106 Downfield Wood Drive in Charlotte, North Carolina, will celebrate their seventeenth wedding anniversary on May 28.

Rev. Michael and Deanna Lacy of 1670 Holderby Road in Huntington will celebrate their twenty-eighth wedding anniversary on May 29.

Rev. John and Traci Brown Smith of 207 White Pine Road in Pliny will celebrate their twenty-eighth wedding anniversary on May 29.

Roger and Mona Erwin of 5538 Hurricane Creek Road in Hurricane will celebrate their fifty-first wedding anniversary on May 30.

Martin and Barbara (Bobbi) Gibson of 1983 Poindexter Road in Hurricane will celebrate their forty-first wedding anniversary on May 30.

Gary and Gayle Marker Berry of 2418 Violet Street in Hurricane will celebrate their fifty-second wedding anniversary on May 30.

Kledith and Geraldine Chapman of 1804 Poindexter Road in Hurricane will celebrate their sixty-fifth wedding anniversary on May 31.

Larry and Mitzi Riddle of Candler, North Carolina, will celebrate their forty-sixth wedding anniversary on May 31.

Johnny and Angie Hodges of 5078 Evergreen

### Putnam County Monthly Roundup Putnam County Convention and Visitors Bureau

**RACES AND RUNNING IN PUTNAM, WV!**  
Putnam County is home to over 30 miles of hiking, biking, trail running and racing trails! Lace up for the Old Glory Trail Race - or any of the upcoming trail races the Hurricane Trail Racing, Inc. is hosting in 2021! Details can be found at <https://runsignup.com/Race/WV/Hurricane/GloWormSlitherNightRaceTheSeries>

Join Battle Run Events for their May Fitness Games competition at their new venue in Scott Depot! Find the details for that event and more by going to <https://www.facebook.com/BattleRunObstacleRace>

### WINFIELD WATERSPORTS WEEKEND

The first annual Winfield Watersports Weekend is set to take place on Saturday, June 12 with a kayak, bass

about the church, please call Pastor Mike Hager at 304-727-9491. You may also find more information at [www.fmbcww.org](http://www.fmbcww.org)

All of our Sunday services are livestreamed.

fishing tournament to follow in Sunday, June 13! Gear up for this summer on the water with safety demonstrations and basics, enjoy wakeboard and waterski exhibitions, novice paddle races and beginner stand up paddle lessons and tubing!

Find all the information at <https://winfieldwatersportsweekend.weebly.com>

### WINE AND DINE IN PUTNAM

Weekends in Putnam County are for dinner and drinks...and of course, brunch!

We've heard that the Hurricane Hash from Bridge Cafe & Bistro is the breakfast meal of the century...have you tried it? Our friends at FireSide Grille have created quite a buzz surrounding their fried deviled eggs. Top it off with the best, most sought-after craft beers in West Virginia from The Pallet and you will leave feeling satisfied after a day in Putnam County!

Find our full dining and drink guide at <https://www.visitputnamwv.com/food-drink>

### TRAIL OF THE WEEK

This week's featured trail in Putnam County is the Mary Ingles Trail in Winfield. Mary Ingles Trail is a 11.3 mile lightly trafficked out and back trail that features beautiful wild flowers and is rated as moderate. The trail is primarily used for hiking, walking, and nature trips and is best used from March until November. Find this trail, and others, at <https://www.visitputnamwv.com/places/united-states/west-virginia/winfield/mary-ingles-trail>

### COMING UP: POOL SEASON!

Waves of Fun opens for the 2021 season on Saturday, May 29! Located at Valley Park in Hurricane, the area's largest wave pool and waterpark is gearing up for a fun summer with new daily programming. Find details and more at <https://www.facebook.com/wavesoffunwv>

### 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 Thelma and Louise! (ID #44797 and #44798) Thelma and Louise are two female guinea pigs both about a year old. Their adoption fee is \$10.00 each and do come with some accessories. Please bring a carrier if you plan to adopt.



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