

Officials Pave the Way for Corridor H Funding

Gov. Justice Approves **Award of Corridor H Project**

Gov. Jim Justice and leaders from the West nector to the WV Route 72 Interchange in the remaining phases of the Corridor H en-Virginia Department of Transportation today announced that the contract for additional work upgrading Corridor H, through the governor s Roads to Prosperity program, has been awarded to Kokosing Construction Company.

A low bid of \$175.6 million has been awarded for this project, which marks the second out of five phases of work that will be done to enhance Corridor H from Kerens to Parsons in eastern West Virginia. The scope of work for this project includes designing, grading, and draining approximately 4.13 miles, which will eventually become new, partially controlled access roadway from the US Route 219 Con-

Tucker County.

This project also includes the construction of three large sets of bridges crossing Goodwin Road, Smokey Hollow and WV Route 72.

Additionally, the scope of work includes the Bridge. building of a pedestrian bridge to accommodate Shingle Tree Trail within Monongahela State Forest.

Kokosing Construction Company also completed the first phase of the Corridor H enhancement work, which graded and drained another 7.5 miles between Kerens and Parsons with a connector to US Route 219.

Once the second phase of work is complete

hancement project will include paving from Kerens to the WV Route 72 Interchange, completion of the WV Route 72 Interchange to Parsons, and completion of the Cheat River

The Robert C. Byrd Corridor H Highway Authority applauds the announcement by Governor Jim Justice that another 4.13 miles of Corridor H construction has been awarded.

We would like to thank Governor Jim Justice, Secretary of Transportation Byrd White, and Commissioner of Highways Jimmy Wriston for continuing to make the completion of

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Manchin, Capito **Announce Major Funding for Corridor H**

U.S. Senator Joe Manchin (D- more than 50 years ago in West WV), member of the Senate Ap- Virginia and it s still not complete. propriations Committee, and U.S. Senator Shelley Moore Capito (R- ity for me as a Governor and now WV) announced \$100 million for as a Senator and I have been fightthe West Virginia Department of ing for the funding West Virginia Transportation to complete Corneeds to finally complete Corridor

Corridor H was designated

Corridor H has been a top prior-H and I m proud to announce \$100 Continued on page 5

Family at **Brighton Park**

By Jean A. Flanagan Moorefield Examiner

Its a day when families can relax, enjoy their children, and not have to worry about cost, said Joanna Kuhn, executive director of the Eastern Regional Fam-Resource



Network, talking about the Celebrate The Family event scheduled for Saturday, June 8.

It s always the second Saturday in June, so people can plan ahead to be there.

A collaboration between the Hardy County and Grant County Family Issues Task Force, Celebrate The Family gets underway at 10 a.m. at Brighton Park. The day is just what it says - an opportunity to celebrate the family, with games, food, door prizes and lots of information.

"Even the door prizes are geared to families being together and doing things together, Kuhn said. There may be something like a movie and a meal, which allows families eat out together.

This year the Colgate Bus will be on hand to provide free dental screenings, which will satisfy the Hardy County Schools requirement for a dental checkup.

The event has a multitude of partners and sponsors, all of whom donate goods or services to the day.

The primary funding comes from a grant from the Hardy County Community Foundation. State funding through Partners In Prevention helps as well. We have generous donors who support us every year, Kuhn said.

Sheetz is supplying the hot dogs. Shop-N-Save Express in Peters-

Celebrate the | American Woodmark Dream Team **Builds Playground for Baker Child**

By Jackie Barnett Special to Examiner

On Saturday May 18, the Make-A-Wish Dream Team from American Woodmark went to Isaac Ludwigs house in in Baker. Isaacs wish was to have a playground. Well, the team went a little beyond

Jeff Bauserman from Grilling Times came and catered the event for free. He supplied everyone with hot dogs with chili and cheese, French fries, and drinks. He also had funnel cakes and deep fried Oreos for the afternoon snack. Jeff not only went beyond with the food, but Isaac is allergic to gluten so Jeff bought a funnel cake mix that was gluten free just for Isaac.

A&S from Petersburg was so gracious to help support us as well. They were so kind to donate a porta-potty for the event so there would not be any traffic in the home for there were many people at the event.

Spiderman came to visit and brought Isaac a Spiderman action figure. Also, Eric Vidischak and John Mongold, owners of Jak s RC presented Isaac a remote control car along with a card that gives him free parts/repairs to the car. It was truly an amazing day!

It is one thing to financially support a child and grant their wish. But to actually be there to grant and perform the wish as the dream team did, building the playground while spending time with the family, was just as meaningful to us as American Woodmark, South Branch



Above: The Dream Team with the Ludwig family at right.

Right: Isaac takes his first slide on his new sliding board.

Volunteers for the Dream Team include John and Alyssa Mongold, Sandi Armentrout, Sarah Armentrout, Jeremy Dibeneditto, Paul Ours, Erin Hardy. Thanh and Deanna Berg, Adreanna Berg, Jason "Loaf" Wilt, Brad Wilt, Emily Stark and Teddy Ludwig.

Watching Isaac slide down his new sliding board with a grin from ear to ear was the greatest feeling

Jackie Barnett is Captain of the





OPINION

D-Day 1944

In the June 14 issue of the Moorefield Examiner, the following editorial by Katherine McCoy Fisher was published. We reprint it to remind you what the feelings were of Americans as the war continued in Europe and Japan.

D-Day has come. The day which has been held in the hearts of American people for months. The day of THE DATE which will be one of the most tremendous days in history. And the great impression of those of us at home is of the quiet prayerfulness with which it was greeted.

When word reached us of the great concentration ad. Described the mule, listed its of planes, ships and men which was pouring all the strength of the Allied nations on the coast of Normandy, we held our breath and prayed for the safety of loved ones.

General Eisenhower spoke to his men of a "crusade" and deep in hearts was the hope that such a crusade need not be undertaken a second time in the lives of those of us who have already lived through two crusades.

It is very encouraging to read and hear that the invasion or liberation is progressing even better than the commanders had hoped, but Americans must hold on to their enthusiasm.

Be prepared for losses (even losses lighter than expected means losses). Do not expect Fortress Europe to crumble overnight. Settle down to the long hard tasks still ahead of us. Even the defeat of Germany, when it comes, will not bring the end of our war.

Faith and courage and hope are still the heritage of Americans, and there must be no slacking of our Allout War.

Vote June 11

On Tuesday, June 11, Moorefield registered voters will have the opportunity to elect three members of the City Council and a recorder.

Town elections don't generally elicit large numbers of voters. That's sad, because these are the elected officials who have a fairly significant impact on your life in Moorefield. They oversee your parks, maintain your water, trash and sewer, hire your police officers, and keep the street lights on at night.

They pass laws affecting your properties, your houses, your taxes and your wellbeing.

Think about it: we have a mayor, a recorder and five members of council who are responsible for all these things.

Next Tuesday, you have the opportunity to vote for three council members out of a list of six. The recorder, also up for election, is unopposed but you need to vote for her so she knows she s appreciated.

The polling place is located at Inskeep Hall on Win- 85, Baker, died May 30 Betty chester Avenue and will be open from 6:30 a.m. until 7:30

You will need one form of a valid identifying document. This can be your voter registration card, Medicare or Medicaid card, Social Security card, birth certificate or even a bank card. Photo ID can be provided with a driver s license, passport, military ID or student ID card.

If you don t have any of these, you may be vouched for by someone who has known you for at least 6 months or by a poll worker who has known you.

What we re saying is you have 13 hours to stop by the Town Hall and take five minutes to vote. It's a pretty easy process and you really have no excuse not to show up and be a good citizen.

Please vote on Tuesday, June 11.

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MY UNBASED OPINION

By David O. Heishman

Mule still worked, but it was nearing end of its useful life. Time to be thinking about a new, younger beast of burden to help maintain

Farmer advertised. Mule wanted. Listed qualities and abilities he d pay for. Gave a price range he d meet.

Another farmer answered the attributes plus a bonus. Prospective seller claimed mule worked perfectly by voice commend. Never a need to use lines on it. Get up Gee, Haw and Whoa were all that was needed. No physical reinforcement necessary.

Mule s wonderful extra talent made its asking price outside buying farmer's price range. But, that talent meant no reins hanging about farmer's sweaty neck while he plowed. No need to even bridle

A bit crippled, lame and decrepit. whenever mule stopped work to ing farmer, explained the probeat.

> a money back guarantee. If mule didn t perform as advertised, seller would take it back, refund all the money plus extra for the buying farmer s trouble.

Buyer Decided to move up in the world a little with such a valuable mule and agreed to the price. Loaded mule, hauled it home, unloaded and led it to a stall. Next morning, wanting to work his fields, farmer led new mule out and harnessed it to a cultivator.

Get up, mule move. Lazy eyes, floppy ears, looked around at farmer, but never moved. Again, Get Up mule . No reaction. Thinking mule might be used to hard language, Farmer tried Get The Hell Up mule. Didn t even bother to switch its tail.

Farmer headed for the house

A farmer had a mule. Old mule. Mo need to remove the bit and his telephone. Rang up sell- vertised as manufacturer for the lem. Seller said he d be right over Seller sweetened the deal with to straighten everything out. He got there and asked buyer to demonstrate the problem. Get up, mule. Mule didn t move.

> Ah, yes said the seller. Something I did neglect to tell you. With that, seller picked up a broken board from the barnyard fence, walked up behind mule, smacked it across the ass, said Get Up, mule and the mule moved out smartly. Worked first rows perfectly, answering every command.

New owner stopped at rows Mule didn t end near the barn to voice his approval of how well mule handled. But he said. I thought you said no physical reinforcement of voice commands was necessary. hell follow commands perfectly, but occasionally you ll need to get his attention first."

Think of China's economy, ad-

world. Its trade practices good for China at Western worlds expense. Xi Jinping, China s boss, has trained his economy to answer to his voice commands and operate as he desires.

Leaders of western countries have tried to work with China's economy. Import/export imbalances in China's favor have resulted. No action on part of its leader, when requested, has resulted. Now President Trump is swinging the tariff board. Will it get Xi s atten-

Mexico s leadership stands in the way of controlling immigration from South American Countries.. Lip service galore has had no measurable effect on slowing the flow of border crossers. Perhaps Mr. Trumps new tariffs on Mexican goods will be the board across the Mexican government s ass that slows the flow.

GLANCING BACKWARD

From the Moorefield Examiner Archives

Fifteen Years Ago June 9, 2004

A small group of residents of Lower Cove came before the County Commission to protest the construction of Dam 16 in the Lost River Watershed Commissioners also heard a report from Charles Silliman on efforts by Homeland Security to establish Emergency Response Teams.

Hardy County had reported inchworm defoliation to the WV Department of Agriculture.

Moorefield's Council approved a sewer rate increase.

The County Planning Commission was to hold two public workshops on the proposed comprehensive zoning ordinance and land

Connie Fansler was crowned Miss East Hardy. Ronald Hatcher III was crowned Mr. East Hardy.

Patti Bean, Olene Bean and Ann Masalewski had opened New and Jsed Treasures Too in Bean Settle

Virginia McCabe Western, 74, Petersburg, died May 31 Helen Mary Hartman, 78, died May 31 in St. Augustine, FL.,, Martha Chenoweth Van Meter, 76, Petersburg, died June 2 Mary Bell Mongold, Haut Heidelmeier, 64, Lost River,

Angie Davis and Andrew S. Long were married May 29 Mary Ann McDonald and Roger Heishman were married May 29.

Born to Mr. and Mrs. Wayne Simms, a daughter, Almalee Rose to Mr. and Mrs. and Mrs. Ricky Llewellyn, a son, Caden Roy to Teresa VanMeter and Timothy Myers, a son, Timothy

MHS girls brought home the State Runner-up title in softball after defeating Hamlin 6-1 and 6-4 and losing to Buffalo 5-3 three East Hardy athletes, Adam Foltz, Alex Foltz and Justin Hackworth, and Tyler Sherman, MHS, received All State Recognition.

Thirty Years Ago June 7, 1989

Rockingham Poultry was constructing a \$1.3 million frozen and cooling product storage area. It Sixty Years Ago

was scheduled for August comple- June 10, 1959

Mrs. Phillapa Eby Grover presented the deed to the Bowen House to the Hardy County Historical Society.

Parents asked the Board of Education to continue half day kindergarten rather than the two-day, three-day split citing continuity. The Board was asked if the parents could raise money to continue the program and were told the State Board would have to rule on that.

Lena Saville Peters, 98, Petersburg, died May 27 Larry Blaine Mongold, 53, died May 31 May 27 from burns received in an accident at VEPCO...Wilma Whetzel Gaston, 74, Mathias, died May 31...Dennis E. Keplinger, 22, died June 4 from injuries received

in an automobile accident. Born to Mr. and Mrs. Mark Lipscomb, a daughter to Mr. and June 2. Mrs. Andy Credeur, a daughter, Alexandria Prein to Mr. and Mrs. Lee to Mr. and Mrs. David Miller, a son, Cody David.

Forty-five Years Ago June 5, 1974

The Public Service Commission ordered General Telephone to refund a substantial portion of the rates put under bond in 1972.

Mitchell C. Boswell graduated from the U.S. Naval Academy.

The Mathias Land Judging Team of Raymond Wilkins, Lareth May, Bill Miller and Ken Fawley won the Eastern District contest with 12 teams competing.

Sara Bergdoll and Donna Funk were to attend Rhododendron Girls State.

Jackson J. C. Nesselrodt, 65, Bergton, died May 25 Berthalene Wilkins Bauserman, 60, died June 3...Etta Moyer Lantz, 83, Bergton, died May 30 Sam Stump, 65, South Fork, died June 4.

Charlene Kay Kessel and Gregory Martin Zirk were married May

Born to Mr. and Mrs. Joseph A. Sterbutzel, a son, Matt Paul to Mr. and Mrs. Delmas Pratt, a son, Eric Wayne.

Homeowners who could not open houses for a June House and Garden Tour were agreeable to a September date, so the annual tour was going to be held after both local and state requests for its continuation.

The Examiner won three first place awards for community service, editorial writing and tourism promotion at the annual WV Press awards banquet.

The Wardensville Firemens Carnival was adding tournament riding to the events.

Dewey W. Puffenberger, 35, Thomas Eric Hawkins, 43, died Ft. Seybert, died June 4 Robert Mark Harper, 13, Petersburg, died in an automobile drowning accident John T. Sager, 78, Oshkosh, Nebraska, died June 2 Mable Bowman Schenley, Akron, OH, died June 5 Briston Milton Tanner, 47, Kingwood, WV, died

Donna Dasher and Cpl. Richard Evans were married June 8... Delmas Ours, a daughter, Brittany Lola Betty Helmick and Jesse Columbus Parsons, Jr were married May 29.

> Born to Mr. and Mrs. Arlie Stultz, a son to Mr. and Mrs. Lawrence Baker, a son to Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Dove, a son.

Seventy-five Years Ago June 7, 1944

Americans awoke on June 6 to the news that the long-awaited invasion of Europe was underway. Airborne troops were landed in Normandy while American, British and Canadian armies were landed on the French coast under cover of naval bombardment.

The Fifth War Loan Drive was to begin the following week with Hardy County goal at \$128,000.

Mrs. Ila Simmons was named the new manager of the Half-Price store. This was second store to acquire a new manager. Miss Nell Clower was named manager of the Coffman-Fisher Store when Woodrow Brill resigned to join the

Work had begun on the community canning plant which was expected to be operational soon after July 1.

Because of the great surplus of fowl and the new Rockingham

operation not up and running, S. L. Dodd made arrangements for local birds to be picked up every Wednesday. Full ceiling prices were to be paid.

William Carlton Calhoun, 57, died suddenly May 31. He was manager of the Potomac Valley Power Company and the Potomac Light and Power Company. He was mayor of Moorefield.

Anna Lee Rexrode and T/Sgt. John B. Hawse were married on May 27.

Born to Mr. and Mrs. Nolan Kohne, a son, Charles William to Mr. and Mrs. Aaron Welton, Jr., a daughter, Elizabeth Gray... to Lieut, and Mrs. Don Auvil, a daughter, Donna Lee to Mr. and Mrs. Charles A. Hinkle, a son, Charles Cecil born to Mr. and Mrs. Harry Redman, a daughter, Maxine Elizabeth.

Ninety Years Ago June 6, 1929

A number of businessmen were in Lost City the previous week to meet with people of that section. The question of building a road up Lost River was discussed. Businessmen from Moorefield were in favor of the road and willing that funds due this county be used in building it. A committee was appointed to circulate petitions to be taken in person to the State Road

Commission in Charleston. Moorefield High School had been classified by the Department of Education as a Class A, First Class High School.

Dr. R. W. Love left for Boston where he will spend six weeks attending lectures at Harvard Medical School.

M. M. Harwood had opened his ice cream factory and parlor on the

The South Branch Valley National Bank was displaying some of the new money to be used after

Chipley graduated from Lewisburg College Hannah R. Golliday, 74, had

Amanda Kuykendall and Phyllis

Ada Genevieve Parsons and Garland Shirley were married on June 1 in Akron.

EXAMINER SAYS

Remember

AP recently ran a story on the

highest paid CEOs of each state.

We glanced down the list from

California's Elon Musk at \$2.28

billion to North Dakota's David

Goodin at \$4.1 million. How-

ever, there was no CEO for West

Virginia listed along with 4 other

states, while Washington, DC was

included. We didn t check out

which ones were missing, but we

find it interesting that there are

states with no "high paid" CEOs,

or at least not according to the As-

sociated Press. And by the way, we

know this isn t true of West Virgin-

ia, so what happened?

The Longest Day

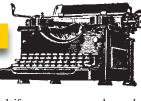
Do you like golf? Do you like watching others play? Do you have \$125? If you answered yes to all these questions then you are in luck. The PGA Tour at the Greenbrier is now selling tickets to watch the professional golfers in action. The \$125 is for a weekly grounds badge. Or you can pay \$40 for a single day ticket. Premium seating in air conditioned facilities is available, but no price was given. We

watching, but we think it would be for and if you see one, please let a lot cheaper and more comfortable to sit at home and watch on television. And don t forget, if you stay overnight you ll have that cost, plus meals.

June 6, 1944

The spotted lantern fly has been doing damage in Frederick Coun-Last report we had put the beastie in Pennsylvania. Frederick's close enough to us for our farmers to have some concern for possible infestations here in Hardy suppose there are golf addicts who County. Google this invasive pest would think nothing of paying for so you know what you're looking

our Extension and ag folks know. This critter has an incredible appetite for fruit trees - not the fruit, but it attacks to the rest of the tree can do lots of damage. Apparently it doesn't fly well, but is good at catching rides on vehicles and such. Check cut wood before moving. You are looking for a large gray insect with black spots and red underwings. If you find egg masses destroy them, but they aren t easy to find. Destroy the insect if you can. And by the way, this invasive bug is native to China. That may explain why it s such a problem.



Hardy County Schools Provides Meals To Children During the Summer

Hardy County Schools announces their sponsorship of the feder-Program. Breakfast and Lunch are available to all children, ages 18 years and under, who would like to participate. Meals will be served at the following site for the Energy Express (M-F), EL and Kindercare (T-Th) Programs, from June 17 July 19, 2019:

Moorefield Elementary School - Breakfast from 8:00 AM 8:30 AM

(EL and Kindercare only) Lunch from 11:30 AM 12:00 PM

• East Hardy Early Middle School Breakfast from 8:00 AM 8:30 AM

(Energy Express onlyLunch from 12:00 PM 12:30 PM

Holidays will be observed on Thursday, June 20 - West Virginia Day, and Thursday, July 4 - Independence Day.

A nutritious meal is important for children to learn, play and remain active during the summer months. Remember, hunger

doesn t take a summer vacation! For more information about

ally-funded Summer Food Service these programs, please call the Child Nutrition office at 304-530-2348, extension 9223.

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1400 Independence Avenue, SW Washington, D.C. 20250-9410; FAX: (202) 690-7442; or

program.intake@usda.gov

LETTERS to the Editor

Phoebe, thank you for the editorial in today's paper. I have long took on a hot – and difficult – topic felt that abortion was the choice of a woman and that NO ONE else had ANY right to abbrogate her decision. Ever since humans got up and started walking on two feet females were able to identify and use the plants The Creator put here on earth to handle unwanted pregnancies. Thank you again for that editorial. I hope some people read it and come to their senses.

husband comes up with some of the things he writes. Equal pay for equal work is the way it should be. He would have screamed to high heaven had daughter Major Han- being. nah not gotten the same pay as any other Major.

out of Jean Flanagan's story about Kerr s Dog Wash. I always look forward to any story by Jean.

Third and last, I dug the hell

Stay warm, stay safe, stay above the sod

Bob Brookfield

Wow. The Examiner certainly in its editorial endorsing abortion choice. I don t think, however, that you fairly represented the perspective of those of us who consider ourselves pro-life.

Nowhere in your lengthy editorial did you raise the question of when human life begins. Yet, this is a critical consideration in any fair debate about abortion because the aspects of "wantedness," financial support, Sometimes I wonder where your and governments tell[ing] you what to do with your body are logically secondary to whether the unborn entity (zygote, fetus, unborn baby, call her what you will) is a human

> Science, though, tells us categorically that a separate human life begins at conception. Thus, when the Supreme Court issued its Roe v. Wade decision in 1973, it was the second time in our country's history that the highest court in our land declared an entire class of human beings as other than persons. Dred Scott, in 1857, was the awful, evil predecessor to Roe v. Wade in this

Surely not being wanted is not justification for killing another human being. If the little female or male human being in gestation has separate DNA, its own fingerprints, heartbeats, brain waves, etc., then abortion is not simply the government telling a woman what to do with HER own body. There are in fact two human bodies at issue. I think the littlest human also deserves some of that due process promised in the 14th Amendment to the U.S. Constitution.

By all means, let's debate abortion with respect for the other side s point of view, with reason, with consideration, and with mutual respect. But calling the pro-life position a noose around the necks of women or a dictatorship or just ... words isn t the prelude to a fair discussion and dodges the essential

In medicine, the Hippocratic Oath includes the admonition to "first, do no harm." We can debate government assistance programs, adoption, and contraception, but, first, let's not "terminate" the unborn baby.

John Buckley

USDA Study Shows Significant Greenhouse Gas Benefits of Ethanol

hard of hearing or have speech

disabilities may contact USDA

A new study released by the U.S. Department of Agriculture (USDA) finds greenhouse gas emissions from corn-based ethanol are about 39 percent lower than gasoline. The study also states that when ethanol is refined at natural gas-powered refineries, the greenhouse gas emissions are even lower, around 43 percent below gaso-

"These new findings provide further evidence that biofuels from America s heartland reduce greenhouse gases even more than we thought, and that our farmers and ethanol plants continue to become more efficient and effective," said Secretary Sonny Perdue. President Trump has made it abundantly clear he is unleashing the full potential of American energy ful place as the world's leader. Ex- benefits to revised estimates of the gov/oce/oeep.

panding the sale of E15 year-round impacts of land-use change as a re-

Background

The study, led by Dr. Jan Lewandrowski of USDA's Office of the Chief Economist, and published in the journal Biofuels, supports findings of other research that ethanol has a significantly better greenhouse gas profile than previously estimated.

The study, titled The greenhouse gas benefits of corn ethanol assessing recent evidence, production as we retake our right- attributes much of these additional is available at https://www.usda.

will provide consumers with more sult of demand for ethanol. Where choices when they fill up at the previous estimates anticipated pump, including environmentally farmers bringing additional land friendly fuel with decreased emis- into production as a result of insions. I appreciate EPA Adminis- creased corn prices, recent analysis trator Andrew Wheeler moving ex-finds only modest increases in crop peditiously to finalize the E-15 rule acreage. Additional improvements before the start of summer driving at ethanol refineries, combined with on-farm conservation practices that reduce greenhouse gas emissions, such as reduced tillage and cover crops, have further decreased emissions associated with corn ethanol. The study projects that with added improvements in refineries and on farms, a reduction of over 70 percent in lifecycle emissions is possible by 2022.

The study is available for download. More information on the greenhouse gas profile of biofuels

Moorefield Middle School Students Regional Winners In State Contest

By Jean A. Flanagan

Moorefield Middle School students Sarah Iman, Emma Parker and Grant Sherman were chosen as regional winners in the West Virginia Attorney General s Kids Kick Opioids contest.

MMS Health teacher Chessie Vetter said she used the AG s contest as a springboard to talk about West Virginia s opioid crisis in her

We talked about it for two days before they worked on their projects, Vetter said. I think we all learned something from the discus-

Some of the students talked from personal experience of family members and their struggles with addic-

Some haven t experienced it yet, Vetter said. I say yet because unfortunately, eventually it will touch everyone.

Students could draw a picture,

write a letter or compose a poem. In total, the AG's office received 3.240 entries from 96 elementary and middle schools. Of those, 49 regional winners were chosen. Those winning entries will be displayed in the Capitol over the summer.

These entries really showcase the tremendous talent of our elementary and middle school participants, Attorney General Patrick Morrisey said. The entries underscore the impact of the opioid epi-



From left, Sarah Iman, Emma Parker and Grant Sherman, were chosen regional winners in the AG's Kids Kick Opioids contest.

Judges selected Karter King of Rivesville Elementary/Middle School in Marion County as the statewide winner.

Judges also recognized Emma Parker, an eighth-grade student at Moorefield Middle School in Hardy County, as statewide runner-up. Her submission will appear with Karter's on the Attorney General's

demic on our young students. They are growing up in a time when drug abuse runs rampant. Our hope is their artwork will bring about greater awareness and a renewed commitment to change.

This is the third year the AGs office has sponsored the Kids Kick cal Association, the West Virginia Opioids contest. It was designed to spur creativity and raise awareness

of prescription painkiller abuse.

The statewide winner will be announced later this year and will appear in newspapers around the state in the AGs next public service announcement.

The West Virginia State Medi-School Nurses and Capitol Police assisted in AG's office in judging.

News Briefs

in historic and artistic downtown Martinsburg, WV. Live music, art demonstrations, kids make-ittake-it, tent, artist vendors, youth artist vendors, food, and much more! And it s a free event! Celebrate art in Martinsburg with this new festival sponsored by the Tony M. Music & Arts Foundation. The event runs from 1 until 5 p.m. For more information, call 1-304-262-4200.

On June 16 enjoy a Father s Day Trough Trip. The journey begins at Wappocomo Station, situated next to a charming homestead and a sprawling view of the mountains outside of Romney. Enjoy the sounds of vintage diesels as they lead you through beautiful pastures and farms dating back to the 1700s. As you wind along the South Branch of the Potomac

The arts come alive on June 15th ing gorge known as the Trough. the South Branch, the Trough is home to American bald eagles. 1-304-424-0736.

of Arts, Culture and History (WV-DACH) unveiled the annual exhi-2019, in the Great Hall of the Culplex, during the annual Vandalia and 18 wall hangings in the exhibithrough Sept. 16, 2019.

According to AAA last week, price continued at \$2.99. River, you ll enter a visually strik- average gas prices in West Vir-

ginia dropped nearly 2 cents to One of the most scenic spots along \$2.731. Nationally the average price dropped another two cents to \$2.820. For the 37.6 million For more information call The Americans who hit the road this Potomac Eagle Scenic Railroad at past Memorial Day weekend, the vast majority found savings at the pump compared to last year s holi-The West Virginia Department day. Gas prices continued to trend cheaper across the Mid-Atlantic and Northeast states, with all averbition, Quilts and Wall Hangings ages now under \$3/gallon. Virginia was among the ten least expensive ture Center, State Capitol Com- afterage gas prices at \$2.56.Across West Virginia, prices ranged from Gathering. The popular juried ex- a low of \$2.577 at Parkersburg to hibition features 54 creative quilts a high of \$2.788 at Beckley. Area and wall hangings representing the averages were \$2.806 in Jeffertalents of 45 West Virginians from son, \$2.875 in Hampshire, and 17 counties. There are 36 quilts \$2.790 in Mineral. Wardensville gas dropped to \$2.84, the same tion, which will remain on display as Mathias. In Moorefield gas dropped to \$2.79 at BP and stayed at \$2.83 at Sheetz. In Baker the

HCCF Funds Can Benefit from Give2WV Day

the main focus of Give2WV - Hardy County. For a 24-hour period beginning 12 a.m. on June 20, people in the county and across the country who love Hardy County can make a gift of support of any size to help advance the missions and impact of local community organizations and Fund causes.

This year, through Give2WV -Hardy County, donors can support

Building strong communities is one or more of the following Com- Fund munity Foundation funds:

> Hardy County Community Impact Fund

• Eastern WV Community and Technical College Entrepreneurial and Economic Development Fund Red Funkhouser Town Park

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ville Recreation Fund Frances Frye and June Orndorff

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• Baker Park Endowment Fund John and Shobie Fisher Fund Deanna Wilson and J Cavanagh STEM Fund

Visit the website www.ewvcf.org to learn more about these funds and Follow us on Facebook for instructions about how to participate.

COMMUNITY EVENTS

Mobile Office

Representatives from Congressman Alex Mooney's staff will be in Hardy County on Tuesday, June 4, from 11 a.m. to Noon at the Hardy County Courthouse, 204 Washington St. in Moorefield. The staff is happy to meet with District 2 residents to discuss concerns and help with questions/issues involving the federal government. Please bring related documentation. No appointment is necessary.

Public Meeting

The Potomac Valley Conservation District board meeting will be held on Wednesday, June 5, at 7:30 p.m. The meeting will be held at the USDA Service Center in Moorefield.. A copy of the agenda will be available three days prior to the meeting and may be obtained at the Dis-

trict office, 500 East Main St., Wild and Wonderful LLC. on Romney, WV or by calling 304-822-5174. The public is invited to attend.

Applications for absentee voting in the Moorefield Municipal Election by mail are being accepted until June 5, 2019. Ballots can be hand delivered until 4:30 p.m. Monday June 10, 2019 or received by mail any time prior to the beginning of the canvass.

Community Together

The Mountain View Church of the Brethren will host Community Together on Thursday, June 13 beginning at 6 p.m. Come and bring a friend.

River Cleanup

Absentee Ballots

Shredding Into Summer Eastern College and Summit Community Bank have partnered together to bring a document shredding event on Satur-

Saturday, June 15 from 9 a.m. -

1 p.m. for the Clean the Branch

Initiative. Meet at Hawse Plaze,

Contact Cristyn Bauer at cris-

745 N. Main St. in Moorefield.

tyn.bauer@easternwv.edu

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day, June 23 from 10 a.m. - 1 p.m.

Yard of the Month

The General Federated Women's Club Moorefield Club Yard of the Month for June nominations are being accepted until June 10. To nominate a Yard, call Billie Jo High 304-538-616 9 or Tracey Ratliff 304-490-9002, if no answer leave the name and address of the yard being nomi-

Tire Collection

The West Virginia Department of Environmental Protection's Rehabilitation Environmental Action Plan is hosting a tire collection event on Saturday, June 15 from 9 a.m. to 3 p.m. at Wilson Trucking in Moorefield.

Residents may dispose of up to 10 tires per person with a valid West Virginia ID for the county in which the tire collection event is being held. The tires must be

light truck tires will be accepted.

Free Classes

Earn your WV High School Equivalency diploma. Prepare for college and careers. Call Hardy County Adult Education at 304-434-8000, Ext. 9234.

Spay and Neuter

Warmer days are here. Time to get your cat and dog spayed and neutered. Spay Today s our area's non-profit, reduced-priced spay and neuter clinic. Choose from many vets over a wide area.

At the time of surgery, initial shots and tests can also be obtained at lower rates. Contact Spay Today at https://spay-today. org or 304-728-8330.

Smoke Alarms Available

Red Cross Sound the Alarm free smoke alarms will be avail-

off the rims, and only car and able in Hardy County throughout 2019. To register for smoke alarms call the Hardy County 911 office, 304-530-0291. Please give you name, address, phone number and the number of floors in your home. Your local fire company will call you to set up an appointment to install the smoke

Drug Take Back

The Moorefield Police Department maintains a permanent collection site for unwanted or expired prescription medication, located within the Police Department. It is located at 206 Winchester Ave. and is available to the public Monday thru Friday

from 9 a.m. to 4 p.m. For more information check Moorefield Police Department Facebook page or call 304-530-

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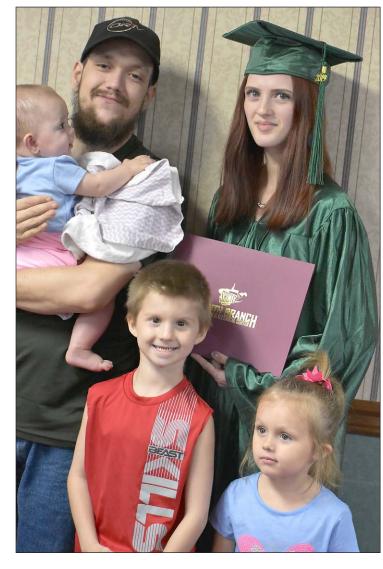














Photos by Jean Flanagan and Carl Holcomb







Book Memorials - May 2019

Beckett Baseball Card Price Guide by Beckett Media Given in memory of Charlotte Heavner by Charlen Crites, Jeanne Workman, Janet Ferrell, and Carole Barr.

Monetary Memorials -May 2019

Donation given in memory of Russ Newman by Rachael Welton. Donation given in memory of Allen Crites by Doug and Donna

Donation given in memory of Betty Combs by Doug and Donna

Summer Reading

Program Approaching Sign-up for the 2019 Summer Reading Program begins Saturday, June 15 at the library. The program is open to all ages (infant to adult) and you read or are read to at your own pace. There will be crafts, activities, prize drawings and more throughout the program. Sign-up only lasts until Saturday, June 29, so be sure to mark your

calendars and make it in before it s Stuart Woods (Reg. Print, Autoo late. The program will end on Saturday, August 3.

Bishoff Collection Exhibit

The library is currently hosting an exhibit of selected photographs from the Berdell Bishoff Collection and needs the public s help in identifying the people and places featured. The photos depict community life in the tri-county area during a 45-year period. The exhibit will be on display until Saturday, June 22. Please stop by and have a look.

New Fiction

Unsolved (Invisible; 2) by James Patterson (Reg. Print, Lg. Print, Audiobook) Indomitable FBI researcher Emmy Dockery is facing a shocking new case. Across the country, victims appear to have died by accident, and seemingly have nothing in common. But this many deaths can t be coincidence. And the killer is somehow one step ahead of every move Dockery

Skin Game (Teddy Fay; 3) by

diobook) When Teddy Fay receives a freelance assignment from a gentleman he can't refuse, he jets off to Paris on the hunt for a treasonous criminal. But as Teddy unearths more information that just doesn't seem to connect, his straightforward mission becomes far bigger--and stranger--than he could imagine.

Sweet Tea and Secrets (Tea and a Read Mystery; 2) by Joy Avon Sleuth Callie Aspen wants to light up the Fourth of July tea party by solving a celebrity's decades-old disappearance, but her digging results in more fireworks than she expects

My Life as a Rat by Joyce Carol Oates Violet Rue Kerrigan is a young woman looking back upon her life in exile from her family following her testimony, at age twelve, concerning what she knew to be the racist murder of an African-American boy by her older brothers. Violet contemplates the circumstances of her life as the initially beloved youngest child of seven Kerrigan children who inadvertently informs on her brothers,

and convictions and her own long estrangement.

The Night Tiger by Yangsze Choo A vivacious dance-hall girl in 1930s colonial Malaysia is drawn into unexpected danger by the discovery of a severed finger that is being sought by a young houseboy in order to protect his late master s

New Non-Fiction

Siege: Trump Under Fire by Michael Wolff wolff s new narrative takes readers inside the Trump presidency to reveal a White House under siege. Beginning just as Trump's second year as president is getting underway and ending with the delivery of the Mueller

Smokin Joe: The Life of Joe Frazier by Mark Kram A biography it spread to the activism it inspired of Joe Frazier, whose rivalry with Muhammad Ali riveted boxing fans and whose legacy as a figure in American sports and society en-

Dignity: Seeking Respect in Back Row America by Chris Arnade

shines new light on Americas poor, drug-addicted, and forgotten--both urban and rural, blue state and red state--and indicts the elitists who ve left them behind.

YA Non-Fiction

High: Everything You Want to Know about Drugs, Alcohol, and Addiction by David Sheff A father-son team provide information teens and tweens need to know about drugs, alcohol, and addic-

Viral: The Fight Against AIDS in America by Ann Bausum Bausum presents the history of the AIDS crisis through the lens of the brave victims and activists who demanded action and literally fought for their lives. She explores everything from the disease s origins and how and how the world confronts HIV and AIDS today.

New Easy Readers

The Someone New by Jill Twiss Jitterbug the chipmunk likes it when things stay the same. So when

setting into motion their arrests Photographer and writer Arnade one day Pudding the snail comes into her woods, Jitterbug worries that everything will be different. With the help of her friends, can Jitterbug welcome the newcomer and learn that kindness is stronger than fear?

Pig the Stinker (Pig the Pug) by Aaron Blabey Pig the Pug loves to roll in all sorts of disgusting garbage, and track dirty paw prints all over the house; he does not like the idea of a bath, but when his plan the stop up the tub seriously backfires he decides that bath time must be endured--after all he can always find some more garbage to roll in.

That's What Dinosaurs Do by Jory John When he is ordered by his doctor to stay silent for a whole week to let his sore throat get better, a dinosaur who loves to roar tries to endure life without doing what dinosaurs are meant to do.

Hangry by Drew Brockington A young monster takes the train into the big city, only to find his favorite hot dog vendor is closed and he s unable to satiate his hunger, leading to an epic case of destructive crankiness.

Celebrate the Family

Continued from page 1

burg supplies the rolls. The Ruritans come every year and cook the hot dogs, Kuhn said.

Vicki Fertig, with the West Vir-Family Nutrition Program fills the like. back of her pickup truck with ice - generously donated by Pilgrim s Pride - stops by Food Lion and loads up on lots of watermelon.

kids need to stay hydrated, Fertig October. said. This gives them a healthy option to soda pop.

Fertig also has a farmer who up and clean up. takes the watermelon rinds, so they don t end up in the trash.

The West Virginia Army Na-

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tional Guard will be on hand with value of this event. When it starttheir climbing wall.

The West Virginia Department of Agriculture is scheduled And for the past seven years, to bring the Animal Farm, which allows children and adults to see

> There will be bouncy-house inflatables and games galore.

In spite of the global helium shortage, there will be balloons, It's usually a hot day and the Kuhn said. I bought helium last Family has on families.

always have the park clean and ready for us, Kuhn said.

community because they see the heart sing.

ed there were maybe 100 - 200 people who attended. This year we re expecting about 700. It has grown every year.

It not only gives families a ginia University Extension Service what working on a farm is really chance to connect, but it gives agencies a chance to work with and get to know people in other agencies.

> Kuhn said she has seen firsthand the benefit Celebrate The

A few years ago, an older wom-Students and adults in need of an, I m assuming a grandmother, community service hours help set had four or five children with her. They were running and playing Anthony (Rao) and his crew and having a good time. She told me this was the only place she can take them all because it doesn t We are so very grateful to the cost anything. It just made my

Gov. Justice Approves

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Corridor H a top priority, said Robbie Morris, Chairman of the Corridor H Authority. Governor Justice promised that a section of tract and look forward to working Corridor H would be included in

the Roads to Prosperity program and today he has delivered on that promise. We congratulate Kokosing on being awarded the conwith everyone to see the project through to completion.

This announcement is in addition to work currently underway in Lewis County on the I-79/Corridor H southbound interchange at Exit 99 and a 7.5 mile section currently under construction in Randolph and Tucker Counties.

Manchin, Capito Announce

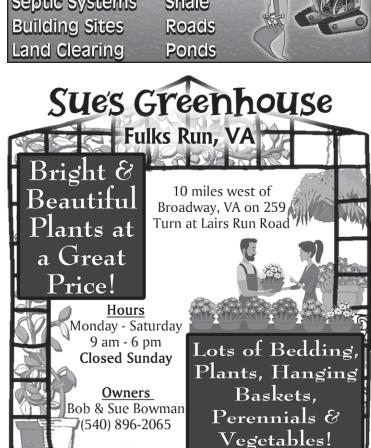
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million today to get us one step closer. When completed, Corridor H will be used by more businesses, to work with the administration investors, travelers and West Vir- and Secretary Chao to deliver this ginians alike and will only impact much-needed investment, Senaour state for the better. Completing Corridor H is important to the economic growth and prosperity of our state, Senator Manchin said.

dor H and similar projects that will strengthen our transportation infrastructure, and I was thrilled tor Capito said. Projects like Corridor H are not only beneficial for travelers and those living in nearby communities, but they have the poate, I have advocated for Corri- state's commerce and economic projects.

potential by connecting West Virginia to other transportation hubs across the nation. As West Virginia continues to reorient and diversify our economy and create new opportunity, the backbone of these efforts is a continued investment in infrastructure projects, and I will continue working to help deliver the resources to build on "From my first day in the Sentential to substantially improve our these efforts and complete critical









BITUARIES

EDITH BAYNE MORRISON

Edith Bayne Morrison, 90, of loved to be with her Daisy dog. Wardensville, W.Va. died on Thursday, May 24, 2019 at her home.

Edith was born on November 11, 1928 in Mathias, W.Va., the daughter of the late Lorenzo J. and Hattie R. Miller See. Edith worked 30+ years as a secretary for W.Va.U - Reymann Memorial Farm in Wardensville. She was a member of Wardensville United Methodist Church, the Red Hat Society and Hardy County CEOs. Edith enjoyed shopping, going out to eat with friends, dancing and

Surviving are two granddaughters: Amy M. Perry of Wardensville, W.Va.; Shelly L. Pitcock of Old Bridge, N.J.; three greatgranddaughters: Makayla and Makenzi Perry; Kelsi Combs; A very special friend for 22 years: Carroll Rudy.

She is preceded in death by her daughter: Roselyn L. Lynn Shipe; one brother and three sis-

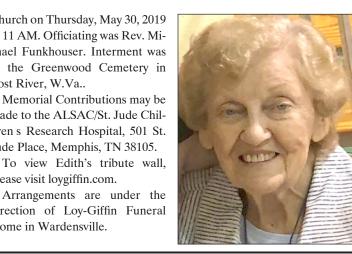
Wardensville United Methodist Home in Wardensville.

Church on Thursday, May 30, 2019 at 11 AM. Officiating was Rev. Michael Funkhouser. Interment was in the Greenwood Cemetery in Lost River, W.Va..

Memorial Contributions may be made to the ALSAC/St. Jude Children's Research Hospital, 501 St. Jude Place, Memphis, TN 38105.

please visit loygiffin.com.

Arrangements are under the A funeral service was at the direction of Loy-Giffin Funeral



DANIEL W. KUYKENDALL

Daniel W. Kuykendall, Sr. age 92 of Moorefield W.Va. formerly of Alexandria, Va. passed away on May 25, 2019 at the Grant Memorial Hospital in Petersburg, W.Va...

He was born in Petersburg, W.Va.; son of the late Oscar and Radie (Alt) Kuykendall. He was preceded in death by three brothers, Wayne, June and infant David Kuykendall; and two sisters, Josephine Williams and infant Mary

He is survived by his wife of 67 years, Mary Lucille (Via) Kuykendall, one son, Daniel W. Kuykendall, Jr. (wife Elizabeth) of Petersburg, W.Va. and children, Lucretia Marie Kumah (husband

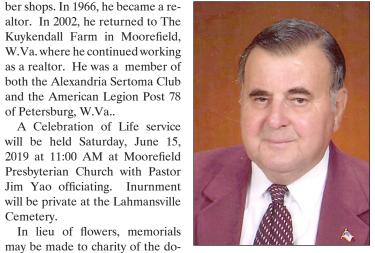
Eric Jr.), Daniel W. Kuykendall, III (wife Courtney), one daughter, Kathy Lubin (husband Michael) of Richmond, Va., and Lindsey Lubin; five great-grandchildren, as a realtor. He was a member of Eric Kumah III, Marcus Kumah, both the Alexandria Sertoma Club Alyssa Kumah, Daniel W. Kuykendall IV and Hunter Kuykendall; one brother Gene Kuykendall of Kenova, W.Va. and one sister Esther Hipp of Petersburg, W.Va. and several nieces and nephews.

Daniel graduated from Peters- Jim Yao officiating. Inurnment burg High School and served in the United States Air Force from September 1948 to June 1950. Then, he attended Barber School and moved to Alexandria, Va. where he owned and operated several bar-

In lieu of flowers, memorials may be made to charity of the do-

of Petersburg, W.Va..

nor s choice.



direction of Schaeffer Funeral Arrangements are under the Home, Petersburg, WV.

Cemeterv.

MARGARET ANN COLE REDMAN

Margaret Ann Cole Redman, age 71, of Moorefield, W.Va., passed away on Wednesday, May 29, 2019 at her residence with her family by her side. Born on September 24, 1947 in Moorefield, W.Va., she was the daughter of the late Aaron Otis Jack Cole and Jenny Frances Jones Cole. In addition to her parents, she was preceded in death by two sisters; and two brothers.

She is survived by her husband, Roger Lissel Redman of Moorefield, W.Va.; three daughters, Ronnette and husband, Mervin Pope of Moorefield, W.Va., Dallas Redman of New Creek, W.Va. and Vivian McClean of Moore-

field, W.Va.; eight sons, Rodney bury United Methodist Church, Redman and Reginald Redman Moorefield, W.Va., as well as past of Moorefield, W.Va., Michael Redman of Lahmansville, W.Va., Christopher Redman of Harrisonburg, Va., Phillip Jones of Mor- Day Care Center, Moorefield, gantown, W.Va., Robert Crank of W.Va., and was owner and opera-Petersburg, W.Va., Chad Jackson tor of Country Kitchen Restauand Chay Jackson of Hagerstown, rant, Moorefield, W.Va., for many Md.; one sister, Jacqueline Russell of Moorefield, W.Va.; two brothers, Ervin "Turk" Cole and James Cole both of Moorefield, W.Va.; Moorefield, W.Va. at 11:00 a.m., sixteen grandchildren; seven great grandchildren; and two great-great grandchildren.

rian and chairperson of the Ad- nations may be made to Asbury ministrative Council of the As- United Methodist Church, 127

president of the United Methodist Women. She was one of the original directors of the Hardy County

A funeral service was conducted at the Elmore Funeral Home, Tuesday, June 4, 2019 with Pastor Harold George officiating. Burial followed at Olivet Cemetery, Margaret was a member, histo- Moorefield, W.Va.. Memorial Do-



W. Brighton Avenue, Moorefield, W.Va. 26836.

Arrangements are under the direction of Elmore Funeral Home.

AGE IN ACTION

MENU June 10 - June 14, 2019 Mathias, Moorefield, Wardensville

Mathias & Wardensville - Home Delivered Only

Moorefield Nutrition Site

Meals served at 12:00-12:30 Mon. June 10- Spaghetti w/ meat sauce, California blend, garlic bread,

watermelon Tues. June 11- Cheeseburger on bun w/ lettuce, onions and pickles,

potato salad, applesauce Wed. June. 12- FATHERS DAY MEAL open face roast beef sandwich, mashed potatoes w/ gravy, green beans, pineapple upside down

cake Thurs. June 13- Chicken and broccoli casserole, beets, wheat

bread, peaches Fri. June 14- Cheesy pasta, northern beans, peas and carrots, wheat

bread, fruit cocktail Meals are to be eaten here at the center or at E. A. Hawse Commu-

nity room in Baker, Thursday s only. Persons under age of 60 are welcome to come and eat with us at a cost of \$5.25 per meal. That s

would be greatly appreciated. To cancel or order a lunch call 304-530-2256, ext. 231 or 232.

Histor

The following events happened

on these dates in West Virginia his-

tory. To read more, go to e-WV:

The West Virginia Encyclopedia at

June 5, 1859: A great frost killed

crops in the Preston County fields.

www.wvencyclopedia.org.

This Weekim

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Due to availability of delivered food, substitutions are sometimes necessary.

ACTIVITIES AT MOOREFIELD SENIOR CENTER

Mon., June 10- puzzles Tues., June 11- Senior Shopping 1:00 p.m.

Wed., June 12 -Puzzles Thurs., June 13- Crafts

Fri., June 14 - Puzzles, Please call about Bingo on Wednesdays.

Hospice/Bobbie Wolfe.

Bingo with prizes and snacks every Wednesday at 12:30 p.m., except the last Wednesday of the month. Last Wednesday of the month, Bingo with snacks by Grant Memorial

and other crafts available for sale. Check them out!

REMINDERS

If you want to pick/up carry out a meal at the senior center, call by 9:30 Wardensville area, please call by 9 a.m. for a home delivered meal.

Farmer s Market coupons will be available sometime after June 12, 2019. Need income, date of birth, a proxy or note with permission to pick them up and or to shop for Seniors. Must be 60 or older.

DONATIONS

val in Kingwood.

2003.

ed in the annual Buckwheat Festi-

was born in Hugheston, Kanawha

County. Rice was named West Vir-

June 6, 1989: During the Pittston

strike, about 60 miners embarked

on a four-day march from Logan

County to Charleston, retracing the

path of the 1921 Armed March on

June 7, 1926: An explosion at a sand mining operation in Morgan

County killed six men. Their deaths

were the inspiration for the ballad

Lola Crider, Lona Sherman, Ida Staggs, American Woodmark, Food Lion and the Moorefield Examiner. We would like to thank each and are greatly appreciated. Have a safe and happy week.

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> HCCOA receives funding from federal and state entities including

June 8, 1893: Entrepreneur Don-

was the founder of the Duncan Yo-

Yo Company and the Duncan Park-

June 10, 1775: The Berkeley

County Riflemen were organized

by Capt. Hugh Stephenson of Shep-

herdstown, in response to a call for

Revolutionary War soldiers by Gen.

June 11, 1782: Frontiersman Wil-

liam Crawford was tortured and

The Miner s Doom.

George Washington.

June 6, 1919: Historian Otis Rice ald F. Duncan was born. Duncan

ginia's first Historian Laureate in ing Meter Corporation.

Those making donations were Bureau of Senior services and Upper Potomac AAA, local government and memorial contributions. WE HAVE ENSURE

Flavors available are chocolate, everyone for your donations, they vanilla, strawberry, and butter pecan. Regular and plus in same flavors. The cost has increased. We will only accept checks for ensure. No cash. Sorry for the inconvenience. Any questions, call the center at 304-530-2256.

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burned at the stake. Crawford had been captured by the Delaware, who mistakenly blamed him for the treacherous murder of about 100

Moravian Christian Indians.

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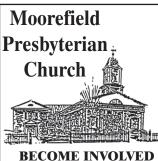
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will be performing at 11 AM.

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from Harrisonburg, VA

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109 S. Main St. Moorefield 304-530-2307 www.moorefieldchurch.org

Sincere Jhank You

There are not enough words to thank everyone for every hug, every prayer, every kind word and thoughts. Thank you for the food, visits, or just holding our hand.

God Bless, The Family of Charles Sine ££\$&\$&\$.\$\$\$\$\$



Photo from latter 1940s at John and Harriet Jenkins' home. (Cousins) Left to Right: Rebecca "Becky" Tuttle; Cathy Daugherty Willingham; Judy Jenkins Miller; Ray Daugherty; Carol Tuttle; Caroyln Daugherty Combs

Once Upon a Horse

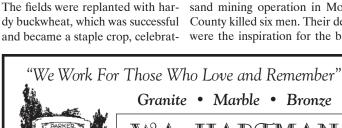
Once upon a horse, Five little girls and a boy; Looking a bit unsure, Not exactly faces of joy.

Once upon a horse, At Grandma's house one day; Mammas and Daddies near, Proudly watching their children play.

Once upon a horse, The bravest front and rear; those left in the middle,

Once upon a horse, A moment captured in time; Bringing us memories, Thinking, "What am I doing here." Of a life carefree and sublime.

Written and submitted by Cathy Daugherty Willingham In memory of deceased cousins: Rebecca "Becky" Tuttle (10/22/42 - 5/12/19) and Carol Tuttle (2/12/44 - 8/31/07)



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These Hardy County CEOS members attended the Keyser Area CEOS meeting at Frankfort High School on Saturday, April 27. Pictured are Maxine Halterman, Helen Mathias, Ann Rice, Betty Williams and Mary Williams. Back row are Cindy Allen and Alice Shank.

Wardensville Lions Receive Grant

On May 16, 2019 Dr. Chuck Terrell, Board member of the Hardy County Community Foundation, presents a \$1,000 grant to Lion Lorrie Krautwurst for the Wardensville Lions Club s Story Time Program. Story Time is a weekly reading program for young children held every Friday at 10am at the Wardensville Library.



Hardy CEOS Visit Keyser CEOS Fisher Awarded WVU College Of Law's Highest Honor

John W. Fisher II of Moorefield has received the Justitia Officium Award from the West Virginia University College of Law in recognition of outstanding service and contributions to the legal profes-

The Justitia Officium is the highest honor bestowed by the College of Law faculty. Fisher accepted his award at the college's commencement on May 10.

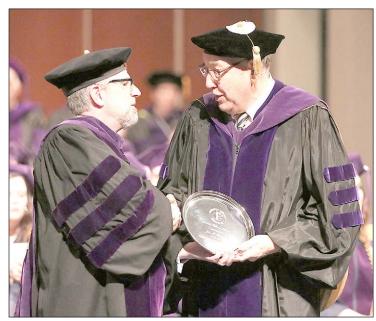
Fisher is the William J. Maier, Jr. Dean Emeritus and Robert M. Steptoe and James D. Steptoe Professor Emeritus of Property Law at WVU. He retired from the College of Law in 2014 after 43 years of service. Over the course of his career, Fisher was a professor; an acting dean and an associate dean several times; and the 15th Dean of the College of Law from 1998-

From 1982-86, Fisher was the executive officer for WVU during President E. Gordon Gee's first term leading the state's flagship institution. He was also a part-time federal magistrate judge for more than 20 years

John s legacy is built on service to the legal profession, the University, the state, and its citizens, said Gregory Bowman, dean of the College of Law.

Fisher graduated from Moorefield High School and arrived on WVU s campus in 1960 to major in history. He earned his J.D. from the College of Law in 1967, Order of the Coif, and first in his class and the West Virginia Bar Foundation editor-in-chief of the West Virginia and a recipient of the West Virgin-Law Review.

After law school, Fisher clerked



Gregory Bowman, dean of the WVU College of Law, presents the Justitia Officium Award to John W. Fisher II.

well, U.S. District Court for the Northern District of West Virginia. He then worked in property law for Teaching Award. He is also a re-Farmer & Farmer in Morgantown. In 1971, Fisher left private practice to be an assistant professor at the College of Law.

The Supreme Court of Appeals of West Virginia has recognized Fisher as the state's foremost authority in the field of property law. He is a two-time recipient of the Governor s Distinguished West Virginian Award. He is a Fellow of the American Bar Foundation and

ia Bar Association Award of Merit.

for the Honorable Robert E. Max- the Year by the WVU Law Class of 1996 and he received the 1997 WVU Foundation Outstanding cipient of the Mountaineer Week Most Loyal Faculty and Staff Mountaineer Award in 1994. In 2015, Fisher was inducted into the Order of the Vandalia, the highest honor for service to West Virginia University.

> Fisher has been married to Susan Vass since 1964. They have two children, Jennifer and Jay, and three grandchildren, Austin, Emily, and Landon.

The Justitia Officium Award was established in 1978 to mark the 100th Anniversary of the WVU Fisher was selected Professor of College of Law.

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There will be vendors of all kinds, a petting zoo, bouncy houses, face-painting, and a coloring area. The pool will be open and the admittance of the pool is by donation. Please remember the raffles and donation jars are all monies that will be helping grant wishes for the Make A

Wish foundation. There will also be a visit from Spiderman, Snow White, Stella the Make A Wish Star along with Sparky the Firedog. AWC Dream Team will also be selling T-shirts for \$15 each. We will only be accepting cash, no checks or credit cards.

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6:00 Event Ends



Hardy County Residents Named to Shepherd's Dean List

Of the 919 students were named to the Dean's List at Shepherd List, a student must maintain a 3.4 University for the spring semester, there were several from Hardy County. They are as follows:

Calub G. Atkinson from Baker Leanna J. Basye from Baker Richard Robinson from Math-

Kristie M. Cost from Moore-

Wardensville

To be eligible for the Dean's grade point average for the semester and carry at least 15 hours of coursework or be in a professional teaching block.

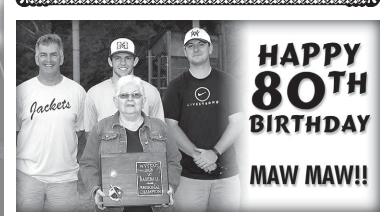
Located in West Virginia's Eastern Panhandle, Shepherd University is a public liberal arts university. Shepherd is accredited by the Higher Learning Commission and RaeAnn D. Orndorff from is a member of the Council of Public Liberal Arts Colleges.

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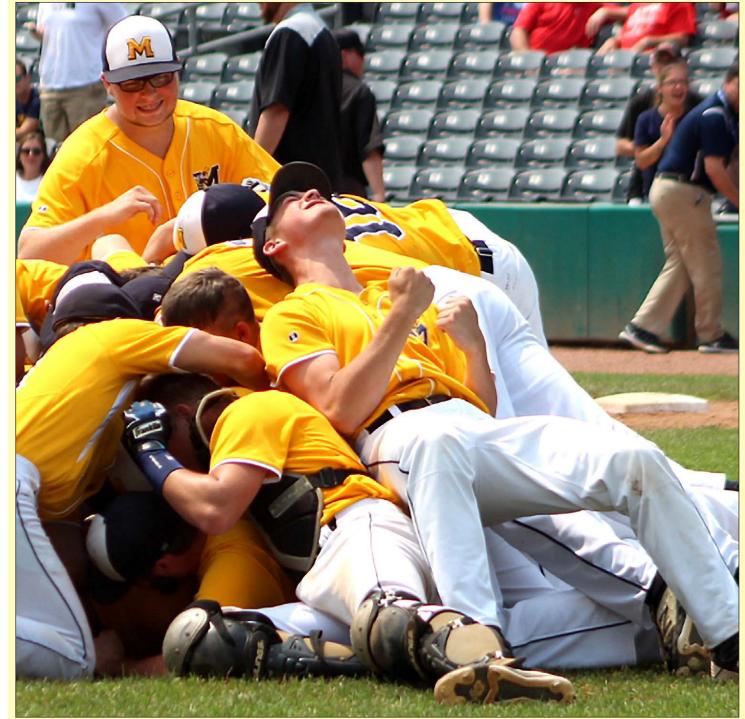
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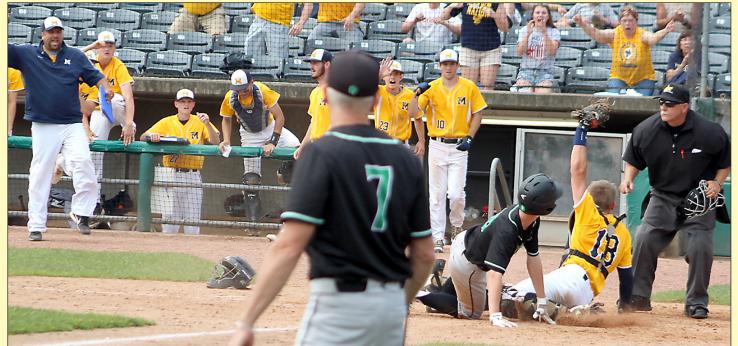
Making a Statement

Moorefield Yellow Jackets Win Back-to-Back **West Virginia Baseball Championships**



Photos by Carl Holcomb

Yellow Jackets celebrate back-to-back state titles with a dogpile after defeating Charleston Catholic 4-2 at Appalachian Power Park.



Moorefield catcher Lane Ours lifts his glove up with the ball to show the umpire for a confirmation of an out after making a textbook stop to prevent Charleston Catholic's Connor Blakely from scoring on a throw from Jayden Moore in the Class A state championship.

Moorefield Examiner

Moorefield coach and pastor Wade Armentrout led his congregation of Yellow Jackets players to back-to-back state baseball titles in the cathedral of Appalachian Power Park defeating Charleston Catholic 4-2 in the Class A state championship on Sunday morning.

"I know it feels great. It's great to repeat and it's never been done nament, the Yellow Jackets were before in baseball at our school. These guys are fantastic young men, great to coach and I'm just blessed to be a part of that. They just do things unselfishly and it's been that way all season long,' Moorefield coach Wade Armentrout stated.

"We knew we just needed to stay close and that we were going to get some quality atbats. We've been swinging the ball well and knew we had the pitching staff. When we got to that point, we made the changes. We wanted to change the ets crowd was buzzing with excitepace knowing they had some great left-handed batters. We just put our guys in a position to win the with three consecutive singles.

the Class A state championship game to begin in the morning and both teams had separate groups of

Coach Armentrout had an inspirational message for his team on the bus prior to the state championship game talking about cross make the right decision choosing the path to follow, while giving the semifinal winning pitcher Isaac Van Meter a blessing to read Scripture for this devotional time erbs 3:5,6.

The Yellow Jackets trusted in the process of the game, choosing to overcome a few setbacks and creating amazing plays en route to securing the state title again.

This was the fourth state championship for the Yellow Jackets (27-11) in program history with all coming under coach Armentrout and the first Moorefield baseball team to repeat as the state champions in addition to setting a school record of 27 wins for a single sea-

"We just made history. We're the first team in Moorefield High School history to go back-to-back and it feels great. I didn't start the game out the best, but I am glad my fellow senior Blake Watts could come in and finish it for me. It was a team effort and couldn't do it without any other players. ROW [Results or Words] has a really deep meaning and it was the basis for our entire season," Moorefield senior Derek Hoyt remarked.

Each step to reach this point has been a result of teamwork, encouraging one another to row together

in the boat to the finish line achieving the ultimate goal.

Starting the season, Moorefield focused on a hashtag called #ROW standing for Results or Words, then as an inspiration to see the team reach the finish line Coach Armentrout made a paper boat with wooden oars to be a visual reminder during the championship game.

As the top seed in the state tourthe home team in Charleston and brought a plethora of fans for support outnumbering the true hometown Irish in the stands to inspire Moorefield.

Moorefield senior pitcher Derek Hoyt was given the nod to start the game and induced a groundout from Charleston Catholic leadoff batter Marshall Pile with the out fielded by second baseman Brent Moran over to Blake Watts.

Hoyt notched a strikeout on Ross Parker as the Yellow Jackment, but that was tempered momentarily as the Irish countered

Charleston Catholic's Thom-Special permission was given for as Blaydes hit into left field, J.W. Armstrong singled just over the leap of Moran and Will Strickland gave the Irish a 1-0 edge on an RBI single into center field before a fielder's choice collected by Moorefield shortstop Isaac Van Meter retired the side.

Moorefield leadoff batter Brent country trails and how one must Moran connected for a single off Charleston Catholic pitcher Thomas Blaydes with a shot eluding the dive of Irish right fielder Izak Young.

Blaydes countered with a strikeand the verses chosen were Prov- out to Van Meter, then Moran stole second base and Moorefield's Hayden Baldwin flew out to Ross in center field.

Moorefield senior Blake Watts smacked a game-tying RBI single up the middle which gave him seven RBIs for the state tournament to this point and Moran stepped across home plate pausing to flex while shouting 'let's go'.

The Irish ended the inning collecting a groundout off the bat of Matthew Jenkins.

Moorefield pitching coach Scott Stutler took Hoyt to the side for a discussion helping him to remain calm and focused.

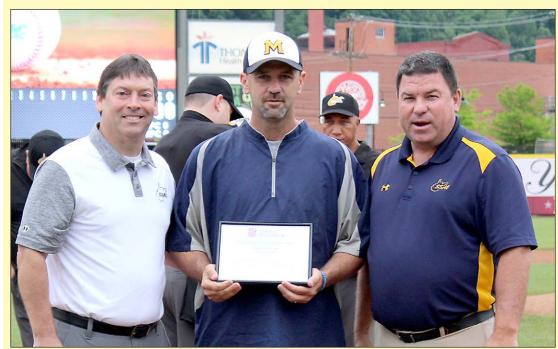
In the top of the second inning, the Irish regained the lead before Moorefield answered again to knot

Charleston Catholic's Connor Blakely grounded out, then Hoyt struck out Thomas Rennie.

A walk was issued to Marc Spiegel and the Irish created a 2-1 lead as Pile notched an RBI single into center field before Hoyt recorded another strikeout to prevent an additional score.

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Armentrout Named State Baseball Coach of the Year



Moorefield skipper Wade Armentrout was presented the West Virginia Baseball Coach of the Year award by WVSSAC Assistant Executive Director Greg Reed and WVSSAC Executive Director Bernie Dolan at the Class A State Baseball Tournament at Appalachian Power Park in Charleston.

By Carl Holcomb

Moorefield skipper Wade Ar-Baseball Coach of the Year with a ceremony prior to the Class A nals at Appalachian Power Park in Charleston last Saturday.

"Hopefully it brings a lot of pride traits." to our school and our community. I don't do anything for individual honors, but it just goes back to the and Mr. Hill," Moorefield coach Wade Armentrout commented.

do to get better and improve so I can guide and direct these young

people in the right direction. The rector Dr. Karissa L. Niehoff. most rewarding thing for me is to watch a team develop into a team, that there is a role for everybody mentrout was recognized as the and they can all contribute in some National Federation of State High way and when they do that the pro-School Associations West Virginia gram is successful. You can watch your players celebrate, because they have developed and done it State Baseball Tournament semifi- the right way. What they do on and off the field is important. Sports is just an avenue to teach character

West Virginia Secondary School Activities Commission Executive Director Bernie Dolan and Assishard work and dedication of the tant Executive Director Greg Reed players, parents and people who presented Coach Armentrout with have supported our program and the plaque prior to the state semifithe administrators Mr. McGregor nal game between Moorefield and St. Joseph Central Catholic.

Coach Armentrout was notified "I've had a lot of mentors in this of this honor during the Moorebusiness of coaching and I feel like field High School Sports Awards there are always things that I can ceremony the previous week as principal Patrick McGregor shared a letter from NFHS Executive Di-

An excerpt from the letter provided by McGregor reads "Wade was specifically recognized by your state association, the West Virginia Secondary Schools Activities Commission, as the most deserving recipient for this honor. We rely on our member state associations to help us recognize those who are leading their sport, shaping their athletes and contributing in a positive way to their community."

Armentrout has a career coaching record of 379-187 in 20 seasons at the helm of the Moorefield Baseball team with four state championships in seven state tournament appearances.

There have been two other Potomac Valley Conference Baseball coaches to receive this state coach of the year award as former East Hardy skipper Raymond Snapp was recognized in 2012 and Pendleton County coach Sam Yokum

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Moorefield Middle PVL Track Team Earns First Place Medals



Front row, left to right, Amani Roberto and Finan Teklom. Back row, Teia Ray, Marissa Ward, Breanna Green, Sophia Hardy, Peyton Eye, Layne Spitzer, Grant Sherman and coach Joe Sherman.

4x100 Relay Team Marissa Ward, Breanna Gren, Amani Roberto,

Boys Shuttle Team Grant Sherman, Finan Teklom, Peyton Eye, Layne

<u>Girls Shuttle Team</u> Marissa Ward, Sophia Hardy, Breanna Green, 100 Meter Hurdles Lavne Spitzer

All PVC Baseball Team Announced

Armentrout Named Coach of the Year, Van Meter Named Player of the Year

2019 Class A All-Potomac Valley Conference Baseball Team:

Isaac Van Meter - Moorefield Blake Watts - Moorefield Hayden Baldwin - Moorefield Tim Thorne - Pendleton Cole Puffenberger - Pendleton **Andrew Tharp - East Hardy** Zach Colebank - Tucker Logan Whetzel - East Hardy Brent Moran - Moorefield Grant Evick - Pendleton Easton Snyder - Tucker

PVC Baseball Player of the Year is Isaac Van Meter - Moorefield

PVC Baseball Coach of the Year

The Yellow Jackets are the defending state champions heading back to Charleston with a record of 25-11 and the recognition is already surrounding Moorefield as four players and their coach were selected to the All-Potomac Valley Conference Baseball Team along with two players from East Hardy.

The Hardy County lineup on All-PVC squad from Moorefield includes PVC Coach of the Year Wade Armentrout, PVC Player of the Year Isaac Van Meter, Blake Watts, Hayden Baldwin, Brent Moran and East Hardy players Logan Whetzel and Andrew Tharp.

Pendleton County has three players selected to the All-PVC team: Cole Puffenberger, Grant Evick and Tim Thorne: while Tucker County added one to complete the roster: Zach Colebank.

Moorefield pitcher and shortstop Isaac Van Meter, the PVC player of the year, has a pitching record this season of 7-0 with a 0.70 ERA and 66 strikeouts in 50 innings pitched and from the dish has a batting average of .344 with 33 hits, 26 RBI's and 32 runs

"Being PVC Player of the Year is a great feeling, but it could have been any of our guys. They're such

Year Isaac Van Meter remarked.

baseman Blake Watts has a 7-1 innings. record with a 1.51 ERA with 57 strikeouts in 41.2 innings and from Logan Whetzel had a batting averthe plate has a batting average of .354 with 34 hits, 30 RBI's and 21 this year as a pitcher.

pitcher Hayden Baldwin has a bathad a batting average of .462 ting average of .443 with 43 hits, 33 RBI's and 24 runs; and from trout earned his 375th career victothe mound has a 4-2 record with a vy in the section championship and 2.66 ERA and 35 strikeouts in 29 innings.

Conference Baseball Player of the 16 RBI's and 32 runs; and from the mound has a 3-2 record with a Moorefield pitcher and first 3.25 ERA with 33 strikeouts in 28

> age of .380 and had some innings East Hardy utility (outfielder, back.

East Hardy infielder (2B/1B)

Moorefield third baseman and infielder, catcher) Andrew Tharp Moorefield coach Wade Armen-

now holds a career record of 377-187 in 20 years at the helm which pitcher Brent Moran has a bat- this year led his team to the most They are coachable and they want of us playing a difficult schedule. or Words".

great motivators," Potomac Valley ting average of .327 with 35 hits, wins in program history with 25 to make corrections. They want to We get out of our local area, so victories after the Region II cham- make adjustments. That makes it pionship and counting.

Yellow Jackets to the state tour-

Crediting his players for the ac- Armentrout stated. colades and sharing that he has a lot of confidence in this team is erybody falls behind. They want what coach Armentrout attested to to do well for themselves, for our about the coach of the year honor.

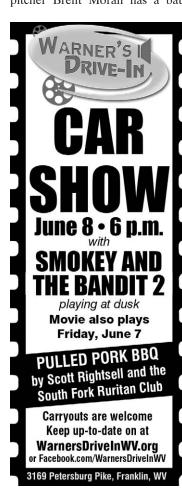
small details and don't let things great honors and I'm glad they are Moorefield second baseman and includes ten 20-win seasons and snowball and continue to mistakes. getting the recognition. It is a part to live by their motto of "Results

easier, they have a lot of faith in us Coach Armentrout is taking the and I've got a lot of trust and confidence in them. They have earned nament for the seventh time un- that. I appreciate the fact they repder his guidance and looking for resent us well in every situation. a fourth state championship with All of the accolades go to those this potential title being back-to- guys," Potomac Valley Conference Baseball Coach of the Year Wade

"The senior leadership and evschool and for our community. "These guys pay attention to the That means a lot. All of those are

other teams around us can see us. I support them in every way possible. They deserve every bit of the recognition they receive. They do their school work, they get home from school late and their GPA is great. They are taking difficult classes and balancing all of that, they are ultimate student-ath-

Coach Armentrout has instilled in his player the need to stay humble and stay hungry during this playoff run, but more importantly







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Yellow Jackets Make No Delay in Semifinal Win

By Carl Holcomb Moorefield Examiner

The Yellow Jackets were sipping on a cup of St. Joe's early on Saturday morning not needing an alarm clock as Brent Moran hyped up the alertness in the warm-up session which led to six electrifying RBIs from Blake Watts and Isaac Van Meter zapped the Irish with seven strikeouts for a 10-nil five-inning shutout victory in the Class A state baseball semifinal at Appalachian Power Park in Charleston to advance to the championship game.

No alarm clock was needed as Moorefield was already awake earlier than expected, willing and able to start the day with the best two hours played on the field plus Moran was shouting to each teammate to wake up even if one of them had an energy drink that gave the Yellow Jackets faster wings to fly over St. Joseph Central Catholic during the 8:30 a.m. contest.

"We wanted this game to be our best two hours of the day. You never know what you are going to get playing in an early morning game. We came in ready and focused as a team. We got here working together, so we planned to come out during the introductions as a team. Isaac had control of his pitches and kept throwing strikes for us as he has done all season. Blake had been struggling, but has really been coming alive in the playoffs. He came through big time for us today and he deserved it" Moorefield coach Wade Armentrout commented

Moorefield was originally scheduled to play at 10:00 a.m. on Friday, but Mother Nature forced the games to be postponed.

An entire day of waiting due to torrential downpour may have lulled some teams to sleep, but the Yellow Jackets kept working analyzing aspects of the game and finding an indoor facility to have batting practice.

There was a special awards ceremony prior to the state semifinal game as Moorefield skipper Wade Armentrout was presented a plaque for being selected as the National Federation of High Schools Associations West Virginia Baseball Coach of the Year and James Altobello was given a plaque as the West Virginia Secondary Schools Association Commission Umpire of the Year.

James Altobello is the brother

of Moorefield Football coach Matt Altobello.

In a sign of unity signifying that the Yellow Jackets reached this state semifinal working together, the entire team walked out to the first base line during individual introductions before the national anthem was played.

St. Joseph Central's leadoff batter Noah Beter hit a line drive which was caught by Moorefield third baseman Hayden Baldwin and this play was deemed a gamechanger by Irish coach Dave Jen-

"If the third baseman doesn't catch that ball, then it would have been an entirely different game and Lenny's hit to the wall would have put us up by one run. We could have had the momentum," St. Joseph Central Catholic coach Dave Jenkins noted.

"You can't believe how improbable this run was to get here with 11 kids. The flu bug could've gotten us and knocked us out. It's an amazing feat what they did and today it obviously didn't go our way. . That's part of baseball. We didn't get the breaks early and that happens. Lenny is an incredible hitter and pitcher and could do either one at the next level. When he is on, he is on. If it was 80 degrees outside, it would be different. They used his speed to find a hole and they did. All year we were like Moorefield playing up, so I felt we were battle tested. In baseball, one little thing can start a roll and they put it to us."

The cooler temperature was noted as a factor in the pitching performance, but Moorefield's Isaac Van Meter didn't seem too troubled in controlling his two-

Van Meter struck out Irish batter Cory Sweeney, then Lenny Washington launched a deep ner. shot near the left field wall where Moorefield's Derek Hoyt lost track of the fly ball and fell down resulting in a double on the play.

Van Meter shrugged off that hit left field for a 3-nil advantage. and struck out St. Joseph's Hunter

"Once that first out is made in a game, I think that's what takes care of the game and how it is played," Moorefield third baseman Hayden Baldwin said.

Moorefield skipper Wade Armentrout took a moment to instruct his team to keep their eyes on him as they were planning to



Moorefield's Thomas Williams attempted to avoid the diving tag by St. Joseph Central Catholic pitcher Cory Sweeney in the Class A state semifinal game at Appalachian Power Park last Saturday.

score runs early and Watts made Williams over to Watts at first base Joseph Central Catholic's Caleb left field. that happen in the bottom of the and Max Adkins grounded out. first inning.

the plate creating seven runs in the first two innings against highly touted St. Joseph Central Catholic ace Lenny Washington.

In the opening frame, Moorefield leadoff batter Brent Moran received a full-count walk and Van Meter followed with a single into the right center gap with Caden Kimble coming in as the base run-

Hayden Baldwin drew a fullcount walk to load the bases for the Yellow Jackets and Watts crushed a three-run producing double into

Washington responded with strikeouts to Moorefield's Matthew Jenkins and Lane Ours before walking Grant Keller and closing the inning with a strikeout on Jayden Moore.

Conner Joseph was issued a walk by Van Meter to begin the second inning for the Irish, then Bronson Barker hit into a double play executed by Moran to Thomas

The Yellow Jackets unleashed The Yellow Jackets stepped to four runs in the bottom of the second inning to maintain the tempo of the game for a 7-nil lead.

Williams was hit by a pitch and Moran delivered a bunt single avoiding the tag attempt of Washington on the first base line.

Washington just barely got to first base in time on Van Meter's center field which eluded a dive by sacrifice bunt.

Baldwin knocked a blooper into right field for an RBI single and Watts followed with an RBI single up the middle to take a 5-0 advan-

Moorefield's Matthew Jenkins, a center gap with fielders converging a catch by Moore in right field off passed ball created an opportunity without making a catch. for Moorefield to add a run.

Lane Ours continued the atbat with an RBI sacrifice fly putting the Yellow Jackets up 7-0 prior to a strikeout on Keller.

Van Meter was poised on the mound having the experience from last year's state championship victory under his belt helping remain confident with a strikeout on St.

Smith and jamming Luke Stollings into a pop-up caught by Watts in the top of the third inning.

Beter was issued a free pass on a full-count and stranded on a strikeout by Van Meter to Sweeney.

After a strikeout to Moorefield's Jayden Moore from St. Joseph relief pitcher Cory Sweeney, Williams singled on a blooper into Washington.

Moran popped out for the second out, then the Yellow Jackets started a rally.

Van Meter singled to the third base side, then Baldwin delivered After a walk by Washington to an RBI single fly ball into the left

> Watts gained his sixth RBI of the game on a two-run producing double to put Moorefield ahead 10-nil prior to a flyout by Jenkins.

> Moorefield needed six more outs without allowing another score for a mercy-rule ending.

Washington grounded out to Baldwin to begin the fourth inning before Hunter Eplin singled into

Van Meter sandwiched strikeouts to Joseph and Adkins around a walk to Barker to retire the Irish

Moorefield's Grant Keller reached base on an error after a flyout by Lane Ours and was left on board on a pop-out by Mason Ours and Thomas Williams short grounder was fielded and a diving tag applied by Sweeney.

Van Meter finished out the game in the fifth inning starting with a strikeout to Smith, then Stollings flew out to Hoyt in left field.

Beter singled past the dive of Baldwin and the Yellow Jackets sealed the 10-0 semifinal win with the bat of Sweeney.

"I love this group of guys and I wouldn't want to be on any other team. I just went out there and threw a lot of strikes and my defense backed me up," Moorefield pitcher Isaac Van Meter remarked.

Moorefield carried the confidence and momentum into the state championship resulting in a repeat title.

Armentrout

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was given the award in 2014.

Coach Armentrout always wants to improve on a daily basis with his team and strives to encourage his players every step of the way.

Giving back to the community is vital part of the Yellow Jackets program and one such way was bringing flowers to a rehabilitation center to brighten the days of those at the complex.

Coach Armentrout shared with the community recently how his players are very respectful and nection to the community as the

show good manners wherever they travel for games and that type of character has left an impact.

He looks for his players to be humble and stay hungry for wins during a season, but to also learn from mistakes and move forward.

As the Moorefield Elementary School principal, Wade Armentrout has a program for studentathletes to read books to the younger students and that has been great for them as role models.

Armentrout has a deeper con-

pastor of the Moorefield Assembly of God Church and a number of his baseball players and their families attend the services.

Coach Armentrout has built a strong baseball program with ten 20-plus win seasons and more importantly helping his players grow into men of integrity and good

Moorefield principal Patrick McGregor is very proud of Coach Armentrout receiving this state coach of the year honor.

"When I first moved to this

school, we coached together and he was my assistant. I've known him serves it. If you go watch his teams pal Patrick McGregor remarked.

perform, they compete at a high level. If they make mistakes, he for a long time and know all the corrects the mistakes. He is an old hard work and dedication he puts school coach in the year 2019 and into everything he does. When I bringing home state championgot this letter that he was the state ships is nice. To be selected by his baseball coach of the year, he depeers is great," Moorefield princi-

Coach Armentrout won the coach of the year award and his team repeated as the state baseball champions this year as they put in the work he has instilled in them to achieve greatness.

THE OLD MASTER

By Jay Fisher

Ouch.

Mountaineer fans are no stranger to heartbreak. It's something that comes with supporting any team, but with WVU fans, it seems

to be harder than most. There is no shortage of difficult games in WVU's history. I have compared being a WVU fan to boulder up a mountain, only to see it roll back down just as he reached

WVU baseball just added to the

outs, full count, bases loaded in the bottom of the ninth, and your team is down by three. One pitch, one swing, and you hit the game winning grand slam. That is what just happened, but WVU wasn't the kid living out the fantasy.

That was how the 2019 basebeing Sisyphus, who would roll a ball season came to an end against Texas A&M. And how they got to that point was also classic painful

The Mountaineers earned the lore. It was a situation that kids overall 15 seed in the NCAA tour-

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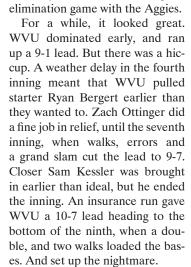
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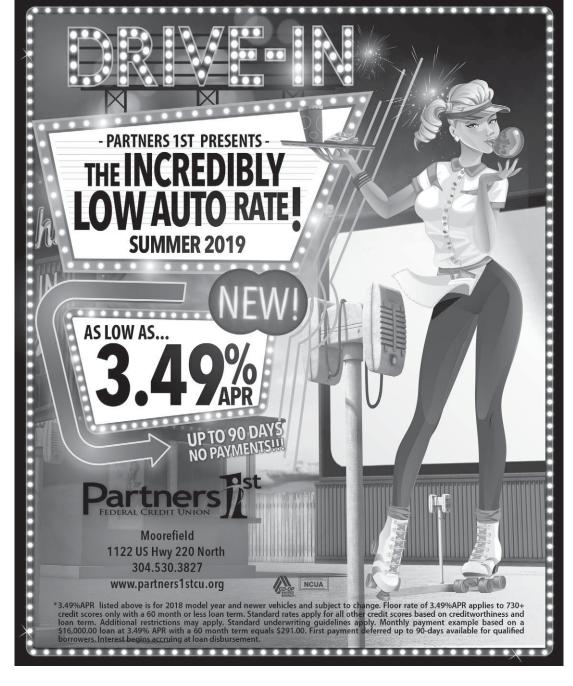
dream up in the back yard. Two nament. That meant WVU would host a regional for the first time since 1955. A historic season was being rewarded with something that hadn't happened in decades. The other teams were Texas A&M, Duke, and Fordham. Things started out great, with Duke upsetting A&M (who was considered by many to actually be the favorite in the regional), and WVU got past Fordham. That meant WVU would face Duke, who had used their best pitcher against the Aggies, while WVU had saved their first round draft pick to be, Alek Manoah. But Manoah did not have his best stuff, and a freshman pitcher baffled the WVU hitters,



and they fell 4-0. That set up an

A few things: first, this was still a great season, and while the ending will always leave a bitter taste, it shouldn't take away too much for the entirety of the season. Second, as tough as it is for the fans, it is tougher for the team.

Finally, congratulations to Moorefield's baseball team, who won its second straight state title.

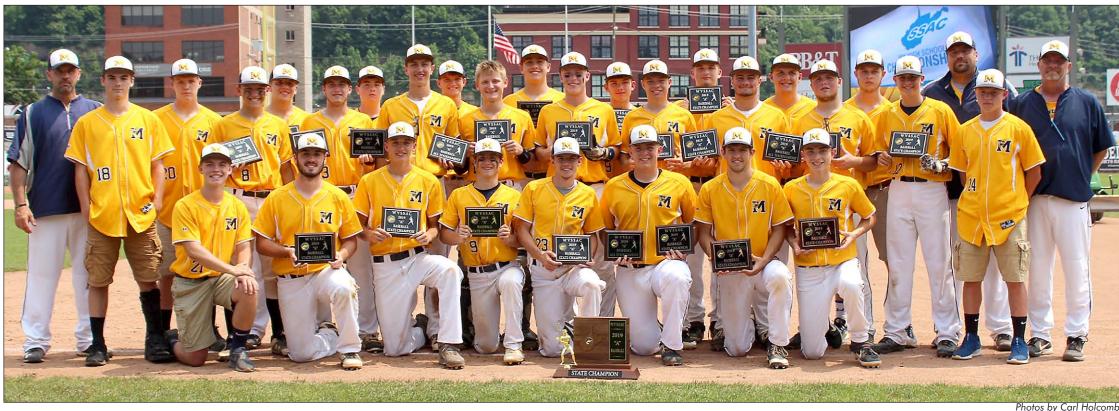




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Moorefield Yellow Jackets Win

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Moorefield's Lane Ours stepped to the plate and delivered a single into center field and Caden Kimble came in as a base runner.

Kimble stole second base, then Grant Keller stuck out and Jayden Moore had a deep shot near the left field fence which was snagged on a leap by Young.

Thomas Williams ripped an RBI single with a full-count to lift the Yellow Jackets into a tie once again and Moran flew out in right field.

Blaydes singled for the Irish in the third inning, but was left stranded on a flyouts to Moore and Jenkins plus a line drive snatched by Moran.

Van Meter got the momentum going with a single into left field, but was caught stealing before Baldwin grounded out.

Watts singled into center field and fellow senior Benjamin Pyles came in as a base runner, but the Yellow Jackets remained tied with Charleston Catholic on a Blaydes strikeout to Jenkins.

The fourth inning is where things got interesting and the Yellow Jackets buzzed ahead.

Moorefield brought in Blake Watts to the pitcher's mound and hurled two straight strikeouts to Blakely and Rennie and jammed Spiegel into a pop-up to Moran as the Irish went down in order.

Lane Ours hit a rocket to left field for the Yellow Jackets, but it was tracked down on a leaping catch by Young at the wall.

catcher Will Strickland and made the dash to first base with the throw by Strickland sailing high and wide with Evan Sayre unable to dive back for a tag in time.

left field and time was called as the fans were cheering loudly.

Williams came up next squeezing an RBI single into center field past the diving attempt of Armstrong as the Yellow Jackets took a 3-2 lead.

After a pop-out by Moran, Van Meter reached base on an error as the throw from third base went awry and plated Moore in the process to extend the edge to 4-2 before Baldwin flew out.

Watts struck out Pile to begin the top of the fifth inning, then the Irish countered with a single by Ross into center field.

Ross advanced on a sacrifice bunt by Blaydes collected by Mason Ours at first base and left

stranded as Armstrong struck out.

The Yellow Jackets went down in order as Watts flew out, then game. Jenkins and Lane Ours grounded

Moorefield needed just six more outs to claim the state championmake the highlights.

Strickland popped out for Charleston Catholic in shallow left field with Van Meter locating the ball, then Sayre popped out to Mo-

Blakey singled into center field and advanced on a passed ball.

The Irish had luck eradicated as Young's blooper landed beyond the dive of Moran, but right fielder Moore was there to collect the ball firing it to catcher Lane Ours making a textbook denial for the out at home plate for the Yellow Jackets as the fans erupted along with his teammates as he showed the ball to the umpire confirming the out and jumped up shouting trium-

Moorefield didn't get on the base path in the bottom of the sixth inning as Keller struck out, then Moore popped out to the catcher and Williams flew out in center

"It was a seven inning dog fight and a good baseball game. Hats off to Moorefield and we hope to match up with them about 365 days from now. We'll start getting to work on it," Charleston Catholic coach Bill Mehle remarked.

"It came down to who blinked first and I guess we blinked in Lee and St. Joseph Catholic's Len-Keller swung at a third strike the fourth inning and they did not ny Washington. which eluded Charleston Catholic throughout seven innings. That's a credit to them.'

Watts remained on the mound to close the game out for the Yellow Jackets.

When I came in, I was ready. Moore crushed a double into I felt good in the bullpen and had control of my pitches. It was up in the air [coming in]. We stayed with Hoyt as long as we could, then coach decided to make the switch. Normally I am a starter and it's hard coming out of the bullpen, but I was ready. It is really exciting [state championship] and is a really big deal making history for our program," Moorefield senior Blake Watts stated.

Meter and Pile flew out to Jenkins with a ceremony at the high school in center field as the Irish were running out of luck with just one out left in the title game.

the state championship for Moorefield went off the bat of Blaydes cluded.

back into left field sailing into the glove of Williams finishing the

Williams launched the ball into the air as his teammates started a dogpile bringing Watts down in celebration with Williams leaping ship and the defense was ready to to the top of the group moments

"It's indescribable. You dream about moments like that your whole life. Last night I was dreaming about making plays and getting hits. We're the first team in Moorefield High School history to twopeat. When expectations are all year that you're winning it, it is hard to live up to those expectations. This team rallied together and we rode 'Results or Words" and got that Ship. It just shows how good our team has been from Little League all the way up. We know our potential. We've worked hard and our coaches worked with us to help us come out here and prove it and we did," Moorefield left fielder Thomas Williams commented.

Moorefield knocked out the Irish 4-2 to earn back-to-back state championships and each member of the team received plaques.

Coach Mehle fell one victory shy of 500 career wins this season and the Irish will have to wait until next season to meet that milestone.

The Class A All-Tournament team members were Moorefield's Van Meter, Watts, Williams and Baldwin; Charleston Catholic's Pile, Strickland, Sayre and Blaydes, Wheeling Central Catholic's Avery

"I thought we could do it and I liked that we won two in a row. I relied on my team and what they could do behind us and I believed in them. I was appreciative of the all-tournament team selection. I did everything I could fielding ground balls and just did my part on the team to help us win," Moorefield third baseman Hayden Baldwin noted.

Moorefield collected the state championship trophy and took thousands of pictures with it before heading home to Hardy County, where Moorefield Volunteer Fire Company 46 escorted the team with local law enforcement for a Spiegel hit a line drive to Van parade through town and finished filled with members of the community greeting the champions.

"This is the best feeling in the Charleston Catholic stayed alive world. [All-Tournament] It's a momentarily as Ross singled into great feeling, but the main goal left field, but the final out securing is to just get on top," Moorefield sophomore Isaac Van Meter con-



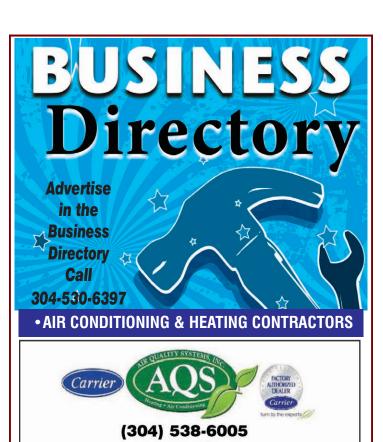
Class A state baseball champion Yellow Jackets were given a special ride by Moorefield Volunteer Fire Company 46 through town for a celebration parade after returning from Charleston on Sunday night.



Moorefield pitcher Blake Watts throws a strike against the Irish during the Class A state championship game at Appalachian Power Park in Charleston last Sunday.



Moorefield principal Patrick McGregor congratulates the Yellow Jackets Baseball team on winning back-to-back Class A state championships during a welcome home ceremony with community support.



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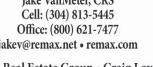
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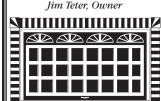
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parcel of real estate will be conveyed unto the highest bidder or bidders by special warranty Deed from your undersigned

Real estate taxes on the real estate the the owner or beneficial holder of the nego tiable promissory note referred to herein for all those taxes coming due to and through the spring of 2019. The high bidder or bidders shall be responsible for the taxes that become due in the fall of 2019 and henceforth, without regard to in whose name they are assessed.

The Trustee shall be under no duty to

cause any existing tenant or person oc-cupying subject real estate to vacate said property.

All costs for Deed preparation and transfer stamps shall be paid by the purchaser. In the event that there are Federal Tax Liens of record against the real estate, the subject of the sale notice, the United States Government shall have the right to redeem the real estate within 120 days from the

date of said sale or a period allowable for said redemption, whichever is longer.

TERMS: A \$10,000 deposit required on day of sale with the balance to be paid in cash at closing. Closing is to occur at the office of your undersigned Trustee at Walters & Heishman, PLLC, 204 N. Elm Street, across from the Courthouse, in Moorefield, Hardy County, West Virginia, at a date and time to be mutually agreed upon between the Trustee and the high bidder(s), which said date and time shall not exceed twenty (20) days from the date of sale Failure to close in accordance with the terms herein shall result in the forfeiture of the deposit. Purchaser may elect to pay the entire purchase price on day of sale.

Prospective bidders are invited to contact your undersigned trustee or Capon Valley Bank, prior to the day of sale with regard to any and all questions that might

Jack H. Walters. Trustee Walters & Heishman, PLLC P.O. Box 119, Moorefield, WV 26836 (304) 530-6618

REQUEST FOR EXPRESSIONS OF

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INTEREST ENGINEERING SERVICES
The Potomac Valley Conservation District, which includes the counties of Grant, Hampshire, Hardy, Mineral and Pendleton, is seeking qualified firms to provide engineering services for a period of two years (with potential for renewal) for projects that may include but are not limited to: stream restoration, channel & bank stabilization, storm water construction, agricultural best management practices, development of watershed based plans, watershed dam inspections and designs, operation & maintenance of flood control structures and field surveys with projects adhering to federal, state, and local regulations. Interested firms need to have strong civil engineering staff, be familiar with water-

shed dams and have the ability to perform environmental assessments. Interested parties should submit one copy of an expression of interest to: Po-tomac Valley Conservation District, 500 East Main St. Suite F, Romney, WV 26757. All submissions should indicate "EOI -En-gineering Services" on the envelope and be received no later than June 24, 2019 at 1:00 p.m. Submission of an EOI does not guarantee work. The Potomac Valley Conservation District reserves the right to reject or accept any/and all expressions of interest.

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IN THE CIRCUIT COURT OF HARDY
COUNTY, WEST VIRGINIA
LUCAS J. SEE, PROSECUTING
ATTORNEY OF
HARDY COUNTY, WEST VIRGINIA ON
BEHALF OF THE
HARDY COUNTY DRUG TASK FORCE,
PETITIONER,
VS

VS. \$3933.00, IN us Currency More or Less, RESPONDENT, CASE NO: 19-P-28 Serve on: Roger Dale Chaplin

Roger Dale Chaplin
Apartment Above Jerry s Shop
Moorefield, WV 26836
NOTICE OF FILING OF
PETITION FOR FORFEITURE
The Object of this suit is to seek an Order forfeiting the described property pursuant to the West Virginia Contraband Forfeiture Act (Chapter 60A, Article 7 of the West Virginia Code, as amended).
TO: ANY CLAIMANT OF A RIGHT IN
SAID PROPERTY

SAID PROPERTY
\$3933.00 in U.S. Currency, more or

less.
You have the right to file a claim to the You have the right to the a claim to the herein described property on or before July 5, 2019, (thirty days after the date of first publication). Any such claim must clearly state the identity of the claimant and an address where legal process can be served upon said Claimant.

The Hardy County Drug Task Force is

The Hardy County Drug Task Force is responsible for the seizure of the respondent property.

The seizure took place on March

18,2019 in Hardy County, West Virginia.
Said property was owned by Roger
Dale Chaplin and found with controlled

Sale Criapini and found with controlled substances.

After the date of filing said claims, an Order of the Court directing forfeiture of the seized said property and vesting ownership of said property in the State shall be

sought.

If you fail to make a claim, thereafter an Order, upon proper hearing shall be your claim for the relief sought in the Petition.

A copy of said petition can be obtained from the undersigned Clerk at her office. Entered by the Clerk of Said Courts on this the 29th day of May 2019.

LEGAL ADVERTISEMENT Eastern West Virginia Community Action Agency, Inc. (EWVCAA) is accepting Request For Quotation's for Weatherization assistance program for the following services: HVAC, Electrical, Plumbing, Chimney repair, and the following materi als: Cellulose, blown fiberglass, mobile home windows & doors, vinyl replacement windows & mobile home furnaces

Contact Bobbi Wilkins at 304-538-7711 to request an application and the RFQ general instructions. EWVCAA encourages M/WBE & labor surplus area firms to apply. All applications & Quotations must be received by EWVCAA by Monday, 2 P.M. June 24, 2019. Late RFQ's will not be considered.

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REQUEST FOR ARCHITECTURAL AND ENGINEERING QUALIFICATIONS

Expression of Interest
The County of Hardy, West Virginia is in
the process of obtaining qualifications from consulting architectural and engineering firms in providing advice and services for the development by the Hardy County Commission in an area of Hardy County, West Virginia. This area consists of a rectangular shaped parcel of land. The project as contemplated will consist of construc-tion of a county facility building(s).

Project ownership will be the County of Hardy, West Virginia. The budget is to be determined. It is anticipated that the County will need engineering services during each phase of the project. Such services may include but will not necessarily be limited to the following: 1) Development of a Preliminary Engineering Report and Master Plan; 2) Development of a project budget and identifying potential funding sources; 3) Assistance with permitting; 4) Project design in accordance with all State, Federal and Local regulations that pertain to the proposed project; 5) Project mapping during all phases of the project; 6) Preparation of bidding and contracting documents for the construction phases of the project; 7) Participation in the evalu-ation of bids received; 8) Monitor and inspect construction activities to insure com-pliance with plans and specifications; 9) Preparation and delivery of final "as built" data; and 10) Overall project administra-tion. Procurement of said services shall be in accordance with West Virginia Code Chapter 5G to the extent applicable. All consultants interested in being considered for this project must submit a proposal detailing qualifications, technical expertise, management and staffing capabilities, and related prior experience. The object of the competitive process is to objectively select the firm which will provide the highest quality of service. Accordingly, technical qualifications and experience will be weighted heavily. Selected respondents will be interviewed and the firm ranked

most qualified will be selected to enter into

fee negotiations. Please submit an original

and two (2) copies of all requested information to: Rose Helmick, Hardy County Coordinator 204 Washington Street Room 111, Moorefield WV 26836. Submissions

may be tendered by mail or hand delivery to the above address.

Proposals will be accepted through June 14, 2019 at 4 p.m. Any submissions received thereafter will not be accepted. The County of Hardy West Virginia reserves the right to contract with one firm for the entire project or more than one firm for arious components of the project, as the County deems to be in its best interests. Your attention is directed to the fact that the proposed project may be undertaken through various funding sources includ-ing but not limited to Community Program Grants, and other sources as available Any questions about the project should be directed to Rose Helmick at hdycommi@court.state.wv.us or (304) 530-0284. The County of Hardy will afford full opportunity to minority or women owned business en terprises to submit a show of interest to this invitation and will not discriminate against any interested firm or individual on the basis of race, creed, color, sex, age, handicap or national origin. The County of Hardy reserves the right to accept or reject any and/or all proposals.

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NOTICE OF PUBLIC HEARING The Hardy County Board of Zoning Appeals will hold a public hearing on Tuesday, June 18, 2019 at 6:00 PM in the Planning Office of the Hardy County Court House, 204 Washington Street, Moorefield, WV 26836. The purpose shall be to review two variance applications, one for a set-back and one to place a singlewide mobile home in a residential district.

The first variance application was submitted by Cheryl Coby for a .51 acres property located at 220 Cold Springs Rd., in Coby Subdivision. More specifically described as Tax Parcels 3, 3.1, and 3.2; Map 324; District 5 (South Fork). The project proposes to place a home on the property that will not allow for the required 15' side setbacks for a residence in a residential

The second variance application was submitted by Joe Fisher for a portion of the Ralph and Betty Fisher property more specifically in Tax District 5 (South Fork) Map 363, Parcel 1, near 6235 US Highway 220 South. The project proposes to place a singlewide mobile home on a portion of a 156 acre property with multiple undivided

Additional information may be obtained at the Hardy County Planning Office located in the basement level of the Hardy County Courthouse, 204 Washington Street, Moorefield WV (304)530-0257.

BILL OF SALE NOTICE OF SPECIAL COMMISSIONER SALE

Notice is hereby given that pursuant to the Order of the Circuit Court of Hardy County, West Virginia, and that certain case styled Stacy J. Conrad v. Christine Ortiz, Civil Action No. 17-C-19, the under-signed Special Commissioners will offer for sale at public auction the below described tract or parcel of real estate, together with the dwelling and any improvements thereon or any appurtenances there unto belonging, to the highest bidder at the front door of the Courthouse of Hardy County in

WEST VIRGINIA DEPARTMENT OF TRANSPORTATION Division of Highways NOTICE TO CONTRACTORS

Bids will be received electronically by the West Virginia Department of Transportation, Division of Highways through the Bid Express Bidding Service (www.bidx.com) and by sealed proposals (only when prequalification is waived) being received at its office in Building 5, Room 843, 1900 Kanawha Boulevard East, Charleston, West Virginia until June 25, 2019 at 10:00 AM (Eastern Standard Time). The bids will be downloaded and d and read publicly thereafter for the constructions of the following project(s):

Contract State Project Federal Project Description
2019000229 R085-REM/GR-20 00 GUARDRAI Description GUARDRAIL

D5 2020 REM Guardrail D-5 Headquarters COUNTY: GRANT, HARDY,

Proposals will be received from prequalified and West Virginia licensed contractors only except that on Federal-Aid projects a contractors' license is not required at time or bid, but will be required before work can begin. Registration is required with the Depart. ment of Administration, Division of Purchasing, in accordance with Chapter 5A, Article 3, Section 12 of the West Virginia Code. All contractors submitting bids on project(s) must include one of the following forms properly executed with each proposal: Proposal Guaranty Bond, Cashier's Check, or Certified Check for \$500.00 or 5% of the total bid,

These are projects on which any contractor with a Category

*These are projects on which any contractor with a Category "W" Prequalification Rating may be eligible to bid.

The West Virginia Department of Transportation, Division of Highways reserves the right to defer, delay or postpone the date for receiving and publicly opened.

The West Virginia Department of Transportation, Division of Highways hereby notifies all bidders that it will affirmatively insure that in any contract entered into pursuant to this advertisement, minority business enterprises will be afforded full opportunity to submit bids in response to this invitation and will not be discriminated against on the grounds of race, color, religion, sex or national origin in consideration for an award.

WEST VIRGINIA DEPARTMENT OF TRANSPORTATION
Division of Highways

Division of Highways

Acting Deputy State Highway Engineer – Planning and Programming

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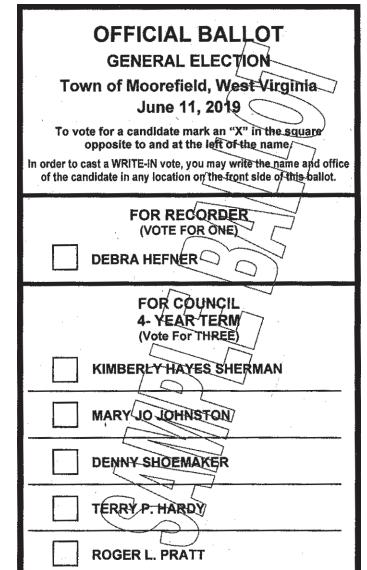


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Moorefield, West Virginia, on the following

date: FRIDAY, JUNE 14,2019 AT 11:00 A.M. All that certain tract or property situate on the North side of U.S. Highway number 55, adjoining U.S. Government land on top of Sandy Ridge, Southwest of Wardensville in Capon District, Hardy County, West Virginia, containing 2 acres, more or less, and being the same tract or parcel of real estate being the same tract or parcel of real estate that was conveyed from Stacy M. Conrad and Wilma J. Conrad, his wife, to Stacy J. Conrad dated November 29, 2001, and of record in Deed Book Number 264 at Page

In the aforesaid deed, the conveyance In the aforesaid deed, the conveyance is described as consisting of two lots each containing one (1) acre, with one (1) lot being reduced by approximately 70.02 square poles due to a prior out conveyance. This real estate is improved by a dwelling and adjoins U.S. Government property. The Special Commissioners will both parcels at one time in one con

TERMS OF SALE: TENMS OF SALE.
 This 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, incumbencies, restrictions, rights-of-way, easements, covenants, conveyances and conditions of record in the Clerk's Office or effecting the

subject property.

2. The purchaser shall be responsible the payment of transfer taxes imposed West Virginia Code § 11-22-1.

The Special Commissioners reserve the right to continue sale of the subject property from time to time by written or oral proclamation which continued shall be in

the sole discretion of the Trustee.

4. The Special Commissioners 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 Special Commissioner sale will be deemed to constitute abandoned property and will be disposed

of accordingly.

The Total purchase price is payable to Special Commissioners withing 30 days of the Date of Sale with 20% of the total pur-chase price payable to the Special Com-

missioners on the day of sale. Lary D. Garrett, Special Commissioner Attorney at Law Attorney at Law PO Box 510

Moorefield, WV 26836

John H. Treadway, JR Special Commissioner Attorney at Law PO Box 434 Moorefield, WV 26836

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NOTICE

The Region VII Workforce **Development Board Annual** Dinner Meeting will be held on June 13, 2019.

The meeting is being held at Blue Ridge Community & Technical College in Martinsburg, WV and will begin at 6:00 P.M. To RSVP, or for meeting information, contact Stacy Swick at 304-530-5258.

JOB OPENINGS

RN, full-time, various shifts with alternating weekends required Various departments. Currently need: Special Care Unit (night shift) and Medical Surgical Unit (night shift and various). Current

WV RN license required. Apply by 6/30/19.

Grant Memorial

Hospital

MEDICAL LAB TECHNICIAN/MEDICAL LAB SCIENTIST, full-time, evening and night shifts needed, but may be required to work other shifts as needed. Candidate will accurately apply scientific principles of manual and automated methods in the performance of medical laboratory procedures to be used by physicians in the diagnosis and treatment of disease; may work independently or in a varying size group; phlebotomy experience is required. West Virginia license required. CLS are generalists and must be able to perform testing in blood bank, chemistry, coagulation, hematology, serology, and micro biology; must be proficient in phlebotomy and be able to perform instrument maintenance and interpret calibrations and QC. They must be able to prioritize work and maintain a professional demeanor under stress. Apply by 6/30/19.

- CENTRAL SUPPLY TECHNICIAN, part-time, Primarily day shift with occasional evenings. Call on weekends is required. Job duties vary, but may include: checking equipment for leaks, broken or loose parts, or other defects Purging waste from equipment and sterilizing all tools according to specific protocols. Organizing inventory and ensuring stock for proper tools for all procedures. Running autoclaves and other sterilization tools. Apply by 6/17/19.
- PATIENT CARE ASSISTANT, full-time, Medical Surgical Unit, night shift (3) 12-hour shifts per week, with alternating weekends required. Current West Virginia CNA certification preferred. Apply by 6/17/19.

CANDIDATES FOR ALL POSITIONS MUST HAVE EXCELLENT CUSTOMER SERVICE, COMMUNICATION & COMPUTER SKILLS

Health insurance is available to all regular full-time employees. Paid Annual Leave (PAL) for regular full-time employment is 23 days/year and increases every 5 years until at the end of 30+ years it is a maximum of 38 days/year. PAL can be used after 6 months of employment. Sick leave for regular full-time employment is accumulated at 1/2 day per month and may be accumulated up to a maximum of 68 days. Sick leave can be used after 6 months of employment.

> TO APPLY go to www.grantmemorial.com, click resources, opportunities and then pick the job you want to apply for. **Human Resource Office Grant Memorial Hospital P.O. Box 1019, Petersburg, WV 26847** 304-257-1026 EOE

HEALTHY SATURDAY - The first Saturday of the month, from 7 - 9 a.m. in the Administration Hallway. CPR CLASSES: Every first Thursday, RHI training room, 8 a.m. **GMH Gift Shop:** MON/TUES/THURS - 10 to 2. **GMH BOARD MEETINGS** are the fourth Monday of every month at 5:30 p.m. in the board room at GMH.

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