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from the wrecking ball. She was also a member of many community organizations and volunteered her entire life here to make this a better place to live. She passed in 1984 and

I have tried to carry the banner forward ever since for our family. It has been an honor to serve this community as your commissioner for the past 15 years.

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Also supporting the students of FFA was the *North Georgia News* and Nelson Tractor Company, Inc., which held its Drive Green event, featuring

live demos and test drives of John Deere and Kubota tractors, an attraction popular with adults and young kids alike.

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She said, "Her most memorable experience as a child was with corn cobs". To my horror the girl pulled a red corn cob and a white one from the bag and proceeded to demonstrate their use. I tried to stop the demonstration, but, the little girl said, "This is part of my interview and these cobs are part of my story". I looked to Shelia Collins, the teacher, for help. She was laughing so hard tears were coming down her face and all she could do was to wave her hands. I guess there were a lot of poor people in the first half of the last century.

which includes Tuesday and Saturday events at the Farmers Market. To register you can come by the Canning Plant Office between the hours of 9 a.m. and 12 noon. Just make sure to bring your notarized and completed registration form with you.

This week at the Farmers Market we are taking reservations for last year's non-agricultural vendors. If a person had a reserved booth last year and does not sell agricultural related products that person can register for a spot for the 2016 year. The cost is \$209

Beginning next week we will be holding our registration for new vendors. You can either come by the office to get a form or you can go to our website at ucfarmersmarket.com and print off a registration form. Complete the form and get it notarized. Then you can bring the form along with the \$209 entry fee to the Canning Plant Office between the hours of 9 a.m. until 12 noon on Monday through Friday beginning on Monday, March 21st. Also, please remember items sold at the Market must be handmade or homegrown.

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day, but some may need up to 35 milligrams. Unfortunately, magnesium oxide, which is the main source of magnesium in supplements, is not very readily eaten because cows don't particularly like the taste. However, you can counter this by mixing corn, soybean meal or molasses with the supplements. You can also use magnesium sulfate as an alternative because it tastes a little better, but be careful with this if your cows are being fed corn co-products as the increased sulfur provided by the magnesium sulfate could lead to toxicity.

which should only ever be done by a trained professional. Cows that have been treated and are recovering should be removed from the pasture and fed a diet of hay and concentrates. Be watchful of those cows in your herd that have previously had grass tetany as they are more likely to get it again.

While we at the extension office can help you analyze your soil and forage test results, if you suspect your herd is experiencing grass tetany, it's important to contact a veterinarian immediately. Treatment for this disease often requires the administration of intravenous fluids or injections

So remember, a mineral a day keeps the veterinarian away! Feeding your early lactating cows magnesium on a regular basis will almost certainly keep grass tetany at bay.

Don't forget about my upcoming High Tunnel Program on March 21st! It will last from 1-3:30 p.m. at the Georgia Mountain Research and Education Center. Topics include choice crops for high tunnels, pest management, and how to apply for one. One hour of pesticide credit for private and commercial applicators will be given.

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on the Meeks Park side as well as the Designated Pet Area side of the park. Pet owners, on the other hand, can only enjoy the trails in the Designated Dog Area.

had inconvenienced him, like we were in his way and had interrupted his stride and he was so upset that he even had to call out to Jesus. After all, he was running in the Designated Pet Area, what did he expect?

I have two dogs that I walk every day and two days of the week they are treated with a walk at the Designated Pet Area at the park. I was appalled today when a runner, without a dog on a leash, became upset because he got too close to my friend's dog (on a leash) as he ran by. My friend's dog did not bark or nip at him, the runner just got too close to the dog. The runner acted as though we

Dogs love to play. He should have given the right of way to pet owners walking their dogs on leashes. Perhaps the runner should keep his running on the Meeks Park side or come to the realization that he may encounter pet owners with dogs on leashes in the Designated Pet Area.

Jo Anne Allen

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With the exception of the superintendent and his assistant, to my knowledge no other employee has received a raise in the past 8 years. During this time these employees have endured furlough days, a nice way to say cut in pay, while paying the same property taxes as all other citizens so that your taxes would not go up.

from the workers is no, but they are afraid to speak up for fear of not being a team player. I was fortunate to work for what I feel is the best school in the state, and I know we have some of the most dedicated teachers, and support staff that can be found. They need your help and support in order to keep the morale from falling!

Jim Hughes

Fowler...

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raise Jesus and contradict the way things normally work. It is no contradiction of natural laws because it was not natural!

The only way to deny the possibility of the resurrection is to assume there is no Creator, which pushes the argument to a different place. Today scientific discoveries like the Big Bang and the genetic code point to an intelligent designer. So why wouldn't that designer intervene to make himself known?

By his Resurrection, Jesus "abolished death and brought life and immortality to light" (1 Tim. 1:10). Follow without prejudice the ample evidence for this historic event wherever it leads. Join Christians near you this Easter in celebrating the greatest documented miracle ever: the Resurrection of Jesus Christ.

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chefs and other food industry experts. They will judge each entry based on commercial appeal, Georgia theme, taste, innovation and market potential in each category. So we hope Blairsville's own Blue Ridge Candy Company has been judged best in category this week.

Wells ...

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care. This will be your legacy that people will remember about you. He is the truth and He knows the truth.

Will racialism toward one another keep us from coming together as the National Day of Prayer approaches? Remember National Day of Prayer was declared after 9-11. Evil brought us to our knees. I don't believe there was any racialism that day. Jesus is love and powerful, but you will never know His love until you believe in Him!

Jackie Wells

Denmon ...

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The photo for the month of February shows John Paul Souther in a wagon on his parents' farm. While he, along with his siblings, later inherited the property, it was still owned by his parents, Jephtha and Mintie Souther, at the time that the photo was taken.

Thank you for allowing the Historical Society to address these issues.

Sincerely,
Alan Denmon,
President Union County
Historical Society

Esposito...

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this simple lesson (as millions of kids across the USA have been), the result of the experiment would have been quite different. And the moms watching would have been "visibly pleased," instead of "visibly shaken." As an NRA-Certified Instructor, I taught the gun safety lesson to hundreds of kids, some of whom (according to their grateful mothers) might not be alive today, were it not for the lesson.

Moms – get your little ones trained.

Chuck Esposito

Woody Gap Kindergarten Registration


Woody Gap School will hold its 2016-17 Kindergarten Registration the week of March 28-April 1. Please call the school at 706-747-2401 to schedule an appointment.

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UNION COUNTY COMMUNITY CALENDAR

Every Monday:		
Children's Story Time	Union County Library	11 am
Kiwanis Club	Steve's Steakhouse	Noon
A Course in Miracles	298 School Circle	2 pm
Civil Air Patrol	Blairsville Airport	6 pm
Boy Scouts #101	United Methodist Ch	7 pm
Every Tuesday:		
Tri State Bus. Women	Blairsville Restaurant	8 am
Tuesday Strippers	Mtn Presbyterian Ch	9:30-2:30
Get Fit	First UMC	5:15 pm
Smoky Mtn. Melodies	United Methodist Ch	6:30 pm
Hi Country Harmonizers	Branan Lodge	6:30 pm
Every Wednesday:		
BINGO	Civic Center	7 pm
Every Thursday:		
Masonic Luncheon	Cooks Restaurant	11:30 am
Rotary Club	So. Bank & Trust	Noon
Get Fit	First UMC	5:15 pm
Fourth Monday of each month:		
Blue Ridge Comm.	McCaysville Lodge	7:30 pm
Fourth Tuesday of each month:		
Compassionate Friends	Grinds & Glazes	Noon
Dead Theologians Soc.	Cabin Coffee	Noon
Misty Mtn Quilt Guild	Blairsville UMC	12:30 pm
VFW Post #7394	Veteran's Center	6:30 pm
Eastern Star #304	Location not listed	7:30 pm
Fourth Wednesday of each month:		
No activities listed		
Fourth Thursday of each month:		
Lions Club	Steve's Cookie Jar	6 pm
Cruisers Club Meeting	Sr. Center pavilion	6 pm
UT Homebuilders	YH College	7 pm
Fourth Friday of each month		
Eastern Star #471	Location not listed	7:30 pm
Fourth Saturday of each month:		
Youngeane Lodge #597	Lodge Hall	7:30 pm

Bell Ringing Union County Old Courthouse



March 11, 2016
in memory of
Paula Paris Johnson
Anniversary
by Ginger & Terry Meeks

March 15, 2016
in honor of
Ira T. Harkins 97th Birthday
by sons
Thomas & Robert Harkins

March 19, 2016
Harry Walker
62nd Wedding Anniversary
by Shirley Walker
Child Bride

March 27, 2016
in memory of
Gertrude W. Shuler
by Betty J. Shuler

Bell ringing information
at 706-745-5493