ROCKY TOP NEWS

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TEACHERS GO TO SCHOOL IN COAL CREEK

High school American History and Geography is a standard that requires the teaching of the Coal Creek Labor Saga, effective for the



2014-2015 School year. History came alive for twenty-five teachers participating in a Tennessee Tech continuing education class when they visited sites associated with the Coal Creek labor saga, so they can teach it to their students.

Here are some of the lessons taught during the tour: Post-Civil War Development, Coal Creek War at Militia Hill, Fraterville Mine Explosion at the Abandoned Mine Portal, Cross Mountain Mine Explosion and Rescue at Briceville

Church, Legacy of the Coal Creek Miners at Leach and Longfield Cemeteries

Stories about the Fraterville miners were told at these cemeteries where most of them are buried.





Teachers read farewell messages over the graves of those who wrote them.

The teachers each received a red bandana in honor the Coal Creek miners which is what they wore as their uniform during the Coal Creek War.

More information and pictures can be found at http://www.coalcreekaml.com/TNtechTeachersJuly2014.htm

First New Business in Rocky Top

We would like to welcome Rocky Top's first new business



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Back to School Driving Safety Anderson County Schools started on Thrusday, August 7th and

Anderson County Schools started on Thrusday, August 7_{th} and with the start of school is the start of school zones.

Just reminder drop off times at the elementary schools are between 7:30 and 8 a.m. The middle school drop off times are between 7:20 and 7:55 a.m. The high schools will drop off between 7:45 and 8:35 a.m. The elementary schools will dismiss at 3:05 p.m., the middle schools at 3:10 p.m. and the high schools at 3:45 p.m. every day but Wednesday. Wednesdays elementary and middle schools will dismiss at 1:35 p.m. and the high schools at 2:15 p.m.

When school is back in session, there will be significantly more traffic.

Pedestrians, buses, and parents all contribute to school zone congestion. According to the Anderson County Sheriff's

Department, many schools in Anderson County are faced with traffic issues such as parking, speeding, unsafe U-turns, and more. Motorists should exercise



a heightened awareness in and around a school zone. Potential hazards are much easier to perceive when driving at or below the school zone speed limit.

Special attention must also be paid to buses displaying flashing red lights when on an undivided roadway. In these instances, drivers are required by state law to stop and wait until the flashing red lights are turned off before passing a bus.

Follow these simple suggestions to help make school zones safer for everyone:

Don't speed

- Don't impede traffic
- Don't block intersections or school entrances and exits
- Don't make U-turns in school zones
- □ Watch for children walking or on bicycles
- Always make sure that your children are wearing seatbelts when driving them to and from school.

Sheriff's deputies will be enforcing all traffic laws in our school zones. Please slow down, be alert, and drive with care and caution for the safety of our children.

Extreme Classroom Makeover

Students, parents, and teachers toured the new "science studio" during the Tuesday, Aug. 5 reveal of Susan Silvey's recently outfitted classroom full of state-of the-art technology. Silvey, a science teacher at Rocky Top Middle School, was the winner of this year's \$30,000 grant from ORAU's Extreme Classroom Makeover competition.

The middle school teacher spent the summer selecting and installing her new technology, installing it in her classroom and preparing for her new class of rising students. Her arsenal of learning technology was on full display during the reveal. A Place for Exploration and Innovation. Event attendees explored stations similar to those students will experience during the school year featuring new learning tools that included microscopes, a Promethean board, laptops, charging cart, and a state-of-the-art sound system.

Send Us Your News

The Rocky Top News is published by volunteers who are not always able to gather all of the news happening in Rocky Top. Therefore, we are asking for your help. If you are at an event, please take a picture and email it to the Rocky Top News at info@rockytoptnchamber.com with the details of the event. Also, if you are involved in an organization or group that is planning an event in Rocky Top, please email or call the Rocky Top News with the details. There is no event too big or too small to let us know about.

Rocky Top Community Events and Meetings

Aug. 9	Second Saturdays in Historic Downtown Clinton
Aug. 12	Rocky Top City Court at City Hall at 7 p.m.
Aug. 14	Rocky Top Water and Sewer Committee Meeting At City Hall at 9 a.m.
Aug. 15	Free Yoga Class at Take Charge Fitness
Aug. 19	Rocky Top Planning Commission at City Hall 7 p.m.
Aug. 21	Rocky Top Council Meeting at City Hall 7 p.m.
Aug. 25	Rocky Top Library Books Discussion 10:00 a.m.
Sept. 1	Labor Day Holiday
Sept. 9	Rocky Top Chamber After Hours 4 to 6 p.m. at City Hall
Sept. 10	Laptop Computer Class at Lake City Public Library from 10 a.m. to 12 noon
Sept. 12	Medic Regional Blood at Powell Clinch Utility District in Rocky Top from 9 a.m. to 4 p.m.

Train Rides at Secret City Excursion Train

Enjoy a train ride on the Secret City Excursion Train on August 2nd,

15th, and 16th. Departure times will be at 11am, 1pm & 3pm on the 2nd and 16th. On the 15th, trains will depart at 1pm and 3pm. During the ride, passengers will hear the story of the Manhattan Project, which was one of the most remarkable industrial achievements ever accomplished. There will also be a dinner train on the 16th at 6pm. Diners will be treated to a delicious entrée prepared by Chef



Andras. For more information, call 865-241-2140 or visit www.southernappalachia.railway.museum.



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Chamber After Hours

The next Rocky Top Chamber of Commerce's event will be a Business After Hours hosted by the Anderson County Elected Officials on September 9, 2014 from 4 to 6 p.m. at City Hall located at 195 South Main Street in Rocky Top. **Everyone is welcome.** The elected officials will be giving away free

The elected officials will be giving away free hot dogs so stop by and visit with your elected officials.



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IBRARY NEWS

The Rocky Top Public Library will be hosting a series of FREE Laptop Computer Classes. You must pre-register for the class and there are only six computers available in the lab.

On September 10th from 10 a.m. to 12 noon and October 6th from 5 to 7 p.m., the class will be an Introduction to Laptop Computers.

On September 18th from 5 p.m. to 7 p.m., the class will be an Intro

to IPad and Downloadable Books. On October 8th from 10 a.m. to 12 noon, the class will be an Intro to Verso Card Catalog & Your Library Account .

The Rocky Top Public Libarary will also host a Free Basic Desktop Computer Classes every Tuesday at 11:00am.

The library's children story

times will be on Fridays at 4 p.m. and Saturdays at 12 noon. The adult book discussion will be on August 25th at 10 a.m. and the Common Threads Needle Club will meet on August 21st at 10 a.m.

All of the Rocky Top Public Library's events are free and open to the public. For more information, visit www.rockytoplibrary.com or call 865-426-6762.

Free Yoga Class

Take Charge Fitness Program, conveniently located at 1921 N. Charles Seivers Boulevard in Clinton, will be hosting FREE yoga classes on Friday, August 15th to help EVERYONE enjoy National Relaxation Day!! The following

Relaxation Day!! The following classes are available on that day: 9:30 Yoga (for all levels) & 10:30 Chair Yoga (for beginners). The community is invited to just take time to slow down, breathe and experience



the stress reducing benefits of our yoga classes! If you have any questions, please contact Take Charge Fitness staff at 865-457-8237!

Second Saturdays in Clinton

This summer, the Historical Downtown Clinton district will be hosting Second Saturdays, which will be a monthly celebration of

Tennessee's largest antique and specialty shopping district.

On August 9th and September 13th, there will be a produce market and flower and plant sale that opens at 9 a.m. in the commons area between Granny's Attic and Healthy Visions. There will also be food and music throughout the day.



For more information, you can call 865-264-4258 or follow on facebook at "Second Saturday in Clinton, TN".

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PASTORS CORNER

Psalms 118:24 declares, "This is the day that the Lord has made; we will rejoice and be glad in it."

We live in a great day! Although many people speak evil or negative of the day we live in it is in fact truly a marvelous day. I believe the reason for this is the place of understanding the Lord is bringing His church to. The church is beginning to understand the Grace of God and this in turn is bringing us to a great place of rejoicing!

Nothing will cause the people to rejoice like coming to an understanding that God is truly gracious. The church, for far too long, has portrayed God in a light that He is mean, angry, and upset. However, the truth about God is that He is not angry at all. The scripture declares He is gracious and full of compassion. When we come to understand and believe this it will cause a great rejoicing to rise up in the midst of His people. What a comfort to know that the creator of the universe is not angry but on the contrary is very gracious toward us.

The word *rejoice* in the original Hebrew language of the Old Testament has an incredible meaning. *Rejoice* is the Hebrew word "gheel," which means to spin around under any violent emotion. When we begin to understand God's love and grace toward us it will cause a great turn or spin in our lives. In fact turn or spin is what the word repentance means in the New Testament. *Repentance* means to change your mind or to turn around.

In Romans 2:4, it says the goodness of God leads us to repentance. If we truly want to see people repent we shouldn't preach the meanness or hatefulness of God but rather the grace and goodness of God. Nothing will cause a turnaround and a mind change like understanding that God is very good! When we preach our God as being a good God people are far more likely to press in closer to Him rather than when we preach about Him being angry.

My concern is such that we have portrayed God in such a negative light that we have caused people to shy away, rather than be drawn closer to him. When people turn from God they are turning from the one thing that will help them. I would say no matter what the situation is going on in your life don't run from God but rather run to God! He is there to help you and be your source. He loves us so much that he would rather send His son to die for us than live without us. Now that is Grace and that is worth rejoicing about!

With all of this in mind rejoice in this wonderful day that the Father has made, understanding that He is not mad at you but mad about you!

Danny Phillips

Pastor of Lake City Christian Fellowship

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Sunset

By Charlotte Martín

Life's evening sun for me is sinking--As the evening sun sets in the west. Christ's gentle voice to me is speaking He knows for me just what is best.

Every hair on my head is numbered--He's my breathing out, my breathing in. He is my roommate, my partner He is my Best Friend. He knows for me just what is best.

Nothing in His sight goes unnoticed He notes the sparrow's fall In His sight, I'm told, I'm precious He knows for me just what is best.

Throughout my lifespan Many affliction, sometimes near the point of death Yet, touched by the healing hand of Jesus-a restoration He knows for me just what is best.

Christ gently once again to me is speaking To be of good hope, be of good comfort, be of good cheer.

He is an all-wise Heavenly Father He knows for me just what is best.

'Hike & Bike'

A Covenant Health fitness expert will lead a "Hike and Bike" at

Haw Ridge on Friday, August 15. The "Hike and Bike" will be led by fitness expert Missy Kane. Participants will enjoy a three- to fivemile hike with different length options. They can drive or ride bikes to Riverside Grille afterward for an optional lunch. During that lunch, Kane will share personal tips for health and fitness. She will be joined by Karen Lacey, a registered dietitian for Methodist Medical Center. Lacey will discuss healthy eating and



how to fuel your body for exercise. Haw Ridge Park is situated on a scenic peninsula along the Clinch River between Knoxville and Oak Ridge. It has nearly 30 miles of trails to accommodate walkers, hikers, mountain bikers, and trail runners. Call (865) 835-4662 for more information about the hike and to register.

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Days of the Pioneer Antique Show

The Museum of Appalachia will host the second annual Days of the Pioneer Antique Show on September 12, 2014 from 9 a.m. to 5 p.m. and September 13, 2014 from 9 a.m. to 4 p.m.

This show will feature over sixty of the finest selection of 18th & 19th century Antique Dealers.

"This show is truly a one of a kind event and is slated to be one of the best antique shows in the country," said Elaine Meyer, President of the Museum. "With the 65acre Museum of Appalachia as a backdrop, attendees can experience the Museum



which houses thousands of early American artifacts in their natural setting, and then have the opportunity to purchase similar items from scores of outstanding dealers who will be here from across the country."

During the show, traditional craftsmen will be on the grounds demonstrating their various centuries-old talents. The venue will also provide mountain music in different locations on the grounds while other areas will highlight Civil War-era soldiers and civilians in their period dress.

Tickets also include a tour of the Museum, a farm-village with some three dozen historic log structures, exhibit halls filled with authentic Appalachian artifacts, and gardens and farm animals in a picturesque setting surrounded by split-rail fences.

To learn more about membership and this event, call 865-494-7680 or visit www.MuseumofAppalachia.org.

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Free Genealogy Workshop

The Anderson County Historical Society and the Clinton Public Library will offer a series of 4 free genealogy classes this fall. The first class is scheduled for Monday, August 25th from 6-8 pm in the community room of the Clinton Library. There is no charge for the workshop.

This month's topic will be Genealogy Research at the Courthouse, Library or Archives. ACHS member, genealogist and local historian Stephanie Hill will discuss strategies for planning your visit, locating and accessing records and maximizing your results. Participants will receive a free packet of material and forms. Seating is limited; anyone wishing to attend must pre-register either in person at the library or by telephone at 457-0519.



5 County Norris Lake Clean-up – September 27th at Norris Lake

Norris Lake is one of East Tennessee's most loved recreation destinations, but the garbage that is constantly dumped in the lake is causing an eye sore. Therefore the five counties that contain Norris Lake have banned together to clean up the problem. Volunteers from Anderson, Campbell, Claiborne, Grainger and Union counties are needed. For more information on where to meet for clean-up and how you can volunteer to help, call 1-800-524-3602 or visit www.lakenorris.org.

Wicked Wildcat Weekend – September 5-7 at Windrock Park Presented by Wildcatforums.net, this event includes guided trail rides, vendors, and more for off-road riders with an Arctic Cat Wildcat machine. If you have a Wildcat Side by Side or want to participate, call 423-647-2721 or visit www.wildcatforums.net.

Classes at the Appalachian Arts Craft Center

The Appalachian Arts Craft Center is offering multiple classes throughout the month of August and September. Some of the August classes will include "Beginner Drop Spindle" and "Knitting".





Some of the September classes will include "Pottery on the Wheel" and "Handbuilding with Clay". For information on the class times, how to register, and prices call 865-494-9854 or visit www.appalachianarts.net. Thank you for choosing Mark's Pharmacy as your home town pharmacy. We have a few updates to tell you about. We are in the process of changing our name to "ROCKY TOP DRUG". The same friendly and great customer service you receive will remain. We are always searching for better ways to serve our



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<u>rockytopdrugs@gmail.com</u>. Need to update your insurance card? Snap a photo with your phone and text it securely to our pharmacy staff! We will be responding to emails and texts during our regular business hours.

With flu season fast approaching don't forget to stop by and get your flu shot. We will begin giving flu shots on Thursday, October 2, 2014. The business hours for the Express Clinic are 9:30 am - 4:00 pm.

Thank you for your patience while we are going through these changes and a big "Thank You" for making Mark's Pharmacy/Rocky Top Drug YOUR pharmacy.

Becky Lindsay City Council



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Celebrating Seven Islands State Birding Park

By Ranger Lauren Baghetti, Ranger at Norris Dam State Park

July 1st was a beautiful summer day. It was sunny, on the warm side, a few clouds in the sky, but no threat of rain, and birds were chirping. I remember this day clearly because of the birds. That morning I was at the "opening" of Seven Islands State Birding Park in Knoxville, the newest state park. As individuals made their speeches and presentations, birds chimed in with their beautiful calls. It seemed as though they were just as excited as everyone in attendance.



As its name implies, it is a park for birds and birders. Over 180 species have been spotted! Several factors influence the number of birds and bird species that flock to the area. Seven Islands has several different habitats, elevation change, four seasons, and is along the migratory path for many species. Habitats include field, forest, wetland as the park sits on the French Broad River, and old barns. Songbirds like Summer Tanager, Indigo Bunting, Cardinal, Woodpecker, Hummingbird, and Chickadee enjoy field and forest habitats, while Great Blue Heron, Cormorants, and Kingfisher are found on the shoreline. While Bald Eagles are found more often near water and hawks over land, both take advantage of food sources in both ecosystems. Barn Owls have been spotted in the barns. If you come throughout the year you are sure to find several different birds, ones you might not have seen the last time you visited as migratory birds have passed through.

Complete Dinner in Crock Pot

Ingredients

3/4 inch Steak Potatoes Frozen corn on the cob A1 or Heinz 57 sauce

Directions

Use a thick 3/4 inch steak, Pour 1/2 cup of A1 or Heinz 57 sauce over meat and cover with a layer of foil. Add foil wrapped potatoes and foil wrapped frozen corn on the cob. Cook on low for 6 hours.

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Main Street Baptist Church offers specialized ministries for each member of the family; Men, Women, Seniors, Youth and Children. They also have a Food Pantry that is open on Tuesdays from 12 to 2 p.m. and a Soup Kitchen every Wednesday from 11 a.m.12:30 p.m.



Sunday School 10 to 11 a.m. • Sunday Morning Worship 11 a.m. to 12 noon Wednesday Evening Service 6:30 to 8 p.m. In addition to birding, Seven Islands State Birding Park also has several miles of hiking trails, and biking is allowed on the paved greenway to the river. The Knoxville Chapter of the Tennessee Ornithological Society conduct programs throughout the year including banding and bird counts. Banding is helpful in monitoring and studying bird populations, migration patterns, and assists in conservation efforts. There is also a canoe/kayak launch near the parking area. By canoeing the river visitors get a different view of the park.

The day was celebrated by many. The ceremony opened with Tennessee State Parks' Honor Guard presenting the flags. Woodmen of the World presented 15 handmade duck boxes to Park Manager Justine Cuchiarra. Before and after the ceremony visitors had a chance to walk around the park and speak with several groups set-up with displays. In addition to Woodmen of the World, the Knoxville Chapter of Tennessee Ornithological Society was also there. Park Ranger David Haggard and Seasonal Interpreter Jazmine Kennedy had a bald eagle and pine snake to talk about wildlife found in the area. Also on display was the park's electric lawn mower which drew quite a crowd. Talking with guests was Park Ranger Tyler Farrar. He previously worked at Booker T. Washington State Park in Chattanooga before moving to Seven Islands. Ranger Farrar said he is "looking forward to doing more resource management" at the park. He added that the park offers "solitude from the city." That it does, Seven Islands is approximately 19 miles from Knoxville and just a few from Interstate-40. Despite being that close to the interstate, traffic noise is non-existent.

Seven Islands is the first birding park in the Tennessee State Parks system. Land was acquired twelve years ago in 2002 through the joint efforts of Seven Islands Foundation, a non-profit land conservancy, and the Knox County Parks and Recreation Department. During this time Knox County Parks managed the land and in September 2013 it was transferred to the state becoming the 56th state park. On July 1st of this year, the park "opened" as a state park.

Please visit the newest state park, Seven Islands State Birding Park. It has beautiful scenery, birds, trails, and water access. Don't forget your binoculars, bird identification book, and a journal to write down the birds you see and hear. Happy birding!

Directions to the park: Take I-40 east to Exit 408 for Midway Road. Turn right onto Midway Road, turn left onto Maples Road. At the intersection with Kodak Road, turn right. Turn left onto Kelly Lane at Bethel Church. Kelly Lane will take you to the parking area and water access point.

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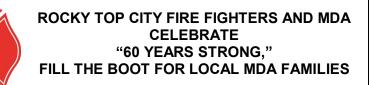
Did you know that with one donation of blood, you could help save up to three lives.

Mark your calendars for September 12th from 9 a.m. to 4 p.m. when Medic Regional Blood will be at Powell Clinch Utility District in Rocky Top.

If you are interested in hosting a blood drive at your place of business or your church, visit www.medicblood.com/donate for more information. You can also find information on the website about eligibility to donate and Medic's blood coverage benefits.



LTHE BOD



ROCKY TOP, TN August 25 THROUGH September 1, 2014 — Members of the Rocky Top

Fire Department and local businesses in the community, along with the Muscular Dystrophy Association, will celebrate their 60-year partnership and kick off the fire fighters' annual Fill the Boot fundraising campaign to benefit children and adults affected by muscle disease throughout the Rocky Top area.

More than 6 members of the Rocky Top Fire Department will fan out across the city with boots in hand for this year's drive on August 30th to FILL THE BOOT! There will also be boots out at the local Rocky Top businesses to include Cooper Supply, LaFiesta, Glenn's Pizza & Grill, Advance Auto Parts, Lake City Tire, Mark's Pharmacy, Corner Drug and Brenda's Hair Fashions and many more from August 25th through September 1st for another chance for you to help out and Fill the Boot.

"Throughout 2014 MDA and fire fighters are celebrating 60 years of proud partnership, joined together in the fight against life-threatening muscle disease, said Fundraising Coordinator, Teresa Underwood. "Fire fighters in the Rocky Top area do more for MDA and the families we serve than any other group, dedicating countless hours of their time every year participating in Fill the Boot drives and at MDA Summer Camp. We're grateful for the support of these inspiring, selfless individuals who have made a profound impact on our families' health, wellbeing and quality of life, and we're excited to make this year's Rocky Top Fill the Boot campaign the most successful yet."

Funds raised through 2014 Rocky Top Fill the Boot events will help support MDA's programs of worldwide research, specialized health care services, and day-to-day support – which includes sending children affected by muscular dystrophy and related diseases to a weeklong, barrier-free MDA summer camp at The Center for Courageous Kids in Scottsville, KY.

As the Muscular Dystrophy Association's largest national sponsor, the IAFF fuels MDA's mission to find treatments and cures for lifethreatening muscle diseases.

The IAFF is a major contributing sponsor of the MDA Show of Strength Telethon, and IAFF contributions from charity baseball games and other local events help support MDA's efforts to raise awareness and provide professional and public education about neuromuscular diseases.

IAFF support for MDA began in 1954 when the organization committed by proclamation to support MDA until a cure is found, and the organization's unwavering commitment to MDA has remained strong to this day. The IAFF raised \$100,000 for MDA in 1955, and \$1 million in 1970, and fire fighters continue to raise the bar in their fundraising efforts. In 2013, more than 100,000 fire fighters participated in Fill the Boot events across the country and raised \$26.2 million. To date the IAFF has raised \$530 million for MDA.

About the IAFF

The <u>International Association of Fire Fighters</u> represents more than 300,000 professional fire fighters and paramedics who protect 85 percent of the nation's population. More than 3,200 affiliates and their members protect communities in every state in the United States and in Canada.

About MDA

The <u>Muscular Dystrophy Association</u> is the world's leading nonprofit health agency dedicated to saving and improving the lives of anyone with muscle disease, including muscular dystrophy, amyotrophic lateral sclerosis (ALS) and other neuromuscular diseases. It does so by funding worldwide research to find treatments and cures; by providing comprehensive health care services and support to MDA families nationwide; and by rallying communities to fight back through advocacy, fundraising and local engagement. Visit <u>mda.org</u> and follow us at <u>facebook.com/MDAnational</u> and <u>@MDAnews</u>.

The Muscular Dystrophy Association Teresa Underwood 865-588-1632 tunderwood@mdausa.org

Operation Medicine Cabinet

Over 70 Pounds of Unwanted Medicine Properly Disposed of During Operation Medicine Cabinet

On Saturday, July 26, 2014, the Oak Ridge Police Department and Allies for Substance Abuse Prevention (ASAP) of Anderson County held Operation Medicine Cabinet as part of a continued effort to reduce drug abuse and practice stewardship toward our environment.

According to Stacey Pratt, Project Coordinator of ASAP, 71.0 pounds of medication were collected at the event held at Oak Ridge Police Department. Medicine collected was incinerated to comply with federal guidelines. All paper and plastic containers were recycled.

Organizers would like to thank all of those who helped make this event possible, including residents who brought medicine for disposal, Oak Ridge Police Department, Anderson County Solid Waste Department, South College School of Pharmacy, and ASAP volunteers.

Residents are encouraged to utilize permanent medicine disposal bins at Clinton Police Department, Norris Police Department, Oliver Springs Police Department and Rocky Top Police Department. The next collection event will be held on October 25 at ORPD. For more information please visit ASAPofAnderson.org or call 865-457-3007.

This Month in History

Sponsored by County Commissioner, Tim Isbel

On August 6, 1945 The United States dropped the first atomic bomb on Hiroshima, Japan. Oak Ridge was instrumental in the creation of the bomb. Oak Ridge produced the plutonium used in the bomb and was part of the secret Manhattan project. The Oak Ridge site was selected because the Clinch River provided ample supplies of water, nearby Knoxville was a good source of labor, and the TVA could supply the huge amounts of electricity needed. Gen. Groves ordered acquisition



of the 56,200 acre site on 19 September 1942 in a **Tim Isbel** tightly controlled security area spanning three Appalachian valleys.

AC election results

County Mayor: Terry Frank Sheriff: Paul White General Sessions Judge, Division 1: Don Layton General Sessions Judge, Division 2: Roger Miller Juvenile Court Judge: Brian Hunt Circuit Court Clerk: William Jones Register of Deeds: Tim Shelton School Board, District 2: Teresa Portwood School Board, District 7: Don Bell County Commission, District 1: Tracy Wandell and Chuck Fritts District 2: Rick Meredith and Mark Alderson District 3: Steve Emert and Phillip Warfield District 4: Tim Isbel and Chris Phillips District 5: Jerry White and Robert McKamey District 6: Steve Mead and Whitey Hitchcock District 7: Jerry Creasey and Theresa Scott District 8: Myron Iwanski and Robin Biloski Constable District 2: Jason Stokes and Eugene Chaney Constable District 3: Wade Brock Republican State Executive Committeeman: Scott David Smith State House of Representatives, District 33 Republican primary: John Ragan State House, District 33 Democratic primary: Misty Neergaard State House, District 36: Republican Dennis Powers and Democrat James Virgil Kidwell

AUGUST 2014

New Books, CDs and DVDs at the Rocky Top Library

Fiction

Last to Know by Elizabeth Adler The Escape by Mary Balough Wayfaring Stranger by James Burke Dreamland by Bruce Burgess Power Play by Catherine Coulter A Catered Fourth of July by Isis Crawford The Striker by Clive Cussler The Hacker by Ted Dekkar A Plain Man by Mary Ellis The Silkworm by Robert Galbraith Take Me Home by Dorothy Garlock Tom Clancy Support and Defend by Mark Greaney The Little Green Book by Brian Herbert Unwept by Tracy Hickman Sight Unseen by Iris Johansen A Sword upon the Rose by Brenda Joyce The City by Dean Koontz Raina's Choice by Gilbert Morris Uncaged by John Sandford Act of War by Brad Thor A Circle of Spies by Roseanna White

Adult Westerns

Luke Jensen, Bounty Hunter by William Johnstone Showdown in Desperation by J.R. Roberts

Non-Fiction

Diabetes Rescue Diet by Mark Bricklin Our Best Recipes by Better Homes and Gardens Easy Dinners by Better Homes and Gardens Best Loved Healthy Recipes by Catherine Cassidy Cooking Light Crave by Shaun Chavis Classic Christmas Recipes

Christmas Cookies by Katherine Eakin Back of the Box Cooking by Barbara

Greenman

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Anderson County High School Football Schedule

August 22 Clinton at Home August 29 Austin East at Home September 5 Gibbs at Home September 12 Campbell County September 19 at Karns September 26 at Powell October 2 at Central October 2 at Central October 10 at Catholic October 24 at Halls October 30 Oak Ridge at Home

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