Your Weekly "Sunny" Buck News

October 18th - October 24h

Salvation Army Food Drive Slated: Freedom Bank in South Buckhannon is holding a food drive for the Salvation Army. Donations may be dropped off in the main lobby from 9a – 3p Monday thru Thursday, 9a – 6p Friday. Any items are greatly appreciated. Questions? Call Gina Ball at 304-472-7070.

Purple Scarf of Hope Contest – The WV affiliate of the Pancreatic Cancer Action Network announced the 3rd annual Purple Scarf of Hope Contest in conjunction with Pancreatic Cancer Awareness Month in November. Knitters, crocheters, weavers and crafters of all ages are invited to submit a purple scarf to be judged. Scarves will be judged in 4 categories: knit, crochet, weaving, felting, and other (includes quilting). The predominant color of the scarf should be purple. Persons who enter a scarf will also have the opportunity to donate their scarf to a pancreatic cancer patient. There is a $5 entry – all proceeds will be donated to the Pancreatic Cancer Action Network. Entries are due by October 30th and will be on display the entire month of November at Fetty's Repair Service in Buckhannon. For more info contact: Annette-Fetty Santilli at 304-457-6333.

Upshur County Sports Calendar

Oct. 19th: Girls JV Volleyball vs Fairmont Senior High 6pm
Girls V Volleyball vs Fairmont Senior High 7:30pm
Oct 21st – Girls JV Volleyball vs Preston High School 6p
Girls V Volleyball vs Preston High 7:30p
Oct 25th - BUHS Jr Varsity Football vs E Fairmont High School 6:30p

MONDAY EVENTS: **October 18th**

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TUESDAY EVENTS: **October 19th**

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WEDNESDAY EVENTS: **October 20th**

- Peadiatric Flu Vaccine Clinic Every Wednesday – 8a – 10:30a and 12:30-3:30p 6mos-18 yrs old Upshur County Health Dept.
- Buckhannon Fire Department will be hosting an open house followed by an adult fire safety presentation. The open house will start at 6p and run until 7p when the fire safety presentation will start.
- St Joesph's Hospital will offer a drive-by flu clinic from 3-5p. Flu shot available to anyone over 6 years old. Cost is $20 or covered thru Medicare. To schedule a shot for home-bound individuals, call 304-473-6800.

THURSDAY EVENTS: **October 21st**

- Adult Flu Vaccine Clinic – 11a-3p – 18 yrs & older Upshur County Health Dept.
- Octoberfest at Chapel Hill UMC 4-7p. This is a Buckhannon Lions Club fundraiser. Advance tickets $8 for adults – children $5. $10 at door for Adults. Purchase tickets from any member or at the Market Bistro.

FRIDAY EVENTS: **October 22nd**

- **Lascaux Micro-Theatre –** 7:30 pm – 2010 Manhattan Short Film Festival – Come and vote for your favorite – this Friday only. Check out festival: http://www.manhattanshort.com/2010_finalists.html For reservations call 304-473-1818.
- Upshur County Senior Center costume dance from 7-10p open to the public. Admission is $5 – proceeds to benefit center – refreshments available. No alcohol permitted. Prizes awarded for best costumes. "Surf's Up" will play 50's & 60's music.
- Hobo Stew at the Buckhannon Eagles on Route 20 at 6p – Dinner is $6 Public is invited.

SATURDAY EVENTS: **October 23rd**

- Pancakes & Sausage Breakfast – October 23rd – Chapel Hill UMC Band of Brothers – Adults $5 Kids under 12 $3
- Rotary Blood Screening – BUMS - $35 – Extra tests available – Flu Shoots available too. 6:30a -10:00a
- Teen Dance from 8-10p Banks District VFD. Open to middle & high school students. Admission is $5 per couple and $3 for singles. Prizes will be award for best couple, prettiest, ugliest and funniest costumes. Alcohol & drug free event.

SUNDAY EVENTS: **October 24th**

- Baked Steak Dinner at Holy Rosary Catholic Church Marist Hall from 11:30a-5p. Adults $6 children 3-13 $3 – under 3 eat free. Menu: Baked steak, mashed potatoes, gravy, green beans, salad beverage and dessert. Take outs available. Limited delivery area. Call 304-472-3414.

Looking Ahead:

Buckhannon Choral Society – Upcoming Events: Sunday, October 31st at 3pm – Wesley Chapel and Sunday, December 12 at 3p – will feature Christmas Music of Dan Forrest.

Rotary Blood Screening scheduled for Saturday, October 30th begins at 7:00-10a –$35- Flu Shots available too for $20.

City – Trick-or-Treat scheduled for Saturday, October 30th – 6p-7p.

Buckhannon Wal-Mart will celebrate Halloween with in-store trick-or-treating and a costume contest Friday, October 29th from 6-8p.

Chapel Hill UMC will be sponsoring Trunk or Treat, October 30th from 4:30-6p. Safe way for children to enjoy "Halloween" treats without traffic – for more info call 304-473-0404 or 304-472-6904.

November 14th William Haller, WVU Emeritus Professor of Music will perform an organ recital at 4p at the Presbyterian Church. All are welcome.

Christmas Program Presbyterian Church – December 19th, 10am – "Christmas, a Celebration of Beginnings." All are welcome.

WV Strawberry Festival plans for their Annual **Holiday Ball** scheduled for November 27th at the Buckhannon Moose Club. The doors will open at 6p with dinner at 7p. Musical entertainment will be provided by Stonestreet. Tickets are $25 per person and are available by calling Joyce Greene at 304-472-4256. Corporate tables with seating for eight are available for $250.

Start thinking Christmas Trees – The Upshur Arts Alliance is hosting its 2nd Annual Decorated Tree Auction to benefit arts & arts education in Upshur County. UAA will provide a 12" burlap-ball tree or a 20" wreath to participants willing to decorate and then donate the tree or wreath for display at First Community Bank from Nov. 19-29. All proceeds will benefit the arts and arts education in Upshur County.

If you would like something in our weekly newsletter, please contact the Chamber Office at Buckhannon@wvdsl.net and/or Upshur County Development Authority at info@upshurda.com. You may email and/or fax

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