

*Town of*  
**ELEANOR**  
W E S T V I R G I N I A

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October 1, 2019

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### **State of WV Purchasing Card**

On September 26th members of our town government and staff received training from the WV State Auditor's Office on their Purchasing Card Program.

Over the next month the town will phase out using a standard business credit card and will begin using the credit card issued through the Auditor's office. This program will allow our town to have greater accountability of how the town's money is spent, a higher rebate on purchases and will allow us to pay our vendors and suppliers at point of purchase instead of paying invoices at a later date.

### **Wildlife Services**

The town has entered in a new contract with the United States Department of Agriculture's Wildlife Services.

Homeowners will need to contact the Wildlife Services directly if you are experiencing issues with wild animals around your property. A representative will discuss the issue with you and will provide assistance to trap the animal so it can be removed from your property.

If you have an issue like this, please call 304-614-9456.

### **Fall Town Yard Sales**

No Permit Needed.

October 3rd, 4th & 5th.

### **Putnam County Rotary Club Community Service Project**

Volunteers from the Putnam County Rotary Club finalized a community service project last month in Eleanor Park. The project brought in volunteers from all over the county to build a comfort station. The special design of this restroom uses micro-flush valves and a rain harvesting system to eliminate unpleasant odors and the need for water hookups. This comfort station is the 7th one installed throughout USA by Rotary Clubs and it resembles the one recently installed at Pipestem State Park.

The comfort station is located near the hiking trail head on Park Road and is now open to be used by our park visitors.

### **Public Hearing Regarding Town Election Management**

During the Town Council Meeting on September 19th a public hearing was on the agenda to hear opinions from residents on possibly having the County Clerk's Office administer our town elections. A notice for the public hearing was posted in the September newsletter. Council did not receive any visitors or comments regarding this topic. A town vote must occur for any change to be made to our elections. The discussion of adding such a question to the 2020 ballot has been tabled and will be discussed again at a later date.

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Mayor: Cam Clendenin      Recorder: Lynda Casto      Police Chief: Larry Wingo

Council: Jack McLane, Kevin Childers, Joey Tolley, Teresa Harmon & Regina Hull

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## Town Contact Information

### **Mayor's Office:**

Cam Clendenin

Phone: 304-421-8894

E-Mail: CamEleanorWV@gmail.com

### **Town Hall Office Hours:**

Monday thru Friday

8:30am—4:30pm

### **Town Hall/Town Council:**

Office Phone: 304-586-2319

Fax: 304-586-2828

Address: 401 Roosevelt Blvd.

P.O. Box 185 Eleanor, WV 25070

E-Mail: eleanortown@frontier.com

### **Police Department:**

Chief Larry Wingo

Cell Phone: 304-546-1473

Office Phone: 304-586-1200

Address: 201 Ash Circle

P.O. Box 185 Eleanor, WV 25070

E-Mail: EleanorPolice@frontier.com

## Town Ordinances

The Town of Eleanor's Ordinances are available at the town hall during regular office hours.

You can also visit:

[www.EleanorWV.com/Ordinances](http://www.EleanorWV.com/Ordinances) to view them online.

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## B-I-N-G-O !

Those 50 years of age and older can enjoy a few hours with old friends and meet new ones every Thursday from 1pm to 3pm in the Eleanor Municipal Building Room B (downstairs room at the fire station.)

Coffee, tea and refreshments are provided. Bring two \$1.00 items that can be given away as prizes.

## Town Meeting Schedules

Eleanor's Boards and Committees hold regular meetings each month on set days and times.

### First Monday:

6:00pm—Eleanor Park Board

### First Tuesday:

6:00pm—Events Planning Committee

6:30pm—History Committee

### First & Third Thursdays:

7:30pm—Town Council

### Second Thursdays:

6:00pm—Street Committee

7:00pm—Sewer Board

7:30pm—Storm Water Board

### Last Mondays:

6:00pm—Police Committee

7:00pm—Health Committee

All Board and Committee meetings take place in the Town Hall's conference room.

Town Council meetings take place in the Homestead Room at the town hall.

Contact the Town Hall three (3) days prior to each meeting to have items added to the agenda.

**2019 Town Picnic**

SATURDAY, OCTOBER 12<sup>TH</sup>

**1:00PM - 3:00PM**

PAVILION RIBBON CUTTING CEREMONY ON THE SOUTH LAWN OF THE TOWN HALL & RED HOUSE TOURS.

**4:00PM - 7:00PM**

HOTDOGS, CHIPS, POPCORN, REFRESHMENTS & DESSERTS TOWN PARK – AT SHELTER 5

KIDS INFLATABLES, PUMPKIN PAINTING, CORNHOLE & POPCORN.

**5:00PM - 9:00PM (OR LATER)**

LIVE MUSIC AT THE GAZEBO

5:00pm — The “WV Treble Makers”      6:00pm—”Joe Fowler Tribute”

7:00pm—”The Austin Lewis Band”      8:00pm—”Jimmy Hanshaw”

ENJOY MUSIC BY THE FIREPIT, ROASTING MARSHMALLOWS, HAYRIDES AND MORE.

**Fall 2019 Cleanup Event**

The town will hold a Fall Cleanup Event that will take place Friday, October 18th and Saturday, October 19th.

Dumpsters will be placed in the pool parking lot and we are asking for residents to bring their items to that location. If any resident is unable to bring their items to this location, you may call the town hall to schedule a pickup at your residence.

Brush and other yard waste will be accepted.

Up to 10 tires will be accepted by each property owner in town. Tires must be off of the rim. Each person will need to bring an ID for proof of residency.

**National Remembrance Flag**

Special guests from the West Virginia Gold Star Mothers will be present at the October 3rd Town Council meeting to present our town with a National Remembrance Flag. Once the flag is received, the town will fly it at the corner of Ivywood St. and Juniper St. near Beech Grove Cemetery. The flag is a visible public reminder to all Americans of the lives given to preserve freedom; and a national symbol of appreciation recognizing the sacrifice of generations of fallen hero families.

**Wreaths Across America**

Beech Grove Cemetery has officially been registered as a location for Wreaths Across America Day on December 14th. Details will be finalized at the October events meeting and will be shared soon after.

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## **Community Events and Happenings**

To have an event listed in this newsletter, please contact the Town Hall or e-mail CamEleanorWV@gmail.com with the event description and details.

### **Smokey the Bear Appearance**

Wednesday, October 2nd  
1:00pm—2:00pm

Smokey the Bear will be at the Eleanor Branch Library.

### **Eleanor Presbyterian Church**

Saturday, October 5th  
10am—1:30pm  
Hotdog Sale and Raffle

### **Midway UW Church**

Another local church has asked the town to announce their schedule:  
Sunday School 10am  
Sunday Night Service 7pm  
Wednesday Night Bible Study 7pm

### **Town of Eleanor Picnic**

Saturday, October 12th  
Events from 1:00-3:00pm at Town Hall.  
Food and Events at Town Park at 4:00  
Additional details listed on page 3.

### **Fall Clean-Up**

Friday & Saturday  
October 18th & 19th  
Details listed on page 3.

### **32nd Annual Buffalo Octoberfest**

Saturday, October 19th from  
9:00am—5:00pm

Free family fun, music, kids inflatables, crafts and more.

Buffalo Shopping Center  
130 Shoppers Cir., Buffalo, WV

### **WV Board of Education Listening Tour**

Tuesday, October 29th  
6:00pm—8:00PM

Members of the WV Board of Education will be at the Putnam County Career & Technical Center as part of their state wide listening tour to hear feedback on current and potential new policies and procedures.

### **Trick-or-Treat**

Thursday, October 31st  
6:00pm—8:00pm

Trick-or-Treat will happen all over town on Halloween.

Safety Tips: All costumes, wigs and accessories should be fire-resistant. Avoid masks which can obstruct vision. Fasten reflective tape to costumes and bags or give children glowsticks to be more visible after dark.