

*Town of*  
**ELEANOR**  
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February 1, 2020

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**2nd Annual**

**2020 Elections**

**Senior Valentine's Day Luncheon**

The Town of Eleanor invites those 55 years of age and older to enjoy a free soup lunch to celebrate Valentine's Day.

When: Saturday, February 15th from 11:00am to 1:00pm

Where: The Homestead Room at the Eleanor Town Hall

Menu: Vegetable Beef Soup, Potato Soup, Chili and other types of soup will be provided by S.T.A.R.S. Beverages and desserts will also be served.

This event was a huge success last year and it was a great way for our town and community to provide a free and fun activity for seniors from Eleanor and the surrounding towns and communities.

Just because you are not a senior does not mean you can't attend. We are looking for volunteers to help serve food, to set up and to clean up after the event. Those interested can call the town hall or plan on arriving at 9:30am on Saturday the 15th.

This is a great opportunity for students to get involved with a town activity and to earn community service hours they need for high school graduation.

The filing period for the 2020 Town Election has ended. Congratulations and thank you to all those who filed to run for office in the June 9th election.

Candidates for each office will be finalized after the "candidate withdraw deadline" on Tuesday, February 11th. The finalized list of the candidates and the office they filed for will be posted in the March newsletter.

All residents are encouraged to have your voice heard by casting a vote on June 9th. You must be a registered voter to vote in the town election. The deadline to become a registered voter is Tuesday, May 19th.

If you are a new voter please visit the County Clerk's office at the Putnam County Courthouse by the deadline to register in person. If you are new to Eleanor, you will need to update your address with the County Clerk so you will appear in the Eleanor Precinct (#40) registration books for our election.

You may also register to vote and check your precinct number online by visiting [PutnamCoClerk.com](http://PutnamCoClerk.com)

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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

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

Monday thru Friday

8:30am—4:30pm

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

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P.O. Box 185 Eleanor, WV 25070

E-Mail: [eleanortown@frontier.com](mailto:eleanortown@frontier.com)

### **Police Department:**

Chief Larry Wingo

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P.O. Box 185 Eleanor, WV 25070

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## 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 Monday:

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.

## Volunteers Needed for Park Cleanup

The town's Park Board is seeking volunteers to help in a cleanup event taking place in Eleanor Park on Saturday, February 22nd from 9:00am to 1:00pm.

Fallen branches, brush and other over grown vegetation has taken over many areas of the park. These areas are mostly at the entrance along the right hand side of Park Road, along the creek bank, and throughout the fair grounds.

The goal will be to meet with volunteers on Saturday morning to begin cleaning up these areas so we can have the park looking great for Spring.

We are looking for individuals to operate weed eaters, pull weeds and to clear brush with other types of landscaping tools.

If you are interested, please call the town hall to sign up ahead of time or just plan on meeting at the Eleanor Pool parking lot at 9am.

This is another great way to earn community service hours. See Cam Clendenin on the 22nd to receive documentation for your volunteer hours.

## Old Time Get Together

A new way for friends and neighbors to gather together will begin here in town later this month.

Instead of meeting friends at a random restaurant or just by chance at the super-market, you can now make plans to stop by the gathering place in Room B beside the Eleanor Volunteer Fire Department to visit with each other, play board games or just to enjoy each others company. Games like Monopoly, Checkers, Clue etc. along with Uno and playing cards will be available for anyone who would like to play.

This is a great opportunity to catch up with some old friends, meet new ones and to strengthen our community.

The "Old Time Get Together" will begin on Tuesday, February 18th from 1:00pm-3:00pm and will continue weekly on Tuesdays at the same time and place.

Coffee and snacks will be available.

This is for all ages and anyone from Eleanor and our surrounding communities can attend. Young children will need to be watched after by their parent/guardian and not dropped off to be picked up afterwards.

If you have any questions, please call Betty Walters-Thompson at 304-421-2234.

## Around the Corner

There are several events and activities just around the corner here in Eleanor.

Keep an eye out for details for these events to be posted in an upcoming newsletter.

### ◇ **Community Pancake Breakfast and Easter Egg Hunt**

This event is tentatively schedule for Saturday, April 20th from 9am—Noon

#### ◇ **The Spring Town Cleanup**

Date, time and details for this event will be decided at an upcoming council meeting.

#### ◇ **Spring Town-Wide Yardsale**

#### ◇ **2020 Eleanor Town Picnic**

This event typically takes place in the Fall. Date and event details will be discussed soon.

These events and more are planned and discussed at the Event's Planning meetings on the first Tuesday of each month at 6:00pm. To help plan, coordinate or to pitch an idea for a new event stop by an upcoming meeting!

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### **Summer Employment Opportunities**

The Town of Eleanor will once again be hiring seasonal employees for this Spring and Summer.

Applications can be filled out and turned in at the town hall beginning immediately. Interviews will be set up in March and April to fill the positions listed below.

#### **Mowing / Landscaping**

Candidates must have previous experience with mowing and weedeating.

Employees will be expected to perform daily tasks that will include, but not limited to:

Mowing, weedeating, pressure washing, weeding, cleaning and painting. Other similar tasks will be assigned as needed throughout the summer.

#### **Pool Employees**

All candidates must have an active Lifeguard Certification and be at least 16 years of age prior to the first date of work.

Employees will be expected to work as Life Guards, Front Desk and Concession workers throughout the summer.

Tasks for this position will include daily duties as a lifeguard, cleaning the pool/bath houses, operating a cash register, serving food and filling out attendance/inventory reports.

Other similar tasks may be assigned as needed throughout the summer.

### **Community Events and Happenings**

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

#### **Senior Valentine's Day Luncheon**

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### **Town Activity and First Responder Reports**

Upcoming newsletters will feature a new section to help better spread information regarding safety notifications, daily activities and other vital information regarding our community.

Information in this new section will be a collaborate effort put together by Police Chief Larry Wingo, Eleanor Volunteer Fire Chief David Turley and Mayor Cam Clendenin.

If you have any information that you would like to add to this section please contact Mayor Clendenin prior to the end of each month so we can be sure to add it in the next newsletter.

### **Community Shout Outs!**

Every day in Eleanor someone is going above and beyond to make our town a better place to live, work and to raise a family.

It is important for us to encourage these individuals and to recognize those who take time out of their life to make Eleanor the town that we all love.

If you would like to recognize someone for their efforts or to congratulate them on an individual or group accomplishment, please contact the town hall prior to the end of each month to recognize them in an upcoming newsletter.

#### **Old Time Get Together**

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