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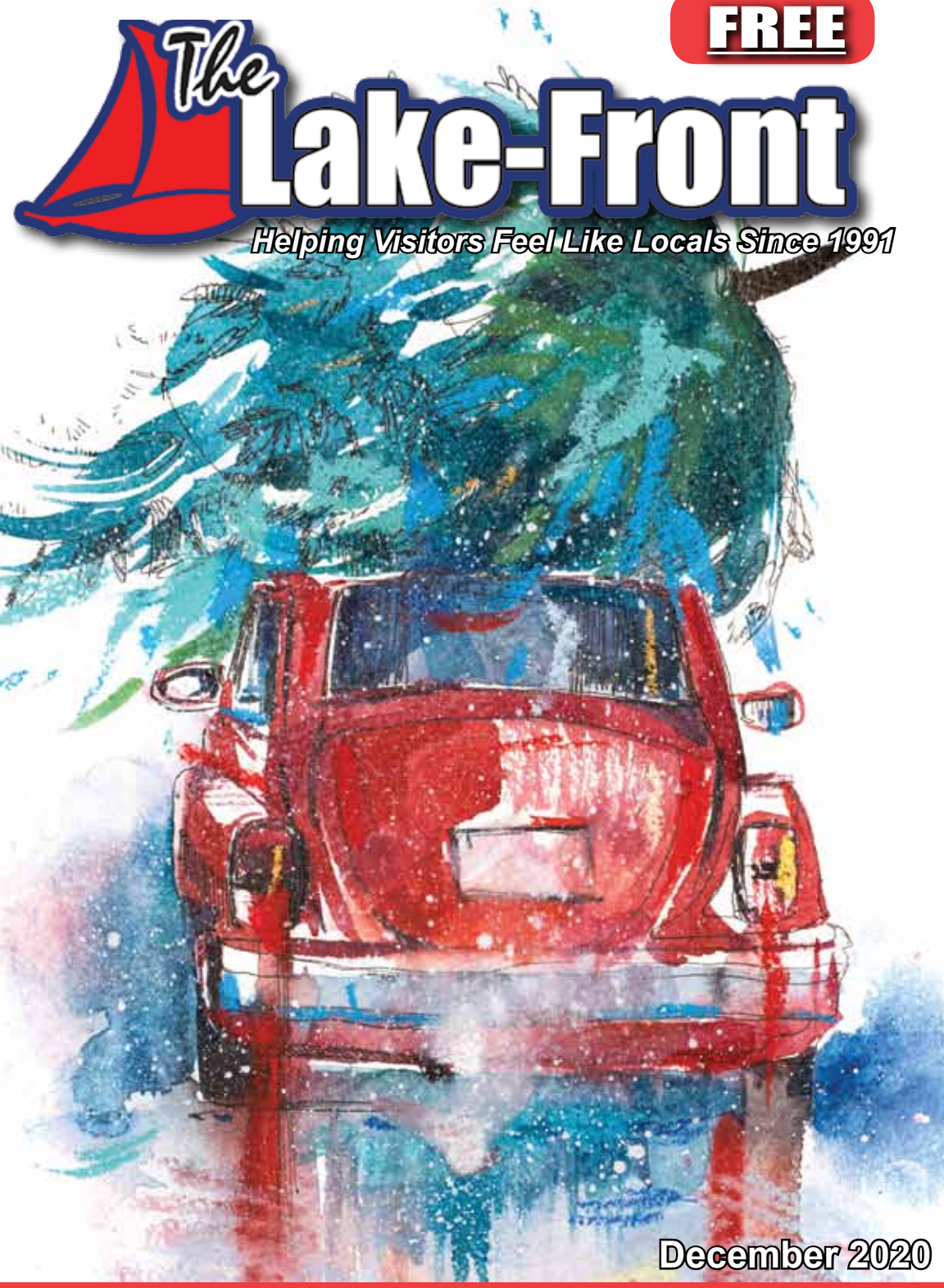

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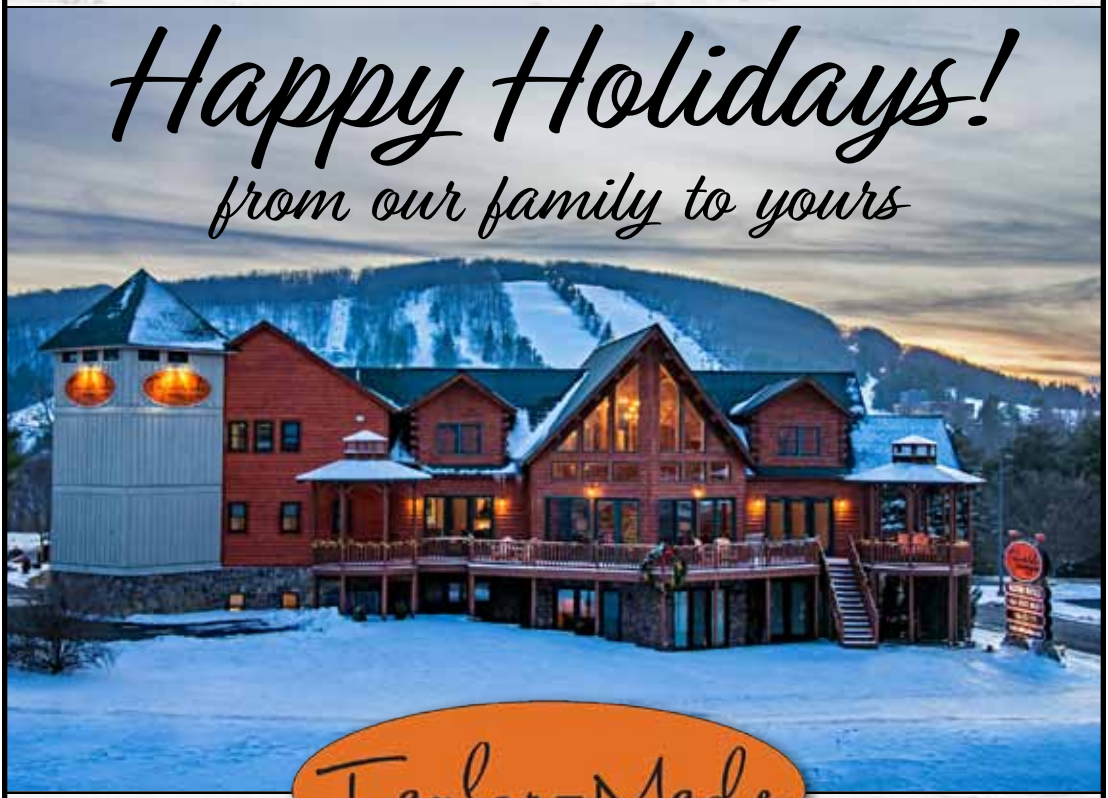


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Dear Friends,

The holiday season is upon us, my favorite time of the year. In these days of pandemic and social distancing, we are all a little concerned about the next steps to take. Thankfully, our local merchants have once again stepped up to make things as easy as possible for you...from pre-made food (including baked goods) to online shopping to curbside pickup, you can still shop local and most importantly, keep SAFE. Be sure to check out our 2020 Holiday Shopping Guide starting on Page 6.

Small businesses are the backbone of our economy, both nationally and locally, and we are very lucky to have so many small businesses that have been around for decades. We profile one of these businesses (one business with three locations) this month. Hill Top Fruit Market in Grantsville, The Farmers Market in Oakland, and The Fruit Bowl in Cumberland have been offering fresh produce and much more for over sixty years. Read the story of the McFarland family and their businesses that have become a Garrett County tradition. Did we mention they have over 900 varieties of CANDY at each location. Definitely a delicious story...read it starting on Page 34.

Our Calendar of Events starts on Page 26 with some holiday events you can enjoy...safely. We have updated Covid-19 information on Page 60 plus all the local information you need at your fingertips.

This December, we wish all of our readers, advertisers and friends a very merry and SAFE Holiday season. See you in 2021!

*Linda Carr, Editor*

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# Shop Local This Holiday Season

**By Linda Carr**

The Covid-19 pandemic has hit everybody hard, but none more so than small business owners. Small businesses account for half of private sector jobs and small business owners are much more likely to participate in local activities and donate to school fund-raisers and sponsorships. In fact, of every dollar spent locally, 67¢ stays within the community.

Garrett County has seen a variety of new retail establishments this past decade and you can find everything from toys, games, apparel, outdoor equipment and more without leaving the mountaintop. Each of our communities offer several shops with a unique array of goods for you to enjoy.

*An antique Christmas ornament from Blue Moon Antiques makes for a unique gift.*

Schoolhouse Earth, located along Rt. 42, and one of the area's oldest shops, has a variety of items and something for everyone on your gift list. You'll find holiday decor, jewelry, a nice children's section, apparel, soaps and lotions, stationary, linens and more Both Schoolhouse Earth, and its sister store, Gourmet to Go at the Fort in McHenry, has everything you could need to stock your kitchen... and your pantry. They have a large selection of dip and soup mixes as well as marinades, mustards and more...perfect for gift giving or entertaining at home.

Bear Creek Traders, located in Market Square, also has many great gift ideas. This year they are offering ski gloves for just $9.99, cashmere scarves for only $19.99 and Deep Creek Lake Sherpa pullovers for $29.99. Be sure to check out their Holiday Open House December 11 - 13 for even more specials. As always, they offer a full line of Deep Creek Lake souvenirs, gift wrap and greeting cards, toys for all ages, items from Vera Bradley, Life is Good and Willow Tree, shoes from Tervis and candles from Kringle, Swan Creek & Milk Reclamation.

Christmas Chalet, located along Rt 219 across from Uno's, is the area's most complete year-round Christmas Shop. Featuring over 60 themed trees to shop from, you'll find holiday collectibles from Jim Shore and Old World Glass, Dept. 56 Village pieces, toys, puzzles and so much more. Be sure to stop by their Holiday Open House the weekend of December 5 & 6 showcasing some great specials and gift card giveaways. Next door at The Tourist Trap you will find a large selection of unique Deep Creek Lake t-shirts, hats and more plus kids apparel, jewelry, candles, flags and more.

If you are looking for stylish yet affordable women's clothing be sure to stop at Cashmere Clothing at the Fort in McHenry. You'll find attire for work, play, relaxing and more as well as jewelry and other fun accessories. With sizes ranging from small to 3x, there is something for every woman on your list.

Wine and spirits also make useful gifts and you can find great savings at McHenry Beverage Shoppe this month. They have a wonderful selection of wines from all around the world as well



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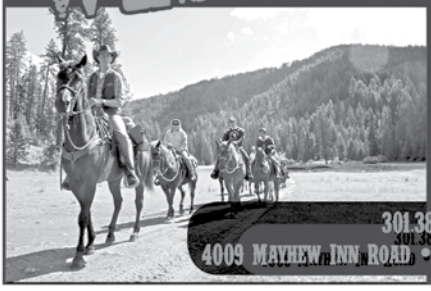

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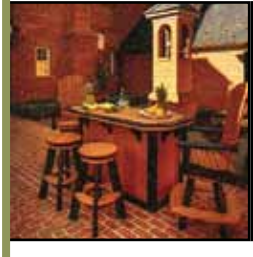

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If you are looking for activities for the kids this holiday season, stop by Deep Creek Pottery. They will be open Saturdays from 11 - 4 or by appointment. They have new pottery for sale, take and make mosaic kits and some great Christmas gifts all packaged perfectly for giving.

*An Ornament kit from Deep Creek Pottery will help keep the kids entertained this season.*

The gift of food is always appreciated. If you or somebody on your list is tired of cooking, consider a gift card for one of our local restaurants. This year UNO is offering $60 gift cards for $50. They will also give a voucher for a free pizza with every $40 Ultimate Gift Card Purchase (good for Arrowhead, DC Uno, Honi-Honi and Garrett 8 Cinemas). These gift cards will be available for purchase at all four of those locations until December 31, 2020.

The folks at MoonShadow want you and your family to EAT REAL FOOD so they are inviting you to give the gift of delicious scratch made foods with their emailable gift cards. Their entire menu is available for carry-out and can be found online.

For a more meaningful gift, you can find unique items and antiques and Blue Moon Antiques in Grantsville. They are offering a 20% discount on all merchandise through December 31st. From antique ornaments to collectibles, a gift from here will be unlike any other.

The gift shop at Penn Alps is a not to be missed stop in your holiday shopping. They feature handmade items from area artisans including those housed in nearby Spruce Forest Artisan Village. Pottery, stained glass, handmade soaps, beautifully crafted quilts…this is a shoppers paradise.

While in Grantsville, stop by HIll Top Fruit Market and purchase the ingredients to make your very own customized gift basket (or visit The Farmers Market in Oakland). With 900 varieties of candies, local jellies, apple butter, snack mixes, fresh produce and more...you can satisfy anyone on your list. (Read more about this longtime local business in our Business Spotlight starting on page 34).

Downtown Oakland is celebrating the season as well with their Annual "A Great Small Town Christmas" promotion, although it looks a bit different this year. Instead of Soup and Santa, you can find Santa on the Front Page Stage each Saturday from 11 am to 2 pm, where you can drive by and wave. Their Post an Elfie promotion will take place from Dec. 5 – 19. To participate, post a selfie onto Facebook of you and an item purchased at a participating Oakland shop. It helps

promote the community and gives you a chance to win some awesome prizes.

The shops in Oakland are wearing their Christmas finery and you will find so many unique items there. The newest shop, Gean&Olive is so excited for their first holiday season in downtown Oakland. You can email them to set up a virtual "safe" personal shopping experience and they can curate the perfect gift box for the holidays for your personal and corporate gifts. They have a wide selection of artisan products for foodies, fashionistas and a wonderful selection of local made products mainly by women entrepreneurs. Email sales@geanandolive.com for information.

Other specialty shops in downtown Oakland include the Book Mark'et & Antique Mezzanine featuring all the current best sellers for all age groups and genres. Their children's section is a joy and you can find wonderful toys and books for every age reader in your family. They also feature a good selection of books for Young Adult Readers and you're sure to find something for your bookshelf as well.

Favorite Things Gift Shop, located on the corner of Alder and Third Street has a wonderful selection of clothing and gifts for the babies and toddlers in your life. You will find Thomas Kinkade Limited & Open Edition artwork, Zac Kinkade artwork, Irish gifts, as well as Wild Wings art and decor.

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The gift of art never goes out of style. With the cancellation of most festivals in 2020, our local artists have suffered with decreased sales as well. You can view the work of many of our local artists at The Gallery Shop in downtown Oakland now open Thursday – Saturday from 10 am to 5 pm. You can also shop their artwork online at SEYMOURart.org.

Of course, baked goods are a special treat we all look forward to during the holidays. Too tired to bake? Call Annie's Country Kitchen for all your holiday baked goods. They have cookie trays available, cash and carry and special orders as well as pies, cakes and more just like Grandma used to make. Last day to order is December 20th!

*Schoolhouse Earth and its sister store Gourmet to Go both offer a wide variety of gourmet dip and soup mixes, marinades, vinegars and more.*

The Rolling Pin in Accident, Traders Coffee Shop and Shop 'n Save at the lake also offer a wide variety of baked goods sure to please any sweet tooth. Special orders are always welcome but pre-ordering is suggested.

Other popular gifts are the holiday gift tins from Copper Kettle Popcorn Factory. You can visit their shop at the lake (next to Lakeside Creamery) or shop online at www.copperkettlepopcornfactory.com.

One thing we've been short on this year is experiences but you can always think ahead to 2021. Consider a gift certificate to Himalayan Salt Cave and Spa. You and your friends and family can make plans to enjoy the area's only true salt cave after a wonderful massage by one of their technicians. They also have a large selection of essential oils available for sale.

In Friendsville, Appalachian Valley is well-known for their pure, high quality essential oils. They offer oils for blends and for fragrance, as well as carrier oils, even an all natural insect repellant. They also offer CBD oils made on site and quality controlled in Friendsville. Their shop is open every Saturday but you can also go online to shop at www.goaho.com. They offer free shipping for orders over $35.

One of the county's newest businesses is Meadow Mountain Farm, which specializes in growing the hemp also used in CBD products. You can find several of their latest developments on their website at meadowmountainhemp.farm where you can purchase premium CBD oils handcrafted to help with exercise recovery, stress control and sleep support. Mention The Lake-Front Magazine to receive 25% off your first purchase!

For more information on these businesses, refer to our Shopping Guide beginning on Page 72 and our Directory of Services on Page 78. Most shops offer online ordering and curbside pickup so you can shop from the comfort and safety of your own home. This year, more than ever, small business needs you to SHOP LOCAL!

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# Skip Around Town

## By Skip "Bowl of Jelly" Carr

*Greg & Kayla DeVito with Caitlin and Scott recently. Kayla is Scott's sister, so Greg is Caitlin's brother-in-law and that makes Scott Caitlin's husband...even though he is a fan of the Jets and Knicks. I, by the way, am my own Grandpa.*

The new **Menu Guide (Winter 2020/Spring 2021)**is now available at lots of locations around the county... pick up your free copy today. Dozens of local restaurants have taken space in this issue. Please remember that Covid-19 rules as mandated by the **State of Maryland** have affected the hours of operation of many of our fine establishments...always call ahead to check hours, etc.

You can also access The Menu Guide at deepcreekdining.com...if you know how to do that kind of stuff.

Remember that the **Mountain Fresh Farmers Markets** are continuing through winter at the **Simon Pearce Building, 245 Glass Drive, Mt. Lake Park**. Upcoming dates are December 5th, December 19th and January 2nd (11am to 1pm). You can stock up on winter homegrown produce, fresh eggs and meats, home baked goods, handmade crafts and gifts, home decor, personal care items and lots more, all while helping you neighbors.

As it has with so many of our daily activities, Covid-19 has affected the very popular **"Great Small Town Christmas"** in Oakland that has been celebrated for so many years. This year you will be able to drive by and have **Santa** wave at the kids, take advantage of a great number of store specials and take part in the House of Hope Food Drive. Go to www.oaklandmd.com to get details.

*My new friend, 3 year old Malcolm Gwinnett of Friendsville. In his left hand is his $2.00 modeling fee, in his right is his Wonder Dog. Malcolm told me that his real name is Batman*

There will be an outdoor **Christmas Light Show** at the **Oakland Community Center at 14 North 8th Street in Oakland** through January 1, 2021. "The lights will be choreographed to music and run on a one hour loop. Watch from your car or stand outside to see this display of approximately 30,000 lights...great family fun.

**Deep Creek Docks** is offering new docks for 2021 at 2020 prices. In addition to 2020 pricing, some accessories are being offered at 20% off. Aluminum dock trade-ins are welcomed and **Deep Creek Docks** offers free quotes and special payment plans.

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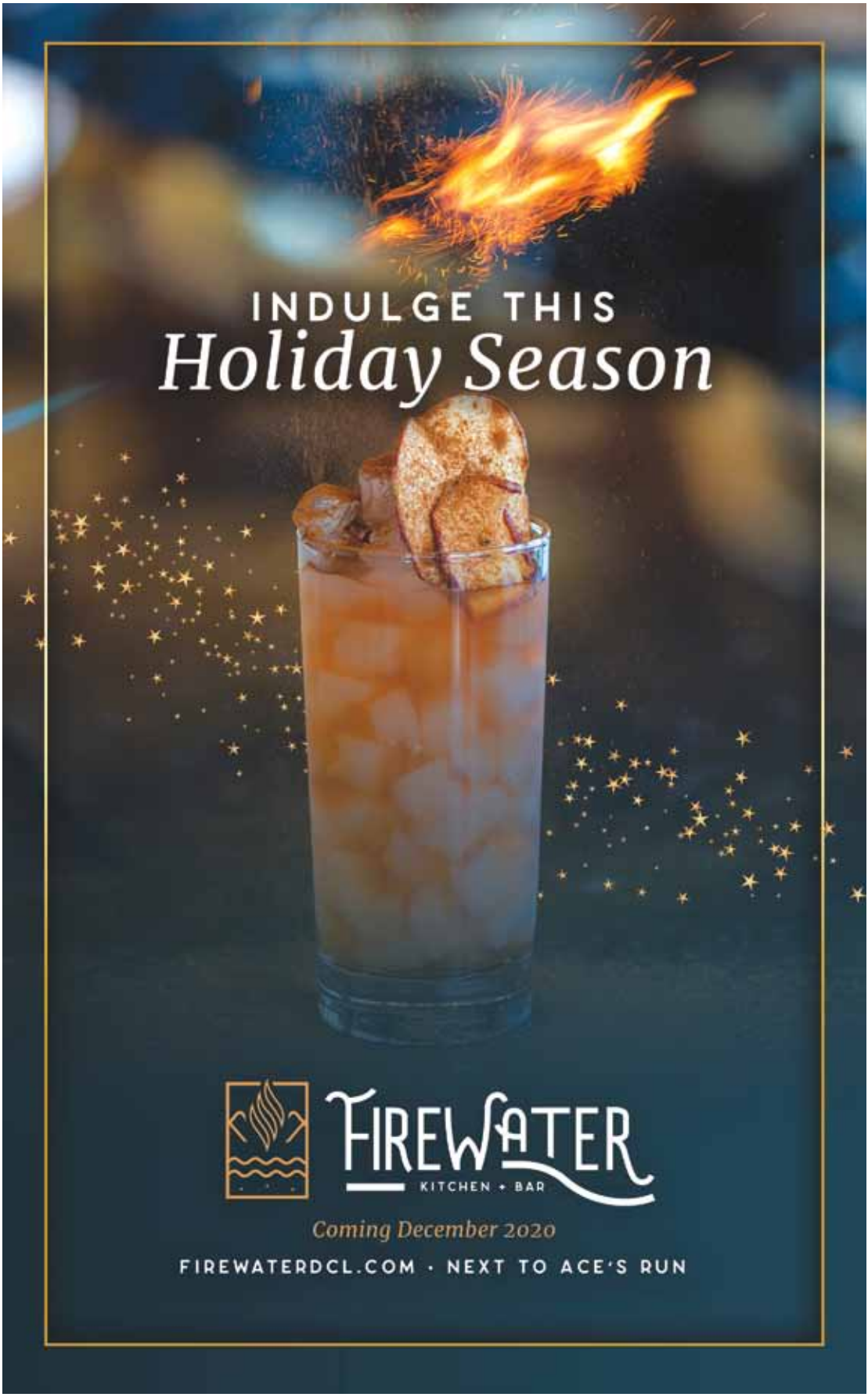
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*Autumn Williams of Long Branch Saloon & Steakhouse and Long Branch Motel in Oakland. She let me take this picture shortly after she was released from the hospital with broken bones...something about a confrontation about wearing a mask.*

**Gene** and I had planned to present a Christmas concert featuring all of your traditional favorites from *"Grandma Got Run Over By A Reindeer"* to **Alvin and The Chipmunks**, alas, you-know-what got in the way.

**The Garrett Choral Society** is offering a one hour tape of highlights from their 2017 and 2018 concerts for the enjoyment of all who made their annual Christmas Concert a part of their Holiday activities. The tape will be available as of December 8th at facebook.com (GarrettChoralSociety or on YouTube (search Garrett Choral Society, then select A Choral Society Christmas.

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**GENE:** First, I want a world with no lawyers!

**GENIE:** Granted, there are no more lawyers anywhere in the world.

**GENE:** Now, for my second wish...

**GENIE:** Hey wait, you don't have any wishes left.

**GENE:** But you promised me that I had three wishes.

**GENIE:** Well, sue me then.

I just wanted to check around and see if Oklahoma is still OK.

*Blake and Elliott Brown, sons of Keith & Jess (Harvey) Brown of Accident, grandsons of Janet (Harvey) Taylor...two very happy young boys*


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If you take a look at the Shopping Guide in this issue, you will absolutely find a place that would have the right gift for everyone on you shopping list. Shopping at these stores will go a long. long way to helping everyone in our community. Local establishments hire local workers who have local families and spend a great deal of their resources on local charities and at other local stores...we're all in this together.

**GENE:** When I got here I was bald, had no teeth and couldn't even walk

**SKIP:** Wow, that's amazing!! How long have you been here, anyway?

**GENE:** I was born here.

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*Liam, Emma & Ryan, children of Amber Schlosnagle...seeming as though they have grown up way too fast. (Photo by Jacqui Q)*

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This is the first year that we had to cancel an issue, the first year that there were only eleven issues, and the first issue that I have felt that I may be in some danger delivering...In the first two years there were only ten issues, with a March-April and a November-December.

I could not ever thank you enough for your support of thirty years! Advertisers and readers, many of whom have become dear friends, have made this what it is... ***THANK YOU, THANK YOU, THANK YOU VERY, VERY MUCH!!!***

*The late Gary Yoder, engaged in difficult physical work as always. Few people that I have ever encountered could light up a room like Gary could.*

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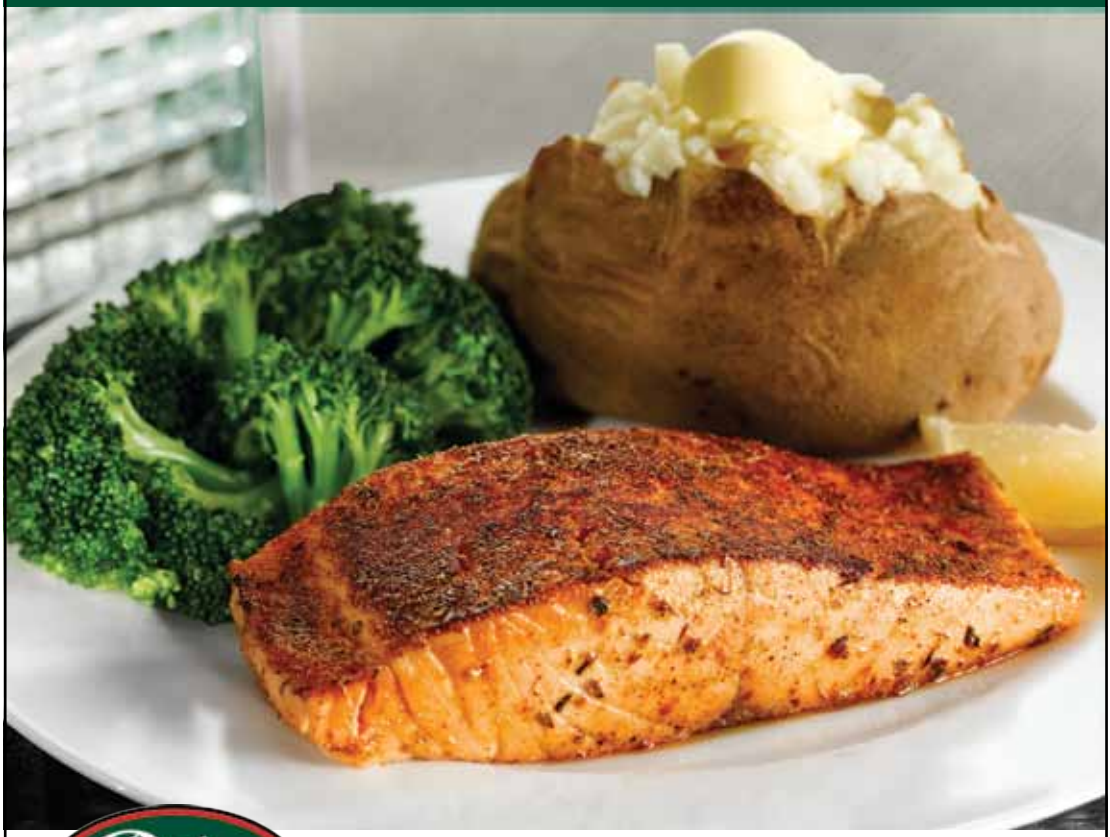

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*The late Joe McGowan. For years Joe, always smiling and always friendly, was the bartender at Pawn Run Saloon...one of those rare people who always seemed happy with their work.*

There were two winners of the **November Trivia Contest. Marie Alsop of Swanton, MD** won a $25.00 Gift Card to **Dutch's @ Silver Tree Restaurant** on **Glendale Road**. **Vicki Wilson** of **Morgantown, WV** won a $25.00 Gift Card to **Long Branch Saloon.** Both readers knew that the picture in last month's contest was **Roger "The Love Doctor" Halsey** dancing with the late **Al Lemley**.

**RULES:** Entries must be received by **December 18, 2020**. There will be a drawing if there are more than 2 correct answers.

**ADDRESS**: PO Box 67, Friendsville, MD 21531 or sc21531@yahoo.com.

**THE PROBLEM**: If you believe that song about the Lords and maids, what will you get on the 9th day of Christmas?

**PRIZES**: First name drawn gets a $25.00 gift card to **Dutch's Silver Tree Restaurant**. Second name drawn gets a $25.00 gift card to **Long Branch Saloon & Steakhouse**.

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**FRI & SAT, DEC 4 & 5**

**Little Crossings Holiday Market,** Cornucopia Cafe, Grantsville, MD. 12 - 7 PM both days. Celebrate a Handmade Holiday with artisan vendors at an outdoor, festival-style market. Visit these shops & more: The Cornucopia Café, Penn Alps & Spruce Forest Artisan Village, Little Crossings Pantry, Gallery at Grant's Mercantile Rain, snow, or shine, the tradition continues! Masks required to cover nose and mouth, please practice social distancing to the greatest extent possible. For a full schedule of events, visit our Facebook page.

**SATURDAY, DECEMBER 5**

**Deep Creek Lavender Farm's Holiday Open House** -- Deep Creek Lavender Farm, Accident, 10 AM to 4 PM. It's time to get your jingle on! Come and enjoy some great holiday shopping while munching on lavender foods, lavender hot chocolate, lavender lemonade and more. Listen to the new Christmas music of Matt Peroutka as he presents his newest CD, 'Tidings'. Crafts, raffles and an overall festive atmosphere as you shop for all of your lavender favorites.

**Mountain Fresh Farmers Market** -- Simon Pearce Building, 245 Glass Drive, Mt. Lake Park, 11 AM to 1 PM. Join us for homegrown produce, local fresh eggs and meats, delicious home-baked goods, homemade jams & jellies and much more! For more information, visit www.MountainFresh.org or call 301-334-6960.

**House of Hope Food / Cash Drive** -- Downtown Oakland 9 AM to Noon. Come join us in downtown Oakland and drive by with your donation of non-perishable food items or cash. By contributing to the annual House Of Hope food/ Cash drive, you will help your friends and neighbors who need help all year long.

**A Great Small Town Christmas** -- Oakland, MD, 12 - 3 PM. The Christmas Holiday is right around the corner and the Town of Oakland is gearing up to celebrate its annual Great Small Town Christmas; however, due to COVID-19 it will look a little different this year. There will be no Soup and Santa event this year. Instead, Santa Claus will be visiting Oakland and hanging out at the Front Page Stage on Saturday December 5th, 12th, and 19th from 11am-2pm. To ensure safety and social distancing, we will be setting up a drive through for children to see Santa. He will be able to communicate with them from a distance using a PA system and treat bags will be available as they drive by. There will also be great store specials, food, drinks and more. Visit.www.oaklandmd.com for more information.

**DECEMBER 5 - 19TH**

**"Snap an Elfie" Promotion** -- Oakland, various locations. To promote local patronage to Oakland Businesses we will be introducing a new campaign called "Snap



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**SATURDAY, DECEMBER 12**

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**SATURDAY & SUNDAY, DEC 12 & 13**

**Brodak's Christmas Vendor Event** -- 10 AM to 4 PM. Join us as we bring in area vendors to share their small businesses and homemade goods before the Christmas holiday. 25 shoppers maximum. All tables will be socially distanced, masks required. Call 301-616-7376 for more information.

A Great Small Town Christmas
December 5, 12 & 19

**SATURDAY, DECEMBER 19**

**Mountain Fresh Farmers Market** -- Simon Pearce Building, 245 Glass Drive, Mt. Lake Park, 11 AM to 1 PM. Join us for homegrown produce, local fresh eggs and meats, delicious home-baked goods, homemade jams & jellies and much more! For more information, visit www.MountainFresh.org or call 301-334-6960.

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**SATURDAY, DECEMBER 26**

**Boxing Day Cookie Tromp Snowshoe** -- Meet at the Swallow Falls Canyon Trail Entrance, 9 AM. This will be a fun guided hike to Swallow Falls with an expert eco tour guide and freebie extras as our gifts to you. This trip is perfect for folks wanting to learn about the park and the Deep Creek Lake Area. During the tour you will explore some of the backcountry areas of the park and off-the-beaten-path hidden areas. You will also get to visit Maryland's highest waterfall, Muddy Creek Falls at 53 feet and walk along the gorge in the old growth hemlock forest. If weather is snowy and snow depth sufficient it will be a snowshoeing tour with rentals included. If weather is not sufficient for snowshoeing it will be a guided hike (and you can deduct $10 per person. Every group will enjoy delicious gluten free chocolate chip cookies and each person will get their choice of a free 24x36 lithograph poster of the Deep Creek Lake Area, signed by your guide and local photographer Crede Calhoun. $50 per person, $40 if no snow. Reservations are required for there is limited space. Contact 301-746-4083 or email ccalhoun1@verizon.net

**ONGOING EVENTS:**

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**STATE PARKS**— Maryland State Parks will remain open at this time; however, staff will be taking extra safety precautions to mitigate the risk of contact with the COVID-19 virus. This includes the implementation of enhanced cleaning protocols at all of the parks' restrooms. All other State Park buildings are closed to the public.Visit www.dnr.md.gov/publiclands/western.html for more information.

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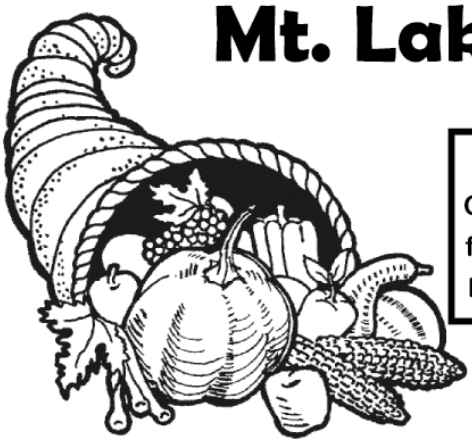

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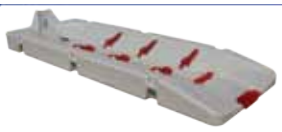

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# The Fruit Bowl & Farmer's Market -- Home of Candyland

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If there is one lesson we have learned from these past months of living with the pandemic, it's the value of small businesses in our community and the importance of shopping locally. If you are looking for a gift that is unique, meaningful, AND delicious, Hill Top Fruit Market and its sister stores in Oakland (Farmer's Market) and Cumberland (The Fruit Bowl) should be your first stop. Fresh fruit, local delicacies and unique sweets make an ideal gift and you can find all of this and more at these one of a kind stores.

Hill Top Fruit Market in Grantsville has been a popular shopping destination for locals and visitors to Garrett County since 1958, starting as a simple roadside produce stand opened by Chester and Shirley McFarland with the help of their ten children. Over time, it has grown into a full-time operation consisting of three stores and 45 employees.

The small produce stand, with its commitment to quality product and customer service, soon turned into a year-round operation with the second store in Oakland being opened in 1961 and the third in Cumberland in 1970. All three stores are still operated by the McFarland family and offer the same commitment to freshness and quality as their parents did all those years ago.

*Each store offers over 900 varieties of candy*

Of course, one of the big draws for all three locations is Candyland, which was added to the stores in 1966. Candyland offers over 900 varieties of candy, all available for purchase in bulk, so customers can pick and choose which candy, and how many pieces of each, they want. It's priced by the pound so you can mix and match as much as you like.

"We used to drive to Pittsburgh to different wholesalers to offer this wide variety of candy for our customers," said Joyce Kamp, one of current owners. "Now it's de-



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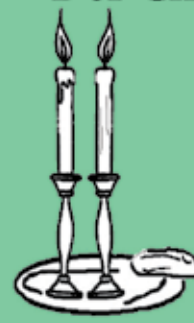

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livered to us from all over the world." Candy lovers will find popular brands from large candy producers like Hershey and Mars but as you look among the bins, you'll find candies from all over the world, and some you might recognize from your childhood.

*You'll find everything you need to make homemade candies, cookies and more*

They also feature a large variety of novelty candies -- which are some of their biggest sellers and perfect as stocking stuffers. "We can't keep them stocked fast enough," says Joyce.

According to Linda Carr, another McFarland sibling, sugar-free items are one of their biggest sellers. They offer an entire section of sugar free candies, cookies, and more – including several items you just won't find anywhere else. These are perfect gifts for friends and family watching their sugar intake.

More than just produce and candy, they carry many food items as well. In addition to everyday items like milk and eggs, you'll find a variety of jarred goods, packaged dips and soups, plus local favorites like maple syrup and apple butter.

The store's bulk section has a variety of items. They offer everything from buckwheat flour to cornmeal and have a wonderful offering of nuts, both in and out of the shell including almonds, pistachios, peanuts, walnuts, pecans, macadamia nuts, even hard to find pine nuts. These are a perfect for baking or to keep on hand as a healthy treat.

*Each store also has rows and rows of novelty candy, perfect for stocking stuffers and gift bags.*

Looking for something different? Try one of their unique snacks. You can buy bags of seeds and sesame sticks in different flavorings...a great and healthy way to try something new.

Cheese is always a popular treat and Hilltop has over forty varieties for you to try. You'll find so many different specialty cheeses here, everything from fresh mozzarella to cheddars flavored with onions, or Horseradish, as well as flavored cheese curds.

As far as produce, Hill Top always offers a variety of salad fixings including a variety of lettuces, root vegetables and pantry staples like potatoes, onions and garlic. They have a variety of tomatoes and always buy locally when it is available. For fall they have an abundance of different varieties of apples and you'll always find delicious oranges, pears and more to keep the winter blues at bay. Boxed citrus and apples are also available.

Of course, no salad is complete without dressing and they always have a nice

variety of delicious dressings as well as dips, flavored butters and delicious maple cream. Seasonal treats include fresh cranberries, apple cider, caramel dips, yams and more. You'll also find rice noodles, specialty pastas and batter mixes and starters including a nice selection of Amish goods.

You'll also find a huge variety of fresh spices including many you will need for your holiday dinner including ginger, cinnamon sticks and more. They also have gravy mixes, hot chocolate and cappuccino mixes and soup bases for a quick and tasty snack. Other treats include pickled asparagus, dried fruit, banana chips and so much more.

A fruit basket from Hill Top makes the perfect gift any time of year but especially during the holiday season. This year, as we rethink the way we live, we also may be rethinking the types of gifts we want to give…looking for ones that are not only meaningful, but also useful. "A customized basket from Hill Top is not only a gift of good taste, but also a gift that tastes good!" says Joyce.

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Brunch lovers on your list might enjoy a basket filled with muffin or pancake mix, fresh maple syrup, homemade jams and jellies, granola mix and more. For the entertainer in your life, create a basket with a variety of gourmet soup, cheeseball and dip mixes so they'll be ready for their next get-together. Another idea is a basket featuring a variety of the cheeses and meats carried by the store, along with fresh nuts or snack mixes, always a popular choice. Children of all ages love sweets and you can choose their favorites for a unique treat.

*Choose from a huge selection of bulk items, fresh produce and candy, and create your own customized basket...a useful AND tasty gift.*

Not sure where to start? Any of their staff are happy to help. Ready-made fruit baskets are also available but must be pre-ordered. Still not sure? A gift card is always appreciated.

Stuck inside the house and looking for new activities to share with your children...or to keep yourself entertained? Hill Top has everything you need for an old-fashioned Christmas where you can make your own delicious treats to enjoy at home or to give as gifts.

You'll find a variety of dried fruits, plus flavorings, decorating sugars and sprinkles, cookie cutters, candy molds and a large variety of melting chocolates in many colors and flavors. They have the largest supply of hard-tack flavoring oils in the area and are happy to supply bulk items to churches and organizations looking to make candy fund-raising ideas.

They also have color pastes, candy writers, edible glitter plus packaging for all of it. If you love baking, they always have a nice array of cookie cutters, melting chocolate in various flavors as well as chocolate and peanut butter chips.

The McFarland family has always appreciated their customers whom they know is the backbone of their business. You may not be able to find every item on your grocery list in their store, but you'll find its worth the effort to make an extra stop here, especially knowing that the McFarlands support many locally made and grown items. When the local grocery store closed in Grantsville, Hill Top started to offer more grocery items for the convenience of their shoppers.

They receive deliveries daily (except Sunday) so you know all their produce is fresh. They also offer convenient hours, opening daily at 8 AM and each store is open every day of the year except Thanksgiving, Christmas Day, New Year's Day and Easter Sunday.

Hill Top Fruit Market is located at 12579 National Pike (Rt. 40) in Grantsville (open 8am to 8 pm daily), The Farmers Market is located at 12679 Garrett Highway (Rt. 219) in Oakland (open 8 am to 7 pm daily), and The Fruit Bowl is located at 10325 National Hwy (Rt. 40) in Cumberland (open 8 am to 7 pm daily). You can like their Facebook page for hours, up to date information on specials and more.

Make it an old-fashioned Christmas. This holiday season, enjoy and give the gift of good taste.

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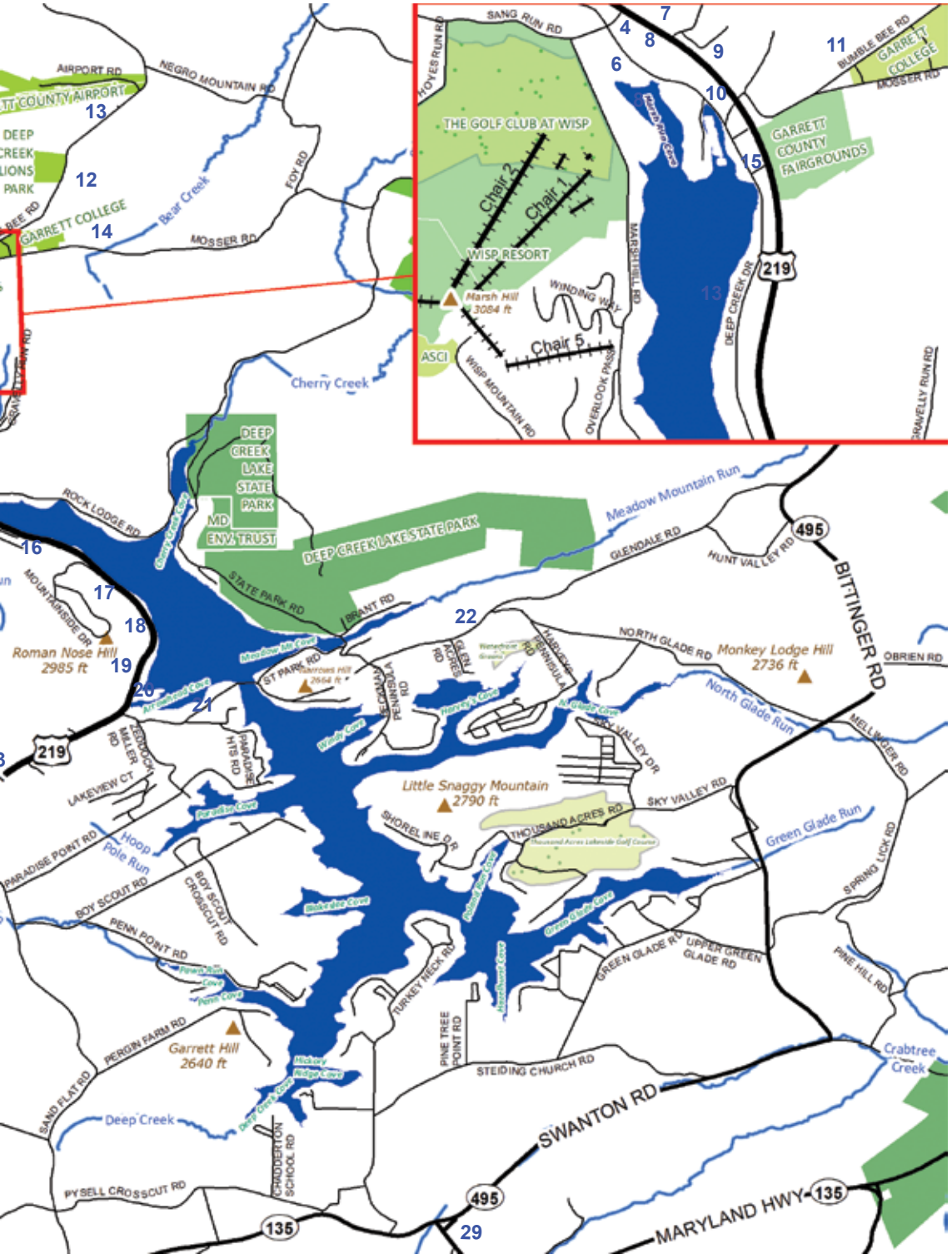
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# The Supportive Arm of the Garrett County Arts Council Reaches Far & Wide (with your support!)

**By Mary McEwen of The Garrett County Arts Council**

The Garrett County Arts Council's annual membership drive is underway this month, as announced by Kendall Ludwig, president of the GCAC Board of Directors, and Kathy Beachler, executive director of the nonprofit organization. The council has been in operation for 44 years, with the vision of a vibrant and sustainable arts community for artists, their audiences, and the community at large. The GCAC Board of Directors and staff are committed to aiding, encouraging, advising, and coordinating activities dedicated to the promotion of cultural arts in Garrett County, and to integrate such activities into the life of the community.

An agency of the Maryland State Arts Council, the GCAC is funded in part by state and local government funding, but relies on community membership support for much of its success. Membership affords the contributor several benefits, including a discount at The Gallery Shop in Oakland, operated by the arts council staff and supporting more than 150 area artists. Each member is formally invited to attend the annual Membership Reception and Meeting and enjoys voting privileges. They are the first to know each year's Friend of the Arts Award recipient, announced at the annual meeting. Invitations are also sent to all members for The Gallery Shop artist receptions and other events, and informational emails are sent out with news and updates. The GCAC offers special member events, such as guided tours to art venues or to various performances.

"And most importantly," executive director Beachler said, "becoming a member gives each donor the satisfaction of actively supporting the arts in Garrett County!"

In addition to supporting arts endeavors, festivals, performances, exhibits, and more, the GCAC also adds to the local tax base in a number of ways.

"The Arts Mean Business in Garrett County," Beachler said. "For every $1 spent in arts operating budgets in the state of Maryland, $4.16 is generated. That's an impressive return on investment."

In fact, in the state of Maryland in 2018 as reported by the Department of Commerce, there were 16,922 full-time equivalent jobs generated by arts organizations. Each year, $8.9 million people attend arts events in the state, and $462 million is spent by arts audiences in a single year. The state and local tax revenue was listed in 2018 at $60 million, and direct spending into the economy that year by arts organizations was $944 million. That translates into a $1.3 billion total annual impact of the arts in Maryland.

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munity, the GCAC provides a wide range of programming and arts support, and works toward obtaining additional funding at both the county and state levels. The organization takes an active role with organizations such as Maryland Citizens for the Arts at events like the annual Arts Day presented to legislators in Annapolis, and the staff works in collaboration with the Maryland State Arts Council's leadership.

Locally, the council operates the annual Artist Studio Tours to celebrate and support the many Garrett County artists who operate their own home studios. Arts in Education programming is a high priority of the organization, which strives to offer multi-cultural programs for county schools students, sponsorship of annual Student Arts Fair, Achievement in Art Awards for area graduating seniors, periodic student visual art exhibits, sponsorship of high school literary journals, and more. The literary journal Ginseng is produced biannually by the council, with works written by local authors and juried for admission into the collection.

Each year the GCAC offers Community Art Development Grants to local non-profits, educational entities, and government agencies that present arts related programs and activities. The funding arm reaches wide and far in the county, as the GCAC traditionally supports such organizations as the Garrett Lakes Arts Festival, Spruce Forest Artisan Village, the Celtic Festival, the Garrett Choral Society, the Garrett Community Concert Band, Our Town Theatre, and many more.

Collaborations are built between the GCAC and many local programs as well, such as Art in the Park at Deep Creek Lake State Park and Blooming Art, a floral and visual art exhibit with the Mountain Laurel Garden Club. Workshops and demonstrations are scheduled and presented throughout the year by the GCAC in several areas of the county.

A vital collaboration of the GCAC is with the towns of Oakland and Grantsville, where Arts & Entertainment Districts have been established. The towns and the GCAC work together to support, promote, and celebrate the artists and artistry of these two distinct Garrett County communities. Together the arts council and the town councils help to fund a coordinator position and activities of each A&E District.

The GCAC maintains an active website located at garrettarts.org. On this site users can find events listings, announcements, grant information, and more. The staff maintains active social media accounts for the organization on Facebook and Instagram.

The newest endeavor by the council and the staff is an online marketplace, built chiefly to offset the losses to artists in the pandemic. SEYMOUR: An Art Experience began as an in-person marketplace held at the Simon Pearce glass facility. To abide by best safe practices while also supporting its member artists, the GCAC staff opted out of the actual market and jumped onto the development of a virtual option, a fully accessible online market. It can be found at SEYMOURart.org. This inaugural online effort has proved to be quite successful, helping to further the mission of the GCAC to support and promote local artists, even in the time of quarantine and a national shut-down. This holiday season, SEYMOURart.org is welcoming new artists to the online marketplace.

The Gallery Shop is a vibrant and active GCAC program. Located in downtown Oakland's A&E District, the retail storefront provides a venue for local visual artists and writers to show and sell their

creations. Staff members maintain the shop, keep up the inventory, communicate with artists, advertise artist work in print, radio and social media, and provide a professionally run gallery that both supports its artists and provides the community with an impressive collection of expertly created art, to both view and to purchase.

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One exciting new program in response to the COVID-19 pandemic is $MART ART: Shared Workspace, an ADA-accessible shared community workspace coming soon to Oakland, equipped with a variety of digital and traditional tools and services that will assist artists and community members to flourish in the global digital based economy. $MART ART Supplies (watercolor paints, recorders, theatre mask plaster, etc.) are being distributed to local students so they have art materials to assist them while learning from home.

"We think membership in the Garrett County Arts Council is a fantastic value," Ludwig said. "Already a member? Thank you! Please now renew your membership for 202I. Not a member yet? Please join! We need your continued financial support, and we need your voice, your ideas, your passion, your participation, your time and your love of the arts."

Persons may join by going online to www.garrettarts.org and clicking on "Become a Member" found on the bottom left of the home page. Persons may email info@garrettarts.org to join, visit The Gallery Shop at 108 S. Second Street in Oakland, or call the office at 301-334-6580.

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# U.S. News & World Report Names Garrett Regional Medical Center a 2020-21 Best Nursing Home

Garrett Regional Medical Center is among the 21% of U.S. skilled nursing facilities recognized as a Best Nursing Home for 2020-21 by U.S. News & World Report.

"We are honored that the excellent care provided by our Subacute Unit has once again been recognized with this distinguished award," said Kendra Thayer, Senior Vice President of Patient Services. "This recognition is due to our incredible staff, who strive every day to treat our patients like family. They are a dedicated and compassionate team who always go above and beyond to help our patients through their recovery."

The home earned Best Nursing Homes status by achieving a rating of "High Performing," the highest possible rating, for Short-Term Rehabilitation. U.S. News gives the designation of Best Nursing Home only to those homes that satisfy U.S. News's assessment of the appropriate use of key services and consistent performance in quality measures.

Now in its 11th year, the U.S. News Best Nursing Homes ratings and profiles offer comprehensive information about care, safety, health inspections, staffing and more for nearly all of the nation's 15,000-plus nursing homes. The Best Nursing Homes rating reflects U.S. News' exclusive analysis of publicly available data using a methodology that evaluates factors determined to most greatly impact patient and resident care, safety, and outcomes. This year, to accompany the new ratings, nursing home profile pages were updated to include a patient safety summary that reflects COVID-19 data alongside other measurements of safety and related advice on choosing a home or facility amidst the pandemic.

"U.S. News strives to provide access to information that allows consumers to make educated decisions on all types of care," said Ben Harder, managing editor and chief of health analysis at U.S. News. "Updating the profiles to include a patient safety summary that highlights COVID-19 data paired with other measures of care arms families, caregivers and patients with the information needed to make a decision that keeps safety at the highest priority."

The Best Nursing Home finder features ratings on both long-term and short-term care. The short-term rating incorporates measures of quality including consistency of registered nurse staffing, use of antipsychotic drugs, and success in preventing falls.

Garrett Regional Medical Center's Subacute Care Department is a ten-bed unit designed for patients who may fall between nursing home care and hospital care and serves between 350 to 400 patients annually. Subacute patients require complex care or rehabilitation. Some patients might be recovering from a stroke, surgery, cardio-respiratory conditions, or wound care. The unit offers a home-like atmosphere with its own dining area, activity room and laundry facility to provide patients with the care and education needed to function when they return home.

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# Garrett Choral Society is Giving the Gift of Song

Garrett Choral Society is inviting you to enjoy their Christmas music this holiday season. If enjoying the Garrett Choral Society annual holiday concert is one of your favorite activities of the season, you can listen to their Christmas music online this year. They have selected highlights from their 2017 & 2018 Christmas concerts and have created a video recording on their YouTube channel called "A Choral Society Christmas."

"Since we've been unable to sing together for the last 9 months, we wanted to find a way to share some of the holiday spirit with you," says Lindy Moebs, choir member. Beginning Tuesday, December 8th this one-hour concert will be available to all. "When our directors Sean & Debbi Beachy made these recordings, no one could have imagined that we would have to substitute them for live music. We're so grateful that we can now offer this music to you," said Lindy.

There are two ways to listen. Go to Facebook.com/GarrettChoralSociety OR go to YouTube.com then Search for "Garrett Choral Society" and Select "A Choral Society Christmas".

As with all non-profit organizations, fund-raising for the choral society has been non-existent in 2020. Choral Society expenses are on-going even without any live performances during the 2020 year.

If you want to support Community Music, the Garrett Choral Society is incorporated as a non-profit and will gratefully accept financial donations. The mailing address is Garrett Choral Society, PO Box 53, Oakland, MD 21550. Says Lindy, "We hope and pray that we can sing for you in person next year. Happy Holidays to All and Keep a Song in your Heart!"

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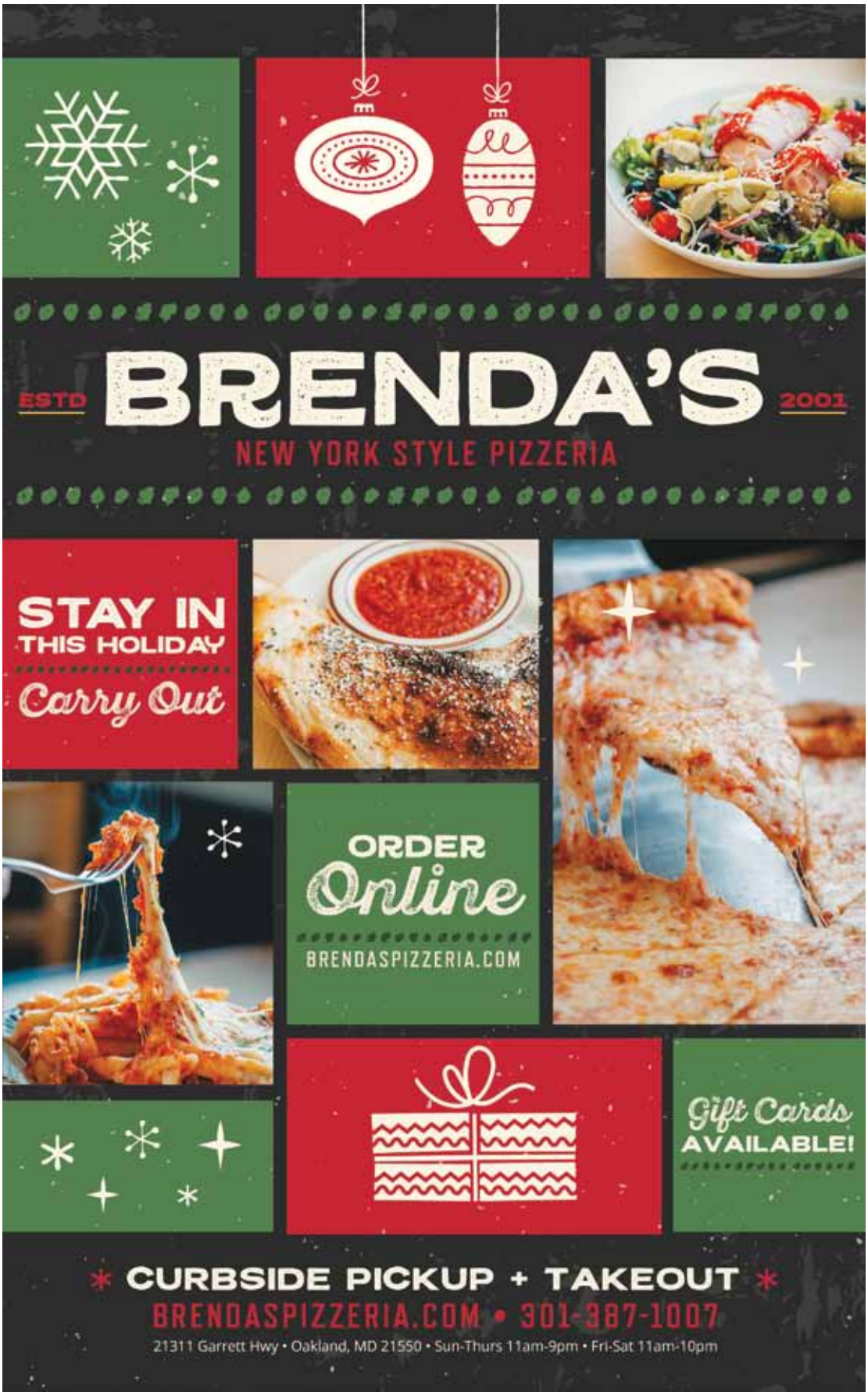
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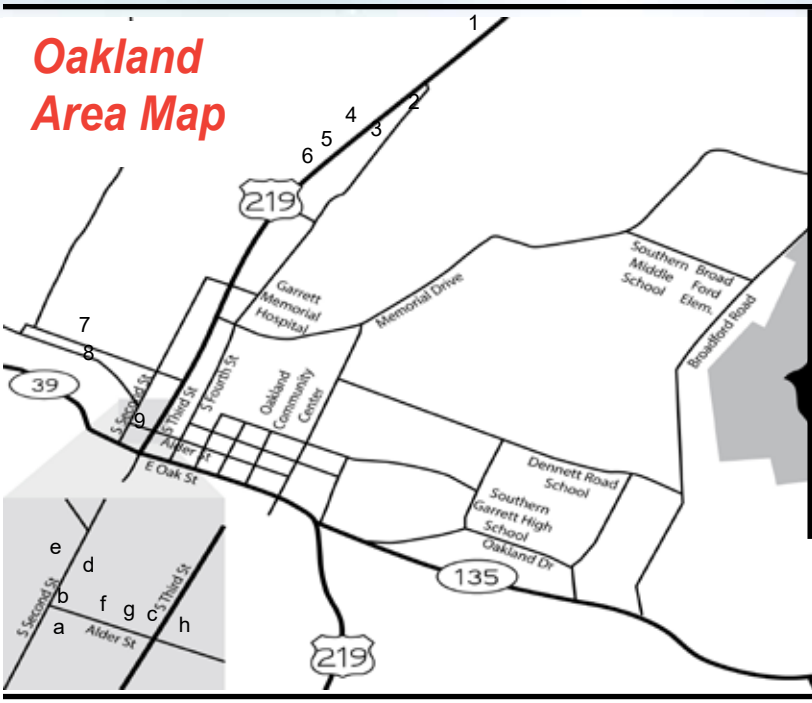


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Call your primary care provider to ask about testing at the doctor's office.

Call Urgent Care Centers to ask about testing at their center.

Testing is available at CVS in Oakland. Call ahead to schedule.

If you have a doctor's order for testing, call Garrett Regional Medical Center (GRMC) in Oakland for testing:

With symptoms: Monday through Thursday during normal business hours. Once you have your provider's order for a Rapid test, call 301-533-4670 to schedule an appointment. Hospital staff will meet you at your car under the canopy at the front of the hospital at the designated appointment time. The result will be called to your provider within an hour.

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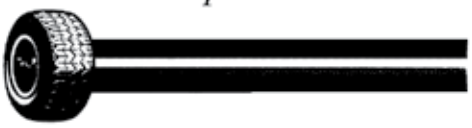

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***Call for Directions • 301-501-1619***
***deepcreekpottery@gmail.com***
***www.deepcreekpottery.com***
Outdoor Art Market with Pottery, Mosaics, Kits to Go and more for sale. Wide variety of Take & Make Kits.

**Smith's ENGLANDER'S ANTIQUE MALL**
***Open daily at 8:30 AM.***
***Corner of Alder and Second St,***
***Downtown Oakland • 301-533-0000***
Experience a piece of Americana by shopping in this reclaimed old-fashioned drug store w/ an eat in lunch counter and soda shoppe! Featuring over 6,000 square feet of antiques and collectibles. Handicap accessible.

**FITZWATER FURNITURE**
***Open Monday - Saturday: 10 - 5***
***1947 Maryland Hwy (Rt. 135)***
***Oakland, MD • 301-334-2612***
***www.fitzwaterfurniture.com***
Visit the area's largest furniture showroom featuring over 2000 items in stock and ready for immediate delivery. We have a huge selection of furniture, as well as bedding, lighting, area rugs, wall art & Accessories. Area dealer for Kingsdown mattresses. Major credit cards accepted.

**G&W LUMBER**
***Open Monday - Saturday • 301-746-8520***
***404 S. Main Street (Rt. 219), Accident***
Your hometown supplier of all your building needs, we feature Andersen Windows, Doors, Roofing, electrical & plumbing supplies, building materials and much more. Visit our Kitchen & Bath Center for great ideas and more.

**GEAN & OLIVE BOUTIQUE**
***204 E. Alder Street, downtown Oakland***
***Open Wed & Thurs: 11 - 4;***
***Friday & Saturday: 11 - 6***
***www.geanandolive.com***
Check out downtown Oakland's newest shopping experience...A unique boutique by Craeve and Co. focused on celebrating products curated and created by women entrepreneurs!

**GOURMET & MORE**
***Open Thurs - Sun 10 - 6;***
***Closed Tues & Wed***
***1550 Deep Creek Drive, Suite E***
***240-442-5104 • schoolhouseearth.com***
Check out Schoolhouse Earth's Sister store, conveniently located at The Fort in McHenry. Featuring a large selection of gourmet items to make your summer bbq's, parties, and more complete! Social distancing guidelines are in place. No samples available at this time.

**HILLTOP FRUIT & FARMERS MARKET HOME OF CANDYLAND**
***Open Daily at 8 AM***
***12579 National Pike, Grantsville, MD***
***or 12679 Garrett Highway, Oakland***
Great selection of fresh fruits and vegetables as well as huge selection of apples, pumpkins and fall ornamentals. Lots of local products including jams and jellies, local and organic honey, maple syrup & more. Candyland features over 900 varieties of nostalgic and seasonal candy including sugar free, candymaking supplies and more.

**PENN ALPS GIFT SHOP**
***Open Daily at 11 AM***
***125 Casselman Road, Grantsville***
***301-895-5985 • www.pennalps.com***
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**RAILEY DESIGN STUDIO**
***Open Daily from 10 AM to 5 PM.***
***2150 Friendsville Road, Friendsville***
***301-750-5038 • www.raileydesign.com***
Deep Creek's newest furniture and home decor studio offers a wide selection of furniture, home decor, bedding and accessories in multiple showrooms. Now offering select lines of bath and body products, great for personal use or as a gift!

**SCHOOLHOUSE EARTH**
***Open Daily 10 - 6***
***1224 Friendsville Road (Rt. 42)***
***301-746-8603 • schoolhouseearth.com***
Located 2 miles north of Deep Creek Lake on Rt. 42. A delightful combination of gourmet foods, gifts, garden accessories, home decor and jewelry awaits. Christmas room is open year round. There's also children's books and toys, framed art, candles and much, much more. Don't forget to bring the family to visit all the animals in the free petting zoo! No sampling is available at this time. Social distancing requirements are in place.

**STUDIO 24e**
***Online at www.studio24e.com***
Featuring items with Individual Style including jewelry, unique t's, personal care items, home decor, clothing, designer items, accessories and much more!

**THE CHIC SHACK**
***Open Monday - Saturday from 10 - 5:30; Sunday from 10 - 3. • 301-533-0097***
***214 E. Alder Street, Oakland***
Located with The Painted Cupboard featuring the latest designs in costume jewelry, scarves, handbags and more for today's chic! Check us out on Facebook!

**THE GALLERY SHOP**
***Open Thurs - Sat: 10 AM to 5:00 PM;***
***108 S. Second Street, Oakland***
***301-334-8139 • www.garrettarts.com***
Visit the Garrett County Arts Council's permanent home on Second Street. Stop by and see works from area artisans, great gift ideas and more! You can also shop our artwork online at SEYMOURart.org.

**THE PAINTED CUPBOARD**
***Open Mon - Sat from 10 - 5:30; Sun: 10 - 3.***
***214 E. Alder St., Oakland • 301-533-0097***
***Call ahead for Curbside Delivery***
We offer primitive country wares for your home. Featuring handmade, one of a kind items including baskets, birdhouses, candles, handmade furniture, pottery & soaps. Made in the USA items.

**TOURIST TRAP**
***Open Daily***
***19895 Garrett Highway • 301-387-7900***
***www.deepcreeklakegiftshop.com***
Deep Creek Lake's Resort Wear headquarters featuring quality, exclusive designs plus gorgeous embroidered hats, T's, & sweats. Check out Animaland... where you can make your very own stuffed animal! Home decor, flags, jewelry, plus a large selection of toys, games and puzzles! Don't miss our Bargain Corner...with hats and apparel from 25 - 50% off.

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DCL HVAC ..... 240-321-6677
Rush Services ..... 387-6481

**Antiques:**
Blue Moon Antiques ..... 895-3529
Englanders ..... 533-0000

**Appliance Repair:**
Rush Services ..... 387-6481

**Adventure Parks / Arcades:**
Funland ..... 387-6168
Fun Unlimited ..... 750-2150

**Automobile Service:**
Glotfelty Enterprises ..... 334-3911

**Baked Goods:**
Annie's Kitchen ..... 746-8578
Perkins ..... 387-5800
Rolling Pin ..... 746-8500
Shop 'n' Save ..... 387-4075

**Beer/Wine Sales:**
Arrowhead ..... 387-4020
Fireside Deli ..... 387-0083
Hartman's Liberty ..... 746-8886
McHenry Beverage ..... 387-5518
Zipeez ..... 387-2992

**Boat Storage / Service:**
FunTime Watersports ..... 387-0725

**Breweries:**
Mt State Brewing Co ..... 387-3360

**Building Supplies:**
G&W Lumber ..... 746-8520

**CBD Oil**
Ancient Healing Oils ..... 746-4630
MeadowMountainHemp.farm

**Cleaning Services**
DCL Mtn Maids ..... 240-321-4800

**Countertops & Cabinets:**
G&W Lumber ..... 746-8520

**Delis:**
Hartman's Liberty ..... 746-8886
Rolling Pin Bakery ..... 746-8500
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**Dock Sales & Repairs:**
Connect A Dock ..... 412-486-3388
Deep Creek Docks ..... 387-8574

**Essential Oils**
Appalachian Valley ..... 746-4630

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Himalayan Salt Cave & Spa...
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**Exercise Classes**
Jazzercise ..... 304-685-4778

**Farmer's Markets:**
Farmers Market ..... 334-9146
Hill Top Fruit Market ..... 895-5915
Mt. Fresh Farmers Mkt ..... 334-6960

**Fireplace, Indoor & Outdoor**
Deep Creek Fireplace ..... 334-2678

**Furniture, Sales:**
Fitzwater Furniture ..... 334-2612
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Railey Design ..... 750-5038

**Gasoline:**
Arrowhead ..... 387-4020
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**Gourmet Foods:**
Gourmet & More ..... 240-442-5104
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**Groceries:**
Arrowhead ..... 387-4020
Farmers Market ..... 334-9146
Hill Top Fruit Market ..... 895-5915
Hartman's Liberty ..... 746-8886
Shop 'n' Save ..... 387-4075
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**Guided Hiking Tours**
All Earth Eco Tours ..... 746-4083

**Hay Rides / Sleigh Rides:**
Western Trails ..... 387-6155

**Hardware:**
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**Home Builders:**
AH Homes ..... 616-2871

**Horseback Riding:**
Western Trails ..... 387-6155

**Hot Tub Sales / Service:**
DCL Spas ..... 240-321-4800
Taylor-Made ..... 866-351-1119

**Interior Design Studio:**
Railey Design ..... 750-5038

**Liquor Sales:**
Arrowhead ..... 387-4020
McHenry Bev. ..... 387-5518
Zipeez ..... 387-2992

**Massage Therapy:**
Himalayan Salt Cave & Spa .....
..... 304-379-7000

**Motels & B&Bs:**
Long Branch. ..... 334-4533

**Nature Tours:**
All Earth Eco Tours ..... 746-4083

**Pet Boarding & Grooming**
HART for Animals ..... 387-SPAY

**Pharmacies:**
Deep Creek Phamacy ..... 387-5300

**Photographers:**
Frazee Photography ..... 240-321-1061
Vision Quest Studios ..... 746-4083

**Plumbing:**
Rush Services ..... 387-6481

**Pottery Studio:**
Deep Creek Pottery ..... 501-1619

**Property Management:**
Taylor-Made ..... 866-351-1119

**Radio Stations**
92.3 WKTQ ..... 334-1111
104.5 WKHJ ..... 334-1111

**Real Estate Sales:**
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Taylor-Made ..... 866-351-1119

**Resort Rentals:**
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**Salons / Tanning**
Lake Salon ..... 387-9400

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Himalayan Salt Cave & Spa .....
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**Seafood**
Arrowhead ..... 387-4020
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**Tires:**
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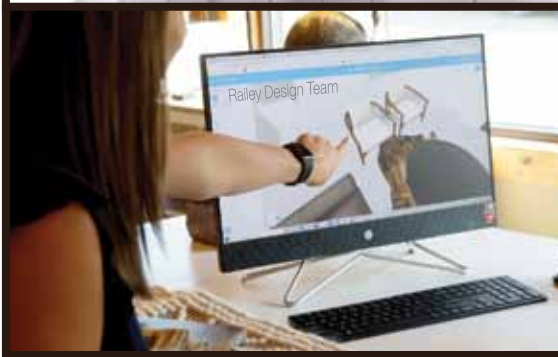

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