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UPCOMING EVENTS

Special Recycling Event

Saturday, Nov. 3 • 9 a.m.-1 p.m.
Shallowford Square

Veteran's Day

Town Hall Closed

Monday, Nov. 12

Waste Management on Schedule

Thanksgiving Holiday

Town Hall Closed

Thursday & Friday, Nov. 22 & 23

*See Pg. 3 for

Waste Management Delay information

Tree Lighting Ceremony

Friday, Nov. 30 • 7 p.m.

Shallowford Square

*See Pg. 5 for more information

Christmas Parade

Sunday, Dec. 9 • 3:15 p.m.

Downtown Lewisville

Christmas Holiday

Town Hall Closed

Monday & Tuesday, Dec. 24 & 25

*See Pg. 3 for

Waste Management Delay information

New Year's Holiday

Town Hall Closed

Monday, Jan. 1, 2019

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Waste Management Delay information

Christmas Tree Collection Begins

Tuesday, Jan. 7, 2019

*See Pg. 4 for more information

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FILE PHOTO

The Lewisville Civic Club will host the 35th annual Christmas parade at 3:15 p.m. on December 9 following the Santa Showdown: Reindeer vs. Elves 2.5 Fun Run that begins at 2:45 p.m.

Civic Club Plans for 35th annual Christmas Parade, December 9

The 2018 Lewisville Christmas Parade is one of the largest Christmas parades in the Triad. The 35th Annual Lewisville Christmas Parade is scheduled at 3:15 p.m. for Sunday, December 9.

Each year brings more participation than the year before as parade crowds grow larger and larger. There is usually a large number of floats, dance and drill teams, marching bands from local high schools plus lots of candy for children of all ages. It is an exciting event for citizens as the beautiful town of Lewisville is showcased every year.

Lewisville citizens are encouraged to come out, join

the fun and get your Christmas festivities jump-started.

"For those interested in participating in the parade, now is the time to sign up," according to Maureen Barton, director of the parade for the Lewisville Civic Club (LCC).

Barton can be contacted with parade questions for more information at 336-671-7332 or via e-mail to lvholiday123@aol.com. For updates about the parade, please visit the LCC Facebook page @Lewisville Civic Club Christmas Parade. Make sure to like the page to receive updates about the festivities.

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From your Mayor Celebrate Holidays, Count Blessings

Why is it that all of the really great holidays are packed into the last two months of the year? Of course, we all celebrate Thanksgiving, Veterans Day, Christmas, Kwanzaa, Chanukah, New Years, etc. but what about all the lesser known days? Here's some of my favorites.

In November we have:

1st – Men Make Dinner Day. At our house, this is every day, but for those of you who don't cook regularly, jump in. The only rule is No Grilling.

2nd – Look For Circles Day. Hey, if you don't have anything to do for a couple of hours, why not? For some of us it is better known as Running Around In Circles Day. But that's something totally different.

8th – Duncce Day. It's the one day we can just be ourselves.

19th – Have A Bad Day, Day. We all know people who never have a bad day. Well, this one's for you.

28th – French Toast Day. Just an excuse to eat maple syrup and butter. Real butter.

And on into December where we have:

5th – Bathtub Party Day. In college, this was the one day a year when my roommates and I cleaned our bathtub. Generally included our favorite beverage. Come on guys, you know it's true.

12th – National Ding-A-Ling Day. You know who we are talking about, right?

12th – Poinsettia Day. Officially established to argue about how Poinsettia is pronounced.

16th – National Chocolate Covered Anything Day. Use your imagination. Do I need to say more?

30th – Bacon Day. Actually, some of us celebrate this several times a week. And not that turkey bacon stuff. That's just not right.

Did I miss yours? Let me know on my Facebook Page: Lewisville Mayor Mike Horn.

Whatever you celebrate this holiday season, I hope you will spend it with family and friends. Count your blessings. Do something kind for a stranger. Love your pets, especially your dogs. And find lots to make you laugh.

If you do any of these, find me at our Christmas Parade or Tree Lighting events and say, "Mike, it's a wonderful life."

As always, I welcome your comments.

Mike Horn
Mayor Mike Horn

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Mike Horn

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Tour of Tanglewood Yields Nearly \$750K thus far

Cyclists who participated in the National MS Society's Bike MS: Tour to Tanglewood in September have raised approximately \$750,00 thus far with more funds coming in through November 21.

"There were 900 cyclists," said Catherine Lott, logistics manager for the National Multiple Sclerosis Society. "Participants have until November 21 to continue fundraising, so we hope to see

that number continue to rise," Lott added.

The bike race route included many roadways in the Lewisville area during the weekend event.



SUBMITTED PHOTO

During the August 9 Lewisville Town Council Meeting, Mayor Mike Horn (left) presented Yvonne Hall (right), Chair of the Lewisville Beautification Committee, with the *I'm One of the Reasons Lewisville Is A Great Place to Live* award. Miriam Marley (center) presents a floral bouquet to Hall on behalf of the Beautification Committee in celebration of the award.



SUBMITTED PHOTO

Town of Lewisville Town Clerk Joyce M. Walker, shown here with Mayor Mike Horn, left, and Mayor Pro Tem Sandra Mock, right, was awarded Clerk of the Year by the North Carolina Association of Municipal Clerks at their annual summer conference. This prestigious award is presented annually to the State's outstanding clerk or deputy clerk.

Harrold Leaves for New Position

In October, Lewisville Town Planner Josh Harrold resigned to return to the Town of Black Mountain and serve as Town Manager.

"We are sad to lose a diligent employee like Josh; however, we are excited for him with his career advancement," said Lewisville Town Manager Hank Perkins. "We have begun accepting applications for the Town Planner position and plan to have someone in place before the

end of the year."

Harrold, who served as Town Planner since June 2017, said he has enjoyed his time serving the residents and Town.



"I sincerely appreciate the opportunity to work for the Town of Lewisville," Harrold said. "The employees and residents have been great to work with and Lewisville truly is a special place. I will always enjoy my time spent here."

Prior to his time in Lewisville, Harrold served as Black Mountain's Director of Planning and Development Services for three years.

Town Hall, Waste Management Observe Holidays; Garbage, Recycle Pickup Delays Announced

Lewisville Town Hall will be closed Monday, November 12 in observance of Veterans Day. There will not be any Waste Management delays.

Town Hall will also be closed Thursday, November 22 and Friday, November 23 in observance of the Thanksgiving Holiday.

Waste Management will be closed Thursday, November 22 for the

Thanksgiving Holiday. Trash pickup will be delayed by one day for those with Thursday and Friday service.

Town Hall will be closed Monday, December 24 and Tuesday, December 25 in observance of the Christmas holiday.

Waste Management will also be closed Tuesday, December 25 in observance of the Christmas holiday. Trash pick up will be

delayed one day beginning Tuesday, December 25 through Friday, December 28.

In addition, Town Hall will be closed Tuesday, January 1 in observance of New Year's Day.

Waste Management will also be closed Tuesday, January 1. Trash pickup will be delayed one day beginning Tuesday, January 1 through Friday, January 4.

Special Recycling Event Set for November 3

The Lewisville Recycling Committee (LRC) will host a special recycle collection event from 9 a.m. until 1 p.m. for Saturday, November 3 at Shallowford Square on David McKee Street.

LRC collects clean items not included in the bi-weekly recycling. Go to the Town of Lewisville website <https://www.lewisvillenc.net/solid-waste-recycling> to find the list of accepted and unacceptable items. This event offers the residents a proper way to recycle items not permitted in the regular curbside recycle collection.

Town Office Manager Stacy Howard said the special recycling events are vital to assist the residents in properly disposing of materials.

"People often call Town Hall inquiring about recycle procedures

for styrofoam peanuts and bubble wrap as well as other items that are not accepted curbside,"

Howard said. "This recycling event offers the opportunity for these items to be properly recycled."



RECYCLING ITEMS

ACCEPTED WILL INCLUDE:

Plastic and paper grocery bags, styrofoam peanuts and bubble wrap, styrofoam egg cartons, inkjet and laser cartridges, cell phones, plastic six-pack rings, household batteries (only NiCad, mercury, lead and lithium), residential florescent bulbs, empty propane tanks, corks, #1 non-

small neck plastic containers like cool whip tubs and lids, #5 plastic food containers (like yogurt), and automobile batteries.

ITEMS UNACCEPTABLE WILL INCLUDE:

No items that are already permitted in the curbside recycling program such as cardboard and newspaper, no used motor oil, latex paint or antifreeze. All chemicals, paints, televisions and hazardous waste must be taken to the 3RC Envirostation in Winston-Salem, no glass or other plastics not accepted curbside, no toys, housewares or small appliances.

Clean used toys, housewares and other small working appliances should be taken to the Goodwill site at the Oaks Shopping Center.

Christmas Holiday Recycling Events announced

Holiday Cardboard Recycling Collection

The Recycling Committee will once again be sponsoring the Holiday Cardboard Recycling Collection.

This year's collection will run from Monday, December 24 through Tuesday, January 2, 2019 in the Lewisville Elementary School Parking lot. This Recycling Event is for cardboard/chip board, such as gift boxes, shipping boxes or packaging from toys.

The bin will be emptied on a regular basis so that additional items can be recycled. If the bin is full and your items will not fit, please do not leave items in the parking lot or surrounding the bin.



Lewisville Elementary School allows the Recycling Committee to use the parking lot for this event as a service to Town residents, so please be mindful of this when recycling items.

Christmas Tree Removal

Another important holiday collection is this year's Christmas tree removal, which will begin on Monday, Jan. 7, 2019.

Trees must be at the curbside by 6 a.m. on that day to ensure pick up, and there will be only one pass through town to collect trees.

Please put this date on your calendar so that your tree will not be missed.



Winter Bulky Item Pickup Scheduled for January 14

The next Bulky Item Pickup event will be held Monday, January 14. Those residents wishing to participate in the pickup should have all acceptable bulky items curbside by 7 a.m.

Bulky item collection events are held a few times per year and

provide Lewisville residents an easy and convenient way to dispose of unwanted, large items that would otherwise need to be taken to the landfill. Town Hall has received recent calls about the event, so Town staff is anticipating high participation from Lewisville residents.

Guidelines for what is accepted and what is prohibited can be found on the Lewisville website, www.lewisvillenc.net, on Channel 6 and in this newsletter.

If you are unsure if an item is acceptable, call Town Hall at 336-945-5558.



FILE PHOTO

The annual Christmas Tree Lighting ceremony for the Town of Lewisville will be held at 7 p.m. on November 30 at Shallowford Square.

Tree Lighting Ceremony set for November 30

The Town of Lewisville will host its annual Tree Lighting ceremony at 7 p.m. on Friday, November 30 in Shallowford Square.

The event will include a visit and

photos with Santa Claus, caroling, beverages and cookies. This is a free event for the community and its residents.

PARADE

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As an added attraction this year, LCC has partnered with IFB Solutions, known previously as "Industries for the Blind" to bring a unique event to the Town of Lewisville. This year, prior to the Christmas Parade, a Santa Showdown: Reindeer vs. Elves 2.5 Fun Run will be held. The race will begin at 2:45 p.m. and conclude with the last participant crossing the finish line.

After the conclusion of the race, the Christmas parade will begin with an estimated start time of 3:15 p.m.

Roads into Lewisville will be closed to traffic at 2:30 p.m. until the conclusion of the parade at the

discretion of law enforcement.

The parade point of origin is at the intersection of Shallowford and Lewisville Vienna roads. The parade then turns at the Oaks Shopping Center on Williams Road, turns again on Belnette and ends at Shallowford Square.

The staging of parade participants depends on the type of entry and can be found in the rules and regulations listed on the LCC website. Signs, safety cones and barricades will be placed the day before the event to inform residents of road closures and delays.

For entry information or to donate to the event, please visit <https://runsignup.com/Race/NC/Lewisville/SantaShowdown>.

LIBRARY NEWS

Library Closings: November 12 & 22-23; December 7 & 24-26 and Jan. 1, 2019.

Giving Thanks Blood Drive

Tuesday, November 20

11 a.m. - 3:30 p.m.

Join the Library in celebrating the gift of saving a life. This November the Lewisville Branch Library will be hosting the American Red Cross in our 2nd annual fall blood drive. Stop by the library to register or you can register online at <https://www.redcrossblood.org/give.html/find-drive>.

Yoga for Beginners

Fridays, November 16

& December 21 at 11 a.m.

Meets once a month on Friday at 11 a.m. in the Lewisville Branch Library Auditorium. Adults at all levels are welcome to attend. Please bring your yoga mat, beach towel or blanket. No registration required.

Jane & Tea Book Club

Thursdays, December 15

& 20 at 10 a.m.

The Jane & Tea Book Club meets every third Thursday of the month to discuss the pick of the month and enjoy tea, snacks and all things Jane Austen. The club reads original works, associated biographies and other nonfiction, as well as Austen read-alikes. A relaxed and open group for the love of Jane! Program occurs every 3rd Thursday of the month.

All programs are free and open to the public. For more library events, visit <http://www.forsyth.cc/library/Lewisville/default.aspx>.

PART Announces West Forsyth Express Open for Residents' Use

ROUTE 28 WEST FORSYTH EXPRESS

Piedmont Authority for Regional Transportation (PART) has secured funding to enhance bus service into Winston-Salem to reduce congestion during the Business 40 Closure. PART will increase service on Route 6 Surry County Express, Route 17 Kernersville/WS Express, adjust Route 18, and create a new Route 28 West Forsyth Express. These services began October 29. If you have any questions, please call 336-883-7278 or email contactus@partnc.org.

Thanks to Business 40 Mitigation funding, PART is adding a route from Clemmons and Lewisville into Winston-Salem. The schedule provides peak hours and mid-day service to provide a connection from Western Forsyth County. Davie Medical Center was temporarily removed from this schedule until an agreement with Baptist Hospital is finalized for the Park & Ride Lot.

Holiday Drive-through planned for December 10

The Lewisville Beautification Committee (LBC) will make its annual drive through Lewisville on the evening of December 10 to select the best holiday decorated homes and businesses.

This is a long-time tradition for the LBC and members are looking forward to the upcoming event.

In the past the Lewisville Beautification Committee has driven through Lewisville searching for decorated homes and businesses. This year LBC will once again seek input from residents.

Residents are encouraged to nominate decorated homes or businesses for consideration.

Anyone wishing to nominate a home or business should contact Town Hall at 336-945-5558 with your nominations' address by 5 p.m. on Friday, December 7.

The LBC will use the nominations to guide their route through town. Any resident or business hoping to be



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The Beautification Committee will make its annual drive-through Lewisville on the evening of Monday, December 10 to select the best holiday decorated homes and businesses.

considered should be sure that lights are on and the decorations are visible during the drive-through.

The addresses of the selected homes and businesses will be posted on Channel 6 and the Town website.

Reminder: Help Keep Storm Drains Clean

Please do not blow or rake any leaves or lawn clippings over the curb to ensure storm drains remain clear!



MEETING INFORMATION

The Town Council meets on the 1st Thursday of the month at 6 p.m. for a briefing in the 2nd floor conference room. The regular meeting is the second Thursday at 7:30 p.m. in Council Chambers.

understanding ROUNDABOUTS



WHAT IS A ROUNDABOUT?

A roundabout is an intersection requiring entering traffic to yield the right of way to traffic already in the roundabout. This keeps the traffic in the roundabout flowing and prevents traffic backups and delays.

WHY INSTALL A ROUNDABOUT?

Roundabouts help address safety and congestion concerns at intersections. They are designed to enhance traffic efficiency, safety and aesthetics and minimize delay and cost for all users including motorists, pedestrians and bicyclists.



HOW TO DRIVE A ROUNDABOUT:

- Yield to vehicles already in the roundabout;
- Once in the roundabout, you have the right of way;
- Use your turn signal when exiting the roundabout
- *Always* be cautious and look for unexpected vehicles, pedestrians or bicycles.

Community Calendar

November 3

Holiday One Stop Shop

Lewisville United Methodist Church Preschool: Holiday One Stop Shop will be held from 8 a.m. until 2 p.m. on Saturday, November 3. The Shop will include handcrafted and general sales vendors of all types! In addition, there will be a silent auction that includes tickets to Tweetsie and Dollywood (proceeds benefit children who cannot afford preschool). The event will have lots of food and fun for children! Interested in being a vendor? Contact tracy.conner@lumcpreschool.com.

Textures Salon hosts Vendor Event for Toys for Tots

Textures Salon in Lewisville will hold a Vendor Event to kick off the Marine Corps Toys for Tots drive at 11 a.m. on Saturday, November 3. The event will host more than 40 vendors, including everything from home party items to local artisans. There will be something for everyone. They will be doing a raffle in honor of Toys For Tots. Tickets will be sold on the day of the event for the raffle. All money collected will go to Toys For Toys. New toys will also be collected now through November 3. Each toy donated will get you a ticket for the raffle. All vendors will be donating to the raffle. In addition, the event will host the award-winning Food Freaks Food Truck.

Sunrise UMC hosts Disc Golf Opening

Come play a round at Sunrise UMC's new Disc Golf Course as they open to the whole community at 12 p.m. on Saturday, November 3 at 1111 Lewisville-Clemmons Road in Lewisville. Disc Golf is fun for all ages and offers a great way to get outside. They will have a cookout and prizes on certain holes. For more information, contact Josh Vance by e-mail to Josh@Sunrise-UMC.org.

November 12

Historical Society Membership Meeting

The Lewisville Historical Society invites the public to its regular Membership Meeting at 6 p.m. on Monday, November 12, at the Lewisville United Methodist Church Fellowship Hall at 6290 Shallowford Road in Lewisville. The program will be "Hidden Treasures of the Past" presented by local historian and genealogist, Baxter Cromer. Baxter Cromer will discuss the many items found during his search through his parents' home. These items pertain to local history and family treasure and go back generations. The list of items includes letters from past presidents and others. He will have some items on display. This will be a "honey" of a story! Light refreshments. Free and open to the public. Call 336-766-5842 for more information. Co-sponsored by the Lewisville Historical Society and the Lewisville Branch Library.

December 2

Unity Moravian Church Candle Trimming

Unity Moravian Church will hold a Candle Trimming ceremony at 6 p.m. on Sunday, December 2. Bring your family and learn how to "dress" the hundreds of beeswax candles in special red paper trim used for the traditional Christmas lovefeast and candle services. Snacks will be provided following the ceremony. Unity Moravian Church is located at 8300 Concord Church Road in Lewisville.

December 9

Lewisville Christmas Parade

The Lewisville Civic Club will host the 35th annual Christmas parade at 3 p.m. on December 9 following the Santa Showdown: Reindeer vs. Elves 2.5 Fun Run that begins at 2:45 p.m.

December 9

Unity Moravian Church The Winter Rose: A Cantata

Unity Moravian Church invites you to join the church after the Lewisville Holiday parade for a free concert at 7:30 p.m. on Sunday, December 9. The performance features Unity's choir accompanied by a talented musical ensemble. The Winter Rose incorporates both traditional carols and newly composed anthems that visit the timeless Christmas story with fresh insight.

December 16

Unity Moravian holds Moravian Christmas, Children's Lovefeast and Candle Service

A Moravian Christmas and Children's Lovefeast and Candle Service will be held on Sunday, December 16. The Moravian Christmas Ceremony will be held at 2:30 p.m. with the Children's Lovefeast and Candle Service at 4 p.m. Experience the history, music and traditions of the Moravians, one of the oldest Protestant churches in the world. This interactive community open house and craft fair is free to everyone! Buy unique gifts, chicken pies and baked goods for the holidays. Stay for the children's lovefeast, a noisy and joyous worship experience where you can share in a symbolic meal, become part of the Christmas story and sing carols.

December 24

Unity Moravian Church Christmas Lovefeast and Candle Service

On Monday, December 24 Unity Moravian Church will host a Christmas Eve Lovefeast and Candle Service at 4 and 7 p.m., respectively. A brass band will play beforehand to welcome all inside for the worship service sure to get attendees in the Christmas spirit! Come early to enjoy the band prelude and get a seat. Nursery is provided.



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TOWN MEETING SCHEDULE TOWN COUNCIL

Town Council Briefing and Action Agenda Meeting is held the 1st Thursday of each month at 6 p.m. at Town Hall, 2nd floor

Town Council meets the 2nd Thursday of each month at 7:30 p.m. at Town Hall Council Chambers

Special Projects Review Committee meets the 1st Thursday of each month at Town Hall following the Council briefing

BOARDS

Parks, Recreation & Cultural Development Board meets the 2nd Monday of each month in January, March, May, June, July, August, September and November at Town Hall, 2nd Floor

Planning Board meetings are the 2nd Wednesday of the month at 6:30 p.m., Town Hall Council Chambers

Planning Board Work Sessions are the 4th Wednesday of the month at 6:30 p.m., Town Hall, 2nd Floor

Willow Run Municipal Service District Board meets quarterly at 6:30 p.m. at the Town Hall, 2nd Floor beginning in January

Zoning Board of Adjustment meets the 4th Tuesday at 6:30 p.m., Town Hall Council Chambers if there are cases to be heard.

COMMITTEES

Beautification Committee meets the 3rd Monday Feb, March, June, & Sept, at 7 p.m., Town Hall, 2nd Floor

Public Safety Advisory Committee meets on the 1st Tuesday bi-monthly at 5:30 p.m. at Town Hall, 2nd Floor, starting in Feb.

Recycling Committee meets bi-monthly on the 1st Tuesday of the month at 6:30 p.m., Town Hall, 2nd Floor, starting in Jan.

Student Leadership Committee meets the last Thursday of the month, August - May, 6:30 p.m., Town Hall, 1st Floor

Utilities Committee meets the first Wednesday of the month at 6:30 p.m., Town Hall, 2nd Floor

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