



# Lewisville Citizen

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## UPCOMING EVENTS

### **Independence Day Holiday Town Hall Closed**

Friday, July 3  
*NO delays in  
Trash & Recycle Service  
for the Holiday*

### **JukeBox Rehab with special guest Darryl Hoots in Concert**

Saturday, August 15  
Taking the stage at 6:15 p.m.  
**Shallowford Square**  
*See page 5 for details*

### **Trial By Fire Concert**

Saturday, August 29  
From 7 until 9 p.m.  
**Shallowford Square**  
*See page 4 for details*

### **Bulky Item Collection**

Postponed Until Further Notice  
*Due to COVID-19 Restrictions*

### **Have a Broken or Damaged Trash Cart?**

Contact Waste Management  
at 336-723-2784

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## Happy Fourth of July!

### ***Independence Day Concert Canceled; Upcoming Events Subject to COVID-19 Restrictions***

Plans for the Town's Independence Day celebration have been cancelled due to COVID-19 restrictions in an effort to fight the spread of the virus and protect the safety of residents.

Although the Town is no longer safely allowed to host its infamous fireworks show, Town officials had originally planned to host a concert and invite residents to celebrate the special holiday together.

"In light of current and anticipated circumstances regarding the COVID-19 pandemic, we decided it was necessary for the safety of our attendees and the public to cancel this year's event," said

Town Manager Hank Perkins. "The safety of our residents and staff is always of utmost importance in making decisions regarding events or other situations that could lead to potential virus spread. We will continue to work alongside Forsyth county and the state officials to make the best decisions we can to keep everyone safe and healthy."

The Town has two concerts scheduled for August. It is with eager anticipation that these events will continue as planned. Please stay tuned to the Town website and social media platforms for updates on events and meetings.



# From your Mayor The Shining City On The Hill



**Mike Horn**

**G**rowing up in the Florida Keys I lived a pretty sheltered life. We had rich kids, not so rich kids and the rest of us who really didn't know we were poor. But it really didn't matter. We all got along just fine.

Our community was so small, that everybody knew everybody, and everyone knew you. If I got into trouble in Islamorada, by the time I got home to Key Largo, my dad was waiting for me on the porch.

Our school was a mix of white kids, brown (Cuban) kids and black kids. We really never thought much of it. Of course, the black kids all lived in a certain part of the island, but at that time in my life, it really didn't register why.

It wasn't until I worked at a summer camp in North Carolina during my freshman year in college that I began to fully understand the issue of race – how unimportant it was to me, but how important it was to a lot of other people.

That's where I met Dexter King, the second son of Martin Luther King. The impact of who he was and what he had gone through didn't hit me until several years later when, one night standing on the steps of the Lincoln Memorial, looking toward the Capitol it hit me that a quarter million people gathered in this exact spot to hear his daddy speak.

Dexter was part of a summer camp experience for inner city kids from Atlanta. Today, inner city means black and brown kids, but back then we had a cornucopia of colors because poverty knew no color.

Spending time with the kids and their older counselors was an amazing experience. I was immersed in an unfamiliar culture and, for the first time in my life, I began to understand racial prejudice.

I had studied the Civil Rights Act of 1964 in high school, the riots of 1968 and the shootings of John Kennedy, Bobby Kennedy and Martin Luther King. But until that summer, I never really connected the dots. I didn't completely grasp the power of prejudice, oppression and hate.

I share this with you because for the majority of my life, racism didn't really affect me. Virtually every door I knocked on in my career opened. I didn't get suspicious looks walking through stores. White women didn't hold their purses a little tighter or pull their children closer when I passed.

I never worried about driving home at night, walking or jogging through my neighborhood or finding a place to live.

Over the years, however, I grew to understand how divisive racism can be. Yet, when I was out with the guys and one used a racial slur in a joke or story, I didn't say anything.

The events of May and June made me realize that I should have, and from now on will.

Racism is real. Systemic racism is real. Much of it has been tolerated, ignored and worse yet perpetuated.

Today, more than ever, I know I can do better in confronting racism. And I must do better, so everyone will feel welcome in our America, that shining city on the hill.

As always, thanks for reading and stay well. I welcome your comments.

**Mayor Mike Horn**

*Like Mike on Facebook at Lewisville Mayor Mike Horn.*

## Lewisville Town Council

**Mike Horn**  
Mayor

**Jeanne Marie Foster**  
Mayor Pro Tem  
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**Melissa Hunt**  
**Dr. Kenneth Sadler**  
**David Smitherman**  
**Jane Welch**

## Town Staff

**Hank Perkins**  
Town Manager  
**Pam Orrell**  
Finance Officer

**Ryan Moser**  
Acting Public Works Director

**Stacy Tolbert**  
Town Planner  
**Joyce Walker**  
Town Clerk  
**Gennie Taylor**  
Communications Specialist

**Stacy Howard**  
Office Manager/  
Events Coordinator  
**David Matthews**  
Maintenance Tech/Safety  
**Sheron Church**  
Accounting Clerk

## Deputies

**Sgt. P. J. Stringer**  
**Jamie Funkhouser**  
**Brian Christopher Lang**  
**Alexander O'Shields**  
**Travis Southard**  
**Tyler Tate**

## Chairs

**Susan Frey**  
Parks, Recreation & Cultural  
Development Board  
**Tom Lawson**  
Planning Board

**Jeffrey Rawls**  
Willow Run MSD

**Scott Ayers**  
Zoning Board of Adjustment  
**Susan Linker**  
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**Harlan Cobert**  
Public Safety Advisory  
Committee

**Kay Smitherman**  
Recycling Committee  
**Noor Kazi**  
Student Leadership  
Committee  
**Ed Rachlin**  
Lewisville  
Utilities Committee

# Town Hall to Observe Fourth of July Holiday NO Trash or Recycle Delays for the Weekend

Lewisville Town Hall will be closed Friday, July 3 in observance of the Independence Day holiday.

There will be NO trash and recycling delays for the Fourth of July holiday.

*Please have a safe and enjoyable Fourth of July!*

## If you leave home, know your Ws!

 <p><b>WEAR</b> a cloth face covering.</p>	 <p><b>WAIT</b> 6 feet apart. Avoid close contact.</p>	 <p><b>WASH</b> your hands often or use hand sanitizer.</p>
@NCDHHS		#StayStrongNC

The NC Department of Health and Human Services is asking people to remember these three things as we stay strong and continue to flatten the curve and slow the spread of COVID-19.

### If you leave home, practice your Ws: Wear, Wait, Wash

Wear a cloth face covering if you will be with other people

Wait 6 feet apart. Avoid close contact.

Wash your hands often with soap and water for at least 20 seconds or use hand sanitizer.

These actions can protect our families and neighbors as the state takes a cautious step forward to ease restrictions while the virus is still circulating.

## all about ROADS = = = = = DO YOU KNOW WHAT THE TOWNWIDE SPEED LIMIT IS?

If you said 25 MPH you are right. (Unless otherwise posted)

Speed limit is the maximum speed at which a vehicle is legally permitted to travel, as within a specific area, on a certain road, or under given conditions. Be alert that other roads in town may have lower posted speed limits. An example of this is Lucy Lane which goes in front of Lewisville Elementary School. It has a posted speed limit at 10 mph.

**Fun Fact:** On May 21, 1901 Connecticut became the first state to pass a law regulating motor vehicles, limiting their speed to 12 mph in cities and 15 mph on country roads.

For driving safety guidelines please visit:  
<https://www.ncdot.gov/travel/safetytips/>



## TOWN COUNCIL MEETING INFORMATION

The Regular Meeting held on the second Thursday of the month at 7:30 pm will be held at 6:00 pm while the Council is meeting “virtually” due to concerns over Covid-19.





## Trial By Fire Concert Set for Aug. 29

Join the Town for Trial by Fire, Journey Tribute Band from 7 until 9 p.m. on Saturday, August 29, 2020 at Shallowford Square. This concert was originally scheduled in 2019 but was rescheduled due to inclement weather.

This immensely talented group

of musicians has been wowing audiences across America for a decade. Prepare to let Trial by Fire transport you back in time. You'll find yourself singing along to all of Journey's beloved hit songs that are now arena staples and rock anthems across the world.

Admission is free! Concessions are available for purchase. Adult beverages will be available for sale from Medaloni Cellars and Hoots Brewery. No pets or outside alcohol permitted in the Square.

Bring a lawn chair or a blanket and enjoy a concert under the stars.

## Lewisville **CONNECT**

Is the best way to receive important information from the Town.

*Lewisville* **Connect** is a service of **Blackboard Connect**. It utilizes a phone-tree like software program which can generate a call to all landlines in town, requested mobile devices or to only specific areas where information is pertinent.

Visit: [www.lewisvillenc.net/HowDoI/Lewisville Connect/Sign up now to receive timely notifications by](http://www.lewisvillenc.net/HowDoI/Lewisville%20Connect/Sign%20up%20now%20to%20receive%20timely%20notifications%20by%20phone,%20email,%20text%20messages%20and%20more) phone, email, text messages and more. **SIGN UP TODAY**

## Have a Broken or Damaged Trash Cart?

Contact Waste Management directly for cart repairs and replacements at 336-723-2784.

# Jukebox Rehab with Special Guest Darrell Hoots in Concert in the Square

Join the Town for a taste of country at Shallowford Square on Saturday, August 15th for this fan favorite concert featuring "Jukebox Rehab" (JBR) with special opening guest, renowned singer/songwriter, Darrell Hoots.

JBR will wow you with their authentic country sound and exquisite harmonies. This is definitely country music at its very finest!

Talented singer/songwriter Darrell Hoots will be the opening guest from 6:15 until 6:45 p.m. and JBR takes the stage at 7 p.m. This is a concert you don't want to miss!

Westbend Winery will have adult beverages available for purchase and Wutysay Food Truck will offer a delicious snack and dinner menu.

Bring a lawn chair and your cowboy boots and settle in for an amazing evening of fellowship and music. No pets or outside alcohol permitted in Shallowford Square.



**15 AUGUST**

**Jukebox Rehab**

....JUKEBOX REHAB Concert with  
special opening guest **DARRELL HOOTS**  
6:15 p.m. - 9:00 p.m.  
**Free Admission!**

Adult Beverages by Westbend Vineyard  
Delicious eats from Wutysay Food Truck

Town of Lewisville  
Shallowford Square  
6555 Shallowford Road  
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## 61.4% of Households Have Responded to Census; Complete Yours Today!

It has never been easier to respond to the census on your own, whether online at 2020census.gov, over the phone, or by mail. 90,800,000 households in the country have responded so far!

Update Leave field operations resumed in early May and more than 90% of

households in Update Leave areas have now received a packet at their door inviting them to participate in the census. As a result, housing unit residents are responding to the census and response rates are continuing to rise. Be sure to complete your census today!

# Lewisville Civic Club to host 15th Annual Charity Golf Tournament

The Lewisville Civic Club is planning their 15th annual Charity Golf Tournament scheduled for Friday, September 25 at Bermuda Run West. This is a Captain's Choice Tournament which begins with a shotgun start at 1 p.m. Lunch will be available at noon.

The tournament is limited to 120 players and the entry fee is \$85 per player. The entry fee includes the greens fees, cart, lunch, shirt and a goody bag.

This tournament is the primary fundraiser for the charitable programs of the Lewisville Civic Club. These charitable programs include college scholarships, support for local Scout troops and needy families.

There will be \$5,000 awarded to any player with a hole in one. Other prizes for the participants include, closest to the pin, longest drive and \$1,800 in cash prizes for the first and second place teams in three flights.

The Sponsors for this year's tournament include: Vienna Village Retirement Community, Security Underwriters, Blanco Tackabery, HanesBrands Inc., Lowes Foods of Lewisville, Hayworth-Miller Funeral Home, Carolina Center for Eye Care, Moonlight Designs, Inc., Don Morris, Joyce Walker and family, Our Community Press, 3 Bulls Steak House, Clemmons Motorcycles, Dr. Ken Sadler – Winston-Salem Dental Care, Don Morris, Jack Heard, MerriKay Brown, Southern Dental Associates, Tom Lee, Kimono Foods,



Inc., Beroth Oil Company, Jerry Farmer, 4 Brothers Food Store, Jane Welch, James River Equipment, John Beeler and family and other individual contributors.

**All entries and payments must be received by September 21.** For more information and a golf application form, please visit the LCC website at [lewisvillecivicclub.com](http://lewisvillecivicclub.com).

## Did you know...?

Televisions and computers and related computer equipment are banned from landfills in North Carolina.

This includes CPUs, laptops, monitors, printers, printer/fax/skan devices, mice and keyboards; and all televisions, including flat-panel televisions, projection televisions and televisions with picture tubes.

These items should be taken to the  
**3RC Enviro-Station,**

**1401 S. Martin Luther King Jr. Drive, Winston-Salem.**

**Hours of operation are Tuesday-Friday, 9am-2pm & Sat. 9am-noon**

**Phone: 336-784-4300**

## LCC Awards Scholarships

The Lewisville Civic Club has awarded \$1,500 each to scholarship winners David Kenneth Miller, Alina Klass and Griffin Watkins, all students at West Forsyth High School. These students are not only accomplished scholars but are also being recognized for their community service.

## Newsletter DEADLINE

The deadline for the  
September-October  
*Lewisville Citizen* is August 14.

**EMAIL MATERIAL TO:**  
publicinformation  
@lewisvillenc.net  
or call 336-945-1026

Material for the Community Calendar  
is accepted on a first-come,  
first-serve basis due to limited space.



# Who Maintains the Roads in Lewisville?

Not sure who maintains your street? Check the color coded Powell Bill Map by going to [www.lewisvillenc.net](http://www.lewisvillenc.net), Departments, Public Works, Street Maintenance, Powell Bill Map to determine who maintains your street. Publicly maintained streets are colored either green (maintained by the NCDOT) or red (maintained by Town of Lewisville). All others are privately maintained.

## To Report Road Maintenance Issues

- NCDOT Division 9 Work Desk: 336-896-2350 or
- NCDOT.GOV, on the Search bar type: Report a problem to get the reporting page.
- Town of Lewisville: call 336-945-5558 or email [publicworks@lewisvillenc.net](mailto:publicworks@lewisvillenc.net) or visit the Town's web site at [www.lewisvillenc.net](http://www.lewisvillenc.net), Request?, Problems Be Fixed, Maintenance Issues.

## LIBRARY NEWS

*The Lewisville Public Library is*  
**REOPENING JUNE 29!**

Public Hours:

Monday-Friday: 10 a.m. to 5 p.m.

Library To-Go Lobby Hours:

Monday-Thursday: 10 a.m. to 7 p.m.

Friday: 10 a.m. to 5 p.m.

Saturday: 10 a.m. to 2 p.m.

### July 16

**Jane & Tea Virtual Book Club —**

Thursday, July 16, 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. We read original works, associated biographies, and other nonfiction, as well as Austen read-alikes. A relaxed and open group for those who love Jane. If you are new to the group, please register by calling 336-703-2940.

Discussing: "Little Women" by Louisa May Allcott

**Lewisville Reading Challenge —**

Need a project to keep you busy while you are social distancing? Participate in the Lewisville Branch Library's Reading Challenge.

Here's how it works:

Your library challenges you to read a variety of books throughout the year. Complete the reading challenge, which encourages readers to step into a wide variety of stories and genres. When you finish, please submit your form to the Lewisville Branch Library by Friday, Dec. 11, 2020, to be in the drawing for a \$25 Barnes & Noble gift card. Pick up a form at the Lewisville Branch today. Good Luck!

### June 5 - July 31

**Summer Reading: Imagine Your Story —** Join us throughout the summer for virtual Summer Reading programs and activities. We'll kick off Summer Reading with a virtual concert with Big Bang Boom, which will be available on our website.

### Tuesdays

**Virtual StoryTime —** Tuesdays at 2 p.m. - Join us for stories, rhymes, songs, and activities designed to improve early literacy. Recommended for children ages 2 - 5 years and their caregivers, but all ages are welcome. Registration required.

You will be emailed a link and password to attend the Zoom meeting 1 day before the program

starts. If you do not have a webcam or microphone, you may still attend. Sign up for Lewisville Branch Library's Virtual Storytimes here or call 336-703-2940.

### July 20

**Mad Hatter's Virtual Book Club for Teens —** Monday, July 20,

3 p.m. - The Mad Hatter's Book Club meets virtually via Zoom. The participants (ages 12-18) choose a topic (chosen at the meeting the month before) and we all research whatever we want related to that topic. We could read fiction or nonfiction books, watch movies, read news articles, etc. We then discuss what we found out at our meeting. There is no pressure to speak. Be sure to wear a funny hat if you have one! Sign up for The Mad Hatter's Book Club here or call 336-703-2940.

Upcoming meeting dates:

Monday, July 20 from 3-4 p.m.  
(Topic: Civil Rights)

*All programs are free and open to the public. For a full program listing and more information, call 336-703-2940 or visit <http://www.forsyth.cc/library/Lewisville/default.aspx>.*

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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 in Feb, March, June, & Sept, at 7 p.m., Town Hall, 2nd Floor

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

**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 quarterly on the first Wednesday of the month at 6:30 p.m. starting in January, Town Hall, 2nd Floor

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