

Lewisville Citizen

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UPCOMING EVENTS

Labor Day Holiday Town Hall Closed

Monday, September 7 Garbage and Recycling will be on a one-day delay

*Concert Under the Stars featuring Chicago Rewired & REO Speedwagon Survivor

Saturday, September 26 Shallowford Square See page 3 for details

*Outdoor Movie Night 'Hocus Pocus'

Friday, October 2 Shallowford Square See page 7 for details

*Hall Sisters in Concert

Saturday, October 10 Shallowford Square See page 4 for details

*Bing, Bang, Boom Children's Concert

Saturday, October 17 Shallowford Square See page 5 for details

*All events are subject to change or cancellation. Please visit the Town Facebook page or website for updates.

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Construction on New Community Center to Begin in September

The Town of Lewisville will soon see construction underway for the new community center to be located adjacent to Jack Warren Park off of Lewisville-Clemmons Poad

Town Manager Hank Perkins said the project will begin in September and is expected to be completed within the next year.

Moser Named Public Works Director

On August 10, Town Manager Hank Perkins promoted Ryan Moser to Public Works Director.

"Ryan has been serving as Acting Public Works Director since December 1st, 2019 and I have been very pleased with both his performance and his growth in this position over this time," Perkins said in an e-mail to Town officials.

Moser served the previous six years as a Public Works Maintenance Technician for the Town.

Moser, a native of Pfafftown, said he enjoys working in the small town setting we have and the great coworkers I share the day with.

"In the six years that I have been in Lewisville, I have learned a lot," said Moser. "I became certified as a stormwater inspector



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From your Mayor

Not Just Another School Year

hen I was in elementary school, this time of year at summer's end, my mom and I would take a day trip from our little island in the Florida Keys to the mainland to buy clothes on sale for the new school year.

Usually a couple pair of pants, a couple of shirts, a new pair of shoes and of course underwear. Socks weren't on the list because most of time we didn't wear any, and I didn't need shorts because I had cutoffs from the long-pants I wore the previous year.

When I was in high school this was the time of year when we "local boys" anxiously waited the first day of school to see if any new prospects for romance had moved to the island over the summer.

Occasionally, a real beauty would appear creating a testosterone tremor throughout the junior and senior class. But more often it was the "local girls" not seen over summer, who underwent an amazing transformation from just girls, to the beginnings of womanhood.

It was in this early fall of September, after surviving football practice during the hot, sultry dog days of August, that we looked forward with excitement to our first game. A time of unbridled enthusiasm believing that no one could beat us this year. But of course, after our first game, it became obvious that was not to be the case. An occasional lesson in humility was good for boys our age.

Life was sweet. There was so much to look forward to, returning to school.

That's why my heart truly aches for our kids this year. With great expectations I'm sure so many looked

forward to returning to school. Being with their buddies, building friendships that will last a lifetime. And yes, maybe even learning a thing or two.



Mike Horn

My heart also aches for our parents who are having to make very difficult choices. Some trying to manage their careers, and others just how to manage paying the rent and putting food on the table. This is the time when our humanity and compassion for each other will be tested.

I think about our teachers, particularly in elementary school who, over the school years, form such tight bonds, and a true love for the kids in their class. They need our help and encouragement and support. Now more than ever.

I know that despite this short hand they have been dealt, our teachers will continue to do whatever they can, however they can, just as they have always done, to make sure our kids have a good education.

As I have reflected on this time of year when I was in school, I hope our kids, teachers and parents, years from now, will remember this as a time when we didn't surrender to circumstance. We looked adversity in the face, discovered the true depth of our humanity and found within ourselves the ingenuity and determination to achieve great things.

As always, I welcome your comments.

Mayor Mike Horn

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Chicago Rewired/REO Speedwagon/ **Survivor Tribute Band in Concert**

Come join the Town for Concert under the Stars with the sounds of Concert Rewired and REO/ Survivor beginning at 7 on Saturday. September 26 at Shallowford Square. This concert will boast performances you don't want to miss!

The concert begins with REO/ Survivor - musical tribute of two iconic American rock bands, REO Speedwagon and Survivor. This tribute band was founded by the core members of Chicago Rewired.

The concert continues with another blast from the past when Chicago Rewired - The Premier Chicago Tribute Band takes the stage and continues with all of the favorite "Chicago" hits. These professional, talented musicians join forces with the common goal of replicating the timeless and beloved music of the original group.

This will be an evening jam packed



Chicago Rewired

with great music! Admission is free! Concessions are available for purchase. No pets please. Bring a lawn chair and settle in for this must see concert under the stars at Shallowford Square.

*This event is subject to cancellation or change due to COVID -9 pandemic and precautions. Please visit the Town's Facebook page and website at www.lewisvillenc.net for updates.

Shalloween Festival Set for Saturday, Oct. 24

Calling all ghouls, goblins, princesses and pirates! The Town of Lewisville is already busy planning this year's Shalloween Festival. This annual Halloween Festival will be held from 1 until 2 p.m. on Saturday, October 24 at Shallowford Square in Lewisville.

There are a host of activities planned including a costume contest for children ages 0-12 as well as games, prizes, arts and crafts, pumpkin decorating and much more.

Admission for the event is free. In the event of rain, the festival will relocate to the G. Galloway Reynolds Community Center at 131 Lucy Lane.

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Have a Broken or Damaged Trash Cart? Contact Waste Management directly for cart repairs and replacements at 336-723-2784.

Hall Sisters in Concert October 3

Join the Town in Shallowford Square to hear the Hall Sisters in concert from 5 until 7 p.m. on Saturday, October 3.

A vocal and instrumental foursome of extremely talented siblings, the Hall Sisters marry stunning harmonies with brilliance on their instruments to create a personal style. Sister synergy powers this quartet of naturally gifted musicians. These talented North Carolina natives have maintained a busy tour schedule having performed at such notable venues as The Grand Ole Opry, Carnegie Hall, the Country Music Hall of Fame and the National Quartet Convention just to name a few.

The Hall Sisters play a wide variety of music including country, fun fiddle tunes, instrumentals, a cappella numbers and music spanning the decades from the 1940s through the 1970s. This will be a night of music that will include a wide variety of music genres offering something for



HALL SISTERS

everyone.

Bring a lawn chair and settle in for an evening of unbelievable talent. This concert promises to be a real treat for the audience. Admission is free! Concessions available for purchase. No pets permitted in Shallowford Square.

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Town's Annual Fitness Walk Steps Off October 1

It's time to dust off those walking shoes and sign up for Lewisville's Annual Fitness Walk and have a chance to win a \$50 Visa gift card. The walk sponsored by the Town is an effort to promote an active and healthy lifestyle for all residents. This year's theme is "Fall Fitness Walk."

In order to participate,

residents should register by applying online on the Town's website in the "How Do I" "Apply for" section, by visiting https://www.cognitoforms.com/ Lewisville1/ LewisvilleFitnessWalk or calling 336-945-5558.

Residents of all ages are encouraged to participate.



Participants are required to walk at least 50 miles between October 1 and November 9 to complete the Walk. How the 50 miles are completed is up to the participant, including walking on a treadmill, walking through Lewisville's downtown, walking the trails at Jack Warren Park, through neighborhoods or anywhere

else. Just keep track of the distance travelled.

Upon completion of the 50 miles, all registered participants should contact Town Hall by phone or e-mail to townhall@lewisvillenc.net. Registration for the Walk begins October 1.

Lewisville Town Hall will be Closed LABOR DAY, Monday, September 7 Garbage & Recycle Delays One-Day Delay

Big, Bang, Boom Children's Concert Oct. 17

The Town hosts its first ever Children's Concert featuring, "Big, Bang, Boom" from 4 until 5:45 p.m. on Saturday, October 17 in Shallowford Square. This band is blowing up the Kindie Music world.

This live show is high-energy and both parents and children will find it hard to stay in their seats. These three dynamic dads play parent-friendly, educational children's music and have been wowing children and parents across the country for years!

Concessions are available for purchase. There will also be kid friendly activities for the youngsters including face painting and an arts and crafts area. *No pets permitted in the Square*.

Admission is free! Bring a lawn chair and enjoy a family-friendly concert at the Square.



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and have overseen most of the stormwater issues since earning the certification."

Moser began assisting former Public Works Director George Hauser with director duties on a daily basis in mid 2019.

"I look forward to growing in knowledge through classes and time on the job," Moser said in regard to his continued growth in the director's role.

The North Forsyth High School

grad spent the majority of his early career working as a land surveyor. Moser also previously worked as a Class C lineman.

Moser and his family, including wife, Jennie, and sons, Cole and Jack, 20 and 10, respectively, live on a farm in Pfafftown where they enjoy the space and privacy of the land.

Moser said his family enjoys visiting Wrightsville Beach as much as possible and would like to one day retire there. He also said he enjoys spending time with his family fishing and hunting.



Fall Bulky Item Pickup has been Postponed until further notice due to COVID-19 restrictions!

Please check the
Town's Website
at www.LewisvilleNC.net
or Facebook Page
for Updates!

ATTENTION RESIDENTS:



Residents receive 1 trash and 1 recycle can (each) as part of your tax dollars. If you wish to have additional cans, you may contact Waste Management by calling 336-723-2784 to set up a contract to pay for the extras.

Lewisville Civic Club's Golf Tournament Cancelled

The Lewisville Civic Club has cancelled its 15th annual Charity Golf Tournament originally scheduled for Friday, September 25 at Bermuda Run West. Due to COVID-19 restrictions, the Club cancelled this year's tournament. For more information about

the Lewisville Civic Club, please visit the LCC website at lewisvillecivicclub.com.

Election Poll Workers Needed

The Forsyth County Board of Elections needs poll workers for early voting and on election day. This is a paid position. The Board of Elections have put in place a number of precautions to help protect poll workers and voters.

If you are interested in working a poll, please call Danielle at 336-703-2807 or follow this link to complete an elections poll worker application: https://www.forsyth.cc/Elections/pollWorkerApplication.aspx



Friends of Lewisville Library Cancels Fall Used Book Sale

Due to current COVID-19 restrictions, the Friends of Lewisville Library Fall Used Book Sale has been cancelled.

However, DO NOT DESPAIR! The Friends of the Library shelves are full

of great books and different genres!

Can't beat the prices either.... Remember... 95 percent of all proceeds buy items for the library!

Unfortunately, donations of any kind can NOT be accepted at this

time

The Friends of the Lewisville Library look forward to resuming Spring and Fall Book Sales in the future. In the meantime, they thank you for supporting our library!

LEWISVILLE LIBRARY NEWS

The Lewisville Public Library will be closed Monday, September 7 for Labor Day.

The Lewisville Public Library has added previously filmed programs that can be viewed at any time to the main webpage of their website at https://forsyth.cc/library/Lewisville/default.aspx.

Children

Virtual Storytimes via Zoom -Thursdays at 10 a.m. To register visit: https://forsyth. cc/library/Lewisville/article. aspx?NewsID=25397

Teens

Mad Hatter's Virtual Book Club

- Monday, Sept. 21 from 4:30-5:00 p.m. (Topic: TBA)
To register visit: https://www.

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Adults

Jane & Tea Virtual Book

Club - Thursday, Sept. 17 at 10 a.m. (Juvenilia & Short Stories by Jane Austen) Thursday, Oct. 15 at 10 a.m. (Dress in the Age of Jane Austen by Hilary Davidson) To register visit: https://www.forsyth.cc/library/Lewisville/article.

aspx?NewsID=23430

Friends' Virtual Book Club -

Tuesday, Sept. 29 at 3 p.m. (Alice in Wonderland by Lewis Carroll) and Tuesday, Oct. 27 at 3 p.m. (Sam Houston and the Alamo Avengers by Brian Kilmeade) To register visit: https://www.forsyth.cc/library/Lewisville/article.aspx?NewsID=25514

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.

NewsletterDEADLINE

The deadline for the November-December Lewisville Citizen is October 9.

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.

Starlight Movie Night features 'Hocus Pocus' October 2

Join the Town at Shallowford Square for Starlight Movie Night featuring the blockbuster "Hocus Pocus" at dark on Friday, October 2.

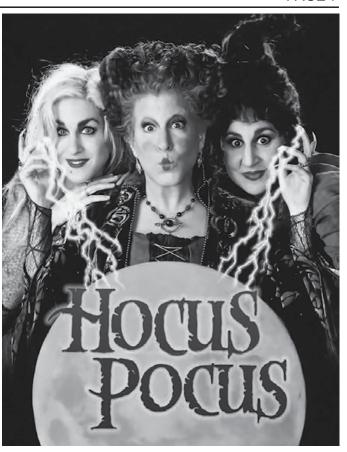
A traditional Halloween ghost story turns into quite

the adventure for the three children who break the spell of the Sanderson sisters. This wonderfully engaging, fan favorite film starring Bette Midler, Sarah Jessica Parker and Kathy Najimy, is filled with hilarious fun and incredible special effects.



This 1993 blockbuster movie favorite is rated PG with a run time of 96 minutes. Admission is free. The movie begins at dark and concessions are available for purchase. Bring a lawn chair or a blanket and enjoy this special October film in the Square. Reminder, no pets allowed in the Square.

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If you leave home, know your Ws!







#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

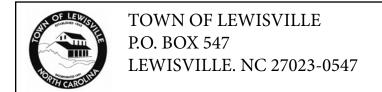
Wait 6 feet apart. Avoid close contact.

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.

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.



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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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