

Lewisville Citizen

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UPCOMING EVENTS

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Town Hall Closed

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Saturday, August 14 from 7 until 9 p.m.

Shallowford Square

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Saturday, August 28
Taking the stage at 6:15 p.m.
Shallowford Square
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CHICAGO REWIRED

Chicago Rewired/REO Survivor Tribute Concert on July 3

Join the Town for an evening of concert magic as REO/Survivor Tribute band opens the evening with a high energy, extraordinary musical experience starting at 7:30 p.m. on Saturday, July 3.

Chicago Rewired - The Premier Chicago Tribute Band then takes

the stage. This band comprises a unique blend of talented and seasoned musicians joining forces with the common goal of accurately replicating the timeless music of "Chicago."

The concert concludes with FOURTH OF JULY, See PAGE 3

Council Returns to Town Hall for July Meetings

The Lewisville Town Council members are excited to return to the Town Hall Council Chambers for their July meetings.

Town Manager Hank Perkins told the Council during the June Council meeting that Chambers will be set up with COVID-19 precautions in place. Seats will be spread out. Masks are recommended but not required. Due to the coronavirus pandemic, Council has been meeting virtually since April of 2020.

The Council meetings will continue to be aired live on the Town's Facebook page and on TV6, the Town's government access channel. Agendas for all Council and other Board and Committee meetings can be found at www. LewisvilleNC.net/agendas-minutes.

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From your Mayor What Feels Like the End, Is Often the Beginning

don't know about you, but today as we return to a more normal time, the world feels different to me.

We are emerging from more than a year of uncertainty. During which we had to change how we lived, how we worked and how we engaged with each other.

It was a time that brought out our best, and sometimes our worst. But, if we've learned one thing over the last year it's how resilient we can be.

Writer C.S. Lewis said, "There are far, far better things ahead than any we leave behind."

I truly believe that now is a time when we can become far better than we have ever been.

Rather than look backward to how things were; we can look forward with vision, hope and optimism of how things can be. A better world, a better community, a greater respect for the environment in which we live and on which we depend.

The rest of this summer and into the fall we will resume our town's entertainment events that are a hallmark of Lewisville. Shallowford Square, Jack Warren Park and the soon to open Mary Alice Warren Community Center will be places where we connect, meet old friends, make

new ones and celebrate how fortunate we are.

This is a time, when we can all start over.

We can be kinder to each other and far less angry. We can be more compassionate to those in need of compassion. And we

compassionate to those in need of compassion. And we can be more understanding, accepting and respectful of those who may not be like us or may have different points of view. We can learn so much from each other. And our lives will be better.

There is a Chinese proverb that says, "Just when the caterpillar thought the world was over, it became a butterfly."

This is a time when we can all become butterflies. I'm very much looking forward to seeing you again, around our little town.

As always, I welcome your thoughts and comments.



Mayor Mike Horn

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NewsletterD E A D L I N E

The deadline for the September-October Lewisville Citizen is August 6.

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.

Have a Broken or Damaged Trash Cart?

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

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

Lewisville Town Hall will be closed Monday, July 5 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!

The British Invaders Band at Shallowford Square

Join the Town at Shallowford Square for The British Invaders in concert from 7 until 9 p.m. on Saturday, August 14, 2021.

British Invasion describes a time in the 1960s when audiences all across America were singing and dancing to music from across the Atlantic. It began with the arrival of The Beatles in America in February 1964, and continued for several years as British bands dominated the music scene.

The band known as The British Invaders covers the music from all of the great English groups. From The Animals to The Zombies, it's all there: The Beatles, The Rolling Stones, The Kinks, The Who, The Dave Clark Five, The Hollies, Herman's Hermits and more. The music has been painstakingly reproduced in the correct key.

Admission is free. Concessions are available for purchase. Bring a lawn chair and enjoy a summer concert under the stars at Shallowford Square.

FOURTH OF JULY

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a 15-minute patriotic laser light show in celebration of Independence Day.

Admission is free! Concessions are available. No pets please. Bring a lawn chair and a blanket and enjoy an evening under the stars.

American Legion Post 522 will begin the concert with presenting the colors and the Pledge of Allegiance in honor of Independence Day.

Conservation Conversations

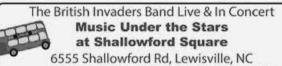
We hope everyone has begun to enjoy the warm weather and more opportunities for human interaction. No date has been set for a Special Recycling event yet but check the Town's website at www.lewisvillenc.net for reminders on items to save that are not collected bi-weekly.

And please, choose reusables to have a wonderful 4th of July!

From your Environmental Conservation and Sustainability Committee...Join us!

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Miss Lewisville Receives Honors

Miss Lewisville 2021 Payton Martin, daughter of Greg and Andrea Martin of Lewisville, was presented with the Good Citizen Award by the Battle of Shallowford Ford Branch, Daughters of the American Revolution. She is also the recipient of one of three scholarships presented by The Lewisville Civic Club. Among



MISS LEWISVILLE

other honors, Payton paged for the NC Governor and completed the Governor's Volunteer Project. Payton recently graduated from Calvary Day School and will attend the University of Tennessee, Knoxville this fall.

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Deputy Mills Joins Lewisville Community Police Patrol

The Town of Lewisville welcomes Deputy Alex Mills to the community policing program. Deputy Mills, a native of Vermont has served the Forsyth County Sheriffs Department for the past five years. Prior to joining the Lewisville patrol, Deputy Mills had most recently served the Clemmons area. Deputy Mills was introduced and welcomed during the June Regular Town Council Meeting. "I am happy to be here and look forward to meeting everyone," said Deputy Mills.



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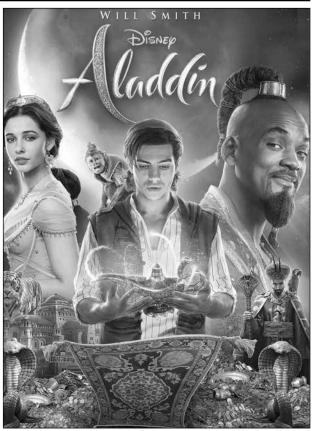
Sheriffs Department Notes

Be Sure to Abide by the NC Move Over Law

The North Carolina Move over Law is set to protect law enforcement officers, fire fighters, EMS and tow truck operators. This law has also been updated to include protection to utility work crews and tow trucks who are working on the side of the road. This law helps protect emergency personnel and work crews from passing traffic.

This law specifically states that motorists must change lanes or slow down when they see an emergency vehicle, state trooper, other law enforcement or utility crews stopped on the shoulder of the road with its lights flashing. Utility vehicles are required to have a flashing amber light. Utility and service vehicles protected in this expanded law include electric, cable, telephone, gas and all state vehicles emitting an amber light. The statute is North Carolina General Statute 20-157.

A violation of the move over law will result in a mandatory fine of \$250-plus court costs more than \$200. Violating the "Move Over" law, damaging property or causing injury doubles the fine to \$500 and is a class one misdemeanor. Moreover, a conviction is considered a moving violation and counts as 3 points on your license and will cause at least a 25 percent insurance surcharge for three years.



Starlight Movie Night Presents *Aladdin*

The Town of Lewisville presents Starlight Movie Night on Friday, August 6 featuring *Aladdin* starting when the sun sets.

This 2019 film is an adaptation of the 1992 hit film of the same name.

The entertaining plot follows Aladdin, a street urchin, as he falls in love with Princess Jasmine, befriends a wish granting Genie (Will Smith) and battles the wicked Jafar.

This film is rated PG with a runtime of 128 minutes. Admission is free and concessions are available for purchase.

Bring the family, a blanket or a chair and enjoy a Summer movie night under the stars at Shallowford Square.

Lewisville Historical Society Seeks Volunteers

Lewisville Historical Society Needs Volunteers! Do you love history and want to learn more? The Lewisville Historical Society is dedicated to discovering, preserving, and sharing the history of the Lewisville area. Volunteers are needed in many areas of our activities including Archives, Preservation, LHS Board, Festivals, Tours, Oral History Project, and Historical Markers. The ca 1876 Historic Nissen House is now restored and will be opening after the pandemic as a country Victorian rental venue! Volunteers are needed in the areas of Tours, Event Monitors, Gardening, House Maintenance, Adult and Children's Programs and more. If you can give of your time and talents, please call Merrikay at 336-766-5842.

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Jukebox Rehab with Special Guest Jody Lee Petty in Concert in the Square

Join the Town for a taste of country at Shallowford Square on Saturday, August 28 for this fan favorite concert featuring "Jukebox Rehab" (JBR) with special opening guest, Jody Lee Petty.

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

The talented Jody Lee Petty will be the opening guest from 6:15 until 6:45 p.m. and JBR takes the stage from 7 until 9 p.m. This is a concert you don't want to miss!

Delicious eats will be available from Wutyasay Food Truck. Beer and wine will be available for sale from Hoots Brewery and Medaloni Cellars.

Admission is free! Bring a lawn chair and a blanket and enjoy a night of country music under the stars. No pets permitted in the Square.



JUKEBOX REHAB



The Catalinas

The Catalinas Take the Stage on July 31

Another night of great music under the stars in Shallowford Square featuring the renowned band, "The Catalinas" will be held at 7 p.m. on Saturday, July 31.

Though known for beach music and nationally for the mega hit "Summertime's Callin' Me," they play all styles

of music to a high standard of excellence.

Admission is free! Concessions are available for purchase. Bring a lawn chair or a blanket and enjoy a night of wonderful music at Shallowford Square. No pets please.

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"Slippery When Wet" Takes the Stage at Shallowford Square

"Slippery When Wet" - The Ultimate Bon Jovi Tribute Band takes the stage at Shallowford Square from 7 until 9 p.m. on Saturday, July 17 for a night of amazing music.

Bon Jovi's career spans 30-plus years and more than 130 million albums sold worldwide.

In 2007, the band was officially authorized by Bon Jovi to perform their highly entertaining show. These blast from the past songs promise an evening of wonderful entertainment from yesteryear.

Admission is free! Bring a lawn chair or a blanket. Concessions are available for purchase. No pets please.



SLIPPERY WHEN WET

Nissen House Notes

Introducing the Cabbage Rose Room in the Nissen House!

When paint was stripped from the walls of this room, we discovered that the room apparently had been originally wall papered over bare wood and the first coat of paint was a startling pink that was part of the Victorian palette of colors. Victorian colors were made out of natural pigments ground into white lead and linseed oil. Many of the earth and stone colors were favored in the Early Victorian Period (1840-1870) and included neutral and dark tones, such as grey, brown or fawn. These colors were thought to be more dignified. In the Late Victorian Period (1870-1900), more positive colors came into favor, such as yellow, red, blue and black. Pigments were made from naturally occurring materials, such as moss, alizarin from the roots of the madder plant, malachite, azurite, cinnabar, sand, copper, vermilion, white lead, chrome, zinc oxide (white) and vegetables such as beets and carrots.

A sample of the scant remains of the original wallpaper can be seen on the display shelves on the back wall of this room. The current wallpaper border is a reproduction of a Victorian design, donated by a member of the Lewisville Historical Society. The shelves were inserted into a nonoriginal doorway that had been added and then closed off at an early date. The walnut secretary in the room was purchased from an antiques dealer in Salisbury and is a factory-made piece dating from the mid-to-late 19th century. The framed print on the mantel is from a painting by the French-American painter Paul de Longpre (1855-1911), who emigrated from France and painted in the U.S. toward the end of the 19th century. To the left of the secretary you will see a print of the Laugenour House, home of Lewis Case Laugenour, founder of Lewisville and brother-in-law of George Elias. The print is the work of Lewisville artist Patty Bailey Sheets.

The doorway leading into the Storage Room was also an early non-original addition to the room. The Storage Room was originally part of a travelers' room built on the back of the House. "Travelers' rooms were small, porchlike rooms attached to the outside of houses usually situated along stage coach routes." (Encyclopedia of North Carolina edited by William S. Powell, c. 2006). They were intended for use by travelers in rural areas where there were few taverns or other accommodations. These rooms contained minimal furniture, such as a bed, a chair and a table. The only door faced the outside and there was no door to the inside of the rest of the house. Sometimes the family who lived in the house never had contact with the traveler who used the room overnight. At other times, the traveler might be included at family meals. Travelers' rooms became popular in the Colonial and Victorian times in the south. The Nissen family home was located very close to the Great Wagon Road that ran through the middle of Lewisville and on to the Shallow Ford in the Yadkin River. The Road was the principal frontier migration route from Pennsylvania to Georgia. So with their travelers' room, the Nissen family extended "southern hospitality" to strangers in need.

The Historic Nissen House's Cabbage Rose Room is ideal for small meetings and classes. The Historic Nissen House (ca 1876) is currently not accepting rental applications or group tour requests from the public during the pandemic. However, they are accepting tour requests from those who are planning future rental events. During tours, all pandemic health safety rules are observed. The Historic Nissen House is a nondiscrimination, nonprofit business and is a project of the Lewisville Historical Society. Visit nissenhouse.org for more information.

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Lewisville Fire Department Achieves New Fire Service Rating

North Carolina Insurance Commissioner and State Fire Marshal Mike Causey has announced a new fire service rating for the Lewisville Fire Department. The inspection took place in February 2021. This rating inspection, conducted by the Office of State Fire Marshal (OSFM), is required on a regular basis as a part of the North Carolina Response Rating System (NCRRS). Among other things, it looks for proper staffing levels, sufficient equipment, proper maintenance of equipment, communications capabilities and availability of a water source in the event of fire.

The NCRRS rating system ranges from 1 (Highest Rating) to 10 (Lowest Rating – not recognized as a certified fire department by the state), with most rural fire departments falling into the 9s category. Higher ratings indicate that a department is overall better equipped to respond to fires in its district. Higher ratings can also significantly lower homeowner and business insurance rates in the fire

district.

The Lewisville Fire Department's previous rating of Class 4, has improved to an impressive Class 2! Per published data provided by OSFM, Lewisville Fire Department becomes one of 38 Class 2 fire departments in North Carolina and one of 1673 Class 2 departments in the United States. Lewisville becomes the first volunteer fire department in Forsyth County to achieve a Class 2 rating. The new insurance rating takes effect on August 1, 2021.

Commissioner Causey stated, "I'd like to congratulate Chief Needham for the department's performance and for the hard work of all the department members. The citizens in the Town and district should rest easy knowing they have a fine group of firefighters protecting them and their property in case of an emergency."

Lewisville Fire Department Chief Darin K. Needham said in a press release, "I could not be more proud of the men and women who make up the Lewisville Fire Department! We remain a volunteer fire department at heart, supplemented by a small number of career staff that ensures efficient and effective response when our volunteers are not available. At the end of the day, we truly are neighbors, helping neighbors. The dedication shown by each member of our department made this remarkable success possible."

The Lewisville Fire Department was established in 1951, when the Lewisville Civic Club established a formal volunteer force to help protect local residents from the threat of fire. Today, LFD remains poised to respond not only to fire, but also various technical and water rescue events, provide hazardous materials mitigation and offer emergency medical services within their district and adjacent communities.

"I offer my sincere thanks to our partner agencies: Clemmons, Courtney, Forbush, Forsyth County and Vienna Fire Departments. Each of these organizations plays a vital role in the ratings process and every day response to emergencies," said Chief Needham.

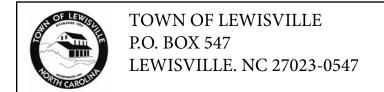
Help Keep Storm Drains Clear of Yard Debris!

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





The Town Hall Annex parking lot recently received a facelift with a repaving.



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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 7:00 p.m. at Town Hall, 2nd floor

Town Council meets the 2nd Thursday of each month at 7:00 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 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 7:00 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.

Environmental Conservation & Sustainablilty Committee meets monthly on the 1st Tuesday of the month at 7:00 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

*Meeting times are subject to change, please visit www.lewisvillenc.net to verify meeting dates and times.