



Lewisville Citizen

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UPCOMING EVENTS

**Labor Day Holiday
Town Hall Closed**

Monday, September 6

Garbage will be on a one-day delay

***E-cycling Event**

Saturday, September 25

See page 7 for details

***Outdoor Movie Night**

'Hocus Pocus'

Friday, October 8

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***Shallowford**

Blue Grass Festival

Sunday, October 10

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***Fall Bulky Item Pickup**

Begins on Monday, October 11

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***Shalloween/Bing, Bang, Boom
Children's Concert**

Saturday, October 23

See page 3 for details

***Special Recycling Event**

Saturday, October 30

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

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LCC presents Town Candidates' Forum

The Lewisville Civic Club will host a Candidates' Forum at the G. Galloway Reynolds Community Center starting at 6:30 p.m. on Thursday, October 21.

Candidates seeking the offices of Mayor and Town Council will present their reasons for running for office and answer citizens' questions. Mike Horn is running unopposed for Mayor and Jeanne Marie Foster, Fred Franklin,

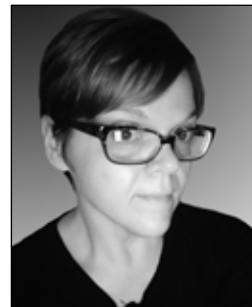
Melissa Hunt, Ken Sadler, David Smitherman and Jane Welch are running unopposed for Council. This forum will be broadcast on the Civic Club's Facebook page and later will be available on YouTube.

Don't forget to register and to vote on November 2 in your local municipal election.

** Event is subject to change due to Covid-19 restrictions.*

Nations, Grimsley Join Town Staff

The Town of Lewisville recently welcomed Leslie Nations and Bryan Grimsley to staff.



NATIONS

Nations was named Accounting Clerk and Brian Grimsley was named Maintenance Technician.



GRIMSLEY

has worked the past 17 years in county government. In her spare time, Nations said

Nations
Earning her Associate of Applied Science degree in Accounting from Surry Community

College, Nations

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From your Mayor Mary Alice Warren Community Center Opening In October



Mike Horn

It was one of those lazy Saturday afternoons at our cottage in Plumtree. All the chores had been done and there was nothing else to do but settle in on the deck in the shade under the giant maple. My dog by my side, both of us with not a care in the world.

It's times like these when you can allow your mind to wonder anywhere it wants to go. This one Saturday, it wandered to Lewisville.

To the time when I first ran for Town Council, riding my motorcycle through every neighborhood in Lewisville with my wife on the back taping my campaign flyer to mailboxes. Yes, it was illegal, I know that now.

When I was first elected to the Lewisville Town Council in 1993 and watching the election returns at Doomy's Pizza with all the other candidates.

The multiple 4/3 votes we had as a council on whether to build Shallowford Square and the first Easter Sunday when we gathered there for sunrise service. It was clearly the right decision.

When, in my first year as mayor, it was so cold and rainy that only me and our town attorney Bo Houff were left to light the Christmas tree.

When the fabulous duo of Kenny King and Ben Crawford would lead the Lewisville Civic Club in singing happy birthday to a member. It was raucous.

When former Mayor Dan Pugh asked our manager at a meeting, "what is your analysis" of a situation and Jane Welch and I couldn't stop laughing because we thought he was asking the manager for his urinalysis.

Welcoming the Para-Cycling National Championship riders to Lewisville. Inspiring.

Watching the Nissen House being moved from its old location to its present one and the amazing restoration effort that has occurred.

Breakfast with Gus at Liberty.

Reading to the 3rd graders at Lewisville Elementary.

Throwing out the first pitch at the Northwest Little League's season opening game. In the strike zone avoiding embarrassment.

Remembering council members Grady Dull, Dan Jennings, E.A. Hendley and Roger Fowler and so many others who helped shape our community, who have now passed.

And of course, summer evenings listening to music with so many of you at Shallowford Square.

It's all of these and many more that make me grateful for the life I've had in our little town. Such a collection of wonderful people with whom my path has crossed.

And the future? Granted, at 68 years-old the path I walk is a lot shorter than the path I've walked before, but there's still plenty of time to make memories. One will be in early October with the opening of the Mary Alice Warren Community Center.

Thank you Lewisville, for being part of my journey.

As always, I welcome your comments at Mayor@LewisvilleNC.net.

Mayor Mike Horn

Like Mike on Facebook at Lewisville Mayor Mike Horn.

Lewisville Town Council	Ryan Moser Public Works Director	Deputies	Kenneth Wernick Zoning Board of Adjustment
Mike Horn Mayor	Stacy Tolbert Town Planner	Sgt. P. J. Stringer	Susan Linker Beautification Committee
Jeanne Marie Foster Mayor Pro Tem	Joyce Walker Town Clerk	Ethan Goings	Harlan Cobert Public Safety Advisory Committee
Fred Franklin	Gennie Taylor Communications Specialist	Jamie Funkhouser	Kay Smitherman Environment, Conservation & Sustainability Committee
Melissa Hunt	Stacy Howard Office Manager/ Events Coordinator	Alex Mills	Ed Rachlin Lewisville Utilities Committee
Dr. Kenneth Sadler	David Matthews Maintenance Tech/Safety	Alexander O'Shields	Interested in joining a Board or Committee? Email townclerk@LewisvilleNC.net.
David Smitherman	Leslie Nations Accounting Clerk	Travis Southard	
Jane Welch	Bryan Grimsley Maintenance Technician	Chairs	
Town Staff		Susan Frey Parks, Recreation & Cultural Development Board	
Hank Perkins Town Manager		Joseph Hamby Planning Board	
Pam Orrell Finance Officer		Jeffrey Rawls Willow Run MSD	

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

Big, Bang, Boom Children's Concert Oct. 23

The Town hosts its first-ever children's concert featuring, "Big, Bang, Boom" during Shalloween from 1 until 2 p.m. on Saturday, October 23 in Shallowford Square. This band is blowing up the Indie 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!

There will be child-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.



Big, Bang, Boom

**This event is subject to cancellation or change due to COVID -19 pandemic and*

precautions. Please visit the Town's Facebook page and website at www.lewisvillenc.net for updates.

Shalloween Festival Set for Saturday, Oct. 23

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 23 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, pumpkin decorating, temporary tattoos and more. Admission for the event is free.

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she enjoys reading, learning different languages and spending time with family and friends.

"I love being around animals," Nations said. "I have had several dogs growing up, currently have a cat, "Meiko" and two dogs, "Hank" and "Tiger" and worked at a veterinary office for a few years. A goal when I retire would be to open my own animal safe haven."

Nations said she has had a warm welcome since she began working in Town Hall.

"I have been shown nothing but kindness and patience as I acclimate myself to my new environment," she said. "It feels like family here more than just a job and I hope that never changes!"

Grimsley

In June, Grimsley joined the Town of Lewisville staff as a Maintenance Technician. He brings more than 20 years of public works' experience to the town, most recently serving in local government as the Signs & Markings Supervisor for the City of Greensboro.

Prior to his time with Greensboro, Grimsley worked for the City of Marysville, Calif. Public Works Department for 10 years. He is an Army veteran, who honorably served our country from 1997 until 2001 as a Signal Support System Specialist.

When Grimsley isn't helping to make Lewisville a great place to live, he can be found racking up birdies on the golf course, enjoying concerts with his wife, Heather, cheering on the Carolina Hurricanes or vacationing at his favorite place on the Outer Banks—Ocracoke Island.

The annual Christmas Tree Lighting will take place at 7:00 p.m. on Friday, Dec. 3.

Refreshments will be served.

Children will have a chance to color a holiday picture for Santa.

The Victorian Carolers will be performing from 6:30 until 8:30 p.m.

Santa plans to make a special appearance.

Bluebird Houses at JWP Provide Habitat Benefits

**FROM THE LEWISVILLE
BEAUTIFICATION COMMITTEE**

Have you ever wondered about the seven bluebird houses along the entry drive and walking trail in Jack Warren Park (JWP)? They were installed at the park by the Lewisville Beautification Committee (LBC) not long after the park opened in 2010, and their current caretaker is LBC member Carolyn Fulton.

When you walk the trails at the park, you can often see her hard at work, checking for eggs and new hatchlings and cleaning out the nest

boxes after the young birds leave the nest. She even soaps the inside ceiling of the boxes to prevent wasp nests! The bluebirds will nest about three times each summer, from late March through the end of July.

In addition to the bluebirds, the trail boxes are also home to Tree Swallows, beautiful birds that build a unique nest with breast feathers dropped by other birds. They help keep our park free of mosquitoes.

So, if you see Carolyn at work, be sure to tell her thanks for helping to make our park more beautiful!



Conservation Conversations

Special Recycling Event Set for October 30

WE'RE BACK!

Mark your calendars! A Special Recycling Event will be held from 9 a.m. until 1 p.m. on October 30 on David McKee next to Shallowford Square. This year will be bigger than ever because of the new items you can bring to be recycled through Terracycle. These include clean #6 Solo cups, empty baby food, beauty product and health care containers, old metal pots, pans and utensils... too much to list! To see all the new items, and the old ones too, go to: <https://www.lewisvillenc.net/special->

[recycling-events](https://www.lewisvillenc.net) or visit www.lewisvillenc.net, click on Residents/Solid Waste and Recycling and click on the green link: "Special Recycling Event Guidelines" to see a list of accepted items.

The Environmental Conservation and Sustainability sponsors several special Recycling Collection Days during the year. These events take place from 9 a.m. to 1 p.m. on David McKee St. next to Shallowford Square.

On event day, volunteers will be there to help unload your car.

And that's not all! The Town's new dentist, Dr. Joel Manchego, agreed to let the committee place a dental collection box outside his office door. You can drop off empty toothpaste tubes, toothbrushes and plastic floss boxes and picks on the covered porch. So save those tubes and all the items you find on the Town website and bring them to recycle.

See you there!
*Your Environmental Conservation
and Sustainability Committee*

Opportunity to Memorialize or Honor a Family Member, Friend or Organization

The Town of Lewisville is pleased to announce an exciting opportunity to publicly memorialize or honor a special person, family or organization. Trees selected by the Lewisville Beautification Committee have been planted along the walking trail at Jack Warren Park, and additional benches will be placed at various locations along the trail. Most of these trees and all the

benches are now available for your selection. Each will be marked with a dedicatory plaque.

Selection of the tree or bench location will be on a first-come, first-served basis, and payment includes selection of the tree or bench, planting/installation, dedicatory plaque and Town maintenance. Cost per tree is \$300, and cost per bench is \$600. Both are tax deductible.

For more information on available trees, their location in the park, and how to purchase a memorial/honorary tree or bench at Warren Park, contact Joyce Walker at Town Hall at 336-945-1022. Your contribution will help build a lasting legacy to future generations of Lewisville citizens as you memorialize or honor a special person or organization!

Newsletter DEADLINE

The deadline for the November-December *Lewisville Citizen* is October 8.

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.

Fall Bulky Item Pickup to Begin October 11

The next Bulky Item Pickup event will begin Monday, October 11. Those residents wishing to participate in the pickup should have all acceptable bulky items curbside by 6 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.

"We want to make sure our residents are informed as to what

is considered a bulky item. This event is intended for disposal of items too large to fit within a trash cart - items such as large pieces of furniture, carpet, mattresses, box springs and white goods," said Town Manager Hank Perkins. "We are going to provide information in the newsletter, Channel 6, our website and Facebook to give everyone an opportunity to understand what is acceptable for bulky item collection. Residents may also call Town Hall if they have additional questions or concerns," said Perkins. The "rule of thumb" is to avoid placing bags of trash, televisions, cardboard boxes, lumber scraps, clothing, books, construction debris and

other prohibited items out for the collection. If Waste Management sees a contaminated collection pile, the site will not be serviced.

Perkins said the collection times are a busy one for staff because of all the calls as to what is allowed, reports of individual homes missed and complaints about people leaving unacceptable items at the curb long after the event has ended.

Guidelines for what is accepted and what is prohibited can also be found on the Lewisville website, www.lewisvillenc.net, on Channel 6. Residents may contact Town Hall at 336-945-5558 to obtain further information or visit the Town's website at lewisvillenc.net.

FALL BULKY ITEM COLLECTION **Monday, October 11 - 7:00 a.m.**

Acceptable Items for bulk collection

Household furniture, lawn furniture, carpet, extra large rugs, bicycles, toilets, grills (no propane) mattresses and box springs (limit of 2 sets per household)

White Goods - Stoves, refrigerators, freezers
(doors must be removed), water heaters, dishwashers

**All items must be in plain view
and may not be bagged or boxed.**

Items must be placed within three feet of the curb

Items NOT Accepted

Televisions, computers, mirrors or glass of any kind,
household waste, yard waste, dead animals, tires,
hazardous waste, chemicals, paint, microwaves, electronic waste, car motors,
clothing, shoes, books, general recycle items, liquid waste, batteries, motor oil
and any equipment containing oil or gas, lumber scraps, construction debris,
bagged trash, cardboard and cardboard boxes

For information regarding this event, please contact Town Hall at 336-945-5558.

Sheriffs Dept. Notes

Be School Bus Safety Aware

When to Stop for a Bus:

- Two-lane roadway, two-lane with a center turning lane, four-lane roadway – All traffic from both directions must stop
- Four-lane roadway with a median or four or more lanes with a center turning lane – Only traffic following must stop

Town Hall will be Closed
LABOR DAY, Monday, September 6
Garbage Will Be Delayed
By One-Day Delay

Legacy Motown Revue Band Concert Set for Sept. 11

The Town hosts the Legacy Motown Revue Band at Shallowford Square from 7 until 9:30 p.m. on Saturday, September 11.

The band pays tribute to the legendary icons of Motown. They will take you back to the days of The Drifters, The Coasters, The Jacksons, Earth Wind & Fire, The Temptations and many more.

Featuring incredibly talented singers that dance and sing, plus an amazing six piece horn band. You will be transported back in time to



Legacy Motown Revue Band
one of the most influential periods in American Musical History.

Admission is free! Wutyasay Food Truck will offer a delicious variety of food and Frosty Island will have shaved ice treats for sale. No pets please. Bring a lawn chair or a blanket and enjoy a must see night of music in the 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.*

Trial by Fire Takes the Stage on September 25

Join the Town for Trial by Fire, Journey Tribute Band from 7 until 9 p.m. on Saturday, Sept. 25, 2021 at Shallowford Square. This concert was originally scheduled in 2020 but was rescheduled due to COVID-19 restrictions.

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.

Admission is free! Concessions are available for purchase. Beer and wine will be offered for purchase from Westbend Vineyards as well as their delicious eats available from their Texas Style BBQ Food Truck. No pets or outside alcohol permitted in the Square. Bring a lawn chair or a blanket and enjoy a concert under the stars.

**This event is subject to change due to COVID-19*



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Starlight Movie Night features 'Hocus Pocus' October 8

Join the Town at Shallowford Square for Starlight Movie Night featuring the blockbuster "Hocus Pocus" at dark on Friday, October 8.

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.

**This event is subject to change due to COVID-19 pandemic and precautions. Please visit the Town's Facebook page and website for updates.*

Lonesome River Band at Shallowford Bluegrass Festival

Join the Town for the annual Bluegrass concert series featuring the nationally acclaimed, award winning group, "The Lonesome River Band," from 5 until 7 p.m. on Sunday, October 10 in Shallowford Square.

Since its formation decades ago,

Lonesome River Band continues its reputation as one of the most respected names in bluegrass music. Five-time International Bluegrass Music Association (IBMA) Banjo Player of the Year, and winner of the Steve Martin Prize for Excellence in Banjo and Bluegrass,

Sammy Shelor leads the group that is constantly breaking new ground in acoustic music.

Admission is free! Delicious eats will be offered by the Vienna Civic Club. Bring a lawn chair and your appetite and enjoy an evening of great bluegrass music.

Town's Annual Fitness Walk Kicks 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 "Shallowford Fitness Walk Challenge."



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. Just keep track of the distance travelled.

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.cognitofrms.com/Lewisville1/LewisvilleFitnessWalk> or

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

E-Cycling Day Set for September 25 in Shallowford Square

Waste Management will host an upcoming E-Cycling Day for residents of the Town of Lewisville. The special electronics recycling event will be held from 9 a.m. until 2 p.m. on Saturday, September 25 at Shallowford Square.

According to Waste Management's website, "most electronics contain heavy metals that can be harmful to human health and the environment. With technology rapidly evolving in our increasingly digital age, outdated electronic devices are thrown away at an accelerating pace. Used electronics now account for 70 percent of the toxic waste found in

landfills."

Every day in the United States, approximately 130,000 computers are discarded. Peripherals can also be recycled. These include keyboards, cables, mice, computer speakers, printers, scanners, floppy drives, optical media and external hard drives. Every year, Americans buy more than 100 million cell phones, yet fewer than 20 percent of old cell phones are recycled. Discarded phones represent about 65,000 tons of electronic garbage every year. Simply by recycling the phones, customers could save enough energy to power more than

194,000 homes for an entire year. Cell phones are made from copper, other valuable metals, and plastics - all of which require energy to extract and manufacture. Recycling cell phones helps recover these valuable resources and saves energy. Recycling just a million cell phones reduces greenhouse gas emissions equal to removing 1,368 cars off the road for a full year.

This e-cycling event is a great opportunity to dispose of these type of items. This event is free for the residents of Lewisville. Please bring your electronic devices ready for discarding during this day.

COMMUNITY CALENDAR

SEPTEMBER 2

Singin' in the Square

Singin' in the Square Community Singing event will be held from 7 until 8 p.m. on September 2 in Shallowford Square. Hosted by the Spirit Singers, all voices are welcome, no experience needed to join together for a community song circle.

SEPTEMBER 18

Community Festival

Brookstown United Methodist Church is holding their Community Festival this year on September 18. Please come and join them for a great day of fellowship, food and fun! Breakfast biscuits and lunch will be served, with lunch featuring Bethlehem AME Zion Church Fish and Fries. Hot dogs, chips and drinks will also be available. Entertainment planned include the Triple Threat Dancers

(11 a.m.), a group of energetic and entertaining seniors who want to involve all ages to join them, and Terry Budwine (12 p.m.), Gospel Singer. They will also have a Kiddie Tractor Pull at 11:30 a.m., sign-ups start at 10:30 a.m. Vendors will be selling all kinds of great items. Come and see the Cruise-In of special and antique cars and motorcycles!

OCTOBER 16

Community Shred Event

The Lewisville Historical Society will host a Community Shred Event Fundraiser from 9 a.m. until 12 noon on Saturday, October 16 at the G. Galloway Community Center parking lot on Lucy Lane. A \$5 donation is suggested for each bag of shredded paper (no cardboard) For info, call 336-766-5842. Free and open to the public.

**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!**



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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 & Sustainability Committee meets monthly on the 1st Tuesday of the month at 7:00 p.m., Town Hall,
2nd Floor, starting in Jan.

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.***