

Lewisville Citizen

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UPCOMING EVENTS

Registration for Cornhole Tourney Sign-ups begin Monday, May 2 Call 945-5558 to register See Calendar page 6 for details

Shredding Event

Saturday, May 7, 10 a.m. until 2 p.m. Lewisville Elementary School Parking Lot. See Calendar page 6 for details.

Memorial Day Ceremony

Monday, May 30 at 11 a.m. Veterans Memorial Shallowford Square

Military Appreciation Concert

Monday, May 30, 6-8:30 p.m. Andrew Thielen Big Band Shallowford Square

Outdoor Concert

Saturday, June 11. 7-9 p.m. Jenn Bostic Shallowford Square

Annual Street Party

June 25, 6-10 p.m Shallowford Square "The Extraordinaires" & Food Trucks

Masters/Para Cycling Championships National Cycling Event coming to Lewisville in May

The Town of Lewisville will host the 2016 USA Cycling National Masters and Para Cycling Championships on Tuesday, May 24 and 25. Approximately 1,300 riders are expected to participate over the two days of the championship.

The Lewisville events are part of a week of competitions that also include race venues in Downtown Winston-Salem, Wake Forest University and Yadkin and Wilkes Counties. Lewisville was selected as the start and finish lines for the Masters and Para Cycling Championships because of the excellent cycling routes surrounding the town that wind throughout western Forsyth and eastern Yadkin Counties.

"I am very pleased that Lewisville will have the opportunity to host these two events because they will bring a significant number of potential customers to our retail businesses, provide an opportunity for our residents to see world-class cycling and showcase the exceptional quality of life in our community to both local and national visitors," says Mayor Mike Horn. "I am also very proud that we will host the Para Cycling Championship for individuals with physical disabilities. It should be very inspiring for our residents to see."

Lewisville Businesses have been preparing to welcome racing visitors for several months. A coordinating committee of business leaders has been working with USA Cycling on how to take advantage of this opportunity to increase sales over the two-day event.

While the majority of the race course is outside of the town, there will be some inconveniences for residents during the event, primarily where a 100-yard stretch of roadway in front of The Oaks Shopping Center will be closed on Shallowford Road from Sunny Acres to the traffic circle where the start and finish lines of the race will be located.

Sheriff's Office deputies have set up an alternate route from 7:30 a.m. to 7 p.m. both days using David McKee Street and Belnette Drive. Designated parking areas manned by volunteers will also be set up throughout the town and a shuttle will transport participants and visitors to and from the staging area.

From your Mayor

The Principles of Government

As I meet and speak with elected officials from across our state, I am surprised how many of them have heard about Lewisville. But it's more than that they have heard about our community, they want to know what we are doing that makes Lewisville such a great place to live.

I share with them our town philosophy, which are not just words on paper, but a commitment deeply rooted in the reasons why we incorporated in 1991. For those of you who have read our Comprehensive Plan, you are familiar with that philosophy, and those of you who participate in town boards and committees see this philosophy in practice every day.

The philosophy is quite simple and it's built on three principles.

The first principle is the unwavering belief that government begins with our residents, not dictated by elected officials. That's why today Lewisville has a number of committees and boards that are specifically created to develop and review policy recommendations for the elected Council to consider.

Participation on committees and boards is open to all residents and, like during our earliest days as a community, it is volunteers who share a genuine concern for our town, that help to chart our community's future. Lewisville is truly unique in this respect.

The second principal is our commitment to retain and preserve as much of Lewisville's small town character and charm as possible. We are very specific about what type of development we will



Mike Horn

allow and how we will allow that development to occur. This is incorporated into our Comprehensive Plan which captures our community's vision for the future. The plan is revised every five years with significant community participation.

The third principle is a bit novel among municipalities. It is to operate our town with limited government - one that is empowered to manage only the essential services desired by our residents. Land planning, road and facility maintenance, public safety, solid waste collection, recycling and parks & recreational activities for our citizens are among those services that our residents deem appropriate.

And of course, holding the philosophy together are our residents who continue to elect Town Councils who have not compromised these principles. This quite simply, I tell others who ask, is what makes Lewisville a great place to live.

As always, I welcome your comments and look forward to seeing you at our USA Cycling National Masters & Para Cycling Championships later this month.

Mayor

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Cycling event coming to town

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"As with all of our past events in town, I know we will extend the warmest of small town welcomes to visitors and event participants from across the country making this a wonderful experience for everyone," says Horn.

"Like with our plays, Fourth of July event and the many other activities hosted by the town, having the cycling championships here allows us to demonstrate the uniqueness of Lewisville and the hospitality of our residents."

More information on the USA Cycling National Masters and Para Cycling Championships can be found on the internet at "usacycling. org/2016/masters-para-road-nationals."

What you need to know about the Championships

DATES: Tuesday, May 24 & Wednesday, May 25 **TIMES:** Starting times begin at 8:30 a.m. and racing continues through 7 p.m. both days

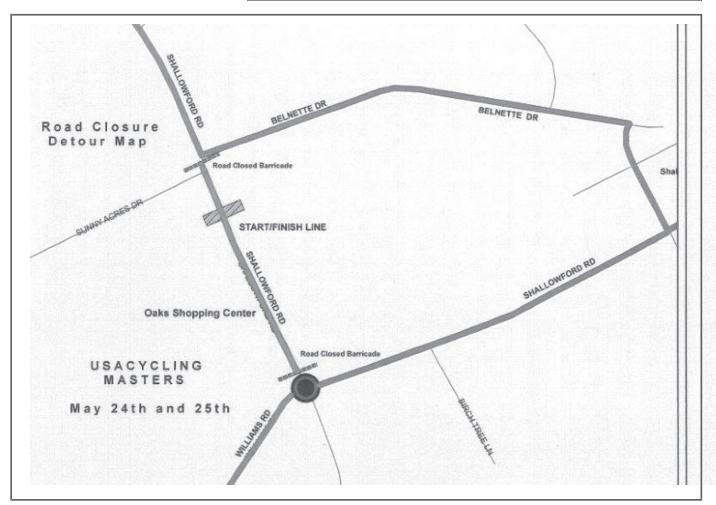
PARTICIPANTS: Estimated 1,300 over two days **RACE DESCRIPTIONS:** Masters Event (Age 35 +) and Para Event (riders with physical disabilities)

STAGING AREA: Sunny Acres

COURSE: Start & Finish Line at The Oaks. The course runs out of town on Williams Road, winds through the county and reenters town on Shallowford Road.

LENGTH: Each lap is 18.3 miles. Total race length varies by participant class

ROAD CLOSURE: Shallowford Road only in front of The Oaks. Use Belnette Drive from 7:30 a.m. to 7 p.m. on Tuesday and 5:30 a.m. to 5:30 p.m. on Wednesday. **AWARDS CEREMONIES:** Shallowford Square **MORE INFORMATION:** Course map and starting times at usacycling.org/2016/masters-para-road-nationals.



August 13th

Town making plans to celebrate 25th anniversary

The Town of Lewisville will be celebrating its 25th anniversary this coming August and a special event is being planned in honor of the occasion at Shallowford Square.

"The town incorporated in 1991 and a special committee has been formed to oversee the celebration, which is set for August 13 from 2-9 p.m.," explained Town Manager Hank Perkins.

The organizing committee is being headed by Town Council members Sandra Mock and Robert Greene.

"There will be entertainment, food vendors, arts & crafts vendors and games and activities for youngsters and adults," the town manager said.

He noted that there also will be the placement of a time capsule.

"We are still in the final planning stages," Perkins noted, "but the July/ August issue of the Lewisville Citizen will have an extensive write-up on the event with all of the details.

E-Cycling Event Saturday. July 23, 9 a.m. - 3 p.m. Shallowford Square

Acceptable Items for Recycling

Desktop computers/monitors, keyboard/mice, hard drives, power supplies, docking stations, circuit boards, laptops, hubs and switches, networking equipment, battery backups, AC adaptors, wire and cords

Consumer Electronics

Remote controls (no batteries), CD/DVD players, stereo equipment (no wood), cell phones, mixers,toasters, microwaves, curling irons, most battery operated powered hand tools, televisions, VCRs, gaming systems, amplifiers, household electronics, blenders (no glass), most kitchen gadgets, hair dryers, power drills chargers

Items NOT Accepted

Oil filters, devices containing refrigerants, liquids of any kind, light bulbs, smoke detectors, plastic toys w/o electronics inside, devices which may contain radiation, oil filled heaters, intems containing PCBs, ceramics (lamps, etc.), devices containing gas, rubber, contaminated medical equipment, hazardous materials, wood.

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

Landscaping work enhancing new roundabout

By the time this newsletter goes to print, Lewisville residents may see a big change to the roundabout at Shallowford and Williams Road.

N.C. Department of Transportation workers were putting in plantings and trees in order to landscape the area as outlined in the design.

"We believe this will be a great enhancement for the roundabout, which is a prominent feature in our downtown," said Town Manager Hank Perkins.

The landscape work is being done at a cost of around \$22,000.

The roundabout was the first step in plans to create a gateway

into Lewisville from U.S. 421 onto Williams Road.

Funding has been secured for a long-range project that will include curb and gutter, sidewalks, lamp

posts and public art.

"We will have more details on the funding and our plans in a future newsletter," Perkins said.

NEWSLETTER DEADLINE

The deadline for the July - August Lewisville Citizen is June 8. Material for the Community Calendar is accepted on a first-come, first-serve basis due to limited space.

> Email material to publicinformation@lewisvillenc.net or call 945-1021.

Pam Orrell takes over as Lewisville's Finance Officer

Pam Orrell has joined the staff as Lewisville's new Finance Officer. She replaces Kathy Bruce who retired in December.

Orrell is no stranger to Lewisville finances, having been with Gibson & Company, P.A. for 11 years prior to this move. Gibson has been the town's auditor during that period and she was assigned to Lewiisville.

"I've not actually done government finance before, but am very familiar with it since I had been the town's auditor all those years," she said.

She added that most of Gibson & Company's auditing work was with local governments.

"I'm excited to be here," Orrell said. "I already know the staff and the financials are very well organized here, very professional."

The duties of the Finance Officer are many and Town Manager Hank Perkins said he feels Orrell was a great choice for the position based on her skills, knowledge and previous experience with Lewisville.

Orrell grew up in Davidson County and earned her undergraduate degree in business administation from UNC Chapel Hill, where she also earned her master's in accounting.

Orrell and her husband, Bill, have two children, a daughter Mary Ann who is a freshmen at Roanoke College and a son, William., who is a student at Mount Tabor.

When not working, she enjoys tennis with her family, reading and traveling.

Pam Orrell

Lewisville's annual Street Party is set for June 25th

It's time to celebrate summer and the Town of Lewsville will be getting into the swing of things with the Annual Street Party on Saturday, June 25 at Shallowford Square.

This is the second year for this event and it is expected to be bigger and better than ever.

The band, The Extraordinaires, will be back playing all your favorite music, there will be food vendors, including representatives from Hoots Beer Company, selling craft beers, and Lewisville's own Medaloni Cellars, offering wine by the glass.

The food vendors will not be selling alcohol.

"We have the vendors lined up and are finalizing all of the last minute details," said Stacy Howard, who is overseeing town events.

"Alcohol comsumption will be limited and those who are legally able to purchase alcohol will have a wrist band or stamp to allow the vendor to know they may be served," she said.

No outside alcohol will be allowed for this event.

"We are excited about the event this year and hope it will continue to grow and be a successful addition to our Parks and Recreation schedule," said Town Manager Hank Perkins. "We feel the first year was a learning experience and we will continue each year to learn and expand on what we're doing."

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, ground floor. For more information about Lewisville, visit:

Time Warner Cable Channel 6 www.lewisvillenc.net https://www.facebook.com/TownofLewisvilleNC https://twitter.com/LewisvilleNC https:www.youtube.com/user/TownofLewisville Events Hotline 945-1030



Community Calendar

***May 2** - Registration opens for the annual Cornhole Tournament at Shallowford Square on July 16 10 a.m. This is a 16-team, double elimination event and teams are entered on a first-come, firstserve basis. Please call 945-5558 to register.

***May 7** - Cadette Girl Scout Troop 40232 and 40875 will sponsor a Community Shredding event from 10 a.m. until 2 p.m. at the Lewisville Elementary School side parking lot. Participants will enter from Lewisville-Clemmons Road. A donation of \$5 per box or bag is suggested. Proceeds will be used by the Girl Scouts to fund service projects for the community. The Scouts also will be providing tips on how to avoid identity theft. For more information, contact the troop leader at 945-6930.

***May 9 -** Lewisville Historical Society will host author Molly Rawls, who will discuss and sign her new book, Winston-Salem's Historic Salem Cemetery. The meeting begins at 6:30 p.m. Call 766-5842 for details.

*May 10 and June 7 - The Lewisville-Clemmons Chamber of Commerce meet at the Broyhill Historic Events Center, 3540 Clemmons Road, Suite 112 from 11:30 to 1 p.m. Call 970-5100 to RSVP.

***May 30** - American Legion Post 522 will celebrate Memorial Day with a service honoring veterans. at 11 a.m. at Shallowford Square.

***May 30** - Military Appreciation Concert at Shallowford Square from 6 to 8:30 p.m. featuring the music of the Andrew Thielen Big Band with a patriotic military tribute.

*June 11 - Music Under the Stars Concert from 7-9 p.m. with 5-time Independent Country Music Association winner Jenn Bostic at Shallowford Square.

*June 25 - Annual Street Party at Shallowford Square from 6-10 p.m., with food truck vendors and music by "The Extraordinaires."

***July 24-28** - Unity Moravian Church and Shallowford Presbyterian will be joining to offer Vacation Bible School from 5:30 to 8 p.m. The classes will be at Unity Moravian at 8300 Concord Church Road. A class for adults will be offered by Pastor Barry Foster. For information or to register, please call Unity Moravian at 945-3801.

***July 16 -** Annual Cornhole Tournament with 16-teams and double elimination beginning at 10: a..m.

*August 6 - Music Under the Stars with music by "Chicago Reloaded." This will be a great evening for those who loved music by "Chicago." Event is 7-9 p.m. at Shallowford Square.



Military appreciation concert

The first ever Military Appreciation Concert is set for Monday, May 30 at Shallowford Square featuring the Big Band sound of the Andrew Thielen orchestra. The orchestra performed at the square a number of years ago and always drew a big crowd. This time they will be performing a concert of patriotic music in tribute to all of those who have and are serving their country. Music begins at 6 p.m. so bring your chairs and picnics.

Busy summer ahead for LCC

The Lewisville Civic Club has a busy summer planned.

Coming up first is the deadline for submissions for the cookbook to be published in honor of the club's 70th anniversary. The deadline for submitting your recipes is May 31. The club is looking for appetizers, beverages, soups, salads, vegetables and side dishes, along with main dishes, breads and desserts.

The forms for submittals are available on the club's website, <u>wwwlewisvil-lecivicclub.com</u>. You may submit as many recipes as you like, but each must be on a separate form. Please include ingredients, step-by-step instructions and serving sizes or servings.

Mail the forms to LCC Cookbook, Attn. Maureen Barton, P.O. Box 293, Lewisville, NC 27023 or via email to <u>mbarton33@att.net</u>

On Saturday, June 18, the Civic Club will be participating in the Lowe's Foods Local Day from 11 a.m. until 3 p.m. at the Lewisville store. Club members will be selling hotdogs, chips and drinks and the proceeds will go toward the scholarships the club awards each year and to needy families. For information, contact Larry Morris at 945-9529.

The club is also preparing for the annual Charity Golf Tournament. This is the 11th year and again it will take place at Salem Glen Country Club. The date is September 16 and the cost is \$75 per player. This includes entry fee fore the 18-holes of golf, cart and lunch.

Morris heads up the committee for the tournament and said they are looking for players and sponsors. If you are interested in participating, please contact Morris at 945-9529 or by email at <u>www.lewisvillecivicclub.com</u>.

Friends' Gift Baskets now on sale

When was the last time you gave someone a May Basket on May Day? Now's your chance as the Lewisville Friends of the Library are selling Gift Baskets and are available at the Library.

If you plan to do some summer cleaning, don't forgot to donate your yard sale items to the Friends on July 14th and 15 during library hours. The sale is July 16 from 10 a.m. until 3 p.m. inside the library. Unsold items will be donated to the National Kidney Foundation.

The group is always looking for new members and book and magazine donations. The memberships are \$5 for seniors and students, \$10 for individuals, \$20 for families, \$25 for businesses and \$200 for a lifetime membership.

Stop by the Library to see new book selections and shop for a Gift Basket.

Post 522 planning Memorial Day event

American Legion Post 522 will have their annual Memorial Day ceremony on Monday, May 30 at 11 a.m. at the Veteran's Memorial at Shallowford Square. This event is a tribute to those who gave their lives in service to their country.

The ceremony will include the Presentation of Colors by the Post Color Guard, at 21-gun salute by the Post Rifle Square and the placing of a wreath at the Battle Cross and POW memorials.

Mike Jones, a member of the Post noted that this is a great time to purchase a brick for the Battle Cross Memorial in honor of a friend or relative who was or is a veteran.

Jones may be reached at 766-9006. The club meets on the first Thursday of the month at 7:30 p.m. at the G. Galloway Reynolds Community Center.

LIBRARY NEWS

Tuesdays @ 2 Book Club - May 3 and June 7, at 2 p.m.

Star Wars Day Movie - Wednesday. May 4 from 5-8 p.m. The feature is The Force Awakens (PG13) and there will be Star Wars themed activities and refreshments.

Teen Button Bracelets - May 10 at 3:30 p.m. for grades 6 through 12.

Creative Writing Class- May 11, May 25, June 8 and 22 at 1:30 p.m.

Friends of the Library Book Club - May 24 and June 28 at 7 p.m.

Books Without Borders Book

Club at Milton Rhodes Center for the Arts, 251 Spruce Street, May 26 (The Past by Tessa Hadley) and June 22.

Library closed May 30th.

Toddler Storytime - June 1, 8, 15, 22 at 10:30 a.m. for ages 18 months to 3 years with caregivers.

Preschool Storytime - June 7, 14, 21 and 28th at 10:30 a.m. for ages three to five with caregivers.

LEGO Book Club - June 11 at 11 a.m. for K-5th grade. Collaborative creation and storytelling.

Edible Bird Nests - 3 p.m. for grades 6 through 12.

Anime Club for Teens - June 23 at 4:15 p.m. - Join to watch anime, discuss favorites, practice our manga skills and enjoy snacks.

Visit from the Fire Department-June 25 at 11 a.m. - Firefighters will explain their equipment and discuss fire safety.

Yoga Family Storytime - June 29 at 10:30 a.m. with Lisa Kushner for children and their caregivers.

Programs are free. Call 703-2941.

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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 at 6:30 p.m. 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 7 p.m., Town Hall Council Chambers

Planning Board Work Sessions are the 4th Wednesday of the month at 7 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 Jan.

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, & Dec. 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 quarterly on the 1st Tuesday of the month at 7 p.m., Town Hall, 2nd Floor

Stormwater Advisory & Education Committee as needed on 3rd Thursday at 6 p.m., Town Hall, 2nd Floor

Student Leadership Committee meets the last Thursday of the month, August - May, 6:30 p.m., Town Hall, 2nd Floor

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