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A Message from the Town Manager



In this month's article I would like to summarize some of the major highlights of the 2013-2014 approved budget. The new budget can be found on our website under Departments>Administration>Finance. The process went very smoothly and we are able to fund services while maintaining our tax rate at .34 cents per hundred with town fees remaining the same.

Our rapidly growing community allows us to build our tax base and to fund the needed current services and capital needs. Our town currently has an estimated 14,000 people, and we expect to add about 1500 this year. With this growth comes the need for services ranging from streets, solid waste, police, parks and recreation and the many other services offered by the towns and cities. A new patrol officer position was funded in the new budget. This new position will allow us to continue our work in the DARE program, crime prevention and focus on downtown. The new officer will also spend time patrolling on a bike patrol.

We have also provided funding to continue the process of relocating the police department to different facilities. We rent the police department facility and it is no longer adequate for our needs. We anticipate that the police department may be in its new facilities in 2014.

Two additional employees will be hired in the Public Service Department. The staffing level for this department has not changed in seven years. The workload has increased and the size of the town has grown, so it was important to add the additional staff in order to continue to offer a high level of service.

We have also provided funding to continue work on a new municipal facility in downtown. Every usage space at town hall and the planning department is being utilized and the facilities have not been adequate for many years. Currently the board is examining incorporating some retail and municipal operations into the new building in order to better utilize the building. Under the master plan, we will tie the new facility into the recently completed water tank, add a pedestrian plaza, and add additional parking. This approach is a win-win.

Funding has also been approved for lights at the H.C. Nesbit Park. This park is well utilized and the lights will add additional opportunities for the public. Currently we are seeking a Carolina Thread Trail Grant to enhance our recently acquired greenway and open space located across from Prescott Residential on Waxhaw-Marvin Road.

These are truly exciting times for the town. I am optimistic that the steps we are taking will build a better future. I truly appreciate you being a part of our community and appreciate the opportunity to serve you. Please feel free to contact me if you have any question or need any additional information involving your town government.

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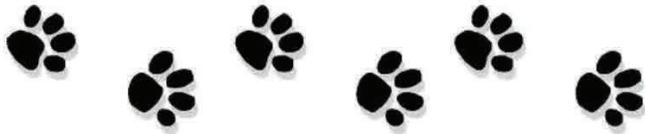


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Business Spotlight



Waxhaw Business Association Business of the month of June by Dorothy Moloney

The Union Oral Surgery & Dental Implant Center was chosen as the June “Business of the Month” at the Waxhaw Business Association. This office specializes in advanced surgical procedures for the mouth, face and jaw. Dr. Steven Patty and Dr. Tara Valiquette make every attempt to exceed their patients’ expectations through exceptional treatment and “from the heart” customer service. This is so very obvious upon stepping over the threshold into the beautiful and comforting waiting room.

Dr. Patty is originally from Alamance County in North Carolina and is married to Dia Ormond Patty, who is a native of Union County. He is a graduate of UNC, Chapel Hill School of Dentistry, and did his residency in Oral and Maxillofacial Surgery at the University’s dental school, as well as the North Carolina Memorial Hospital. He has been in private practice since 1988, and is Board Certified by the American Board of Oral and Maxillofacial Surgery. He is also Board Certified and fellow of the American Dental Society of Anesthesiology, and an Associate of The American Academy of Cosmetic Surgeons. Dr. Patty is on staff at CMC Union Hospital, Monroe. Dr. Patty and Dia enjoy water sports, horses, golf, and farming on their “off” time. They have two grown children.

Dr. Valiquette grew up in Ontario, Canada, but because she moved to Raleigh upon finishing high school, she calls North Carolina her second home. Dr. Valiquette obtained her dental degree from the University of Connecticut School of Dental Medicine in 2007. She then completed a full scope residency in Oral and Maxillofacial Surgery from UNC Chapel. She joined the staff at Union Oral Surgery and Dental Implant Center in June of 2011. She is Board Eligible by the American Board of Oral and Maxillofacial Surgery. Dr. Valiquette is on staff at CMC Union Hospital Monroe. Dr Valiquette and her husband, Blake, are avid supporters of the Carolina Hurricanes. They have recently settled into their first home in Waxhaw, with their English bulldog, Moose.

At Union Oral Surgery, patients receive wonderful treatment, and beautiful smiles, and once the dental work is complete, they ask what they can do about the lines and wrinkles surrounding the smile? Union Oral Surgery answers, “a lot.” Because significant advances in facial rejuvenation technology provide you with many options to refresh your appearance that are relatively painless and non-surgical. Facials are available for women, men and teenagers. Peels are available, as well as a cosmetic roller. On staff is Helen Scott, a North Carolina State Licensed Aesthetician. She is on hand to discuss options with you that fit your lifestyle and budget. Helen has worked with oral surgeons since 1987. She received her training as a Dental Surgery Assistant and Oral Health Educator in England. She has continued her training in the US, where she qualified as an aesthetician and has gained her Dental Anesthesia Assistant National Assistant Certificate Examination Helen has also assisted with both trauma and cosmetic oral and maxillofacial surgeries.

I am so impressed with the calming atmosphere of the beautiful office, as well as the friendliness of the entire staff. My congratulations to Union Oral Surgery, Waxhaw Business Association’s Business of the month of June, 2013.



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From the Town Clerk's Desk

Town Board of Commissioners Candidate Forum

The Union County League of Woman Voters has scheduled a Public Candidate Forum on October 17, 2013 at the Waxhaw Woman's Club Building located at 200 W. S. Main Street. The Town of Waxhaw currently has three Commissioner terms ending this November and nine candidates have filed for these seats. The public is welcome to attend this public forum where candidates will be invited to come and participate in this open forum. For additional information please contact Ms. Virginia Bjorlin, President of the Union County League of Woman Voters at vaskb@ewindstream.net.

Property Tax Bills Due September 1

Town of Waxhaw property tax bills should be in the mail before the end of August. The town tax rate remains the same this year at 34¢ per \$100 of assessed property value. Remember that tax bills are due to be paid on September 1, 2013 and are delinquent after January 6, 2014. A 2% interest penalty will be applied to all delinquent bills after January 6, 2014. Delinquent tax bills will have a ¼% interest penalty added each month beginning February 1, 2014. If your taxes are paid through a mortgage company, please make sure they have the correct information concerning your property and the taxes due. If you need help understanding your bill or have other questions, please call Ann Sutton or Paula Kee at 704-843-2195 ext. 223 and 228.

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National Night Out Pictorial

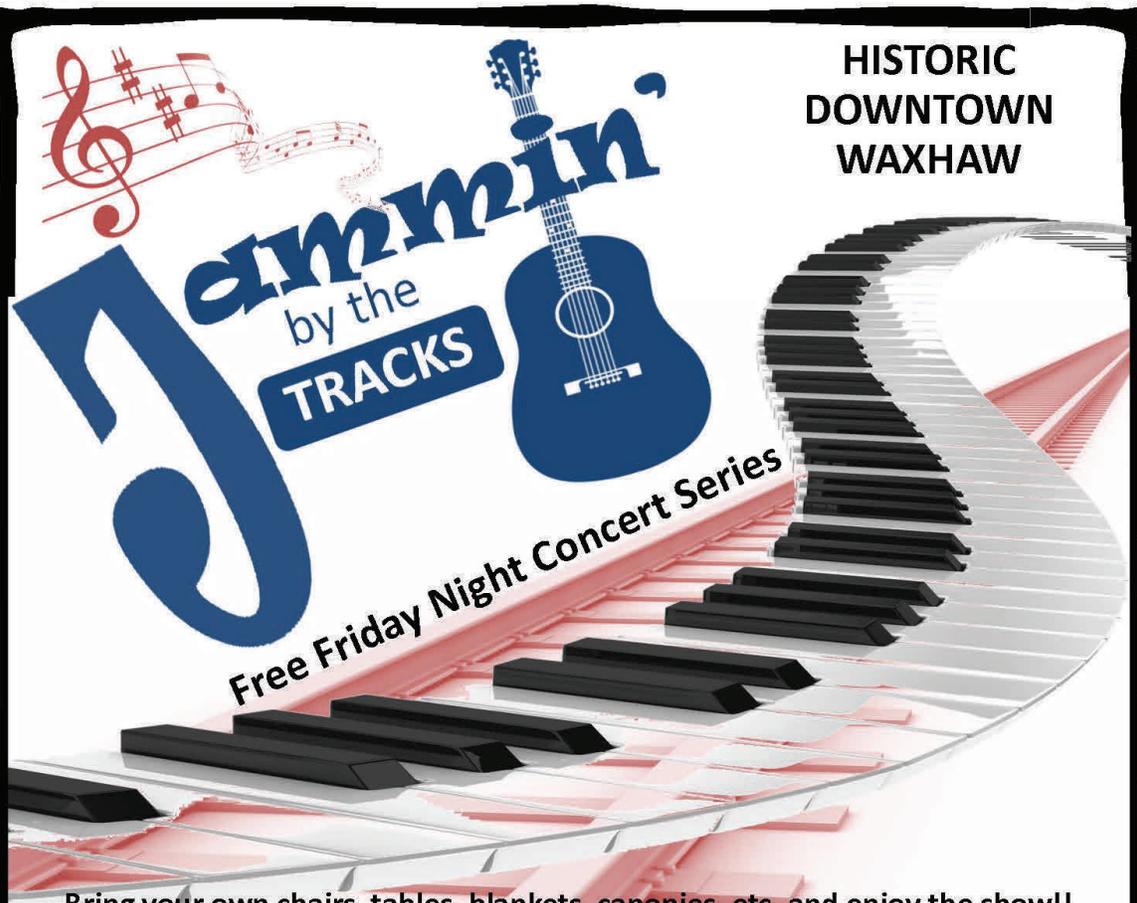
August 6, 2013

Waxhaw had a great National Night Out on Tuesday, August 6, 2013. It was a night for community residents to see first-hand the crime-fighting and public safety equipment available in Waxhaw. Thanks to the Waxhaw Police Department, Waxhaw Volunteer Fire Department, Union EMS, Waxhaw Police Explorers, Waxhaw Junior Firefighters, Ben Barry and his crew with The B.I.G Ride, Alan "Teelo" Teeling of the Bike Depot, Terry Lansdell of Race Across America/Trips for Kids Charlotte, Shaklee with the Dussingers, American Red Cross, Turning Point, Carolinas Chiropractic, Union County Council on Aging, Nichole Marie Photography, Waxhaw Public Services, Waxhaw Events, Pete Toglio, and Safe Alliance. Families had a lot of great fun and got a lot of great information. Kids enjoyed free bike helmets, demonstrations, hands-on displays and great give-aways!



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- June 14 Josh Burch & Friends
- June 21 Dirt Pool Band
- June 28 Rachel Garcia Band
- July 5 The Minson Girls
- July 12 Craving Jane
- July 19 Smokin' Around Rock At It's Finest
- July 26 The Horsefly Band
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Waxhaw United Methodist Church to hold Fall Yard Sale

Set your calendars for Saturday, October 5, 6:30 a.m. - 1:00 p.m. for the Waxhaw United Methodist Church Fall Yard Sale. The Methodist Men will have a good breakfast with sausage, biscuits and gravy and hot coffee. The Methodist Women will have some of their delightful baked goods too. There will lots of "stuff" for everyone. Any questions, call Joyce Blythe at 704-843-2246.

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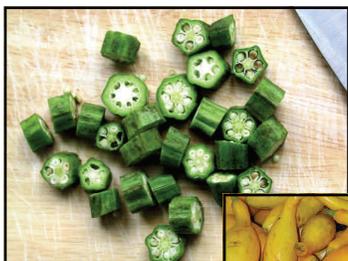
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- Ride on the right in the same direction as other traffic
- Obey all traffic signs and signals
- Use hand signals to communicate intended movements
- Equip their bicycles with a front lamp visible from 300 feet and a rear reflector that is visible from a distance of 200 feet when riding at night.



In 2001, the North Carolina General Assembly enacted the Child Bicycle Safety Act of 2001 requiring that:

- All bicycle operators under 16 years of age must wear a bicycle helmet on public roads, public paths and public rights-of-way
- All child passengers under 40 pounds or 40 inches must be seated and secured in a child seat or a bicycle trailer.
- Although the law does not require adult bicyclists to wear helmets, they are strongly encouraged to do so. Some localities within the state have enacted ordinances requiring cyclists to wear helmets.

Legal Issues Related to Bicycling

Laws pertaining to the operation of a bicycle vary from state to state. Below are three areas of North Carolina law that need clarification.

- Bicycling on Interstate or fully controlled limited access highways, such as beltlines, is prohibited by policy, unless otherwise specified by action of the Board of Transportation. Currently, the only exception to the policy is the US 17 bridge over the Chowan River between Chowan and Bertie Counties.
- There is no law that requires bicyclists to ride single file, nor is there a law that gives cyclists the right to ride two or more abreast. It is important to ride responsibly and courteously, so that cars may pass safely.
- There is no law that prohibits wearing headphones when riding a bicycle; however, it is not recommended. It is important to use all your senses to ensure your safety when riding in traffic.



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Our Lady of Grace Church Groundbreaking

The groundbreaking for Our Lady of Grace Church will be held September 8th at 10:00 a.m. at 7031 Waxhaw Highway, Lancaster, SC, 29720. We are asking all participants to bring a small shovel/trowel to participate in this event. Refreshments will be served. For several years, the congregation has been meeting at the Indian Land Recreation Center. "We are so excited that we will be breaking ground for our church in September and would like to invite everyone out to celebrate with us," said parishioner Nicole Ayers, For more information, call 704-451-8489.

Waxhaw Baptist Church Revival at the Creek

The Waxhaw Baptist Church is holding a Revival at the Creek at Cane Creek Amphitheatre, Cane Creek Park on October 12, 2013 from 2:00-5:00 pm

Singing groups:

The Journeymen

Eddie P Price

The Daughter of Zion

The Hinson Girls

and a timely message for the Church by Rev Chris Whittaker, Pastor of Waxhaw Baptist Church

For information contact Sandy Myers at smyers@frminc.com.

Join Safe Alliance at Aw Shucks Farms and Support The Tree House Children's Advocacy Center

Safe Alliance invites you to join us for an evening of family fun and a delicious BBQ Pork or Chicken dinner with all the fixin's at a pre-opening night for this famous and historic, working farm. Aw Shucks features a corn maze, hayrides, horse shoes, corn hole, petting zoo, old general stores and more.

Saturday, September 14th 6-9 pm

at Aw Shucks Farms

3718 Plyler Mill Road, Monroe, NC

Proceeds from this event will benefit The Tree House Children's Advocacy Center.

The Tree House offers a child/teen friendly environment for abused children and their families to receive comprehensive services to begin their journey of hope and healing. This will be a wonderful opportunity to enjoy time with your family while supporting victims of child physical/sexual abuse and witnesses to violence in Union County.

We would like to thank our sponsors for this event: Perry, Bundy, Plyler, Long & Cox, LLP; Rusty & Sonda Cox and Family, Two Way Radio of Carolina, Inc.-Monroe Division; Brooks Sales; The Crow Law Firm; Keith Clinic of Chiropractic; and Hargett Electric Company.

Tickets: Adults - \$15; Children (age 12 and under) -- \$10

Children 3 and under are free.

To order your tickets now, please visit www.safealliance.org

Or call, Safe Alliance at 704.226.1352

Please feel free to contact Pam Caskey, Region Director at Pamela.Caskey@safealliance.org if would like more information Safe Alliance, tours, volunteer opportunities, wish list items, sponsorship or contribution opportunities.



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Lisa Hoffman, Editor

Daune Gardner, Mayor

Michael McLaurin, Town Manager



Town Calendar

Monthly Meetings and Special Events

ABC Board meets the 2nd Monday of each month at Waxhaw Community Center at 6:00 pm.

American Legion Post 208 meets the 1st Monday of every month at 7 pm at the American Legion Post Hall. Phone: 704-243-0600. Rental inquiries: 704-243-0186

American Legion Post 208 Women's Auxiliary meets the 1st Monday of every month at 7 pm

American Legion Rider's Club meets 3rd Monday of the month at 7 pm

Sons of American Legion meets the 3rd Monday of each month at 8 pm

Bingo is held every Tuesday from 7-9 pm

Autism Society of NC-Union County Chapter meets quarterly at the community room at CMC-Waxhaw. For meeting times/topics, email unioncountyautismsociety@yahoo.com or go to www.unioncountyautism.com.

Beautification Committee meets on the first Monday of each month at 4:00pm at Waxhaw Community Center.

Board of Commissioners/Public Hearings are held on the 2nd and 4th Tuesday of the month at 6:30 pm at the Museum of the Waxhaws.

Carolina Regional Mustang Club meets the 1st Tuesday of each month at 7:30 pm at the Captain's Galley restaurant on Independence Blvd. in Matthews. Phone: 704-572-0006 or www.ponytales.org

Cub Scout Pack 53 meets every Tuesday at 6:30 pm (during school year) at Waxhaw United Methodist Church on McDonald Street. Cub Master Bob Denson 704-843-7936 bdenson@windstream.net or waxhawpack53@gmail.com

Garden Club of Waxhaw meets the 4th Thursday of each month at different locations. Always looking for new members. Interested? Phone: 704-843-5931.

Historic Preservation Committee meets the 3rd Wednesday at 6:30 p.m. at Town Hall.

Masonic Lodge 562 meets the 1st Tuesday of each month at 7:30 pm at the Masonic Hall on N. Main Street. Phone: 704-843-5537.

Park and Recreation Committee meets on the third Thursday of the month at 6:30 pm at the Waxhaw Community Center.

Planning Board meets on the 3rd Monday of every month at 6:30 pm at the Museum of the Waxhaws.

TOPS (Take Off Pounds Sensibly) Two Groups:

1. Meets each Monday at Bonds Grove Methodist Church 6:30 pm. Weigh-in 7 pm. Phone: 704-843-2735
2. Meets each Thursday at Waxhaw Bible Church 6 pm. Weigh-ins/program 6:30 pm. 704-843-5518/704-254-3880

Waxhaw Arts Council meetings are held on the first Tuesday of the month at 6:30 p.m. at the following locations. For info call Lambeth Marshall 704-843-5060. October 2 at Stewart's Village Gallery, November 6 at CMC-Waxhaw, and December 4 at Eight Legs Gallery.

Waxhaw Business Association meets at 8 a.m. the 3rd Wednesday of each month at the American Legion Hall, Waxhaw. Phone: 704-575-0544.

Waxhaw Historic Preservation Commission meets the 2nd Thursday of the month 6:30 pm at Town Hall.

Waxhaw Line Dance Club offers line dancing and lessons every Friday night at the Waxhaw American Legion, 801 East South Main St. at 7:30 PM. No age limit or partner required. Beginner to intermediate dance levels. Call 704-843-9119 or visit www.waxhawlinedancers.com for info.

Waxhaw Lions Club meets the 1st and 3rd Thursday at 7:00 pm at the Captain's Galley restaurant. Phone: 704-843-5537 or 704-634-1761.

Waxhaw Police Explorers meet every Wednesday from 6:30pm-7:30pm at the Waxhaw Police Department. For more information, please contact WPD at 704-843-0353.

Waxhaw Small Town Main Street Advisory Committee meetings are held the second Monday of the month at 5:30 pm at the Town Hall Planning Department Conference Room. Meetings are not held July and August.

Waxhaw Volunteer Fire Department holds their business meeting at 7:00 pm the 2nd Thursday of each month at the firehouse. Phone: 704-843-4001.

Waxhaw-Weddington Sunrise Rotary Club meets Thursdays at 7:30 am in the CMC-Waxhaw Community Room. Phone: 704-618-8087

Waxhaw Women's Club meets the 3rd Tuesday of the month at 7:30 pm at The Belk Building on Southeast Main Street. Phone: Gayle Eyre 704-975-2144

Waxhaw Woodturners meets the 1st Tuesday of each month at 6:30 pm. Phone: 704-843-4907 or <http://waxhawwt.com>.

Waxhaw Business Directory

*Member of Waxhaw Business Association 704-575-0544 www.waxhawbusinessassociation.com

Accountants

Robin C. Bass, MBA
Patricia P. Belcourt CPA
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Antiques

AAA Appraisal
Antiques on Main
*The Antique Clock Shop
*Waxhaw Antique Mart

Art Galleries/ Museums

*Eight Legs Gallery
Museum of the Waxhaws
*Stewart's Village Gallery

Attorneys

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Bonds Grove United Methodist Preschool
Ducklings Child Care
Hudson's Childcare
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Waxhaw United Methodist Church
and Children's Ministry

Community Service Organizations

*American Legion
*Autism Society of NC-UC
CynetUSA
Hospice Services of Western Union Co.
*JAARS
*Monroe Union County Economic Development
*The Storefront Theatre
*Turning Point
*Union County Public Education Foundation
Waxhaw Community Vol. Fire Dept.
Waxhaw Woman's Club
*White Oak Manor of Waxhaw

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*Town Planner Community Calendar
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*Bonds Grove United Methodist Church
*Crossroads Church
Faith Community Church
Five Stones Church
Hermon Baptist Church
Rehobeth Presbyterian Church
Waxhaw Baptist Church
Waxhaw Bible Church
*Waxhaw Elementary PTA
Waxhaw Presbyterian Church
Waxhaw United Methodist Church

Restaurants/Coffee Shops

*Bojangles
*Burger King
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Dominos
El Vallarta
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Hometown Hero LLC
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Rebecca's Pottery
Reigning Cats and Dogs
Sassy and Classy
*Second Chance Boutique by Turning Point
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Studio Forma Flower and Gift Ordering
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Sweet Repeats Consignment
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