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### **Winterville at Work!**

# 2018 Christmas Events

The **2018 Winterville Christmas Parade** will be on **Saturday**, **December 8th at 2:00 p.m.** (Rain Date: December 15th at 2:00 p.m.) Interested participants should complete the 2018 Christmas Parade Application. To obtain an application please visit <a href="https://www.wintervillenc.com">www.wintervillenc.com</a>, go to Parks and Recreation under the departments headings. **Applications must be received by November 19**, 2018.

There is no fee to participate in the annual Town of Winterville Christmas Parade. In lieu of a participation fee the Town of Winterville asks that 2018 Christmas Parade participants donate (an) unwrapped gift(s). Christmas Parade gifts will be donated by the Town to families in need during the Holiday Season. We ask that gift(s) be dropped off at the Winterville Operations Center by application deadline, November 19th the Winterville Operations Center is located at 2936 Church Street, Winterville, NC 28590; office hours are Monday-Friday 8:00 a.m.-5:00 p.m. Office will be closed Monday, November 12th in observance of Veteran's Day.

Winterville Tree Lighting Ceremony & Town Council Reception. Come join the Mayor, Town Council, Town Employees, and citizens of Winterville for the annual Winterville Tree Lighting Ceremony. The Tree Lighting Ceremony is on <a href="November 29th">November 29th</a> at 6:00 p.m. and features Christmas Carols, gift card giveaways, reading of <a href="The Night Before Christmas">The Night Before Christmas</a> by Mayor Doug Jackson, and the lighting of the Winterville Christmas Tree located at 252 Main Street or the Winterville Town Square across from the Winterville Fire Department. The Winterville Town Council Reception will follow the Tree Lighting Ceremony at the Winterville Fire Department located at 2593 Railroad Street. Guests will be treated to snacks and refreshments!

Winterville Wonderland Market. The Town of Winterville will hold two Christmas Markets this year! The Winterville Wonderland Markets will be held during our Christmas Parade and our Tree Lighting Ceremonies. The events will be free to our vendors and will be held in the same location as our Market on the Square (252 Main Street - Across from the Fire Department).

- \* Tree Lighting Ceremony Nov 29: Set up is from 3-4pm; Market is from 4-8pm:
- \* Winterville Christmas Parade Dec. 8: Set up is from 11am-12pm; Market is from 12-Dusk (5-5:30pm)

In addition to the normal "make it, bake it, craft it or grow it" vendors, food trucks, Winterville Businesses, and non-profits, we will also allow independent sales representatives to participate during these two markets. Vendors should contact Stephen Penn for an application to participate.

#### 2018 GENERAL ELECTION ONE-STOP VOTING

Hours of Operation: October 17th—November 2nd Monday—Friday 7:00 am—7:00 pm
October 20th and 27th Saturdays 9:00 am—1:00 pm
October 28th Sunday 1:00 pm—5:00 pm November 3rd Saturday 8:00 am—1:00 pm

#### Locations

<b>::</b>	Center at Alice F. Keene Park Conference Room 4561 County Home Road	County Office Building PATS Conference Room 1717 W. 5th Street
	ECU, Willis Building Auditorium 300 E. 1st Street	Winterville Fire Station Community Room 2593 Railroad Street
	Pitt County Agricultural Center Conference Room 403 Government Circle	Make your voice heard come out and vote for your candidate!



## <u>Important Dates:</u>

Town Council Meeting Tuesday, Nov. 13th at 7 p.m.

<u>Veteran's Day Closing</u> Monday, Nov. 12th Town Hall Offices Closed

<u>Veteran's Day Ceremony</u> Ceremony in Front of Public Safety Building 2593 Railroad Street Monday, Nov. 12th at 2pm

<u>Planning & Zoning</u> <u>Board Meeting</u> Monday, Nov. 19th at 7:00pm Town Hall Assembly Room

<u>Board of Adjustment</u> Tuesday, Nov. 20th at 7:00pm Town Hall Assembly Room

Thanksgiving
Nov. 22nd-23rd
Town Hall Closed



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#### **AEROBIC LINE DANCING**

takes place in the Winterville Operations Center located at 2936 Church Street.

**COST:** \$3.00 per person per session.

WHEN: Every Tuesday from 7:00-8:00 p.m.

**Note: November 6th** session canceled due to

General

Election.

## **SMOKE ALARMS**

If you need assistance with checking your smoke alarms or changing the battery, please contact the Winterville

Fire-Rescue-EMS Department at (252) 756-2515 or email at

fireinspections@wintervillenc.com. **EMERGENCY DIAL 911** 

#### Winterville at Work!

#### LETTERS TO SANTA

It's time again for children to begin writing Christmas letters to Santa with all of their holiday wishes. Winterville Parks & Recreation will have drop boxes located at the Winterville Town Hall and Operations Center. Have your child drop off their letters by November 19, 2018. Please make sure that the letter and child's name is legible. If not please write the child's name and at least one item that they would like for Christmas. On the envelope and/or letter please write the child's name and return address so that Santa's elves can send a return letter to the child.



#### **GOLDEN AGE SENIOR DROP-IN PROGRAM**

WHEN: Thursday, November 8h: Thanksgiving Bingo from 1:30pm-3:30pm Thursday, November 22<sup>nd</sup> Potluck and craft from 1:30pm-3:30pm WHERE: Winterville Operations Center Training Room located at 2936 Church Street COST: FREE Unless noted otherwise. For more information, please call 252-756-1487.

#### THE SEASON OF LEAVES

The cooler fall weather brings forth the season of leaves! Please help the Public Works Department by following our collection rules and regulations. This will make the busy collection of leaves smoother and will reduce costly repairs to our suction machine. Reminder...Please do not put grass clippings, metal, or household items in your recycle bins due to contamination and the Landfill refusing to allow trucks to unload. **General Rules for the Collection of LEAVES:** 

- ALL YARD WASTE items should be placed at curbside, behind the curbing for pickup. Do not place items in the street. As a friendly reminder to our citizens, it is against Town Ordinance 98.028 to rake, blow, mow or move grass, grass clippings and leaves into any Town street, sidewalk, gutter or drainage way. This will eventually lead to the blocking of the Town's storm drainage system. Your cooperation in this matter is greatly appreciated.
- Please do not place LEAVES in trash cans, bags, or other containers. In addition, please ensure that there are no limbs or other yard debris among the grass, leaves, or pine straw pile. Items such as limbs or bags will cause damage to the suction truck which proves costly to repair.
- Specific routes with days for leaf pickup can be found under the Public Works section of the website. www.wintervillenc.com
- Please know that if your debris pile is not picked up on the scheduled day, we probably are behind on our routes and will get to your location as soon as possible.

Perfect for everybody and every shape! Each Zumba class is designed to bring people together to sweat it out.

How it works: We take the "work" out of workout, by mixing low-intensity and high-intensity moves for an interval-style, calorieburning dance fitness party. Once the Latin and World rhythms take over, you'll see why Zumba Fitness classes are often called exercise in disquise.

Benefits: A total workout, combining all elements of fitness-cardio, muscle conditioning, balance and flexibility, boosted energy and a serious dose of awesome each time you leave class.

Instructor: Sarah Smith

Location: Winterville Operations Center Training Room: 2936 Church Street

Session Information: Total of 10 classes. Classes every Monday and Wednesday 6:00 pm - 7:00 pm, November 7th-

December 12<sup>th</sup>. No Class November 21<sup>st</sup>.

Cost: \$20.00 per participant. Must register for entire session, no drop-in.

Registration: October 15<sup>th</sup> - November 7<sup>th</sup> More Information: Call (252) 756-1487

