

Winterville at Work!



2019 Christmas Events

Saturday November 23, 2019

Winterville Christmas Market

The Winterville Christmas Market is Saturday, November 23rd from 1:00 pm to 8:00 pm. There will be Craft and Food vendors, a Bouncy House and entertainment. Activities will be located on the Town Market at 252 Main Street.

Winterville Christmas Parade

The Winterville Christmas Parade is Saturday, November 23rd at 2:00 pm. If you are interested in participating in the parade, please complete the Christmas Parade Application. To obtain an application, please visit www.wintervillenc.com, go to Departments, Parks & Recreation, then click Special events tab. Information on how to turn in applications is located on the bottom of the application. Applications must be received by November 5, 2019.

Winterville Tree Lighting Ceremony and Town Council Reception

Join the Mayor, Town Staff, and citizens of Winterville to bring in the Christmas season with the annual Winterville Tree Lighting Ceremony. The Tree Lighting Ceremony will be on the Town Market at 252 Main Street on November 23rd at 6:00 p.m. Events feature Christmas Carols, gift card giveaway, reading of The Night before Christmas by Mayor Doug Jackson, and the lighting of the Winterville Christmas Tree. The Winterville Town Council and Mayor Reception will follow the tree lighting ceremony. Town Council Reception guests will be treated to snacks and refreshments. For additional information please visit www.wintervillenc.com or call 252-756-1487.

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 this year for everyone's letters to Santa. Drop boxes will be setup October 1st and located at Winterville Town Hall and the Winterville Operations Center. Have your child drop their letters off by **November 18, 2019**. This date will ensure that Santa has enough time to read and reply to each child's letter before Christmas. Please make sure that the letter has a return address and that the child's name is legible, if not, please write the child's name and address legibly so that Santa can properly address the response.



Municipal Election: Tuesday, November 5th

Polls will be open from 6:30 am until 7:30 pm on the day of the election:
 Precinct 1403A1 - Christ's Church, 745 Davenport Farm Road.
 Precinct 1403A2 - Winterville Operations Center, 2936 Church Street
 Precinct 1403B - Winterville Fire Station Community Room, 2593 Railroad Street



Zumba

Perfect for everybody and every body! 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, calorie-burning dance fitness party. Once the Latin and World rhythms take over, you'll see why Zumba Fitness classes are often called exercise in disguise. 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.

The Instructor is Sarah Smith and classes are held at the 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 13th - December 16th. Cost: \$20.00 per participant. Must register for entire session, no drop-in. Registration: October 7th - November 13th.
 For More Information: Call (252) 756-1487

Important Dates

- Tuesday, November 5th
6:30 am—7:30 pm
Municipal Election

- Monday, November 11th
Town Offices Closed
Veteran's Day

- Tuesday, November 12th
7:00 pm
Regular Council Meeting
Town Hall Assembly Room

- Monday, November 18th
7:00 pm
Planning Board Meeting
Town Hall Assembly Room

- Tuesday, November 19th
7:00 pm
Board of Adjustment Meeting
Town Hall Assembly Room

- Saturday, November 23rd
1 pm—8 pm
Christmas Market, Parade,
Tree Lighting, and
Council Reception

- Thursday & Friday,
November 28th & 29th
Town Offices Closed
Thanksgiving

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BEWARE OF THE GREASE GOBLIN

Did You Know...

Most sanitary sewer backups occur between your home and the Town's sewer main? You can help prevent a costly and unsanitary overflow by following a few simple steps:

Do

- ◇ Scrape excess grease in a container and dispose of it in the garbage.
- ◇ Place food scraps in waste containers or garbage bags for disposal with solid wastes, or start a compost pile; promote use of scraping prior to washing.
- ◇ Place a wastebasket in the bathroom to dispose of solid wastes. Disposable diapers, condoms, and personal hygiene products do not belong in the sewer system.
- ◇ Promote the concept of "3 R's": Reduce, Reuse, Recycle.

Do Not

- * Pour grease, fats, and oils from cooking down the drain.
- * Use the toilet as a wastebasket.
- * Use the sewer as a means of disposing food scraps.

Yard Waste

Are You Contributing to Storm Drain Blockage?

If you are placing your grass clippings, leaves, limbs, or other debris in the streets, storm drains, or drainage ways; then the answer is yes.

You are contributing to storm drain blockage. These not only create a visible nuisance, but it creates major problems:

- It causes a traffic hazard due to vehicles turning out to miss it.
- As it rains the waste is washed down into the storm drain system and builds up, which in turn causes flood problems.
- Do not place grass clipping, yards debris, or anything else in the storm drain ditches. These drainage ways must remain open and clear of debris to keep from flooding.



Yard Waste Pick Up By the Town

The Town of Winterville will not pick up any yard waste that is placed in the streets. For the town to pick it up it must be placed behind the curb and away from utility poles and other services. Chapter 98.028 of the code of Ordinances prohibits placement of objects in streets, gutters, and other drainage ways.



GOLDEN AGE SENIOR DROP-IN PROGRAM

The purpose of the Golden-Age Seniors Drop-In program is to provide seniors, as individuals or groups, an opportunity to come together for games and activities in support of their independence and encourage involvement in community activities. Seniors ages 55+ will have an opportunity to participate in games, activities, and events accordingly on a weekly basis. The program is held every 2nd and 4th Thursday of each month from 1:30pm-3:30pm in the Winterville Operations Center Training Room located at 2936 Church Street. There will be limited spaces for participation, be sure to call our office for your spot today! All activities are free of charge unless noted otherwise. For more information, please call 252-756-1487.

Thursday, November 7th: Games and Puzzle Day
Thursday, November 21st: Thanksgiving Pot Luck Lunch
 Call 252-756-1487 for more information.

Aerobic Line Dancing

Aerobic Line Dancing takes place in the Winterville Operations Center located at 2936 Church Street. Class costs \$3.00 per person per session. Class held Tuesday's 7:00-8:00 p.m. Learn a new dance while taking part in a great form of low-impact exercise. Who knew exercise could be so much fun!



COPS ON THE ROOF

Please help get us off the roof starting December 13th, 2019

Law Enforcement Officers from local agencies in Pitt County will remain on the roof until **200** bicycles are donated for **Toys for Tots**



Where: WALMART
 210 Greenville Blvd SW
 Greenville, NC 27834

When: December 13 & 14, 2019



SUPPORT SHOP WITH A COP

December 21st 2019



The SHOP WITH A COP program matches local police officers with underprivileged children to shop for Christmas gifts. Not only does it build a positive relationship between the child and the officer, it shows a true giving spirit to those who are in need.

You may choose any monetary amount to give, no gift is too small. This worthwhile program relies on the generosity of our citizens and business owners. People like you.

MERRY CHRISTMAS AND HAPPY NEW YEAR.

Contact:
 Lt. C.L. Williams
 (252)215-2398
 chris.williams@wintervillenc.com



Checks can be dropped at Town Hall or the Police Dept. until 12/13. Please make checks payable to Town of Winterville and place "Shop with a cop" in the memo line.

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

