

Our Town

September/October 2018

TOWN of WAKE FOREST



Wake Forest has the honor of being the only town in North Carolina scheduled to host the exhibit this year.

Wake Forest welcomes

THE WALL THAT HEALS



The Wall That Heals, a replica of the Vietnam Veterans Memorial, is coming to E. Carroll Joyner Park, 701 Harris Road, Thursday–Sunday, Oct.

18–21. Free and open to the public, the exhibit, along with a mobile Education Center, will be available 24-hours-a-day beginning 8 a.m. Thursday, Oct. 18, through 2 p.m. Sunday, Oct. 21.

Welcoming Ceremony. Area residents are invited to The Wall’s official Welcoming Ceremony on Thursday, Oct. 18, at 4 p.m. The service will take place in the vicinity of The Wall exhibit, which will be situated in the grassy field adjacent to the Joyner Park visitor parking lot. One of the highlights of the

event promises to be a flyover by the Bandit Flight Team. The Bandits fly their aircraft to preserve the military Warbird heritage and as an opportunity to salute returning war veterans.

A Traveling Tribute. The Wall That Heals honors the more than three million Americans who served in the United States Armed Forces in the Vietnam War and bears the names of the more than 58,000 men and women who made the ultimate sacrifice in Vietnam.

Wake Forest will be among the first to host the new, larger exhibit, which includes a three-quarter scale Wall replica that is 375 feet in length and stands 7.5 feet high at its tallest point.

See *The Wall That Heals* on next page

Wake Forest Town Hall closed on Labor Day: Town hall and all administrative offices will be closed Monday, Sept. 3, for Labor Day. For a complete list of Town holidays and any changes to Town services, visit wakeforestnc.gov and search “holiday schedule.”

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News Highlights

Applications now accepted for participation in the Christmas Parade »

Applications for this year’s Wake Forest Christmas Parade are available online at wakeforestnc.gov (search “Christmas parade”) and at the Wake Forest Town Hall, 301 S. Brooks St.

Entries postmarked by Monday, Oct. 29, will be considered for inclusion based on the number of entries needed for each category. Accepted entrants will be notified by email no later than Monday, Nov. 5.

The parade is on Saturday, Dec. 8, at 1 p.m.

[Downtown Development Office](http://wakeforestnc.gov), 919-435-9416
lbeadle@wakeforestnc.gov



Good Neighbor Day is Sept 15 »

The Wake Forest Human Relations Council will sponsor the 13th Annual Good Neighbor Day on Saturday, Sept. 15. This free, family-friendly event is scheduled from 1-4 p.m. at E. Carroll Joyner Park, 701 Harris Road.

Good Neighbor Day assembles people from all walks of life for an afternoon of food, fun and family entertainment.

A special part of this year’s Good Neighbor Day will be the presentation of the “Good Neighbor of the Year” Award.

wakeforestnc.gov, search “good neighbor”





Cloud by Hanna Jubran is on display at the Smith Creek Soccer Center

2018-19 public art exhibits now open

The Wake Forest Public Art Commission has opened two temporary public art exhibits for 2018-19.

■ The **Wake Forest Outdoor Sculpture Exhibit** features seven three-dimensional works of art in publicly-accessible spaces including the Wake Forest Town Hall campus, the Wake Forest Renaissance Centre, Miller Park, Holding Park, Smith Creek Soccer Center and the Depot Parking Lot.

■ The **Spotlight on Local Artists** exhibit features four original paintings reproduced in large format and applied to local buildings in brick vinyl wrap. The buildings include the Wake Forest Renaissance Centre, Public Facilities Building, Flaherty Park Community Center and the Alston-Massenburg Center. The featured artists are Delphine Peller, Suzanne Hetzel, Sharron Parker and Denise Langlois.

Brochures highlighting the locations of the works are available at the Renaissance Centre and Wake Forest Town Hall.

🌐 wakeforestnc.gov, search "public art"



Learn ways to save at the Energy Expo

The Town of Wake Forest invites all residents to learn about energy and electric safety at the annual Energy Expo during Public Power Week.

The expo is scheduled for Thursday, Oct. 11, from 10 a.m.–3 p.m. and 6–7:30 p.m. at Wake Forest Town Hall.

Learn from hands-on demonstrations and see how energy is created. Learn how to make your home more energy efficient and save money on your electric bill. Wake Forest Power linemen will offer on-demand electric safety demonstrations in Centennial Plaza. Participants can register to win a variety of prizes.

🌐 wakeforestnc.gov, search "public power"

THE WALL THAT HEALS

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For the first time in the history of The Wall That Heals, visitors will be able to perform "name rubbings" of individual service member's names on The Wall.

Mobile Education Center. Additional educational exhibits will be offered in the mobile Education Center. See photo displays of "Hometown Heroes" — service members whose names are on The Wall that list their home of record within the area of a visit. Also see a chronological overview of the Vietnam War and maps of Vietnam.

The Wall That Heals is sponsored by the Purple Heart Foundation of Wake Forest and the Town of Wake Forest.



Movie Screening of the Play "Etchings in Stone"

The Wake Forest Renaissance Centre will host a free movie screening of the play *Etchings in Stone* by Ron Harris on Sunday, Oct. 14 at 6:30 p.m. The production is another step in helping Vietnam veterans

feel that they are not alone in their transition back to a normal life. The play addresses a number of veteran issues including post traumatic stress disorder, Agent Orange, friendly fire, survivor guilt and their treatment upon their return to civilian life.

🌐 wakeforestnc.gov, search "the wall that heals" and on Facebook, search "twth wake forest nc"

Wake Forest Unplugged & Concert in the Park scheduled for Sept. 2

Combining live music with good old-fashioned games, the Town of Wake Forest is offering back-to-back events on Sunday, Sept. 2, at E. Carroll Joyner Park, 701 Harris Road.



Wake Forest Unplugged

From 4-6 p.m., the Wake Forest Recreation Advisory Board will provide an array of organized games and activities as part of the ninth annual "Wake Forest Unplugged...Get Connected." This free, family-friendly event offers Wake Forest-area residents a unique opportunity to "disconnect" from their cell phones, computers and other electronic devices and "reconnect" with their community, friends and family by engaging in healthier, more active pursuits.

Concert in the Park

At 5 p.m. Ellis Dyson & The Shambles will take the stage at Joyner Park. Bursting with exuberance, the Shambles expertly blend old-time influences ranging from piedmont murder ballads to traditional jazz. Their playful hootin' and

hollerin' act is guaranteed to bring the ruckus.

The concert is presented by PineCone, the Piedmont Council of Traditional Music, and co-sponsored by the PRCR Department. The concert is also supported with funds from the United Arts Council of Raleigh and Wake County.

🌐 wakeforestnc.gov, search "concerts" and "unplugged"

2018 Christmas Historic Home Tour tickets go on sale Oct. 1

The Wake Forest Historic Preservation Commission (HPC) and the Wake Forest Woman's Club will present their biennial Christmas Historic Home Tour on Saturday, Dec. 1, from 1 to 7 p.m.

Offered only in even-numbered years, the Christmas Historic Home Tour is a self-guided tour featuring several Wake Forest homes and other properties decorated for the holidays and open for viewing.

National Night Out police event is Oct. 1

The Wake Forest Police Department invites residents to National Night Out on Monday, Oct. 1. The event will take place from 5-7:30 p.m. in the Renaissance Centre parking lot, 405 S. Brooks St.

The occasion promises something for everyone, including a DJ, food and special prizes, and fire, police, and EMS vehicle displays, along with a variety of booths highlighting crime prevention and safety.

Wake Forest Police officers will also be on hand distributing information on topics

such as vehicle security, home security and personal safety. The police department will also offer a K-9 demonstration and D.A.R.E. presentation and share information on Neighborhood Watch.

Although National Night Out is offered nationally on the first Tuesday in August, the WFPD schedules its event each year on the first Monday in October to take advantage of cooler temperatures.

☎ *Officer S. Graham, 919-761-3132,*
✉ *sgraham@wakeforestnc.gov*



Wake Forest Dance Festival returns to Joyner Park



Presented by ARTS Wake Forest, the Wake Forest Dance Festival will bring a day of dance to the Triangle in a spectacular outdoor setting. Free and open to the public, this family-friendly event will take place on Saturday, Sept. 29, 2018, at E. Carroll Joyner Park, 701 Harris Road.

The event will feature national and regional professional dancers from the Wake Forest dance community and beyond, along with local rising advanced dance performers.

The 2018 Wake Forest Dance Festival will pay tribute to the American Dance Festival (ADF), based in Durham, NC.

The Wake Forest Dance Festival will begin with an educational Technical Rehearsal at 9:30 a.m., followed by Tour in Motion from 1-4 p.m. and will culminate with a staged performance from 5-6:30 p.m.

🌐 *wakeforestnc.gov, search "dance festival",*
Pamela Stevens, ✉ pamelastevens313@yahoo.com

Tickets go on sale Monday, Oct. 1, for \$20 (price includes tax). Tickets will be available for purchase online at wakeforestnc.gov/christmashometour.aspx and in person at Wake Forest Town Hall. Several downtown businesses will also be selling tickets – please check the

website for a list of locations.

Tickets are limited to a total of 2,000. Tickets must be purchased in advance. No tickets will be sold on the day of the tour.

🌐 *wakeforestnc.gov, search "historic home tour",*
Senior Planner Michelle Michael ☎ 919-435-9516 ✉ mmichael@wakeforestnc.gov

DOWNTOWN

Friday Night on White series concludes Sept. 14



The Town of Wake Forest's outdoor music series will end the season on Sept. 14 with a performance by the band Crush.

Presented by White Street Brewing Co., Friday Night on White takes place along South White Street from 6-9 p.m. Admission is free.

No outside coolers are permitted during Friday Night on White, but beer and wine are available for purchase. All transactions for beer and wine sales are with White Street Brewing Co. tokens.



🌐 *wakeforestnc.gov, search "friday night"*

Music at Midday returns in September

Residents are invited to enjoy great music during the lunch hour at the Music at Midday weekly concert series.

Presented by ARTS Wake Forest and the PRCR Department, the free music series begins Thursday, Sept. 6, and continues on consecutive Thursdays through Sept. 27. Scheduled from noon to 1 p.m., the concerts will feature a variety of local performers and take place in Centennial Plaza, the gateway to town hall. Picnics are encouraged!

🌐 *wakeforestnc.gov, search "music at midday"*

Father-Daughter Dance

Celebrate the special bond that fathers and daughters share with an evening of fun at the Wake Forest Community House. Scheduled for Friday, Sept. 14, the evening includes music, entertainment and heavy refreshments. Tickets: \$20/couple (residents) or \$35/couple (non-residents). Pre-registration required.

🌐 *wakeforestnc.recdesk.com, ☎ PRCR Department, 919-435-9560*

Trung Thu Moon Festival

Sept 8 ■ 5:30-9 p.m. Tet Trung Thu, as it is known in Vietnam, or the Mid-Autumn Moon festival as we refer to it in America, is one of the two most important festivals in the Vietnamese culture. At the festival families will enjoy learning about the Vietnamese culture through music, stories, dance, arts & crafts and food. The event will conclude with a children's lantern promenade. *Tickets: \$8 adults, \$6 seniors & children under 12 plus tax.*

Crimes of the Heart

Sept 14-23 ■ Presented by Forest Moon Theater. Three sisters in a small Mississippi town await news from the hospital where their grandfather lives out his last hours. Each woman has experienced failure of a different kind, each hurt, yet each finds her own path to a promising new beginning. Written by Beth Henley. Produced by special arrangement with Dramatists Play Service, Inc. *Advance Tickets: \$15 adult; \$13 student/senior; Day Of: \$18 adult, \$16 student/senior.*

Neck of the Woods

Oct 12 ■ 7 p.m. A variety performance series that features emerging local artists. An evening may consist of several performance arts acts. Each show is different and may include actors, dancers, musicians, comedians, writers and spoken word artists. Presented by ARTS Wake Forest. *Tickets: \$5.*



Biscuit

Oct 19 ■ 11 a.m. & 6:30 p.m. Young readers and their families will have the opportunity to witness the popular children's book *Biscuit* come to life on stage through the talent of ArtsPower National Touring Theatre. Based on the iconic series of books by Alyssa Satin Capucilli and illustrator Pat Schories, this popular musical features a frolicking little puppy who loves exploring, making new friends, and even stirring up some mischief. *Tickets: \$12.*

Lit Fest

Oct 19-20 ■ Page 158 Books and the Renaissance Centre have joined forces to launch an immersive cultural experience for all ages. Lit Fest will feature best-selling authors from many different genres discussing their work, while also offering a variety of thought-provoking workshops, readings, and other activities in a friendly and informal setting. See website for workshop schedule and prices.

wakeforestrencen.org Renaissance Centre Box Office, 919-435-9458



The Magic Pipers Band will kick off Rockin' the Forest at the Renaissance Centre.

ROCKIN' THE FOREST

Concert series keeps the party going through fall and winter

The popular Friday Night on White series wraps up for the season in September — but take note, we're moving the party indoors for the fall and winter months.

The Rockin' the Forest concert series features several of your favorite bands performing in the newly upgraded Renaissance Centre for the Arts, 405 S. Brooks St. Tickets are \$10 per concert. The bar will be open for wine, beer and other refreshment purchases.

Oct 26 – Magic Pipers Band. The Magic Pipers Band is an energetic three-piece band that plays a variety of beach, funk, r&b and rock and roll.

Dec 28 – Jim Quick & Coastline. Jim Quick & Coastline truly define the sound of historical Southern music – from hard driving Carlina back beats, to Georgia southern rock, from Cajun inspired grooves, to Texas and Delta blues.



Jan 18 – The Legacy Motown Review. The Legacy Motown Review pays tribute to the legendary icons of Motown. Backed by a horn band, the four talented performers dance, sing and transport you back to one of the most influential periods of musical history.

Feb 22 – Big Love. Big Love is a six-piece dance band based out of Raleigh. They play a variety of great music that gets people moving, from the classics to current hits including jazz, disco, pop, funk, R&B, and beach.

Mar 15 – The Catalinas. The Catalinas are an American beach music band from the late 1950s. Their classic song "Summertime's Callin' Me" was originally recorded in 1975 and continues to be played by bands and DJs all over the world.

wakeforestrencen.org Renaissance Centre Box Office, 919-435-9458

LimeBike Stats: July 2018

The Town of Wake Forest's bike-share program has gotten off to a great start! To learn how to catch a ride on one of the bright green bikes, visit wakeforestnc.gov and search "bike share".

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COMMUNICATIONS

Residents encouraged to use “SeeClickFix”

In 2014 the Town of Wake Forest introduced “SeeClickFix” as a simple, yet effective way for residents to report quality of life, non-emergency issues. Since then, the Town has addressed hundreds of citizens’ concerns, ranging from damaged sidewalks and potholes to graffiti and malfunctioning traffic signals.

Wake Forest’s SeeClickFix website is available at wakeforestnc.gov/report-a-problem.aspx, while the mobile platform is offered as a function on the Town app.

Once the resident submits an issue, the reporter, the Town, and anyone “watching” the area receives an alert. The Town then acknowledges the service request, routes it to the proper department, and updates the request once it’s been resolved.

Administrative Specialist Betty Pearce, 919-435-9570 ✉ bpearce@wakeforestnc.gov, Town app: wakeforestnc.gov, search “app”

PARKS, RECREATION & CULTURAL RESOURCES

PRCR implements new fee schedule

The Parks, Recreation & Cultural Resources Department has implemented a new program fee schedule for both Wake Forest residents and non-Wake Forest residents. The new schedule will include a variety of discounts, including resident, military, multiple child and non-profit.

As part of the new fee schedule, youth athletics fees for Wake Forest residents will increase from \$40 to \$60, while the cost for non-Wake Forest residents will increase from \$80 to \$100. Wake Forest residents who have more than one child participating in a PRCR program will receive the multiple child discount.

Fees for classes will also be affected. These fees vary but are listed in the current edition of *RecConnect* — the PRCR Department’s program guide. Updated fees are also included in the class descriptions provided in the RecDesk online registration system.

A new rental fee schedule will take effect Jan. 1, 2019.

wakeforestnc.gov, search “registration information”, PRCR Director Ruben Wall, ✉ rwall@wakeforestnc.gov

COMMUNITY DEVELOPMENT

Wake Forest celebrates 10 years of bus service

July marked the 10th anniversary of transit service in Wake Forest, and town officials are marking the occasion by reminding area residents of the benefits of riding the bus.

Transit service officially began in Wake Forest on July 21, 2008, giving residents the opportunity to ride a weekday rush-hour express from Wake Forest to downtown Raleigh and use a local circulator service that provides access to grocery stores and shopping.

Bus park and ride lot has moved

Formerly situated at the southwest corner of White Street and Elm Avenue, the park and ride lot has been temporarily relocated to the former SunTrust Bank parking lot on the opposite corner of White and Elm. The relocation is necessary due to the pending construction of Power House Row, a mixed-use building. A permanent park and ride location will be announced soon.

wakeforestnc.gov, search “bus service”

ADVISORY BOARDS

Apply now to serve on Town's advisory boards

Make a difference in our community by serving on an advisory board. The following Town advisory boards will have available seats in 2019: Cemetery, Cultural Resources, Design Review, Greenways, Historic Preservation, Human Relations, Planning, Public Art, Recreation, Senior Center, Technology, Urban Forestry Board and the Board of Adjustment. Only citizens that reside in the Town's corporate limits (extraterritorial jurisdiction) are eligible for the Historic Preservation Commission, Planning Board and Board of Adjustment openings.

To be considered for the upcoming year, please submit an application by Friday, Oct. 12.

Applications are available at wakeforestnc.gov (search "advisory boards") and at Wake Forest Town Hall, 301 S. Brooks St.

📧 wakeforestnc.gov, search "advisory boards", Executive Assistant Cathi Pope, ☎ 919-435-9467, ✉ cpope@wakeforestnc.gov

PUBLIC WORKS

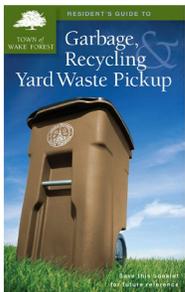
Residents & businesses urged to follow solid waste guidelines

In recent weeks, Town officials have noted the repeated failure of numerous residents and businesses to adhere to the code of ordinances regarding solid waste. As a result, officials wish to remind residents and business owners of the following guidelines:

- **Residential Sanitation Service.** The Town of Wake Forest provides mandatory residential sanitation service for single-family dwellings (up to four total units) that have private driveways. The service includes one rollout garbage cart, one rollout recycling cart and weekly collection service.
- **Commercial Service.** All multi-family residential (greater than four units total), office, institutional, educational, commercial and industrial uses shall have refuse collection through a dumpster system and may contract with any commercial service provider. Rollout garbage and recycling carts are intended for households only.
- **Positioning Your Carts at the Curb.** Only rollout carts properly positioned along the right-of-way are eligible for curbside collection service. When setting your carts out for collection, please remember the following: place your cart at the curb before 7 a.m. on your scheduled pickup day; rollout carts must be rolled out to the right-of-way with the arrows facing out to the street; leave four feet of space between the garbage and recycling carts so the truck's mechanical "arm" can grip each cart. Carts should also be at least four feet away from power poles, mailboxes, fire hydrants, trees and cars.
- **Bag Your Garbage, Not Your Recycling.** Town ordinance requires that trash be bagged before being placed in the cart. This prevents flyaway litter as the cart is emptied into the truck. Also, do not place bags or boxes of garbage on the ground. Bags and/or boxes of trash left beside the rollout cart will not be serviced. Recyclables should be placed loosely in your recycling rollout cart.

📧 wakeforestnc.gov, search "sanitation" and "code of ordinances", Public Works ☎ 919-435-9570

Download the *Residents Guide to Garbage, Recycling & Yard Waste Pickup* at wakeforestnc.gov, search "sanitation" or request a copy by calling 919-435-9570.



Northern Wake Fire Auxiliary

Has a colorful schedule of events ahead!

Pig Cooker Raffle: Aug. 1st – Dec. 1st

Fall Pumpkin Patch: October 13th – 31st

The Holly Jolly Market: December 1st

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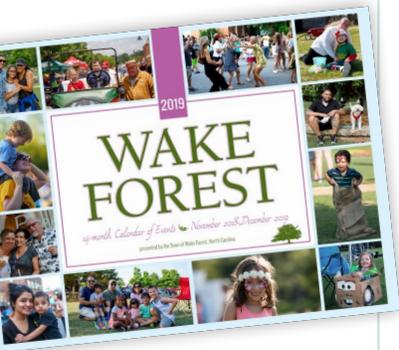
CHEVROLET

Loose leaf collection resumes in October

The Town's loose leaf collection service begins Monday, Oct. 1, and continues through Friday, March 8, 2019. During this period, vacuum trucks pick up loose leaf piles weekly at every Wake Forest residence.

When preparing leaves for collection, residents are urged to place leaves behind the curb, not in the street or gutter, so they do not interfere with traffic or drainage. Do not mix sticks, rocks, pine cones, limbs or other debris with loose leaves.

☞ wakeforestnc.gov, search "leaf collection"



Town's 2019 wall calendar available in mid-September

Pick up your free Wake Forest wall calendar at Good Neighbor Day on Saturday, Sept. 15 or at Wake Forest Town Hall beginning Monday, Sept. 17.

Fall foliage tours offered in October



Residents are invited to enjoy the vibrant colors of autumn while also learning about native trees during two fall foliage tours Wednesday, Oct. 24, at E. Carroll Joyner Park.

The Town of Wake Forest will offer the free, one-hour tour at 10 a.m. and again at 2 p.m. In the event of rain, the tours will be rescheduled for Friday, Oct. 26.

Parents and children are welcome and no registration is required. Please meet at the information kiosk located near the Joyner Park parking lot. ☎ 919-435-9560

Halloween Spooktacular

TRICKS & TREATS

The Parks, Recreation & Cultural Resources Department will host its annual Halloween Spooktacular on Thursday, Oct. 25, from 4:30 to 8:30 p.m. at the Flaherty Park Community Center, 1226 N. White St.

Presented by Champion Windows and Tuscan Ridge Animal Hospital, this year's event will include a costume contest, face painting, a haunted maze and cupcake walk, along with a variety of other ghostly games



and activities. Free pumpkins will be given away while supplies last. Admission to the event is free.

Thank you to our Spooktacular sponsors!

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Trick-or-treating is always on Oct. 31

In Wake Forest trick-or-treating always occurs on Oct. 31 regardless of the day of the week Halloween falls on – this year it's on a Wednesday. The Wake Forest Police Department encourages trick-or-treating between 6-8 p.m. and reminds parents to make sure their little ghosts and goblins observe all safety precautions.

BOARD OF COMMISSIONERS MEETINGS

Third Tuesday | 7 p.m.
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BOARD OF COMMISSIONERS WORK SESSION

First Tuesday | 5:30 p.m. .
Town Hall Board Room

PLANNING BOARD MEETINGS

First Tuesday | 7:30 p.m.
Town Hall Board Room

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