



Garden Spot News



SEPT & OCT 2022

Town of Rural Hall

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Please stay tuned to our social media, website, email alerts, and future publications for events, update, cancellations, etc.

"Don't wait for someone to bring you flowers. Plant your own garden and decorate your own soul."

—Luther Burbank

Veteran and Military Banners Available

The Town of Rural Hall would like to honor and remember our veterans and military with double-sided pole banners hung throughout Town in November. Banners are available to purchase to those living within the Rural Hall Town limits.

Cost for a banner is \$12.50. All banners will be available for pickup once removed. **All banners are sold on a first come, first service basis due to limited pole availability. Banner purchases will not be confirmed until payment has been received.** A waitlist will be maintained should the maximum purchases be exceeded.

Banners will be placed on poles within the town limits of Rural Hall as determined by Town staff. Only one banner per veteran will be placed on a pole.

If you would like to honor or remember a member of the military or veteran, please email the following by **3:00PM on Friday, October 7** to townclerk@ruralhall.com. An email will be sent to confirm your information was received. **Banner purchases will not be confirmed until the purchaser's address is verified, and all information and payment have been received.**

- * A photo of the veteran or member of the military
- * Veteran or member of the military's first and last name
- * Veteran or member of the military's branch of service
- * Their rank and dates served
- * Purchaser's name, address, telephone number, and email address



Payment of \$12.50 must be received by 3:00PM on Friday, October 7. Payment can be made as follows:

Cash or check placed in the drop box at Town Hall (located to the right of the front door)

Credit card by calling Town Hall at 336-969-6856 (transaction fee included)

Check or money order mailed to the Town of Rural Hall, P.O. Box 549, Rural Hall, NC 27045

Concert at The Hall

We are looking forward to our Concert at The Hall on September 24 from 5:30-7:30pm! Come join us for great live music, featuring the band Vandergrift as well as some wonderful Food Trucks.



Wet & Wild Summer Splash!

We had a great time at our Wet & Wild Summer Splash event on August 12! Thank you to our RHFD & Public Works Dept. and volunteers!



Town of Rural Hall Solid Waste Collections Policy

The Town's Solid Waste Collections Policy can be found at <https://www.ruralhall.com/wp-content/uploads/2021/04/Solid-Waste-collections-.pdf>.

This policy address all Town pickup services, including yard waste, brush and limbs, bulk items, solid waste, and recycling.

Here are a few key items from the policy:

All items for pickup must be placed at the edge of the property, away from obstacles, by 7AM on the day of collection.

Individual piles of brush and limbs should not be stacked wider or higher than 5 feet, with a minimum of 24 inches between piles.

No limbs or trimmings should exceed six (6) inches in diameter or ten (10) feet in length.

Small pitchfork size piles of sticks, twigs, and trimmings should be placed in a yard waste cart for pickup.

No stumps or root balls will be picked up.

Yard waste carts are to be purchased from the Town of Rural Hall.

After carts (garbage, recycling, and yard waste) are emptied, carts are to be removed from the curb or street by midnight or be subject to a penalty per the Town's most current Fee Schedule as adopted by the Town Council. The fee schedule can be viewed at [6 Fee Schedule FY22-23.xlsx \(ruralhall.com\)](#) **Important Garbage & Recycling Reporting Information**

Residents can direct garbage and recycling issues **directly to Waste Management**. This includes missed service, and cart/lid replacements or repairs. We hope this will allow issues to be reported and taken care of without delay, and ultimately be a better service for our residents. If you do not receive a timely response from Waste Management, please contact Town Hall and we help . Or contact Town offices if you prefer we help you.

How to report issues to Waste Manage:

- * **Call 336-723-2784 (choose Option 1)**
- * **Email WinstnOp@wm.com**

Please provide the following information:

- * Name
- * Address
- * Nature of Request/Complaint



Waste Management Recycling

*Recycling Dates Highlighted Below
Recycling every other Tuesday
Garbage every Tuesday*

September 2022						
S	M	T	W	T	F	S
				1	2	3
4	5	6	7	8	9	10
11	12	13	14	15	16	17
18	19	20	21	22	23	24
25	26	27	28	29	30	

October 2022						
S	M	T	W	T	F	S
						1
2	3	4	5	6	7	8
9	10	11	12	13	14	15
16	17	18	19	20	21	22
23	24	25	26	27	28	29
30	31					

Celebrating Deputy Chief, Eddie Bottoms of the Rural Hall Fire Dept.



Deputy Chief, Eddie Bottoms of the Rural Hall Fire Department, has served the Rural Hall community in some capacity with the RHFD for 33 years. Deputy Chief Bottoms will be embarking on a new chapter of life as the full-time Fire Chief for Walkertown Fire Department starting in September. Not only has he served the Town and community of Rural Hall, but Eddie has also been a friend and mentor to the Town and RHFD staff. He has helped and encouraged them for the past 33 years and brought a wealth of knowledge and expertise to the department. This knowledge and love for the community will continue at RHFD. His commitment to fire service and helping others is unparalleled and the impact Eddie has had on the staff and community will never be forgotten. We wish Eddie the very best in his new opportunity and thank him for over three decades of dedication and commitment to the Rural Hall Fire Department and community.



Town Flag Program

Flags can be purchased at the Town of Rural Hall for \$20 in memory or honor of someone or a group.



Recent Flag Purchases

In Memory Of:
Doug Hendrix
BY
Brenda Hendrix

In Memory Of:
Darinda Johnson
By
Meredith, Ellen & Ty McIntosh

In Honor Of:
Wayne & Patty Johnson
By
Meredith, Ellen & Ty McIntosh

LEAF PICKUP

Leaf pickup service begins on **Tuesday, October 18** and will be **weekly on Tuesday** (weather permitting) until the volume of leaves increases. Public Works will make at least one trip around town limits per week. During peak season, Public Works may make additional pickups as time allows. Please follow these guidelines when placing leaves at the curb:

- Leaves should be raked to the **edge of the street**— NOT in the street, onto the sidewalk, or in the curb.
- Do not bag leaves.
- Do not mix debris in the leaves, such as brush, limbs, rocks, trash, etc.



There is no need to call when you have leaves at the curb. Public Works will service them as soon as they are able.

Rural Hall Branch Library

Library Hours
Monday - Wednesday: 10 AM – 7 PM
Thursdays and Fridays: 10 AM – 5 PM
Saturdays: New Hours 10 AM – 5 PM



Rural Hall Library To-Go Schedule
Monday - Wednesday: 10 AM – 7 PM
Thursdays and Fridays: 10 AM – 6 PM
Saturdays: New Hours 10 AM – 5 PM

<https://www.forsyth.cc/library/article.aspx?NewsID=25461>

Council & Staff

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Town Clerk
Wade Gilley, Jr.
Finance Director
Donna K. Watson
Administrative Assistant

Dawn Tysor
LPA Supervisor
Jonathan Collins
Title Clerk
Lisa Lane
Title Clerk
Shykerria Moore
Title Clerk

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Dalton Pendry
Maintenance Tech II
Brian Jobe
Maintenance Tech I

Mike Simone
Fire Chief
Ryan Hooker
Fire Captain
Josh Joyce
Fire Captain
Josh Wright
Fire Captain
Ryan Key
Career Firefighter
Thomas Mabe
Career Firefighter

Chris Nowlin
Career Firefighter
Chad Stevens
Swing Shift Firefighter
Mark Thorpe
Swing Shift Firefighter

Steve May
Code Enforcement

Michael Collins
Town Deputy
Trent Thornton
Town Deputy

RURAL HALL GARDEN SPOT OF THE WORLD CLUB:

If you are interested in becoming a member of the Rural Hall Garden Spot of the World Club, please email ruralhallgardenclub@gmail.com or visit the Rural Hall Garden Club Facebook page.

Yard of the Month – July 2022

Derek & Robin Edwards—7765 Broad Street

Yard of the Month – August 2022

Robert & Shirley Dockery 532 Heatherton Lane



Congratulations to the Senior Ball team members The Bombers, for making national news with their team. The Bombers are age 80+ and play every Monday night at Covington Park at 6:30pm, weather permitting. Stop by and check them out!

A Message from the Rural Hall Historic Train Depot & Railroad Museum



The Depot is excited to announce that Tom Perry-historian and author, will be attending the **OPEN HOUSE on Saturday, September 10, 1:00-4:00pm.** Author of *A Dinky Railroad*, Perry spent two years searching the woods and trails to document the history of the “Dinky”, a narrow gauge railway that ran from Mount Airy, NC to Kibler Valley in Patrick County, VA, and operated from 1899 until 1924. Perry has also researched and written books relating to Civil War in Southwestern VA, Confederate General J.E.B Stuart, Andy Griffith, Mayberry, and the regional history of Virginia. Don’t miss an exciting opportunity to speak with Tom Perry and learn about his fascinating research projects, as well as his journey to find a non-existent railroad. Admission is free; donations greatly appreciated. Stay tuned to their Facebook page at <https://www.facebook.com/ruralhalldepot> for more details. Thank you and see you at the Depot soon!

Flat & Fast Rural Hall 5K/10K

October 29, 2022

This is the 15th running of this event and as usual all race proceeds benefit the Rural Hall Elementary School. Both the 5K & 10K are USA Track & Field certified with a fun start and chip timing for accurate results. The 10K will start at 8:00am followed by the 5K at 8:15am, to allow couples or friends to arrive together and run the same or different race. Our 5K is perfect for younger runners or walkers wanting to support the school, families including jogging strollers, injured runners or as a recovery race after a tougher summer ordeal due to it’s a totally FLAT 5K course! Our 10K is a bit more challenging with three hills and the front end of the course, but still relatively flat for this area and boast some of the best 10K time that many of our runners have accomplished to date!

Location: Mayflower Seafood Restaurant (665 Montroyal Road)

For more information & to sign up, please visit:

[Flat & Fast Rural Hall 5K 10K \(runsignup.com\)](https://www.runsignup.com)

RURAL HALL AREA BUSINESS ASSOCIATION:

September 2022 RHABA Meeting Details:

Date & Time: Tuesday, September 20, 2022, at 12:30 PM

Location: Mayflower Seafood Restaurant (665 Montroyal Road)

Details: Officer Moultrie- “Accident Preventions”

October 2022 RHABA Meeting Details:

Date & Time: Tuesday, October 18, 2022, at 12:30 PM

Location: Mayflower Seafood Restaurant (665 Montroyal Road)

Details: Steve Hill– Race Sponsor Update & Final Volunteer Needs

Rural Hall Elementary School News



Rural Hall Elementary School has a community library box. You are invited to take a book and share a book. The library box is located on the grounds by the main school entrance at 275 College Street.

National Night Out

Our National Night Out on August 2nd was a great success. This event is held annually to raise awareness to crime prevention, and positive relations with local law enforcement. Thank you to all who contributed and volunteered! We are still in need of volunteers to help with Community Watch.



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RETURN SERVICE REQUESTED

FORSYTH COUNTY BOARD OF ELECTIONS
ONE-STOP EARLY VOTING SCHEDULE
NOVEMBER 8, 2022 – GENERAL ELECTION

Dates and Times

Thursday - Friday	Oct. 20-21	8:00 a.m. - 7:30 p.m.
Monday - Friday	Oct. 24-28	8:00 a.m. - 7:30 p.m.
Saturday	Oct. 29	8:00 a.m. - 3:00 p.m.
Sunday	Oct. 30	12:00 p.m. - 4:00 p.m.
Monday - Friday	Oct. 31 - Nov. 4	8:00 a.m. - 7:30 p.m.
Saturday	Nov. 5	8:00 a.m. - 3:00 p.m.

Locations

Brown & Douglas Community Center 4725 Indiana Avenue-Winston Salem	Miller Park Recreation Center 400 Leisure Lane-Winston Salem
Clemmons Branch Library 6365 James Street-Clemmons	Old Town Recreation Center 4500 Shattalon Drive-Winston Salem
Forsyth County Government Center 201 N. Chestnut Street-Winston Salem	Rural Hall Branch Library 7125 Broad Street- Rural Hall
Kernersville (Paddison Memorial) Library 248 Harmon Lane-Kernersville	Southside Branch Library 3185 Buchanan Street-Winston Salem
Lewisville Branch Library 6490 Shallowford Road-Lewisville	Winston First Assembly of God 3730 University Parkway-Winston Salem
Mazie Woodruff Center 4905 Lansing Drive-Winston Salem	WSSU- Anderson Center 1545 Reynolds Park Road-Winston Salem




Lifespan News: On August 19th, Students K-12 received backpacks with supplies. They enjoyed cool snowball treats, RHFD education and music. Many thanks to the sponsors. The Lifespan Board of Directors, Rural Hall National Women of Achievement and the Lilly Network. There were some bags left that will be donated to local schools. In September, Lifespan Youth will be preparing for items to submit as an exhibitor for the Carolina Fair in October.

Community Calendar

September 5: Labor Day, Offices Closed
September 2: Food Truck Friday– 5:00pm
 Town Fork Mobile Kitchen & Snickety Snacks
September 13: Food Truck Tuesday– 11:30am
 Kona Ice & El Taco Vaquero
September 24: Concert at The Hall –5:30-7:30pm
October 7: Food Truck Friday-5:00pm
 Bearded BBQ & Frios
October 11: Food Truck Tuesday– 11:30am
 Soul to Bowl & Snickety Snacks
October 31: Hall-O-Ween– 6:00-9:00pm
 Broad Street (street closed) more info to come

Mark Your Calendar...
December 1: Town Hall Christmas Tree Lighting 6:00pm
December 4: Rural Hall Christmas Parade– 2:00pm

St Andrews Presbyterian Church

Trunk or Treat Time-TBD
 Thursday, October 27, 2022

