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Pineville

Today

NOVEMBER • DECEMBER 2018

Season's Greetings & Happy New Year

Pineville Town News

What's Happening?

The long, hot summer has finally ended and the cooler temps are a sure sign of what's ahead. Another holiday season is upon us and before we know it, another year will have gone by.

The first house in the long-awaited Chadwick Park development by David Weekely, has been completed and the first set of townhomes almost complete. The signs are up, the Sales Office is getting ready to open for business and it will be no time at all before new residents start to move in. It won't be long before the new townhome development on the corner of Main St. and Cranford Dr. and the new single-family development behind Traditions break ground on their projects.

Look for a new Mercedes Dealership in the future. The current dealership would like to expand. A larger piece of property was purchased across the street allowing for an even bigger and better Mercedes experience. There's nothing new to report on either the mill project or corner property of the old police lot. We are in a holding pattern for now and because of this, the town has decided to move the Tree Lighting Event to Lake Park this year. Santa will be back in town in December so be sure to catch him at the Tree Lighting or have Breakfast with him or both! And of course he'll be riding through town Christmas Eve morning – be sure to read on to get all the details!

To our all our residents and businesses, we wish you a very Happy Holiday Season and the very Best Wishes for a Prosperous and Healthy 2019!

Season's Greetings

So once in every year we throng
Upon a day apart,
To praise the Lord with feast and song
In thankfulness of heart.

- Arthur Guiterman,
The First Thanksgiving



Christmas is forever,
not for just one day,
for loving, sharing, giving,
are not to put away
like bells and lights and tinsel,
in some box upon a shelf.

The good you do for others is good you do yourself...
- Norman Wesley Brooks (1923-2002)
Let Every Day Be Christmas (1976)



A New Year's resolution is something that goes in one year and out the other.

- Executive's Treasury of Humor for Every Occasion by William R. Jenler, 1965
Restatement of a 1953 J. Harry Thompson quote

HOLIDAY SCHEDULE

HOLIDAY CLOSINGS: Town offices will be closed on Monday, November 12, 2018 in observance of VETERAN'S DAY.



Offices will re-open on Tuesday at 8am.

Town offices will also be closed for the THANKSGIVING Holiday on Thursday and Friday, November 22nd and 23rd. Offices will open at 8am on Monday, November 26, 2018.



THERE IS NO CHANGE TO THE TRASH PICKUP SCHEDULE. IT WILL REMAIN ON WEDNESDAY, NOVEMBER 21ST.

Town offices will be closing early on Friday December 21, 2018 and will remain closed through Wednesday, Dec. 26th

to celebrate the CHRISTMAS HOLIDAY. TRASH and RECYCLING pickup will be on Thursday, Dec. 27th and town offices will reopen at 8:00 a.m

Finally, town offices will be closed on Tuesday, January 1, 2019 to celebrate the NEW YEAR. Trash will be delayed by one day and picked up on Thursday, Jan. 3, 2019.



A new TRASH/RECYCLE PICKUP SCHEDULE for 2019 will be published in the Jan/Feb issue of Pineville Today and posted online at www.pinevilenc.gov by the first week in January.

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MECKLENBURG COUNTY NEWS



STORM WATER NEWS

Many of us have a stream in our neighborhood or backyard. If not, then you typically cross over at least one stream on your way to work or to the grocery store. Charlotte-Mecklenburg Storm Water Services (CMSWS) staff has many ways to monitor these streams, which include; field work, creek cameras, and automated monitoring systems. However, with 3,000 miles of streams throughout the county, it can be difficult for CMSWS to have eyes on every inch of this water resource. CMSWS relies heavily on citizens to report potential water quality issues. For example, if a citizen notices an orange creek, they should report this immediately. The cause of this is typically a water main break or failing erosion control measures from a construction site. If this situation isn't investigated in a timely manner, the excess sediment can deplete dissolved oxygen in the streams which can be harmful to aquatic life. Citizens can use our WaterWatchers app, call 3-1-1 or even contact us through social media to report issues. CMSWS staff is available 24-hours a day to respond to calls. Help be the solution to water pollution.

SENIOR NEWS

The menu for a happy and successful life after 60 includes food, fun and fellowship with others.

THE SENIOR CITIZENS NUTRITION PROGRAM, (SCNP) OFFERS A NUTRITIONALLY BALANCED MEAL DAILY!

We offer a variety of choices to satisfy everyone's palatable pleasure. Items on the menu include trips, socializing with friends and neighbors, exercise, nutrition education programs, arts and crafts and Senior Games.

**Come join us at the Belle Johnston Center,
1000 Johnston Drive • Pineville, NC 28134**

**Monday-Friday from 9am to 2pm.
Check us out and let's do lunch!**

*For more information about the program call
Shelia Douglas at 704-889-7444.*

*This is one of the many programs that Mecklenburg County
Department of Social Services
offers senior adults throughout the community.*

*Not all of us can do great things. But we can do small things with great love.
-Mother Teresa*

Attention Pineville Residents and Business Owners
We're kicking off our **5TH Annual FOOD DRIVE** November 1st!

PINEVILLE COMMUNICATION SYSTEMS AND PINEVILLE ELECTRIC COMPANY

needs your help to beat last years collection total of 440lbs of non-perishable food items for our local neighbors here in Pineville. We need your help to reach our goal of 500lbs! This year we have added two drop off locations in addition to our office to include: The Belle Johnston Community Center & Pineville Town Hall.

Collecting Donations

NOVEMBER 1ST - DECEMBER 31ST



(704) 889-2001

All donations will be turned over to Pineville Neighbors Place which serves Pineville residents.

Parks & Recreation

ATTENTION PINEVILLE RESIDENTS:

If you live within the city limits of Pineville and pay your taxes to Pineville, then you may use the Belle Johnston Community Center for FREE (fitness equipment, track, and basketball court). But first you need to get your resident card made. We will need proof of residency in the form of a photo ID with current address and a recent bill (ex. gas, electric, telephone). You will have to renew your card every year.

happy healthy holidays!

This holiday season, make it a point to indulge...in healthy living. It's a great way to connect with the pleasures of the season. And there is so much to enjoy - time with friends and family, the smiles that being active brings, and let's not forget the wonderful food! So say goodbye to holiday guilt and hello to healthy indulgences.

Pineville Parks and Recreation offers citizens endless opportunities to achieve your fitness and wellness goals at our indoor/outdoor walking tracks, playgrounds, gym, fitness classes, athletic fields, and more. For more information on our health and fitness opportunities check out our website www.townofpineville.gov or call 704-889-2400.

PPR HOLIDAY HEALTH TIPS: Enjoy your "must-have" treats. Be choosy. What foods do you really enjoy? Promise yourself that you will have a few favorites over the holidays and aim to make healthy choices the rest of the time. Be active for 30 minutes a day. More is better! Remember, every 10 minutes counts. Plan to be active every day. You will feel marvelous! Curb your hunger before a party. Eat a small, healthy snack an hour before a party. Try plain yogurt with cut-up fruit. You'll find it easier to make healthy choices if you're not too hungry.

FITNESS EQUIPMENT & INDOOR WALKING TRACK HOURS:

Attention: We will be opening at 6:00am on Mondays, Wednesdays & Fridays during the cold Winter Months (November - March) Too cold to walk outside? Come in the Community Center to use our tread mills or indoor track. Come in and check out our updated weight room!

Mon./Wed./Fri. 6:00am - 9:45pm · Tue./Thur./ 8:00am - 9:45pm

Sat. 8:00am-5:45pm · Sun. 1:00pm-5:45pm

OPEN GYM

Residents may bring guests during open gym hours (check website or call community center). The fee is \$5.00 per guest. Residents are responsible for the conduct of their guests and will be disciplined according to previously established park guidelines. Our Group Fitness classes are a great way to get a work out in while meeting new people.

CARDIO FUNK WITH LEM HOUSTON!

Where: Belle Johnston Community Center Gym

When: Tuesdays from 6:30pm - 7:30pm

Cost: \$5 drop-in

When in Doubt, Shake it out!!! Cardio Funk is a high energy Hip Hop dance fitness class that is mixed with a lot of Funk. What's better than getting fit and having a great time? Cardio Funk will bring out the dancer in you with its easy to learn dance moves. Within minutes of dancing, you will feel yourself laughing and having tons of fun. This class is a great way to move your body in ways you have never done before. It's more than a workout; it's an experience of a lifetime. Cardio Funk is a cardiovascular fitness class that also tones and firms your muscles. It will target areas such as the lower body, upper body, and core. You will have such a great time dancing that you will not realize you are working out. With this class, you will get easy to learn choreographed dances, a combination of fun music, and an enjoyable atmosphere. No dancing experience is required. My favorite slogan is "When in doubt, shake it out. If you don't get it, make it up". So if you love to dance and have fun, come join us for a Funky Good Time!

SILVER SNEAKERS

CLASSES TAKE PLACE AT THE HUT · 413 Johnston Drive, Pineville

Silver Sneakers and Silver & Fit Members are Free; non-members can pay \$5/class. Contact Lorraine Haynes at 678-575-0152

Mondays	Tuesdays	Wednesdays	Thursdays
9:15 Strength/Balance	9:30 Strength/Balance	9:15 Strength/Balance	9:30 Strength/Balance
10:00 Stretch	10:20 Cardio	10:00 Stretch	10:20 Cardio
11:00 Zumba Gold	11:10 Stretch	11:00 Zumba Gold	



PINEVILLE'S BOOTCAMP

Our 55-minute sessions include a dynamic warm-up, workout, metabolic meltdown finisher, then a cool-down, and stretching period. This program has been proven to be the most effective training time for fat loss and building strength for men and women. Each participant works out at their

own pace within the group. Pineville's Bootcamp instructor, Audrey Patton is a nationally certified personal trainer who will keep it fun and challenging while making modifications for individuals which makes the training more personalized.

Each training day, or workout, includes a run or cardio component, a resistance or strength-training component and a core-training component. Each component is designed to focus on speed, agility, power, strength, or endurance. Many of the exercises rely on body weight, but we also utilize equipment such as dumbbells, resistance bands, agility ladders, a partner's body weight, and other natural and man-made aspects of the park like stairs, benches, hills and the parking lot.

Our training weeks are designed so that there is minimal overlap in training different muscle groups. This allows for greater recovery and a highly efficient approach to achieving balanced, total-body fitness. Moving through each 4-week session, we gradually increase the training intensity and volume to keep up with your body as it adapts to the training, ensuring that you'll receive the most out of every week you train. This is a year-round program that delivers results while keeping it challenging, safe, sustainable, interesting, and fun for participants.

Location: Lake Park • 1000 Johnston Dr., Pineville

Days/Time: Mon./Wed./Fri. (5:15AM - 6:15AM) and Tue./Thur. (6:00PM - 7:00PM)

FIRST WEEK FREE /Cost: Single Rate: \$12 per class/ Weekly Rate: \$30 / Monthly Rate: \$99

Cancellation notice must be given 12 hours in advance in order not to get charged for missed class.

Audrey Patton / 904-982-0383 / email: pinevillebootcamp@yahoo.com

Parks & Recreation

 **campGladiator** ALL FITNESS LEVELS!!!

Pineville Lake Park
1000 Johnston Drive, Pineville NC
Mondays & Wednesdays @ 5:15pm & 6:30pm
Contact christianderson@campgladiator.com for more details!

YOGA CLASSES AT THE HUT, 413 JOHNSTON DRIVE



Monday – Instructor: Linda LaSalle
5:00pm - 5:25pm – **Strength & Tone**

This 25 minute exercise class will vary from doing sets, circuits, and/or endurance type exercises using dumbbells, bands, balls, and/or your own body weight. Bring a set of dumbbells or borrow a set of ours and join us for some fun while sculpting and maintaining your muscle.

5:30pm - 6:30pm – Integrated Hatha Yoga – Ideal for the beginner- to -the intermediate student. It will incorporate some Tai Chi along with some Restorative and Fit moves. Bring your mat or use one of ours and join us for Sun or Moon Salutation.

Thursday – Instructor: Dr. Rachel Thiel

5:00pm - 5:25pm – Strength & Tone This 25 minute class is structured to activate key muscle groups and stabilize joints for injury prevention...

5:30pm - 6:30pm - Swastha Yoga Each yoga class is designed to balance body & mind. An ideal space for those curious about yoga and anyone interested in balance and flexibility. The instructor will guide you to meet your body where it is without forcing poses beyond your flexibility.

Cost: \$5 drop in fee

For more info please contact Linda LaSalle at lindalabelle@rockektmail.com

PICKLEBALL AT THE BJCC GYM



Pineville Parks and Recreation offers FREE Open Gym Pickleball Ages

12 and Up! BEGINNERS ARE WELCOME!!!

Instruction is available.

Mondays: 9:00am – 12:00pm

Fridays: 9:00am – 12:00pm

NEW TIME: WEDNESDAYS: 12:30pm – 2:30pm

Equipment is provided but you may bring your own as well!!!

Sign up to play at this website. Walk ups are also welcome!

www.SignUpGenius.com/go/30E0A4BAEA62AA0FB6open

CREATE-A-CLASS

*Do you have a special interest
that you would like to share with others in a class?*

*Do you know someone who can share
an interesting subject or craft?*

*Contact Heather Creech our
Recreation Program Coordinator
at 704-889-2400.*

PINEVILLE PLAYERS AUDITIONS

AUDITIONS FOR the Comedy “WAITING FOR THE FAT LADY TO SING”

By Nancy Frick (Writer of “Four Weddings and an Elvis”)

AUDITION LOCATION:

The HUT 413 Johnston Drive, Pineville, NC 28134
(Rehearsals are held at THE HUT)

AUDITION DATES:

Sunday, Dec. 16 (5pm-8 pm) & Tuesday, Dec. 18 (6:45pm-9 pm)

Cast Reading:

Wednesday, December 19th (7pm-9:15pm)

Blocking Rehearsal:

Thursday, December 20th (7pm-9:30pm)

Rehearsals begin

Sunday, January 6 (5:30-8:30)

Rehearsals will be on Sundays, 5:30-8:30, Mondays 6:45-9pm,

3rd & 4th Tuesday of the month (6:30pm-9:00pm),

Wednesday nights from (6:30pm-9:00pm)

“Not all characters will need to be at every rehearsal. This play is a group of One-Act plays based on the theme of “Waiting.” ALL characters will be needed when we begin run-throughs.

PERFORMANCES DATES:

February 22, 23, 24 and March 1, 2, & 3, 2019

Director: Eva Montes 704-968-1515 actingwiththeva@gmail.com

CAST OF CHARACTERS

Waiting for the Right Moment

Fitz, a house painter, 20s-40s, Orlando, a great artiste! 40s-60s,

Vivian, a firecracker and Orlando’s wife 40s-60s

Waiting To be King

Prince, 40s-50s

Queen, 60s-70s

Anna, 60s-70s

Waiting for the Verdict

Milo, a man accused of murder, 40s-60s

Douglas, his attorney, 40s-50s

Jasmine, ex-mistress of Milo, 30s

Maureen, lovely sophisticated wife of Milo, 40s-60s

Waiting to Board

Roger, weary traveler, 30s (any age)

Jerry, weary traveler, 20s

Waiting at the Piggly Wiggly

Jane, a shopper, 20s-30s

Margaret, the pastor’s wife, 50+

Charlotte, a church friend, 30+

Waiting for Land Ho!

Christopher Columbus, 40s

Diego, servant of Columbus, any age

3-4 Sailors, any age

Waiting for the Fat Lady to Sing

Large Lady, any age

Parks & Recreation

YOUTH CLASSES AND ACTIVITIES

PRESCHOOL OPEN GYM TIME

PRESCHOOL

For Ages: 5 years old and under

Meet new friends and join the fun at the Belle Johnston Community Center Gym. We will provide plenty of things to play with and climb in, around and over. Wednesdays from 9:00am – 12:00pm

Come play with us, it's free! This is a parent supervised activity.

YOUTH FOR CHANGE DETERMINED DIVAS/GOODFELLAS



YOUTH FOR CHANGE

We are equipping today's Youth with the necessary tools to navigate the diverse challenges they face daily. Urban Youth are in crisis, we can no longer afford to treat non-traditional issues with traditional solutions.

This program serves youth ages 11-16. During this program the youth play basketball and participate in life skill activities and are always treated to a hearty meal. We meet 1 to 2 times per month at the Belle Johnston Community Center.

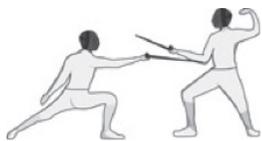
Dates: Friday's – Nov. 2, 16, Dec. 7, & 21 - from 5:30pm – 8:00pm.

Program Wish list: Life Navigators- Adults who have overcome obstacles in their own life and are willing to share their story and time.

Donations Needed: This group runs on sponsors and donations. We feed the group each time they meet, so anything would help. If you would like to donate to this organization, please contact Beverly Jackson at bjacksony4c@gmail.com or make a donation at the community center. Thanks so much! <https://www.gofundme.com/youthforchangeNC> Contact Beverly J. Jackson for more info or to help: bjacksony4c@gmail.com

FENCING

Mid-South Fencers Charlotte Metro teaches Olympic –style fencing in a fun, exciting, and supportive atmosphere specialized in saber. Equipment is included in the class cost. Open fencing will be included afterwards. Classes will be held in the Belle Johnston Community Center Gym.



Dates: Session 1: Thursdays – Nov. 1 - Dec. 20

Session 2: Thursdays - Jan. 10 (FREE CLASS) Jan. 17 – March 7

Time: 6:15pm – 7:45pm

Ages: 7 - Adult

Cost: 8 weeks - \$160.00/ \$50.00 discount for a second family member or spouse
Pineville Residents get a 10% discount (with proof of residency)

Classes are taught and led by Mark Lattimore and Marcus Crow. Mark Lattimore grew up in Charlotte and was a NCAA runner-up and two-time All American saber fencer at UNC Chapel Hill. Marcus Crow was a four year varsity fencer at UNC Chapel Hill and a two-time NCAA Championship participant. Both instructors are former assistant coaches with the UNC varsity fencing team.

For more information, please contact Marcus at (704) 207-4321 or visit: <http://midsouthfencersclub.org/mid-south-charlotte-metro/>

BASKETBALL EDGE This is a 4 week program designed to teach youth basketball fundamentals, mental toughness skills (sports psychology), and proper nutrition to help them gain a competitive edge on and off the floor.

· Ages 8-16

· This will be a 90 minute session on Saturdays from 9:00am-10:30am for 4 weeks. During the 4th week participants will be divided into teams to play 5 on 5 to showcase the skills they have learned throughout the program

Dates: Nov. 10th, Nov. 17th, Dec. 1st, Dec. 8th

Cost: Pineville Residents \$80 /Non-Residents \$90

Registration includes Basketball Edge t shirt and gift bag

Register at: <https://www.theeatacademy.com/pineville-nc-summer-camp>



FIELD TRIPS - Due to popularity of Field trips offered by Pineville Parks & Recreation, we will sign up Pineville residents for the first 2 weeks. If there are any seats left we will then open it up to non-residents. Due to some allergies of other people in the vehicle, please refrain from wearing perfumes/colognes. Thank you!

NOVEMBER FIELD TRIP



What do you get when you combine an Olde Town filled with charming shops, festive music, smiling faces, crafts galore, yummy food, holiday decor, local wines, Santa, over 475 holiday merchants with gifts for all ages and enough fun to last all year? You get the 51st annual Southern Christmas Show! All under one roof, and waiting to welcome you.

Join us on Thursday Nov. 8th for our annual trip to the Southern Christmas Show. We will leave at 8:30am and stop for breakfast. We will return around 4:00pm. Limited seating available – Come by the Belle Johnston Community Center to reserve your seat. 704-889-2400 · Cost: \$11.00

DECEMBER FIELD TRIP

Join us for A NarroWay Original on Wed. December 12th. We will leave the Community Center at 9:30am, stop for lunch at Cracker Barrel and be back around 1pm. Cost: \$16.00 (does not include lunch)



YOU'LL NEVER LOOK AT A NATIVITY SET THE SAME AGAIN! Every year at Christmas, the old life-size nativity set is assembled at the front of the church. It's a tradition most would like to forego. Fifty years ago, when Mrs. Howerton donated the nativity set, she had hoped it might, "Breathe new life into the church and bring to focus the real meaning of Christmas. This year, it will. You'll never look at the nativity set the same again!



EXPLORE THE ARTS



abrakadoodle®

Abrakadoodle®, the popular art education program, is offering classes at the Belle Johnston Community Center!

Kids explore, create and learn in action-packed classes filled with color, texture, shape and fun. Our classes are carefully crafted to promote

creativity and imaginative thinking. In Abrakadoodle, children learn about and through art...all while having a blast! Abrakadoodle provides a safe environment for children to learn to express themselves through Art, while building their confidence in learning new things and developing their socialization skills. Want a Creative Thinker? Join Abrakadoodle Classes, where children will develop their social skills, gross/fine motor skills, public speaking and collaboration skills all while creating works of Art and having FUN!

Ages 6 - 12 · Times: 5:30pm – 6:30pm

Mondays, Nov. 5th – Dec. 10th (5 weeks – no class on Nov. 12th)

Class fee: \$50 (Residents will receive a 10% discount on class fee)

Materials Fee: \$10 per session

For more info contact: Michelle de Beus at 704.684.4799 or mdebeus@abrakadoodle.com

PAINTING CLASSES

MASTERPIECES BY YOU Paint your own masterpiece with instructor Sharon Csiszer. All classes will be held in the craft room. The maximum number of participants will be 10 for each class.

Cost: \$10.00 resident of Pineville/ \$15.00 non-resident

Please stop by the community center to pay and register for this class. 704-889-2400



Nov. 27th (1:00pm-3:30pm)
Please register by Nov. 20th



December 18th (1:00pm - 3:30pm)
Please register by Dec. 11th

HOME SCHOOL CLAY CLASSES

Home Schoolers age 7+ invited to join us to hand-build, use a potter's wheel & glazes to make seasonal clay projects!

Cost: \$80 for each 4 week session 10% sibling discounts.

All classes on Tuesday's 10:00am-11:30am

Session 3: Nov. 6, 13, 20, 27

Session 4: Dec. 4, 11, 18 (\$60.00)

Register: <https://artsdelivered.com/kids-classes/>

Questions @ artsdelivered@gmail.com

Kids are invited to Pineville Parks and Recreation for FREE Themed Clay Workshops!

WET CLAY CREATIONS fired in the kiln at the Belle Johnston Community Center! These events are limited to the first 20 students (1st - 5th grade), per FREE workshop!

We supply everything needed but you have to register to attend - no walk ups are accepted due to space restrictions! Please choose only one date per child/children.

REGISTER FOR FREE PPR CLASS at artsdelivered@gmail.com

For more info please call 704-618-2222 or

email artsdelivered@gmail.com

Date & Time: Friday, Dec. 14 from 7:00pm – 8:30pm.



Belle Johnston
Community Center



Afterschool Holiday Clay Club

Kids - 1st thru 5th grade will make seasonal, FUN - ctional, projects!

Nov. 6th & 13th AND/OR

Dec 3rd & 10th 3:15 - 4:30

\$25 per two day session



Pottery Badge Workshops!

Whole GS troops or individuals can earn a Pottery Badge!

Nov. 10 Turkey Bowls!

AND/OR

Dec. 8 Holiday Themes!

All workshops 9:30 - 11:45

Girl Scouts \$10 participant per workshop.

REGISTER @ ARTSDELIVERED.COM

artsdelivered@gmail.com 704-618-2222

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All Around Town

COME SAIL WITH US

RC SAILBOATS ON PINEVILLE LAKE

You are invited to come and sail a 1 meter Seawind or Dragonflite 95 radio controlled sailboat on Pineville Lake - Sundays, Wednesdays or Saturday mornings from 10 to noon. On Saturdays, we race Seawinds competitively from 10 to noon. We are now developing a Dragonflite 95 class as well. If you have a boat of any class, come by, have a little fun and meet some new friends. If you just want to see if you'll like the hobby, the Queen City Model Yacht Club has both boats and instructors available to introduce you to a relaxing and fun hobby. If you like it and want to buy a boat, we will be glad to give you the benefit of our experience along with tips on rigging and sailing. If you just want to sail and not compete, you can do that too.



The photos show two Dragonflite 95s, sail numbers 97 and 53. Also shown is a Seawind sail number 67.

If you want to just stop by and talk it over, contact Brendan Sullivan (Sully) race director at 1-(914)-715-4296. Jack Cover, Commodore; Chuck Menninger, XO; Brendan (Sully) Sullivan, Race Director



community
school of the arts

FREE Visual Art and Music Workshop

with Community School of the Arts

CSA will provide a visual art workshop series at Belle Johnston Community Center, with a different project activity each workshop. Accompanying the art-making experience will be live music performed throughout the workshop. These two-hour workshop experiences will be intended for families and appropriate for all ages.

Location:

Belle Johnston Community Center
1000 Johnston Drive
Pineville, NC 28134

Workshop Date:

1:00pm - 3:00pm
Nov. 17 & Dec. 15, 2018
Jan. 19, Feb. 16, March 16, April 13, May 18, 2019

CULTURE BLOCKS

a community partnership between

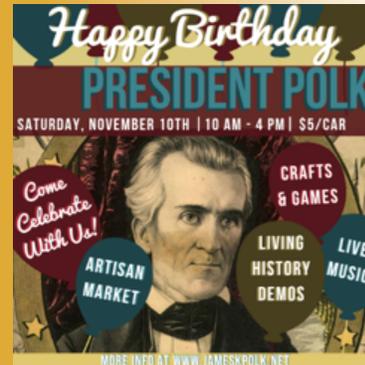


CHARLOTTE MECKLENBURG
LIBRARY



James K. Polk Events

November 10 | President Polk Birthday Celebration: This 26th annual celebration of President



James K. Polk's birthday is one of our largest events throughout the year. This year's event will be particularly special as we close out our 50th anniversary year of celebrations. Enjoy living history demonstrations, crafts, games, music, and vendors all in one place! You might even get the chance to snap a selfie with James K. Polk!

Hours: 10:00 a.m. - 4:00 p.m.

Admission: \$5.00 per car for non-members/
Free for members



Fall Fun Workshop Series: Try your hand at these fun crafts and new skills when our popular workshop series returns for the fall! Each lesson will be led by a member of the Phun Knits Fiber Guild and includes all the necessary materials. Pre-registration is required.

3 NOVEMBER | NATURAL DYING

2:00 p.m. - 4:00 p.m. - \$10 +tax

17 November | Festive Autumn Basket

Weaving - 2:00 p.m. - 4:00 p.m. - \$15 + tax

December 15 | Mini-Makers: Storytime + Craft:

Look, listen, and make at the museum! Come read "Llama Llama Holiday Drama" by Anna Dewdney and then craft some llama ornaments for your holiday tree.

Hours: 10:00 a.m. - 11:00 a.m.

Admission: \$5.00 per child, includes all craft materials

December 15 | Holiday Ornament Workshop: Come craft your own fun and festive holiday ornaments with us! We'll provide the rustic wood ornaments and you'll add your own creative touch. Keep an eye on our social media for some examples leading up to the event! Pre-Registration will be available, remaining ornaments will be available on a first come, first serve basis for drop-in visitors the day of. Hours: 2:00 p.m. - 4:00 p.m.

Admission: \$5.00 for one ornament or \$8.00 for two



January 5 | 12th Night: The Vanishing Holiday: Ron Vinson, Executive Director of the Presbyterian Heritage Center in Montreat, NC, will discuss the origin and prominence of Twelfth Night from its medieval continental origins through Shakespeare's 1602 play, to observances in the colonial Carolinas.

Hours: 11:00 a.m. - 12:00 p.m.

Admission: Free, Pre-Registration Requested

EASY CHRISTMAS CRAFTS

PINECONE CHRISTMAS TREES

(INSPIRED BY SCISSORS AND SPOONS)



SUPPLIES

- Pinecones
- Green spray paint
- Old wine corks
- Scissors
- Hot glue gun and glue
- Miniature wooden stars

DIRECTIONS

1. Spray paint the outer edges of the pinecone with green spray paint. Make it look like a real tree by leaving the inside brown. Let the paint dry.
2. Cut a wine cork in half and hot glue it to the bottom of the pinecone. Let the glue dry.
3. Hot glue the star to the top. Let it dry. Then enjoy!



IMAGE SOURCE: LAUREN J PHOTOGRAPHY



LIGHTED BURLAP GARLAND

(by Jill Fritz of Create.Craft.Love)

Materials needed to create your own...

Here's what you need:

- 2 inch red burlap ribbon
- 2 inch green burlap ribbon
- 2.5 inch natural burlap ribbon
- White mini lights
- Scissors



DIRECTIONS:

1. Cut burlap into 8-10 inch pieces.
 2. Cut those pieces vertically down the middle
 3. Choose a pattern in the order you want the colors to show.
 4. Tie the burlap strips around the wire of the lights. You can tie them once; if you tie them twice, increase the size of the strips to allow for a double knot.
- Looks great on a mantel, around your tree or simply drape along a table top.



HOLIDAY HAPPENINGS



SANTA'S RIDE THRU TOWN



👉 It's his last time in town until next year so make sure you're up early on Monday, December 24th - Santa will start his trip through town about 8:30 a.m. and continue riding through all the streets in Pineville throwing treats to all who wave to him! You don't want to miss seeing him!

FAMILY HOLIDAY COOKING CLASS

•••• CHRISTMAS COOKIES ••••



Christmas Pinwheel Cookies

"Playing with Food... even though Mom always said not to!"

My Mom always told me not to play with my food...so I became a Chef so I could do just that! Join us on December 11th from 4:30pm-7:30pm for a FAMILY HOLIDAY COOKING CLASS! We'll learn a few different types of recipes and cooking techniques to get the kids playing with food...holiday style! From Cookies to cupcakes...even Mom and Dad will have fun in the kitchen with Chef Ross Purple.

Our Holiday Cooking Class will be priced accordingly for families of all shapes and sizes. \$45 (\$40 Pineville residents) - 2 kids and their favorite Adults. Additional children are just \$20 each. Call Chef Ross Purple today @ 704-995-6864 to secure your spots. (No matter what your family dynamic is...please don't hesitate to call!)

SHOP WITH A GOP

CHRISTMAS IS LESS THAN 117 SHOPPING DAYS AWAY! PINEVILLE NEIGHBORS PLACE IS PARTNERING WITH THE PINEVILLE POLICE DEPARTMENT AGAIN THIS YEAR TO PROVIDE TOYS, CLOTHES AND BOOKS TO THE CHILDREN AT PINEVILLE AND STERLING ELEMENTARY SCHOOLS.

IF POSSIBLE, PLEASE DONATE CASH OR NEW TOYS (NO USED TOYS OR STUFFED ANIMALS, PLEASE).

PINEVILLE
NEIGHBORS PLACE



Make your checks payable to Pineville Neighbors Place (note SWAC in the memo), and mail to PO Box 986, Pineville, NC, 28134. Drop off toys in the original packaging at our office.

HOLIDAY HAPPENINGS

Join us for the Town of Pineville's

ANNUAL CHRISTMAS TREE LIGHTING!

New Location: Pineville Lake Park (1000 Johnston Dr.)

SATURDAY, DEC. 1ST 3:00pm - 5:30pm

FREE ACTIVITIES & FESTIVITIES

Come visit Santa from 3:00pm - 5:30pm

4:45pm - 5:30pm - Big Bang Boom Family Band

5:30pm - Santa lights the Christmas tree!

Kids Craft Tent • Train Ride • Candy Cane Hunt
Hot Chocolate • Magic • Balloon Artist
SNOW (if weather permits) • Bonfire with S'mores
Juggler • Stilt Walkers • Christmas Carolers



BREAKFAST WITH SANTA

Come Join Us for Breakfast with Santa!

When: Saturday, December 15, 2018
8:00 a.m. to 11:00 a.m.

Where: Pineville Fire House, 108 Church St.

Who: All Welcome!

Cost: Adults = \$5.00

Children = \$2.00

For More Information Call 704-889-7575

Community Central



Best Ever Classic Snowball Christmas Cookies

- Prep Time: 20 minutes
- Cook Time: 14 minutes
- Total Time: 1 hour and 15 minutes
- Yield: About 6 dozen cookies

Ingredients

- 1 cup (2 sticks) unsalted butter, softened slightly
- 5 tablespoons granulated cane sugar
- 2 teaspoons pure vanilla extract
- ¼ teaspoon fine-grain sea salt
- 2 cups unbleached all-purpose flour
- 2 cups finely chopped walnuts
- 1½ cups confectioners' sugar, for dusting cookies twice

Directions

Using an electric stand mixer fitted with paddle attachment, or handheld electric mixer, cream together butter and sugar. Beat in the vanilla and salt. Gradually add flour, beating after each addition. Stir in the nuts; mix until fully incorporated. Divide dough in half and refrigerate in plastic food wrap for approximately 45 minutes.

Meanwhile, arrange oven rack in middle of oven and preheat to 350°F. Line two baking sheets with parchment paper; set aside. Place confectioners' sugar in a small bowl; set aside. Measure dough using a small, 1-inch scoop making sure each scoopful is level. Roll dough between palms of hands to achieve a small rounded ball.

Place dough balls 1½ inches apart on prepared baking sheets. Bake in preheated oven until the cookies are just beginning to brown, about 12 to 14 minutes. Do not overbake. The underside of the cookies should be only lightly browned. And the cookies should not crack—a sure sign of overbaked teacake cookies.

Cool cookies on baking sheets on wire racks for approximately 2 minutes. Remove cookies from baking sheets using a metal cookie spatula. While cookies are still warm, gently roll them in the confectioners' sugar. Place the sugar-coated cookies on wire racks to cool completely. Roll cookies once again in the confectioners' sugar.

Yield: Makes about 6 dozen (about 72) small cookies when using 1-inch size scoop as indicated in the recipe. Of course, larger cookie scoops will make larger sized cookies and yield less of them.

Community Churches

South Charlotte Baptist Church
12416 Lancaster Hwy. • Pineville, NC 28134
704-542-5536 • www.southcharlottebaptist.org

Pineville United Methodist Church
110 S. Polk Street • Pineville, NC 28134
Rev. Tom Stinson-Wesley, Pastor
704-889-2022 • www.pinevilleumc.org

St. Mark A.M.E. Zion Church
605 Johnston Drive • Pineville, NC 28134
Rev. Vester Sims, Pastor • 704-889-7072

GraceLife Church of Pineville
705 Lakeview Drive • Pineville, NC 28134
Rodney Cripps, Lead Pastor
704-282-6100 • www.gracelifepineville.com

The Well Coffeehouse & Church
220 Main Street • Pineville, NC 28134
704-889-4325 • Rev. Todd A. Zielinski
www.the-well.org

The Connection Church at Ballantyne
12001 Lullingstone Rd. • Pineville, NC 28134
Pastor, Mike Wall
www.mychurchconnection.net

The Park South
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www.UPBC.org

Pineville Church of the Nazarene
8614 Pineville-Matthews Rd. • Charlotte, NC 28226
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