



## Summertime in Beaufort

It's hard to believe we are into August, pirates will soon be invading our town, students will be returning to school, and football season will commence. On August 31, I have it on good authority that Duke will crush Alabama's national championship hopes in the first game of the season. Here are a few other items for your consideration:

**Leadership.** I was recently asked about the numerous areas where Beaufort is taking a leadership role in the county (and in eastern NC) and I am enormously proud of the progress we are making to ensure the health and prosperity of our wonderful community. As I mentioned in last month's newsletter, it takes a community to fully understand our challenges and build a plan for success. Your support has been key to this success.

**Trash.** We must become a NC leader in dramatically reducing trash along our streets and in our waterways. I have heard concerns from dozens of citizens and I wholeheartedly agree that the amount of cigarette butts and plastics in our environment is unsustainable and a threat to our coastal ecosystem, public health, and commerce. This task boils down to citizen, property owner, business leader, and visitor accountability to ensure cigarettes and trash are disposed of properly. Let's not forget that the cigarette and plastic producers are also accountable.

**Respect.** I really appreciate the respectful discourse on the numerous challenges we have addressed over the last year. We all have strong opinions but ultimately we must be willing to respectfully listen to different views and, at times, willing to compromise to keep our town moving forward. This respect factor applies to community meetings but also applies to how we treat our neighbors. And while we have seen dialogue digress at the national (and most recently at the county) level, in Beaufort we will continue to respect each other.

Beaufort is an amazing place to live, work, and visit. Let's strive to face our challenges and make the "#1 Small Town in the South" even better.

*- Mayor Everett S. (Rett) Newton*

## The Very Best of Beaufort

Our Beaufort-based postal employees provide tremendous support to our town and surrounding areas. You will see Lori, Steve, Judy, Mac, and the entire postal team behind the desk or out and about Monday through Saturday delivering mail, packages, and a ready smile. At times, we take this tremendous service for granted but I recently visited our post office and was given a behind-the-scenes tour, and I will assure you it takes a lot of effort to process, sort, and deliver the mail with the extraordinary precision we have come to expect. Our postal workers are an important part of our community, have earned our trust, and truly represent the very best of Beaufort!



Note: Each month, we will highlight individuals or organizations that represent The Very Best of Beaufort.



### Town Hall

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### Office Hours

8 a.m. -5 p.m.

Monday-Friday



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### Newsletter Submissions:

Due Aug. 20, 2019 at 5 p.m.

Send to [r.johnson@beaufortnc.org](mailto:r.johnson@beaufortnc.org)

## Board of Commissioners

During their July 8, 2019 regular monthly meeting, the Board of Commissioners took the following actions:

- Approved a Resolution directing the Clerk to investigate a petition received under G.S. 160A-31.
- Approved a change in the personnel policy regarding compensation during states of emergency.
- Approved the Rezoning of 1809 Live Oak Street from B-1 to PUD (Planned Unit Development).
- Approved Rezoning of 2544 Lennoxville Road from B-W to R-20.
- Approved Rezoning of 1107 and 1111 Live Oak Street and 101 Loftin Lane from R-8 to RS-5.
- Approved the Zoning Text Amendment to create the Cedar Street Mixed Use District.
- Approved the Rezoning of 16.25 acres from R-8, TR, TCA & B-1 to CS-MU (Cedar Street Mixed Use District).
- Approved the PUD Zoning Amendment for Beau Coast.
- Approved Beaufort Coast Phase 1 Revised Preliminary Plat.
- Approved the Revised Final Plat for Beau Coast Phase I-B.
- Approved the Final Plat for Beau Coast Phase II-A.
- Approved the Final Plat for Palmetto Plantation @ Olde Beaufort Village Phase II.
- Approved the Beaufort's Brewing Craft Beer Festival.

### Can't make a meeting?

Join us for the monthly Board of Commissioners meetings online. The meetings are available via live stream on the Town of Beaufort's Facebook page. The video is available for viewing live and after the meeting has concluded.  
[www.facebook.com/BeaufortTown](http://www.facebook.com/BeaufortTown)

## Board of Adjustment

The Board of Adjustment met on June 24, 2019 and discussed the following item:

- Appeal: 201 Broad Street: Request by Cindy Van Dover of the Beaufort Historic Commission's decision to deny a request for a non-standing seam metal roof for 201 Broad Street. The Board of Adjustment upheld the Historic Commissions findings that procedure was followed correctly and that specific finding was made supporting their decision.

For more information, please contact Kyle Garner, Planning Director, at 252-728-2142 or at [k.garner@beaufortnc.org](mailto:k.garner@beaufortnc.org).

### Bulk Item Pick-up

Please call Town Hall at (252) 728-2141 to schedule a bulk item pickup by 5 p.m. on Monday the week you would like pickup. Bulk item pickup is on Wednesday. **Pickups must be scheduled** and items must be placed at the curb by 7 a.m. on Wednesday.



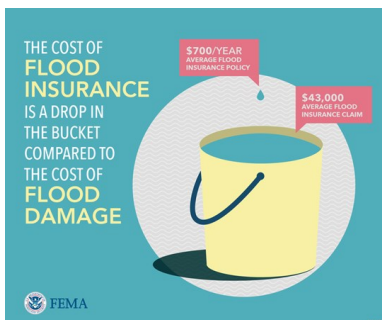
### Disasters Don't Plan Ahead. You Can.

June 1 marked the official start of hurricane season. Flooding can happen to anyone. Low-risk doesn't mean no risk.

This hurricane season, make sure you're prepared.

Property specific flood risk information is available at <https://fris.nc.gov>.

Flood insurance information is available at <https://www.floodsmart.gov/>. Please contact Kate Allen [k.allen@beaufortnc.org](mailto:k.allen@beaufortnc.org), (252) 728-2142 for more



## August Meetings

All meetings are in the Train Depot, 614 Broad Street, unless otherwise posted. The public is welcome at all meetings.

**6 p.m. August 6**—Historic Preservation Commission

**6 p.m. August 1**—Parks & Recreation Advisory Board

**6 p.m. August 12**—Board of Commissioners

**6 p.m. August 8**—Planning Board

**4 p.m. August 26**—Board of Commissioners Work Session (Town Hall Conference Room, 701 Front Street)

**6 p.m. August 26**—Board of Adjustment

## Historic Preservation Commission

The Town of Beaufort Historic Preservation Commission met July 2, 2019, in the Train Depot. The following items of business were discussed:

- 120 Moore Street: Request by David & Adeline Talbot for an addition to the existing structure to include storms/screens for existing windows, new windows for the new addition, brick, siding material, metal roofing and shingles - Approved.
- 400 Front Street: Request by Megan Toma Entire for exterior renovations to include new windows, exterior lighting fixtures, doors, decking with rear deck addition, wood stairs, new railings, new brick base around decking and an ADA lift on the Front Street elevation - Approved

If you have any questions about Beaufort's Historic District, please contact Kyle Garner, Planning Director, at (252) 728-2142 or at [k.garner@beaufortnc.org](mailto:k.garner@beaufortnc.org).

## Greene Lamp Program in Beaufort

Greene Lamp Community Action of Kinston, NC was awarded a \$1.7million WIOA Disaster Grant by the Eastern Carolina Workforce Development Board (ECWDB). The purpose of the grant is to provide employment opportunities to displaced workers and the long-term unemployed in disaster recovery jobs in the nine (9) counties the ECWDB serves (Carteret, Craven, Duplin, Greene, Jones, Lenoir, Onslow, Pamlico and Wayne). Greene Lamp is currently hiring up to 130 people for short-term (1 year or less) job opportunities to work with public agencies (towns, cities, counties) and non-profits (performing humanitarian aid work) as part of the disaster recovery. To qualify potential applicants must have either lost their job as a direct result of Hurricane Florence, been long term unemployed (minimum of 13 weeks) or they must have been recently laid off from a prior job. Additionally, any employers in need of additional help due to inconvenience from the storm may apply to be a potential work site. The grant provides free labor for the employers so long as they provide disaster related work for the participants."

Applications available at Beaufort Town Hall.



## Beaufort Garden Club

An idea over coffee, "let's help make the Carteret County Library Site more attractive" became a reality in July. The Beaufort Garden Club donated plants

and spent several hours in the heat transforming the area. Thank you to the Beaufort Garden Club for helping make Beaufort beautiful.



## Buccaneer's Revue & BBQ

Saturday, August 10th 6:30 - 9:00  
Under the "Big Tent" on Front Street in Beaufort  
Catered by "Fat Fellas" of Newport  
Tickets \$25 at door \$20 if you order by phone  
before Aug 7th  
252-241-9049  
Door Prizes and 50/50 Raffle



**Yo ho ho RUN**  
& a bottle o' RUN  
SATURDAY MORNING 8:00 a.m.  
Beaufortpirateinvasion.com  
For more info call, 252-241-9049  
https://runsignup.com/Race/NC/Beaufort/YoHoHo5K



THE BEAUFORT  
**PIRATE INVASION**  
It takes a village to pillage



Silent Auction with "Cannon"  
Door Prizes  
50/50 Raffle  
Golden Ticket  
Finger Food  
Costume Contest  
Entertainment provided by  
"Tom Mason and The Blue Buccaneers"

**CAPTAINS MASQUERADE BALL**  
FRIDAY, AUGUST 9TH 6:30 - 9:00  
20 PER PERSON OR 35 PER COUPLE  
FOR TICKETS, CALL 252-241-9049, OR AT DOOR

## Friday, August 9

6 pm - Opening Cannon Salute and Welcome at Main Stage  
6:30-9 pm - Captain's Masquerade Ball  
9:30 pm - Parlay on the Waterfront at Eury Park (Invasion site)

## Saturday, August 10

Yo ho ho and a Bottle o' Run 5K and One Mile Fun Run  
7 am - Race Registration at Main Stage  
8 am - Race starts at Corner of Front and Turner Streets  
9 am - Vendors open  
9:30 am - Pirate Parade gathers at Beaufort Historic Site on Turner Street  
9:50 am - Pirate Parade begins, Encampments open  
10 am - Pirates Capture Mayor at Town Hall and Raise BPI Flag  
10:05 am - Mayor Joins Pirates and Fires Opening Cannon Salute  
10:15 am - The Shadow Players Stage Combat Show at Eury Park  
10:45 am - Black Powder Demonstration at Eury Park  
11 am - Costume Contests, come win a prize! Adults and Kids!  
1 pm - Black Powder Demonstration at Eury Park  
2 pm - The Shadow Players Stage Combat Show at Eury Park  
4 pm - 1747 Spanish Attack on Beaufort at Eury Park  
5:30 pm - Encampments close  
6:30 pm - Buccaneer Revue and Dinner  
9:30 pm - Parlay on the Waterfront at Eury Park

PARLEY ON THE  
WATERFRONT

## Sunday, August 11

9 am - Vendors Open  
Dock House Breakfast with the Pirates (times to be announced)  
12 pm - Event and Encampments Open  
12:15 pm - Black Powder Demonstration at Eury Park  
1 pm - The Shadow Players Stage Combat Show  
4 pm - The Gathering, ... Pirates from Across Time and Space at Eury Park  
6 pm - Beaufort Pirate Invasion concludes... Encampments close

## Beaufort Lions Club Pancake Breakfast with Pirates

8:30-10:30 a.m. Saturday, Aug. 10  
Ribeyes on Front Street  
\$6 a plate includes pancakes, bacon, juice and coffee  
Proceeds go to support upcoming projects of the Beaufort Lions Club.  
Tickets can be purchased at Ribeyes, Beaufort Pet Provisions, First Bank in Beaufort and First Citizens Bank.



We Serve



## Happenings for August 2019

**Events:** Come join us for an afternoon of knitting every Wednesday from 2:30-4:30 p.m. Everyone is welcome!

**Book Exchange and Sale:** The Book Nook is open during regular library hours with many used books and audio materials for sale.

**Children's Activities:** Pre-K Storytime (3-5) meets on Wednesdays at 10 a.m. and Toddler Storytime (2-4) meets on Fridays at 10 a.m. Please note that here will not be a Storytime on Aug. 28 & 30th and Sept. 4 & 6th. Lego Club meets on the second Wednesday of the month from 6-7 p.m. Page-Turners (6-12) meets on the first and third Thursdays of the month from 3:30-4:30 p.m. Shelf Readers, a service project for teens, meets every other Saturday.

**Featured Artwork:** The art gallery features the work of Calista Yearwood-Weygoldt. Her work is inspired by her Caribbean heritage. She uses a variety of mediums in creating her pieces. The display case features the work of Angela Davis. Her jewelry is recycled by using broken jewelry including sea glass. She has been making jewelry for 40 years. Come take a look!

Carteret County Public Library is at 1702 Live Oak Street, Suite

## Beaufort Woman's Club

**Craftsman Style Architecture Tour**—The Beaufort Woman's Club invites you to tour Craftsman style homes on Saturday, Oct. 26, 10:00 am – 5:00 pm. Also, Dr. Dan Krauthelm will present the history and features of Beaufort's Craftsman style homes on that day. Proceeds will benefit the Beaufort Boys and Girls Club, Carteret Community Theatre, The MirlAM and other charities. Tickets are \$20 in advance, \$10 students. To purchase tickets, visit [www.BeaufortWomansClub.com](http://www.BeaufortWomansClub.com) or go to Beaufort Ace Hardware or The MirlAM Treasures in Morehead City.

**Town Flags**—Beaufort 3' x 5' and 4' x 6' flags and 12" x 18" garden flags are for sale at Beaufort Ace, 1511 Live Oak St.; Beaufort Home Store, 113 Turner Street; Cousins Bed & Breakfast, 305 Turner Street; First Citizens Bank, 1505 Live Oak Street and Time in a Bottle, 300 Front Street, Unit 3. All proceeds benefit the community through the Beaufort Woman's Club.



## Down East Beaufort Center for Women's Ministries

There is a place in town where you can be heard, encouraged and supported by other women who have been where you are. Hurt can be too deep and personal to share with others in your daily life. Our Down East Beaufort Center for Women's Ministries provides total confidentiality and an objective, nurturing environment, making it a safe place to deal with those hurts. You will be mentored by our peer support volunteers who have been where you are and are trained to give counsel and guide you through the healing

process. We offer one-on-one peer counseling, support groups of 8-10 women who share the journey toward emotional well-being, Study Groups in which selected topics are discussed weekly for personal and spiritual development, and prayer support for individuals or together in a prayer group. All services are FREE of charge. We serve women concerned with abuse, fears/phobias, grief, death, depression, divorce, family/friend of alcoholic, parenting, etc. We would like to invite all women of the community to check us out at the DEB Center for Women's Ministries at 407 Live Oak Street #5 in Beaufort Mondays between 10 am and 4 pm or other times by appointment. You can reach us at 252-504-2441 or by email at [downeastbeaufortcwm@outlook.com](mailto:downeastbeaufortcwm@outlook.com).

**National Park Service Art of the New Deal: Sundays, 2 p.m. June 23-Sept. 1** Calling all art enthusiasts!

Discover the art of the New Deal era through the nationally treasured murals of Simka Simkhovitch, which capture moments of our local maritime history. Locals who have grown up with the murals are encouraged to attend (and share

their memories). **Rove with a Ranger: Fridays, 9 a.m. June 21-Aug. 30** (Program meets at the Island Express Ferry Service ticket booth in Beaufort; Ferry fees apply, call the ferry for tickets) Explore Shackleford Banks for a morning walk with a Park Ranger, and see if you can spot some of the wild horses, or discover one of the many sea birds that reside, or stop by on their migration.

## Olde Beaufort Farmer's Market

As we move thru the Dog Days of summer, start your lazy Saturday morning off with a visit to the Olde Beaufort Farmers' Market. Under the cooling shade of the sheltering live oaks on the courthouse grounds, you will be treated to shopping opportunities for fresh, locally grown vegetables and meats raised on Carteret County soil, delicious, nutritious baked goods handmade by our local bakers, and quality, unique art and craft creations made with care by our local artisans. Listen to live local music from a seat in the pop-up café and enjoy this whole-life experience every Saturday morning. Stay informed through the market's Facebook page and website.



## BEAUFORT *Historical Association*

### August 2019 Events

**Children's Colonial Day - Living History:** On Aug. 2 from



10 a.m.-2 p.m. at the Beaufort Historic Site children from ages 6-10 can garden with a Master Gardener, dress up in Colonial dress, cook and eat a meal, and play Colonial games. Tickets are \$10. To purchase tickets or get more information stop by Beaufort Historic Site Welcome Center, call (252) 728 - 5225, or visit [www.beauforthistoricsite.org](http://www.beauforthistoricsite.org).

**Art Gallery Opening for Mónica Linares:** Join the Beaufort Historical Association on Aug. 3 from 5-7 p.m. to welcome Venezuela artist, Mónica Linares.



Mónica has a graphic style which is characterized by simplicity, interesting design, and strong brushwork. She recently was featured at the North Carolina Museum of Art Gift Shop dur-

ing the Georgia O'Keeffe exhibit. Her work will be featured for the month of August in the Mattie King Davis Art Gallery at the Beaufort Historic Site. For more information about the event or artist stop by the Beaufort Historic Site Welcome Center, call (252) 728 -5225, or visit [www.beauforthistoricsite.org](http://www.beauforthistoricsite.org).

**Beginning Rug Hooking - Living History:** Join Rug Hooking expert Heidi Cawman on Aug. 14 from 10 a.m.-2 p.m. to learn how to rug hook! The class will take place inside the Beaufort Historic Site Welcome Center. Materials will cost \$25. Seating is limited, so be sure to register! To register or



get more information stop by the Beaufort Historic Site Welcome Center, call (252) 728-5225, or visit



**BEAUFORT**

*Picture Show*

**"Woodstock" - 50th Anniversary!** - 2-9 p.m. Saturday, Aug. 10 Yes, it's been fifty years since the Woodstock Folk Festival. Come and see the original footage that spread the story of Peace and Love around the world! The film runs continuously, so grab a refreshment from Mill Whistle Brewery and "hang out." Free.

**"Amazing Grace" - 5 & 8 p.m., Friday, Aug. 23** Watch the Amazing story of Aretha Franklin, the "queen of soul" whose inspirational music altered our entire culture. Tickets: [beaufortpictureshow.com](http://beaufortpictureshow.com) - Films shown at The Mill Space, 1362 Lennoxville Rd.