

CHAMBERLINES

17th Annual "Big Game Hunt" In Progress!!

Brochures have been mailed and hats are ordered; program books will follow very soon. Registrations are already beginning to come in. The hunt dates again are Friday and Saturday, November 28-29, 2014.

The 2014 **Title Sponsor** is Buckshot Deer Processing. **Banquet Sponsor** is Uwharrie Bank. **Youth Sponsors** are Dale McRae Farms and Four A Loader Work. **Gold Sponsors** are Cobb-Vantress, Duke Energy Progress, NC Electric Membership Co., Pee Dee Electric and Waste Connections. **Silver Sponsors** are Carolina By-Products, Locust Lumber, Lynn Thomas Grading, Tyson Foods, Wesley Holbert Taxidermy and Windstream. **Bronze Sponsors** are 704 Outdoors, Anson Towing & Recovery, Backwoods Hog Hunters, Branch Banking & Trust, Clodfelter Law Office, McCollum Trucking & Grading, PNC Bank, Take Aim Fire Range and

Village Pawn & Gun Shop. **Daily Youth Sponsors** are Dennis Concrete Finishing and Kiker Resource Management, LLC. **Special Sponsor** this year, Anson County Tourism Development Authority for funding for the Hunt Program Book.

The Anson County Chamber of Commerce offers monetary prizes for first, second, third, fourth and fifth places in buck and doe categories and first, second, third and fourth places in the youth buck and doe categories. Door prizes will be given away during the annual banquet on Saturday, November 29, at the Ansonville Vol. Fire Department.

For more tournament information, call the Anson County Chamber of Commerce at 704-694-4181 or visit www.ansoncounty.org for tournament rules and a printable entry form.

Registration Sites 2014:

Allen's Restaurant (Peachland), Anson County Chamber of Commerce (Wadesboro), Barnyard BBQ (Peachland), Buckshot Deer Processing (Monroe), H.W. Little & Co (Wadesboro), Scotty's Bait & Tackle (Lilesville), Glen's Bait & Tackle (Rockingham), Take Aim Fire Range (Monroe), Village Pawn & Gun Shop (Wadesboro).

Be sure to register so you won't miss your chance at winning prize money. Don't forget to bring the family and join us at the banquet on Saturday night for great food, door prizes, raffle drawings and more. Top prize on the raffle ticket this year will be a **Henry Big Boy .357 Mag Lever Action Rifle**. Have a safe hunting season and we will see you in November at the hunt!

Remembering 9/11

In what's become an annual tradition, Uptown Wadesboro, Inc., laid 2,996 flags in front of the Anson County Courthouse to remember the lives lost on Sept. 11, 2001. One flag was laid for each of the lives lost in the terrorist attacks in New York City, Washington, D.C., and Shanksville, Pa. A group of volunteers placed nearly than 3,000 flags at 6 a.m. on Thursday morning Sept. 11. Volunteers included children, Wadesboro police officers, Anson County Sheriff's Office employees, Anson Crisis Ministry, New Tech students, Wadesboro town manager and staff members, Uptown Wadesboro board members, Rotary Club members and Anson County School staff members.

With all of this help the 2,900-plus flags were put in place in about 45 minutes, said an Uptown Wadesboro spokesperson. Uptown Wadesboro board of directors provided breakfast sandwiches. It was a great morning in Wadesboro.



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Looking for a ton of fun this fall? Look no further than the Taste of the Pee Dee Festival! This all new

festival will take place in uptown Wadesboro on Saturday, October 11, from 9 a.m. to 9 p.m.

Events and activities will include live music, a timber sport competition, a climbing wall, the Discover Anson Bike Ride, a Zombie 5K walk/run course, a beer garden and offerings from Southern Medley Wine Cellar, local arts and crafts, delicious barbeque by the Anson Rescue Squad and other food vendors, face painting...and lots more! The NC Cooperative Extension will present a kiddie tractor pull, an adult food bake-off and a kidsø creative squash contest. Other food and refreshments will be available.

At 6 p.m. the main concert will begin, with the stage located at the intersection of Wade and Washington Streets. The day will end with a spectacular fireworks show uptown.

General admission to the event is free, and there is plenty of free parking. Pre-registration is available for the Discover Anson Bike Ride and required for the Zombie 5K Walk/Run Course.

This new festival, Taste of the Pee Dee, replaces the local festival known as People Fest which had been held for decades in Wadesboro. Taste of the Pee Dee has added new events and more outdoor activities. Taste of the Pee Dee is being presented by the Town of Wadesboro. Questions should be directed to Cindi Pope, Wadesboro Town Clerk, 704-694-5171 or wadesboroclerk@windstream.net. For more details and to see a list of events, check out the website at www.TasteofthePeeDee.com.

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DISCOVER ANSON BIKE RIDE -
New Date & Location!

The Ninth Annual Discover Anson Bike Ride will be held on Saturday, October 11, 2014 in Wadesboro. This is a new date and location and includes new routes as well. The ride includes the choice of a 26, 43 and 62-mile route that will take you across the southern half of Anson County that has many Piedmont features of North Carolina's mountain foothills.

The entry fee is \$40 per rider (\$35 if entered by Friday, Sept. 26). A downloadable registration form is available at www.ansoncounty.org. On the day of the bike ride, registration begins at 8 a.m. at First Baptist Church, 309 Lee Avenue, Wadesboro, NC. The ride will receive the øgreen flagö at 9 a.m.

The Discover Anson Bike Ride is being held in conjunction with the Taste of the Pee Dee: Arts, Crafts & Outdoor Living in Uptown Wadesboro that will offer lots of fun activities, food, crafts and more that you and your family can enjoy. Funding for the Bike Ride Postcards and Flyers was provided by Anson County Tourism Development Authority. For more information, call the Anson County Chamber of Commerce at 704.694.4181 or visit www.ansoncounty.org.



Farm City Week Awards Banquet!

Over 170 farmers, livestock producers, business and community leaders from across the county were in attendance at the annual Farm-City Week Dinner, held Tuesday, September 23 at the Lockhart-Taylor Center.

The event was held to emphasize the collaborations between the farming industry and the business community. Outstanding individuals were also recognized and awarded plaques for their dedication to agriculture and business.

Plaques given during the evening were Outstanding Farmer of the Year Award to Jamie Caudle of Caudle Farms, presented by Jessica Morgan, Agricultural Extension Agent. Outstanding Agri-Business was awarded to Jason Kiker of Kiker Resource Management, LLC and presented by Lynn Edwards, Executive Director of the Anson County Chamber of Commerce.

Brown Creek Soil & Water Conservation Board Supervisor Eddie Edwards recognized Steve and Nichole Carpenter as the 2014 Anson County Conservation Farm Family.

Tina Rowell, Brown Creek SWCD District Director, recognized Carolina Farm Credit for 35 years and Anson County Farm Bureau for 30 years of being a sponsor for Brown Creek Soil & Water Conservation District.

Nichole Carpenter, Brown Creek SWCD Supervisor, recognized Resource Conservation Workshop Participant Nicholas Leak for his participation in the named program they sponsored at N.C. State University this summer.

A special thank you was given to Anson County Farm Bureau for being the 2014 Farm-City Week Dinner Sponsor.

Entertainer and Comedian Larry Weaver from Durham, NC entertained the group after dinner with his *õGood, Clean, Southern Comedyö* show.



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CALENDAR

■ The Chamber of Commerce Marketing Committee will meet at 8:00 a.m. on Thursday, October 2.

■ The Chamber of Commerce Board of Directors will meet at 7:30 a.m. on Tuesday, October 21.

■ The AEDC will meet at 7:30 a.m. on Thursday, October 16.

■ Uptown Wadesboro Inc. will meet at 12:00 p.m. on Tuesday, October 14.

All of the above meetings will be held at the Chamber of Commerce.

Upcoming Calendar Events

October 4 - The Anson County Arts Council invites you to join them for An Evening for the Arts from 6:30-11:00 p.m. at the Lockhart-Taylor Center's Ingram Room. Tickets are \$50 each. You'll enjoy delicious heavy hors d'oeuvres and fantastic background and dance music by Clair, one of Charlotte's premier dance bands, as well as both silent and live auctions of wonderful artwork and other items. For more information call 704-694-4950.

October 11 - Taste of the Pee Dee's Arts, Crafts & Outdoor Living from 9:00 am to 9:00 pm. Visit www.TasteOfThePeedee.com or call 704-694-5171.

October 13 is Columbus Day

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October 16 - The Old Store in Lilesville will hold their Cruise In starting at 5:00 pm. For more information call 704-848-8385.

October 18 - United Way Day of Caring.

October 18 is "Shop with a Cop" Motorcycle Ride will be hosted by the Wadesboro Police Department. Registration will be held from 10:00 am to 11:00 am in the Wadesboro Police Department parking lot. Fee is \$15 single riders & \$20 double riders. For more information call Chief Spencer at 704-475-2695 or Sgt. Cannon at 704-475-2997. This event raises money to help provide Christmas gifts for less fortunate kids.

October 18 is Wadesboro Free Family Fun

Festival! 10 am - 3 pm at Ray Shelton Athletic Field Free Pizza, Snow Cones, Cotton Candy - Bouncy Houses for kids - Free Drawings & Giveaways! Gospel Concert and Crusade 2pm-3pm Contact Rev Jeff Chavis - 910-489-6349 email: chavisfive@aol.com (Rain location: Wadesboro Elementary Gymnasium)

October 18 - The Circles of Hope program will hold a "Dancing with the Stars" fundraiser starting at 6:00 pm at Wadesboro Primary School auditorium on Highway 52. For more information call 704-994-2333.

October 31 is Halloween.



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