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Take the AARP Smart Driver course at Grace Senior Center on Tuesday, May 12, from 10 a.m. until 2:30 p.m. Lunch will be provided. This classroom course costs \$15 for AARP Members and \$20 for non-members. Space is limited, so register now by calling Grace Senior Center at 704-694-6616.

“All Things Tea” Exhibit at Burr Gallery

The Cheraw Arts Commission will present "All Things Tea" exhibit in May at the Burr Gallery and will host a Mother-Daughter Garden Tea Party during Mother's Day weekend. The exhibit will feature collections of tea pots, cups and tea accessories throughout May. The Gallery is located at the Cheraw Community Center. Hours are 8:30 a.m. to 5 p.m. Monday-Friday.

Mothers, daughters, grandmothers and aunts are invited to celebrate Mom's special time on Saturday, May 9 at Kevin Lear's in Cheraw, from 11 a.m. to 1 p.m. Tickets can be purchased at the Cheraw Community Center, 200 Powe Street. Prices are \$25 per couple (mother/daughter) with additional adult (\$12.50) and additional child (\$10). For information about the exhibit or tea party call 843-537-8420 ext. 12.

Men for Change 2015

This is a release from Anson County Domestic Violence Coalition (ACDVC): Anson County Domestic Violence and Rape Crisis Center will be asking the men of Anson County to take a pledge this Father's Day to create for women and children, a community free from violence. Starting April 29 and continuing through June 5, a committee of men will be asking other men to take this pledge. An insert will be in The Express Newspaper the week before Father's Day this June listing the names of each contributor.

Individual pledges will be \$5. To pledge in honor of someone or in memory of someone will cost \$10. Any business that would like to pledge will be asked to pay at least \$25.

The proceeds from this fundraiser will go directly to assist victims of domestic violence or sexual assault so they may live in a home free from violence.

"We need men from every area of Anson County to be on the selling committee so that every man in our county has the chance to participate," said Patricia Davis, ACDVC Victim Advocate. "This was our largest fundraiser in past years. Our goal is to top that in 2015. The man who raises the most money will receive a prize, sponsored by Forbes Jewelers." ACDVC is a nonprofit organization and all donations are tax deductible. Tax letters will be mailed after June 17.

If you would like to be on the selling committee please contact Patricia Davis by phone at 704-694-4499 or email patricia.davis39@outlook.com for details. If you want to make a donation to Men for a Change, our mailing address is PO Box 694, Wadesboro, NC 28170.

This Week in Sports

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- AHS: V. Baseball Conf. Tourn. (if we win Tues.) @ Marvin Ridge
- AHS: V Softball Conf. Tourn. (if we win Tues.) @ Piedmont

THURSDAY, MAY 7

- AHS: V Baseball Conf. Tourn. (if we win Wed.) @ Marvin Ridge
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- AHS: Soccer vs. Marvin Ridge Away - 5:30

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