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In a release from Rodney Diggs, President of the the Kiwanis Club of Wadesboro: The Kiwanis Club of Wadesboro serves all the youth of Anson County with programs designed to encourage our children to be the best that they can be. If our children are to be our future leaders then we must spend time to help them with their development. We need more volunteers and your financial support to help us continue the programs that have been so successful. Our "Terrific Kids" program is in every elementary school in the county. We have received overwhelming support from the administration and faculty at each school.

in addition we have participated in many other programs, some of which include Coats for Kids, Relay for Life, Anson County Special Olympics, Safe Kids - Safe Communities, Halloween on the Square, Dolly Parton Imagination Library, Clover Crawl, Back to School Supplies Project and Children's Asthma Camp

In order to fund these programs with children as our primary focus we have chosen to have an annual mailing campaign. In that campaign we are asking donors for support in the form of a \$100 donation. If you can contribute, please send any amount you can to: Wadesboro Kiwanis Club, PO Box 236, Wadesboro NC 28170.

The children of Anson County need your support. All the money raised by this fundraising campaign will be spent on Anson County children. This money is not diverted to other counties or states - it stays in Anson County for our kids. When so much money raised in Anson County is being sent to other places, isn't it nice to know that this money will remain here? Please consider how far your \$100 will go to help our kids. Thank you so much for

for your continued support of the children of Anson REAL 3D PRESENTATION County. Additional \$2 charge per ticket for 3D presentation Movie before 6pm only \$4.50

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At Johnson Chapel Church. Wed-Pastor Andrew Davis, Thu-Pastor Sylvia McLendon, Fri-Pastor Cindy Wiggins, 7:30pm & Sun-Bishop WP Chapman, 3pm **DECEMBER 3**

Adult Christmas Play At Mineral Springs Baptist

Church, 7pm. Everyone is invited

Annual Observance By Harris Chapel AME Zion

Adult Choir, 2:30pm. Everybody cordially invited Rainbow Tea

At Centenary AME Zion, 6pm. Public is invited DECEMBER 3 & 4 **Christmas Drama**

Outdoors on front lawn, "Jesus, the Heartbeat of Every Generation" at North Wadesboro Baptist Church, 7pm nightly. Can be watched from you car. 21st year! Info & transportation 704-694-3711

Annual Men's Program At Lindsey Chapel Church,

DECEMBER 4

3pm w/Pastor Eddie Lee. All are invited 5th Choir Anniversary Of Pee Dee Spirituals at Pee

Dee Baptist Church in Lilesville, 2:30pm. Sing, dance, recite a poem, whatever you want! Pastor Anniversary

For Bishop LR Byrd at Lakeside Holiness Church, 2pm w/guest speaker & singing. Everyone is invited

DECEMBER 10 Christmas Ball For West Deep Creek MBC at Laverne Banquet Hall at Wingate College, 5pm

Children's Christmas At Mineral Springs Baptist

DECEMBER 11

Church, 11am. Everyone is invited 3rd Anniversary

Of Bishop Arvester Lindsey

Events

McLendon Christmas Cantata "Beautiful Star" at New Hope UMC, 6pm

and Min Terry Lindsey at Rose of Sharon Friendship

COG, 3pm w/Elder Sylvia

Special Program

One Hundred Men In Black at Gatewood Station AME Zion. 3pm w/Bishop Walter Ellerbe **DECEMBER 11 & 18**

Ongoing Youth Revival Harmony Community Church, 6-9pm w/worship by various artists, speaker Josh Meadows, food, fellowship &

DECEMBER 15 & 18 Christmas Cantata

"Hope is Born, Emmanuel" at Deep Creek Baptist Church. Thu-7pm & Sun-11am

DECEMBER 18

Christmas Program At Lindsey Chapel Church, 3pm. All are invited

Christmas Program At West Deep Creek MBC. Dinner follows service **ONGOING**

Bible Study & Prayer At Savannah AME Zion

Tuesdays at 6pm. The public is invited Live on the Radio Min Gregory Williams on

WADE 1340AM every 1st & 3rd Saturday, 2pm **Bible Class**

Tuesday nights at Lakeside Holiness Church, 6:30-7:30pm, activities for children Bible Study

At Parsons Grove MBC Tue at 6:30pm & Wed at noon **Noon Prayer**

At Greater St. Mark COD, noon on Tuesdays

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Christmas Parade Wadesboro. uptown 4:45pm

DECEMBER 2 <u>Zimmer Friends</u>

Meet at Lady Bug Restaurant,

DECEMBER 3 Christmas Party

Woodmen of the World at Lodge Hall, 6pm w/special guest singer Tony King. Tickets available at WOW

office, 205 W. Morgan St **DECEMBER 4** Anson Singers Perform at 3pm at First United Methodist Church in Wadesboro, to the prior

Wadesboro Tour of Homes.

Free & open to the public Deadline to Register Christmas

Workshop offered by 4-H to be held Dec 22, 9am-1pm. You don't have to be enrolled in 4-H to attend. Register at Cooperative Extension, 501 McLaurin St in Wadesboro

Tour of Homes

Deadline for Contest

Tour Christmastime Homes, 4-7pm, beginning at Arts Council. \$10 **DECEMBER 5**

Anson County Writer's Club

prose & poetry contest. Cash prizes, winners published. Info at Hampton B. Allen Library or 704-694-5431 **DECEMBER 6**

NCRSP meets at 10am at Wadesboro Primary School on Hwy 52S. New retirees invited. Program by Show Choir. Meeting afterwards at home of Marlene Richardson. Info 704-851-9091

Youth Basketball

Deadline. Register at Little Park, M-F, 8:30am-5pm. Ages K-12, boys & girls, \$25 per player. 704-694-5868

Tourism Meeting

Tourism Anson County

Every Tuesday, 1-4pm in Olde Mill Gallery in Lockhard-Taylor Center. Bring your supplies. Free, donations accepted. 704-694-4950

DECEMBER 8 Senior Citizen **Christmas**

Room at Lockhart-Taylor Center in Wadesboro. Register 704-694-6616

Registration

JANUARY 11

Development Authority meets at noon at Lady Bug Restaurant. Public is invited **ONGOING EVENTS**

Luncheon, 11am in Ingram

DECEMBER 16

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Women's League Meets 'Meet & Greet the Artists' the The second Tuesday of each

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New Beginnings Cancer Support Group Meet on third Mondays, First United Methodist Church,

118 East Morgan St., Wadesboro, 6pm, except June, July & August. Details 5:30p.m. at the Burnsville 704-694-5211

> Cruise-In Third Thursday each month,

> 5-8pm at The Old Store. Bring your cars, trucks & motorcycles

Anson County Writer's Club Contest

For the twenty-third consecutive year the Anson County Writer's Club (ACWC) will award over \$400 in prize money to the winners of its annual contests in poetry and prose. The contests have been held annually since 1989. First, second and third place winners in the adult poetry and adult prose categories will receive \$50, \$30 and \$20

respectively. Youth winners (grades 10-12) will receive \$20, \$15 and \$10 respectively. Grades 3-6 and Grades 7-9 will compete separately in the Children's division. Prizes are \$15, \$10 and \$5 respectively for prose and poetry winners in both All winners will receive a certificate suitable for framing and will be honored at a reception for friends and family on Sunday, February 26, 2012. Winning entries of the contests will be published in an anthology, Anson Pathways VIII, which will be

The adult contests are open to anyone residing in, having resided in, attending school in, or working in Anson County, or

members of the ACWC. There is a \$1 entry fee, which is waived for students at any institution of higher learning. There is

not entry fee for students. Entries will be accepted from students living in or attending school in Anson County. Rules and entry forms will be provided to all schools. The deadline for the 2011 contests is 5:30 p.m. on Monday, December 5, 2011. A complete copy of the rules and an entry form that must accompany the entry are available at the Hampton B Allen

Library, the Anson County Chamber of Commerce, or by writing to ACWC 2011 Contests, PO Box 363, Wadesboro NC 28170. Enclose a self addressed, stamped envelope. The contest co-chairpersons urge writers to study the contest rules carefully. In past years some excellent entries that might

have won were disqualified because the writers did not follow instructions. For more information call contest co-chairpersons Kaye Ratliff at 704-694-5431 or Randy Tarlton at 704-694-3448.

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Mrs. Griffin encourages all families to consider reapplying for the services. To do so call

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