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Church **MAY 10**
Women's Day Program
 At Greater St. Mark Church of Deliverance, 11:30am with National Mother Elder Mahalia Williams. All are asked to represent with an offering of \$25.
Mother's Day Celebration
 At Henry Grove Baptist Church, 11am with Rev. Peggy McManus of Galilee AME Zion Church in McFarlan. Everyone is invited.
MAY 17
Family & Friends Day
 At Red Hill Missionary Baptist Church, 11am with Co-Pastor Hall of Flakes Chapel MBC.
MAY 23
BIG Giveaway At The House of Prayer MBC, 600 Camden Rd in Wadesboro, 8am-1pm. Men, women & children's clothing, shoes & more! Also free hot dogs, chips, cake, drinks & water. Sponsors: House of Prayer, Cedar Creek MBC & Pee Dee MBC.

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MAY 24
Memorial Day Celebration Honoring veterans at Centenary AME Zion Church on Hwy 74 in Lilesville, 3pm with Rev. Barbara Thomas of Pleasant Hill & Elizabeth MBC. Dinner served. All are invited. Info 704-294-0480.
Church Anniversary At Johnson Chapel Holiness Church, 11:45am.
Pastoral Anniversary For Pastor Pearl & Lady Shirley Taylor at Johnson Chapel Holiness Church, 3pm with Pastor Terry Little. All are invited.
MAY 30
Rainbow Tea At New Grove Missionary Baptist Church, 3pm.
JUNE 14 - 18
Vacation Bible School At Freedom Baptist Church, 5964 Hwy 218, Peachland, 6-8:30pm each evening. The community is invited.
JUNE 24 - 26
Vacation Bible School At New Grove Missionary Baptist Church, 6-8pm nightly
ONGOING
Sunday Worship Schedule Calvary Episcopal Church, 308 E Wade St, Wadesboro, invites you to Sunday worship at 11am. Every 5th Sunday service is at All Souls' Episcopal Church on Main St in Ansonville.
Addiction Recovery Support group meets every Sunday, 6pm at Harmony Community Church, located at 1984 Pulpwood Yard Rd in Peachland. 704-272-7410.

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Events **MAY 19**
Board of Commissioners Meet 6pm in the Board Room, Suite 209, in Government Center, 101 S Greene St in uptown Wadesboro. Meetings are available online at youtube.com, search for Anson Commissioners. To appear, sign up prior to meeting. Info 704-994-3201.
ONGOING EVENTS
Writers' Club Meets Fourth Sunday each month at First Presbyterian Church in Wadesboro, 3pm (except July & Dec). Open to public, new members of all ages invited. Info 704-694-5211 or sandybruney@gmail.com.
Lions Club Welcomes New Members The Wadesboro Lions Club meets at Papa Joes Restaurant the 2nd & 4th Thursday each month at 6:30pm For more info or to purchase a broom please call Jim Chandler 910-571-1448.
Compassionate Friends Meet on the 2nd Thursday of each month at 7pm, at the Training Room at First Baptist Church, Lee Avenue in Wadesboro. Bereaved parents, family and friends who have lost a child of any age are invited. Info 704-694-2425

"Remember This" to Perform at Hampton B. Allen Library

Music lovers are invited to tap their toes, clap along and possibly hum tunes the rest of the day when the band "Remember This" performs at the Hampton B. Allen Library on Monday, May 11.

The concert will begin at 10:30 a.m. in the library's Little Theater.

Organizers invite the community to attend, bring a friend and enjoy a morning of live music from the talented group. Whether you know every song by heart or just enjoy good company and good music, the event promises an enjoyable time for all.

Admission is free and everyone is welcome.

Morven Cemetery Association Annual Meeting is May 11

The annual meeting of Morven Cemetery, Inc. will be held Monday, May 11, at 7:30 p.m. at Morven Baptist Church, located at 401 East Main Street in Morven.

Members and interested supporters are encouraged to attend and participate in discussions concerning the care and upkeep of the cemetery grounds.

Organizers note that while the cemetery's longtime residents remain remarkably quiet during meetings and rarely complain about landscaping decisions, maintaining the property still takes planning, funding and community support.

The meeting offers a chance for members to stay informed, share ideas and help ensure the cemetery remains a peaceful and well-kept resting place - because even the calmest neighborhood in town still needs mowing, maintenance and the occasional weed-eater.

Bluegrass Jam Session is May 14

Pickers, singers, toe-tappers and brave beginners still learning which end of the banjo points upward are all invited to the next Bluegrass Acoustic Set at the Hampton B. Allen Library on Thursday, May 14.

The musical gathering will take place from 6:30 to 8:30 p.m. in the library's Little Theater.

The sessions are open to musicians, singers and spectators of all ages and skill levels. Whether you can play lightning-fast fiddle solos or only know three guitar chords - two of them slightly incorrect - organizers say everyone is welcome to join the fun.

Audience members are also encouraged to attend and enjoy an evening of traditional bluegrass music, spontaneous jam sessions and the occasional note that may wander off looking for directions.

Children age 12 and under must be accompanied by an adult.

For more information, call the library at 704-694-5177.

Anson Senior High School Class of 1973 Reunion Planning Continues

Members of the Anson Senior High School Class of 1973 will meet Saturday, May 16, at 2:30 p.m. at Myrtlewood Apartments in Wadesboro to continue planning their upcoming class reunion. All class members are invited to attend, swap stories, renew friendships and probably debate for the 47th time about who was most likely to get sent to the principal's office back in the day.

Organizers encourage classmates to attend and help make plans for what promises to be a memorable reunion celebration.

Bowman/Anson Alumni Gala Set for June 27

The Bowman/Anson High Schools Alumni Gala is set for Saturday, June 27, promising an evening of fellowship, celebration, and community connection for alumni and friends.

The event will be held at the Lockhart-Taylor Center, located at 514 North Washington Street in Wadesboro, from 5:00 until 11:00 p.m.

Guests are encouraged to dress in black and white semi-formal attire for the occasion, adding a touch of classic style to the evening's festivities.

Tickets for the gala are \$25. Those interested in attending may purchase tickets by contacting Mary at 843-910-0018, Jeffery at 704-572-3966, or Lorraine at 813-573-4977.

Organizers invite all alumni and supporters to come out and enjoy a memorable night of reconnecting, reminiscing, and celebrating the legacy of Bowman and Anson high schools.

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