



### Raffle for Veterans Memorial Project at Wadesboro Park

The Anson County Veterans Council is constructing a new Veterans Memorial to be located inside the Wadesboro City Park. The memorial will be concrete, with a granite marker that displays the emblems of the five branches of service and flags along with the American flag on a 30 foot pole. The memorial will also have the North Carolina flag and the Anson County flag on each side at 25 feet tall. The memorial will have a box for citizens to discard used American flags. Flags placed inside the box will be collected and disposed of properly.

Work is progressing, and recently sod has been added along with some shrubbery. Everyone is invited to come visit to see the progress. More shrubbery will be added in the fall. The next project will be the addition of the three flag poles. A new fundraiser has begun for this project, the raffling of a Marlin XT-17 Series rifle. Tickets are \$5 and will be available in the next two weeks.

To learn more about the raffle call Ed Parker at 704-694-6770. To make a contribution, please make checks payable to the Anson County Veterans Council, PO Box 791, Wadesboro, NC 28170. Donations are tax deductible.

### Cheraw Arts Commission Summer Theatre Camp Performance

Campers at the Cheraw Arts Commission's Theatre Camp will be busy learning lines, songs and rehearsing dance routines. These budding actors present two shows on Friday, August 5 at the Theatre on the Green.

The Cheraw Arts Commission has offered this annual summer camp for 20+ years. Laura Blanchette with Porkchop Productions serves as director. This year's shows are Camp Doo-Wop- Doo-Wop featuring younger campers. Evening of Retro Commercials will be performed by students in 5th grade and up.

The public is invited to attend the performances starting at 6:00 p.m. Admission is \$2 per person. Contact the Cheraw Arts Commission at 843.537.8420 x 12 for information.

### Anson Animal Shelter Needs Volunteers - Would You Like to Help?

The Animal Shelter depends on the help of volunteers to ensure that animal residents receive love and care. More volunteers will also help relieve the workload on staff which can result in more time for resident animals to be adopted before they are euthanized (put to sleep). Please consider volunteering. For more information on helping, call 704-694-4832.

Anson County Animal Shelter is listed on [Petfinder.com](http://Petfinder.com). This is a searchable national database of pets available for adoption that includes a description and photo. All the animals that are up for adoption are listed and have a picture. Just go to [Petfinder.com](http://Petfinder.com) and search for any Anson County town or zip code.

A rescue from Animal Shelter can bring lots of happiness and love into any home...and you will make the animal happy too! It's a win-win.

**And remember, older animals need a home and love too!**

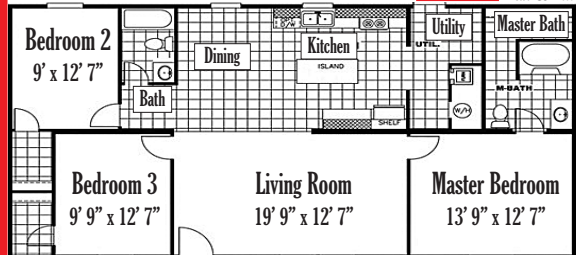
### Uptown Wadesboro Farmers Market is Now Open

The Uptown Wadesboro, Inc. Farmers Market is open every Thursday, from 4 to 6 p.m. Come the Square (corner of Wade and Greene Streets) and you will find a variety of produce and other food items from the area.

If you would like to participate as a vendor, please contact UWI at 704-695-1644.

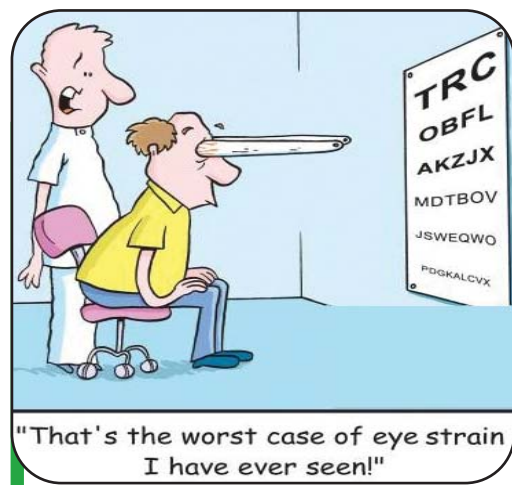
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