

Back to School Event for Teachers Held on August 18

Commissioner Vancine Sturdivant/Faith Based Center of Hope along with Harvest Ministries (Pastors Tim and Stave Adams) partnered together to raise funds and collect school supplies this year for every teachers and school in Anson County. On Saturday, August 18 teachers from every school in Anson County came to Harvest Ministries to "shop" for schools supplies their classroom would need to be successful.

The event opened with greetings by Commissioner Sturdivant followed by scriptures of encouragement and special prayer for all teachers and schools across the county by Harvest Lead Pastor Steve Adams.

For many weeks prior to the event, many volunteers donated school supplies, money, and time to ensure teachers would receive the materials listed by each school throughout the county. Wadesboro Walmart assisted in this year's endeavor allowing event volunteers to set up and collect donations and supplies for two weekends.

Commissioner Vancine Sturdivant said, "For over 20 years, through God, the support of my husband William Sturdivant and dedicated citizens, Faith Based Center of Hope has supplied youth uniforms and school materials in order to prepare students for an education. Each year the needs get larger, and each year a way is made to accommodate everyone. Because of the generous, amazing, and unconditional love and kindness of Senior Pastor/Founder Tim Adams and Lead Pastor Steve Adams of Harvest Ministries Outreach Center, this has been one of our best years.

Pastor Steve of Harvest added, "The need is the call, and it has been our goal for over 19 years to try and answer the call. What makes this even greater is the partnership and coming together of organizations and people who see that we can do so much more if we unite and pool resources."

Adams continued, "We thank God for everyone who donated. Special thanks to everyone who played a part in this year's success."

Thanks are given to Wal-Mart of Wadesboro and all the Associates for their help and commitment. To Anson County Schools, Superintendent Michael Freeman, and the School Bus Garage for bringing the school bus to pack.

Event sponsors included Poisson, Poisson and Bower, Clerk of Court Mark Hammonds, Pastor Michael McLeod, Northcutt Affordables, Showtime Tattoos of Rockingham, C&M Auto, Beverly Getzen, Leavitt Funeral Home, Marc Richardson, Attorney Evadne Smith Lady Bug Restaurant, Commissioner Jim Sims, and the hundreds of Anson County citizens and others who donated each weekend at Wal-mart!

Adams concluded, "We look forward to a continued partnership to reach even more students, families, and people of Anson County!"



Storytime Every Tuesday

The Hampton B. Allen Library features Storytime for children every Tuesday at 10 a.m. This program is free and an enjoyable learning experience for children. For more information call 704-694-5177.



FALL REVIVAL WITH Pastor Rick Coram
September 9 to 12 7pm to 9pm

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PUBLIC NOTICE

**NCDOT TO HOLD PUBLIC MEETING
FOR THE PROPOSED MEDIAN
CONSTRUCTION ALONG EAST CASWELL
STREET (U.S. 74) FROM GRAHAM STREET
TO ALLEN POND ROAD (S.R. 1749)
IN WADESBORO, ANSON COUNTY**

TIP PROJECT NO. R-5798

The N.C. Department of Transportation will hold a public meeting regarding the proposed project to construct a median along East Caswell Street (U.S. 74) from Graham Street to Allen Pond Road (S.R. 1749) in Wadesboro. The meeting will take place on Tuesday, September 11, from 4 p.m. to 7 p.m. at the Anson County School District Office, located at 320 Camden Road in Wadesboro.

The public may drop-in at any time during the meeting hours. NCDOT representatives will be available to answer questions and listen to comments regarding the project. The opportunity to submit comments will also be provided at the meeting or via phone, email, or mail by September 26, 2018. Comments received will be taken into consideration as the project develops. Please note that no formal presentation will be made.

Project information and materials can be viewed as they become available online at <https://www.ncdot.gov/news/public-meeting>.

For additional information, contact Travis Preslar, P.E., NCDOT Division 10 Project Manager, at 12033 East Independence Boulevard, Suite H, Matthews, NC 28105, 704-845-1151, or tjpreslar@ncdot.gov.

NCDOT will provide auxiliary aids and services under the Americans with Disabilities Act for disabled persons who wish to participate in this meeting. Anyone requiring special services should contact Caitlyn Ridge, P.E., Environmental Analysis Unit Public Involvement Officer at c_ridge1@ncdot.gov or 919-707-6091 as early as possible so that arrangements can be made.

Persons who speak Spanish and do not speak English, or have a limited ability to read, speak or understand English, may receive interpretive services upon request prior to the meeting by calling 1-800-481-6494.

Aquellas personas que hablan español y no hablan inglés, o tienen limitaciones para leer, hablar o entender inglés, podrían recibir servicios de interpretación si los solicitan antes de la reunión llamando al 1-800-481-6494.