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**Group Meeting With Information About NC State  
Health Plan Open Enrollment at Grace Senior Center**  
**TUESDAY, OCTOBER 3 10AM - 12 NOON**

Grace Senior Center will be providing a group meeting to help with information about the NC State Health Plan Open Enrollment for the 2024 benefit year, which runs October 9-27, 2023.

Retirees who are enrolled with the North Carolina State Health Plan are welcome to attend to ask questions about their health plan.

Join Joanne Clark, Tomasina Spencer and Brenda Bennett, who are Grace Senior Center Senior Health Insurance Information Program (SHIIP) Counselors, on Tuesday, October 3. They will be available from 10:00 a.m. to 12:00 noon at Grace Senior Center.

Please call (704) 694-6616 to register.

Grace Senior Center is located at 199 Highway 742 South in Wadesboro, on the left just past IGA. For information call 704-694-6616.

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**Church**

**SEPTEMBER 24 - 27  
Homecoming**  
At Cathedral Baptist Church, 7pm. 1215 Old Lilesville Rd, Wadesboro.

**SEPTEMBER 29  
Collard Sandwich Sale**  
at Rocky Mount AME Zion Church, located at 465 Grassy Island Rd, Ansonville, starting at 11am. Also serving hot dogs & sausage dogs.

**SEPTEMBER 30  
Free Household Items & Paper Goods**  
at Community Outreach Tent Meeting hosted by Lamb of God Church in the Wadesboro IGA parking lot, 805 Camden Rd, 9am as long as supplies last. Info 843-623-3777.

**OCTOBER 1 - 4  
Annual Revival**  
At Johnson Chapel Holiness Church. Sun-11:45am Pastor Pearl Taylor, Mon-Elder Justin Murphy, Tue & Wed-Pastor Betty Tillman, all at 7pm nightly. All are invited.

**OCTOBER 6 & 8  
Fish Fry Sale & Family & Friends Day**  
at Rocky Mount AME Zion Church in Ansonville. Fish fry Friday starting at 11am. Sunday service 3pm with Rev. Jeff Adams.

**OCTOBER 8  
41st Anniversary of Pastor & Wife**, Apostle Leonard L. Williams at Greater St. Mark Church of Deliverance, located at 1003 N. Main St. in Wadesboro. All are invited to attend.

**Gospel Singing**  
At Bethany Freewill Baptist Church, 6pm featuring the Cameronian Quartet.

**OCTOBER 14  
Yard Sale** 2nd \$5 & below Yard Sale by Harris Chapel AME Zion Church Missionary Dept, 10am-12 noon in the Fellowship Hall.

**OCTOBER 15  
Friends of Shiloh Day**  
at Shiloh Christian Community Church, 11am with special guest Pastor Chris Jackson & Family leading in worship & singing. Pot Luck dinner after service, with food, fellowship & fun! All are welcome. Located at 1752 Shiloh Church Rd, Morven.

**OCTOBER 21  
Youth Gospel Fest** At Lockhart-Taylor Center. Doors open 4pm with vendors, food, music CDs. \$10 donation required by tickets or at the door. For info contact Vancine Sturdivant, Patricia Robinson, Sarah Crawford or Peggy Melton.

**Events**

**SEPTEMBER 28  
Beekeepers Meeting**  
At Extension Office, 501 McLaurin St. in Wadesboro, 7pm. Discussing winter preparations, and hive moisture control. 50/50 drawings, door prizes & Anson County Beekeepers (ACBA) t-shirts for sale. Open to anyone interested in having bees for honey & pollination. Info 704-475-7939 or Facebook page, "Anson Beekeepers Association."

**SEPTEMBER 30  
Music on the Square** in Peachland, 4:30-10pm with DJ Leon Gatewood, the Village Green Band & a variety of food vendors. Info 704-272-7781.

**OCTOBER 3  
Board of Commissioners Meet** 6pm in Board Room, Suite 209, in Government Center, 101 S Greene St in uptown Wadesboro. Now there are two regular monthly meetings. Meetings are available online at [youtube.com](https://www.youtube.com), search for Anson Commissioners. To appear, sign up prior to meeting. Info 704-994-3201.

**OCTOBER 8  
Taylor Family Reunion**  
Descendants & family connections of Ben Taylor will meet at Hopewell Methodist Church in Peachland at 1pm. Bring auction item for auction after dinner.

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**ONGOING EVENTS  
Alcoholics Anonymous** Regular meetings on Mondays at 7:30pm and Wednesdays at 12 noon. AA welcomes all who are seeking help, as well those wanting to help another person. The AA building is located at 2177 Country Club Rd. in Wadesboro, across from the Anson EMS building.

**Virtual Visit with Reptile 101 in Morven**

The Hampton B. Allen Library invites you to join them on their Facebook and Youtube pages as they visit Reptile 101 in Morven. Taren Fregosi and Eastin Roberts are the owners of this reptile zoo. The program will be on Monday, October 2 at 11 a.m. Any questions please call 704-694-5177.

**Funny, Random & Weird Holidays**

- September 28 Thursday - Ask a Stupid Question Day
- September 28 Thursday - Good Neighbor Day
- September 30 Saturday - Hot Mulled Cider Day
- October 1 Sunday - International Coffee Day
- October 1 Sunday - Balloons Around the World Day
- October 2 Monday - Phileas Fogg Wager Day
- October 4 Wednesday - Taco Day

**\$5 & Below Yard Sale**

The Missionary Department at Harris Chapel AME Zion Church are holding a big yard sale on Saturday, October 14, from 10 a.m. to 12 noon. They invite everyone to come out and take advantage of the great deals - everything is priced \$5 or less. The sale will take place in the Fellowship Hall.

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