

Southern Medley Wine Cellar Grand Opening is October 24

Southern Medley Wine Cellar and the Anson County Chamber of Commerce invite you to attend the Grand Opening and Ribbon Cutting for Southern Medley on Thursday, October 24 at 4 p.m. Owner Elizabeth Schafer and Winemaker Jeffery Oliver look forward to meeting you at the event. They will offer light refreshments and wine samples. You may purchase a bottle of your favorite!

Southern Medley is located at 118 North Rutherford Street in Wadesboro. They are open Thursday thru Saturday 2 to 8 p.m. and Sunday noon to 6 p.m. The telephone number is 704-994-2389.

Seeking Great Cooks!

What: Uptown Wadesboro's 1st Annual Chili Cookoff! **Where:** Southern Medley Wine Cellar, Anson County's first Winery, located at 118 North Rutherford Street in Wadesboro. **When:** Sunday, November 10, starting at 2 p.m.

Think your chili is the best? Individuals, businesses and non-profit groups are invited to show off their great cooking skills. This is a great way to come together as a community and gain visibility. All chili will be voted on by the public. The cook/team with the most votes wins a cash prize and bragging rights.

For \$5 each voter will be given tasting cups, 1 spoon, and a voter card. After tasting all chilis, the card will be placed anonymously in the ballot box to ensure the votes cannot be swayed by the cooks.

Cook-Off Rules: Teams must provide a large covered pot (minimum of 3 gallons) of pre-cooked chili, and provide an appropriate method to keep the chili hot, such as a crockpot, sterno, propane grill, or hot plate. Chili must be prepared from scratch, without commercial chili mixes used.

Southern Medley Wine Cellar will provide tables, one team sign, electricity, tasting cups, spoons, napkins, and voting ballots. Only six teams will be permitted to enter. Entry is on a first come basis. The event will be held rain or shine. The event will be cancelled and deposits refunded if a minimum number of cooks do not sign up.

A \$50 Deposit check is required to enter. Your check will be refunded after your participation in the cookoff. If you do not show on the event date, your check will be cashed. Check-in is 12 noon. Teams will need to be ready to serve chili by 1:45 p.m.

For more information contact Southern Medley at 704-994-2389.

BRLC After School Program Kids Cafe is Now Available

Burnsville Recreation and Learning Center's Kids Café is now available and taking applications for after school students ages 5 to 14 years.

- Kids Café is extended to all parents who need this service
- Professionally trained staff, nutritious meals, snacks, physical activities and help with homework is provided
- Affordable prices
- Clean, safe environment, and convenient location - 13349 Highway 742 North in Burnsville, across from Fire Department
- Times of Operation 3 until 5:30 p.m. - and longer if services are needed Monday through Friday
- Services can be provided on days when school releases early if needed
- Drop-ins are welcome, but parent must enroll students in advance

BRLC is available to serve all families. For more information call 704-826-8182 or 704-826-8737. The contacts are BRLC Director Carol Smith and Deloris Hammond.

State Board of Community Colleges to Meet at SPCC

The State Board of Community Colleges will hold its annual planning session and regular monthly meeting at South Piedmont Community College's Old Charlotte Highway Campus in Monroe on October 16-18. The Board generally meets in Raleigh, but once a year it gathers on the campus of one of the state's 58 community colleges.

The State Board of Community Colleges serves as the governing authority for the North Carolina Community College System, the nation's third largest. Former South Piedmont Community College Trustee Lynn Raye of Marshville is a member.

On Thursday South Piedmont Community College President Dr. Stan Sidor will lead the 21-member board on a tour of the college's new Center for Technology and Health Education. SPCC completed work recently on Phase 1 of the Center, which consolidates all instructional

aspects of its advanced manufacturing and industrial maintenance programs, including mechatronics and CNC machining courses, into the nearly 50,000-square-foot facility.



GHOST STORIES AT THE DEPOT

Saturday, October 26
7pm to Midnight at Polkton Depot

Groups in 30 minute intervals hear spooky stories about our county. Told by a local Ansonian. \$5 per person.

Door Prizes & Refreshments!

Carolinas HealthCare System Hosts Comedy Benefit to Support Women Fighting Breast Cancer

Carolinas Medical Center-Union's Edwards Cancer Center, part of Carolinas HealthCare System's Levine Cancer Institute, will host the 5th Annual Tickled Pink for Breast Cancer, a night of comedy to benefit women fighting breast cancer in Union and surrounding counties, on Thursday, October 17, from 6 until 9 p.m.

The evening will begin with a silent auction followed by a comedy show with entertainment provided by standup comedians Etta May and Julie Scoggins. Tickled Pink for Breast Cancer helps raise awareness and funds that provide free mammogram screenings and financial assistance to breast cancer patients.

Tickled Pink for Breast Cancer will be held at the Rolling Hills Country Club in Monroe, NC. Tickets are \$45 and are on sale at CMC-Union's gift shop or at The Silver Lining in downtown Monroe. Proceeds will benefit Edwards Cancer Center at CMC-Union, part of Carolinas HealthCare System's Levine Cancer Institute.

For more information, visit Carolinashealth-care.org/tickled-pink.

WES Book Fair Needs You!

Wadesboro Elementary School is hosting its fall book fair through this Friday, October 18. This is their fourth year of asking for the community's help and their hope is that volunteers will step forward and become "Book Buddies" for WES students. Unfortunately, due to the economy, many of our children's families simply do not have the extra resources available to purchase a book for their child or children.

If you have \$5 and 15 minutes to spare, please contact Sharolyn Carpenter at 704-694-9383. The WES student enrollment is 165 and what a blessing it would be for each student to have an adult help them select one book that will become the start of their very own library.

Please help us spread the word! Thanks a million!

Natalie White Recognized for Leadership and Honors



Natalie Marie White has recently been recognized by Sigma Alpha Lambda by earning membership into that organization. Sigma Alpha Lambda is a National Leadership and Honors Organization at the University of North Carolina at Greensboro, where Natalie attends college.

The organization is dedicated to promoting and rewarding academic achievement, and provides members with opportunities for community service, personal development and lifelong professional fulfillment.

Natalie is the daughter of Lisa White Burr of Chesterfield and Benjamin Brasington III of Kernersville, NC. Her grandparents are Charlie and Wanda White of Morven and Benjy and Patsy Brasington of Wadesboro.

VFW/Ladies Auxiliary Meeting

The James D. Henderson VFW/Ladies Auxiliary Post 10403 will meet this Thursday, October 17 at 7 p.m. Meetings are held every third Thursday of each month at the Hampton B. Allen Library. All veterans of foreign wars are invited.

For more information call Post Commander James Bennett at 704-694-2090 or Ladies Auxiliary President Dara Kelly-Campbell at 704-851-3374.

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**FARM
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**Anson County
Farm Bureau
Annual Meeting
Tuesday, October 29th**

Location: Lockhart-Taylor Center
514 North Washington Street • Wadesboro, NC

Time: **Doors will open at 6:15 p.m.**
Dinner starts at 6:30 p.m.
Business meeting starts at 7 p.m..

Admission: \$2 per person

We can only allow 2 people per membership. You must be present for your guest to come.

*Please present your membership card at the door.

You will be electing officers, directors and delegates to the state convention.

We look forward to seeing you there. Ronnie Mills, President

Notice of Municipal Election for Anson County, North Carolina

The MUNICIPAL ELECTION will be held on Tuesday, November 5, 2013. The polls will be open for voting on Election Day from 6:30am to 7:30pm.

The Following Municipalities will have the following contests:

ANSON COUNTY POLLING PLACES:

Town of Lilesville

Mayor and 5 Council Seats

ANSONVILLE FIRE-RESCUE 9145 US HWY 52 N, ANSONVILLE

BURNSVILLE FIRE-RESCUE 33 RESCUE RD, POLKTON

GULLEDGE FIRE DEPT 34 CHEWNING RD, WADESBORO

LILESVILLE FIRE DEPT 202 W WALL ST, LILESVILLE

MORVEN-MCFARLAN FIRE DEPT 242 E MAIN ST, MORVEN

PEACHLAND FIRE DEPT 35 E PASSAIC ST, PEACHLAND

POLKTON FIRE DEPT 61 W POLK ST, POLKTON

Town of Morven

3 Town Council Seats

WADESBORO-1 SPCC LOCKHART TAYLOR-INGRAM RM
514 N WASHINGTON ST, WADESBORO

WADESBORO 2-CHARLES RIDDLE STAFF DEV
305 WHITE STORE RD, WADESBORO

WADESBORO 3-WADESBORO PRIMARY SCHOOL AUDITORIUM
1542 US HWY 52 S, WADESBORO

WHITE STORE-COMMUNITY BLDG
5672 UNION CHURCH RD, PEACHLAND

Town of Peachland

3 Town Council Seats

Town of Polkton

Mayor and 5 Council Seats

Town of Wadesboro

3 Town Council Seats

Buffer Zone Notice: All election day polling places and the One-stop voting location will have signs posted to indicate a 50 foot buffer zone where no electioneering will be allowed per NC GS 163-166.4(a).

Anson County residents may register to vote by mail or in person at the Board of Elections Office. The deadline to register to vote on Election Day is **5:00pm Friday, October 12, 2012**. If you are registered to vote in Anson County (and your name or address has not changed) you DO NOT need to register again to vote in this election.

Absentee by Mail voting is available upon request from the Voter, a near relative or legal guardian. Application may be made in person at the Anson County Board of Elections Office, or in writing to the Anson County Board of Elections at PO Box 768, Wadesboro, NC 28170.

The deadline to apply for an Absentee by Mail ballot is 5:00pm, Tuesday, October 29th, 2013.

One-stop voting will begin on Thursday, October 17th and ends on Saturday, November 2, 2013 at the Charles Riddle Center of The Anson County Board of Education – 320 Camden Road Wadesboro, North Carolina (**ENTER OFF CAMDEN ROAD ACROSS FROM THE WADESBORO ELEMENTARY SCHOOL**). The hours of operation will be Monday through Friday 8:30 A.M. to 5:00 P.M., and Saturday November 2nd 8:30 am – 1:00 pm.

In person registration (and voting) will be available during One-stop voting but not on Election Day. Only the TOWN OF MORVEN does not offer Absentee Voting.

Absentee meetings: The Anson County Board of Elections will meet to approve applications for absentee ballots for the November 5, 2013 Municipal Election at the Board of Elections office, 101 S. Greene Street Wadesboro, NC 28170 pursuant to G.S. 163.230.1(c1). Other business may be transacted by the board at this time... **TUESDAY NOVEMBER 5TH AT 2:00 PM.** Absentee by Mail ballots will be counted on **TUESDAY NOVEMBER 5TH AT 2:00 PM.** Results for Absentee Mail and One-Stop voting will be reported after polls close at 7:30pm.

Canvass Day meeting will be held in the Board of Elections Office on Tuesday, November 12, 2013 at 11:00am.

Any questions about registration, absentee ballots, voting locations, or other election matters may be answered by calling the Board of Elections office at 704-994-3223 between the hours of 8:00am and 5:00pm, Monday through Friday.

Shawna Loftis, Chairman
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