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School Board Meeting for Monday, December 13 to be Live Streamed on YouTube

The Anson County Board of Education will hold their regular meeting on Monday, December 13. Closed Session will begin immediately after the opening of the meeting at 3:00 p.m. Open Session to the public will begin at about 4:30 p.m.

The meeting will be live streamed on the Anson County Schools' YouTube channel for the public to view. To find the channel you can search YouTube for "Anson County Schools."

The meeting will be held in the Anson County Schools' Administrative Board Room, located at 320 Camden Road in Wadesboro.

Masks will be required for visitors.

If the public wishes to sign up for public comment, they can sign up in-person. A sign-up sheet will be available 30 minutes before the meeting begins for any individual or group to indicate their desire to address the board.

Arts Council November Spotlight Was Focused on Steven Chipper Long



This is a release from The Anson County Arts Council: Our spotlight this month is on Steven Chipper Long, a recognition long overdue. His love and devotion for the Ansonia Theatre and Anson County Arts Council is evidenced by the countless volunteer hours he contributes with energy and excitement.

A perpetual student, Chip is always striving to improve himself to help serve others. He serves the Calvary Episcopal Church, and is also executive director of Homes of Hope, a six-month transitional housing program in Anson County.

Excerpt from the Anson Record on Homes of Hope: Steven "Chipper" Long narrated a story his grandfather told him about when he immigrated from Lebanon to Ellis Island. His grandfather said he saw a man drop a nickel on the street and when the man left, he used the nickel to buy a loaf of bread. He remembered his grandfather saying the bread was moldy and that he wasn't able to eat it.

"He knew what it was like to come to this country and not speak the language and be hungry - and that stuck with me," said Long. "So he always fed people in his store."

From a young age, Long said he knew he needed to help people whenever he could. When he heard about Anson County wanting to start a Homes of Hope program, similar to the one in Stanly County, he jumped on board.

It's impossible to list all the ways Chip enriches the community, but Anson County is better because he is a part of it. Among his other duties, he serves as treasurer for a school in Indian Trail, and is a brand-new member of the Anson County Town Council.

Chip lives in the beautifully renovated Bennett-Ross & Phillips-Long House on Lee Avenue with his talented husband, Michael Phillips and their fur babies, Leo, Daisy and Pansy.

We could not do all we do without Chip, and are so thankful he is part of the Ansonia family.

We love you, Chip!! The spotlight is on YOU!!!

NOTICE Of Intent To Apply

Sandhills Community Action Program, Inc. announces its intent to apply for the 2022-2023 Community Service Block Grant Funding

administered by the North Carolina Department of Health & Human Services.

The purpose of the Community Service Block Grant is to provide a range of services and activities having a measurable and potentially major impact on the causes of poverty in the areas of the community where poverty is a particularly acute problem.

The Sandhills Community Action Board of Directors will meet via tele-conference to discuss this program on Monday, December 20, 2021 at 6:00 p.m. The Call-In number is 1-866-906-9888 & enter code: 5046269. The Public is invited.



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Letter to the Editor

Writer Thanks Veteran Services Officer Andrea Lamonds

I would like to thank Anson County, the county Veterans Service Officer (VSO) Andrea Lamonds, Anson High School JROTC, the VFW Post 10403 and the VFW Auxiliary who provided a drive by lunch on Veterans Day at Wadesboro Park for veterans and their spouses. It was a bright sunny and warm day, a great opportunity to show gratitude for our county's veterans.

The turnout was awesome, and I met new and old friends, former and current JROTC students and, best of all, got the opportunity to meet and talk with veterans from various branches of the military. Many veterans took this opportunity to park their vehicles and fellowship with their comrades in arms.

It is hard to explain how it feels to be a veteran and have the opportunity to be around other veterans. I always feel like I'm home when I'm around veterans. I felt appreciated on that day for my service to this great nation.

Sincerely, Patricia Frost CSM (R) US Army

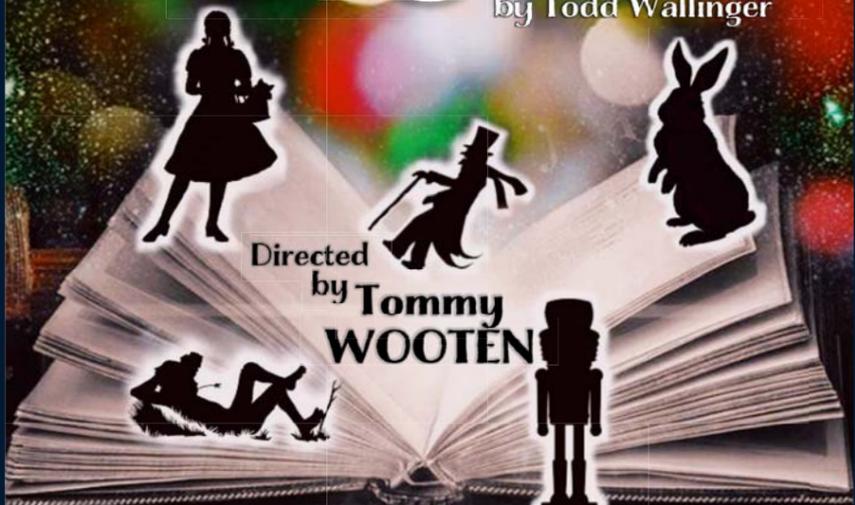
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During the current Pandemic (2020), all Team Members will be required to wear company issued facial coverings. Training will be provided to each Team Member specific to their job and their facility location in addition to signing an acknowledgement form they understand these exceptions. It is considered an essential function of each job for a Team Member to wear the company issued facial coverings. If a Team Member indicates they will not wear the mask, they will not be considered for the position in which they are applying or any position that requires the facial covering. If a Team Member has a medical condition or disability that prevents them from wearing the mask, Cobb-Vantress, Inc. will engage in the interactive process to determine whether a reasonable accommodation can be provided that addresses the safety concerns associated with the Pandemic and allow the Team Member to perform the essential functions of the job. Effective 06/01/20

Successful applicants for this position must be fully vaccinated against COVID-19 as a condition of employment. Vaccine verification will be required by November 1, 2021 for all Team Members.