

EAST BEND NEWS

Hours of Operation

Monday -Friday
8:00 - 12:00 and 1:00 -
5:00

Trash Dates

Reminder: please put
your trash out no earlier
than Sunday night.
Please remove cans by
Monday afternoon.

Recycling Dates

March 27th

April 10th

April 24th

May 8th

May 22nd

June 5th

June 19th

July 3rd

July 17th

From the Mayor

After a moderate and wet winter, many of us are looking forward to the advent of spring and the many wonderful changes to come.

I want to take this opportunity to, briefly, share with you a few items which should be of interest to the community.

The Town of East Bend has selected Shirley Flood, the driving force behind the God & Country celebration and Small Town Christmas event, to receive our most recent Key to the Town award. Congratulations to Shirley. You can review her award on our web page www.eastbendnc.com.

Neal Nichols was elected to serve the unexpired commissioner seat on the town board. Neal is active in the community, and we welcome his participation in the operation of town business.

Plans and fundraising for our Town Square are going well. T-shirts and commemorative bricks are on sale at Town Hall. Follow the progress of the project on our web page.

The schedule has been set for this year's four Cruise-in events on the Town Square beginning in May on the fourth Thursday and continuing thru September with the exception of June. A great line-up of entertainment has been slated.

East Bend God & Country celebration will be held Saturday June 27th with expanded fireworks at the Senior Center to mark the 30th anniversary of the parade. Juke Box Rehab will be performing at the Town Square.

As this is being written, there is much fear and concern about the spread of the Coronavirus (covid-19). To keep abreast of this disease and how to best protect yourself go to cdc.gov. The best advice thus far seems to be to wash your hands frequently and to sanitize commonly used surfaces.

Keep up to date on these and other items by visiting our web site or contacting Town Hall. Get involved with your community and attend board meetings on the second Monday of every month beginning at 6:00pm.

Archie

Town Board Meeting Dates

April 13th – 6pm

May 11th – 6pm

June 8th – 6pm

Town Commissioners

Archie Hicks - Mayor

Larry Adams – Mayor Pro-Tem, Administration

Neal Nichols – Police

George Burns - Water/Sewers

Wanda Johnson - Streets

Mae Luffman - Building/ Grounds/Sanitation

We invite you to attend our town board meetings and stay up to date on what is happening in town. Meetings are in the Town Hall conference room.

Support Your Local Library

Do you have an electric pressure cooker, such as the Instant Pot, that you would like to learn more about? The library will be hosting a “Cooking Under Pressure” class on Monday, March 23 at 5:30 pm, hosted by Ashley Beard, Yadkin County Family and Consumer Sciences Agent. Call the library at 336-699-3890 to sign up for this free class.

Preschool Storytime is held each Wednesday at 10:00 am. If you have a little one come join us for stories, crafts and music. We now have launchpads, the kids only learning tablet, available for checkout. Stop by the library and check out this great new addition to our collection.

We already have our summer learning programs planned and can't wait to share more information with everyone. Keep up-to-date with what's happening at the library on the library's Facebook page or on our website at www.nwrl.org.

Website

Please visit: <http://www.eastbendnc.com>

Check out our website to find important information. Remember to check the calendar for important dates.

Ordinance Reminders

- No firearms to be discharged in city limits
- Trash cans should be put out on Sunday afternoon and brought in on Monday Evening
- Permits are required for any building project
- Most signs require a permit - inquire at Town Hall for details
- Grass clippings and leaves should not be blown into the street. (This includes pushing snow into the street)

** Violations of these ordinances may incur a fine**

Town Police

- Going out of town? Residents can now stop by the Town Hall and fill out a “Residence Check Request” to request the East Bend Police Department to conduct periodic checks of your home while you are away on vacation or other absences. You can also download the form from the town website [here](#). If you have any questions you can e-mail eastbendpolice@yadtel.net.

** NOTE: This service only provided to residents within town limits**