

CONOVER NEIGHBOR



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ATTENTION ALL CITIZENS JOIN US FOR THE CITY OF CONOVER LITTER SWEEP DAY



SATURDAY, APRIL 29, 2017
9:A.M. – 12 NOON

Organize a volunteer group from your workplace, church, club, neighborhood, family or school and help remove litter from our community roadways! The City will provide trash bags, safety vests, gloves, and maps. Supplies can be picked up at 8 a.m. at the Conover City Park. A hot dog lunch for participants will be served at the Park at 12 Noon. Prizes will be awarded for the most unusual pieces of litter found. For more information or to register, contact Joy Heller at (828) 464-1191.

Conover Farmers Market Opens on April 22, 2017

Springtime brings the reopening of the Conover Farmers Market for its 9th market season every Saturday through October 14th from 8:00 a.m. until 12:00 Noon. Visit us at the Conover Post Office (109 1st Street East) to meet the people that grow your food. Local farmers return with meats, cheeses, fresh baked bread and pastries, and spring vegetables. Plants, flowers and locally made crafts are available to complete your shopping experience. The Market's focus is all about personal finance, saving money and eating healthy, and they now accept debit, EBT and WIC. Kid's activities, live music, and friends help share knowledge and teach new ways to use what's fresh and local. Cooking classes will be coordinated with Catawba County Cooperative Extension so you can learn to stretch your budget. Conover Farmers Market is a family friendly environment where everyone knows your name and you meet and greet your neighbors week after week, rain or shine.



Contact the Market Manager at 828-461-1224 to become a vendor or keep up to date on Twitter or Facebook. Visit www.conoverfarmersmarket.org for pictures and stories of shoppers and local vendors.

Household Hazardous Waste Collection Event

Catawba County will hold their “Residential Household Hazardous Waste Collection” event on Saturday, April 22, 2017 from 9:00 a.m. – 1:00 p.m. at Bandy’s High School in Catawba. All types of general household hazardous waste, including electronics and paint, will be accepted. A plastic bag recycling drop will be provided by Keep Catawba County Beautiful. This event is for the citizens of Catawba County and is free of charge. No business waste will be accepted. Types of household hazardous waste accepted: pesticides, fertilizers, household cleaners, chemicals, batteries, fluorescent tubes, electronics, paint products, automotive products, kerosene, pool chemicals, mercury thermometers, computer monitors, televisions, VCRs, stereos, cell phones, pagers, calculators, fax machines, microwaves, etc. For further information please contact Amanda Kain, Waste Reduction Coordinator at 828-465-8217 or e-mail amandak@catawbacountync.gov.



Greater Hickory Jaycees Bourbon, Beer & BBQ Festival

The Greater Hickory Jaycees will have their first Bourbon, Beer & BBQ Festival on Friday, April 28, 2017 from 6 p.m. until 11p.m. in Conover City Park! The featured bourbon is from Conover's own Seventeen Twelve Spirits. Tickets are \$25 per person and includes unlimited bourbon tasting and 2 beer tokens. Not a bourbon fan? Come anyway!

Additional draft beer and BBQ available for purchase. The Red Dirt Revelators will be playing from 7-11pm on the stage.

For more information, email hickoryjaycee@yahoo.com or visit them on Facebook!



Planning Ahead:

	City Hall closed Friday, April 14, 2017 for Good Friday
City Council:	Meets the first Monday of each month at 7:00 p.m. at Conover City Hall
Planning Board:	Meets the third Tuesday of each month at 7:00 p.m. at Conover City Hall

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