



Free tax advice

The Davidson County Department of Senior Services Senior Dynamics program, in partnership with Davidson County Tax Coalition, is offering free tax advice and tax form preparation for residents of Davidson County at the Lexington and Thomasville Senior Centers.

Assistance is available at the Thomasville Senior Center, 211 W. Colonial Drive, Mondays and Fridays from 9 a.m. to 1 p.m.; and the Lexington Senior Center, 106 Alma Owens Drive, Wednesdays and Fridays from 9 a.m. to 1 p.m.

Persons wishing to use this free tax service should bring with them copies of last years tax return forms, both federal and state, Picture ID, Social Security Card, checking or savings account information for direct deposit of refunds, and 2009 income information, including W-2s and 1099s for wages, interest, and dividends.

Appointments are required. To schedule an appointment in Lexington, call 242-2290. For an appointment in Thomasville, call 474-2754. No Walk-Ins.

Hotdog sale and bingo

The Pilot Fire Department, 4205 Old Hwy 29, will hold a hotdog sale at 5 p.m. and bingo at 6 p.m. on Saturday, April 10. Cash prizes will be available for all winners. Bring this ad and receive a free quickie bingo game.

Planning retreat

The Human Relations Commission will host a planning retreat on Satur-

day, April 10 from 9:30 a.m. to 1 p.m. at Our Lady of the Highways Catholic Church, 943 Ball Park Road, Thomasville.

The public is invited to come and bring ideas of activities and events that would be good for the city.

Relay For Life

High Point's 2010 Relay For Life will take place Saturday, May 22, 2010, at Southwest High School. Relay is a major annual fund raiser sponsored by the American Cancer Society in the fight to find a cure for cancer. This event will be a character builder for participants while having a lot of fun working with peers from throughout the area and supporting a very worthwhile cause. In addition to the fundraising, there will be plenty of fun, food, ceremony, entertainment and fellowship. This is a family event.

To enter a team, contact Rich at 336-905-7954, or at rrichray@email.com.

Spring Daze vendor applications

City Beautification, the sponsor of Spring Daze, is accepting vendor applications now until April 15. To get an application, download one at thomasville-tourism.com, pick one up at city hall or call Carol Brown at 886-5189. Vendor spots cost \$20. Spring Daze will be held Saturday, May 1, 2010, from 9 a.m. to 3 p.m. rain or shine. Admission is free.

Kindergarten registration

Parents whose children will be entering kindergarten next fall are asked to register their children for kindergarten immediately so they may receive necessary information concerning health forms and pre-kindergarten assessment. Children are to be registered at the elementary school in the attendance area in which they live.

Students are eligible to begin kindergarten in the fall if they will be 5 years of age on or before Aug. 31, 2010.

At the time of kindergarten registration, students will be scheduled for a pre-kindergarten assessment so teachers will have information about students for planning purposes before school begins in the fall. A conference

will be held with each parent on the day of the assessment.

The following is needed for enrollment:

A copy of the child's birth certificate or other legally acceptable proof of age;

A health assessment completed no more than 12 months prior to the date of school entry;

Proof of required immunizations;

The child's social security card.

Proof of residency may include:

Legal guardian's driver's license with 911 address;

Voter registration or tax listing with 911 address;

Utility bill at 911 address.

Principals may ask for further information to verify permanent residency in the Davidson County school district.

For more information, contact Sonja Parks, director of elementary education, at 249-8181.

Making handmade pine cone wreaths

Davidson County Department of Senior Services Senior Dynamics program and Robert and Marian Greeson will hold a create-your-own pine cone wreath event. The wreath is made with various kinds of pine cones and other natural items such as acorns, hickory nuts and sweet gum balls.

The classes will be held on Tuesdays and Thursdays beginning April 6 from 9 to 10:30 a.m. at the Thomasville Senior Center, located at 211 W. Colonial Drive, in suite 103. This is a free class, and all materials will be provided.

Advance registration is required. For more information or to register, call 474-2754 or email Kandra.Alexander@DavidsonCountyNC.Gov. Deadline for registration is April 5. Space is limited. Open to all Davidson County residents 55 and older.

Davidson County Relay For Life meeting

Davidson County Relay For Life will have a team meeting at 6 p.m. and a committee meeting at 7 p.m. on April 6 at Rich Fork Baptist Church.

Antique appraisals

The Davidson County Department of Senior Services Senior Dynamics program has teamed up with Al Braye, Antique Appraisal expert, who will identify antiques, collectibles and art to determine their true value.

The appraisal will take place at the Lexington Senior Center at 106 Alma Owens Drive on April 8 from 1 to 5 p.m.

There is a \$15 charge, which includes 15 minutes of appraisal time for up to five items per individual. Seniors must bring the actual item — no photographs. Appraisals are limited to the first 16 seniors age 55 and older who register. Appraisals are done by appointment only. To make an appointment, call at 242-2290. Fee is due upon registration. Registration deadline is April 5.

Spaghetti Supper

United Methodist Men will hold a buffet-style, all-you-can-eat spaghetti supper on Wednesday, April 7, from 5 to 7 p.m. The event will take place at New Mt. Vernon United Methodist Church, 6408 Friendship-Ledford Road, in Wallburg. The menu will include spaghetti with meat sauce or plain sauce, salad bar, garlic bread, dessert and beverage. Adults cost \$7, children ages 6 to 12 cost \$3.50, children under 6 are free and take-outs cost \$8.

Suitcase Seminar Paper Management System

A two-hour, hands-on workshop teaches a simple system for managing papers. Bring a suitcase full of disorganized papers, files and photos, and leave with everything filed and organized. The workshop will be held April 8 and every first Thursday from 1:30 p.m. to 3:30 p.m. at Lake Jeanette Office Park, 3820 North Elm St., Suite 101, in Greensboro.

Advance registration is required, and registration cost is \$20.00. For more information or to register, call Dorothy at 314-1207, or visit www.SimpleSolutionsPro.com.

Thomasville Times Weather

7-Day Local Forecast

Saturday	Sunday	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday
Mostly Sunny	Mostly Sunny	Sunny	Sunny	Sunny	Mostly Sunny	Partly Cloudy
83/55	81/51	83/55	84/59	85/59	83/55	78/54

Weather Trivia

What is the coldest city in the lower 48 states?

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Answer: Butte, Mont., where temperatures drop below zero 223 days a year.

Almanac Last Week

Day	High	Low	Normals	Precip
Thursday	69	48	63/40	0.00"
Friday	63	41	63/40	0.08"
Saturday	56	33	64/41	0.00"
Sunday	62	41	64/41	2.65"
Monday	66	49	64/41	0.23"
Tuesday	67	48	65/41	0.00"
Wednesday	78	47	65/42	0.00"

In-Depth Local Forecast

Today we will see mostly sunny skies with a near record high temperature of 83°, humidity of 41% and an overnight low of 55°. The record high temperature for today is 86° set in 1963. The record low is 22° set in 1992. Sunday, skies will remain mostly sunny with a high temperature of 81°, humidity of 43% and an overnight low of 51°. Expect sunny skies Monday with a high temperature of 83°.

Local UV Index

0	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11+
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UV Index
0-2: Low, 3-5: Moderate, 6-7: High, 8-10: Very High, 11+: Extreme Exposure

Sun/Moon Chart This Week

Day	Sunrise	Sunset	Moonrise	Moonset
Saturday	7:04 a.m.	7:44 p.m.	12:07 a.m.	9:52 a.m.
Sunday	7:02 a.m.	7:45 p.m.	1:05 a.m.	10:45 a.m.
Monday	7:01 a.m.	7:46 p.m.	1:55 a.m.	11:42 a.m.
Tuesday	7:00 a.m.	7:47 p.m.	2:38 a.m.	12:40 p.m.
Wednesday	6:58 a.m.	7:47 p.m.	3:15 a.m.	1:38 p.m.
Thursday	6:57 a.m.	7:48 p.m.	3:48 a.m.	2:36 p.m.
Friday	6:55 a.m.	7:49 p.m.	4:16 a.m.	3:33 p.m.

Around the State Forecast

City	Saturday		Sunday		Monday	
	Hi/Lo	Wx	Hi/Lo	Wx	Hi/Lo	Wx
Asheville	75/45	s	77/47	s	77/51	s
Cape Hatteras	70/57	s	69/59	s	67/60	s
Chapel Hill	84/56	s	83/51	s	85/55	s
Charlotte	83/54	s	81/52	s	83/56	s
Greenville	82/55	s	82/56	s	82/56	s
Raleigh	84/56	s	82/53	s	85/58	s
Wilmington	76/58	s	78/58	s	78/58	s
Winston-Salem	82/55	s	81/51	s	83/54	s

Lake Levels

Lake level is in feet.

Lake	Date	Lake Level
Thom-A-Lex	March 29	3.5" above full pond

Weather (Wx): cl/cloudy; fl/flurries; pc/partly cloudy; ra/rain; rs/rain & snow; s/sunny; sh/showers; sn/snow; th/thunderstorms; w/windy

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