



Big Chair tulip bulbs

Thomasville City Beautification is taking orders for Big Chair tulip bulbs. Cost is 25 bulbs for \$20, 50 bulbs for \$35, 75 bulbs for \$45, 100 bulbs for \$50. Mail checks or money orders to Thomasville City Beautification, PO Box 368, in Thomasville. Deadline is October 15. Delivery will be in November.

Taste of the Town advance tickets

Advance tickets for Hospice of the Piedmont's 22nd annual Taste of the Town fundraiser are on sale. The event is Tuesday, Aug. 17, from 5:30 to 8:30 p.m. at Showplace in downtown High Point.

Tickets may be purchased at the Hospice office, 1801 Westchester Drive, in High Point, Monday through Friday from 8 a.m. to 5 p.m., and at www.hospicetaste.com. Tickets purchased online will be at Will Call on the evening of the event.

Entry tickets are \$5 each — children six 6 under enter free — and food "taste" tickets are \$1 each. Samples range from one to four tickets depending on the item. More than 60 Triad restaurants, caterers, bakeries and beverage vendors are participating. All proceeds benefit the local Hospice.

Tickets will be sold at the entrance to Showplace, 211 E. Commerce Ave., in High Point, on the evening of the event beginning at 5:30 p.m., but advance ticket holders receive express entrance. Each entry ticket is also a chance to win the grand prize drawing of a \$250 shopping spree at Belk Oak Hollow. The winner does not need to be present to win. Some restrictions apply.

For more information about Hospice

Taste of the Town 2010, visit www.hospicetaste.com.

Sunset Sounds

Arts United for Davidson County will continue its annual Sunset Sounds tradition of free concerts at the bandstand beginning with The Tom Holladay Orchestra. Bring a picnic, blanket or chairs and listen to some fantastic North Carolina musicians as the trains roll by — no alcohol. In case of rain, the concert will take place in the Central Recreation Center on East Main Street.

Today — Giannini Brass Band
July 29 — Ken McIver Davis and Steve Lindsley

Bingo

Fair Grove Lions Club will hold a bingo night at Fair Grove Lions Clubhouse, 502 Willowbrook Drive, today from 6:30 until 9 p.m. The night includes prizes and a 50/50 drawing. Light snack and non-alcoholic beverages will be available for purchase.

Weatherization seminar

Davidson County Department of Senior Services Senior Dynamics program along with Regional Consolidated Services will hold a free program on energy efficiency and how to get assistance with home weatherization. The Weatherization Program is designed to meet the need for adequate protection against the winter's cold and the summer's heat in the homes of the elderly and disabled. Senior citizens suffering with high energy expenses are eligible for assistance.

This program will be held on Monday, July 26, at 2 p.m. at the Lexington Senior Center, 555-B West Center St. Extension. The seminar is free of charge and open to all Davidson County residents ages 55 and older. Advance registration is required. For more information or to register, call (336) 242-2290 or e-mail Stefanie.poore@davidsoncountync.gov. Registration deadline is Friday, July 23.

Country dance

Woody Powers & the Midnite Express Country Band will hold a family-style (no-alcohol & smoke-free) country

dance at Lil Carolina Opry — formerly J. R. County Line Music Hall — 8154 Highway 64-West, in Trinity, on Saturday, July 24. Bring a covered dish to eat at 6:30 p.m. Linedancing begins at 7. Band starts at 7:30. Children ages 12 and under are free. Adults cost \$6. Also, linedance lessons begin every Tuesday at 6:30 p.m. for \$5. For more information, call (336) 847-9740 or go to www.lilcarolinaopry.com.

Country dance

Kickin' Kountry Band will hold a family-style (no-alcohol & smoke-free) country dance at Lil Carolina Opry — formerly J. R. County Line Music Hall — 8154 Highway 64-West, in Trinity, on Saturday, July 31. Bring a covered dish to eat at 6:30 p.m. Linedancing begins at 7:30. Band starts at 7:30. Children ages 12 and under are free. Adults cost \$6. Also, linedance lessons begin every Tuesday at 6:30 p.m. for \$5. For more information, call (336) 847-9740 or go to www.lilcarolinaopry.com.

Ice cream social

Davidson County Department of Senior Services will host its annual ice cream social at the Thomasville and Lexington Senior Centers. All Davidson County residents ages 55 and older are invited to come enjoy an afternoon filled with fun, prizes and special entertainment. A sundae bar will be available for everyone to create their own ice cream treat, and sugar-free ice cream will also be available.

The ice cream social for the Thomasville Senior Center, located at 211 W. Colonial Drive, will be held at 2 p.m. on July 29. Tickets available at the center on Tuesday, July 27. For more information, call (336) 474-2754 or e-mail Kandra.Alexander@DavidsonCountyNC.Gov. This year's event is sponsored by Gentiva Home Health.

The ice cream social for the Lexington Senior Center, located at 555-B West Center St. Extension, will be held at 2 p.m. on August 5. For more information or tickets, call (336) 242-2290 or e-mail Stefanie.Poore@DavidsonCountyNC.Gov. This year's event is sponsored by Brookstone Rest Home & Retirement. Admission is \$2, and pre-registration

is required.

Summer Strolls

Arts United for Davidson County is participating with Uptown Lexington and artist and teacher, Melinda Hedrick, in their Summer Strolls with sidewalk chalk art. The remaining Summer Stroll will be Friday, August 6, from 6 to 8 p.m. in uptown Lexington.

Pat Slaten Memorial Relay For Life Golf Tournament

Announcing the first Pat Slaten Memorial Relay For Life Golf Tournament at Winding Creek Golf Course, 72 Winding Creek Road. The event will be held on Saturday, Aug. 7, at 8 a.m. Captain's Choice. Cost is \$50 per player plus \$5 for two mulligans, with cash prizes being rewarded to first, second and third place. Additional contests, door prizes and meal included.

For more information or to submit your registration, contact Jason at the Winding Creek Pro Shop at (336) 475-5580 or jgdgolfer@aol.com. Registration is due by Aug. 2. Proceeds benefit Relay For Life of Davidson County.

United Way funding application

United Way Of Davidson County will open its funding application process to allow non-profit health and human service organizations serving Davidson County, to apply for funding for year 2011. Applicants must have a 501(c)3 tax-exempt status to be eligible to submit an application. Application packets will be available Aug. 20, 2010.

Organizations interested in submitting an application will be required to attend an information workshop on Aug. 20, 2010, from 8:30 to 11 a.m. at DCCC, Gee Building, Room # 143. At that time, application packets will be available to those interested in submitting a funding application. The deadline for submitting applications is 5 p.m. Oct. 1, 2010. RSVP to the United Way office at (336) 249-2532 by Aug. 16. For more information, contact Lee Jessup, president, or Carolyn Thompson, data manager, United Way of Davidson County, at (336) 249-2532.

Thomasville Times Weather July 22, 2010

7-Day Local Forecast

Thursday Mostly Sunny 95/73	Friday Mostly Sunny 97/75	Saturday Mostly Sunny 96/75	Sunday Isolated T-storms 96/73	Monday Mostly Sunny 92/71	Tuesday Mostly Sunny 94/71	Wednesday Mostly Sunny 98/74

Do hurricanes develop over the equator? **Answer: No.** The Coriolis force is too weak to allow their development.

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

Temperature Last Week

Day	High	Low	Normals	Precip
Tuesday	89	71	88/68	3.20"
Wednesday	90	71	88/68	0.00"
Thursday	93	73	88/68	0.00"
Friday	93	75	88/68	0.00"
Saturday	85	70	88/68	2.46"
Sunday	91	71	88/68	0.00"
Monday	89	72	88/68	0.00"

Precipitation 5.66"
Normal precipitation 1.05"
Departure from normal +4.61"

Average temperature 80.9°
Average normal temperature .78.0°
Departure from normal +2.9°

Data as reported from Greensboro

Today we will see mostly sunny skies with a high temperature of 95°, humidity of 59% and an overnight low of 73°. The record high temperature for today is 101° set in 1952. The record low is 56° set in 1974. Friday, skies will remain mostly sunny with a high temperature of 97°, humidity of 59% and an overnight low of 75°. Expect mostly sunny skies to continue Saturday with a high temperature of 96°.

Around the State Forecast

City	Thursday Hi/Lo Wx	Friday Hi/Lo Wx	Saturday Hi/Lo Wx
Asheville	90/67 t	91/69 s	92/69 s
Cape Hatteras	89/80 pc	87/80 pc	89/80 s
Chapel Hill	97/74 s	99/75 s	100/75 s
Charlotte	96/74 s	98/75 s	98/74 s
Greenville	96/76 t	99/77 s	99/78 s
Raleigh	97/75 s	99/76 s	100/77 s
Wilmington	92/79 t	93/77 s	93/80 s
Winston-Salem	94/73 s	96/75 s	97/75 s

Lake level is in feet.

Lake	Date	Lake Level
Thom-A-Lex	July 12	2" below full pond

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