

Happenings

Concert honoring mothers

The Albemarle Sounds, Edenton's Barbershop Singers, will present an evening of barbershop harmony honoring mothers on Saturday, April 30 at 7:30 in Swain Auditorium. Special guests will be Carolina Connection, a ladies quartet from Charlotte. Admission is \$5. Bring your mother and she gets in free. Call 482-2624 for more information.

Flea market, bake sale

The local TOPS chapter will hold a flea market and yard sale on April 23, 8 a.m.-3 p.m. at the Senior Center.

Class reunion meeting

The Perquimans County Union School class of 1964 will hold a planning meeting on Saturday, April 30, at Captain Bob's at 9 a.m. Inquiries: 297-2024.

Yard sale

The Belvidere-Chappell Hill Volunteer Fire Department will hold a yard sale on April 23, 7 a.m. until at the fire station on Drinking Hole Road.

Blood drive

There will be a blood drive at the Hertford Fire Department on April 28, 3-7 p.m.

Albemarle Chorale

The Albemarle Choral will be in concert on Friday, April 22 at 7:30 p.m. in Swain Auditorium, Edenton.

AARP

The Perquimans Chapter of AARP will meet Monday, April 25 at 2 p.m. at the Senior Center.

Job fair

There will be a tri-county Job Fair on April 23, 9 a.m.-noon at the Hampton Inn, Edenton sponsored by Perquimans, Chowan and Gates schools.

Rescue Squad benefit

The annual Perquimans County Volunteer Rescue Squad tag sale will be held May 7, 7:30 a.m.-12:30 p.m. at the rescue squad building. The event is sponsored by Albemarle Plantation and Snug Harbor.

Holiday Island Spring Fling

There will be a Spring Fling at Holiday Island on April 30, 8 a.m. until at the community's clubhouse. The event will feature indoor and outdoor flea market, crafts and a Relay for Life cakewalk. Call Pat Cassity, 426-3799 for table/space information.

Rabies Clinic

The SPCA and Chowan Animal Hospital will sponsor a rabies clinic on May 14, 10 a.m.-noon at Mising Mill Park. Shots will be 6.

Relay for Life bow sale

The Belvidere Ruritan Club is selling purple bows to aid in cancer research. Bows may be obtained from Layden's Supermarket, the Nicholson House, or any Ruritan member. Cost is \$5.

Habitat ReStore

Chowan Perquimans Habitat for Humanity Re-Store welcomes donations of appliances and construction materials in good condition for sale to the public. All income from sales helps to build and repair homes for low-income families in our community. The Re-Store is located behind the Clothes Closet/Food Pantry on North Broad Street in Edenton. Regular Hours 9 AM until Noon on Tuesdays and the first Saturday of the month. For Re-Store inventory and more information: www.cph4h.org <http://www.cph4h.org/>

Community Care Clinic

The Community Care Clinic of Perquimans County is open the second and fourth Wednesday of each month, 9 a.m.-noon. Classes and free medication are available for persons who qualify. Call 426-5346 for information.

School meal menus

April 25-29: Monday: No school. Tuesday: Breakfast: Breakfast-on-a-stick. Lunch: Pizza, chicken nuggets, french fries, winter mix, carrots, peaches. Wednesday: Breakfast: Sausage biscuit. Lunch: Spaghetti, corn dog nuggets, tater tots, tossed salad, bwans, pineapple tidbits, garlic bread. Thursday: Breakfast: Coffeecake. Lunch: Ham and cheese sandwich, rib sandwich, cabbage, sweet potatoes, beets, applesauce. Friday: Breakfast: Pop tart. Lunch: Barbecued chicken, hot dog, whipped potatoes, green beans, corn, diced pears, roll. All meals served with milk.

Nutrition Site menu

April 25-29: Monday: Meatballs with gravy, snap beans, peaches, mashed potatoes, roll, gravy, ice cream or yogurt. Tuesday: Pork loin supreme, mixed vegetables, orange-pineapple juice, rice, bread, cookie. Wednesday: Oven fried chicken, spinach, cinnamon apples, potatoes, roll, cake. Thursday: Baked turkey with stuffing and gravy, peas, orange juice, corn muffin, cookie. Friday: Chicken salad, coleslaw, pears, bread, pudding. All meals served with milk.

Regular government meetings

Elected governing bodies hold regular meetings each month. The schedule for those meetings in Perquimans County as follows:
 •Perquimans County Commissioners: first Monday at 7 p.m.
 •Hertford Town Council: regular meeting - second Monday at 7:30 p.m.; work session - first Monday at 7 p.m. - Planning & Zoning Board of Adjustments - 3rd Monday at 7 p.m.
 •Winfall Town Council: Second Wednesday at 7 p.m.
 •Perquimans County Board of Education: fourth Monday at 7:30 p.m. The boards may also hold special meetings as warranted.

CELEBRATIONS

New arrival

Carissa Lynn Baker

Charles and Lynette Baker of Hertford announce the birth of their daughter, Carissa Lynn, on April 1 at 10:45 a.m. at Albemarle Hospital. She weighed 7 pounds 11 ounces and was 20 inches long. She joins her brother, Carlton. The maternal grandparents are Grover and Elaine

Hollowell of Winfall. The paternal grandparents are Julian and Connie Baker of Belvidere.

Great-grandparents are Louise Combs of Elizabeth City, Doris Trueblood of Hertford, Lester Baker of Belvidere and Marjorie Bundy of Elizabeth City.

May brings spring weekend to county

Springtime in Perquimans will again be celebrated May 20-22 with a number of activities highlighting the history and continuing gracious southern hospitality in the Land of Beautiful Women.

The weekend will kick off on Friday with Pig Out on the Green, offering pork barbecue plates cooked on the historic courthouse lawn for both lunch and supper. The meal is sponsored by Historic Hertford, Inc. Plates are \$6 each. Lunch will be served 11:30 a.m.-2 p.m. and supper, 5-7 p.m.

Those who dine on the lawn can also purchase homemade desserts from the Grow Masters Relay for Life team.

Late evening diners can enjoy entertainment in the casual atmosphere.

On Saturday 5:30-7:30 p.m., the Perquimans County Restoration Association will host the

14th annual Spring Garden Party on the lawn of Cove Grove, c. 1820. This popular event has been sold out in recent years, and features a delectable menu, ladies in fine hats, dapper gentlemen in spring suits and entertainment.

Tickets are \$25 and are available at the Newbold-White Historic Site. There will be a \$3 cash bar.

The festivities conclude with a Sunday evening presentation by the Albemarle Chorale at Perquimans County High School presented by the Albemarle Chorale and the College of The Albemarle. Tickets for the 5 p.m. concert are available at COA Chowan Campus, the Newbold-White House Visitor Center, Perquimans County Chamber of Commerce, Chowan Arts Council, Historic Edenton Visitor Center or at the event. Tickets are \$7 for adults, \$5 for students.

Edenton pilgrimage set for this weekend

This weekend will find Edenton alive with events as the Biennial Historic Edenton Pilgrimage Walking Tour of Homes and Countryside takes place.

The Edenton Womans Club, with a small membership, has planned and hosted this event since 1949. This year 10 private homes will be on tour, with many located within walking distance of downtown and the rest nestled along the countryside with lovely garden

settings.

Other weekend activities will include luncheons at various churches, a Rotary pancake breakfast on Saturday morning, entertainment by the Albemarle Chorale and the Albemarle Recorder Society, Pasta and Pottery-Silent Auction sponsored by the Chowan Arts Council on Saturday evening and carriage rides throughout the event.

Call 482-3400 or visit www.visitedenton.com for more information.

COA concert set

The College of The Albemarle Community Band will present a spring concert on Monday, April 25 at the college's Elizabeth City Campus Auditorium.

The concert begins at 7:30 p.m. and will feature

works by James Swearingen, Ed Huckeby, and Frank Erickson.

The concert is free and open to the public. Contact music instructor Steve Raiser at 335-0821, ext. 2382 for more information.

CALL FOR PROPOSALS FOR PERQUIMANS, CHOWAN, GATES LANDFILL COMMISSION

REQUEST FOR PROPOSAL FOR THE IMPROVEMENT OF THE EXISTING CAPPING AND LANDSCAPING MATERIALS OF THE PERQUIMANS, GATES, CHOWAN LANDFILL

The Perquimans, Chowan, Gates Landfill Commission is seeking proposals for hauling fill materials on-site which will consist of soil that will support vegetative growth, for grading and landscaping the area in order to divert surface water from the site, and upon completion, will seed the site to prevent erosion.

Deadline for Submission of Proposal: Monday, April 25, 2005 at 12:00 pm.

Special Instructions: Write on the outside of the envelope, "SEALED PROPOSAL, PCG LANDFILL COMMISSION."

Submit Proposal:

Hand-Deliver to:	Mail to:
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Attn: Mr. Ralph Hollowell	Attn: Mr. Ralph Hollowell
InterCounty Public Transportation	P.O. Box 189
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