



GRANVILLE COUNTY CHAMBER OF COMMERCE

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The Granville County Chamber of Commerce

OUR 75TH ANNIVERSARY

"WORKING FOR YOU SINCE 1942"

theme - via Kyle Puryear, B B & T and

2017 - 18 Chamber President

NOMINATIONS for RECOGNITIONS APPRECIATED

Just a reminder that our Chamber appreciates the response of members to nominate a business or individual(s) to be recognized.

Please "KEEP IT ON YOUR BRAIN" that our Chamber, along with surrounding area Chambers, will be recognizing a **SMALL BUSINESS OF THE YEAR** award winner in May. Forms are available on the Chamber's website, www.granville-chamber.com.

Also, during the year, many of us know of someone who should be nominated for the **JOHN PENN CITIZEN OF THE YEAR AWARD** at our Annual Banquet in January. We are "guilty" of "putting it off" and not taking the time to complete a nomination. Our offices will be constantly reminding of these opportunities. Please take a moment all during the year to jot down a few facts about someone you believe is deserving of this recognition. THANKS!

You'll Surely Want to Save These Dates!

Wednesday, May 9 - Small Business of the Year Recognition

Thursday, May 11 - **ALIVE AFTER FIVE**

Downtown Oxford

5:30 - 8:30 pm

"THE CASTAWAYS BAND"

Thursday, May 11 - SPRING MEMBERSHIP DRIVE BEGINS

Friday, May 19 - Chamber's Annual MEMBERSHIP APPRECIATION

PICNIC @ THE GAP ~ Enjoy **FREE** hotdogs, hamburgers and trimmings, courtesy of the Chamber - an expression of appreciation for your membership and participation in our Chamber

Thursday, June 1 - Safety Awards Banquet

Thursday, June 8 - Annual **GOLF TOURNAMENT** @ Henderson Country Club

Thursday, August 10 - **ALIVE AFTER FIVE**

VanNess Chevrolet

5:30 - 8:30 pm

Parking lot, downtown Creedmoor

"THE CONNECTION BAND"

Tuesday, September 12 - Fall **MEMBERSHIP DRIVE** Kick-Off at Board Mtg.

Thursday, September 21 - **ALIVE AFTER FIVE**

Downtown Oxford

5:30 - 8:30 pm

"THE EMBERS" BAND

Friday, October 20 - **CLUCK 'n SHUCK** - Chamber's Annual Fall Seafood and Chicken dinner @ The Red Barn

Wednesday, Nov. 22 - Annual **THANKSGIVING BREAKFAST**

Oxford Baptist Church's Family Life Center

Saturday, Nov. 25 - **SHOP SMALL SATURDAY**

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GRANVILLE
AMBULANCE CHASE
& FOOD TRUCK RODEO
5K / 10K / FUN RUN

FAMILY DAY OF FUN!
OXFORD, NC - MARCH 18, 2017

5K RUN • 10K RUN • 1-MILE FAMILY WALK • KIDS DASH • 5K FUN RUN

PROCEEDS TO BENEFIT THE GRANVILLE HEALTH SYSTEM FOUNDATION
The Granville Ambulance Chase offers something for everyone - from serious runners to families looking for a day of fun.

TIME:
2:30PM ON-SITE REGISTRATION
4:00PM 10K COMPETITIVE RUN
4:30PM 5K COMPETITIVE RUN
4:35PM 5K FUN RUN
5:00PM 1-MILE FAMILY WALK
5:30PM KIDS DASH
6:00PM - 7:00 PM FOOD TRUCK RODEO AT COURSE FINISH
5:00 PM LIVE MUSIC

LOCATION:
Inside Stovall's Gifts - 100 Main Street, Oxford

FEES:

Entry Fee Schedule	Unit Jan. 15	Jan. 16 - Feb. 28	March 1 - 16	Race Day
5K Competitive Run (Standard)	\$30	\$35	\$38	\$40
10K Competitive Run (Standard)	\$30	\$35	\$38	\$40
5K Fun Run (Standard)	\$20	\$25	\$28	\$30
1-Mile Family Walk (Standard)	\$10	\$15	\$18	\$20
Kids Dash	\$10	\$15	\$18	\$20
Food Truck Rodeo	FREE			

For more information or to pre-register online: ghs5k.org

YOU "DONUT" WANT TO MISS THIS!

CAMP OAK HILL
SPRING OPEN HOUSE

SUNDAY, MARCH 19

TOUR BEGINS AT 2:30

Call (919)782-2888 to RSVP by March 15!

1528 Oak Hill Road, Oxford, NC

www.campoakhill.org



SATURDAY JULY 15, 2017

NATIONAL MARY POTTER CLUB, INC

Time: 10:00 am - 11:00am

Staging Area Parade Date: Saturday, July 15, 2017

Line-up: 9:00am Time: 10:00 am - 11:00am

Staging area: 205 Lanier St and 202 McClanahan St

Registration Deadline: July 5, 2017

Create your own banners, floats, attire, etc. with flair and professionalism. For more information contact us:

Rosalyn Green 919-690-0325 or 301-351-4850

NMPC President, Parade Chairperson

Gloria Hawkins 919-691-1291

Patricia Henderson 1-240-463-3190

IT'S A PARADE!

RMARIE7312@gmail.com



Parade Route: 1 mile.

Starting at: Mary E. Shaw

Gymnasium on Lanier

Street, right onto

Williamsboro/Hillsborough

Street, right onto Broad

Street, right onto

McClanahan back to Mary

E. Shaw Gymnasium for

games and refreshments!

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Two unique opportunities in Granville County this month

March 14 - Lunch and Learn - The Benefits of Having a Small Business Incubator in Our Community

The Creedmoor Business Center invites you to learn about the power of small businesses in today's economy and the benefits of having a small business incubator in your community.

Come learn about the services available to you whether you are a brand new entrepreneur or a seasoned business owner. Small businesses are the backbone of the American economy, and we are here to keep them strong in Granville County, Lunch and Learn presenter Rose Conner shared. Rose is Economic Development Manager of the Business Center. Come join us for lunch and a tour of the facility. RSVP to a Chamber Office 919-528-4994 or 919-693-6125 by March 13th.

March 30 - Sunrise Forum- W.I.N. Women in Networking

Visit with this dynamic group of local small business women professionals for a time of sharing, networking and learning more about W.I.N. Yes, men are welcome to join us for this. A light breakfast will be provided. RSVP to a Chamber Office by March 29th.

Our March Calendar of Events

March 3; 1:00 pm

RIBBON CUTTING at OXFORD VETERINARY HOSPITAL
631 Roxboro Road, Oxford

March 3, 6 - 9 pm

First Fridays, Creedmoor

"Family Night Theme ~ MARCH MADNESS" festivities

Creedmoor Gymnasium & Activity Center

108 East Wilton Ave/NC 56, Creedmoor

FMI: City of Creedmoor; 919.528.3332

Advance registration not required; free of charge event

March 4, 2 - 4 pm

OPEN HOUSE at OXFORD VETERINARY HOSPITAL
631 Roxboro Road, Oxford

March 7, 10:00 am

RIBBON CUTTING at BUILDER SERVICES and Tour
908 North Durham Avenue, Creedmoor

March 9, 6 pm

Granville Education Foundation's SPELL-ebration

J F Webb High School Gymnasium

FMI: www.granvilleedfoundation.org

March 14; 8 am

Board of Directors Meeting

VGCC's SOUTH CAMPUS meeting room

March 14; 12 noon

Lunch & Learn

Creedmoor Business Center

109 South Elm Street, Creedmoor

Topic: "The Benefits of Having a Small Business Incubator in Our Community"

Lunch and tour included

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March 16; 8 am
Leadership Granville Steering Committee
Chamber Boardroom, 124 Hillsboro St., Oxford

March 16; 12 noon
Human Resource Committee Meeting
Host: **Capital Associated Industries**/Kimberly Wheeler
Chamber Boardroom; 124 Hillsboro St., Oxford

March 17; 11 am - 1:30 pm & 4:30 - 6:30 pm
OBC Youth's Barbecue Chicken Fundraiser
Oxford Baptist Church; 147 Main St., Oxford
\$ 8.00/ticket; eat-in or take-out
FMI: Oxford Baptist Church @ 919.693.5181; www.oxfordbaptistnc.org

March 18
6th Annual Great Landscape Day
Masonic Home for Children
500 College St., Oxford
FMI: 919.603.393-; jgrimes@mhc-oxford.org

March 18; 2 - 4 pm
Granville County Veterans' Affairs Committee's Appreciation Event
Granville County Expo Center
4185 Hwy 15-South, Oxford
FMI: Doug Vaughan @ 919.693.1484

March 18; 2:30 - 7 pm - registration begins inside **Stovall's Gifts**
GRANVILLE AMBULANCE CHASE & FOOD TRUCK RODEO
5k/10k/FUN RUN ~ Family Day of Fun!
4pm, 10K; 4:20 pm, 5K; 4:25 pm, 5K fun run; 5 pm, 1 mile family walk; 5:30 pm kids dash
4 - 7 pm - Food Truck rodeo at course finish
5 pm - Live music
FMI or to pre-register online: www.ghs5k.org

March 19; 2:30 pm
CAMP OAK HILL's SPRING OPEN HOUSE
1528 Oak Hill Rd., Oxford
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March 21; 8 am
Chamber's AMBASSADORS' MEETING
Chamber Boardroom; 124 Hillsboro St., Oxford

March 21; 4 pm
"NAVIGATING THE CHAMBER"
Chamber Boardroom
124 Hillsboro St., Oxford
RSVP to a Chamber Office by March 20

March 23, 4 - 6:30 pm
Business-After-Hours, Grand Opening & RIBBON CUTTING (5:15) at THE PURPLE BIRD

128 Hillsboro St., Oxford

Visit, network, enjoy refreshments and even shop, if you'd like!

March 30; 7:45 am

SUNRISE FORUM ~ Topic: "Women in Networking - Their Work, Goals and Purposes as it Relates to our Community".

First Baptist Church Academy - Annex Building

108 South Main St., Creedmoor

A light breakfast will be provided

RSVP to a Chamber office by March 29

March 31; 6 - 10 pm Saturday & Sunday (Also, April 1 & 2 and April 8 & 9, 10 am - 6 pm)

49th ANNUAL SPRING POTTERY & GLASS FESTIVAL at CEDAR CREEK POTTERY

1150 Fleming Road, Creedmoor

EGG AUCTION and ADULT EGG HUNT, hosted by **CEDAR CREEK GALLERY** - March 31, 7 pm

FMI: www.cedarcreekgallery.com



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