# New Bern Now Ledger

"One Stop, Information Shop"

Bringing our Community Together



# by Sharing Information

# Welcome to New Bern Now's Quarterly Ledger publication!

We hope you enjoy this mini-version of New Bern Now's website published as a guide for the Greater New Bern, North Carolina Area.

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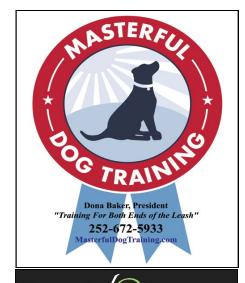


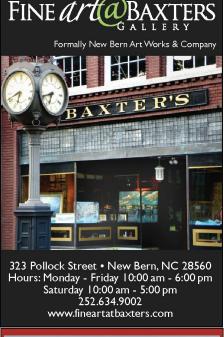
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#### About New Bern

**<u>Healthcare</u>**: CarolinaEast Health System is our Regional Medical Center located at 2000 Neuse Blvd. (633-8111) which includes an Emergency Room, Cancer Care, Cardiac Care Center, Express Care, Internal Medicine, and various healthcare departments. Coastal Carolina Health Care (CCHC) Urgent Care and New Bern Family Practice, 1020 Medical Park Ave (514-6685). MERCI Clinic (633-1599). There are also numerous health and dental care practices and alternative medicine options to choose from.

Education: Your children will be safe and receive a great education in our Public School System (514-6300). Private: Epiphany School (638-0122); St Paul Catholic School (633-0100); Sylvan Learning Center (633-6380); and Craven Early College (637-5906). Students can receive a higher education at Craven Community College (638-7200) and Mount Olive College at New Bern (633-4464) offering many advanced education opportunities. Craven Smart Start's Child Care Resource and Referral Program (672-5921) offers valuable free child care referral services.

New Bern's <u>City Government</u> controls police and emergency services, utilities, taxes, parks and recreation, etc. Craven County Government regulates emergency services, social services, Clerk of Court, Register of Deeds, planning and inspections, New Bern Riverfront Convention & Visitors Center, Recreation and Parks, and much more.

Coastal Carolina Regional Airport (638-8591). Airport services include Delta and US Airways flights, general aviation terminal, Fed Ex, UPS services, conference room, wireless Internet, taxi/car rental services, Deli, Tradewind's Flight School, and The Flyin' Bears Experimental Aircraft Association (636-5281)

Other transportation: CARTS Public Transportation Services (636-4917); Shuttle Me Transportation (637-7433); New Safeway Taxi Service (636-9000); Bright's Limousines (638-6259); Twilight Limousine (633-0027); and WC Market Greyhound Bus Terminal (633-3100).

#### Other Relocation information:

- NC Driver's License Offices, NC Department of Motor Vehicles, 2106 Neuse Blvd., New Bern (514-4734) and 300 Miller Blvd., Havelock (444-6425).
- NC Vehicle and License Plate Offices, NC Department of Motor Vehicles, 2505 Neuse Blvd., New Bern (637-4524) and 319 W. Main St., Havelock (444-3097).



#### **IMPORTANT NUMBERS:**

Emergency - 911

New Bern Police: 672-4100 New Bern Fire: 639-2931

Craven County Sheriff: 636-6620 CC Recreation & Parks: 636-6606 City General Info: 639-2701

City Taxes: 639-7532

City Animal Control: 633-2020 County Animal Control: 637-4606

Public Works: 639-7501 City Electric: 636-4070 Duke Energy: 800-777-9898

Century Link: 800-366-8201 Trash/Recycling: 639-7501 Water & Sewer: 639-7541 Suddenlink: 877-794-2724

Building Insp/Permits: 639-2941 Parks & Recreation: 639-2912 Business License: 639-7532

Food & Shelter: 637-4185 Housing Authority: 637-3599 New Bern Library: 638-7800

New Bern Chamber: 637-3111 Visitors Center: 800-437-5767

City of Havelock: 444-6400 Havelock Police: 447-3212 Havelock Chamber: 447-1101

Havelock Tourist Center: 444-

MCAS Cherry Point:: 466-2811 NOAA Weather: 252-223-5737 Carolina Wildlife Solutions: 474-

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River Bend Police: 638-1108 Trent Woods Police: 637-3030 Pamlico Co. Sherriff: 252-745-

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### Editor's Letter

It's hard to believe that it's been five years since the birth of New Bern Now (NBN)!

If you haven't heard the story, here it is...before I moved to New Bern, I was stationed in Washington, DC, as a Navy Chief Hospital Corpsman and had 30 days to transfer to Naval Hospital Cherry Point. After numerous Internet searches, it was very difficult to find everything I needed to know about the area while house hunting. When I retired, I spent a lot of time "searching" for what I wanted to do with the new chapter in my life. Our economy was hit hard and after talking with a local small business owner, I realized how hard it was for her to promote her business. She's the reason why I decided to create a "One Stop, Information Shop" for the Greater New Bern area. I wanted to help our local businesses and non-profits market their services and products.

The saying, "if you build it, they will come" rings very true! I would stay up every night trying to think of what to write about New Bern. Now, I receive numerous emails and calls from people who want to spread the message about their community efforts, events, and all kinds of requests for information to be published on the website, community segments on the radio, video spotlights, and the Ledger. It's obvious that NBN wouldn't have survived without your support and encouragement along the way!

We look forward to promoting your efforts and want to make sure that you know that the Ledger is an extension of the website, just like NBN's YouTube Channel, Facebook page, Twitter, etc. It's created quarterly by using the information from the past quarter along with upcoming events, new businesses, and other interesting topics. So if you send us an event listing in April for December, it will be uploaded to New Bern Now's website and when it comes time to print the October - December Edition, it will already be listed on the Community Calendar.

As you've probably noticed, I'm content driven and I'm not a graphic designer. With that said, I hope you enjoy the new design. I welcome constructive criticism and would really appreciate any guidance that you may have for the design and/or content of the website and Ledger.

I also welcome contributing authors. If you have a specialty (i.e. Kate Horney of BeyondFitPhysiques writes "Healthy Living" articles for NBN), we would love to hear from you! It's a great way to help others with do it yourself projects, educate people about your services and/or products (no advertorials), and entertaining others by sending us fun stories. Our motto is "promote, not demote".

We're also very excited to offer a new service for local businesses that are listed in the Ledger. When you see our logo: You'll know that the business believes in New Bern Now and we hope you support those who support our community's website!

Is your business or non-profit listed in the Ledger for free? If so, you can increase prospective visitors to your website by paying a small fee of \$10 per month to have a link back to your website and NBN's logo next to your listing.

Or you can become an advertiser for only \$125 per quarter. Your business/non-profit stands out and it also helps cover the cost of printing the Ledger. This is a Win-Win! The more advertisers we have, the more hardcopies are printed/distributed throughout the Greater New Bern area.

Please send me an email or call 252-638-6858 if you'd like to help promote our efforts. The Ledger is published in hardcopy format and is also available online in color - 24/7. Where else can you market and advertise your business at these affordable costs?

Wendy Card Publisher of New Bern Now Page 4 New Bern Now

# Things To Do In and Around New Bern

Visitors are attracted to New Bern's southern charm, small town feel, combined with the beautiful scenery, terrific weather, and an abundance of things to do. If you're looking for something to do, you'll find all kinds of fun events and attractions throughout the year!

A City rich in arts, history, and outdoor recreation, New Bern's new slogan is "Everything comes together here". It's a safe, suburban community with a population over 45,000 residents with diverse social backgrounds. Residents range from home grown New Bernians, transplants seeking a slower pace of life, and snowbirds escaping from the cold weather. Military members and their families homestead in New Bern because of its close proximity to Marine Corps Air Station, Cherry Point and Marine Corps Base, Camp Lejuene.

Take a self-guided walking tour or: Horse Drawn Carriage Ride (675-5360), Trolley Tour (637-7316), Tour Bus and Sailboat Excursions with Palm Coast Tours & Outings (665-1175); Helicopter Rides (514-2242), Scenic Airplane Ride by Tradewind Aviation (636-0716), Boat Bumz, 323B Middle St., (557-9783), Crystal Coast Lookout Lady river cruises (252-504-2628), Tugboat of New Bern cruises (349-3819), and The Aerie Bed and Breakfast's "Model A Ford" and the "Aerie Ferry" Tours (800-849-5553) or 636-5553). Call New Bern Tour & Convention Services for more options (637-7316).

Visit New Bern's Civil War Battlefield Park for a self-guided tour or contact the New Bern Historical Society for a pre-arranged tour (638-8558). Nature lovers can enjoy the Battlefield Park tour as it is a well maintained path that parallels a great swamp with beautiful waterfowl and wildlife.

Visit one of 20+ parks & 3 recreation centers maintained by New Bern Parks & Recreation (639-2901) and the Craven County Recreation & Parks (636-6606).

Enjoy horseback riding at Clay Hill Stables (637-2255), play disc golf at Glenburnie Park (639-2901), go bowling or play laser tag at the Strike Zone (637-6033), or roller skate at Rollerland (633-3804).

Visit the New Bern/Craven County Library for free Wifi, computer classes, Bingo, book contests, artist of the month receptions, reading programs, DVD/movie rentals, story hours, etc. (638-7800).

Watch a movie at Neuse Blvd Cinema (633-2438) or Bear Town Cinema 6 (638-1820).

Relieve stress at Courts Plus Fitness Center (633-2221), Gold's Gym (634-9499), Gym 24/7 (672-9305), Kinsey Fitness Center (637-4449), Snap Fitness 24/7 (636-9627), Sound Fitness and Golf (639-2582), or Twin Rivers YMCA (638-8799). Take dance lessons, yoga, Zumba, etc. classes and enjoy acoustic performances at The Rivertowne Ballroom (637-2003), Downtown Pilates (571-5310), **Beyond Fit Physiques (beyondfitphysiques.com)**, A Hopeful Balance (633-1788), and Jennie Hege, Independent Beachbody Coach (336-240-2208).

Sign up for many activities at the Twin Rivers YMCA (638-8799). Our local YMCA has all kinds of activities and events throughout the year for adults and children alike.

Looking for a day trip? Visit Kirkman's Farm and Petting Zoo, 5255 Hwy 55 W, (252-229-8967). The Beer Army Combat Brewery in Trenton (252-448-1000). The Aurora Fossil Museum at 400 Main St., Aurora (252-322-4238).



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#### Arts and Culture in New Bern

Art enthusiasts are taken aback by the masterpieces created by New Bern's Artisans! Take a trip downtown starting on Craven Street. Stop at the Accidental Artist (634-3411), Ballantyne Framing and Art (633-0414), and The Greater Good Gallery (649-1712). Walk down Pollock Street to Carolina Creations (633-4369), Fine Arts at Baxters (634-9002), and the Cogs & Wheels project at Historic City Laundry! Visit the Craven Arts Council and Gallery in the Bank of the Arts (638-2577), Michaelé Rose Watson's Artist Studio, 413-B Broad St (626-0120). Check out the Framing Fox Art Gallery (635-6400) and Etched in Time Designs (633-3834). Don't miss the art shops within the Greater New Bern area! Visit Beads and Bowls (288-5812), Bear Hands Art Factory (514-2787), Pottery Concepts (670-1480), Weaver's Webb Gallery (514-2681), and Wine and Design (633-4555).

People look forward to Downtown ArtWalks! Contact the <u>Craven Arts Council</u> for details (638-2577). Find out about the participating businesses and restaurants. The <u>Greater Good Gallery</u> has added a new spin on Arts in the Downtown area - ArtCrawl every month (649-1712).

Bank of the Arts - Craven Arts Council and Gallery, 317 Middle St.

- May 9th: Artwalk Reception 5pm 8pm
- July 11th: ArtWalk Reception, 5pm 8pm

#### \* Carolina Creations Fine Art and Contemporary Craft Gallery (633-4369):

April 11: Open House for Spring Home Tour at Carolina Creations 4-7 pm. Prints available of Jan Franccoeur's poster art. May 9: ArtWalk 5-8 pm Opening for Robert Rigsby's Show "Good things Come in Small Frames" plein air oil paintings. Show runs through June 30.

July 11: ArtWalk 5-8 pm Opening for "A Sense of Place", oil paintings by Dan Nelson and Mike Rooney show runs through August 31.

#### **Fine Art at Baxters** (634-9002):

- April: "Mini Series City Scenes" by artist Jerry La Point. The exhibit will be on view from April 4, 2014 through May 2, 2014. The exhibit will open on Friday, April 4, 2014 during the downtown art crawl.
- May 9th: ArtWalk reception with classical artists Patricia Pittman from 5pm 8pm. The exhibit will be on view from May 9, 2014 through June 6, 2014.
- June: "Local Coastal Views" a body of works by landscape painters, Barbara Hesketh, Nancy Noel May, Jane Faudree, and Karen Crenshaw. The exhibit will be on display from June 6, 2014 through July 6, 2014.

#### \* ArtCrawl at the Isaac Taylor Garden and Greater Good Gallery (649-1712):

- April 11th; May 9th, and June 13th: Featuring works by local artists and a reception in the garden from 5pm - 8pm. Bohemian artists will also be demonstrating their art throughout Downown New Bern.

Enjoy a live performance at the \*\* New Bern Civic Theatre\* (634-9057, Masonic Theatre by RiverTowne Players (634-7877), Bear City Opry (670-7082), Bear Town Market (637-0022), New Bern's Farmer's Market (633-0043), New Bern Convention Center (800-437-5767), Ratio Theatre, Company's Front Room Cabaret Café Club (626-0358), Trent River Coffee Company (514-2030), North Carolina History Center (639-3500), Rivertowne Ballroom (637-2003), and Grover C. Fields Performing Arts Center.

Check out NBN's <u>Online Community Calendar</u> for a complete and up-to-date listing of upcoming events!

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# **Outdoor Recreation**



Boating, fishing, paddling, hunting, golfing, biking, hiking, bird watching, photography, camping, and tennis are only a few of many outdoor recreation opportunities in New Bern, NC!

Nestled between the Neuse and Trent Rivers in Eastern North Carolina, New Bern is a haven for boaters, fishermen, and water sport fanatics. Choose from small tributaries and creeks to the mile wide Neuse River. From large Marina's to off the path boat ramps, you'll find them here: <a href="www.ncwildlife.org">www.ncwildlife.org</a>.

Fishing is plentiful! Some of the water is brackish so you can catch both salt water and fresh water fish - you need both licenses. Stop into our local Sportsman's Toy Store to get the inside scoop (638-5600). For a unique outdoor experience, call Four Seasons Guide Service (638-6797), Spec Fever Fishing Guide Services (249-1520), or Speckrigg Charters Guide Services (637-6908). Custom Marine Inc, 2401 Hwy 70 E (638-5422) also has boating and fishing equipment. Contact the Neuse Riverkeepers (637-7972) and/or the Twin Rivers Paddle Club (636-6606) for paddle trail maps and details about boating and fishing on the Neuse and Trent Rivers along with their tributaries.

A "Nature Lover's Paradise", enjoy the Croatan National Forest (NF). The forest's habitat has exotic plants like the Venus flytrap, making it the only NF with the largest carnivorous plant population. The Croatan spans approximately 160,000 acres and is located in New Bern's backyard. It's a sanctuary for black bear, deer, wild turkey, quail, coyote, beaver, porcupine, bobcat, American alligator, bald eagle, red-tailed hawk, and other wildlife you may see.

Talk to the people at the Croatan NF Ranger's Station on Hwy 70 E (638-5628). The Croatan is full of history and untamed lands! Enjoy walking trails throughout our City and County. Contact New Bern Parks & Recreation (639-2912) and/or Craven County Recreation & Parks (636-6606). The new "Riverwalk" begins at Union Point Park.

Join cyclists at Flythe's Bike Shop, 2411 Trent Rd, as Flythe's leads bike rides around town (638-1544). You can also rent bike's from them at the Galley Stores, 300 E. Front St. Atomic Cycles also leads rides around town. Visit them at 504 S. Front St. or call them to find out more information about their rides or bike rentals (633-2242).

Attention golf lovers! Visit Carolina Colours Golf Course (772-7022), Carolina Pines Golf & Country Club (444-1000), the Emerald Golf Club (633-4440), Harbour Pointe Golf Club (638-5338), New Bern Golf and Country Club (637-4061), Taberna Country Club (634-1600), River Bend Golf & Country Club (638-2819), or the Cherry Point Golf Course (466-3044).

Campers have many choices. Stay in New Bern's KOA, located on Hwy 17 N in Bridgeton (800-562-3341). Visit Flanner's Beach Campground or Neuse River Campground which are run by the Croatan National Forest. Brice's Creek also has a small primitive campground. Call the National Forest Service (638-5628) for more information.

Prefer tennis? There are tennis courts throughout New Bern including Craven Community College, New Bern Golf and Country Club (637-4061), The Emerald Country Club (633-4440), Harbour Town Racquet Club (636-5652), New Bern Parks & Rec facilities (639-2912), and Craven County Recreation and Parks (636-6606).

Hunter Safety Course Information: (919-707-0031) and Hunting/Fishing License Information (888-248-6834). Visit the NC Wildlife Commission's <u>website</u> or NC Waterman <u>website</u> for fishing reports, water conditions and more!

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#### New Bern Historic Landmarks and Facts

Besides <u>Tryon Palace</u> being the First State Capitol, New Bern, North Carolina, is a town full of history! **Here are a few of numerous historical events and notable residents:** 

- Richard Dobbs Spaight signed the US Constitution
- Bayard Wooten, renowned 20th Century woman photographer
- Gertrude Carraway, journalist, author, and philanthropist was influential in the restoration of Tryon Palace
- James Davis opened the First Printing Press in North Carolina
- Birthplace of Pepsi Cola, invented in New Bern by Caleb Bradham
- First Public School in North Carolina
- First Chartered Fire Department in North Carolina
- New Bern's Devastating Fire of 1922
- Professional Basketball Player and Hall of Famer, Walt Bellamy
- Beverly Perdue became NC's First Female Governor
- Novelist and Screenwriter, Nicholas Sparks resident and founder of the Epiphany School
- Tommy Moore, Owner of Moore's BBQ, received the Guinness World Record for the largest open faced BBQ bun.
- Craven County and the City of New Bern are over 300 years old!

#### **Historical Tours:**

- African American Walking Tour, Tryon Palace Way Station, corner Pollock and George Sts. (639-3500)
- Architectural Downtown Walking Tour, Tryon Palace (639-3500)
- Churches and Cemeteries Tour (self-guided), Craven County Visitors Center (637-9400)
- Ghosts of New Bern Walking Tour (571-4766)
- New Bern Tours and Convention Services, 333 Middle St. (800-849-7316)
- Tour Cedar Grove Cemetery (638-8558)

The North Carolina History Center at Tryon Palace provides an eco-friendly, virtual learning experience with interactive devices, combined with old fashioned historic interpreters. Tryon Palace and the North Carolina History Center offers visitors a once in a lifetime experience that merges 300+ years of history with modern technology enjoyed by all ages!

Learn about the 1862 "Battle of New Bern"! Visit New Bern's Civil War Battlefield, off Hwy 70 E. Professional guided tours can be arranged through the New Bern Historical Society, 511 Broad St. (638-8558).

Museums: Attmore-Oliver Civil War House Museum, 51! Broad St. (638-8558); New Bern Fireman's Museum, 408 Hancock St. (636-4087); New Bern Academy Museum, corner of New & Hancock; and the USMC Aviation Exhibit, 201 Tourist Center Drive, Havelock (444-4348).

Contact the New Bern Preservation Foundation to learn more about our Historic buildings (633-6448).

Visit the New Bern-Craven County Library's Kellenburger Room to learn about the centuries worth of history that started in our great city (638-7800).

#### New Bern, NC is located:

- 20 30 minutes from Marine Corps Air Station Cherry Point in Havelock, NC
- 35 45 minutes from Marine Corps Base, Camp Lejeune in Jacksonville, NC
- Atlantic Beaches & Bogue Banks: 35-45 minutes
- Big Cities: 1½ 2 hours to Wilmington or Raleigh, NC.



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# **Dining**

#### Asian (Chinese/Japanese/Thai)

Big Bowl, 4118 Dr M L King Jr Blvd., 634-1601 China Garden, 1216 S. Glenburnie Rd., 637-8118 China King, 133 Bridge Town Blvd., 636-3155 China Wok, 3321 Dr M L King Jr Blvd., 636-5288 Chinese Express Takeout, Neuse Blvd., 638-4122 Golden China, 953 Hwy 70 E., 637-1136 New Chinese Food Takeout, 1405 Tatum Rd., 636-9993 Peking Garden Express, 3100 Dr MLK Jr Blvd.,

637-8187

Super China Buffet, 2000 S. Glenburnie Rd., 636-9988 Ginza Japan, 3025 Dr M L King Jr Blvd., 633-6698 Musashi Japanese Steak & Seafood Restaurant, 2041 S. Glenburnie Rd., 637-0063 Osaka Express Grill, 2503 Neuse Blvd., 637-0444; 701 Hwy 70 E, 288-5718 Sanuki Japanese Restaurant and Sushi Bar, 2311 Neuse Blvd., 514-0459 Sumo Bowl, 1905 S. Glenburnie Rd., 672-8975 Thai Thai Seafood Rest., 2405 Neuse Blvd., 633-9593

#### Barbeque

Moore's Olde Tyme Barbeque, 3711 Hwy 17 S., 638-3937 Smithfield's BBQ, 2507 Dr MLK Jr Blvd., 636-2398

#### **Breakfast**

Baker's Kitchen, 227 Middle St., 637-0304 Christoph's on the Water, 100 Middle St., 638-3585 Country Biscuit Restaurant, 809 Broad St., 638-5151 Ghent Sandwich Shop, 1210 Pollock St., 638-5928 Golden Corral, 400 Hotel Dr., 638-4010 IHOP, 3400 Dr M L King Jr Blvd, 633-7800 Kitchen on the Trent, 2500 Trent Rd., 638-2241 Sea Glass Cafe, 1803 S. Glenburnie Rd., 634-2327 Waffle House 3303 Dr MLK Jr Blvd., 635-5220; 1000 Hwy 70 E, 672-9800

#### Catering

Attitudes Pub & Grill, 32 Shoreline Dr., 633-2006 Bay Leaf Indian Restaurant, 309 Middle St., 638-5323 The Chelsea, 335 Middle St., 637-5469 Christoph's on the Water, 100 Middle St., 638-3585 Country Biscuit Restaurant, 809 Broad St., 638-5151 Famous Restaurant, 2210 Neuse Blvd., 637-2809 The Flame Catering, 2301 Neuse Blvd., 633-1193 Kitchen on the Trent, 2500 Trent Rd., 638-2241

Moore's Olde Tyme Barbeque, 3711 Hwy 17 S., 638-3937 Smithfield's Chicken & BBQ, 2507 MLK Jr Blvd., 636-2398

#### Coffee Shops and Delis

2 Girls Deli, 233 Middle St., 633-1005 Bear Towne Java, 323 Middle St, 633-7900 Carolina Bagel Co. & Deli, 3601 Trent Rd., 636-0133 Cow Cafe, 319 Middle St., 672-9269 Craven Coffee House, 1904 S. Glenburnie Rd., 649-1746 Dunkin' Donuts, 2315 Neuse Blvd., 633-2300; 120 Taberna Way, 637-9284 Ghent Sandwich Shop, 1210 Pollock St., 638-5928 Java Junction, 3158 Dr M L King Jr Blvd., 637-7621 Jersey Mike's Subs, 2309 Hwy 70 E., 636-2566 Lawson's Landing Riverwalk Café 639-3500 Schlotzsky's Deli, 3335 Dr M L King Jr Blvd, 638-2508 Starbucks, 3410 Dr M L King Jr Blvd., 638-2954 Sea Glass Cafe, 1803 S. Glenburnie Rd., 634-2327 Trent River Coffee Company, 208 Craven St., 514-2030

#### Indian

Bay Leaf Indian Restaurant, 309 Middle St., 638-5323

#### Italian

37th Street Pizzaria, 2402 Neuse Blvd., 633-5444 Franco's Pizza, 1200 Hwy 70 E., 635-3396 LaRosa Restaurant, 1530 S. Glenburnie Rd., 633-4606 Mario's Pizza,1822 S. Glenburnie Rd., 633-0836

Paula's Pizza and Italian Restaurant, 1713 Red Robin Ln., 636-2324

Savage's Woodburning Pizzeria, 2116 Trent Rd., 672-0103

#### Mexican

Arturo's Mexican Restaurant, 1900 S. Glenburnie Rd.,

Cilantro's Mexican Grill, 1706 Hwy 70 E., 637-6184 El Cerro Grande, 2503 Dr M L King Jr Blvd., 638-8938 El Tequila Mexican, 2037 S. Glenburnie Rd., 633-2958

#### Pizza and Subs

37th Street Pizzaria, 2402 Neuse Blvd., 633-5444 Aggies Steak Sub, 3317 Dr M L King Jr Blvd., 639-9979 Hwy 55 Cheesesteaks & Cheeseburgers, 3335 Dr M L King Jr Blvd., 514-2893;2317 Hwy 70 E., 637-7994 Big Apple Pizzeria, Twin Rivers Mall, 636-3803 Dominos Pizza, 949 Hwy 70 E., 252-635-1302 Famous Subs and Pizza, 2210 Neuse Blvd., 637-2809 Franco's Pizza, 1200 Hwy 70 E., 635-3396 Gina's Pizza, 1904 S. Glenburnie Rd., 633-9000; 1904 Hwy 70 E., 672-9063 Jersey Mike's Subs, 2309 Hwy 70E, 636-2566 Little Caesars, 2309 Neuse Blvd., New Bern, 636-3339 Mario's Pizza, 1822 S. Glenburnie Rd., 633-0836 Papa John's Pizza, 2009 S. Glenburnie Rd., 636-1212

Paula's Pizza and Italian Restaurant, 1713 Red Robin Ln., 636-2324

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# Dining and Nightlife

#### Pizza and Subs (Continued)

Pizza Hut, 1505 S. Glenburnie Rd., 638-3100; 3201 Dr MLK Jr Blvd., 638-5400; 2707 Hwy 70 E, 252-637-0400

Savage's Woodburning Pizzeria, 2116 Trent Rd., 672-0103

Subway, 3105 Dr M L King Jr Blvd., 638-4851; 941 Hwy 70 E., 636-0020

#### Surf and Turf (Seafood & Steak)

Captain Ratty's Seafood & Steakhouse, 202 Middle St., 633-2088

Friday's 1890 Seafood, 2307 Neuse Blvd, 637-2276 MJ's Raw Bar and Grill, 216 Middle St., 635-6890 Musashi Japanese Steakhouse, 2041 S. Glenburnie Rd., 637-0063

Ribeyes Steakhouse, 313 Middle St., 288-5814 Sting Ray Cafe, 520 S. Front St., 638-2280 Texas Steakhouse, 3231 Dr M L King Jr Blvd, 637-1500 Outback Steakhouse, 111 Howell Rd, 672-9394

#### **Sweet Tastes**

Ali Smith Cake Design and Bear City Fudge Company, 236C Middle St., 636-1360; 2122 Trent Rd., 633-3144 Cooper's New Orleans Snowballs, Bear Plaza, 637-2855 Dunkin' Donuts, 2315 Neuse Blvd., 633-2300 Froyo's 101, 2031 S. Glenburnie Rd., 638-8881 Java Cream, 1904A S. Glenburnie Rd., 633-6800 Kitty's Cakes, 2500 Trent Rd., 635-5155 Prohibition "Speakeasy, Cocktails", 243 Craven St., 649-1838

Slender Temptations, 2117 S. Glenburnie Rd., 636-3502 Soo's Chocolate and Bakery, 876-SOOS (8776)

#### **Upscale Dining**

247 Craven Restaurant, 247 Craven St., 635-1879 The Chelsea, 335 Middle St., 637-5469 Christoph's on the Water, 100 Middle St., 638-3585 The Flame Restaurant and Banquet Centre, 2303 Neuse Blvd., 633-0262 Harvey Mansion Historic Inn, 221 S. Front St., 635-3232

Morgan's Tavern and Grill, 235 Craven St., 636-2430 Persimmons Restaurant, 100 Pollock St., 514-0033

#### **Variety Dining**

Annabelle's Restaurant, Twin Rivers Mall, 633-6401 Applebee's Restaurant, 3450 Dr MLK Blvd., 637-8050 Attitudes Pub & Grill, 32 Shoreline Dr., 633-2006 Baker's Kitchen, 227 Middle St., 637-0304 Buffalo Wild Wings, 3102 Dr MLK Blvd. 635-9464 Carolina Grill, 998 Hwy 70 E., 634-3456 Country Biscuit Restaurant, 809 Broad St., 638-5151 Half Time Pub and Grill, 3325 Dr MLK Jr Blvd., 672-8777

Ruby Tuesday Restaurant, 1004 Hwy 70 E., 638-8004 Spunky McDoogle's, 1908 S. Glenburnie Rd., 637-5705 Triple Play Restaurant/Bar, 1706-E Hwy 70E, 637-6184

#### Nightlife in New Bern

Applebee's Grill & Bar, 3450 Dr MLK Jr Blvd., 637-8050 Attitudes Pub & Grill, 32 Shoreline Dr., 633-2006 Bambooz Tiki Bar, 101 Howell Rd., 633-2745 Bear Towne Market (BTM), S. Front St., 637-0022 Beer Army Outpost, 1244 Hwy 70 E, 633-5060 Buffalo Wild Wings, 3102 Dr MLK Blvd. 635-9464 Captain Ratty's, 202 Middle St., 633-2088 The Chelsea, 335 Middle St., 637-5469 Christoph's on the Water, 100 Middle St., 638-0305 The Diamond Club, 1100 Hwy 70 E, 634-3466 Half Time Pub & Grill, 3325 Dr M L King Jr Blvd, 672-8777

Harvey Mansion Steamer Bar, 221 S. Front St., 635-3232 The Howling Dog Saloon, 3202 Neuse Blvd., 514-2433 Mesh Sports Lounge, 2500 Trent Rd., 636-6374 Mickey Milligan's, 3411 Trent Rd., 637-3711 MJ's Raw Bar & Grill, 216 Middle St., 635-6890 Morgan's Tavern & Grill, 235 Craven St., 636-2430 Persimmons Waterfront Restaurant, 100 Pollock St., 514-0033

Prohibition "Speakeasy, Cocktails", 243 Craven St., 649-1838

Spunky McDoogle's, 1908 S. Glenburnie Rd., 637-5705 Texas Steakhouse, 3231 Dr MLK Jr. Blvd, 637-1500 Triple Play Restaurant and Bar, 1706-E Hwy 70E, 637-6184



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# Staying in New Bern

#### Bed and Breakfasts: New Bern Area Code 252

The Aerie Bed and Breakfast, 509 Pollock St, New Bern, 636-5553/800-849-5553

The Aerie Guest House and Conference Center, 512 Pollock St, New Bern, 636-5553/800-849-5553

Broad Creek Guest Quarters & Resort, 6229 Harbourside Dr, New Bern, 474-5329

The Captain's Stay, 718 Pollock St, New Bern, 288-5133

Hanna House Bed & Breakfast, 218 Pollock St, New Bern, 635-3209/866-830-4371

The Harmony House Inn, 215 Pollock St, New Bern, 636-3810

Harvey Mansion Historic Inn, 221 S Front St, New Bern, 635-3232

Howard House Victorian Bed & Breakfast, 207 Pollock St, New Bern, 514-6709/800-705-5261

Meadows Inn, 212 Pollock St, New Bern, 634-1776/877-551-1776

Sail Inn, 714 Pollock St, New Bern, 259-8507

#### Camping Cabins, Lodges, RV and Tent Sites:

Fishers Landing Campground and Neuse River Campground, Hwy 70 E, 638-5628

Moonlight Lake RV Park, 6406 Hwy 55 E, Grantsboro, 745-9800

New Bern KOA, 1565 B St., 638-2556

#### Hotels:

BridgePointe Hotel and Marina, 101 Howell Rd, 636-3637/877-283-7713 Candlewood Suites, 3465 Dr M L King Jr Blvd, New Bern, 638-8166 Comfort Suites of New Bern, 1006 Old Cherry Pt Rd., 649-1717 Courtyard by Marriott, 218 E Front St, New Bern, 636-0022 or 800-627-7468 Doubletree by Hilton New Bern, 100 Middle St, New Bern, 638-3585 Holiday Inn Express, 3455 Dr M L King Jr Blvd, New Bern, 638-8266 Hampton Inn - New Bern, 200 Hotel Dr, 637-2111/800-HAMPTON The Hurricane Resort, 100 Marina Dr, New Bern, 637-2477 Springhill Suites - Marriott, 300 Hotel Dr, New Bern, 637-0017 The Ziegler Suites Hotel, 1914 Trent Blvd, New Bern, 638-6868

#### **Vacation Rentals:**

The Abbot Cottages, New Bern, 638-6868

Abilena Mansion, 2814 Old Cherry Point Rd, New Bern, 349-2441

Anchors Away, 108 Gangplank Rd., New Bern, 719-486-9776

Berne Rivers Guest House, 209 Hancock St, 638-2798

The Country Cottage, 206 Piney Grove Rd., Pollocksville, 252-229-1743

New Bern Round House, 101B St., Bridgeton, info@newbernroundhouse.com

Resort Management Group, 475 Broad Creek Rd., New Bern, 638-8011

Sandy Garden, Sandy Point House, Bamboo Cottage, 321 Riverside Dr. New Bern, nickmiss@suddenlink.net

The River Camp, call Tommy Moore at 670-3040

Sky Sail Condominiums, 100 Middle St, New Bern, 637-3600

Vacation Resorts International, 1141 Broad Creek Rd, 633-1151

Valhalla Vacation Rentals, 259-7695 or 636-8336



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#### **Animal Care Services**

Animal Care Center, 4385 Hwy 17 S., 636-5040 Animal Hospital of New Bern, 729 Professional Dr., 649-1520

Bullock Small Animal Clinic, 2603 Trent Rd., 637-6161

Craven Animal Hospital, 1003 Hwy 70 E., 637-4541 Emergency Vet Center Craven/Carteret, 1301 E. Main St., Havelock, 444-1399 Equine Express Vet Service, 3405 Trent Rd., 637-1838 Neuse Veterinary Clinic, 2819 Neuse Blvd., 637-7128 Ridgeway Animal Clinic, 1804 S. Glenburnie Rd., 633-1204

#### Antique Stores/Flea Markets

Andrea's Attic Antiques, 2104 Trent Rd., 633-5656 Black Swan Flea Market, 1310 Broad St., 633-2600 JL Kirkman's Antique Mall, 1198 Hwy 17 N., 634-2745 Martha's Favorite Things, 6241 Hwy 70 E., 637-8030 Middle St Antiques/Flea Market, 221 Middle St., 633-4876

New Berne Antiques and Collectibles Mall, 1000 Greenleaf Cemetery Rd., 637-0206 Peddler's Depot, 2302 Trent Rd., 637-7001

Poor Charlie's Flea Market & Antiques, 208 Hancock St., 672-0208

Tom's Coins and Antiques, 224 Middle St., 633-0615

### **Bath and Beauty Supplies**

Bath and Body Works, 3100 Dr MLK Jr Blvd., 638-5102 Bear Essentials, 309 Middle St., 637-6663 Beauty World Discount, 1407 Tatum Dr., 638-3400 Sally Beauty Supply, 3031 Dr M L King Jr Blvd., 638-9080

#### **Boutiques and Gift Shops**

The Antiquery Boutiquery Place, 219 Middle St., 514-0409

Bear Essentials, 309 Middle St., 637-6663 Bern Bear Gifts Inc, 301 Pollock St., 637-2300 The Boathouse, 220 Middle St., 633-5501 Calypso Cottage, 225 S. Front St. St., 637-0263

Carolina Creations, 317 Pollock St., 633-4369

East BoutiqueNC.com, New Bern Funky Monkees, 2118 Trent Blvd., 514-0026

The Holiday House, 223 Middle St., 229-9102 Jan's Hallmark, 3100 Dr M L King Jr Blvd., 638-1585

Mitchell Hardware, 215 Craven St., 638-4261
Nauti Paws Pet Boutique & Dog Bakery, 208 Middle St., 637-0247

One World Shoppe, 236 Middle St., 633-3929 The Pepsi Store, 256 Middle St., 636-5898 Pier One Imports, 2033 S. Glenburnie Rd., 633-5235 Snap Dragon Way Cool Toys, 514-6770

#### Clothing

Ann Lynn's, 4146 Hwy 17 S, 638-3897
Belk Department Store, 3100 Dr MLK Jr Blvd., 633-1136
Cato, 3011 Dr M L King Jr Blvd., 633-6214
The Children's Place, New Bern Mall, 514-0281
City Trends, 1707 Red Robin Ln., 633-3756
Four C's, 252 Middle St., 636-3285
The Intimate Bridal, 224 Middle St., 638-1220
JC Penney's, 3100 Dr MLK Jr Blvd., 633-3925
JoS. A. Bank, 2067 S. Glenburnie Rd., 635-1014
Juliette's Boutique, 236 Middle St., 514-9800
Maurice's, 3150 Dr M L King Jr Blvd., 634-9911
Next Best Thing Children' Consignment, 2656 Dr MLK
Blvd., 514-6857
One World Shoppe, 236 Middle St., 633-3929
Paggodd's Plyma, 218 S Front St., 633-1043

Peacock's Plume, 218 S Front St., 633-1043 Raggamuffins Childrens Clothing, 1210 Highland Ave., 633-5439

Rue 21, New Bern Mall, 633-9231 Surf, Wind, and Fire, 236-A Middle St., 633-3929 Target, 3410 Dr M L King Jr Blvd., 638-2954 Today's Fashion, 1204-D S Glenburnie Rd., 635-1792 Top Shelf Consignments and Boutique, 206 Craven St., 514-6968

Twice as Nice Consignment and Upscale Boutique, 224 Craven St., 633-4432

Uniforms PRN of New Bern, 2877 Trent Rd., 635-9975 VashTi Fine Apparel, 218 Middle St., 514-6720 Walmart, 3105 Dr M L King Jr Blvd., 637-6699 World Fashions, 2701 Neuse Blvd., 638-6151

#### **Florists**

Lou's Florist Ltd, 233 Middle St., 636-3484 Greenleaf Park Florist, 4110 Hwy 17 S. 638-5156 Occasions to Celebrate, 3910 Dr MLK Jr Blvd. 637-9100 Odham's Flower Shop, 1207 Simmons St., 638-1374 Unique's Florist & Gift Shop, 2907C Trent Rd., 636-5161

#### **Other Selected Businesses**

B & J Seafood, 1101 Hwy 70 E., 637-0483 Branch's Furniture, 309 Pollock St., 638-5171 Bynum's Drug Store, 240 Middle St., 637-3123 Carroll's Seafood Market, 2700 Trent Rd., 633-0866

Confidential Records Management Inc., 507 Pollock St., 633-2417

Cravin' Wine, 1706-A Hwy 70E, 514-2675
Edible Arrangements, 3313 Dr MLK Jr. Blvd., 638-5009
Fraser's Wine and Cheese, 210 Middle St., 634-2580
Midtown Olive Oil, 215 Middle St., 637-0333
New Bern Recycling, 2912 Neuse Blvd., 633-0892
Pinecone Perennials, 4136 Dr MLK Jr. Blvd, 636-3437
Williams Farm and Garden Center, 1309 Old Cherry
Point Rd., 638-1983

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# April Calendar of Events & Festivals

1st: Opening Ceremony for Prevent Child Abuse Month, 8:30am at the Craven County Courthouse

3rd - 5th: Restaurant Relay for Relay for Life of Craven County at participating restaurants. For details call 252-259-7401

4th: Opening Ceremony for Prevent Child Abuse Month in Havelock, 9:00am at the Walter B. Jones Park (or Havelock Court Room in case of rain)

4th: Explorations: The International Film Series "The Best Exotic Marigold Hotel", 2:30pm and 7:30pm presented by Craven Community College Foundation in the Orringer Auditorium. For details call 252-638-7200

4th: <u>3rd Annual Texas Hold'em Poker Tournament</u>, 5:00pm at Stanly Hall, 305 Pollock St. presented by the New Bern Civic Theatre. For details call 252-634-9057

4th - 5th: Rodgers & Hammerstein's Cinderella, 7:30pm at the New Bern Civic Theatre. For details call 252-633-0567

4th - 6th: "Pippin", Fri - Sat: 8:00pm; Sun: 3:00pm at the Historic Masonic Theatre. Presented by RiverTowne Players. For details call 252-638-2577

5th: <u>Car Show and Carnival for the V Foundation for Cancer Research</u>, 9:00am - 12:00pm at the New Bern Applebee's, 3450 Dr MLK Blvd. For details call 252-637-8055

5th: Reach for the Stars Gala, 6:00pm - 12:30am at the New Bern Riverfront Convention Center. Presented by St. Paul Catholic School. For details call 252-633-0100

6th: ENC Spring Bridal Show, 1:00pm - 5:00pm at the North Carolina History Center and Tryon Palace's Historic Grounds.

7th: New Bern Civic Strings, 7:00pm at Centenary United Methodist Church Sanctuary. Guest Conductor: Finley Woolston. Admission is free

9th: Tryon's Tots: 'The Easy and Pleasant Life', 10:00am at Tryon Palace. For details call 252-639-3524

10th: <u>Ice Cream Social for Relay for Life of Craven County</u>, 5:30pm, Morris Hall Ministry Center at Garber United Methodist Church. For details call 252-259-7401

11th: <u>Spring ART crawl</u> through Galleries, Studios, Shops with Art, Performance Venues in Downtown New Bern. For details call 252-649-1712

11th Bobbi Waters in Concert, 6:00pm - 7:30pm at Bear Towne Java. For details call 252-633-7900

11th: <u>Drew Nelson in Concert</u> presented by the Down East FolkArts Society, 7:00pm at the Trent River Coffee Company. For details call 252-646-4657

11th - 12th: Spring Historic Home and Garden Tour, 10:00am - 4:00pm in Historic Downtown New Bern. For details call 252-633-6448 or 252-638-8558

11th - 12th: "Pippin", 8:00pm at the Historic Masonic Theatre. Presented by RiverTowne Players. For details call 252-638-2577

11th - 13th: Garden Lover's Weekend, 9:00am - 6:00pm at Tryon Palace. For details call 252-638-8558

# April Calendar of Events & Festivals (Continued)

11th - 13th: <u>Sixteenth Annual Spring Theology Conference</u>, 6:30pm at Covenant Orthodox Presbyterian Church, 130 Market St., New Bern. For details call 252-635-1506

12th: Spring Fest at the New Bern Farmers Market. For details call 252-633-0043

12th: 6th Annual East Carolina Pottery Festival, 9:00am - 5:00pm, North Carolina History Center at Tryon Palace. For details call 252-224-1446

12th: Festival of Fun, 10:00am - 4:00pm at Union Point Park. For details call 252-639-2902

12th: Rubber Ducky Derby, 3:00pm at the Union Point Park. Presented by the New Bern Breakfast Rotary.

12th: <u>Four Seasons in New Bern</u>, 7:00pm, presented by East Carolina University at the Cullman Performance Hall, North Carolina History Center at Tryon Palace. For details call 252-328-6019

16th: <u>Organizing Workshop</u> at the Courtyards at Berne Village presented by Structured Chaos and the Productive Environment. For details call 252-665-3424

18th: <u>Triple "P" Parenting Seminar on Raising Resilient Children for Military Families</u>, 9:00am – 11:00pm, MCAS Cherry Point Bldg 232, Havelock. For details call 252-466-4401

19th: Easter Celebration at the New Bern Farmers Market. For details call 252-633-0043

22nd - May 2nd: <u>Neuse River Senior Games and Silver Arts</u>. Headquarters: West New Bern Recreation Center. For details call 252-639-2912

22nd: 4th Annual Community Fabric Awards, 12:00pm at the New Bern Riverfront Convention Center. Presented by Craven Community College Foundation. For details call 252-638-7351

24th: <u>Coastal Carolina State of the Child Conference</u>, 8:30am - 4:00pm at the Havelock Tourist and Event Center. For details call 252-636-3381

25th: **BBQ Fundraiser presented by the Colonial Capital Humane Society**, 10:30am - 1:00pm at the Elks Lodge, 1175 Pine Tree Dr. For details call 252-229-2077

25th - 26th: 20th Annual Relay for Life of Craven County at Grover C. Fields School. For details call 252-259-7401

26th: Herb Day at the New Bern Farmers Market. For details call 252-633-0043

26th: 2014 Craven County Alzheimer's NC Walk, registration at 9:00am, Union Point Park. For details call 252-638-3185 x 3011

26th: Healthy Kids Day, 10:00am - 2:00pm at the Twin Rivers YMCA. For details call 252-638-8799

26th: Bettye Goodman Green Book Signing, 2:00pm at the New Bern Mall. For details call 252-635-7342

26th: Southern Gentlemen Chorus of New Bern presents Its Annual Concert featuring "Lunch Break", 7:30pm at Grover C. Fields Auditorium, 2000 Dr Martin Luther King Jr. Blvd. For details call 252-288-9132



Visit the New Bern Farmer's Market to browse thru products from 70 vendors. Buy local produce, honey, pastries, flowers, wine, jewelry, gifts, canned goods, arts and crafts, baked goods, music, and much more! It's a place where our community meets old friends, makes new ones, and supports local businesses! For more information, call 633-0043.

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# May Calendar of Events & Festivals

Apr 22nd - May 2nd: Neuse River Senior Games and Silver Arts. West New Bern Recreation Center. Call 252-639-2912

2nd - 3rd: Vanceboro Strawberry Festival and Rescue Day, Vanceboro Farm Life Elementary School. Call 252-229-6881

3rd: Craven County Clean Sweep, 9:00am at Lawson Creek Park. For details call 252-633-1477

2nd: Home School Day: We are Family, 9:00am at Tryon Palace. For details call 252-639-3524

2nd - 4th: Monty Python's Spamalot, Fri - Sat: 7:30pm; Sun: 2:00pm at the New Bern Civic Theatre. Call 252-633-0567

3rd: Run the Yellow Brick Road 5K/10K at the Creekside Elementary School benefiting pediatric cancer research

3rd: Strawberry and Jazz Day at the New Bern Farmers Market. For details call 252-633-0043

3rd: <u>3rd Annual Cyclists Goin' Coastal</u>, 8:00am benefiting the NC Coastal Land Trust at the River Dunes in Oriental NC. For details call 910-790-4524

3rd: Spring Corvette Display, 10:00am - 3:00pm. Presented by Twin Rivers Corvette Club and Joe Alcoke Chevrolet. For details call 252-617-7723

3rd: 6th Annual Fur Ball, 5:00pm at the New Bern Riverfront Convention Center. For details call 252-637-0247

4th: <u>Strauss and Mozart</u>, 7:30pm, presented by the North Carolina Symphony at the New Bern Riverfront Convention Center. For details call 877-627-6724

7th: Lunch and Learn: Behind Blackbeard, 11:30am, at the Chelsea Restaurant. For details call 252-638-8558

9th: Mother's Day ARTcrawl through Galleries, Studios, Shops with Art, Performance Venues in Downtown New Bern. For details call 252-649-1712

9th: **BBQ Chicken Fundraiser** by the New Bern Scottish Rite with proceeds benefiting Rite Care of North Carolina, 11:00am - 2:00pm, at the Scottish Rite Temple, 516 Hancock St.. For details call 252-772-5578

9th - 11th: Monty Python's Spamalot, Fri - Sat: 7:30pm; Sun: 2:00pm at the New Bern Civic Theatre. Call 252-633-0567

11th: <u>23rd Annual Antique Automobile Show</u>, 10:00am - 3:00pm, on Middle St., Downtown New Bern presented by First Capital AACA Chapter.

16th: <u>Deidre McCalla in Concert</u> presented by the Down East FolkArts Society, 7:00pm at the Trent River Coffee Company. For details call 252-646-4657

16th - 17th: Monty Python's Spamalot (Musical Comedy), 7:30pm at the New Bern Civic Theatre. Call 252-633-0567

16th - 18th: MCAS Cherry Point Air Show at MCAS Cherry Point. For details call 252-466-4241

24th: Red, White, and Blue Run to Remember 5K in Taberna. Benefiting the Injured Marine Semper Fi Fund.

26th: In Honor and Remembrance (Military Appreciation Day), 9:00am - 6:00pm at Tryon Palace. Call 252-639-3500

30th: <u>21st Annual Reverse Drawing</u> presented by the New Bern Area Chamber of Commerce at the New Bern Farmers Market. For details call 252-637-3111

31st: United Way of Coastal NC Run United 5K Trail Race Series: Sail the Trail, Camp Seafarer, Arapahoe

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# June Calendar of Events & Festivals

1st - 30th: <u>Tryon Civitan Sugar Drive for Religious Community Services</u>. Sugar can be dropped off at the UPS Store, 1822 S. Glenburnie Dr. For details call 252-637-7500.

6th: <u>A Midsummer Night's Party: An Evening with the Stanlys and Friends</u>, 5:30pm - 7:00pm and 7:30pm - 9:00pm at Tryon Palace. For details call 252-633-0043

6th - 8th: <u>The Marvelous Wonderettes Caps and Gowns</u>, Fri - Sat: 8:00pm and Sun: 3:00pm at the Masonic Theatre, 416 Hancock St., New Bern. For details call 252-633-3318

13th: 4th Annual Fly-In Movie and Family Night, 5:00pm - 8:30pm at the Havelock Tourist and Event Center. For details call 252-444-4348

13th - 15th: <u>The Marvelous Wonderettes Caps and Gowns</u>, Fri - Sat: 8:00pm and Sun: 3:00pm at the Masonic Theatre, 416 Hancock St., New Bern. For details call 252-633-3318

14th: Father's Day Celebration at the New Bern Farmers Market. For details call 252-633-0043

19th: Sip into Summer Beer Run, Downtown New Bern benefiting the New Bern Breakfast Rotary Club

20th: Parrot Head Party at the Market presented by the New Bern Area Chamber of Commerce at the New Bern Farmers Market. For details call 252-637-3111

21st: World Refugee Day at the New Bern Farmers Market. For details call 252-633-0043

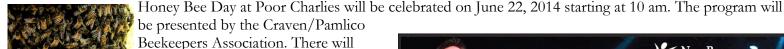
22nd: <u>Honey Bee Day</u> presented by the Craven/Pamlico Beekeepers Association, 10:00am at Poor Charlie's Flea Market and Antiques, 208 Hancock St. For details call 252-638-2798

28th: Patriot Golf Day benefiting the Folds of Honor Foundation at the Emerald Golf Club. Call 252-633-4440 x 228

28th: <u>Honey Bee Day presented by the Craven/Pamlico Beekeeper's Association</u> at the New Bern Farmers Market. For details call 252-633-0043

28th: <u>United Way of Coastal NC Run United 5K Trail Race Series: Color the Trail</u>, Latham-Whitehurst Nature Park, Broad Creek Rd.

29th: Brew Bern Bear Festival at the New Bern Riverfront Convention Center. For details call 252-633-5060



be demonstrations on beekeeping techniques, how to help perpetuate the

bee, and the distribution of educational materials. Poor Charlies will provide Honey Graham Cookies and iced tea sweetened with honey. Bee and honey products will be featured inside the store.

The season's "first fruits" of honey will go on sale and all proceeds benefit the Beekeepers Association. This will kick off Honey Bee Week, which will wind up with a Celebration of the Bee at the Farmers Market the following Saturday.



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# Community Notes from the People of New Bern

Congratulations to **Mrs. Pat Nelson** as she's the winner of New Bern Now's first "Best Photo Contest" in honor of our 5th Anniversary. Special thanks to Pat for sending in the winning photo titled:



# "End of perfect North Carolina day"

<u>Partners In Education</u> was recently awarded a \$3,000 Wells Fargo Corporate Giving Grant for a Read to Achieve program to provide books to the media centers at Vanceboro Farm Life Elementary School. Wells Fargo, partnering with PIE, continues to positively change the lives of students and families in our community. If you would like to learn how your organization can make a difference to a teacher in the classroom, please call 514-6321. - Darlene Brown

<u>Craven Community College</u> is now preparing for its 50th Anniversary celebration which will begin in September. The college would like alumni, students, parents, and community members to participate! CCC is requesting stories, looking to build its alumni list, and seeking volunteers. We want to know how CCC has made a positive impact in our community and in the lives of students and other friends of CCC. The college is very excited about the opportunity to thank the community for its 50 years of support during its anniversary celebration. - Deborah Kania

<u>New Bern Parks and Recreation</u> will be hosting a series of camping trips for students between the ages of 12-16 years old. The camping trips will consist of 5 trips, one weekend a month beginning in April. All trips will depart from the Stanley White Recreation Center located at 901 Chapman St. Register online or call 252-639-2922 - Nancy Donahue

Join <u>Craven County Clean Sweep</u> on May 3, 2014 to help keep New Bern streets and waterways free of litter. It's your choice to help out in any of these ways: by walking along the streets in your own neighborhood; by using your boat to clean up a waterway; by meeting with others at Lawson Creek Park on that Saturday at 9am to be assigned a spot or by simply picking any

other "trashy" area that's been bothering you. Bags will be provided. The bags will, also, be picked up where you leave them so you do not have to carry them to another spot! For more information, call 633-1477. - Judi Lloyd

Fishing Report by Captain Gary Spec Fever Guide Services (249-1520): Anglers can catch the last of the shad run in early April. Stripers will be returning down the Neuse to New Bern post spawn and the top water fishing for them will be dynamite. Red drum, specks and flounder will be getting active on the river shorelines as well. Don't miss out on some of the best fishing of the year.

# Thurman Rd. Service Center



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Thea Kincaid of \* Thea's Ideas "teamed up" with us to promote our City with Video Spotlights (1 ½ - 2 minute segments) in Feb 2011. Since then, the videos have increased visitors to NBN. Thea has been helping local businesses, non profits, and individuals market their efforts by providing quality promotional products for 20 years!

Here's the videos recorded this past quarter:

BBQ in Blue Jeans - Put your Dancing Shoes On; Praise Dance by Trent Court Dancers; Dr. Martin Luther King Jr. Scholarship and Awards Committee; Spotlight shines on Twin Rivers Plumbing; Join the Emerald Golf Club on Patriot Golf Day to Support Military Families; The Gloria Morello Project encourages Community Arts; Craven Community College Clubs Centerpieces Silent Auction Fundraiser; and Great Time had at ENC's Pet Expo.

Shine the video spotlight on your business or non-profit by calling 638-6858 to schedule your video spotlight!

Laura Johnson joined us as the "Voice of NBN" in providing "Community Segments" by using the information we receive from loyal readers and converting it to audio to air on "New Bern's NewsTalk Radio" - WNOS 97.1FM and 1450AM to promote the Greater New Bern Area! Here's some of our audio segments:



Eastern NC Pet Expo; Who do you love; Fresh from the past – Movie Night Chocolat; Dana and Susan Robinson in Concert; New Bern Womans Club spreads cheer throughout the year; Friends of the Library Bi-annual Book Sale; Craven County Clean Sweep; A Conversation Veterans Talk about Veterans Garden Fundraiser; New Bern Antique Show; East Carolina Pottery Festival; The Color Purple Musical Drama interview with Director Alan Berger; St Patrick's Day Pub Crawl; Drew Nelson in Concert; 25th Annual Turkey Hunting Heritage Banquet; Reach for the Stars Gala; Child Abuse Prevention Month; Make a Difference and

Support Kindred Canines in Motion; New Bern Spring Historic Homes and Gardens Tour; What is Animal Reiki; Eastern Carolina Aviation Heritage Foundation's 5th Annual Gala; and Adopt a Trained New Leash on Life Dog.

Call 638-6858 to schedule a radio interview or send an email to: info@newbernnow.com.

Read Kate Horney's articles on Healthy Living. We're fortunate that Kate joined NBN's team as a Contributing Author! She's the owner of BeyondFit Physiques and provides tips and tricks on the pathway to healthy living. Here's her articles from the past quarter:

Healthy Breakfast Recipe - Cinnamon and Sweet Potato Waffles; 3 Ways to Balance Metabolic Hormones; and Healthy Dinner Recipe for the Whole Family.

You can become part of our team by sharing your passion with our community! Become a contributing author for local sports, outdoor recreation, history, etc. The topics are endless! Send us an <a href="mailto:emailt

With the help of our community, the Tryon Civitan Club delivered 842 lbs of food to the Salvation Army. Great job <u>Tryon Civitans</u> and the UPS Store of New Bern!

The Craven County Library in New Bern will have a display on Child Abuse Prevention up all month in April. There will be Pinwheel Gardens all over the county and the pinwheels represent the bright shining future of each of our little citizens! Find out more about Child Abuse Prevention Month by contacting the Community Coalition for Craven County Children at Coalition4Children@gmail.com.



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### Community Notes from the People of New Bern

We welcome new businesses to New Bern and surrounding areas and wish the best to those who have relocated:

East BoutiqueNC.com, New Bern; Healing Touch Reiki AZ, New Bern, 252-249-2793; Kindred Canines in Motion, 919-618-0809; Carolina Tint and Graphics, 252-320-9968; and Prohibition "Speakeasy, Cocktails", 243 Craven St., 252-649-1838. If we missed a business or non-profit, please let us know and we will include in the July Edition.

#### New Members of the New Bern Area Chamber of Commerce:

Terminix, 2201 Hwy 70 East, 252-617-2425; Sharon O. Callaghan, Broker, 252-626-8897; Masterful Dog Training Inc., 252-672-5933; Farm Bureau Insurance - Craven East, 2605 Hwy 70 E, 252-637-3437; Katie Dougherty, Celebrate New Bern Homes, 516-647-5478; Durga Yoga, 252-571-4228; Raggamuffins of New Bern LLC, 926 Buckingham Rd., 252-702-4327; Akwiasdi Revels, New Bern House, 2915 Brunswick Ave., 252-638-4680; Forrest Family Law, 412 Broad St., 252-633-4486; Enterprise Rent-A-Car, 3524 Dr MLK Jr. Blvd., 252-514-2575; Craven County Economic Development, 406 Craven St., 252-633-5300; Checklist Appliances LLC, 3920 Dr MLK Jr. Blvd., 252-633-1188; Island Express Ferry Service, 113 Turner St, Beaufort, 252-728-7433; and Bear Towne Tents, 306 Madame Moore's Lane, 252-229-5133.

#### New Members of the Havelock Chamber of Commerce:

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Join us every other month for New Bern Now's Community BBQ lunch!

Enjoy Buffalo wings, hotdogs, pulled pork, coleslaw, and other fixings!

The Spring BBQ is scheduled for May 22nd from 11am - 12:30pm tentatively at Lawson's Creek Park in New Bern.

We've been pleasantly surprised as some people contribute their special dishes for everyone to enjoy. You don't have to donate or bring anything except for your own beverage. It's a free community gathering.

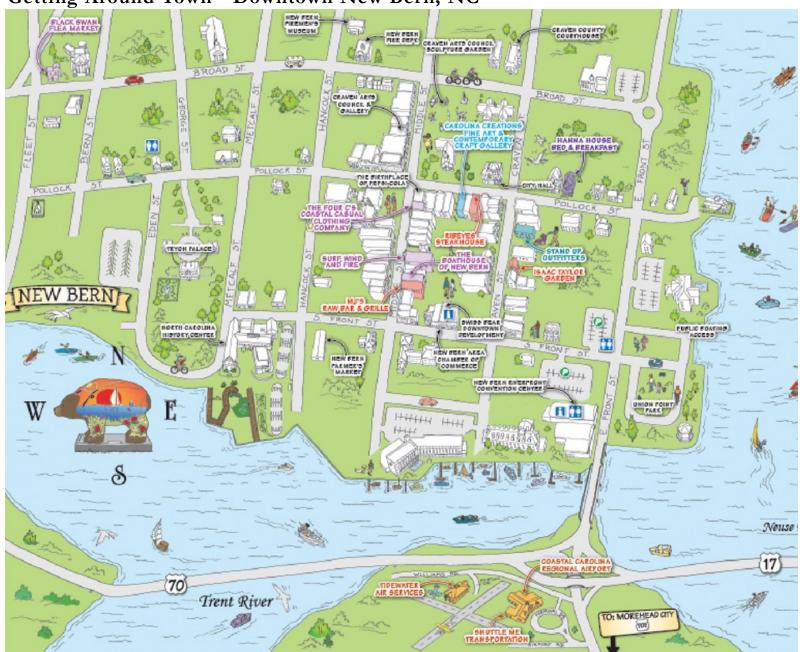
Please RSVP by responding on New Bern Now's Facebook page, sending us an email, or calling 252-638-6858. We want to make sure we have enough food for everyone and stay tuned in case we need to reschedule due to weather!





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Getting Around Town - Downtown New Bern, NC



Discovery Map of New Bern, North Carolina, was provided by <u>Richard Sheridan</u>, New Bern Now's "<u>Map Man</u>" and owner of Crystal Coast Discovery Maps. See interactive maps of Atlantic Beach, Beaufort, Emerald Isle, and Morehead City by visiting: <u>www.CrystalCoast.DiscoveryMap.com</u>, PO Box 14482, New Bern, NC, 252-649-0284.

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Thea Kincaid of <u>Thea's Ideas</u> promotional products is the Face of New Bern Now's "Video Spotlights". To arrange a video spotlight, please call 638-6858.

<u>Laura Johnson</u> is the Voice of NBN as she provides community audio segments and interviews to Michael Afflerbach and his team at <u>New Bern's NewsTalk Radio</u>" - WNOS 97.1FM and 1450AM. To arrange a free radio interview, please call 638-6858.

<u>Lisa Bisbee</u>, Artist and Graphic Designer is NBN's Assistant Editor in Chief and "web design guru". Lisa and Mike Lentz are co-owners of the Isaac Taylor House and Gardens and the Greater Good Gallery.

Richard Sheridan, owner of the <u>Crystal Coast and New Bern Discovery Maps</u> is NBN's "Map Man"!

Bobbi Waters of the Sweet Water Band is NBN Sound Manager and Acoustic Performer. She is the Community Outreach & Solid Waste Management Coordinator, Coastal Environmental Partnership.

<u>Kate Horney</u>, Healthy Living Contributing Author! Kate is a personal trainer and founder of New Bern's Premiere Female Fat Loss Program, Bikini Bootcamp and the online Beyond Baby Post-Partum Fat Loss System. Visit Kate's business website at <a href="https://www.BeyondFitPhysiques.com">www.BeyondFitPhysiques.com</a> to find out more!

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