

THE HEARTBEAT

OFFICIAL MONTHLY NEWSLETTER OF THE TOWN OF FARMVILLE

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PUBLIC MEETINGS

TOWN COUNCIL WORK SESSION

First Wednesday of the Month |
October 3rd at 11:00 a.m.

TOWN COUNCIL MEETING

Second Wednesday of the Month |
October 10th at 7:00 p.m.

PLANNING COMMISSION MEETING

October 24th at 7:00 p.m.

FINANCE AND ORDINANCE MEETING

October 25th at 9:00 a.m.

MEET BILL HOGAN

Deputy Police Chief & Captain



HOW LONG HAVE YOU WORKED FOR THE TOWN? WHAT POSITIONS HAVE YOU HELD?

My 20 year anniversary is October 25th. I have served the Police Department as a Patrolman, Detective, Detective Sergeant, Lieutenant, and currently hold the rank of Captain.

WHAT DO YOU DO IN YOUR ROLE FOR THE TOWN?

I serve as the Deputy Chief of Police, responsible for the daily activities of the Police Department. The Deputy Chief is second in command and has responsibility for, and authority over, operations, administration, and training for the agency.

WHAT DO YOU LOVE MOST ABOUT FARMVILLE?

The small town atmosphere and the fact that everyone works together to make this a great place to work, live, visit, and do business.

WHAT IS YOUR FAVORITE QUOTE?

“Govern a great nation as you would cook a small fish; do not overdo it.”

-Ancient Chinese Philosopher Lao Tzu

IF YOU COULD WITNESS ANY HISTORICAL EVENT (PAST, PRESENT, OR FUTURE), WHAT WOULD IT BE?

I would like to have been there to see the baptism of Jesus Christ by John the Baptist, marking the beginning of his earthly ministry.



FARMVILLE REGIONAL AIRPORT CLOSED FOR RENOVATIONS

The Farmville Regional Airport is temporarily closed for apron renovations as of September 10, 2018. If all goes as scheduled, this project will be done by mid-November. The renovations are expected to take 35 calendar days. We apologize in advance for any inconvenience that this may cause you. Please feel free to contact the Town Manager's Office at 392-5686, with any comments or concerns.

WILCK'S LAKE PARK

Relax by the lake near the children's play area, enjoy a picnic lunch, watch the action at the skateboard park, take a stroll on the Sarah Terry Trail or visit the Barbara Rose Johns Farmville-Prince Edward Community Library next door. There are so many fun possibilities when you visit Wilck's Lake Park. The play area is located right on West Third Street. It consists of a playground with many climbing and sliding opportunities, and a large grassy field. There are picnic tables so you may enjoy a packed snack or lunch. Two portable restrooms are available. The Skateboard Park is located at the far end of the property. Wilck's Lake Play Area is open year round from dawn to dusk. The playground equipment is designed for children 10 and under.



2018 HALLOWEEN COSTUME PARADE

Are you looking for a fun way to celebrate Halloween? Check out the Halloween Costume Parade! Get all dressed up in your best Halloween costume and come trick-or-treat Main Street. The event is Wednesday, October 31st. The parade kicks off at the Prince Edward County Court House Front Lawn at 4:00 p.m. For more information, please contact the Recreation Department at 434-392-3737.

OCTOBER EVENTS

OKTOBERFEST WEEKEND

Oct. 5-7 | Longwood University

6TH ANNUAL HIGH BRIDGE HALF-MARATHON & 5K

Oct. 6 | 6:00 a.m. | High Bridge Trail

2018 HIGH BRIDGE ULTRA 50K & 25K

Oct. 13 | 8:00 a.m. | High Bridge Trail State Park

LIVE @ RIVERSIDE

Oct. 13 | 6:00 p.m. | Weekend Plans | Riverside Park

FALL BOOK SALE

Oct. 19 | 11:00 a.m.- 4:00 p.m. | Oct. 20 | 10:00 a.m.—1:00 p.m. | Barbara Rose Johns Farmville-Prince Edward Public Library

HARVEST MOON CHAMPAGNE & CHOCOLATE GALA

Oct. 19 | 6:00 p.m.—8:00 p.m. | Barbara Rose Johns Farmville-Prince Edward Public Library

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