

#### October 2021 Newsletter

### Mayor's Message



A season of change is upon us as we've officially made it to fall, but change is something we're used to here in Leland! A growing Town means more services, more businesses, and more opportunities to bring the community together. And this fall, we're making exciting progress on all of those fronts.

I'm perhaps most excited about Founders Park becoming the place for

long overdue family fun once again! Our Live @ the Park concert series is back with a lineup featuring some wonderful bands. And if you're not in the dancing mood, check out Movies in the Park! There's certainly something for everyone to enjoy. You can find all the dates and details on the Town of Leland website.

Many of our events, including Live @ the Park, are making a comeback after being canceled last year due to the pandemic. It's important to remember, however, that COVID is still out there. I know everyone is making the best decisions they can for their families, and I encourage you to remain vigilant as we move into the cooler months.

Soon, we'll be sharing details about our growing annual holiday lights display, Leland in Lights. You won't want to miss it! In the meantime, stay safe and healthy. I hope to see you at one of our wonderful events this fall!

---Mayor Brenda Bozeman

### **Town Project Updates**

# Old Fayetteville Road Multi-Use Path

The project to install a
Multi-Use Path along the
north side of Old
Fayetteville Road from
Town Hall Drive to North
Brunswick High School is
nearing completion.
Remaining work includes
installing new street signs
and site restoration.



The Town will hold a ribbon cutting ceremony along with NCDOT representatives on Monday, Oct. 18 at 12 p.m. Town residents are welcome.



# Brunswick Forest Roundabout

The single-lane roundabout at Brunswick Forest
Parkway and Low Country
Boulevard has been constructed and is now open to traffic. This will allow vehicles to keep moving freely and improve pedestrian safety.

Stay up-to-date on all projects by visiting the Town Projects webpage.

# A Safety Message from Leland Fire/Rescue

The focus of this year's Fire Prevention Week, which is Oct. 3-9, is "Learn the Sounds of Fire Safety."



According to the National Fire
Protection Association, working
smoke alarms in the home reduce
the risk of dying in a fire by more
than half. However, almost three out
of five home fire deaths occur in
homes with no smoke alarms or
smoke alarms that failed to operate.

Remember the following this Fire Prevention Week:

When а smoke alarm or carbon monoxide (CO) alarm sounds, exit the home as quickly as possible.

You should have working smoke alarms on every floor of your home, including in and outside every sleeping area.

Check

smoke alarms monthly and replace them every 10 years.

If

your alarm begins

to

chirp,

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batteries

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replaced.

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your

household

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deaf

or

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hearing,

install

bed

shaker

and

strobe

light

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alert

them to fire.

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## Mark your calendar!

Adults can get in on the fun this Halloween at Boo Ball! Wear your best costume for a chance to win fun prizes, dance and play games with friends, and enjoy a meal from A&M Red Food Truck. Get your tickets here.

Looking for a family-friendly alternative to traditional trickor-treating? Join us for Trunk or Treat! Local businesses and non-profits will deck out



their trunks for Halloween and pass out candy. If you'd like to provide a trunk, reserve your spot here.

Did you miss our first Live @ the Park concert? Don't worry! You still have two more chances to dance the night away in Founders Park.

Full event details are available on the Town of Leland website.





family and some lawn chairs to Founders Park for a night of spooky fun.

Outdoor events are subject to cancellation based on the weather. Follow the Town of Leland Parks and Recreation Facebook page for updates.

The Town's newest event will feature food trucks, live music, free activities, and more. You won't want to miss Leland Homecoming!

Check the Town of Leland events page for more information.





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