

CITY CLIPS

May 2017



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IMPORTANT DATES TO REMEMBER:

Recycling Dates –

May 4th, 5th, 18th & 19th

(All meetings below are held in Council Chambers at City Hall)

City Council Meetings –

May 8th & 22nd

School Board Meetings –

May 18th

Planning Commission Meeting –

May 11th



Garbage pick-up will resume as scheduled on

May 29th.

Real Estate and Person Property Taxes were **DUE** on December 05, 2016. If you were unable to pay your taxes, PLEASE come by the office and set up your taxes on a payment plan. For more information, please call 757-562-8544 or 757-562-8543. A down payment will be required at the time of signing a payment plan agreement with the office.



Don't forget to get your Pet License Tag for 2017. You will need the Rabies Certificate showing a current rabies vaccination. All Pets in the City of Franklin are required to have a Pet License before January 31, 2017. For more information call 757-562-8536 and speak to any cashier.

The Treasurer's Office continues to sell Virginia *E-ZPasses*. Come by the office and purchase your *E-ZPass* and start saving money when driving on toll roads!

2016 Virginia State Income Tax Forms will not be mailed to individual taxpayers. The Commissioner of the Revenue's Office has a limited number of forms and instruction booklets for distribution. Forms and instructions are available on demand through the following options:

- **Download, view or print forms directly from the Department of Taxation website at www.tax.virginia.gov.**
- **Order forms online through the Department's website or call (804) 367-8031.**

If you fill out your tax return by hand, you can avoid processing delays by printing your information so it can be easily read. Please use black ink and not pencil.

Effective January 1, 2017 – local Commissioner of the Revenue Offices will no longer be able to process accelerated refunds for taxpayers. We can accept your return and audit for mistakes or omissions but we will be mailing them directly to Richmond for processing. This is all due to identity theft and refund fraud.

HOW LONG WILL IT TAKE TO GET MY REFUND?

- **Up to 4 weeks for e-filed returns**
- **Up to 8 weeks for paper returns**
- **Up to 3 additional weeks if sent by certified mail**

Refund Fraud Prevention

The Virginia Department of Taxation takes the protection of your information seriously.

Additional Steps to Protect You - and the Commonwealth

As identity theft and refund fraud become more widespread, we are enlisting the support of taxpayers, tax preparers, employers, and payroll providers to stop tax fraud. This year, we may request additional information from you to verify your return. In addition, we may take longer than in previous years to process your tax return.

We are committed to safeguarding taxpayer information.

WHAT YOU CAN DO

Take these steps to protect yourself from identity theft and refund fraud:

- Do not provide personal information by mail, phone, email, or text to an unknown person
- File your taxes early- and file electronically
- Be sure you have all W-2s and other withholding statements before you file

- Include your Virginia Driver's License Identification number and Issue Date on your return (*optional*)

If you are a victim of identity theft, we suggest you consider all of the following steps:

- Contact the three credit bureaus and your bank(s) to notify them
- Contact your local police or sheriff's department to file a criminal complaint
- Submit Form 14039 Identity Theft Affidavit to the IRS
- Contact the Virginia Department of Taxation's Identity Theft Information line at 804-404-418

Thank you for helping us to prevent refund fraud.

For additional information, please see our website at www.tax.virginia.gov

Along with all their other wonderful events, MLK has line dancing every Monday at 7:00 p.m., the fee is \$20 for 5 weeks of fun! For further information, contact the King Center @ 757-562-2475.





For FCPS SPORTS SCHEDULES, please visit: http://www.tririversdistrictva.org/g5-bin/client.cgi?G5genie=302&school_id=4

FRANKLIN'S MARKET ON MAIN



SEASON OPENING WEDNESDAY MAY 3, 2017

4:00 P.M. TO 7:00 P.M.

210 SOUTH MAIN STREET

LIVE MUSIC FROM LOCAL ARTIST

HOMEMADE AND HOMEGROWN ITEMS AVAILABLE

POPULAR FOOD AND REFRESHMENT VENDORS:

FORREST JOHNSONS GRILLED HOT DOGS & SMOKED SAUSAGE

ANGELA GARY'S FAMOUS FUNNEL CAKES

PAT HENRY'S – "TASTE BUDS" – VARIETY POPCORN

VARIETY MARKET VENDORS:

SHARON MARTIN'S –BEE SWEET HONEY

ANN FERGUSON'S –FRESH PRODUCE

JOHNNY & MARTHA GIBB'S – FRESH PRODUCE

KEN FRANNCIS – CROSS KEYS FARMS-FRESH PRODUCE

JOANNE THOMPSON'S – JOANNE'S RAW GOAT MILK SOAPS

ALLISON LILLY'S – WILD LILLY'S SOAPS AND LOTIONS

JEAN EASON'S – BASKETS BY JEAN

CARLA SAVAGE'S – THE KING'S TABLE –SEAFOOD –COOKED & FRESH

**DEBBIE YERBY'S – CLAREMONT CREATIONS- HERB INFUSED VINEGARS,
SALAD DRESSINGS, & DRY RUBS**



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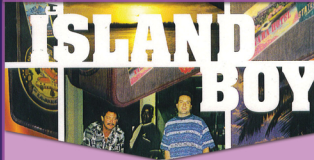
DOWNTOWN FRANKLIN ASSOCIATION & PECHT DISTRIBUTORS PRESENT
THE BUD LIGHT 2017 WE BE JAMMIN' CONCERTS



Free Family Entertainment!

6:00PM to 10:00PM on Thursdays
BARRETT'S LANDING PARK - SOUTH MAIN STREET IN DOWNTOWN FRANKLIN

MAY 18TH



Island Boy

sponsored by **JIM'S PAWN SHOP**

MAY 25TH



Blackwater Rhythm & Blues

sponsored by **Franklin Collision Center**

JUNE 1ST



Hickory Knoll

sponsored by **WRIGHT**

JUNE 8TH



The Entertainers

sponsored by **MID-ATLANTIC GIN**

JUNE 15TH



Moonshine

sponsored by **RP RANDALL PAGE, P.C. ATTORNEYS AT LAW**

JUNE 22ND



Strictly Bizzness

sponsored by **ACE Hardware**

JUNE 29TH



Gary Lowder & Smokin' Hot

sponsored by **SPINARDS RESTAURANT**

JULY 6TH



Steve Owens & Summertime

sponsored by **Andy & Deborah Hubble**

JULY 13TH



Feature Attraction

sponsored by **Friends of WBJ**

JULY 20TH



Hickory Knoll

sponsored by **BOBBY'S THE AUTO CARE**

JULY 27TH



Jim Quick & Coastline

sponsored by **BLAKE Ford**

AUGUST 3RD



Blackwater Rhythm & Blues

sponsored by **Hubs**

AUGUST 10TH



NO WBJ FAIR WEEK

AUGUST 17TH



Hog Bear

sponsored by **Friends of WBJ**

AUGUST 24TH



Midnight Allie

sponsored by **MIKE DUMAN**

AUGUST 31ST



Silver Street

sponsored by **Friends of WBJ**

Food & Refreshments Available for Purchase ~ Bring Your Own Lawn Chair



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NO PETS, OUTSIDE FOOD, DRINKS, OR COOLERS



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