 **CITY CLIPS**

**March 2019**

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**IMPORTANT DATES TO REMEMBER:**

**Recycling Dates –**  March 7th, 8th, 21st, 22nd

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

**City Council Meetings –** March 11th & 25th

**School Board Meetings –** March 21st

**Planning Commission Meeting –** March 28th

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**Daylight Saving Time 3/10**

**Spring Begins 3/20**

**2019 City Business License Applications** have been mailed and are due March 1, 2019 with payment. If you have any questions, please call Marcy Wiggins at 562-8547 in the Commissioner of the Revenue’s Office.

**State Income Tax Forms for 2018** are being printed and were delayed due to the federal tax reform. The Commissioner of the Revenue’s Office will have a limited number of forms and instructions available in a few weeks.

* The Franklin Cruise In Grand Finale, Vintage Fair, and Automotive Swap is scheduled for April 27th in Downtown Franklin.  This event is free and open to the public.
* The Franklin Garden Club Tour is scheduled for April 27th.  Tickets are available from the Franklin Southampton Chamber of Commerce and a number of local businesses.



**SPRING Amnesty Week**

The City of Franklin Department of Public Works and The Department of Community Development are pleased to announce that they have declared **April 1-5, 2019**, as **Spring Amnesty Week.** In an effort to assist ***City*** residents in a major spring cleaning, these days are set aside by the City to allow resident owners and tenants (*current city of Franklin trash customers only*) a temporary pardon to rid properties of unsightly accumulations of trash, junk and debris without cost to residents for pickup and removal.

**The following items may be placed at the curb for pickup on April 1 2,3,4, and 5 *ON YOUR REGULAR TRASH DAY****.*

* **Unused objects from your yard such as lawnmowers, containers, old tires, etc.**
* **Unused objects from your home such as appliances, furniture, TV’s, etc.**
* **Unused deteriorated building materials and firewood.**

Any items placed at curbside should be left in neat piles adjacent to the street. Please be mindful of obstructions when placing those items to allow for safe collection by our crews. Obstructions can be parked vehicles, power poles, overhead utility lines, mailboxes, fire hydrants, signs, trees or hedges, or any fixed object that interferes with the safe collection of the items placed at curbside.

**Caution: No demolition debris, trees over 6’’ in diameter, lot-clearing materials, paint or other hazardous materials will be collected. Limbs must be cut to ordinance lengths (4’ long) and piled neatly at curbside. Please call 757-562-8564, if you are in doubt about any items before placing them at the curb.**

**Items not available for pickup by the City, may be carried to the SPSA Transfer Station on Route 671 (General Thomas Hwy) Phone Number is 757-420-4700 ext. 527.**

***For further information contact Franklin Public Works at 757-562-8564***

**FALL Amnesty Week**

October 7-11, 2019

It’s March of Dimes

Bar-b-q Time!!!

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he Department of Community Development will be having its annual bar-b-q sale to raise money for the March of Dimes. The bar-b-q will be available for purchase and pick-up on **Friday, March 29, 2019**, at lunch time at City Hall. We are also taking orders in advance of the sale. The cost of the bar-b-q is $8.00/lb.

Please call a Community Development team member at 562-8501 or email sbaker@franklinva.com and place your order.

Thanks for your support.

**Featuring Mr. Sherman’s Home Made BBQ Sauce**

***“It’s Got That Carolina Twang You’ve Been Craving”***

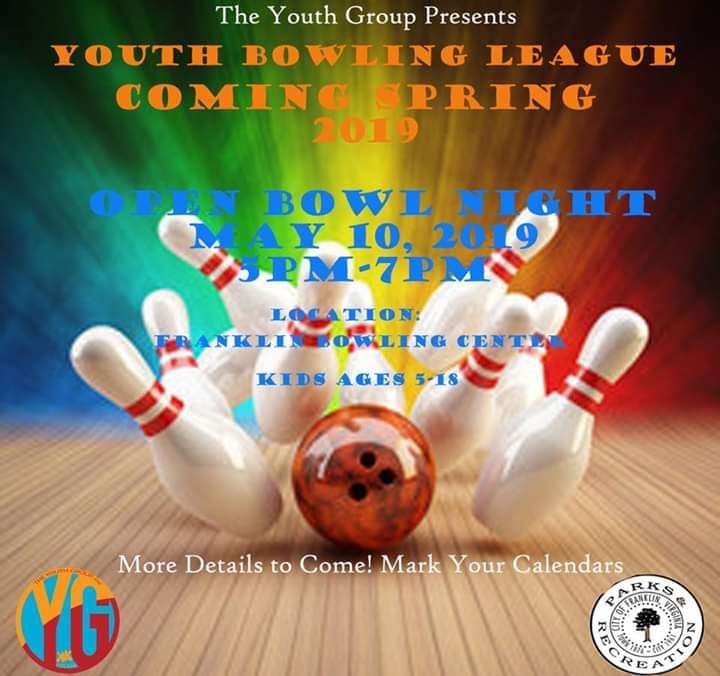


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For FCPS SPORTS SCHEDULES, please visit:<http://www.tririversdistrictva.org/g5-bin/client.cgi?G5genie=302&school_id=4>