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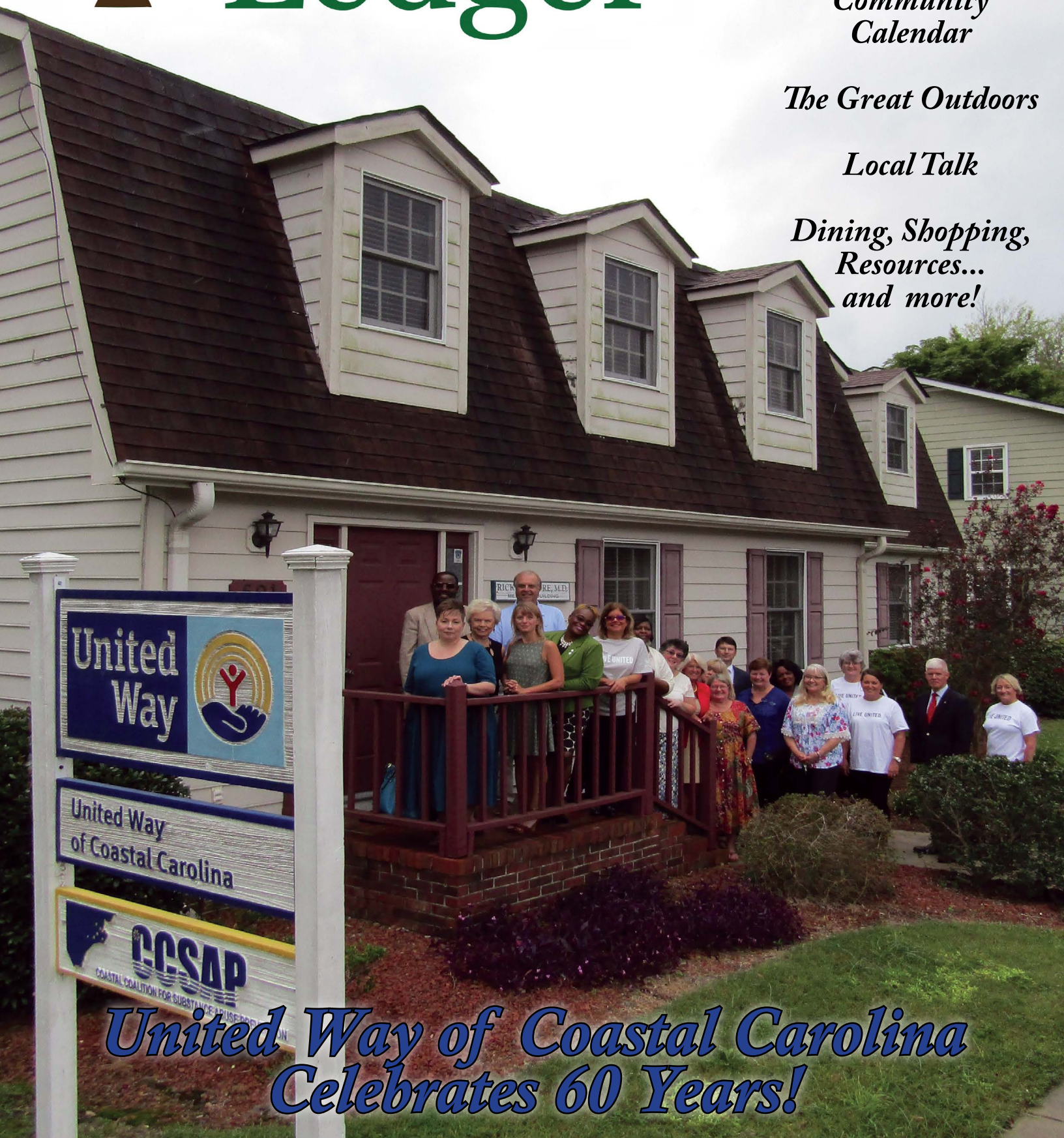
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## Letter from the Editor

Dear Readers,

NewBernNow.com and the Ledger magazine were created as media sources where you can learn about all things positive in the Greater New Bern area and Beyond.

NewBernNow.com is our "Home Base" and every weekday we try to publish at least two articles that we write or you contribute about the Greater New Bern area. We also publish at least one article on Saturday and Sunday. The articles are shared in our daily emails to subscribers and shared on our social media sites. We also update our extensive Community Calendar on a regular basis.

Every quarter, we compile information that we've received from residents or learned about during our travels around town and include it in the Ledger. If you'd like your information included in upcoming editions, the submission deadlines are December 15, April 15, June 15, and September 15. If you want to advertise or become a sponsor, please let us know at least one week prior to the deadline.

We also promote local businesses and nonprofits during our bi-weekly Podcast that airs every other Monday unless it falls on a holiday, if that's the case, it will be published on Tuesday on NewBernNow.com and our iTunes channel. We repurpose portions of the audio and share them with New Bern's News Talk Radio Station WNOS 107.5FM and 1450AM as "Community Segments" that air during commercial times.

Please let me know if you have any questions or want to be part of the Podcast by calling at 259-6853 or by sending an email to [info@newbernnow.com](mailto:info@newbernnow.com).

Sincerely, Wendy Card, Editor/Owner, New Bern Now

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## Our Town



If you live in, or are only visiting, there are all kinds of things to do in the Greater New Bern area!

Visitors are attracted to New Bern's southern charm, small town feel, combined with the beautiful scenery, and abundance of things to do. If you hear someone say, there's nothing to do, they're not looking as we publish articles everyday and have a community calendar of events about the great things going on around town on [NewBernNow.com](http://NewBernNow.com). We also produce a bi-weekly Podcast show so people can share their positive news with us! We also talk about the latest events and go daytrippin' to the Crystal Coast!

The Greater New Bern area is rich in arts, history, and outdoor recreation and is a great place to live! It's a safe, community with a population close to 50,000 residents with diverse social backgrounds. Residents range from native 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 Lejeune.

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## Local Resources

✿ [The Coastal Carolina Regional Airport \(Fly EWN\)](#) services include Delta and American flights, general aviation terminal, Fed Ex, UPS services, conference room, wireless Internet, taxi/car rental services, Triple Play Oasis Restaurant and Sports Bar, a General Aviation Terminal, and Tradewind's Flight School. They also have an Art Sculpture Park! (638-8591)

CarolinaEast Health System is our Regional Medical Center, 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) New Bern Family Practice, 1040 Medical Park Ave. (633-1678) and Urgent Care (638-2273), CCHC Creekside Primary Care, 108 Market St. (672-0224) and has a variety of healthcare specialists; Goshen Medical Center, 4114 Dr MLK Jr Blvd. (252-772-9995); and The MERCI Clinic, 1315 Tatum Dr. (633-1599). These are only a few healthcare options to choose from, For more resources, contact Craven County Department of Health and Human Services (636-4920).

Take advantage of over 20 parks and 3 recreation centers maintained by New Bern Parks & Recreation (639-2901) and Craven County Recreation & Parks (636-6606). Play disc golf at Glenburnie Park and Creekside Park, roller skate at Rollerland (633-3804), go horseback riding at Equidae Farms (288-9706), check out the Bear Towne Escape Room (919-288-4764), try paramotoring with ParaFlight (703-963-7389), or introduce your dog(s) to new friends or just let them run around at the Down East Dog Park at Glenburnie Park, please know that you need to register first before you can enter (639-2901).

Visit the New Bern-Craven County Library for free classes, reading programs, movie rentals, etc. (638-7800).

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

Learn to Scuba Dive at Divin' Dawgs (638-3432).

Relieve stress at A Hopeful Balance (633-1788); Bern Pilates (514-4430); Courts Plus Fitness Center (633-2221); CrossFit Burn (781-727-9390); Gold's Gym (634-9499); Green Bear Fitness (670-6881); Gym 24/7 (672-9305); Holy Yoga New Bern (636-2628); Planet Fitness (631-5085); Rivertowne Ballroom (637-2003); Smash Studios and Fitness (670-3115); Snap Fitness 24/7 (636-9627); ✿ [Sound Fitness](#) (639-2582); Sugoi Submissions Brazilian Jiu Jitsu (361-446-5639); Twin Rivers YMCA (638-8799); and The Yoga Mac (671-0737).

Take a self-guided walking tour or have locals take you on a tour: Bear Foot Kayaks (229-4846); Bolero Sailing Charters, 300 E. Front St. (670-5879); Cruise The Neuse Pontoon Boat Tours, (876-7232); ✿ [New Bern's Civil War Battlefield Park](#) (638-8558); Pedi-Bear Tours (649-3839); Scenic Airplane Ride by Tradewind Aviation (636-0716); Tugboat of New Bern Cruises (919-306-5712); and Trolley Tour (637-7316). Call New Bern Tours for more options (637-7316).

Craven County Public School System (514-6300); Private: Arrendell Parrot Academy, Kinston (522-4222); Epiphany School (638-0122); St Paul Catholic School (633-0100); Sylvan Learning Center (633-6380); and Craven Early College (637-5906). Craven Community College (638-7200); NC Wesleyan College at CCC (985-5100); and Mount Olive College at New Bern (633-4464).

Community Coalition for Craven County Children (514-9550); Craven Smart Start's Child Care Resource and Referral Program (672-5921); and Hope Family Resource Center (636-6472).

CARTS Public Transportation (636-4917); A to Z Car Transportation (259-7763); Eddie's Shuttle Service (288-4485); Shuttle Me Transportation (637-7433); New Safeway Transportation (636-9000); and WC Market Greyhound Bus Terminal (633-3100).

✿ [Veterans Employment Base Camp and Organic Garden](#), Stanley White Recreation Center, 901 Chapman St. (617-2848); ✿ [Craven County Veteran's Council](#), (247-6994); and Craven County Veterans Services Office, 2402 Dr MLK Jr Blvd. (296-1381).

## United Way Celebrates 60 Years of Community Service



August 24, 1957 was a landmark year for many reasons – Sputnik 1 was launched inaugurating the Race to Space, the first Frisbees appeared on the market, “American Bandstand” premiered, Elvis moved into Graceland, and Dr. Seuss published the Cat in the Hat.

1957 was a remarkable year in New Bern as well, as a group of business, civic and government officials, realizing that there were unmet needs in the community, came together to form a new organization, United Fund of New Bern, designed to raise funds to support the work of various agencies that included the Red Cross, Boy Scouts, Girl Scouts, USO, Salvation Army, Florence Crittenden Home for Unwed Mothers, Louise Bell Lunchroom Fund (school lunch subsidies), National Travelers Aid, and the Children’s Home Society of NC.

The names of those early visionaries who formed the original Board of Directors and were instrumental in the first annual campaign in 1957 reads like an Honor Roll of New Bern’s notable citizens – W.G. Chadwick, R.L. Stallings, J. Muse McCotter, Dr. Charles Ashford, Kathleen Orringer, H.J. MacDonald, Dr. Dale Millns, A.D. Ward, and Gertrude Carraway. They are also listed in the Articles of Incorporation, signed by Secretary of State Thad Eure in August, 1957.

Times have changed, community needs are different, the organization has grown and has a different name, but the motivating spirit of those United Fund founders remains the same – to improve the lives of the individuals and families who live in this community.

Celebrating 60 years of service, the United Way of Coastal Carolina is now supporting the work of fourteen different agencies who provide programs that make a difference in the lives of the residents of Carteret, Craven, Jones and Pamlico Counties. In 2016, over 7500 individuals and families were provided services by United Way funded agencies.

As with the original campaign leaders, three well-known community leaders have stepped up to spearhead this year’s effort – Sabrina Bengel, Tharesa Lee, and Carol Mattocks will co-chair the 2017-18 campaign.

United Way agencies funded locally include:

Boy Scouts of America, Eastern Carolina Council  
Boys and Girls Clubs in Coastal Carolina  
Broad Street Clinic  
Catholic Charities  
Carteret Co. Domestic Violence Program  
Coastal Pregnancy Care Center  
Coastal Women’s Shelter  
Craven Literacy Council  
HOPE Clinic  
Heartworks  
Mediation Center of Eastern Carolina  
Promise Place  
Religious Community Services  
Reviving Lives Ministries

Other programs offered by United Way include Family Wize Prescription Card and App, a discount prescription drug program; NC 2-1-1, a toll free resource line for assistance with human services needs like food, shelter, medical needs, and disaster services; MyFreeTaxes, a free tax return preparation service for qualifying individuals; and Born Learning Trails, an interactive playground program that offers fun, active learning activities for young children and their caregivers.

For more information, visit [www.unitedwaycoastalnc.org](http://www.unitedwaycoastalnc.org).



Submitted by: Sandra Phelps, Executive Director, United Way of Coastal Carolina



## Arts Around Town

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 Art at Baxters](#) (634-9002), Weaver's Webb Gallery (514-2681), and The City Laundry and The City Potters (876-7007).

Visit the Craven Arts Council and Gallery at the Bank of the Arts (638-2577), Michaelé Rose Watson's Artist Studio (626-0120), Red Shoe Studio Gallery (670-7736), Studio Four Thirteen Broad (670-4048), CAW Center for the Arts, (571-8566), New Bern Arts & Wellness Center (497-8928), The Next Chapter Books and Art (633-5774) and the Framing Fox Art Gallery (635-6400). Don't miss the art shops within the Greater New Bern area like Wine and Design (633-4555).

The Craven Arts Council and Gallery at the Bank of the Arts presents ArtWalk and The Greater Good Gallery presents ARTcrawl in Downtown New Bern.

[Fine Art at Baxters](#), 323 Pollock St., New Bern (634-9002):

- October: "Refresh" New Art, New Views Exhibition Extended. Presenting exhibition featuring 11 emerging artists, all with connections to North Carolina. The works include painting, drawing, sculpture, ceramics, glass, printmaking, collage and jewelry that will engage gallery visitors as they explore and reflect on underlying ideas and movements.

- November/December: Presenting "The Everyday World" an exhibition by Raleigh artist Eric McRay. Whether it's paintings of landscapes or jazz musicians, McRay is inspired by the same improvisation that drives jazz music. McRay attempts to evoke emotions in his artwork.

[Carolina Creations](#), 317-A Pollock St., New Bern (633-4369)

- October: Stephen Moore is our Featured Artist. Stephen's show, "Beach Obsession", will feature acrylic paintings of our coast. Stephen Moore is an artist known for the color and light quality in his paintings. He is a native of North Carolina. He is a graduate of UNC in Chapel Hill and retired from a thirty four year career in family medicine in 2015.

- Sally's Painting Party: Paint your own acrylic painting of this image on 11 x 14" canvas with artist Sally Sutton! October 12 from 6:30pm - 9:00pm

- Art Walk for November will feature our newest artist, Gabe Flynn. He is a very talented cartoonist who is serving locally in the US Marines. His work will be featured in our gallery throughout November and December.

- We will participate in Beary Merry Christmas live window display and provide window display space for the Gingerbread House Contest.

Enjoy a live performance at the New Bern Civic Theatre (634-9057); Masonic Theatre by RiverTowne Players (634-7877); New Bern's Farmers Market, (633-0043); New Bern Riverfront Convention Center (800-437-5767); Trent River Coffee Company (514-2030); 🌳 [North Carolina History Center](#) (639-3500); and Rivertowne Ballroom (637-2003).



Jon Derby, Lisa Bisbee-Lentz, and Ben Watford

The Greater Good Gallery will hold a book launch event, open to the public in the Isaac Taylor Garden. Creative people and art lovers are welcome to join in the celebration on Wed., Oct. 18, 2017 (rain date Oct. 19) from 4-8pm. There will be a group photo at 6pm. Visit [GreaterGoodGallery.com](#) for information on purchasing the book, "A Brief History of Artists in Eastern North Carolina: A Survey of Creative People including Artists, Performers, Designers, Photographers, Authors and Organizations."

"A Brief History of Artists in Eastern North Carolina" is a feast for the eyes. The visual guide includes more than 500 works in full color with a five-page index of creative people and organizations. The main part of the book is a 239-page look at more than 140 contributors which shaped our cultural history in eastern North Carolina, circa 2017.

Authors Ben Watford, Jon Derby and Lisa Bisbee Lentz, all artists and educators, share a common vision that people should be encouraged in creative endeavors. The book can be used in lessons about the culture of eastern North Carolina. Students will come to appreciate struggles and successes of creative people in ENC. This survey is a valuable resource for an art courses, or as a reference to supplement humanities programs.


Take a colorful tour of the creators' works and lives in Eastern North Carolina (ENC). The book tells the story of a cultural experience in how diverse artists from different places in ENC treat the same subject matter, such as landscape, portraits, or animals.

The pages showcase art and creative people with a brief description of their contribution towards a vibrant and diverse arts community. The artists explain key influences, processes in their work or information about their future endeavors. Often, the artist quotes his/her intentions to improve your enjoyment in art. Collectors and lovers of art will gain insight into the ENC culture.

The main part of the book is subdivided into a full spectrum of creativity. It's a brief survey of creative accomplishments by visual artists, painters, sculptors, potters, dancers, performers, carvers, graphic designers, photographers, weavers, crafters, fabric artists, photojournalists, illustrators, architects, drafters, digital artists, muralists, authors, writers, poets, musicians, projects, exhibit venues, events, volunteers, theatres, councils, collectives and organizations.


For more information about the book, please contact Lisa Bisbee-Lentz at the Greater Good Gallery, 228 Craven St., 649-1712.

## Discover our Past

Besides  [Tryon Palace](#) being the First State Capitol, New Bern, North Carolina, is a town full of 307 years of history!

Here are a few of numerous historical facts 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
- Beverly Perdue became NC's First Female Governor
- Novelist and Screenwriter, Nicholas Sparks - resident and founder of the Epiphany School
- Tommy Moore, previous owner of Moore's BBQ, received the Guinness World Record for the largest open faced BBQ bun.
- Professional Basketball Player and Hall of Famer, Walt Bellamy

 [The North Carolina History Center at Tryon Palace](#) provides an eco-friendly, virtual learning experience with interactive devices, combined with old fashioned historic interpreters (639-3500).

Tryon Palace and the North Carolina History Center offers visitors a once in a lifetime experience that merges three centuries of history with modern technology enjoyed by all ages!

### Historical Landmarks

New Bern is home to hundreds of landmarks! Here's only a short list of many:

- Cedar Grove Cemetery, George St., Greenwood Cemetery, Cyprus St., and New Bern Cemetery (639-7515)
- Centenary United Methodist Church, 309 New St. (637-4181)
- Christ Episcopal Church and Cemetery, 320 Pollock St. (633-2109)
- City Hall, 300 Pollock St. (636-4000)
- First Baptist Church, 239 Middle St. (638-5691)
- First Church of Christ, 406 Middle St. (638-6269)
- First Presbyterian Church, 418 New St. (637-3270)
- Hebrew Cemetery, National Ave.
- Isaac Taylor House, 228 Craven St. (649-1712)
- New Bern National Cemetery, 1711 National Ave. (637-2912)
- Saint Cyprian's Episcopal Church, 604 Johnson St. (633-3816)
- Saint Paul's Roman Catholic Church, 510 Middle St.
- Saint Peter's African Methodist Episcopal Zion Church, 604 Johnson St. (633-3816)
- Temple B'Nai Sholem Synagogue, 505 Middle St. (638-4545)



Robert Hay House

First Presbyterian Church is celebrating their Bicentennial Anniversary with events lined up throughout the year!

Stop by the  [New Bern Historical Society](#) to find out more about our town's long history! (638-8558)

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

### Take a Historical Tour or Visit a Museum

Churches and Cemeteries Tour (self guided), Craven County Visitors Center (637-9400), African American Heritage Tours (639-3500); Cedar Grove Cemetery Tours (633-4682); and New Bern Tours (637-7316).

Learn about the 1862 "Battle of New Bern"! Visit New Bern's Civil War Battlefield, off Hwy 70 E. Take a self guided tour or arrange for a professional guided tour. It's a great place to walk your dog, have a family picnic or just bird watch even if you aren't a Civil War buff. For more information, visit the New Bern Historical Society at 511 Broad St. (638-8558)

Attmore-Oliver Civil War House Museum, 512 Broad St. (638-8558); New Bern Fireman's Museum, 420 Broad St. (636-4087); New Bern Academy Museum, corner of New & Hancock Sts.; and the USMC Aviation Exhibit, 201 Tourist Center Dr., Havelock (444-4348). Visit the New Bern-Craven County Library's Kellenburger Room to learn more about our City's history (638-7800).

Contact the  [Family History Society of Eastern North Carolina](#) to find out more about local history, genealogy, and interesting events. (349-0405).



## The Great Outdoors



We consider the Greater New Bern area as the “Hidden Gem” of North Carolina with countless outdoor activities for all ages to enjoy!

From boating, fishing, paddling, hunting, hiking, camping, bird watching, photography, foraging, to golfing, biking, tennis, baseball, football; these are only some 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. From large Marina's to off the path boat ramps, you'll find them here: [NCWildlife.org](http://NCWildlife.org).

Fishing is plentiful! Some of the water is brackish so you can catch both salt water and fresh water fish - you may need both licenses. For a unique outdoor experience, call [Spec Fever Fishing Guide Services](http://SpecFeverFishingGuideServices.com) (249-1520). Custom Marine Fabrication and Sports (638-5422) also has boating and fishing equipment. Neuse River Bait and Tackle offers classes and has a large assortment of fishing and outdoor equipment (745-0708).

Are you a boater or watersports enthusiast? Join the Blackbeard Sailing Club (910-494-5945), New Bern Yacht Club (634-2626), or the New Bern Grand Marina and Yacht Club (638-0318). Do you Prefer paddling? Contact Sound Rivers (637-7972) for paddle trail maps and details about boating and fishing on the Neuse and Trent Rivers along with their tributaries. You can also rent kayaks, stand up paddleboards, and take tours with Stand Up Outfitters (514-0404).

A “Nature Lover's Paradise”, enjoy the Croatan National Forest. The forest's habitat has carnivorous plants like the Venus flytrap, pitcher plant, sundew, butterwort, bladderwort among other exotic plants. 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, bald eagle, beaver, bobcat, porcupine, American alligator, red-tailed hawk, and other wildlife you may see. For more information, visit the Ranger's Station on Hwy 70 E (638-5628).

Camping is popular! Stay at New Bern's KOA located on Hwy 17 N in Bridgeton (800-562-3341). Visit Neuse River/Flanner's Beach Campground - part of the Croatan National Forest. There's also Turkey Quarter Campground and RV Park! Surprisingly, a lot of the campsites are covered in with a hardwood canopy unlike a lot of campgrounds in Eastern NC (342-5787) or (919-202-3419).

For an all around outdoor experience, become a member of the New Bern Outdoor Adventure Club (670-4383 or 635-0866). You can also join the [Great Outdoor Provision Co.](http://GreatOutdoorProvisionCo.com) as they have all kinds of outdoor trips in North Carolina.

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. (633-2242).

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

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 [website](http://website.com) or NC Waterman [website](http://website.com) for fishing reports, water conditions and more!

### *The Newcomers Club of New Bern*

The Newcomers Club of New Bern is celebrating its 30th year of service in our fabulous city!

The Newcomers Club is a 501(c)7 non-profit social organization providing a venue for new members of the New Bern community to make new friends and get comfortably integrated into their new surroundings of eastern NC.

The Newcomers Club also provides an opportunity to be introduced to local dining, shopping, recreation, cultural events, and history. Starting in September, we hold nine informative meetings on the 2nd Wednesday of every month at the Harrison Center at 311 Middle Street as well as a conduct a variety of monthly activities around the area that includes: Bicycling, Boaters, Crafters, Day Trips, Gamers, Golf, Singles, Tennis, Book Club, Dining In, Outdoor Adventures, Wine Socials, Bunco, Dining Out, Scrabble, Writers Club, and more!

So if you have recently moved to the New Bern area, come to our monthly meetings at the Harrison Center at 7:00 pm (come early to register), visit our website at [NewBernNewcomers.org](http://NewBernNewcomers.org) or view our Facebook page for more details. - Jay DeLoach, VP, Newcomers Club of New Bern



# Dining and Entertainment

## Asian

Bay Leaf Indian Restaurant, 309 Middle St., 638-5323  
China Garden, 1216 S. Glenburnie Rd., 637-8118  
China King, 133 Bridge Town Blvd., 636-3155  
Chinese Express Takeout, Neuse Blvd., 638-4122  
China Wok, 3321 Dr MLK Jr Blvd., 636-5288  
Golden China, 953 Hwy 70 E., 637-1136  
Peking Garden Express, 2007 S. Glenburnie Rd., 637-8187  
Ginza Japan, 3025 Dr MLK Jr Blvd., 633-6698  
Hibachi Super Buffet, 3342 Dr MLK Jr Blvd., 633-9888  
Mon Asian Market - Restaurant and Grocery, 2117 S. Glenburnie Rd., 631-5179  
Musashi Japanese Steak & Seafood Restaurant, 2041 S. Glenburnie Rd., 637-0063  
Osaka-SaiGon-Japanese-Vietnamese, 701 Hwy 70 E, 288-5718  
Sake Sushi Grill, BBQ and Bar, 400 Hotel Dr., 638-1888  
Sanuki Japanese Restaurant, 2311 Neuse Blvd., 514-0459  
Sumo Bowl, 1905 S. Glenburnie Rd., 672-8975  
Thai Thai Seafood Restaurant, 2405 Neuse Blvd., 633-9593  
Canton Chinese, 4118 Dr MLK Jr Blvd., 634-1601

## Barbeque

Moore's Barbeque, 3621 Dr MLK Jr Blvd., 638-3937  
Smithfield's Chicken & BBQ, 2507 Dr MLK Jr Blvd., 636-2398

## Breakfast

Baker's Kitchen, 227 Middle St., 637-0304  
Bebop's Cafe', 323 Middle St, 633-7900  
Christoph's on the Water, 100 Middle St., 638-3585  
Country Biscuit Restaurant, 809 Broad St., 638-5151  
Ghent Sandwich Shop, 1308 Broad St., 638-5928  
IHOP, 3400 Dr MLK 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  
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  
The Village Butcher, 3515 Trent Rd. #6, 637-6695

## Coffee Shops and Delis

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, 1308 Broad St., 638-5928  
Honeybaked Ham & Cafe', 2117 S. Glenburnie Rd., 631-5125  
Red Top Sandwich Shop, 2821 Neuse Blvd., 633-3736  
Schlotzsky's Deli, 3335 Dr MLK Jr Blvd., 638-2508  
Starbucks, 3410 Dr MLK Jr Blvd., 638-2954  
Sea Glass Cafe, 1803 S. Glenburnie Rd., 634-2327  
Bebop's Cafe', 323 Middle St, 633-7900  
Trent River Coffee Company, 208 Craven St., 514-2030


## Italian

 [Paula's Pizza and Italian Restaurant](#), 1713 Red Robin Ln., 636-2324  
37th Street Pizzeria, 2402 Neuse Blvd., 633-5444  
Franco's Pizza, 1200 Hwy 70 E., 635-3396  
La Casetta Italian Cuisine, 2503 Neuse Blvd., 638-6699  
LaRosa Restaurant, 1503 S. Glenburnie Rd., 633-4606  
Savage's Woodburning Pizzeria, 303 Metcalf St., 672-0103

## Mexican/Southwest

Arturo's Mexican Restaurant, 1900 S. Glenburnie Rd., 634-1894  
Chipotle Mexican Grill, 2999 Dr MLK Jr Blvd., 633-1762  
El Cerro Grande, 2503 Dr MLK Jr Blvd., 638-8938  
El Taco Loco, 2408 Dr MLK Jr Blvd., 633-3326  
Moe's Southwest Grill, 2000 S. Glenburnie Rd., 631-5237  
Taqueria San Luis, 1706 Hwy 70E, 635-0330


## Pizza and Subs

 [Paula's Pizza and Italian Restaurant](#), 1713 Red Robin Ln., 636-2324  
37th Street Pizzeria, 2402 Neuse Blvd., 633-5444  
Hwy 55 Cheesesteaks & Cheeseburgers, 3335 Dr MLK Jr Blvd., 514-2893; 2317 Hwy 70 E., 637-7994  
Big Apple Pizzeria, Twin Rivers Mall, 636-3803;  
1150 Broad Creek Rd., 636-2555  
Dominos Pizza, 949 Hwy 70 E., 635-1302  
Famous Subs and Pizza, 2210 Neuse Blvd., 637-2809  
Firehouse Subs, 3123 Dr MLK Jr Blvd., 636-3473  
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  
Jimmy Johns, 1809 S. Glenburnie Rd., 638-0177  
Little Caesars, 2309 Neuse Blvd., 636-3339  
Mario's Pizza, 1822 S. Glenburnie Rd., 633-0836  
Panichelli's Pizzeria, 40 Shoreline Dr., River Bend, 514-0548  
Papa John's Pizza, 2009 S. Glenburnie Rd., 636-1212  
Pizza Hut, 1505 S. Glenburnie Rd., 638-3100; 3201 Dr MLK Jr Blvd., 638-5400; 2707 Hwy 70 E, 637-0400  
Savage's Woodburning Pizzeria, 303 Metcalf St., 672-0103  
Subway, 3105 Dr MLK 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  
Mama Callie's Louisiana Seafood, 701 Hwy 70 E., 631-5173  
MJ's Raw Bar and Grill, 216 Middle St., 635-6890  
Musashi Japanese Steakhouse, 2041 S. Glenburnie Rd., 637-0063  
Beer Army Burger Company, 313 Pollock St., 288-5814  
Sting Ray Cafe, 520 S. Front St., 638-2280  
Texas Steakhouse, 3231 Dr MLK Jr Blvd., 637-1500  
Outback Steakhouse, 111 Howell Rd, 672-9394

## Sweet Tastes

 [Soo's Chocolate and Bakery](#), 876-7667  
Bebop's Cafe', 323 Middle St, 633-7900  
Bear City Fudge Company, 236 Middle St., 636-1360  
The Cupcake Lady, 617-0895  
Dairy Queen, 2401 Dr MLK Jr. Blvd., 637-6457  
Froyo's 101, 2031 S. Glenburnie Rd., 638-8881  
Kreative Cakez, 658-0333  
Sugarplum Bakery, 1244 Hwy 70 E, 633-1244

## 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 & Banquet Centre, 2303 Neuse Blvd., 633-0262  
Circa 1810 at the Harvey Mansion, 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 Jr Blvd., 635-9464  
Carolina Grill, 998 Hwy 70 E., 634-3456  
Country Biscuit Restaurant, 809 Broad St., 638-5151  
Dawgz, 2700 Trent Rd., 626-3913  
Half Time Pub and Grill, 3325 Dr MLK Jr Blvd., 672-8777  
Lawson's Landing Café at the NC History Center, 637-9307  
McAlisters Deli, 2002 S. Glenburnie Rd., 633-3154  
Panera Bread, 2997 Dr MLK Jr Blvd., 649-6264  
Roy's Family Restaurant, 808 D St., Bridgeton, 635-1415  
Ruby Tuesday Restaurant, 1004 Hwy 70 E., 638-8004  
Spunky McDoogles, 1908 S. Glenburnie Rd., 637-5705  
Triple Play Restaurant/Bar, 1706-E Hwy 70E, 635-3010

 **Table Takeout - Mobile Food Ordering and Delivering: visit [TableTakeout.com](#)**

## Nightlife and Pubs

Aperivito Wine Bar at Lawson's Landing, 637-9307  
Applebee's Grill & Bar, 3450 Dr MLK Jr Blvd., 637-8050  
Attitudes Pub & Grill, 32 Shoreline Dr., 633-2006  
Bambooz Tiki Bar II, 1100 Hwy 70E, 635-3010  
Bear Towne Market (BTM), S. Front St., 637-0022  
Bern Bar, 1904 S. Glenburnie Rd., 631-5170  
The Brown Pelican Pub, 411 Broad St., 631-5008  
Brewery 99, 417 F Broad St., 259-6393  
Brütopia, 1201 Hwy 70E., 631-5142  
Buffalo Wild Wings, 3102 Dr MLK Blvd. 635-9464  
Captain Ratty's, 202 Middle St., 633-2088  
Christoph's on the Water, 100 Middle St., 638-0305  
Circa 1810 at the Harvey Mansion, 221 S. Front St., 635-3232  
Half Time Pub & Grill, 3325 Dr MLK Jr Blvd., 672-8777  
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 Restaurant, 100 Pollock St., 514-0033  
Texas Steakhouse, 3231 Dr MLK Jr Blvd., 637-1500  
The Grill at Prohibition, 237 Craven St., 649-1838  
Thirsty Bruin, 224 Middle St., 877-635-1409  
Triple Play Restaurant & Bar, 1706-E Hwy 70E, 635-3010



# Shop Local

## Animal Care Services

🌿 **Craven Animal Hospital**, 1003 Hwy 70 E., 637-4541  
🌿 **Masterful Dog Training**, 672-5933  
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  
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  
Synergy Integrative Veterinary Medicine Clinic, 4005 Dr. MLK Jr. Blvd. 631-5033

## Antique Stores/Flea Markets

🌿 **Poor Charlie's Flea Market & Antiques**, 208 Hancock St., 638-2798  
Andrea's Attic Antiques, 2104 Trent Rd., 633-5656  
Black Swan Flea Market, 1310 Broad St., 633-2600  
Franklin's Antique Mall, 215 East Front St., 631-5210  
JL Kirkman's Antique Mall, 1198 Hwy 17 N., 634-2745  
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  
Tom's Coins and Antiques, 224 Middle St., 633-0615

## Boutiques and Gift Shops

🌿 **Carolina Creations**, 317 Pollock St., 633-4369  
🌿 **Mitchell Hardware**, 215 Craven St., 638-4261  
Bear Essentials, 309 Middle St., 637-6663  
The Black Cat Shoppe, 246 Middle St., 635-1410  
The Boathouse, 220 Middle St., 633-5501  
Juliette's Boutique, 236 Middle St., 514-9800  
Nauti Paws Pet Boutique, 208 Middle St., 637-0247  
Nautical Wheelers, 202A Craven St, 514-2553  
The Pepsi Store, 256 Middle St., 636-5898  
Small Batch Graphics + Goods, 250 Pollock St., 617-0211  
Thornbury Brides, 233 Middle St., 631-5140

## Clothing

🌿 **Four C's**, 252 Middle St., 636-3285  
Ann Lynn's, 4146 Hwy 17 S, 638-3897  
Belk Dept. Store, New Bern Mall, 633-1136  
City Trends, 1707 Red Robin Ln., 633-3756  
JC Penney's, New Bern Mall, 633-3925  
JoS. A. Bank, 2067 S. Glenburnie Rd., 635-1014  
Lula Balow, 236 Middle St., 649-1856 One World Shoppe, 236 Middle St., 633-3929  
Peacock's Plume, 248 Craven St., 633-1043  
South Front, 225 S. Front St., 633-0244  
Surf, Wind, and Fire, 230 Middle St., 288-5823  
Taylor'd To You Boutique, 206 Craven St., 633-7883  
Twice as Nice Consignment and Upscale Boutique, 224 Craven St., 633-4432  
Uniforms PRN, 2877 Trent Rd., 635-9975  
VashTi Fine Apparel, 218 Middle St., 514-6720

## Florists

Greenleaf Park Florist, 4110 Hwy 17 S., 638-5156  
Michael's of New Bern, 1017 N. Craven St., 633-4770  
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

🌿 **Claudia B. Houston**, Creative Memories Advisor, 571-1212  
🌿 **The Hair Depot**, 2609 Trent Rd., 514-2345  
🌿 **New Bern Web Design**, 349-0270  
🌿 **Omar Sail Makers**, 1019 Queen St., 728-5598  
🌿 **UPS Store of New Bern**, 1822 S. Glenburnie Rd., 637-7500  
21st Century Computers, 633-5825  
A-1 Fire & Safety Company, 1915 S. Glenburnie Rd., 635-6768  
ABC Store 1, 318 S. Front St., 637-3623  
ABC Store 5, 2003 S. Glenburnie Rd., 638-4847  
ABC Store 6, 985 Hwy 70E, 633-2246  
A Family Matters Cleaning Service, 259-7827  
Accupuncture in New Bern by Sandy Eichelberger, 1425 S. Glenburnie Rd. St3 6, 301-938-4836.  
Accupuncture Works, 1425 S. Glenburnie Rd., 670-1063  
Anya's Alterations LLC, 1706 B Hwy 70 E, 514-0783  
Askew's Ace Hardware, 3938 US Hwy 70E, 638-2231  
B & J Seafood, 1101 Hwy 70 E., 637-0483  
BA's Alterations, 3274 Wellons Blvd., 634-1666  
Bear's Lair Games, 3914 Dr MLK Jr Blvd., 635-5247  
Bill's Pet Shop, 2666 Dr. MLK Jr. Blvd., 637-3997  
Blue Magnolia, 210 Middle St., 636-2583  
Blush Boutique, 222 Craven St., 497-8875  
Branch's Furniture, 309 Pollock St., 638-5171  
Bynum's Drug Store, 240 Middle St., 637-3123  
Cravin' Wine, 1706-A Hwy 70E, 514-2675  
E & J Automotive (Towing), 103 Wanda Ave., 638-8226  
Edible Arrangements, 3313 Dr MLK Jr. Blvd., 638-5009  
Fuller's Music Store, 2210 Trent Rd., 638-2811  
Galley Stores and Marina, 300 E Front St., 633-4648  
Garris Evans Lumber, 425 Garner Rd., 672-8760  
Gary's Nursery, 680 Crump Farm Rd., 637-6858  
Grills and Fireplaces, 1240 Hwy 70E, 637-3610  
Goodwill Donation Center/Store, 560 McCarthy Blvd., 635-4846  
Habitat for Humanity ReStore, 930 Pollock St., 633-5512  
Helping Hands Boutique, 2715 Hwy 70E, 633-6305  
The Holiday House, 223 Middle St., 229-9102  
**Jan's Hallmark**, New Bern, 638-1585  
Julie Harris, Licensed Massage Therapist, 218 S. St. 3rd Flr, 349-9915  
LCA Productions/Advertising, 1916 S. Glenburnie Rd., 636-5860  
Lucky Dog Pet Grooming by Sarah, 474-7075  
Lucky Street Tattoo, 1201 Hwy 70E, 636-0333  
New Bern Fabric Center, 1218 S. Glenburnie Rd., 633-4780  
New Bern Farm and Garden Center, 1309 Old Cherry Point Rd., 638-1983  
New Bern Mall, 3132 Dr MLK Jr. Blvd., 633-2800  
New Bern Sporting Goods, 3721 Trent Rd., 638-1136  
The Reactive Voice, 649-1697  
Realo Drug and Home Supplies, 1301 Commerce Dr., 636-1711  
River Mills Professional Storage Center, 2723 Neuse Blvd., 772-9663  
Salvation Army Family Store, 310 Queen St., 633-3921  
Savi's Wine Shop, 713 Pollock St., 631-3329  
Seaside Gypsy, 2605 Trent Rd., 259-8615  
Small Batch Graphics + Goods, 250 Pollock St., 617-0211  
Snap Dragon Way Cool Toys, 214 Middle St., 514-6770  
Southern Boundaries/Land Surveying, 408 Guion Street, 633-2771  
VFW Post 2514, 3850 Butler Rd., 637-9222  
Village Butcher Market, 3515 Trent Rd., 637-6695  
White's Opticians, 3515 Trent Rd., 638-2510  
Wild Birds Unlimited, 2029 S. Glenburnie Rd., 637-6604

## New Bern Chamber of Commerce - New

**Members:** Storm Guard of New Bern, 1916 S. Glenburnie Rd Suite #8, 389-8189; Guestbook Event Services, 21177 Glenburnie Rd., 670-2805; Stephanie C. Waters, New Bern; A-1 Seal Coat Inc., 531 Park Meadows Dr., Newport, 646-5544; Metro PCS, 1236 S. Glenburnie Rd., 633-3226; Made in NC, LLC, 302 East Front St. – Inside Galley Store, 631-0167, Bebop's Café, 323 Middle St., 633-7900; Ernul's LLC, 111 Rhem St., 633-0171; Merle Norman Cosmetics/The Sassy Boutique, 3601 Trent Rd. #8, 638-3665; Liz Plummer, Independent Consultant Airbonne Intl., New Bern, 207-329-0190; WADE Drafting and Design Services, New Bern, 207-632-2439; Thrive, New Bern, 626-9687; Re/Max Southwinds, 4110 Dr. M L K Jr. Blvd. Ste C-D, 773-0610; Pivot Physical Therapy, 2000 S. Glenburnie Rd, Ste 210, 302-5200; River Mills Professional Storage Center, 2723 Neuse Blvd., 772-9663; Artisan East Custom Homes, LLC, 204 Mt. Pleasant Rd., 229-8227; Coastal Insurance, 325 A Middle St., 229-8039; Eileen Bress, New Bern, 665-4091; New Bern Seventh Day Adventist Church, 2404 US Hwy 70 E., 633-2662; Bryan Wayne at La Bella Donna Salon, 2113 S. Glenburnie Rd., 634-4247; and Columbia Development Group, 1845 St. Julian Place, Columbia, SC, 803-744-5900.

## Havelock Chamber of Commerce - New

**Members:** Jamel Carter & Ryan George, 707 Ironwood Drive, Havelock, 617-3258; Ultimate Party & Rental LLC, Edward Pridgen, 1465 Blades Rd., Havelock, 665-2047; Coastal Women's Shelter, 638-4509; Your Time Vacations, Michael and Teri Richards, 134 Craven Dr., Havelock, 665-3256; and Havelock Donut, 113 E. Main St., 207-4299.

**Other New Businesses:** Small Batch Graphics + Goods, 250 Pollock St., 617-0211, Bebop's Cafe', 323 Middle St, 633-7900; Dawgz, 2700 Trent Rd., 626-3913 and Julie Harris, Licensed Massage Therapist, 218 S. St. 3rd Flr, 349-9915.

## Community Notes

MERCI Clinic Event. On November 5, 2017, downtown New Bern will host a huge dinner to benefit MERCI, featuring a superteam of the chefs from 247 Craven, The Chelsea, Persimmons, Baker's Kitchen, Famous, and The Flame! It's going to be really special and unique for this area. Tickets are available at: [MERCIClinic.org/merci-on-middle/](http://MERCIClinic.org/merci-on-middle/). Call 633-1599.


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Blackbeard Sailing Club will be having a Meet and Greet Social for both experienced and novice sailors. November 5 from 1pm – 4pm. Come enjoy a fun-filled time chatting with seasoned Captains and Crew for the latest word on Racing, Cruising, Day Sailing and more. Plus, check out New Bern's most exceptional sailing facility. Reservations Required: RSVP by October 30. Call 910-494-5945. Blackbeard Sailing Club, 1215 Barkentine Dr., New Bern. - Madeleine C. Knie



## Staying in New Bern

### Bed and Breakfasts and Inns

 [Hanna House Bed & Breakfast](#), 218 Pollock St., 635-3209

The Aerie Bed and Breakfast; Aerie Guest House and Conference Center, 512 Pollock St, 636-5553

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

The Harmony House Inn, 215 Pollock St., 636-3810

Meadows Inn, 212 Pollock St., 634-1776

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

Fishers Landing Campground and Neuse River


Campground, Hwy 70 E, 638-5628

Moonlight Lake RV and Cottages, 180 Moonlight Dr., New Bern, 745-9800

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

Turkey Quarter Campground and RV Park, 163 Kirby Rd., Cove City, 342-5787 or 919-202-3419

### Hotels

 [The Ziegler Hotel Suites](#), 1914 Trent Blvd., 638-6868

BridgePointe Hotel and Marina, 101 Howell Rd., 636-3637

Candlewood Suites, 3465 Dr MLK Jr Blvd., 638-8166

Comfort Suites of New Bern, 1006 Old Cherry Pt Rd., 649-1717

Courtyard by Marriott, 218 E Front St., 636-0022

Doubletree by Hilton - New Bern, 100 Middle St., 638-3585

Holiday Inn Express, 3455 3465 Dr MLK Jr Blvd., 638-8266

Hampton Inn - New Bern, 200 Hotel Dr., 637-2111

Springhill Suites - Marriott, 300 Hotel Dr., 637-0017

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### Vacation Rentals

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

New Bern Round House, 101B St., [info@newbernroundhouse.com](mailto:info@newbernroundhouse.com)

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

Sandy Garden, Sandy Point House, Bamboo Cottage, 321

Riverside Dr., [nickmiss@suddenlink.net](mailto:nickmiss@suddenlink.net)

The River Camp, call Tommy Moore at 670-3040

Sky Sail Condominiums, 100 Middle St., 637-3600

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

Valhalla Vacation Rentals, 259-7695 or 636-8336

Whitford House, 604 Hancock St., 252-626-5216

## Getting Through the Holidays: Grief Support Workshops



*"Grief isn't something you get over. It's something you go through" - Alan Pedersen*

*"It takes strength to make your way through grief. To grab hold of life and let it pull you forward." - Patti Davis*

The upcoming holidays can be a difficult time for those who are experiencing loss in their lives. Continuum Home Health & Hospice is offering a series of workshops to provide education, information, and support to those who are dealing with grief and loss. Some of the topics include:

"Dealing with Difficult Emotions During the Holidays"

"Survival Tips for Handling the Holidays"

"Making Decisions about Holiday Traditions and Rituals"

The workshops are open to adults of all ages and will be held free of charge at two different locations:

New Bern Workshops: Nov 1, 8, 15, and 22, 10:30am – 12:00pm, River Bend Town Hall, 45 Shoreline Dr.

Havelock Workshop: Nov. 8, 15, 29, and Dec. 6, 10:30am – 12:00pm, 103 Trader Ave.

Sponsored By: [Continuum Home Health & Hospice](#)

For more information, contact Rev. Barbara Bornemann, Hospice Chaplain and Bereavement Coordinator at Continuum Home Health & Hospice, 1505 S. Glenburnie Rd. Unit M, 638-6821

## Mountatins-to-Sea Trail extends to New Bern

New Bern is one of the newest destinations to become part of the state's Mountains-to-Sea Trail (MST)!

The City learned in December that 2.12 miles of its Riverwalk had been designated as part of the Mountains-to-Sea Trail. This section starts at Donald M. Miller Memorial Park, located on Avenue A, and extends to Leander Morgan Park located at 925 Walt Bellamy Drive. Shortly after learning of the designation, the City's Parks and Recreation Department applied for and received a \$56,000 Recreational Trails Program grant to extend the Riverwalk even further and post official MST signs. The new section will stretch west from Leander Morgan Park along the Trent River, behind New Bern Towers, and then connect with Walt Bellamy Drive. This project supports the City's previously approved Pedestrian Plan, encourages recreation and increases connectivity from downtown. The City has two years to complete the Riverwalk extension and installation of signs. The grant is made possible by federal funds that are administered through the North Carolina Trails Program.

The Mountains-to-Sea Trail is a footpath that extends nearly 1,400 miles across North Carolina. It begins at Clingmans Dome in the Great Smoky Mountains and stretches east to Jockey's Ridge in the Outer Banks. In between, the trail's topography changes drastically, crossing mountains, swamps, farms, small towns, barrier islands and more. The MST is a state trail, first proposed in the 1970s and later added to the state parks system in 2000. Approximately 659 miles of the trail are currently designated.

Find out more about the Mountains-to-Sea Trail at [NCParks.gov](http://NCParks.gov). – Colleen Roberts, Public Information Officer, [City of New Bern](#)



## Community Notes

[The Tryon Civitan Club](#), in conjunction with [The UPS Store](#), is sponsoring their Tenth Annual Peanut Butter Drive to benefit Religious Community Services. The Peanut Butter Drive will last the entire month of October.

RCS distributes peanut butter in food orders filled through their Food Pantry. In 2016 that amounted to over 253,000 pounds of food to people who cannot afford groceries. Their soup kitchen served an average of 175 meals per day, and up to 220 per day during the summer months.

With the support of our community we hope to be able to deliver at least 1000 jars of peanut butter this year! Jelly is also welcome.

Peanut Butter can be dropped off at The UPS Store, 1822 South Glenburnie Rd between 8:00 am and 6:00 pm Monday through Friday and from 8:00 am to 4:00 pm on Saturdays. For more information, please contact Mack Paul, Tryon Civitan Projects at 637-7500.

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To honor the memory of its founder, poet Jerry Cuthrell, The Pamlico Writers' Group is pleased to announce its first-ever search for a Heart of the Pamlico Poet Laureate to represent Eastern North Carolina.

The successful candidate for poet laureate will be an accomplished poet, age 21 or over, who has resided in Eastern North Carolina (east of the I-95 corridor) for a minimum of one year, and who has advocated for poetry as a means to inspire, inform, and entertain.

"The Heart of the Pamlico Poet Laureate will serve as the ambassador of Eastern North Carolina's vibrant literary life, promoting its poetic community, and celebrating the written word in North Carolina, always mindful of the fact that poetry matters," said Eileen Lettick, a representative of the Pamlico Writers' Group.

Suggested roles for the poet laureate's two-year term are to develop working relationships among other poets, writers, and teachers; participate in the annual Pamlico Writers' Conference; showcase poetry on regional and social media; and bring poetry programs to schools and public events. The selected candidate will receive a cash award of \$1,000 and a complimentary membership in the Arts of the Pamlico for one year.

The Pamlico Writers' Group, an affiliate of Arts of the Pamlico, has a membership of approximately seventy-five writers. Since its founding in 1973 in Washington, NC, it has been committed to providing writers with training tools and resources through its critique groups, annual conferences, and workshops.

For more information and an application form, go to [PamlicoWritersGroup.org/Poet-Laureate](http://PamlicoWritersGroup.org/Poet-Laureate).



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Wings Over Bridgeton, the premier seaplane "fly in" on the Neuse River, is returning this October 21st and 22nd to the charming Bridgeton Harbor Marina. More seaplanes, float planes and flying boats are expected to visit the Bridgeton and Greater New Bern area this year along with more attractions and family fun. The marina, 1101 B Street, Bridgeton, will host the event where owners and pilots show off their aircraft and give flying demonstration around the area.

Pilots will be bringing their aircraft in starting Friday afternoon. Saturday morning, pilots will allow the public to view their aircraft and answer questions about taking off and landing on the water's surface. At 10am, the aircraft are scheduled to begin taking off and flying around the area circling over Bridgeton, New Bern and who knows where else.

After landing they will engage in competitions for accurate landings near markers and other competitions including dropping missiles, (water balloons or grapefruit), on water borne target. The fun and excitement will start at 4pm, Saturday afternoon but will recommence the next morning and end around 2pm, Sunday when they take off to refuel and begin their flights home.

Aircraft from around the Carolinas and Virginia are expected to participate and there may be aircraft from further away. This will continue the annual parade of fliers to use our river as a new portal to eastern Carolina and establish its position as an annual event to attract many flying craft to entertain local residents.

The event is admission free, there will be a \$5/car parking fee. For more information, visit [FlyBridgeton.com](http://FlyBridgeton.com).



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## October Calendar of Events

1st – 31st: [Tryon Civitans in conjunction with The UPS Store of New Bern is sponsoring their 10th Annual Peanut Butter Drive to benefit Religious Community Services.](#) Drop off location is The UPS Store, 1822 South Glenburnie Rd. between 8:00am and 6:00pm. Monday – Friday and 8:00am – 4:00pm on Saturdays. Call 252-637-7500.

5th: [New Bern Reads](#), 5:00pm – 7:00pm at the New Bern Mall. Presented by Oaks Road Elementary School. Call 252-514-6475.

5th: [Colorful Wishes Celebration](#), 6:00pm – 11:00pm at Carolina Colours Clubhouse. Benefiting Make-A-Wish Eastern NC. Call 410-707-6999.

5th: [Smooth Jazz with David Robinson](#), 6:30pm at The City Laundry. Call 252-876-7007.

6th: [32nd Annual BBQ Chicken Dinner](#), 11:00am – 2:00pm at the Berne Lodge 724 A.F. & A.M., 2100 S. Glenburnie Rd. Call 252-474-4508.

6th: [Explorations: The International Film Series “The Man Who Knew Infinity”](#), 2:30pm and 7:30pm in the Orringer Auditorium, Craven Community College. Call 252-633-2618.

6th: [ArtWalk throughout Downtown New Bern](#), 5:00pm – 8:00pm, presented by the Craven Arts Council at the Bank of the Arts. 252-638-2577.

6th: [Uncorked – A Wine Tasting](#), 5:00pm at Nautical Wheelers of New Bern. Call 252-514-2553.

6th: [Dayton Vesper Piano Concert](#), 6:30pm – 7:45pm at First Baptist Church. Call 252-637-3270.

6th – 7th: [Fourth Annual Ol’ Front Porch Music Festival](#) in Oriental, NC. Call 252-671-4643.

6th – 7th: [All In The Timing by David Ives](#), 8:00pm at The City Laundry. Call 252-876-7007.

7th: [13th Annual Neuse River Backwater Open Fishing Tournament](#) benefiting Religious Community Services.

7th: [Harvest Rally Motorcycle Ride for Craven County’s H.O.P.E.](#), 8:00am – 2:00pm at Harley-Davidson of New Bern. Call 252-633-4060. Call 252-639-3500.

7th: [New Bern Farmers Market](#), 8:00am – 2:00pm at 421 S. Front St. Call 252-633-0043.

7th: [Craven County Clean Sweep](#), 9:00am at Lawson Creek Park. Call 252-633-1477.

7th: [Writing Workshop and Reading with Catherine Strisik](#), 9:00am – 12:30pm with reading at 7:00pm at the Red Shoe Studio Gallery. Call 252-670-7736.

7th: [See Better Together – “Blessings To Be Blue” presentation with Author Mable Singleton Murrell](#), 12:00pm at the New Bern-Craven County Library. Presented by the Historical Dryborough Neighborhood Association and Preservation Management. Call 252-637-7192.

7th: [Dinner on 5 Continents](#), 6:00pm at Christ Church Harrison Center. Presented by Interfaith Refugee Ministry. Call 252-633-9009.

7th: [R.E.S.T.O.R.E. – A Second Chance Gala](#), 6:00pm at J. Murphy Smith Center, 508 Middle St. Presented by Wash Away Unemployment. Call 252-

7th: [Lewis n Clark and Blue Moon Jazz](#), 7:30pm at the New Bern Civic Theatre. Call 252-633-0567.

10th: [Behind the Scenes: Museum Technology](#), 2:00pm at Tryon Palace’s Waystation.

10th: [Connect with Craven Open House Community Outreach](#), 4:00pm – 7:30pm at the New Bern Riverfront Convention Center. Call 252-636-6602.

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## October Calendar of Events (Continued)

11th: [Newcomers Club of New Bern monthly meeting](#), 7:00pm – 9:00pm at the Harrison Center. Call 252-631-1463.

11th: [North Carolina Symphony “Toe-Tapping Pops”](#), 7:30pm, New Bern Riverfront Convention Center. Call 919-733-2750.

12th: [Salute to Women of the Military: Past and Present](#), 11:30am – 1:30pm at the Havelock Tourist and Event Center. Call 252-636-3381.

12th: [Talkin’ Tarheel: How Our Voices Tell the Story of North Carolina with Dr. Walt Wolfram](#), 11:30 a.m. at the Chelsea Restaurant. Presented by the New Bern Historical Society. Call 252-638-8558.

12th: [2017 Professional Women’s Conference “Stop the Insanity” featuring Denise Ryan](#), 12:00pm – 5:00pm at the New Bern Riverfront Convention Center. Presented by the New Bern Area Chamber of Commerce. For details call 252-637-3111.

13th: [Caffeinated Soul Boogie along with Music and Art](#), 5:00pm – 8:00pm in the Isaac Taylor Garden. Presented by the Greater Good Gallery. Call 252-649-1712.

13th: [Old Man Kelly](#), 7:30pm at Trent River Coffee Company. Presented by the Down East Folk Arts Society. Call 252-646-4657.

13th: [All In The Timing by David Ives](#), 8:00pm at The City Laundry. Call 252-876-7007.

13th – 14th: [Tryon Palace Presents: Fall Heritage Plant Sale](#) at the Dave’s House Lawn. Call 252-639-3500.

13th – 15th: [MUMFest 2017](#) in Downtown New Bern. Presented by Swiss Bear, Inc. Call 252-638-5781.

13th – 15th: [Fall Garden Lover’s Weekend](#) on Tryon Palace Grounds. Call 252-639-3500.

13th – 15th: [Seussical Jr.](#), Fri – Sat: 7:30pm; Sun: 3:00pm at the Masonic Theatre. By RiverTowne Players. Call 252-633-3318.

14th: [New Bern Farmers Market](#), 8:00am – 2:00pm at 421 S. Front St. Call 252-633-0043.

14th: [Self Defense Saturday](#), 10:00am at the New Bern Arts and Wellness Center. Call 252-497-8928.

14th: [Alfred Hitchcock’s Psycho](#), 7:00pm at The City Laundry. Call 252-876-7007.

14th: [Fight Like a Girl Masquerade](#), 9:00pm – 1:00am at The City Laundry. Portions of event will benefit the Breast Cancer Research Foundation. Call 252-876-7007.

15th: [Run for Mums 5K and 1 Mile](#), registration: 6:00am at Union Point Park. Presented by New Bern Parks & Recreation. Call 252-639-2900.

15th: [African American Heritage Tour](#), 2:00pm at Tryon Palace’s Waystation. Call 252-639-3500.

15th: [Third Annual Community National Day of Remembrance](#), 5:30pm at the CarolinaEast Rehabilitation Hospital Garden in New Bern. Presented by the CarolinaEast Medical Center Perinatal Loss and Bereavement Committee. Call 252-633-8838.

17th: [Behind the Scenes: Gardenes](#), 2:00pm at Tryon Palace’s Waystation. Call 252-639-3500.

19th: [Spooky Stories from North Carolina](#), 5:00pm at the North Carolina History Center. Call 252-639-3500.

19th: [Girls Night Out and Social Networking Social](#), 5:30pm – 8:30pm at Triple Play Sports Bar. Presented by New Bern Housewives in the City.

19th: [Scary Stories from North Carolina](#), 6:30pm at the North Carolina History Center. Call 252-639-3500.

19th: [Coffee House Thursday with Patrick Bliss](#), 7:00pm – 10:00pm at The City Laundry. Call 252-876-7007.

20th: [Lunch and Learn: A History of Costumes](#), 12:00pm at the North Carolina History Center. Call 252-639-3500.

20th: [Tracey Brenneman and Simon Spalding in Concert](#), 7:00pm at the Trent River Coffee Company. Call 252-514-2030.

20th: [Quarterly Twain with Bill Hand](#), 8:00pm at The City Laundry. Call 252-876-7007.

20th – 21st: [36th Annual Havelock Chili Festival at the Walter B. Jones Park](#). Call 252-444-1101.

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20th – 22nd: [Seussical Jr.](#), Fri – Sat: 7:30pm; Sun: 3:00pm at the Masonic Theatre. By RiverTowne Players. Call 252-633-3318.

21st: [New Bern Farmers Market](#), 8:00am – 2:00pm at 421 S. Front St. Call 252-633-0043.

21st: [9th Annual Breast Cancer Benefit Ride](#), 9:00am – 3:00pm at Harley-Davidson of New Bern. Call 252-633-4060.

21st – 22nd: [Wings Over Bridgeton – Premeir Seaplane “Fly In”](#) at the Bridgeton Harbor Marina, 1101 B. St., Bridgeton.

21st: [At The Gallery: WC Handy performed by Jon Shain](#), 7:00pm – 9:00pm at the Bank of the Arts. Presented by the Craven Arts Council and Gallery. Call 252-638-2577.

22nd: [Asian Games Club of New Bern](#), 1:00pm – 6:00pm at Bear’s Lair Games. Call 252-635-5247.

22nd: [Spooktacular Open House](#), 2:00pm – 4:30pm at Synergy Integrative Veterinary Clinic, 4005 Dr MLK Jr Blvd. Call 252-631-5033.

24th: [Behind the Scenes: Costume Shop](#), 2:00pm at Tryon Palace’s Waystation. Call 252-639-3500.

26th: [Ladies Night Out with Two Chef’s Cooking](#), 5:30pm – 7:30pm at 2102 S. Glenburnie Rd. Presented by New Bern Shrinette’s benefiting the Shriners Hospital for Children. Ticket’s available at The Village Butcher.

26th – 28th: [Ghostwalk 2017: Heroes and Hooligans “They Walk Among Us”](#), Thurs: 6:30pm – 9:30pm; Fri: 5:30pm – 9:30pm. Presented by the New Bern Historical Society. Call 252-638-8558.

27th: [Annual Parade of Preschoolers](#), 9:30am, parade down Middle St. to Union Point Park. Presented by the New Bern Parks & Recreation. Rain location is at West New Bern Recreation Center, 1225 Pinetree Dr. Call 252-639-2902.

27th – 31st: [2nd Annual Haunted Temple](#), 7:00pm at 403 E. Front St. Presented by the Sudan Burnouts.

28th: [WRNS Run, Witch, Run for St. Jude](#), 7:00am – 10:00am at Union Point Park. Call 888-682-9767.

28th: [New Bern Farmers Market](#), 8:00am – 2:00pm at 421 S. Front St. Call 252-633-0043.

28th: [New Bern Walk to End Alzheimer’s](#), 10:00am – 1:00pm at the Galley Stores and Marina. Call 919-803-8285.

28th: [All Hallows Eve](#), 10:00am – 3:00pm at Tryon Palace. Call 252-639-3500.

28th: [Ride for Kids with Autism and Special Needs](#), 11:00am – 6:00pm at Harley Davidson of New Bern. Presented by Creekside Recreational Therapy Services. Call 252-349-0220.

28th: [Harvey Halloween Costume Party with Stytic CheeZ](#), 10:00pm – 2:00am at the Harvey Mansion. Call 252-635-3232.

29th: [North Carolina Symphony “Peter & the Wolf”](#), 3:00pm at the New Bern Riverfront Convention Center. Call 919-733-2750.

29th: [Fall Festival](#), 4:00pm – 6:00pm at Christ Church. Presented by Christ Church EYC. Call 252-633-2109.

31st: [Behind the Scenes: Museum Technology](#), 2:00pm at Tryon Palace’s Waystation. Call 252-639-3500.

## ***November Calendar of Events***

2nd: [Workshop, How to Build a Gingerbread House](#), 7 pm at Orringer Auditorium, room 129, Craven Community College. Call 252-638-8558.

2nd – 5th: [AIDA: The Timeless Love Story](#), Fri – Sat: 7:30pm; Sun: 2:00pm at the New Bern Civic Theatre. Call 252-633-0567.

3rd: [New Bern Bacon and Brew Festival 2017](#), 5:00pm – 10:00pm at the New Bern Farmers Market. Proceeds Benefit the United Way of Coastal Carolina.

4th: [Carolina Lily Fest](#), 5:00pm – 11:00pm at The Brown Pelican. Benefiting the Coastal Women’s Shelter. Call 919-987-5636.

5th: [MERCI on Middle](#), 5:30pm – 8:30pm. Event takes place down the center of Middle St. Benefiting MERCI Clinic. Call 252-633-1599.

6th: [Explorations: The International Film Series “Dough”](#), 2:30pm and 7:30pm in the Orringer Auditorium, Craven Community College. Call 252-633-2618.

7th: [Behind the Scenes: Costume Shop](#), 2:00pm at Tryon Palace’s Waystation. Call 252-639-3500.



## November Calendar of Events (Continued)

8th: [Palace Pours: Pumpkins and Pies](#), 5:30pm – 7:00pm at Tryon Palace’s Commission House. Call 252-639-3500.

9th: [Veterans Day “Free” Lunch](#), 11:00am – 1:00pm at the New Bern National Guard Armory. Call 252-296-1981.

9th: [Vintage Thursday with Alisa Mike](#), 8:30pm at The City Laundry. Call 252-876-7007.

9th – 12th: [An Outlander Weekend at Tryon Palace](#) presented by The Celtic Force. Call 336-499-9733.

10th: [Food Truck Rodeo and Vendor Blender](#), 3:00pm – 7:00pm at Creekside Park. Presented by Hour Special Place. Call 252-631-5028.

10th: [ArtWalk throughout Downtown New Bern](#), 5:00pm – 8:00pm at the Bank of the Arts. 252-638-2577.

10th: [ARTcrawl presented by the Greater Good Gallery](#), 5:00pm – 8:00pm at the Isaac Taylor House and Gardens, and numerous locations in Downtown New Bern.

10th: [Ruth Wyand](#), 7:30pm at Trent River Coffee Company. Presented by the Down East Folk Arts Society. Call 252-646-4657.

10th – 12th: [AIDA: The Timeless Love Story](#), Fri – Sat: 7:30pm; Sun: 2:00pm at the New Bern Civic Theatre. Call 252-633-0567.

11th: [Veterans Day at Tryon Palace](#), 9:00am – 5:00pm. Call 252-639-3500.

11th: [Charity Spaghetti Dinner](#), 5:00pm – 8:00pm at Bridgeton United Methodist Church. Presented by the Neuse Sunrise (Bridgeton) Rotary Club.

12th: Annual Richard K. Lore Lecture, Jim Bunch, “[Recovering the M-4 Enigma Machine, An Oral History](#),” 2pm at the North Carolina History Center. Call 252-638-8558.

15th: [Girls Night Out and Social Networking Social](#), 5:30pm – 8:30pm at Prohibition Bar and Grill. Presented by New Bern Housewives in the City. Call 919-349-4455.

16th: [Live Music with Singer John Van Dyke](#), 6:30pm at The City Laundry. Call 252-876-7007.

17th: [Lunch and Learn: ‘As American As Apple Pie’](#), 12:00pm at the North Carolina History Center. Call 252-639-3500.

17th – 18th: [AIDA: The Timeless Love Story](#), Fri – Sat: 7:30pm; Sun: 2:00pm at the New Bern Civic Theatre. Call 252-633-0567.

18th: [Tryon Palace Gardens Lecture Series](#), 10:00am at the North Carolina History Center. Call 252-639-3500.

18th: [At The Gallery: Rodgers and Hammerstein performed by Lewis N Clark](#), 7:00pm – 9:00pm at the Bank of the Arts. Presented by the Craven Arts Council and Gallery. Call 252-638-2577.

19th: [African American Heritage Tour](#), 2:00pm at Tryon Palace’s Waystation. Call 252-639-3500.

21st: [Behind the Scenes: Conservation Lab](#), 2:00pm at Tryon Palace’s Waystation. Call 252-639-3500.

23rd: [Twin Rivers YMCA Turkey Trot 5K and 10K](#), 7:30am – 10:00am at 401 Taberna Way. Call 252-902-9712.

23rd: [Vintage Thursday with Alisa Mike](#), 9:30pm at The City Laundry. Call 252-876-7007.

24th: [Light up the Season “Santa’s Arrival”](#), 3:00pm – 7:00pm at Bear Plaza.

24th – 26th: [Festive Holiday Kick-Off Weekend](#), 2:00pm at Tryon Palace’s Waystation. Call 252-639-3500.

25th: [Community Christmas Tree Lighting](#), 5:00pm at the Roundabout (Broad and E. Front St).

25th: [Improve Comedy Night](#), 8:00pm at The City Laundry. Call 252-876-7007.

30th: [“Noel, Noel” - Antonio Vivaldi’s “Gloria”](#), 7:00pm, Orringer Auditorium at Craven Community College. Presented by Craven Community Chorus. Call 252-670-0230.

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## December Calendar of Events

1st – Dec 24th: Beary Merry Christmas throughout Downtown New Bern. Visit [BearyMerryChristmas.com](http://BearyMerryChristmas.com) for detailed event information.

1st – 3rd: [A Christmas Carol](#), Fri – Sat: 8:00pm; Sun: 3:00pm at the Masonic Theatre. Presented by RiverTowne Players. Call 252-633-3318.

2nd: [Breakfast with Santa presented by Carolina East Foundation](#) at the New Bern Riverfront Convention Center. Call 252-633-8247.

2nd: [Christmas Parade](#) in Downtown New Bern. Presented by the Craven County Jaycees. Call 252-636-0303.

2nd: [33rd Annual Coastal Christmas Flotilla](#), 4:30pm -7:30pm. at Union Point Park. Presented by New Bern Parks and Recreation. Call 252-639-2902.

2nd – 3rd: Craven Community Chorus presents [“Noel, Noel” - Antonio Vivaldi’s “Gloria”](#), 3:00pm, Orringer Auditorium at Craven Community College. 252-670-0230.

5th: [Behind the Scenes: Costume Shop](#), 2:00pm at Tryon Palace’s Waystation. Call 252-639-3500.

7th: [Jingle Bell Trot](#), 6:00pm – 8:00pm at 3712 Canterbury Rd. Presented by AH Bangert Elementary School. Call 252-514-6415.

8th: [ArtWalk throughout Downtown New Bern](#), 5:00pm – 8:00pm, presented by the Craven Arts Council at the Bank of the Arts. 252-638-2577.

8th: [ARTcrawl presented by the Greater Good Gallery](#), 5:00pm – 8:00pm at the Isaac Taylor House and Gardens, and numerous locations in Downtown New Bern.

8th – 10th: [A Christmas Carol](#), Fri – Sat: 8:00pm; Sun: 3:00pm at the Masonic Theatre. Presented by RiverTowne Players. Call 252-633-3318.

9th: [Craven Smart Start’s Holiday Hustle](#), 8:15am at Union Point Park. Call 252-902-9712.

9th: [19th Annual “The Holly and The Ivy” Holiday Homes Tour](#), 10:30am - 3:30pm in Historic New Bern. Presented by the New Bern Woman’s Club. Tickets call 252-638-2577.

9th: [Candlelight Christmas Celebration \(Night One\)](#), 4:30pm – 9:30pm at Tryon Palace’s, historic grounds, Commission House, Stanly House, and Dixon House. Call 800-767-1560.

10th: [Sledding Shopping Sunday](#), 1:00pm – 4:00pm on Craven St.

13th: [North Carolina Symphony “Holiday Pops”](#), 7:00pm at the New Bern Riverfront Convention Center. Call 919-733-2750.

15th: [Lunch and Learn](#), 12:00pm at the North Carolina History Center. Call 252-639-3500.

15th – 16th: [Home and Holiday Gift Show](#), Fri: 12:00pm – 6:00pm; Sat: 9:00am – 4:00pm at the New Bern Riverfront Convention Center. Call 970-590-0383.

15th – 16th: [A Christmas Carol](#), 8:00pm at the Masonic Theatre. Presented by RiverTowne Players. Call 252-633-3318.

16th: [Wreaths across America](#) at New Bern National Cemetery.

16th: [Candlelight Christmas Celebration \(Night Two\)](#), 4:30pm – 9:30pm at Tryon Palace’s, historic grounds, Commission House, Stanly House, and Dixon House. Call 800-767-1560.

21st: [Behind the Scenes: Conservation Lab](#), 2:00pm at Tryon Palace’s Waystation. Call 252-639-3500.

**Note:** [Visit NewBernNow.com](http://VisitNewBernNow.com) for a more extensive list of Community Events as we print the Ledger in September and we update our website on a daily basis. Please give us a call at 252-259-6853 or email [info@newbernnow.com](mailto:info@newbernnow.com) to send us your upcoming events.

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## Community Notes



The Pod Squad: Laura Johnson, Susan Moffat-Thomas, Colleen Roberts, Wendy Card, Rich Sheridan, and Lisa Bisbee-Lentz

In June 2014, we expanded our reach with [Living in New Bern Now and Beyond's Podcast](#)! During these bi-weekly shows, we talk about what's going on in our cozy and happening town of New Bern. Topics include upcoming events, entertainment, arts, history, outdoor life, healthy living, beauty, social media, non-profits, businesses and much more! We also go daytrippin' to the surrounding areas and down to the Crystal Coast.

The 35 - 50 minute shows are published every other Monday. We also take 1 - 3 minute segments from the podcast and they air on New Bern's News Talk Station WNOS 107.5FM and 1450AM.

So if you're looking for a way to spread your message, join us! We can do a phone interview or you can stop by the Isaac Taylor House during the show. We record the show every other Thursday in the Isaac Taylor House at 1pm. So you can stop by and talk about what you're working on for 5 minutes and the Pod Squad will help prompt you with questions.

Let us know if you want to do a phone interview or would like to join us during the show and we'll put you on the schedule.

Please know that we record and edit before publishing. Since it takes 20 + hours to edit, the show is uploaded the following Monday on NewBernNow.com's website, [iTunes](#), and our [Libsyn station](#).

Listen to the past Podcast sessions here:

[September 18th episode](#), [Special Broadcast for The Entrepreneur Center of Craven County](#), [September 5th segment](#), [August 21st show](#), [August 7th episode](#), [July 24th segment](#), and [July 10th show](#).

Please let us know if you have any comments, suggestions, or would like to set up an interview and spread the word about a special event or other interesting topic. Call us at 252-259-6853 or send us an email at [info@newbernnow.com](mailto:info@newbernnow.com).

Synergy Integrative Veterinary Clinic is hosting a Grand Opening Spooktacular Open House on October 22, 2017 from 2 - 4:30pm at 4005 Dr MLK Jr Blvd in New Bern. Guests will be able to meet the doctors, tour the facility, and see the new underwater treadmill in action. Pet owners are invited to bring their furry friends to participate in a costume contest at 4pm - with prizes awarded. Jitterzz Coffee, A Dogs Dream, and PB's Italian ice will all be on site.

We will also be holding a raffle to benefit our non-profit, Kindred-Canines in Motion with items from participating local businesses, as well as free services for our clinic.

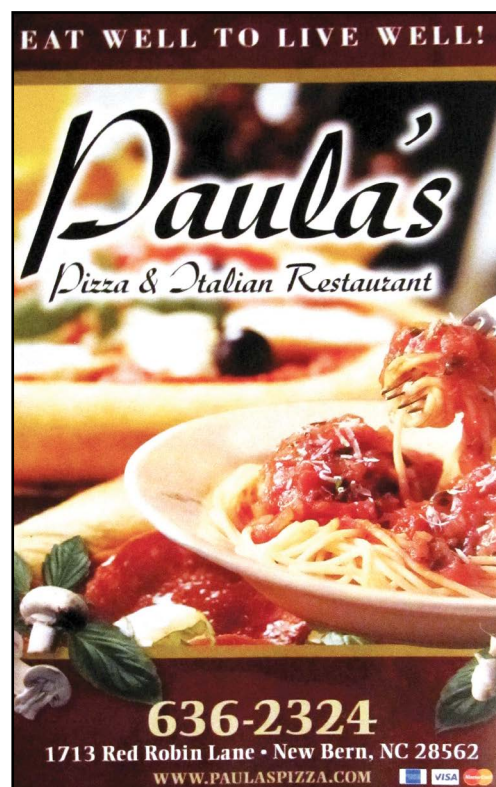
For more information, visit Synergy Integrative Veterinary Clinic at 4005 Dr. MLK Jr Blvd., call 252-631-5033, or check out our website: [SynergyIntegrativeVet.com](http://SynergyIntegrativeVet.com).

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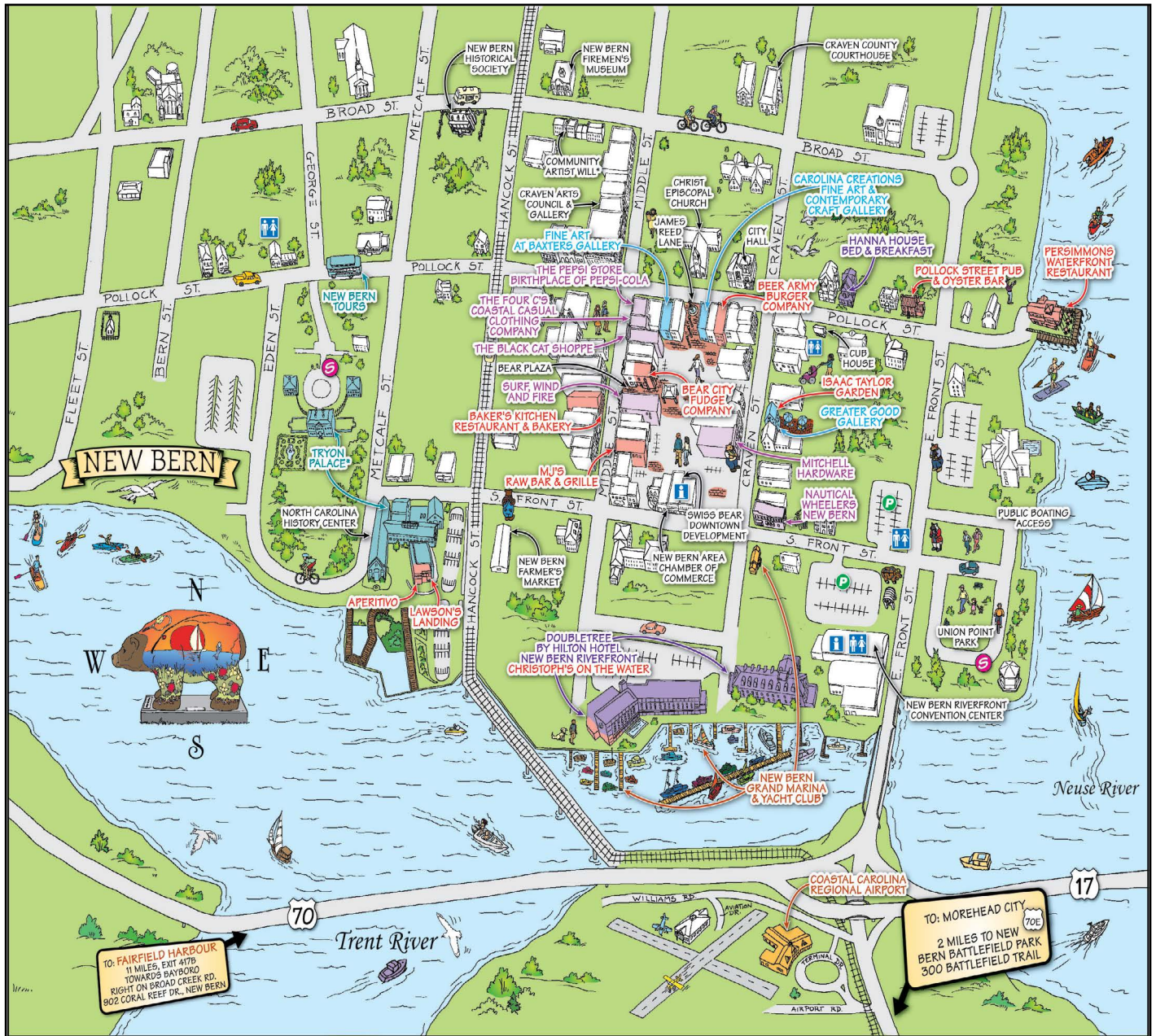
The Entrepreneur Center of Craven County (TEC3) is open for business!

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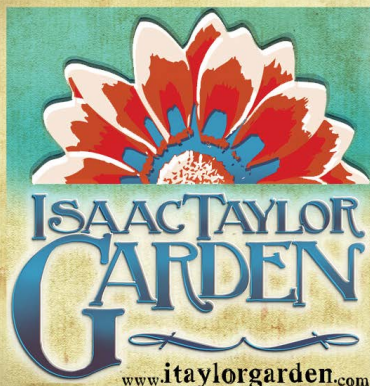
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