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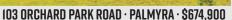
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Scruggs talks about the art of photography

BY PAGE H. GIFFORD CORRESPONDENT

"Fighting light, less light, more light," Horace Scruggs said describing his challenges with photography. He not only discussed the challenges of photography but the creation of his vibrant work with members of the Fluvanna Art Association at their monthly meeting on May 20.

He immediately engaged them in a conversation regarding the need to create art. Many members shared their thoughts, opening up a meaningful discussion.

"It is who I am," said Susan Edginton.

"I have to do it," added Diane Wilkin.

"Therapy," said Jane Prete.

"It helps me to see the world," Mary Volin responded. Deborah Nixon echoed the same "It makes me slow down and see things around me."

Lorraine Momper looked at it in a more intuitive "It's having a silent conversation with other people and making connec-

"It's in my genes," said Linda Napier.



Horace Scruggs. Photo by Page Gifford

Correction

John Layne, the Fluvanna County **High School** salutatorian, was presented his diploma at graduation exercises held on May 20. We misidentified another student as him in a photo in last week's issue of the Fluvanna Review. We regret the



Wilkin added, "There are three pieces to an artist, the artist, the medium, and the viewer."

"When I think about true art," said Scruggs, "I think about what Michelangelo said: "True art is made noble and religious by the mind producing it." Scruggs led the group on a journey not only to understand why we produce and create art but what inspires us. "True art is not mass-produced or stamped out."

Scruggs began to speak about his journey of artistic discovery. As a musician, he could relate to the visual arts but as a photographer, he recognized a different set of challenges. A few members, including Prete, stated that art should tell a story. Prete added that she looks back on her art journey as it relates to her life.

"Noble art leaves room for those emotions to breathe and have their own life outside our emotions and feelings." Creating art at different stages of life tells them where they have been, what they created, where they are now, and where they want to go.

The main element for any artist, whether it is photography, painting, or drawing is to understand the science behind art and its influence on creating mood. Scruggs said that in photography understanding f-stops was one of the critical tools he needed to produce the kind of photographs that spoke to the viewer.

"We transform light, shadows, color, perspective, the subject, and movement into reason, emotions, depth, and longing," he said.

Grandeur was a word he used to describe one of his guiding principles of photography.

"I want you to see the grandeur, so you can fall into the picture and see the intricacy, notice the details and explore." He adds a photographer's mantra that "you have to be there because it's not going to be there forever."

Many who do landscape photography cite the master photographer Ansel Adams who famously said among his many well-known quotes, "You don't take opportunities, you make them." Photographers understand art in a similar way to painters but use different tools to express themselves through what they are conveying to the viewer. Learning to manipulate light and shadow with f-stops is the same as a painter manipulating the same with brushes or palette knives.

Scruggs explains the art of photography very well beginning with the critical thirds, creating depth perception and perspective in the foreground, middle ground, and background. He illustrated his point with four different shots of Crabtree Falls. At different moments or different times or even at different angles, the photos show diversity in each picture.

"Things happen without human presence and are happening during creation." He also mentioned drone photography which gives a different angle or perspective from above.

Telling stories in art is nothing new and has provided us with a recorded history long before photography. Photography can capture the moment and tell us from a picture's subtleties what we need to know. Scruggs showed a photo of a rock in the woods with the inscribed name of Malissa Smith, born 1851, died 1936. This was Scrugg's grandmother, a woman born into slavery laid to rest in a family plot in what Scruggs calls Tepee Town where he grew up near Fork Union.

"It tells a story but it is a historical document."

Members questioned the process, pointing to digital photography as suspect because few use a darkroom any longer. Some feel that there is over manipulation of images to a point of perfection and that is not a pure art form. He explains that using software on the computer is not different than the use of a darkroom to create images. Scruggs talked about his photo of Star Hollow Falls, one underexposed and the other corrected.

"If a photo is underexposed, there is information that can be processed," he said. "I can pull out more color and definition from sunlight and in reality, it is what I saw. In the digital, I can bring out the details and balance it." Scruggs not only explained why we create art but also better illuminated the understanding of photography as an art.



At the Fluvanna County Board of Supervisors meeting on May 4 there was a presentation given by Marta Keane, JABA CEO suggesting that our county join an AARP Age-Friendly Network.

- There is no cost to join the Network.
- Membership enables communities to share resources and ideas with other communities across the country and affords eligibility for grants and other forms of assistance.

Much to the detriment of the citizens of Fluvanna, the following discussion

demonstrated that several representatives either did not read the packet prior to the meeting or misconstrued and were dismissive of the proposal. Focusing on political talking points irrelevant to the proposal. I highly recommend you watch the recording on YouTube (jump to minute 23) and hold our representatives accountable.

At the following meeting on the 18 it was repeated that the Board won't discuss this proposal without advocacy for our seniors.

- James Schoenster, Palmyra

Enthusiasm for public park

Recently, a remarkable event occurred in Fluvanna County, which merits our enthusiastic endorsement and support – the saving of land from dense development and the formation of an entirely new citizendriven non-profit organization to achieve that and much more. I am referring to the Tadpole Land and Trail Conservancy (TL&TC), which is now the proud owner of 73 beautiful acres that they will make eventually into a public park. This is the first example of this type of citizen activism to counter a threat to their neighborhood and to do so in a manner designed to benefit all of Fluvanna's citizens.

The TL&TC land is along Courthouse Road east of the Village of Palmyra and includes three-quarters of a mile of frontage on Ballenger Creek, a major tributary of the Rivanna River. Their plans call for making the area into the Ballenger Creek Nature Preserve. That section of the creek includes

some steep slopes covered with our native mountain laurel and other wildflowers. Not only is the land to be made into a public park but also it will be placed under a conservation easement held by the Virginia Outdoors Foundation thus protecting the land from development in perpetuity. Most of the money raised to purchase this land came from neighbors near Courthouse Road.

Not only will TL&TC eventually open trails on the land they now own, but it is in the process of establishing its ability to assist other landowners in and around Fluvanna in doing the same with their land. If you wish to assist TL&TC in this effort you may contribute to them by going to tadpoleltc@gmail.com . Contributions to the non-profit are tax deductible.

This is a truly astounding new initiative in our community, and I thank all those involved in bringing it to fruition.

-Marvin Moss, Palmyra

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> If Good wants to keep Americans safe, he could vote for gun control to stop the murder of elementary school children. Mr. Good voted against universal background checks.

It looks like keeping Americans safe is low on Mr. Good's list of priorities. It looks like he just wants us taxpayers to pay for his travel.

Mr. Good is bad for Virginia and bad for our country. Josh Throneburg will listen to his constituents and be effective in keeping all Virginians, our country and our democracy safe for today and for the future. Vote for Josh Throneburg in November.

-Valerie Palamountain, Palmyra

Focus on gun control

Senator Tim Kaine and Senator Mark Warner are both long term senators with a lot of power. It is time for them to use their status and seniority to focus on gun control and background checks. They need to pressure other senators to vote on this. Most citizens in the USA want background checks and gun licensing. We want our country to be a safe place.

As many people have said lately, we are being held hostage by 50 senators that will not even bring this issue to a vote. These people are only interested in keeping their own power.

Now is the time to use Kaine's and Warner's strength, their leverage, and their position to do what is right. No longer can we allow children, families, shoppers, teachers and any other citizens to be murdered because of a lack of gun control.

Our country should hear from them and others that this is no longer acceptable in America. Whatever needs to be done in public or behind closed doors must be done.

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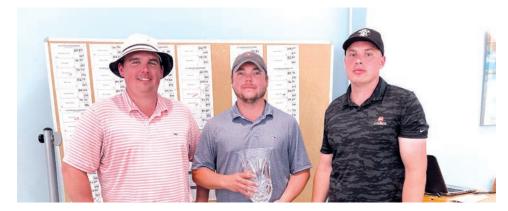
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Faulconer Golf Tournament at the Lake is a success

BY DUNCAN NIXON CORRESPONDENT



Golfers Eddie Cutler, Adam Marshall and Nick Brediger. Photo by Duncan Nixon

The annual Faulconer Invitational Golf Tournament was held at the Lake Monticello golf course on May 21 and 22. It was hot for this time of year, but course conditions were excellent. In several recent tournaments rain was a factor. Not this year. The tournament now is played with three distinct divisions. The open division is the primary competition, and it draws top amateur golfers from all over Central Virginia. The senior division is for golfers ages 50-64. and the super senior division is for golfers age 65 and over. These divisions normally attract more local area golfers.

The official winner of the Faulconer Invitational is naturally the winner in the open division. This year the winner was Adam Marshall (no relation to Lake Monticello golf pro Mark Marshall.) Marshall had two excellent rounds shooting a two under par 70 on Saturday and a two over par 74 on Sunday for an even par 144. His score on Saturday was the best score of the tournament. Marshall came all the way from Appomattox to compete in the Faulconer. Second place in the open division went to Eddie Cutler who shot 75 and 75 for 150. In third place was Nick Brediger who posted a 79 and a 77. Brediger also won the low score by a Lake resident prize. Low score by a junior went to Fluco golf team standout Killian Donnelly who came in at 158.

There were also some impressive scores posted in the senior and the super senior competitions. The winner in the senior division was Scott Richardson who shot 71 and 75 for a two over par 146. Two strokes off the pace was Steve DeMasters with a consistent 74 and 74 weekend. Third place went to Bowen Sargent who posted a 75 and a 74.

The super senior winner was Tim Vigotsky who finished with the same scores as the senior division winner. Vigotsky's 71 and 75 gave him a margin of victory that was one stroke less than Richardson's. Second place in the super seniors went to Van McCarter who shot 74 and 73. Third place in the super seniors went to Jim Higginbotham who came home with a consistent 76 and 76. Winners in each division were awarded a glass vase trophy by Lake Monticello head professional Mark Marshall and store credits were awarded to those listed above.

The open players this year were confronted with a course that measured 6,619 yards. This is a blend of the normal men's white tees and the professional blue tees. It is a serious test. The seniors played from the white tees over a distance of 6,296 yards. The super seniors played from the gold tees over a course that measures 5,610 yards. Mark Marshall commented that the course was "in great shape" and he noted that players reported to him that they thought it was tough, but fair layout. Marshall also touted the continuing contributions to the Faulconer by a host of volunteers from the Lake Monticello citizens.



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Fluco girls soccer opens play-offs with 4-1 win

BY DUNCAN NIXON CORRESPONDENT



Fluco girls soccer. Photo by Duncan Nixon

The Virginia High School League (VHSL) soccer play-offs are in full swing. The Fluco girls team opened at home on May 22 against the Minutemen of Liberty High from Bedford County. Liberty scored first after only three minutes of play, but by the middle of the first half it was clear that the Flucos were the stronger team.

Liberty's first and only goal came on a long free kick that was driven just below the cross bar. Fluco goalie Shelby Crawford had no chance. Fluco Coach Kat Hinkle commented that "they definitely deserved that one." Crawford was strong in goal the rest of the game, as Liberty was turned back from then on. After 15 minutes of play, Fluco junior forward Evelyn DeMers broke into the clear and was one on one with the Liberty goalkeeper. DeMers, charging at top speed, glided the ball past the goalie and into the net to tie the score.

For the rest of the half, the ball was predominately in the Liberty end. The Flucos forced several corner kicks but could not convert. The score at the end of the half was 1-1.

Early in the second half the Flucos continued to control play and after 13 minutes Demers broke through again and this time, with a defender at her side, she again beat the Liberty goalie to put the Flucos up for good. The Flucos continued to apply pressure and during a scramble in the penalty area, a hand ball was called against the Minutemen. Senior forward Maggie McWilliams was called upon to take the penalty kick and she drove it hard to the right of the goalie for a 3-1 Fluco lead. As the game was winding down, McWilliams made an excellent crossing pass to senior Ava Amato who knocked it in with 2:37 remaining to up the lead to 4-1.

After the game, Fluco Coach Hinkle praised DeMers and McWilliams for their play on offense and noted that they both were voted second team all Jefferson District. The Flucos first team pick, Christina Valladares, missed this game due to injury. Also gaining praise from Hinkle were mid-

fielder Abby Ford, a sophomore and freshman defender Piper LaRochelle. Ford and LaRochelle were very effective in disrupting the Liberty offensive attempts.





COMMUNITY CALENDAR

Garden Club meeting The Fluvanna Garden Club will be meeting Monday, **June 6** at 9 am at Salem Uni

The Fluvanna Garden Club will be meeting Monday, **June 6** at 9 am at Salem United Methodist Church, 840 Salem Church Road, Palmyra. Everyone is welcome to attend. The club will be creating flower arrangements to deliver to the community in celebration of National Garden Week of June 5-11. Contact Dosha Morris at (434) 589-2379 to learn more about The Fluvanna Garden Club. Email: morrisdosha@yahoo.com

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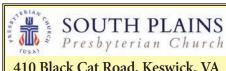
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refer to are the Fluvanna County and Lake Monticello fire and rescue departments.

This special group of volunteers have touched the lives of so many of us in our community and on May 18, we had the opportunity to help support them with a fundraiser. This community event brought together businesses, residents and even the volunteers themselves. Held at our facility in Zion Crossroads, we had 99.7 radio broadcasting live, five rescue vehicles and one ambulance for families and kids to look at and lunch was available with all proceeds going to the cause. We had a great turn out and all together we were able to raise \$7,670 for this amazing group of individuals.

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Group asks county to join AARP network for seniors

BY HEATHER MICHON CORRESPONDENT

How do we create a community that serves residents of every age?

The Fluvanna Board of Supervisors will vote later this summer on whether to join the AARP Network of Age-Friendly Communities. This network provides access to communities to facilitate programs and policies that support seniors in areas like housing, social engagement, and access to services.

Marta Keane of the Charlottesville Area Alliance (CAA) gave a presentation to the supervisors at their May 4 meeting to talk about CAA's action plan for creating a more age-friendly region, and to ask for Fluvanna County to join the AARP network.

CAA, which is composed of representatives from 30 local and regional organizations has been working on a five-year action plan for the last couple of years.

Their current plan looks at three main areas: increasing opportunities for social engagement by seniors, improving public transportation around the region, and supporting affordable housing for the elderly.

Each of these goals has several "action steps" in various stages of development. For example, increasing social engagement includes things like educating the public about dementia and how to create dementia-friendly programs and policies, instituting a "buddy program" to support seniors who might be shy about getting out to social events, and developing programs to make sure African-American seniors have access to programs and

Fluvanna's over-65 population has

percent in 2020 and will continue to grow as more and more Baby Boomers reach their 60s and 70s.

Keane praised Fluvanna for some of the work the community has already done to help seniors.

She mentioned that the 2015 Comprehensive Plan was unique for the region in the number of times it talked about affordable, accessible housing for seniors.

On AARP's Livability Index, Fluvanna has a ranking of 51, putting it right in the middle of the scale in the eight key metrics the organization uses in assessing localities. Some areas where the county lags are higher than average transportation costs and lack of access to exercise opportunities like gyms but it does rank high in civic engagement among seniors.

There is no cost for joining the AARP Network of Age-Friendly Communities and the primary benefit is to access the organization's research and resources.

Resolutions in support of the CAA action plan and the county's application to the AARP Network were not up for a vote at the May 4 meeting, but will likely reappear on the agenda as a voting matter later this year.

Supervisors Chris Fairchild (Cunningham) and Patricia Eager (Palmyra) both voiced concerns about signing on to the project, with Eager concerned that programs like this were often too Charlottesville-focused and didn't take into account Fluvanna's unique situations, and Fairchild skeptical of some of the language in the CAA action plan that he felt might potentially favor one group over another. 434-589-3539 | 800-825-LAKE **OPEN 7 DAYS A WEEK Located Next to Lake**

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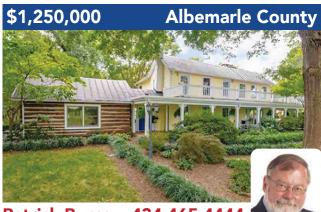




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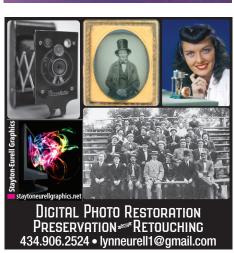
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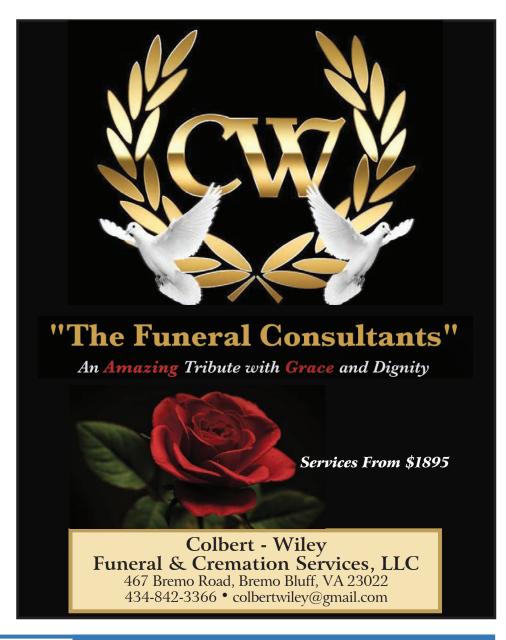












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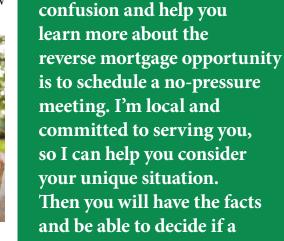
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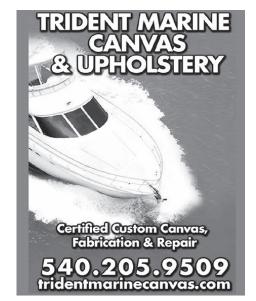
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FLUVANNA COUNTY TAXPAYERS

Fluvanna County real estate and personal property taxes for the first half of 2022 are due June 6, 2022. Taxes need to be paid in full by midnight June 6, 2022 to avoid penalty.

FOR YOUR CONVENIENCE VARIOUS PAYMENT OPTIONS ARE AVAILABLE:

- Treasurer's office open to the public
- By mail postmarked by June 6, 2022
- Drop Box Location: 34 Palmyra Way, Palmyra VA.

Located by the steps across from Palmyra Methodist Church, this is a brown drop box.

Special Hours Office Hours:

Saturday, June 4th from 8:00 am to 12 noon On deadline Day June 6th from 8:00 am to 7:00 pm



PUBLIC HEARING Fluvanna County Board of Supervisors Wednesday, June 15, 2022 at 7:00 pm

Pursuant to VA Code Section 15.2-2204, public hearings will be held at the **Fluvanna** County Library, located at 214 Commons Boulevard Palmyra, Virginia 22963 for citizens of the County to have the opportunity to be heard by the Board of Supervisors on the following requests:

ZMP 22:02 Johnston & Co LLC - A Conditional Rezoning from A-1, General Agricultural to the B-1, General Business Zoning District on 6.4 +/- acres of Tax Map 17 Section 2 Parcel 2. The subject property is located 900 feet north of the Route 53 and Turkeysag Trail intersection and is adjacent to the UVA Community Credit Union in the Rivanna Community Planning Area and the Cunningham Election District.

SUP 22:01 Johnston & Co LLC – A Special Use Permit request in the B-1, General Business Zoning District to permit a contractor's storage yard with respect to 6.4 +/- acres of Tax Map 17 Section 2 Parcel 2. The subject property is located 900 feet north of the Route 53 and Turkeysag Trail intersection and is adjacent to the UVA Community Credit Union in the Rivanna Community Planning Area and the Cunningham Election District.

SUP 22:02 Louisa County – A Special Use Permit to allow for major utilities, with respect to Louisa County constructing new public water and sewer lines from Ferncliff to Shannon Hill and will be constructed within the limits of the US Route 250 right-of-way. The subject properties of the request are known as Tax Maps 24-3-2, 24-2-1A4, 24-A-11A, 24-A-11, 24-A-15B, 24-A-GL15 and 24-A-16. They are zoned A-1, General Agricultural and are generally located along US Route 250 and at its intersection with Three Chopt Road in the Rural Preservation Area and in the Columbia Election District.

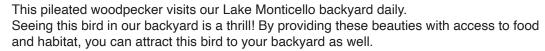
The regular meeting of the Board of Supervisors will be held in person and attendees can attend in person, virtually online or by telephone. Instructions for public participation during the meeting will be made available on the Fluvanna County website. Interested persons may submit written comments prior to the scheduled meeting to dmiles@fluvannacounty.org and any questions may be directed to Douglas Miles, Community Development Director at 434-591-1910, between 8:00 am and 5:00 pm, Monday - Friday.



NEWS FROM YOUR LAKE MONTICELLO NEIGHBORS

Keep an Eye Out for Pileated Woodpeckers

WRITTEN BY JINJA NOTARGIACOMO



Food sources are important. Dead and decaying trees are ideal for providing a host for this bird's favorite food -insects- as well as an ideal place to drill out a home for nesting.

As long as your backyard trees are mature, they will offer an ideal habitat for woodpeckers. Pileated woodpeckers are happy to drill away at fallen logs or stumps which offer the promise of tasty insects, especially their favorite food -carpenter ants. Other insects they will dine on include other ants, flies, beetle larvae, caterpillars, grasshoppers, termites and cockroaches.

When insects aren't available, they'll turn to wild fruits and nuts, and in winter when food supply is limited, they will also eat suet and other bird food put out by backyard birders.

Of all the bird food people offer at a bird feeder, a few types keep emerging as the most popular for attracting the pileated woodpecker. They include suet, bark butter, shelled peanuts, sunflower seed, safflower seed, songbird fruit & shelled nut/seed mix. Hot pepper blend suet dough keeps the squirrels at bay, but the birds aren't bothered by the pepper.

If you plan to offer bird food to attract these woodpeckers, make sure the feeder is large enough to accommodate these large birds which are typically 16"-19" long!

It's absolutely a treat to see these awesome woodpeckers stop by for a meal.



Upcoming Events

June 11-12 - Men's Member-Guest Golf Tournament, check details on LMOA.news under the Golf tab. June 18 - Annual Lake Monticello Volunteer Fire & Rescue Golf Tournament. Check details on LMOA.news under the Golf tab. June 19 - Young Residents & Families Committee Donuts with Dad 11 AM - 1 PM at the Main Beach. June 17 - deadline to vote online or by paper proxy for the Annual Meeting of LMOA Members.

June 25 - Annual Meeting of LMOA Members, 10 AM at Fairway Clubhouse.

July 3 - Monthly Lake Monticello Fire Department Car Show, 1-4 PM at the Fire Station Parking Lot. Prizes, food, and raffles. All proceeds go to the Fire Department. July 11-15 - QuickStart Tennis (Kids' Lessons). Registration starts June 6 at the Main Office. \$20 without racket, \$15 with own racket.

Public Safety

Safety at the Lake is undergoing key improvements to create robust security operations. These include hiring a Public Safety Director, hiring roving security guards to support our police officers, and upgrading the credentials of our Main Gate staff. These improvements will occur this month. We hear the concerns of residents regarding community safety. In response to residents' concerns, we are planning a safety

event and organizing workshops and articles on crime prevention, water safety, and awareness. We are confident we can establish programs that fit the comfort level of the whole community. This community cares, and we are proud of our low crime rate. It is our goal to enhance the LMPD and educate the community. Would you like to volunteer for the safety event? Send an email to mhenry@lmoa.org.



KIDS' FISHING DAY

TUFTON POND, Saturday, June 11 Registration starts at 9 AM Fishing 10AM-12PM Pizza and Prizes 12-1 PM

Rods, Reels, Tackle and Worms - All Provided



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Rain Date 18 June



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> If you're interested in learning and volunteering Contact vyrrosm@gmail.com

> > Content: LMOA Communications Department - Marieke Henry & William Patrick

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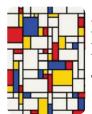


THE SKIP CASTRO BAND AT THE FIREMEN'S FAIRGROUNDS

June 18 at 7:30pm Tickets \$26 | Gates open at 6pm!

This event will be held rain or shine. No outside alcohol is permitted -- beer, wine and soft drinks will be available for purchase! Please bring a lawn chair to sit and enjoy the show.

ADULT + YOUTH ART CLASSES



Mimic the
Masters
June 3 at
3:30pm | \$21



Girl in a
Green Hat
June 12 at
5pm | \$31



Tea Towel PrintmakingJune 24 at
5pm | \$36



Dog Days of Summer Acrylic Painting July 8 at 6pm \$21



Stories and Stones July 29 at 6pm | \$21

JUNE SUMMER CAMPS



Camp Curtain Call
Starts June 6



Camp Encore Starts June 20

CURIS Quilts



Music & Wine Starts June 10 at 6pm!







Camp Broadway Steps
Starts June 27



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Genevieve Reilly 434-414-4453 genevievearlinereillv@gmail.com



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