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County Businesses win H/PG Chamber Awards for 2016

On February 22, 2017, the Hopewell/Prince George Chamber of Commerce 6th Annual Membership Networking Breakfast & Awards Ceremony was held at Upper Shirley Vineyards in Charles City County. Prince George County businesses were strongly represented with the following winners:

Sunflower Gardens - Innovative Practices

The new Alzheimer's center at Brighter Living Assisted Living allows residents to be more active, more social, and more content.

Virginia American Water (servicing N.P.G.) - Environmental
Removed trash on Petersburg trail at Fort Lee and along Route 10 in celebration of the 100th year anniversary of Hopewell.

Virginia Family Dentistry - Health and Wellness

Serious about staff wellness: nutrition and yoga classes for all employees; 3 hours paid time off to get an annual physical; pays registration fees for staff participation in wellness events.

Service Center Metals - Business Growth

New building, 24 new positions, and increased market share!

Heaton's Lawn Maintenance & Landscaping - Exceptional Customer Service

Customer testimonial: company arrived promptly, were thorough in assessment of work, provided information of additional work that needed to be done, and went the extra mile.

Fort Lee Military Volunteers - Community Service

Military volunteers make so many initiatives possible! This award is a small token of our appreciation.

Central Virginia Health Services - Quality of Life

Only non-profit primary care practice in Hopewell or Prince George County. High quality medical, dental, behavioral health, and pharmacy services are provided to anyone in need and many services are offered for free.

Prince George Co. - Stairway to Success - Quality of Life

Implemented a program that focuses on 0-5 year olds to build a strong foundation for academic and physical growth. 470 children were served.

Congratulations to all the winners!

and News

Access the County's *Announcements and News* page for up-to-date articles as they affect the County and County Government.

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Prince George Citizens Academy 2017

Prince George County is currently recruiting county citizens for the 2017 Citizens' Academy. This is a free course providing an inside look at the Prince George County, Virginia, government system. During each class, various Directors will give an overview of their respective departments. Class locations will vary throughout the semester to give students a broad view of County operations and a chance to visit different facilities.

Registration is limited to 25 participants. The deadline to apply is May 19th. Classes are anticipated to begin June 8th and run through the fall. Members of the public who wish to attend should contact County Administration at (804) 722-8600 or email jstoke@princegeorgecountyva.gov.



St. Patrick's Day Slugfest

The Annual St. Patrick's Day Slugfest will be the first baseball tournament of the season. Teams and their families will be staying, playing, and eating in the County, March 18-19, 2016. Let's give them a warm welcome!

Prince George County is pleased to announce that it will play host to several other youth travel league baseball and softball tournaments, as listed below, during the Spring and Summer of 2017. As more tournaments are added during the year, our County web site calendars will be updated, as well as the "Key Dates and Upcoming Events" section of each e-Newsletter.

Baseball:

March 18-19	St. Patrick's Day Slugfest
April 22-23	Quest for the Best Baseball Tournament
May 20-21	Northeast Super NIT Tournament
May 27-28	Global State Tournament
June 3-4	Top Gun State Tournament
September 2-3	Kevin Ferguson Scholarship Tournament

Softball:

June 10-11	ASA Gold Tournament (16U/18U)
June 24-25	ASA Region 2 Tournament (14U/16U)
August 26-27	ASA Cancer Awareness Tournament (14/16/18U)

Open For Business:

Heaton's Lawn Maintenance and Landscaping: on Tuesday, February 28, 2017 a ribbon cutting ceremony was held for its future location at 8901 Bull Hill Road, Prince George.




Prince George County and the Hopewell/Prince George Chamber of Commerce congratulate this business on its



Mark Your Calendar

Access the *County Calendar* to see a listing of key dates and up-coming events in and around the County.

[Calendar Link](#)

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Key Dates and Upcoming Events:

March:

- 16 - ARWA and SCWWA Board of Director's Meeting, SCWWA Offices, 900 Magazine Road, Petersburg, 2:00pm.
- 16 - LEPC Meeting at the EOC Building, 6520 Laurel Spring Road, 4:00pm.
- 17 - Petersburg Area Regional Tourism (PART) Board Meeting, Henricus Historical Park, 251 Henricus Park Road, Chester, 11:00am.
- 18-19 - St. Patrick's Day Slugfest Baseball Tournament, County ball fields, game times vary.
- 18 - Community Blood Drive, Gregory Memorial Church, 6300 Courthouse Road, 10:00am - 2:00pm.
- 20 - Board of Supervisor Budget Work Session, 6602 Courts Drive, Board Room, 6:00pm.
- 21 - Statewide Tornado Drill, 9:45am.
- 23 - United Way (H/PG) 73rd Annual Meeting & Awards Program, John Randolph Foundation, 112 N. Main Str., Hopewell, 11:30am.
- 23 - Planning Commission Meeting, 6602 Courts Dr., Board Room, 6:30pm.
- 25 - FOLAR Annual Spring River Clean-Up, along the Appomattox River from Dinwiddie to Hopewell, 9:00am - 12:00pm.
- 25 - FREE Shred-It Event, Ft. Lee Federal Credit Union, 4495 Crossings Blvd., Prince George, 9am - 12:00pm.
- 27 - Prince George TRIAD meeting, Prince George Library, 6605 Courts Dr., 1:00pm.
- 28 - Board of Supervisors meeting, 6602 Courts Dr., Board Room, 7:00pm.
- 31 - Real Estate Live Auction, Tinsley Charter, 6817 Courthouse Rd., 11:00am - 5:00pm.

April:

- 1 - Toddler Fair, Scott Park & Prince George Library, 9:00am - 1:00pm.
- 4 - "Blueprint Virginia 2015", a H/PG Chamber event, Hilton Garden Inn, 800 Southpark Blvd., Colonial Heights, 11:30am - 1:00pm.
- 5 - Board of Supervisors Budget Work Session, 6602 Courts Dr., 6:00pm.
- 6 - Virginia's Gateway Region 56th Annual Meeting, Country Club of Petersburg, 1250 Flank Rd., S. Prince George, 5:30p.
- 11 - Board of Supervisors meeting, 6602 Courts Dr., 7:00pm.
- 14 - "Central Perkin", Rosa's Italian Ristorante, 4098 Oaklawn Blvd., Hopewell, 8:00am - 9:00am.
- 15 - "Clean Community Day", PGPD parking lot and Convenience Center, 8:00am - 1:00pm.
- 19 - Prince George IDA Board Meeting, 6450 Administration Dr., Community Room, at 12:00pm.
- 20 - Prince George Fire/EMS Advisory Committee Meeting, 6602 Courts Dr., 3rd Floor Board Room, 7:00pm.
- 22 - 5th Annual Prince George Kite Festival & 1k Fun Run (ages 5-12), Temple Park 14307 Prince George Dr., 11:00am.
- 24 - Senior Resource Fair (Prince George TRIAD), Unity Baptist Church, 4951 Mt. Sinai Rd., 9:00am - 1:00pm.
- 25 - Prince George Board of Supervisors Meeting, 6602 Courts Dr., 3rd Floor Board Room, 7:00pm.
- 27 - Prince George Planning Commission Meeting, 6602 Courts Dr., 3rd Floor Board Room, 6:30pm.
- 29 - *National Drug Take Back Day*, Police Dept. Parking Lot, 6601 Courthouse Rd., 10:00am - 2:00pm.
- 29 - FOLAR River Fest - A Day of Family Fun and Adventure!, Appomattox Riverside Park, 24909 Ferndale Rd., Petersburg,

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