

MAYOR'S CORNER

My wife and I purchased our home here in New Market in 2012. We immediately began to remodel the inside of the house and redesign the landscape on the outside. One summer day of 2014, we were working in the yard when a car pulled into our driveway and a gentleman in his early 60's got out to introduce himself to us. He said he was the sheriff in Stockton, California and every year comes to the FBI Academy in Quantico, VA for additional training. This time he decided to bring his wife with him so he could show her where he spent his summer of 1971.

He was a catcher for the New Market Rebels and stayed in our house, which, at the time, was owned by the Newland family. He and his wife toured our house and shared his memories of the Rebels, New Market, and his host family. After he drove away that day Jane and I decided to become a host family for the Rebels so that we could share similar "memories" with a young athlete. Since then we have been a host family to players and coaches from New England to Florida.

What you just read is the joy of our experiences. However, what about all the work that goes into the Rebel's organization? The nonprofit board that interviews and hires the coach; works the souvenir stand; solicits donations, sponsors, advertisers; sells/collects admission tickets; finds host families for 35 players plus their coaches; organizes fund raising golf tournament; announces home ballgames; provides live game play by play on Facebook; feeds the players and coaches a meal after each home game. The list of responsibilities and work goes far beyond what I have briefly listed here.

Yes, my wife and I, as well as the sheriff, enjoy the memories. However, to the Rebels' Board and its volunteers, I say to you what Bob Hope said in his song "Thanks for the memories"!

Larry A. Bompiani
Mayor of New Market

NEW MARKET INDEPENDENCE DAY COMMITTEE

The New Market Independence Day Committee thanks the Town of New Market for helping put on our Independence Day Celebration. The committee raises funds for the activities in the park, and the town hires and pays for the Fireworks Company. Town employees help with the set up and clean-up. The best small towns in America work because the town and the citizens pull together to make things happen.

Thanks to Todd Walters and the Town Council for agreeing to pay for the fireworks and providing workers to make the day possible. Not having to raise the money to pay for the fireworks allows our committee to focus on putting on the activities in the park. Thanks to the office staff for answering questions about the event and providing support.

Thanks to JD and Ron for the support from the town crew. They put out signs directing people to the event, brought out cones for lining parking areas, moved picnic tables for extra seating, mowed all the lawns so once the rain was over they dried quickly, put out extra trash receptacles, moved the stage into the park, provided workers to keep the trash cans from overflowing during the event, and picked up not only the park, but also the debris in the field where the fireworks were shot off. We asked and they came through with a smile.

Chris Rinker and his officers along with officers of the Sheriff's Department were on hand to visit and be available if someone needed help or were hurt. Our officers are a friendly bunch and it was great to see the kids interact with them.

Thanks Amber Smoot, events coordinator for New Market, and Co-Chair of our committee. Amber has contacts in every corner of the community and county which are important when you put on an event of this size. Amber can juggle five different things at one time and still smile. Our town is much richer due to her efforts.

Thanks to the Fire Department for filling our Dunk Tank.

Thanks to the New Market Rotary Club for providing a parking crew for the event as well as free watermelon slices to everyone who attended.

A big thank-you to the crowd who showed up on a rainy day. By the time the fireworks started the rain had lifted and the park was full. Thanks for coming out and enjoying the day with us.

Finally, thanks to the committee: Janet Dellinger, Barbara Whistler, Harry Durrett, Houston Toman, Carol Hughes, and Peter Hughes. They work together, laugh together, and get the job done.

Jim Douglas
Co-Chair New Market Independence Day Committee

NATIONAL NIGHT OUT

August 2, 2022 from 6:00 pm -8:00 pm • New Market Community Park
Join us for free hot dogs, chips, games, giveaways and more

LIBRARY NEWS

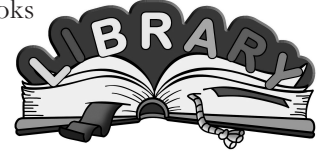
A big thank you to all the participants and volunteers who helped to make our Summer Reading Program a big success!

The New Market Library will be participating in the National Night Out on August 2nd. Come see us at the park!

We will be holding a book sale in conjunction with the Route 11 Yard Crawl on Saturday, August 13, 2022, from 7 am to 3 pm. The New Market Area Library is located just two blocks from Route 11 on East Lee Street in the town of New Market. If you can't make it on the 13th, stop in during open hours to shop in our book sale areas. Donations

of gently used books, copyrighted 2012 to the current year are being requested in preparation for the Yard Crawl book sale. Children's books are especially needed. Books may be brought in any time that the library is open. Please, no cookbooks, faith based or self-help books at this time.

The library is open Monday 10-1, Tuesday 12-5, Wednesday 1-6, Thursday 9-12 am and 6-8 pm, Friday 12-5. Along with books by best-selling authors, we offer a great selection of DVDs, both movies and TV series.



SHELTER RENTAL 2022

Shelter #1 (11:00 a.m.-4:00 p.m.)	\$30.00
Shelter #1 (4:00 p.m. – closing)	\$30.00
Shelters #2-4 (11:00 a.m.-4:00 p.m.)	\$25.00
Shelters #2-4 (4:00 p.m. – closing)	\$25.00
Shelters #5-6 (11:00 a.m. - 4:00 p.m.)	\$20.00
Shelters #5-6 (4:00 p.m. - closing)	\$20.00
Gazebo (All Day)	\$25.00

NEW MARKET FARMER'S MARKET

Beginning Friday, July 1, 2022, the New Market Farmer's Market, located in the public parking lot behind Jalisco will change the hours of operation and will start opening each Friday at 9 am and closing at 1 pm. Lots of fresh produce is expected for July 1!

For weekly updates and weather related closings, check out the Farmer's Market Facebook page.

ADJUSTMENT POLICY FOR FILLING SWIMMING POOLS

Swimming pool adjustments will be limited to one (1) adjustment per calendar year per customer. To qualify for this annual adjustment, the customer must submit an Application for Swimming Pool Credit prior to the filling of a swimming pool. In addition, the meter must be read by Town staff before and after the filling of the pool. Customers that are billed for water only or have a water-only meter will not qualify for a pool credit. Splasher pools also known as "kiddie" pools, hot tubs, or spas will not qualify for a pool adjustment. Please contact the Town Office at 540-740-3432 for a copy of the guidelines and an Application for Swimming Pool Credit. Applications are also available on our website at www.newmarketvirginia.com.

SUMMER'S END PUPPY POOL PARTY

This is the 9th annual Puppy Pool Party hosted by the Town of New Market. A fun event for your canine friends to swim, play, and socialize.

Venue: New Market Community Pool

Fee: \$3.00 per dog OR food donation brought for the Shenandoah County Animal Shelter

Date: September 11th, 2022

Time: 1:00 pm to 4:00 pm

Pre-registration is highly encouraged for easier check-in. Please go to our website www.newmarketvirginia.com OR our FB page for details on requirements, rules, and how to register.

MOVIE NIGHT

Enjoy a movie under the stars in the New Market Community Park! There will be movies offered once a month through September.

Bring chairs/blankets/snacks for your viewing comfort.

Showing: Instant Family

Date: August 27th, 2022

Sundown: approx. 8:30pm

Cost: **FREE**

Sponsored by: Amy Helsley,
Financial Advisor with Edward Jones

Sheila Hall Realtor with Coldwell Banker Premier



SEASONAL LEAF AND GRASS REMOVAL

Curbside removal service for leaf and grass and other organic yard debris continues every Friday through November. Leaves must be in biodegradable bags and placed curbside by noon. Please visit our town website www.newmarketvirginia.com or call the town offices at 740-3432 for more information or questions pertaining to this service.

LOAVES AND FISHES FOOD PANTRY

Loaves and Fishes food pantry is located in the basement of Manor Memorial Methodist Church (9320 North Congress Street). The basement entrance is located in the back of the Church along John Sevier Road. The pantry is open to all on the 3rd Thursday of every month from 1:00-5:00 p.m.

THE MARGE MOYERS MEMORIAL SCHOLARSHIP

The Marge Moyers Memorial Scholarship has been awarded to two Shenandoah County graduates for 2022. The first award, for a scholarship for a future teacher, went to Bethany Pearsall, a graduate of Strasburg High School who will be attending Radford University to study English Education. The second scholarship, presented to a Triplet Tech student, went to Travis Payne, a graduate of Central High School who will be attending the NASCAR Technical Institute.

The Marge Moyers Memorial Scholarship, which was established in memory of the late Marge Moyers, a teacher and school board member from New Market, VA, sponsors a golf tournament each fall to help fund annual scholarships. This year's tournament will be held October 22 and 23, 2022, at the Shenvalee in New Market, VA. For more information on the golf tournament, contact Eddie Litten at elitten@shentel.net.

NEW MARKET CHAMBER OF COMMERCE'S FALL FESTIVAL

Come join us for the annual Fall Festival (formerly known as Heritage Days), hosted by the New Market Area Chamber of Commerce, in the historic downtown New Market.

A fun filled day of shopping, live entertainment, yummy food, and activities.

Vendors will line the streets with their wonderful goods, such as handmade jewelry, pottery, woodworking, home decor, baked goodies, homemade soaps, Lularoe, Paparazzi, and many more. Don't forget the fantastic local shops will be open too!

When: Saturday, September 24th, 2022

Time: 9 am-4 pm

Where: Downtown New Market



CROSS ROADS MUSIC FEST 2022

We are excited for our August concert! All concerts will be held at the Rebel Baseball Park and highlight musical talent and offer a relaxing evening.

Bring chairs/blankets for comfort. Food and beverages available for purchase, and there is also a beer/wine garden.

Band Performing: Souled Out

Date: August 12th, 2022

Time: 6:30pm-9:00pm

Where: Rebel Baseball Park



With so many new developments in our region, there is no better time to engage, educate and activate members of our community to become even more knowledgeable and influential ambassadors for the tourism industry and its impact on our overall economy.

Each "Faces of Tourism" session will include a familiarization tour of a local hospitality business, town or attraction for a behind-the-scenes experience ending with lunch at a reasonable fee. Tours are open to business owners, employees, residents, and visitors of Shenandoah County.

Upcoming date:

Beautiful Old Fashion Edinburg

Wednesday August 24th, 2022

10am-12:30pm

\$15 registration fee

For more information on how to sign up go to www.visitshenandoahcounty.com/faces-of-tourism

YARD SALES

As spring/summer approaches, we begin thinking about yard sales. The guidelines below are a good reminder on the rules and regulations in town regarding these sales.

Guidelines

1. All individuals conducting a yard sale are required to obtain a yard sale permit from the Town Office prior to the sale.

2. In residential districts, a household is only allowed two yard sales annually. There is no fee associated with permits for these two sales and sales cannot exceed a 72-hour consecutive period.

3. In commercial districts, a household is allowed two yard sales annually with no fee associated with the permits for these two sales. If the householder wishes to hold additional sales an annual permit must be obtained at a fee as set from time to time by the Town Council. Each yard sale in a commercial district cannot exceed a 72-hour consecutive period every three months.

4. Signs shall NOT be placed on telephone poles, power poles, street signs, public trees, sidewalks or any other publicly owned and/or maintained places or structures. All signs shall be limited to private property and shall be removed within 24-hours after the conclusion of the sale.

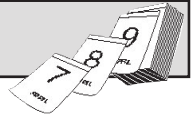
5. During the weekend of the Route 11 Yard Crawl, the Town will not count participation in that event towards total allowable yard sales on an annual basis.

6. Civic organizations are exempt from the above regulations, except for #4.

Questions?

You may contact the Town Office, Monday – Friday, during regular business hours with questions regarding this service.

CALENDAR OF EVENTS



August 2022

- 2 National Night Out at New Market Park 6:00-8:00 pm
- 5 Lawn and Leaf Pickup
- 12 Lawn and Leaf Pickup
- 12 Crossroads Music Fest at Rebel Park-Souled Out 6:30-9:00 pm
- 13 New Market Pool Open Weekends Only
- 13 Route 11 Yard Crawl
- 15 Water/Sewer Bills Due
- 15 Town Council Meeting 6:30 pm
- 19 Lawn and Leaf Pickup
- 26 Lawn and Leaf Pickup
- 27 Movie Night in the Park at sundown (approx. 7:50 pm)

September 2022

- 2 Lawn and Leaf Pickup
- 2 Crossroads Music Fest at Rebel Park-Everyday People 6:30-9:00 pm
- 5 Town Office closed in observance of Labor Day
- 5 Pool closes for the season
- 9 Lawn and Leaf Pickup
- 11 Puppy Pool Party at the Community Pool 1:00-4:00 pm
- 15 Water/Sewer Bills Due
- 16 Lawn and Leaf Pickup
- 17 Movie Night in the Park at sundown (approx. 7:30 pm)
- 19 Town Council Meeting 6:30 pm
- 23 Lawn and Leaf Pickup
- 24 New Market Fall Festival 9:00 am-4:00pm
- 30 Lawn and Leaf Pickup

TOWN OF NEW MARKET CONTACT INFORMATION

Emergency Services:

Emergencies: 911
 Shenandoah County Dispatch: 540-459-6101
 Police Department: 540-740-3776
 Fire and Rescue: 540-740-8904

New Market Town Office: 540-740-3432

Dispatch: 540-459-6101
 (After-hours and weekend Water/Sewer Emergencies)

Town of New Market

Office Hours: Monday-Friday 7:30 a.m. - 4:00 p.m.
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