



News from Town Hall



Hi, just a reminder that you're receiving this email because you have expressed an interest in the Town of Pike Road. Don't forget to add our email address to your address book so we'll be sure to land in your inbox! If you no longer wish to receive our emails, you may unsubscribe by clicking the link at the bottom of this email.

Nov. 5, 2021



Reminder: Daylight Savings Time ends at 2 a.m. on Sunday, Nov. 7. Don't forget to "fall back" and set your clocks back one hour before going to sleep on Saturday, Nov. 6!



NOV. 5, 2021 / GORDON STONE, MAYOR / WWW.PIKEROAD.US / 334.272.9883 

A Note from Mayor Gordon Stone:

[Click here or click the image above to view Mayor Stone's weekly update video.](#)

"The Town of Pike Road is pleased to invite all veterans and the community to join us this Sunday, Nov. 7, for the [10th Annual Veterans Appreciation Ceremony](#). We are humbled by the opportunity to gather at the Pike Road Veterans Memorial (4902 Pike Rd) to honor and recognize the service and sacrifice of our nation's military men and women. We will enjoy music by the Capitol Sounds, participation from our local schools and churches, and remarks by a very special guest speaker: Lt. General James B. Hecker, Commander and

President of Air University at Maxwell Air Force Base. Music will begin at 1:30 p.m., and the program will begin at 2. We hope you will join us for this meaningful fall event.

In addition, this weekend is the last chance to enjoy the decorated hay bales created by our neighbors across town through the Hay, Look at Us! contest. Everyone is invited take a tour of the hay bales – just [visit us online](#) to access a driving map. You can also view photos of all the 2021 entries [on our Facebook page](#), including the 2021 People’s Choice Award Winner, Boykin Lakes neighborhood. Thank you to everyone who took the time to vote in this contest! The enthusiastic engagement and the dedication of time, talent and teamwork that you have shown during this year’s Hay, Look at Us! program says great things about our community, and we want to say thank you to everyone who has taken part in this special Pike Road event.

As we approach the busy holiday season, please remember that COVID-19 is an ongoing challenge in our community and our state. Together, we have a responsibility to make smart decisions that keep our families and our community safe and healthy. Please continue to recognize the value of social distancing, mask-wearing, and hand-washing, which help protect you and those around you. One of the most effective tools to combat COVID-19 is vaccination. Vaccines are free and readily available at multiple locations within our community, and individuals ages 5+ are eligible to receive the Pfizer vaccine. [Click here to learn more about COVID-19 vaccines and where you can receive yours](#)

The holiday season is a joyful time, but it is a time of need for many of our neighbors. The Pike Road Arts Council has partnered with the Food Pantry at Woodland UMC to host a Christmas Tree Silent Auction benefiting the food pantry. Handmade decorations and ornaments adorn wreaths and miniature trees that are available for bidding and purchase through Nov. 21 at the Pike Road Arts Center, and all proceeds go directly to the food pantry. Stop by the PRAC on weekends to check it out, and learn more about other upcoming events like the Nov. 14 Art Talk & Afternoon Tea.

If you don’t already subscribe to our weekly e-newsletter, we encourage you to do so now! Just visit www.pikeroad.us and submit your name and email to receive updates in your inbox each Friday. The weekly e-newsletter is just one of the many ways to stay connected to the Town of Pike Road, but we’re also on social media (just search @townofpikeroad), and we have a monthly radio show that visits local businesses and locations across Town.

As always, we will continue to pray for you, and we encourage you to pray for each other.

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Join Us This Sunday, Nov. 7 - 10th Annual Veterans Appreciation Ceremony



VETERANS APPRECIATION CEREMONY

November 7, 2021

2 PM AT VETERANS PARK
4902 PIKE ROAD



The Town of Pike Road is pleased to invite all veterans and the community to join us **this Sunday, Nov. 7**, for the 10th Annual Veterans Appreciation Ceremony. Music by the Capitol Sounds will begin at 1:30 p.m., and the program will begin at 2 p.m. This free event is open to the public, and it will be held at the Pike Road Veterans Memorial (4902 Pike Rd).

We are honored to announce our distinguished guest speaker, Lt. General James B. Hecker, Commander and President of Air University at Maxwell Air Force Base, who will present remarks. In addition, we'll recognize the 2020 & 2021 Veterans Brick honorees, welcome all of our local veterans, and share a meaningful

afternoon of honor and remembrance.

We want to say thank you to the many community participants who make this event so special and meaningful, including the Pike Road Intermediate School SGA, the St. James Church IMPACT Children's Choir, and more. We hope to see you on Sunday as we gather to honor and recognize the service and sacrifice of our nation's military heroes!



Sunday, Nov. 7, will also mark the beginning of Military Appreciation Week. As a token of the Montgomery area's appreciation of our local military families, the Montgomery Area Chamber

of Commerce has partnered with local businesses to provide special discounts during the week of Nov. 7 - 13. These discounts are in honor of and available to all branches of the Armed Services, including all Active Duty, Guard, Reserve and retired military personnel and their families. [Click here to learn more from the Montgomery Area Chamber of Commerce!](#)

Last Chance to Enjoy Hay, Look at Us! Take a Tour this Weekend.



2021 Hay, Look at Us! Hay Bale Decorating Contest
Presented by the Town of Pike Road Neighborhood Leaders, an ENHANCE initiative committee



You voted, and the winner is in! Congratulations to the 2021 People's Choice Award Winner, Boykin Lakes neighborhood (pictured), and thank you to the hundreds of people who voted in this contest!

As a reminder, this weekend is the LAST chance to checkout the 2021 Hay, Look at Us! entries. A driving map of the hay bales is available online, and we encourage you to take a drive around Town through November 7 to see these masterpieces in

person! Follow this link for the map: <https://bit.ly/HayLook2021>. You can also view photos of the hay bales on our Facebook page - [just click here](#).

We had another record number of participants this year, and we want to thank every neighborhood, business and organization who participated! Your community spirit and creative teamwork are evident, and we appreciate the energy you bring to all you do.

Congratulations to the 2021 winners:

- Business/Organization:
 - 1st Place: Golden Animal Hospital

- 2nd Place: Pike Road Elementary School
- 3rd Place: Pike Road Arts Center
- Honorable Mention: CB&S Bank
- Neighborhoods:
 - 1st Place: Waterscapes
 - 2nd Place: Foxwood
 - 3rd Place: Boykin Lakes
 - Honorable Mention: Farmington
- Team Spirit Award: Freeport Estates

Hay, Look at Us! is a product of the Town of Pike Road's Neighborhood Leaders ENHANCE initiative committed. To learn more, please contact Katy Brasfield by emailing katy@pikeroad.us.

Arts Council Christmas Tree Silent Auction Continues Through Nov. 21 - Benefiting the Food Pantry at Woodland UMC



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The Pike Road Arts Center, located at 944 Wallahatchie Road, is open on Saturdays from 10 a.m. - 4 p.m. and Sundays from 1 - 4 p.m. We encourage you to visit the Arts Center to place a

bid!

To learn more or make an appointment to visit outside of PRAC hours: Contact Arts Council Coordinator Patty Payne by emailing patty@pikeroad.us.

The Pike Road Arts Center is home to the Water House Gallery, studio space, and a variety of events presented by the Pike Road Arts Council, an ENHANCE initiative committee. Learn more here: <http://bit.ly/TPR-PRAC>

Nov. 14: Art Talk & Afternoon Tea with Jill Holt & Melody Bogle



Art Talk & Tea

• WITH JILL HOLT & MELODY BOGLE •

NOVEMBER 14, 2021 | 2 - 4 PM at the Pike Road Arts Center
944 Wallahatchie Rd

Jill and Melody will discuss their recent travels and Plein Air workshop in The Dolomites and Venice, Italy.

This is a FREE event, but registration is REQUIRED. Please email patty@pikeroad.us to register.

You are invited to join us on Sunday, Nov. 14, from 2 - 4 p.m. at the Pike Road Arts Center (944 Wallahatchie Rd) for Art Talk & Tea! Artists Jill Holt & Melodie Bogle will discuss their recent travels and Plein Air workshop in The Dolomites and Venice, Italy, including the logistics of plein air painting over seas and the joy of traveling and painting with very talented fellow artists in locations that are beyond beautiful. Afternoon tea-style will be provided by Epicurean Delights.

Don't miss out on this fun and unique event – seating is limited! This is a FREE event, but registration is required. Please email patty@pikeroad.us to register.

The Pike Road Arts Center is home to the Water House Gallery, studio space, and a

Nov. 15: Mondays with the Mayor at The Home Depot



TUNE IN TO
**Mondays with
the Mayor**
NOVEMBER 15, 12 - 1 PM

LIVE from Home Depot on Chantilly Parkway,
On the MAX Round Table, 107.5 FM / 1210 AM

Join the Conversation: Stop by, Call in,
or Text in Your Questions!

Join the conversation on Nov. 15! Mondays with the Mayor will broadcast LIVE at The Home Depot on Chantilly Parkway from 12 - 1 p.m. on the [MAX Round Table, WTXK 107.5 FM/1210 AM](#). We hope you will tune in on your radio, smartphone, or web browser. We look forward to sharing our gratitude with the Home Depot team for all they do to care for the Pike Road Veterans Memorial, and, as always, Mayor Stone will take questions from the audience.

The Mondays with the Mayor show is all about giving YOU the opportunity to connect with Mayor Stone, share your thoughts, and learn more about what's happening in our community, and we hope to hear from you. If you have

questions for the Mayor, you may send them to info@pikeroad.us anytime,* or plan to call in during the show!

Text: 334.313.1170

Call: 334.517.1210

Listen online: Listen on your web browser here:<https://espntheticket.com/>

Listen on your smartphone or desktop with the FREE TuneIn App:<https://bit.ly/3aQ1EgS>

*Please designate questions sent to info@pikeroad.us as "Mondays with the Mayor" to be addressed during the Nov. 15 show.

Thanks for Sharing YOUR Pike Road!



We hope you enjoyed a safe and fun Halloween with neighbors and family! It looks like many of our furry friends and Pike Road Pets participated in the spooky holiday celebration, too. Thank you, [Goodwin Animal Hospital](#), for sharing sweet, silly photos of your puppy costume contest with us using #mypikeroad!

Share YOUR family fun by using #mypikeroad and tagging [@townofpikeroad](#) on social media to be featured on our billboard, in our e-newsletter, and on our social media!

*Reminder: Posts must be set to "public" for our team to see them.

Save the Date!

Take advantage of digital activities during the ongoing season of social distancing![Click here to view several upcoming activities on our website.](#)

Nov. 6: [Pike Road Arts & Crafts Fair](#), 9 a.m. - 4 p.m., the Historic Marks House*

- Nov. 7: Daylight Savings Time Ends at 2 a.m. Don't forget to "fall back" and set your clocks back one hour before going to sleep on Saturday, Nov. 6!
- Nov. 7: [Veterans Appreciation Ceremony](#), 2 p.m., Pike Road Veterans Memorial (4902 Pike Rd)
- Nov. 7 - 13: [Military Appreciation Week](#) - Freedom Isn't Free! Thank You, US Military!*
- Nov. 8: Planning Commission Meeting, 5:30 p.m., Pike Road Town Hall
- Nov. 8: Town Council Meeting, 6 p.m., Pike Road Town Hall
- Nov. 11: *Town Hall Closed in Observance of Veterans Day*
- Nov. 12: [Exist; Beautifully Salon Grand Opening](#), 4:30 p.m., 9537 Vaughn Rd*
- Nov. 15: Mondays with the Mayor Radio Show, LIVE on the MAX Round Table, 107.5 FM/1210 AM, 12 - 1 p.m., Home Depot on Chantilly Pkwy
- Nov. 21: [Pike Road Arts Council Christmas Tree Silent Auction Ends](#)
- Nov. 24: Town Council Meeting, 7 a.m., Pike Road Town Hall
- Nov. 24: *Town Hall Closes at Noon in Observance of Thanksgiving Holiday*
- Nov. 25 - 26: *Town Hall Closed in Observance of Thanksgiving Holiday*
- Nov. 27: [Montgomery County Cleanup Day](#), 10 a.m. - 2 p.m., County Lot Office (across from The Feed Lot on Meriwether Rd)*
- Nov. 28: [Local & Bloom Christmas Market](#), 12 - 4 p.m., Local & Bloom*
- Dec. 3: Town Christmas Tree Lighting - Save the Date!

**Please note: All items provided above are submitted to the town and approved for inclusion according to the Town of Pike Road's Communications Policy.*

For more events and details, please call 334-272-9883 or email info@pikeroad.us. You can also access our online calendar at www.pikeroad.us. Please [click here for the Pike Road Schools calendar](#).

Show Us YOUR Pike Road

We love to see what is happening in your Pike Road. Use hashtag [#mypikeroad](#) and be sure to tag us in your posts on Facebook, Instagram, and Twitter. Your posts could be featured in our newsletter, or even on our digital billboard!

