



News from Town Hall



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May 27, 2022



Town Hall will be closed on Monday, May 30 in observance of the Memorial Day holiday. We will reopen with regular hours on Tuesday, May 31.

This Memorial Day, we hope you will take time to honor and remember those who have laid down their lives for love of liberty and this great nation. Have a safe weekend!



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"We are excited to share our best wishes and congratulations with the Class of 2022! Pike

Road Schools seniors graduated this week, and we can't wait to see what the future holds for these young people and all of our local graduates. We also want to say thank you to the men and women who teach and lead our community's youth every day. Thank you, teachers, administrators, coaches, and staff, for all you do to support and encourage your students and prepare them for a bright future.

There are so many activities to get involved in this summer, starting with our ENHANCE initiative programs! The Pike Road Arts Council continues to host a variety of shows and classes, and this weekend that includes the Colors of Grace Art Show featuring Grace Episcopal Church and the Art in Bloom Art Show, featuring the beauty of nature. Then, in June, join the Pike Road Business Association for Lunch & Learn! In partnership with Troy University Continuing Education & Outreach, we'll tackle generational differences in the workplace. We also encourage you to check out events and activities from community organizations in our area. There are so many ways to connect.

SummerFest will be here before you know it, so be sure to mark your calendars for this annual evening of family fun, fireworks, food and community fellowship. We hope to see you at Rolling Hills Park on June 30 for SummerFest! Visit us online to learn more about upcoming events at www.pikeroad.us, or just search @townofpikeroad on Facebook, Instagram, and Twitter, and follow along as we continue to grow together.

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

Thank you and God Bless."

This Weekend: Art Show Featuring Grace Episcopal Church & Gardens Continues on Saturday

The Pike Road Arts Council Presents:

COLORS OF GRACE

Art Show & Sale Featuring Grace Episcopal Church & Gardens



MAY 5 - JUNE 5
GRACE EPISCOPAL CHURCH & GARDENS

Opening Reception: Thursday, May 5, 5 - 7 p.m.
Open Hours: Saturdays, 10 a.m. - 12 p.m.

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Grace Episcopal Church & Gardens is a favorite of artists visiting - and living in - the Town of Pike Road. On weekends through June 5, experience the beauty of Grace Episcopal through the eyes of our artists during the Colors of Grace Art Show & Sale.

• Open Hours: Saturdays, 10 a.m. - 12 p.m.
• Also available by appointment: Call 334.215.1422

From Arts Council Coordinator Patty Payne
If you are familiar with the Pike Road area, you might already know what a special place the Grace Episcopal Church is. Did you know it is an historic location? The Carpenter Gothic structure was built in 1892. The building was placed on the Alabama

Register of Landmarks and Heritage on January 29, 1980, and the National Register of Historic Places on February 19, 1982. It is a favorite destination for artists and this show is dedicated to the art Grace has inspired.

This event is presented in partnership by the Pike Road Arts Council, an ENHANCE initiative committee. For more information about the Arts Council, please contact Pike Road Arts Council Coordinator Patty Payne by emailing patty@pikeroad.us.

Art in Bloom Art Show Continues Saturdays & Sundays at the Pike Road Arts Center

This weekend, join the Pike Road Arts Council for the Art in Bloom Art Show to explore the colors of nature through the eyes of our local artists.



The show continues on weekends through June 26, as well as on Thursday, June 2:

- Saturdays, 10 a.m. - 4 p.m.
- Sundays, 1 - 4 p.m.
- Thursday, June 2: 5 - 8 p.m.

Can't make it to the Arts Center during open hours? Email Arts Council Coordinator Patty Payne at patty@pikeroad.us to make an appointment to visit the Arts Center.

Generational Differences & Building Harmony in the Workplace: Join Us June 16 for Lunch & Learn!



Join us at Town Hall as the 2022 Lunch & Learn series, Back to Basics, continues on June 16!

Ronda Walker, Montgomery County Commissioner & Professional Trainer with Troy University Continuing Education & Outreach, will present "[Generational Differences & Building Harmony in the Workplace.](#)"

Millennials (Generation Y) are aging and even climbing the corporate ladder while a new generation is entering the workforce: Generation Z. It is time to shift the efforts to adapt to these very different and distinct generations. Most of know the Millennials because they are the most researched

generation in history. But what about Generation Z? In just three years, according to studies, this group will account for 20 percent of the workforce, and they have a growing list of expectations.

This session will look at the characteristics of both generations, clarify the extreme differences, and identify way best for communicating, managing, and working with Millennials and Generation Z.

Lunch from Publix and Coca-Cola Bottling Company will be provided. Please make your lunch selections during the online registration process. This is a free event, but registration is required. [Please click here to register no later than 5 p.m. on June 14!](#)

Questions? Need to update your RSVP? Please contact Katy Garren by calling 334.272.9883 or emailing katy@pikeroad.us.

Summer Meals Program Benefits Local Families, Seeks Volunteers

The Pike Road Area Your Emergency Response (P.R.A.Y.E.R.) Team will provide a summer meals program for students in need during the summer months.



Beginning on June 14, meals will be available for pickup on Tuesdays from 5 - 7 p.m. at the modular classrooms on Flinn Rd behind the Pike Road Intermediate School (4710 Pike Rd). Meals will be available weekly on Tuesday evenings through July 26.

Participants are asked to pre-register for this program, but

registration will be available onsite during the meal pickup times. Participants can pre-register at Founders Station (4902 Pike Rd) at the following times:

- May 20, 4 - 6 p.m.
- May 21, 2 - 4 p.m.

The P.R.A.Y.E.R. Team is seeking volunteers and donations to assist with this program. To volunteer to help prepare and/or distribute meals: Email Stacy Dickinson at stacyddickinson@gmail.com. For more information and more opportunities to contribute, please click here.

For more information about the P.R.A.Y.E.R. Team, an ENHANCE initiative committee made up of local faith leaders who collaborate to ensure the physical and spiritual needs of Pike Road residents are met in the case of tragedy or urgent need, please email Katy Brasfield at katy@pikeroad.us.

Save the Date: SummerFest Returns June 30!



The Town of Pike Road is excited to invite the community to SummerFest, a family-friendly fireworks show on June 30 at Rolling Hills Park and Cottonwood Golf Club, off Trotman Road.

- Parking will begin at 6 p.m. at Rolling Hills Park (6001 Rolling Hills Blvd) and Cottonwood Golf Club (7160 Byron Nelson Blvd). Please enter by Rolling Hills Blvd, from which you will be directed to these two viewing options.
- Family-friendly area with kids' activities will be open from 6:30 – 8:30 p.m. at Rolling Hills Park. This includes kids' activities, inflatables, music by a local DJ, local food truck vendors, and plenty of green space for

your lawn chairs and picnic blankets.* Food trucks and yard games will also be available at Cottonwood Golf Club.

- Fireworks will light up the sky at dark! We hope you will join us to celebrate our nation, our freedom, and our community spirit on June 30. Don't forget to share your patriotic photos with us using #pikeroad4thofjuly & #mypikeroad!

*Picnics are welcome, but NO alcoholic beverages are permitted at SummerFest. Lawn chairs and picnic blankets are welcome, but NO tents are permitted at SummerFest.

Thanks for Joining the Conversation on Mondays with the Mayor!

We had a fantastic visit to [New Waters Realty](#) on Monday, May 23, for the Mondays



with the Mayor radio show! We want to thank Jennifer Atkins and the NWR team for a warm welcome.

One thing that made Mondays' show so special was the opportunity to welcome community guests.

- Colin Halloran joined us to invite YOU to upcoming events at [Grace Episcopal Church](#), like the Summer Concert Series happening throughout the month of June. [Click here to learn more!](#)
- Jessica Carr introduced her boutique, [Cotton + Creek](#), which will soon open on The Square in The Waters. Mark your calendars, and stop by Cotton + Creek's Grand Opening for special treats from this local business, June 4 from 10 a.m. - 2 p.m.!
- Jennifer Atkins, representing [New Waters Realty](#), shared how the NWR team can help you buy or sell a home across the River Region. Plus, NWR and The Waters are sponsoring a [night at the Montgomery Biscuits on June 23](#)

[Click here to listen to an ad-free recording of the show!](#) (Just scroll down to "Past Events.")

Thanks for Sharing YOUR Pike Road!



Just like that, another school year is over! We are so proud of the great things happening at Pike Road Schools, and we are so thankful for the teachers, administrators, and parents that make it all possible. The future is bright for our community's young people!

Thank you, Jeff, for sharing your family's fun at the Pike Road Elementary School Patriot Games with us using #mypikeroad.

The PRS Class of 2022 graduated this week! [Click here for photos of the graduation ceremony.](#)

Share YOUR activities 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.](#)

May 28: [Montgomery County Cleanup Day](#), 10 a.m. - 2 p.m. at the County Lot Office on Meriwether Road, across from The Feed Lot*

May 30: *Town Hall Closed in Observance of Memorial Day*

May 31 - June 2: [Montgomery Area Non-Traditional Equestrians Summer Camp](#) 8:30 a.m. - 12 p.m., 3699 Wallahatchie Road*

June 2: [First Thursdays at the Pike Road Arts Center](#) 5 - 8 p.m., Pike Road Arts Center

June 5: Grace Episcopal Church Summer Concert Series Featuring Rhett Butler and the Lost Cause, 4 - 6 p.m., Grace Episcopal Church & Gardens*

June 7 - 9: Montgomery Area Non-Traditional Equestrians Summer Camp 8:30 a.m. - 12 p.m., 3699 Wallahatchie Road*

June 7: Capitol Sounds' 50th Anniversary Summer Spectacular Concert, 7 p.m., Troy University's Davis Theatre for the Performing Arts*

June 11: MCSO Youth Fishing Rodeo, 6 a.m. - 12 p.m., Montgomery County Ponds*

June 11: Abstractions Art Show Opening Reception, 2 - 4 p.m., Pike Road Arts Center

June 12: Face the World - Summer Concert Series at Grace Episcopal, 4 - 6 p.m., Grace Episcopal Church & Gardens*

June 13: Planning Commission Meeting, 5:30 p.m., Pike Road Town Hall

June 13: Town Council Meeting, 6 p.m., Pike Road Town Hall

June 14: P.R.A.Y.E.R. Team Summer Meals Program Meal Pickup, 5 - 7 p.m., Modular Classrooms behind Pike Road Intermediate School (4710 Pike Rd)*

June 16: Pike Road Business Association Lunch & Learn, 11:30 a.m. - 1 p.m., Pike Road Town Hall

June 17 & 18: Pike Road Theatre Co. Presents The Little Mermaid 7:30 p.m., Pike Road Intermediate School*

June 19: Mac Cone - Summer Concert Series at Grace Episcopal 4 - 6 p.m., Grace Episcopal Church & Gardens*

June 21: P.R.A.Y.E.R. Team Summer Meals Program Meal Pickup, 5 - 7 p.m., Modular Classrooms behind Pike Road Intermediate School (4710 Pike Rd)*

June 25: Montgomery County Cleanup Day, 10 a.m. - 2 p.m. at the County Lot Office on Meriwether Road, across from The Feed Lot*

June 26: LoFi Loungers - Summer Concert Series at Grace Episcopal 4 - 6 p.m., Grace Episcopal Church & Gardens*

June 28 - 30: Montgomery Area Non-Traditional Equestrians Summer Camp 8:30 a.m. - 12 p.m., 3699 Wallahatchie Road*

June 28: P.R.A.Y.E.R. Team Summer Meals Program Meal Pickup, 5 - 7 p.m., Modular Classrooms behind Pike Road Intermediate School (4710 Pike Rd)*

June 30: Town of Pike Road SummerFest

June 30: Deadline to Apply for the MCSO's Camp Show-N-Tell Youth Summer Camp*

**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. To submit an event, please email info@pikeroad.us.*

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](#).

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!

