

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 info@pikeroad.us to your address book, so we'll be sure to land in your inbox!

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Dec. 8, 2023

Updates from Mayor Stone



Click here or click the image above for weekly updates from Mayor Stone!

"Thank you, Pike Road, for celebrating this special season with us. As the holiday season continues, we hope your engagement will, too!

We need YOUR help to make the Season of Giving Holiday Collections Drive a success. On weekdays through Dec. 19, we invite you to drop off donations of non-perishable food items, hygiene items, and warm clothing items at Town Hall to support both the Central Alabama Veterans Health Care Systems and the Food Pantry at Woodland Methodist Church. Together, we can make the holidays a little brighter for our neighbors in need.

The Postcards from Santa program is also available through most of December! We invite you to stop by Town Hall during normal business hours to pick up your Postcards from Santa kit. Drop your completed kits off at Town Hall through Dec. 18 to get a letter in return!

Lastly, look out for our Celebration of 2023 Business Breakfast and Community Update on Dec. 14. This networking opportunity is the perfect time to look back at what we've accomplished together over the course of this year. You don't want to miss it!

We want to connect with you! Search @townofpikeroad on Facebook, Instagram, and Twitter so you never miss an event in the Town of Pike Road.

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

Thank you and God bless."

He Knows if You've Been Bad or Good - Write Your Postcards to Santa!



What's on your Christmas List? Let Santa Know! Stop by Town Hall through Dec. 18 to to pick up a Postcard for Santa kit! These color-able cards can be dropped off in our special mailbox at the Thursday, Nov. 30 Christmas Spectacular or at Town Hall until 5 p.m. on Wednesday, Dec. 18 during regular business hours (Monday - Thursday: 8 a.m. - 5 p.m., Friday: 8 a.m. - 12 p.m.).

Can't make it to Town Hall to pick up a kit? You can also print a card at home - <u>click here</u> <u>for a printable card!</u> (Don't forget to print both pages, front and back!)

Please note: Cards must be dropped off at Town Hall (9575 Vaughn Rd) by 5 p.m.

December 18 with a valid return address to receive a letter *from* Santa!

YOU Can Make a Difference - Donate to the 2023 Season of Giving Collections Drive!



Nov. 30 - Dec. 19
Drop off Donations at Town Hall
on Weekdays

BENEFITING THE CENTRAL ALABAMA VETERANS
HEALTH CARE SYSTEM AND THE FOOD PANTRY
AT WOODLAND METHODIST CHURCH



The Nov. 30 Christmas Spectacular kicked off the Town of Pike Road's annual <u>Season of Giving Holiday Collections Drive</u>, benefiting the Central Alabama Veterans Health Care Systems and the Food Pantry at Woodland Methodist Church. We invite you to donate new and unopened items that will help veterans and others in need during the winter months.

The Town asks area residents to donate new and unopened items that will help veterans and others in need during the winter months, including non-perishable food items and household staples to help supply the Food Pantry at Woodland Methodist Church. Some of the items often needed by patients in local

Veterans Administration facilities include:

- Personal hygiene items such as toothbrushes and toothpaste, deodorant, hairbrushes, and dry skin cream.
- Winter weather items such as hats, regular and no-skid slipper socks, and lap robes.
- For a complete list of items needed by CAVHCS and the Food Pantry, click here!

Donations can be dropped off at Town Hall (9575 Vaughn Rd) during regular business hours (8 a.m. - 5 p.m., Mon. - Thurs., 8 a.m. - 12 p.m. Fri.) through 12 p.m. on December 19. Thank you, Pike Road, for your generosity!

Get Your Last Minute Christmas Shopping Done at the Christmas Quilt & Gift Boutique on Weekends in December!



Get your Christmas shopping done at the Pike Road Arts Center! Join us on weekends in December for the Christmas Quilt & Gift Boutique. Many of the items are created by the Pike Road Quilters, and these locally made, unique selections would make great Christmas gifts! These beautiful masterpieces will be for sale at the Pike Road Arts Center (944 Wallahatchie Rd) December 2, 3, 9, 10, 16, 17, and 23. Stop by:

Saturdays: 10 a.m. - 4 p.m.

Sundays: 1 - 4 p.m.

The Pike Road Quilters meet every Tuesday to share their skills, sew together, and celebrate the

ancient art of quilting. The Quilters are always ready to welcome new people of all ages and skill levels to their group. Learn more or join the fun: Email patty@pikeroad.us!

The Pike Road Arts Center is located at 944 Wallahatchie Road, under the water tower. To learn more about the Arts Council or participate in upcoming shows or events, please contact Pike Road Arts Council Coordinator Patty Payne by emailing patty@pikeroad.us.

You're Invited: Business Association Celebration of 2023 Business Breakfast and Community Update



Celebrate and acknowledge our community's outstanding accomplishments this year! Join local business leaders and community members at Pike Road Town Hall (9575 Pike Road) from 7:30 - 9:00 AM on Thurs. December 14th for a morning of delectable breakfast treats; networking opportunities; and presentations from local, county, and state leaders.

Individual Tickets and Sponsorship Packages are available for purchase. <u>Click here to view ticket details and reserve your spot for this can't-missevent TODAY!</u>

Questions? Contact Community Development Director, Katy Brasfield, by emailing

katy@pikeroad.us or calling (334) 272-9883.

The Celebration of 2023 Business Breakfast and Community Update is proudly hosted by the Pike Road Business Association.

'Tis the Season: Mondays with the Mayor is BACK on Dec. 18!

Join the conversation on Monday, Dec. 18! We're so excited to visit Home Depot on Chantilly Parkway for this radio program, LIVE from 12 - 1 p.m. on the MAX Round Table, WTXK 107.5 FM/1210 AM. Stop by to see us (10655 Chantilly Pkwy) and join the conversation. In addition to recapping on-air all the exciting moments of 2023, members of the Town of Pike Road Team will be onsite collecting Season of Giving donations. Tune in to hear all things Town of Pike Road, including



TUNE IN: 107.5 FM / 1210 AM*

all of our exciting upcoming events!

REMINDER: 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 in to the show: 334.313.1170 Call in to the show: 334.517.1210 Tune in on your web browser here!

<u>Tune in on your smartphone or desktop with</u> the FREE TuneIn App!

*Please designate questions sent to <u>info@pikeroad.us</u> as "Mondays with the Mayor" to be addressed during the Dec. 18 show.

Oh, What Fun! Christmas Cake Decorating Workshop



Thank you to everyone who joined the Ag & Stewardship Club at the Pike Road Agriculture, Recreation, and Performing Arts Park yesterday for the Christmas Cake Decorating Workshop hosted in partnership with the Montgomery County Branch of the Alabama Cooperative Extension System. Of what fun we had learning holiday cake decorating tips and tricks from ACES Food Safety Regional Agent Janet Hall. Did you know you can make homemade fondant for cakes using marshmallows

and food coloring?

We are looking forward to all the fun Ag & Stewardship Club programs coming our way in 2024! If you are interested in learning more and getting involved with Ag & Stewardship or any of our other ENAHNCE Committees, please contact Community Development Specialist, Jennifer Grace Arnold at jarnold@pikeroad.us.

Thanks for Sharing YOUR Pike Road!



We're so grateful for our community's caring hearts and minds. Thank you, Pike Road Arts Council, for sharing this sweet picture of your donation to the Woodland Methodist Church Food Pantry. Show us how you're giving back this holiday season using #mypikeroad to be featured in our weekly e-newsletter and social media!

What makes the Town of Pike Road home to you? Let us know with #mypikeroad! Share your photos with us 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!

Don't miss upcoming events from the Town of Pike Road & our community. Click here to view upcoming activities on our website.

Nov. 30 - Dec. 18: Postcards for Santa, Pike Road Town Hall (9575 Vaughn Rd)

Nov. 30 - Dec. 19: <u>2023 Season of Giving Collections Drive</u>, Pike Road Town Hall (9575 Vaughn Rd)

Nov. 30 - Dec. 17: Pike Road Community Theatre Company Presents "White Christmas"*

Dec. 2 - 23: Christmas Quilt & Gift Boutique, Pike Road Arts Center

Dec. 10: St. James Church Women's Christmas Dinner, 5:00 p.m., Family Life Center (9045 Vaughn Road)*

Dec. 11: Planning Commission Meeting, 5:30 p.m., Pike Road Town Hall

Dec. 11: Town Council Meeting, 6 p.m., Pike Road Town Hall

Dec. 14: Pike Road Business Association Celebration of 2023 Business Breakfast and Community Update, 7:30 - 9 a.m., Pike Road Town Hall

Dec. 16: Breakfast with Santa & Mrs. Claus at The Well, 8:30 - 10:30 a.m., 1001 Marler Road*

Dec. 16: Pike Road Fire Department Santa Clause Neighborhood Tour, 8 a.m. - 1 p.m., Click event link for the neighborhood tour schedule!*

Dec. 16-17: A Night in Bethlehem: A Live Nativity Event at The Well, 7:30 p.m., 1001 Marler Road*

Dec. 17: Happy Birthday Jesus Party at St. James Church, 10:45 a.m., Family Life Center (9045 Vaughn Road)*

Dec. 17: Lessons and Carols Service at St. James Church, 11 a.m., 9045 Vaughn Road*

Dec. 18: Mondays with the Mayor at Home Depot, 12 - 1 p.m., 10655 Chantilly Pkwy

Dec. 20: Town Council Meeting, 7 a.m., Pike Road Town Hall

Dec. 20: <u>Dogwood Media Solutions Sabrina Gordon Memorial Blood Drive</u>, 9 a.m. -2 p.m., 65B Scotia Drive*

Dec. 22: Town Hall Closed in Observance of Christmas holiday

Dec. 25 & 26: Town Hall Closed in Observance of Christmas holiday

*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 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!





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