

City Works



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Dates to Remember:

March 29:
Free Bulk Waste Collection Ends
(222-5111)

March 29:
City Offices Closed

March 30:
City Park Egg Hunt
(222-5030)

April 5:
Last day of youth baseball registration.
(222-5030)

Drive-Thru Bill Pay

You don't have to get out of your car to pay your City water and tax bills. Did you know that the City of Burlington offers drive-thru bill pay at the City Annex Building located at 244 West Davis Street in downtown Burlington? Simply pull through the drive-thru, pay your bill, and you'll be on your way.



Do you have questions about water or tax billing? Contact the City's customer service department at 222-5100 or tax department at 222-5120.

Spring Sanitation Modifications

City administrative offices will be closed on March 29th for Good Friday. The sanitation division will be closed on Monday, April 1st. Both the sanitation and recycling routes will make the following collection alterations during the week of March 31:

Will collect Monday (4/1) route on Tuesday, April 2.
Will collect Tuesday (4/2) route on Wednesday, April 3.

City administrative offices and sanitation division will be closed Monday, May 27th for Memorial Day. The City's sanitation and recycling routes will make the following collection alterations during the week of May 26:

Will collect Monday (5/27) route on Tuesday, May 28.
Will collect Tuesday (5/28) route on Wednesday, May 29.

Spay & Neuter Clinic of Alamance County

A Quality, Affordable Spay & Neuter Option



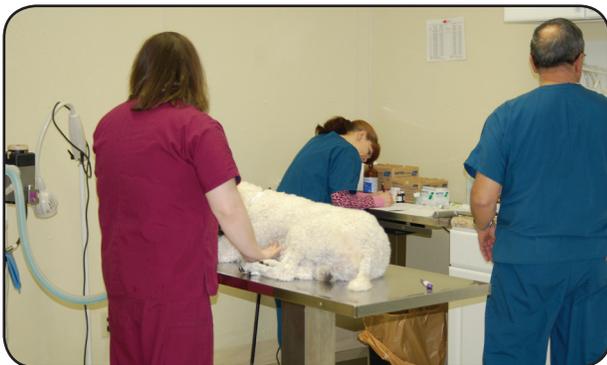
With the arrival of spring comes a rise in unwanted or unintended litters of puppies and kittens in our community.

Thousands of stray and unwanted animals come to Burlington Animal Service's shelter each year and, unfortunately, many end up being euthanized due to a lack of space. Spaying and neutering is the most effective means of controlling the pet overpopulation problem. Additionally, altered pets exhibit fewer problems with aggression, spraying/marketing territory, roaming and fighting. Having your pet spayed or neutered can also eliminate or reduce the risks for certain cancers and diseases. Spaying or neutering your pet gives you a

healthier and more enjoyable companion.

With your help, Alamance County's pet over population problem can be reduced. Over 2,064 spay/neuter surgeries were performed at the Spay & Neuter Clinic of Alamance County in 2011 and 2012.

Being a responsible pet owner doesn't have to be beyond your financial means. If your dog or cat has not been spayed or neutered, please call the Spay and Neuter Clinic of Alamance County at 336-570-6767 to schedule an appointment. The clinic is a low-cost alternative that provides the highest level of care with a professional and experienced staff. Fees range from \$50 to \$90, depending on the type and gender of pet, and include general anesthesia, antibiotics and pain medication to ensure your pet's care and comfort.



The Spay & Neuter Clinic of Alamance County is located at 1919 South Church Street in Burlington and is currently open Tuesdays, Wednesdays, and Thursdays.

Rabies Clinic & Summer Camps

Vaccinate to Keep Pets Healthy

Springtime is a great time to get outside and enjoy the warmer temperatures. However, with increased time outside for both people and their pets, comes an increased risk of rabies exposure. Rabies is a fatal disease, but fortunately, it can be prevented by simply keeping your pet's rabies vaccination current.



It is state law for dogs and cats age 4 months or older to have a current rabies vaccine. It is the only way to protect your pet from the deadly rabies disease. **Burlington Animal Services will hold a rabies clinic on Saturday, April 13, from 9AM to 11AM at the Burlington Pet Adoption Center located at 221 Stone Quarry Road in Haw River.** The cost for the vaccination is only \$5.00 (cash or check). Dogs must be on a leash and cats in a carrier. Call 578-0343 with questions for more information.

\$5.00 Rabies Clinic
April 13th, 9:00AM - 11:00AM
Burlington Pet Adoption Center
221 Stone Quarry Rd. in Haw River

Get Ready for Summer Fun

BURLINGTON RECREATION & PARKS **Burlington Recreation & Parks**

Summer Day Camps

10 weeks: June 10 - August 16

8 camp sites to choose from! Pay In Full, Weekly, or Daily!

Week Long SUMMER SPECIALTY CAMPS are also available!

336.222.5030 • www.BurlingtonNC.gov/youth •

NCSakes & Avoiding Clogs

NCSakes Comes to the Mayco Bigelow Center



On April 3rd, a very special free performance will come to the Mayco Bigelow Community Center at 849 Sharpe Road in Burlington. The North Carolina Shakespeare Festival's "Shakespeare To Go" educational series will provide a free performance of Star-Crossed Shakespeare, a "fast, funny and interactive introduction to theatre, poetry and literary devices via the famous story of Romeo and Juliet."

Join seven talented actors from NCSakes as they bring some of dramatic literature's most memorable characters to life through this interactive experience. All of this

comes at no cost. Mark your calendars now and plan to experience Star-Crossed Shakespeare on Wednesday, April 3 at 6:00PM in the gym of the Mayco Bigelow Center.

Need more information? Contact the Mayco Bigelow Community Center at 222-5138. For more information about NCSakes, visit www.ncshakes.org.



Avoid Costly Clogs

Avoid costly clogs and back-ups by taking care to properly dispose of fats, oils and grease (FOGs). FOGs come in many forms, some you may not even recognize. Dressings, mayonnaise, dairy products, butter and other cooking oils and fats can all wreak havoc on sewer systems by creating sticky buildup and blockages that can lead to pipe bursts. Do your part to avoid these costly problems by remembering to:

- Not allow FOGS to go down the drain
- Pour cooking grease into a heat safe container until it solidifies and then throw it away
- Wipe all cooking surfaces and plates clear of grease and food scraps before washing them

