

TOWNweek

Public Notices and News from the Town of Chapel Hill



The following schedule may be subject to change. View updates at www.townofchapelhill.org/events.

Monday

(Nov. 12)

Library Advisory Board

5:30 p.m., Chapel Hill Public Library

Board of Adjustment

6:30 p.m., Town Hall

Tuesday

(Nov. 13)

Historic District Commission

6:30 p.m., Town Hall

Housing Advisory Board

6:30 p.m., Town Hall

Parks, Recreation and Greenways Commission

7 p.m., NC Botanical Garden Auditorium, 100 Old Mason Farm Road

Environmental Stewardship Advisory Board

7 p.m., Town Hall

Community Policing Advisory Committee

7:30 p.m., Town Hall

Wednesday

(Nov. 14)

EZ Rider Advisory Committee

4 p.m., Chapel Hill Public Library

Council Public Hearing

7 p.m., Town Hall

Thursday

(Nov. 15)

Council OWASA Committee & CH Appointees to OWASA Board

8:30 a.m., OWASA

Rogers Road Market Study Community Meeting

6:30 p.m., RENA Community Center, 101 Edgar Drive

Friday

(Nov. 16)

Arbor Day Celebration

9:45–10:45 a.m., Chapel Hill Public Library

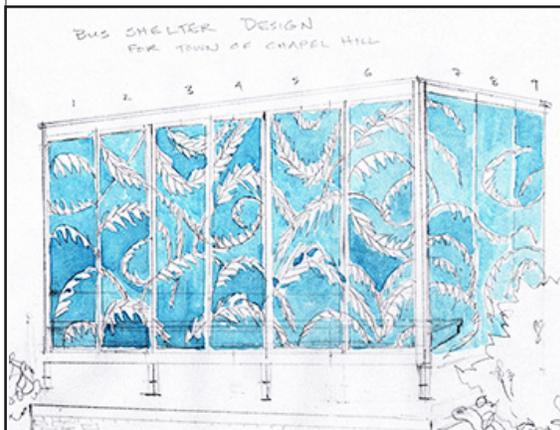
New Bus Shelter Art

Public art is coming to five bus shelters in Chapel Hill and Carrboro. Chapel Hill Transit customers will soon be able to enjoy spraypainted stencil designs by Ingrid Erickson, screen print posters by Ron Liberti, neon tapework by Mary Carter Taub, and other delightful and eye-catching installations by local artists. The bus stops slated for artistic upfitting include Martin Luther King Jr. Boulevard at Stateside Drive, South Columbia Street at UNC Health Sciences, Carrboro Town Hall, and the Park & Ride lots at Eubanks Road and Southern Village.

These installations are part of a collaboration between Chapel Hill Transit and the Town's Office of Community Arts & Culture aimed at enlivening the daily commute and bringing art into the community's everyday life. Called "Art + Transit," the project includes Banned Books Art Bus, which features work by local artists inspired by books that have been censored or banned and is currently on the road around town. The collaboration also includes a forthcoming project to leverage downtown bus shelters to tell the story of the Chapel Hill Nine, the nine black students from Lincoln High School who ignited the Civil Rights movement in Chapel Hill by sitting at the Colonial Drug Store counter.

Look for updates on social media: @CHCommunityArts, @chtransit

Information: www.chapelhillarts.org



Arbor Day Celebration Nov. 16

The Town of Chapel Hill's 2018 Arbor Day celebration will be held at 9:45 a.m. Friday, November 16, at Chapel Hill Public Library, 100 Library Drive, outside of the main entrance. Miss Furey's third grade class from Estes Hills Elementary School will participate in the event and help plant a Sugar Plum tree.

Learn more about the history of Arbor Day and trees in Chapel Hill at www.townofchapelhill.org/trees.



Honoring Our Veterans

Town of Chapel Hill employees who are veterans or who have family members in active duty were recognized for their service at the start of the Town Council meeting on Nov. 7. Police officer Juan Dones Vega accepted the proclamation on behalf of all employees.

Juan Dones Vega joined the US Army in 2009. Throughout his Army career, Officer Vega served in many positions. He was assigned as section leader and afterward promoted to SGT. He served as a consultant for the Bulgarian and Romanian armies and received many honors including three Overseas Service Ribbons, four Army Commendation Medals, three Army Achievement Medals, the National Defense Medal, the Iraqi Campaign Medal, the Afghanistan Campaign Medal with 1 star, The NATO Medal, the Global War on Terrorism Medal, the Army Service Ribbon and three Good Conduct Medals.