

# TOWNweek

A Weekly Update from the Town of Chapel Hill

Schedule may change. View updates at [www.townofchapelhill.org/events](http://www.townofchapelhill.org/events).

## Saturday

(Oct. 19)

### Shred-A-Thon

10 a.m.–2 p.m., recycling drop-off site behind Home Depot at Hampton Pointe, Hillsborough

### Haunted Hill

5 p.m., Chapel Hill Community Center, 120 S. Estes Drive

## Sunday

(Oct. 20)

### Celebration of Howard and Lillian Lee

7–9 p.m., Binkley Baptist Church, 1712 Willow Drive

## Monday

(Oct. 21)

### Monday Night Book Group: Grandma Gatewood's Walk

6:30–7:30 p.m., Chapel Hill Public Library

## Tuesday

(Oct. 22)

### Public Transit Committee

11 a.m., Transit Building, 6900 Millhouse Road

### Stormwater Advisory Board

6 p.m., Chapel Hill Public Library

### Community Design Commission

6:30 p.m., Town Hall

### Transportation and Connectivity Advisory Board

7 p.m., Town Hall

## Saturday

(Oct. 26)

### Fire Department Open House and Puppet Show

10 a.m.–noon, The Fire Place, 301 Meadowmont Village Circle



## Celebrating Chapel Hill

The celebration continues for Chapel Hill 1819/2019, recognizing 200 years of local government and the many organizations and departments that have made – and continue to make – Chapel Hill vibrant. Multiple Town and community partners are hosting events to recognize this community milestone.

### Friday, Oct. 18

3–7 p.m.: Neighborhood Cleanup and Community Fun; Pritchard Park and Church-Caldwell Community

Join the Department of Housing and Community in a neighborhood cleanup and community celebration.

### Sunday, Oct 20

7–9 p.m.: Celebration of Howard and Lillian Lee, Binkley Baptist Church, 1712 Willow Drive

Since Howard Lee's historic election as the first African American mayor of a predominantly white southern town in 1969, Howard and Lillian Lee have been catalysts for change, reconciliation and opportunity for our community.

### Saturday, Oct. 26

10 a.m.–noon: Fire Department Open House The Fire Place, 301 Meadowmont Village Circle

Wee the town's first fire truck, vintage fire gear, and the department's beloved puppet show, "Johnnie Joins the Fire Department."

Information: [chapelhill1819.org](http://chapelhill1819.org)

## No Right on Red at Some Intersections

A right turn on a red signal will no longer be permitted at 16 Chapel Hill intersections as of Oct. 31, 2019. This measure is part of the Town's ongoing efforts to increase safety for people using the crosswalks and decrease crashes at intersections.

The majority of the intersections are located in the central business district (CBD) and near UNC-Chapel Hill's campus with other locations focused on areas with high pedestrian traffic.

The Town will install "No Turn On Red" signs at each of the intersections, and periodic education and enforcement by the Chapel Hill Police Department will remind people of the change.

Information: [bit.ly/2VDTJWX](http://bit.ly/2VDTJWX)

## HAUNTED HILL

Trunk-or-Treat  
5:00–6:30pm

SATURDAY  
OCTOBER 19TH

Glow Climb 6:30–8:30pm  
Rock Painting 6:30–8:30pm  
Movie in the Park 6:15–7:30pm



### Haunted Hill

The Chapel Hill Community Center park at 120 S. Estes Drive is getting spooky for "Haunted Hill" on Saturday, Oct. 19. The event features a trunk-or-treat, games, activities, glow in the dark climb, and a movie in the park.

The Trunk-or-Treat, games and activities will run from 5 to 8:30 p.m. Glow in the dark climb from 6:30 to 8:30 p.m. (for ages six and older with a signed waiver). The movie, *Scooby-Doo's Spookiest Tales*, will begin at 6:45 p.m.

Parking is free. Additional parking will be available near the event site at the Chamber of Commerce (104 S. Estes Drive). As always, the Town of Chapel Hill promotes a Bike & Pedestrian-Friendly Community and encourages everyone to cycle or walk whenever attending these great events!

Information: [bit.ly/31YX6QY](http://bit.ly/31YX6QY)

## LED Street Lights Are Coming!

The Town of Chapel Hill plans to convert about 2,000 public street lights to energy efficient LED fixtures. The change will cut energy usage from these street lights in half, minimize waste from maintenance, and lower greenhouse emissions.

LED lights provide improved illumination, enhancing safety and increased reliability and life cycle requiring far less maintenance. Waste from maintenance is reduced because LED lamps tend to last longer than conventional lighting and do not require regular replacements like the existing bulbs.

The conversions are expected to begin in January and continue through July 2020.

Chapel Hill is working to become a more sustainable and resilient community. This includes the Council's commitment to uphold the Paris Agreement by reducing greenhouse gas emissions 26–28% by 2025.

Information: [visit.sustainchapelhill.org](http://visit.sustainchapelhill.org)