



TOWNweek

Coming Up

Please note that the following schedule is subject to change. Call for updates.

Sunday

(April 18)

Spring Garden Tour

www.chapelhillgardentour.net

Monday

(April 19)

Human Services Advisory Board

6 p.m., Carrboro Town Hall,
301 W. Main St.

Council Public Hearing

7 p.m., Town Hall

Tuesday

(April 20)

Public Transit Committee

11 a.m., Town Hall

Planning Board

Northside Walking Tour

5 p.m., meet at Town Hall

Planning Board

7 p.m., Town Hall

Wednesday

(April 21)

Community Design Commission

7 p.m., Town Hall

Parks and Recreation Commission

7 p.m., Homestead Aquatic Center

Thursday

(April 22)

Transportation Board

7 p.m., Town Hall

Saturday

(April 24)

Ribbon Cutting Ceremony

11 a.m.-2 p.m., Hope Gardens,
2200 Homestead Road

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Riding the Bus with Our Mayor



Residents are invited to chat with Mayor Mark Kleinschmidt about alternative transportation over coffee from 9 to 10 a.m. Tuesday, April 20, at Starbucks, 103 E. Franklin St. The discussion is supported by the Town of Chapel Hill's Go - Alternative Transportation program,

which encourages a healthier, more active lifestyle through the use of alternative transportation.

Mayor Kleinschmidt encourages the community to participate in the SmartCommute Challenge to reduce traffic congestion and improve air quality (www.smartcommutechallenge.org). Information: 919-969-5065 or www.go.chapelhill.org.

Notice of Request for Proposals

BID: Q10-62

The Town of Chapel Hill is requesting proposals for Ephesus Church Road/Fordham Boulevard Small Area Planning/Traffic Analysis. Sealed proposals are due to the Purchasing & Contracts Manager, Town of Chapel Hill, 405 Martin Luther King Jr. Blvd., Chapel Hill, North Carolina 27514, by 3 p.m. Wednesday, May 5, 2010. For questions on bidding procedures, please contact the Purchasing Division at 919-969-5025.

Incentives for Energy Efficiency

The Town of Chapel Hill Sustainability Office has developed a web page about incentives for renewables and energy efficiency at www.townofchapelhill.org/greencity. Visit this page for more information about the new NC Energy Star Appliance Rebate Program offered April 22-25.

The site focuses on four areas of incentives: limited-time opportunities, tax credits and exemptions, utility rate discounts and loan programs, and utility system installation rebates and production incentives.

Shred-A-Thons

Orange County Solid Waste Management will sponsor two free Shred-A-Thons in cooperation with University Mall, the Chapel Hill Police Department, and the Orange County Sheriff's Department. Orange County residents or local government employees may securely destroy and recycle confidential documents at no cost. Both events are from 10 a.m. to 2 p.m. at the following locations:

- Thursday, April 22: University Mall, Estes Drive, Chapel Hill, near the Wachovia Bank Building.
- Saturday, May 1: Hampton Pointe Shopping Center, Hwy. 86, Hillsborough, at recycling drop-off site behind Home Depot.

Deer Population Control

A public forum on a management program to address the deer population in Chapel Hill will be held at 7 p.m. Monday, April 19, in the Council Chamber of Town Hall, 405 Martin Luther King Jr. Blvd.

A panel of experts from the N.C. Wildlife Resources Commission, Orange County Health Department and others will discuss issues with the Council related to deer overpopulation. The public is invited to attend and offer their views on this issue.



Gazebo Dedicated in Honor of Rebecca Clark

A gazebo at the Old Chapel Hill Cemetery, corner of Country Club and South roads, will be

dedicated in memory of the late Rebecca Clark during a ceremony to be held at 2:30 p.m. Saturday, April 24. The public is invited.

Clark died on Jan. 3, 2009, at the age of 93. She was an important local activist for change and betterment in Chapel Hill. Among her many efforts to create a loving and caring community, she worked tirelessly to improve the condition of the Town's cemeteries, especially the Old Chapel Hill Cemetery. At the time of her passing, she was a member of the newly formed Town of Chapel Hill Cemeteries Advisory Board. In 2006, the Chapel Hill Town Council proclaimed her birthday "Rebecca Clark Day."

BikeAbility Bike Clinic at Keenan Stadium

Children and adults with special needs and their siblings can learn about safe bike riding and try a variety of adaptive bikes at BikeAbility, to be held from 10 a.m. to 2 p.m. Saturday, April 24, at Keenan Stadium on the UNC campus. Chapel Hill Parks and Recreation's Disability Services and Supports program is partnering with faculty, students and volunteers from Duke University, Elon College and UNC.

They'll help you learn how to teach bike riding and which type of bike to buy or how to adapt the bike you have (so bring your bike if you'd like). UNC and Chapel Hill Police will run a bike rodeo course to help practice braking, turning and staying safe while riding.

Free parking is available at the Rams Head lot off Ridge Road. The event is free, but you can pre-register at www.townofchapelhill.org/register. For more information, email mkaslovsky@townofchapelhill.org or call 919-968-2813.

Earth Week Activities at the Library

Celebrate Earth Week with special events at Chapel Hill Public Library. "The Cove," winner of 2009 Academy Award for Best Documentary, will be presented at 6:45 p.m. Tuesday, April 20.

Find some new books and share your old ones at the "Recycling Reads" book swap from 11 a.m. to 4 p.m. Saturday, April 24, in the lobby of the Chapel Hill Public Library. Readers of all ages are welcome to trade books they have finished for "new" ones for free. All books must be in good condition. Books of all languages are welcome. Donations for the swap are also welcome. Information: 919-968-2780 or chapelhillpubliclibrary.org