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Cheers! Hop Onto a Train to Explore Breweries in N.C.

NC By Train is partnering with the N.C. Craft Brewers

Guild to launch a new partner-

ship called the N.C. Ale Trail

by Rail. The N.C. Ale Trail by

Rail combines the ease of rail

travel with the exploration of North Carolina's diverse craft beer scene. "NC By Train has experienced record ridership the past two years, and 2024 has been no different," said Jason Orthner, NCDOT Rail Director. "This partnership is a great opportunity to encourage riders to explore everything North Carolina has to offer including the vibrant craft

ing local businesses.' Riders can take the Piedmont and Carolinian trains and get off in communities along the route to tour the breweries and sight see in the cities and towns. NC Ale Trail By Rail's designated stops include Charlotte, Kannapolis, Salisbury, High Point, Greensboro, Burlington, Durham, Cary and Raleigh.

brewery market while support-

'We are delighted to partner with NC By Train to introduce this new and novel way for visitors and residents alike to explore the craft breweries of North Carolina," said Lisa Parker, Executive Director of the NC Craft Brewers Guild. "As community gathering hubs, our North Carolina breweries offer welcoming taproom and tasting experiences.' Interested? Learn more at

the N.C. Craft Brewers Guild website (drinkncbeer.org/ nc-ale-trail-by-rail), where you'll find an interactive map, allowing visitors to explore brewery locations along the route and get direct links to each brewery's website. N.C. Ale Trail by Rail speci-

fied breweries are located within five miles of the train stations, making it easy for passengers to visit one location or multiple stops in a day. Visit NCByTrain.org to get

more information, book your travel or learn about their everyday discounts. The state's passenger rail

service is an easy, hassle-free way to travel. Taking NC By Train is an environmentally friendly and sustainable transportation choice. Follow NC By Train on

social media at Twitter/X and Instagram @NC_By_Train and NC By Train on Facebook and LinkedIn.





Saturday, October 5 11am until...

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Church

OCTOBER 5 Blessing of the

Animals at Calvary Episcopal Church, 308 E Wade St in Wadesboro, 10am with Rev. Craig Dolack. Bring your pets. Please have them restrained or contained.

BBQ Sale

At New Life Pentecostal Holiness Church, 1678 Hwy 109 South, 11am until. Plates \$10, dine in or take out. Info Pastor Randy Brooks 910-544-9232. **OCTOBER 6**

Guest Pastor

Pastor Bill Loving will speak at New Life Pentecostal Holiness Church, 1678 Hwy 109 South. All are welcome. Info Pastor Randy Brooks 910-544-9232.

Homecoming

At Cathedral Baptist Church in Wadesboro with founding Pastor R. J. Hammond at 7pm. OCTOBER 6 - 9

Annual Revival

At Johnson Chapel Holiness Church, 7pm nightly. Sun-Pastor Pearl Taylor at 11:45am. No evening service. Mon-Wed Pastor Harvey Marsh & Lindsey Chapel FCOG at 7pm nightly. All are invited. OCTOBER 13

42nd Anniversary

of Pastor Leonard & Mother Mahalia Williams at Greater St. Mark Church of Deliverance, 1003 N Main St in Wadesboro, at 11:30am. All are invited to attend! 144th Homecoming

Celebration at Ebenezer Presbyterian Church, 2271 Shiloh Church Rd in Morven,

11am with Bishop Bernard Hamilton, Overseer of Intercessory Church of Prayer in Lancaster SC. Dinner & fellowship after service. Info 704-953-5567. Family & Friends Day at Rocky Mount AME Zion Church, 2:30pm with

Rev. Anthony Ledbetter, Pastor of Piney Grove Holiness Church in Wadesboro. Fall Festival At Harmony Community Church, 6pm. The event is free. Located at

1984 Pulpwood Yard Rd in Peachland. Info 704-272-7127.

Mother & Daughter Pink Tea Brunch Victorius Women of Saron, 11am-2pm.

Dress pink casual. \$10 donation. **OCTOBER 27** 14th Pastoral Anniversary of Pastor T.J. Horne at Rock Hill Missionary Baptist

Church, 11am with Pastor Donna McNair, followed by dinner. 3pm service with Pastor Charles Nabors. Everyone is welcome. 50th Anniversary

Van Clyburn at 11am, followed by dinner. Rev. Jerry Tyson at 3pm. **ONGOING** Saturday Services

Lighthouse Ministries holds services every Saturday at 11am. Located at 311 Birchwood Dr in Wadesboro. The Pastor is Terry Taylor & Assistant Pastor is

Lawanda Rodgers. For info call 704-465-1757. Monthly Singing On the last Sunday of every month at New Life Pentecostal Holiness Church, 1678

Hwy 109 South. Info Pastor Randy Brooks 910-544-9232.

Fellowship Last Wednesday each month at New Life Pentecostal Holiness Church,

1678 Hwy 109 South. Info Pastor Randy Brooks 910-544-9232.

EventsOCTOBER 15
Board of Commissioners Meet 6pm in Board Room,
Suite 209, in Government Center, 101 S Greene St in uptown Wadesboro. Meetings are available online at youtube.com, search for Anson Commissioners. To appear, sign up prior to meeting. Info 704-994-3201.

OCTOBER 17 Free Food Anson Mobile Food Market 4:00 p.m. at Wadesboro Primary School, 1542 Hwy 52 South, Wadesboro. Fresh veggies, fruit & bread if available. Blood pressure checks, along with healthy living topics & booths. Nothing required to receive food, just come! Sponsored by Anson Extension Service.

ONGOING EVENTS Senior Box Program at Feed My Lambs starts the third Tuesday each month

for seniors only. Located at 2290 Hwy 74 West, Wadesboro. 704-695-1820. Food Pantry Free food every Wed, 9-11am at Burnsville Recreation & Learning Center. 704-826-8182. Alcoholics Anonymous Regular meetings on Mondays at 7:30pm and

Wednesdays at 12 noon. AA welcomes all who are seeking help, as well those wanting to help another person. The AA building is located at 2177 Country Club Rd. in Wadesboro, across from the Anson EMS building. Book Club 1st Thursday each month, 10am-12 noon at Grace Senior Center,

199 Highway 742 South, Wadesboro, just past IGA. Info 704-694-6616. Chair (seated) Exercise Every Tuesday & Thursday, 10-11am at Grace Senior

Center, 199 Highway 742 South, Wadesboro, just past IGA. Info 704-694-6616. Free Food Distributed by Anson Crisis Ministries Every Tuesday, Wednesday, Thursday & Friday, 8am-1pm. It is located at 117 North

Rutherford Street in uptown Wadesboro. Telephone is 704-694-2445.

Voter ID is Required to Vote in the Upcoming Election

Free ID cards are available from the Anson County Board of Elections

Identification is required to vote in the upcoming election. Registered voters who

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and college student and public employer ID

cards that the State

Board approved for use

in voting. For a full list

of acceptable forms of

photo ID for voting, see the State Board's website ncsbe.gov/voting/voter-id.

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