

CHAMBER NEWS

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Belhaven Community Chamber of Commerce

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Read the Newsletter Inserts:

- ⇒ Fall 2005 Litter Sweep
- ⇒ Back to School Savings
- ⇒ 3% Telephone Tax

Christmas Parade Planning Meeting Set for August 23rd

We are looking for participants for the 2005 Belhaven Christmas Parade to be held on November 26 at 11:00 AM. We encourage local organizations, church groups, businesses and individuals to place a decorated float, boat, tractor, bike, golf cart, etc. in the parade.

The Chamber invites its members and anyone who would like to participate to our first planning session on August 23rd at 6:30 PM at the Chamber office. We greatly need your suggestions and assistance. See you there!

Welcome NEW Chamber Members

We welcome the following new members to the Chamber and thank them for their support.

- ◆ Belhaven Water Street B&B, 567 E. Water Street, Belhaven, NC 27810
- ◆ Partnership For The Sound , PO Box 55, Columbia, NC 27925

Fall/Winter Shopping Guide

The summer has seemed to fly by and, once again, it is time to print up the Shopping & Services Guide for the downtown Belhaven Merchants. The Chamber includes the Guide with every vacation or relocation request we receive and all advertising businesses are given copies of the Guide to display and hand out to their guests or shoppers. If you are not currently advertising on the Guide and would like to, or if you are advertising and would like to make changes to your ad, please contact Bob Holz at 943-6900 or the Chamber at 943-3770. The cost for six months advertising is \$15.00 and is due by September 30. Please make checks payable to the Belhaven Business Group.

**Membership Renewals
2005/2006 Chamber Members
Thank You For Your Continued Support**

- ◆ Beaufort County Hospital
- ◆ Beaufort County Farm Bureau
- ◆ Belhaven Public Library
- ◆ C.O. Boyette Medical Clinic
- ◆ Cox Chevrolet
- ◆ R. Alan Jordon
- ◆ Radcliffe Insurance Agency
- ◆ River Forest Manor/Belhaven Shipyard & Marina
- ◆ Starlon A. Credle

When making a purchase, please remember to support our Members!

Magic 95.9

Every Thursday morning at 8:30 a.m. the Chamber spotlights a Businesses Member and promotes upcoming events in the area.

Tune in to Magic 95.9
The Music Lovers Station

AFGHANS

The Chamber is selling the Northeastern Beaufort County Afghan. The afghan, a multi-colored coverlet, is a custom design that features the livelihood, legends and a sample of the businesses in Beaufort County. The cost of an Afghans is \$55.00. You can buy your afghan at the Chamber, Monday through Friday from 9 AM to 1 PM. For more information please call the Chamber at 252-943-3770. These are great gifts for every occasion, especially Christmas.

**Welcome to Karen & Andrew Fisher
Belhaven Water Street B&B
OPEN HOUSE On August 26**

Karen and Andrew Fisher who have recently opened the Belhaven Water Street Bed and Breakfast would like to invite everyone to their open house and ribbon cutting on Friday, August 26 from 3 –7 PM. Refreshments will be served by Harmony Brew Coffee House & Tea Room. For more information, please call 252-943-2825. Or 252-943-3770.

Beaufort County
Committee of 100
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The committee meets here in Belhaven the second Wednesday of every month at noon at the Helmsman Restaurant. You may attend as a guest one time. Dutch treat.

Area Events Calendar

August 20 - Cummins Industrial Tool Truckload Sale

11 a.m.—7 p.m. at the John A Wilkinson Center

August 23 - Christmas Parade Planning Meeting

Belhaven Community Chamber of Commerce is holding the first planning meeting at 6:30 pm at the Chamber Building. All are invited.

Chamber Chat

September 23-25 - Historical Bath's Maritime Weekend

Ships - Elizabeth II (Replica 16th C), Periauger (replica 18th C), Ada Mae (Skipjack), Meka II (Armed Privateer), Shad, Sail Skiff & Sharpies; Demonstrations by Artisans, Out-of-water Boat Display, Harbor Activities - Bombardment & Attacks on Ships off Bonner's Pt., Pirate Cove Encampment at Bonner's Pt., Boat Parade & Blessing of the Fleet, Food & Entertainment

October, Pre-K Storytime

Ms. Joan Bogun will hold special storytime for children at the Belhaven Public Library. Days and time will be established in the near future. Please call Ms. Joan at 252-943-2993 for further information.

October 8 - Super Ball Golf Tournament

Belhaven Community Chamber of Commerce is sponsoring their annual golf tournament with a T- time of 9:00 AM Scramble Start at Bayview Golf Club. Tournament should conclude by 1 PM, therefore not conflicting with ECU's home game at 6 PM! Form your own foursomes or we will assist if your handicap is given. Prizes for First, Second, Third place flights are planned. Additionally, prizes for longest drive and closest to the pin. Is your business interested in sponsoring a hole? Please call 252-943-3770 for registration/information.

October 21 - 23, 2005 Belhaven's Annual Bluegrass & Hot Air Balloon Festival.

Friday October 21 at 6:30 PM there will be a Moonglow on the lawn and an Oyster Roast catered by Keyzer's Catering. Tickets are now on sale and are \$25.00 per person. Saturday October 22 the balloons will lift off at 7:30 AM. Bluegrass music will be from 9-5. There will also be arts, crafts, flowers, food and activities for the children (ID Cards). Pets on Parade will take place on Saturday with Cats at 1 PM and Dogs at 2 PM. A lawnmower pull will be held from 10 AM—4 PM and an Antique Car Show from 10 AM—3 PM. There will be another balloon lift off at 5 PM. Music Down Town will take place at 5:30 PM. And a quilt show will be held from 10 AM—6 PM Friday and Saturday. On Sunday, October 23, the balloons will take off at 7:30 AM. For more information please call 252-923-7827 or 252-964-4293.

November 12, 2005 Pungo District Hospital Foundation's Annual Fall Silent Auction and Breakwater

Bash at the JAW Center. Tickets will go on sale in October. For more information please call Sandra Andrews at 252-944-2283.

November 12, 2005 - Rock Fish Tournament

Belhaven Community Chamber of Commerce is sponsoring their annual Rock Fish Tournament with registration beginning at 6 am. Please call 252-943-3770 for further information.

November 25 & 26, 2005 - Poinsettia Open House

30 to 40 varieties, many unusual, will be displayed at the Southview Greenhouse Garden Center, East of Belhaven on Hwy. 45 N in Ponzer. For more information, please call 252-943-8758.

November 26, 2005 - Belhaven's Annual Christmas Parade

Belhaven Community Chamber of Commerce is sponsoring the annual Christmas parade. Lineup will begin at 9 AM on Railroad Street. Please call 252-943-3770 for information or if you would like to participate in the parade.

November 29, 2005 – Stars of Hope

Please call 252-944-2283 for further information.

December 10, 2005 Christmas Candlelight Tour of Homes.

Pungo District Hospital Foundations is sponsoring their annual tour of homes. Tickets will go on sale late November. Please call Sandra Andrews at 252-944-2283 for more information.

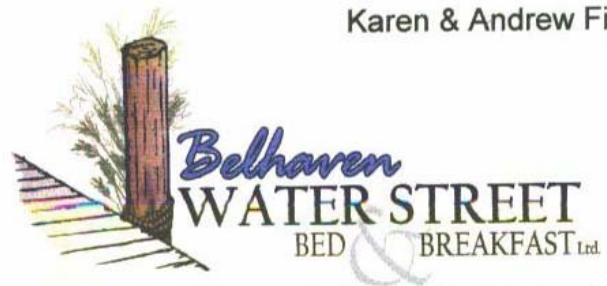
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