



## Town of McClellanville January 2018

# VILLAGE NEWS

### Upcoming Meetings

**Town Council Regular Meeting** – Mon, Feb 5, 2018, at 7 p.m.

**Architectural Review Board** – Mon, Jan 22, 2018 at 7 p.m.

Deadline to submit an ARB application for February 26 meeting is Friday., February 16 at 11:00 a.m. To view pending ARB applications go to [www.townofmcclellanville-sc.net](http://www.townofmcclellanville-sc.net)

**Continuing Education for Board and Commission Members**

We will have continuing education training on Monday, March 19 at 5p.m. , Town Hall

**Planning Commission** – Mon, March 19, 2018 at 6:30 p.m.

**McClellanville Municipal Court** — Jan 23 at 9:30 a.m.

**Tree Committee Meeting**—Tues, Jan 16 at 6:30 p.m.

### McClellanville Town Office Hours:

Monday, Tuesday, Thursday and Friday 9:00 a.m. – 5:00 p.m.  
Wednesday 9:00 a.m. – 1:00 p.m.

**Town Offices will be closed for observance of Martin Luther King Jr. Day January 15**

**McClellanville Message Center — (843) 887-3054**

### Annual Boat Launch Renewal

Annual Boat Launch Permits for 2018 are available at Town Hall. You may also purchase permits online via the Town's website [www.townofmcclellanville-sc.net](http://www.townofmcclellanville-sc.net). Short term pass are now available at Boats N Hoagies at 824 Pinckney they are open from 6 a.m. to 3 p.m. 2018 Tide Charts are also available at Town Hall at no charge.

### A Reminder From the Tree Committee

A Tree Removal and Land Disturbance Zoning Permit from the Zoning Administrator is required before **any** tree or brush removal, grading, or filling is begun. Significant trees and grand trees, (25 inches or greater in circumference) may not be removed unless special circumstances are met and a variance is obtained from the Board of Zoning Appeals. Contact the Town Office for details.

### McClellanville Business License

Time to Renew your McClellanville Business License! The deadline without penalty is January 31, 2018. To renew follow this link:

<https://permit.charlestoncounty.org/License/Default.aspx?UserName=CAPRenewal&CAP=1>

Representative Mark Sanford announced that his district staff will be conducting January satellite office hours they have scheduled to be in McClellanville at the Rutledge B. Leland III Municipal Services Building, 405 Pinckney St. on January 17th, 11 a.m. Satellite office hours are conducted around the district by the Representative's staff in order to be as accessible as possible to constituents who require assistance with federal agencies, including Medicare, Veterans Affairs, Social Security, the Internal Revenue Service, or even help processing a passport. Additionally, anyone wishing to express an opinion or ask a question is welcome to stop by.

Note: Due to votes in Washington, Representative Sanford is not scheduled to be in attendance at these events.

### The Cottage News

We hope everyone had a wonderful Christmas and New Years. We'd like to thank everyone who shopped with us this holiday season. And, all year long for that matter. You truly don't know how much your business means to all of us at The Cottage.

We have lots of exciting plans for the new year. Keep an eye on our Facebook page and this newsletter for updates, or stop by the shop.

First, we still have a few spots open for Jenny Owen's watercolor class on January 21 at 2:00. The January 14 class is full but we can put you down as a stand by if someone cancels. The cost is \$30.00. No painting or drawing skills required. Jenny will supply everything you need to complete your own masterpiece.

Next, Joyce Hall will teach "Techniques in Impressionism" on Sunday February 11 from 2:00 till 5:00. The cost is \$65.00.

Finally, Barbara McCormick will teach a sweetgrass basket making class on Saturday, February 17 at 1:00 PM. The class cost \$50.00 and you will leave with a basket you made yourself.

We have a fashion show and luncheon in the works for this spring and many more surprises. Stay in touch and keep warm. See you at The Cottage.

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### **January at the McClellanville Arts Center**

Happy New Year! We are looking forward to a year of exciting programming and shows, all in support of the arts and local artists! Our 2018 membership drive is ongoing, and we are in serious need of a new roof for our gallery. Every little bit helps, so please consider us in your charitable contributions this month. Thank you!!

#### **Classes and Workshops:**

All-Levels Yoga resumes on January 2: Join instructor Blythe Brown for an evening yoga class that is appropriate for all levels. This class is great for helping you to unwind during the busy week. Classes are held every Tuesday from 7:00-8:15 p.m. Please call for more information, 843-887-3157. Class fee is \$12 for 2018 members, \$15 for non-members.

Piano Lessons: Brenda LeFevre offers weekly thirty-minute piano lessons for students ages six and up, including adults. No previous experience is necessary. The cost is \$18 per session for 2018 members and \$20 for non-members, payable at the beginning of each month. Classes are held in our studio building on Pinckney Street. Please call 843-887-3157 to schedule your session.

After School Art: January 8th, 15th, 22nd, and 29th from 3:30-4:15. Fee for the month is \$80 for 2018 members and \$88 for non-members. Art Teacher Blythe Brown will be offering art lessons after school in a small group setting in our studio on Monday afternoons. All materials are provided. January's group is for students 9 and older; we'll do a series for kids 8 and under in February, also on Mondays (5th, 12th, 19th, 26th). Please call 843-887-3157 to register your child for either series.

Painting Happy Hour: January 21, 5:00-7:00 p.m. Join Blythe Brown on a Sunday evening for this fun and relaxed painting class, appropriate for beginners and experienced painters alike. BYOB, and feel free to bring a snack to share. All materials are provided. Class fee is \$20 for 2018 members, \$30 for non-members. Please call 843-887-3157 to sign up.

Wrap Around Ring: Friday, Jan. 26, 6:00-9:00 p.m. Deb Guess is coming back for another weekend of jewelry metalsmithing classes! Students will start with copper or brass sheet and transform it into beautiful rings. This class will focus on learning to cut, size, form, and finish both soldered and adjustable rings. Students will use butane torches to anneal and solder. All tools and supplies will be provided, but suggest that students bring a work apron, reading glasses if needed for extra magnification, and a small notebook for notes. This class is

ideal for beginners and intermediate students. Class fee is \$70 for 2018 members, \$80 for non-members. Please call 843-887-3157 to sign up.

Wild About Wire: Sat., Jan. 27, 9:00 a.m.- 4:00 p.m. Making beautiful chains, bracelets, earring findings, and clasps is the perfect way to show off the other creative jewelry components you create. This class will focus on teaching students five or six basic chain links, two varieties of clasps, and making ear wires. Students should be able to complete at least one bracelet or chain and samples of the others. All tools and supplies will be provided, but recommend that students bring a work apron, reading glasses if needed for extra magnification, and a small notebook for class notes. (We will take a break for lunch half-way through the day.) Class fee is \$120 for 2018 members, \$130 for non-members. Please call 843-887-3157 to sign up.

Ancient Relics: Sun., Jan. 28, 9:00 a.m.- 4:00 p.m. Using copper sheet as a base, students will learn to paint molten pewter across the surface and then stamp into it while still hot. The results look like ancient Byzantine or medieval jewelry recovered from archeological digs. Create pendants, charms, or earrings from the results. The class will focus on use of the torch, design, cutting and finishing components. Students should be able to complete a pendant or a pair of earrings during the class, which is ideal for beginning or intermediate students. All supplies provided. We will take a break for lunch halfway through the day. Class fee is \$120 for 2018 members, \$130 for non-members. Please call 843-887-3157 to sign up.

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### **January at Hampton Plantation**

Happy New Year everyone. Winter is one of the best times to come and enjoy the 300 acres of Hampton's historic and natural surroundings. Come out while the bugs are away.

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### **Sewee Visitor & Environmental Education Center**

Caretaker "Wolfman" Rob conducts Red wolf feeding and interpretive talk on Saturdays at 11:30 AM and Thursdays at 3:00 PM.

For information and booking call 843.884.7684 or go to [www.coastalexpeditions.com](http://www.coastalexpeditions.com)

Hours: Wednesday — Saturday 9:00 am - 5:00 pm

Phone: 843-928-3368 for more details!

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### **Landon Halloway Fundraiser**

Saint James Santee Episcopal Church is sponsoring a spaghetti dinner fundraiser on January 20 from 5:30 p.m. to 7:30p.m. at Morrison House, 144 Oak Street. Donations will be accepted at door. Any questions please call Erica Hurteau 864-316-3185 or Jeri Nickerson 843-696-3229.



## McClellanville Civic Club News

The winners of McClellanville's Best Decorations Contest have been decided by judges selected by the McClellanville Civic Club. There was a bevy of beautiful, bright, becoming businesses, boats, homes, and yards. The judges - all of impeccable taste, uncommonly good sense, and above average intelligence were hard pressed to make their picks, but make them they did! The winners for Christmas 2017:

**Best Decorated House** - 829 Pinckney St, Lil & Billy Baldwin

**Best Decorated House, Honorable Mention** - 838 Pinckney St, Jeri Sullivan Nickerson

**Best Decorated House, Emeritus** - 606 Dupre Rd, Joyce & Joe Thomas

**Best Lighting Arrangement** - 125 Oak St, Martha Zierdan & Eddie Stroman

**Best Lighting Arrangement, Honorable Mention** - 912 Geneva Moore, Rhet & Jake McClellan

**Best Door Decoration** - 431 Pinckney St, Mary Scott

**Most Christmas Spirit** - 10084 North Carolina Rd, Cody Allen

**Best Decorated Business** - 816 Pinckney St, Leland Real Estate

**Best Decorated Boat** - 10073 South Carolina Rd, Kim & Chip Racine

### Christmas food baskets

Our collections and distribution of this year Christmas food baskets for those in need in our community was a great success. We filled and distributed 24 baskets, each included an 8-10 lb ham and other wonderful food items. Special thanks to Marcela Smalls, , Nancy Fairless, Dick Connor, Diane and Sylvan Racine, Larry Mellichamp, Rob Lewis, Cheves Leland, Margy Leland, Natalie Lewis, and Absley, Callie, Lucie, Hank, Less, Cordes and Kathy Leland, Binks Dupree, Dr. Bonner, Ned Jaycocks.

Best wishes for a very happy 2018.

David Stoney President McClellanville Civic Club



photo courtesy of Sylvan Racine

## What a beautiful way to start the New Year.



photo courtesy of Billy Baldwin



## 2018 Meeting Schedule for the Town of McClellanville, SC

The regular meeting schedule for McClellanville Town Council and Town-affiliated Boards, Commissions in 2018 will be:

**Town Council:** All meetings are at 7 pm

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| January 8 <sup>th</sup>  | July 2 <sup>nd</sup>       |
| February 5 <sup>th</sup> | August 6 <sup>th</sup>     |
| March 5 <sup>th</sup>    | September 10 <sup>th</sup> |
| April 2 <sup>nd</sup>    | October 1 <sup>st</sup>    |
| May 7 <sup>th</sup>      | November 5 <sup>th</sup>   |
| June 4 <sup>th</sup>     | December 3 <sup>rd</sup>   |

All regular Town Council meetings are scheduled for the first non-holiday Monday of each month.

**Planning Commission:** All meetings are at 6:30 pm

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| March 19 <sup>th</sup> | September 24 <sup>th</sup> |
| June 18 <sup>th</sup>  | December 17 <sup>th</sup>  |

All regular Planning Commission meetings are scheduled for the third non-holiday Monday of the last month of each quarter.

**Architectural Review/Design Review Board:** All meetings are at 7 pm

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| January 22 <sup>nd</sup>  | July 16 <sup>nd</sup>      |
| February 26 <sup>th</sup> | August 20 <sup>th</sup>    |
| March 19 <sup>th</sup>    | September 24 <sup>th</sup> |
| April 16 <sup>th</sup>    | October 15 <sup>th</sup>   |
| May 21 <sup>st</sup>      | November 19 <sup>th</sup>  |
| June 18 <sup>th</sup>     | December 17 <sup>th</sup>  |

**Tree Committee:** All meetings are at 6:30 pm

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| January 16 <sup>th</sup> | July 17 <sup>th</sup>    |
| April 17 <sup>th</sup>   | October 16 <sup>th</sup> |

All regular Tree Committee meetings are scheduled for the third non-holiday Tuesday of the first month of each quarter.

**Board of Zoning Appeals:**

Meets at the call of the chairman. Meeting dates will be published.

Agendas, minutes, and a list of meetings are available at the Town of website [www.townofmcclellanville-sc.net](http://www.townofmcclellanville-sc.net)

The regular meeting of Town Council is on the 1<sup>st</sup> Monday of each month at 7 p.m..

### Town Council

Aaron L. Baldwin   Christopher B. Bates  
Robert J. Gannon   James E. Scott, IV

### Mayor

Rutledge B. Leland, III

### Town Hall Staff

**Town Clerk / Town Administrator, Michelle A. McClellan** is in the office during business hours Monday through Friday from 9 a.m. until 5 p.m. except on Wednesday when the office closes at 1 p.m.

**Administrative Assistant, Natalie Lewis** is in the office from 9 a.m. until 3 p.m. Monday through Friday. except on Wednesday when the office closes at 1 p.m.

**The Zoning Administrator, Kathryn S. Basha**

[www.townofmcclellanville-sc.net](http://www.townofmcclellanville-sc.net)

**Town Hall Phone: 843.887.3712**

**Town Hall Fax: 843.887.3094**

### Town Newsletter

All material should be submitted by the Friday before the Town Council meeting. The Town Council meets the first non-holiday Monday of each month, thus **the deadline for the January newsletter is February 2<sup>nd</sup>**. We will attempt to have the newsletter mailed by the Friday following the Council meeting which should have the newsletter in local mail boxes by **Saturday, February 13<sup>th</sup>**. Material to be included in the newsletter, should be sent to [McClellanville2@tds.net](mailto:McClellanville2@tds.net)

All material submitted is subject to editorial review by the Town staff. Some material may not be accepted for publication.

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