



NEW HANOVER COUNTY

November Events

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November 1, 5 & 8 Important Voting Dates!

November 1: Absentee Ballot Request Deadline
November 5: Absentee one-stop voting ends. New voters can register at any one-stop voting location.
November 8: General Election Day & Absentee Ballots Due
Learn more at www.nhcvote.com

Board of Elections • 230 Government Center Dr, #38 • nhcvote.com



Ongoing Thanksgiving Safety

The kitchen is the heart of the home, especially during the holidays. Thanksgiving is the peak day for home cooking fires, followed by Christmas Day and Christmas Eve. Stay in the home when cooking your turkey and check on it frequently. *More fire safety tips at www.nfpa.org.*

Health Department • 2029 S. 17th St • Wilmington, NC 28401 • health.nhcgov.com

Thursday, November 3 Candlelight Reflections 6 - 7:30pm

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Friday, November 4, 11 & 18 Little Explorers 10am

Explore the world around us with hands-on activities, interactive story time, experiments and fun in Cape Fear Museum Park! This free program is perfect for children ages 3 to 6 and their adult helpers. The theme for **November 4** is "Fall Leaves," **November 11** is "Flags," and **November 18** is "Turkey Traditions." *Little Explorers is sponsored by the PNC Foundation.*

Cape Fear Museum • 814 Market Street • www.capefearmuseum.com



Saturday, November 5 National Adoption Month Picnic 11am - 1pm

November is **National Adoption Month**. To celebrate, New Hanover County Social Services and the Southeastern Adoption Consortium are hosting a picnic at Hugh MacRae Park with agency information, food, music, face painting and the NC Heart Gallery Exhibit. November's theme is "We Never Outgrow the Need for Family- Just Ask Us" and focuses on older youth in foster care needing adoptive homes.

Social Services • 1650 Greenfield St • socialservices.nhcgov.com



Sunday, November 6 New Hanover County Residents Free Day

Make plans to visit a New Hanover County attraction the first Sunday of each month! County residents, employees & students get in FREE to New Hanover County's Airlie Gardens, Cape Fear Museum, and Arboretum (note: the Arboretum is always free!)

For more information, hours and locations please visit us at www.nhcgov.com

Sunday, November 6 Don't Wait - Check the Date!

It's time to change the clocks, so it's time to check your smoke alarms too! Replace smoke alarms every 10 years and check them monthly. *More fire safety tips at www.nfpa.org.*

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Tuesday, November 8 Insiders Tour 10am

Curious about the Cape Fear? Explore the history of your community at Cape Fear Museum. Take the Insider's Tour offered the second Tuesday of each month. Tours are free with admission and include a "behind the scenes" sneak peek. *Pre-registration is required: 910-798-4362 or cfmprograms@nhcgov.com. Free for members or with paid general admission.*

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Wednesday, November 9 Bird Hike 8 - 9:30am

Fly over to Airlie Gardens to participate in our monthly Bird Hike, co-hosted with our partner Wild Bird & Garden! Birders of all levels are encouraged to join us. *Free for members and included with paid garden admission.*

Airlie Gardens • 300 Airlie Rd • Wilmington, NC • airliegarden.org



Thursday, Nov. 10 Monthly Rain Barrel Sale 9am - 5pm

60 and 80 gallon rain barrels are available for purchase and pick up on the second Thursday of each month at the West entrance of New Hanover County's Government Center.

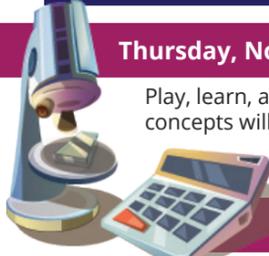
Soil & Water Conservation • 230 Government Ctr Dr • soilwater.nhcgov.com



Thursday, November 10 PreK Math and Science 10am

Play, learn, and explore with your child at Cape Fear Museum! Math and science concepts will be introduced through interactive story times, hands on science experiments and exploration stations. This free program is presented by NHC Libraries and is designed for children between the ages of 3-6.

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November 10, 20 & 29 Behind the Scenes: Stories of the Great War

Thursday, November 10: 10-11:30am
Sunday, November 20 & Tuesday, November 19: 2-3:30pm
Explore the Lower Cape Fear region's history during World War I at Cape Fear Museum. Hear stories of service and sacrifice, and get a behind-the-scenes tour of the Museum's collection showcasing Wilmington artifacts. *Cost is \$12 and participation is limited. Register by calling 910-798-4362 or emailing cfmprograms@nhcgov.com.*

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Saturday, November 12 Wellness Walk 9am

Join NHC Parks & Gardens for a free, monthly health talk and guided walking program around the 1.55 mile walking trail at Hugh MacRae Park.

Hugh MacRae Park • 314 Pine Grove Drive • parks.nhcgov.com



November 14 - December 14 Native Voices Exhibit at Main Library

The New Hanover County Library has been selected to host Native Voices: Native Peoples' Concepts of Health and Illness. This national touring exhibition explores the interconnectedness of wellness, illness and cultural life for Native Americans, Alaska Natives and Native Hawaiians. The exhibit will be open to the public during Library hours. *The U.S. National Library of Medicine (NLM) developed and produced Native Voices: Native Peoples' Concepts of Health and Illness. The American Library Association (ALA) Public Programs Office, in partnership with NLM, tours the exhibition to America's libraries.*

Main Library • 201 Chestnut Street • Wilmington, NC 28401 • www.nhclibrary.org

Tuesday, November 15 Wise Women Support Group 10:30am

NHC Senior Resource Center's Wise Women Support Group is open to all ladies 55 and older. Led by a certified counselor, women in the group share their stories, give and get advice, and enjoy the company of one another. Feel free to just listen or lend support to others - everyone is welcome! *For more information, call 910-798-6409.*

Senior Resource Center • 2222 S College Rd • Wilmington, NC 28403 • src.nhcgov.com

November 16, 19 & 30 Come Write In

Wednesday, November 16 & Wednesday, November 30: 5-8pm
Saturday, November 19: 1-4:30pm

If you're writing a novel for NaNoWriMo or you just want to start writing, Come Write In at Northeast Library! Librarian and writer Carla Sarratt will offer writing prompts and word sprints to help you meet your writing goal for the day. *Free event.*

Northeast Library • 1241 Military Cutoff Rd • Wilmington, NC • www.nhclibrary.org

November 17 - 19 Cops at a Doughnut Shop 8am - 8pm

The New Hanover County Sheriff's Office will be at Krispy Kreme, located **2822 S. College Rd.** raising money for the Special Olympics of North Carolina. 2016 Torch Run T-Shirts will also be sold to benefit Special Olympics.

New Hanover Sheriff • www.newhanoversheriff.com



Saturday, November 19 Native American Health Issues 2pm

Come to the main Library to hear **Dr. Ronny Bell** speak about Native American health issues and inequities that minorities face in the health system. An enrolled member of the Lumbee tribe, Dr. Bell is Chair of both the North Carolina American Indian Health Board, and the North Carolina Diabetes Advisory Council.

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Saturday, November 19 Tidewater Camellia Club Fall Show & Sale 10am - 4pm

Enjoy this free event at the NHC Arboretum! Judged camellia show blooms, camellia plant sale, and camellia presentations with "Ask the Experts." The Arboretum gift shop will also be open.

NHC Arboretum • 6206 Oleander Drive • Wilmington, NC • arboretum.nhcgov.com

Saturday, November 19 International Games Day 1 - 4pm

Come to the Myrtle Grove Library and enjoy games for all ages! This event is free and fun for the whole family!

Myrtle Grove Library • 5155 S College Rd • Wilmington, NC 28412 • nhclibrary.org



November 25 & 26 Enchanted Airlie 5-7pm or 7-9pm

Take in the sparkling sights and festive sounds of the season at Enchanted Airlie! Guests will experience a 0.5m stroll through the gardens on a self-guided walking tour, while feasting their eyes on a spectacular array of lights and holiday displays. *Visit www.airliegarden.org for additional December dates and tickets.*

Airlie Gardens • 300 Airlie Rd • Wilmington, NC 28403 • www.airliegarden.org



Saturday, November 26 Planetarium film: Perseus and Andromeda

Show times: 1:30pm, 2:15pm, 3pm

Step inside Cape Fear Museum's digital planetarium to experience the story of beautiful Princess Andromeda and the brave Perseus who saves her from misfortune. *Free for members or with paid general admission.*

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Sunday, November 27 Planetarium Film: Two Small Pieces of Glass

Show times: 1:30pm, 2:15pm, 3pm

For 400 years, the telescope has unlocked the mysteries of the stars. Join Cape Fear Museum for a look back at the history of astronomy and out to the future in the film *Two Small Pieces of Glass* (25 minutes). *Free for members or with paid general admission. Adult participation is required.*

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