

IN THE CITY

POLICE

6/26/08 - 7/1/08

Traffic Summons - 70

Calls for Service - 508

Incident Base Reports -36

Reportable Criminal Arrest - 15

--Amber Fulcher

MUSTANGS

The Mustangs traveled to Cary, NC on July 1 to match up against the USA National Team, the nation's best college players. Although they didn't win, the Stangs out hit their opponents 5-4.

The Mustangs hosted Gastonia on July 2 and recorded a 4-3 win over the Grizzlies.

A special July 4th Celebration will be held Friday at Hooker Field. The Mustangs host the Asheboro Copperheads. The game starts at approximately 7:20 p.m. An amazing fireworks display will follow immediately after the game. Come out and enjoy the festivities!

--Tonya Rumley

SENIOR CENTER

Betsy Pace spoke to the senior group at McCabe Memorial Baptist Church on Thursday, June 19. She explained all the services the Senior Center offers to local seniors.

The Senior Center sponsored a chartered bus trip to the Wohlfahrt Haus Dinner Theatre in Wytheville, VA on Friday, June 27 to see the musical "Smokey Joe's Cafe." Forty seniors attended.

The County Line Band provided entertainment for 31 seniors on Tuesday, July 1 for the evening dance. The Plantation Band will play on Tuesday, July 8 at Rangeley Ruritan

Building for a Summer Celebration. There will be no admission charge and free refreshments will be served by the Senior Center staff. All local seniors are invited.

--Betsy Pace

PUBLIC WORKS

The construction crew replaced a storm water culvert crossing Perdue Street. The concrete crew replaced a concrete entrance for an apartment complex on Mountain Road. The sign crew installed new signs at the Recycling Center on Market Street.

Engineering is continuing to design and stake out work on the Cherry Street Rehabilitation project.

Several property maintenance violations were addressed and cleaned. Several trees and limbs were removed from roadways due to thunderstorms and high winds.

Bids were advertised for the revised street paving schedule.

--Jeff Joyce

COMMUNITY DEVELOPMENT

The Homebuyers' Club met at the Artisan Center on June 17. Wayne Knox led a discussion on home occupations and property maintenance at the monthly meeting of SCORE on June 17.

The Architectural Review Board held its monthly meeting on June 19.

Staff members presented a talk on economic development on June 28 as part of the 4th Annual Heritage Festival. Members also attended a homeownership meeting on June 23 in South Boston along with officials of the Department of Housing & Community Development.

--Wayne Knox

