



Congratulations to the Class of 2012!

CLOVER COMMUNITY EDUCATION SERIES: WOMEN'S SAFETY AND AWARENESS TRAINING

Join us Monday, June 18 for hands on Women's Safety and Awareness Training. This FREE course will cover common sense safety information for the street as well as for home and is designed to increase your personal safety through awareness, avoidance & development of safe habits.

This class provides up to date information for recognizing and avoiding potentially dangerous situations. The hands-on techniques are compiled from basic, everyday movements to aid in your defense & escape and do not require great physical strength or agility. The class is designed to fit all women from teens to seniors.

Start time for the FREE session is 6:00 pm at the Clover Community Center, 120 Bethel Street. Seating is limited. Please call 222-9493 to register or email aneelands@cloversc.org.

CONTACTS

Town Hall	222-9495
Public Works	222-7700
Police	222-9494
Recreation	222-9493
Fire Dept.	222-3220
Municipal Court	222-4084
Codes/Building	222-5158

MAYOR & COUNCIL

Mayor	
Donnie Grice	(704) 913-3296 (M)
Ann Harvey 222-9414 (H)	
Wes Spurrier	222- 9033 (H)
Jay Dover	222-9011 (H)
Granita Boyd	(704) 913-2153 (M)
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COUNCIL MEETINGS

Town Council Meetings are held at 6:30 p.m. at the Clover Community Center located at 120 Bethel Street.

June 11, 2012

July 9, 2012

For more information, please contact Shannon Nix at 222-9495.



FEIS CHLOBHAIR



Clover's Scottish Games and Scots-Irish Festival, will be held on Saturday, June 9, at Clover Memorial

Stadium from 9AM-4PM. The festival offers the community an opportunity to reflection the heritage of many of Clover's citizens while enjoying unique activities, athletics and shopping. Admission is free; however, pets and alcohol are not permitted on festival grounds. For more information, contact the Clover Chamber of Commerce at 222-3312 or visit <http://www.cloverscottishgames.com>

BUSINESS LICENSE RENEWAL

All Town of Clover 2011-2012

Business Licenses expire on June 30, 2012. According to the Business License Ordinance, license renewal fees must be paid for each business subject to the applicable rate classification on or before July 31, 2012. Failure to renew will result in a 5% penalty for each month you are delinquent.

In-Town Businesses Only: When renewing your business license, you must bring in a copy of your tax return for verification of gross receipts. If you have not had your taxes completed, please bring a letter from your CPA confirming your gross receipts. A business license may not be issued without verification.

All contractors will also need to present a copy of their South Carolina State Contractors License.

Renewal applications will be mailed in June to make the application process more convenient. Please contact Town Hall at 222-9495 with any questions concerning your business license renewal fee.

Also, visit www.cloversc.org for more information.

BUDGET PUBLIC HEARING

The Clover Town Council will hold a Public Hearing on Ordinance 12-02, adopting the proposed FY 2012-2013 Budget. The Hearing will be on Monday, June 11, 2012, at 6:30 PM at the Clover Community Center, 120 Bethel Street.

The budget does anticipate a property tax increase. Council is considering an increase in the property tax millage for operations. A capital millage is also under consideration for New Centre Park and acquisition and conversion of the vacant bank building into a new Town Hall. A water/sewer rate increase is not planned at this time but would have to be considered if the City of Gastonia increases rates.

COMMUNITY FLAG RETIREMENT CEREMONY

Local Boy Scout Troop 37, Pack 237, and Troop and Pack 128, the Town of Clover, and the Clover School District are proud to sponsor a Flag Retirement Ceremony. The ceremony will take place on Thursday, June 14, at Clover Memorial Stadium, at 6:30pm. Please use the entrance on the Home side. The public is encouraged to attend this special event that honors Old Glory, the flag that has seen this country through good and bad times.

If you have an American flag that has become worn, torn, faded or badly soiled, please drop it off at the Clover Police Department so it can be retired in this ceremony or contact Jim Kosko at 222-4490 or james.kosko@gmail.com to arrange for a pick up.

ONE YEAR AGO....

Many Clover residents found themselves victim to terrible storms that hit the area. A big thanks goes out to neighbors who helped neighbors, contractors who have worked hard to rebuild and town employees who worked long hours to get our town back on its feet. Let's all continue to hope and pray that the storms pass by us this year!

SHELTER RENTAL

The Clover Community Park and Roosevelt Park Shelters are available for birthday parties, picnics, family dinners, etc. For more information, please contact the Clover Recreation Department at 222-9493 or visit clovers.org.

SCOOP THE POOP

The weather is great and many of you are getting outside with your pets. Part of the responsibility of being a pet owner is taking care of the poop your dog or cat leaves behind. When walking Fido, do not allow him to relieve himself in your neighbor's yard or in any public place. If an accident happens, make sure to scoop the poop. It's the sanitary and neighborly thing to do.