



June 23, 2023

Markets, Music, and Celebration at Riverwalk Landing

Support local farmers, bakers, artists, and other small business owners at [this week's Yorktown Market Days](#). Shop for fresh produce, wine, sweets, dairy products, bread, stoneware, woodwork, and more from 8 a.m. to 12 p.m. tomorrow (6/24). Plan your visit around performances from Audio Portrait (9 a.m. to 12 p.m.) and the Fifes and Drums of York Town (10 a.m.). Market Days is held rain or shine.

There's no place like Riverwalk Landing on Thursday nights from 6:30 to 9 p.m.! Next Thursday (6/29), follow cobblestoned roads to Water Street to watch the [Band of Oz](#) perform some of your favorite beach music—from Jimmy Buffett to Motown. Be sure to get there early to snag a good parking spot or grab some food from one of our delicious restaurants along the waterfront. The Yorktown Trolley will be running until 9:30 p.m.



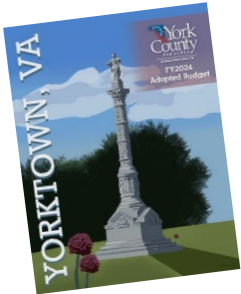
The **4th of July** is just around the corner and, as always, Yorktown is offering a full lineup of festive events all day long! Kick off the morning with the 8K/5K Run/Walk at 8 a.m. followed by the Patriotic Parade at 9 a.m. Also offered are other family-friendly activities like outdoor games and festive music throughout the day. The day ends with a spectacular fireworks show over the York River. More information will be included in next week's Citizen News Weekly. In the meantime, you can click to [see the full itinerary](#).

There's Still Time to Register for Safety Town

Space is available in weeks 2, 3 and 4 of Safety Town, the award-winning program that teaches pre-kindergartners important lessons to help them stay safe. Children learn about traffic, fire, home and personal safety in a fun classroom environment. These classes are interactive, hands-on, and fun! Kids attend morning sessions Monday through Thursday with a completion ceremony on Friday. Dates and details are available [online](#) or you can visit the [registration portal](#) to sign up.

Kids Summer Gardening Coming Soon!

York/Poquoson Master Gardeners invite children to learn about the joys of gardening in one or all of these hour-long craft programs: July 20 - Create a Native Masterpiece, where kids paint their own pot for a native plant; August 17 - all about bees has students making a bee house; and September 28 - children learn about butterflies and build a butterfly lantern. All sessions are held at the York Learning Garden (301 Goodwin Neck Road) and begin at 10 a.m. Register by calling 757-890-4940.



Adopted FY24 Budget Now Online

The Board of Supervisors adopted the Fiscal Year 2024 (July 1, 2023 – June 30, 2024) Budget at the May 2 meeting. The full document is now available [online](#). Readers will find detailed information about revenues and expenditures, departments and agencies, and more. In addition, the adopted Capital Improvements Program for FY2024 – FY2029 is also on the [website](#) with County projects, including funding and dates.

Solicitations: What's Permitted in York County

York-Poquoson Sheriff Ron Montgomery provides information about solicitations, specifically what's allowed and what isn't. The just-under-five-minutes "[News from the Sheriff](#)" shares details about local ordinances, permits, days and times sales may be conducted, and more.

Additional Notes for the Week... The first half of the **2023 taxes** are due on June 25, however this year payments are accepted through Monday (6/26). Beginning Tuesday (6/27), there is a 2 percent late penalty. Be sure to visit the [Treasurer's Office website](#) for payment options. The **Waste Management Center** is closing at 2 p.m. tomorrow (6/24). Operations resume Monday (6/26).

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