



THE WHISTLE STOP



10TH ANNUAL INDEPENDENCE DAY PARADE

Saturday, June 28, 2014 ~ 11:00 am



Enjoy an old fashion, small town parade! Help us celebrate our country's Independence by viewing or participating in this free event with over 150 units including floats, music, precision marching, church groups, civic organizations, scout troops, motorcycles,

military units, horses, submarines, classic and antique cars, fire engines, beauty queens, re-enactment groups, politicians, WWII vehicles, trains, planes, and many more surprises. We are proud to honor Afghanistan Veterans as our Grand Marshals. Come out and enjoy a full day of activities with the parade, the Town of Troutman Independence Celebration festival, and ending with a breathtaking fireworks display.

The parade will start at the Iredell County Fairgrounds and travel US Hwy 21 to Troutman Elementary School. Parade Entry applications (entry deadline: Friday, June 20, 2014) are now available at Troutman Town Hall and at www.townoftroutman.org.

THE ROTARY CLUB OF TROUTMAN

TROUTMAN

Independence Festival

Saturday, June 28th • Iredell County Fairgrounds
5:30pm - 9:30pm • Fireworks at dark!

Live Music • The Extraordinaries

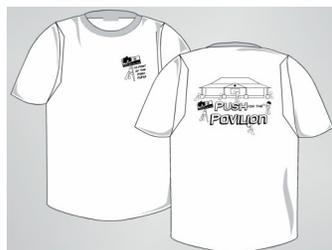
Free General Admission • Great Food & Entertainment

Kids Zone \$5/per hour • Food & Craft Vendors • Beer Garden • Corn Hole

For more information: 704-230-0050
 This event is proudly coordinated by the Rotary Club of Troutman

PUSH FOR THE PAVILION T-SHIRTS

The Town of Troutman Parks and Rec Committee encourages you to be "Part of the park FUNd" by ordering a fundraising and park awareness t-shirt or visor by June 13th. The t-shirts and visors will be ready for pick up from Town Hall on June 27th. The t-shirts are \$15 each, kiwi colored, and come in sizes youth medium to adult extra extra large. The visors are \$15, stone colored, with a modified park logo in green embroidery, and use a Velcro closure to accommodate all sizes.



BUY LOCAL!

Troutman Depot Farmers Market

The third season of the Farmers Market is off to a great start! Crafts are featured the first Thursday of each Month. The Market is open 3:30 – 6:30 PM at the Depot every Thursday through September. This year we are pleased to offer special event at the Market.



June Events

- June 05: Crafters Market
 - June 12: Randy's BBQ and Friends of the Library
 - June 19: Guest speaker: Corriene Lewis; "Natural Wellness"
 - June 28: Vendors will be in the Independence Day Parade
- To inquire about vendor space, please contact Town Hall at 704.528.7600.

BUSINESS SPOTLIGHT

Each month the Mayor and Board of Aldermen recognize a local business. Alderman Teross Young selects the business and presents information about the featured firm at the Board's regular monthly meeting.

MELSON AUTO PARTS

May's spotlight was on **Melson's Enterprises Inc. Auto Parts** located at 679 North Main Street. Below are some facts about the business.

- Established in 1970 and named after original owner
- Currently owned by Rick Blankenship
- Excels in starter and alternator rebuilding (foreign and domestic)
- Carries a full line of auto parts including alternators and generators for autos, heavy duty agricultural equipment, and marine equipment

2014 CITIZEN OF THE YEAR

Each year the Mayor and Board of Aldermen recognize a citizen of the year. Jan Comer is the 2014 Citizen of the Year.

- Vice President of Human Resources for Engineered Sintered Components (ESC)
- Instrumental in development of Troutman ESC Park through establishing a partnership between ESC and the Town of Troutman, serving on the Parks and Recreation Committee, and Park Fundraising Subcommittee

UPCOMING TOWN MEETINGS

Agenda Briefing for Mayor & Board of Alderman	Mon., June 9 4:00 pm
Town Board Meeting	Thurs., June 12 7:00 pm
Technical Review Committee	Thurs., June 12 10:00 am
Parks & Rec. Meeting	Mon. June 23 4:30 pm
Planning & Zoning Board	Tues., June 24 7:00 pm
Land Use Committee	TBD; See our website

**Town meetings are open to the public and are held at Town Hall in the Boardroom unless noted otherwise. You are welcome and encouraged to attend.*

MAKE IT HAPPEN

Troutman's Small Town Main Street Program and the Troutman Area Council have merged to form the Troutman Business Council (a partnership with the Town of Troutman and Greater Statesville Chamber of Commerce). In order for this group to be a success we need active participation from interested persons. Please contact Erika Martin at emartin@townoftroutman.org or call 704-508-3012 if you are interested in helping with A) community events, B) downtown beautification, and/or C) business retention and recruitment.

RECYCLING INFORMATION

Benfield Sanitation collects recycling on **Wednesdays** from town residences. Your pickup day is based on your garbage pickup day. If you have questions, please contact Town Hall at (704) 528-7600.



Recycling Schedule

Green Week Garbage Day is Tues. or Thurs.	Blue Week Garbage Day is Mon. or Wed.	Blue Thursday <i>Parkwood at Falls Cove</i>
May 28	June 4	June 5
June 11	June 18	June 19
June 25	July 2	July 3
July 9	July 16	July 17

TOWN OF TROUTMAN MAYOR & BOARD OF ALDERMEN

Mayor: Elbert H. Richardson
Board of Aldermen:

Paul Henkel ~ Betty Jean Troutman
Sally Williams ~ Teross Young
J.T. Jablonski, Mayor Pro Tempore

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2014 ORGANIZATION OF THE YEAR

The Mayor and Board of Aldermen recognize the Rotary Club of Troutman as the 2014 Or-



ganization of the Year. The organization of the year was established in 2014 to draw attention to outstanding volunteer organizations.

- Established in 2009
- Motto "Service above self."
- Breakfast with Santa-raising fund to purchase toys and gifts for needy children at Christmas
- Great Chili Cook off-proceeds go to Barium Springs Home for Children, SCAN, My Sisters House, and scholarships for South Iredell High School
- Oyster Roast-benefits are donated to the Dove House, Power Cross, and Habit for Humanity
- Troutman ESC Park-clearing and marking the nature trail, and installing benches
- Partners each year with the Town and is responsible for the Troutman Independence Day Festival

LEAF & LIMB SCHEDULE

June 2014

Leaf: None
Limb: 2 & 3

July 2014

Leaf: None
Limb: 14 & 15

LEAF AND LIMB COLLECTION GUIDELINES

The fiscal year leaf & limb schedule is available on our website and at Town Hall.

Take leaves and limbs to the curb in front of your house the day **BEFORE THE FIRST COLLECTION DAY**. If they are not out before the crew comes through, they will not be picked up.

Put leaves and limbs in separate piles.

Only limbs under **4"** inches in diameter will be collected.

Limbs will not be picked up if they have been cut by professional cutters or trimmers.

DO NOT put leaves or limbs in bags.