

Historic Downtown North Wilkesboro Newsletter

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Festival News



This year's Shine to Wine event will feature a unique Culinary Chef Challenge, where regional chefs representing surrounding restaurants will compete for the title of Best Chef, as well as other prizes to be determined. These chefs will display their cooking and presentation talents for a jury of judges and critics. Chefs who are interested in participating should contact us at (336) 667-4875 or info@hdtnw.org.

Interested in being a vendor at this year's event? Contact us at the Historic Downtown North Wilkesboro office between 11am-5pm, Monday-Friday at (336) 667-4875 or info@hdtnw.org.

New In Town

NextLevel Cafe
nextlevelcafe.net
 827 Main Street, 667-0561
Ribbon Cutting:
Fri, Jan 18th at 4:30pm
Th & Fri 6-9, Sat 11-9, Sun 2-6

Platinum Salon and Day Spa
 214 Gordon Ave, 667-4700
Ribbon Cutting:
Fri, Jan 25th at 4:30pm

Four Oaks Wine
fouroakswine.com
 310 9th Street, 667-WINE
BRONZE LEVEL Wine Festival
Sponsor

The Photo Place
 308 9th Street, 903-1300

Pat's Restaurant
 833 Main Street, 903-4935

Captured Moments
 318 10th Street, 667-7300

From HDTNW Executive Director, **Melissa Smithey**

We at HDTNW are excited about 2008! This is a year of many changes for Downtown North Wilkesboro. We are currently exploring changing Main Street back to two-way. This will help the traffic flow into Downtown and promote more shopping, dining and visitors for the Downtown area. Another exciting change is the addition of the Culinary Chef Competition to the Annual 'Shine to Wine Festival. Regional chefs representing surrounding restaurants will compete for the title of Best Chef, as well as other prizes to be determined. These chefs will display their cooking and presentation talents for a jury of judges and critics. This is a much anticipated event and with the addition of this competition should draw larger crowds to our wine

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Introduction



Historic Downtown North Wilkesboro is a non-profit organization dedicated to promoting the historic preservation, protection, culture, and use of North Wilkesboro's traditional downtown area.

Since the beginning, our primary goal has been to revitalize the downtown area of North Wilkesboro. We will accomplish this by making Downtown North Wilkesboro a vibrant and attractive center of activity for the citizens of Wilkes County, as well as helping the area to become a tool for economic development to attract tourism to the downtown area.

Downtown Traffic Pattern



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Historic Downtown North Wilkesboro, Inc. will sponsor a free Downtown Traffic Pattern Seminar on Tuesday, January 15th, in the Wilkes County Public Library Friends of The Library Meeting Room at 6:00 PM. The seminar is open to all interested persons in Wilkes County...

'Shine to Wine' Festival

The **4th Annual Shine to Wine Festival** is scheduled for Saturday, May 3, 2008, from 12:00 pm to 6:00 pm in Downtown North Wilkesboro. We will have live entertainment, art, merchandise, wine, and food.

Along with showcasing North Wilkesboro, Wilkes County and the burgeoning wine industry in our area, this year's event will feature a unique Culinary Chef Challenge, where regional chefs representing surrounding restaurants will compete for the title of Best Chef, as well as other prizes to be determined. These chefs will display their cooking and presentation talents for a jury of judges and critics, as well as offer samples and plates to the crowd to pair with the wineries.

The celebration will begin at 12pm, and continue until 6pm. General admission is **FREE**, and wine tastings are only \$20!
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Renewing Partners

Meet our renewing partners:

Friend of HDTNW

Mr. Ike Johnston
 Mr. & Mrs. Tom & Jesse Ogburn

Associate Partner

Ms. Bobbie Reavis, IS&C Insurance
 Mr. & Mrs. Frank & Peggy Day, Melody Stores
 Dr. Sloan McCarter
 Mr. Isaac G. Forester, CPA
 Mr. & Mrs. Rick & Sheila Brame
 Brame-Huie Pharmacy

Sustaining Partner

Mr. & Mrs. Arnold & Becky Lakey

Silver Partner

Mr. & Mrs. Carl & Brenda Page, Page Interworks

If you'd like to learn more about how you can make a tax-deductible contribution, please call the HDTNW office at (336) 667-4875 or visit our website at <http://www.downtownnorthwilkesboro.com/members/>

Available Buildings

Available Buildings in Downtown North Wilkesboro

- Office Space for Rent, 201 & 207 Tenth Street
 Ike Forester 838-7322, Several different offices for lease.
 Sizes vary from 150 sq ft up to 2,000 sq ft.

<p>festival.</p> <p>We are working diligently to explore ways to help Downtown North Wilkesboro prosper. We need your help to do it! Revitalizing Downtown North Wilkesboro is a multi-faceted process that requires teamwork. We encourage you to share your ideas, your time and your efforts to help the success of the downtown.</p> <p>Thank you for a successful 2007! We appreciate your time and efforts and look forward to working with you again in 2008.</p>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ● Old Rosewood Florist Building, 912 Main Street. Contact Ann Weatherwax at (336) 838-3538 or at (336) 246-8621 ● Restaurant Space, 910 Main Street (Old Roselli's), Contact Ann Weatherwax at (336) 838-3538 or at (336) 246-8621 ● Commercial Office Space, 910 C Street, 3 office spaces available for rent. Contact Clara Hickman at (336) 651-7803 to discuss options. ● Commerical Property, 817 C Street, This property is for Sell. Contact Keowee Land & Development Company, Inc. at (336) 973-5070. ● Commerical Office Space, 10th Street, Contact Ike Johnston at 919-622-0486. ● Office Space for Rent, D Street, Casey & Co. 336-838-5766. <p><i>More information and pictures are available for these properties on our website at http://www.downtownnorthwilkesboro.com/properties/. If anyone has available buildings for rent or sale, please call Melissa Smithey at (336) 667-4875 to be listed for free in the newsletter and online.</i></p>
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