

COMING EVENTS

May 9-June 19

Preschool Story Hour
Every Friday
10:00 a.m.
115 Wildwood Dr
Red Caboose Com-
munity Library

Budget Workshop
& Council Regular
Session
May 15
5:00 p.m.
Town Hall

Book/Tech Mobile @
Red Caboose Com-
munity Library
May 16
2:00 p.m.-5:00 p.m.

Yoga in the Park
Sponsored by Parks
& Recreation
May 17
10:00 a.m.

CAC Meeting
May 21
4:00 p.m.
Municipal Building

River Bend Fun Run Spon-
sored by Parks & Rec
May 31
10:00 a.m.
Begin @
Municipal Building

RBCOG Meeting
June 2
1:30 p.m.
Municipal Building

EWAB Meeting
June 2
7:00 p.m.
Municipal Building

Parks & Rec Advi-
sory Board Meeting
June 4
6:30 p.m.
Municipal Building

Planning Board
Meeting
June 5
6:00 p.m.
Municipal Building

Council Work Session
June 12
5:00 p.m.
Town Hall

Council Regular Ses-
sion
June 19
5:00 p.m.
Town Hall

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Leaf & Limb Collection Schedule for 2024-2025

Residents may begin
placing their yard debris
street side on the dates
indicated in parentheses

Zone 1 Pick Up Begins

July 15, 2024
(July 10, 2024)
September 9, 2024
(September 4, 2024)
November 11, 2024
(November 6, 2024)
December 11, 2024
(December 4, 2024)
January 13, 2025
(includes Christmas trees)
(January 8, 2025)
March 10, 2025
(March 5, 2025)
May 12, 2025
(May 7, 2025)

Zone 2 Pick Up Begins

July 22, 2024
(July 17, 2024)
September 16, 2024
(September 11, 2024)
November 18, 2024
(November 13, 2024)
December 16, 2024
(December 11, 2024)
January 20, 2025
(includes Christmas trees)
(January 15, 2025)
March 17, 2025
(March 12, 2025)
May 19, 2025
(May 14, 2025)

Pinecones, pine straw and leaves must
NOT be bagged. For additional impor-
tant information about River Bend's
Leaf & Limb collection program, please
see our updated Ordinance online at
www.riverbendnc.org.

Town Council 2025 Meeting Dates

Work SessionJanuary 9
Regular MeetingJanuary 16
Work SessionFebruary 13
Regular MeetingFebruary 20
Work SessionMarch 13
Regular MeetingMarch 20
Work SessionApril 10
Regular MeetingApril 17
Work SessionMay 8
Regular MeetingMay 15
Work SessionJune 12
Regular MeetingJune 19
Work SessionJuly 10
Regular MeetingJuly 17
Work SessionAugust 14
Regular MeetingAugust 21
Work SessionSeptember 11
Regular MeetingSeptember 18
Work SessionOctober 9
Regular MeetingOctober 16
Work SessionNovember 13
Regular MeetingNovember 20
Work SessionDecember 4***
Regular MeetingDecember 11***

***Changed due to holiday

All budget meetings for FY25-26 have
been completed.

Click [HERE](#) for FY25-26 Budget Preparation

All Council Work Sessions will be held in the
River Bend Town Hall beginning at 5:00 p.m.

Regular Council Meetings will be held in the
River Bend Town Hall beginning at 7:00 p.m.

etc.



Golf Cart Registration

Town ordinances allow for residents to drive their properly equipped golf carts on River Bend streets provided that they are inspected by and registered with our Police Department. If you plan to drive your golf cart on the roadways, you must display the current year registration decal. Decals for 2025 are available now. Inspection and registration are required annually. The registration fee for each golf cart is \$10. For additional information and to make your inspection reservation, please call the River Bend Police Department at 638-1108.

Click [HERE](#) for more information



Registration is Required for all Dogs and Cats

River Bend Animal Registrations for 2025 were due by March 31, 2025. All River Bend dogs and cats must be registered annually.

Office hours are Monday-Friday 8 AM-4 PM.

Owners must present a rabies vaccination certificate at the time of registration. Click [HERE](#) for more information.

Registration is \$10.00 per pet.



Pet I. D. Photos Now Available

The Town of River Bend is now offering residents the opportunity to link a digital photo of their registered pets to our Animal Registration database. When you register your pet this year, you may submit a photo by e-mail, or staff can scan a photo for you if you prefer. This photo database will help reunite lost pets with their owners more quickly in the event a pet becomes lost.

The service is voluntary and free of charge.

DOG PARK AT RIVER BEND



River Bend dogs have their own exercise area where they can play with other canines. Situated between the Town Park and Ritter Field, the dog park gives dogs a chance to run while their owners socialize. The park is open from sunrise to sunset for dogs with proof of current vaccinations. Separate exercise areas accommodate large and small dogs. For complete list of rules applicable to dog park use, please visit our web site at www.riverbendnc.org. Dog park rules are also posted at the entrance to the park.



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Emergency Notification System

and receive timely notifications by phone, e-mail, text messages and more.

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at www.riverbendnc.org

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If you have a medical condition for which you require any type of special medical care during a disaster or if your medical condition requires assistance to evacuate during a disaster, you may wish to apply to Craven County for their Special Needs Registry. The River Bend Police Department can provide you with the appropriate form and provide some basic information about the County's program.



River Bend has a very active Community Watch program supported by our Police Department. If you are interested in volunteering, call the River Bend Police Department at 638-1108.



River Bend has a skateboard park to meet the needs of some of our more athletic residents.

A signed parental approval [form](#) is required and helmet use is strictly enforced. For more information about the skateboard park, visit our web site or call the River Bend Police Department at 638-1108.

Click [HERE](#) for more information.