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August 5, 2023 Free Entry & Free Parking!

Fun for everyone with live music, vendor market, food & silent auction at Dr. Carpenter's, bouncies, face painting, balloon art, food trucks, drinks, mechanical bull and splash pad.

Downtown Main Drive, New Hope

Activities Start at 12 PM Concert Starts at 5:30 PM No Pets Allowed!

NEWS 🕹

Congratulations to Our 2023 Scholarship Recipients



Hailey plans to attend the University of Alabama at Birmingham with an anticipated Major of Nursing. She is the daughter of Kristi Boyd. She fondly remembers attending the American Legion Auxiliary's Alabama Girls State where she had the honor of representing her school while

serving her community and learning about our country's legislative processes. She maintained a 4.2 GPA and is a member of the National Honor Society where she served as Technical Advisor. She came highly suggested in letters of recommendation from some of her teachers. Hailey has participated in numerous extracurricular activities as well as served in many volunteer and community service capacities.



Breanna plans to attend Snead State Community College with an anticipated Major of Agricultural Communications. She is the daughter of Adrian and Jennifer Black. She hopes that her studies in college will one day help her achieve her dream of giving back to her community by focusing on

youth development and agriculture. She has maintained a 4.1 GPA and came highly suggested in letters of recommendation by the Assistant Principal and her Science teacher. Breanna has participated in numerous extracurricular activities as well as served many volunteer hours throughout her high school career.

I Golf Because I Care Tournament





Robert Trent Jones Golf Trail 450 Old Hwy 431 Owens Cross Roads, AL

Visit thecare-center.org or call 256.723.2273 for more information.



The CARE Center is a non-profit (501c3), multi-denominational Christian partnership of churches and community supporters who prioritize spreading the transforming news that God loves the world. Their mission is to share the love and hope of Christ with our neighbors in Southeastern Madison County by empowering them through education, employment, and crisis support. Through Jesus' ministry, death, and resurrected life, His followers at The CARE Center continue to move the life-changing message of the Gospel forward. Led by God's Holy Spirit, they proclaim hope

and justice to a broken humanity and attempt to demonstrate acts of service and kindness to all. For the past 20 years, the CARE Center has hosted a single annual fundraiser in the form of their annual "I Golf Because I CARE" tournament. This year, they have set a goal to raise \$50,000 by securing 50 sponsors and 25 golf teams for the upcoming event. So please save the date, share the news, and don't let superstitions hold you back from enjoying a date of play for a worthy cause at Robert Trent Jones Golf Trail on Friday, October 13!

REGISTER TODAY!



Upcoming NHTC Closures



Independence Day Monday, July 3 & Tuesday, July 4



Labor Day Monday, September 4



Cyber Security Awareness

NHTC Partners with New Hope Public Library to Offer Free Cyber Security Awareness Community Classes

NHTC has partnered with New Hope Public Library to bring free cyber security awareness and digital literacy classes to the community. In June, NHTC hosted its first Cyber Security Awareness class.

Attendees learned about potential online (and even some offline) threats and ways to mitigate those threats and protect yourself and your network. There was also a discussion regarding password best practices and multi-factor authentication.

NHTC plans to host at least one

class quarterly. Keep an eye out for our next Cyber Security Awareness class in September.

A big THANK YOU to the New Hope Public Library for the partnership as well as to the City of New Hope for the use of their facilities at the Community Center.



Whole-Home Wi-Fi

Solid Wi-Fi Connection for Your Entire Home

The way we use Wi-Fi is evolving rapidly. With more users, more devices and more bandwidth-intensive applications, your home Wi-Fi needs to be better than ever before: FAST, RELIABLE, AND ACCESSIBLE FROM ANYWHERE.

The problem is standard Wi-Fi sometimes falls short. Connectivity and performance do not always extend to every corner of your home. In fact, research shows that more than half of broadband households experience problems with Wi-Fi.

Sign up by September 29 and get the first **Two Months FREE!**

- With NHTC's Whole-Home Wi-Fi solution, you get the best possible online experience on every device, no matter where you go in your home.
- Whole-Home Wi-Fi units are easily installed to extend Wi-Fi coverage to every corner of your home.
- NHTC Whole-Home Wi-Fi offers a single, seamless network for all your Wi-Fi devices. You get the same great Wi-Fi quality everywhere you roam in your home. Enjoy the fastest band for whatever device you are using.







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NECIPES



Chicken & Vegetable Kabobs

INGREDIENTS:

- 1-pound boneless skinless chicken breasts (about 2 large breasts)
- 3 tablespoons extra-virgin olive oil
- 3 tablespoons red wine vinegar
- 2 teaspoons honey
- 4 cloves garlic, minced
- 1 tablespoon dried oregano
- 2 teaspoons dried thyme or dried rosemary
- 1 teaspoon kosher salt
- 1/2 teaspoon freshly ground black pepper
- 1 small red onion quartered into 1-inch pieces
- 1 small zucchini ends trimmed and sliced into 1/2-inch coins
- 1 small summer squash ends trimmed and sliced into 1/2-inch coins
- red bell pepper seeded and cut into 1-inch pieces
 Canola oil for grilling
 large lemon cut into wedges (optional)

FOR SERVING:

Chopped fresh herbs of choice (parsley and dill are recommended) Crumbled feta cheese

INSTRUCTIONS:

Cut the chicken breasts into 1-inch pieces. In a separate bowl whisk together olive oil, vinegar, honey, garlic, oregano, thyme, salt, and pepper, pour over the chicken and stir to coat. Place in the refrigerator to marinate for 30 minutes -3 hours. If using wooden skewers, place the skewers in water to soak for at least 20 minutes. Alternate chicken and veggies on skewers. When ready to grill, preheat the grill to medium-high heat (about 375°). Brush the grill grates with canola oil or coat with nonstick grill spray. Grill kabobs until chicken is fully cooked.



Watermelon Frescas

INGREDIENTS 8 cups Watermelon 1 cup fresh lime juice 1 cup agave nectar or 1/3 cup superfine sugar 1 splash Seltzer Lime wedges for garnishing (optional)

INSTRUCTIONS:

Puree watermelon in a food processor or blender. Add to a pitcher with lime juice and agave nectar or superfine sugar, stirring to blend; cover and refrigerate until very cold. (Can be done up to 8 hours ahead.)

Serve in glasses filled with ice, topped with a splash of seltzer and a lime wedge.



Send your recipe(s), a photo of the dish, your name, and a contact number to **theinsider@nhtc.coop**. We'll consider publishing them in upcoming newsletters!