



News from Town Hall



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December 27, 2019

Happy New Year from the Town of Pike Road!

We wish you a safe and happy holiday! What's your favorite New Year's activity? Share it with us using #mypikeroad!

HAPPY NEW YEAR!

May this year be kind and generous to us all.



Holiday Reminders:

- Town Hall will close at noon on Tuesday, Dec. 31 and remain closed Wednesday, Jan. 1, in observance of the New Year's holiday. We will reopen with regular hours on Thursday, Jan. 2.
- AmWaste, our sanitation service partner, has provided the following holiday schedule: Trash pickup will run as scheduled on Monday and Tuesday, Dec. 30 & 31. There will be no pickup on Wednesday, Jan. 1, and from Wednesday forward, all routes will be serviced on a one-day delay.
 - Wednesday routes will be serviced on Thursday, Thursday routes on Friday, and so on through Saturday, Jan. 4.

Christmas Tree Recycling Begins at Town Hall Today!

Christmas trees are the center of so many holiday memories, but what do you do with them when Christmas has passed?

There is a designated [Christmas Tree Recycling](#) area in the parking lot of Town Hall (9575 Vaughn Rd) from Dec. 27 - Jan. 7 for Pike Road residents to drop off their undecorated, live trees. Thank you in advance for helping us keep this area free of trash and full of trees!

THE TOWN OF PIKE ROAD TREE-CYCLES

December 27 - January 7



For the disposal of artificial trees or other waste items, we encourage you to utilize the monthly [County Cleanup Days](#), provided by the Montgomery County Commission. On the last Saturday of each month, unless otherwise noted, receptacles are available at the Pike Road Schools Georgia Washington Campus (696 Georgia Washington Rd) and the County Lot Office (across from The Feed Lot on Meriwether Road) for free garbage drop-off from 11 a.m. - 2 p.m. The next County Cleanup Day will be tomorrow, Dec. 28.

Kick-Start the New Year with a Plan for Healthy Lawns & Pastures: Early Start Weed Control Ag & Stewardship Seminar Jan. 10



Jan. 10: Early Start Weed Control for Lawns & Pastures

The new year brings new topics for the Ag & Stewardship Seminar Series! Join us for the first event of 2020: David Russell, of the Alabama Cooperative Extension System, will lead the Jan. 10 [Early Start Weed Control Seminar](#), to be held from 9 - 11 a.m. at Pike Road Founders Station (4902 Pike Rd).

This seminar will benefit those with pastureland, hunting land, and residential lawns. We'll discuss topics including preparation for planting, preemptive weed-control measures, uses for roundup and other herbicides, and toxic plants that pose health risks for livestock.

This is a free event, but registration is required.

Email Katy Garren at katy@pikeroad.us to register by Jan. 8!

Arts Council Events Continue in 2020: Workshops, Art Shows & More

Favorite Things Art Show Wraps Up: Place Your Vote for the People's Choice Award This Weekend!



The [Favorite Things Art Show](#) continues through Jan. 11. There are over 50 artists represented in the show, and they're just around the corner!

All are invited to view the show during weekend hours at the Pike Road Arts Center: Saturdays from 9 a.m. - 4 p.m. & Sundays from 1 - 4 p.m. While you're there, don't forget to place your vote for the People's Choice Award! One lucky voter will receive a gift card to SweetCreek Farm Market. The award winners and winning voter will be

announced during the Jan. 12 Closing Reception, 2 - 4 p.m. at the PRAC.

The Pike Road Arts Center & Water House Gallery are located at 944 Wallahatchie Road, under the water tower.

For more information, please contact Arts Council Coordinator, Patty Payne, at patty@pikeroad.us.

Jan. 12: Poured Paint Art Workshop - Register Now!

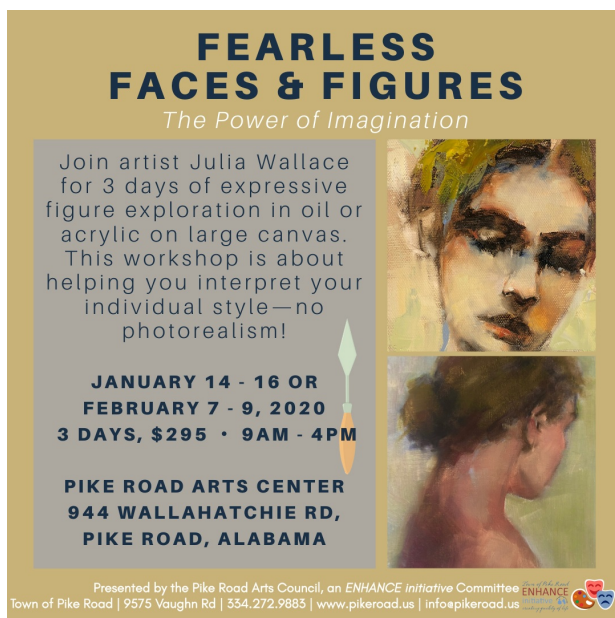


In partnership with the Pike Road Arts Council, K. Nicole Fine Arts returns to the Pike Road Arts Center on Jan. 12 for a Poured Acrylic Paint workshop!

Learn to swirl, pour and splash paints to create mesmerizing, abstract pieces from 1-4 p.m. on Sunday, Jan. 12. This event costs \$50 (bring your own supplies) - \$75 (supplies included), and is the perfect way to get creative and learn something new in 2020!

Please contact Kelly Moore at 850-258-2145 to register or learn more **no later than Jan. 8**. All payments can be made to Kelly via PayPal, check or cash. A supply list will be provided as well for those who would like to purchase their own.

Jan. 14 - 16: Fearless Faces & Figures Art Workshop - Session 1



Join artist Julia Wallace for 3 days of expressive figure exploration in oil or acrylic on large canvas. This workshop is about helping you interpret your individual style—no photorealism! You will receive plenty of one on one time at your easel...be thinking of what your goals are on your artistic journey. Julia's goal is to help you realize your creative dreams!

Choose between two sessions: Jan. 14 - 16 or Feb. 7 - 9. Classes will be held at the Pike Road Arts Center (944 Wallahatchie Rd) from 9 a.m. - 4 p.m. daily. Each session costs \$295.

All skill levels are welcome, and a full supply list will be provided after registration. [Click here to view the flyer.](#)

The deadline to register for the Jan. 14 - 16 session is January 4, and the deadline to register for the Feb. 7 - 9 session is Jan. 31. [Click here to register](#), or contact the artist at julia@juliawallacefineart.com for more information!

This workshop is presented in partnership by artist Julia Wallace and the Pike Road Arts Council, an ENHANCE initiative committee.



The 2020 Census will take place in the coming spring, bringing you the opportunity to say "I Count" and affect the future of our state.

Did you know?

- The 2020 Census will take less than ten minutes to complete.
- Census results affect funding for a variety of important programs, including highway planning and construction, Pell Grants and student loans, and healthcare.
- The population count derived from the Census determines the allocation of the 435 seats in the U.S. House of Representatives.

[Click here to learn more about the 2020 Census and how your participation makes Alabama count.](#)

Thanks for Sharing YOUR Pike Road!



These sweet smiles are coming to you from SweetCreek Farm Market, where some of our neighbors enjoyed a festive stop over the holidays. What fun!

Thank you, Tara, for sharing your family's Christmas fun with #mypikeroad!

How are you celebrating this holiday season? Let us know! We continue to encourage you to share your Pike Road pictures using #mypikeroad and tagging [@townofpikeroad](#) on social media. Who knows - you may see them somewhere soon!

Save the Date!

Dec. 27 - Jan. 7: [Christmas Tree Recycling](#), Pike Road Town Hall

Dec. 28: [Tickets Available for Pike Road Father-Daughter Dance*](#)

Dec. 28: [Montgomery County Cleanup Day](#), 10 a.m. - 2 p.m., Pike Road Schools Georgia Washington Campus or County Lot Office (across from The Feed Lot on Meriwether Rd)*

Dec. 31: Town Hall Closes at Noon in Observance of the New Year's Holiday

Jan. 1: Town Hall Closed in Observance of the New Year's Holiday

Jan. 7: Last Chance to [Recycle Christmas Trees at Town Hall](#)

Jan. 10: [Early Start Weed Control for Lawns & Pastures](#) Ag & Stewardship Seminar, 9 - 11 a.m., Pike Road Founders Station

Jan. 12: [Poured Paint Art Workshop with Kelly Moore](#), 1 - 4 p.m., Pike Road Arts Center

Jan. 12: [Favorite Things Art Show Closing Reception](#), 2 - 4 p.m., Pike Road Arts Center

Jan. 13: Planning Commission Meeting, 5:30 p.m., Pike Road Town Hall

Jan. 13: Town Council Meeting, 6 p.m. at Town Hall

Jan. 14 - 16: [Fearless Faces & Figures Art Workshop - Session 1](#), 9 a.m. - 4 p.m. daily, Pike Road Arts Center

Jan. 20: Town Hall Closed in Observance of Martin Luther King, Jr. Day

Jan. 22: Town Council Meeting, 7 a.m., Pike Road Town Hall

Please note: All items provided above are submitted to the town and approved for inclusion according to the Town of Pike Road's Communications Policy.

For more events and details, please call 334-272-9883 or email info@pikeroad.us. You can also access our online calendar at www.pikeroad.us. Please [click here for the Pike Road Schools calendar](#).

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