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Davidson College Green Ball

Save the Date - Saturday, March 12, 2016 at 7:30pm

Please Join us on Saturday evening, March 12, 2016 at 7:30 in the Lilly Gallery at Davidson College for the 11th annual Green Ball!

The Green Ball is a night of contra dancing and fun to benefit the Davidson Lands Conservancy. Featuring the music of Dennis Spring and The Sons of the Full Moon, Green Ball 2016 also has a live contra dancing caller to guide you through each dance. Never contra danced before? No worries, lessons are provided and it's great fun even if you have two left feet!

The Green Ball is hosted by the student Environmental Action Coalition on campus, with assistance from the Davidson Parks and Rec department. It is open to the public. ALL PROCEEDS WILL BENEFIT THE DAVIDSON LANDS CONSERVANCY.

To purchase tickets, please click here:

<http://greenball2016.eventbrite.com>. You can also just show up and pay at the door.

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THE GREEN BALL

A NIGHT OF DANCING, FOOD AND FUN

*Musical Artists: Dennis Spring and The Sons of the Full Moon,
followed by Catfish Disco*



Hosted by the EAC with support from Davidson Parks & Rec

MARCH 12, 2016 | 7:30 PM

THE LILLY GALLERY | DAVIDSON COLLEGE

\$8 STUDENTS | \$10 GENERAL | \$12 AT DOOR

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THE DAVIDSON LANDS CONSERVANCY***

DLC Winter/Spring Calendar

Mark your calendar for these fun events!

February

11—(7:00pm)- Lennie Lampel on "Insects" at Mooresville Public Library (LKN Wildlife)
20—WOW Outing to Dav GreenSchool/Aquaponics Lab (WOW)

March

1—Davidson Horticultural Symposium (Dav Garden Club)
9—(6:30pm-8:30pm)- Creating an Edible Landscape using Permaculture (Dav P&R)

- 10—(7:00pm)- Mike Dorcas on "Snakes" at Mooresville Public Library (LKN Wildlife)
12—(7:30pm)- Davidson College Green Ball (Dav community is welcome!)
13—(2p-4p)- Outdoor Adventure (in p/s with Dav P&R)

April

- 8—(8:00pm)- WOW Stargazing at Fisher Farm (WOW)
9—(9a-10:30a)- Composting Year-round with Leslie Willis at the DFM (Dav P&R)
9—Dav College Reptile Day
10—(2p-4p)- Outdoor Adventure (in p/s with Dav P&R)
14—(7:00pm)- Christine Lisiewski on "Wildflowers and Butterflies" at Mooresville Library (LKN Wildlife)
23—Dav Farmers Market Earth Day
23-24—Fisher Farm Campout (DLC + Dav P&R)

May

- 4—Bike/Walk to School Day
7—Town Day
7—(9-10:30a)- Vermicomposting Workshop at the Farmers Market (Dav P&R)
8—(2p-4p)- Outdoor Adventure (in partnership with Dav P&R)
21—(10a-12p)- Dav Tour de Trees with Pat Peroni on bikes

June

- 5—(2p-5p)- Davidson Gardens Open Days (Davidson Garden Club)
12—(2p-4p)- Kayak/Canoe/Paddle Board at Lake Davidson Nature Preserve (Dav P&R)

September

- 17—DLC's Run for Green!

What's Happening at Town Hall?

Stay informed about what is going on in the Rural Area

Rural Area Plan: Many citizens attended the December meeting wherein the consultant, Stantec, presented its recommendations for the rural area. The plan formally went to town staff on January 22; Staff is now reviewing and providing comment on the draft. Stantec will then update the plan and put the draft plan out for public comment. We will let you know when we hear dates for those public meetings.

For more information, see this link to the Town's website:
<http://www.ci.davidson.nc.us/1040/Rural-Area-Plan>

West Branch development: Also in mid-January, Town Hall planning staff received the site plan for the new West Branch neighborhood. According to the Town's website, the development would feature 306 housing units with 96 acres of open space, yielding 1.8 units per acre with 56.5% open space.

Meet our Spring Intern!

Davidson College student Dana Schrock begins work with the DLC

Our new intern, Dana Schrock, is originally from Illinois, and is a first year student at Davidson College. She is working towards a Political Science major and Environmental Science minor. She loves the outdoors and is very excited to be a part of DLC!



For more information, see this link on the Town's website:
<http://www.townofdavidson.org/1054/West-Branch>

DLC Honored by Davidson Rotary Club

Supporting the Christmas in Davidson Christmas Tree Village

Many thanks to the Davidson Rotary Club and to our sponsor, Frances Dawson, with Re/Max realtors in Cornelius for their generous donation to the DLC in support of the Christmas in Davidson Christmas Tree Village!