

Council Notes-June 5, 2013

For questions or information, contact the Town Hall at 886-2177 or council members at signalmountaintn.gov.

- Mayor Bill Lusk will present the annual State of the Town report at the Council's regular June 10th meeting at 6:30pm. The Council will hold a public hearing on the proposed FY 2013-14 Budget; honor Arbor Day Poster contest winners; authorize the purchase of a Public Works dump truck; appoint members to the Conservation Easement Working Group; consider an amendment to the Intoxicating Liquors Ordinance; and on first reading, vote on the proposed FY 2013-14 Budget Ordinance, the FY 2012-13 Budget Amendment, and an amendment correcting a contradiction in the Sign Ordinance.
- On May 30th, UTC's Dr. Jennifer Boyd presented a program at the Library to address the wooly adelgid now seriously threatening mountain hemlocks. For those unable to attend, a Hemlock Help Clinic followed by a Facilitator Workshop will be held on Saturday, June 22, beginning at 9am at the Bachman Community Center. Reservations are required. For more information, contact Barbara Womack at bgwomack@epbfi.com.
- The Tree Board's "Save the Hemlocks" initiative is accepting donations to treat trees infected by the wooly adelgid in public parks such as Green Gorge and Mabbitt Springs. Checks made out to the SM Tree Board designated to "Save the Hemlocks" are tax deductible. Please drop off or mail donations to the Town Hall.
- The second week of playground camp is June 10-14. Pickup basketball is scheduled from June 10-28.
- There is still time to register for Summer Camps at the MACC. The Signal Mountain Music Festival begins June 10-14 along with classes in Beginning Classical Guitar; Acoustic Guitar Chords; Painting: Light and Color; Martial Arts for Beginners; and Zumbatonic. Go to signalmountainmacc.org for more information or to register.