

BLACKVILLE COMMUNITY NEWSLETTER



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**PAINE COLLEGE ENRICHMENT
SUMMER PROGRAM**

The Paine College Department of Mathematics, Sciences and Technology announced that it will offer the Minority Science and Engineering Improvement Program (MSEIP) starting June 14, 2021 and ending July 13, 2021. The deadline to register is June 4, 2021. The Paine MSEIP is targeted for graduating high school seniors and students who are enrolled in grades 9-12. Interested participants may access the Application to Register by visiting www.paine.edu. Although registration is free, participants will receive a stipend of \$1,000 upon successfully completing the four-week program that will be delivered in a virtual environment.

For more information, the public may contact the Office of Communications and Marketing at 706.821.8323, Hcarter@paine.edu, or contact the Department of Mathematics, Sciences and Technology at Ssonne@paine.edu.

This text has also been posted on the @UVillageCSRA Facebook page.

**REGISTRATION DEADLINE EXTENDED
SUMMER ENRICHMENT PROGRAM**

JUNE 15, 2021

Student, Volunteer And Employee Applications available at Blackville CDC office, 5983 Lartigue Street, Blackville, SC, [\(803\) 284-0735](tel:8032840735).

For additional information, contact Lenon Brooker at (803) 943-2099 or lenbrooker@centurylink.net

COVID -19 Funeral Assistance

The FEMA Funeral Reimbursement Program will launch in a week or two. FEMA is reimbursing up to \$7,000.00 for COVID-19 funerals to any family member who paid for a funeral. Please keep funeral documentation. COVID-19 Funeral Assistance <http://FEMA.gov>
<https://www.fema.gov/disasters/coronavirus/economic/funeral-assistance>

Please share this information.

“SUMMER POP UP SHOP”

June 26, 2021

9:00 am – 3:00pm

**Blackville Community Center
Grounds**

**Vendors, Music, Arts, Crafts,
Food, Entertainment**

Contact information [blackvillemusicandart
festival@gmail.com](mailto:blackvillemusicandartfestival@gmail.com)

**803 671-3121, 706 339-4614,
803 565-3226, 803 300-3486**

**CONGRATULATIONS!!!
BHHS and JDA
CLASS OF 2021**

SCHOOL NEWS

June 6, Baccalaureate Service, 2:00pm, High School Auditorium
June 11, Graduation, 6:00pm
June 16, Last day of school

MEETINGS

- **June 3**, Blackville Community Development Corporation, Virtual, 4:30pm
- **June 7**, Music and Arts Festival Committee, BDDA Building, 6:00pm
- **June 8**, County Council, SCA Building, Barnwell, 6:00pm
- **June 14**, BHHS, District 19, School Board Meeting, 293 Pascallas, 6:30pm
- **June 21**, Blackville Town Council, Community Center, 6:30pm
- **June 24**, Blackville Downtown Development Corporation, 19247 Sol Blatt Avenue, 6:00pm
- **June 28**, Barnwell-Blackville NAACP, Macedonia Baptist Church, 6:00pm

HAPPY BIRTHDAY

June 1, Ethel Washington
June 1, Mrs. Ada Felton (98 years)
June 2, Allan Harrison
June 4, Rev. Inez Raysor
June 4, Doris P. Williams
June 5, Lucille Kearse
June 10, Robbie James
June 13, Edwin Felton, Jr.
June 15, Lorrane Harley
June 20, Dan James Felder
June 22, Dyann Felder
June 24, Shirley Nix
June 27, Kanne Peebles
June 30, Haley Norris

"Town of Blackville is an Equal Opportunity Employer."

BLACKVILLE DOWNTOWN DEVELOPMENT ASSOCIATION

BDDA is selling Memorial bricks to honor citizens who are or were members of the community:

e.g. - In honor of Jane Smith

e.g. - In memory of Smith family

Bricks are \$75.00(seventy-five), applications are available at Town Hall or Library.

For additional information, call 803 671-5638, 803 284-2295 or 803 300-1308

SC Housing - SC Stay Plus

A federally funded program to assist South Carolina residents in need of rental and utility assistance whose finances have been impacted by the COVID-19 pandemic.

Learn more about the program @schousing.com/Home/SC-Stay-Plus or call 803 336-3420

LIBRARY NEWS

The Summer Reading Challenge Starting June 1, 2021

Everyone who completes at least ten reading challenges will be entered into a gift card drawing at the end of the summer. Register at abelibsc.readsquared.com and track your progress online or stop by the Blackville Library and pick up a Summer Reading Challenge sheet to track your progress on paper. Follow ABBE Summer Reading on Facebook and check out www.abbe-lib.org for more information. Additional information call 803 284-2295

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