

A Joyful Reunion

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The Heartbeat

On January 28, 2020, Ms. Sherby Lee was reunited with the Farmville Police Officers who saved her life in the early morning hours of November 15, 2019.

That morning, the officers responded to a single vehicle crash in the 1600 block of East Third Street. When they arrived on the scene, the vehicle was fully involved with flames and smoke. Finding Ms. Lee unconscious in the driver's seat, Officer Dalton Foley cut the seat belt and removed her from the burning vehicle while Officer Martin checked for additional passengers. Ms. Lee was taken to VCU Hospital in serious but stable condition.

Fast forward to January, and the officers were reunited with Ms. Lee at the Farmville Train Station. All were happy to see one another and overcome with emotion as they relived that harrowing morning. After a short ceremony and a few words from Chief Andy Ellington and Mayor David Whitus, family and friends were able to visit with the officers and express their gratitude.



Town Council Work Session

First Wednesday of the Month | February 5th | 11:00 am

Town Council Meeting

Second Wednesday of the Month | February 12th | 10:00 am

Planning Commission Open House—Comprehensive Plan and Zoning Ordinance

Wednesday, February 19th | 7:00 pm

Finance and Ordinance Committee Meeting

Thursday, February 27th | 9:00 am

Valentine's Day

Friday, February 14th

President's Day

Monday, February 17th | Town offices are closed

LCVA Biennial Winter Gala

Saturday, February 15th | 8:00 pm | Blackwell Ballroom | Longwood University

Public Meetings

February Events

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Anyone in the Farmville community, not just parents, employees and students, can sign up for emergency text alerts from Longwood? All you have to do is go to alerts.longwood.edu and click the "Sign Up For Email/Text Alerts" tab at the top of the page.



Special Farmville-Prince Edward

Historical Society Program

Free and open to the public!

In celebration of Black History Month the Farmville-Prince Edward County Historical Society will be hosting a presentation by the Library of Virginia on Tuesday, February 18, 2020, at 6:00 p.m. at the Farmville Train Station. Archivist Greg Crawford will speak about the Virginia Untold project which provides greater accessibility to African American history and genealogy contained in Library of Virginia collections. This project includes digitizing thousands of records, dating from the 1600s through 1865, that pertain to African Americans both enslaved and free in the State of Virginia.



Temporary Signs

A reminder to citizens and businesses that a Temporary Sign Permit must be obtained before placement of temporary signs. See www.farmvilleva.com for a permit application and regulations, or call the Zoning Office at (434) 392-8465.

Temporary signs may include, but are not limited to, real estate directional signs (signs not on the actual property for sale), signs for sales or special promotions, tall flag type vertical signs, and signs advertising services such as roofing or landscaping. Any unpermitted signs will be removed and must be picked up by the owner at Public Works within 30 days.



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