

APRIL 2023

# COMMUNITY CENTER NEWS

A newsletter for the Railroad Depot, French Broad Community Center & Mary C. Jenkins Community & Cultural Center

## FRENCH BROAD COMMUNITY CENTER EVENTS

### BREVARD DUPLICATE BRIDGE CLUB

TUESDAY, WEDNESDAY & FRIDAY (WEEKLY)

TIME: 9:00AM - 5:00PM

CONTACT INFO: PAM HARPOOTLIAN - (803) 237-3816

### NARCOTICS ANONYMOUS MEETINGS

TUESDAY & THURSDAY (WEEKLY)

TIME: 6:00PM - 8:30PM

CONTACT INFO: SHELLY SIMMONS - (828) 384-5188

### ALCOHOL ANONYMOUS MEETINGS

MONDAY & WEDNESDAY (WEEKLY)

TIME: 4:30PM - 7:00PM

CONTACT INFO: KAREN CIBELLA - (828) 553-0240

### FEATURES

1. ADA ACCESSIBLE
2. CHAIRS
3. MEETING ROOMS
4. PARKING
5. RESTROOMS
6. TABLES

THIS FACILITY IS  
AVAILABLE FOR CIVIC  
GROUPS & ORGANIZATIONS  
ON A FIRST COME, FIRST  
SERVED BASIS.



Narcotics Anonymous





# MARY C. JENKINS COMMUNITY & CULTURAL CENTER

## Poetry Contest 2023

Open to all Transylvania County residents

Theme: Joy! Awe! What Lights You Up!



2022 Poetry Winners

### Mary C. Jenkins Community and Cultural Center Poetry Contest

The Mary C. Jenkins Community and Cultural Center Board is hosting the third annual poetry contest to celebrate re-establishing the community center in the historic Rosenwald area.

Poems will be collected during March 1-31. Winners will be notified in April. Awards ceremony is Saturday, May 6th in the afternoon at the Community Center.

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#### ALL AGES!

Poems judged by ages:  
0-elementary school,  
middle, high, & adult

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#### CASH PRIZES!

\$100 winner in each  
category  
\$50 honorable mention

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#### THEME 2023

Describe what lights  
you up, fills you with  
joy, awe, goose bumps

### Rules

1. Any words count as poem
2. Poem relates to theme
3. One entry per person in March



### To Enter Your Poem

#### Send Poem with:

1. name
2. age
3. school grade
4. phone number
5. address
6. If under 18 years old, adult contact info also.

#### Drop off or mail to:

MCJCC Poetry Contest, 221 Mills Ave., Brevard, NC 28712

#### Send in by Email:

[info@marycjenkins.org](mailto:info@marycjenkins.org)

coming home  
women's  
RETREAT



save the date

April 29, 2023 | 8:00A - 4:00P

Mary C. Jenkins Community and Cultural Center | Brevard, NC

your facilitators:



Nicola Karesh



Sheila Mooney



Courtney Whiteside



Rebecca Wynn

More details to follow!

Mary C. Jenkins  
Community &  
Cultural Center

VOLUNTEERS  
NEEDED!

WE NEED  
HELP NOW:

Special Events!  
Exercise Activities (Classes)  
Gardening (Beginning in Spring!)

BECOME A  
VOLUNTEER

Call us at (828) 376-9303 or  
send us an email at:  
info@MaryCJenkins.org  
Looking forward to your help!

Info & register:

marycjenkins.org/volunteer



Mary C. Jenkins  
Community Center  
221 Mills Ave.  
Brevard, NC 28712

YOGA FOR  
HEALTHY AGING



WHATEVER YOUR AGE,  
WHEREVER YOU ARE AT,  
BEGINNING A YOGA  
PRACTICE FOR HEALTHY  
AGING WILL SERVE YOU  
BOTH TODAY AND IN THE  
LONG RUN.

Instructor Mary  
Piersa has taught  
hundreds of  
yoga classes and  
is Certified in  
Yoga for Healthy  
Aging

Tuesday's  
& Thursday's  
9:00 AM to 10:00 AM

AND MIND RELAX YOUR BODY, SOUL,  
\*No yoga  
experience  
needed



# DEPOT RAILROAD AVENUE PARK

**LOCATED AT 390 RAILROAD AVENUE, THE DEPOT RAILROAD AVENUE PARK HAS A LARGE PUBLIC PARKING AREA ALLOWING EASY ACCESS TO THE ESTATOE TRAIL SYSTEM.**

**THE DEPOT PARK INCLUDES A 13-FOOT WHIMSICAL BALLERINA SCULPTURE AND A NATIVE PLANT GARDEN FEATURING OVER 30 DIFFERENT SPECIES OF NATIVE PLANTS AND SHRUBS.**

**THE DEPOT BUILDING INCLUDES PUBLIC RESTROOMS AND INDOOR/OUTDOOR MULTI-USE AREAS THAT CAN BE RESERVED BY THE PUBLIC FOR EVENTS. PLEASE SEE THE DEPOT RAILROAD AVENUE PARK USE POLICY & RENTAL AGREEMENT FOR CURRENT FEE SCHEDULE.**

## FEATURES

- 1. ADA ACCESSIBLE**
- 2. INTERNET**
- 3. MULTI-USE PATH**
- 4. PARKING**
- 5. PARTY/EVENT RENTAL**
- 6. PAVILION**
- 7. PICNIC TABLES**
- 8. RESTROOMS**

