

BLAND COUNTY

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Wytheville-Wythe-Bland **Chamber of Commerce** 75th Annual Membership Meeting & Awards Banquet WYTHE BLAND CHAMBER OF COMMERCE





Bland County Economic Development Authority

Bland County Business & Industry of the Year







COMMUNITY INTEREST

Bland County Treasurer's office is selling dog tags for 2022

Current dog tags expire on December 31, 2021.

Real Estate and Personal Property tax tickets for 2021 were mailed in October.

The due date of payment of taxes is December 6, 2021.

If you have any questions, Please contact

Bland County Treasurer's Office

276-688-3741

Crisis for repairs on heating equipment runs November 1, 2021 through March 15, 2022

Crisis for heating fuel starts January 3, 2022 through March 15, 2022

Please apply online
at: www.commonhelp.virginia.gov
1-855-635-4370
or at the Bland County DSS
276-688-4111
612 Main St
Bland, VA 24315

Bland County Victim Witness Assistance Program

276.688.3206

According to statistics, domestic abuse increases over the holidays, for a number of possible reasons:

Stress from holiday shopping, finances, and planning can aggravate volatile personalities.

Abusers are more likely to partake of alcohol or drugs when they don't have to work.

Simple opportunity: abuser are more likely to be home alone with their victims than at other times of the year.

Virginians Against Domestic Violence...757-221-0990

Or call 911 for immediate help!

Wishing You, Safe and Healthy
Holidays

The Bland County Commissioner of the Revenue's office has once again joined in a partnership with the IRS to gain access for our citizens to e-file their taxes for *free* during the upcoming tax season.

Contact our office for the links or for any questions at 276-688-4291



Contact: Sara King at 276-688 - 4111 or by email: sara.king@dss.virginia.gov

THE BLAND COUNTY FAIR ASSOCIATION AND BEAUTIFICATION COMMITTEE PRESENT

A Christmas to Remember

SATURDAY, DECEMBER 4TH 2021
MAIN STREET, DOWNTOWN BLAND

12:00 PM

Event Schedule

PARADE 12:00 PM

CHRISTMAS AT THE LIBRARY

1:00-4:00 PM

Photos with Santa. Crafts. Refreshments. Door Prizes.
Scholastic Book Fair to benefit
Bland Elementary School Library.







Parade Information

No registration required.

Parade Line-up- 11:30 AM @ Bland Elementary School.

Float Riders- Anyone under the age of 12 must be accompanied by an adult. Each unit is responsible for the safety of the riders and must make safety provisions.

Candy- Candy, prizes and/or other material must be handed, not thrown from float vehicles. **Drivers**- All parade entry drivers must have a valid driver's license and remain with vehicles or units at all times.

Horses & Animals- All units having animals must make arrangements to have droppings removed immediately. No motorized vehicle can be used for picking up the droppings.

Droppings cannot be dumped at the parade disband area.

All units- Please keep the parade moving at all times.

PARTICIPANTS AGREE TO ENTER A UNIT IN THE PARADE AT THEIR OWN RISK.

PLEASE WATCH OUT FOR EACH OTHER, FOR A SAFE AND FUN EVENT.

EAT LOCAL! ENJOY LUNCH IN TOWN.

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EVENTS CALENDAR

DECEMBER 2021

December 4— Christmas Parade @ 12:00 pm

December 6—Planning Commission Meeting @ 6:00 pm

December 14—EDA Meeting @ 5:00 pm

December 21—Children's Services Act Meeting @ 9:30 am

December 21—Service Authority Meeting @ 4:00 pm

December 21—Board of Supervisors Meeting @ 5:00 pm

December 23-24—Christmas Holiday County Administration Offices Closed

December 30-31—New Years Day Holiday County Administration Offices Closed

JANUARY 2022

January 3—Board of Supervisors Reorganizational Meeting @ 4:00 pm

January 3—Planning Commission Meeting @ 6:00 pm

January 6—Wireless Authority Meeting @ 5:00 pm

January 11—EDA Meeting @ 5:00 pm

January 17—Martin Luther King, Jr Holiday County Administration Offices Closed

January 18—Children's Services Act Meeting @ 9:30 am

January 25—Service Authority Meeting @ 4:00 pm

January 25—Board of Supervisors Meeting @ 5:00 pm

FEBRUARY 2022

February 7—Planning Commission Meeting @ 6:00 pm

February 8—EDA Meeting @ 5:00 pm

February 15—Children's Services Act Meeting @ 9:30 am

February 21—George Washington Day Holiday
County Administration Offices Closed

February 22—Service Authority Meeting @ 4:00 pm

February 22—Board of Supervisors Meeting @ 5:00 pm



Meeting dates and times are subject to change due to COVID 19.

Please call Bland County Administration for more information: 276-688-4622