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MEETING TYPE:	Board of Alderman
DATE:	January 12th, 2026
SUBMITTED BY:	Jessica St. Martin, Parks and Recreation Director
ITEM TYPE:	Report
AGENDA SECTION:	Departmental Reports
SUBJECT:	**December Report**

DETAILS:

Events

- Senior lunch & Bingo was held on Wednesday, December 3rd at Trinity Lutheran Church. There were 25 in attendance.
- The Campfire Christmas at the Lake was a wonderful event. Approximately 300 people attended the event. We had complimentary S'more Kits, Hot cocoa and Cider. Kids visited with Santa and Rudolph, crafted a Jingle Bell tree ornament, and played inside an inflatable Snow Globe.
- The 125 event has secured the Almost Classic Band for Friday night and the Band of Oz for Saturday night.

Event Calendar 2026

Easter Egg-Stravaganza- March 28th
125th Celebration- May 1st & 2nd
National Night Out – August 4th
Touch A Truck- September 25th
Fall Fest / Trunk or Treat- October 24th
South Rowan Parade / Tree Lighting- November 24th
Campfire Christmas- December 12th

Cruise In Dates: April 3rd, May 1st, June 5th, July 3rd, August 7th, September 4th
Senior Lunch & Bingo Dates: February 4th, April 1st, June 3rd, August 5th, October 7th, December 2nd

Park Operations

- The park staff continues routine maintenance. Pruning bushes, leaf blowing trails, campsites, and picnic areas, and trash pickup along trails and lakesides.
- The park staff continues to split wood and stack the sheds for firewood.
- The park is still receiving cabin reservations.
- The new entrance gate installation is tentatively scheduled for mid-January.

Pool Operations:

- Connor Construction began the pool resurfacing project. The plaster has been chipped out and new waterline tiles and main drain covers have been installed. The project's estimated time of completion is by January 15th.

Campsite Reservations: 5   **Shelter Rentals**: 0   **Daily Fishing Passes Sold**: 75
Annual Passes Sold: 0   **NC State License**: 6   **Boat Registration:** 1
2020 Ford Explorer Mileage: 78863
Ford F250 Mileage: 174,417