

THE CONNECTION NEWSLETTER

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NORTH CAROLINA

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Website

www.cityofclaremont.org

Our Social Side

Facebook/CityofClaremont

REMINDERS:

City Hall will be **CLOSED** Monday, January 15th in observation of Martin Luther King Day

Curbside Leaf Collection

November-January (Throughout the week as time permits)

Yard Debris & Bulk Trash Pick-ups
Every Monday
7:00 a.m. - 3:30 p.m.

Recycle Collection Dates:

Wednesday, January 10th
Wednesday, January 24th



CLAREMONT RECYCLES.

2018 City Council Meeting Schedule

Monday, January 8th	Monday, July 9th
Monday, February 5th	Monday, August 6th
Monday, March 5th	Monday, Sept. 10th
Monday, April 2nd	Monday, October 1st
Monday, May 7th	Monday, November 5th
Monday, June 4th	Monday, December 3rd

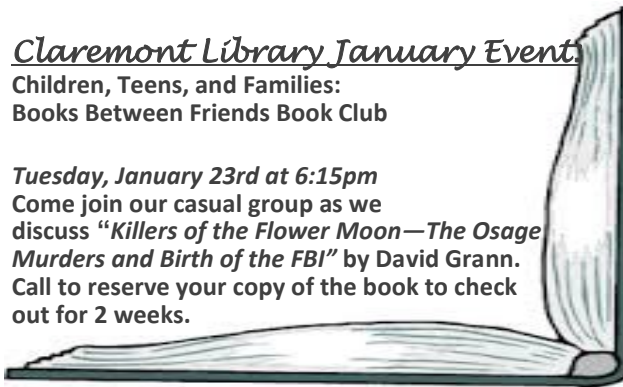
2018 Recreation Committee Meetings

Monday, January 29th	Tuesday, August 7th
Tuesday, March 6th	Tuesday, September 4th
Tuesday, April 3rd	Tuesday, October 2nd
Tuesday, May 1st	Tuesday, November 6th
Tuesday, June 5th	Tuesday, December 4th
Tuesday, July 10th	

Claremont Library January Event

Children, Teens, and Families:
Books Between Friends Book Club

Tuesday, January 23rd at 6:15pm
Come join our casual group as we discuss *"Killers of the Flower Moon—The Osage Murders and Birth of the FBI"* by David Grann. Call to reserve your copy of the book to check out for 2 weeks.



Claremont Youth Council Backpack for Kids Food Drive:

In Memory of Sandra Miller

Kick-off event is on January 13th from 10am-12pm at City Hall. Bring food items by during this time. You can find a list of recommended items on the City website, at City Hall or on the Facebook page. After the January 13th kick-off, there will be boxes for drop-off at City Hall, Claremont Automotive, Healthsmart Pharmacy, Crown Merchants and Boxcar through March.

The new 2018 Recycling Collection Pick-Up Schedule is now available at City Hall and at www.cityofclaremont.org.



Don't forget to put your live Christmas trees at the curb for disposal by Public Works. Pick-ups will be on Mondays and throughout the week as time permits.

17 WAYS to WINTERIZE YOUR HOME

- AUDIT HOME ENERGY USE** to save up to 30% on heating/cooling costs annually
- CUT DOWN DEAD TREE LIMBS** to avoid damage to your roof
- PREVENT ICE DAMS** to avoid leaks and outside damages to your property
- SET CEILING FANS TO RUN CLOCKWISE** to cut heating costs by 10% and push warm air downward
- LOWER THERMOSTAT** while you're not at home to save up to 10% on utility costs
- SET WATER HEATER TEMP TO 120°** and save 3-5% on heating costs
- HAVE A CHIMNEY SWEEP INSPECT YOUR FIREPLACE** for safe wintertime use
- CLOSE FIREPLACE DAMPER WHEN NOT IN USE** to reduce heat loss
- INSULATE YOUR HOME** and save up to 40% in heating/cooling bills
- LEAVE CABINET DOORS OPEN** to prevent bursting pipes on nights when the temp dips below freezing
- CHANGE BATTERIES** in carbon monoxide and smoke detectors
- INSTALL STORM DOORS AND WINDOWS** to cut heating/cooling costs by up to 33%
- SEAL AIR LEAKS** with caulk or weather stripping to save 5-10% in energy costs
- REPLACE/CLEAN AIR FILTERS CONSISTENTLY** to save 5-15% on utility costs
- INSTALL A DOOR DRAFT GUARD** to keep cold air from entering
- WEAR WARM CLOTHING** or use a blanket to keep from cranking up the heat
- HANG THICK CURTAINS** to insulate windows

ENJOY YOUR WINTER!