

from City Hall...

City Council will NOT MEET in this month. City Hall will be closed on Monday, January 19 for ML King holiday. Garbage pick-up will be Tuesday, January 20

RECYCLING Fridays—January 2, 16, & 30

STORM WATER DRAIN CONCERNS

Washing Cars

When you wash your car on the driveway or in the street, all of the wash water runs down to a curb and into the nearest storm drain which leads right to a river or stream. If you must wash your vehicle, try to use products that do not harm the environment, and consider washing the vehicle on grass, gravel or a porous area in your yard that will absorb the water rather than carrying it to a storm drain.

Trash and Litter

Litter collects on top of drains causing potential flooding by not allowing water to enter the drain fast enough during a storm. When litter is washed into creeks and streams, it has harmful effects on the drinking water supply, on recreational water use, and on wildlife. Make sure your trash is properly disposed of and avoid littering. When you see trash and debris in your neighborhood, pick it up and dispose of it properly.

Rain Gardens

Every time it rains, fertilizers, pesticides, debris and other pollutants wash across lawns and driveways and down into the streets and into the nearest storm drain. From there these pollutants go directly into a river, lake or stream. A Rain Garden holds the water on the landscape so the water soaks into the ground instead of running into the storm drain. Information for making a rain garden can be found at

www.pierce.wsu.edu/Water_Quality/LID/Planting_the_raingarden.pdf

"Keep it Clean, Drains to Stream"

JANUARY IN BOGART

Saturday, January 17 ...5:30

Annual Chicken Stew Dinner

@Bogart United Methodist Church

Tuesday, Jan. 20... 7 pm...Friends Bookstore

Bogart Junior Women's Club

Open to all ladies in Bogart area...come join us



*Congratulations and much appreciation
to City Clerk, Diane Craft,
for 30 years of service to Bogart!*

Community Help

A.C.T.S. (E. Thompson St.) is open on Tuesdays and Fridays, 9 am-1 pm... A Food Pantry and other assistance is available for those in need.

DONATIONS ARE ALWAYS WELCOME

Our local FIRE DEPARTMENT will provide free smoke alarms for senior citizens and families with children who need them. Please contact Glen at lgcain@yahoo.com for more information or to apply for this free service.



Happy New Year

*Wishing you
a song in your heart
and blessings
all year long.*



RECYCLING PICK-UP

Use the cans provided, please
Fridays...January 2, 16 & 30

At the LIBRARY...

Stop by the library, call (770) 725-9443, or check out the library website: www.athenslibrary.org/bogart

You will find a complete listing of all the fun activities Ms. Donna has planned for this month:

Story and playtimes for babies & toddlers, Family Nights, Book club meeting for boys and girls, craft projects, and a wonderful selection of books for everyone in the family to enjoy on these chilly January days.

READ TO ROVER

Thursday, January 15...4-5 pm
Come any time during the hour to read with a furry friend



LIBRARY CLOSED on

Monday, January 19...ML King Holiday

COMPUTER CLASSES

Tuesday, January 20... 10 am-noon
Friday, January 23...pick your time for individual help on the topic of your choice sign up at the Library

VISIT the Friends' BOOKSTORE

on Main Street

Open: Tuesday & Thursday 5-7 pm
Thurs/Fri 10 am -Noon Saturday 10am-2pm



Happy 70th Birthday, TL Collins

SAVE THE DATE: Saturday, April 11
2nd Annual Spring Fling

hosted by the

Bogart Junior Women's Club & Fall Festival Committee
On Main Street