



# Fall Newsletter 2019

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## Town of Hot Springs

### 2019 SCHEDULE of EVENTS

Fall in the Bald Mountains of the Pisgah Forest means a spectacular splash of color over every peak and valley. The Hot Springs Welcome Center can show you the best Scenic Drives throughout the area.



While you're here you'll find some exciting events in and around our mountain town this time of year. Some of our many continuing Fall activities include - *camping, tubing, horseback riding, hiking, dining, shopping, body massages, clay shooting, gem mining, zip-lining* and more!

*Dates and times are subject to change. Check ahead for any cancellations or rescheduling of events prior to arrival.*

- September 24    *Terry Roberts - Reading & Book Signing*  
October 12        *Spring Creek Harvest Festival & Car Show*  
October 12        *BBQ for Books at Broadwing Farm Fundraiser*  
December 7        *Town Christmas Parade & Celebration*

For More Info about these Events, and More, see our online [Events Calendar](#)

## Hot Springs Welcome Center Update:

At the Welcome Center in downtown Hot Springs, we strive to keep you updated on current events and happenings in our area. Our friendly staff is here to answer questions and



make suggestions about **lodging, restaurants, and places to explore**. Inside are several exhibits which describe our rich history and the natural world around us. Stop by or give us a call at 828-622-9932.

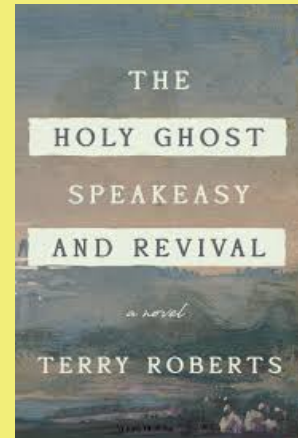
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***Learn More at [HotSpringsNC.org](http://HotSpringsNC.org)***

**The Friends of Hot Springs Library has 2 upcoming events to share with you. We hope you can join us!**

**"An Evening with Terry Roberts"**

**Nationally Recognized, Award Winning Local Author Presents a Reading and Book Signing from his New Novel:  
*The Holy Ghost Speakeasy and Revival***



**Tuesday, September 24th  
7:00 pm Hot Springs Welcome Center**

**BBQ for BOOKS - Library Fundraiser**

**Saturday, October 12, 4 to 8 PM  
Broadwing Farm  
20 Berry Wills Road**

Pete & Mary Dixon are hosting their 3rd Annual "Barbecue for Books" at Broadwing Farm!



**Featuring Live Music By:  
PHILLIP SOLOMON AND THE GUYS  
MISS CINDY AND THE KNOCKIN' BOOTS**

Like last year, the BBQ for Books donations they receive from you, our generous community, will be going to the Hot Springs Library Building Fund.

They'll be serving up lovely BBQ, too many sides, something sweet and tasty beverages for a suggested donation of \$25 per person. There will be live music for your listening pleasure.

For more info, email [mary@broadwingfarmcabins.com](mailto:mary@broadwingfarmcabins.com)

## Want to Know More About Local Ginseng?

### [Check out our Blog for this 5-part series](#)

The author of this series, Jim Hickey, provides a detailed and informative account of this mysterious and exotic plant.



The title of his work is [A Ginseng Rhizome Nexus in the Woods](#)

### [Leaf Peak: It's Coming Sooner than You Think](#)

This summer has once again been somewhat hot, humid and wet. Visitors and locals alike have been hitting the river and the local mountain swimming holes in search of relief from the heat.



School has started now meaning the fall season and cooler weather will soon be here!

The mountains and hiking trails of the surrounding Pisgah National Forest make for some spectacular picture taking opportunities. This year the US Forest Service has repaired the **Rich Mountain Fire Tower**. The views of the surrounding Bald and Walnut Mountains are absolutely impressive. The tower is now open for the public to enjoy and appreciate.

Feel free to stop by the Welcome Center for directions and maps detailing any of the local trails for you to explore.

**Note:** Leaf season is also a busy time of year for tourism and many area cabins and rooms reserve quickly. You can research and reserve online the many local places available to rent at [HotSpringsNC.org](http://HotSpringsNC.org)

## Looking for Sunday worship services?

***Check out these area Churches.***

There are several houses of worship in our neighborhood that are open to the public and are happy to receive you as a guest.

### **Antioch United Methodist Church**

44 Grassy Creek Rd, Hot Springs

### **Hot Springs First Baptist Church**

Meadow Lane, Downtown Hot Springs

### **Solid Rock Full Gospel Church**

4154 NW Hwy 25-70, Hot Springs, Phone: (423) 972-2944

### **Dorland Memorial Presbyterian Church**

61 Bridge St. Downtown Hot Springs

### **Fairview United Methodist Church**

202 Fairview Loop, Hot Springs Phone: (828) 622-7272

### **Hot Springs Freewill Baptist Church**

772 River Road, Hot Springs

### **Church of God**

345 Upper Shut In Rd, Hot Springs, NC 28743. Phone: (828) 622-7272

*[Also, see our Website for Service Times and Photos](#)*

#### **Hot Springs Welcome Center**

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*If you would like a story or event listed here,  
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Hot Springs Welcome Center.*

***Give us a call or  
stop by today!***

STAY CONNECTED

