

Downtown Sylva Association

F E B R U A R Y N E W S L E T T E R



3rd Annual Father Daughter Dance

February 5, 2010

6:00 pm - 8:30 pm

First United Methodist Church
in downtown Sylva

Registration applications online at

www.downtownsylva.org

\$25 per couple,

\$5 for additional daughters



Grand Opening
February 26th
Check out our line-up of events!

Join us for an all day event and ribbon cutting of our new location at 633 W. Main St., formerly Shot in the Dark Cafe. Lucy and Justin have moved onto greener pastures and sold the place to John Bubacz. Friday, February 26th will be an all day event with live music in the evening. Free coffee and espresso and pastry samples throughout the day with door prizes, children's events, a coffee roasting demonstration and even a new art show! We will hold a raffle for free coffee for a year. Register now at our new location. Our hours will be as follows, Monday-Thursday 7am-6pm, Friday 7am-10pm, Saturday 9am-10pm and Sunday noon-5. Google the words "signature brew coffee company on facebook" to find out more or call 828.631.3000. Best yet is visit in person! Signature Brew features Fresh baked pastries from Bubacz's first location, Underground, from Mad Batter Bakery & Cafe in Cullowhee and from Harvey and David's Catering in Cherokee. Of course, the coffee is roasted on site and is always Fair Trade and Organic. Signature Brew is open now and features 10% off for DSA partners for the month of February. John hopes you will visit and sample the newness!

Valentine's Day Happenings

Restaurant 553 will be open on Valentines day offering special dishes and is currently accepting reservations.

Lulu's will be celebrating Valentine's Day with a special feature menu on both Friday and Saturday nights.

Papou's Wine Shop and Bar will host a Valentine's Day wine tasting on February 13th from 2pm-5pm.

Remember **Yesterday's Tree** for your Valentines Day goodies. Here you will find heart shaped frames, chocolate scented candles (not to mention tons of other scents!), jute tote bags, or the coolest recycled wine bags. Let us help you put together something extra special for your special someone! Check us out on Facebook!

It's by Nature has returned from their winter break and invite you to stop by and visit their newly expanded jewelry section-just in time for Valentine's Day. We are celebrating w February 5th-14th with the following specials.

**Free Sunshine jewelry cleaning cloth with any jewelry purchase of \$50 or more while supplies last.

**Free Essential Journeys lip balm with SPF with every purchase of \$25.00 or more-while supplies last.

**Discounts on Essential Journeys soaps and lotions when purchased as a set.

Your Gnometown
Cookbook



Heinzelmännchen Brewery's
Favorite Recipes

Join three great local businesses, **City Lights**, **Spring Street** and **Heinzelmännchen Brewery** as they partner to bring you **Great Food, Great Books, Great Beer!**

City Lights is hosting a book signing for *Your Gnometown Cookbook*, *Heinzelmännchen Brewery's Favorite Recipes* Thursday, Feb 25 from 6:30 - 8 p.m. Then take your purchased cookbook to Spring Street Cafe for a special dinner offer from 6:30 - 9 p.m. and enjoy food & beer pairings as well as food made with Heinzelmännchen Beer. Reservations are recommended for dinner at Spring Street Cafe.

Downtown Sylva Merchant's New Winter Hours

Papou's Wine Shop and Bar: Through February, we will be open Tuesday, Wednesday, Thursday and Saturday from 10 - 6 pm an Friday from 10 - 8 pm. We will adjust these hours when we have events scheduled.

Restaurant 553: Now open 7 days a week starting at 4:00 pm for appetizers and 5:00 pm for dinner.

Eric's Fresh Fish Market: NOW OPEN: WEDNESDAY - FRIDAY 1 -6; SATURDAY 9 -2 (or sold out!) Email Eric (freshfishmarket@gmail.com) to be added to weekly e-Newsletter (fresh inventory, specials, tons of recipes and informative links); visit the Fish Market on [Facebook](#) or [Eric's Fresh Fish Market web-site!](#)

Make Eric's Fresh Fish Market your source for the Freshest Fish in the Mountains!

It's By Nature: Tuesday-Saturday 10:30 AM-5:30 PM

Art designs sought for desks in new library

The Jackson County Public Library and the Friends of the Jackson County Main Library are inviting local artists to submit art designs for the Circulation Desk, Children's Desk and Reference Desk in the new Jackson County Public Library Complex.

All media will be considered including metal, glass, inlay, paint, tile, intarsia, and other media. The art will appear on the front and sides of the desks. Certain parameters need to be recognized such as durability, safety, and, of course, design and beauty. The time frame for project creation and information about technical needs for installation must be included in the proposals. All proposals and artist renderings must be submitted to the Jackson County Public Library by 6:00 p.m. on Monday, February 15, 2010. A select committee will review the proposals within the following two weeks. The winning designs will be announced by March 1, 2010. All artists will be notified at that time. Donnie Love, project architect, will create detailed shop drawings incorporating the design concepts. The selected artists will coordinate with the millwork contractor during the construction of the desks. By early April information about requests for proposals for the millwork on the Circulation Desk, Children's Desk and Reference Desk will be announced. Millwork on these desks will need to begin in the spring for installation in late summer or early fall, depending on the contractor's time frame.

The architectural desk plans which contain the dimensions of the desks are available as a pdf file and hard copies at the Jackson County Public Library, 755 West Main Street, Sylva. Those interested in submitting a proposal may contact Michelle Allison at the library, 828/586-2016, or via email - mallison@fontanalib.org to have the pdf file sent electronically or to ask any questions.

Spring Street Cafe

Open for business Tuesday-Saturday from 9am-9pm and Sunday for brunch from 10am-2pm. Lunch will be served from 11am-3pm and dinner from 5pm-9pm Enjoy coffee and pasties in the morning and for late afternoon snack. Visit our facebook page and website springstreetofsylva.com for updates.

D O W N T O W N H A P P E N I N G S

Heinzelmannchen Brewery

February Food and Beer Pairing

Host restaurant: **Dillsboro Chocolate**

Factory

Date: February 5th from 5-8 pm

Join us for a sample of Heinzelmannchen Beers and Dillsboro Chocolates. No charge for this event.

Get ready for the Super Bowl

Reserve your kegs now for Super Bowl weekend February 5-7 and pick up some Wickles, dips, mustards and great recipes in Your Gnometown Cookbook!

Friends of the Library just received a 2,000+ hardcover and paperback book collection from a private donor. Titles range from the unusual to the mainstream, old to new. Categories include literary studies and criticism, world history, presidential and literary biographies, modern literary and classic fiction, classic mysteries, popular fiction and mysteries. All are priced to sell. Also featured is recently donated complete 1978 edition of Time-Life Gardening Encyclopedia 30-volume set in very good condition.

FROM SYLVA TO HAITI-Haiti Relief Boxes

Boxes will be throughout Sylva & Cullowhee in over 15 locations. Posters with tear off lists of needed items are at all locations. The box locations are Annie's Bakery, The Coffee Shop, Underground Signature Brew Coffee Roasting Company, Guadalupe Cafe, Speedy's Pizza, Mill and Main, Nick and Nate's, 553, In Your Ear Music, Aaron's (Rental), Spring Street Cafe, Lulu's, Soul Infusion Tea House and Bistro, O'malley's Pub, WCU campus (6 locations)

The Farmer's Market

will be having a Valentines Day weekend special market at Eric's, on Saturday, Feb. 13th. We have decided to not have the market every weekend, instead we will have one market day during the months of Feb. & March, on the Saturdays of the 13th.

A New Children's Community Choir in Downtown Sylva is forming. The group will be co-directed by Ann Tiner, who holds a Bachelors of Music degree in Organ Performance and has extensive experience in directing children's choirs, and Erin McCully, a National Board Certified teacher with five years of experience & a Bachelors and a Masters degree in Music Education. Girls in 3rd-12th grade and boys in 3rd-9th grade (with unchanged voices) are invited to sing with us. **Our first meeting will be at St. John's Episcopal Church in Sylva on Thursday, February 4th from 5pm-6pm.** For more info, contact Ann Tiner 226-1885 or Erin McCully, 803-381-6454/elmccully@gmail.com.

Jackson County Public Library

All story times will be held at JCPL for children ages birth-age five. Everyone is welcome and the sessions are all free. February 2- Ground Hog Day- we will make a puppet!

February 9- Valentine's Day Party

February 16-Snow People* new stories about our winter friends

February 23-Making faces and face painting!

Papou's Wine Shop & Bar

February 1st: The Cellar Club will meet from 6:30 pm - 8:30 pm.

February 26th: Music night from 8-11pm

Coldwell Banker Woodruff

Real Estate announces the opening of their "New Sales Office" in the courtyard of Restaurant 553. We are very excited about our partnership with Restaurant 553 and Ross Lorenz. We have extended business hours to better serve our clients and look forward to the continued recovery of our economy. Office hours are 9 to 5 Monday thru Thursday, 9 until 7 on Friday and 4 to 7 on Saturday. Coldwell Banker Woodruff Real Estate is a full service brokerage- specializing in residential and vacation homes, lots, lands and acreage, commercial real estate and development sales. Stop by and visit our new office. We look forward to seeing you.

Carole Lilly Massage

February SPECIAL OFFERS!

\$10 off Body Wraps

Treat yourself or that special someone this Valentine's Day! Soften, energize and hydrate your body with **\$10 off** a body wrap. Includes exfoliation, wrap and relaxing 60 minute massage. Purchase a gift certificate or schedule an appointment online at www.carolelillymassage.com!