



The City of Mount Airy COVID-19 Weekly UPDATE (September 14, 2020)

**** Follow The City of Mount Airy's Facebook Page, Twitter Account and www.mountairy.org for updates.**

- **Reeves Community Center opened on Thursday, September 10th at 30% capacity. Patrons have been very positive on our procedures.**
- **Under Executive Order 163, North Carolina is under Safer At Home Phase 2.5 of lifting COVID-19 restrictions, effective 5 p.m. Friday, Sept. 4. Under this phase, people are also required, with some exceptions, to wear face coverings while out in public when physical distancing of 6 feet is not possible.**
- **The "¡Recuerda las 3Ms!" (Know your 3Ms) campaign is being launched by the North Carolina Department of Health and Human Services (NCDHHS) as part of a larger public outreach campaign designed to reach historically marginalized populations disproportionately impacted by COVID-19.**
- **Mount Airy City Schools and the Millennium Charter Academy both had successful weeks since beginning school on August 17th.**
- **Avoid the Three C's (Crowded places, Close contact-settings and Confined and enclosed spaces). (Know your 3 W's) wear a mask, wait six feet and wash your hands for a minimum of twenty seconds and make a difference locally.**
- **The City of Mount Airy purchased COVID-19 Public Service Announcements with WPAQ and WSYD encouraging everyone to follow the Governor's Order and wear a face mask to minimize the spread of the coronavirus.**
- **North Carolina High School Athletic Association updated their guidelines for reopening sports/activities. You can see full updates at <https://www.nchsaa.org/news/2020-7-28/update-fall-sports-season-delayed-until-least-september-1>**
- **(Educational posters have been distributed to some downtown business owners that are currently open to display in their windows to encourage social distancing and CDC recommendations. Additional copies are available at the Mount Airy Visitors Center.**
- **"Mask Mount Airy" distributed 11,000 masks to the community. Thanks to Richard Fawcett, Tom Koch, Marie Wood and Jerry Coram Sr. for their donations.**
- **Visit the North Carolina Department of Health and Human Services Website at www.ncdhhs.gov for Personal Protective Equipment options, emergency childcare services and recommendations.**
- **For essential services, crisis and emergency needs offered in Surry County call 211 or 1-888-892-1162.**