

# around town

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**Join us for all the holiday fun in Pickens this season!**

*Pickens Revitalization Association is dedicated to the enhancement, preservation and sustainable growth of Pickens' historic downtown area.*

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## THE DOODLE EXPRESS

## 2016 CITY OF PICKENS CHRISTMAS PARADE

## FRIDAY, DECEMBER 9th 7PM • MAIN STREET



# LOCAL NEWS

## Pickens Police Department is Bringing Active Shooter Training to the Upstate

Pickens Police Department and the ALICE Training Institute have teamed up to bring ALICE Instructor Training to Pickens Police Department at Pickens Middle School on December 28th-29th. This two day instructor course is designed to teach proactive survival strategies for violent intruder or active shooter incidents. The goal of the ALICE program is to provide individuals with survival-enhancing options for those critical moments in the gap between when a violent situation begins and when law enforcement arrives on scene. The registration fee for this training is \$595 per person and can be completed online at [www.alicetraining.com](http://www.alicetraining.com).

ALICE stands for Alert, Lockdown, Inform, Counter, and Evacuate and is a useful strategy for everyone: law enforcement, schools, universities, hospitals, businesses, and places of worship. Completing the ALICE Instructor Training course provides individuals with certification in ALICE Training and allows them the opportunity to bring ALICE strategies back to their places of work. Additionally, registrants will gain access to exclusive ALICE resources.

ALICE is in line with recommendations from the U.S. Department of Education, the Department of Homeland Security (DHS), and the Federal Emergency Management Agency (FEMA).

### About Hosting Partner

Pickens Police Department is a municipal department located in the county seat of Pickens, SC.

### About ALICE Training Institute

The ALICE Training Institute is changing how schools, universities, and businesses respond to armed intruders. ALICE (Alert, Lockdown, Inform, Counter, and Evacuate), developed after Columbine, teaches strategies to survive a life-threatening event. Supported by educators and law enforcement across the country, ALICE is quickly becoming the new standard of care.

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Alert  
Lockdown  
Inform  
Counter  
Evacuate



# FEATURED PROMOTIONS & EVENTS

## *City of Pickens Christmas Tree Lighting*



**DECEMBER 1, 2016 — 6:00 PM**

Join us for a festive kick-off to the Christmas Season with caroling, special singers, the reading of the Christmas story, and lighting of the Christmas tree!

**Please Join us at Legacy Square, Pickens  
(East Main Street)**

**There will also be a visit from Santa Claus  
for all the children!**

# FEATURED PROMOTIONS and EVENTS



winterfest

## 2016

*Join us for a wide variety of handmade crafts, décor, toys, etc.*

*Individual vendors will have tables set up with items for sale.*

*Great place to shop for those last minute unique Christmas gifts  
for those on your list!!!*

**Located in the Classroom  
Outpatient Service Building**

**December 1st  
9am-6pm**

**December 2nd  
7am-4pm**

*All proceeds benefit  
AnMed Health Cannon  
courtesy of the Cannon Memorial  
Hospital Auxiliary Volunteers*



**CANNON**  
MEMORIAL HOSPITAL  
AUXILIARY

# FEATURED PROMOTIONS and EVENTS



## Join us for the 7th Annual Auxiliary "Festival Of Wreaths"

On display in the front lobby of  
AnMed Health Cannon  
December 1- December 15

*Take part in the annual silent auction December 1st-15th & take home a beautiful wreath for the holidays. Local businesses and individuals support this event by donating wreaths for the event. Winning bidders will be called after auction closes.*

Final bids close at 1pm on  
Thursday, December 15th

Winners may pick up wreaths  
December 15th 1-5PM  
December 16th 9 AM-5 PM  
December, 19th 9 AM-5 PM

*All auction proceeds benefit  
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courtesy of the Cannon Memorial  
Hospital Auxiliary Volunteers*

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# FEATURED PROMOTIONS and EVENTS



## Pickens Concert Choir

*presents*

*a concert of*

## Christmas Music

**Friday, December 2nd  
and  
Saturday, December 3rd  
2016  
at  
7:00PM**

**in the newly renovated auditorium  
at the**

## **Pickens Community Center**

**129 Schoolhouse Street**

**Pickens, SC 29671**

**864-878-6000**

# FEATURED PROMOTIONS and EVENTS

## **CLAIRE LYNCH & BRYAN MCDOWELL LIVE AT THE AUDITORIUM**

**12.16.2016 HAGOOD COMMUNITY CENTER**

**7:15PM**

### **BENEFIT CONCERT**

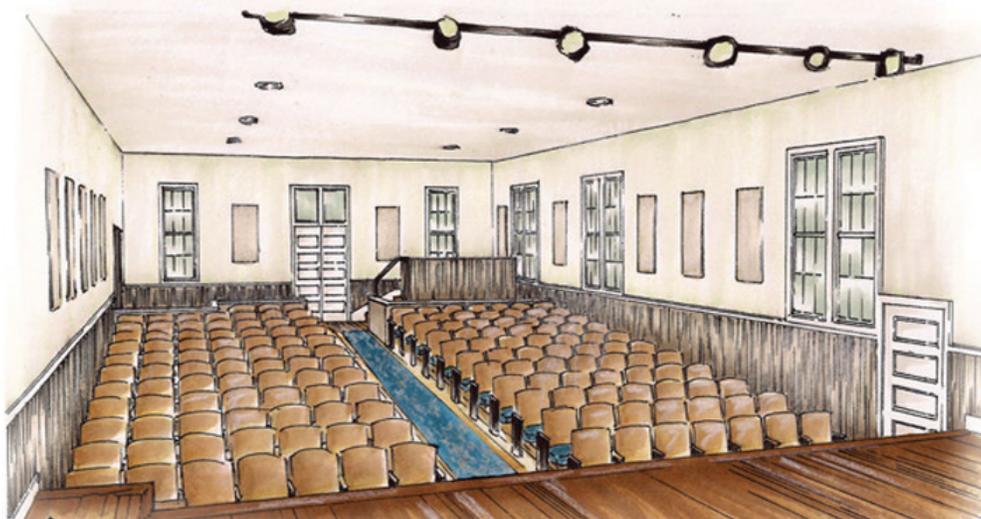
featuring **CLAIRE LYNCH & BRYAN MCDOWELL**  
Young Appalachian Musicians

**\$20**

Experience the newly  
renovated auditorium at the  
Hagood Community Center

Tickets for sale at Hagood  
Community Center or online at  
[www.cityofpickens.com/events](http://www.cityofpickens.com/events)

*proceeds benefit the Pickens Senior Center and the Young Appalachian Musicians*



# CALENDAR OF EVENTS

## DECEMBER

**1st**

**City of Pickens Christmas Tree Lighting**

6pm; Legacy Square, Pickens

**1st & 2nd**

**Winterfest**

AnMed Health Cannon, Pickens

**1st - 15th**

**7th Annual Auxiliary Festival of Wreaths**

AnMed Health Cannon, Pickens

**2nd & 3rd**

**Pickens Concert Choir**

7pm; Hagood Community Center, Pickens

**9th**

**City of Pickens Christmas Parade**

7pm; Main Street, Pickens

**16th**

**Claire Lynch & Bryan McDowell  
live at the Hagood Community Center Auditorium**

6pm; 129 Schoolhouse Street, Pickens



**17th**

**Ed Harrison Memorial Celtic Christmas**

10am - 4pm; Hagood Mill, Pickens

visit [www.visitpickenscounty.com](http://www.visitpickenscounty.com) for more info

## JANUARY

**21st**

**Winter Bluegrass Jubilee**

10:30am - 7:30pm; Pickens High School Auditorium

visit [www.winterbluegrassjubilee.com](http://www.winterbluegrassjubilee.com) for more info

**21st**

**Ring in the New Year at Hagood Mill**

10am - 4pm; Hagood Mill, Pickens

visit [www.visitpickenscounty.com](http://www.visitpickenscounty.com) for more info

# THANKS MEMBERS!

Alexander Law Firm

AnMed Health Cannon

Pickens Senior Center

Pickens Dental Associates

Town & Country Florist

Behavioral Health Services

East Main Treasures

Pruitt Health

Oh Joy!

South State Bank

Pickens Azalea Festival

Bee Well Honey

Brock's

City of Pickens

Edward Jones

Stockade Antiques

Pickens Savings & Loan

Flowers By Virginia

Foothills Gun and Pawn

Blue Ridge Electric Coop

Pickens Federal Credit Union

Cornell-Dubilier

Southern App. Outdoors

Martha's Marvelous Munchies

Corner Drug Store

Great Oaks Dental

Lindsay Oil Company

American Legion

Nestfeathers

GateHouse Restaurant

Roper Law Firm

TTI/OWT, Inc.

Pickens Rotary Club

Buddy & Cisco's Bistro

Appalachian Ale House

Pizza Inn

Pace & Reeves

State Farm

TD Bank

Shabby & Chic

Mark Kaiser

9 Round

Durham Greene

Domino's

Enrapt, LLC

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