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# Housing Tribune

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## HUD Strong Families Initiative Community Day 2019

Monroe Housing Authority had a community day with a guest speaker Reginald Wingfield.

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# JULY 2019



#### Dates to Remember

July 1st-5th
Rent Due
(No Partial Payments Accepted)

July 4th
Independence Day
(Office Closed)

**July 6th** *Late Charges Applied* 

July 19th Last Day to Pay Rent

July 20th
Court Papers Filed

#### MHA Phone Directory

**MHA Main Number** 704-289-2514

Work Orders Ext. 21

Public Housing Ext. 31

**HCV Program** Ext. 30

Emergency Maintenance 704.989.5085



#### **MHA Parking Enforcement**

MHA enforces a strict parking policy. All residents with vehicles parked on MHA property must have a parking permit displayed at all times. All cars should pull into a parking space and all vehicles in violation of the Monroe Housing Authority parking policy are subject to being towed.

When you have guests, please remember residents have first priority to parking spaces.





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# MHA is smoke and tobacco free. How about you? To get HELP to QUIT, CALL: 1-800-QUITNOW (784-8669)

VISIT: QuitlineNC.com or EMAIL: CommunityWellness@CarolinasHealthCare.org

# Safety Corner! Your Guide to Summer Safety

**Car Safety...**Remember to drive safely and use proper child seating and safety belts.



**Summer Heat...**Children are smaller than adults and they dehydrate quicker. When kids play, they sweat. Bring them inside often for water and snack breaks.

*Insect Bites*...Discourage children from getting excited and moving rapidly when they see insects - movement encourages insects to bite. Keep sugary foods and trash cans away from outside play areas.

**Bike Riding...**Children must always wear a helmet when riding a bike or skateboarding. Brain injury is the most serious of injuries.

*Water Safety*...Never leave them unsupervised around water. Always wear a safety approved life jacket when on a lake, river or ocean.

**Your Car...**Many parents mistakenly think they can leave a child in a vehicle while running a "quick" errand. Heat is much more dangerous to children than it is to adults. When left in a hot vehicle, a young child's core body temperature can increase three to five times faster than that of an adult causing permanent injury or death. Children should never be left alone inside of your car, even for a few minutes.

As school's out for summer, kids are everywhere and parents should be too. Even though your children may be older, make sure you're on watch, so that you won't have to take a trip to the emergency room. Enjoy the summer with your children - SAFELY!

# **Community Meetings**

**Grace Gardens** Location: 750 Maurice St. Community Room Time: Thursday, July 11th, 2019 at 2pm

**Willow Oaks** Location: Willow Oaks Community Room Time: Tuesday, July 2nd, 2019 at 5pm | On-site Office Hours: 1-4pm

**West Ridge** Location: 1201-A Boyte Street Community Room Time: Thursday, July 18th, 2019 at 2pm | On-site Office Hours: 1-4pm

**Serenity Place** Location: 624 N. Bragg Street Community Room Time: Monday, July 8th, 2019 at 2pm | On-site Office Hours: 1-4pm