



It is officially summer - even though the temperatures haven't felt like it. Surely temperatures will rise during July and August, so have your air systems checked and ready.

You can temporarily beat the heat on July 22nd at our community sweet treat event with a cool drink and gourmet cookie. Please make sure to get your tickets from the office by the 12th. I really think everyone is going to enjoy this new treat! If you have already visited their Belmont location, I'm sure you agree.

Our country celebrates its 247th birthday this year. That is as impressive as our story. It was founded on the belief of freedom which is not offered everywhere and is often taken for granted. As we celebrate this Independence Day, I hope we all are able to take a moment to appreciate the greatness that our country offers.

*"Life without liberty is like a body without spirit"*  
- Khalil Gibran

- Tammy Thomas (704-825-2946)

## JOIN US FOR A SUMMER TIME TREAT!

**Saturday  
July 22nd  
11am-1pm**



Be sure to pick up your ticket from the office by July 12th for a cool drink and gourmet cookie!

The Twisted Sugar food truck will be located behind the office on July 22nd. Hope you can join us!



You may review the report in the office or online at [cityofbelmont.org](http://cityofbelmont.org)

## Local July 4th Events:

Whitewater Center:  
July 3rd & 4th  
Live music at 8pm, NO fireworks.  
More info at [whitewater.org](http://whitewater.org)

Downtown Gastonia:  
July 4th, 5-9:30pm  
Food trucks, vendors, entertainment,  
a free KidsZone and fireworks.



## SENIORS OF OUR CATO COMMUNITY

Our Senior Luncheon will be on August 17th!  
More details coming soon.

211 IS HERE TO HELP YOU

## Helpful Numbers:

Belmont Police: 704-825-3792  
Belmont Parks: 704-825-8191  
Waste Pro: 704-839-7800  
Animal Control: 704-866-3300  
**For Emergencies call 911**



Thank YOU!

We recognized National Garbage Man Appreciation Week with thank you notes on our community cans and delivery of 4 dozen doughnuts to the Waste Pro USA Mt. Holly location. Pictured here is Ann and Rodney.



**WASTE PRO**  
Caring For Our Communities

Trash Pickup Every Thursday

NEXT BULK PICK UP July 10<sup>TH</sup>

Schedule yard waste pickup with the City of Belmont 704-825-0507