



## Talk of the Town *January 30, 2020*

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### *All In Red Week February 7-14*

We urge you to support "All in Red Week," an 8-day, county-wide community engagement initiative to increase heart health awareness and support for Johnston Health Foundation's Heart Fund.

Costly treatment for heart conditions can strain a family's finances - especially when the expense is unexpected, like after a heart attack. The Heart Fund benefits patients who need assistance paying for heart and vascular care in Johnston County, where heart disease is the leading cause of death.

Your donation help to cover expenses like:

- Copays for care
- Gas for transportation to medical appointments
- Lifesaving heart devices
- Medications

Make a secure [online donation](#) and select the Heart Fund as your recipient. And watch out for our Town's social media pages to see our employee's participation in "All In Red" week; we hope you'll encourage your employer to take part, too!

**#ALLINRED**

## *Smithfield Schools Spotlight*



## ***"Techno Tigresses" Robotics Team Wins Inspiration Award***

The Techno Tigresses, a community-based robotics team, won the first place Inspiration Award in the core value category at the NC FIRST Lego League State Competition on Saturday, January 18 in Greensboro, N.C.

Pictured below from left to right are the Techno Tigresses: Sloan Mann, Sydney Matisoff, Ava Cummings and Kaitlyn Nolte.

Read the full article from JoCo Report [HERE](#). And, if you'd like to keep up with the Tigresses, you can follow them on [Facebook](#). Congratulations, ladies!



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## ***Smithfield-Selma Basketball Alumni Night***

Fifty years of basketball teams were represented as SSS honored their basketball alumni during last Friday night's games against Clayton High School. Alumni came together again on Saturday, January 25th in a friendly battle against each other on the hardwood.



Thanks to all the alumni for their support of SSS athletics and for being great ambassadors of our school! **#SSStrong** (photos courtesy of Smithfield Town Councilman Marlon Lee, SSS class of 1992)







## ***Spartan Swimmers Qualify for Regionals***

Congratulations to all the SSS swimmers who qualified for Regionals tomorrow at the Triangle Aquatic Center in Cary.

Megan Denny - 100 Fly, 500 Free

Olivia Garvey - 200 IM

Jack Helmer - 100 Breast

**Men's 400 Free Relay** - Jack Helmer, Jackson Harris, Dawson Gardner, Mohamed Mohamed

**Women's 200 Med Relay** - Ashley Terrill, Emily Stuckey, Megan Denny, Sammira Evans, Makenna Turnage

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## ***Smithfield Parks and Recreation Softball and Baseball Registration Ends SOON!***

Baseball and Softball Registration Information:

Baseball: Ages 7-15 yrs. Ends February 14th.

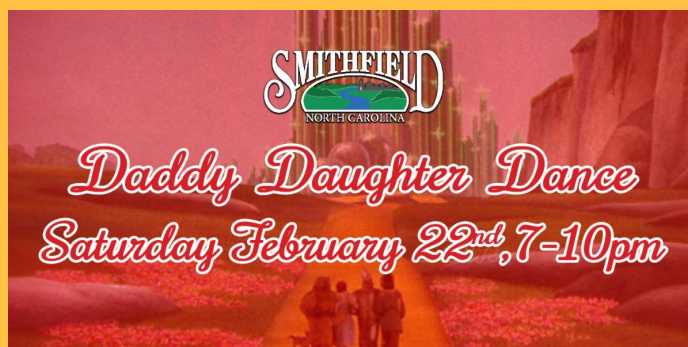
Softball: Ages 7-12 yrs. Three age divisions (8u, 10u, and 12u). Ends February 21st.

Fees for both: \$25-Smithfield Resident, \$50-Non-Smithfield Resident.

Register [HERE](http://sraonline.com).



## ***Daddy Daughter Dance February 22nd***





The 23rd Annual Daddy Daughter Dance will be held on Saturday, February 22nd from 7-10pm. Join us for an evening of dancing, appetizers and photos to remember the night. This year's theme is the Wizard of Oz! [Sign up](#) today!

Moms and sons, we haven't forgotten about YOUR special night; mark your calendars for the Mother/Son Dance on April 18th!



## COME WORK WITH US!

Applications and full job advertisements may be obtained at the Smithfield Town Hall, located at 350 East Market St. in Smithfield, or by visiting our website at [www.smithfield-nc.com/jobs](http://www.smithfield-nc.com/jobs). Only qualified applicants should apply. The Town of Smithfield is an ADA/EEO Employer.



### Smithfield Town Board Opportunities:

- Appearance Commission - 3 Positions
- Board of Adjustment - 3 Positions
- Parks and Recreation - 1 Position

All positions are three year terms, unless otherwise specified. Interested citizens can download an ["Application for Board Appointment" on the Town's website](#) or call Town Clerk Shannan Parrish to request one by mail at **919-934-2116**.

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### Town of Smithfield E-Billing:



Three easy ways to sign up:

- Visit customer service at Town Hall
  - Call (919) 934-2116 Ext.1113 E
  - Email: [utilitybilling@smithfield-nc.com](mailto:utilitybilling@smithfield-nc.com)
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*Neuse Little Theatre*  
proudly presents

# Flung

Drama by Lisa Dillman

**February 21 & 22, 2020 - 8pm**

**February 23, 2020 - 3pm**

**February 28 & 29, 2020 - 8pm**

at The Hut  
(Corner of Front and Market Streets)  
Smithfield, North Carolina

Tickets: \$13.00 Reserved  
\$15.00 Walk-up  
(Cash or Check only, no credit/debit cards)

For Reservation Information  
Please Call (919) 934-1873

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Show contains:  
strong adult language  
drug use/smoking



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