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LET'S FIRE UP THE GRILL

Summer is officially here and there's no better time for cooking outdoors. Did you know that the summer months are the leading months for fires and injuries related to grilling? According to the National Fire Protection Association, each year there are approximately 8,900 home fires in the United States related to grilling. May through August are the peak months for burn injuries related to grilling.

The Mecklenburg County Fire Marshal's Office has some safety tips to keep your family and friends safe this summer:

General grill safety

- Propane and charcoal grills should only be used outdoors.
- Never leave your grill unattended. Keep children and pets away from your grilling area at all times.
- Keep a fire extinguisher nearby, but not attached or on your grill.

Propane grills

- Keep cigarettes, matches, and other open flames away from a leaking grill.
- When transporting LP gas containers, always transport the container in a secure, upright position. Never keep a filled container in a hot car or car trunk.
- Do not attempt to repair the tank valve or the appliance yourself. See an LP gas dealer or a qualified appliance repair person.



Charcoal grills

- If you use a starter fluid, use only charcoal starter fluid. Never add charcoal fluid or any other flammable liquids to the fire. Keep charcoal fluid out of the reach of children.
- Do not store freshly used charcoal indoors.
- When you are finished grilling, let the coals completely cool before disposing in a metal container.

Rev. Grady & Mrs. Geraldine Sharps

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Sun	Mon	Tue	Wed	Thu	Fri	Sat
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2 Men's Choir Anniversary 2:00 PM	3 Rufus & Shirley Mason 51st Anniversary	4 Independence Day	5	6	7	8
9 Usher's Anniversary Program 2:00 PM James Mason	10	11 Felicia Mason	12 Emma Patrick - Bell	13	14	15
16 Stewardess Board Program 2:00 PM Harriet Blocker	17	18	19	20	21 Elder Harmon Brother John & Sylvia Cathcart 16th Anniversary	22 Laura Ray
23	24 Tevonte' Epps	25	26	27 David & Azalee Cloud 4th Anniversary	28	29
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