

PittCo Weekly



May 10, 2024

Downtown Chowdown Returns for Second Season!







Pittsylvania County's Downtown Chowdown is back, and opened this year with an employee appreciation day on May 9. The Chowdown is a great way for friends and neighbors to catch up and enjoy a great lunch.

Thanks to Southern Belle, Just J'Licious, Ga-te Shoken, K&K Kettle Korn and Plumbo's Hoagie House for the delicious food and to the weather for not raining! If you missed this month's Chowdown, the next will be Thursday, June 20.

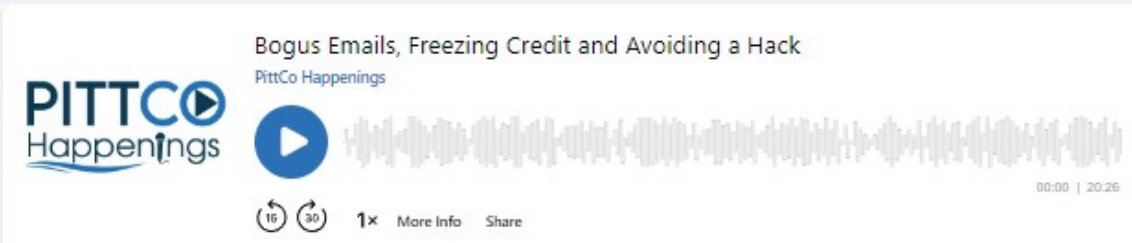
Visit SoSi Celebrates First Year of Tourism Program Promotions



Visit SoSi, the official Destination Marketing Organization for Danville and Pittsylvania County, will celebrate a major milestone with the first full year of tourism program promotions and release its first-ever annual report, highlighting notable achievements, recognitions, and tourism investments.

[Learn More Here](#)

Bogus Emails, Freezing Credit and Avoiding a Hack



Pittsylvania County Information Technology Director Scott Budd talks to PittCo Happenings about cybersecurity and how it can affect anyone – from large organizations, such as the County, to individuals at home. Budd provides tips and advice on how to best avoid being hacked and having your computer – and vital information – compromised. He also talks about where these threats come from to include a new player, the “Script Kiddie.”

[Learn More Here](#)

Community Connections Vendor Fair

2nd Annual Community Connections Vendor Fair

May 31, 2024

10:00am – 3:00pm (Open to the Public)

Chatham Middle School
11650 US Hwy 29
Chatham, VA 24531

If you are a vendor and would like to participate, please reach out to Jennifer Cooper for more information: jennifer.cooper@pittgov.org



Swing by to learn the many resources available for children, families, and the community! Enjoy an opportunity to network and share information.

Be sure to check out the Community Connections Vendor Fair on Friday, May 31 at Chatham Middle School. Vendors attending include those featuring health, mental health, legal services, job assistance, youth programs, substance abuse and more. This is a great opportunity to see what the community has to offer in terms of services.

[Learn More Here](#)

Learn How Fiber Can Enhance Your Internet, Streaming Experience

RiverStreet Networks Meet and Greet

Gretna Library, May 14, 11 a.m. to 3 p.m.

Meet with RiverStreet representatives to learn about the advantages of fiber internet and how you can sign up for service.

Free and open to the public



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Free Document Shredding Event



Pittsylvania County Sheriff's Office &
Crime Stoppers invite you to our **FREE**

SHRED DAY

Friday, May 24, 2024
9:00 AM - 1:00 PM

Two Locations to Serve You!

Food Lion, 100 Vaden Drive, Gretna, VA
Food Lion, 4048 Franklin Tpke., Danville, VA

Help Protect Yourself from Identity Theft!

Gather any old documents that
may contain your personal information:
Social Security - Bank Accounts - Credit Cards

**Law Enforcement will be onsite to discuss
any community concerns you may have.**

PITTSYLVANIA COUNTY SHERIFFS OFFICE
21 North Main Street - Chatham, VA 24531 - 434.432.7800



Pittsylvania County First Responders

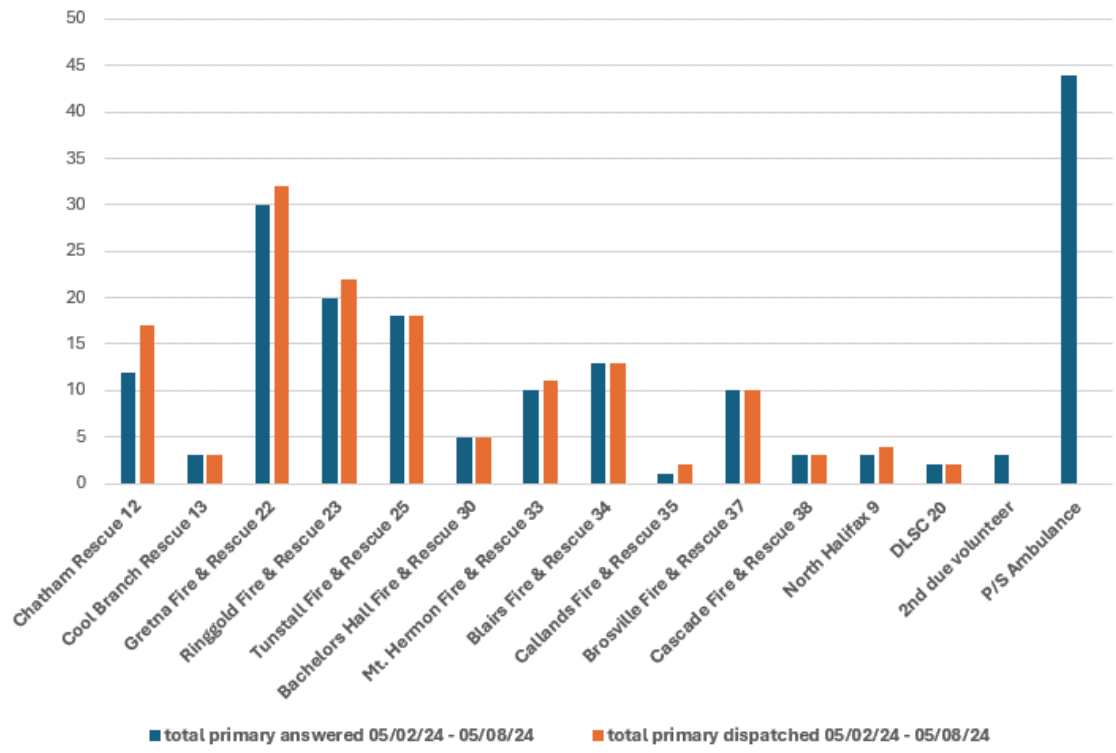
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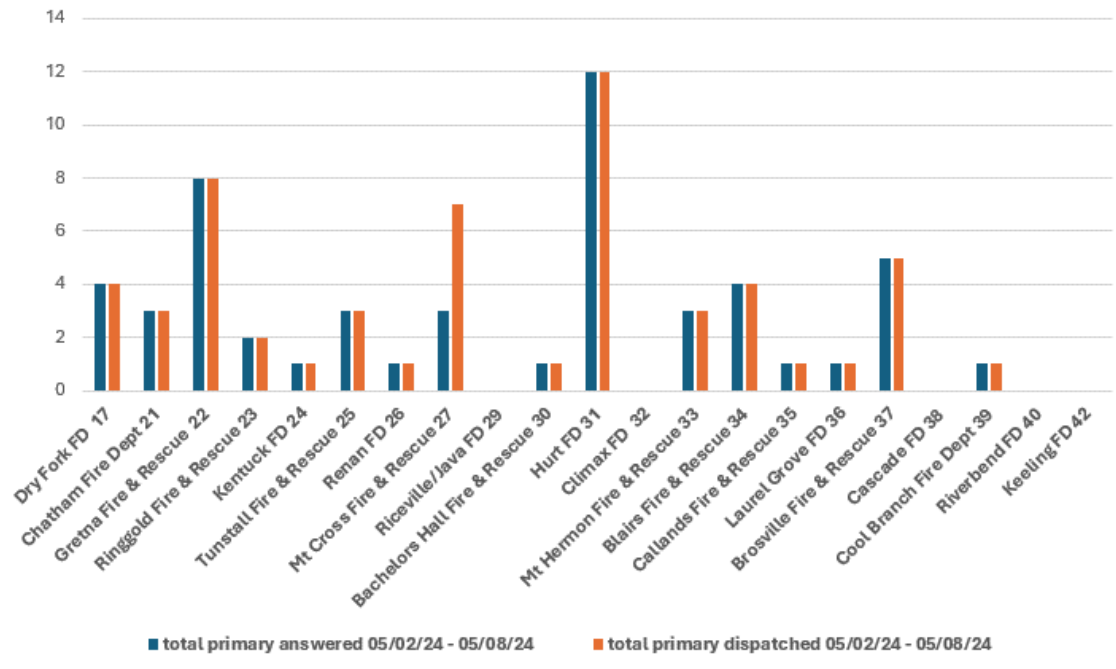
Pittsylvania County's first responders answered the call to service this week, saving the lives and property of the County's citizens. EMS responders answered 177 primary calls for service between May 2-8. Of those, volunteers responded to 133 of those calls – or 75%. Pittsylvania County Public Safety were the primary responders on 44 of those calls, or 25%, and outside agencies took four.

The County's fire departments responded to 53 fire calls during that same period.

Primary EMS Responses May 2 - 8, 2024



Primary Fire Responses May 2 - 8, 2024





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