



*Kicking off Saturdays in Saxapahaw*

*the 29th annual*

# Haw River Festival

**Saxapahaw! May 5**

**4 - 8 p.m. FREE!**

All donations support Haw River Assembly's work for clean water!

## On Stage: (approximate times)

**4 p.m. The Village Band** [www.thevillageband.org](http://www.thevillageband.org)

**4:45 p.m. Saludos Compay** [www.saludoscompay.com](http://www.saludoscompay.com)

**5:45 p.m. Onyx Club Boys** [www.facebook.com/OnyxClubBoysNC](https://www.facebook.com/OnyxClubBoysNC)

**7 p.m. Jaafar** <https://store.cdbaby.com/Artist/Jaafar>

## Around the Festival

**4:30 p.m. Medicinal Herbal Walk** led by Crystal Honeycutt (on the Island)

**4 - 6 p.m. River Monitoring** and finding river critters ( on the Island)

**4 - 6 p.m. Short Guided Canoe Rides for kids 12 & under** (if river level is safe) on the Haw River Island Park (access from bridge pedestrian walkway)

**5:30 p.m. Gather to take part in Puppet Parade** at Paperhand Puppet Studio. Parade starts about 5:45.

**4 - 7:15 p.m. Silent Auction** on tables behind stage. Beautiful arts and crafts, event tickets, massage certificates and more! **Closing bids at 7:15**

**7:30 p.m. Raffle Drawing for Perception Kayak** donated by Great Outdoors Provision Co. \$2 ticket on sale next to stage. No need to be present to win.

## All Day:

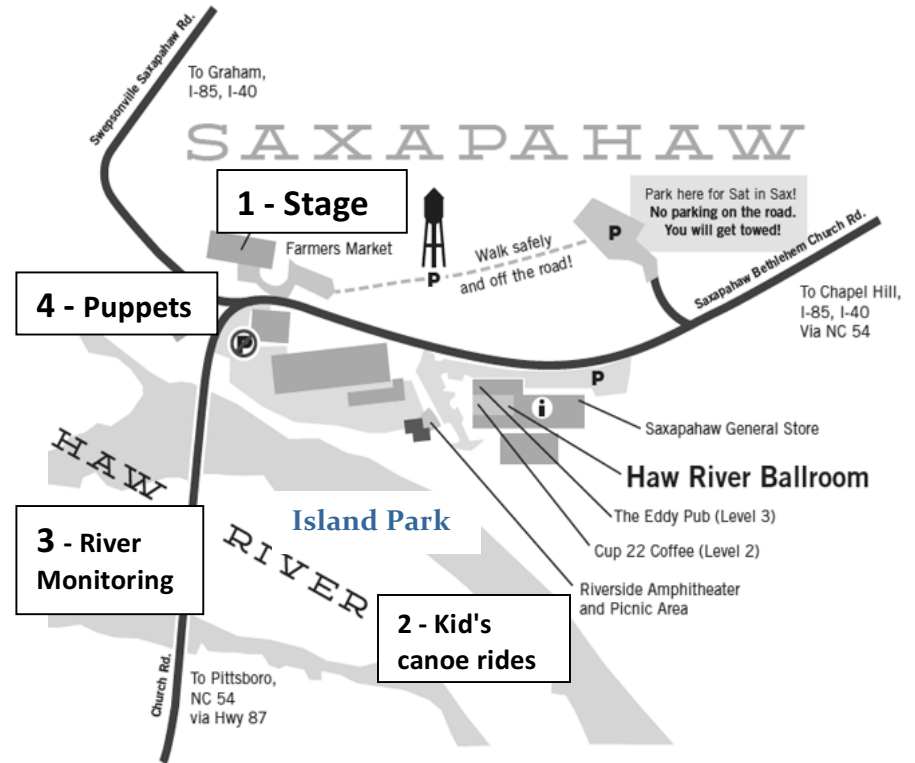
**Farmer's Market** - local produce and more! **Games for kids** in grass near stage! **Haw River Assembly T-shirts and books** under the Himalayan tent! **Watershed model demos** every hour! **Learn about river issues** at the HRA membership table! **Delicious Food and Drinks for sale** at food trucks, farmer's market and at The Eddy, Cup 22 and Saxapahaw General Store!

**BIG THANKS** to everyone for helping the Haw River Assembly raise consciousness and funds to protect the river! Thanks to the bands, auction and raffle donors, and volunteers! Thanks for special help from Haw River Canoe & Kayak Co., Paperhand Puppets, and "Saturdays in Saxapahaw".

**Haw River Assembly - protecting Haw River and Jordan Lake since 1982**

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*(Sorry - no dogs allowed at Festival)*



## GETTING AROUND!

### 1. Stage

**Main Festival Area** - with Music Stage, Farmer's Market, Haw River Assembly booths, silent auction, kayak raffle, food trucks and kids activities.

### 2. Kids Canoe Rides

**Guided canoe rides for kids** age 12 and under. **4- 6 pm.** Use pedestrian walkway on Haw River bridge to Saxapahaw Island Park, and follow signs to **Canoe Rides for Kids** *It will be cancelled if river is too high - check first at entry "Welcome Table".*

### 3. River monitoring

**Use pedestrian walkway on bridge across the Haw** to Saxapahaw Island Park - then follow signs on island to **river monitoring.** All ages welcome! **from 4 - 6 p.m.**

### 4. Puppets

**Meet at Paperhand Puppet Studio at 5:30,** if you'd like to take part in the Puppet Parade. All are welcome!