

Wadesboro Primary School Announces Terrific Kids for Responsibility and Citizenship

Citizenship: Jeremiah Coxe, Dylan Jones, Leigha Clarke, Zohaa Ali, Brittney Murray, Ja'Niyah Leak, Travis Little, Kyndall Gaddy, Jaheim Leak, Brissa Figueroa, Makinzi Collins, Alishia Phillips, Caleb Goodwin, Nevaeh Barnes, Lanyah Tyson, Sharadisa Liles, Malayshia Ingram, Diamond Richardson, Bryannah Calaci, James Hovermale, D'Asia Lindsey, Kelly Bennett, Claire Davis

Responsibility: D'Mikal Gaddy, Kymyattia Wall, Jamarion Gray, Thomas Young, Josiah Beam, Marcus Sturdivant, Marquel Wall, Breyanna Jones, Tyler Goodwin, Maliki Martin, Dashaun Murray, Tianna Crowder, Noah Horne, Shyniya Bennett-Wall, Unique Bennett, Demunya Gaaney, Kimberly Clarke, Kennedy Ramseur, Zelijah Rorie, Kalysta Garrison, Da'marcus Owens, Stephanie Brown



Applications Being Accepted for 5 Rotary Club Scholarships

The Wadesboro Rotary Club will be awarding five scholarships to Anson County high school seniors who will continue their education at a two or four year college of their choice. These scholarships recognize success and achievement in academic studies, extracurricular activities and community service - giving special recognition to service above and beyond normal expectations.

High school guidance counselors have the application packets for students to pick up at Anson High School, Anson Early College and Anson New Tech. The deadline to return the completed application packet to your guidance counselor is Friday, April 4.

Art Collaboration Between AHS and WPS



The Intermediate Art class at Anson High School joined forces with Mrs. Betsy Sikes' first grade class at Wadesboro Primary School for a sculpture and design project. With the direction of Mrs. Nicole Sikes, AHS Art Educator, the first grade

students were taught about emotion through art with the use of color. First grade students interacted with the book Glad Monster, Sad Monster to learn about feelings as inspiration for their drawings.

The high school art students used a variety of mediums to create sculptures inspired by the first grade student's drawings.

4-H Volunteer Leaders Attend Conference

Over 200 4-H volunteers from across the state gathered in Raleigh for learning and friendship. Anson County 4-H Volunteers Carrissma Martin, Yolanda



Mitchell, Hannah Dunlap, Addie Richardson, Debra Ratliff, Pearl Blount, Betty Garris, and 4-H Agent Roshunda Blount attended the conference banquet on February 1. Some volunteers attended workshops on youth development, 4-H curriculum and much more throughout the weekend. The exciting part of the conference was the awards banquet. Anson County was represented proudly.

Yolanda Mitchell, Debra Ratliff, Hannah Dunlap and Pearl Blount were all recognized for their Master ACE portfolio level advancement and renewal. The conference was capped with an installation of state and district officers. Hannah Dunlap was installed as the District President Elect. Anson County 4-H has the greatest volunteers to support the program! Roshunda Blount said, "We are so proud of all of our volunteers and their awards."

Are you looking to lend a hand in your community? Would you like to reach out to the youth in the county? Consider being a 4-H volunteer. It is the perfect opportunity to help others and become involved with your children in the fun and educational programs here in Anson County. Please contact Roshunda Blount, Extension Agent, 4-H Youth Development, to begin your experience today! 704-694-2915

Pictured are the volunteer leaders who attended this year's NC 4-H Volunteer Leaders Conference.

PPES Students Celebrate Valentine's Day



Peachland-Polkton Elementary School recently celebrated "Good Character in our Hearts!" This week-long event, sponsored by the Character Council, allowed classes to be partnered with each other and participate in acts of kindness during the week of Valentine's.

(Some activities were held later due to the snow days). Classes created a classroom mailbox outside of their classroom and exchanged Valentine's cards and candy with each other, held a craft day and participated in a "Partner Reading Day."

Pictured above, Curtis Williams (left) and James Martin (right) from Ms. Herold's Kindergarten class are being read to by Hunter Williams (middle), a 6th grader in Ms. Trexler's class.

VFW Rainbow Tea is March 15

The Ladies Auxiliary to the James D. Henderson VFW Post 10403 will host their Annual Rainbow Tea on Saturday, March 15. This event will be held at the Lockhart-Taylor Center in Wadesboro, beginning at 6 p.m. "Five Shades of Red, White and Blue" is the theme this year. Attendees are asked to honor our veterans by dressing in semi-formal attire with the colors of red, white and blue.

This will be an event filled with good food, entertainment and information regarding the VFW Post. Tickets are \$20, with portions of the proceeds used to send a veterans children to Camp Purple for a week. Also portions of the proceeds will be given to the Cancer Aid and Research Program.

For more information please contact Dara Kelly-Campbell at 704-851-3374 or Joyce Little at 704-694-6223.



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