

BreadWorks Newsletter

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Urban elegance • Rural charm • Sustainable and organic foods

Ben Franklin Society
Fund-Raising Events

JULY-AUG 2014
Number 7-8

SUMMER BREADWORKS SCHEDULE

Ben Franklin Society Members - we are abbreviating our Summer Monthly Schedule this year to provide some needed R&R for Kerry, Bob and April, and to create a block of time to complete some construction details inside the Cabin: staining of the Loft floor, hanging of new closet doors in the Basement, painting of all new doors, installing the permanent stairwell handrails and some touchup painting throughout. **We will only offer Outdoor Tomato Pie Buffet Events in July and August, but will resume our “normal” monthly Saturday Dinner and Sunday Brunch events in September.** After nearly 1-1/2 years of continuous use, we want to “finish” everything inside the Cabin before we begin our busy Fall 2014 schedule and expanded plans for 2015. We thank you for your past support and your understanding as we transition into another year of outstanding Dining and Entertainment Fund-raising Events - **Bob & Kerry**

SATURDAY JULY 19TH

Pies served from 6:00pm



\$20 DONATION

**RESERVATIONS
REQUIRED**

Season’s 3rd Outdoor Event

BOB’S TOMATO PIE BUFFET

Sodas and Sweet Tea

B.Y.O.B. WINE and BEER

WITH “FRONT PORCH” MUSIC

Join us for our 3rd Outdoor Event of the 2014 Season. Don’t miss Bob’s Famous Tomato Pie Buffet. Since Bob began writing those “Tomato Pie, Rocky Ford, and Me” articles for Peter Reinhart on www.PizzaQuest.com, some say he’s at the top-of-his-game! He plans to start serving Tomato Pies at 6:00pm and the Front Porch Music will start around 7:00pm until the musicians give-it-up. This Event is only open to Ben Franklin Society Members. The \$20 Donation covers both Food and Music. An Associate Membership may be purchased for \$5 at the door **For more details, see Page 2**

SATURDAY AUGUST 23RD

Pies served from 6:00pm



\$20 DONATION

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Season’s 4th Outdoor Event

BOB’S TOMATO PIE BUFFET

Sodas and Sweet Tea

B.Y.O.B. WINE and BEER

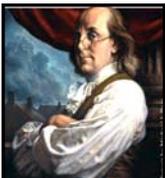
WITH “FRONT PORCH” MUSIC

Join us for our 4th Outdoor Event of the 2014 Season. Don’t miss Bob’s Famous Tomato Pie Buffet. Since Bob began writing those “Tomato Pie, Rocky Ford, and Me” articles for Peter Reinhart on www.PizzaQuest.com, some say he’s at the top-of-his-game! He plans to start serving Tomato Pies at 6:00pm and the Front Porch Music will start around 7:00pm until the musicians give-it-up. This Event is only open to Ben Franklin Society Members. The \$20 Donation covers both Food and Music. An Associate Membership may be purchased for \$5 at the door. **For more details, see Page 2**

CURRENT MEMBERSHIP AND RESERVATIONS REQUIRED

Call **252-767-1167** or Email bob@lynchcreek.com

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Ben Franklin Society NEWS

www.BenFranklinSocietyNC.org

The Ben Franklin Society is a collection of independent Research Projects.

Society Members work individually, or in collaboration with others, on Projects of their choosing

The Society meets Quarterly, but each Project maintains its own activity schedule.

Project Leaders make Quarterly presentations to the Society about their Research Projects.

Project Leaders are encouraged to utilize computer technology to assemble, communicate and publish their findings.

Guest Speakers are also featured at Quarterly Membership Meetings.

NEWS & OBSERVER “BEST KEPT SECRET IN FRANKLIN COUNTY”

We have been chosen to receive the Raleigh NEWS & OBSERVER (N&O) paper contest award as the “Best Kept Secret in Franklin County”. This contest selects ONE SITE from each of the 100 COUNTIES in NORTH CAROLINA and provides Front Page Coverage on the Monday Edition each week from Memorial Day through Labor Day Weekend. We were featured in the Monday, July 7th, 2014 Edition. Thanks to help from Marion Blackburn and others that made Online Nominations over the past month. The N&O also provides an interactive NC map on their website that allows folks to select a County and see the photographic and descriptive information about each site.

TWO WEB-BASED MARKETING VIDEOS POSTED ON YOUTUBE

Two HD-Videos have been prepared by Bear-Daly (www.bear-daly.com) that showcase a “Lynch Creek Farm Cabin Virtual Tour” (2:30+ min) and “BreadWorks Tomato Pie with Bob Radcliffe” (24:00+ min). Both YouTube hosted videos should help grow our Society membership and increase donations that support our Research Project efforts.

BOB RADCLIFFE - GUEST COLUMNIST AT [WWW.PIZZAQUEST.COM](http://www.PIZZAQUEST.COM)

Bob Radcliffe was invited by noted Johnson & Wales Culinary University (Charlotte, NC) educator and author, Peter Reinhart, to write a Series of Guest Columns for his Pizza Quest website, titled “*Tomato Pie, Rocky Ford, and Me.*” A funny, but informative, story of Bob’s lifelong odyssey to create the Tomato Pie he bakes for BreadWorks Events in his wood-fired oven. Read Bob’s seven articles and hear the story behind his “Delorenzo-style” Tomato Pie.

BEN FRANKLIN SOCIETY LIBRARY

We now have a Society collection of historic NC and Franklin County Books and Maps. The Library is located in the display case in the Cabin Headquarters Loft. Reference materials will be on display there permanently. We also have framed two noteworthy County Maps on permanent display. Check out: *Land Surveyor, W. N. Fuller’s, May 1869, hand-drawn Map* and *Henderson Land Surveyor, John E. Buck’s, 1931, Historic Map of Old Granville County*

PEGGY MCGHEE’S COLONIAL KITCHEN GARDEN ACTIVITIES

Phase II - Construction and Garden Documentation - continues. Gates and fencing have been installed. A plant source inventory is being prepared and a Ben Franklin Society Project Perspective Article is being authored by noted NC writer - Marion Blackburn. To volunteer your gardening expertise, contact Kerry at 267-973-8143

PEGGY’S COLONIAL HEARTH DAY III

We have scheduled Peggy McGhee’s Colonial Hearth Day again this year for October 23rd and 24th, 2014. We have received Grant Award support from United Way of Franklin County and Novozymes Community Relations Committee. This will be the third year we have hosted this activity for over two-hundred 4th grade children chosen from Franklin County’s most disadvantaged elementary schools.



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ARTS Council
www.FCACArts.org

Perry Memorial Library
www.PerryLibrary.org

Cedar Cross Retreat Center
www.CedarCrossRetreat.org

The
Grain Mill
Cooperative Grocery
www.GrainMill.coop

 **American Wine Society**
www.NorthWakeAWS.org

**WINE
101**
www.Wine101NC.com


Wake Forest Camera Club
www.wfccnc.org

Capital City Camera Club
Raleigh, NC
www.capcitycameraclub.com

 **Tar River Center
for
History and Culture**
www.louisburg.edu/tarrivercenter

 **PERSON PLACE
Preservation
Society**
www.personplace.org

**Friends of H. Leslie Perry
Memorial Library**
www.perrylibrary.org/friendsoflibrary.html

**LOUISBURG
COLLEGE**
www.louisburg.edu

**Ben Franklin Society
Affiliated Organization Memberships
make Business sense**

- ONE FREE BUSINESS MEETING PER YEAR
- “BLANKET” ASSOCIATE MEMBER STATUS FOR ALL OF YOUR MEMBERS
- FULL SOCIETY PRIVILEGES TO ATTEND ALL BREADWORKS EVENTS

BreadWorks Dining and Entertainment Fund-raising Events are scheduled each month and provide a unique opportunity for members to socialize with friends.

The Lynch Creek Farm Cabin serves as headquarters for the Society, the primary venue for activities, and a full-service Business Meeting and Event Center.

Headquarters
**Lynch Creek Farm
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**Associate \$5
Individual \$15
Family \$25
Non-Profit \$50
Corporation \$100
(Students, Children \$0)**

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www.BenFranklinSocietyNC.org**

HELP WANTED

WE ARE SEEKING PART-TIME HELP TO SUPPORT OUR EXPANDED SCHEDULE OF BREADWORKS EVENTS IN 2014

- KITCHEN PREP AND COOKING
- BREAD PREP AND BAKING
- WAIT SERVICE
- FACEBOOK MANAGER

ARE YOU MOTIVATED AND PASSIONATE ABOUT FOOD SERVICE?
UNIQUE OPPORTUNITY TO TRAIN AND APPLY YOUR SKILLS

**Contact Bob Radcliffe
252-767-1167**

The Ben Franklin Society is a 501(c)(3), Non-Profit, North Carolina Corporation dedicated “to performing independent and collaborative research on matters of importance to Franklin County, NC”. Donations to the Society are tax-deductible. *Society membership is open to everyone.* Associate Membership is available for \$5 per year. Franklin BreadWorks is the Society Fund-Raising Project that is a collaboration between the Ben Franklin Society and Lynch Creek Farm. BreadWorks Dining and Entertainment Events are announced in our BreadWorks Newsletter that is distributed by e-mail and posted on our website each month. *BreadWorks Events are private. Attendees must be current Ben Franklin Society members.* 20% of each BreadWorks Event is a tax-deductible donation with payment accepted by cash, check or credit and debit cards.

No alcoholic beverages are served at BreadWorks Events, but you may B.Y.O.B. Parking is always free-of-charge.