

# BreadWorks Newsletter

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BEN FRANKLIN SOCIETY  
FUND-RAISING EVENTS

JAN-FEB 2018



## FRIDAY NIGHT MOVIE & DISCUSSION



FEBRUARY 9TH | 7:00PM | LOG CABIN

"LIBERTY & SLAVERY"

The Paradox of America's Founding Fathers

"Travel back in time to better understand the men responsible for America's greatest victories - and most heinous sins. Watch as "Liberty & Slavery" [1:26] explores the paradox of America's Founding Fathers being champions of liberty - and yet simultaneously champions of slavery.

Tickets \$7.50 - BYOB - Light Snacks Provided



**\$15 PER PERSON**

- NO WAITED SERVICE -

## SUNDAY LUNCH BUFFET



FEBRUARY 25TH | 1:00PM | LOG CABIN

ASSORTED BREADS - SOUP - SALAD

QUICHE - SAUSAGE - ROASTED CHICKEN

POTATO STRATA - ROASTED VEGETABLES

APPLE CRISP

SWEET TEA - COFFEE

B.Y.O.B.

[ Thanks to member Marcia "Brady" Klinder-Badgley for making this Event possible ]

## ANNUAL MEMBERSHIP DUES REMINDER

We are making a special effort this year to request the early renewal of your annual due. Bob Radcliffe was unable to offer as many BreadWorks Fund-Raising Events as planned in 2017 due to health-related family and staffing reasons.

For legal and liability reasons, Society membership is required to attend BreadWorks Events.

Dues may always be paid upon arrival. Guests are always welcome \$2.50

Individual \$7.50, Family \$25, Group \$50 and Corporate \$100+

Make your DUES payable to: BEN FRANKLIN SOCIETY, 1973 Rocky Ford Road, Kittrell, NC 27544.

### **RESERVATIONS and CURRENT MEMBERSHIP REQUIRED**

Call 252-767-1167 or Email [bob@lynchcreek.com](mailto:bob@lynchcreek.com)

Payment accepted by Cash, Check or Credit Card

We only accept VISA, MasterCard, AMEX and DISCOVER

### **SOCIETY HEADQUARTERS**

Lynch Creek Farm Log Cabin

1973 Rocky Ford Road

Kittrell, NC 27544

[www.LynchCreek.com](http://www.LynchCreek.com)



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## Ben Franklin Society NEWS

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### FEBRUARY CABIN BOOK & MEDIA CLUB / BEN FRANKLIN CIRCLE



Our Cabin Book & Media Club has grown to over 20 members who share a love of reading and literary endeavors. Our monthly Club Meetings have consistently good attendance. Read our selection and join us for a lively and challenging book discussion. Wine and Hordoeuvres are included.

Our next BOOK CLUB meeting - **Tuesday, FEBRUARY 20<sup>TH</sup>, 2018 AT 3:30PM** - Lynch Creek Farm Cabin February: "LINCOLN IN BARDO" by George Sanders | March: "ROUND MIDNIGHT" by Laura McBride

To Join, contact Kerry Carter at 267-973-8143

### FRANKLIN COUNTY EARLY COLLEGE HIGH SCHOOL PROJECT

Now that ECHS is the first 1:1 School in the County where each Student has a Chromebook Computer, we are pleased to announce that the School System has rolled-out a Policy that allows Students to take their Chromebooks home beginning in January 2018. Wireless access extends Teacher contact and homework assignment activities for a low, yearly fee of \$25.

- Our Teacher-Partnership Volunteer Program links two Society Members with each of the seven ECHS Teachers. See PAGE-4 of this Newsletter for our latest ECHS Project Report.
- We will provide Grant Writing help for all ECHS Teachers in 2018 and work to build a database of Grant opportunities to pursue each year.

### **NEWS & OBSERVER: "BEST KEPT SECRET IN FRANKLIN COUNTY"**

We received the Raleigh NEWS & OBSERVER (N&O) paper contest award as the "Best Kept Secret in Franklin County" in July 2014. The statewide contest selected one Site in each of the 100 Counties of North Carolina. Read the Article online at <http://www.newsobserver.com/2014/07/06/3988523/exploring-the-country-roads-in-n.html?sp=99/100/&ihp=1>

### **CIRCA MAGAZINE - BREADWORKS REVIEW**

In the 2015 April-May-June Quarterly edition of CIRCA Magazine, The BreadWorks at Lynch Creek Farm was featured in the "Driveable Destinations" column that highlights venues within driving distance of Wake Forest/Wake county, NC. The story is available at <https://wakeforestmuseum.org/2015/05/14/breadworks-at-the-lynch-creek-farm-cabin/>

### **UNC-TV FEATURES PEGGY'S HEARTH & GARDEN ON "ALMANAC GARDENER"**

UNC-TV aired two 5-minute segments of Peggy's Hearth & Garden on the statewide "Almanac Gardener" show in June 2015. Peggy's [Colonial Kitchen Garden](#) was initially aired on June 13th, and her [Colonial Kitchen \(Open Hearth\)](#) was aired on June 20th - thanks to Bill Lord who filmed the footage at Peggy's Farm on October 14, 2014. To view the videos, use the embedded links above or visit <http://video.uncvtv.org/program/almanac-gardener/>. To plan a Tour for your Group, contact Peggy McGhee at [pwmkitchen@gmail.com](mailto:pwmkitchen@gmail.com)

### **MISSION STATEMENT**

*To enhance the educational, cultural and economic development of Franklin County by leveraging its natural and historic resources*

### **ANNUAL SOCIETY MEMBERSHIP DUES**

GUEST \$2.50 ASSOCIATE \$7.50  
INDIVIDUAL \$15 FAMILY \$25  
GROUP \$50 CORPORATION \$100+

*"The Ben Franklin Society performs a collection of independent Research Projects"*

*"Society Members work on Projects of choice either individually, or in collaboration with others"*

*"The Society meets twice yearly, while Projects maintain their own activity schedule"*

*"The Society provides funding, promotion and staffing assistance for all Projects"*

*"Project Leaders make presentations about their Research Projects at semi-annual Society Meetings"*

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



USE THE LINKS BELOW TO VIEW VIDEOS WE CREATED ABOUT THE BEN FRANKLIN SOCIETY

- <https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=vATvasAkV2E> Lynch Creek Farm Cabin Tour
- <https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=gjLTiSLj02A> BreadWorks Tomato Pie with Bob Radcliffe
- <https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=2XZIm4Ybcq0> Colonial Hearth Day - 2014
- <https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=SIUrMajIP70> Peggy's Hearth & Garden - 2015
- <http://video.uncvtv.org/video/2365508711/> Peggy's Colonial Kitchen Garden - UNC-TV
- <http://video.uncvtv.org/video/2365513503/> Peggy's Kitchen (Open Hearth) - UNC-TV



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### **FRIDAY NIGHT AT THE MOVIES!**

As you can see, we have begun offering Movie Events at our Log Cabin. These Social and Educational gatherings will be casual, include snacks, a DVD Movie and a Discussion period. Thanks to members Pam and Bill Joy for helping to get this started. We plan to schedule "Union Bound" [1:43] in March which is based upon the diaries of Pam's great-great-grandfather, Joseph Hoover.

### **FOUR VOLUNTEERS STILL NEEDED FOR OUR ECHS TEACHER-PARTNERSHIP**

We are still looking for 4 more Volunteers to bring our total to 14 so that we have a Two-member Team for each Teacher at ECHS. We started this Initiative in November 2017. Teams meet together monthly at the Cabin to share their experiences. Thanks to Volunteers: Kerry Carter, Linda Lamb, Art Beveridge, Lenora Branche, Dave Wanner, Jack Hussey, Joanne Carpenter, Thomas Flynn, Sharon Billings and Margaret Hilpert. We have our next Volunteer Meeting at the Cabin planned for Monday, February 19th at 11:00am. If you would like to become an ECHS Volunteer, contact Bob Radcliffe at 252-767-1167 or bob@lynchcreek.com

### **SUPERINTENDENTS MEETING**

On December 18th, Bob Radcliffe met with new FCSS Superintendent, Dr. Rhonda Schuhler and Dr. Larry Webb, Director of Auxiliary Services, to discuss several ECHS issues:

- Future ECHS facility matters will be dictated by VGCC collaboration outcomes
- Targeting future ECHS enrollment beyond 250 seems unlikely
- Immediate Science Classroom addition of Lab Sinks will be considered
- Chromebook "Take-Home" Policy will be implemented in January 2018
- Approval given to pursue prototyping STEM-like extensions for the Chromebooks
- Approval given to begin our Grant Writing Teacher Assistance efforts

### **ECHS DONATIONS**

Please consider making a Tax-Deductible Donation in support of our ECHS Teacher Partnership Initiative. We are funding Classroom Needs beyond the reach of ECHS Teacher and School Budgets. We have identified needs specific to each Teacher's Classroom that we believe are essential and which will immediately impact Student Achievement. Make your Check Payable to: BEN FRANKLIN SOCIETY, 1973 Rocky Ford Road, Kittrell, NC 27544. Memo your Check as an "ECHS Donation"

### **AFFILIATED ORGANIZATIONS**

- ONE FREE CABIN MEETING PER YEAR
- "BLANKET" ASSOCIATE MEMBERSHIP
- ATTEND ANY BREADWORKS EVENT
- FREE NEWSLETTER ADVERTISING

**OUR SUBSCRIBER LIST NOW EXCEEDS 1100**

Join other Organizations that have chosen to collaborate with the Ben Franklin Society. Extend the social benefits of our monthly BreadWorks Dining and Entertainment Events to your Membership and utilize our outstanding Cabin Meeting Facility for your business needs.

Explore the co-fundraising strategies we have successfully employed.

Build a more robust and expanded community of volunteers.

Successful Events foster membership growth and organizational commitment.

The Ben Franklin Society is a 501(c)(3), Non-Profit, North Carolina Corporation dedicated "to enhance the educational, cultural and economic development of Franklin County by leveraging its natural and historic resources". Donations to the Society are tax-deductible. *Society membership is open to everyone.* BreadWorks is the Society Fund-Raising Project that is a collaboration with 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 and Facebook page each month. Anyone can subscribe online to receive our Newsletter; however *BreadWorks Events are private and attendees must be current Ben Franklin Society members.* Memberships are available at the door. Twenty percent (20%) of each BreadWorks Event is tax-deductible. No alcoholic beverages are served at BreadWorks Events, but you may B.Y.O.B. Parking is always free-of-charge.



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## EARLY COLLEGE HIGH SCHOOL (ECHS) TEACHER-VOLUNTEER PARTNERSHIP ACHIEVEMENTS (DECEMBER 2017 - JANUARY 2018)

### NON-MONETARY VOLUNTEER CONTRIBUTIONS

- Sharon & Ken Billings donated a Laboratory Work Bench for Sanjana Sharma
- Dave Wanner - Proctored Student year-end Testing (1/2 day)
- Bob Radcliffe introduced Sanjana Sharma to Charles Mitchell, Director FC Extension Service, Charlie Bass, Soil & Conservation Service, and others for help with her new Earth and Environmental Sciences class
- Sharon Billings, Bill Lord and Bob Radcliffe will be Guest Speakers for Sanjana Sharma
- Art Beveridge and Bob Radcliffe are investigating options to install Lab Sinks in both the Biology & Chemistry Classrooms
- Kerry Carter and Linda Lamb are helping plan Elizabeth Grothmann's DC Class Trip

### MONETARY CONTRIBUTIONS

- \$15,775 - BFS Student Chromebook Computers (70) and Computer Cart (1) [2017]
- \$200 - BFS Food Service Assistance for Principal, Erica Shoulders [2017]
- \$250 - Molecular Kits (Art Beveridge) for Biology and Chemistry [2017]
- \$300 - IXL Math Software License (Dave Wanner, Jack Hussey) for Math Teachers [2017]
- \$150 - Mini-Whiteboards & Markers (Dave Wanner, Jack Hussey) for Math Teachers [2017]
- \$250 - BrainGame Kit (Kerry Carter, Linda Lamb) for Ari Goldberg's ECHS Club [2018]

### 2018 BFS MONETARY COMMITMENTS

- \$2000 - Chemistry & Biology Lab Equipment from FCEF Raffle Ticket & Novozymes Grant
- \$500-\$1000 - English Class Book-Sets
- \$1000 - ECHS May DC Class Trip

### GRANT-WRITING INITIATIVE

- \$1000 Awarded from Novozymes - Bob Radcliffe BFS Grant submitted Dec-2017
- Recent CenturyLink Grants submitted by January-12th:
  - \$500 - Sanjana Sharma for prototyping LabDisc & Globilab Chromebook software
  - \$3795 - Katelyn Jones for Class-set bundle of thirty TI-84+CE Calculators
- Upcoming February 9th, Lowes Grant - Sanjana Sharma - Earth Science Class Garden
- Upcoming April 18th, Burroughs-Welcome for Student STEM Enrichment Program




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**ARTS Council**  
[www.FCACArts.org](http://www.FCACArts.org)

 **Perry Memorial Library**  
[www.PerryLibrary.org](http://www.PerryLibrary.org)

*Cedar Cross Retreat Center*  
[www.CedarCrossRetreatCenter.com](http://www.CedarCrossRetreatCenter.com)

  
**McGREGOR Hall**

 **American Wine Society**  
[www.NorthWakeAWS.org](http://www.NorthWakeAWS.org)

**WINE 101**  
[www.WineandBeer101.com](http://www.WineandBeer101.com)

  
**Wake Forest Camera Club**  
[www.wfccnc.org](http://www.wfccnc.org)

**Capital City Camera Club**  
Raleigh, NC  
[www.capcitycameraclub.com](http://www.capcitycameraclub.com)

*The Tar River Center*  
for History and Culture

 **PERSON PLACE Preservation Society**  
[www.personplace.org](http://www.personplace.org)

 **Franklin County Volunteers in Medicine**

 **ROIREVOLUTION**

**House & Garden Club**  
Henderson, NC

**Friends of H. Leslie Perry Memorial Library**  
[www.perrylibrary.org/friendsoflibrary.html](http://www.perrylibrary.org/friendsoflibrary.html)

  
**UnionBank**  
EVERY DAY BETTER

**N.C.C.A.R - Joel Lane Society**  
Children of American Revolution  
Raleigh, NC


**Wake Forest Garden Club**  
Wake Forest, NC

**LOUISBURG COLLEGE**  
[www.louisburg.edu](http://www.louisburg.edu)

**Twilight Gardeners Club**  
Henderson, NC

**Indoor-Outdoor Garden Club**  
Henderson, NC

**ALSTON-PLEASANTS POST-GRADUATE SCHOLARS FUND**  
[www.alstonpleasants.org](http://www.alstonpleasants.org)

 **Franklin County Early College High School**

**First Baptist Church**  
Henderson, NC

**Roxboro Garden Club**  
Roxboro, NC

**Granville Garden Club**  
Oxford, NC

  
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