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BEN FRANKLIN SOCIETY
FUND-RAISING EVENTS

SEPT 2017

BREADWORKS PATRONS

WE ARE RESUMING BREADWORKS EVENTS, ON AN ABBREVIATED SCHEDULE, IN SEPTEMBER
(Family care-giver responsibilities on my part have limited what I am able to offer)

We have planned an OUTDOOR MUSIC EVENT
SATURDAY, SEPTEMBER 23RD, 2017 AT 6:00PM

THANKS FOR YOUR CONTINUED SUPPORT OF THE BEN FRANKLIN SOCIETY

SATURDAY SEPTEMBER 23RD AT 6:00PM

OUTDOOR MUSIC WITH Hors d'oeuvres

*Hors d'oeuvres, Chips and Dip, Bob's Homemade Focaccia
Bottled Sodas, Sweet Tea and Mixers*

\$10.00 per person

Rain or Shine

Remember to BYOB

Plan to come. Bring your friends

(This IS NOT a Tomato Pie Buffet with Music Event)

*We will RAFFLE-OFF FREE TICKETS
to FOUR upcoming Concerts
at the new McGregor Hall
in Henderson, NC*

CABIN FRONT PORCH

MUSIC



***Dry Bread Road Band
Rick & Bette Newsome***

RESERVATIONS and CURRENT MEMBERSHIP REQUIRED

Call 252-767-1167 or Email 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



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Ben Franklin Society NEWS

BENFRANKLINSOCIETYNC.ORG

FACEBOOK.COM/BENFRANKLINSOCIETY

[SEARCH FACEBOOK FOR "BREADWORKS AT LYNCH CREEK FARM CABIN"](#)

FRANKLIN COUNTY EARLY COLLEGE HIGH SCHOOL REPORT

Our Society has been successful in its efforts to provide a Chromebook Computer for each student at ECHS

We fund-raised \$16,000 and provided 70 Computers and one Cart

We met our overall goal to provide 120 Computers - enough to equip four of the seven classrooms at ECHS - with help from Superintendent of Schools, Pascal Mubenga and Franklin County Manager, Angela Harris

* MORE DETAILS TO FOLLOW IN OUR UPCOMING OCTOBER NEWSLETTER *

SEPTEMBER CABIN BOOK CLUB / BEN FRANKLIN CIRCLE



Our Cabin Book 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 discussions. Wine and Hordoeuvres are included. Contact Kerry Carter at 267-973-8143 to join.

Our next BOOK CLUB meeting is Tuesday, SEPTEMBER 19TH, 2017 AT 3:30PM - Lynch Creek Farm Cabin

Our Book Club Selection is "Alfred Hitchcock: A life in Darkness & Light" by Patrick McGilligan

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

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

"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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FEATURES

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Fellow Society Members -

I am asking each of you again to Email your NC State Representatives - both Senate and House - and ask them to "Eliminate the Sales Tax on Public School Purchases".

This Sales Tax change will benefit All Schools throughout the 100 Counties in North Carolina.

With your help, the Ben Franklin Society can make a huge impact statewide.

The Cover Letter of my Sales Tax Study Report is shown to the right.

DOWNLOAD the Complete Report by clicking on the following embedded link:

[ELIMINATE THE SALES TAX ON PUBLIC SCHOOL PURCHASES](#)

With your help, this Law can be changed. Remember that elected officials are accountable to you.

- Bob Radcliffe

TO: ALL NORTH CAROLINA PUBLIC SCHOOL SYSTEM ADVOCATES
RE: A STUDY OF NORTH CAROLINA DEPARTMENT OF REVENUE (NCDOR) SALES TAX AND REFUND POLICIES IMPACTING FRANKLIN COUNTY SCHOOLS AND LOCAL GOVERNMENT

Attached, please find a copy of the Study undertaken by Bob Radcliffe of the Ben Franklin Society in support of its commitment to the Public School System of Franklin County, North Carolina.

The impetus for this Study evolved from the Society's involvement as a Business Partner with the Franklin County Early College High School (ECHS) that was facilitated by the recently formed Franklin County Educational Foundation.

In response to the dire need to provide each ECHS student with access to a portable Chromebook Computer, the Society committed to secure private industry funds for the purchase of 120 additional Computers and 4 companion Teaching Carts.

In the course of preparing a Grant Proposal to NOVOZYMES for this purpose, Bob discovered that NCDOR was only ONE of FIVE STATES that imposes Sales Tax on such purchases. In particular, nearly \$2000 of Sales Tax was required to requisition FOUR Teaching Carts with 30 computers each.

Bob Radcliffe felt this was an incredible cost and initiated research to unveil why this was so. His efforts over several months confirmed the fact that the general public and nearly all responsible parties involved were totally unaware of this fact.

Bob concluded that a thorough, accurate study of the underlying issues was needed, and the attached Study Document fulfills that need.

Three RECOMMENDATIONS are included within the report.

It is hoped that Policy changes will be made to remedy the inequities of present NC Sales Tax Policy.

Please direct any questions, comments or corrections to Bob Radcliffe by emailing bob@lynchcreek.com

Feel free to redistribute this Letter and attached Study Document to others as you see fit.

COVER LETTER
Monday, July 24, 2017

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.

Our Society presently has over 600 Members - 80% of which reside outside of Franklin County.

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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www.FCACArts.org

 **Perry Memorial Library**
www.PerryLibrary.org

Cedar Cross Retreat Center
www.CedarCrossRetreat.com

NCAASA
NORTH CAROLINA ASSOCIATION
OF SCHOOL ADMINISTRATORS

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

WINE 101
www.WineandBeer101.com


Wake Forest Camera Club
www.wfccnc.org

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

The Tar River Center
for History and Culture

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

 **Franklin County
Volunteers
in Medicine**

 **American Wine Society**
www.AWStriangle.org

House & Garden Club
Henderson, NC

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


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**LOUISBURG
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Twilight Gardeners Club
Henderson, NC

Indoor-Outdoor Garden Club
Henderson, NC

**ALSTON-PLEASANTS
POST-GRADUATE SCHOLARS FUND**
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 **Franklin County
Early College High School**

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