



BOB RADCLIFFE

Philly in the Woods began to showcase Farm-to-Table produce from our greenhouse at Sunday Brunch on July 19th - fresh fingerling potatoes, zucchini, shallots and basil - a noteworthy accomplishment. See Page-2 for Farm-to-Table PHOTOS and NEWS about our Scholarship Fund Awards, Wait Staff Search, Pizza Stone Repair Kit and Google Ad Grant Initiative. New Page-3 describes our Online GENERAL and SCHOLARSHIP Tax-Deductible FUNDS. Help expand our Community Service Projects - Make a Tax-exempt DONATION and Dine at Philly in the Woods - Franklin County's "Best Kept Secret".

AUG 16		SUNDAY BRUNCH Bakery Breadbasket Sampler Chilled Corn Soup Starter CHICKEN KABOBS with Basil Chimichurri Coffee, Juices and Setups (BYOB) Dessert: Watermelon Sorbet	Philly in the Woods INDOORS SUNDAY 1:00PM B.Y.O.B. \$22.50 DONATION (plus tip)	
BOOK		ORDER OUR BAKERY PRODUCTS ONLINE by AUGUST 13th for PICKUP on AUGUST 16th or 17th (SEE PAGE 6 FOR DETAILS)		
AUG 16-17		ORDER		
AUG 18		CABIN BOOK & MEDIA CLUB - TUESDAY AT 3:30PM <u>Audition a Memoir by Barbara Walters (2008)</u> CONTACT KERRY CARTER AT 267-973-8143 (SEE PAGE-4)		
AUG 29		WOOD FIRED OVEN TOMATO PIE BUFFET with LIVE FRONT PORCH MUSIC by Six More Miles (Phil Lanier) SALAD, CHIP and DIP STARTER WATER, SWEET and UNSWEET TEA (36 RESERVATIONS MAX)	Philly in the Woods RAIN or SHINE SATURDAY 5:00PM B.Y.O.B. \$25 DONATION (plus tip)	
BOOK				

AUGUST 2026 EVENTS							MEMBERSHIP & RESERVATIONS REQUIRED NEED ASSISTANCE? EMAIL bob@lynchcreek.com OR CALL/TEXT 252-767-1167 OUR PAYMENT OPTIONS RESERVATIONS - Pre-Paid, Online by Credit Card MEMBERSHIP - Online by Credit Card (or Check/Cash) ONSITE WIFI "STARLINK via eero"
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2	3	4	5	6	7	8	
9	10	11	12	DL-BK	14	15	
FE-BK	BK	BC	19	20	21	22	
23	24	25	26	27	28	FE	
30	31						
BK-Book Club BK-Bakery DL-Deadline FE-Fundraising PE-Private PR-Project							

Dine at our Philly in the Woods Restaurant

ON GOOGLE, YELP AND FACEBOOK AS PHILLY IN THE WOODS

Lynch Creek Farm NEWS

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MEETING • DINING • EVENT VENUE

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AUGUST 2026 NEWS ITEMS

BEN FRANKLIN SOCIETY

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KITTRELL, NC 27544
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EIN 26-3737099

1 — FARM-TO-TABLE PROGRESS PHOTOS —



Our year-round greenhouse is now producing vegetables that we showcase exclusively at Philly in the Woods. We use only well water, compost, lime and select fertilizers - never any pesticides - as we continue working to improve soil quality and remove invasive weeds that became established while the greenhouse was unused. Seeds have been ordered for our upcoming Fall crop of Carrots, Broccoli, Cabbage, Brussel Sprouts, String Beans, Sugar Peas, Lettuce, Herbs and Figs.

2 — CEDAR CREEK MIDDLE SCHOOL AWARDS —



For the first time from, Loriele Malone and McKensie Lawrence were awarded BFS Scholarships from the Cedar Creek Middle School to the UNC Leaders in Ocean Science - MarineQuest Program - in Wilmington, NC the weeks of July 5-10 and 19-24, 2026. Both are students of Science Teacher, Cole Jones – a BFS Member. Another Cedar Creek student - Sam Bennett - is working with me each week in the greenhouse, and so far has helped plant String Beans and Sugar Peas.

3 — RECOMMEND WAIT STAFF —

I am still seeking referrals of Cabin Wait Staff candidates. If you know of anyone who can primarily work Weekend Events, contact Bob Radcliffe by phone/text at 252-767-1176

4 — PIZZA STONE REPAIR KIT STORY —

When I first broke my Baking Stone in 2016, I researched and tested a way to repair it. Afterwards I began selling a Repair Kit to help others rescue their Baking Stones – first advertised on Peter Reinhart's PizzaQuest website. I had no idea how attached people were to their Baking Stones! Many have written to thank me. I recently broke mine again, and repaired it using my Kit – it works!

5 — GOOGLE AD GRANT LANDING PAGE(S) —

Our Free Ads are being posted on Google networks - Google.com, YouTube and other websites and apps. To reach our Budget Limit of \$10,000 per month, we must further revamp our Ben Franklin Society website. Prospects, who click on our Ads, are linked to one of our Landing Page(s) to encourage Newsletter Subscription, Society Membership and Online Reservations.

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GF - GENERAL FUND

This fund was created in response to member requests for an Online Donation Option.

- A Tax-deductible Donation to the Ben Franklin Society General Fund supports:**
- 1) All ongoing Society Community Service Projects
 - 2) Annual Operating Costs - liability insurance, website hosting, software licensing
 - 3) Board approved Contracts Services - Google Nonprofit Ad Grant

All Society administrative staff are volunteers - we have no compensated personnel or contracted staff whatsoever. Our Board of Directors likewise volunteers its services. Each year, we file an IRS Form 990-N certifying that the Society has gross receipts of less than \$50,000. All donations are dispensed with Board approval and are used to supplement Society income from annual membership dues and our monthly Philly in the Woods dining and entertainment events. The Society no longer pursues grants, although it has done so in the past, from United Way, the Tourism Development Authority and Novozymes.

[CLICK HERE TO DONATE TO GF](#)

SF - SCHOLARSHIP FUND

About tax-deductible donations to the Ben Franklin Annual Society Scholarship Fund

We are committed to funding \$4,500 in scholarships in 2027 for three rising Franklin County Schools (FCS) 8th graders from the Cedar Creek Middle School to attend a one-week Environmental Studies Camp at UNC-Wilmington next summer.

We've chosen to collaborate with a local 501(c)(3) nonprofit, [Blue Collie Coffee](#) (ZB Collie Foundation), on a multi-year FCS scholarship program. Our contact, Paige Sayles, has served on the FCS Board of Education for years and was instrumental in our Early College High School project (2016-2018).

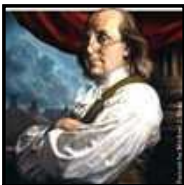
Our membership dues and ongoing [Philly in the Woods](#) dining event donations fund both our Society operating expenses and build reserves for projects like this one. It is our intent to continue and grow our commitment to funding future scholarships.

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ONLINE TAX-DEDUCTIBLE DONATIONS

DINE at our "[Philly in the Woods](#)" Restaurant

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BEN FRANKLIN SOCIETY
BOOK & MEDIA CLUB

AUGUST 2026

BOOK AND MEDIA CLUB

TUESDAY, AUGUST 18TH AT 3:30PM

[Audition a Memoir by Barbara Walters \(2008\)](#)

(at LYNCH CREEK FARM LOG CABIN)

Our Cabin Book & Media Club has grown to over 20 members who share a love of Reading and Literary Endeavors. Join us and bring a friend along.



SUBSCRIBE ONLINE TO OUR FREE MONTHLY EMAIL NEWSLETTER

See our Schedule of Events and Make Event Reservations ONLINE

If you wish to attend a Dining Event, you MUST be a Society Member

We are a "Private Club" under North Carolina Law. We serve "MEMBERS ONLY"

Our Liability Insurance Covers all MEMBERS

[BECOME A MEMBER TODAY](#)

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[JOIN THE SOCIETY](#)

[BOOK A COMPANY OR GROUP MEETING AT THE CABIN](#)



RENEW YOUR ANNUAL SOCIETY DUES ONLINE

STEP 1 OF 2 - CHECK YOUR MEMBERSHIP STATUS



STEP 2 OF 2 - PAY YOUR ANNUAL MEMBERSHIP DUES

(SOCIETY MEMBERSHIP NOW EXTENDS 1-YEAR FROM YOUR RENEWAL DATE)

YOUR ANNUAL DUES, DONATIONS AND ATTENDANCE AT EVENTS FUND OUR
COMMUNITY SERVICE PROJECTS

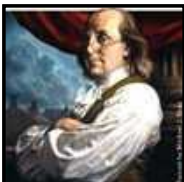
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GUEST \$5 INDIVIDUAL \$10
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BEN FRANKLIN SOCIETY
ONLINE RESOURCES

AUGUST 2026

MISSION STATEMENT

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

ANNUAL SOCIETY MEMBERSHIP DUES

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“The Ben Franklin Society performs a collection of independent Research Projects”

“Society Members work on Projects either individually, or in collaboration with others”

“The Society meets yearly, while Projects maintain their own activity schedule”

“The Society provides funding, promotion and staffing assistance for all Projects”

“Project Leaders provide Status Reports that are included in our monthly Newsletter”

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

VISIT OUR WEBSITES



www.lynchcreek.com



www.benfranklinsocietync.org

WRITE AN ONLINE REVIEW



- ① SELECT “REVIEW-US” MENU TAB,
- ② SELECT A SITE/PLATFORM FOR YOUR REVIEW
- ③ WRITE YOUR REVIEW
- ④ REPEAT FOR ANOTHER REVIEW

FOR GOOGLE PLATFORM REVIEWS

CLICK ON THE “REVIEWS” BUSINESS PROFILE TAB, THEN
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**BEN FRANKLIN SOCIETY
LYNCH CREEK FARM
BAKERY AT LYNCH CREEK FARM
PHILLY IN THE WOODS**

VIEW SOCIETY-PRODUCED VIDEOS



[Lynch Creek Cabin Tour](#)
[Tomato Colonial Hearth Day - 2014](#)
[Peggy's Hearth & Garden - 2015](#)
[Peggy's Colonial Kitchen Garden - UNC-TV](#)
[Peggy's Kitchen \(Open Hearth\) - UNC-TV](#)

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Lynch Creek Farm NEWS

"PHILADELPHIA STYLE WITH CAROLINA CHARACTER"

URBAN ELEGANCE • RURAL CHARM • SUSTAINABLE AND ORGANIC FOODS

LYNCH CREEK FARM
BAKERY

AUGUST 2026



BOB'S OUTDOOR WOOD-FIRED OVEN

IMPORTANT NOTICE

NEW 2026 SCHEDULING & DELIVERY MODEL

PICKUPS WILL NOW BE AVAILABLE at DESIGNATED DINING EVENTS and/or on designated MONDAYS at our existing Henderson, Louisburg and Lynch Creek Farm Cabin Sites. This approach will better serve our geographically dispersed membership. Pickup Orders ARE made ONLINE.

CUSTOM BREAD ORDERS

The Bakery accepts Custom Bread Orders.

Are you planning a Special Event?

Fresh-baked Breads and Rolls can make your event unique!
What Breads or Rolls do you need for your next Party?

FREEZE OUR BREADS

I highly recommend that the best way to preserve our Breads is to slice them immediately after pickup, then package them tightly in zip-lock plastic bags and place them in the freezer.

Take out slices as needed and reheat them in a TOASTER or TOASTER OVEN - NEVER MICROWAVE them!

I guarantee the Breads will taste like they came out of the oven. They can be kept frozen, if packaged tightly, for an incredibly long time without sacrificing their taste or texture.

Because we are only baking once a month, you can buy larger quantities, and enjoy the Breads throughout the month.

SUPPORT OUR PICK-UP SITE VENDORS

YOU CAN PICK-UP ORDERS AT:

Lynch Creek Farm Cabin

Blue Collie Coffee in Louisburg

North Carolina Flavors in Henderson

BAKERY SCHEDULE

PICKUP AUGUST 16TH OR 17TH

LYNCHCREEK.COM/STORE

ORDER ONLINE BY AUGUST 13TH
(SOCIETY MEMBERSHIP IS NOT REQUIRED)

INTRODUCE OUR BREADS TO YOUR FRIENDS

ADD A FRIEND TO OUR MAIL LIST - WRITE A GOOGLE REVIEW

CONTACT US

EMAIL: BAKERY@LYNCHCREEK.COM

CALL/TEXT: 252-767-1167

TO RECEIVE BAKERY SCHEDULE NOTICES

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Lynch Creek Farm Artisan BAKERY News

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LYNCH CREEK FARM CABIN
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WELCOME TO LYNCH CREEK FARM
AN EXCEPTIONAL BUSINESS MEETING, DINING AND
ENTERTAINMENT VENUE RECOGNIZED BY THE RALEIGH
NEWS & OBSERVER (N&O) AS THE
"BEST KEPT SECRET IN FRANKLIN COUNTY"

OUR AUTHENTIC LOG CABIN PROVIDES WHAT
PROPRIETOR BOB RADCLIFFE CALLS
"PHILADELPHIA STYLE WITH CAROLINA CHARACTER"

THE CABIN BACK PORCH EXTENDS OUR "PHILLY IN THE
WOODS" DINING SERVICE INTO THE TREETOPS, WHILE
THE FRONT PORCH SEASONALLY FEATURES
LIVE ENTERTAINMENT

**LYNCH CREEK FARM
LOG CABIN
EVENT VENUE**



**BUSINESS MEETINGS
IN A RURAL SETTING
WITH URBAN CONVENIENCES**



PHILADELPHIA STYLE WITH CAROLINA CHARACTER

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LCF TRI-FOLD BROCHURE**

MAKE AN ONLINE RESERVATION AND COME
SEE FOR YOURSELF, THEN BOOK A
BUSINESS OR GROUP MEETING AT THE
CABIN OR PLAN AN OUTDOOR EVENT ON
THE CABIN GROUNDS

BOB FOUNDED OUR NON-PROFIT
COMMUNITY SERVICE PARTNER,
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"TO ENHANCE THE EDUCATIONAL,
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ALL CABIN EVENTS RAISE FUNDS TO
SUPPORT THE BEN FRANKLIN SOCIETY

CONTACT BOB RADCLIFFE TO SCHEDULE A
SITE VISIT

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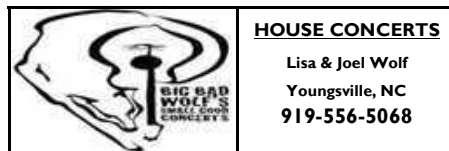
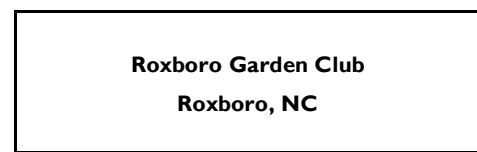
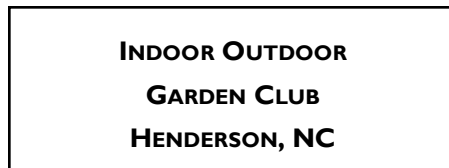
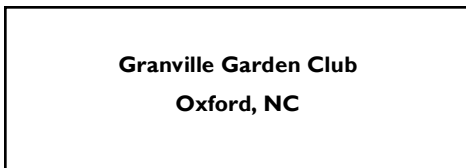
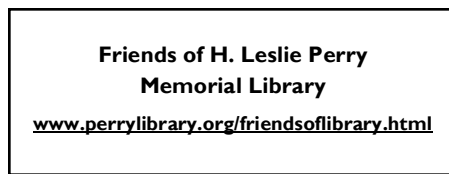


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AFFILIATED GROUPS

AUGUST 2026



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