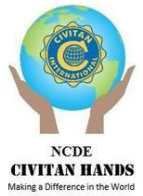




AWARD WINNING TRYON TRIBUNE

September 2019



CLUB HONOR KEY VOTING:

Have you voted for this year's Club Honor Key recipient yet? The Club Honor Key is awarded each year to the Tryon Civitan Member that has exemplified the highest level of leadership in the club and given outstanding service to Civitan and the Community.

This member has contributed to the growth and awareness of the organization. Last year the deserving recipient was LORIANN HARKER. This means you may vote for anyone you feel lives the Civitan Creed except for Loriann this year.

Voting will take place at our September lunch meeting. If you cannot make the meetings you may e-mail Loriann and let her know your choice lharker1@yahoo.com.

2018-2019 SLATE OF OFFICERS

President	Maggy Costandy
President Elect	Angela Okell-Watson
Secretary	Joanne Partin
Treasurer	Darian Dennis
Co Treasurer	Camille Hoffman
Director(ex-officio)	Mack Paul
Director exp 2019	Georgiana Bircher
Director exp 2019	Marie Henderson
Director exp 2019	Janet Routier
Director exp 2020	Jan Gunderson
Director exp 2020	Joyce Hendricks
Director exp 2020	Rita MacIndoe
Sargeant at Arms	Ralph Routier
Chaplain	Dan Armstrong
Membership Director	Cammie Armstrong
Communications Director	Loriann Harker

DID YOU KNOW?

Civitan International relies on its members to take volunteer leadership roles within their clubs, districts and on a global scale. The international organization is guided by a board of 12 members, which includes 10 members from the United States, and one each from Canada and Europe respectively. That board and international operations are supported by a staff at Civitan International's world headquarters in Birmingham, AL. We have a rich legacy of Past International Presidents, which started with our founder, Dr. Courtney Shropshire. Civitan International has been a leader among other service groups when it comes to several issues. The organization was the first to integrate and the first to allow women as official members.

TRYON CIVITAN CLUB

Meets at The Hibachi Buffet
2nd Tuesday at 5:30pm for Dinner
4th Tuesday at 1:00pm for Lunch

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 New Bern, NC 28562
 District 32 NC District East Club 2709

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Do you have something you would like to see in the next Newsletter? Would you like to write a small article? Please have your information to Loriann, Editor, no later than the first Tuesday of the month.

252-633-2218 Lharker1@yahoo.com

Greeters

We would love to have you as a greeter, current openings in September. If you are interested in either spot please contact Amy Still at Astill@bbandt.com. This is a great opportunity to get to put a face with a name and meet your fellow members.

Members

Welcome to the Tryon Civitan Family Cathleen McAnneny. The Board unanimously voted to accept the application from Cathleen at the September Board meeting. Pat Purnell is Cathleen's sponsor. Please be sure to search out Cathleen at our next meeting and introduce yourself.

Dues invoices went out this past week. Keep an eye on your inbox from an email from Darian.

RCS Sunday Supper

Have you volunteered to help host supper at RCS on the third Sunday of each month? Maggy is the Chairperson. If you would like to help prepare and serve food let Maggy know. We bring the food already prepared and serve to the attendees. Sometimes you might mingle and talk with some of the guests. It is a very rewarding evening. There is no clean up involved! Sign-up sheets will be available at our next meeting.

BINGO at Brookstone

Have you volunteered at Bingo on the **third** Saturday of the month at Brookstone Living in Pollocksville? The residents are brought into the Bingo room and play for Quarters!! The session runs for 1 hour. All you need to do is help some of the residents mark off the numbers on their cards and yell BINGO! See Barbara Haan for more details on how you can sign up to play Bingo!

Member Corner

Best Lawyers®, one of the most respected and trusted attorney rating service in the country, is recognizing 39 Ward and Smith attorneys as "**2020 Best Lawyers.**"

Released annually since 1983, this list highlights the most accomplished and highly acclaimed legal practitioners in their respective practice areas.

Congratulation to Leigh Wilkinson – Health Care Law



NCDE Convention – New Bern

Tryon Civitan members strike again. Thank you to everyone in our club for your help in making our District Convention such a success! From registration to taking tickets at the door you all showed what Tryon is all about...Service and Commitment to Others.

* We had just shy of 100 guests throughout the weekend.

* Our Gift Basket Silent Auction raised \$1,235 with our basket bringing in \$105. Proceeds were split for our 4 projects: Special Olympics, Duke Child Development Unit, Boys & Girls Homes of NC and Junior Civitan.

* We took home a few awards: Earning awards is a Team effort. It takes all of our members efforts for each project, fundraiser, collection drive... to be able to fill out an application to win the award! It takes a very special lady a long time to know what the criteria is for each award and to complete said application and submit it. **THANK YOU! Stephanie Crosby for being our Special Lady!**

NCDE Club of the Year, 50 or more members: **1st Place**

NCDE Outstanding Club Website, 50 or more members: **1st Place**

NCDE Outstanding Social Media Campaign: **1st Place**

NCDE Outstanding Club Bulletin, 50 or more members: **2nd Place**

NCDE Outstanding Civitan Awareness Project: **2nd Place**

NCDE Outstanding Community Service Project: **3rd Place**

NCDE Outstanding Total Civitan Awareness: **3rd Place**

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*Congratulations to our President, Maggy Costandy, on receiving a NC District East Scholarship Fellow for her service to Civitan this year!

* Our Philanthropy project we sponsored went over very well. We stuffed the sensory bags for the Pre-K class at JT Barber Elementary School. See below for photos of Maggy stuffing the bags and then the actual delivery.



**Our Vounteers
checking everyone in!**



**Special Olympics
Global Messenger
Anna Hopkins**



We Can received a few awards of their own!



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North Carolina District East 2019 - 2020 Governor Deryl McGuire giving her inaugural address.

TRYON MEMBERS

Happy Birthday!

Joanne Partin	September 8 th
Cathleen McAnneny	October 1 st
Kristina Winkler	October 1 st
Catherine Pollard	October 3 rd
Shirley Wang	October 3 rd
Darian Dennis	October 24 th
Sally McConnell	October 28 th
Carter Ann Rollins	October 29 th

Happy Anniversary!!

Barbara & Gene Fioravanti	September 11 th
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TRYON'S SPONSORED CLUBS:

CAPE LOOKOUT – 3RD TUESDAY AT 5:30PM –
RIVERSIDE GRILL AND SUBS

WE CAN – 2ND FRIDAY OF THE MONTH AT THE
AG EXTENSION

WINTERVILLE – 3RD MONDAY, 6PM –
WINTERVILLE FREE WILL BAPTIST CHURCH

CENTENARIO – ROME ITALY – CHARTERED
3/18/17

CRAVEN EARLY COLLEGE –

EARLY COLLEGE EAST –

**PLEASE FEEL FREE TO COME VISIT
ANY OF OUR OFFSPRING CLUBS AT
THEIR MEETINGS. ALL VISITORS ARE
WELCOME!**

COLLECTION/FUNDRAISING DRIVES:

Coin Box drive... We have collected approximately \$3,196 so far for this year. We are already ahead of where we finished last year! Camille had Certificates of Appreciation made up to give to each business that allows us to place a box on their counter to say Thank You!

Box Top Drive... Please keep collecting be sure the whole expiration date is on the box top and turn in at meetings.

Aluminum Tab Drive... Please keep collecting the tabs from your soda and soup cans and turn in at meetings. We collect them for our Jr. Civitan Clubs Ronald McDonald House Drive.

Belk Charity Days... August 24, 2019 was the date. Marie will keep us updated when Belk gives us our share of the \$5 collected that day.

DATES TO REMEMBER:

September 10th – 1:00 p.m. – Tryon Civitan luncheon– The Hibachi Buffet – 3342 MLK, Blvd.
Lunch and Dinner Meetings are switched for Installation of Officers

September 13th – 6 p.m. – We Can Civitan Installation – Cooperative Extension office 300 Industrial Drive – Pot Luck Supper

September 15th – 6 p.m. – RCS Homeless Shelter dinner. To volunteer to provide food, help deliver it or pay money to help defer expenses, contact Maggy.

September 21st – 10 a.m. – BINGO at Brookstone Living Center in Pollocksville. To volunteer to help nursing home residents play bingo for about 1 hour. Please contact Barbara Haan for more information or if you would like to help, 252-637-997. Car pooling is available if that helps!

September 24th – 6:00 p.m. –5:30 for Social Time – Tryon Civitan Installation dinner– The Hibachi Buffet – 3342 MLK, Jr. Blvd. **Lunch and Dinner Meetings are switched for Installation of Officers**

September 28th – Craven’s Got Talent – CCC - Orringer Auditorium – Proceeds for Special Olympics

October 1st – 1:00 p.m. – Tryon Civitan Board Meeting – Ward & Smith, 1001 College Ct, - Please let Joanne know if you would like to attend. (Attending a board meeting is worth points 10 toward your VIP award)

November 3rd - Walk to End Alzheimer's - The Galley

July 26, 2020 – July 29, 2020 – Civitan International Convention – Milwaukee, WI.

**October Collection Drive –
“Stick It To Me”
Peanut Butter Drive**