



AWARD WINNING TRYON TRIBUNE

November 2020

HAPPY NEW YEAR CIVITANS!!!

2020-2021 SLATE OF OFFICES

President	Angela Okell-Watson
President Elect	Stephanie Crosby
Secretary	Joanne Partin
Treasurer	Darian Dennis
Co Treasurer	Camille Hoffman
Director(ex-officio)	Maggy Costandy
Director exp 2021	Jan Gunderson
Director exp 2021	Joyce Hendricks
Director exp 2021	Rita MacIndoe
Director exp 2022	Cammie Armstrong
Director exp 2022	Barbara Haan
Director exp 2022	Juliet Meyer
Sargeant at Arms	Mack Paul
Chaplain	Dan Armstrong
Membership Director	Cammie Armstrong
Communications Director	Loriann Harker

TRYON CIVITAN CLUB

MEETS ON ZOOM 2 TIMES
PER MONTH

November 10th meeting at Creekside Park
(Congleton Pavilion 5:30pm)

PMB 215
1822 S Glenburnie Rd.
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

Dinner Meeting

November dinner meeting will be a face to face meeting!!!

We will meet at the Congleton Shelter at Creekside Park on Tuesday, November 10th at 5:00pm for social time and meeting at 5:30pm. The Congleton Shelter is at the very end of the park and is more private. Keep going on the road that winds through the park until you can't drive any further.

There are picnic tables with benches and electric!

The board has agreed that we will not have our lunch meeting/Zoomy Zoom meeting on November 24th as it is so close to Thanksgiving.

GOBBLE



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Member News – We have a new Civi-Tot

Missy Harker has become a MOM and Gary and I first time Grandparents. Mom, Dad and Baby are all doing well. John David was born at 3:14pm on October 22nd. He weighed 7lbs 4 ounces and was 20.5 inches tall. It was love at first sight!!!



RCS Sunday Supper

Tryon hosts supper at RCS homeless shelter on the third Sunday of each month at 6pm.

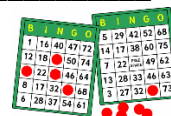
New Protocol is as follows:

1. Prepare food for about 10-12 people
2. Deliver it at 6:15 to the Shelter door to allow the night supervisor to be at his/her post
4. Serving will be done by the residents, thus limiting direct contact.

Thank you for all you do. God bless us all and keep us safe.

If you would like to participate in any capacity please contact Virginia. Gizmo_older@yahoo.com.

BINGO at Brookstone



Barbara Haan delivered 54 Halloween Goody Cups in October for the residents of Brookstone Living Center. We are **now collecting items for Christmas goody bags for the residents**. We will need goodies to make 21 bags this go around. Hotel bottles of shampoos, conditioners, socks, hand lotions, tissues, word search puzzles are all good ideas for the goody bags. Thank you Barbara for all that you do for Brookstone and keeping us so involved in their lives!

PLEASE KEEP THESE RESIDENTS IN YOUR PRAYERS AS THE COVID VIRUS HAS HIT THEM PRETTY HARD.



Pictured are Heather Merrit, Activities Director and Barbara Haan.



POINSETTIA FUNDRAISER

It is that time of year already! Do you have your contacts from last year ready? Carter Ann is our Chair again this year. We will be selling two different colors of the beautiful plants. We have sold 96 plants so far. There is an order form attached to this email. Pick up will be at the Bate Foundation on Trent Road the 1st Saturday of December as usual. Thank you, Joyce, for the use of your office!



Walk to End Alzheimer's

Due to rain the walk was held inside at the Mall! Our Tryon Civitans Walking for Memories raised \$1,948 for Alzheimer's! Thank you Shirley for leading us again and Thank you to the walkers and those that donated. We can't do any of this without Everyone's participation somehow.



Pictured from Left to Right: Leigh Wilkinson, Robyn Hare, President, We Can Civitan, Shirley Wang, Rita MacIndoe, Mack Paul.



RCS FUND DRIVE

In lieu of our October RCS Peanut Butter Drive we're sponsoring a GoFundMe drive for RCS. The drive will solicit donations which we will give to RCS. Mack has the account set up and Pat will do the publicity in our local media. **The drive will last through November 15th.**

The Key to this being a successful event is our members. We need ALL of our club members to link to the GoFundMe page on your social media accounts and emails. In addition to the online drive our local publicity will ask for people to write checks to our club that will be dedicated to the drive. We have raised \$1,022 to date. \$472 of this is from outside our member base! Remember to share, share and share!

There is still time to donate! To find our event, you can go to [GoFundMe.com](https://www.gofundme.com) and search Tryon Civitan. There is a button you can click on our page to Share with your Facebook, other social media & email.

Please do this! The key is to get our friends/family not in our club to donate!

TRYON MEMBERS



Birthday			Anniversary	
Cammie Armstrong	Nov. 10 th		Darian Dennis & Bob Dofner	Nov. 27 th
Ralph Routier	Nov. 12 th		Angela Okell & Larry Watson	Nov. 30 th
Pat Drake	Nov. 21 st			
Angela Okell-Watson	Nov. 22 nd			
Janet Routier	Nov. 24 th			
Amy Still	Nov. 26 th			

TRYON'S SPONSORED CLUBS:

CAPE LOOKOUT – NOVEMBER 17TH 6PM –
RIVERSIDE GRILL AND SUBS

WE CAN – FRIDAY, NOVEMBER 13TH – ZOOM
CALL

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.... The new year has started so keep checking those boxes. E have collected \$196 for the month of October. Drop off for change is now available at The Bate Foundation. There is a mail slot in the drawer that you can drop the coins in. Thank you, Joyce!

Terri Lynn Nut Fundraiser... We still have 2 different nut products to sell. They are in a bag and they sell for \$13.00 each. They are delicious!! There is, Heart Healthy and a Deluxe Mix. None have peanuts. We still have a supply of them so customers don't have to order and wait for delivery. Let me know if you would like to sell some or buy some.

We also have an online website for sales. Customers can go online and purchase any of their products and we will get the credit for the sale. You may purchase any of their treats for sale not just the ones that we purchased to resell face to face. Great present for to keep on hand for Christmas!

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BELK CHARITY DAYS:

We Can is selling Belk coupons again. The Charity Sale is November 13th-15th. \$5 donation gets you a \$10 off coupon. Can be used on-line as well as in the store. If anyone wants to purchase one or a few please contact Shirley Wang and she will get them to you!

Her email is sigonella1968@gmail.com.

Phone 7035978390.

NCDE VIRTUAL CONVENTION

Our Fall Virtual 2020 NCDE Special Called Convention and District-Wide meeting will be held on Saturday, November 21, 2020 beginning at 10 AM till 12:00 PM. Join us as we finish our Convention Elections for Governor-Elect and Area Directors during the Special Called Convention. Civitan International President Frank Kelley will join us to provide remarks and install our newly elected district officers. We will continue with our regular district-wide meeting as we celebrate with our district project partners from Boys and Girls Homes NC, Duke Child Development Center and Special Olympics NC, to honor individual clubs for their service and support. Plan now to join fellow district Civitans to learn about and support each other in our community and district efforts! A new District wide fundraiser will be unveiled during this time as well.

There is no registration fee for this event.

There is only one option for registering and that is online. Should you need assistance in registering online please contact Kathleen Alexander at kathalex@aol.com.

1. **Club Delegates and other Eligible Voters** online registration **deadline** is **November 16, 2020** - this is to provide time for our Certification Committee to process and certify all voters prior to the Special Called Convention. Any specific voting information or instructions will be sent to all certified prior to November 21st. **Tryon has 6 voting delegate spots available. The first 6 to sign up and note that they are a voting delegate may vote in the elections. We will be voting on Governor Elect, our own Stephanie Crosby is running. Area 8 Director we have Leigh Wilkinson running.**

2. **Regular attendee** online registration **deadline** is **November 19, 2020.**

Online Registration Link: <https://tinyurl.com/yyu5ellc>

The Zoom invite information will be sent to all registrants beginning the evening of November 19, 2020.

NCDE WEBSITE

Have you visited the NCDE Website lately? We have a new Webmaster, Kathleen Marsocci, and she has done a wonderful job updating our website! I highly recommend checking it out. You can download current and past issues of the NCDE newsletters.

<https://ncdecivitan.org/> is the address.

Dates To Remember

November 10th – Dinner Meeting – Creekside Park, Congleton – Pavilion Meeting starts at 5:30pm

November 11th – Veterans' Day - Thank you to all our Veterans!

November 13th – 6pm – We Can Zoom Call

November 13 -15th – Belk Charity Days – See Shirley for Tickets

November 21st – 10-12pm – NCDE Meeting and Convention/elections via Zoom

November 24th – Lunch Meeting has been cancelled

November 25th - November 28th – 5k & 10K Turkey Trot will be coming to you virtually

November 26th – Thanksgiving – Happy Thanksgiving everyone –

December 1st – 1pm – Board Meeting – Zoomy Zoom Call

December 5th – 11-12:30pm – Poinsettia Pick Up – Bate Foundation