



Senate Floor

Official Newsletter of the North Carolina JCI Senate

Welcome our new North Carolina JCI Senators



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Time Flies When You are Having Fun!!



It's already April!! The 2023-24 Year is just flying by with lots of fun and excitement. I can't say enough for how great it feels to represent you all as the NC Senate President this year and how true my theme of ***Together We Can ...*** continues to unfold!! I am humbled by all those that are helping behind the scenes and without the support of so many at my back, this year wouldn't be the wonderful time it continues to be.

Lots has been happening in the past few months. 2024 started off with the US JCI Senate Winter Boards in Greenville, SC (yes – "THAT" Greenville). Being so close, the turn-out of NC Senators was amazing with over 60 of us attending and assisting the South Carolina and supporting our larger family of Region IV. I am so proud for all the good that the NC Senate was recognized for during the weekend.

NC and Florida had the largest growth of Q2 at +4 out of the 13 states at growth helping to contribute to Region IV being the largest region at growth at +12. Wheelchairs for Kids recognized NC along with several other states for their fundraising efforts (big shout out to **Pam Padgett #513141** for organizing the reindeer games during the Holiday Social!).

NC was well represented at First Timers by our very own **Amy Moore #78686** and **Cheryl Jones #56007**. They showed that you are never too new or established as a Senator to attend your first National Convention. NC was also recognized as being 2nd place for State RTF assistance to local JCs. In addition, NC dual members, **Tom Cramer #61957** received his Life Membership in the Florida Senate and **Dale Hensley-Smith #55917** (dual member) achieved her Gold Status in the US JCI Senate Foundation.

The most humbling part of the weekend was all the NC Senators who were awarded with President Hal's Kipping the Faith Medallions ... including **Kim Bode #62467**, **James Rupard #41615**, **Daryl McNair #63633**, **Cheryl Carlson #70371**, **Jay Edmondson #41977** (dual member), **Liz Young #47759** (dual member), **Scott Bryant #67910** (dual member) along with our **Region IV NVP Mark Brandel #49789**.

A few weeks later, the NC Senate held its Winter meeting in conjunction with the NC JC Year End Celebration. Again, with a great turn out, we were able to fellowship with the NC Jaycees and welcome in their 2024 Board of Directors and find out all the great things they are planning for 2024. The NC Senate again hosted the NC JC First Timers event, and for the first time ever, **Amy Moore #78686**, ran the program 100% digitally (I'm still in awe!!).

We were honored to have both our **Region IV NVP Mark Brandel #49789** and **US JCI Senate President Hal Williams #43912** as our guests for the weekend. During the Senate Meeting, Mark recognized **Tracy Culler #64534**, **Sharon Reiss #74082**, **Marty Wase #53142**, **Chris Hardee #66036**, **Nick Woods #62735** and **James Rupard #41615** and presented them with his Region IV Challenge Coins. President Hal awarded more of his Keeping the Faith Medallions to **Elizabeth Pfrogner #67191**, **Vann Sparrow #67885**, **Terry "TJ" Jones #52694**, **Nancy Black #64453**, **Aimee Scotton #69448**, **Tracy Culler #64534**, **Suzanne Gill #67891**, **Amy Moore #78686**, **AJ Morton Jr. #16254**, and **Diane Upshaw #68685** for all their continuing service to the Senate.

The pinnacle of the weekend was when Mark and Hal joined me during the NC JC Year End Banquet, and we presented 7 very deserving Jaycees with their Senatorships. It was amazing to surprise several with their own Senatorships as they had helped with the nomination write-ups of their fellow Jaycees. We welcomed our Freshman Senate Class of 2023-24 who consist of **Dalace Inman #82638**, **Karen Maxwell #82639**, **Morgan Tedder #82640**, **Connor Brady #82641**, **Lexi Kam #82642**, **Candace Norris #82643** and **Aaron Gauldin #82644**.

Then just a few weeks ago, many from the NC Senate traveled to Myrtle Beach, SC for the Region IV Calabash Beach Bash. It was so great to see everyone as well as see all the fellowship and fun amongst the Senators from around the Region, Country and even Canada. The Region IV Meeting was held on Friday evening, a change from past years to also give more time on Saturday for fun & fellowship and it also meant the golfers wouldn't have to rush back. During the meeting several NC Senators were recognized.

Bill Hossman #41293 (dual member) was confirmed as the incoming Region IV advisor starting in 2024-2025 as **Jay Edmondson #41977** (dual member) was stepping down after many years of service in this position. **Terry "TJ" Jones #52694** was recognized by the Florida Senate Foundation for achieving their Silver Award level. We also got to hear from those campaigning for National Office for the 2024-2025 year. President Hal awarded more of his Keeping the Faith Medallions to Region IV Senators including **Angela Sweeney #69453, Jimmy Maness #38844, Bill Craft #36216, Jackie #38412 & Judy #66035 Farmer, Shannon Foster #67038, Ray Culler #64452, Lori Palo #66475** (dual member), **Marty Wase #53142, Mike Phillips #50069** (dual member), **Carol CJ Jordan #45857, and Pam Padgett #513141**. NVP Mark then thanked all those that assisted on his regional team throughout the year and I was so proud to hear all those from NC that stepped up and demonstrating my theme of "Together We Can" including **Jimmy Maness #38844, Bill Craft #36216, Carol CJ Jordan #45857, Mike Phillips #50069** (dual member), **Pam Padgett #513141, Irene Shanley #65316** (dual member), **Daryl McNair #63633, Ray Culler #64452, Angela Sweeney #69453, Cheryl Carlson #70371, Crissie Lewis #72169 and Hal Williams #43912** (dual member). The meeting ended with the election of the 2024-2025 NVP for Region IV, Ms. Carla Bailey #62624 from Alabama who will be sworn in during the US JCI Senate Year End Celebration in Tampa, Florida in June. The next morning, I was honored to be able to be at the Shot Gun start of the Ollis/Saunders Memorial Golf Tournament thanking the golfers whose participated helped raise money for the Kyle Byrd Memorial Scholarships, the NC JC Priority Projects and the NC JCI Senate. Unfortunately, the weather wasn't behaving, and the 2nd Annual Putt-Putt outing was canceled to avoid sloshing around and catching cold. But hospitality was in full swing so much fun was still to be found.

In between all the gatherings with the NC Senate, I have continued to travel and represent the NC Senate around the country. I jet-setted around attending the AL Senate winter meeting, Region VII Mini-National Meeting in TN as well as attending the Region V Spring Fling in Columbus OH so I would be at the US Senate Finance Committee meeting in person. And now that there are only a few months left this year, you would think things would be winding down. But that's not the case. There is effort going on behind the scenes to update our NC Senate By-laws and Policies as well as preparations for the NC Senate Annual Meeting on June 1st in Asheboro. Plus, I am thrilled to be able to continue my travels to represent the NC Senate at the Region X Meeting in Honolulu, Hawaii, the Region VI Meeting in Des Moines, IA, the PA Senate meeting and the Ga Senate meeting. Then wrapping the year up at the US JCI Senate Year End Celebration in Tampa Florida in mid-June where I will gather with many of my fellow NC Senators to celebrate the "Together We Can..." year together along with **President Hal Williams #43912** in "Keeping the Faith" and **Region IV NVP Mark Brandel #49789** as "Together As One".

In JCI Senate Spirit!

Cheryl Carlson #70371
NC Senate President 2023-24

Together We Can ...





Tracy Culler
Treasurer

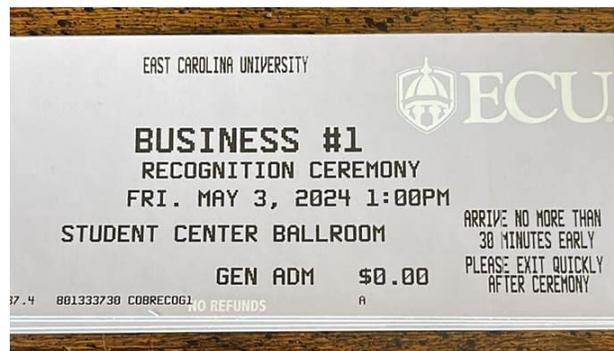
Hello Senators! If you were not at our meeting in Charlotte a few weeks ago, you missed a great one. Saturday evening, we were able to watch seven very deserving Jaycees become NC JCI Senators!! One of my absolute favorite times each year is our infamous gauntlet and having the privilege of watching our newest Senators receive such a tremendous honor. Congratulations to each and every one of you.

Our final membership renewals for this year are due to National May 15, which is earlier than normal. Due to this I have already sent out our dues billing, so that you can have time to get your payment mailed to me, or you may pay using the PayPal link on the NC JCI Senate website, or via Venmo @NCJCI-Senate. You can, however, pay Life Member dues of \$250, and never have to worry about getting billed again! Speaking of life members, we now have 234!!

If you wish to update a mailing address, please go the USJCI Senate website, at www.usjcisenate.org, click the Address link, and enter your updated information. I will get an updated roster the following quarter with the new information, from the Member Services National Program Manager.

In closing, I'm looking forward to finishing this great Senate year strong! The possibilities are endless, as Together We Can!

Tracy Culler #64534





Suzanne Gill Chaplin



Hello Senate Family,

This year has flown by and it's hard to believe that we only have a couple of months left before the next Senate President and their board are in place. I want to thank everyone for continuing to contact me with their birthdays, anniversaries, celebrations, and condolences.

We get busy with our own lives and sometimes forget to look up and see that God is with us at all times. I had a God wink moment where I know God was watching over me & looking out for me. I was driving home from the Jaycee Convention in Charlotte a few months ago when I got a flat tire. I was on Hwy 74 in the middle of nowhere when my tire pressure light came on. I only had to drive about 200 yards when I saw a small, independent gas station on the right side of the road next to a Hardees. I pulled in and got out of my car. I walked around the car looking at my tires when I could hear air coming out of my back passenger-side tire. I called AAA and was put in the queue to wait for them to contact me back. I also called two friends just to tell them what was going on and neither of them answered their phone. I know how to change a flat tire but it's been since high school since I changed a flat (20 years ago). One of my friends called me back and gave me instruction and the encouragement I needed for changing my flat.

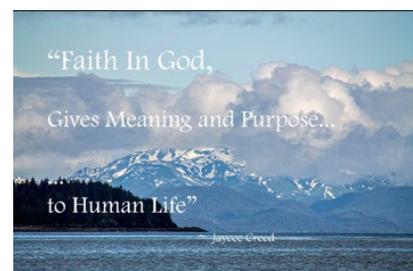
I drive an SUV and know that my spare tire is in the cargo part in the back. I start removing the dog bed and luggage back there to the back seat when a woman approaches me and asks if I need help. I said yes I do and that I had a flat tire. She calls her husband over to help me. The husband changes my flat tire and puts on the spare. He explains what he's doing and shows me how to do it the whole time. The wife is so nice and is talking to me while her husband changes my tire. When they were done I checked my purse & car but I had no cash to give them to say thank you. When I told them that I didn't have any cash to give them for their help, they both said that they wouldn't have accepted it. They were just happy to help me. I asked if I could give them a hug and both accepted. I wish I had gotten their names but I didn't. They made sure I was good to drive off before they left. I made it home safely hours later.

I realized then that God was watching over me and put me in a place to receive his help. The gas station was close by when I needed it, he put that wonderful couple there to help me, and he made it a teachable moment for me to learn a lesson. I now keep some cash in my car in case of an emergency. I know what to do to change my tire if needed. I also realized that I had to want the help and accept it. How many times do people offer to help us and we say no because we think we can do it all? Everyone needs help at some time.

My challenge for you is for you to look for the God wink moments in your life. God is always there with us. We just need to look up and listen to see that he is always with us.

In Jaycee Spirit,

Suzanne Gill #67891
NC JCI Senate Chaplain





Chairman of the Board

As I reflect on the year and having just a few short months left in the year I have to say that it has been an interesting time in my NC JCI Senate Career. My year as COB and being able to continue to enjoy time with those who provided support and encouragement to me has been great. I have been able to participate in many great projects this year both with the Senate and Jaycees. I have made life long friends through out the United States and will continue to visit many of the Senate Organizations I have had the opportunity to experience. Congratulations goes out as well to this years President and Exec Committee for continuing the long standing tradition of promoting and supporting the NC JCI Senate, Region IV and the US JCI Senate. As we look toward the future I want to encourage those who want to serve the Senate in a leadership role to step up and put your hat into the ring to lead the Senate. There is still time to pursue these leadership opportunities - Nominations are currently open for Executive Committee, Program Chair and Committee members and elections will be held at the Annual Meeting on June 1, 2024 in Asheboro. Anyone interested in running contact COB Melanie Coble Paschal or VP Chris Hardee. Thank you to all of those who have already stepped up.

Hospitality

Hospitality has been great fun this year and I am glad to have been able to work with a fantastic group of people to make sure that the Senators and guests attending Conventions have had a great time. Thank you to Allan Paschal, Donnie Antonson, Mary Pruitt, Gene Shanks, Ray Essa with Café Pasta and TJ Jones for helping to make sure that the food was abundant and delicious for us to enjoy. Thank you goes out to Vann Sparrow, Suzanne Gill, Shannon Foster and Amiee Scotton who made sure that the bar was stocked and ready before anyone arrived. As I pass the torch to next years Hospitality Chair I encourage them to embrace the fun and fellowship that comes along with hospitality and making sure Senators and their guests enjoy every minute of their time with the Senate.

Senate Sponsorship Program

I wanted to take this opportunity to give a big Thank You to the Senators who have participated in the Sponsorship Program this year. These include Chasing Dreams Enterprises, TJ Vending, Jerry Wheeler and all of the Sponsors for the Bobby Saunders/Jim Ollis Memorial Golf Tournament held this year in conjunction with Region IV Calabash Beach Bash. The Senate is very appreciative of the support that they have given and hope that more Senators will continue to support the NC JCI Senate in the coming years. I have been asked several questions about how the Sponsorship Program works and I wanted to address these questions as I hope this will help the program to move forward;

Where does the money from Sponsorships go? **Sponsorships offset the Operational, Fundraising, Ways and Means Projects and Meeting & Social events Costs of the NC JCI Senate.**

How does the person give a Sponsorship? **The Sponsorships are monetary and the sponsor can specify where the donation will go or it can be unrestricted and go into the general operating budget of the NC JCI Senate.**

Does this program take away from giving to other programs that Senators have traditionally given to? **No this is program is designed to promote giving to the Senate and to have formal recognition for ALL of the giving that occurs throughout the year not just for one specific project.**

How are Sponsorships recognized? **The Sponsor can choose to be completely anonymous or decide how they will be recognized on signage, website, newsletter and/or social Media for the appropriate sponsorship level.**

Who keeps track of the Sponsorships? **There are multiple people involved in tracking Sponsorships these include the Sponsorship Chair, Project Chair and Treasurer**

Is there an accounting of each Sponsorship given? **Yes – There is an accounting of each Sponsorship that is given**

Is this a charitable donation? **The NC JCI Senate is a 501c4 – Not For Profit Organization. A letter documenting the Sponsorship Level can be requested which will outline the amount of the Sponsorship on our letterhead. It will be up to the donor to determine if and how the amount of the Sponsorship can be used regarding tax purposes.**

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USCI Senate Winter Board

Greenville, SC





Senate Bar Chairman

Greetings from the bar!

When it comes to Hospitality, we do our best to make sure your experience at state meetings is a positive one. For the bar specifically, we can't provide every type of beverage, but we do try to make the selection fairly wide. In terms of liquor, we will always have the basics. The same goes for mixers. As for beer and soda, if you've been to state events, you're familiar with the standard options. Sometimes we have wine but if that's your preference, best to bring your own (and we will chill it for you). We will always provide bottled water.

As we head into our next meeting, on June 1, I'm giving you the opportunity to share your preferences for the bar. I can't make any promises but would like to know what you would like to see available. This includes liquor, beer, soda and mixers. Email me at **slfos-ter2011@gmail.com** and share your suggestions.

I will also be offering a special cocktail at each meeting so be sure to ask about that.

Cheers!

Shannon Foster #67038

**SHUT UP LIVER.
YOU'RE FINE.**



Mary Pruitt

NC Triad Regional Director

High Point Jaycees

Upcoming:

Triad Relay for Life 5-17-2024 @ Creekside Park in Archdale

Past:

3rd Annual Art of Mixology 3-15-24 with Stratagon Inc 6-8PM

High Point Jaycees 2024 Kickoff January 24, 2024 5:30-7:30PM at Dive Bar supporting the Baby Basic closet and networking to discover what Jaycees are all about!

Keep up with the High Point Jaycees on Instagram for updated information on upcoming meetings and projects.

Greensboro Jaycees

Upcoming:

GMM April 10, 2024 6:30PM at Transform GSO in downtown 111 Lewis St.

Triad Honor Flight - come handout flags at 7PM at PTI.

Find the Greensboro Jaycees on Instagram for updated information on upcoming "On Tap" and other great training/networking projects.

Past:

GMM March 13, 2024 6:30-8:30PM 111 Lewis St

On Tap - March 6, 2024 Southend Brewing CO 5:30-7:30PM 1178 W Lewis St

GMM February 15, 2024 6:30-8:30PM 111 Lewis St

On Tap - February 7, 2024 The Artist Bloc 5:30-7:30PM 1020 Gate City Blue

Making Connections SynerG professional training/networking January 30, 2024 The Historical Magnolia 6PM

On Tap January 10, 2024 Steel Hands Brewing 5:30-7:30PM 1918 W Gate City Blvd



Nick Woods
West Region RD

Good day Senators!

Happy Spring! A lot of us went to the Calabash Bash last week, if you weren't there, you missed it! Please make plans to go next year!

The Gaston County Jaycees had a lot on their list. Upcoming events include the following:

- 4/9 - Etiquette Presentation with TRiO - SSS at Gaston College
- 4/17 - Etiquette Presentation with TRiO - Upward Bound at Webbs Kitchen
- 4/20 - Healthy Kids Day - Partnership with Gaston County Family YMCA (flyer attached)
- 4/29 - Etiquette Presentation with Dream Center Academy
- 5/28 - Membership Social
- 6/13 - Distinguished Service Awards

The Spencer Jaycees will be serving beer at Hippie Fest, May 11-12 at the Rowan County Fairgrounds. They have some other projects in the works, but I don't have any information on them as of yet.

I look forward to seeing you all soon!

In the Jaycee Spirit,

Nick



NC JCI Senate Freshman Senators - Class of 2023-2024



Aaron Gauldin - #82644

Date Joined Jaycee - 2011

Chapter nominating Senatorship: Greenville Jaycees
Served as Local Chapter VP, Local Chapter President, NCJC Program Director of Meetings and Logistics twice, NCJC Executive VP twice, 88th NCJC President 2023, NCJC Chairman of the Board & serves as 2024 National JCI Vice President representing UT, HI, KS, MI, NY, OK, CT, MA, SC.



Morgan Tedder - #82640

Date joined Jaycees - June 2011

Chapter nominating Senatorship: Greenville Jaycees
Served offices in both Asheboro Jaycees and Greenville Jaycees. Executive VP 2022-2023, 89th NCJC President. She is currently the Executive Director for Rocking Horse Ranch Therapeutic Riding Program.



Candace Norris # 82643

Date joined Jaycees – November 2011

Chapter nominating Senatorship: Cary Jaycees

Past member of the Central Carolina Jaycees from 2011-2022. Joined the Cary Jaycees in 2018. Served all Local Board positions including Local Chapter President, State VP 2019 & 2022. She also served on the NCJC Executive Board. She is currently the Branch Manager for Scott Logistics in Raleigh, NC



Connor Brady - # 82641

Date joined Jaycees - April 2013

Chapter nominating Senatorship: Raleigh Jaycees

Served various Board positions including Local Treasurer, 2023 & 2024 Local President. He joined the Raleigh Jaycees on his 21st Birthday. Was a past participant (2008) of the HOBY NC East Youth Leadership Seminar in high school and now as a Jaycee, is Board President of HOBY NC East Youth Leadership project and is active on the national levels. He is a Residence Life Coordinator for University Housing at NC State Univ.



Dalace Inman #82638

Date joined Jaycees – July 2010

Chapter nominating Senatorship: Greenville Jaycees

Served various Local Board positions (2012-2016) with the Greenville Jaycees, NCJC Vice President 2015-2018. She is a Registered Nurse in the Cardiopulmonary Support Unit with the UNC Health since November 2022



Karen Maxwell # 82639

Date joined Jaycees September 2012

Chapter nominating Senatorship: Raleigh

Served a Local Secretary, Publicity Director, and Community Development VP, 2019 Raleigh Jaycees President. She has run Goodfellows project and supported Turkey Shoot, HOBY East and the Raleigh Parade. She is a Marketing Assistant with Thompson & Little Inc. in Raleigh NC



Lexi Kam #82642

Date joined Jaycees – June 2016

Chapter nominating Senatorship: Raleigh Jaycees

Served various Local Board positions with the Raleigh Jaycees. Vice President for numerous terms, 2022 Local President, NCJC Program Manager and NCJC Vice President. She is a Regional Supervisor with Youth Villages since 2013.



NC Jaycees





Kyle Byrd Memorial Scholarship

Karen Bograd #74882

Diane Upshaw #68685

We had another great year for the Kyle Byrd Memorial Scholarship. This year, there were nine outstanding Seniors who applied. We had applications from as far west as Vale, NC, to Cary, NC and Trap Hill, NC. The two seniors awarded for the 2023-24 year are:

- Adelee Dillon, West Lincoln High School, Vale, NC
- Justin Lee, Baeum HomeSchool, Durham, NC

Thank you for your help in getting the word out about this scholarship.

Karen Bograd #74882 Kyle Byrd Memorial Scholarship Co-Chair NC JCI Senate

Diane Upshaw #68685 Kyle Byrd Memorial Scholarship Co-Chair NC JCI Senate



US JCI SENATE FOUNDATION

Senators from all over the United States participated in the Dessert Contest and Silent Auction held at the Calabash Bash on March 21-23, 2024. On Friday night, senators enjoyed a variety of desserts, but the hit of the night was blackberry Crown Royal shooters. Thank you, Liz Young for providing this refreshing addition to our evening. Saturday night featured an auction with almost one hundred items to purchase. A total of \$2,227.00 was raised for the Foundation at the Bash.

The North Carolina JCI Senate President, Cheryl Carlson presented her state's annual donation of \$100.00 to the Foundation at the Friday night Region IV business meeting.

The Foundation is again selling Club 500 tickets this year. Each month, eight tickets are drawn with two tickets winning \$100.00 each and six tickets winning \$50.00 each for a total of \$500.00 in winnings each month. I have tickets available (\$10.00 each or six for \$50.00). Each purchase of \$50.00 or more will be credited to the account of a Foundation member or will begin their membership in the Foundation. Contact me at the email below if interested in joining the Club 500.

Thanks to all who contributed to the Foundation in this Senate year.

Bill Craft #36216

Region IV Foundation Rep

Billandbj1980@gmail.com



ROLLING WITH WHEELCHAIRS FOR KIDS

Wonderful job NC JCI Senate!

WHEELCHAIRS 4 KIDS, a new national project introduced this year by our 2023-2024 US JCI Senate President Hal Williams, has been welcomed by our state organization with open arms! To date, we have raised over \$700 for W4K!

Thanks to all the NC Senators who participated in the “Reindeer Races” at our Christmas Party in December and made donations at our meeting in Charlotte.

Thank you also to the Senators who have already signed up as “Guardians of the Wheel Club” by making a \$10.00 donation monthly. It is not too late, and I would like to encourage you to make the commitment to support these children who need our assistance with mobility and enable them to enjoy life. Until you have seen a child receive a chair or apparatus designed to make their daily lives better or, have seen them at a special event created specifically for their ability, will you really understand the impact you have had on their lives!

President Cheryl, it has been a pleasure serving as NC Chairperson this year!

BJ Craft #45900

NC JCI Senate WHEELCHAIRS 4 KIDS Chair



North Carolina Flags For Fallen Veterans



NCJCI Senate, Due to issues regarding organizing this event for NC, and lack of response from Flags for Fallen Veterans organization the May event to place flags on veteran's graves will not be held this year. I am hopeful this event will be hosted next year.

Elizabeth Pfrogner



Jim Ollis/Bobby Saunders Memorial Golf Tournament

20th Annual Jim Ollis/Bobby Saunders Memorial Golf Tournament

On Saturday March 23, 2024 35 golfers braved the anticipated rain and teed off at 9:08 a.m. in the 20th Annual Jim Ollis/Bobby Saunders Memorial Golf Tournament at the Whispering Pines Golf Course in Myrtle Beach, S.C. We lost several golfers who chose not to play due to the wet conditions and pending rain. Despite this my best N.C. State math preliminary figures indicate that this 20th edition of the Ollis/Saunders was our MOST successful EVER with total profit of \$12,307.45 !!! First and foremost I want to thank ALL golfers who participated and All Senators who sponsored this event. I particularly want to thank my Co-Chairs on the Ollis/Saunders golf committee: Bill Craft #36216; B.J. Craft #45900; and Cheryl Jones #56007. Special thanks to all those Senators that worked so hard the day of our tournament in the clubhouse and putting out 64 sponsor tee signs as well as cart sponsor signs: Terry Bennett #44805; Melanie Coble-Paschal #70372; Kat Collins #64926; Suzanne Gill #67891; Lori Palo #66475; David Strickland #51452 and Liz Young #47759. Our awesome President Cheryl Carlson #70371 was there to greet the golfers and say a few words before we teed off. All our sponsors are special but we couldn't have these successful events without our major sponsors: Terry Bennett #44805; Terry Jones #52694; Frank Moody #54393 & Debbie Deal Moody #58161; Linda Reid Oldham #46296; and Aimee Scotton #69448. I want to thank Bill & B.J. Craft for donating our beautiful 20th annual golf towels with Wolfpack red print; Terry Jones for donating snacks for golfer goody bags; Crissie Lewis #72169 for donating calendars for goody bags and postage; and Tim Clark at Sir Speedy Burlington for donating new tee signs. I am so proud of the N.C. JCI Senate for the great success of this project!! THANKS!

Marty Wase

Co-Chair, Ollis/Saunders Memorial Golf Tournament

Calabash Beach Bash





Editors Note

Wow this year is flying by. What a joy it has been to compile and share the goings ons happening in the North Carolina JCI Senate. The pictures alone have been fun to share.

Only one more edition to come—it will be in early June.

This newsletter has been a challenge. Mid way in preparing this newsletter my new wonderful Dell laptop encountered a “battery critical” message—then nothing. Dead my new Junior Top is sick. So I have had to pull out my Dell dinosaur laptop. Dino Top is 15 years old. Luckily it still works albeit slow and has sticking keys, thank goodness Junior Top has a Geek Squad appt. Thursday.

Till next time...

Crissie Lewis #72169

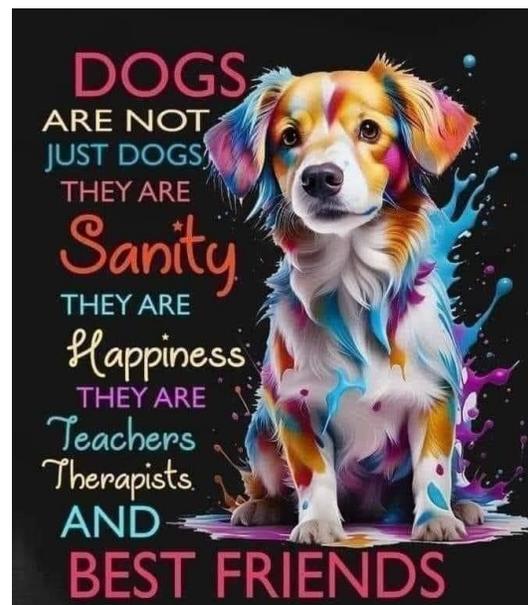
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