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Press Release

April 26, 2023

The Town of Ramseur is excited to announce that the North Carolina League of Municipalities honored the Town of Ramseur with their AML "Learning Culture of the Year Award". This award was presented to Ramseur at NCLM's City Vision Conference in Charlotte on April 26, 2023, where Mayor Pro Tem Diana Brower and Commissioner Joy Kearns were honored at a luncheon. Vicki Miller from NCLM stated "this prestigious award represented the hard work and dedication of the Town of Ramseur in committing to municipality education". Mayor Pro Tem Diana Brower, Commissioner Joy Kearns, and Commissioner J.C. Parrish led Ramseur in completing the most classes in the State of North Carolina. Commissioner Joy Kearns also received the "Learning Excellence Award", an individual award for personally completing the most classes of any individual in the State of North Carolina. The Town of Ramseur is honored and humbled at receiving these awards.



Mayor Pro Tem Diana Brown accepting award.



Commissioner Joy Kearns accepting individual award.



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Date	Event	Time	Location
5/5/23	Wild Walks With Littles	10:00am	Tot Hill Farm Trailhead 3091 Tot Hill Farm Rd, Asheboro, NC
5/6/23	Plant Swap and Coffee Courtyard Opening	3:00pm	329 S Main St, Randleman, NC
5/10/23	Slim's Supreme Angels	5:00pm	Bicentennial Park, Asheboro, NC
5/19/23	North Carolina Balloon Festival 2023	12:00pm	4401 Zoo Pkwy, Asheboro, NC

Next Deadline: May 23rd Next Print Date: May 30th

Have an upcoming event that the community should know about email us at info@randolphbulletin.com to be included in the next issue.

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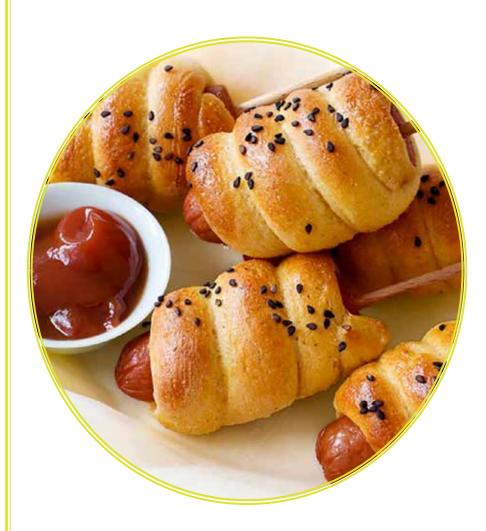


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Cook's Corner

Baked Mini Corn Dogs



Do you like to cook? Do you like sharing your recipes with others?

Submit your recipes via email to info@randolphbulletin.com. We will share as many as we can each month. So send them in, and remember to include your name!

Ingredients:

- 1 cup reduced-fat milk
- 1 package active dry yeast
- 2 tablespoons extra-virgin olive oil, plus more for greasing
- 2 tablespoons packed light brown sugar
- 1 cup fine yellow cornmeal
- 1 1/4 cups all-purpose flour, plus more for dusting and kneading
- 1 teaspoon salt
- 1/4 teaspoon baking soda
- 1/4 teaspoon cayenne pepper or paprika
- 9 reduced-fat hot dogs, halved crosswise
- 1 large egg, beaten
- 1 tablespoon black sesame seeds (optional)
- 1. Warm milk to about 110 degrees in a saucepan; pour into a medium bowl. Sprinkle in the yeast and let soften for about 2 minutes. Stir in the olive oil, brown sugar and cornmeal with a wooden spoon. Add the flour, salt, baking soda and cayenne pepper; stir to make a sticky dough.
- 2. Turn the dough out onto a lightly floured surface and knead, adding more flour if needed, until smooth but still slightly tacky, about 5 minutes. Shape the dough into a ball, place in a lightly oiled bowl and cover with plastic wrap. Let rise in a warm spot until doubled in size, 45 minutes to 1 hour. Meanwhile, insert a wooden stick or small skewer into each hot dog half, about 1 inch deep; set aside.
- 3. Preheat oven to 450 degrees and oil a large baking sheet. Turn the dough out onto a lightly floured surface; divide into 18 pieces. With your palms, roll each piece into a 10-inch length. Wrap each piece around a hot dog half, tucking and pressing the edges to seal; place on the baking sheet.
- 4. Brush the dough-wrapped dogs with the beaten egg; sprinkle with sesame seeds, if desired. Bake until golden.

Ramseur Lake is Fun!

Do you know about our lake? The Kermit G. Pell Water-Based Recreation Facility - often referred to as Ramseur Lake – is the site of a 127-acre lake and a 9-acre park. It is located off NC Hwy 22 between Ramseur and Franklinville. The 392-million-gallon lake serves as the water supply for the town's municipal water system and is home to a variety of fish species. Anglers praise the excellent fishing, and the locals enjoy dropping a line from one of several piers or taking a boat out for a relaxing outing.

The lake offers a boat launch for boats with a maximum of a 10 HP boat motor, or patrons may rent one of the towns boats for a nominal fee, when available. Please contact the Lake Warden to confirm availability. One person from each party must check-in and check-out, in addition to completing the proper forms and documentation, prior to putting boats in the water. The Bait Shop offers a variety of live bait and tackle supplies. There are also snacks and drinks available for purchase.

A valid N.C. Fishing License is required for all persons with the exception of those under sixteen who are exempt from the requirement of a basic fishing license for inland public waters.





Ramseur Lake is a perfect location for family reunions, Sunday school parties, or just a relaxing afternoon. Shelters are often reserved weeks in advance, so be sure to contact the Lake Warden for availability of facilities and the fee schedule.

In August of each year, Ramseur Lake hosts its annual Barry T. Richardson Youth Fishing Tournament. Sponsored by area citizens, the tournament is open to children ages 5 to 15 and offers prizes for winners in two age groups. The combination of free fishing and free food brings out a crowd on a Saturday morning each year.

In addition to fishing, the park also provides paved parking for large groups, four picnic shelters, additional picnic tables with grills, restroom facilities, and a playground for the children.

The Kermit G. Pell Water-Based Recreation Facility is open from March through November. The Lake Warden can be reached by calling 336-824-4646. Hours of Operation are:

Wednesday – Sunday

March: 8am – 6pm

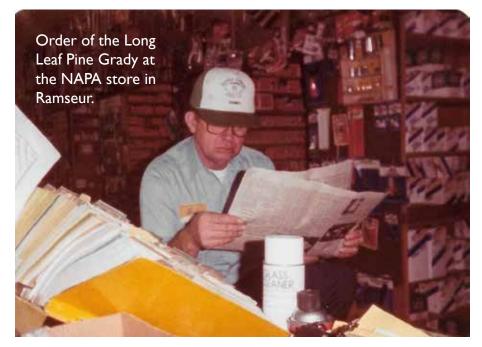
April: 7am - 7pm

May – August: 7am – 8pm

September – November: 7am – 7pm

THE WEALTH OF THE COMMUNITY: GRADY LAWSON

By Gina Lawson Young Forward by WT Cox







Randolph County has been blessed to be called "home" by many people who have made the area of North Carolina a great place to live and grow up. One of those people is Grady Lawson. If you grew up here in Eastern Randolph County, you most certainly have benefited in some way from the accomplishments of Grady Lawson. Whether you knew him as a friend or never met him personally, he had a large impact on our county.

I remember Grady as being an elder in our church; Parks Crossroads Christian Church, and from his selling of Christmas trees every year in support of ERHS athletics. It was a ritual of our family every year to go the day after Thanksgiving and purchase a tree from Grady. He would be there selling trees, weather rain or snow, and was usually there until the last tree was sold.

Grady was also known for his passion for baseball and for the young boys that played the sport. You could almost find Grady whenever there was a Legion Baseball or ERHS baseball game being played, he was their most avid fan and supporter. Grady cared deeply for his community and will be remembered not only as a successful businessman but for the impact he made in the lives of all who knew him. The following was submitted by Gina Lawson Young, Grady's daughter:



Grady in the Air Force

A little background - William Grady Lawson was born in King, NC on November 19, 1929. The family, which included his younger brother Gene, his

mother Eva Estelle, and his father Henry, moved to Bennett, NC when Grady was young and where Henry was a tenant farmer. His two sisters, Doris and Peggy were born there. Shortly after, when Grady was 14, they moved to Ramseur where Henry was a tenant farmer for Hugh York. Later, Henry was able to buy the property from Mr. York. Grady continued to live there until he married. His mother died suddenly when he was 18 (she was 39) of a heart ailment. Grady fell in love with a girl from his high school and married Helen Marie Carmac from Ramseur in 1948 in her mother's home.

He always referred to her as "the prettiest girl at Ramseur High School".

Grady worked at Pugh Oil near the old Blue Mist on 64 and he and Helen lived across the road in a small white house. They moved to their current house a year later (Uncle Willie built it) and were there until he entered the Air Force 2 years later. He did his basic training in Texas, and then they moved to Montana where he was stationed from 1952-1954. (He hitchhiked home from Montana to get Helen and then drove them both back.) They were then stationed in Wiesbaden. Germany from 1954-1956 where daughter Gina was born. He attained the rank of Staff Sergeant. Upon returning to the US after leaving the service, they moved back to the house they would live in for the rest of their lives. Grady was able to borrow a little money and purchased the Ramseur Shell Station shortly after his return. Son Mike was born in 1961.

Grady opened Ramseur Auto Parts in the mid-60s. After over 30 years in the service station business, he sold the station in the mid-80s to concentrate on the auto parts store until his retirement. He also operated Lawson Wrecker Service. Grady was always active in community service and volunteerism because of his tremendous love for children and his hope that they could have better futures through a good education. He served on the Randolph County Board of Education for over 40 years. He also served on the board of Randolph Community College for 28 years. He always strived to do what was best for the kids. He sponsored many local children's baseball teams over the vears and was later an avid supporter and sponsor of the American Legion Baseball team. He was most proud of the fact that his players earned over \$2 million in college scholarship

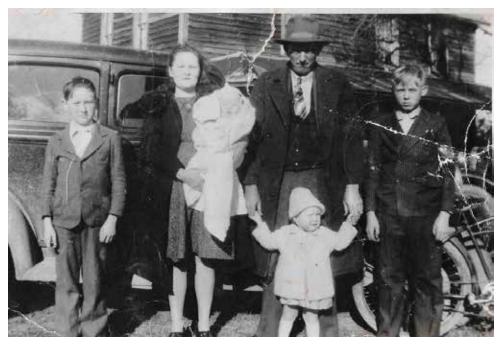
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money as well as whenever

He was an active fundraiser for Eastern Randolph High School Athletics. For 32 years, he organized and ran a Christmas tree lot that benefited the program. He was inducted into the American Legion Hall of Fame and was in the inaugural class of the Eastern Randolph Hall of Fame. The baseball field at Eastern Randolph is named in his honor. He was also honored with the Order of the Long Leaf Pine by Governor Jim Hunt in 1984. Despite the accolades, Grady is probably most remembered for the small, kind things he did everyday-buying a ball glove or cleats for a kid who couldn't afford them, charging a college student only \$5 for a tow, helping out boys doing community service, and taking baseball players out to eat after games. Above all else, he loved his family fiercely.

Grady passed away on November 20, 2017. Helen still lives in their original home in Ramseur. His daughter, Gina, lives with her husband Tom in Raleigh. They have three children-Brad and wife Casey and their son Truitt, Kelly, and Ali and her fiancé Cary. Son Mike lives with his wife Amy and their children Bobby, Carson, and Kylee in Lexington. Every year we present the Grady Lawson Memorial Scholarship to a senior at ERHS based on academics, athletics, character, financial need, and community involvement.





Grady's childhood family: Left to Right, Gene, His mother Eva Estelle holding his sister Peggy, his father Henry with sister Doris and Grady(far left).



Grady Lawson and Helen Carmac on the steps of Ramseur High School. They married on September 12, 1948, at her mother's home. He was 2 months shy of 19. She was already 19.



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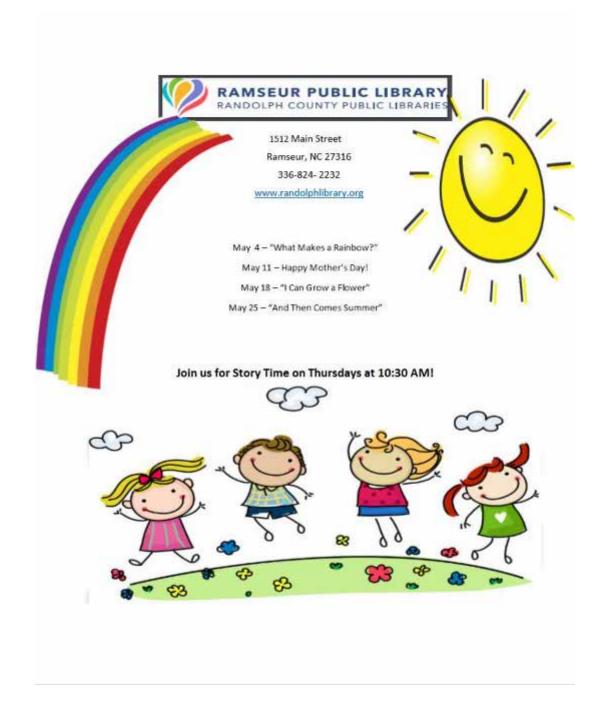




TOPS, Take Off Pounds Sensibly, is having its 75th anniversary. We are a non profit support group that is open to any age or gender. There is no specific diet. We are a great group of people supporting and celebrating each other's success.

We meet at Oakhurst Baptist Church, 225 S. Fayetteville St on Monday evenings. Weigh in is from 5-5:30, then the meeting is from 5:30-6:00. Contact - Rhonda Ray-336-460-7954, or Gail Henley-336-328-4744



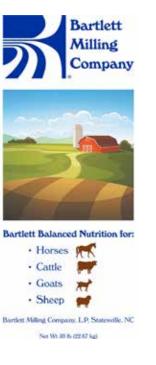




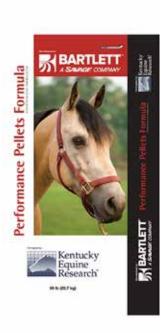


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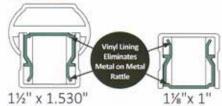


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Clear View Baptist Church

Dr. Bruce W. Dickerson 2723 Cedar Falls Road Franklinville, NC 27248 Sunday School - 10:00am Morning Worship - 11:00am Family Night - 6:00pm Wednesday Evening Prayer & Bible Study 7pm

Cornerstone Baptist Church

219 Pleasant Ridge Rd. Franklinville, NC 27248 336-824-7077

Church of Jesus Christ of Latter-day Saints

336-233-1168 1109 McDowell Road Asheboro NC 27205 Services: Sundays 9:30-11:30am Youth meet Wednesday nights 6:30-7:30pm

Faith Baptist Church

(336) 824-4156 1382 Greenfield St, Ramseur, NC 27316 Sunday: 10 am Sunday School 11 am Morning Worship 6 pm Evening Worship Wednesday: 7pm Adult Prayer & Youth Ministries

First Baptist Church

Pastor Wayne Dunn - (336) 824-8667 731 Liberty St. (P.O. Box 544) Ramseur, NC 27316 Sundays: 10:00am Sunday School 11:00am Worship Service

First Christian Church

Gary Arnett - (336) 824-4066 1381 Church St Ramseur, NC 27316 Sunday: 9:00am Sunday School 10:00am Worship Service

Franklinville United Methodist Church

Jeff Martin

227 West Main St. Franklinville NC, 27248 Service Time: Sunday 11:00am

Grace Community Fellowship Baptist Church

Shaun Greene - (336) 824-2300 7500 US Hwy 64E Ramseur NC 27316 Sunday School at 9:30am, Sunday Worship at 10:30am, Sunday Evening Service at 6:00pm, Wednesday Night Service at 7:00pm

Grays Chapel Church

Rev. Lynn Chaney and Bob Chaney 5056 NC Hwy 22 North Franklinville, NC 27248 8:30 am Worship 9:45 am Sunday School 10:30 am Worship and Children's Church 6:00 pm Sunday evening youth group

Grace Lutheran Church

Minister Ned Thigpen -(336) 622-7175 or (336) 214-4210 146 S. Fayetteville St. Liberty, NC 27298 Sundays: 9:00am Sunday School 10:00am Worship Service Wednesdays: 10:00am Bible Study Fellowship Hall

Holly Springs Friends

Todd Brown - (336) 879-3136 2938 Holly Spring Rd Ramseur, NC 27316 Sundays: 9:45am Sunday School 11:00am Morning Worship

Jordan Memorial United Methodist Church

Chris Smith - (336) 824-2252 1511 Main St. Ramseur NC 27316 Service Time: Sunday 10:30am

Lakeside Park Church of God

153 Lakeside Park Rd Franklinville, NC 27248

Maple Springs Community Church

Ed Carter - (336) 953-2435 6231 NC Hwy 22/42 Ramseur, NC 27316 Sunday School at 10:00am Worship Service at 11:00am Bible Study Wednesday 6:00 p.m

McCrary Chapel United Methodist Church

Montez Allen - (336) 824-3022 327 NC 49 Ramseur NC, 27316 Service Time: Sunday 10:00am

Oakland Missionary Baptist Church

Rev. Dr. A.W. Waddell - 336-824-4430 610 Oakland Church Road Ramseur, 27316 Sunday: 11:00 Worship Service

Parks Crossroad Church

Todd Nance - (336) 824-6622

2057 Parks Crossroads Church Rd Ramseur NC 27316

Sunday School at 9:30 am
Morning Worship at 10:30am
Evening Worship(1st & 3rd Sundays) at 6pm

Patterson Grove Christian Church

Brian Pierce - (336) 824-2497 1921 Patterson Grove Road Ramseur, NC 27316

Sunday School: 10:00 am, Worship Service:

11:00 am

Wednesday Bible Study: 7:00 pm, Youth

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Pleasant Ridge Christian Church

Mark Beane - (336) 824-2046 1426 Pleasant Ridge Road Ramseur, NC 27316 Worship Service 11:00

Ramseur Wesleyan Church

Jason Baker - (336) 824-2451
2038 Leonard Park Street (PO Box 501)
Ramseur, NC 27316
Sundays: 9:30am School - Worship: 10:30
am, Children's Church 10:30am - Sunday
evening service 6pm
Wednesday night Adult Bible Study: 7pm
Children and Youth Wednesday nights meet
@ 6:45pm during school term

Rehobeth United Methodist Church

Jeff Martin - (336) 824-4013 850 Kildee Church Rd Ramseur NC, 27316 Service Time: Sunday 9:30am

Tabernacle Church of Trinity

Rev. Lynn Chaney and Bob Chaney 213 Tabernacle Church Road Ext., Trinity NC 27370

10:30 am Worship and Children's Church 3rd Monday of month Women meeting and Men meeting at 6:30 pm

West Chapel Church

Rev. Lynn Chaney and Bob Chaney 1739 West Chapel Road, Asheboro, NC 27205 9:00 am Worship and Children's Church

Whites Chapel Community Church

Michael Mills - (336) 834-7331 1843 Low Bridge Road Liberty NC 27298

Sunday Service:11:00am Breakfast Served

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OBITUARIES

Courtesy of Loflin Funeral Home and Cremation Service of Ramseur. We at the Randolph Bulletin send out our thoughts and prayers to the families who recently lost loved ones.

Barry Dale Poole, 67, died Monday, April 3, 2023, at his home in Asheboro.

Jack Lanny "Jay" Greene Jr. died Sunday, April 2, 2023.

Doris Faedene Brower, 93, of Asheboro passed away on Wednesday, April 5, 2023 at the Randolph Hospice House.

Georgeann Kivett Pace, age 95 formerly of Asheboro, passed away peacefully at her son's home on Thursday, April 6, 2023, in West Columbia, SC.

Mrs. Christine "Christi" Allen York White, 52, of Sophia, went to be with her Lord on Friday, April 7, 2023 at UNC Medical Center in Chapel Hill.

Nancy Carolyn Caudle, 93, passed away unexpectedly on Friday, April 7, 2023 at Woodland Hill Center.

Louise Williams Eaton, a loving, and faithfilled woman, passed away peacefully on April 8, 2023 at her home.

Faye Harris Atkins, 80, passed away peacefully on April 8, 2023, at FirstHealth Hospice and Palliative Care in Pinehurst surrounded by her family.

Niesha Brooks Sydnor, formerly of Siler City, entered into eternal life on April 4, 2023.

Brandy Perkins Odom, 55, of Biscoe passed away on April 18, 2023, at Montgomery Memorial Hospital in Troy, NC.

Roberta Cain Baxter, 90, of Ramseur, died Thursday, April 20, 2023 at her residence.

Frances Carolyn (Bridges) Brown, 94, passed away peacefully at Countryside Manor in Stokesdale, NC on Wednesday, April 19, 2023.

Mr. Patrick Allen (Pat) Henry, age 75, of Asheboro passed away at his home on Friday, April 21, 2023.

James Earl "Jim" Bullins Jr., 88, of Asheboro died Friday, April 21, 2023, at Brookdale Asheboro.

Harris Alexander (Alex) Coffin Jr., son of Harris Alexander Coffin Sr. and Parinne Cranford Smith Coffin, was born in Asheboro, NC, on November 10, 1936, and died peacefully surrounded by his family on April 20, 2023.

Donnie Ray McNeill, 82, of Seagrove passed away on April 26, 2023, at his home.

Rosa Lee Patterson departed this earthly life on April 28, 2023.

William (Willie) Abner Russell, Jr. of Asheboro, passed away Saturday, April 22, 2023 at the age of 68.

Robert Elwood Thomas, 86, of Ramseur, North Carolina, passed away April 22, 2023, at his home.

Lynn Simpson Culler, 60, of Asheboro, died Sunday, April 23, 2023 at UNC Medical Center in Chapel Hill.

Mary Ann Chapman Carte, 89, of Liberty, went home to be with her Lord and Savior Wednesday, April 26, 2023 at her residence.

Karen Jeanette Ezzell, 67, of Henderson, died Friday, April 28, 2023.

Wayland Dean "Booty" Brown, 79, of Ramseur, died Saturday, April 29, 2023 at Randolph Hospice House in Asheboro.

Elner "Bill" Shaw Brown, 94, of Ramseur, died Saturday, April 29, 2023 at Clapp's Convalescent Nursing Home in Asheboro.

John Mark Riggleman, 83, of Asheboro, died Sunday, April 30, 2023 at Genesis Healthcare in Siler City.

Rebecca Rich Carper, 90, of Ramseur, died Sunday, April 30, 2023 at Genesis Healthcare in Siler City.

If you would like more information about our obituaries, please email us at info@randolphbulletin.com or call at 336-824-4488. Options are available if you would like to have a picture and/or longer obituaries for your loved one.

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