

Mission Statement

The mission of the North Carolina Extension and Community Association Inc. is:

To Strengthen Families and Communities through

- ♦ Leadership Development
- ♦ Community Action
- ◆ Educational support through research-based education from North Carolina State University and North Carolina A&T State University

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As we begin a new year 2018, let us all start by learning new things and ways as we have our educational programs and hands on learning times. Remember to Eat Local Eat Healthy and do reports about what you are doing to carry this out. Eating in local places that use local foods is so important. Share pictures you take at farmers markets, roadside stands and your own garden. Report how you are doing your garden and where.

We also have the Boys and Girls Home at Lake Waccamaw that we help support. We have an additional list, which is in your yearbook of their needs. These cover general needs as well as baby needs and the bedroom donation list. Let us not forget these children. This has been and is an ongoing project.

With the hurricanes we have had this year, we don't want to forget the "Water Around the World" project. We can give to this project any time. NVON is sending filters to Puerto Rico as I write this.

We are back on schedule to have our State Meeting on October 29-31at the Ramada Inn in Nags Head. I know this is a long way for some, but start saving and planning to attend now. The Northeast District is hosting this meeting, so let's show them our support and be there. Thanks to all for attending the State/NVON last year in Raleigh and to those who worked so hard to make it a success.

Please remember to record your volunteer hours as they help in so many ways. What would our state be without all we do by volunteering? You may not think what you do is that important, but you never know what help and joy you bring to others.

Thank you for letting me be your president for last year and this. I am enjoying every minute of it. It is great to meet with you and hear and see what you are doing across this wonderful state. If I can be of any help to you please feel free to call me.

Judy Blythe 2017-2018 President

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#### 2017 Calendar & Deadlines

**January 1** New Officers of State, District, County and local Associations assume duties Yearbook corrections/additions due to NCECA Association Advisor & District VP

# January 16 NCECA Leadership Team Meeting

512 Brickhaven Drive, Room 203 Raleigh, NC

Contact: Judy Blythe

252-638-4142 252-617-0771 cbblythe2002@yahoo.com

# January 22 NCECA LT Snow date

#### February 1 Educational scholarships due to county

Submissions for **Tar Heel Homemakers eNews** to:

Geri Bushel

gbushel@ncsu.edu

#### **February 7** NCECA Leadership call (Call # 641.715.0861 . . . when prompted enter 551371#)

Contact: Judy Blythe

# **March 1 Scholarship Applications** (1 Adult & 1 Youth) due to:

Geri Bushel

Box 7606, NCSU Raleigh, NC 27695

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# Eat Healthy, Eat Local & Water Around the World Reports due to Geri Bushel

#### **County Annual Reports and CVU Reports** Due to:

Geri Bushel

Box 7606, NCSU Raleigh, NC 27695

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#### **April 1** Submissions for **Tar Heel Homemakers eNews** to:

Geri Bushel

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# **April 3** NCECA Leadership Team Meeting

512 Brickhaven Drive, Room 203 Raleigh, NC

Contact: Judy Blythe

#### **April 10** Southeast District Meeting

Civic Center, Morehead City, NC

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#### **April 11** Northeast District Meeting

Pitt County Agriculture Center

403 Government Circle, Greenville, NC 27834

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# **April 17 South Central District Meeting**

10:00 a.m. (Cultural Arts check-in 9:00 a.m. - 9:45 a.m.)

Governmental Complex, Commons Area

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#### April 19 North Central District Meeting

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#### **April 24** Western District Meeting

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#### May 3 NCECA Leadership call (Call # 641.715.0861 . . . when prompted enter 551371#)

Contact: Judy Blythe

# May 15 District Scholarship judging should be complete and results sent to the originating District Past President, NCECA Past President, NCECA Association Advisor, and NCECA Appointed Treasurer

# **June 1 Individual Annual Reports** due to Club President to compile the individual reports into one club report.

Send **Pennies for Friendship** donations to Appointed Treasurer Make checks payable to NCECA

Submissions for Tar Heel Homemakers eNews to:

Geri Bushel

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#### **June 6** NCECA Leadership call (Call # 641.715.0861... when prompted enter 551371#)

Contact: Judy Blythe

# **June 15 Club Annual Reports** due to the County Coordinator (probably Past President) to compile a county report. Also submit to Liaison Agent for Accomplishment Reports

#### July 16-19 NVON Conference - Pewaukee, Wisconsin - Country Spring Hotel

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#### **July 31** NCECA Leadership Team Meeting

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#### **August 1** Deadline for **Leadership Application**

Leadership applications should be sent to NCECA Association Advisor

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**August 1** Submissions for **Tar Heel Homemakers eNews** to:

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**August 15** NCECA Conference Registration Packet to be mailed

**October 1** Submissions for **Tar Heel Homemakers** eNews to:

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October 3 NCECA Leadership call (Call #641-715-0861...when prompted enter 551371#)

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October 28 NCECA Leadership Team Meeting

Contact: Judy Blythe

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October 29-31 NCECA State Conference "Oceans of Learning" Ramada Inn, Nags Head, NC

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**November 1 NCECA Past President** to send out scholarship information. Letters or email reminders to District and County Advisors to promote scholarship applications.

**Local membership dues** sent to County Treasurer with names and addresses

**December 1 Individual Annual Reports** due to Club President to compile the individual reports into one a club report

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Send **Pennies for Friendship** donations to Appointed Treasurer

**County Scholarship** chairs publicize scholarship opportunities

County Treasurer sends collected **membership dues** (check and completed form with all names, current address and other contact information) list to NCECA Appointed Treasurer by December 1. Please update as necessary during the year.

**December 5 NCECA Leadership call** (Call #641-715-0861...when prompted enter 551371#)

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**December 15 Club Annual Reports** due to the County Coordinator (probably Past President) to compile a county report. Also submit to Liaison Agent for Accomplishment Reports

# North Carolina Extension & Community Association 2018 Budget

# **2018 BUDGET RECAP**

| Yearbook Printing & State Conference mailing | 3,500.00  |
|----------------------------------------------|-----------|
| State Operating Fund                         | 18,500.00 |
| Total                                        | 22,000.00 |

# **2018 BUDGET**

| Printing & postage ( Yearbook & State Conference mailing) | 3,500.00  |
|-----------------------------------------------------------|-----------|
|                                                           |           |
| State Operating Funds                                     |           |
| President's Travel Expenses                               | 3,000.00  |
| President's Office Expenses                               | 100.00    |
| Leadership Team Expenses                                  | 5,000.00  |
| Appointed Treasurer's Travel Expenses                     | 900.00    |
| Appointed Treasurer's Office Expenses                     | 100.00    |
| Parliamentarian's Travel Expenses                         | 800.00    |
| Parliamentarian's Office Expenses                         | 50.00     |
| NVON/CWC Expenses                                         | 3,000.00  |
| NVON OFFICER TRAVEL                                       | 1,000.00  |
| Marketing                                                 | 350.00    |
| CVU                                                       | 700.00    |
| Cultural Arts                                             | 500.00    |
| Leadership Award                                          | 300.00    |
| Bonding for Appointed Treasurer                           | 161.00    |
| Emergency/Miscellaneous                                   | 48.00     |
| ACWW – Dues                                               | 165.00    |
| CWC- Dues                                                 | 75.00     |
| NVON Dues                                                 | 100.00    |
| FCS Enrichment                                            | 2,151.00  |
| Total                                                     | 22,000.00 |

# **Pennies For Friendship**

*Pennies for Friendship* provides a way for each individual member of societies to take an active part in the work of ACWW. By contributing to Pennies for Friendship, each member promotes world friendship, understanding and goodwill. "*Pennies for Friendship*" is a major source of the income to carry out the work of ACWW. NCECA urges members to participate in this activity

This voluntary fund is the lifeblood of ACWW. Within ACWW nothing functions without these **Pennies** – ACWW projects administration, United Nations links, Officers' Conferences, and the Countrywoman Magazine, are all supported by Pennies for Friendship.

ACWW depends totally on our generosity to enable the continuation of vital work on behalf of women striving to improve the quality of family life in rural areas, and is grateful for all donations given in Friendship and support of the work we are all doing together:

ACWW works with women worldwide!

In addition to the collection taken at our State Meeting, Clubs, Counties and District ECA groups can collect at each of their meetings. Fund-raising events can be held on ACWW Day, April 29 of each year.

**Give Generously - Every Penny Counts!** 

# **Community Service Projects**

One of the most satisfying, fun, and productive ways to make a difference in your community is to volunteer through community service projects. While this list is not by any means complete, these are some that are a statewide initiative of NCECA.

- Victory Junction
- Boys & Girls Homes of NC
- Ronald McDonald House (soda tabs)
- Military Coupons
- Partners Against Trafficking Humans (PATH)

#### Other opportunities:

- Warm Up America
- School programs, i.e. supplies, lunches, clothing, books, back pack buddies, etc.
- Sewing projects for cancer patients and shut-ins, i.e. afghans, mastectomy pillows, cozy caps, etc.
- Partnering with other agencies, i.e. personal hygiene kits for Red Cross, battered family centers, bears, therapy dolls, activity aprons, Foster Care
- Any special projects relative to you community

#### ITEMS NEEDED FOR THE BOYS AND GIRLS HOME OF Lake Waccamaw

**The Boys and Girls Home of Lake Waccamaw** has been a project of NCECA for a very long time. Over the years participation has decreased and now The Boys and Girls Home really need our help. Lists of items needed are below:

#### **Baby Items Requested**

Baby Bath Wash

Baby Oil

**Baby Powder** 

**Baby Sippy Cups** 

Baby Bibs

Baby Bags for Diapers

**Baby Monitors** 

Baby Clothing (12 to 18 months)

Bottle Brushes for washing baby bottles

Disposable diapers (sizes 5 and 6)

Toddler Clothing (2T, 3T and 4T)

Towels and Wash Cloths

**Baby burping Cloths** 

Baby Laundry Detergent (Dreft or others)

Laundry Fabric Softener

# **Other Items Requested**

Laundry Soap

Deodorant

Liquid Hand Soap

Body Wash (regular & allergy-free)

Shaving Cream/Gel

Ethnic Shampoo/Conditioner

Caucasian Shampoo/Conditioner

Mouth Wash

Razors (girls and boys)

Hair Gel

**Rubber Bands** 

# **Extras (residents have specified)**

Nail Polish Remover

Cologne/Perfume

**Finger Nail Clippers** 

**Nail Files** 

AXE products (shampoo, sprays, etc.)

# **Bedroom Items Needed for New Arrivals**

Twin Sheet set

Blanket

Comforter

**Mattress Protector** 

Pillow Protector

Laundry Basket

Shower Caddy

Alarm Clock

**Pillows** 

**Towels** 

Washcloth

**Toothbrush Cover** 

Soap Container

Boys and Girls Home can also us #10 cans of fruits and vegetables, etc.