#### **HEADING FOR VICTORIES!**

### **GOOD NEWS ABOUT DEMOCRATS!**





## FIRST LADY HEADLINES "HATS & BOW TIES" RALLY!

At the Jean Farmer-Butterfield Rally at Barton College in Wilson, First Lady Kristin Cooper said: "We have a chance right now to be the shot heard around the world with this election. This election is going to tell everybody everywhere that it stops here, that we are a democracy, that we do value everyone's voice, and that is important to who we are as Americans and as North Carolinians."





Governor & Mrs. Jim Hunt with Wilson County Party Chair Linda Cooper Suggs.







Wilson Democrat leaders Jim Hawley, Alice Freeman, Mary Louise Gray support Jean.



Jean Farmer-Butterfield, Kristin Cooper with Governor Jim Hunt



**Beth Searcy and Betty McCain** 





Bill Myers entertained. Congressman G. K. Butterfield gave the Keynote Address.



2018 Democratic Woman of the Year Brenda Pollard, Christine Wenzel, and Larry Pollard



The Wide Awake Singers performed.



These men entered the "Hats and Bow Ties Contest."

It was uplifting to see so many well-dressed Democratic men!



**Lenwood Ward was the Contest Winner!** 



Yvonne Nelson supports Jean.



### ALLEGRA COLLINS WITH BRAXTON WINSTON!

At a Candidates Forum in Charlotte,

NC Court of Appeals candidate
Allegra Collins
had an opportunity to talk with
Charlotte City Council Member
Braxton Winston.
Both of these Democrats are
working to improve the lives of North Carolinians!

## DEMOCRATS FROM ALL OVER THE STATE ARE GOING TO THIS BIG EVENT FOR RYAN WATTS!



YOU ARE INVITED TO A FUNDRAISING RECEPTION IN HONOR OF

### RYAN WATTS

Democratic Candidate for Congress - NC's 6th District

#### Hosts

Luck Davidson, Chip & The Honorable Senator Kay Hagan, Bob Page & Dale Fredericksen, Joy Cohen Shavitz, Carl & Leigh Seager

#### **Sponsors**

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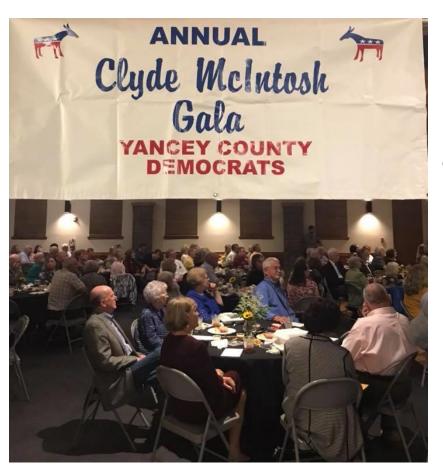
#### **Patrons**

Jim & Lynn Bennett, Paul Keller, Bob & Levina Kollar, Tim & Robin Lane, Catherine Magid, Winston McGregor & Dale Mitchell, Ned McMillan, Cilie & Roger Sutton

Wednesday, October 10, 2018
6:30pm to 8:00pm
at the home of
Bob Page & Dale Fredericksen
4019 Westmount Dr
Greensboro, NC 27410

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### YANCEY COUNTY DEMOCRATS!

Over 200 excited Democrats attended the 9th Annual Clyde McIntosh Gala of the Yancey County Democratic Party in Burnsville on September 27th.

Yancey County Democrats are strong and they hold many of their county's elected positions.

They are working enthusiastically to re-elect those officials this year!



Yancey Democrats enjoyed fellowshipping at the Gala.



In the heart of County Party Chair James Edwards: His daughter, Brittany Miller, and his grandson, Archer Miller!



Johnny Riddle campaigning for re-election Clerk of Court Tammy McEntire for County Commissioner Chair.



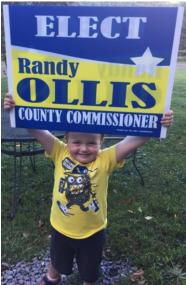
is running for re-election.





State House candidate Rhonda Schandevel and her Campaign Manager, Michael, addressed the happy crowd.





Randy Ollis for County Commissioner and his most ardent supporter.



**GUILFORD COUNTY UNITY BANQUET!** 

Hundreds of Democrats joyfully attended the 2018 Democratic Unity Banquet at the Khoury Convention Center in Greensboro on September 29<sup>th</sup>.





Guilford County's outstanding County Keynote Speaker G. K. Butterfield happily endorsed

Chair Nicole Quick Congressional candidates Ryan Watts and Kathy Manning



Tracy Lamothe for County Commissioner, Danny Rogers for Sheriff, Khem Irby for School Board,
Kathy Manning for Congress, Winston MacGegor for School Board,
with Martha Shafer for NC House.



Tyler Beall,

County Commissioner Kay Cashion,

with Ed Keohohou

The portraits in this article were made by Ivan Saul Cutler.



The Small Ensemble of the Triad Pride Chorus brought cheerful entertainment.

Judge Bill Wood, Cindy Wood Congressman G. K. Butterfield, Shirley Frey, and former Chief Justice Henry Frye



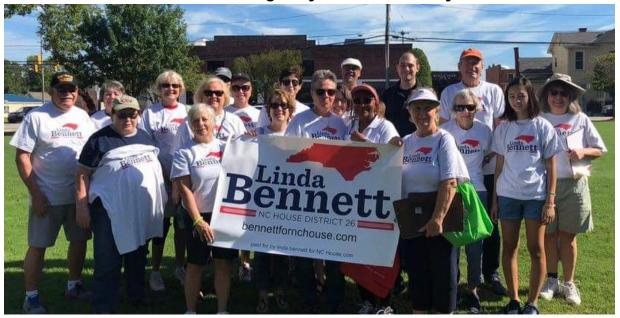
The wonderful Democrats at the Unity Dinner are leaders in the drive to keep Guilford County BLUE in 2018!



#### **MEET CARLEIGH!**

Chanda and Corey Branch of Raleigh welcomed Carleigh Ivy-Rose Branch into their family on September 25<sup>th</sup>. She weighted 5 pounds, 1 ounce and she was 19 inches long. She was born into a very outstanding Democratic family.

Her mother, Chanda Branch, was Mrs. Black North Carolina 2017 and her father is Raleigh City Councilman Corey Branch.



**CAMPAIGNING FOR LINDA BENNETT & DORIS WALLACE!** 

These spirited Johnston County Democrats posed before they spread out all over the town of Clayton in Johnston County to campaign for Linda Bennett in State House District 26 and Doris Wallace for the Johnston Soil & Water Board.



#### JEFF JACKSON HEADLINES NATASHA MARCUS FUNDRAISER!

More than 100 people turned out on September 25th for a major Mecklenburg County fundraiser for Natasha Marcus' State Senate campaign at a private home in the Davidson area. Senator Jackson was an uplifting speaker. He is eager to have Natasha join him in the State Senate.



Natasha is running in Senate District 41 which is rated as one of the most flippable districts in the entire state. Her district runs the full length of the western side of Mecklenberg County from the South Carolina line to the Iredell County line.

The website of this remarkable Democrat is: https://NatashaMarcus.com



This event raised such a phenomenal amount of money that the Marcus campaign decided not to release the amount so the Republicans won't know!





#### **DAVIDSON COUNTY SHRIMPEROO!**

Davidson County Democrats filled the Ocean View Restaurant in Lexington for their annual Shrimperoo on October 1<sup>st</sup>.

State House candidate Lewis Phillips and Loretta Martin wore matching colors in the picture on the left above. Loretta was presented with the PRESIDENT'S AWARD at the State Democratic Women Convention in Wilmington in September. In the picture on the right above Tina Royal gladly posed with 13<sup>th</sup> Congressional District candidate Kathy Manning.



Billie Porter was the chief organizer of the Shrimperoo.



Davidson Democratic Women President AnnMarie
Clark with David Clark



Toby Hampson brought his campaign for the NC Court of Appeals to Davidson County. He was welcomed by Lauren Hill. Toby is winning support everywhere he goes across the state.



State Senate candidate Dr. Cheraton Love with her Campaign Manager



Board of Elections Member Randall Lanier and his wife, Marie





R - Judge John Arrowood brought his campaign for a full term on the NC Court of Appeals to the Shrimperoo. L – Pam Kelly is Office Manager of the Davidson County Democratic Headquarters.



Derrick Kelly promoted his campaign.



Faye Powell and Jane Hill are strong Democrats!



#### THREE BIG CABARRUS DEMOCRATIC EVENTS COMING UP!





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PIZZA - SNACKS - GAMES

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DEMOCRATIC STARS SHINE AT CANDIDATE FORUM IN SELMA!

Our amazing Democratic candidates were at their best at the Candidate Forum at St. John A. M. E. Church in Selma on September 25<sup>th</sup>

Seventh Congressional District candidate Dr. Kyle Horton's picture above looks like it might be entitled "Ain't No Mountain High Enough."

NC Court of Appeals candidate Allegra Collins spoke eloquently about the importance of fair courts.



State Senate candidate Vernon Moore wins supports every time he speaks. SD-11



Jimmy Massengill is one of the most likeable legislative candidates in the state. SD-28



# AL PACER STATE SENATE DISTRICT 11

At the Candidate Forum in Selma, Al Pacer's main theme was the fact that he had extensive experience in money management and government starting as a paperboy and eventually becoming a County Budget Director, Department Head, and doing population and housing studies for growth management.

In answer to some questions, he pointed out that the NC Governor is already one of the weakest in the nation and should not be subjected to further power grabs by the legislature.

He also pointed out that statements of a religious explanation for the establishment of the government and freedoms of North Carolina cited in the NC constitution are subordinate to the US Constitution which states in the Preamble that "We the people ...do ordain and establish" with no higher authority involved.

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