

# RANDOLPH COUNTY CONNECTIONS

## NEWSLETTER

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Fife and Drum Corps at Col. Andrew Balfour's Gravesite

## MAY 2025 UPDATES

### JORDAN'S WAY COMES TO ASHEBORO TO SUPPORT RANDOLPH COUNTY ANIMAL SERVICES TO BUILD A NEW PLAY YARD



Randolph County is buzzing with excitement as the renowned Jordan's Way Tour makes its way to the area, bringing its mission of compassion and community support directly to their doorstep. On **Tuesday, May 20th (6-9pm)**, this incredible event will take place at the Randolph County Animal Shelter, with the goal of raising funds to build a much-needed outdoor play yard for the shelter's beloved dogs. Randolph County Animal Services Director Jonathan

Moody stated, "I appreciate Jordan's Way selecting us again this year to be part of the shelter tour through the nation. We would like all proceeds to go towards a play and exercise yard. With this yard, we can allow the dogs to go outside, run freely, and be able to work off energy, while in our care." **You may access the full story here.**

### COMMISSIONER HOPE HAYWOOD SELECTED AS HUNT STATE POLICY FELLOWS LEADER



Randolph County Commissioner Hope Haywood was recently selected as a member of its fifth cohort of the North Carolina Hunt State Policy Fellows program. Commissioner Haywood will join 20 other elected officials from across the state for in-depth sessions scheduled from May to September. She commented, "This is a rare opportunity to work with bipartisan elected leaders from the mountains to the sea as we look at the current state of education from early childhood through higher education in North Carolina. I look forward to gaining insights and studying data that will strengthen my ability to advocate for our students." **You may access more details here.**

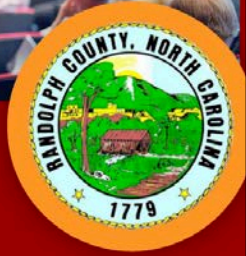
### RANDOLPH COUNTY PARTNERS WITH



## American Red Cross

### TO HOST BLOOD DRIVE

Make plans to donate at the upcoming Blood Drive on **June 24th (11am to 3:30pm)** which will be held at the Randolph County Emergency Services located at 760 New Century Drive in Asheboro. To make appointments, visit: **Appointment Schedule** or call: 336-318-6340.



# SUICIDE PREVENTION SUMMIT

## DISCUSSIONS & INSIGHTS

Impactful discussions featuring personal insights from those affected by suicide. Together, we'll share stories, foster understanding, and explore pathways to healing and prevention.

## VENDORS

Resources & support-focused vendors will be available, offering tools and services for mental health, healing, & suicide prevention.

RANDOLPH COUNTY  
VETERAN SERVICES &  
EMERGENCY SERVICES



SATURDAY, JUNE 14TH



12:00PM



760 NEW CENTURY DRIVE  
ASHEBORO, NC 27203

LET'S COME TOGETHER TO RAISE AWARENESS, OFFER SUPPORT, AND INSPIRE HOPE.

# SUICIDE PREVENTION SUMMIT

Date: Friday, June 14th

Time: 12:00 PM (Noon)

Location: Randolph County Emergency Services

760 New Century Drive, Asheboro

Admission: Free and open to the public.

In a proactive effort to address the critical issue of suicide prevention, a county-wide Suicide Prevention Summit will be held on Friday, June 14th at noon. This important event aims to bring together residents, individuals affected by suicide, and professionals working in related fields to foster understanding, share resources, and develop strategies for preventing suicide within our communities.

According to the Veterans Life Center of North Carolina, on average, 3.5 veterans commit suicide in North Carolina every week. That is why Randolph County Veteran Services is hosting this event.

**You may download the flyer here.**



## THE RANDOLPH RECAP

The Randolph Recap provides monthly highlights and summaries from the County Commissioners meetings. **You may access The Randolph Recap from the May 5th Randolph County Commissioners Meeting.**

## SEVERAL AGENCIES HOLD SUCCESSFUL SHREDDING & MEDICINE DISPOSAL



Several municipalities and Randolph County agencies collaborated on the Document Shredding and Medicine Disposal Collection Day on May 3<sup>rd</sup> at Hillside Shopping Center in Asheboro. There were 102 vehicles that came by that morning that filled 32 shredding bins, which packed the truck at ¾ of its capacity! There are plans to conduct a Household Waste Drive in the fall; the date is coming soon.

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