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**Wildlife Commission Stresses Safe Boating**

With seven boating fatalities already reported this year in North Carolina, the N.C. Wildlife Resources Commission urges boaters to follow a few simple steps to ensure safety. Last year, the Wildlife Commission recorded 27 fatalities in 23 fatal boating accidents, of 130 boating accidents investigated.

"We want to help everyone have a safe, enjoyable boating experience," said Maj. Chris Huebner, the state boating safety coordinator. "If there is a single recommendation to start with, it is: 'Wear a life vest.' It is an effective life-saving strategy."

U.S. Coast Guard statistics show drowning as the cause of death in almost three-fourths of recent recreational boating fatalities, with 84 percent of victims not wearing a life vest.

"Most people who drown in a boating accident had a life vest available, but they were not wearing it when they went into the water," Huebner said. "You don't have to be on a moving boat or in turbulent waters to fall overboard. Accidents happen quickly. Wearing a life vest is the best way to be prepared."

Another important preparation to ensure a safe boating experience is conducting a pre-launch inspection to make sure the vessel is in good working order and all required safety equipment is on board. Once underway, do not maneuver in a reckless manner, pay attention to navigational markers and other boaters, and never operate a boat while impaired by alcohol or drugs.

North Carolina requires anyone born on or after January 1, 1988, who is operating a vessel powered by a 10-horsepower or greater motor to have completed an approved boating safety education course or otherwise be in compliance with the law. For more information, call 919-707-0031 or visit [www.ncwildlife.org/boating](http://www.ncwildlife.org/boating).

**Anson High School Honor Rolls**

Anson High School is pleased to announce their Honor Rolls for the third 9 weeks.

**A HONOR ROLL**

**12th Grade** Breyanna Lynn Baker, Destinee A Burch, Kayla Marie Burr, Riki Rene Dows, Jessica Dale Fowler, Mieasha Gyvone Freeman, Andrevia Kyesha Grace, Grant Steven Harward, Jasmine Nicole Leak, Brooklyn Angelease Ledbetter, Rachael Martel Meachem, Alexis Taylor Pafford, Chanel Nicole Pauldo, Dekendrick Lee Polk, Cali Raye Powell, Qumeisha Annette Rorie, Mallary Dawn Taylor and Michael Lee Wright

**11th Grade** Caitlin Mckenzie Bunce, Destiny Nichole Dows, Brittany Genella Henderson, Sally Ann James, Justice Raione Leak, Madison Lane Martin, Max Gunnar Martin, Curtis Napier, Erin Nicole Thomas and Tien Thi Thuy Tran

**10th Grade** Emily Mikhaila Bennett, Andrenna Shanell Chambers, Darian Shane Gayton, Jared Michael Griffith, Charles Jared Hyatt and Benjamin Jawau Smith

**9th Grade** Taylor Caroline Austin, Taylor Lea Autrey, William Mark Dagenhart, Imani Catoyya Dunnom-Marant, Amber Leigh Freeman, Hannah Bailey Harward, Jada Dominique Lindsey, Angelique Lanette Little, Cydney Brooks Livingston, Jaear Dayquen McClendon, Zephaniy Ijon Polk, James Matthew Thomas, Hannah Taylor Williams and Sidnee Reece Williams

**A/B HONOR ROLL**

**12th Grade** Terrell Alexander-Horne Bennett, Jamall Tyrek Cash, Angelena Castro, Crystal Valene Chance, Tony Lavern Covington, Christopher Cox, Chrystal Cox, Selena Leanna Delacruz, Kendal Blair Diggs, Somone Dougherty, Kalika Ashur Garris, Kelly Marie Griffin, Kendall Ray Griffin, Kelsey Brooke Harris, Ashley Danielle Ingram, Keona Dashontae Ingram, Richard Austin Johnson, Amber Dawn Lewis, Jalen T'Shawn Little, Raquandra Moneishia Little, Marquavia Daiquandra Lowery, Carey Heather Maner, Nicholas Quverris Marble, Emily Brooke McCormick, Star Antonius Melton, Oscar Leon Moses, Anna Moua, Iris Alondra Nieto, Jose Esteban Reza Hernandez, Shaasia Rishawn Rushing, Allison Kay Simpson, Rebecca Nicole Simpson, Gerald Lamonte Snuggs, Joy Nicole Spencer, Raven Symone Spencer, Parrish Ishmael Stevons, KaeOnna Onesha Taylor, Laci Caroline Treadaway, Bradley Michael White, Shabourne Shakaim Willoughby and Uniqua Mae Willoughby

**11th Grade** Phillip James Burns, Hyla Elizabeth Campbell, Zadadria Shydae Clark, Alexis Maia Cole, LaJada Naykole Colon, Graceson Rose Diggs, Brooke Allison Edwards, Malia Katlin Gaddy, Benny Ray Galliher, David Yovani Garcia, Desiray Evvet Garris, Janee Laree Gayton, Vincent Ray Gilmore, Tadarus Denard Gladney, Garrett Alan Griffin, Kayla Renee Hall, Quinea Decoya Hudson, Marneisha Danielle Ingram, Hannah Elyse Knotts, Janay Nechelle Lindsey, Savannah Rose Ponds, Alynda Jacura Pratt, Kenya Dinne Roberts, Christian Gage Tarlton, Michaela Naquelle Wilson and Mai-Teelee Yang

**10th Grade** Jala Qushay Alexander, Corey Lamont Barber, Casandra Devondra Bennett, Dekendrick Elijah Bolden, Meagan Elizabeth Bolick, Enrique Nassen Burns, Marquez Tyrese Davis, Shavarrick Denitria Dunlap-David, Ariana Flores-Garcia, Shirleen Nicole Hall, Qadeer Hassan, Breanna Jaquas Ingram, Tanner Clay Lambert, Madison S. Leak, Jasmine Alisha Lindsey, Shacoria Moniq Moore, Zyquabian Dalq Pickett, Jalen Andreas Powe, Tyler Cameron Reed, Myasya Krystonna Richardson, Breeana Nicole Streater, John Garrett Thomas, Alexandria Joanna Tillman and Kimberly Lavette Watts

**9th Grade** Emily Blake Bolick, Ilasia Nija Burch, Tiffany Brianna Caple, Kazhmiri Nyacha DeBerry, Lauren Olivia Dutton, Jaylin Jahid Gaddy, Destiny Marie Gayton, Alexis Brianna Gibson, Samantha Kendall, Adriene Deon Kersey, Amani Hooria Khalid, James Kobe Lindsey, Destiny Samone Little, Karsyn Aleyah Mobley, Jonathan Kyle Phillips, Tierra Shardaia Presson, Matthew William Ratliff, Tajjha Jare Rivers, Terry Edward Smith, Makayla Jamia Sturdivant, Joshua Mark Thomas, Rondell Malik Thompson, Myziah Trenae Townsend, My Vue, Cameron Christopher Watts and Garret Brien Williams

**Wadesboro Primary School Honor Rolls**

Wadesboro Primary School has released Honor Rolls for the third 9 weeks.

**A HONOR ROLL**

**3rd Grade** Savannah Hooks, Janita Willoughby

**4th Grade** Chloe Scarborough, Trent Taylor

**5th Grade** An Tonnu, Labdhi Shah, Iyana Mercado

**A/B HONOR ROLL**

**3rd Grade** Mobin Ali, Natalia Bemnet, Johnathan Gay, Caleb Huza, Bradley Kern, D'Asia Lindsey, Maliki Martin, Loyalti McCray, Mandy Meachum, Dasione Owens, Gerkeyah Richardson, Ziare Rorie, Caniyua Webster

**4th Grade** Humza Hassan, Tyler Nguyen

**5th Grade** Case Carpenter, Shmira Dumas

**Artists Invited to Spring Event**

Artists and artisans from Anson County and the surrounding region are invited to show and sell their creations at the Anson High practice field on May 9th. The Saturday event will last from 10 a.m. until 3 p.m. Those interested in participating should request a reservation application from the Wadesboro Civitan Club at PO Box 751, Wadesboro, NC 28170 or phone Yates Almond at 704-848-4810. All designs must be the products of NC and SC residents.

The Civitan Club thought that local artists, especially those who do not have a retail store, would like another opportunity to show their designs. In addition to displays of paintings, sculpture, pottery, woodcarving and hand-made furniture, quilts, jewelry and other locally-made crafts, the event will have free entertainment by local musicians and free games for children. Local organizations may also have information booths.

The event will conclude with a rubber ducky race with a \$500 prize for the person who picks the winning duck. The Civitan Hot Dog Booth will be the only food vendor, but will have burgers, chips, and soft drinks, as well as their signature hot dogs.

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**Saturday, April 25 10-4 Hatcher Park**

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Smoky the Bear!  
Booze It & Lose It Course  
Sparky the Fire Dog!

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- Anson Sheriff's Office
- Anson County Fire Marshall
- Lillesville Police Department
- Anson EMS
- NC Forest Service

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