

Christopher Wayne Kelly Wins Trip to Washington, DC



This is a release from Pee Dee Electric: Pee Dee Electric is excited to announce that Christopher Wayne Kelly of Wadesboro, has been selected as the 2016 Rural Electric Youth Tourist. Sponsored by the National Rural Electric Cooperatives Association (NRECA) and Pee Dee Electric, the Washington Youth Tour (WYT), is a leadership experience that fuses the history of electric cooperatives and the cooperative business model with that of U.S. government and history into a once in a lifetime leadership opportunity.

Chris attends Anson New Tech High School in Wadesboro and is considered an outstanding student by both his teachers and peers. He has maintained the status of "Leader of the Pack" since his freshmen year and has managed to find time to complete additional online classes and certifications to help enhance his knowledge and confidence.

Since 1964, the nation's electric cooperatives have sent more than 50,000 students to Washington, D.C. as part of the Rural Electric Youth Tour. Chris will learn about electric cooperatives and how they operate, American history and how government works. He will get a chance to meet with his elected representatives in the House and Senate, as well as participate in National Youth Day and enjoy the sights of D.C.

Approximately 1,600 students from across the United States will join Chris as they visit monuments such as the Jefferson, Lincoln and Roosevelt memorials, where they can consider the words of great leaders who helped define and uphold our nation. At the Smithsonian Institute they will discover and explore art, science, American culture and nature. They will also reflect on the true price of freedom when visiting the World War II, Korean War, Vietnam Memorials, as well as Arlington National Cemetery.

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Bowman Class of 1984 Dinner Sale

The Bowman Bearcats Class of 1984 will hold a hot dog, chicken, turkey leg dinner sale on Saturday, June 18, from 12 noon until. You are invited to come enjoy delicious food on Highway 109 South beside Gil's Barber Shop. The menu also includes cole slaw, potato salad, baked beans, dessert and a drink. For more information call 704-438-4014 or 704-774-0209.

Bach's Lunch is June 22

The Anson County Arts Council will hold a Bach's Lunch on Wednesday, June 22, from 12 to 1 p.m. at First Presbyterian Church in Wadesboro. Tickets are only \$10 for a delicious summer salad lunch that includes music and fun. For more information call 704-694-4950.

Bowman Class of 1977 Reunion Meeting

The Bowmn Senior High School Class of 1977 will hold a reunion meeting on Saturday, June 25, from 4 to 6 p.m. at Hampton B. Allen Library. All class members are urged to attend. For more information call 704-465-7194.

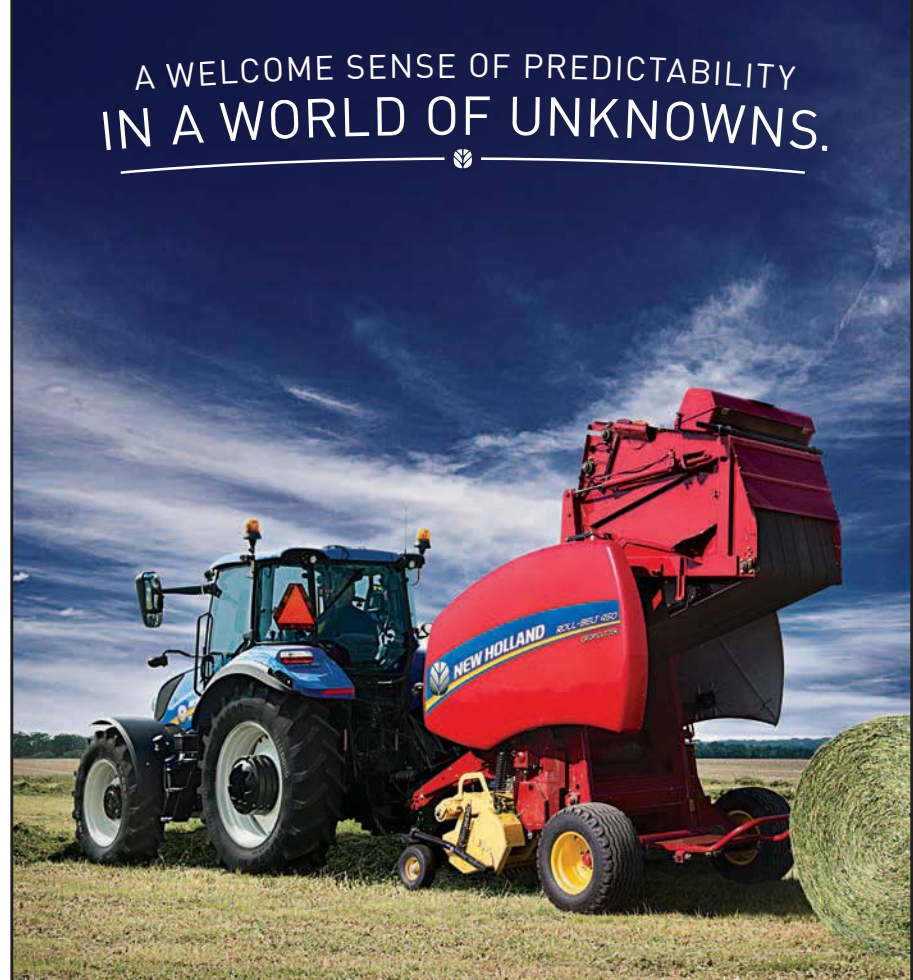
Head Start and Early Head Start Programs

The Head Start and Early Head Start Programs of Union County Community Action, Inc. still have slots available at Central Center and Morven Elementary School, including home-based services for pregnant mothers and children birth to age 3. For more information about Head Start Call 704-694-2120. For information about home based services call 704-690-3877.

Parks and Recreation Summer Youth Sports Camp

Anson County Parks and Recreation is offering their annual Summer Youth Sports Camp at Little Park for ages 9-12. Participants will play a variety of sports which include basketball, flag football and wiffleball.

Preregistration runs until June 15 at Little Park. The camp begins on Monday, June 20, running from 10 a.m. to 12 noon. For more information contact Jeff Waisner at 704-695-2550, Wendell Small at 704-695-2782 or Morris Gatewood at 704-694-5751.



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