

Lawrence Academy recognizes students for academic honors

MERRY HILL, NC — Lawrence Academy announces that the following students have been named to the Headmaster's List and/or the Honor Roll in recognition of outstanding academic achievement:

- Headmaster's List**
 Fourth Grade: Rachel Taylor, Kevin Newhams, Michael Maxwell, J.T. Lilley, Brittany Stanley, Liza Boehling.
 Fifth Grade: Nicole Biggs, Jenna Griffin, Colleen Potocki, Alex Hodges, Gray Harrell, Marshall Ellis, John Outten, Alicia Bullock.
 Sixth Grade: Alex Boehling, Jessica Johnston, Gabby Layton, Wade Perry, Sarah Thompson, Dusty Todd, Molly Harden.
 Seventh Grade: Catherine Outten, Rob Perry, Katie Sellers.
 Eighth Grade: Jenna Barnes, Shelly Biggs, Elizabeth Edmundson, Erin Potocki.
 Tenth Grade: Lauren Smith, Seema Patidar.
 Eleventh Grade: Hollon Skinner,

Marie Perez.
 Twelfth Grade: Andrea Everett, Graham Farless, Belen Perez, Mary Powell.

- Honor Roll**
 Fourth Grade: Trent Ward, Josh Rivenbark, Amanda Raynor, Kate Hodges, Courtney Harrison, Scott Thompson, Margaret Jenette, Shaunna Glidden, Sarah Gillam, Ches Chesson.
 Fifth Grade: Tim Gallagher, Wil Hoggard, Michael Potocki, Sarah Sitterson, Heather Urick, Judd Whitehead, Hayes Swanson, Hunter Rascoe, Jake Mitchell, Samantha Fant, Brian Barnes.
 Sixth Grade: Jane Brandon, Rob Davis, Jenny DiMartino, Kate Gillam, Joey Roome, Asheton Rivenbark, Laurel Taylor, Lauren Rea, Megan Street, Laurel Taylor.
 Seventh Grade: David Bateman, Elizabeth Dixon, Lauren Greene, Joe Griesedieck, Scott Harvey, Taylor Mizelle, Karen Parrish, Preetly Patidar, Karen Perry, Katina

- Summerford.
 Eighth Grade: Jennifer Arnold, Brittany Barnes, Maggie Blakemore, Emily Boehling, Paige Collins, Britton Ellis, Elliott Farless, Rosanna Harrell, Colby Riggins, Shawn Smith, Sarah Sugg, Leigh White.
 Ninth Grade: Sean Gallagher, Susan Knowles, Elizabeth Miller, Lauren LeFoe.
 Tenth Grade: Erica Griesedieck, Ginger Harvey.
 Eleventh Grade: Desi Feyer, Brittany Harrell, Jessica Smith, Ashlee Spruill, Holley Terry.
 Twelfth Grade: Kelly Hughes, Kenneth Phelps, Lindsey Smith, Renee Venters.
 The Headmaster's List contains the names of students in grades four through 12 who consistently score 93 or better in all subjects.
 The Honor Roll recognizes those students who have earned a 90 average in all classes with no grade below an 85.



Joyce Bonner

Mission

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two-bedroom, cement-block houses are being built by volunteers from across the United States and by the flood victims themselves. A church and a medical clinic are also being built as part of the complex.

"This is really an unskilled, grassroots effort, with most of the work, including the making of the cement blocks, being done by hand," he added. "This can be a life-changing experience, not only for the flood victims who will be living in secure dwellings, but also for those who go to participate in the building effort."

Through the use of volunteer labor the cost of constructing the four-room houses, runs about \$3,100, and includes two bedrooms, a kitchen, bathroom and living/dining room. The houses are being built on high ground, protected from future flooding problems.

In addition to new housing, plans are underway to create a cooperative to change the living conditions for residents of the area. Recipients of the homes pay the equivalent of \$25 a month into a trust fund that will be used for home additions, community improvements and small business loans. Plans include provision for potable water, sewage and rain water drainage, as well as electricity.

Financial contributions are also being accepted by St. Paul's to help fund construction of several houses. For further information, contact Father Narvaez at (252) 482-1058.

Bonner is among recent grads from NC Central

Joyce Y. Bonner graduated May 13 from NC Central University in Durham, NC, with a master's degree in Human Science in the area of Food and Nutrition.

She is currently employed at the Lee County Health Department in Sanford, NC, where she works as a nutritionist with the WIC Program.

She is the daughter of the Rev. William L. Bonner and Rever. E. Bonner of Edenton.

Coastal shoreline rules are scheduled to take effect in N. Carolina Aug. 1st

RALEIGH, NC - A new set of rules designed to protect coastal water quality will take effect Aug. 1.

The rules require that new homes and businesses be built at least 30 feet from the water on coastal waterfront property. With some exceptions, only water-dependent structures such as docks and piers may be built inside this buffer zone. The buffer rules apply to property along rivers, streams, sounds and marshes in the 20 coastal counties, but not to the oceanfront, which already has setback requirements.

The NC Coastal Resources Commission (CRC) adopted the rules last year after extensive discussions about ways to improve coastal water quality. Buffers help protect water quality by filtering nutrients, bacteria and other pollutants from stormwater runoff. They also help protect houses and businesses from flooding.

"These rules are a significant step forward in the state's efforts to protect coastal water quality," said Donna Moffitt, director of the NC

Division of Coastal Management, the agency that will implement the rules. "Improved water quality is vitally important to coastal residents and visitors alike, and the Coastal Resources Commission is committed to making our shorelines clean, healthy places everyone can enjoy."

The CRC long ago established Areas of Environmental Concern - the areas where it requires permits for development - along ocean and estuarine shorelines. But the new rules extend the commission's jurisdiction inland to all navigable waters in the coastal counties. Moffitt said the commission did this because members recognized that upstream development was affecting water quality along the shores.

Moffitt said the coastal shoreline rules are similar in concept to other local, state and federal regulations on land uses, and should have much the same effect as local zoning ordinances.

To ease any hardship on property owners, the CRC included two

exceptions in the buffer rules. One protects people who own small, undeveloped pieces of land platted prior to June 1, 1999. The exception will let a property owner build a single-family house that encroaches into the buffer zone if the lot, parcel or tract of land is two small for the construction to comply with the 30-foot requirement. The house cannot cover more than 1,000 square feet of ground, and must comply with the buffer to the maximum extent feasible.

The second exception allows a property owner to replace a severely damaged or destroyed existing structure that encroaches into the buffer area. The owner may replace the structure in its current location if the lot size would prohibit the owner from rebuilding outside the buffer zone.

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Praise music services to be held here

With a blend of folk, Christian gospel and pop styles, summer audiences are promised a special musical treat each month at the Edenton United Methodist Church. Services will be held at 5:30 p.m. on Saturday, June 24, and thereafter probably will be held on the third Saturday of the month.

Music Director Bruce Lee (piano, organ) is organizing the events with the assistance of new church Program Director Paul Boaz (guitar, vocal). Other musicians tentatively scheduled for the opening services

June 24 and July 15 include Hank Hatch (guitar), Johnny Brown of Camden (drums), and Gerrard Plummer (drums).

Lee believes the congregational singing in the Praise and Worship Services will fill a need for live music in the Edenton area. He is enthusiastic about the quality of musicianship in this area and hopes that Edenton might one day be the location for a musicianship in this area and hopes that Edenton might one day be the location for a music festival taking advantage of

the excellent acoustics at the church on Virginia Road. For now, he said, "We'll try it and see what happens."

The pastor, Rev. Jim Huskins, will provide a brief message to conclude the service. This will not be an alternative to traditional Sunday services (which continue this summer at 9 a.m. and 11 a.m. at the Edenton church) but an additional opportunity to worship through music and fellowship. The public is invited to come and participate.

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