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Roy Williams raises \$1 million for cancer research

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stop fighting.

touched and grateful for the

outstanding support from Coach Williams for our

efforts to bring the very best

in cancer research, preven-

tion and treatment to North

Carolina and the world," said

ebrated the UNC Men's

Basketball 2009 NCAA

National Championship and

the opening of the N.C.

Last week's breakfast cel-

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SPECIAL TO THE CHRONICLE

In just five years, UNC Coach Roy Williams has raised more than \$1 million for cancer research, treatment and prevention programs in our community.

These funds have been raised through Coach Williams' highly successful Fast Break Against Cancer event, which was launched in 2004. Coach Williams also directed half of the proceeds from the sold-out UNC Alumni Basketball game to support cancer research at UNC Lineberger Comprehensive Cancer Center.

Williams was recognized for this significant milestone by UNC Lineberger Director Dr. Shelley Earp at this year's Fast Break Against

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"The state NAACP raised the pressure by publicly call-Richmond ón ing Professional Baseball, the organization led by Domino, to drop Hambones and blasting Richmond-area elected and appointed officials for failing to speak out to

oppose the use of the name. "Hambone was done on the plantation by African captives and was used at minstrel shows to entertain

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Officers. "Early detection is the necessary measure for beating this dreaded disease. We must continue to conduct research as we also adopt healthy lifestyles of diet, exercise and positive thinking."

This is the second year in a row that the conference has participated in the breast cancer awareness campaign.

The MEAC's awareness campaigned kicked off during Morgan State's recent nationally televised 14-7 victory against Howard. It continued Saturday with the Hampton at Norfolk State and Florida A&M at South Carolina State games, followed by the Oct. 24 Morgan State at Delaware State, North Carolina A&T at Howard, Norfolk State at Florida A&M, Winston-Salem



Coach Williams is a strong health advocate.

Cancer. "Like our Tar Heels on the court, the researchers,

doctors and caregivers at UNC Lineberger and the N.C. Cancer Hospital never

White audiences. It is not appropriate to use as a name for a sports team," Salim Khalfani, state executive director, charged at a press conference held outside The Diamond ballpark.

"If Hambone is selected as the name, what will the team mascot or logo be?" he continued. "Would it be a caricature of a Sambo, slave, minstrel or Al Jolson in White face?

"Mr. Mayor (Dwight C. Jones), members of City Council, Richmond Sports Backers, Venture Richmond

UNC Men's Montross. Basketball assistant coaches, coaching great Guthridge and "voice of the and all other organizations

that should know better are conspicuous by their silence," he stated,

The NAACP protest was the final straw. In a media Richmond statement, Professional Baseball announced within hours that it had "removed the term Hambones from consideration" and offered "a sincere apology to those that may have been offended by our. mistake" in including the

The Bears were penalized seven times for 70 yards in their win against Howard. The Bison were flagged eight times for 65 yards. Even though Hill is 100 percent for bringing attention to breast cancer awareness, before Thursday night's game against Howard, he said he and his MEAC coaching colleagues wouldn't be upset if officials were to keep their penalty flags in their pockets.

"Everybody still cusses when they throw them," Hill joked. "Whether it was pink or (yellow), it's the same response. We want the pink. But everybody doesn't have to show them at the same time."

Tar Heels," Woody Durham also participated.

Bidding was lively for one-of-a-kind live auction items, including a pair of shoes signed by UNC All-American and National Championship MVP Tyler Hansbrough (now playing for the Indiana Pacers), one of only 75 UNC basketballs autographed by all of the members of the 2008-2009 NCAA National basketball Championship

team and coaches and a package for one person to attend a pre-game locker room team meeting, watch the game from the UNC bench and attend Coach Williams' post game press conference. Coach Williams also presented surprise auction items for bid to attendees - two unique UNC basketballs signed by all of the living members of the Naismith Memorial Basketball Hall of Fame.



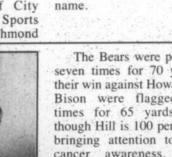


Khalfani



Hampton contests and concludes with the Oct. 31 Howard at Norfolk State, Bethune-Cookman at North Carolina A&T and Delaware State at South Carolina State games

"Any time you're dealing with sports and have an opportunity to put your opinions in so many households and direct interest subliminal-



State at Bethune-Cookman and South Carolina State at

ly from football to breast cancer, it is a great thing,'

flagged 34 times for 297 through its first five games.

Morgan State is the sec-

Coach Hill-Eley

Morgan State coach Donald

Hill-Eley says. "For years

sports has brought out things

people couldn't talk about on

their own whether it was Civil

Rights or breast cancer. It's an

opportunity to make a differ-

ond-least penalized team in

the MEAC, having been

ence. It is much needed."



Punt, Pass and Kick Championship winners.

Blevins

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Department Citywide Punt, Pass & Kick event are:

Ages 8 - 9 Girls 1st Jenae Watson - 14 Street 2nd DeAudre Williams -M.L. King

Ages 8-9 Boys 1st Will Hall - Polo Park 2nd Brian Carter - M.L. King 3rd - Adrian Renteria -Old Town

Ages 10 - 11 Girls 1st Kristina Gardner -14th Street 2nd Elizabeth Renteria -Polo Road

Ages 10-11 Boys 1st Chrishawn Watson -14th Street

2nd David Dominguez - King W.C. Sims 3rd Tieree Watson -Rupert Bell

Ages 12-13 Girls 1st Jasmine Williams - Little Creek M. L. King

Ages 12-13 Boys 1st Mike Hughes - Carl C. Sims Russell 2nd Deshawn Wright -

B. Douglas 3rd Nick Gainey - M. L. Rupert Bell

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Ages 14-15 Girls 1st Kayla Blevins -Hanes Hosiery 2nd Mikayla Gadberry -

Ages 14-15 Boys 1st Anthony Myers - W. 2nd Maurice Edwards -Hanes Hosiery 3rd Martin Hernandez -

1 - 800

Volunteers working together to provide free medical and dental care to low-income, uninsured families.

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- We are not able to provide care for pregnant women
- We are not a walk-in clinic.
- We can't handle emergencies.
- We can not accept patients with Medicaid, Medicare, Veterans' Administration Benefits or private health insurance.

Volunteers and our small staff provide medical and dental care for our patients. We are supported with donations from churches, individuals, businesses, foundations and the United Way. We do not receive government funds.

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