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New leadership at four Bertie Co. schools

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WINDSOR - Bertie County Schools has named new principals for four schools and announced two administrative changes at the central office.

Antonio "Tony" Hoggard has been named the new principal of Bertie High

School. He is a native of Powellsville.

Hoggard has a Bachelor's degree in Industrial Relations from the University of North Carolina in Chapel Hill and a Master's degree in Administration and Supervision from the University of Phoenix.

He has over 27 years of experience, mostly in Bertie

County, serving as principal, assistant principal and director positions.

According to Hoggard, his two priorities as the principal of Bertie High School are teaching and learning, and climate and culture.

"I know the kids. I know the culture and climate, and I know this community. I know what makes this school tick.

I have a combined 24 years of experience in this building, having served as dean of students, an assistant principal and now as principal," said Hoggard.

Bridgette Carson has been named the new principal of Bertie Middle School. She comes from Craven County Schools.

Carson has a Bachelor's

degree in English Education from Elizabeth City State University, a Master's degree in English Education from Indiana University of Pennsylvania and a Master's degree in School Administration from Fayetteville State University.

She comes to Bertie County with 24 years of experi-

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Hailey Barnes earns \$12,000 scholarship

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AULANDER - One of Bertie County's best and brightest will receive \$12,000 toward her education.

Hailey Barnes of Aulander was awarded the Golden LEADF Scholarship to assist with earning her degree at East Carolina University in Greenville.

Barnes, a 2019 graduate of Bertie Early College High School, and other awardees will receive \$3,000 per year for four years as they attend participating North Carolina colleges or universities.



Hailey Barnes

Barnes and the other Golden LEAF recipients are from rural counties in North Carolina which

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MEMBERS' JURIED SHOW



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The Bertie County Arts Council hosted a reception for the opening of the Annual Members Juried Show on Thursday, July 18. Those present enjoyed a display of artwork by 14

artists and heard the favorable comments left by the Judge, Christina Rupsch, Dean of the School of Fine Arts at Chowan University.

Spooktacular planning is under way

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WINDSOR - This year will make 10 years.

Organizers of the tenth annual Bertie Spooktacular 5K and 1-Mile Run/Walk and Jamboree are underway planning this year's event.

The Spooktacular, which is the only fundraising event of the year for the Good Shepherd Food Pantry, is slated

for Oct. 26.

This year the 1-Mile Run Walk will include a color run to celebrate 10 years of the event. To participate in the color portion people will run or walk up to the tables that will be set up on one side of the road. Volunteers will squirt color from the neck down. People should pass by the tables to opt out.

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Vidant Bertie awards grants

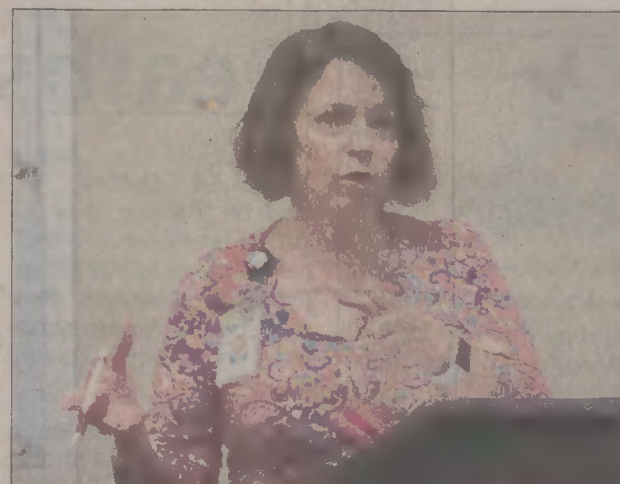
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WINDSOR - Numerous grants have been awarded.

The Vidant Bertie Hospital Development Council recognized 18 organizations at their 2019-2020 Community Benefit Grants recipients last week.

"I work closely with the council and I am glad each of you are here to accept the grant checks," said Vidant Bertie Hospital Marketing and Public Relations Director Lu-Ann Joyner.

This is the 14th year Vidant Bertie Hospital



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Vidant Health Foundation Community Benefits Director Kahla Hall explains to guests how glad she is to have the community resources and partnerships.

has held the grant program, and thus far has awarded \$1.4 million over those years.

Bertie County's Co-

operative Extension also received a grant for its Eat Smart, Move More Weight Loss Program.

According to the Bertie County Family and Consumer Sciences Agent Elizabeth Baker, the program will serve 100 people and all are financially needy.

Bertie County's Co-operative Extension's Expanded Food and Nutrition Education Program (EFNEP) received a grant.

The program provides education to limited resource families with young children, pregnant women and teens through a series of lessons including a variety of paraprofessional instructors.

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