

URBAN ELEGANCE • RURAL CHARM • SUSTAINABLE AND ORGANIC FOODS

PHILADELPHIA STYLE WITH CAROLINA CHARACTER

BEN FRANKLIN SOCIETY
FUND-RAISING EVENTS

MAY 2015

FELLOW SOCIETY MEMBERS -

We again held two, sold-out Events on April - Saturday Dinner on the 11th and Sunday Brunch on the 26th. Our Cabin is gradually becoming known as the *Rocky Ford Country Club* - thanks to Chef Sara Tipton's help, menus and passion for food service.

I've created a NEW FACEBOOK PAGE you can find under "BreadWorks at Lynch Creek Farm Cabin" to provide convenient access to our upcoming Schedule of Events and Menus. Spread the word!

Check-out CIRCA MAGAZINE (www.circamagazine.com) that featured Bread-Works under *Driveable Destinations* penned by Jennifer Smart, Asst. Director, Wake Forest Historical Museum (www.wakeforestmuseum.org).

Make your Reservations early for a memorable outing at our Log Cabin - an upscale Saturday evening Dinner with acoustic music by Dave Debonzo, or Bob's famous Outdoor "Tomato Pie" Buffet with Cabin Front Porch Bluegrass Music featuring Phil and Cora Beth Lanier.

Our Events are open only to Ben Franklin Society Members. Associate Memberships may be purchased at the door (\$15/couple/yr). Remember to B.Y.O.B. - we provide glasses, corkage and mixers. Come and enjoy!

- BOB RADCLIFFE

# SATURDAY MAY 16<sup>TH</sup> AT 6:00PM CABIN DINNER AND MUSIC

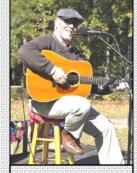


Spring Panzanella Salad - artichokes, tomatoes, basil, garlic with balsamic vinegar and lemon dressing and Bob's Bread Oven-Roasted Pork Loin with Chanterelle-mustard Sauce Asparagus with Parmesan, Caramelized Carrots and Sweet Potatoes with Feta Cheese

Coffee, Tea, Mixers - BYOB

Dessert: Strawberry Cheesecake Shooters

\$35 prix fixe



**DAVE DEBONZO** 

# SATURDAY MAY 23<sup>RD</sup> AT 5:00PM OUTDOOR "TOMATO PIE" BUFFET AND MUSIC



Bob's Wood-fired Oven Tomato Pie with Toppings Salad, Chips and Dip
Bottled Sodas, Sweet Tea and Mixers - BYOB
Front Porch Music by Phil and Cora Beth Lanier
Music starts at 6:00pm
\$20 prix fixe



#### ANNUAL MEMBERSHIP AND RESERVATIONS REQUIRED

Call 252-767-1167 or Email bob@lynchcreek.com

We now accept VISA, MasterCard, AMEX and DISCOVER Credit Cards



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The Ben Franklin Society is a collection of independent Research Projects

Society Members work

individually, or in collaboration

with others, on Projects of their

choosing

The Society meets Quarterly,

while Projects maintain their

own activity schedule

The Society provides funding, promotion and staffing assistance for all Projects

Project Leaders make

presentations about their

Research Projects at Quarterly

Society Meetings

### **Ben Franklin Society NEWS**

BENFRANKLINSOCIETYNC.ORG

FACEBOOK.COM/BENFRANKLINSOCIETY

SEARCH FACEBOOK FOR "BREADWORKS AT LYNCH CREEK FARM CABIN"

#### VISIT OUR NEW "BREADWORKS" FACEBOOK PAGE

To better communicate our BreadWorks Schedule of Events, we have created a new Facebook Page. Search and find us under "BreadWorks at Lynch Creek Farm Cabin". Follow our Page and Share it with your Friends.

#### CIRCA MAGAZINE - BREADWORKS REVIEW



In the 2015 April-May-June Quarterly edition of CIRCA Magazine, The BreadWorks at Lynch Creek Farm was featured in the "Driveable Destinations" column that highlights venues within driving distance of Wake Forest/Wake county, NC. Special thanks to Jennifer Smart with the Wake Forest Historical Museum who penned the article after attending our BreadWorks Sunday Brunch on February 15th, 2015. The story is also available on the CIRCA Magazine website at <a href="http://www.circamagazine.com/current\_issue\_article07.htm">http://www.circamagazine.com/current\_issue\_article07.htm</a>

#### JUNE 2015 - BREADWORKS SCHEDULE

In response to the many requests we get about our future BreadWorks schedule, here's our planned June dates: Dinner, Saturday June 13th @ 6:00pm, and Bob's 2nd Outdoor Tomato Pie Buffet with Music, Saturday, June 27th @ 5:00pm

#### **CHEF SARA TIPTON**



Bob's search to find the right person to help grow and improve our kitchen service is over. Sara is a perfect fit to help elevate the service level of our BreadWorks operation. She is passionate about food and dining service. From Greenville North Carolina, she has been a Personal Chef for over 10 years. Make new friends at an upcoming BreadWorks Dining Event and say "Hello" to Sara.

#### **UNC-TV FEATURES PEGGY'S HEARTH & GARDEN ON "ALMANAC GARDENER"**

We have been notified by Bill Lord that UNC-TV will air 5-minute segments of Peggy's Hearth 7 Garden on the statewide "Almanac Gardener" show in June. Peggy's Garden will be featured on June 10th at noon, and Peggy's Hearth will be featured on June 20th at noon - thanks to Bill Lord who filmed video footage at Peggy Farm last October 14, 2014.

#### GARDENING ENTHUSIASTS WELCOME



We have started a new Garden Club committed to the continued development and maintenance of Peggy McGhee's Colonial Kitchen Garden. Old Salem Museums and Gardens (Winston-Salem, NC) is providing us with garden consulting. We also need docents for future Garden Tours - training provided. We are creating a new tourist attraction with local help from Novozymes and the Franklin County Tourism Development Authority. Call Kerry Carter for details at 267-973-8143.

#### News & Observer: "Best Kept Secret in Franklin County"

We received the Raleigh NEWS & OBSERVER (N&O) paper contest award as the "Best Kept Secret in Franklin County" in July 2014. The statewide contest selected One Site (No. 42) in Each of the 100 Counties of North Carolina. Read the Article online at <a href="http://www.newsobserver.com/2014/07/06/3988523/exploring-the-country-roads-in\_n.html?sp=/99/100/&ihp=1">http://www.newsobserver.com/2014/07/06/3988523/exploring-the-country-roads-in\_n.html?sp=/99/100/&ihp=1</a>

Project Leaders are encouraged to utilize computer technology to assemble, communicate and publish their findings

Guest Speakers are normally featured at Quarterly Membership Meetings



Use these links to view videos we have produced that feature Ben Franklin Society Projects.

Share these links with your friends.

#### Lynch Creek Farm Cabin - Virtual Tour

⇒ https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=vATvasAkV2E

#### BreadWorks Tomato Pie - with Bob Radcliffe

➡ <a href="https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=gjLTiSLj02A">https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=gjLTiSLj02A</a>

#### Colonial Hearth Day - 2014

⇒ <a href="https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=2XZIm4Ybcq0">https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=2XZIm4Ybcq0</a>

#### Peggy's HEARTH & GARDEN - 2015

⇒ https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=SIUrMaliP70



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## Capital City Camera Club Raleigh, NC

www.capcitycameraclub.com





PERSON PLACE Preservation Society

www.personplace.org

Friends of H. Leslie Perry Memorial Library

www.perrylibrary.org/friendsoflibrary.html



#### **HEADQUARTERS**

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2015 ANNUAL MEMBERSHIP OPTIONS

Associate \$7.50 Individual \$15 Family \$25 Non-Profit \$50 Corporation \$100+ Students - Free Childrens 12 - Free

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# LOUISBURG COLLEGE



#### **HELP WANTED**

WE ARE SEEKING PART-TIME HELP TO SUPPORT OUR EXPANDED SCHEDULE OF BREADWORKS EVENTS IN 2015.

ARE YOU MOTIVATED AND PASSIONATE ABOUT FOOD SERVICE AND LOOKING FOR A UNIQUE OP-PORTUNITY TO WORK AND LEARN.

Contact Bob Radcliffe at 252-767-1167

#### Affiliated Organization Memberships "Make Business Sense"

- ONE FREE CABIN MEETING PER YEAR
- "BLANKET" ASSOCIATE MEMBERSHIP FOR ALL OF YOUR MEMBERS
- MAY ATTEND ANY BREADWORKS EVENT
- FREE NEWSLETTER ADVERTISING

The Ben Franklin Society is a 501(c)(3), Non-Profit, North Carolina Corporation dedicated "to performing independent and collaborative research on matters of importance to Franklin County, NC". Donations to the Society are tax-deductible. Society membership is open to everyone. Associate Membership is available for \$7.50 per year. Franklin BreadWorks is the Society Fund-Raising Project that is a collaboration between the Ben Franklin Society and Lynch Creek Farm. BreadWorks Dining and Entertainment Events are announced in our BreadWorks Newsletter that is distributed by e-mail and posted on our Website and Facebook page each month. BreadWorks Events are private. Attendees must be current Ben Franklin Society members. Twenty percent (20%) of each BreadWorks Event is a tax-deductible donation with payment accepted by cash, check or credit card. No alcoholic beverages are served at BreadWorks Events, but you may B.Y.O.B. Parking is always free-of-charge.



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# Franklin County Arts Council PO Box 758, Louisburg, NC 27549 919-497-6910

Gallery and Office at 22 S. Main St. Franklinton, NC 27525

Open Thursday – Saturday 10:30am – 5pm

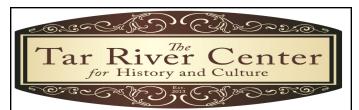
The Franklin County Arts Council (FCAC) is a nonprofit organization passionate about serving our diverse community in developing all areas of the arts. We are dedicated to providing resources to develop, encourage, and enhance such areas as literary, visual, dance, music, theater, and culinary arts for all ages. We also recognize the importance of our programs as a way to support economic development for the growth of the Franklin County region.

Visit our website, Facebook, LinkedIn and Twitter pages to keep up with how FCAC is bringing the arts to your community through projects like the Quilt Trails of the Tar River, annual publication of *County Lines: A Literary Journal*, our annual photography show, Franklinton Art Strolls, Christmas at Home Art Show, the Heart for Art Gala and more.

#### In May we have two exciting events:

**Spring Writers Day Retreat** May 2nd sponsored by FCAC Writers Guild at Rolling View Community Building, Falls Lake State Park.

Afternoon Tea with Artist Jackie Dove-Miller May 30th 3-5PM. Jackie will be showing her photography, as well as performing Spoken Word Poetry.



Louisburg College opened the Tar River Center for History and Culture in 2013. The TRCHC works with local governments, private organizations, educational institutions, and individuals to develop the Upper Tar River region's historical and cultural assets, to foster economic development, and to promote knowledge of the past. Accomplishments to date include: an ongoing lecture series; a column in The Franklin Times, "Tar River Roots"; research assistance provided to the Ben Franklin Society and other organizations; the erection of a Civil War Trails Marker on the campus of Louisburg College; and the development of a walking tour brochure for the Louisburg Historic District.

In 2015 the TRCHC will work with retired school personnel to develop lesson plans pertaining to Franklin County history for use in the public schools and will carry out an oral history project on the desegregation of the Franklin County schools.

The Center's annual report, strategic plan, and other resources are available at:

#### http://www.louisburg.edu/tarrivercenter/

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