



TRD Newsletter

August/September/October 2014



Tuesday Club Rec at Salisbury Fire Dept.

Therapeutic Recreation

With the summer winding down and fall in the air our groups have been taking advantage of the beautiful outside weather. From wellness walks and scavenger hunts, to football skills and putt-putt our groups have been active. Big trips these few months have included Kannapolis Intimidators baseball, Rufty-Holmes Senior Center, Salisbury Fire Department, and fishing at Salisbury Community Park. With more exciting events to come before winter approaches, keep a close eye on our calendars and take part in all you can!



For more information about participating or volunteering contact

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Salisbury/Rowan Senior Games & Silver Arts

The Seniors of Rowan County have been very active and we're all proud. Salisbury / Rowan Senior Games had a great week at the 30th annual "North Carolina Senior Games State Finals" for independent sports and Silver Arts. Sports left to come in October are golf, bocce, cornhole, pickleball and the basketball tournament at East Carolina. Let's continue to show everyone we are not over the hill, we are just standing on the TOP.



For more information about participating, volunteering, or sponsoring our wonderful program contact

Phyllis Loflin-Kluttz
Rowan County Senior Games/Silver Arts Coordinator
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Welcome aboard to the Therapeutic Recreation Division Edward Hailey. Edward became the new employee for the TRD June 9th, 2014 and enjoys working with the participants on a daily basis. Edward is from Troutman NC and graduated from Western Carolina University in 2012 with a BS in Recreational Therapy. He is also a Firefighter/EMT at Troutman Fire and Rescue and enjoys helping others. Edward likes fishing, camping, hunting, working on hotrods/antiques as well as cars and tractors.



Contact Edward at:
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Golf Ability Day

Golf Ability Day is for individuals(13)+ with disabilities to come and get hands on experience learning the game of Golf. PGA Pro Jay Hill will be giving instruction to those that attend.

Please register by October 20th
Space is limited.

704-216-7780

Date & Time
November 5th
3:00-5:00pm

Location
Corbin Hills Golf Club
431 Wildwood Drive
Salisbury, NC 28146



Program Highlights

Club Rec

Adults with disabilities

- Club Rec exercised with a wellness walk at Forest Hill Greenway & Memorial Loop
- Competed in a football trivia game and practiced basic football skills
- Visited Salisbury Fire Department
- Participated in an end of summer cookout



TRips

Adults with disabilities

- Participants went to a Kannapolis Intimidators baseball game
- Participants went fishing at Salisbury Community Park using a fishing license waiver courtesy of NC Wildlife Resources Commission



Special Olympics Bocce

- Our athletes competed in a Qualifier on 9/6 in Charlotte.
 - Pictures will be Oct 8th during practice. The cost will be \$12
 - State Tournament will be in Burlington, NC on Oct 18th
- ### Bowling
- Practice started on 9/15
 - Local tournament will be Nov 24th at Woodleaf Lanes



Ramblers

Adults with visual impairments

- Swimming at Lincoln Pool
- A great afternoon of bowling at Woodleaf Lanes.
- Toured Ruffy-Holmes Senior Center and then had a sweet treat at Sweet Frog.
- Putt Putt At Dan Nicholas Park



Senior Games

Adults 50+

Our **"Court Of Appeal"** barbershop quartet took first place in the Performing Arts last week at McKimmon Center; winners were **Richard Franklin, Charles Rose, Carl Stock, and Jon Vickers**. Good job guys!

Independent sports winners are:

- Eddie Byers** Billiards - Gold
- James Epperson** 1500 Meter Race Walk – Gold, 5K Race Walk – Gold
- Floyd Lentz** Tennis Singles – Gold
- Lynn Rogers** Badminton Singles – Gold
- Terry Taylor** Cycling 1 mile, 5K, and 10K – Bronze
- Garland Thomas** Discus – Silver, Shot Put – Silver, Softball throw – Gold, Standing Long Jump – Gold
- Hazel Trexler-Campbell** Bowling Singles – Gold, Discus Throw – Gold, Football Throw – Gold, Shot Put – Gold, Softball Throw – Gold, 100 Meter Dash – Silver, Billiards – Silver, Horseshoes – Gold, Table Tennis Singles – Gold.



Upcoming Events

October

- 10/8- Bocce Team Pictures 4-5:30pm
- 10/17-Shakers Dance 7-9pm (City Park)
- 10/18- Bocce Tournament (Burlington)
- 10/20-24-Ramblers VIP Fishing Tournament
- 10/31- TRips Corn Maze 6:30-9pm (Statesville)

November

- 11/5-Golf Ability Day 3-5pm (Corbin Hills)
- 11/5-Shaker's Dance 7-9pm (City Park)
- 11/6-Open Rec (Ellis Park)
- 11/18-Open Rec (Ellis Park)
- 11/24-Bowling Tournament (Woodleaf Lanes)

December

- 12/5-7-Festival of Trees (F&M Trolley Barn)
- 12/12-ARC Christmas Party 6:30-8:30 (City Park)
- 12/16-Christmas Capers 4-6pm (Ellis Park)
- 12/18-Senior Games Christmas Dinner 6pm (Civic Center)

Saying Good Luck and Farewell

Our summer intern, Santana Butler, will finish her internship on August 22. She will now be returning to Catawba College for her final fall semester. She has thoroughly enjoyed working here this summer learning and experiencing the world of Therapeutic Recreation. She plans on returning to Pembroke, her hometown, after graduation. We wish her the best of luck in her future endeavors and with her career as a Recreational Therapist.



Meet Our New Intern

We want to say welcome to our new intern for the fall semester Anthony Hipps. Anthony started on September 2nd, 2014. Anthony is from Spencer, NC and goes to Winston-Salem State University majoring in Therapeutic Recreation. He loves helping people and improving lives. Anthony likes basketball, football, music, fishing, a variety of sports, and activities and just being out in the community. His internship will end in December. We welcome him and look forward to what he can bring to the Therapeutic Recreation Division.

