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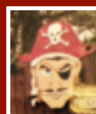
A DAY TO REMEMBER! After five long years, on Dec. 13, 2014, the final installment to the Town of Bath was made for the purchase of the Bath High School building and grounds. A few BHSP members were on hand for the ceremonies as BHSP President, Becky Tuten presented the final check to Bath Mayor, Jimmy Latham.

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Fall Festivities



5K Run is a success for 108 participants and for preservation efforts



BHSP Christmas Pirate float brings home the Blue Ribbon prize

Winter Activities



Oyster Roast draws even bigger crowd to support BHSP

From the president: *Celebrating a milestone, more work remains*

On Dec. 13, 2014 BHSP I presented a check for \$20,000 to Bath Mayor Jimmy Latham - the final payment on Bath High School. It is the property and building we know and love. The course was charted in the early 2000s by a few alumni and supporters to save and restore our school to prominence and service in the community.

Long hours, cooperation and financial support from many individuals, organizations and grants accomplished much. We stabilized the building. The east wing and part of the main corridor have been fully restored. Up next is completion of the gallery. The task is great. There remains much to restore. Our goal has not changed. We continue to seek ideas, support and funds to fulfill our dream to see the

building occupied and useful to our community. We need and encourage your support. Be a part of this worthwhile project. Our community would not be the same without that cherished landmark. Become an active participant in this endeavor. ***You'll be glad you did!***

Soon BHSP will conduct a community survey to determine what would be the most beneficial to the area. Please give the survey serious consideration. Share your suggestions. Everyone involved, past and future, wants to see our building occupied with activities that contribute to the daily life of our community as well as welcome visitors to the state's oldest town to enjoy our history, beautiful waters and recreation. — **Becky Tuten**

108 finish the course in successful 3rd Annual Pirate 5K Run-Walk

The 3rd annual 5K Pirate Run/Walk was held on Saturday, Oct. 11, 2014. Holden Dixon of Chocowinity led the 108 runners/walkers who finished the course with a time of 18:24. Ginger Mirabella of Washington was the top female runner finishing 7th overall, with a time of 24:02. Thanks to everyone who participated along with a special thank you to the generous event sponsors and many volunteers helping make this a successful race and fundraiser!

Top finishers, by age group, were:

Boys under 12, Paul Skirko of Washington; Girls under 12, Kathleen Slade of Bath; Boys 13-15, Jacob Pyle of Pinetown; Girls 13-15, Shana Taylor of Pinetown; Males 16-19, Elijah Norton of Pinetown; Females 16-19, Savannah Bunn of Pinetown;

Females 20-29, Kayla Harris of

Pinetown; Males 30-39, Aaron Edwards of Washington; Females 30-39, Laura Tetterton of Washington; Males 40-49, James Shad Watters of Washington; Females 40-49, Emma Holscher of Washington;

Males 50-59, Don Day of New Bern; Females 50-59, Cathy Glisson of Washington; Males 60-69, B.B. Glisson of Washington; Females 60-69, Deborah Price of Belhaven; Males 70-99, Francis McDougal of Williamston; Females 70-99, Glinda Talley-Hill of Washington. The 4th Pirate 5K will be Saturday Oct. 17 and stay tuned for registration.



FUND RAISING: *Bake sale, Pirate Run, memorial bricks and the cookbook*



BLUE RIBBON: The BHSP float in the Bath Community Christmas Parade was a winner. Thanks to Becky Tuten, Elaine Harrison, June Wallace, Margaret Ann & Donnie Woolard, Linda & Ike Baldree, and Pearson Chrismon for the hard work!

Two fundraiser are set for 2015. The Bake Sale will coincide with Bath Fest on Saturday, May 15. Our 4th Annual Pirate 5K Run/Walk will be Saturday, Oct. 17.

Ongoing project include the Memorial Brick and Cookbook projects. The Memorial Brick program is underway. With weather permitting, installation of the walkway will start soon. Bricks can be ordered online at: www.bricksrus.com/order/bath or contact Claudia Allgood at 252.702.9786.

The Cookbook project continues to need more participation. Pirate cooks, let's share recipes – your own or from family and friends. Send recipes to www.bhspreservation.org or contact Claudia. Don't forget to include a note about the recipe source.

Two events to be scheduled include the annual raffle and yard sale. Stay tuned!



OYSTER ROAST 2015: *Sellout crowd, great food and fun*

It was a sell-out crowd that gathered on Saturday, Feb. 28 for the Bath High School Preservation's annual Oyster Roast at the Selby Farm shop, graciously hosted by Jerol & Sonya Selby. Whether the oysters, seafood gumbo, hot dogs with all the fixings or the most tempting cakes, pies and sweets in Beaufort County, supporters of the preservation effort enjoyed a good time and raised about \$10,000!



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CHECKING OUR PROGRESS: Geri Lassiter, Contributions Coordinator for The Eddie and Jo Allison Smith Family Foundation, Inc. visited the Bath Community Library and Phase I of the Gallery on Jan. 30, 2015. The Smith Family Foundation generously contributed to the Library project and is the major contributor toward completion of the Gallery. The continued support of Geri and the Smith Family Foundation Board has been critical in helping the Bath High School Preservation efforts and goals.



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or contact Claudia Alligood at
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BHSP Membership Form

(Membership runs from June 1 to May 31).

Yes, I (we) want to make a tax-deductible contribution to restore Bath High School.

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Please make your check payable to BHSP and mail to: BHSP P.O. Box 149, Bath, NC 27808 or join online at



Special recognition

Historic Bath Foundation honors past BHSP presidents and Gene Roberts at annual meeting

Two past Bath High School Preservation presidents, **Jimmy Edwards** and **Sandra Harrison**, were honored with the Historic Bath Foundation's award for leadership, at the Foundation's annual awards banquet on Jan. 31. They were recognized for their efforts in renovating the exterior and library wing of the Bath High School building. The foundation also hosted a special honor presented to **Gene Roberts**, for his efforts on behalf of preserving the heritage of Bath. Roberts was inducted into the Order of the Long Leaf Pine, one of the highest honors North Carolina's governor can award. The award was presented by Steve Keen, Gov. Pat McCrory's eastern office director.

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Upcoming activities move Bath High School Preservation forward



Don't miss a chance to get your favorite recipes in the BHS Preservation Cookbook. This project needs more participation. Alton Brown, Paula Dean and Rachel Ray don't have anything on Pirate cooks. Share an heirloom recipe – your own or from family and friends. Send recipes to www.bhspreservation.org or call Claudia Alligood at 252.702.9786.

2015 BHSP BOARD MEETINGS

**Bath Christian Church Fellowship Hall
7:00 P.M. (unless noted)**

Tues. May 5 -- Board Meeting
Tues. June 2 (**6:30 p.m.**) -- Board Meeting, officers elections & Annual Membership Meeting
Tues. July 7 -- Reserved for called meeting
Tues. Aug. 4 -- Board Meeting
Tues. Sept. 1 -- Reserved for called meeting
Tues. Oct. 6 (**6 p.m.**) -- Board Meeting
Tues. Nov. 3 -- Board Meeting 2016/Planning-Budget
Tues. Dec. 1 -- Reserved for called meeting



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