## ONSLOW CARING COMMUNITIES FOUNDATION



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## Onslow Caring Communities Foundation awards \$33,600 in local grants

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The board of advisors of the Onslow Caring Communities Foundation announces \$33,600 in awards from its community grantmaking fund, according to Debbi Ray Rouse, board president.

This year's nonprofit recipients include:

- Autism Society of North Carolina for 2016 Camp Royall program scholarships
- Brigade Boys and Girls Clubs for training for Onslow County staff
- City of Jacksonville for HARMONY Youth Grants Board Philanthropy Initiative
- Girl Scouts NC Coastal Pines for Girl Scout Summer Leadership Camp
- Healing Household 6 for Wounded Warrior Family Services
- Muscular Dystrophy Association for MDA Summer Camp
- Philippians Place for transitional housing
- Prevent Blindness North Carolina for Star Pupils Onslow County
- United Way of Onslow County for Volunteer Onslow
- Onslow County Partners for Animal Welfare for spay/neuter vouchers
- Possumwood Acres Wildlife Sanctuary for Come find your CENTER

Rouse thanked the community for support of the Onslow Caring Communities Foundation. "These grants are important to our community and our quality of life," she said. "Critical programs would not be possible without the generosity of many individuals and organizations that have supported Onslow County's community fund." The Onslow Caring Communities Foundation is an affiliate of the North Carolina Community Foundation. Tax-deductible contributions can be made to the Onslow Caring Communities Fund, which is administered by the NCCF. Contributions should be made payable to the Onslow Caring Communities Fund and mailed to the North Carolina Community Foundation, Landmark Center North, 4601 Six Forks Road, Suite 524, Raleigh, NC 27609. Contributions can also be made online at www.nccommunityfoundation.org.

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## About the North Carolina Community Foundation

The NCCF is the single statewide community foundation serving North Carolina and has made \$101 million in grants since its inception in 1988. With more than \$237 million in assets, NCCF sustains 1,200 endowments established to provide long-term support of a broad range of community needs, nonprofit organizations, institutions and scholarships. The NCCF partners with 60 affiliate foundations to provide local resource allocation and community assistance in 67 counties across the state. An important component of NCCF's mission is to ensure that rural philanthropy has a voice at local, regional and national levels.

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