

WARREN COUNTY  
COMMUNITY FOUNDATION



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## **Warren County Community Foundation awards local grants**

The board of advisors of the Warren County Community Foundation announces awards from its community grantmaking fund, according to Sears Bugg, board president.

This year's nonprofit recipients include:

- The Warren Family Institute for the Reading, Lunch, and Fun program
- Loaves & Fishes for the Helping Eliminate Hunger program
- Prevent Blindness NC for vision screenings of preschoolers in Warren County

Bugg thanked the community for its support of the Warren County Community Foundation. "These grants are important to our community and our quality of life," he said. "Critical programs would not be possible without the generosity of many individuals and organizations that have supported Wilson County's community fund."

In addition to Bugg, board members include: Linda Browne (secretary), Richard E. Hunter, Jr. (treasurer), John Alston, Barbara Brayboy, Julian Farrar, Laura Hight, Allen Kelley, Jereann King-Johnson, Bob Lesser, Cheryl Reddish and Susan Thompson.

The Warren County Community Foundation was established in 1996 and is an affiliate of the North Carolina Community Foundation (NCCF). Tax-deductible contributions can be made to the Community Grantmaking Fund, which is administered by the NCCF. Contributions should be made payable to the Warren County Community Fund and mailed to the North Carolina Community Foundation, Landmark Center, 4601 Six Forks Road, Suite 524, Raleigh, NC 27609.

For information on the Warren County Community Foundation and its community grantmaking fund, contact Regional Associate Kelly Joyner Lee at 252-557-0278; or visit the NCCF website at [www.nccommunityfoundation.org](http://www.nccommunityfoundation.org) click on "Affiliates."

## **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. For more information, visit [nccommunityfoundation.org](http://nccommunityfoundation.org), like us on [Facebook](#) and follow us on [LinkedIn](#) and [Twitter](#) @NCCF.

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