

WEEKLY UPDATE: 2/23/2018
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SEAFOOD RECEPTION AND LOBBY DAY PLANNING IN THE WORKS!
Event will be on May 23rd!

NCFA is making final preparations for a Seafood Reception and Lobby Day for May 23rd! This will be an especially important time for you to make plans for going to Raleigh to talk to legislators during the day and attend a legislative seafood reception in the evening. More details will be coming soon!

UPDATED NCFA WEBSITE UP AND RUNNING!

Check out the new and improved NCFA website! Weekly Updates are posted on the site and you can fill out a membership application and pay your dues online! Check it out!
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CCFA SETS DATE FOR ANNUAL FISH FRY!

The Carteret County Fisherman's Association has set May 5th as the date for its Annual Fish Fry! More details to come!

LEGISLATIVE COMMITTEE TO MEET IN CARTERET COUNTY

The Joint Legislative Oversight Committee on Agriculture and Natural and Economic Resources will hold a meeting on Tuesday, March 13th beginning at 1:00pm at the Aquarium in Pine Knoll Shores. Topic: Highlight Coastal Issues!

REP. BEVERLY BOSWELL TO BE IN PAMLICO COUNTY

Beginning in 2019, there will be new district boundaries for North Carolina Senate and House seats. For example, Senate District 1 will be different as will House District 6. Senate District 2, represented currently by Senator Norman Sanderson, will remain the same, which is Craven, Carteret & Pamlico Counties.

Pamlico County is currently in Rep. Michael Speciale's District 3, but starting next year, will be in District 6, which is currently represented by Beverly Boswell.

We will attempt to advise you about the events these candidates are having to encourage you to speak to them about fishing issues. NCFA does not formally endorse candidates, but we do encourage you to be as active and vocal as possible. We will be reaching out to ALL candidates before the primary in May and general election in November to enable you to meet the candidates. If you know of any events coming up, please let us know.

On Friday evening, Rep. Beverly Boswell is having an event in Kill Devil Hills from 5:30 to 7:30pm. It's a fund raising event. She will also be in Pamlico County on Saturday and will be speaking to the Pamlico County GOP at Camp Don Lee. The Lincoln Day lunch begins at 11:30 and ends at 2:30 and the cost for lunch is \$20.

If you would like more information or have any questions, please call Jerry Schill, 252-361-3015. And PLEASE, if you have any information about any of candidate events or political forums, let us know. (That includes candidates for County Commissioner, General Assembly, Congress, etc.)

CALENDAR

Feb. 26; Noon; NCFA Board of Directors; Civic Center; Washington, NC

March 5 – 9; South Atlantic Council; Jekyll Island, Georgia

March 13; 1:00pm Joint Legislative Oversight Committee; Aquarium, Pine Knoll Shores

May 5; Carteret County Fisherman's Association Fish Fry
