

Randolph County ECA  
Follow Up Letter for  
County Council Meeting - January 4, 2022



Dear Beautiful People,

Here are the details for upcoming events with Randolph ECA that were discussed at the recent county council meeting. This letter contains specific dates and deadlines. You might want to enter the dates on your personal calendar and keep this letter for reference.

\*There will be **sewing workshop on March 30th from 9:00-2:00**. Bring a bag lunch for yourself. Even if you do not sew, there are other tasks that need to be done. We will be in the WOLFPACK room at the extension center.

\* **There are 3 more workshops planned with MONARCH**. Money from the STATE ECA grant had to be spent by 12/31/2021....so we bought the supplies in December for workshops that could be done in 2022. **Volunteers are needed for ALL 3 workshops. Please arrive by 12:30pm....and everything will be finished no later than 3:00. Call or text Kim at 336-953-3143 if you can help. Here is what is planned. You will be richly blessed by your time with this exceptional group!**

January 31 - Pinecone Owl Craft

February 14 No-Sew Fleece Valentine Pillow

March 24 - Spring Sharpie T-shirt



\* Because of COVID, our regular timeline of **Officer Inductions** has gotten off schedule. In order to get back on track, we need the following:

- **Club Presidents**- please reach out to your members to recruit those who may be interested in serving as President or Vice President or Corresponding Secretary. Please do this NOW, so that by April 26th...we have a confirmed list of those willing to serve. We can target the fall for the induction of new officers (perhaps at the fall county council meeting or at some other year end event).

\* **EVERYONE**- please give great thought to these 3 questions:

What do you really want Randolph ECA to be?  
What do you want to learn thru Randolph ECA programs?  
How can Randolph ECA best represent extension and the Randolph County community?



**Club Presidents** - at your next in-person meeting, please discuss these 3 questions and write out specific answers. Come to the April 26th County Council meeting with ALL the suggestions from your members. If YOU have ideas related to these 3 questions that you would like to send me now....please do that too!

\* The **next COUNTY COUNCIL meeting will be on April 26th in ARCHDALE.** The meeting will be held at Archdale United Methodist Church. The street address is 11543 N. Main Street in Archdale. When traveling from Asheboro, it is easier to turn left onto Freeman Place...just before the church. After turning onto Freeman Place, turn right into the parking lot...this puts you behind the church...and closer to the "COMMUNITY ROOM"- where we will meet. Call 336-953-3143 if you get lost. **The COUNTY COUNCIL meeting will start at 10:00.** There will not be an executive meeting preceding this. The extension van is reserved and will depart the extension office at 9:15 if anyone would like to ride the van. Please call Kim at 336-953-3143 if you wish to reserve a seat on the extension van.

\* The **Randolph ECA website** has been updated...with links to many topics discussed in this letter. Check it out at <https://randolpheca.weebly.com>

# 2022 TREKS

( Note deadlines to sign up and perhaps submit payment!  
Even if there is no up-front cost, you must sign up so  
that we know how many people to expect for the van)



## \* Monday, February 7th - Good Times in Greensboro!

(Deadline to sign up - January 21st. Call or text Kim at 336-953-3143)

Depart from Extension at 10:00

Guided Tour of Tanger Center for Performing Arts 11:00- 11:45

Lunch at Village Tavern 12:00-1:00

Walk in the Park at Tanger Garden (weather permitting) 1:15-1:45

Shop at Reconsidered Goods 2:00-2:30

Depart G'boro/Estimated return time 3:30

## \* Tuesday, March 1st -Raleigh Roadtrip!

NC Museum of Life & Science in Raleigh

"Exquisite Creatures" exhibit & Lunch @ Amedeo's

(Sign up by sending Kim a check for your ticket( \$8.58 ) no later than  
January 21st ( Kim Lemons- 725 Galway Place, Asheboro, NC. 27203)

The exhibit "Exquisite Creatures" combines art, nature and science. Insects, butterflies, lizards, and more.....and more....come together to show us how nature is also art. To learn more, check out this link... I would bet that you have never seen anything like this!

<https://tinyurl.com/2tms4srx>

(Entrance to the exhibit requires a "timed ticket." I would estimate that we will leave no earlier than 8:30am...and likely returning no later than 4:00. Once I know how many people want to attend, then tickets can be purchased)

**\* Saturday, March 19- Elvis-the Musical in Winston Salem!**

(Tickets are \$20.33 - mail a check to Kim Lemons by January 21st)

( Kim Lemons- 725 Galway Place, Asheboro, NC. 27203)

Depart from Extension at 5:00

Dinner at The Carriage House 6:00-7:30

Elvis- the Musical at Theater Alliance 8:00



Here's a description of the play:

This official Elvis Presley bio-musical takes a closer look at the rock star and cultural icon whose impact shaped the history of music and culture. This new musical explores the pivotal moments in Elvis's life through the perspectives of those who knew him best. Using different lenses to dig deeper into fact vs. fiction, ELVIS: THE MUSICAL spans from his impoverished childhood in Tupelo, Mississippi to his triumphant 1968 "Comeback Special," and his ascent to be "The King." It features over 40 Elvis hits and iconic songs including, "That's All Right," "Blue Moon of Kentucky," "All Shook Up," "Heartbreak Hotel," "Burning Love," "Good Rockin' Tonight," "Earth Angel," "Hound Dog," "Don't Be Cruel," "Jailhouse Rock," "Are You Lonesome," and "Blue Suede Shoes".

**\* April - Durham - Duke Garden, Durham Performing Arts Center and/or Duke Chapel Tour & Lunch @ Hope Valley Diner**

( A specific date cannot be set until late January due to scheduling issues at Duke University.) Once a specific date is set, I will send out an email. If you don't have e-mail....please call me (336-953-3143) after February 1st.

**\*May- Salisbury - Old Stone House- Guided Tour, Bell Tower Green Park, lunch @ Sweet Meadow Café**  
( late May— date announced at April 26th CC Meeting)

