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RECOGNIZING OUR

ROCK★STAR

PARTNERS IN EDUCATION,
FORSYTH COUNTY TEACHERS OF THE YEAR
AND PARENT LEADERS





AGENDA

March 9, 2018

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| Welcome | Jeff Bearden, Superintendent, Forsyth County Schools (FCS) |
| Invocation | Bruce Petty, Chaplain, The Cumming-Forsyth County Chamber of Commerce |
| Recognition and Remarks | Carter Patterson, The Cumming-Forsyth County Chamber of Commerce |
| Title Sponsor Remarks | Lynn Jackson, Administrator, Northside Hospital Forsyth |
| Mentor of the Year | Publix |
| Friend of the School | Georgia Power |
| Volunteer of the Year | Georgia Power |
| Program of the Year—Silver | Northside Hospital Forsyth |
| Program of the Year—Gold | Northside Hospital Forsyth |
| Don Hendricks Award | The Hendricks Family |
| Introduction of 2017 TOTY | Jeff Bearden |
| Recognition of School TOTY | Maleah Stewart, 2017 FCS Teacher of the Year |
| Announcement of 2018 TOTY | Ann Crow, Chairperson, FCS Board of Education |
| Special Presentation | Andean Chevrolet |
| Closing | Jeff Bearden |

Special Congratulations **TEACHERS OF THE YEAR**



Megan Bass
Big Creek ES



Katie Bennett
Brandywine ES



Angie Sarno
Brookwood ES



Paige Bidwell
Chattahoochee ES



Julie Hubbard
Chestatee ES



Anna Wildes
Coal Mountain ES



Amanda Denmon
Cumming ES



Vicky Creighton
Daves Creek ES



Kim Arant
Haw Creek ES



Karen Ledford
Johns Creek ES



Deidra Chadwick
Kelly Mill ES



Jessica Stanford
Mashburn ES



Gina Thompson
Matt ES



Sandy Lippe
Midway ES



Jessica Plouff
Sawnee ES



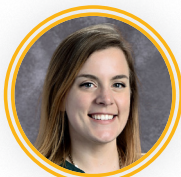
Erin Martin
Settles Bridge ES



Jessica Wutz
Sharon ES



Becky Morris
Shiloh Point ES



Aislinn Brison
Silver City ES



Tiffany Mello
Vickery Creek ES



Jackie Crumpton
Whitlow ES



Lisa Arends
DeSana MS



Julie Stephens
Lakeside MS



Sherrie O'Hara
Liberty MS



Jennifer Burnham
Little Mill MS



Brandy Gibson
North Forsyth MS



Natalie Pass
Otwell MS



Ryan Bartlett
Piney Grove MS



Ward Prather
Riverwatch MS



Hannah Miller
South Forsyth MS



Mary Cartenuto
Vickery Creek MS



Dawn Dirst
Forsyth Central HS



Janet Standeven
Lambert HS



James Bassett
North Forsyth HS



Jonas Strecker
South Forsyth HS



Kathy Evans
West Forsyth HS

TEACHER OF THE YEAR

Finalists

ELEMENTARY SCHOOL TEACHER OF THE YEAR

Shiloh Point Elementary

BECKY MORRIS

Becky Morris is the 2018 FCS Elementary School Teacher of the Year. Becky received her bachelor's degree from Kennesaw State University. She began her teaching career in 2006 at Shiloh Point ES, where she currently teaches third grade. She has taught second, third and fourth grade.

MIDDLE SCHOOL TEACHER OF THE YEAR

Lakeside Middle

JULIE STEPHENS

Julie Stephens is the 2018 FCS Middle School Teacher of the Year. She received her bachelor's degree from Florida State University and master's degree from Grand Canyon University. Julie began her teaching career at Mashburn ES in 2011 teaching third grade. She then came to Lakeside MS as an interrelated special education teacher in 2016.

HIGH SCHOOL TEACHER OF THE YEAR

South Forsyth High

JONAS STRECKER

Jonas Strecker is the 2018 FCS High School Teacher of the Year. Jonas received his bachelor's degree from the University of Bamberg, Germany and master's degree from West Virginia University. He began teaching German at Bethany College in 2000. He joined the FCS family in 2014 at South Forsyth HS.

Past Forsyth County Teachers of the Year

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| 2017 MALEAH STEWART North Forsyth MS | 2011 NATALIE KITCHEN Lambert HS | 2005 RONNIE MCNEESE Otwell MS | 1999 DOROTHY BREEZE Chattahoochee ES |
| 2016 ANDREW POOR South Forsyth MS | 2010 ROBIN NEAL Matt ES | 2004 POLLY TENNIES Chestatee ES | 1998 JACKIE WEST South Forsyth HS |
| 2015 MARLO MIRANDA ✱ Forsyth Central HS | 2009 JENNA GREENE Otwell MS | 2003 LAURA LINK North Forsyth HS | 1997 SANDY BECK Mashburn ES |
| 2014 KRISTEN DEUSCHLE Piney Grove MS | 2008 SUZY BESSON-MARTILOTTA ✱ Chattahoochee ES | 2002 DEBI CARNAROLI Matt ES | 1991 KATHY VAIL Forsyth Central HS |
| 2013 NICK CROWDER ✱ South Forsyth HS | 2007 MELISSA SESSA Otwell MS | 2001 ELAINE TAYLOR Otwell MS | 1976 EDITH WRIGHT Cumming ES |
| 2012 ANNA AIGNER-MUEHLER Forsyth Central HS | 2006 MIKE SLOOP Otwell MS | 2000 ALICE HOLLAND North Forsyth HS | ✱ State Finalists |



Partners in Education

2017-18 has been an outstanding year for the Partners in Education (PIE) program, with over 1000 active partners working with 37 schools and various district departments. PIE provides over \$1.9 million in funding, thousands of volunteer hours and countless in-kind services to improve student achievement in all subject areas, enrich students' life experiences, help grow career opportunities, and boost educator support and morale. In 2017, the Forsyth County Education Foundation, an arm of the PIE program, gave out 10 grants, totaling over \$30,000, an increase from 5 grants for \$10,000 in 2016. Already in 2018, the Forsyth County Education Foundation with a donation from Beaver Toyota Cumming gave out 13 grants for \$100,000.

Through relationships with partners students, teachers and schools are succeeding at higher levels and improving the overall quality of life in Cumming-Forsyth County. A testament to these accomplishments is the Don Hendricks Partnership Award, the highest honor that a PIE can receive. The Hendricks family established this award in 2002 after the passing of their father, a long-time member of the Board of Education. This award is given to the partner who best exemplifies "quality learning and superior performance for all" and demonstrates loyalty to the school system and to the community.

Past recipients include:

- 2017 Morrow Family Foundation
- 2016 Browns Bridge Church
- 2015 Cindy J. Mills
- 2014 Automation Direct
- 2013 Siemens Industry, Inc.
- 2012 RBM of Atlanta North
- 2011 The Place of Forsyth County
- 2010 Georgia United Credit Union
- 2009 John Heath RE/MAX 400 North and Your Results Team
- 2008 Jim and Jeanne DeSana
- 2007 United Way
- 2006 Keep Forsyth County Beautiful
- 2005 Northside Hospital Forsyth
- 2004 Outback Steakhouse
- 2003 Regions Bank
- 2002 The Kroger Company Stores

SPECIAL THANKS

To Jostens for printing the programs, Lily McGregor Photography for today's photography, South Forsyth MS Symphonic Band for their pre-banquet performance and the TOTY selection committee for their service:

The 2018 Forsyth County TOTY Will Receive

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| Amazon Gift Card, itsLearning | Gift Basket, Fountains at Kelly Mill | Gift Certificate, Parsons Gifts |
| Backyard BBQ for Six, Jim 'N Nick's | Gift Basket, OrthoAtlanta | Gift Check, BB&T |
| Car Lease, Andean Chevrolet | Gift Basket, Sheffield Office Products | Gift Check, Forsyth Cumming Optimist Club |
| Comprehensive Financial Plan, | Gift Basket, Starbucks | Six Tickets to the Cumming Country Fair & |
| Community Risk Advisors | Gift Basket, The Mercantile Company | Festival and Signed Memorabilia, City of |
| Family Fun Park Gift Basket, Warbington Farms | Gift Basket, The Villas at Canterfield | Cumming |
| Fitplus Pass, Forsyth County Parks and | Gift Card, Cheeky | Sonicare Toothbrush, DentFirst |
| Recreation | Gift Card, Harry Norman Corporate Office | Spa Gift Certificate, Arkansas State University |
| Gift Basket, Chick-fil-A | Gift Card, HoneyBaked Ham | Visa Gift Card, World Logo |
| Gift Basket, Cleaver Medical Group | Gift Card, Zaxby's | Work of Inspirational H'Art, Linda Petty of H'Art |
| Gift Basket, Dara Franks Realty | Gift Certificate, Cumming Fit Body Boot Camp | Studio |
| Gift Basket, Forsyth County Family YMCA | Gift Certificate, i9 Sports | "Teacher of the Year" Ring, GA Balfour |

The Three Finalists Will Receive

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| Amazon Gift Card, Cady Studios | Gift Card, Orangetheory Fitness |
| Amazon Gift Card, itsLearning | Gift Card, Thriveworks Counseling |
| Classroom Carpet, Flack's | Gift Card, Walmart |
| Flooring | Gift Card, Zaxby's |
| Classroom Carpet, Flack's | Gift Certificate, Chattahoochee |
| Flooring | Family Orthodontics and Children |
| Comprehensive Financial Plan, | and Teen Dental |
| Community Risk Advisors | Gift Certificate, Cumming Fit |
| Family Fun Gift Card, Stars and | Body Boot Camp |
| Strikes | Gift Certificate, Parsons Gifts |
| Fitplus Pass, Forsyth County Parks | Gift Certificate, Pulse45 Fitness |
| and Recreation | Gift Certificate, The Collection at |
| Four One-Day Cumming Country | Forsyth |
| Fair & Festival Admission Tickets, | Gift Check, BB&T |
| City of Cumming | Gwinnett Stripes Suite Tickets, |
| Framed Newspaper Copy, GW | Georgia Power |
| Moulding | Gwinnett Stripes Suite Tickets, |
| Gift, Keller Williams Realty- Meme | Georgia Power |
| Gerena | Hydrafacial Treatment, Cleaver |
| Gift, Morrow Family Medicine/ | Medical Group |
| BYOT | Innovative Classroom Pack, FCS |
| Gift, Sawnee School of Ballet | Technology Department |
| Gift Basket, Costco | Longhorn Gift Card, Forsyth |
| Gift Basket, Wells Fargo | County Retired Educators |
| Gift Baskets, Kroger | Association |
| Gift Card, Carroll Cunningham, | Movie Night Gift Basket, |
| Harry Norman Realtor Forsyth / | Fountains at Kelly Mill |
| Lake Lanier Office | Personalized Backpack, North |
| Gift Card, Cheeseburger Bobby's | Georgia Promotions |
| Gift Card, Evan Profeta Insurance | Visa Gift Card, Hello Pam Evans |
| Gift Card, Glancy Rehabilitation | Real Estate - Century 21 Results |
| Center | Realty Services |
| Gift Card, HoneyBaked Ham | |

School-Level TOTY Will Receive

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| Amazon Gift Card, itsLearning | Gift Passes, The ICE Complex |
| Family Picture Gift Certificate, | Massage Gift Certificate, Bliss |
| Cady Studios | Mama Wellness |
| Fitplus Pass, Forsyth County Parks | Name Badges, North Georgia |
| and Recreation | Promotions |
| Free 4 Fun Card, Stars and Strikes | Notepads, Brandywine Printing |
| Fun Park Pass and Gift, | Professional Headshot and Photo |
| Warbington Farms | Display at School, Lifetouch |
| Gift, KLF Entertainment | National School Studios |
| Gift, Morrow Family Medicine/ | Two One-Day Cumming Country |
| BYOT | Fair & Festival Admission Tickets, |
| Gift, VALIC | City of Cumming |
| Gift Card, Cheeky | "Teacher of the Year" Stone |
| Gift Card, Forsyth Academy of | Coasters, Big Frog Custom |
| Performing Arts | T-Shirts & More |
| Gift Card, Fountains at Kelly Mill | "Teacher of the Year" Tote Bag, |
| Gift Card, Jim 'N Nick's | Jostens |
| Gift Card, Lenny's Sub Shop | |
| Gift Card, Orangetheory Fitness | |
| Gift Card, Zaxby's | |
| Gift Certificate, Christian Brothers | |
| Automotive | |
| Gift Certificate, Cumming Fit | |
| Body Boot Camp | |
| Gift Certificate, i9Sports | |
| Gift Certificate, Parsons Gifts | |
| Gift Membership Card, World Jiu | |
| Jitsu Academy | |
| Gift Package, Pure Barre | |



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