

GUIDE TO

2025/2026

# GIVING

A RESOURCE FOR MAKING A DIFFERENCE IN OUR COMMUNITY



Cumberland Community  
Foundation, Inc.



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## WELCOME TO THE 2025/2026 GUIDE TO GIVING

Since 1980, Cumberland Community Foundation (CCF) has been helping donors improve the quality of life for all in Cumberland County, North Carolina. We're proud to partner with CityView and our local nonprofits to bring you this Guide to Giving for the sixth year in a row to promote the GivingTuesday 2025 campaign and spread awareness about our incredible nonprofit community.

GivingTuesday is a global day of generosity celebrated on the first Tuesday after Thanksgiving. Every year, people across the world come together to thank, help, give, show kindness, and share what they have. Cumberland Community Foundation teamed up with the nonprofits listed in this directory to make it easy for you to support the causes that matter most here in our community.

**This year, CCF's GivingTuesday campaign runs from Nov. 24 to Dec. 2, 2025.** During this time, Cumberland Community Foundation will amplify your gifts with matching funds provided by CCF and our generous matching donors. Since 2020, this campaign has raised over \$10.6 million to give back to our community. Thank you to those who give year after year! This year, don't forget to support your favorite causes through the campaign and have your gift amplified!

To learn more and donate online, visit: [cumberlandcf.org/giving-tuesday](https://cumberlandcf.org/giving-tuesday)

**Questions:** Just give us a call — 910-483-4449, Kendra (Ext. 102), Maddie (Ext. 107), or Tara (Ext. 105).

We are here to help you make a difference.

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## WAYS TO GIVE

Cumberland Community Foundation can receive many types of gifts, including:

- Credit card\* gifts through the online catalog at [cumberlandcf.org](https://cumberlandcf.org)
- Checks\* payable to Cumberland Community Foundation
- Gifts from IRAs\* made directly to CCF (if the donor is 70.5 or older)
- Gifts from donor advised funds\*
- Stocks and securities\*
- Real estate
- Gifts in wills
- Beneficiary designations on investment accounts, trusts, and insurance

\*CCF's matching funds will amplify any of these gifts if made during the GivingTuesday campaign window.



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## GIVINGTUESDAY MATCH FUND

### *DID YOU KNOW?*

You can support all the GivingTuesday participants with a gift to the  
“GivingTuesday Match Fund.”

## HOW WERE THE ORGANIZATIONS IN THE GUIDE TO GIVING SELECTED?

While the 82 organizations in this guide offer strong representation of the nonprofit community in Cumberland County, we recognize that this list is not comprehensive. The organizations included meet all of these criteria: They received a grant from a fund at CCF in the last five years (including donor advised funds), they are a 501(c)(3) charitable organization based in Cumberland County, and they responded to an invitation to submit an application. We encourage you to do your own research before donating and/or volunteering with any organization. Be sure to check out our *Tips for Informed Giving* on Page 2 for more guidance.



# TIPS FOR INFORMED GIVING

## *GIVE FROM THE HEART, GIVE RESPONSIBLY*

Charitable giving is one of the most meaningful things a person can do. Regardless of gift size, a bit of planning ahead of time is a great idea. Follow the tips below to make sure you are giving with confidence to charities you trust.



**DEFINE YOUR MISSION.** Consider the issues about which you are passionate. What would you like to change about our community? How would you like to make a difference? Once you have defined your charitable vision, find a nonprofit with a mission and programming that aligns with your core values and goals.

**VERIFY CHARITABLE STATUS.** Verify the organization's charitable status using one of the third-party sites available, such as [guidestar.org](https://www.guidestar.org) or [irs.gov](https://www.irs.gov). You can use these to confirm that the organization is a 501(c)(3) public charity in good standing with the IRS. (Note: CCF verified the charitable status of every organization in this directory prior to publication.)

**LEARN HOW YOUR GIFT WILL BE USED.** Gain insight into the organization by reviewing its website, annual report, and tax return (990). Feel free to ask more questions about financial stability, leadership, and stewardship systems. General support/unrestricted gifts allow an organization to make the best decisions about the efficient use of your funds.

**DON'T FORGET: YOU CAN GIVE MORE THAN MONEY.** Nonprofits are often looking for willing volunteers who can help with day-to-day operations or special projects. Volunteering is a win-win in that it helps organizations save money on having to hire help while allowing you to make a difference and give back to your community through your time and talent.

**CONSIDER YOUR LEGACY.** It's easy to create a lasting legacy, and Cumberland Community Foundation is here to help you. At CCF, you don't have to choose just one cause to benefit from your estate. You can design an endowment to support your favorite causes every year, forever.

**HAVE FUN!** Studies show that giving and volunteering increase lifespan, happiness, and quality of life. People give for a variety of reasons. Whatever your reason for giving, enjoy yourself and give generously!



## LOCAL NONPROFIT DIRECTORY



**82nd Airborne Division Association, Inc.**  
2915 Raeford Road, Fayetteville, NC 28303  
910-223-1182  
[82ndairborneassociation.org](http://82ndairborneassociation.org)

The 82nd Airborne Division Association is dedicated to preserving the 82nd Airborne's legacy and strengthening the bond between past and present troopers. The association provides assistance to improve the lives of active-duty troopers and their families, especially during times of crisis, by supplying holiday meals, natural disaster assistance, and resiliency operations to redeploying troopers. The organization's mission addresses current issues important to the lives of those who served and who continue to serve in "America's Guard of Honor" Division.



**AIRBORNE & SPECIAL OPERATIONS MUSEUM  
FOUNDATION**

**Airborne & Special Operations Museum Foundation**  
100 Bragg Blvd., Fayetteville, NC 28301  
910-643-2778  
[asomf.org](http://asomf.org)

The Airborne & Special Operations Museum Foundation (ASOMF) provides marketing, fundraising, and events for the ASOM. ASOMF's mission is to help the public understand Airborne and Special Operations history through author visits, presentations, and discussions on topics related to the museum and observances tied to significant dates in military history. ASOM Foundation receives no funding from the federal government or Department of Defense and truly stands on its own through the generosity of donors and grants. Supporting the ASOM Foundation ensures the museum continues to educate and inspire future generations.



**ALMS HOUSE, Inc.**  
P.O. Box 65, Hope Mills, NC 28348  
910-425-0902  
[almshousehopemills.com](http://almshousehopemills.com)

ALMS HOUSE offers a "hand up" to families and individuals in Hope Mills and the surrounding area. ALMS HOUSE's focus is to end hunger, poverty, and hardships among families, senior adults, the homeless, and veterans. ALMS HOUSE envisions a community in which the most vulnerable people are able to lift themselves out of poverty to live a productive life. Programs include a food pantry, clothing closet, household items, Bibles, weekend food bags to school children, and limited financial assistance. Love Meals are served seven days a week.



**Alpha Phi Alpha Fraternity Scholarship  
Fund of Cumberland Community Foundation**  
P.O. Box 2311, Fayetteville, NC 28302  
910-364-8700  
[epsilonholambda.org/foundation](http://epsilonholambda.org/foundation)

This scholarship endowment was created by the Epsilon Rho Lambda Chapter of Alpha Phi Alpha Fraternity Inc. at Cumberland Community Foundation in memory of Dr. George L. Butler, DDS, to make a college education accessible to deserving students. The Chapter awards multiple merit-based \$1,000 scholarships annually to graduating African American male seniors who plan to pursue higher education. This scholarship promotes the Fraternity's Go-to-High School, Go-to-College, and Project Alpha national programs designed to mentor and support life-long success through awareness and education.



"We grew up in Fayetteville and this community is our home. We enjoy supporting organizations that make a positive impact. By giving of our time and resources, we hope to make a difference and stay connected to our community."

- MELISSA AND BOWMAN SMITH



## American Red Cross

### American Red Cross — Sandhills Chapter

807 Carol St., Fayetteville, NC 28303

910-867-8151

[redcross.org/sandhills](https://redcross.org/sandhills)

The American Red Cross — Sandhills Chapter prevents and alleviates human suffering in the face of emergencies by mobilizing volunteers' power and the generosity of donors. The Sandhills Chapter has a strong network of volunteers and partners in times of need and aspires to turn compassion into action so that all people affected by a disaster in Cumberland County receive care, shelter, and hope. It is ready and prepared for disasters. The organization also ensures all members of the armed services and their families find support and comfort when they return from deployment or in any time of need.



### ARMED SERVICES YMCA

#### Armed Services YMCA Fort Bragg

439 Westwood Shopping Center, Box 145

Fayetteville, NC 28314

910-436-0500

[fortbragg.asymca.org](https://fortbragg.asymca.org)

The Armed Services YMCA enhances military members' and families' lives through programs relevant to military life's unique challenges, with a focus on junior enlisted soldiers. Programs encourage spouse employment, support military kids' academic success, provide nutritious meals, and more. Military life is full of challenges from frequent moves, isolation from friends and family, and separation due to training or deployment. As one of three nationwide nonprofits with a contract to operate on military installations, the Armed Services YMCA is dedicated to strengthening military families.



### Arts Council of Fayetteville/Cumberland County

P.O. Box 318, Fayetteville, NC 28302

910-323-1776

[theartscouncil.com](https://theartscouncil.com)

The Arts Council of Fayetteville/Cumberland County connects communities, embraces diversity, promotes individual creativity, advances economic development, and fosters lifelong learning through the arts. The Arts Council's Artists In Schools (AIS) program provides arts-integrated, curriculum-focused engagements taught by vetted teaching artists at a reduced or free cost to schools. Last year, AIS reached 21% of all school-aged children in Cumberland County, including 77% of Title I Schools, providing over 17,000 students with equitable access to the arts.



#### Better Health of Cumberland County, Inc.

1422 Bragg Blvd., Fayetteville, NC 28301  
910-483-7534  
[betterhealthcc.org](http://betterhealthcc.org)

The mission of Better Health is to provide for unmet health care needs in Cumberland County through assistance, referral, and education. Whether purchasing life-sustaining medicine, providing dental care, helping teach the proper use of insulin, or loaning a wheelchair, the organization strives to improve the health of each client. The programs of Better Health support clients of all ages who have no insurance and are low-income or unemployed. Gifts to Better Health can help provide life-saving medications, vision screenings and prescribed glasses, or critical dental care to those in need.



#### Blue Star Families Greater Fayetteville Region Chapter

PO Box 64091  
Fayetteville, NC 28306  
252-917-9186  
[bluestarfam.org/chapters/fayetteville/](http://bluestarfam.org/chapters/fayetteville/)

Blue Star Families Greater Fayetteville Region Chapter strengthens military families through local programs, career resources, and community-building events. The organization fosters connection between military and civilian communities, empowering service members, veterans, and their loved ones to thrive where they live. Through volunteer engagement, research-driven initiatives, and partnerships, they help address critical issues like food insecurity, mental health, and employment. Your donation fuels hope, resilience, and a stronger community.



#### Cape Fear Botanical Garden

536 N. Eastern Blvd., Fayetteville, NC 28301  
910-486-0221  
[capefearbg.org](http://capefearbg.org)

Cape Fear Botanical Garden welcomed over 85,000 guests last year to provide intriguing and rejuvenating experiences promoting wellness and a passion for nature. The Garden is a living laboratory, showcasing the region's wildlife, forests, curated and native plants, and sculptures. It offers unique educational opportunities in science and art for students of all ages and abilities, enhancing their connection to nature. Contributions to the Garden support its ongoing development as a community resource for education, conservation, history, and the arts. The Garden invites you to join them on this journey of continuous growth.



#### Cape Fear Regional Theatre

P.O. Box 789, Fayetteville, NC 28302  
910-323-4233  
[cfrt.org](http://cfrt.org)

Cape Fear Regional Theatre (CFRT) serves more than 60,000 people annually through live theatre and thriving education and outreach programs. In the last 63 years, CFRT has grown from Fayetteville's Little Theatre into the 4th largest producing theatre in the state! CFRT's Act 2 Capital Campaign is a \$25MM expansion and renovation (currently 85% funded!) that will bring the facilities at 1209 Hay St. up to the caliber of the award-winning productions onstage. Act 2 adds classrooms, a rooftop event space, a grand lobby with coffee service, and creates additional parking for a stellar experience from start to finish!





#### Cape Fear Studios, Inc.

148 Maxwell St., Fayetteville, NC 28301  
910-433-2986  
capefearstudios.com

Cape Fear Studios, Inc., an artist cooperative, is a center for the visual arts that partners with organizations such as The Arts Council of Fayetteville/Cumberland County, the North Carolina Arts Council, and various local and community groups. Since opening its doors in 1989, Cape Fear Studios has offered the community the opportunity to create and freely view art through monthly changing exhibits (including an annual military exhibit), classes and workshops geared toward the requests of the community, and scholarships for children's art classes.



#### Cape Fear Valley Health Foundation, Inc.

101 Robeson St., Suite 106, Fayetteville, NC 28301  
910-615-1285  
cfvfoundation.org

The Cape Fear Valley Health Foundation (CFVHF) continues to make a powerful impact on every stage of life through quality healthcare. From a newborn's first breath to compassionate end-of-life care, CFVHF is there — touching lives across the region. Your support helps provide better patient care, drive medical innovation, and educate the next generation of healthcare professionals. In 2025, CFVHF's commitment remains strong: to strengthen the community by investing in local healthcare and empowering those who provide it. Join in on building a healthier, brighter future alongside CFVHF!



#### The CARE Clinic, Inc.

P.O. Box 53438, Fayetteville, NC 28305  
910-485-0555  
thecareclinic.org

The CARE Clinic has provided free basic medical and dental care to low-income, uninsured adults since 1993. The organization serves Cumberland and the bordering counties through various services including primary care, simple dental extractions, physical therapy, orthopedics, dermatology, and free medication through an in-house pharmacy. The CARE Clinic is staffed primarily by volunteers, with each clinician donating their time and expertise after their regular day jobs. It is a mission of The CARE Clinic to always serve through Compassion, Assistance, Referral, and Education.



Carolina Collaborative  
Community Care

#### Carolina Collaborative Community Care (4C)

351 Wagoner Drive, Suite 309, Fayetteville, NC 28303  
910-485-1250  
carolinaccc.com

Carolina Collaborative Community Care (4C) is an NCQA-accredited organization with over 20 years experience promoting a healthier community. 4C's mission is to improve health care for the community by collaborating with patients, providers, and partners for patient-centered, well-coordinated, value-based care to address both medical and non-medical needs. 4C provides universal newborn home visits to families, case management services for Medicaid beneficiaries, and support to the local homeless population. 4C also participates in community events and offers charitable health screenings at no cost to the community.



## CAROLINA COLLEGE of BIBLICAL STUDIES

### Carolina College of Biblical Studies

817 S. McPherson Church Road, Fayetteville, NC 28303  
910-323-5614  
ccbs.edu

Carolina College of Biblical Studies (CCBS) is a Christian Bible college located in the Sandhills of North Carolina. Its mission is to equip disciples of Christ for a lifetime of faithful servant leadership through biblical higher education. Since 1973, students from across the globe have come to study in a Christ-centered environment, while growing in faith and discovering God's call on their lives. CCBS's curriculum centers on Scripture's authority, Christ's supremacy, educational integrity, a multi-ethnic learning environment, and ministry preparedness. Today, CCBS graduates serve worldwide, making a lasting impact for the Kingdom of God.



### Child Advocacy Center, Inc.

P.O. Box 488, Fayetteville, NC 28302  
910-486-9700  
cacfaync.org

A Place of Healing & Hope: Joining hands with community partners, the Child Advocacy Center (CAC) offers a safe and child-friendly place to provide support for victims of child abuse. CAC's purpose is to alleviate the trauma children experience once disclosure of abuse occurs through services such as forensic interviewing, victim advocacy, and trauma-focused therapy. CAC also provides prevention education for parents, professionals, and agencies in the community. CAC's vision is a community where all children live in a safe and nurturing environment free from abuse.

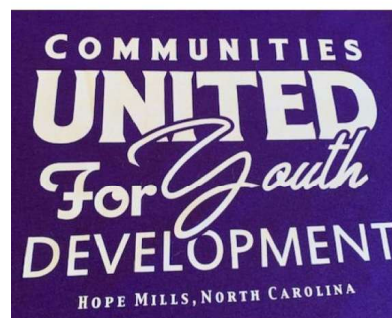


Communities  
In Schools®  
Cumberland County

### Communities In Schools of Cumberland County

2465 Gillespie St., Fayetteville, NC 28306  
919-832-2700  
cisnc.org/cumberland

Where students succeed, communities thrive, and businesses grow. Communities In Schools (CIS) places staff in schools, wraps students in resources and supports, and teaches durable skills for leadership and job readiness. "CIS has had a great impact on my life, both academically and in building my confidence and skills as a leader to pursue my dream of becoming a small business owner. Today, thanks to the invaluable support and guidance I received from CIS, I'm a proud business owner and currently enrolled in college to pursue a degree in nursing." — Jio Lopez, CIS Cumberland Alumnus



### Communities United for Youth Development

1478 Joe Hall Road, Hope Mills, NC 28348  
910-273-4379  
communitiesunitedforyouthdevelopment.org

Communities United for Youth Development provides opportunities for students to develop the necessary skills to succeed in school and life. Enrichment activities include tutoring sessions, literacy enhancement, cultural awareness, character development, and career goals exploration. Tutoring is available to students during the school year. Summer camp is held each summer to allow students to have fun while learning. The camp consists of on-site learning and exploration of the world through field trips. Students participate in STEM activities, teamwork, and academic creativity.



"I find immense satisfaction giving to local nonprofits. By giving locally, I know I'm helping provide vital resources to individuals and families in our community—and helping shape a better present and future for all of us."

– BRENDA SPARKS



### Community Concerts of Fayetteville, Inc.

P.O. Box 53932, Fayetteville, NC 28305  
910-323-1991  
community-concerts.com

Community Concerts provides free concert opportunities to groups ranging from children to senior citizens. In recent seasons, these audiences have included Vision Resource Center, Fayetteville Urban Ministry, members of local fire and police departments, high school theater arts and music classes, members of the military, and Alzheimer's patients.



### Connections of Cumberland County, Inc.

119 N. Cool Spring St., Fayetteville, NC 28301  
910-630-0106  
connectionsofcc.org

Connections of Cumberland County (CCC) is a nonprofit Day Resource Center that aims to collaborate with all community resources to empower women and children who are experiencing or are at-risk of homelessness to become self-reliant. CCC offers one-stop access to supportive services through comprehensive case management. Clients have access to CCC's computer lab, hygiene closet, Empowerment Groups, comprehensive case management, budgeting workshops, resume writing workshops, and special programs, all of which improve client outcomes and quality of life.



### Cross Creek Cycling Club (C4)

P.O. Box 53039, Fayetteville, NC 28305  
910-723-4052  
crosscreekcyclingclub.org

Cross Creek Cycling Club's goal is to encourage everyone to participate in bicycling without regard to age or expertise. The organization promotes all facets of bicycling, including recreational cycling, lifelong cycling, cycling as a means of transportation, and cycling as a sport, with a focus on bicycle safety and the rights and responsibilities of cyclists. Established in 2003, the club has donated over \$200,000 to local, state, and national organizations by fundraising and hosting bicycling events.





### Cumberland Choral Arts

109 Hay St., Suite 202, Fayetteville, NC 28301  
910-303-0463  
[cumberlandchoralarts.org](http://cumberlandchoralarts.org)

Established in 1991 as a community choir, Cumberland Choral Arts (CCA) brings world-class choral music to Fayetteville, presenting at least 4 concerts per season. The Cross Creek Chorale is CCA's auditioned choir which performs with CCA and at stand-alone concerts. Nurturing young singers, CCA sponsors the Campbellton Youth Chorus, offering high-quality, tuition-free instruction and choral opportunities to children of Cumberland County in grades 4-10. CCA also collaborates with the Fayetteville Symphony Orchestra to present Handel's "Messiah" each December. Bringing JOY to the community through choral music is CCA's goal!



### Cumberland County Council on Older Adults

339 Devers St., Fayetteville, NC 28303  
910-484-0111  
[ccccooa.org](http://ccccooa.org)

Since 1968, the Council on Older Adults has been helping the community's most vulnerable older adults maintain independence by providing supportive services to assist them in remaining at home for as long as possible. Services include Meals on Wheels, congregate lunch sites, in-home aide services, home accessibility enhancements, resource information and referral, Medicare education and counseling, senior companion and telephone reassurance volunteers, dementia-focused supportive services, and caregiver support. Services are provided through grants, caring volunteers, and generous community donors.

## NC STATE EXTENSION

### Master Gardener | Cumberland County

#### Cumberland County Extension Master Gardener Volunteer Association

301 East Mountain Drive, Fayetteville, NC 28306  
910-321-6405  
[cumberland.ces.ncsu.edu/categories/lawn-garden/extension-master-gardener-volunteers](http://cumberland.ces.ncsu.edu/categories/lawn-garden/extension-master-gardener-volunteers)

The mission of the Cumberland County Extension Master Gardener Volunteers Association (CCEMGVA) is to connect people to horticulture through education and outreach in support of the Cumberland County Cooperative Extension Master Gardener Program. The organization strives to be the trusted source of science-based information that empowers North Carolinians to cultivate healthy plants, landscapes, ecosystems and communities through safe, effective and sustainable gardening practices. CCEMGVA's core values include education, service, respect, fellowship, stewardship, and self-sustaining.



### Cumberland HealthNET

707 Murchison Road, Suite 3, Fayetteville, NC 28301  
910-483-6869  
[chnnc.org](http://chnnc.org)

Cumberland HealthNET (CHN) is a nonprofit that coordinates health care and services for the uninsured. CHN serves approximately 1,500 uninsured, low-income clients living with chronic conditions, such as diabetes. CHN provides improved access to medical care, coordinates health care services, conducts health-related assessments, and offers community education and resources for the uninsured and underinsured. Data shows that 76% of CHN's clients have food insecurities, 42% are unsheltered, and 27% lack transportation. A donation of \$25 to CHN can help a person with a chronic condition avoid hospitalization.



## Employment Source

A ServiceSource Affiliate

### Employment Source

600 Ames St., Fayetteville, NC 28301  
910-826-4699, Ext. 4344  
[employmentsource.org](http://employmentsource.org)

Employment Source, A ServiceSource Affiliate, is a 501(c)(3) nonprofit organization with the North Carolina regional office in Fayetteville that provides innovative and valuable employment, training, rehabilitation, and support services to individuals with disabilities in the community. Programs include Friendship House Fayetteville/Cottages, Warrior Bridge (veterans with disabilities), Community Inclusion Day Program, and enrichment activities through the Clark Endowment to Enrich the Lives of People with Disabilities.



### Falcon Children's Home and Family Services, Inc.

P.O. Box 39, Falcon, NC 28342  
910-980-1065  
[falconchildrenshome.org](http://falconchildrenshome.org)

For over 114 years, Falcon Children's Home and Family Services has been providing a home for children who, for whatever reason, are unable to live with their parents in a regular home setting. The care of children is the centerpiece of the mission. Falcon Children's Home and Family Services is committed to providing services and opportunities that will enhance every child's total well-being mentally, physically, emotionally, and spiritually.



### Fascinate-U Children's Museum

P.O. Box 2671, Fayetteville, NC 28302  
910-829-9171  
[fascinate-u.com](http://fascinate-u.com)

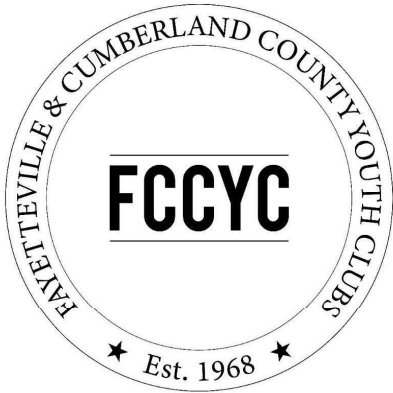
Fascinate-U Children's Museum is a hands-on museum that has been located in the heart of downtown Fayetteville for over 25 years. Housed in the former City Hall on Green Street, the museum serves toddlers through 12-year-olds with mini city-themed exhibits. It provides in-house and outreach curriculum-based science programs, art classes, birthday parties, and special events. With affordable admission prices and free Wednesdays, the museum serves almost 40,000 people annually, making it a premier educational facility in the Cape Fear region.



### Fayetteville Alumnae Chapter, Delta Sigma Theta Sorority, Incorporated Scholarship Fund of Cumberland Community Foundation

P.O. Box 403, Fayetteville, NC 28302  
910-658-7541  
[faydeltaalumnaechapter.org](http://faydeltaalumnaechapter.org)

Established in 2021, the Fayetteville Alumnae Chapter, Delta Sigma Theta Sorority, Incorporated Scholarship Fund of CCF was created for the purpose of making a college education accessible to deserving students. Since 1954, the Fayetteville Alumnae Chapter, Delta Sigma Theta Sorority, Incorporated has provided scholarships to youth entering college. From its humble beginnings in 1953, the Fayetteville Alumnae Chapter remains an impactful presence in the community, providing support to youth, adults, and families.



**Fayetteville and Cumberland County Youth Clubs, Inc.**

3475 Cumberland Road, Fayetteville, NC 28306  
910-484-2639  
fccyc.org

Fayetteville and Cumberland County Youth Clubs' mission is to inspire all youth, especially youth in need, to become productive, responsible, and caring citizens. The Youth Development Strategy of the Club works to instill a sense of belonging, usefulness, influence, and competence in each of its members.



**Fayetteville Animal Protection Society, Inc.**

P.O. Box 58195, Fayetteville, NC 28305  
910-864-2077  
fapspet.org

For over 40 years, Fayetteville Animal Protection Society (FAPS) has been a lifeline for homeless pets in Cumberland County — rescuing animals, providing medical care, and helping them find loving homes. As the region's only no-kill, nonprofit animal shelter, FAPS also serves the community through free and low-cost vaccine and microchip clinics. Thanks to donor support, FAPS has saved tens of thousands of lives and continues to be a place where compassion turns into action, and every animal gets the second chance they deserve.



**Fayetteville Area Habitat for Humanity, Inc.**

733 Bargain St., Fayetteville, NC 28303  
910-483-0952  
fayettevillenchabitat.org

Fayetteville Area Habitat for Humanity (FAHFH) is a Christian organization seeking to put God's love into action in Bladen, Cumberland, and Sampson Counties. FAHFH's vision is a world where everyone has a safe, affordable place to live. Habitat facilitates three programs: New Homeownership, Critical Home Repairs, and Trade Days initiatives with youth, including Construction Camp in the summer. FAHFH's mission is supported by volunteerism, donations to the Habitat ReStore on Bragg Boulevard, and monetary support.



**Fayetteville Area Operation Inasmuch**

531 Hillsboro St., Fayetteville, NC 28301  
910-433-2161  
inasmuchfay.org

Fayetteville Area Operation Inasmuch is a Christian ministry that serves the homeless and struggling of Cumberland County. Inasmuch offers a nutritious breakfast Monday through Friday along with showers, laundry, hygiene items, and a Wednesday medical clinic. In addition, Living Hope is a holistic, restorative program for homeless men based in The Lodge and Frink Street homes, and is the only such program in the region. Life skills and vocational training, along with trauma/behavioral counseling and spiritual development, create a solid foundation toward a life of sustained financial independence.





"Jesus teaches us that caring for those who cannot provide for themselves is the essence of godliness. CCF helps us do that. It is a convenient way to give to well-known and established organizations but also an opportunity to learn about new or lesser-known organizations working to serve our community."

– SAMMY AND JOY CHOI



*Fayetteville/Cumberland County*  
**Continuum of Care on Homelessness**

### Fayetteville/Cumberland County Continuum of Care on Homelessness

P.O. Box 566, Fayetteville, NC 28302  
910-827-9117  
faycccoc.org

The Fayetteville/Cumberland County Continuum of Care (FCCCoc) is designed to promote a community-wide approach to making homelessness rare, brief, and non-recurring. FCCCoC's mission is to coordinate community services that provide housing choices and prompt access to a variety of housing resources and supports that meet the individual needs of those experiencing homelessness and those at-risk of becoming homeless.

### *Fayetteville / Cumberland County*

**CRIME**   
**STOPPERS**  
**910-483-TIPS**

#### Fayetteville/Cumberland Crime Stoppers, Inc.

P.O. Box 58343, Fayetteville, NC 28305  
910-483-TIPS  
fay-nccrimestoppers.org

Fayetteville/Cumberland Crime Stoppers is operated by local citizens to make this community safer. Established in 1984, Crime Stoppers has worked with regional law enforcement agencies to arrest felons (4,491), recover \$8.2 million in property and narcotics, and pay \$400,000 in rewards. Citizens call Crime Stoppers at 483-TIPS (8477) with information regarding criminal activity. This number is dedicated to Crime Stoppers information and operates 24 hours a day, seven days a week. Crime Stoppers is making the community safer.



#### Fayetteville Family Life Center, Inc.

114 Highland Ave., Fayetteville, NC 28305  
910-484-0176  
fayfamlife.org

Since 1974, the Fayetteville Family Life Center has provided spiritually/faith-integrated mental health services to Fayetteville and Cumberland County residents. The center provides services to all regardless of ability to pay and/or health insurance coverage.



### Fayetteville Police Foundation

467 Hay St., Fayetteville, NC 28301  
910-433-1746  
[fayettevillepolicefoundation.org](http://fayettevillepolicefoundation.org)

The Fayetteville Police Foundation, established in 2009, provides the opportunity for a collaborative effort between the public and private sectors in the shared desire for a safer city. The organization's mission is to promote and strengthen police-community relations by providing support and resources to the Fayetteville Police Department. The mission is accomplished by developing supportive community and private-sector relationships with the department, recognizing and supporting members of the department, supporting innovative and collaborative projects, and securing private funding sources for projects not typically funded by local, state, or federal dollars.



### Fayetteville State University Foundation – Gillis-Jones Institute for Ethics and Leadership

1200 Murchison Road, Fayetteville, NC 28301  
910-672-1492  
[uncfsu.edu](http://uncfsu.edu)

Established in 2022, the Gillis-Jones Institute for Ethics and Leadership at Fayetteville State University is committed to promoting the development of servant leaders by inspiring individuals to lead with integrity and emotional intelligence, preparing the next generation of leaders across all employment sectors. The Gillis-Jones Institute creates opportunities for students and the local community to discover practical skills and strategies for ethical decision-making, leadership skills, and effective communication. Annually, the institute hosts a speaker series, workshops, and symposiums to explore best practices in leadership.



### Fayetteville Symphony Orchestra, Inc.

P.O. Box 302, Fayetteville, NC 28302  
910-433-4690  
[fayettevillesymphony.org](http://fayettevillesymphony.org)

The Fayetteville Symphony Orchestra (FSO) is a professional orchestra whose mission is to educate, entertain, and inspire the citizens of Fayetteville, North Carolina, and surrounding communities. The FSO impacts over 25,000 people and serves over 250 musicians annually. The FSO performs a variety of free and ticketed concerts across the community, including symphonic masterworks, popular hits, and chamber music. FSO's education programs include the Fayetteville Symphony Youth Orchestra for students ages 7-21, the Fayetteville Symphonic Band for adult musicians, and in-school visits and concerts for over 4,000 third graders.



### Fayetteville Technical Community College Foundation, Inc.

P.O. Box 35236, Fayetteville, NC 28303  
910-678-8201  
[faytechcc.edu/giving](http://faytechcc.edu/giving)

The mission of FTCC Foundation is to provide financial support and resources for students and academic programs at Fayetteville Technical Community College. FTCC Foundation strives to inspire philanthropy as it partners with donors to grow and manage assets to support student success. FTCC serves over 31,000 students annually and provides more than 280 occupational, technical, general education, college transfer, and continuing education programs. These programs enrich the lives of students and provide a globally competitive workforce that supports economic development.



### Fayetteville Urban Ministry, Inc.

P.O. Box 1171, Fayetteville, NC 28302  
910-483-5944  
fayurbmin.org

For more than 50 years, Fayetteville Urban Ministry has been transforming lives across Cumberland County! The Find-A-Friend program uplifts youth ages 6–18 through mentoring and life skills. The Adult Literacy & Education Center builds brighter futures through reading, GED prep, and job readiness. The Emergency Assistance Program provides food, clothing, and crisis relief. The Nehemiah Project ensures safety through home repairs for low-income residents. For every \$1 donated, 87¢ goes directly to helping neighbors in need, and more than 15,000 citizens will be impacted at zero cost to them.



### First Tee of the Sandhills

135 W. Vermont Ave., Southern Pines, NC 28387  
910-255-3035  
firstteesandhills.org

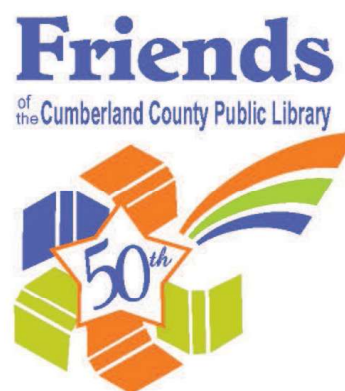
First Tee - Sandhills is a youth development organization that enables kids to build the strength of character that empowers them through a lifetime of new challenges. By seamlessly integrating the game of golf with a life skills curriculum, First Tee creates active learning experiences that build inner strength, self-confidence, and resilience that kids can carry to everything they do. First Tee brings these programs to local youth through strong partnerships with schools, community organizations, and area golf courses. First Tee is "Building Game Changers" through junior golf programs!



### Friends of African American Families Fund Fund of Cumberland Community Foundation

Cumberland Community Foundation  
P.O. Box 2345, Fayetteville, NC 28302  
910-483-4449

The Friends of African American Families Fund was established in 1992 by two outstanding Black community educators, Dr. Ruby Murchison and Dr. John Griffin. Their vision and the fund's purpose is to provide financial support for local initiatives focused on improving the conditions of life for African American families, especially children. The programs supported by the fund are committed to improving children's educational, social, and physical skills. The hope is to grow this fund and continue to support wonderful programs in Cumberland County for generations to come.



### Friends of the Cumberland County Public Library, Inc.

P.O. Box 53666, Fayetteville, NC 28305  
910-483-7727, Ext. 1326  
cumberlandcountylibraryfriends.com

The Friends of the Cumberland County Public Library, Inc. has supported the library's literary, educational, technological, community, and cultural mission for nearly 50 years. As the Friends of the Library approaches their 50th Anniversary in April 2026, they remain dedicated to enhancing library services for all and encouraging gifts, endowments, and financial support that make a lasting impact on our community.





### Friendship Community Gardens

P.O. Box 53908, Fayetteville, NC 28305  
910-624-4692  
[fcgfaync.org](http://fcgfaync.org)

Friendship Community Gardens (FCG) believes a strong community grows from connection: connection to nature, healthy food, affordable housing, and opportunities to work with and learn from people from different walks and life experiences. Through the gardens, produce market, and cottage, FCG works to support Savoy Heights, Arsenal Heights, Friendship House Fayetteville, and their neighboring communities and friends with access to gardening, fresh produce, experiences of the natural world, and unexpected friendships.



### GATE BEAUTIFUL

#### Gate Beautiful

3901 Raeford Road, Fayetteville, NC 28304  
910-808-3123  
[gatebeautiful.org](http://gatebeautiful.org)

Gate Beautiful serves men, women, and children affected by human trafficking, prostitution, or addiction. They provide rapid response, case management, and individualized restoration plans to offer a clear path to freedom for every survivor they serve. Gate Beautiful believes in healing and freedom for all impacted by trafficking — victims, buyers, and traffickers. For survivors, they also offer mentorship, career training, and life skills classes to support long-term healing and independence.



### The Gilbert Theater

P.O. Box 53704, Fayetteville, NC 28305  
910-678-7186  
[gilberttheater.com](http://gilberttheater.com)

The Gilbert Theater strives to foster community engagement, inclusivity, diversity, and a love for storytelling. Located in downtown Fayetteville at 116 Green St. (second floor above the Fascinate-U Children's Museum), it is dedicated to the mission of creating theater that challenges, entertains, and enriches the community. The theater offers educational opportunities for children and adults, and the main stage productions run the gamut from lesser-known works to popular favorites. The theater seeks to create a diverse collection of programs and volunteer opportunities for all those interested. At The Gilbert Theater, storytelling always takes center stage.



### GREATER LIFE OF FAYETTEVILLE

#### Greater Life of Fayetteville, Inc.

600 Orange St., Fayetteville, NC 28301  
910-364-9531  
[glofnc.org](http://glofnc.org)

Greater Life of Fayetteville's (GLOF) mission is to help children and families rise above their circumstances and thrive academically, socially, emotionally, and behaviorally. GLOF provides comprehensive support in collaboration with like-focused organizations, faith-based groups, and foundations to offer intervention and prevention programs. These programs provide specific support to children 7 to 14 years old with academic and behavioral challenges and to families coping with limited resources. GLOF's future plans are to offer life-skill development to young adults who often fall through the cracks.



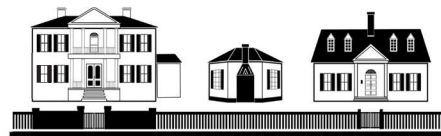
"I salute and admire Cumberland County's nonprofits, their volunteers and boards, and the many caring donors who enable these organizations to help those in need! Our community so benefits from our many nonprofits. I have been honored to work with some and have enjoyed watching others enrich lives. Thanks to our many involved citizens for caring, volunteering and donating!"

- LUCY JONES



## HERITAGE SQUARE HISTORICAL SOCIETY

225 Dick St., Fayetteville, NC 28301  
(910) 483-6009



### Heritage Square Historical Society of North Carolina, Inc.

225 Dick St., Fayetteville, NC 28301  
910-483-6009  
[heritage-square.org](http://heritage-square.org)

The mission of Heritage Square Historical Society is to preserve and share the Heritage Square site for current and future generations so the community has the opportunity to learn about Fayetteville's rich history. Heritage Square has three historic properties all listed on the National Register of Historic Places: the Sandford House (circa 1797), the Oval Ballroom (circa 1818), and the Baker-Haigh-Nimocks House (circa 1804). Heritage Square Historical Society seeks to continue to research all aspects of its historical background to include diverse perspectives in order to engage and promote interest in the significance of historical preservation.



### His Outreach Worldwide, Inc.

2770 Breezewood Ave., Fayetteville, NC 28303  
910-864-3991  
[hisoutreachworldwide.org](http://hisoutreachworldwide.org)

His Outreach Worldwide's local ministry, His Bread of Life, (located at 204 S. Reilly Road and home office 2770 Breezewood Ave.) provides food, clothing, hygiene packets, backpacks for children and adults, "Warm Winter Wear" for the homeless, and Bibles and other Christian literature. The organization collaborates with ministries such as Seth's Wish, the Friendship House, Harvest Ministries, Sandhills Family Heritage Association, Connections of CC, and disaster relief. His Outreach Worldwide is glad to have the opportunity to serve so many huge needs throughout the community.

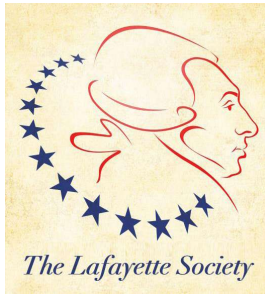


**Kiwanis**  
CLUB OF CAPE FEAR

### The Kiwanis Club of Cape Fear Scholarship Fund of Cumberland Community Foundation

432 Westwood Shopping Center, PMB #12  
Fayetteville, NC 28314  
910-703-9325  
[capefearkiwanis.com](http://capefearkiwanis.com)

The Kiwanis Club of Cape Fear Scholarship Fund furthers the mission of Kiwanis — "One child and one community at a time." Each year, Kiwanis awards education scholarships to high school seniors in Cumberland County Schools where Key Clubs are present. These scholarships are intended for the use of college-bound seniors to help them fund their higher education.



### The Lafayette Society

P.O. Box 43712, Lafayette Station, Fayetteville, NC 28309  
910-678-8899  
[lafayettesociety.org](http://lafayettesociety.org)

The Lafayette Society was founded in 1981 to increase awareness of Fayetteville's namesake and cultural activities. The Lafayette Society plans to establish a fund with Fayetteville Technical Community College Foundation to provide essential financial assistance to active-duty military students and their dependents who are currently enrolled at FTCC. This fund would provide much-needed support for students who face economic challenges that threaten their ability to complete their education. Membership in the society is open to all to continue to educate, inform and share the ideals of Lafayette for leadership, equality, and patriotism in our community.



### Massey Hill Heritage Preservation Project

1338 Longleaf Drive, Fayetteville, NC 28305  
910-286-6887  
[MasseyHillHeritage.org](http://MasseyHillHeritage.org)

Over the past several years, the Massey Hill Heritage Preservation Project has commissioned a public art piece in a major roundabout in Massey Hill, erected information signs highlighting key historic spots, and restored and painted a textile mill water tower promoting the community. The Massey Hill Heritage Preservation Project recently relocated and restored a historic textile house into a Massey Hill Millhouse Museum. Plans include the ongoing acquisition and display of Massey Hill community memorabilia and the continued nightly lighting of the Puritan Mill water tower.



**METHODIST  
UNIVERSITY**

### Methodist University

5400 Ramsey St., Fayetteville, NC 28311  
910-630-7200  
[methodist.edu](http://methodist.edu)

Methodist University (MU) offers a private, liberal arts-based education annually to approximately 2,000 undergraduate and graduate students. Students can pursue degrees in humanities, sciences, technology, education, business, health sciences, and human services in a small, student-friendly environment. Ninety-seven percent of MU students qualify for financial assistance. Community donations support vital need-based financial and emergency scholarships for hundreds of MU students annually.

**Miller's Brew**  
*purpose in every cup*

### Miller's Crew, Inc.

1401 Morganton Road, Fayetteville, NC 28305  
910-476-4000  
[millerscrew.com](http://millerscrew.com)

Miller's Crew provides vocational opportunities for individuals with special needs. Because of the limited number of opportunities to connect with their community and receive specific training to prepare them for employment, 87% of these young adults are unemployed. Since 2016, Miller's Crew has provided vocational training labs in local high schools, the Cooking with the Crew mobile training lab/food truck, and their new brick-and-mortar training company and coffee shop called Miller's Brew. Miller's Crew continues to CONNECT with their community, TRAIN their crew, and prepare them for purposeful EMPLOYment.





### Moore Street Foundation

302 Moore St., Fayetteville, NC 28301  
910-483-6505

Moore Street Foundation was organized as a nonprofit organization in 2009 to promote the involvement of literary, civic, educational, and charitable endeavors through community development. The organization is associated with First Baptist Church, Moore Street. Every year since the start, they have hosted a free, three-week summer reading camp for 100 school-age children. Partnerships and collaborations with community businesses and local organizations have allowed the curriculum to expand to now include science, technology, engineering, and math activities.



### Museum of the Cape Fear Historical Complex Foundation, Inc.

P.O. Box 53784, Fayetteville, NC 28305  
910-500-4240  
museumofthecapefear.ncdcr.gov

The Museum of the Cape Fear Historical Complex (MCFHC) Foundation supports the MCFHC in the development of new exhibits, educational programming, the purchase of artifacts, and other needs to support the museum complex and staff, including the 1897 Poe House and Arsenal Park. The Museum Complex is a regional branch of the North Carolina Museum of History, part of the N.C. Department of Natural and Cultural Resources. The Museum Complex is currently working to transform into the NC History Center on the Civil War, Emancipation & Reconstruction while maintaining current programming.



### Myrover-Reese Recovery Homes

560 Wilkes Road, Fayetteville, NC 28306  
910-779-1306  
mrrh.org

Myrover-Reese Recovery Homes offers a 6-month residential treatment program to those seeking recovery from alcoholism and addiction. Since 1961, the organization has helped uninsured and homeless men and women in Cumberland County who have no other access to treatment. Treatment includes job training, life skills, 12-step recovery community, counseling, and faith-based resources that enable residents to transition back into successful members of the community.



### NC History Center on the Civil War, Emancipation & Reconstruction

P.O. Box 53865, Fayetteville, NC 28305  
910-824-7360  
nccivilwarcenter.org

The mission is to tell the stories of ALL North Carolinians during the Civil War and Reconstruction eras. In 2020, the organization built offices, a catering kitchen, and a film studio and classroom. Starting October 2023, they began conducting symposia to guide elementary and high school teachers in teaching about the Civil War and Reconstruction. They also completed an outdoor pavilion and parking lot this past summer. Groundbreaking will take place for the main facility this year. Opening in 2028, the Center will become a community and state resource, owned and operated by the State of North Carolina.



#### News Foundation of Greater Fayetteville

2919 Breezewood Ave., Suite 300, Fayetteville, NC 28303  
910-983-1535  
faynews.org

While residents are busy juggling work, family, and everything else, crucial decisions affecting neighborhoods, schools, and tax dollars are being made. The News Foundation of Greater Fayetteville funds the journalists who attend the meetings community members cannot. These journalists report on how tax money is spent, cover issues in local neighborhoods, and help the public understand these decisions and their impact. Support for the Foundation ensures that the community stays informed and has a voice in the decisions that shape daily life.



#### Operation Blessings of Fayetteville, Inc.

1337 Ramsey St., Fayetteville, NC 28301  
910-483-1119  
operationblessingfayetteville.com

Operation Blessings of Fayetteville provides short-term emergency assistance for food, clothing, utilities and rental assistance, and crisis pregnancy services in the Cumberland County area. All services are by appointment only.



#### Operation Engage, Inc.

2224 Winterlochen Road, Fayetteville, NC 28305  
910-263-5709  
operationengage.org

Operation Engage Inc. began in 2010 with a mission to love and serve "the least of these," feeding their souls, their minds, and their bodies. What began as a simple cookout one Friday night in January 2010 has since continued to be a service to men, women, and children in need every week. The goal of Operation Engage is to not only help those who have so little but also to help those who have so much more see the value in giving back through the choices they make every day.



#### Partnership for Children of Cumberland County, Inc.

351 Wagoner Drive, Suite 200, Fayetteville, NC 28303  
910-867-9700  
ccpfc.org

Partnership for Children of Cumberland County is committed to nurturing the earliest years of life. Through early education, family empowerment, and access to health & well-being resources, they help children thrive. The Family Resource Center serves as a trusted hub where families connect with the tools they need to be successful. The Impact: Over 70% of children reached before kindergarten, laying the foundation for future success.



### Rape Crisis at The Phoenix Center

P.O. Box 58332, Fayetteville, NC 28305  
910-485-7273  
[rapecrisisonline.org](http://rapecrisisonline.org)

Rape Crisis Volunteers of Cumberland County (RCVCC) was established in 1974 to provide services to victims of sexual violence. The organization has expanded its services over the last five years to include cold case victim advocacy and intimate partner violence advocacy. The agency is now a state site for the e-filing of domestic violence protection orders. As of 2020, RCVCC also provides services to human trafficking victims. All victims have access to a 24-hour crisis line, hospital and court advocacy, support groups, and individual counseling. All services are free and not contingent on a police report.



**Strong Family | Strong Military | Strong Nation**

### The Rick Herrema Foundation, Inc.

5572 Shenandoah Drive, Fayetteville, NC 28304  
910-444-1743  
[rhfnw.org](http://rhfnw.org)

The Rick Herrema Foundation (RHF) honors SFC Richard J. Herrema, who gave his life in 2006 during Operation Iraqi Freedom. In his memory, RHF created Rick's Place, a 50-acre interactive greenspace located near Fort Bragg. RHF's mission is to strengthen relationships and build community for military families through fun, quality activities. Rick's Place features play areas, picnic spaces, a fitness trail, and a pond. Programs include Family Fun Days, fitness, arts and theater classes for youth, cooking workshops, and volunteer opportunities. New features like a disc golf course and an enhanced treehouse are coming soon.



### Rockfish Camp and Retreat Center

226 Camp Rockfish Road, Parkton, NC 28371  
910-425-3529  
[camprockfish.org](http://camprockfish.org)

Rockfish Camp & Retreat Center's mission is to help people experience and grow through the love of God in Jesus Christ. The Center offers a variety of programs catering to different needs, from summer camps to family retreats, organizational team building to educational workshops, and more. Rockfish's commitment to fostering faith, fun, and friendships is entwined in programming throughout the year. Affordable pricing is available through a financial assistance program, ensuring inclusivity for all children. Rockfish provides enriching experiences while also emphasizing community support and personal growth.



### The Salvation Army of the Sandhills

P.O. Box 110, Fayetteville, NC 28302  
910-483-8119  
[salvationarmysandhills.org](http://salvationarmysandhills.org)

Serving the Sandhills region since 1887, The Salvation Army's ministry is motivated by God's love and preaches the gospel of Jesus Christ while meeting human needs in His name without discrimination. Salvation Army offers programs that provide hope, relief, and emotional and spiritual support. The Community Center offers after-school care and summer day camp, both aimed to help at-risk youth. The Emergency Disaster Services assists individuals affected by natural disasters and other events causing significant loss.



### **Sandhills Family Heritage Association**

P.O. Box 754, Spring Lake, NC 28390  
910-309-2198  
[sandhillsfamilyheritage.org](http://sandhillsfamilyheritage.org)

Sandhills Family Heritage Association (SFHA) is dedicated to preserving the rich cultural and historical treasures of the Sandhills region while empowering underserved communities. By celebrating and safeguarding local African American heritage, SFHA fosters economic self-sufficiency, strengthens families, and inspires youth. Their ongoing work builds community resilience and creates a legacy of unity and opportunity for generations to come.



### **The School of Hope**

111 Burns St., Fayetteville, NC 28301  
910-339-5683  
[theschoolofhope.net](http://theschoolofhope.net)

The School of Hope serves students in kindergarten through 12th grade who have an autism diagnosis. As an accredited school, the school's mission is to provide a holistic, opportunistic, and positive education by creating a warm, open environment where students feel safe to ask questions, explore, and seek answers. The school is committed to making a difference in this community, as well as helping students live a productive and happy life, giving hope to students and their parents once again!

## **SECOND HARVEST FOOD BANK**

Southeast North Carolina



### **Second Harvest Food Bank of Southeast North Carolina**

406 Deep Creek Road, Fayetteville, NC 28312  
910-485-6923  
[hungercantwait.org](http://hungercantwait.org)

The Second Harvest Food Bank of Southeast North Carolina is an Action Pathways Inc. program. Action Pathways also operates Head Start, Weatherization, and the ASPIRE Self-Sufficiency Program. The Food Bank was established in 1982 and has provided food for people facing hunger in Cumberland County for over 40 years. Through its distribution center in Cumberland County, the food bank serves a network of more than 150 partner agencies, such as soup kitchens, food pantries, shelters, and programs for children and adults.

## **Cumberland County Special Olympics North Carolina**



### **Special Olympics Cumberland County**

121 Lamon St., Fayetteville, NC 28301  
910-433-1000  
[sonc.net/local-programs](http://sonc.net/local-programs)

Special Olympics Cumberland County's mission is to provide year-round sports training and athletic competition in a variety of Olympic-type sports for children and adults with intellectual disabilities. Participants are provided with continuing opportunities to develop physical fitness, demonstrate courage, experience joy, and participate in a sharing of gifts, skills, and friendship with their families, other Special Olympics athletes, and the community. Athletes train and compete at no expense to them or their families.





## SUMMERTIME KIDS

### Summertime Kids Endowment Fund of Cumberland Community Foundation

P.O. Box 2345, Fayetteville, NC 28302  
910-483-4449

[cumberlandcf.org/summertime-kids](http://cumberlandcf.org/summertime-kids)

Each summer since 1992, CCF's Summertime Kids program has provided life-changing summer experiences for more than 1,000 youth, many of whom come from low-income families and underserved communities. All donations benefit recreational, enrichment, and mentoring activities for youth in summer camps that are offered by local nonprofit organizations, neighborhood groups, and other community groups.

## SUSTAINABLE SANDHILLS

### Sustainable Sandhills

201 S. McPherson Church Road, Suite 208  
Fayetteville, NC 28303  
910-484-9098  
[sustainablesandhills.org](http://sustainablesandhills.org)

Celebrating its 20th year of service in 2025, Sustainable Sandhills empowers communities in Cumberland County to create resilient environmental, economic, and social resources. The organization pursues innovative projects and partnerships that protect clean air and water, improve public health, and conserve natural assets. Through education, demonstration, and collaboration, Sustainable Sandhills fosters a healthier, more vibrant quality of life for people and the planet — today, tomorrow and forever.



### Sweet Tea Shakespeare, Inc.

126 Hay St., Fayetteville, NC 28301  
910-420-4383  
[sweetteashakespeare.com](http://sweetteashakespeare.com)

Sweet Tea Shakespeare is a nonprofit theater company and training ground inspired by Shakespeare and the early modern period. Its mission is to gather a diverse community around a common table to delight in the magic of story, song, and stagecraft. The organization leads the community by generating professional opportunities for artists, sustaining a highly collaborative, artist-centered culture; encouraging innovative practices; producing simple, elemental, and accessible performances; immersing audiences and artists in an atmosphere of belonging; and developing artists through education and training.



### Tarheel Quilters Guild

P.O. Box 36253, Fayetteville, NC 28303  
910-578-8217  
[tarheelquiltersguild.org](http://tarheelquiltersguild.org)

Since 1981, the Tarheel Quilters Guild mission has been to promote and perpetuate the art of quilting. The guild's work is designed to benefit and educate all persons interested in preserving and advancing this art. Monthly meetings include a quilt-related program, fellowship, and viewing of guild and personal projects. Guild members deliver 25-30 baby quilts monthly to the Cape Fear Valley Hospital NICU and donate over 100 quilts to the veterans in the VA Hospital yearly. The guild also makes placemats for the Meals on Wheels organization. The guild offers workshops led by national teachers and guild members.



### The Tulsa Initiative, Inc.

109 Hay St., Suite 202, Fayetteville, NC 28301  
202-704-6661  
[tulsanonprofit.org](http://tulsanonprofit.org)

The Tulsa Initiative encourages empowerment through local entrepreneurship by offering programs for local male entrepreneurs ages 18-26 and high school youth in grades 9-12. The organization aims to inspire local entrepreneurs through networking, mentorship, and education, creating capital resources to enhance their lives, businesses and communities. The Tulsa Leadership and Entrepreneurship Academy provides a 14-week program empowering local individuals in their entrepreneurial journey. Tulsa also hosts The Fayetteville Youth Summit, uniting over 350 high school youth leaders to ignite positive change in the community.



### United Way of Cumberland County

559 Executive Place, Suite 101, Fayetteville, NC 28305  
910-483-1179  
[unitedway-cc.org](http://unitedway-cc.org)

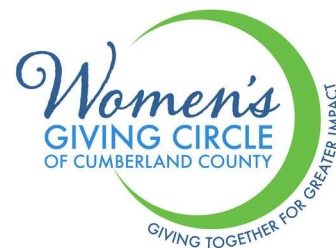
United Way of Cumberland County is transforming lives through literacy. From the Dolly Parton Imagination Library, which provides a free book each month to every child from birth to age five, to leading the Cumberland County Literacy Council, the organization equips families with tools and resources for children to thrive. But they can't do it alone — every gift, volunteer hour, and voice matters. Investing in literacy means investing in brighter futures. Join United Way and be part of the story that changes everything.



### Vision Resource Center

P.O. Box 87385, Fayetteville, NC 28304  
910-483-2719  
[visionresourcecentercc.org](http://visionresourcecentercc.org)

The Vision Resource Center (VRC) has served blind and visually impaired individuals in Cumberland County for 86 years. This year, VRC is expanding wellness and independent living classes, launching Wellness Worth Growing — a hands-on gardening and entrepreneurship program — and offering assistive technology training, youth enrichment, and inclusive outings. Many participants live on limited incomes and rely on VRC's services to gain confidence, skills, and connection. The organization remains committed to empowering individuals to live fuller, more independent lives.



### Women's Giving Circle of Cumberland County Endowment Fund of Cumberland Community Foundation

P.O. Box 2345, Fayetteville, NC 28302  
910-483-4449, Ext. 105  
[cumberlandcf.org/womens-giving-circle](http://cumberlandcf.org/womens-giving-circle)

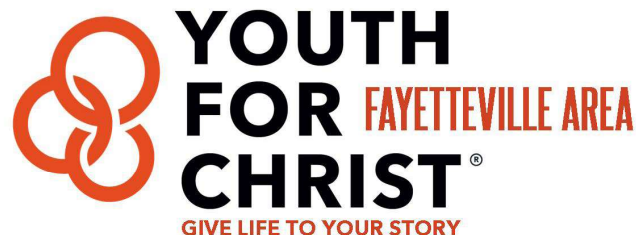
Since 2008, the Women's Giving Circle of Cumberland County has provided targeted grants to nonprofit organizations in Cumberland County that enable positive change for women and children. The grants are in focus areas indicated by research and are published in a biannual Community Scorecard. The current focus areas for grants are: basic needs (home, job, food, healthcare, and human trafficking), educational insecurities (literacy, financial literacy, and academic), and child security (child abuse, foster care, and child care). Oversight of grants includes tracking, evaluating, and auditing to verify the proper use of funds.



### YMCA of the Sandhills, Inc.

2717 Fort Bragg Road, Fayetteville, NC 28303  
910-426-9622  
ymcaofthesandhills.org

The YMCA of the Sandhills is more than a gym and swim. It is a community-serving organization that develops programs to meet the needs of the community it serves. These programs include childcare, seniors' health, swim lessons, summer feeding for food-insecure families, teen mental health, veterans' programs, teen leadership development, summer day camp, and much more. The YMCA ensures access for all and provides free or reduced program fees for those in need. All of the programs promote character development, with a focus on caring, respect, honesty and responsibility.



### Youth For Christ – Fayetteville, Inc.

P.O. Box 43205, Fayetteville, NC 28309  
910-491-4333  
yfcfay.org

Youth For Christ (YFC) reaches young people by working together with local churches and like-minded partners to raise up lifelong followers of Jesus. The Campus Life program serves middle and high schools, helping young people make good choices and avoid drug and alcohol addiction, pregnancy, self-harm, low self-esteem, suicide, criminal behavior, bullying, dropping out of school, child abuse, and sex trafficking. The City Life program is a holistic ministry that reaches underserved and at-risk teens with support and resources at YFC's City Life Teen Center and in the community.

## Cumberland Community Foundation, Inc.



Cumberland Community Foundation's mission is "Giving together to enhance the quality and spirit of community life." CCF connects donors to opportunities to make a difference, whether that is sustaining the arts, furthering education, providing food and shelter for those in need, sending children to camp, assisting seniors, or any number of worthy causes. CCF helps local nonprofits with grant support, training, meeting space, and endowment management.



Cumberland Community  
Foundation, Inc.

P.O. Box 2345  
Fayetteville, NC 28302  
910-483-4449  
cumberlandcf.org

# ESTABLISH YOUR CHARITABLE LEGACY

## DESIGN AN ENDOWMENT FOR YOUR FAVORITE CAUSES

Since 1980, Cumberland Community Foundation has distributed over \$95 million in grants and scholarships made possible by endowments created by people just like you. Whether your interest lies in providing for those in need, sustaining the arts, supporting education, or any other worthy mission, Cumberland Community Foundation is here to help you.

### Creating Your Own Named Endowment Fund Is as Easy as 1, 2, 3!

#### **Step One: Decide the charitable purpose of your endowment.**

Your fund can provide annual support to a favorite charitable organization (such as those listed in this publication), make a difference in a certain area (such as arts, education, health, human services, youth, seniors, environment, and more), provide college scholarships to deserving students, or meet the community's greatest needs and opportunities as they change over the years.

**Step Two: Name your new fund.** Naming your fund gives you the opportunity to create a legacy of a loved one, your family, or yourself. We will help you work it out.

**Step Three: Decide when to give.** Create your own endowment by donating during your life or through a gift in your will, beneficiary designations, or other estate plans to Cumberland Community Foundation, Inc. (Tax ID 58-1406831).

**We are here to help:** Send a confidential email to [gifts@cumberlandcf.org](mailto:gifts@cumberlandcf.org) or call 910-483-4449 and ask for Maddie Kellogg, donor services manager.

#### WHAT IS AN ENDOWMENT?

An endowment is a charitable fund that provides ongoing support to an organization or cause — in perpetuity! The fund is invested and continues to grow through sound stewardship on the part of CCF. Each year, a grant is made to a charitable purpose of the donor's choice from the income of the fund. By protecting the principal of the fund, it continues to grow and create income for the chosen organization or cause, making a positive impact — forever.

## THE POWER OF ENDOWMENT

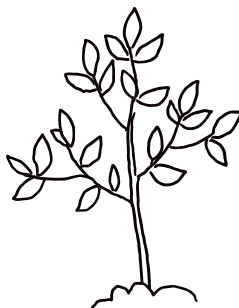
*When you establish a charitable endowment with Cumberland Community Foundation, you choose to provide community support that lasts forever.*



In 2013, Cole Humphrey's family created an endowment in his memory to support two of his favorite things — football and baseball at his high school. The initial gift was \$5,000. Cole's family and friends continued to make gifts to this endowment each year.



Cumberland Community Foundation invested those gifts for long-term growth. Each year, Cape Fear High School receives grants paid from the investment income. 100% of every gift is still in the endowment.



Every year, the football program and the baseball program receive distributions in memory of Cole Humphrey who was an excellent student and star athlete at Cape Fear High School.



Today, this memorial endowment has grown to \$178,661.22 and has already distributed \$41,090 to the high school in Cole's memory. In 2025, Cape Fear football and baseball received \$3,000 each.





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