



Good News Report

March 21, 2022

Transylvania County Schools
Communications/Community Relations

STEAM EXPO

Transylvania County Schools is thrilled to host the 33rd Annual A. Mickey Church STEAM Expo on Monday, March 28, 2022, from 4:30 p.m. - 6:30 p.m. at Transylvania County Parks and Recreation.

All of our schools will be showcasing projects and we can't thank the teachers enough for all of their hard work in preparing for this event.

Thank you to our community partners that will be joining us - Transylvania County Parks and Recreation, Holmes Educational State Forest, and Mountain Roots Day Camp!



Transylvania County Schools

Thirty-Third Annual A. Mickey Church



Monday, March 28, 2022

4:30 PM - 6:30 PM

Transylvania County Parks & Recreation Activity Center

1078 Ecusta Rd, Brevard, NC 28712

Join us for an evening of discovery as you learn what all of the students PreK - 12th grade are learning through Science, Technology, Engineering, Arts, and Mathematics.



Kindergarten Readiness Rally

A reminder that kindergarten registration for the 2022-2023 school year is coming up soon. A Kindergarten Rally will be held on Thursday, April 7 from 4:00 to 6:00 p.m. at Transylvania Parks and Recreation. Kindergarten registration will be available in all our elementary schools on Tuesday, April 19 through Friday, April 22 from 8:30 a.m. to 2:00 p.m., and also from 4:00 to 6:00 p.m. on Thursday, April 21. Starting school is an exciting experience for young children and we want to be sure it is a positive one. All children who will be five (5) years old on or before August 31, 2022 are eligible to start kindergarten this fall. Visit www.tcsnc.org/k for enrollment forms and more information.



KINDERGARTEN,
HERE WE COME!

**KINDERGARTEN
READINESS RALLY**

Thursday, April 7
4-6 PM

Transylvania
Recreation Department
1078 Ecusta Rd, Brevard

JOIN LOCAL KINDERGARTEN PROVIDERS AND OTHER
COMMUNITY PARTNERS FOR FAMILY FUN, SCHOOL
REGISTRATION INFORMATION AND FREE RESOURCES!

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WE LOOK FORWARD TO SEEING YOU THERE!

March is Students@Work Month

Governor Roy Cooper has proclaimed March 2022 as Students@WorkSM Month in North Carolina. Throughout the month, employers are hosting virtual programs that will provide approximately 28,000 middle school students with exposure to jobs and industries in their communities and across the state. Participating students will be exposed to careers in the education, energy, finance, engineering, hospitality, legal, manufacturing, pharmaceutical, and technology industries along with careers in the public sector. Now in its 12th year, the North Carolina Business Committee for Education (NCBCE) and the North Carolina Department of Public Instruction (NCDPI) are the primary partners for the Students@WorkSM program. “The skills and opportunities students are exposed to now are critical investments in the development of our workforce,” said Governor Cooper. “Offering our students a look at careers that may pique their interest is important for them and our future economy.”



TCSEF Creative Classroom Grant Winners 2022-2023

Congratulations to the 2022-2023 Creative Classroom grant recipients! The projects listed below totaling over \$12,000 were recommended for funding for the 2022-2023 school year through the Transylvania County Schools Educational Foundation and in partnership with the Brevard and Pisgah Forest Rotary Clubs. These competitive grants are part of the funding that the Foundation makes available each year to enrich classrooms, provide scholarships and student leadership opportunities, and support teacher leadership initiatives. We appreciate the Foundation's fundraising efforts with the *Taste of Transylvania* and other endeavors and the work of the Grants Committee in evaluating the proposals. Our thanks to the Foundation and the Brevard and Pisgah Forest Rotary Clubs.



NAME	SCHOOL	PROJECT
Renee Compton	All Schools	Special Needs Resource Fair
Jenae Turner	All Elementary Schools	BeeBots (PreK-2)
Kelii Krueger	Brevard Elementary	Beehive Cooperative Games
Meg Buchanan	Brevard High	Architectural Drafting
Charles Burchell	Brevard High	Equipment Upgrades for Auditorium
Heidi Bullock	All High Schools	Elevate Bilingualism Cords
Crystal Holland	Brevard Middle	Writing Through Time
Sarah Kennedy	Brevard Middle	Edmark Reading Program
Noelle Khare	Brevard Middle	Exploring Density w/ Scales
James Markey	Brevard Middle	Portable Sound System
Elizabeth Chancellor	Davidson River	Wilderness Ed. Club
Chris Alley	Davidson River	SEL Classroom Space
Bethany Chapman	Rosman Elementary	Headphones/Novel Effects App
Lindsay Barton	Rosman High	Samsung Tablet
Sarah Justice	Rosman Middle/High	Bringing Life to the Library
Laura Smith	Rosman Middle/High	Resin or Not
Hazel Ketchum	Rosman Middle/High	Differentiated Class Guitar

TCSEF Taste of Transylvania May 3-8, 2022

The Transylvania County Educational Foundation (TCSEF) will host the annual Taste of Transylvania on May 3-8, 2022. The Foundation will partner with local restaurants, bars and breweries, wine shops, food trucks and coffee shops to receive a portion of their sales during the week-long event. They also will host an online silent auction that will run the same dates as the dining options and offer a variety of items for bid. Proceeds from these events will go toward the TCSEF's Creative Classroom Grants for public schools. To donate items for the silent auction, please contact Jen Heatherly at jheatherly@tcsnc.org. You may also text "TCSEF" to 76278 to donate directly. For more information visit [TCSEF](https://www.TCSEF.org).

A promotional graphic for the Taste of Transylvania Educational Foundation. The background features a large, light blue fork and knife. The text is centered and includes the following elements:

- Hashtags: #foodforthought, #tasteoftransylvania, #tasteforteachers, #tot4tcs
- Event Title: Taste of Transylvania EDUCATIONAL FOUNDATION May 3-8
- Location: TRANSYLVANIA COUNTY SCHOOLS PUBLIC SCHOOL PARTNERS
- Local Discovery Partners: eateries, bars & breweries, wine shops, food trucks, coffee shops
- Website: www.TCSEF.org
- Text: "TCSEF" to 76278 to donate

Thank you as always to the Transylvania County Sheriff's Office and our SRO for tonight's meeting.



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