





a benefit for Rappahannock Community College

MILLMONT

Saturday, May 17, 2025







SCHEDULE

Have Fun at Today's Party and Support RCC Students!

- * Open beverage bar (4:00-7:00 pm)
- * Local cuisine served (4:00-5:30 pm)
- **Local wines served** (4:00-6:30 pm)
- * Pick Your Horses!
 Purchase Preakness Stakes raffle chances
 (4:00-6:30 pm). The drawing is after the race.
- * Silent Auction Bidding
 (starts at 4:00 pm with
 sections closing at: 5:00 pm;
 5:10 pm)
- Best Hat and Most Dapper Contest Awards at the main stage (5:15 pm)
- * Remarks from RCC President, Dr. Shannon Kennedy (5:30 pm)
- Live Auction and Raise the Paddle at the main stage following President
- Running of the Preakness Stakes (scheduled for 6:50 pm)
- Race Raffle Drawing following the race

MESSAGE FROM THE PRESIDENT



I would like to extend heartfelt thanks and a warm welcome to our supporters of Rappahannock Community College. We are especially thankful to Dave and Marilyn South for welcoming us to their beautiful property this year.

Proceeds will benefit the RCC scholarship program and a special Raise the Paddle activity will go directly to support a new Health Science Building!

I am continually inspired by the generosity of individuals and businesses across the 12 counties we serve. Thanks to your support, hundreds of students can pursue their higher education goals each year.

We hope you are as excited as we are for the 21st Annual Preakness Party at Millmont! Thank you for being part of this worthy cause!

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Shannon L. Kennedy, Ed.D. President

THANK YOU TO OUR SPONSORS

We are grateful to our area merchants, artisans, professionals, and all other contributors for their very generous donations of goods, services and auction items for the 21st Anniversary Preakness Party.

DIAMOND

The Stephen E. Tallent Family Education Trust Virginia American Water and American Water Charitable Foundation

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Thank you to a friend of RCC for sponsoring the bar!

THANK YOU TO OUR RESTAURANTS AND WINERIES!

RESTAURANTS

1710 Tavern

314 S. Water Lane Tappahannock, VA 22560 804-925-6710

Indian Creek Yacht and Country Club

362 Club Drive Kilmarnock, VA 22482 804-435-1340

Java Jacks Café

304 S. Church Lane Tappahannock, VA 22560 804-443-5225

Prince Street Cafe at Hobbs Hole

1267 Hobbs Hole Drive Tappahannock, VA 22560 804-443-2333

RCC Culinary Arts Program

12745 College Drive Glenns, VA 23149 804-758-6700

Something Different

213 Virginia Street Urbanna, VA 23175 804-758-8000

WINERIES

General's Ridge Vineyard

1618 Weldons Drive Hague, VA 22469 804-223-2478

Good Luck Cellars

1025 Good Luck Road Kilmarnock, VA 22482 804-435-1416

Ingleside Vineyards

5872 Leedstown Road Colonial Beach, VA 22443 804-224-8687

Winebow

4800 Cox Road Glen Allen, VA 23060 800-365-9463

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Good Luck Cellars

Green Top Sporting Goods

Joyce Gunderson

Hobbs Hole Golf Course

Hoskins Creek Home

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Kathryn Humphreys

Indian Creek Yacht & Country Club

Michele and Chuck Inderrieden

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NNK Supper Club

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Poppypointe

Rappahannock Institute for

Lifelong Learning (RILL)

Red Oak Nursery

Relish Restaurant and Wine Bar

Riverview Inn

Ross's Fine Jewelers

Carolyn Roy

RW's Sport Shop

Jean Ann Sanford

Randy and Betsy Shuford

Stratford Hall

The Blackburn Inn

The Dandelion

The Ritz-Carlton

Walmart of Kilmarnock

Carolyn Ward

Wilkerson's Seafood Restaurant

Colin and Emily Wilkinson

Congressman Rob Wittman

LIVE AUCTION ITEMS

- * Overnight at the Ritz and Baseball Game
- Clay Shoot for 8 at Historic Essex County Farm
- * Cocktail Cruise and Crab Feast on Mill Creek
- ★ VIP Treatment at the Capitol
- * 2025 Thanksgiving or Easter 2026 Vacation in Nags Head
- * Exclusive Oil Painting Class for 10 with Wine and Cheese
- * Seafood Dinner at Chinn House
- * One Week Stay in New Bern, NC
- * David Yurman Necklace
- * Oyster Roast for 20 at Historic Roanoke Farm



BIG THINGS ARE HAPPENING AT RAPPAHANNOCK COMMUNITY COLLEGE— AND YOU CAN BE PART OF IT!

RCC plans to break ground on a new Health Science Instructional Building late this summer. The \$8 million project will be the first major instructional facility added in over 45 years—and we're down to the final stretch with just \$700,000 left to raise!

The Cabell Foundation in Richmond has stepped up with a \$200,000 challenge grant, offering a dollar-for-dollar match. That means every donation goes twice as far—and we're calling on our community to help us meet this match.

This new space will include state-of-the-art simulation labs, modern classrooms, and offices to support our growing nursing and health science programs. It will allow RCC to expand enrollment, attract top-tier faculty, and better prepare students to meet the healthcare needs of our region.

RCC has a strong track record of producing skilled, compassionate healthcare professionals who are making a difference right here in the Middle Peninsula and Northern Neck. With your help, we can do even more.

During today's live auction, you'll have the opportunity to support this game-changing project. Let's build the future of healthcare—together.





PREAKNESS PARTY SCHOLARSHIP RECIPIENTS



CRISTAL MARTINEZ

"I am honored to be a recipient of this scholarship. Thanks to your generosity, I can continue my education and complete my dream of becoming a Spanish interpreter nurse."



KAYLY JACOBS

"Thank you from the bottom of my heart for your investment in my future. Your generosity has not only provided me with financial support but also with encouragement to continue striving towards my educational and career goals."

PREAKNESS PARTY STEERING COMMITTEE

Joyce Gunderson, co-chair Jean Ann Sanford, co-chair Marguerite Armstrong Shirley Bazdar Cean Cawthorn Hilary Derby
Sue Farmar
Cynthia Hudson
Kathy Humphreys
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