

# COMMUNITY NEWS

*Randolph County Family Crisis Center*

## 2023 in Review

What a wonderful year! Thanks to your support, we have been able to do great things to help victims of domestic violence, sexual assault, human trafficking, and child abuse. We are excited to share updates and some of our highlights from 2023 with you as we move into the new year! As an independent nonprofit, we have to raise every dollar in order to operate. We absolutely could not do what we do each day without the incredible support of our community and donors. This has sustained us for over 45 years! In this newsletter, you will find some of our statistical data from 2023. We are so grateful to have been able to serve over 850 clients across all of our programs.

## Renovations

The addition at Emmy's House is complete! Once furniture is moved in, the new conference room will be ready to host multidisciplinary team meetings, advisory committee meetings, and more!

Our Shelter renovation is nearing completion, with only a few electrical and cosmetic details to finish before furniture can be brought in! See photos below!



## STATISTICS

### Victim Advocacy Centers

- 648 clients served
  - 77% adults
  - 23% children
- Over 10,000 total services
- 199 therapy sessions
- 439 restraining orders

### Shelter

- 104 adults
- 88 children
- 3,055 nights of safe shelter

### Children's Advocacy Center

- 205 referrals
- 665 therapy sessions

### Christmas Sponsorships

- Advocacy Centers, Shelter, and Emmy's House CAC
  - 53 families
  - 165 individuals

**7th Annual**  
**PORT-A-PIT BBQ CHICKEN FUNDRAISER**

**ASHEBORO PICK UP LOCATION:**  
Central United Methodist Church  
300 S. Main Street, Asheboro 27203

**ARCHDALE PICK UP LOCATION:**  
Nattie's Frozen Creations  
101 Bonnie Place, Suite O  
Archdale 27263

**Order Now!**

**Emmy's House**  
CHILDREN'S ADVOCACY CENTER

**Order Now!**

**Tuesday, February 13th: 11am - 2pm**  
**\$15 per plate**

**Includes:** 1/2 chicken, baked beans, slaw, roll & dessert  
Tickets must be purchased in advance. Takeout or delivery only.  
Deliveries can be made to locations with 15 or more orders.

**Order and pay online at:** <https://randolphcc.harnessgiving.org/events/1250>  
Or contact RCFCC at 336-626-5040 or [scotts@randolphcc.org](mailto:scotts@randolphcc.org)

## Announcement from the Board of Directors

The beginning of 2024 has begun with changes at our agency. After sixteen years leading the Family Crisis Center, Dare Spicer has decided to pursue other avenues in her professional life. Her vision, drive, and commitment to our agency has made us what we are today. We are grateful to Dare, wish her all the best, and are forever thankful for her years of service. With our Child Advocacy Center, Emmy’s House, named in memory of her daughter, Dare and her family will forever be a part of RCFCC!

We are pleased to announce that Donna Wood has been named as our Interim CEO/Executive Director. Mrs. Wood comes to us with years of experience advocating for victims of family violence as well as experience in grant writing and compliance. Donna has already taken the helm at our agency, providing strong leadership and giving the RCFCC Board of Directors the time needed to do a thorough search for our new CEO/Executive Director. This is not a job the Board takes lightly and we plan to give it the diligence it requires and deserves. In the meantime we have full confidence in the employees of our agency and their ability to make this transition seamless, and they have our full support to ensure our clients and community continue to receive our much needed services!

Sincerely, The RCFCC Board of Directors

## Fundraisers

### February 13 • Port-A-Pit BBQ Chicken

Support our Children’s Advocacy Center while feasting on 1/2 chicken, baked beans, slaw, roll, and dessert - it’s a win-win!

### May 8 • Leading Ladies Luncheon

If you would like to host a table, contact Sherri at [scotts@randolphcc.org](mailto:scotts@randolphcc.org)  
More details will be coming soon!

## A Message From A Client

Just before Christmas, a new family came into our shelter. We already had our clients sponsored for Christmas, but thanks to our wonderful community, this family was quickly sponsored as well and were given a form to write their wish list on. When the mother returned it to staff, the only thing on her wish list was “to be somewhere safe,” which she followed with, “and my wish has finally come true.” Thank you to our donors, sponsors, and community for supporting us in providing services for clients in need.

**Happy New Year!**