## NCCEAPA – Northeast District Report

## Spring 2021

The NCCEAPA-NED spring meeting was held on March 12, 2021 via Zoom hosted by Sheila Powell, Bertie County Administrative Assistant. Bertie County Extension Director, Billy Barrow, welcomed everyone, and gave a very informative and interesting history lesson on Bertie County. Art Bradley, the District Extension Director, gave an administrative update for our District. We had no new association members to recognize. The Nominating Committee introduced the new 2021-2022 slate of officers for the Northeast District, effective October 1<sup>st</sup>, 2021.

There was much discussion about the 2021 State meeting. BJ has secured new contracts for all venues and caterers for the year 2022. We do not foresee being able to travel in September 2021, therefore, the 2021 State meeting will be virtual, and the Northeast district will host the State meeting at Kitty Hawk in September 2022.

The State President, Jill Cofer, created a contest to have county administrative assistants submit designs for our association's new logo. Each district can submit up to 3 designs. Submissions have to be emailed to each District President by March 25, 2021.

Our professional development was "Admin Bingo". Sheila Powell led us in a fun game of Admin Bingo (she had emailed each county their own unique playing card beforehand). The cards had popular phrases used by Extension Admins. Everyone had a wonderful time playing, and there were 3 winners who received eGift cards in different amounts, and as a surprise, each Admin who was present, received a \$5.00 eGift card just for playing. It truly lightened the "pandemic" mood that was set for 2020-2021.

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