Recognizing Partners in Education,
Forsyth County Teachers of the Year
and Parent Leaders

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Don Hendricks Award  
The Hendricks Family

Introduction of 2014 TOTY  
Jeff Bearden

Recognition of School TOTY  
Kristen Deuschle, 2014 FCS Teacher of the Year

Announcement of 2015 TOTY  
Darla Light, FCS Board of Education

Closing  
Jeff Bearden
2015 Elementary School Teacher of the Year
Brookwood Elementary School

Dawn James

Dawn James received her Bachelor’s degree from the University of North Georgia and her Juris Doctorate from Mercer Law School. She is a former member of the Georgia National Guard, where she served as a Military Police Officer. Dawn taught in Florida prior to joining Forsyth County Schools, where she worked as a long-term substitute at Coal Mountain ES before joining Brookwood ES in 2010 as a full-time teacher.

2015 Middle School Teacher of the Year
Vickery Creek Middle School

Jennifer Davies

Jennifer Davies received her Bachelor’s degree from the University of North Georgia, her Master’s degree from Piedmont College. She has taught at both the high school and middle school levels, and has been at Vickery Creek MS since 1998. Jennifer was Forsyth County Schools’ 2002 Middle School Teacher of the Year.

2015 High School Teacher of the Year
Forsyth Central High School

Marlo Miranda

Marlo Miranda completed the teacher certification program for Career and Technical Education at the University of Central Florida. He is a Master Certified Automobile Technician, a General Motors Master Certified Technician and holds Advanced Level Certification in Engine Performance. Marlo taught in Florida prior to joining Forsyth County Schools in 2004.

Past Forsyth County Teachers of the Year

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<td>ANNA AIGNER-MUEHLER</td>
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2014-15 has been an outstanding year for the Partners in Education (P.I.E.) program, with over 900 active partners working with 35 schools and various district departments. P.I.E. provides over $1.6 million in funding, thousands of volunteer hours and countless in-kind services to improve student achievement in all subject areas, enrich students’ life experiences, help grow career opportunities, and boost educator support and morale.

Through relationships with partners, students, teachers and schools are succeeding at higher levels and improving the overall quality of life in Cumming-Forsyth County. A testament to these accomplishments is the Don Hendricks Partnership Award, the highest honor that a P.I.E. can receive. The Hendricks family established this award in 2002 after the passing of their father, a long-time member of the Board of Education. The award is given to the partner who best exemplifies “quality learning and superior performance for all” and demonstrates loyalty to the school system and to the community. Past recipients include:

2002 The Kroger Company Stores
2003 Regions Bank
2004 Outback Steakhouse
2005 Northside Hospital - Forsyth
2006 Keep Forsyth County Beautiful
2007 United Way
2008 Jim and Jeanne DeSana
2009 John Heath RE/MAX 400 North and Your Results Team
2010 Georgia United Credit Union
2011 The Place of Forsyth County
2012 RBM of Atlanta North
2013 Siemens Industry, Inc.
2014 Automation Direct
SPECIAL THANKS

Teacher of the Year (TOTY) Selection Committee, Parent Leaders, South Forsyth Middle School Symphonic Band, Cady Studios for printing the programs, Lifetouch National School Studios for producing the TOTY headshots, Jo Ann’s Flowers & Gifts for the table centerpieces and In & Out Photo for today’s photography along with:

THE 2015 FORSYTH COUNTY TOTY WILL RECEIVE

Gift card, Costa Vida
Six Tickets to the Cumming Country Fair & Festival admission tickets, City of Cumming
Gift Bag, Starbucks
Gift Bag, Membership, AMC Movie Tickets, PF Chang’s Restaurant gift card, and cookbook, Costco
Gift Card, John and Natalie McDonald
Gift Certificate for Full Order, Dream Dinners
Backyard BBQ for Six, Jim N Nick’s
Gift Card, Buses Financial Group
Massage, Kimberly’s Therapeutic Massage & Yoga
Gift Bag and Gift Certificate, Healthsource of Cumming
$250 Gift Card and Gift Basket, Kroger
Gift Basket, North Georgia Vein Institute
Gift, The Collection at Forsyth
THE THREE FINALISTS WILL RECEIVE

Gift card, Costa Vida
Four one-day Cumming Country Fair & Festival admission tickets, City of Cumming
Restaurant gift card, Forsyth County Retired Educators Association
Mini iPad, Cady Studios
Gift Bag, Family fun pack and assorted goodies, Stars and Strikes
Gift Bag, Membership and cookbook, Costco
Gift Bag, Wells Fargo at Work
Digital Storytelling Pack, FCS Technology Department
Gift Card, Evan Profeta Insurance
Gift Certificate, Dream Dinners
Visa Gift Card, Pam Evans, Meridian Realty
Tanya Blanchard, Heritage Bank Mortgage
Visa Gift Card, Corroll Cunningham, Harry Norman Realtor Forsyth/Lake Lanier Office
Engraved pen, Alpha Office Products
$250 Gift Card and Gift Basket, Kroger
Gift Card, Honey Baked Ham
Gift Certificate, The Collection at Forsyth
Gift Certificate, Tuxedo Wearhouse
Gift Certificate, DentFirst Cumming
Gift Basket, The Villas at Canterfield
Gift Basket, Gratitude Goodies
“Teacher of the Year” permanent wall display in Barnes and Noble, Barnes and Noble
Gift Card, Harry Norman Corporate Offices
Gift Basket, Belk
Gift Card, Homes for Heroes
SCHOOL-LEVEL TOTY WILL RECEIVE

Gift card, Costa Vida
Two one-day Cumming Country Fair & Festival admission tickets, City of Cumming
Complimentary portrait package/ family portrait certificate, Cady Studios
Complimentary photo of award presentation, In and Out Photo
“Teacher of the Year” Mug, NGA Promotions
Tervis Tumbler, Alpharetta
Children’s Dentistry & Orthodontics
Gift, RBM of Alpharetta
Gift Bag, The Collection at Forsyth
Gift Basket, Belk
Gift Certificate, North Georgia Vein Institute
Gift Certificate, Healthsource of Cumming