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**Benevolent & Protective Order of Elks ~ Lodge 2679**  
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**“PROVIDING SCHOOL SUPPLIES FOR LOCAL KIDS IN NEED”**

**“Calabash Elks Ladies Auxiliary Donates School Supplies to The Waccamaw School”**

*By Michael Trescak*

Over the past many years, the Ladies Auxiliary of the Elks Lodge in Calabash, NC have collected and purchased School Supplies for students in need who attend the Waccamaw School in Ash, NC, and – this year was no different, except - that the School Supplies Drive was only slightly delayed by the COVID-19 pandemic. However, the Ladies did live up to their legacy, and made up for the delay, by recently delivering a huge quantity of varied school supplies to the school, so much so, that it took 2 vehicles to transport them.

The school administrators and the guidance counselors determine which students are in need, and distribute the supplies accordingly. The Waccamaw School is just one of the many local charities to whom the Ladies Auxiliary donate throughout the year.

The mission of the Ladies Auxiliary of the Calabash Elks Lodge is to work collaboratively with the Elks in providing in their endeavors, support charities that promote community welfare, and assist those in need. They achieve their mission, in part, by hosting fundraisers throughout the year. The Ladies Auxiliary of the Calabash Elks welcomes anyone who is 21- years or older to join their organization. For additional information on the Calabash Elks and the Ladies Auxiliary, visit their Web Site <https://calabashelks.org/ladies-auxiliary.html>

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**~ Calabash Elks Ladies Auxiliary Donate School Supplies ~**  
***Pictured above, containers of School Supplies collected by the Ladies Auxiliary of the Calabash Elks Lodge line the halls at the Waccamaw School in Ash, NC. While, - Pictured standing in front of the donated school supplies are (left to Right): John Magas, Calabash Elks Lodge; - Carol Haack, Ladies Auxiliary Project Lead for the Annual School Supplies Drive; and - Robin Bean, Waccamaw School staff.***