



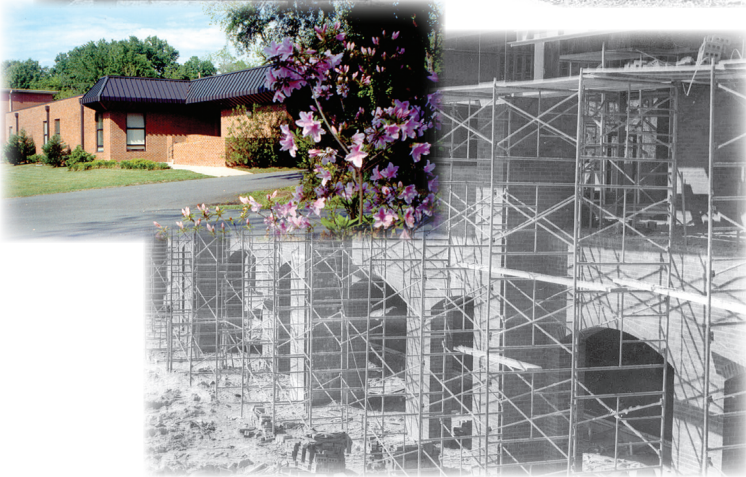
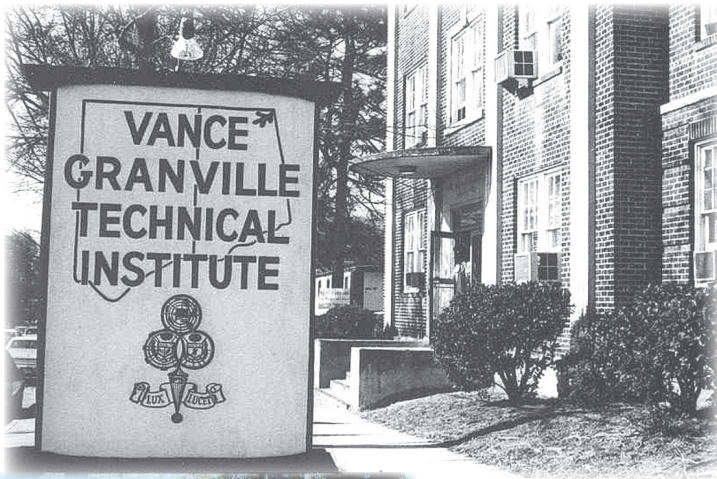
VANCE-GRANVILLE
COMMUNITY COLLEGE

President's Report

2004-2005

35 Years of Excellence

35 Years



VGCC's Board of Trustees

Seated, clockwise from left:

Sara Wester; Clarence Lemons; Henrietta Clark, secretary; Randy Parker, VGCC president; Donald Seifert, board chair; David Brooks, board vice chair; Abdul Rasheed; and Grace Vickery.

Standing, left to right: John Williamson, VGCC student representative; Bernard Alston; Tom Houlihan; Opie Frazier; and John Foster.

Unavailable for the photo: T.W. Ellis.

35 Years of Excellence

of Excellence

VGCC: Poised for the Future

A Message from President Randy Parker

Soon after I took over as president of Vance-Granville Community College on Sept. 1, 2004, the college celebrated its 35th anniversary. The first 35 years represent an awesome period of growth and progress from its humble beginnings as Vance County Technical Institute in 1969. VGCC now ranks as the largest rural community college among the 58 schools in the N.C. Community College System. We are the primary source of training and education in Vance, Granville, Franklin and Warren counties to prepare our citizens for employment in today's workforce.

Vance-Granville has achieved its success through the efforts of many leaders, faculty and staff who have had the foresight to recognize the needs of area citizens, to provide them the training necessary to succeed and to plan for future changes in the economy and its evolving workforce.

To prepare our citizens for emerging jobs of the 21st century, we have added a Pharmacy Technology program just in the past few years, and Bioprocess Technology is set to start in Fall 2005. We have increased enrollment in our nursing programs to help alleviate the local and state shortage in health care professionals. Our College Transfer program was recognized this past year as the top college in the state for preparing students for success when they transfer to four-year schools. Also, we were third in the state for the

number of GED and Adult High School diplomas awarded.

The task now facing VGCC is to recognize what the future holds and to plan the programs of study that will keep our students competitive when they enter the changing workforce.

We must accomplish this in the face of an economy that is evolving to where we must compete on a global level.

We are hard at work on this task. Within the college, we have formed a Leadership Institute through which we will train our faculty and staff for leadership roles in this global-based education. We are formulating a long-range plan to address the future needs of the college and the students we serve. We have held forums this year in all four counties we serve to get input from leaders in all areas on what their needs are and how VGCC can address those needs.

Our planning continues to be an ongoing process. We sincerely appreciate the strong support through the years of all the people in the counties we serve, and we solicit your continuing support and guidance as we plan to provide the training and educational opportunities necessary to guide our students in the 21st century.



Randy Parker



In 2004-2005 I served as Vance-Granville Community College's president for a couple of months prior to my retirement in August 2004. In my years as president, I was able to see the college continue its tremendous growth and success in preparing area citizens for better jobs and lives. This growth and success was due to a dedicated and talented faculty and staff, and to the wonderful support of the communities the college serves.

Because of the leadership and hard work of the caring people at Vance-Granville Community College, I feel confident it will continue on its path to becoming the best community college in North Carolina. I wish the college all the best.

— Robert A. Miller

Robert A. Miller

35 Years of Excellence

Highlights:



A Year in Review

Aug. 5: Vance-Granville awards 181 degrees and diplomas in curriculum programs.

Aug. 18: Fall Semester 2004 opens with record 4,370 curriculum students registered; enrollment in Associate Degree Nursing program increased from 80 to 110; Practical Nursing enrollment doubled to 40.

Aug. 31: Robert A. Miller retires after five years as President, 21 years at VGCC and 35 years service to North Carolina education.

Sept. 1: Randy Parker assumes presidency of Vance-Granville Community College.

Sept. 1: Day Care Centers at main campus and Franklin County Campus are re-certified with Five-



Vanessa Jones, VGCC's vice president of community and economic development, admires the new national flags on display in the VGCC Civic Center. Each flag represents the home country of a Vance-Granville student.

VGCC awarded a total of 500 degrees and diplomas at the Summer 2004 and Spring 2005 graduation exercises. Below, as part of the college's 35th birthday celebration, Bobbie Jo May, right, director of the Franklin County Campus, serves cake to a student.



Star ratings, the highest awarded by North Carolina.

Sept. 1: Lou Ann Murphy Basic Skills Academic Achievement Award is endowed.

Sept. 8: VGCC celebrates its 35th anniversary with birthday cake and punch at all four campuses.

Sept. 13: Reception held for public to welcome new president, Randy Parker.

'04-'05

Sept. 13: Ladies Auxiliary of VFW Post 2417 Academic Achievement Award is endowed.

Sept. 20: \$2.3 million contract awarded for construction of 16,880 square-foot classroom building at Franklin County Campus.

Sept. 20: Board of Trustees approves \$43,952,910 budget for 2004-2005 fiscal year, a 23-percent increase over previous year.

Sept. 22: VGCC awards scholarships to 290 full-time students at annual Scholarship Day. 201 part-time students receive \$300 awards. Total awards of \$250,000 are record amount.

Oct. 13: Faculty/staff Endowment Fund Drive raises \$28,708, surpassing previous record high by more than \$9,000.

Oct. 14: Granville Industrial & Business Club upgrades Academic Achievement Award to Presidential Merit Award.

Oct. 15: Vance County Unit of North Carolina Retired School Personnel James R. Barnes Academic Achievement Award is established.

Nov. 1: Marsha Nelson is named vice president of instruction and student services and Gary Morgan is named vice president of finance and operations; four division chairs designated as deans.

Nov. 11: Coca-Cola Bottlers Foundation Presidential Merit Award is endowed.

Dec. 11: Revlon establishes a third Presidential Merit Award.

Dec. 14: 19 new officers graduated by 78th Basic Law Enforcement Training class.



Left to right: Randy Parker, Angela Johnson, Debra Hughes, Fred Wilson.

Presidential Leadership Award Recipients

Each year VGCC's faculty and staff select nominees for the N.C. Community College System's Excellence in Teaching Award and Staff Member of the Year Award, and in 2004 the president of the college began selecting an annual recipient of the Presidential Leadership Award. The 2004-2005 recipients were:

- **Angela G. Johnson**, program head and instructor for Criminal Justice Technology, who was VGCC's nominee for the Excellence in Teaching Award. She was selected based on her innovations in teaching, unselfish devotion and contributions to her students' success, and her leadership roles both in the classroom and beyond. She has been described by her students as a "friendly and kind instructor," an "instructor who has genuine feeling for all of her students," and one who "makes students glad they decided to attend Vance-Granville." Johnson, who began teaching at VGCC in 1997, graduated Summa Cum Laude with a master's degree from N.C. Central University in 2002.

- **Debra D. Hughes**, executive assistant to the vice president of finance and operations, who was VGCC's nominee for the Staff Member of the Year Award. She was selected because of her commitment and contributions to her department and the college. She consistently performs above and beyond the call of duty to assist students, faculty and staff and is recognized throughout the college for her exceptional attitude and performance in her duties. Hughes graduated from VGCC in 1996 with an Associate in Applied Science Degree in Micro-Computer Systems and was a member of Phi Theta Kappa, the scholastic honor society of two-year colleges.

- **Frederick H. Wilson, Jr.**, who was selected by President Randy Parker as the winner of the first annual Presidential Leadership Award. Wilson announced in November 2003 his intention to retire from VGCC in 2004 after more than 30 years service. He joined the faculty in 1974 as an instructor in Recreation & Leisure Studies. He held several positions, including department chair of Public Service/Vocational Education and dean of instruction, prior to becoming vice president in February 1999, the position he held until his departure on Oct. 28, 2004.

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BioWork, a rigorous 16-week training course, prepares students for well-paying employment in pharmaceutical, chemical and manufacturing companies. During 2004-2005 VGCC developed plans for a related two-year degree program in Bioprocess Technology.

2005

Jan. 6: Spring Semester 2005 begins with record 4,105 curriculum students; first classes held in new 15,212-square-foot classroom building at Warren County Campus.

Jan. 6: Glen Raven Inc. endows a fourth Presidential Scholar Award.

Jan. 6: Holly Elizabeth Turner Memorial Presidential Merit Award is endowed.

Jan. 10-13: Four-day series of events held to honor memory of Dr. Martin Luther King, Jr.

Jan. 16: VGCC earns certification as an Advanced Emergency Medical Services Educational Institution.

Jan. 24: John K. Nelms resigns from Board of Trustees after more than 30 years service.

More Highlights

Feb. 23: Strategic Initiatives Forum held at Warren County Campus to get community input for college's long-range plan.

Feb. 24: Vance-Granville presents Cultural Fair 2005.

March 8: Dr. G. Thomas Houlihan named by governor to Board of Trustees.

March 24: Franklin Campus hosts Strategic Initiatives Forum.

April 4: H. Martin Lancaster, president of the N.C. Community

April 25: Strategic Initiatives Forum held at main campus for Vance County.

May 10: Record 224 golfers raise record \$33,000 for scholarships at annual Endowment Fund Golf Tournament.

May 14: 319 degrees and diplomas are awarded at Spring Graduation.

May 23: GlaxoSmithKline donates \$100,000 to endow technology scholarships at VGCC.



John K. Nelms, left, resigned from the VGCC Board of Trustees in 2005 following more than 30 years of service. At a reception in Nelms' honor, Donald C. Seifert Sr., trustees chair, presented a plaque naming Nelms a Trustee Emeritus.

College System, speaks at kickoff for VGCC Leadership Institute.

April 5-6: Main Campus hosts two-day Community Health Fair.

April 19: Strategic Initiatives Forum held at Masonic Home for Children for Granville County.

May 25: Eben G. and Mary Frances McSwain Academic Achievement Award is endowed.

June 1: State report gives Vance-Granville Community College "Superior" rating and No. 1 ranking in College Transfer.

Achieving Excellence

State Report Ranks VGCC 'Superior,' Ranks College Transfer Program No. 1

from '04-'05



Native American dancers were among the many acts featured at the annual Cultural Fair, held in Feb. 2005 in the VGCC Civic Center. Students, faculty and staff also enjoyed exhibits and foods representing a variety of nations and cultures.

The Critical Success Factors Report, an annual evaluation released in June by the N.C. Community College System, rates community colleges on how they perform in 12 standards. Vance-Granville met or surpassed 10 of the 12 standards and received a "Superior" rank for the fourth straight year.

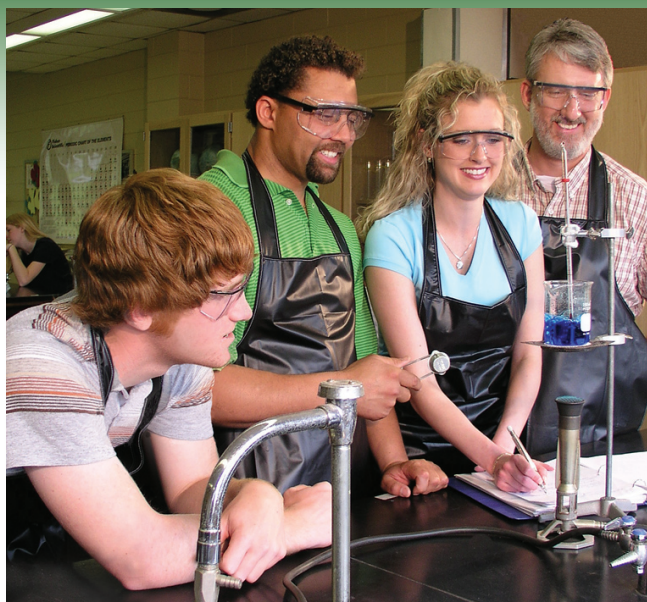
The latest performance figures also show that students who transferred to universities in the University of North Carolina system from VGCC's Transfer program ranked highest among the 58 N.C. community colleges in performance after two semesters of university study during the 2003-2004 school year.

Performance Measure	NCCCS Standard	VGCC Data ('03-'04)
*A. Progress of Basic Skills Students	75%	75%
*B. Pass Rate for Licensure & Certification Exams	Aggregate: 80% With 0 exams below 70%	Aggregate: 82% Some exams below 70% (<i>Did not meet standard</i>)
*C. Goal Completion of Program Completers	95%	99%
*D. Employment Status of Graduates	94%	99.33%
*E. Performance of College Transfer Students	82.9%	94%
F. Passing rate of students in developmental courses	70%	71%
G. Success rate of developmental students in college-level-courses	No difference in performance of developmental & non-developmental students	Developmental: 66% Non-developmental: 81% (<i>Did not meet standard</i>)
H. Satisfaction of completers and non-completers	90%	99%
I. Retention and Graduation	60%	67%
J. Employer satisfaction with graduates	85%	94%
*K. Client satisfaction with customized training	90%	100%
L. Program unduplicated headcount enrollment	No programs with 3-year average of fewer than 10 students	0 Programs

Number of standards met for Performance Funding: 5 - Superior

* Measures that are required for performance funding and "superior rating" plus one measure selected by the college (usually Measure K).

New billboards promoting the college throughout the four-county service area debuted in 2005.




VGCC

2004-2005 Graduates

Degrees and Diplomas	500
Adult High School and GED diplomas*	729
TOTAL	1,229

* VGCC ranked 3rd in the state for number of AHS/GED diplomas awarded.

2004-2005 Class Offerings and Student Enrollment

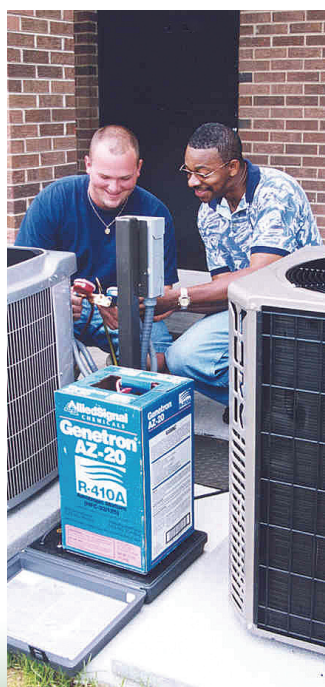
	Number of Curriculum Locations	Number of Contin. Ed. Locations	Number of Curriculum Classes	Number of Contin. Ed. Classes	Curriculum Headcount*	Contin. Ed. Headcount*
Vance	5	31	1,317	973	4,241	6,401
Granville	8	39	436	415	1,463	3,307
Franklin	4	27	252	292	919	1,524
Warren	3	22	106	146	272	1,095
TOTAL	20	119	2,111	1,826	6,895	12,327

* Headcounts are unduplicated within each county, but totals may reflect duplication.



Continuing Education Enrollment 2004-2005

Adult Basic Skills	2,640
Occupational Extension, Small Business Center, Industry Training	8,704
TOTAL	11,344



Student Body 2004-2005

Curriculum

Continuing Education

5,824	Unduplicated Headcount	11,344	Unduplicated Headcount
31.5	Average age	39	Average age
68%	Female students	42%	Female students
32%	Male students	58%	Male students
47%	African-American	44%	African-American
47%	Caucasian	49%	Caucasian
4%	Other or race unknown	7%	Other or race unknown

All data provided by VGCC Office of Institutional Advancement

Facts & Figures

Financial Aid Awards 2004-2005

Financial Aid Award	No. of Recipients	Dollars Awarded
Pell Grants	2,358	\$5,300,092
VGCC Scholarships	498	233,570
Institutional Grants	303	74,739
Community College Grants	347	235,836
Work Study Grants	64	141,990
Other Financial Aid		2,205,862
TOTAL	4,355	\$8,192,089

VGCC Offered 37 Curriculum Programs in 2004-2005

- Accounting
- Air Conditioning, Heating & Refrigeration
- Associate in Arts
- Associate in Science
- Associate in General Education
- Associate Degree Nursing
- Automotive Systems Technology
- Business Administration
- Business Administration/E-Commerce
- Business Administration/Operations Management
- Carpentry
- Cosmetology
- Cosmetology Instructor
- Criminal Justice Technology
- Developmental Studies
- Early Childhood Associate
- Early Childhood Associate/Teacher Associate
- Electrical/Electronics Technology
- Electronics Engineering Technology
- General Occupational Technology
- Human Services Technology
- Human Services Technology/Mental Health
- Human Services Technology/Substance Abuse
- Industrial Systems Technology
- Information Systems
- Information Systems/Network Administration and Support
- Internet Technologies
- Manicuring/Nail Technology
- Medical Assisting
- Medical Office Administration
- Office Systems Technology
- Office Systems Technology/Legal
- Pharmacy Technology
- Practical Nursing
- Radiography
- Recreation and Leisure Studies
- Welding Technology

Faculty & Staff

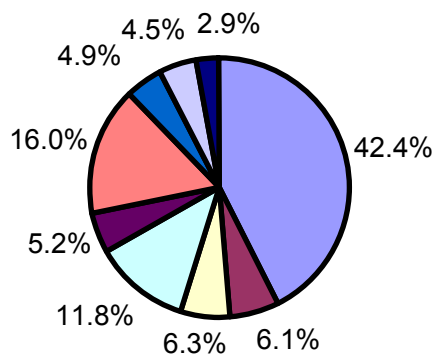
(Employed During 2004-2005)

Instructors	
Full-Time	197
Part-Time	379
TOTAL	577
Other Staff	
Full-Time	154
Part-Time	254
TOTAL	408
TOTAL EMPLOYEES	985



Expenses 2004-2005

\$31,540,543



- Instruction
- Student Services
- Operations & Maintenance
- Auxiliary Enterprises
- Construction
- Academic Support
- Institutional Support
- Student Financial Aid
- Equipment

Total VGCC Employee Payroll for 2004-2005: \$14,967,140



Community



VGCC President Randy Parker greets U.S. Senator Elizabeth Dole at the groundbreaking ceremony for the library and art gallery phase of the Embassy Block Project in downtown Henderson.

Business & Industry

Area businesses and industries turn to VGCC as they seek to grow and expand, confident that they have a reliable resource for specialized training for their employees.

Through New and Expanding Industry Training offered by VGCC's **ECONOMIC DEVELOPMENT SERVICES DIVISION**, Vance-Granville took on six projects, training 1,709 employees in 2004-2005, while Focused Industrial Training served 16 industries and taught 651 trainees.

The **SMALL BUSINESS CENTER**, designed to provide

the small businesses of the community with a focal point for training, education, counseling and referral, offered 28 Small Business and 42 Occupational Extension courses in 2004-2005, with a total of 1,117 participants. In addition, a total of 59 clients used business counseling services.

Also in 2004-2005, the college began offering **WORK KEYS** assessments to area employers, employees and unemployed persons to measure individuals' job skills and to match them to available jobs. Key Train classes in the **COMPUTER CENTER** offer individualized instruction to prepare individuals for assessments in skill areas in which they need assistance.

Kerr-Tar Hub Project

State and local economic development officials announced in early 2005 that the first phase of the Kerr-Tar Hub Project, an innovative technology center and industrial/business park, will be situated on 1,000 acres adjacent to VGCC's main campus, located on I-85 between Henderson and Oxford.

The convenient location of the hub will provide increased opportunities for VGCC to offer on-site and customized training for businesses and industries.

Facilities for Community Use

A hub of activity for the community, Vance-Granville provides a centralized location for gathering.

On the main campus, a Civic Center, conference rooms and auditorium provide meeting space in excess of 10,000 square feet for exhibitions, banquets, trade shows, job fairs, concerts and special events.

In 2004-2005, more than 30,000 people outside the college attended activities in the Civic Center, and an additional 5,000 individuals used other college facilities.

Partnerships



Sue Grissom (left), VGCC's director of basic skills, Leo Kelly (center), VGCC's dean of adult basic education, and the Rev. Rick Brand of First Presbyterian Church of Henderson display one of the banners used to advertise the literacy classes that the college and the church are co-sponsoring.

Strategic Plans for the Future

In 2005 VGCC hosted Strategic Initiative Forums in all four counties it serves to gather community input concerning the economic, social, cultural and educational needs of each county and ways the college can incorporate these needs into its educational mission.

Information gathered at these forums will be utilized by college officials as they develop a Long-Range Strategic Plan to help prepare area communities for the new knowledge-based global economy and market-place.



Community input recorded at four Strategic Initiative forums in 2005 will help VGCC develop long-range strategic plans.

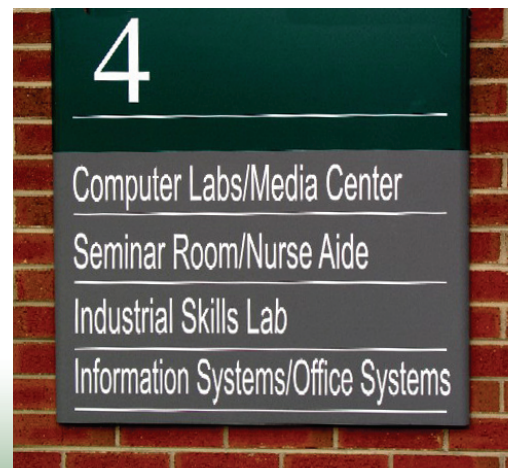
Construction and



2005 marked the official opening of a new 15,212-square-foot classroom building on VGCC's Warren County campus.



VGCC and Warren County officials dedicate the new Warren Campus classroom building with a ribbon-cutting ceremony.



Growth

2004-2005 proved to be a busy and productive year for construction projects on the campuses of Vance-Granville Community College.

When the fiscal year began on July 1, 2004, the roof was in place and the 15,212-square-foot classroom building at the Warren County Campus in Warrenton was well under way and on schedule for completion by the end of the year. The 10,000-square-foot addition to the Student Services Building on the main campus was about 35-percent complete.

In September 2004, \$2.3 million in contracts were awarded for a 16,880-square-foot, two-story classroom building at the Franklin County Campus at Louisburg.

Construction of the Warren Campus classroom building was completed in November 2004. The building houses three classrooms, four computer labs, a Nursing Assistant classroom and lab, and a meeting-seminar room for college and community use.

The beginning of 2005 saw Spring Semester classes begin in the new Warren Campus classroom building. The addition to the Student Services Building was completed, and staff began moving in. This project consolidated all student services in one building, making it more convenient for students and more efficient for staff.

When March arrived, footings had been dug for the Franklin County classroom building, and erection of the structural steel began. Construction documents for a 20,000-square-foot, two story addition to the South Campus in Granville County were submitted in March to the State Construction Office for approval.

By May 2005, all structural steel was up and the roof was installed on the Franklin Campus building, and brick work and window installation had begun.

Exterior work was completed in June, and interior wall installation and painting were under way at the Franklin Campus, a project that was well ahead of schedule. Also, design drawings were completed for a Bioprocess Technology lab in the lower level of the Student Services Building on the main campus.



Construction began in March 2005, and progressed quickly throughout the spring, on a new 16,880-square-foot classroom building at Franklin Campus.

35 Years of Excellence

Foundation and



In May 2005, Mary Linda Andrews, center, director of community partnerships for GlaxoSmithKline, presented a check for \$100,000 to Marsha Nelson, left, VGCC vice president of instruction, for the college's Endowment Fund for student scholarships. Shown at right is H. Martin Lancaster, president of the N.C. Community College System.

Presidential Scholar Awards

*Established with gift of \$25,000**

— 10 Scholarships —

ACS

R.B. "Bob" Butler Memorial

John T. Church, Sr.

John T. Church, Sr. Memorial

Miss Nannie Crowder Memorial

Dove, Knight & Whitehurst,
Architects

Glen Raven, Inc. (4)

** As of July 1, 2005*

Thanks to various resources and contributions to Vance-Granville Community College's Endowment and Scholarship Fund, financial support is available to many of our students with financial need.

As of June 30, 2005, the college Endowment Fund had 290 endowed scholarships for full-time students, as listed in three categories on the following pages.

One of the largest community college scholarship funds in the state, VGCC's Endowment and Scholarship Fund now exceeds \$5 million in assets, including funds in trusts naming the college as beneficiary.

In 2004, 287 full-time students received Endowment and Scholarship Fund awards totaling \$175,125, and an additional 200 part-time students received scholarships totaling \$52,445. Eleven students received corporate and private annual scholarships totaling \$6,000.

Nearly 4,700 scholarships have been awarded to deserving students through the fund since its reactivation in 1982.

As evidenced by the Endowment and Scholarship Fund and other community support,

there are many who believe in the college as a vital educational force and who have translated those beliefs into support and action.

Levels of giving for the VGCC Endowment and Scholarship Fund have been established as follows, and contributors will be listed in future reports.

Friends' Circle: Up to \$249
Honors' Circle: \$250-\$499
Scholar Circle: \$500-\$999
Dean's Circle: \$1,000-\$2,499
President's Circle: \$2,500-\$4,999
Founder's Circle: \$5000+

In 2004-2005, 498 Vance-Granville Community College students were awarded scholarships totaling \$233,570.

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Scholarships

Presidential Merit Awards *Established with gift of \$15,000**

78 Scholarships

Air Control, Inc.
Linda Aleshire Memorial
Americal Corporation
Frank and Ruth Askins (2)
Bandag, Inc.
R.B. "Bob" Butler Memorial (7)
CareFocus Nursing
Church of the Holy Innocents (2)
Emma Rose Church
John T. Church, Sr.
Marion Lee Johnson Church
Coca-Cola Bottlers Foundation
Marshall Young Cooper, Sr.
Mishew C. Cooper Nursing
Harriet & Henderson Yarns, Inc.
Rudolph Corbitt Memorial
Miss Nannie Crowder Memorial (7)
Thurman & Fannie Crumpler Scouting
Dr. Ben F. Currin

Ferguson Family Foundation
Flextronics International
Glen Raven, Inc.
Granville County Cattleman's Assoc.
Granville Industrial & Business Club
Betty S. Hicks/Granville Industrial
& Business Club
Margaret L. Gupton
& Linwood M. Gupton Memorial
Talmadge Hamm Memorial
H. Dermont Hedrick Memorial
Robbie Gilliam Hedrick
Vera M. Hedrick
Hugh White Holt (3)
Hubbard Family
George W. Jenkins Memorial Boy Scouts
Bignall Speed Jones Memorial
Kayser-Roth Corp./
Creedmoor Distribution Center
Kittrell Family
Lace Lastics Co., Inc.

Leggett Family
Robert A. Leggett, Jr. Memorial
Lenox China
Harriette G. Mast Memorial
Margaret West Cousins Matteson
Robert A. Miller
Nelms Family
The Oxford Woman's Club Memorial
The Oxford Woman's Club Centennial
Helen & Norris Post
Professional Construction Estimators
Association - Triangle Chapter
Revlon (3)
John Stovall Royster, Jr. Memorial
Lucy Royster Brenner Memorial
Helen Jones Sherman Memorial
Sirchie Finger Print Laboratories
Holly Elizabeth Turner Memorial
VGCC Faculty & Staff (4)
William T. "Billy" Watkins Memorial
Hutson Wester Insurance

** As of July 1, 2005*

Todd Wemyss, left, site manager of Glen Raven, Inc., of Norlina, presents \$20,000 to VGCC President Randy Parker for the college's Endowment Fund and Scholarship Program. Glen Raven is the largest corporate donor to VGCC's Endowment Fund and has now given more than \$223,000 to endow scholarships at the college. These include four Glen Raven Presidential Scholar Awards and a Presidential Merit Award. Glen Raven scholarships are awarded to deserving students from Warren County.



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VGCC Scholarships

Academic Achievement Scholarships

202 Scholarships

Lucy West Abbott Memorial
 Sam Alford Memorial/
 Henderson Lions Club
 AMVETS - Vance County Chapter 730 (2)
 Hayden C. Bailey Family Memorial
 Bank of America (2)
 Julius and Harriet Banzet
 The Barnabus Fund
 James R. Barnes/Vance County Unit
 N.C. Retired School Personnel
 Branch Banking & Trust of Henderson
 Branch Banking & Trust of Oxford
 W. B. Beasley Memorial
 George B. Blum Memorial/
 Middleburg Ruritan Club
 W.W. Boddie, Sr. Memorial
 Dr. Joseph Alston Boyd, Jr.
 Amanda A. "Mandy" Braswell Memorial

Pauline Neisler Brewer
 John Brigham Memorial
 Annie R. Bullock Memorial/
 City of Henderson
 George E. & Estelle H. Bullock Memorial
 Bernard O. Burgess Memorial Radiography
 Burlington Industries
 R.B. "Bob" Butler Memorial (15)
 Capital Bank
 Carolina Sunrock
 Minnie Moseley Cawley Memorial
 Central Carolina Bank & Trust Co.
 CertainTeed Corporation
 Cecil L. Chacon, Jr. Memorial
 Church of the Holy Innocents
 John T. Church, Sr./Rose's Stores, Inc.
 Martha M. Clark
 Lucille Couch
 Lenwood A. Crabtree
 Miss Nannie Crowder Memorial (15)

Dorothy M. Currin Memorial
 Dorothy M. Currin Nursing
 Sophia H. Currin Memorial
 Thomas B. Currin/Oxford Rotary Club
 T. J. "Pooky" Currin Memorial
 Mr. and Mrs. William A. Delbridge
 Mr. and Mrs. B. A. Parker
 Eastern Carolina Rabbit Breeders Assoc.
 Stanley H. Fox
 Franklin County Education Fund
 Julius M. Frazier Memorial
 Gate Precast Company
 Georgia-Pacific Corporation
 Hubert L. Gooch, Sr.
 Patricia P. Graham
 Granville Industrial & Business Club (3)
 John K. Nelms/Granville Industrial Club
 Elie Gut/Ideal Fastener Corporation
 Talmadge Hamm Memorial
 Joseph & Carrie P. Hamme



Faculty, Staff Show Support

Donald C. Seifert, Sr., left, chair of VGCC's board of trustees, and Randy Parker, right, VGCC president, accept a check for \$28,698 from Jo Anna Jones, Larraine Abbott and George Henderson (center, left to right), representatives of faculty and staff. The record sum was pledged by VGCC employees during their 2004-05 fund drive.

continued

*Established with gift of \$10,000**

Dr. & Mrs. Roy L. Noblin Memorial	Kerr Lake Board of Realtors
Thurston S. "Judge" & Vivian L. Parham	Milton F. Legg, Jr., Memorial
Thomas G. & Mildred K. Taylor Memorial	Frank H. Madigan
John Pearson Harris, Jr. Memorial	Vesta Fortson Manning Memorial
John Pearson Harris, Sr. Memorial	Harriette G. Mast Memorial
Mattie B. Harris	William J. "Bill" Matthews Memorial
Robert J. & Isabel B. Morgan Memorial	Eben G. & Mary Frances McSwain
Ethel Jane Rideout Harrison Memorial	Fred E. & Ernestine H. Miller Memorial
Robert Burnham Harrison, Sr. Memorial	Lou Ann Murphy Basic Skills
Robert B. Harrison /	Nekoosa Packaging
Henderson Kiwanis Club	Marsha J. Nelson
Henderson Business & Professional	Diane W. Nethercutt Nursing Memorial
Women's Club	Newton Instrument Co.
Thelma "Bug" Dempsey / Henderson BPW	John K. Nelms / Newton
Carrie Draper / Henderson BPW	Nortel (3)
Fitzhugh A. Kesler / Henderson BPW	Novozymes North America, Inc. (3)
Emily G. Whitten / Henderson BPW	Owens-Illinois
Henderson Coca-Cola Bottling Co. /	Oxford-Henderson Alumnae Chapter
Classic Food Services	of Delta Sigma Theta Sorority (2)
Henderson Woman's Club (2)	Oxford Junior Woman's Club
Founding Members Henderson	Oxford Lions Club
Police Honor Guard	William D. Payne
Irene Hamm Hester / Carolina	W. D. Payne / Henderson High School
Cooling & Heating, Inc.	Class of '38
George W. Holden, Jr. Accounting	W. D. Payne / Henderson High School
The IAMS Company	Class of '39 (2)
George W. Jenkins Memorial Boy Scouts (2)	W. D. Payne / Vance County Unit
Linda Vele Johnson Memorial	N.C. Retired School Personnel
Seby B. Jones / Rufus T. Aiken	Scott Parker Peace Memorial
James Madison "Jimmy" Joyner Memorial	Henry S. Peoples, Chapter 67,
Mr. and Mrs. C.B. Keller Memorial	DAV of Henderson (4)
William Lee Keller Memorial	Henry S. Peoples Memorial /
Kerr Lake Area Home Builders Assoc. /	Disabled American Veterans
Red Faulkner Memorial	Adna B. Pierce Memorial
Kerr Lake Area Home Builders Assoc. /	Planters National Bank
John Franklin	RBC Centura Bank of Oxford
Kerr Lake Area Home Builders Assoc. /	
Carl Lawrence	

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VGCC Scholarships

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Academic Achievement Scholarships

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Hill Cooper Post 2417 (3)
Ladies Auxiliary of Veterans of Foreign
Wars, Hill Cooper Auxiliary #2417
Warrenton Rotary Club
Marvin H. Baugh/Warrenton Rotary Club
S. M. Watkins, Sr. Memorial
Hutson Wester Insurance
Morris Wheeler West, Sr. Memorial
Otha Wilkins Memorial
Edward L. Williams Memorial
Kate M. Wood Memorial

“ —————
VGCC opened doors for me through grants and scholarships, and I try to impress upon my clients that they can go through those doors. And once they cross that bridge to independence, it feels so good.
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— *Cassandra Hart of Henderson, Vance County Social Services Department social worker and VGCC graduate with GED and associate degrees in Criminal Justice and College Transfer*

Corporate & Private Annual Scholarships for 2004-2005

Alaris Scholarship (4)
BB&T Scholarship

Coca-Cola Scholars
Foundation Scholarship
GlaxoSmithKline Scholarship
Olive Forsythe Scholarship

Sprint Scholarship
Joyce Yeargin Nursing Scholarship (2)
Wachovia Scholarship



Statewide Study Shows VGCC Benefits Students, Local Economy

CCbenefits Inc. reported the results of a study it did on the socioeconomic benefits generated by all 58 of the community colleges in North Carolina, including Vance-Granville. Featured here are the highlights of the study.

How Students Benefit

VGCC enriches the lives of students and increases their lifetime incomes. For every \$1.00 the student invests in a VGCC education, he or she will receive approximately \$10.00 in higher future earnings over the next 30 years.

- ✓ The payback period (time needed to recover all costs) is 4.4 years.
- ✓ For every year they attend full time beyond the associate's degree, they will earn an additional \$3,987 per year.
- ✓ VGCC students will enjoy a 34.6% rate of return on their investments of time and money, which compares favorably with the returns on other investments, e.g., the long-term return on U.S. stocks and bonds.

How Taxpayers Benefit

VGCC benefits taxpayers by reducing the demand for taxpayer-supported social services. VGCC provides a benefit/cost ratio of 3.1, i.e., every dollar of state or local tax money invested in VGCC today returns \$3.10, a 16.8% rate of return with a 7.8-year payback period.

- ✓ **Improved Health:** Benefits from reduced health-related absenteeism, smoking and alcohol abuse for better-educated workers total \$906,000 annually.
- ✓ **Reduced Crime:** Fewer incarcerations and reduced victims costs result in annual savings of \$2,166,300.
- ✓ **Reduced Welfare/Unemployment:** 293 fewer people on welfare and 182 fewer drawing unemployment amounts to annual savings of \$2.8 million.



Total socioeconomic savings are about \$5.9 million per year.

How Our Economy Benefits

VGCC contributes to the vitality of both our local and state economies.

Service Area Operations

- ✓ Approximately 89% of the students who attend VGCC stay in the region after they leave college and contribute to the local economy. Their continued contribution is measured after accounting for out-migration, retirement and death. After leaving the college, the average VGCC student will spend 30 years in the workforce.
- ✓ Each year students leave VGCC and join or rejoin the local workforce. Their added skills translate to higher earnings and more robust VGCC Service Area Economy.

College Operations Spending

- ✓ 580 VGCC full- and part-time salaries and income spent in local region amount to \$21.7 million annually.

Past Student Productivity Efforts

- ✓ Direct and indirect earnings of past VGCC students total \$196.1 million.

Total Earnings in College Service Area

- ✓ The defined economic region generated **\$1.8 billion** in total earnings in FY 2003. Of this, the college operations spending and past student productivity accounted for **\$217.9 million**, or **11.9 %** of all regional earnings.

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Clockwise from upper left are VGCC's Main Campus, South Campus, Franklin Campus and Warren Campus.



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