

#### CLINTON-SAMPSON CHAMBER OF COMMERCE

## 77th ANNUAL BANQUET



PRESTAGE HALL
CLINTON, NORTH CAROLINA

**MARCH 14, 2024** 



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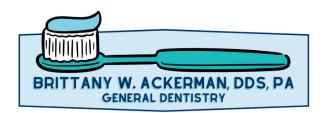


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## **PROGRAM**

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Welcome

**Alicia Sumner** Chamber Staff

Invocation

**Rev. Katie Rives**Graves Memorial Presbyterian

Dinner

**Ezzell's** 

Recognition of Board Members & Distinguished Guests

**Pat Nobles** Board Chair

Mission & Vision Introduction of Emcee

**Cynthia Roberts**Board Vice Chair

**Award Presentation** 

**Greg Fishel** Emcee

Introduction of Speaker

Matt Stone
Executive Director

Keynote

**Ray Starling**North Carolina Chamber

Raffle Drawing & Closing Remarks

Matt Stone
Executive Director



## **AWARDS**



#### ENTREPRENEURIAL SUCCESS

Sue Smith
Tickled Pink Consignment Shop

#### NEW BUSINESS OF THE YEAR

The Rink Jerris McPhail

#### COMMUNITY IMPACT

Night to Shine First Methodist Church

#### **ECONOMIC IMPACT**

Sampson Community College

#### INNOVATION & ADVANCEMENT

Star Communications

#### NON-PROFIT OF THE YEAR

Sampson Arts Council

#### **OUTSTANDING SUPPORT STAFF**

Nicole Rackley Office of Brittany W. Ackerman, DDS, PA

#### **BUSINESS EXCELLENCE**

Hugh Carr H.N. Carr, Inc.

#### MEMBER OF THE YEAR

Jeremy Edgerton

#### BUSINESS LEADER OF THE YEAR

Gary Mac Herring Mary Mack's, Inc.



#### 2024 BOARD OF DIRECTORS

Pat Nobles, Chair

Truist Bank

**Cynthia Roberts, Vice Chair** 

**Quantifiable Business Processes** 

**Donna Bullard** 

Star Communications

Jim Matthews

Matthews Drug (Retired)

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**Grantham Agronomics** 

**Perry Solice** 

Performance Ford of Clinton

**Craig Richardson** 

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**Jerry Heinzman** 

Sampson Regional Medical Center



#### CHAMBER STAFF

**Matthew Stone**Executive Director

**Audrey Rentz** Special Projects **Alicia Sumner** Marketing & Events

> Emily Edgerton Intern









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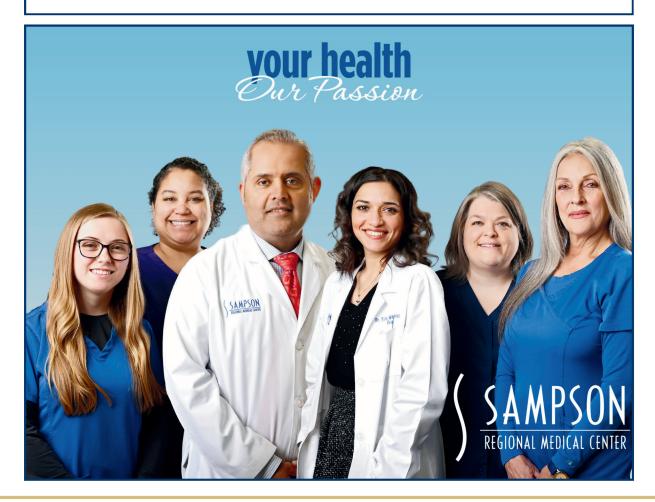
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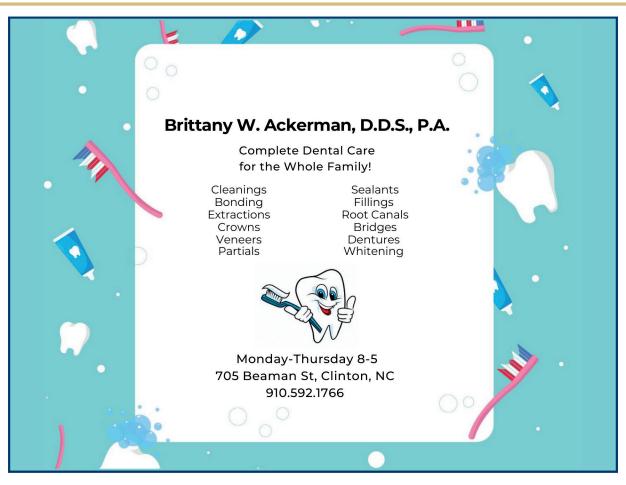
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Sampson Arts Council

Coharie Country Club

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Sampson Community Theater

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