# WACHOVIA Principal of the Year District WINNERS BY REGION



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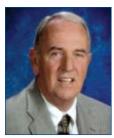
Sabre Robinson Eastlawn Elementary School Alamance-Burlington Schools



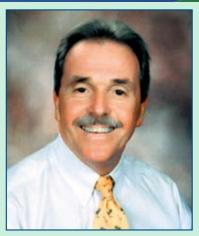
Matthew Wight

Apex High School

Wake County Public Schools



Donald Sisson Northeastern High School Elizabeth City-Pasquotank Schools



Vann Pennell
South Brunswick High School
Brunswick County Schools

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DeAnna Finger Tuttle Elementary School Catawba County Schools



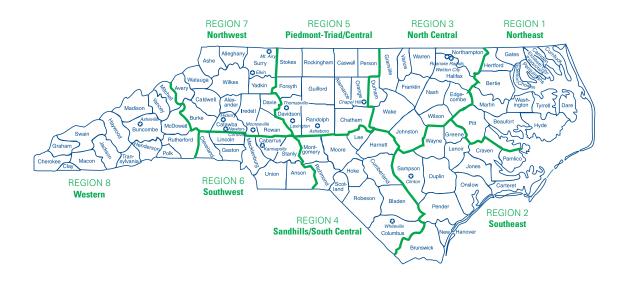
**Steve Hall**Bruns Avenue Elementary School
Charlotte-Mecklenburg Schools



Jeffery Jernigan Cape Fear High School Cumberland County Schools



Ronette Dill Saluda Elementary School Polk County Schools



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#### **STATE SELECTION**

Selecting the individual who will represent North Carolina's principals and serve as a spokesperson for administrators and educators in our state is a most challenging task. In addition to serving in an advisory capacity to the State Board of Education, the Wachovia Principal of the Year is expected to chair the following year's Principal of the Year state selection committee. The statewide winner also receives an appointment to the State Superintendent's Principals Advisory Committee and serves a one-year term on the Board of Directors of the N.C. Public School Forum. The Wachovia Principal of the Year also participates in numerous speaking engagements and committee service across North Carolina, as invited and requested throughout his or her tenure.

Candidates are nominated by their local education agency. Following their nomination, each candidate prepares a comprehensive portfolio for review by a regional selection committee and participates in a 25-minute interview before this committee.

One principal is selected from each of the eight regions designated by the N.C. Department of Public Instruction. The regional finalists participate in a second interview with a state selection committee. This committee is charged with traveling across the state to visit each finalist's school to conduct in-depth interviews with faculty, staff, students and parents.

We thank everyone who participated in the nomination and selection process at all levels. Our special appreciation is extended to the members of the state selection team.

### REGION 1 NORTHEAST



Dianne Hawkins Meiggs Regional Winner Perquimans County Schools Hertford Grammar School



Charles Clark Beaufort County Schools Northeast Elementary School



Renee A. Moore Duckenfield Bertie County Schools Windsor Elementary School



Parrish Griffin Camden County Schools Camden Intermediate School



Virginia Arrington Currituck County Schools Moyock Middle School



Ray D. Gray
Dare County Schools
Cape Hatteras Elementary School



Terrell R. Jones Elizabeth City-Pasquotank Public Schools Central Elementary School



Seth N. Brown Pitt County Schools Ayden Middle School

### REGION 2 SOUTHEAST



Robert Grimes Brunswick County Schools North Brunswick High School



April L. Lilley Carteret County Schools Harkers Island Elementary School



Vanessa R. Brown Clinton City Schools Sampson Middle School



Julie L. Duclos-Greenwood Regional Winner New Hanover County Schools Murrayville Elementary School



Spencer "Todd" Bradley Craven County Schools Brinson Memorial Elementary School



Daren P. Tyndall Duplin County Schools Warsaw Elementary School



Brenda Hagan Greene County Schools Snow Hill Primary School



Jo Ann Stone Jones County Schools Maysville Elementary School



Brent Williams Lenoir County Schools North Lenoir High School



Christine P. André Onslow County Schools Swansboro High School



Linda Kinsey Ollison Pamlico County Schools Pamlico County Primary School



O. C. Holland Sampson County Schools Union Middle School

### REGION 3 NORTH CENTRAL



John A. Wall Jr. Regional Winner Wake County Public Schools North Garner Middle School



Gwendolyn Johnson Durham Public Schools Mangum Elementary School



Amy Marshall-Brown Edgecombe County Schools Princeville Montessori School



Deborah Ayscue Franklin County Schools Edward Best Elementary School



Tonya C. Thomas Granville County Schools C.G. Credle Elementary School



Bettie Jones Archibald Halifax County Schools Inborden Elementary School



Lisa Edwards Calcutt Johnston County Schools Four Oaks Middle School



Elizabeth "Bebe" Wall Nash-Rocky Mount Schools Spring Hope Elementary School



Felisha Whitaker Wyche Northampton County Schools Northampton West Stem High School



Anne T. Garrison Vance County Schools Zeb Vance Elementary School



Canecca Bolden Davis Warren County Schools Mariam Boyd Elementary School



Eddie Hicks Wilson County Schools John Wesley Jones Elementary School

### REGION 4 SANDHILLS/SOUTH CENTRAL



Antonia Beatty Bladen County Schools West Bladen High School



Georgia Etta Spaulding Columbus County Schools Chadbourn Middle School



Whit Bradham Harnett County Schools Coats-Erwin Middle School



Reneé LaHuffman-Jackson Regional Winner Cumberland County Schools Lake Rim Elementary School



**Debra Dowless** Hoke County Schools Rockfish Hoke Elementary School



Tom Harvley-Felder Lee County Schools East Lee Middle School



David Cassady Montgomery County Schools West Montgomery High School



Susan Blake Brigman Richmond County Schools Richmond County Transitional School



Pat Gates Scotland County Schools South Scotland Elementary School

## REGION 5 PIEDMONT-TRIAD/CENTRAL



Chris Blice Regional Winner Chatham County Schools Northwood High School



Whitney Oakley Alamance-Burlington Schools Sylvan Elementary School



Ann Carol Grant
Asheboro City Schools
South Asheboro Middle School



William Franklin Scott, Sr. Caswell County Schools N.L. Dillard Middle School



Emily B. Bivins Chapel Hill-Carrboro City Schools Carrboro Elementary School



Harry Mock Davidson County Schools Tyro Middle School



Cheri Keels Guilford County Schools Triangle Lake Montessori School



Gregory Newlin Lexington City Schools Lexington Senior High School



Jason Johnson Orange County Schools Gravelly Hill Middle School



Aaron Woody Randolph County Schools John Lawrence Elementary School



Charles W. Perkins Rockingham County Schools Reidsville Middle School



Shannon Boles Stokes County Schools King Elementary School



Georgia Lane Marshall Thomasville City Schools Thomasville Middle School



Randall L. Fulton Winston-Salem/Fosyth County Schools Mineral Springs Middle School

### REGION 6 SOUTHWEST



Betsy H. Ammons Anson County Schools Wadesboro Primary School



Edie Sayewich Cabarrus County Schools Mount Pleasant High School



Avery R. Mitchell Charlotte-Mecklenburg Schools Albemarle Road Middle School



Kirby Oldham Regional Winner Lincoln County Schools G.E. Massey Elementary School



Gloria Sherman Cleveland County Schools Springmore Elementary School



Audrey A. Devine Gaston County Schools Forestview High School



Walter A. "Lex" Graham Kannapolis City Schools Jackson Park Elementary School



W. David Bright Stanly County Schools Albemarle High School



Wanda V. Little Union County Schools Forest Hill High School

### REGION 7 NORTHWEST



Todd Wirt Regional Winner Mooresville Graded School District Mooresville High School



Susan Campbell Alexander County Schools Taylorsville Elementary School



Kimberly Ball Ashe County Schools Mountain View Elementary School



Kim Seymour-Davis Avery County Schools Cranberry Middle School



Sharon Colaw Burke County Schools Table Rock Middle School



Teresa Hollar Branch Caldwell County Schools Caldwell Early College High School



Todd Black Catawba County Schools Bandys High School



Stephanie Dischavi Hickory City Schools W.M. Jenkins Elementary School



Jim Elliott Newton-Conover City Schools Newton-Conover Middle School



Jinda Haynes
Davie County Schools
Davie County Early College High School



Larry E. Rogers Iredell-Statesville Schools Statesville High School



Rebecca Kepley-Lee Rowan-Salisbury Schools Cleveland Elementary School



Wayne M. Eberle II Watauga County Schools Valle Crucis Elementary School



Mary Catherine "Kaky" Berry Yadkin County Schools Yadkin Success Academy School

#### REGION 8 WESTERN



Diane McEntire Buncombe County Schools Sand Hill-Venable Elementary School



Kimberly Gibson Cherokee County Schools Peachtree Elementary School



Greg Parker Haywood County Schools Riverbend Elementary School



Jan King Regional Winner Henderson County Schools Glenn C. Marlow Elementary School



Nathan Frizzell Jackson County Schools Cullowhee Valley School



Jan Gann Macon County Schools Cartoogechaye Elementary School



Tony E. Tipton Madison County Schools Madison High School



Charles Gaffigan McDowell County Schools Old Fort Elementary School



Jack J. Brooks Mitchell County Schools Harris Middle School



Don D. Ingle Rutherford County Schools Harris Elementary School



Brian I. Weaver Transylvania County Schools Roseman High School



Angelia R. Anglin Yancey County Schools Clearmont Elementary School

