Wedowee Middle School received $1,480 to purchase a laminator for the school. Accepting the check are (from left) teacher Jill Phillips, principal Allan Robertson, Foundation board member April Huddleston, teacher Margaret Jackson and (back) teacher Sonya Smith.

Woodland High School kindergarten teachers were awarded $3,500 to purchase Chromebooks for kindergarten students. Accepting the check were kindergarten teachers Patricia Arrington, Gilda Stewart, Suzan Miller and Foundation board member April Huddleston with (up front) Woodland students June Kirby and Bryant Snyder.

Foundation awards grants to schools after boat races

The Foundation for Randolph County Schools has awarded several grants for the 2015-16 school year. These funds are a result of the fundraising effort of the 7th Annual Cardboard Boat Races.

During the year, $1,100 was awarded to Agri-science instructors Brad Johnson, Toby Stitcher, Jimmy Johns, Alfred Holden and students for their construction of cardboard boats.

Additionally, Foundation for Randolph County Schools presented a check for over $1,600 to Randolph County Animal Shelter for its part in the success of the 7th Annual Cardboard Boat Races.

Members of the Foundation everyone who made this event a success for the students.

(Left photo) Six three-hour scholarships have been set up at Southern Union State Community College for one senior and one junior from each high school in the county to be used during the 2015-16 school year. Southern Union scholarship chairperson Tammy Spratlin accepts the check from Foundation board member Marty Kirby.

Gifted teacher Kerry Moore and countywide gifted students received a check for $3,200 to purchase an art education curriculum. Presenting the check is Foundation board member Tiffany Moore with Randolph County Schools gifted teacher Kerry Moore and (back row)Emma Cavender, LilleeAnna Jarrell, Daisy North, Kip Strain, (front) Kamerynn Sheppard, Anna Kate Cantrell, Tyler Brown and Heather North.

Rock Mills Junior High School librarian Amelia Couch received $2,800 to purchase Chromebooks and expand the school's reading selections for grades K-8. Foundation board member April Huddleston presented the check to Couch.