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Quick Facts

- During the 1990s, and up until her retirement in 2010, Wilson-Evans was a storyteller and interpreter at Historic Brattonsville in York County.
- Wilson-Evans co-authored a book with Lucinda Dunn entitled "Kessie's Tales," based on stories of Kessie, a young slave girl at Brattonsville, in the early 1800s.



Kitty Wilson-Evans

ROCK HILL, S.C. - **Kitty Wilson-Evans** '92 of Lancaster, S.C., a well-known storyteller and slave re-enactor, is the keynote speaker for the annual **Friends of Dacus Library** meeting at Winthrop University on Oct. 7.

The dinner meeting begins at 6 p.m. in the Tuttle Dining Room of **McBryde Hall**.

During the 1990s, and up until her retirement in 2010, **Wilson-Evans** was a storyteller and interpreter at **Historic Brattonsville** in York County. She received many awards and recognitions for her interpretive work, including the

Rock Hill/York County Convention and Visitors Bureau Heart of Industry Tourism Award (2010), the **Jubilee Festival Heritage Award** (2009), and the **Robert E. Lee Service Award** from the **Ben Caudill Camp, Sons of Confederate Veterans** (2008).

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Also at the Oct. 7 meeting, the **Friends of the Library** will induct the following as life members: **Alice B. Coleman**; Winthrop President Jayne Marie (Jamie) Comstock and her husband, Larry Williamson; **Caroline B. Cooney**; **Janet Gray**; **Cindy and Paul Nigro**; **Joyce Plyler**; **Jack W. Weaver** and **Ruth K. Webb**.

The meeting is free for Friends of the Library members and \$15 for non-members. For tickets, contact **Ronnie W. Faulkner** at Dacus Library at faulknerr@winthrop.edu or 803/323-2262.

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