



TOWN OF DUCK, NORTH CAROLINA

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**Town of Duck Announces Grand Marshall
for July 3rd Independence Day Parade!**

Duck, NC – The Town of Duck would like to announce that Ada Scarborough has been named the Grand Marshall for the Town's 5th Annual Independence Day Parade being held on Friday, July 3, 2009 at 9:00 a.m.! Mrs. Scarborough's long history in Duck and throughout the Outer Banks, as well as her commitment and influence in the Town's development, were the reasons for the Town of Duck to honor her with the title of Grand Marshall.

Mrs. Scarborough was born in 1932 at the Life Saving Station compound at Caffey's Inlet. She describes herself as the only living person who was born in Duck that still lives in Duck! Although Mrs. Scarborough had the chance to travel extensively throughout the United States with her late husband, Ray Scarborough, who served in the Coast Guard, she still felt a strong connection to the Outer Banks and Duck in particular. So when they both retired, they came back to their home in Duck.

Both Mrs. Scarborough and her husband were strong supporters of the Town of Duck's incorporation efforts that led to the official incorporation of The Town of Duck on May 1, 2002. The Town of Duck is showing its appreciation to Mrs. Scarborough for all her efforts by honoring her as Grand Marshall at the Town's Independence Day activities.

Plan to join us in Duck this year for our Independence Day being held on Friday, July 3 at 9:00 a.m. Please note the date! The parade will travel down Scarborough Lane then across Ocean Way and then head back down Christopher Drive. No part of the parade will take place on Duck Road (NC12). For best parade viewing, please walk as far down Scarborough Lane and Christopher Drive toward the ocean as possible. There will also be an event at the Duck Town Park, which will include refreshments, live music, and the awarding of parade trophies. Don't miss out on this exciting day of celebration sponsored by the Town of Duck. For more information on Town of Duck sponsored events, please visit our website at www.townofduck.com or call our events hotline at (252) 255-1286.

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Photo Caption: The Town of Duck's Independence Day Parade Grand Marshall, Mrs. Ada Scarborough.