RCC's TOP 10 NEWS STORIES OF 2024

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Top Stories by Month

1. RCC announces launch of Athletics Program

RCC announced the launch of its athletics program in the fall. Its collegiate teams, a Division II Men's Basketball team and a Division II Women's Basketball team, will compete in the Carolina Athletic Conference beginning in the 2025-26 academic year.

RCC's athletics program will include the men's and women's basketball teams, men's and women's cross country teams, men's and women's golf teams, men's and women's tennis teams, men's and women's track and field teams, men's and women's volleyball teams, men's baseball team, and women's softball team.

RCC's athletics program will also include a cheerleading team and a dance team. The athletics program will also include a pep band, which will be made up of students who are not athletes.

RCC's athletics program will also include an esports team. Its collegiate teams will compete in the National Junior College Athletic Association (NJCAA) esports conference beginning in the 2025-26 academic year.

RCC's athletics program will also include a men's and women's bowling team, a men's and women's golf team, a men's and women's tennis team, a men's and women's track and field team, a men's and women's volleyball team, a men's baseball team, and a