Good afternoon ENN readers,

Our newsroom was busy this week as Elon students wrap up the spring semester. We covered Alamance County’s reaction to the new “ghost gun” laws, the status of the housing market, the cancellation of the Elon softball team’s Senior Day and more.

Top stories of the week

News

Housing market shatters historical precedents, enters uncharted territory

In the wake of the COVID-19 pandemic, prices and interest rates leave those searching for homes at disadvantage

Elon University, surrounding community react to unprecedented majority opinion draft

The leaked opinion, which Chief Justice Roberts confirmed the validity of May 3, could overturn the landmark decision in Roe v. Wade

Lifestyle

Local Friends creates home away from home for Elon University international students

The program is led by two retired town of Elon residents helping Elon international students

Politics

Alamance County locals voice concerns over new “ghost gun” laws

Biden administration outlines new ghost guns, crime in Alamance security, how, two locals split on gun rights

Sports

Elon University softball team’s Senior Day game canceled

Phoenix led 5-0 in the fourth inning against NC Central before severe weather led to cancellation of the game

Opinions

ELON LISTENS: Aldous Harding’s new journey in sound

Elon Listens is a column that reviews different types of music through storytelling

Elon Local News

At Elon University:

- Elon sees 12% increase in freshman enrollment
- Elon University’s Gardening Club hosts annual Strawberry Festival before finals

Sports Section:

- Elon University track and field team defends CAA championship
- Elon University men’s basketball adds first new recruit since Billy Taylor’s hiring

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