

Homecoming next year and University officials to implement policies to make the Homecoming process consistent and fair. I suggest, for example, making sure that every year there is an interview and that there is a consistent election policy in place so that some of this past drama can be avoided. Officials claimed that in the past, interviewing was used to narrow down the candidates and since there were only 2 candidates, the election didn't necessitate an interview. But, those are the wrong reasons to interview; you interview to find out what they [candidates] are about and assess whether or not the candidates are qualified so they can make an informed decision about who to vote for. In addition, I would make sure that all Queens receive a crown and that the court sits together. They said that they did not know that they were supposed to get one for the winners. They thought crowns were supposed to be passed down from last year's winners. It's a reflection on how the University feels about the Queen and King these days. It's not necessarily about giving me a crown because I'm Queen; it's the principle behind it. A lot of things that happened this year have never happened before. We need to make sure that no future court has the experience that we did. Nevertheless, it will always be a memorable experience.

One last thing, out of everything that came out of this and despite how discouraged I felt at times, the amount of support I got from the Black community, was overwhelming. I definitely felt the love from my community.

Ash: It hasn't had an effect on me because I know who

I am and the things I'm trying to do. Just because the DTH goes about its business the way that it does to get people to read doesn't mean it's all true. The real issue is the Carolina Athletic Association. It seems like the CAA was lax. Had the CAA been tight with everything, had they told us we couldn't put pub up, had they had election boxes instead of cardboard boxes, had they gotten scantron ballots, a lot of confusion would have been eliminated. The whole thing turned out to be a chaotic scenario.



**Q: How do you respond to the *Daily Tar Heel's* lack of support and refusal to congratulate you on your accomplishments thus far?**

Jan: Another reflection again on how the University feels about Homecoming. It is more than just journalism. This is the first year there has not been a picture in the DTH. There was not even a DTH photo-

grapher on the field to photograph the court. That was really disappointing. It seems that the positive things about the Black community are not important to them, but anything controversial is. The top officials do not seem to be aware of the intensity of the situation either.

Ash: I mean we've seen that all year round. They print just so people will read that. People want to see bad things; they don't want to hear about good things. It didn't really surprise me.

**Q: Janora, you mentioned authoritative figures and their role in this situation. How did you perceive Chancellor Hooker's address to the Black Student**