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PBL Adviser LaRose Brock and PBL officers greet residents at the Countryside Assisted Living Center. **PHOTO: SAM DAVIS**

By SAM DAVIS

On Friday, 11 February, the WCC Phi Beta Lambda (PBL) chapter visited the Countryside Assisted Living Home in Pikeville.

Members LaRose Brock, Sara Joyner, Ginger DeVore, Henri Andrews and Michelle Weatherspoon brought valentine gift bags for residents at the home.

In the lounge, residents were warmly greeted with assorted treats, smiles and sincere affection.

PBL members personally delivered the assorted treats to residents unable to meet the group in the lounge.

Other activities this semester included a Valentine bake sale and raffle in the WCC Learning Center.

Items for sale included homemade cupcakes, cookies, truffles and cake. Prizes raffled off in the afternoon included gift certificates for local area restaurants.

The event realized a profit of \$810, marking the most ever garnered from a single fund raiser by the group.

At the 46th annual PBL State Leadership Conference held in Charlotte, NC, on April 9, 10, the following students placed in 5 categories: Melanie Messam, 4th place, and Elizabeth Wilson, 7th place, Word Processing; Daine Kelley, 3rd place, Accounting for Professionals and 4th place for Finance; Henri Andrews, 8th place, Computer Concepts; Richard Judge, 6th place, Management.

Ginger DeVore, WCC PBL Chapter president, was inducted into Who's Who in North Carolina Phi Beta Lambda. The WCC Chapter received an award from the National PBL for increasing chapter size.



The Phi Beta Lambda Valentine Bake Sale yielded funds to assist in expenses toward the State Convention. **PHOTO: KELLY LITTLE**



The Multicultural Association for Enrichment (MCAE) sponsored a Soul Food lunch after the tribute to Dr. Martin Luther King, Jr. **PHOTO: VOICE STAFF**

AG Club

Advisers Faye Best and Michelle Turnage report that the Ag Club currently has 20 members in the spring semester.

Officers include president, Brian Jeanette; vice president, David Gurley; and secretary/treasurer, Nancy Aycock. The members meet monthly, for a total of 3 or 4 times a semester.

The purpose for the club is to promote agriculture throughout the county.

MCAE

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Major projects for the Multicutural Association for Enrichment (MCAE) in the spring semester have included the Soul Food Luncheon, the Apollo Show, and the Dance Contest during Spring Fling.

Officers include President Michelle Shepherd and Secretarytreasurer Katrina Newsom. Norma Dawson and Janice Fields serve as co-advisers. The purpose of the club is to increase awareness of and communication among cultures.

The primary goal of the fund raiser was to raise money for a contribution to the March of Dimes as well as raising money to assist PBL members to attend the PBL State Leadership Conference in April in Charlotte.

Projects for the Ag club include Barnyard at the Fair, Livestock Show and Sale, and the Ag Days Recruiting Day.

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