

Mixed Chorus Begins Year With Ordering New Robes

Home Ec Exhibit Wins First Place

Albemarle and Norwood home economics departments, working together on their fair booth, won the first place blue ribbon for their exhibit at the Stanly County Fair.

The booth, decorated as a combination living room-dining room, carried out the theme: "Color—From the Window to the Room". The over-all color scheme was taken from the draperies, the color being repeated in the

furnishings throughout the room. Members of the Mixed Chorus got off to a good start this year with the election of the following officers: Ted Burleson, president; Kenneth Barbee, vice president; Dotty Walker, secretary; and Gerald Johnson, treasurer.

Different committees and committee heads are:

Publicity: Zalotta Harris, chairman; Betsy King, Barbara Holt, Elizabeth Tucker, Linda Duke, Eddie Burleson, Luther "Drag" Kimery, and Joe Klutz.

Robes: Jean Morgan, chairman; Ann Rogers, Ruby Griffin, Peggy Lisk, Patsy Blake, Libby Hatley, and Sue Rogers.

Social and Hospitality: Peggy Furr, chairman; Janis Westerland, Linda Moose, Susie Culp, Mickey Greene, Jimmy Almond, Tommy Murrell, Larry Mullis, Gene Langley, and Johnny Renger.

Transportation: Edshay Brunson, chairman; Marvin Morton, Franchot Palmer, Bernie Miller, George Lowder, Wade Smith, Wayne Eudy, Garry Pendergraph, and Eugene Burris.

Stage Arrangements: Aaron Lowder, chairman; Larry Lisk, Steve Gantt, Charles Ross Smith, Don Taylor, Mickey Dry, Jimmy Cochran, George Weaver, Stanley Lawhon, and Mickey Cagle.

Scrapbook: Jo Ellen Brooks, chairman; Sandra Poplin, Barbara Copley, Lois Harwood, and Patsy Blake.

Library: Jeanette Hinson, chairman; Lulabelle Smith, Gay Crowell, Linda Jordan, Vivian Smith, and Hilda Campbell.

Accompanist for the chorus will be Peggy Smith.

There are many projects which the choral group hopes to undertake, the main one being to acquire new robes.

No definite arrangements have been made by the chorus for performances as yet, but they will take shape in the near future.

Birthdays

October

- 7. Barbara Hinson
- Calvin Burleson
- 8. Wayne Eury
- Jane Morgan
- Gerald Riggins
- Joyce Smith
- 9. George McManus
- Wade Smith
- Kay Swindell
- Rebecca Coble
- Elaine Davidson
- 11. Billie Jo Barrier
- Pat Eford
- 12. Gene Langley
- Brenda Huneycutt
- 14. Dian McSwain
- 15. Joyce Ann Smith
- 16. Lonnie Gene Bowers
- Kay Cauthen
- 17. Celia Griffin
- Sue Leonard
- 18. Marie Smith
- Don Taylor
- 19. Larry Burleson
- Ann Stone
- 20. Alice Morton
- 21. Pat Lowder
- Roger Whitley
- Jack Faulkner
- 22. Jimmy Eudy
- 23. Maxine Fesperman
- 26. Verona Huggins
- 27. Aaron Lowder
- 28. Sue Page
- 29. Kenneth Huneycutt
- 31. Wayne Carpenter
- Eva Hatley
- Glenn Talbert

D. O. Students Scattered In Numerous Occupations

Miss Bankett, who is in charge of all Diversified Occupations work, has 21 students this year.

The students and their occupations are: Jimmy Barbee, Albemarle Bakery; Jerry Barrier, Albemarle Bakery; Gary Miller, Firestone; Wayne Page, Page Cabinet Shop; Ralph Rummage, Morgan Motor Company; Billy Stillier, Ed Burleson's Sheet Metal; Benny Watts, Confederate Motors; Norma Jean Arey, LaTrelle Burleson, Dot Starr, Sue Rogers, and Jahala Hudson, Stanly County Hospital; Sybil Eford, Chamber of Commerce; Toby Furr, North Albemarle School; Yvonne Hathcock, Central School; Frances Hatley, Central School; Loretta Holt, East Albemarle School; Carol Lowder, Dr. Brunson; Shirley Jean Owensby, Jefferson Standard Insurance Agency; Doris Smith, WABZ Radio Station; Jeanette Hitchcock, McLellan's.

Teachers Did Summer Study

A. H. S. was well represented this summer at the various college summer schools, seven teachers working on their Master's Degrees, and one of them received the degree.

Bringing to a climax three summers of intensive study, Miss Holt received her Master of Education degree.

Representing A. H. S. at Appalachian State Teachers College were Mr. and Mrs. Fry and Mrs. Carter. Miss Tucker was at Duke, Miss Bankett at Woman's College, and Mr. Gantt at East Carolina. As usual, Mr. R. C. Hatley was at Duke, teaching other science teachers how to teach science.

Dance Sponsored Following Games

Following the Albemarle High School home football games, the students of the local and visiting schools have enjoyed the dances, sponsored by different school organizations, which have been held in the student lounge.

The first dance of the season was sponsored by the National Honor Society, the second by the Cheerleaders, and the third, after the Landis game, by the Student Council.

There has been a big turn out for each of the dances, and the proceeds will go to the treasuries of the clubs which sponsored the dances.

Class Officers Chosen For Year

Luther (Drag) Kimrey has been elected president of the Senior class for the 1955-56 term. Other senior officers are: vice president, Edshay Brunson; secretary, Iris Hunsucker; treasurer, Jo Stallings; class advisor, Miss Chicora Caughman.

Junior class: president, David Grigg; vice president, Diane Tucker; secretary, Janis Westerland; treasurer, Robert L. Smith; adviser, Miss Lillian Misenheimer.

Sophomore class: president, Richard Peck; vice president, Betty Holt; secretary, Diane Watkins; treasurer, Becky Coble; adviser, Bob Gantt.

The Freshman class officers have not yet been elected.

FHA Represented At County Rally

Albemarle High School F. H. A., with forty-seven members and advisor, were present at the county rally of the Future Homemakers of America held at Richfield on September 15.

County officers for the coming year were installed. Macie Mann of A. H. S., will service as vice president.

The Albemarle chapter presented a short skit, "Thirteen Ways to Kill F. H. A." The skit, patterned after the popular Drag-net TV program, emphasized the fact that lack of interest and cooperation can mean the death of a chapter or club. The remainder of the program consisted of pantomimes given by each county F. H. A. chapter.

More people have made better use of the library for study and research than they did ten years ago.

More boys are reading books about wars than they are west-erns and sports.

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