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Knowledge Filled Vacations

GOVERNOR'S SCHOOL — SALEM

On July 1 through August 11 Kim Hughes and Ann Dennis attended Governor's School at Salem. Three different classes were held: math, philosophy and psychology. Ann and Kim said they heard a lot of lectures and concerts. There were also recreational sports in which to participate. Both girls stated that they learned a great deal. They completed their visit to Governor's School with exciting and educational experiences.

SPEC-CATAWBA

On June 17 through Friday, June 29, Kim Hughes, Kathy Wagoner, Lori Thomas, Shannon Bowers and Mark Hawn attended SPEC at Catawba College in Salisbury. Their program offered three courses: computer science, biological science and history of science. The program credited the students with three hours of college credit. There were plenty of social activities such as gong shows, disco's and visiting other colleges. The classes started at 8:30 a.m. and ended at 3:00 in the afternoon. A get together for those who attended SPEC at Catawba was held on September 1 at Catawba.

SPEC-PFEIFFER

Robert Farlow, Lori Hatcher, Mitzi Morris and Jackie Kirby attended SPEC at Pfeiffer College on June 17-29. Robert specialized in chorus. After practicing, the chorus went to Tennessee and presented a concert. Lori concentrated on drama. The drama participants put on a production of *Alice in Wonderland*. Mitzi, studying creative writing, "mainly wrote," as she puts it. Their writing was displayed at a banquet. Jackie specialized in instrumental where she learned music and played at the banquet.

The participants summed up their two-week stay at Pfeiffer as a "fun and enriching experience."

SPEC-WINGATE

Four ASHS students attended SPEC at Wingate College from June 17-29. These students, Shannon Bell, Tony Hinson, Matoka Snuggs and Lisa Mercer, participated in courses dealing with psychology, history, sociology and economics.

Their activities consisted of going to see movies and afterwards discussing what they learned at their professor's house. They were broken up into four groups each consisting of an estimated 25 people. These four groups com-

peted in such sports as softball, bowling, ping pong and volleyball after classes. Classes began at 8:30 a.m. and lasted until around 12:30. The students' entire afternoons were free, leaving them to participate in swimming, tennis or going to the recreation room.

GIRLS' STATE

Aza Mabry and Shannon Bowers attended Girls' State at UNC-G from June 10-16. They learned about the state government and the different aspects of it. They were divided in cities where they made up town charters, elected officers and city managers. They were also divided into parties and held elections within their party. The big election was held on Friday. They listened to speeches by Governor Jim Hunt and Attorney General Rufus Edmisten. They also saw a dramatization of a court trial.

Shannon Bowers enjoyed her stay because "the counselors, who were college students, were nice and we got to meet a lot of new people."

BOYS' STATE

Tony Hinson, Jeff Creech and Frank Howard attended Boys' State at Wake Forest from June 10-16. While there, they learned all about the state government and how it is run. They even set



These students attended various school sponsored programs.

up their own government and ran it. This was the first Boys' State in history where a third party was formed and carried a majority of offices. They had a Supreme Court trial and had cases where two counselors were arrested and put on trial by the Boys' Staters.

The attendants had the privilege of seeing and hearing the Governor, Jim Hunt. He arrived by helicopter and spent time making speeches. The governor even found time to jokingly acknowledge Jeff Creech's N. C. State shirt. Thad Eure, the Secretary of State, came also.

Not only did the boys attend

classes and seminars, but they played lots of frisbee and had numerous water balloon fights. A talent show given by the boys ended their stay.

LAW, LEADERSHIP AND GOVERNMENT SEMINAR — CHAPEL HILL

Sonya Mabe traveled to Chapel Hill July 29 through August 3 for a seminar on law, leadership and government. She went to workshops, class, and listened to speakers every day. One of the guest speakers was Attorney General Rufus Edmisten. Two banquets and a dance were held to complete the week.

Student Council Hard At Work

Albemarle Senior High has many new changes this year and one of them is the student council. They are David Rush, president, Paula Cox, vice president, Kathy Wagoner, treasurer, and Eddie Snuggs, secretary.

Student council began the year with their first meeting, Friday, August 31. They had a rough time getting started because of not having a set meeting place or time. Now they have everything together and are really working hard toward making this a good school year.

Their first goal is getting the council representatives elected. To get these representatives, students are divided into districts according to where they live. Each district will elect four representatives, one from each grade. Once these representatives are elected the student



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council can get started with their ideas.

Several ideas have been discussed, such as a fund raising project. This project has not been decided on, but it will not be selling spices.

Spirit week is another event being planned which will involve all homerooms. Some type of spirit event will be scheduled for each day that week. Each homeroom

will receive points for the event they win. By the end of the week the homeroom with the most points will be given a surprise.

Judging from their plans the student council seems willing to work hard for their school. With the leadership of the student council and cooperation of the students, this should prove to be a good year for Albemarle Senior High.

New Squads For New Year

"Go Bulldogs!" This was one of the familiar sounds at the 1979-80 cheerleading tryouts in which twenty girls were selected to lead the school in spirit. The Varsity squad, which will be led by Linda Neel, consists of Ann Dennis, Kathy Wagoner, Geraldine McLendon, Lisa Mercer, Elisa Dickens, Shari Robertson, Gwen Blackwelder, Paula Cox, Lori Thomas, and Janet Efird, alternate. The Junior Varsity squad consists of Beth Efird, Robin Efird, Penny Lambert, Lucy McKeithan, Karen Toomy, Carol Harbers, Beth Talbert, Deana Bates, and Irene Ward, alternate.

Band front groups have also been chosen. Susie Harbers and Mitzi Morris will lead the flag corp which will be made up of Kim Hughes, Leigh Ann Whitley, Lynn Rivers, Kathy Terry, Erin Bowers, Gay Kluttz, Lori Chandler and Tracy Asbury.

Karen Souther will lead the

rifle squad which consists of Tammy Dwight, Karen Kimery, Melissa Whitley, Patricia Whitley and Maxine Thomas.

Shannon Bowers, Kim Herrin, Beverly Griffen, and Rita Poplin were chosen to be majorettes and will be led by Lisa Carlisle.

Rickey Burleson will lead the band as drum major.

"Moonbeams"

Rolling Roars

The Student Lion for the month of September is Tony Hinson. Jeff Creech serves as Student Rotarian.

Anticipation

College Night was held on September 17 in the gym. Representatives from various colleges were present to answer questions and give information.

Sit for SAT

SAT will be given to seniors on October 13, November 4, and December 2 at Senior High.

Students Get Stuck

Parking stickers are to be issued to students who drive to school. D.E. and I.C.T. students are to park in the new parking lot. Other students are to use the former parking area.

New Folks

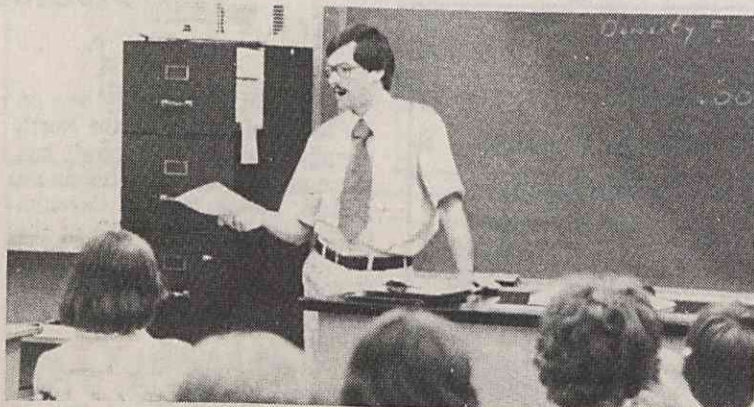
School enrollment is up approximately 720 compared to last year's approximate enrollment of 510. The big change is due to the rising of the freshmen from Junior High. The Full Moon Staff would like to welcome all freshmen and sophomores.

New Faces From Different Places

Many new faces have recently been popping up this year at the Senior High. The majority of them are sophomores, teachers, and the newly added ninth graders. The new coaches introduced into the school system this year are Miss Sandra Pollard, teaching English and journalism, and coaching the girls' tennis team, and Mr. Steve Bean, instructing physical education, and coaching football, wrestling, and track. Also new to the faculty this year is Mrs. Martha Cowan, teaching Senior Choir, Varsity Singers, and General Chorus.

Mrs. Cowan has also been very active in various singing and dancing productions abroad. Other new members joining the faculty are Mrs. Lucy Coleman, who teaches Art I and Advanced Art, while enjoying tennis, golf, and jogging, and Mrs. Katy Martin, who teaches Exceptional Children, while having an avid interest in Real Estate.

Joining the faculty this year from the Junior High are the following teachers: Mrs. Della Fast — English, Mrs. Bob Johnston — Math, Mrs. Gina Talbert — Math, Mr. Danny Blalock — Science,



One of the new teachers, Mr. Blalock, enjoys his first year at Senior High.

Mr. Larry Fast — Physical Education and Social Studies, Mrs. Agnes Maske — Business Education, and Mr. Jim Bogle — Vocational Education.

The majority of the new teachers expressed excitement about teaching at the school this upcoming year.