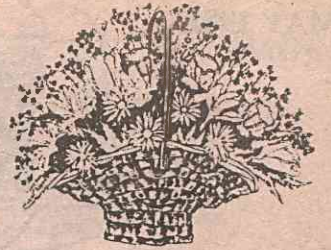


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31 Seniors To Be Honored At Academic Banquet

BY KENDALL HOMESLEY

The AHS Academic Awards Banquet, honoring thirty-one seniors who have demonstrated academic excellence, will be held at 7:00 P.M. on Tuesday, May 23 in the First Baptist Church fellowship hall. This special occasion will begin with a formal dinner; later the honored students will be "roasted" by faculty members and presented with plaques and gifts. To culminate the evening, the honored students will present an original skit about their high school experiences.

Among the many students to be recognized are the members of the National Honor Society, the North Carolina Scholars, and the Presidential Academic Fitness Award winners, as follows: Elizabeth Boyle, Palmer Brown, Suzanne Smith, Paul Childress, Keith Byrum, Cresta Newton, Le Anne Burris, Suzie Britt, Paula Carpenter, Kendall Homesley, Cricket Morton, Stephanie Hinson, David Farmer, David Landis, Jeremy Furr, Greg Harwood, Ward Misenheimer, Mary Kathryn Page, Terina Roberson, Jennifer Johnson, Dawn Furr, Jim Parks, Adrienne Soyer, Mary Tucker, Russell Whittington, Blair Johnson, Benji Scarboro, Jonathan Russell, Jeff Bunting, Melissa Scott, and Tonya Brooks. The top twenty juniors are also recognized at this banquet, participating as servers for the dinner.

This banquet is coordinated by a faculty committee in conjunction with a local Schools-Community Committee, which arranges financial support from local businesses.



Parents, faculty members, administrators, and community representatives all attend the banquet to honor outstanding seniors.

Four AHS Juniors Selected For Governor's School

BY SHERRI ALLEN

Congratulations, Sally Frye, Shannon Thomas, Bill Snyder, and Brett Richards. These four people have been chosen along with approximately 400 other students to attend Governor's School this summer. The school takes place June 25-August 5 and focuses on learning leadership skills and enhancing academics. Selected gifted and talented students from all over North Carolina will be assigned to one of two Governor's School campuses. Attending Governor's School West in Winston-Salem are Sally Frye in drama, Shannon Thomas in instrumental music, and Bill Snyder in social science. Attending Governor's School East in St. Andrews is Brett Richards in the area of mathematics.



Brett Richards, Shannon Thomas, Sally Frye, and Bill Snyder will experience Governor's School this summer.

Marshals Keep Graduation Organized

BY ADRIENNE SOYER

In June, when seniors are graduating, the only things on their minds are the beach and future plans. If it wasn't for the marshals who prepare the graduation procession, graduation would only be one night of chaos and disaster. These ten people ensure that the ceremony runs smoothly.

The marshals are chosen according to class rank. The top ten juniors are given this honor and

responsibility. This year's marshals are Brett Richards, Bill Snyder, Matt Lowder, Natasha Tyson, Alex Overcash, Debbie Crabtree, Holli Brafford, Tommy Lockamy, Marcus Huneycutt, and Lori Ingram. An early expression of gratitude goes out to these ten juniors from the senior class.



Marshals play an important role in the graduation ceremony.

Drama Classes Entertain Student Body

BY ADRIENNE SOYER

The 1988-89 school year is the first time drama has been offered to AHS students. With the effort from many students, lots of hard work, and a very supportive teacher, the drama class is having a very successful year.

On April 20, the students watched AHS actors perform the play *Makin' It* by Cynthia Mercati. The play focused on what high school students really think about life. The play also expressed problems and insecurities of teachers, students, and parents alike. *Big Boom at Castle Doom* will be performed by drama students on May 11. It is

a three act play that was written by Peter Walker. The play is about a tour group of girls and their guide who visit a castle in Transylvania. While they are there, they encounter a mad doctor, his wacky nurse, and two other assistants. The doctor has a plan to start a new civilization by freezing a perfect female specimen and killing everyone else. The target for his plan is Carol, one of the girls on the tour, who is portrayed by Stephanie Hinson. This play is sure to keep the audience full of laughter.



Mr. Moran's fourth period drama presented *Makin' It* to AHS students.

CONGRATULATIONS, BAND!



Our AHS band won every honor in their class at the Feista-Val in Nashville, Tennessee, April 15-17. These awards included Superior in Parade Competition, Excellent in Concert Competition, First in Parade Competition, First in Concert Competition, Overall Parade Champion, and Grand Championship Award.