

COA Students To Perform

Drama students at College of The Albemarle have merged their talents with several of Elizabeth City's "resident" actors to produce "The Last Meeting of The Knights of The White Magnolia" as the first production of the new year by the COA Satyrs.

The play will be presented at 8:15 P. M. on January 23 and 24 at J. C. Sawyer School. It is a segment from "The Texas Trilogy," by the late Preston Jones.

Jones summed up "White Magnolia," which examines the final chapter of a dying southern social order, with a description of Bradleyville - "a small, dead, West Texas town in the middle of a big, dead, West Texas prairie. The new highway has bypassed it and, now, the world is trying to."

Lucy Vaughan, COA drama instructor and director, explained that the play illustrates what happens when a small group of lovable losers find themselves unable to accept social change, or to hang their shortcomings on other groups. "It is at once hilarious and tragic," she said.

"Comic-tragedy is my favorite form of theatre," the director said. "While you're wondering whether to laugh or cry, you find that you're doing both."

Vaughan said the cast is well-balanced with COA students and local actors. Drama majors Larry Perkins and Bill Jones, both veterans of several college productions, team up with Student Senate President Richard McElrath and students Richard Clendenin and Jack James. A third drama major, Marsha Williams, is the play's assistant director.

Milton Sawyer, public schools federal projects director and Albemarle Players veteran, and Asst. Dist. Atty. Frank Parrish also are cast members. Parrish gained experience in the Players' dinner theatre production of "Here Lies Jeremy Troy."

Bob Baker, another local resident, participated in the Satyrs' "Showstoppers III" presentation.

Carlyle Horner has returned to the stage, following a long illness. "We couldn't have done the play without him," Vaughan said. "Furthermore, his performance is stunning."

Advance tickets can be purchased at Oxena Newsstand. Prices are \$3. for adults, and \$2 for students under 19 years of age. Tickets at the box office will cost \$3.50 and \$2.50. COA students, faculty, and staff will be admitted with identification cards.

Board To Meet Friday

RALEIGH — The next meeting of the North Carolina Board of Transportation will be held Friday, January 15, in Raleigh.

The meeting will begin at 10 A. M. in the board room of the Highway Building, located on the corner of Wilmington Street and New Bern Avenue.

In the meeting, the board will be requested to amend previous action and increase funding on a project in Charlotte to allow for the purchase of 27 buses, four vans and related equipment for the handicapped and elderly. State funding to be requested for the purchase totals \$100,535. That amount would be matched with an equal amount of local funding and \$804,280 in federal funds.

State funding already approved by the board totaled \$380,138. Local funding was the same and federal funds amounted to \$3,041,104. If the board approved the increased funding, total monies available for the project will be \$4,806,730.

A project to make improvements to the bus parking lot in High Point and one to prepare a transportation development plan for Mecklenburg County will also be presented to the board.

Other public transportation projects which will be considered include demonstration projects in Craven County and Winston-Salem. One project will enable the Craven County Coordinated Transportation System to determine the feasibility of converting its fleet to propane fuel as a cost reduction measure.

The other project will establish a van loaner program that will provide short term leases for employers and interested individuals in Winston-Salem who wish a trial period to participate in commuter vanpools without making a permanent commitment. State funding being requested is \$78,480. Local matching funds amount to \$8,720.

As matter of normal procedure, the Department of Transportation did not conduct a bid opening during the month of December; therefore, the board will not consider any highway improvement contracts in the upcoming meeting.

The next bid opening for highway projects is scheduled for January 26. Board members are expected to take action on projects included in that bid opening at its February 12 meeting.

Drivers Log High Mileage

Weyerhaeuser's North Carolina Region over-the-road truck fleet drivers logged almost 1.7-million miles in 1981 without a single road accident, injury or moving violation for the entire year - a perfect driving record. The Region's corporate fleet drivers haul Weyerhaeuser products throughout the eastern half of the United States. Sixteen drivers, with individual 1981 mileage ranging from about 73,000 to more than 115,000 miles established the record. The Weyerhaeuser fleet drivers for the North Carolina Region are Richard Bateman, Billy Biggs, Tommy Brown, Billy Chappell, Jesse Faucette, Tammy Glancy, Jack Hardison, Mickey Hodges, Marion Johnson, Pete Jones, Nathan Keel, Bob Miller, Sam Reese, Nathan Stencil, Wilbert Tyer and Ed Younce.

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Wehrenberg

John Wehrenberg of Washington is to join the Weyerhaeuser Real Estate Co. effective March 1 as project manager responsible for development activities and land sales in North Carolina and Virginia. He currently is North Coastal Zone manager for wood procurement for the North Carolina Region.

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Rountree

Melvin Rountree of Hertford has been presented a service award for 15 years with the Weyerhaeuser Co. Rountree is a heavy equipment operator in the company's Albemarle Land and Timber District.



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