

Edenton - Chowan Parks & Recreation Announce Special Summer Programs

Summer Basketball League
Ages 13-18 can participate in an informal summer league that will be played on Monday, Wednesday and Fridays starting at 2:00. Players may pick their own teams and turn their roster into the Department. Trophies will be awarded at the end of the season. Fee for the league is only \$1.00 per person. This covers the cost of the trophies and a team shirt.

Youth Tennis Lessons
Tennis lessons for ages 6-15 will be taught on Wednesday and Friday mornings from 9:00-10:00. There is a \$1.00 registration fee for each participant. Also you must bring one can of tennis balls to the first class. The first class begins June 16.

Summer Soccer Program
A special summer league for ages 6-12 will be offered for anyone interested. You must sign up for this league before Wednesday, June 23. There is no fee to participate in the soccer league.

Youth Play Time
Every Monday, Wednesday and Friday morning from 10:00-12:00 the gym will be open to all youth ages 12 and under. They may play basketball, kickball, bowling, pingpong or many other special games. There is no charge to participate.

Adult Leisure Time
The gym will be open every day of the week from 12:00-2:00 for any adult wishing to jog, exercise, play basketball, ping pong, etc. during their lunch hour. No one will be allowed in the gym except those adults participating. There is no charge to participate in this special leisure time. This schedule begins on June 21.

High will be open every Monday, Wednesday and Friday from 11:00-4:00 P.M. for county residents. A supervisor will be provided by the Recreation Department at all times. Tennis lessons will be given along with free play in basketball and ping pong. This program will begin on June 21 and will last for 8 weeks.

Water Ski Clinic
The Recreation Department and the Pembroke Water Ski Club will co-sponsor a water ski clinic for grades 4-12 on Saturday, July 10. The event will start at 10:00 A.M. Instruction at any level will be given to anyone that is interested in water skiing. There is no charge to participate but every participant must have a signed participants' release form before he or she may participate. These may be picked up at the Recreation Department.

For more information on any of the above listed summer programs, come by the Recreation Department located in the old National Guard Armory or call 482-8595.

Aerobic Dance & Exercise
A new session of Aerobic Dance and Exercise will begin June 14. Classes are held Monday and Wednesday evenings beginning at 6:00 P.M. Saturday morning drop-in classes will also be offered to anyone who would like to come. These classes are held from 10-11:00 A.M. with a charge of 1.50 each Saturday. The registration fee for the regular weekly classes is \$20.00. Janice Dillion will be instructing Aerobic Dance and Exercise.

Swimming Lessons
Swimming lessons for ages 5-15 are now being

sponsored by the Rec. Dept. The second session, July 19-Aug. 6 has only a few openings left in the 10:45 class. Both sessions have been changed into two 45 minute classes because of the demand in participation. The times are now 9:45-10:30 and 10:45-11:30. For more information call the Rec. Dept. at 482-8595.

Mite League
Heels 0-0
Cards 1-0
Jays 0-1
Robins 1-1

Midget League
Lions 0-0
Tigers 0-1
Bears 0-2
Deer 1-0
Bucks 1-0
Elks 1-1
Glidin 1-0

Little League
JC's 6-1
Nat. Guard 3-3
Rotary 5-2
TG&Y 5-2
Fisher Nut 2-5
Am. Legion 3-4
Texaco 1-6
Hardees 2-4

Jr. Babe Ruth
Hoke 2-0
Fisher Nut 1-1
Optimist 0-2
Belk 1-1

Women's Softball
Ryland 5-2
Nixon's 5-1
Superstarlets 5-2
Beaver's 1-5
Blue Jays 1-6
Charlie's Angels 3-4

Men's Softball
Ryland 5-3
Pic Wic 7-1
Texaco 7-2
Miller's 5-4

A's 7-2
Exxon 6-3
Natural 3-5
P.D. 7-2
Bears 4-4
Tyner JCs 1-7
Cotton Mill 2-7
Perry Holland 1-8
At. Forest 1-8

Little League Schedule
June 14-8:00 Hardees - Fisher
June 15-8:00 Am. Legion - JC's
June 16-8:00 Rotary - Nat. Guard
June 17-8:00 Texaco - TG&Y

June 18-7:00 Am. Legion - Nat. Guard, 8:15 Rotary - JC's
June 21-8:00 Rotary - TG&Y
June 22-8:00 Nat. Guard - Hardees

June 23-8:00 Texaco - JC's
June 24-8:00 Fisher - Am. Legion
June 25-7:00 Rotary - Fisher, 8:15 Am. Legion - TG&Y

Games played on Rocky Hock field are:
June 18-6:30 Hardees - TG&Y, 7:45 Texaco - Fisher
June 25-6:30 Texaco - Nat. Guard, 7:45 Hardees - JC's

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Letter To The Chowan Herald Editor

Dear Sir:
As the father of a fifth-grade student, a kindergarten graduate and a three-year old son I have a direct concern for excellence in education.

And so I am a candidate for the Board of Education. Mine is a commitment to all children and to excellence in their education. It is an irrevocable commitment to public education.

Let us recall our heritage. Once we had no commitment to the education of women; now we do.

Once we had no commitment to education for ethnic groups; now we do.

Once we had no commitment to the handicapped; now we do. Once we had no commitment to pre-schoolers; now we have statewide kindergarten.

This is a good heritage which must be preserved and extended. This will not be easy for 1982 is not the best of times economically. Nor have indifference and apathy vanished from the earth. The nation is anxious about many issues. Some advise retreat until the storm blows over.

Such an attitude is shortsighted and unworthy of us. The withdrawal of Federal and state financial supports will neither excuse nor condone a downgrading of education in Chowan County.

More than ever excellence in education depends on effective parenting. The father who reads with his child is endorsing reading in a decisive way. The mother who checks her child's homework in math is helping more than she knows. For the work of the schools is being underlined and endorsed as very important.

Parents who have the confidence of their children may maturely advise them during the ups and downs of emerging adolescent sexuality. Effective parenting will assist youth in getting past the cliches of our society, for alcohol and drunk driving are more deadly issues than commonly supposed. Effective parenting will not condone lies about income levels when the question of school lunches comes up. It will insist on responsible behavior and set a responsible example.

Excellence in education depends, too, on faculty. Consider that this is the season for class reunions. And after the jokes and "remember when..." stories are done, who are the teachers remembered? Retrospect shows that those who demanded more from us than we did of ourselves are cherished above all others. These people must be encouraged today, not simply applauded tomorrow.

Thus if we do not have great expectations we will not mature. Who wants to go to an average school, be on an average team, be the typical graduate? This is not to be insensitive to the slow learner but it is to rekindle a passionate commitment to excellence in education.

A county committed to excellence will applaud good efforts in math and English as it does athletics. It will be as enthusiastic about good work in history, biology and chemistry or bricklaying as it is about music. It will encourage students to work overtime in a hard course and enjoy getting a "B" rather than take an easier one to get an "A".

Two caterpillars were crawling across the grass when a butterfly flew over them.

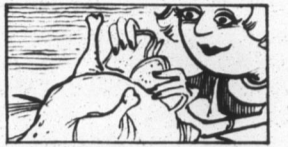
They looked up, and one nudged the other and said, "You couldn't get me up in one of those things for a million dollars!"

There is more within each of us than meets the eye. Inside each student is the

potential to fly. Let's give our best to bring our county best! Let this county pledge that neither inflation nor property re-evaluations nor lost federal programs nor indifference nor any other shortcoming will separate us from our heritage in public education. Let us commit ourselves anew to excellence in education.

On Tuesday June 29th all the citizens of this county no matter where they live will vote on my candidacy. I ask for your support and rededication to excellence in public education in Chowan County.

John Mitchener III



After stuffing a turkey, close the cavity with the dampened heels of a bread. Push each into an opening with crust facing out to hold the stuffing in.

VOTE FOR Yvonne A. Smith Board Of Education June 29

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★ J. D. Peele ★
County Commissioner
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June 29th

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County Commissioner

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