

Bike-A-Thon For Leukemia Drive Is Slated

A bike-a-thon to raise money for the Leukemia Society of America, Inc. will be held Saturday, October 16. Beginning at John A. Holmes High School at 9 A.M., the route of the bike-a-thon will extend from town to the National Guard Armory at Cape Colony and back to the high school. Anyone interested in participating in the bike-a-thon should contact Mrs. Grace Covington at the Chowan County Health Department or acquire an official pledge form from Hollowell-Blount or Mitchener's Drug Store.

Leukemia is a disease of the blood-forming tissues, which are the bone marrow, lymph nodes, and the spleen. Normally, the human body produces quantities of white blood cells that fight infections. When leukemia strikes, millions of abnormal and useless white blood cells are formed and are carried throughout the body by the bloodstream and lymph system. These abnormal cells crowd out and slow production of red blood cells and platelets vital to the body's many continuous

functions. The Leukemia Society of America, Inc. is a national voluntary health agency dedicated solely to seeking the cause and eventual cure of leukemia and allied diseases. The Society supports five major programs: research, patient-aid, public-professional education and community service.

In the area of patient-aid, the Society has a patient assistance program for patients unable to meet the high costs of treatment. The program provides up to \$750 per patient per year on an outpatient basis for various aspects of treatment. Everyone is invited to participate in the bike-a-thon in which prizes will be given. Riders who turn in \$25 to \$49.99 or more will receive a red and white Leukemia T-shirt. Participants who turn in \$50 or more will receive a red and white gym bag. All riders will be eligible for the statewide drawing for a 10-speed bicycle.

"The art of pleasing consists in being pleased." William Hazlitt



CAREER DAY—Juniors and Seniors at Holmes High School and Creswell High School talked with representatives from approximately sixty colleges and technical schools at the Career Day program last week. Representatives from the military service were also on hand. The program was a climax of activities for seniors who have been making their plans for after high school. Seniors recently participated in a financial aid workshop where various sources of money for college were explored.

Chowan Schools Menus Are Released

The Edenton-Chowan Schools have released their breakfast and lunch room menus for the week of October 11-15.

Monday - Breakfast - orange juice, assorted cereals and milk. **Lunch** - hamburger-bun, french fries, ketchup-mustard, sliced peaches, cookies and milk.

Tuesday - Breakfast - pineapple juice, doughnut and milk. **Lunch** - pizza,

carrot strips, buttered corn, apple pie and milk.

Wednesday - Breakfast - apple sauce, bacon strips, buttered toast and milk. **Lunch** - oriental chicken, stir-fry vegetables, rice, fruit fantasy, fortune cookies and milk.

Thursday - Breakfast - grape juice, cheese toast and milk. **Lunch** - ham &

Around The County Farms

by Mike Williams
Co. Ext. Chairman
Soybean Insects

Late season soybean leaf feeding insects have been much more numerous this year than they have in the past. Soybean loopers and velvetbean caterpillars are present in high numbers in scattered fields throughout the Coastal Plain. Making treatment decisions is difficult because soybeans are maturing rapidly and the cooler weather slows insect development.

According to Dr. John Van Duyn, soybean specialist at the Tidewater Research Station, thresholds for

defoliation increases rapidly as plants mature. Currently, early planted Group V (Forrest, Essex) are the only ones at the natural leaf drop stage. Some fields have yellowed due to drought but these may have actually been delayed in maturity, not advanced. Many of our soybeans are not mid-May planted and will mature at a later date. For Group V and VI soybeans, two weeks of planting date delay results in a five to seven day maturity delay. The closer a soybean field is to maturity, the greater level of defoliation by insect feeding it can tolerate without a loss in yield.

Defoliation during pod-fill can be tolerated up to 15 percent. This applies up to 2 weeks before leaf fall. Thirty-five to fifty per cent defoliation can be allowed during the final two weeks.

In general, serious defoliation should be prevented as long as foliage remains green. This is especially true when thresholds are met and a large population of foliage

feeding caterpillars or beetles are present.

Soybean and Nematode Samples

This is the time of year to be taking your soil and nematode samples. During early fall conditions are best for getting your samples and they are more representative of field conditions than if you wait until the wetter and colder months. You can also beat the rush if you do it now. The labs in Raleigh get flooded with samples beginning in November, resulting in a 6 to 8 week wait for your recommendations.

For information on taking a sample or getting it to Raleigh, contact the Agricultural Extension Service at 482-8431.



Zachary Taylor was the first career soldier to rise to the Presidency without having held any other civil post.

Card Of Thanks

I wish to thank my many friends who remembered me when I was in the hospital by cards, flowers and visitations. Special thanks to Dr. Voigt, the nurses and all the hospital personnel who unselfishly attended me. I wish to give special thanks also to the ministers who prayed for me daily. I ask God's blessings on each and everyone of you.

Gratefully,
Louise W. Burke
pd.

In Memoriam

W. Earl Jones Sr.
Oct. 6, 1977
Oct. 6, 1982

"He Is Just Away"

If memories stay within the thoughts
And love within the heart,
Then how can it be truly said that dear ones ever part?

So many will remember him

And things he used to say
And a special closeness still remains...

To all, he is just away.

Devoted wife and children,
Ophelia, Gail and James
Oct. 7, chg. bb



DRAINAGE PROJECT COMPLETED—According to Harry Gibson, Soil Conservation Service Engineer, a final inspection has been made on the East Edenton Drainage Project. Members of the Soil Conservation Service recently met with Town Officials and the Contractor to review the completed structural measures. The measures included a pump, sump pit, a tide gate and an earth fill designed to provide this section of Edenton with a better storm drainage outlet. The project was administered under the SCS Resource Conservation and Development Program which will pay approximately one half the cost.

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