

# Applications Being Accepted For Miss Lumbee Pageant

Lumbee Regional Development Association is accepting applications for the 1987 Miss Lumbee Scholarship Pageant which is a part of the annual Lumbee Homecoming celebration.

Lumbee Homecoming this year will be June 27-July 4 and will include a host of

events celebrating and high lighting the history, heritage and modern day contributions of the Lumbee people. The Miss Lumbee Pageant is planned for July 3rd. Contestants must be high school graduates between the ages of 17-26. The applications may be picked up at the IRDA Revels Office Complex build-

ing in Pembroke. For those lovely young ladies interested in participating in this year's pageant, the application deadline is May 22, 1987. For additional information regarding the pageant, please call Ms. Lynneetah Jacobs at 521-8602 or stop by the Revels Office Complex from 8:30-5:00 Monday through Friday.

## PEMBROKE KIWANIS

Speaker Ken Johnson

The least initial deviation from the truth is multiplied later as the mass find. So wrote Aristotle in the fourth century B.C. So the question comes up: What mistakes? Well, Watergate, for one, the Contra affair for another. Look how they multiplied or deviated from the truth. Apparently, Reagan, too, thinks the buck doesn't stop at his desk. This failure to assume responsibility for his aids working out of the White House is a mistake, and it is multiplying a thousandfold. Other horrible mistakes of our century of course are the holocaust, Beirut, Vietnam, now Central America. And of course our national debt. A pet mistake I always talk about is the NCAA. To me they are too removed from each institution to be in control at all. They were originally set up to formulate the rules for each sport and to run national tournaments. I use two ethics to make this statement. They are the situational ethic and

the selective ethic. These two ethics have been used in settling labor strikes. An example of the selective ethic is that an accident occurred way across town. One patrolman went through every traffic light on his way to the accident and got there in time to rescue the driver. This is an example of his love of his fellow man. The other patrolman stopped at every traffic light because he wanted to set an example for others to follow. Naturally, he got there too late and the motorist died. He was following the law as an example of the situational ethic. Workers sharing the profits is an example of the selective ethic: they love their jobs more if they share the responsibility. So personal involvement is found in the selective ethic. Impersonal involvement is found in the situational ethic. Which ethic is found in the following?  
1. SDI (Strategic Defense Initiative)-selective ethic  
2. Contra affair-selective

ethic  
3. National debt-situational ethic  
4. 65 mile speed limit-situational ethic  
5. Trade wars-situational ethic  
6. NCAA-situational ethic  
7. AIDS (Acquired Immune Deficiency Syndrome)-selective ethic  
8. Morality-imminent in each of us-selective ethic  
9. Slave ethic-apartheid-situational ethic  
10. Christian ethic-love thy neighbor as thyself-selective ethic  
11. The Constitution-situational ethic  
12. The Ten Commandments-situational ethic  
13. The seven cardinal principles of education-situational ethic  
Clayton Maynor became a new member and was pinned by his wife Betsy.  
Presiding-President Henry Ward Oxendine; prayer-Ed Teets; song leader-Albert Hunt.

BY KEN JOHNSON

**REFLECTIONS**  
BY Alta Oxendine

Congratulations to all the graduates! I hope to write more about this later.

**Those Who Have Lost Loved Ones**  
Wanda Kay and I want to express our love to Mr. Fuller Floyd, to all the children, grandchildren, and great-grandchildren, who have experienced the passing on from this life of "Miss" Eudell. (Also to the Deese family and others who have lost loved ones.)

**"Miss Eudell"**  
Miss Eudell was one who put into practice, in her daily life, the faith and trust which she held in God, her Father. Or, as her pastor, Rev. Colledge Cummings, expressed it (in the service honoring her on Saturday, May 2) she not only prayed but put feet to her prayers, as she went around the community ministering to others.

I used to dread funerals. But the one for "Miss Eudell"—like so many others I've attended recently—was as inspiring to me as a church worship service.  
How wonderful when a person we have known and loved is really ready to step from this life across to the next one. For followers of Christ (called by His name, *Christians*) life on this earth is like a prelude to the symphony beyond.  
How glorious it must be when we get over there!

**Pray For Each Other**  
Let's pray for one another, as we go through losses, crises, various kinds of trials and temptations. The God who made us wants to be our daily Guide and Comforter. When we turn our lives over to Him, He will shower us with His peace and joy and love—unlike anything we can find here in the world around us!

## bulletin

**North Carolina Student Earns National Scholarship Award**  
Ruth Dial Woods, of Pembroke, North Carolina, was recently honored by the American Council on Rural Special Education (ACRES) as a winner of a 1987-88 Rural Student Scholarship.  
Ms. Woods was selected from an outstanding group of candidates representing colleges and universities through out the United States. She is currently pursuing her Ph.D. in Educational Administration at South Carolina State College in Orangeburg, South Carolina.  
ACRES Rural Scholarships are awarded annually to outstanding students who are planning careers in special education in rural or remote areas. Presentation of the award was made at the March ACRES National Rural Special Education Conference held in Asheville, North Carolina.  
A successful auction held at that conference raised enough funds to increase the number of yearly scholarships from two to three. Applicants are encouraged to contact the American Council on Rural Special Education at Western Washington University in Bellingham, Washington.

Congratulations to Phillip P. Oxendine who was selected to attend Riverside Indian School in Anadarko, Oklahoma for "Explorations in Creativity" to be held this summer. The 3 1/2 week program for students who are exceptionally gifted and talented, is designed to enhance skills to help with school and career opportunities. Selected Indian students will be attending from across the United States. "EIC II" offers courses in all advanced academic areas, Indian Philosophy, Liberal Arts, Athletics and Leadership.

## Electrolux Donates Cleaners Through Gifts In Kind, Inc.



Gift Recipients Of Electrolux: Left to Right: Sylvia Huggins, Robeson County Group Home; Kathy Locklear, Alcohol Rehabilitation Center; Barbara Bowers, Southeastern Industrial Center; Joshua Rimbey, Day Hospital; Andy English, Cedar House; Bill Watts, Alcohol Rehabilitation Center; Ann Dunlap and Dorothy Powers, United Way of Robeson County.

Electrolux Corporation of Alexandria, Va., has donated 10 refurbished canister vacuum cleaners to five non-profit organizations in Robeson County. The local United Way chapter is acting as distribution coordinator and will send four refurbished models to the Robeson County Group Home and Residential Facility near Maxton.  
"Not for profit organizations are looking for ways to improve and to increase services to their communities. Electrolux Corporation recognizes that its quality products can contribute to that effort," said Dennis J. Johnson, president and chief operating officer.

The Alcohol Program at Southeastern Regional Mental Health and the Southeastern Sheltered Workshop will each receive two vacuum cleaners with the Cedar House and the Southeastern Mental Health receiving one apiece.  
Electrolux is contributing nationwide 32,000 vacuum cleaners, valued at \$2 million. Last year, Electrolux donated 20,000 new upright cleaners, valued at \$10 million.  
Gifts in Kind, Inc. is the organization coordinating the nationwide distribution. The program encourages in-kind donations and acts as a broker in assisting corporations to find needy, qualified organizations.

## A SOCIAL NOTE



Shown left is Pastor Dozor, a Oneida Indian of Detroit, Michigan. He is shown with his friend Rev. Julius Bryant of Pembroke (shown right). The ministers had not seen each other for some time.  
While Pastor Dozor was visiting the two friends enjoyed food and fellowship at Sheff's Seafood Restaurant in Pembroke. Rev. Bryant reports they had a wonderful visit and he is looking forward to Pastor Dozor's return. (Photo by Bill Hunt)

## OXENDINE TO ATTEND SPECIAL SUMMER PROGRAM IN OKLAHOMA



PHILLIP P. OXENDINE

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After a strenuous selection process by the American Indian Research and Development, Inc., Phillip was one out of 68 senior high Indian students to be accepted from 32 different states. He was the only Lumbee Indian chosen.

Phillip P. Oxendine resides in Detroit, Michigan with his mother Marie C. (Locklear) Oxendine who attended Pembroke Senior High School, 15-year-old Phillip attends an accelerated academic program at M.L. King High School where he also plays on the school football team. He attends Title IV Detroit Indian Education Program where he has worked as a student aide for the last two years. There Phillip was selected "Student of the Year 1986."

Phillip P. Oxendine spends his summer vacations working on the farm with his grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. William K. Locklear, who reside in Pembroke. His father, Phillip D. Oxendine and grandparents Mr. and Mrs. James A. Oxendine, also reside in Pembroke, NC.

## Ground Breaking Held May 8

In Fayetteville For

## Indian Housing Project

A ground-breaking ceremony was held Friday, May 8 at 10 a.m. in Fayetteville for the first Indian housing project to be sponsored by the N.C. Indian Housing Authority.

Among those expected to be on hand were James Hardin of Fayetteville, chairman of the housing authority; Fayetteville Mayor John W. Hurley; Eddie Maynor of Fayetteville,

chairman of the Cumberland County Association for Indian People; and Lonnie Revels of Greensboro, chairman of the N.C. Commission of Indian Affairs.

The U.S. Department of Housing and Urban Development was represented by John Meyers of Washington, George Jordan and Leon Jacobs, both of Chicago, and Larry (Archie) Greensboro.

The construction site is located near Sapona Road off Highway 53 South on the outskirts of Fayetteville.

A contract for construction of 204 housing units in Cumberland, Hoke and Robeson counties was awarded by the

N.C. Indian Housing Authority to W.H. Weaver Construction Co. of Greensboro.

According to Hardin, Weaver Construction received the contract after submitting the low bid of \$5,019,395 and meeting contract requirements.

"I am very happy that we will be able to begin to build housing to help meet the need for additional standard housing

for low-income families in rural areas of Hoke, Robeson and Cumberland counties," Hardin said.

Funding for the project was provided by the U.S. Department of Housing and Urban Development (HUD) which awarded the authority a contract for \$1,100,000 on January 28, 1986, to build and operate the housing.

"We have worked long and hard to see the housing built," said A. Bruce Jones, acting director of the housing authority.

According to Jones, some of the 204 units were initially planned to be built in Warren County; however, a suitable site could not be acquired within the development schedule set by HUD. He noted that the authority is seeking additional funding and alternate sites in Warren and Halifax counties for the housing units.

Jones also indicated that special measures had been taken to give Indian construction contractors opportunities to bid work on the project.

The N.C. Indian Housing Authority was created in 1967 by the General Assembly and receives administrative and financial support from the N.C. Commission of Indian Affairs in the Department of Administration.

## School News

**Deep Branch School News**  
Deep Branch Elementary will be holding a School Clean-up Day on Saturday, May 23rd from 8am. to 12pm. We are asking the faculty, staff, parents and members of the community to come and help. Deep Branch School camp Let's make it something children, school and community can be proud of.

## THE COACH'S CORNER

**Swimming-The Importance Of Learning To Breathe Properly**  
Holding your breath is exhausting for the swimmer. By blowing into the water through tight lips and turning your head for a new breath, you can maintain your horizontal body position thus allowing the water to carry you. There are many good swimmers who do not know how to breathe properly. You must coordinate the breathing with your arms. For every cycle of your arms you should be able to take one breath of air. You must force the air out through tight lips when you turn your head back straight facing straight down. Thus rhythmic breathing prevents fatigue which could lead to panic, getting vertical in the water and drowning. So many swimmers swim with their heads completely out of the water, thus forcing themselves into a 45 degree angle-an exhausting swim. Instead of being horizontal in the water, they almost perpendicular to the water, struggling to survive an exhausting perpendicular position. You can maintain horizontal resting position your back, providing your head back and your feet under water. The non-swimmer will fight this position thinking if he gets his head under he'll drown. The way to overcome this fear is to hold your nose and allow the water to sweep over your face while you are on your back. You are a non-swimmer, how to swim. It could save your life.  
BY KEN JOHNSON

## CORRECTION

A letter to the editor entitled "Former Miss Lumbee Defends Former Chaperone" which appeared in the May 7, 1987 issue of the Carolina Indian Voice was not properly credited to the writer. The letter was from Miss Brenda Lowry, a former Miss Lumbee of Pembroke, NC. The staff of the Carolina Indian Voice regrets the omission and confusion it may have caused.

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**WHAT TO DO IN CASE OF AN AUTOMOBILE ACCIDENT**  
Last year there were forty-three people injured in an auto accident every sixty seconds. One of every twelve vehicles on the road was involved in a collision, and a fatality occurred every ten minutes.  
When these startling facts were brought to our attention by a recent report on traffic safety, we at the Lumberton Chiropractic Office felt compelled to share some of the insights Chiropractic has learned about the damaging effects of auto injuries.  
Accident victims frequently suffer from neck and back injuries. Often the symptoms are hidden—at first. Later, they may surface in the form of pain, fatigue, numbness, or loss of mobility. Left untreated, they could lead to chronic pain, or worse — permanent disability.  
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**Calcium: What to know**  
Studies show that American women receive less than half the U.S. recommended amount of calcium needed each day, making them prone to the low calcium disease, osteoporosis.  
If you are unsure your diet includes the equivalent of four eight-ounce glasses of milk daily, consider taking a high-quality calcium supplement.  
Make certain the product you select includes some copper, zinc, and manganese, in addition to the ingredient calcium carbonate (ground limestone). TIP: To insure proper absorption, particularly in elderly people, take calcium supplements with meals.  
STUDIES FROM THE BOOK OF JOHN  
14:7) If you had known me, you should have known my Father also and henceforth, you know him and have seen him.

Say you read it in...  
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