ity. The student center will feature a café, bookstore, theater, student lounge, meeting

rooms and a student organiza-

tional workroom. Lambert Architecture + Interiors has designed the \$6.8 million

project that will be built by Frank L. Blum Construction to be modern and open while reflecting Salem's historic

roots. Located adjacent to

Corrin Refectory and Bryant

Hall, the center will be the

first new building erected on



The Carver High School Marching Band makes some noise.

Santa drops by rec center gathering

Track Club - were on hand

to help manage the gather-

ing and serve a hot dog sup-

included the step team from Flat Rock Middle School,

the HYPE Line Dancers,

the Carolina Stars, Positive

Image Performing Arts,

Shaneika Hamlet

Trevon Graham.

performers

and

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Carver High The School Marching Band arrived at the W. R. Anderson Center with drums playing and horns blaring.

Band members were joined by the cheerleading group from Carter Vocational High School and the Winston Lake Family YMCA's Jazzy Jumpers at the Center's Community annual Christmas Celebration.

The Center's basketball court was transformed into a stage where talented singers and performers entertained. But all the attention turned to Santa and his elves once they made their entrance.

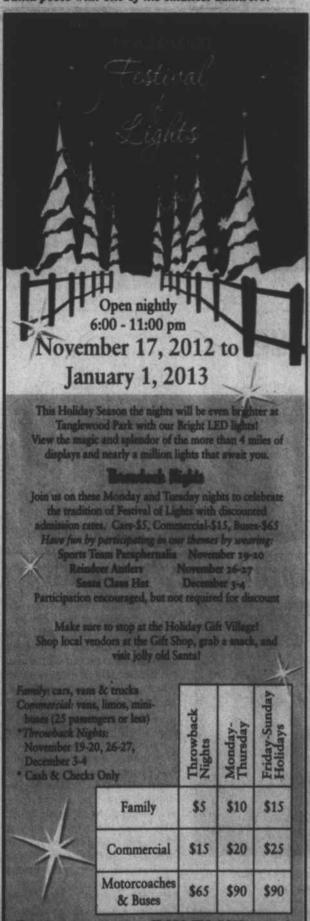
Hundreds of children, and even a few adults, were afforded the opportunity to sit on Santa's lap to pose for pictures and tell him their Christmas wishes. Having Santa at the event has been a tradition since 2005. Each child received candy and fruit from Santa. All the items were donated by the community.

"It was a night when the community came together and hosted a special event for our children," stated Center Supervisor Bryant McCorkle.

Next Level Track Club was the event's co-sponsor, along with the City of Winston-Salem's Recreation & Parks Department. Dozens of volunteers - including



Santa poses with one of his smallest admirers.



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First new Salem building in last three decades going up

SPECIAL TO THE CHRONICLE

Salem College broke ground Tuesday on a new student center. The college's Board of Trustees recently voted to proceed with construction, slated for completion in the spring of 2014.

School officials say that the new facility will showcase the vibrant campus and act as a hub for student activ-



A rendering of the new structure.

Salem's campus since 1982.

"At Salem, our students are the heart of our mission. We are delighted that the new center will be located in the heart of campus and will provide a hub for student events and gatherings," said Susan Pauly, president of Salem Academy and College. "It is especially appropriate that our newest building will pay tribute to one of our core values - community- and we look forward to generations of students and friends enjoying the new facility in the future."



