

More parking coming

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The two cars parked on the lower six tennis courts between Cobb dorm and Henderson Residence College during the football game Saturday may be able to park in official parking spaces there in about six weeks.

The courts are being converted into a parking lot and practice tennis courts, John Billing, chairman of the physical education department, said Friday.

Billing said the department decided not to resurface the courts, which are badly cracked, when it received a bid on the work. The courts would have had to be bulldozed, and the cost would have been prohibitive.

The proposed parking lot will provide space for about 50 cars of both University employees and students, said William Locke, administrator of traffic and parking.

There is a lot of work to be done on the area, Locke said. The courts will have to be resurfaced and striped for parking, and a driveway will be built near the Paul Green Theatre.

"It will be another month to six weeks before you see any cars over there," Locke said.

The traffic office will sell parking stickers for the area, which will be an addition to the N-4, N-4A zone around Cobb Residence Hall and Henderson Residence College, after the parking lot is completed, he said.

Billing said plans for the practice tennis courts were to put up a hitting wall that players could hit tennis balls against from either side.

"The idea is to provide at least 10 hitting stations," he said. The courts will have no nets, and will be an instructional or practice aid.

Billing said that either the courts would be black-topped or the cracks would be repaired.

Play on the courts now is not recommended because there is a potential for injuries there, he said.

The courts will be repaired "with our own Physical Plant labor, when they have time," after doing other work, he said.

Billing added that he would like to have the courts finished for spring practicing.



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Hunt states N.C. should aid children

From staff reports

Gov. Jim Hunt called for "reminiscence, renewal and rededication" Saturday morning as he addressed an audience at the Frank Porter Graham Child Development Center as part of the center's 15th birthday ceremonies.

The governor was joined at the celebration by U.S. Reps. L.H. Fountain and Ike Andrews, UNC President William C. Friday and UNC Chancellor Christopher C. Fordham.

Hunt said it was necessary to address serious problems facing the state's children in the years ahead, such as infant mortality, poverty-level conditions that hinder the growth of 18 percent of the state's children and the problem of working mothers and child care.

"The challenges that this state faces in the next decade are great," Hunt said. "We must decide here today that we will not falter. We must renew our commitment to children and their families."

The center, founded in 1966 and located on the N.C. 54 bypass, was created as a research institution to investigate the importance of early childhood experiences in determining the rest of a person's life, he said.

UNC lab theater holds tryouts

The Laboratory Theater will hold auditions for its second production this season, *Androcles and the Lion*, at 8 p.m. today and Tuesday in Graham Memorial.

The play is one of the most famous short farces of the English theater and is

one of George Bernard Shaw's best-known works. It is based on the old fable of the man who aids a lion in distress and is later repaid for his kindness.

The production will be directed by Patricia Barnett, and the cast calls for 22 men and nine females, with doubling in some roles.

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Rape center reports assault increase

More sexual assaults were reported during the first nine months this year than in the same period last year, the Orange County Rape Crisis Center has reported.

From this January to September, 54 rapes or attempted rapes were reported to the center, compared to 37 over the same period last year, a report from the center said.

Thirty of the assaults were in Chapel Hill, including 10 on the UNC campus. Eleven more were reported in Carrboro, and the

remaining 13 were at other locations in Orange County.

The center reported that more than half of the victims were assaulted by someone they knew or were acquainted with.

The Rape Crisis Center is a volunteer organization that provides information and support to victims of sexual assault. Volunteers are available 24 hours a day at 967-RAPE.

The center is funded by the United Fund, Orange County and the towns of Chapel Hill and Carrboro.

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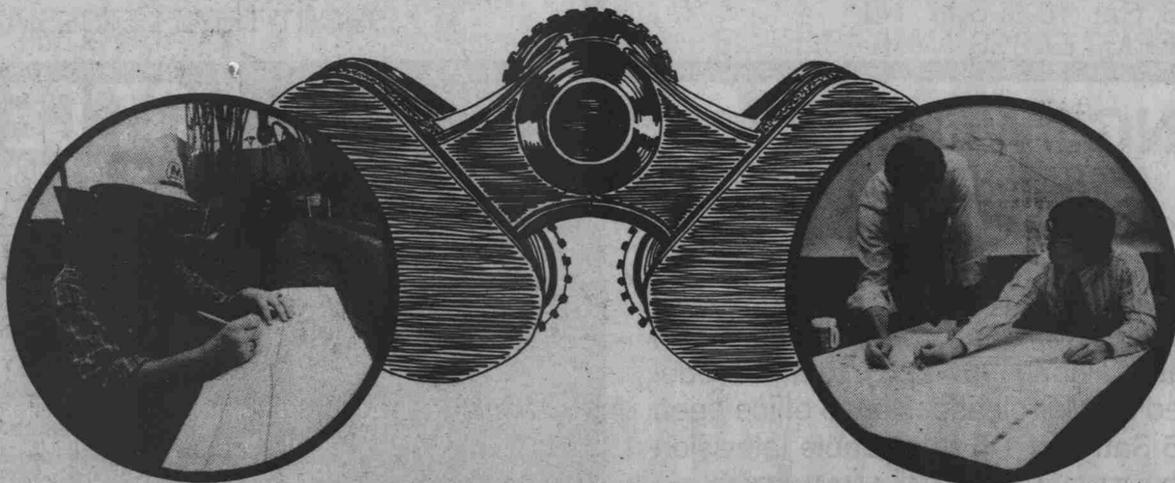
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