

In Weeks To Come

Meetings

June 20
NEW 4-H CLUB - A new 4-H Club is being organized in the Stonewall community. An organizational and informational meeting will be held June 20 at 7 p.m. at the Stonewall Community Building. All interested youth 9-19 are invited to attend with their parents. For more information call 875-2162 between 8 a.m. and 5 p.m.

June 22
CIVIC LEAGUE - The Hoke Co. Civic League will hold its 10th Anniversary Banquet on Friday, June 22 at 7 p.m. at the Gibson Cafeteria in Raeford. The speaker will be Dr. M.H. Williams, Founder of the Hoke Co. Civic League. Admission is \$7 per person.

June 28
LRBC - The regular monthly meeting of the Lumber River Basin Committee will be held at 7:00 p.m. on June 28 at the Robeson County Public Library in Lumberton. Johnny Hester, superintendent of the Lumberton Municipal Water and Sewage Treatment Facility, will present a program on the facilities and procedures used in the treatment of water for the city of Lumberton. He will also address problems in the treatment of sewage before it is returned to the Lumber River. A question and answer period will follow. Anyone interested in the Lumber River is invited to attend the meetings of LRBC.

AIRPORT AUTHORITY - The Hoke/Raeford Airport Authority will hold its regular meeting at the Raeford City Hall on the second Thursday of each month at 7:45 p.m.

AMERICAN LEGION - American Legion Post 20 of Hoke County meets the second Tuesday of each month at the Edinborough Restaurant at 8:00 p.m. Those interested in joining are invited.

COUNTY COMMISSION - Members of the Hoke County Commission meet the first Monday of each month at 9 a.m. and the third Monday at 7:30 p.m. Pratt Building located at 227 N. Main St. in Raeford. The public is invited.

CITY COUNCIL - The Raeford City Council meets the first Monday of each month at 7 p.m. in City Hall. The public is encouraged to attend.

SCHOOL BOARD - The Hoke County Board of Education meets the first Tuesday of each month at 7 p.m. at the board offices on Woolley Street. The public is encouraged to attend.

AL ANON - Meetings are held every Wednesday at 8 p.m. at the Hoke County Health Department Conference Room.

Gatherings

June 21
NURSING BOARD - There will be a program held at St. Mary Pentecostal Holiness Church on behalf of the nursing board at 8 p.m. on June 21. Elder Wesley Lee Adams will speak.

June 23
PRAYER SERVICE - Mission Prayer services will be held June 23 at Rockhill Baptist Church at 9 a.m.

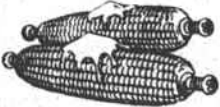
June 24
UNION - The Hoke County Union will be held June 24, Sunday, at 2:30 p.m. at Laurel Hill Baptist Church.

June 24
KING & QUEEN - There will be a king and queen pageant on June 24 at the St. Mary Christian Pentecostal Holiness Church at 4 p.m. The speaker will be Evangelist Helen Smith of McCain.

June 24
SINGING ON THE MOUNTAIN - will be celebrating its 60th anniversary on June 24th at Grandfather Mountain, with the celebration to include prominent speakers and well known musical talent. "The Singing has grown up from a very modest beginning," says event Chairman Robert Hartley, "and has become one of the largest gospel religious events in the Southeast." The all-day gospel sing, preaching, family reunion and church picnic is proud of the motto begun by founder Joe Hartley, Sr. in 1924, "Whosoever will may come." No admission is charged.

Events

June 29-July 1
ARABIA SHOW - The Central Piedmont Arabian Horse Show is set for June 29, 30 and July 1 at the Iredell County Fair Grounds in Barium Springs. The show will be held rain or shine and the show grounds are located on Hwy. 21 in Barium Springs and anyone traveling I-77 should take Exit 45 and go west to the Iredell County Fair Grounds. Complete camper hookups are available on the grounds for a \$25 fee for the whole three days. We suggest spectators bring their cameras and record the beautiful sights in store for the last weekend in June. Anyone wishing additional information on the show can call 704-539-5143 or 704-873-9758.



June 29
FARMERS' MARKET - The Hoke County Farmers' Market will open on Friday, June 29. The market will open Monday through Saturday from 7 a.m. until, and on Sunday from 1 p.m.-7 p.m. Thad Marks will be the market manager. The market is located at the corner of Harris Avenue and Bethel Road in Raeford. All farmers willing to participate shall be required to pay a \$10. membership. The fee for selling from a truck or space, inside or outside, shall be \$3. per day. Selling spaces shall be on a "first-come," "first-assigned" basis. For information concerning the Farmers' market call the Hoke County Agricultural Extension Service, 875-3461.

July 4
REGIMENT BAND - The Regiment Band of the 11th North Carolina Troops will be in concert playing music from the War of the Revolution and the War Between the States during a July 4th Celebration on Old Capital Square, Raleigh, N.C. Other events are also scheduled. The ceremonies begin at 11:30 a.m. and last until 3:00 p.m. The public is invited and admission is free. For further information call: 919-485-1541, 484-0281, 733-4994.

July 4
INDEPENDENCE DAY - The 23rd Annual Independence Day Celebration will be held in Parkton, N.C. on Wednesday, July 4th from 9:30 a.m. to 6 p.m. Activities for the day include Patriotic Music, Flag Raising Ceremony, Patriotic Speaker, Congressman Charles Rose, Singing, Sky-Diving, Art and Crafts Sale, Downtown Parade, Antique Cars, Concession Stands, Street Music, Noon Day Meal, Watermelon Scramble and Fun and Games for all.

July 14-15
HIGHLAND GAMES - The Grandfather Mountain Highland Games and gathering of the Scottish Clans, held July 14 and 15, has once again been recognized by the American Bus Association as one of North America's Top 100 events in 1984. The colorful Gaelic celebration will begin with a special tribute to the 400th Anniversary of the landing of English colonists on North Carolina's shores in cooperation with North Carolina's 400th birthday celebration, and is widely considered one of the most appropriate vehicles for commemoration of North Carolina's and America's Anglo-Saxon heritage.

June 23
GOAT SHOW - Piedmont Dairy Goat Association is sponsoring a non-sanctioned show on June 23, at the Beech Community Building near Weaverville. Although the show is non-sanctioned, it will follow American Dairy Goat Association Rules. It will be open to all goat owners. Goats to be shown must be checked in between 8:30 a.m. and 12 p.m. on the day of the show. 4-Hers must be checked in by 9:30 a.m. A showmanship class will be held at 10 a.m. for the benefit of 4-Hers and others interested in learning showing techniques. An entry fee of \$2.00 per goat (if postmarked by June 9) will be charged. Entry forms and class schedules are available from show secretary Maxine Shelton, 13 Salem Rd., Weaverville, NC 28787. More information is available by calling (704) 645-5956.

June 23-24
TRACTOR PULL - 8th annual Tractor and 4 Wheel Drive Pull will be held at the Wayne County Fair Grounds, Hwy. 117 South in Goldsboro. Participants will compete for a \$7,900 purse on Saturday, June 23 at 7 p.m. and Sunday, June 24 at 1 p.m. Admission is: adults \$6., children 6 to 12 years \$3., senior citizens \$3. and children under 6 free admission. All proceeds go to the Grantham Rescue Squad Inc. and the Grantham fire Dept.

June 24
CONOLY REUNION - The Conoly reunion will be held June 24 at the Antioch Presbyterian Church. Dinner will be served at 1 p.m. Bring a basket and tea.

Doings

June 26
HORSE WORKSHOP - There will be a workshop for all youth interested in horses on June 26, at 7 p.m. at Larry Williams farm. Basic grooming, safety and riding techniques will be demonstrated. Further horse activities for youth will be discussed. We do have a 4-H Horse Club and would like to get youth who are interested involved. If you are interested in attending the workshop please call 875-2162 between 8 a.m. and 5 p.m. to register by June 25. There is no charge for the workshop.

June 28
SPOT BID SALE - The public is invited to attend the Local Spot Bid Sale on Fort Bragg June 28 in Bldg. #J-1334 on Knox Street. Bidder registration will begin at 8 a.m. at the Defense Property Disposal Office with the sale commencing at 9 a.m. Included in the sale are office machines, household and office furnishings, furniture, clothing, vehicles, restaurant equipment, "televisions, electronic and recreational equipment and many other items. Items offered for sale may be inspected at the Defense Property Disposal Office June 21-27, from 8 a.m. to 3 p.m. daily, except Saturday and Sunday. Purchases will be paid for with cash, cashiers' check, certified check, traveler's check, bank draft, and/or postal or telegraphic money order unless bidder is under Bid-Bond. For more information, call the Sales Section at 396-5222 or visit the Disposal Facility during inspection hours.



July 4
OLDE FASHIONED 4TH - Celebrate an old fashioned fun-filled Fourth of July in downtown Fayetteville, sponsored by The Olde Fayetteville Association. Watermelon scramble, sack races and other games will begin at 4:30 p.m. near the market house on Green Street, concluding at Cross Creek Park, also on Green Street. The Fayetteville Symphony and Fayetteville Community Chorus under the direction of Harlan Duenow will present a free concert of well-loved music at Cross Creek Park at 6:30 p.m. Hot dogs, soft drinks and balloons will be sold - or you may bring your own picnic. See your downtown on the Fourth. Come and bring all the chillun!

June 22
HEALTH CARE EXPRESS - The Healthcare Express, is coming to Fayetteville on Friday, June 22. Sponsored by Hospital Corporation of America (HCA) and Highsmith-Rainey Memorial Hospital, the Healthcare Express is a traveling exhibit that celebrates "Human Energy" and achievements in health care. It will be open to the public on June 22, at Highsmith-Rainey Memorial Hospital in downtown Fayetteville from 10 a.m. to 5 p.m. Healthcare professionals from Highsmith-Rainey Memorial Hospital, along with local organizations including the Blood Assurance Plan of Cumberland County, the American Cancer Society, the American Heart Association ... to name a few ... will be bringing you valuable information and tips for GOOD HEALTH. See the inside of an ambulance and a Rescue unit...The Healthcare Express is free. Everyone is invited. School groups, youth groups and other organizations are encouraged to attend.

thru July 1
BRAGG PLAYHOUSE - The *Teahouse of the August Moon*, the 1954 Pulitzer Prize and Drama Critics' Circle Award winning comedy by John Patrick will run for two weekends of performances at the Fort Bragg Playhouse through July 1. *The Teahouse of the August Moon* will be the Fort Bragg Playhouse entry in the 1984 FORSCOM Festival of the Performing Arts and will be judged on Friday, June 22 at 8:15 p.m. Additional performances are June 23, 28, 29, 30 and July 1 at 8:18, plus a Sunday matinee at 2:15 on June 24 and July 1. Ticket prices are \$5.00 (civilian), \$4.50 (military) and \$3.00 (Senior Citizens and children age 10 and under). E4s and below are admitted free on a space available basis by presenting their ID card at the box office at performance time. Reservations are now available by calling the playhouse box office, Monday-Friday, 9 a.m.-5 p.m. at 396-7555.



Sports

thru June
CANOE TRIPS - The Lumber River Basin Committee will sponsor three canoe trips on the Lumber River in June as part of its celebration of American Rivers Month. The third trip will be on June 23 and will be from Boardman (new N.C. 74) to Macedonia (Red Barn). The trip will take approximately three hours. For more information please contact Sherwood Hinson at 628-8633. Those who would like to make these trips but do not own canoes should contact either Robeson County Recreation and Park Commission in Lumberton or Al's Furniture Mart. Either source will rent a canoe for the day.

Blazons

June 25
AT FSU - Fayetteville State University will offer The Intensive Study Program this summer for high school graduates. The academic enrichment program will run for five weeks beginning June 25. The program is designed to provide students with a directed, structured, and intensive instructional program in the language arts and mathematics. The program will provide the opportunity for students to sharpen academic skills needed in post-secondary setting. For more information call 486-1201.

thru June 30
CRAFTS FAIR - Fort Bragg's Arts and Crafts Center will be taking registration for the Summer Crafts Fair thru June 30 in the lobby of the center. Those wishing to participate must be registered and have paid the \$5 registration fee by 9 a.m. on June 30. The Summer Crafts Fair is scheduled for Saturday, June 30, from 10 a.m. until 5 p.m. and will be held in the pecan grove adjacent to the center. Everyone is invited to attend. Individuals, groups and organizations are invited to come out and sell their handmade crafts or baked items. Refreshments will also be on sale. For more information, call the center at 396-6319 or 396-7919.

July 12-Aug. 8
EXCHANGE HOMES - Homes are urgently needed by the Nacel Cultural Exchanges for 40 high school students, mostly boys aged 13 to 18, who will spend four weeks in this area between July 12 and August 8. Nacel is organized jointly by French and American teachers. The purpose of this stay is to allow families to share their home and daily lives with a French teenager. Families are responsible for food and shelter, but not for spending money. The program provides comprehensive medical, accident and liability insurance. Families without teenagers at home can host provided the student has the opportunity to meet other young people. Families interested should contact immediately Dr. Frederic Fladenmuller at 5313 Ridgloch Place, Raleigh, N.C. 27612 or by calling (919) 782-7700.

Oct. 13
FALL FEST - Winthrop College will celebrate its second FallFest on Oct. 13, 1984, with arts, crafts, food, entertainment, and more. Artists and crafts makers may call Winthrop College now for information about reserving a booth for FallFest by calling (803) 323-2279.



Still blooming
 Day lilies keep the Hoke County countryside blooming throughout the summer. These local buds seem primed and ready to burst into color. (Photo by Becky Jones).

Rockfish News

By Polly Barnard

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The seniors were honored at Galatia Presbyterian church Sunday June 10 during morning worship service.

The six high school seniors were presented Bibles and the three college seniors were presented Bible dictionaries by Dr. David Sutton. The graduates were ushered in by Brian Shannon and Melissa Parks.

In the absence of Dr. David Sutton, Chaplain Mark Werner was in the pulpit for morning worship service the past Sunday at Galatia Presbyterian Church. He was accompanied by his family.

Vacation Bible School began Monday morning June 17 and will continue through Friday June 22 at Galatia Presbyterian Church. There will be a picnic at 12:30 Friday for the conclusion.

The morning circle at Galatia Presbyterian Church met Tuesday morning June 12th at 10:00 o'clock at the church. Mrs. Nellie Williams led the Bible study and the ladies enjoyed a covered dish luncheon and social hour at the conclusion of the meeting.

Mrs. Lydia Boahn is a patient at

Highsmith-Rainey Hospital. Mrs. Edwin D. Newton, Sr. was admitted to Cape Fear Valley Hospital Wednesday of last week for tests and observation.

Congratulations to Mr. and Mrs. James Culp who became grandparents May 22nd. Congratulations also to the proud parents Mr. and Mrs. Gary Culp of Raeford.

Congratulations to Mrs. Edwin Willis who retired as Hoke County Extension Agent June 19. Certainly hope you enjoy your retirement, Ellen.



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