

Nine More Boys and Girls Join The Birthday Club



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Ten more boys and girls have joined THE NEWS-TIMES Birthday Club. Glad to have you!

They are Mary Carolyn Martinos, Beaufort, who celebrated her birthday April 24. Phillip Alvin Radford, of route 1 Beaufort, and Frank Krusz, also of Beaufort.

Our youngest member (aside from the April babies who were automatically enrolled) is 10-month-old Dawna Beatrice Salter of Sea Level, and we have Dawna's

picture, too. See if you can find it.

Jennifer Brock is our first Florida club member, and we're glad to have her join us. She has sent her picture along with a very nice letter. Thank you, Jennifer.

Bradley Styron of Cedar Island has enrolled, also Bruce and Dickie Daniels of route 1 Morehead City; and Donald Lee Mann and Dana Lynn Brown, both of Morehead City, are now members.

On their birthdays, each member of the Birthday Club receives a birthday card from THE NEWS-TIMES. Their name also appears in The Happy Birthday column in The Happy Times.

All you have to do to become a club member is fill in the blank on this page and send it in. If you have a picture of yourself, send that too.

It's fun to belong to our Birthday club. Won't you join?

THE HAPPY TIMES

Newspaper for Boys and Girls



Leonard and Frisky

Frisky

I have a dog named Frisky. My dog is black and white. He is a little dog. He does not like the cold. He stays in the house on cold days.

I like my dog. It is a good thing I have a dog, because he plays with me.

Leonard Safrit

(Leonard is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Leonard Safrit, Beaufort, and is in Mrs. Carl Rhodes' second grade at Beaufort School).

Happy Birthday

Bruce Daniels, Route 1 Morehead City, 2 Years Old May 2
Dana Lynn Brown, Morehead City, 7 Years Old May 5
Sally Davis, Straits, 9 Years Old May 7
Janice Shray, Morehead City, 8 Years Old May 10

(The following babies have been born at the Morehead City and Sea Level Hospitals since The Happy Times of last Tuesday. If any babies were born during April whose names have not been listed here, we will be happy to enroll them in the Birthday Club if the parents will please notify us.)
Todd Riner Brown, Morehead City
Richard Leo Norris, Newport
Lori Jean Taylor, Beaufort
Jill Willis, Beaufort
Josephine George, Harlowe
Barbara Ann Davis, Davis
Madeline Carol Saunders, Atlantic
Annie Dixon Harris, Morehead City
Jane Taylor, Sea Level

Jennifer's Letter

Gibsonton, Florida
April 28, 1958

To the Happy Times:
My name is Jennifer Brock and I will be 7 years old in August. I am in the first grade at Gardenville school in Gibsonton, Fla.

Even though we are a long ways from Morehead City and Beaufort, we still get THE NEWS-TIMES. My Grandmother subscribed for us and my mommy really looks forward to the days it comes.

I would like to say "Happy Birthday" to my granddaddy as he will have a birthday very soon. His name is Thurman Pittman and he lives at Merrimon, N. C. I will be looking for my picture in the paper.

Sincerely yours,
Jennifer Brock



Dawna



Bruce Daniels is at the left, and his brother, Dickie, right.

Deadline!
Pictures or news for The Happy Times must be in the newspaper office by 10 a.m. on Fridays. News or pictures received later than that will have to be held over until the following week.



Jennifer

My Fish

We live near a bay. There is a ditch that runs from the bay to my house. Little fish come up in the ditch. I fixed a dip net to catch some of them.

They come up in the corner of the ditch. I put the dip net under them. They tried to get out but I caught them. I caught so many I had to put them in a tub. I change their water and feed them. I like them very much.

Phillip Lee Gaskill

(Phillip Lee is 8 years old, the son of Mr. and Mrs. James Thomas Gaskill, Sea Level).



Phillip Lee

My Rabbit

My rabbit's name is Blackie. Every day I give my rabbit a clean house. Every night I give him a good bed. He likes to play with me and I like to play with him, too.

Russell Lewis

(Russell is in Mrs. Mabel Guthrie's second grade, Harkers Island).



Russell

Girl Scouts Finish Work On Gifts for Mother's Day

The Girl Scout troop, of which Mrs. Phil Thomas Jr. is leader, met Tuesday afternoon. We finished working on our Mother's Day gifts.

Members present were Becky Smith, Ruth Willis, Virginia Thomas, Mary E. Lupton, Brenda Sewell, Sherry Garner, Pat Flowers and Patsy Pora.

After the meeting, refreshments were served by Pat Flowers.

—Ruth Willis, Scribe

Cub Scouts Welcome New Members to Den

Den 1 of Cub Scout Pack 367, Beaufort, met at the home of the den mother, Mrs. Julius Adair, Wednesday afternoon.

Because the other boys of den 2 have reached 11, we welcomed two boys from that den into ours. They are Chuck Ballou and Robert McKee. We were sorry that Leslie Moore was absent with the measles.

We had roll call and answered with names of flowers. We said the pledge to the flag and discussed the theme for May, Circus Days.

Julius Adair served cupcakes and lemonade and we closed with the Cub Scout promise and living circle.

—Julius Adair, Denner

Crossword Puzzle

- ACROSS**
- 1. Weeps bitterly
 - 5. Instance
 - 9. Passing fashion
 - 12. Tip
 - 13. Barred god
 - 14. Brazilian capital
 - 15. Employer
 - 16. Toward the north
 - 18. Discover
 - 20. Perceiver
 - 21. Spikes of corn
 - 23. Actress
 - 26. Penitent
 - 30. Cancel
 - 31. Palm leaf
 - 32. Escape
 - 34. So. Scot.
 - 36. Is situated
 - 37. High
 - 39. Labors
 - 41. Wagawags
 - 42. Tail
 - 44. Exchanges
 - 46. Flowering shrub
 - 51. Inadequate
 - 52. Skill
 - 53. Measure of capacity
 - 54. Fall in crops
 - 55. Negative
 - 56. Accept
 - 57. Chair



Solution to Friday's Puzzle

- DOWN**
- 1. Building prop
 - 2. Fr. fruit
 - 3. Fruit decay
 - 4. Thoroughfare
 - 5. Manage
 - 6. Commotion
 - 7. Gentlemen
 - 8. Come in
 - 9. Most lately picked
 - 10. Melody
 - 11. Put out
 - 17. Note
 - 19. Be interested
 - 22. Stern
 - 24. Wings
 - 25. Require
 - 26. Expense
 - 27. Potpourri
 - 28. Birth
 - 29. Toothless
 - 33. Always
 - 36. Dross metal
 - 38. Bestows
 - 40. Slumbered
 - 43. Charles Lamb
 - 45. Defy
 - 46. Silkworm
 - 47. Clean
 - 49. Pale
 - 49. Period
 - 50. Writing fluid



W's Storytime

The Crow and The Fox

One day a Crow found a piece of cheese. She took it in her beak. She flew to a tree nearby with the cheese.

A Fox had seen the Crow. He wanted the cheese, so he walked over to the foot of the tree. Looking up, he said:

"Good day, Mistress Crow, how well you are looking today. You are so beautiful! Your feathers are whiter than a dove's! Is your voice as sweet? Let me hear you sing. I think you are the queen of the birds."

The crow was happy to be so praised. She opened her mouth to show the Fox how well she could sing.

She could not sing. Her voice was loud and harsh.

Down to the ground fell the piece of cheese. The sly Fox seized it and ran away.

"That will do," said the Fox. "That was all I wanted."

The Fox had not meant what he said.

The Crow lost her cheese, and learned not to trust flatterers.

Like a Record

Little Gracie was lying on her back on the nursery floor, singing a happy song. The next time her mother looked in on her, Gracie was lying on her stomach, shrilling a tune.

"Playing a game, dear?" Mother asked.

"Yes," Gracie replied, "I'm pretending I'm a phonograph record, and I've just turned myself over."

The teacher asked a class, discussing the North American Indian, if anyone could tell what the leaders of the tribes were called.

"Chiefs," said a little girl.

"Correct," said the teacher. "And what were the women called?"

A sharp little lad answered promptly, "Mischiefs."

Scouts Practice Flying-Up Service, Plan Cook-Out

Brownie Troop 185 met at the civic center Wednesday afternoon. We called the meeting to order, dues were collected and the roll was called. We made gifts for Mother's Day.

Then we practiced the flying-up investiture service, which we will have on May 14. We made plans for a cook-out Saturday, May 10. The meeting adjourned at 5 p.m.

—Marlena Joyner, Scribe

I WOULD LIKE TO JOIN THE NEWS-TIMES BIRTHDAY CLUB

Name _____

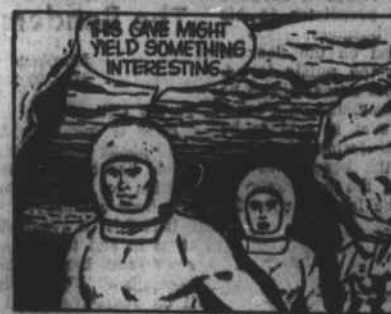
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Present Age _____

Birth Date _____
Month _____ Day _____ Year _____

(Anyone under 12 is eligible to join. Fill in blanks. Please PRINT. Mail to News-Times, Morehead City, N. C.)

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