

N. Brunswick Drill Team Competes

Junior ROTC cadets from North Brunswick High School in Leland participated in the 11th annual Campbell University Invitational Junior ROTC

Drill Meet competition recently. The cadets competed with over 4000 squads from the Carolinas and Virginia.

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College Gives Land For County Pumping Station

Brunswick County will build a pumping station for its Phase II water system's distribution line on Brunswick Technical College's permanent campus on U.S. 17 in Supply. By unanimous vote last Thursday

night, the college board of trustees agreed to give the county one-fourths of an acre of land for the pumping station along the main water line route on U.S. 17. Board member Raymond

Ludlum's motion called for the tentative approval of the plan provided the county prepares the deed and plat that must meet the final approval of the board.

According to BTC President Joseph Carter, the pumping station will be built at the northern end of the college campus.

"Personally, I see no disadvantage to the school," Carter said. "It may be an advantage since the water intake for the school will be on the west side of the pumping station which could increase our water pressure and lower our fire insurance."

Board Chairman William Stanley said the county "seems to put up a nice looking pumping station. I see some advantages to having a pumping station in that area. If it's necessary, I see no problem with it," he added.

Carter told the board the pumping station will be located near the area where B&G Associates, a real estate office, has mistakenly placed a For

Sale sign on the college property along U.S. 17.

The board also granted A.E. "Buddy" Milliken permission to run site surveys across college property to determine a path for a proposed drainage ditch. Milliken, a Shallotte realtor, owns property next to the college campus.

He is asking permission to dig a six-foot by 13-foot drainage "ditch-canal" across property the college has an option to purchase to drain 23 acres of Milliken's 75-acre tract.

Milliken agreed to run the site surveys to determine elevation levels across the school property before the board takes action on the matter.

Chairman Stanley also announced that BTC Finance Officer Vernon Ward has been hospitalized at New Hanover Memorial Hospital in Wilmington with a heart attack. Ward suffered a heart attack last Saturday but his condition is improving, Stanley said.

"This institution is mistaking him very badly," Stanley added.

Shingletree Festival Plans Are Underway

Leo Johnson, senior vice-president of United Carolina Bank in Shallotte, has accepted the position as financial director for the Shingletree Festival Committee, announced Chairman Warren "Bud" Knapp.

The Shingletree Festival will be held in Calabash and throughout the Shallotte township on July 6 for the first time. Proceeds from the festival will be used to purchase a mechanical lift that will be used by area fire departments to rescue fire victims from tall buildings.

At Monday night's meeting in Calabash, committee members elected Doris Strutski, also of United Carolina Bank, as treasurer, and Patty Dennis of the South Brunswick Islands Chamber of Commerce as secretary.

The Shallotte Township Republican Party, under the direction of Chairman Hollis Smith, will assume responsibility for putting together an add book that will be sold to raise funds for the festival.

Areas of responsibility for the

festival will include: Calabash Fire Department, pancake breakfast and bingo games; Calabash Rescue Squad, pig picking lunch and simulated rescue; Sunset Beach Fire Department, booths for private and public displays of paintings, etc; Ocean Isle Fire Department, rides such as ponies, airboat, helicopter or carnival rides and Waccamaw Fire and Rescue, entertainment such as bands, cloggers and fireworks.

The committee's next meeting is Monday, April 8, at 7:30 p.m. at Simmons' Restaurant in Calabash.

Sunset Taxpayers To Meet

The Sunset Beach Taxpayers Association will hold its annual Easter weekend membership meeting Saturday, April 6, at 10 a.m. at the Sunset Beach Volunteer Fire Department building.

On the agenda is a discussion on mainland rezoning, the street abandonment resolution, the 1985 land use update plan and the Shingletree Festival at Calabash.

Refreshments will be served. All members of the association are urged to attend.

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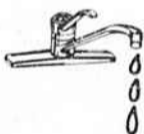
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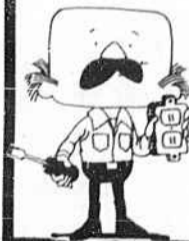
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