



To Play At Street Dance

The East Coast Rivas of High Point will play a mix of beach, Top 40 and show tunes at the street dance Saturday night climaxing the annual N.C. Festival by the Sea at Holden Beach. One of the band members, Mitchell Simpson (front row at right) is the son of Holden Beach Police Chief Raymond Simpson. The festival story is on page 1 of this issue.

Long-Range Planning On Agenda

The group charged with planning in Brunswick County will meet Monday to talk about long-range planning.

Brunswick County Planning Board members will meet in special session Monday at 6:30 p.m. in the Planning Building conference room at the

Brunswick County Government Center.

According to County Planner John Harvey, the board will review work on the update of the Coastal Area Management Act Land Use Plan now beginning. Dates will also be set for a series of public workshops to be jointly sponsored with the county commissioners. These are to generate citizen involvement in the planning process.

One or more representatives of the N.C. Division of Coastal Management have been asked to attend Monday's meeting. The state has asked the county to address water quality as well as other items in its update.

Time permitting, Harvey said the board may also discuss its previous request to the state for development of a thoroughfare plan for the entire county, a letter from Transportation Secretary Jim Harrington concerning the Shallotte bypass and the Federal Flood Insurance program.

Property Owners Association Sponsors Candidates Forum

Holden Beach voters will have the opportunity to meet their candidates for mayor and commissioners Wednesday, Oct. 30, at 7:30 p.m. at the town hall in a forum sponsored by the Holden Beach Property Owners Association (HBPOA).

Gay Atkins, Gil Bass, Addison Hayes and William Williamson are running for the two commissioners' seats being vacated by Gloria Barrett and Jim Griffin. John Tandy is the only candidate who filed for mayor after Kenner Amos decided not to run for re-election.

The HBPOA has supplied each candidate with an unofficial listing of the town's registered voters, as well as a

summary of the interests of year-round residents as reported in a recent sampling.

Persons who plan to attend the forum are urged to submit their questions in advance so the candidates can have a chance to research each topic. Questions can be left at the town hall for Don Pringle, who will share them with all the candidates.

Each candidate will give opening remarks at the forum, then the voters will be allowed to ask questions.

Biographical fact sheets on each candidate will be available at the forum.

Brunswick Tech Board Votes To Increase Budget

Brunswick Technical College trustees voted last Wednesday night to add \$9,939 to the budget for longevity payments and to increase the budget \$1,620 due to carry-over vocational education funds.

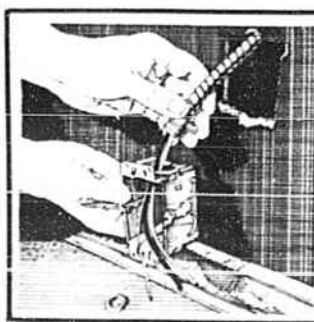
The carry-over funds were monies that had reverted back to the state at the end of last year, which the state is now redistributing.

No action was taken on a resolution to Branch Bank and Trust that would

make the college's employees eligible for a 4-1-K Plan (a tax shelter annuity plan). The resolution will be voted on at the next meeting.

Board members discussed finding a lawyer to put on retainer to represent Brunswick Technical College. A committee was formed to look into hiring an attorney.

Board officers, including chairman and vice chairman, will be elected at the next meeting.



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Grant Supports Arts Activities

The Brunswick County Arts Council has received a grant of \$8,458 from the N.C. Arts Council through its Grassroots Arts Program.

Through the program, the legislature allocates funds to each county to support local arts activities of its choice. The allocation equals about 21¢ per person now.

Locally, the funds will be used to provide general operating support and to help fund special projects.

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BARBECUE Saturday Noon til 6 PM \$3.50 Per Plate, Town Hall Area 842-6388, 842-2585	FESTIVAL PARADE Hwy. 130 Down Causeway To Beach, Saturday at 11 AM 842-2381	LONG-DRIVING CONTEST Holden Beach Driving Range, Hwy. 130 Saturday at 3 PM 842-3717
HALLOWEEN CARNIVAL At Tri-Beach Fire Department Begins at 6:30 PM Friday 842-3591	SAND SCULPTURE Saturday 12:30 PM On the Strand at Ocean View Pavilion 842-2844	BRIDGE TOURNAMENT Saturday 12:30 to 3:30 PM Reaves Fish Camp, on the Causeway 842-2470
HORSESHOE PITCHING On the Strand at Ocean View Pavilion Saturday from 11 AM 842-3595, 253-5298	STREET DANCE Saturday 7:30 to 11:30 PM Davis Street at the Waterway 842-9505	GOSPEL MUSIC Saturday 7 PM Hwy. 130, Beside Jane's Restaurant 842-6591
ARTS & CRAFTS SHOW Saturday 9 AM til 6 PM Town Hall Area 842-9138	FESTIVAL RUNS Saturday, From Fire Substation 1 Mile 8 AM, 5K and 10K 8:30 AM 842-2628	Prizes For Winners! Fun For Everyone!