



Winning Dance Team

Steps Ahead Dance Team of Dance Connection in Shallotte competed at the Showstopper Regional Dance Championship April 8-10 in Myrtle Beach, S.C. Dancers are (from left, top row) Casey Reeves and Kelly Griffin, who won first-place, duet jazz; and Megan Farmer, Erin Holden, Jennifer Stanley, Lauren Winfree, Ariel Fullwood and Kasey Galloway, who together won third place in small group jazz. Individual awards went to Erin Holden for second place lyrical jazz and 10th place overall in junior solos. Jennifer Stanley won first place in solo ballet. Bottom row: Felicia Geddings, Taylor Galloway, Erica Ratcliff, D.C. Earp, Megan Potts, Brandi Harrison, Natalie Tyner, who together won first place in group character routine. Individual awards went to Felicia Geddings, fourth place solo jazz, age 9; Brandi Harrison, fourth place, solo jazz, age 8; D.C. Earp, first place, solo character routine; and Natalie Tyner, second place, lyrical jazz.

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Sea Trail Yard A Winner

Nancy and Ken Reintz of 619 Jasmine Lane, Sugar Sands, are Sea Trail Plantation's April Yard of the Month winners. Their neatly landscaped yard features many large azaleas in various colors, highlighted by a large "Lady Banks" rose and Kwanzay cherry trees. Other winners are Carole and Ray Patridge, 625 Kings Trail Drive, for the Kings Trail area, and Janie and Ray Washam, 428 Egre Drive, for The Woods.

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PEOPLE IN THE NEWS

County Students Named To CFCC Honor List

Cape Fear Community College has announced its honors lists for the winter quarter.

Named to the president's list for making straight A's were:

■ From Southport: Michael J. Ailers, Nancy G. Crawford, Janice O. Harrison.

■ Leland: Sandra L. Adams, Sharon L. Allen, Gary L. Garst, Wendy W. Herker, Penny B. Long.

■ Winnabow: Fawn M. Byrd. On the dean's list, with grade point averages of 3.5 or better with no grade lower than C, were:

■ Calabash: Brenda I. Bennett.

■ Shallotte: Jeffery A. Johnson.

■ Leland: Judy I. Branch, Tommy J. Brown Jr., Sharon B. Creech, Jason E. Gore, Amanda G. Maulsby, Lloyd M.S. Mealar, Wendy Reeves, Betty Rose.

■ Caswell Beach: Tracy L. Zoellner.

■ Long Beach: Yvonne M. Powers.

Supply Spotlight

Guidance counselor Charles Snow has been chosen by his peers at Supply Elementary School for "Supply Spotlight" recognition.



He holds a master's degree in counselor education from East Carolina University and has taught in Brunswick County for four years. He has been at Supply for two years, where he is chairman of the Guidance Committee and Evaluation Committee. He is a member of the assistance team and is the school's test coordinator. Snow lives in Wilmington.

Completes Basic

Navy Seaman Christopher M. White recently completed basic

training at Recruit Training Command, Orlando, Fla.

He is the son of Jonathan W. White of Mount Misery Road, Leland.

During the cycle, recruits are taught general military subjects designed to prepare them for further academic and on-the-job training in one of the Navy's 85 occupational fields.

Studies include seamanship, close-order drill, naval history and first aid.

White is a 1992 graduate of New Hanover High School of Wilmington.

Jones Chief Marshal

Suzanne Jones, daughter of Sue Jones of Ocean Isle Beach and the late Ed Jones, has been elected by the student body at Saint Mary's College to serve as chief college marshal for the 1994-95 academic year.

Jones is a freshman. The marshals usher at chapel services, graduation, concerts and student assemblies, and serve at various college events throughout the year. The chief marshal officially begins her duties for the coming year by conducting the traditional closing ceremony at commencement, to be held this year on May 7.

Saint Mary's is a women's two-year liberal arts college and preparatory school in Raleigh.

Brooks Departs

Navy Airman Recruit Philip P. Brooks recently departed for a six-month Western Pacific and Indian Ocean deployment aboard the aircraft carrier USS Carl Vinson, homeported in Alameda, Calif.

Brooks is the son of Sam P. Brooks of Leland.

During the course of a six-month deployment, Brooks and his crewmembers may be called upon to assist in conflicts and humanitarian operations to protect U.S. national

interests in an area that covers one-third of the earth's surface.

The 1990 graduate of North Brunswick High School of Leland joined the Navy in February 1992.

Bound For Campbell

West Brunswick High School senior Chris Nicole Carlisle has been awarded the Scott-Ellis scholarship to Campbell University.

Carlisle is the daughter of Ray and Libby Carlisle of Boone's Neck Road, Supply. She is a member of Lettices Grove Pentecostal Church in Shallotte, where she is involved in youth activities.

Completes Course

Air Force Airman Jonathan K. Eason has graduated from the telephone and data circuitry specialist course at Sheppard Air Force Base, Wichita Falls, Texas.

Students were taught electronic principles, telephone instrument repair and installation, and telephone key system installation and repair.

Eason is the son of Johnny K. Eason and Lake Waccamaw and Lefell G. Eason of Shallotte. He is a 1993 graduate of Whiteville High School.

Sunset Harbor VFD To Serve Chicken, Ribs

Sunset Harbor-Zion Hill Volunteer Fire Department will serve chicken pastry and barbecued ribs Saturday, April 23, from noon until 5 p.m.

Plates include your choice of entree plus three vegetables, cornbread or rolls and tea or coffee for \$4 each. Members of the department's ladies' auxiliary will be selling assorted desserts for 50 cents each.

The department is on Sunset Harbor Road off N.C. 211.

Groups Work To Promote Childhood Immunizations

The Brunswick County Partnership for Children and Health Department are joining forces with local businesses and middle school art departments to increase awareness of the need for preschool childhood immunizations.

"Only 50 percent of Brunswick County's two-year-olds are appropriately immunized," said Partnership for Children spokesman Lori Bates. "When children do not get their shots on time, they are at risk of getting preventable diseases like mumps, measles and whooping cough."

Immunizations are free to everyone at the Brunswick County Health Department, which will remain open for three additional hours on Thursday, April 28, to give parents a chance to bring children in for immunization.

The general clinic at the county complex in Bolivia will be open until 8 p.m. for immunizations only. Regular clinic hours are 8:30 a.m. until 4 p.m. Parents should bring their children's records if they haven't received shots at the health department in the past.

In addition, the health department is planning an "Immunization Saturday" in conjunction with the local Kiwanis Club on June 4.

A child should be immunized at two months, four months, six months and 12-15 months.

Children entering kindergarten in the 1994-95 school year must have up-to-date immunizations, including MMR (measles, mumps and rubella), DTP (diphtheria,

tetanus and pertussis) and an oral polio vaccine.

Local middle school art students are creating posters for display throughout Brunswick County to promote National Immunization Week April 23-29. The posters will be displayed at Brunswick County Wilsons stores during Immunization Week.

In addition, children receiving vaccinations during the week may bring their dated immunization card to any Brunswick County McDonalds to receive a free ice cream cone.

Retirees Invited To Sunny Point Spring Fling Picnic

Retirees are being invited to attend the annual Spring Fling picnic planned for May 12 at Military Ocean Terminal Sunny Point.

"We would certainly like to see retired former employees join us for an afternoon of fun and games," said Col. Larry M. Curtin, commander of the 1303rd Major Port Command terminal.

Retirees wishing to attend should call 457-8285 by May 6, he added. Tickets are \$4 per person, with children under 6 admitted free. Advance tickets are required.

A choice of fish or chili dogs with baked beans, slaw and hushpuppies will be served.

I'll Be Fair, I'll Listen and I'll Get The Job Done, Vows Ron Taylor

Give The Office Of State Senator Back To The People

Winnabow, N.C. "I've been with farmers in their fields, with shop owners in their stores and in the homes of families across the District," says Taylor. "Not just during this campaign, but day in and day out."

As he continues to take his campaign to the people in group meetings, church get-togethers and conversations in coffee shops, Democrat Ron Taylor promises to be accessible to residents of his District.

"I listen, really listen, to folks who are working hard to keep what's best of our way of life. I hear folks trying to make things better but getting knocked down because they don't have an 'in' with that old political machine," says Taylor. "I'm just like them... with one big exception. I served three terms as a State Representative and I know I can be effective in Raleigh."

To make it easier for residents to speak directly to him, Taylor has used an 800 telephone number, in addition to his business and home number, on most of his campaign literature.

Pointing out that the office of State Senator belongs to the people, Taylor suggests that the incumbent has developed the attitude that he owns the office and is, therefore, out of touch with the needs of all residents.

"I listen to people who have been promised their concerns will be addressed but

nothing happens," says Taylor. "Maybe part of the problem is effectiveness. Two first-term senators ranked in the top ten in terms of effectiveness. The 18th District has a senator with 26 years in the Legislature and he ranked only 14th, the same ranking he had in 1981. That's a fact you have to question."

Taylor has attacked the "old political machine" citing political appointments as an example of abuse. He has charged that appointments and public jobs are doled out, not on the basis of qualifications, but as handouts for political favors.

In speeches and letters Taylor has stated that, with his first hand experience as a husband, father and businessman, he brings a better understanding of the District's needs to the office of State Senator.



Ron Taylor talks to Bob Ward at Ward's Brunswick County Farm.

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