



Gifts For Hope Harbor

Sea Trail Garden Club members collected and presented to Hope Harbor Home domestic violence shelter sweatshirts and personal needs duty bags to be given to clients. Pictured (from left) are Flo Ruff, Nin Consalvi, Rosemary Walker, Gayle Schadle, Mary Jones, Betty Dawley, Hope Harbor Director Cathy Swain and Louisa Cilento.

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Matteson Earn Yard Honors

Bob and Margaret Matteson of 10 Calabash Court, Carolina Shores, Calabash, received the October Yard of the Month Award from Carolina Shores Garden Club. A well-groomed lawn with assorted flowers and shrubs surrounds their home.

PHOTO BY JENNIE WARD

PEOPLE IN THE NEWS

Grey Smith Selected To Attend National Young Leaders Conference

Grey Smith of Leland has been selected to attend the National Young Leaders Conference from Oct. 18-23 in Washington, D.C. Smith, a junior at North Brunswick High School, is the son of Dave and Cindy Smith of Leland. He will be among 350 national scholars attending the conference, a leadership development program for high school students who have demonstrated leadership potential and scholastic merit.

During the six-day conference, he will interact with leaders and newsmakers from the three branches of government, the media and the diplomatic corps. Highlights will include welcoming remarks from the floor of the U.S. House of Representatives and a panel discussion

with journalists at the National Press Club. Scholars will visit foreign embassies and receive policy briefings from senior government officials.

Smith will also participate in role-playing activities including ones entitled, "If I Were President" and "Mock Congress."

The conference is sponsored by the Congressional Youth Leadership Council, a nonprofit, nonpartisan educational organization.

Learns About 'Copters

Army Pvt. Sheila M. Heitmeyer has graduated from a helicopter repairer course at Fort Eustis, Newport News, Va.

She is the daughter of Roger D. Heitmeyer of Calabash and Susan C. Klaas of Eustis, Fla. and is a 1991 graduate of Eustis High School.

During the course, students learned to perform direct and general support maintenance on helicopters. Also included were instruction in safety practices, usage of ground support equipment and spe-

cial and precision tools.

New Teaching Fellow

Allison E. Keill of Shallotte has been named a North Carolina Teaching Fellow at the University of North Carolina at Greensboro, where she is a freshman. Keill is the daughter of Doug and Judy Keill of Shallotte. She is a graduate of the N.C. School of Science and Mathematics in Durham, and plans to major in biology.

N.C. Teaching Fellows receive \$5,000 scholarships renewable for three additional years, and so are worth \$20,000 over four years. Recipients must agree to teach in North Carolina public schools for at least that many years after graduation. Selection is based on academic

achievements, communication skills and leadership abilities.

Keill is among 21 new Teaching Fellows who has chosen to study at UNCG.

Simmons Graduates From Marine Course

Marine Pvt. James L. Simmons,

son of Lester and Eunice L. Simmons of Longwood, recently graduated from the Basic Landing Support Course.

During the course at Marine Corps Engineer School at Camp Lejeune, students received formal instruction and practical application in the engineering field at the basic,

journeyman and supervisory levels. Course studies also include landing support fundamentals, camouflage, field fortification, mine warfare, amphibious operations and air operations.

The 1993 graduate of West Brunswick High School joined the Marine Corps in February 1994.



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Pre-Election Health Care Forum Planned By Laymen's Alliance

The Clergy and Laymen's Alliance for Justice will sponsor a pre-election health care forum Friday, Oct. 28, from 6-11 p.m. in the Odell Williamson Auditorium at Brunswick Community College, Supply.

According to spokesman Ella Gray, the group will "address what appears to be widespread fraud and corruption in the health care system involving workers' compensation, Social Security and private-paying citizens."

Other topics will be the need for state-supported institutions for the mentally ill, violations of the mentally ill's rights under the Domiciliary Home Bill of Rights and a proposal for an alliance for uninsured people to

provide basic health care coverage in North Carolina, Gray said.

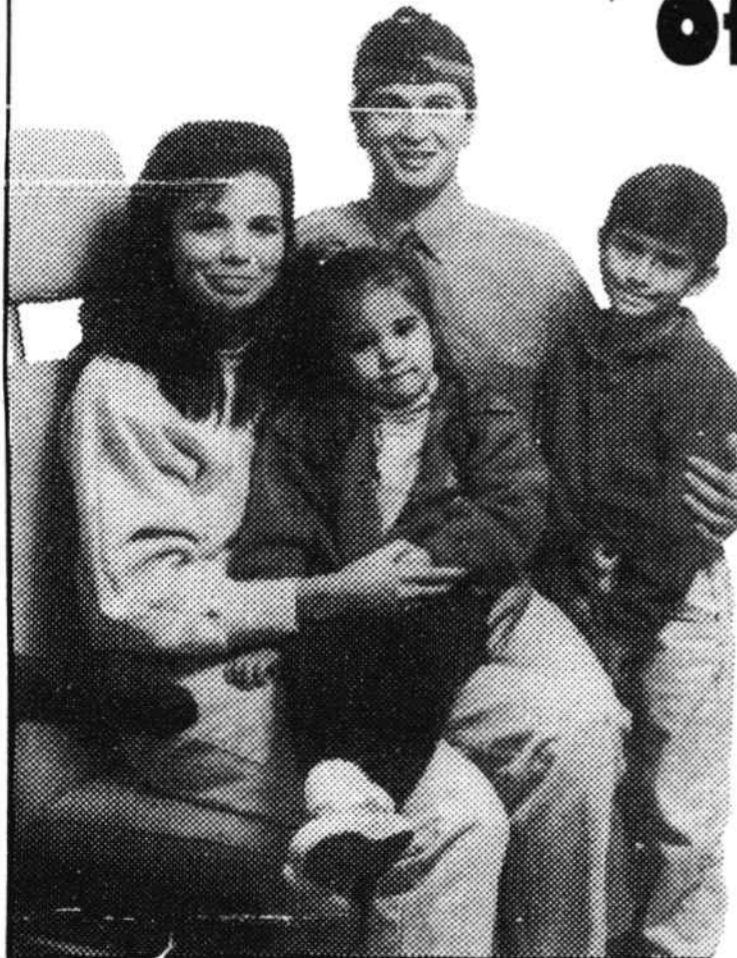
She added, "President Clinton has been invited to attend. Governor Hunt has been invited to attend. All North Carolina's elected officials and those who are running for office in November will be invited to attend."

Congressmen will be allowed to address the issues and time will be allowed for the audience to ask questions, she said.

A charge of \$3 per ticket will be charged to cover the cost of the event. For ticket information, call Ella Gray at 842-6742.

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