

Community Calendar

Booster Club to Meet

The Perquimans Pirates Athletic Boosters Club will meet Tuesday, July 10th, at 8:00 p.m. in Coach Pat Morgan's classroom. Upcoming club activities will be discussed. All supporters of Perquimans County High School Athletics are urged to attend.

Football Exams Set

Football candidates at Perquimans High School and Perquimans Union School will be given physical examinations Thursday, July 5th (today). Candidates should report to the High School gym at 4:30 p.m.

Bazaar Slated

The Snug Harbor Womans Club will hold a bazaar and flea market on Saturday, July 7, from 10:00 a.m. until 4:00 p.m. at the Snug Harbor Clubhouse.

The winner of the drawing for the candlewick spread and birdfeeder will be announced at 4:00 p.m.

Proceeds from the bazaar will go toward improvements on the clubhouse.

Peanut Growers to Meet

County peanut farmers are invited to attend a meeting to elect a new director for the Perquimans County Peanut Growers Association at the Perquimans County Farm Bureau Office on Church Street Ext. at 8:00 p.m. on July 17th. The meeting is being sponsored by the Perquimans County Farm Bureau Board of Directors.

Health Department Clinic schedule

The following is the Clinic Schedule for Perquimans County Health Department for the month of July.

6 — General Clinic-p.m.; WIC-all day
9 — Adult Health Service-a.m.; Toddler Seat-p.m.
10 — Prenatal recheck-a.m.
11 — Child Health-all day
13 — X-rays-a.m.; General Clinic-p.m.
16 — Maternity-a.m.; Family

Planning-p.m.

18 — Child Health-p.m.
20 — General Clinic-p.m.; WIC-all day
23 — TB Skin Test Reading-p.m.
24 — Prenatal recheck-a.m.
25 — Eye Clinic
26 — Adult Health Services-all day
27 — General Clinic-p.m.; X-rays-a.m.

Seniors plan trip

The Perquimans County Senior Center and Recreation Department is sponsoring a trip to the Tidewater Dinner Theatre on Sunday, August 5, 1984, to enjoy a musical entitled "Marilyn: An American Fable." The play highlights the life of Marilyn Monroe. The cost of the trip is \$26 per person which covers Trailways bus transportation, dinner, play,

taxes and tips for meal. Cocktails will be on your own.

For more information or to reserve your seats contact the Senior Center at 426-5404. This trip is sure to be a sell out so call now!

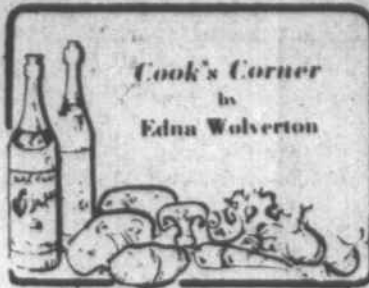
Senior Center calendar

The coming events include the following:

July 5 — Bible Study Class 1:30-3:30
July 6 — Blood Pressure Clinic 9-12:00 and 2-5:00; Successful Set Club 8:00.
July 9 — Crochet Class 1-4:00
July 11 — Bingo 2-4:00
July 12 — Bible Study Class 1:30-3:30
Last week's bingo winners were Helen Shaw and Georgette Miles.

Try muffins for a tasty summer treat

Enjoy two muffin recipes this week. Both are made from nutritious ingredients.



The muffins also freeze well.

POPPY SEED MUFFINS

¼ C. sugar
¼ C. soft butter
¼ t. grated orange peel
2 eggs
2 C. flour
2½ t. baking powder
¼ t. salt
¼ t. nutmeg
1 C. milk
¼ C. golden raisins
¼ C. chopped pecans
¼ C. poppy seeds
Cream sugar, butter and orange peel until light and fluffy. Add eggs one at a time beating

well after each. Sift dry ingredients together and add to creamed mixture alternately with milk, blending well after each addition. Stir in raisins, nuts and poppy seeds. Fill paper lined muffin cups ¾ cups full. Bake 400 degrees, 20 minutes yield 16.

BANANA ORANGE BRAN MUFFINS

1 C. orange juice
3 C. unprocessed bran
2 t. grated orange rind
2 eggs
3 ripe bananas, mashed

¼ C. honey
1 C. plain yogurt
2 C. whole wheat flour
¼ C. corn meal
2¼ t. baking soda

Preheat oven 375 degrees. Heat orange juice until simmering. Mix with bran and orange rind and let stand. Beat eggs, add bananas, honey and yogurt. Beat well.

Mix with bran. Sift together the flour and soda and fold into the bran mixture. Bake in greased muffin tin 375 degrees for 20 minutes. Yield 24.

Looking back

By Virginia White Transeau

SUPT. BIGGERS REPORTS SCHOOLS IN PERQUIMANS WILL LOSE FIVE TEACHERS: The Perquimans County Board of Education met in special session on Monday. The District School Committee met with the Board for the purpose of exchanging ideas and information of interest concerning the county schools. Supt. Biggers presented the teacher allotment for 1984-85. The report indicated the loss of five teachers. After much discussion concerning the allotment, the Supt. was authorized to contact the State Board of Education for an

explanation of the drastic cut. LOCAL STORES TO OPEN FRIDAY NIGHT: The Merchants Committee of the Chamber of Commerce, meeting here Wednesday morning, voted to close Saturday, July 4th due to it being a legal holiday. It was further voted that all Hertford business places will remain open Friday night. In other words the stores will observe here Saturday, opening Friday morning and remaining open

until 9 o'clock on Friday night before Saturday, July 4th.

FIREMAN SEEKING OLD BUILDING: R. C. (Bobby) Elliott Hertford's Fire Chief, is in search of an old dwelling house, barn or out-building of no use, located two to three miles from Hertford city limits. Chief Elliott stated that the fireman's school now in session is in need of the old building for practice fire fighting to instruct new members of the local fire department, and

familiarize them with actual fire instruction. Anyone in the county having an old building they would like to get rid of in the manner will make a real contribution to the local department, and is asked to get in touch with the local fire chief.

Haskett speaks to seniors

Recently, at the Perquimans County Senior Center, Mr. Keith Haskett, Perquimans County Emergency Management Coordinator, presented a very interesting and informative program on tornadoes, hurricanes and severe thunderstorms. Mr. Haskett explained the danger that could result from these weather conditions and the safety

precautions that we should take when any of these weather conditions occur. He also distributed brochures and pamphlets regarding safety tips on all weather conditions, charts for charting hurricanes, and other valuable do's and don'ts for our safety. Mr. Haskett concluded his program by saying "Never take weather for granted, always be prepared."

New officers slated for Jaycees - Jaycettes

The Perquimans County Jaycees and Jaycettes have recently started their new year with Greg Biggs and Jeanie S. Etheridge as their leaders.

Their motto 'Service to humanity is the best work of life' is portrayed in the projects they run in the community. Both organizations deal with leadership training for young men and women between the ages of 18 and 35.

Anyone interested in serving their community and-or leadership training should call either presidents - Greg 426-5864 or Jeanie 426-5959 after six p.m.

COMPARE YOUR BUSINESS

(A Management Tool)

Industry standards that allow you to compare your business with others across the nation can be of great assistance to the business manager. They are available from several sources including your own trade association.

One such standard is "inventory turns," determined by dividing the cost of sales for the year by the "average inventory" carried during the year. It's often less accurately determined by dividing the yearly gross sales by year-end inventory. If your business's industry standard for inventory turns is four times per year and you are turning inventory only three times, you should review your inventory to see what stock is not moving and what promotional efforts you might undertake to improve sales. "Inventory turns" significantly below your industry standard indicate that you have too much money invested in inventory in relation to the sales you are producing.

Other commonly used standards include:

1. Gross profit percentages
2. Current ratio (Current assets divided by current liabilities)
3. Accounts receivable turnover (Net sales divided by average trade receivables)
4. Profit margin on sales (Net income divided by net sales)
5. Rate of return on assets (Net income divided by total average assets)
6. Bad debts related to sales

Anytime you find a significant difference between your business and the standards, take time to investigate what may be causing the differences and what changes you might employ to improve your net profit.

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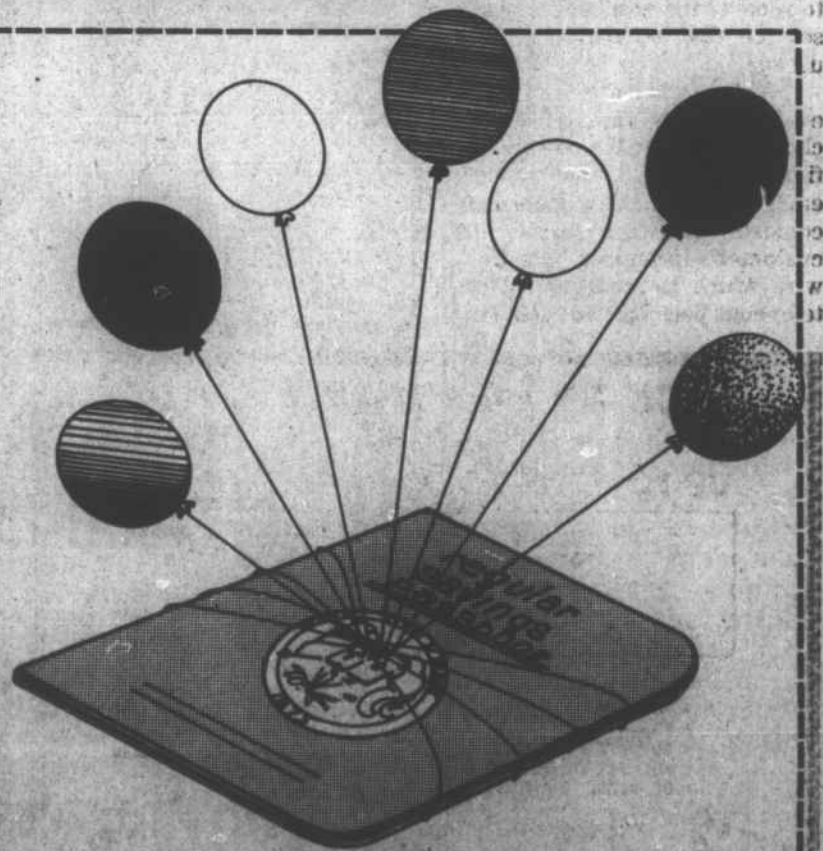
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