

Senior Citizens Enjoyed Full Activities At Depot

Senior Citizens Day was Saturday at the Depot Center with a full slate of activities beginning with a bazaar at 10 a. m. an auction at 11 a. m. and bake sale and other homemade items until 5 p. m.

Special entertainment was provided by The Swinging Mountaineers who sang at intervals during the day.

Senior Citizens sold various items of their own, according to Rev.

Ken George, co-ordinator of the KM Aging Program

Barbecue, hotdogs, cakes and drinks were available during the day with an auction sale of homemade goodies, including cakes, brownies, etc. and a bazaar of various handmade items.

Purpose of the event, according to Rev. George, was to help the local group raise enough funds for their Christmas party and many

businesses and friends have made these parties possible the last two years. Rev. George stated appreciation to Mrs. Verlee Mask who has "been very helpful the past two years in obtaining donated gifts for the party."

Said Rev. George, "We appreciate the entire community and your interest in the past."



Photo By Lib Stewart

ART LEAGUE EXHIBITION UNDERWAY — Pictured are three officers of the Shelby Art League who admire David C. Smith's oil and acrylic painting, "Clay Ranger", among 140 works

on display at Shelby Dec. 2-14 in the third annual juried exhibition at Shelby Art Gallery. Pictured are Zay Kittridge, left, and Mrs. John C. Sarazen and Mrs. Pat Hamner, far right.

Exhibition Underway

Shelby Art Teacher Is Second Place Winner

A Shelby art teacher, Ford McDonald, won the second place cash prize of \$750 in the third annual juried exhibition of the Shelby Art League open to the public through Dec. 14th in Shelby.

Gina Gilmour of Charlotte took home the top prize of \$1500 for her oil painting, "Anti-Nuptial Agreement" and other

cash winners were Aaron Karp of Greenville who won \$400 for his acrylic painting, "Water Plains," Roxanne Reep of Greenville, \$200, for her mixed media painting, "Simultaneous Hearts" and David Smith of Clayton, \$100, for his acrylic and oil "Clay Range."

The winners were an-

nounced Thursday night at an opening reception for members in the Shelby Art Gallery on the top floor of the Shelby Daily Star building on Graham Street in Shelby.

Mr. McDonald exhibited a water color entitled, "Salt Marsh", one of a series of paintings of the Eastern North Carolina flatlands and Outer Banks.

Moussa M. Domit, director of the N. C. Museum of Arts and jurist for the exhibition, commented that the Cleveland County artist featured "a play with plains in a visionary way which goes far beyond an ordinary view." Mr. McDonald has exhibited in a number of one man shows and recently took second place in the Lincolnton Museum Show and R. J. Reynolds exhibits.

The public is invited to view the winning works and also those of 378 entries from 151 artists daily from 10 a. m. until 4 p. m. with Sunday hours being 2 to 5 p. m.

Included in the exhibition are oils, acrylics, mixed media, drawings, water color, collage, photographs, and works in clay, metal, furniture, and woven materials, among many others.

Reservations for the Lenoir-Rhyne party may be obtained by contacting Anne R. Cloninger of Gastonia at 864-8076, Ruth Sensenbrenner of Waxhaw at 843-2814 or Jim Hendrick of Shelby at 482-6153.

Tip-Off Party Is Planned

HICKORY — Charlotte, Gastonia and Shelby area alumni and friends of Lenoir-Rhyne College will hold a "tip-off party at Good Shepherd Lutheran Church in Mount Holly prior to the college's first game in the WBTV Carolina Classic on Dec. 8.

The party will begin at 7 p. m. in the Good Shepherd fellowship hall and close in time for the guests to attend Lenoir-Rhyne's 9 p. m. game versus Johnson C. Smith University in Wheeler Gymnasium at Belmont Abbey.

Special guests at the Lenoir-Rhyne gathering will include basketball coaches Bob and Nell Hodges, the college cheerleaders and new chairman of the Board of Trustees David W. Hoyle of Dallas. Light refreshments will be served and door prizes will be awarded at the "tip-off" party. The prizes will include tickets to the game and a basketball autographed by the Lenoir-Rhyne team.



SENIOR CITIZENS DAY SATURDAY — Senior Citizens Day was Saturday at the Depot Center as varied activity marked the day, including a big bazaar.

Jonas Bridges was auctioneer. Steve Carroll, purchasing a homemade cake, was among the crowd watchers for the event.

Booklets Available By Writing

"What Every Woman Should Know About High Blood Pressure" is an article by a woman doctor who is president of the American Heart Association. For a free copy, write to the North Carolina Heart Association, I Heart Circle, Chapel Hill, N. C., 27514.



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