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## Star Search '90

By Dawn E. Camp  
Managing Editor

The Gardner-Webb family gathered together on November 30 to be dazzled by a few of its own. The place was the Kathleen Dover Theatre, and the event was Star Search '90

WBTB's Special Reporter Chris Clackum was the host of the first annual event spotlighting 16 of GWC's students, faculty, and staff.

The faculty/staff competition was won by Wrestling Coach Richard Wince's heart-touching performance of "Feel the Nails." Randy Kilby's comedy-music combo earned him the runner-up nod.

Lana Chambers emerged as the student winner after her crowd-pleasing song, "Show Me How to Love". Nicole Nichols tap danced her way to the student runner-up spot to the tune of Barbra Streisand's "Jingle Bells."

The event was sponsored by the cheerleaders.

Congratulations to all those who participated--you're all stars! Faculty/staff contestants included: Kilby, David Roach, Shirley Pyron and Lynn Thomas, Evan Thompson, Barry Whitfield, Wince. Students: Chambers, Seth Cox, John Huskey, Laura Lambeth, Nichols, Kathy Pasour, Rodney Scott and Hoyt Bynum, Kristin Young.

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Dean Scott welcomes suggestions and encourages people with information about vandalism, false fire alarms, and other offenses to drop him a confidential note. He believes the real proof will be next semester when he sees how many repeat offenders he has. He says, "I'm just stubborn. I think there's going to be a change. I'm going to stay here until that happens."



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## New Faculty/Staff Christie Boyer

By Jane Richards  
Staff Writer

GWC Financial Planning has gained a good employee in Christie Boyer. She works as a counselor in the office.

Originally from Titusville, Florida, Boyer graduated from GWC in 1989, and later married Scott Boyer (1987 GWC grad). They currently reside in Boiling Springs.

Concerning her job, Boyer says, "It's good to be working here at Gardner-Webb, because we like the area, and we have a lot of close friends from Gardner-Webb College. I'm looking forward to working here."

## Dr. David Yelton

By Lynn S. Britt  
Staff Writer

Dr. David Yelton, the newest faculty addition to the GWC Social Science department, is truly a history buff. History is Yelton's hobby and his job. He said, "Lots of people look at history as some 'thing' that's stuck on a shelf, but it's all around us. History is not something that's dead, and history is so important to me." Besides teaching, Yelton is one of the advisors for the Social Science Club at GWC.

Yelton completed his undergraduate work at Appalachian State University. From Boone, he went to UNC-Chapel Hill to complete his masters and doctorate. Yelton also taught at UNC-CH while working on his doctorate. He is currently revising his dissertation so it can be published soon.

Yelton's specialization is 20th Century Germany. He is continuing to research topics like Nazi Germany. He says he was in West Germany for six months before the Berlin Wall came down on Nov. 9, 1989, and would like to go back to Eastern Germany.

Yelton had some knowledge of Gardner-Webb because his father is a 1950 graduate of GWC. Yelton originally applied for a temporary position filling in for Donna Ellington for one semester. The position was expanded to one year, and Yelton is expected to be at GWC for the fall of 1991.

Yelton and his wife, Denise, are both originally from Rutherfordton, NC. Mrs. Yelton is a social studies teacher. The Yeltons attend Gilboa Methodist Church in Rutherford County.

## Welcome, Emma

By James Rowe  
Staff Writer

Along with the many new faces at GWC this year is Emma Consuelos, this year's Spanish assistant. The native of Monterrey, Mexico is teaching six Spanish labs this semester.

Emma says that she come to the US to familiarize herself with our language, culture, and educational system. She taught at the University of Nuevo Leon in Mexico where she noticed that students did not take advantage of the professor's willingness to help students. She says that Gardner-Webb students are very lucky to have professors who are available to advise them and to help them with their studies.

As far as cultural differences, Emma says there are very few. Monterrey is very close to Texas, so they have been influenced by the American way of living while still managing to preserve most of their Mexican heritage.

Emma finds US people very friendly. Friendliness along with the attitudes of professors and students have helped her to make the adjustments she felt necessary to function outside of her own culture.

## David Carscaddon

By Kevin Walter  
Staff Writer

There are many new faculty members at the Webb this year. Professor David Carscaddon is one of the new instructors. He has been teaching Psychology since August. Carscaddon received his undergraduate degree from the University of North Carolina at Asheville and his masters from Moorehead State University in Kentucky.

Before joining the GWC faculty, he taught part-time for two years. Now, Carscaddon also works as a counselor at the Cleveland County Health Center in the child-youth division. He also counsels men who have been arrested for battering their wives and/or children.

Carscaddon, who has had several articles published, has studied the relationship between poverty and psychiatric symptoms. He has also published a theory dealing with a play therapeutic technique which he designed for use with hyperactive children.

We greet Professor Carscaddon and look forward to his spending many more enjoyable years here at GWC.

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