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By **ALEX GRISWOULD**
Staff Writer

Add one half of outer beauty and one half of inner beauty, and what do you get?

You don't need a calculator--just the privilege of being associated with Carol C. Jones.

"I think she's a beautiful lady with very good taste," one student commented. Another added that, "she thoroughly knows the field of English."

It's no wonder that Carol C. Jones is one of the most admired professors at ECSU. Her graceful personality, vivid sense of humor, and a thorough knowledge of her work enables her to capture the student's interest. "I try

to relate literature to something the students know and understand," she said.

A native of Newport News, Va., Mrs. Jones received her Bachelors and Masters of Arts degrees at Howard University. She is presently in the process of completing her doctoral degree at George Washington University.

Being one of the most popular professors does not swell Mrs. Jones' head. Instead, she feels the students are the most positive aspect at ECSU. "They are generally friendly, and most try and seek help."

While the "Professor" is very serious about her work, she finds time to read, study, and go to plays. She also expresses a great pleasure in being with her family. "They are very special to me. I try

to involve myself in what they're interested in too."

When asked her idea of what a good student is, she replied, "He does not have to be a genius." She added that "he must use all possible resources and be willing to do his best."

Obviously, the interview could not have been complete without getting into the secret of her "preservation of youth."

"It's positive thinking. I just try to maintain a youthful outlook on life."

Being a successful career and family person can be challenging for anyone. And Mrs. Jones is not an exception. But she's very content with the support of her husband and children. She also praises the "close relationships with the

members of the Modern Languages Department."

Near the end of the interview, I asked Mrs. Jones that if she could change anything in the world, what would it be? That inner beauty overflowed when she replied, "I would like to wipe out bigotry, prejudice, and intolerance, because all problems seem to stem from these."

So, the next time you hear the old cliché, "beauty is only skin deep," chat with Mrs. Jones. You may even learn something about yourself.



CHOIR TOUR

By **STEVE BLY**
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The Elizabeth City State University Choir, under the direction of Mr. Billy Hines, will be conducting its annual spring tour for the 1982 spring season.

The tour, which will last from March 19 to March 28, will include stops in South Carolina, Atlanta, Georgia, and Mobile, Alabama, just to name a few. Performances will be held mainly in churches and schools, and the songs will vary from classical to popular as well as spirituals.

The purposes of these annual tours are two: First, the choir is considered an ambassador representing the university in a positive way. Second, the touring choir is also used as a means of recruitment, for it captures the interests of many a high school student, who may not have heard of E.C.S.U. previously, but who after

attending and enjoying a performance may wish to inquire more about the university.

The experience gained by the members in the choir is also an important part of the tour, explains director Hines. For a lot of the students it may be their first time visiting these large cities. They have never traveled with each other on a bus for up to two weeks, and the way they adapt to the various situations presented by the tour will make the tour a most memorable one for them all.

Mr. Hines, a graduate of Stillman College and Choir Director at ECSU since 1975, hopes that the discipline, dedication, and goodwill he instills into all of his choir members, will remain with them throughout their lives.

Much continued success to our ECSU choir. We are proud of them!

For Your Information

By **BERNADETTE CARVER**
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Special Services, what's it all about?

Special Services is a program designed to encourage undergraduate students to continue their education and achieve success while in college.

The program offers tutorial services, academic advisement, a reading laboratory, counseling and guidance, and cultural enrichment.

Any qualified student who meets the requirements established by the U.S. Commissioner of Education is welcome to participate in the Special Services program.

Remember, "The Mind is a Terrible Thing to Waste."

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Miller High Life Winner

Johnny Woodbury, a freshman at Elizabeth City State University, has won the Miller High Life One-on-One Basketball Tournament Championship for the University in competition held in Elizabeth City on March 21.

The championship was the culmination of three weeks of competition sponsored by the Miller Brewing Company and Belcross Beverage, held during half-time of college games.

The One-on-One competition was open to any graduate or undergraduate student at participating colleges who had not lettered in collegiate basketball.

UPDATE: CLUBS

By **AGNES HALL**
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What's new for 1982? Every academic school year, various clubs and organizations seek better and more prosperous ways to improve their organizations. Organizations on Elizabeth City State University campus are designed to benefit and provide for all interested individuals. After talking to the presidents of various organizations on campus, it is clear that they have great plans to build the reputation of the clubs in which they hold office.

The President of NAACP, Mr. Tracy Hester, wishes to expand the growth of the first NAACP organization established on this campus. He realizes the importance of the NAACP, and wants to work towards recruiting other individuals to help make it a more successful and working organization on this campus. Working

throughout the community, and presenting a program based on "Black History" are only a few of his ideas. Alvin Martin, President of Beta Beta Beta, plans to have a T-shirt Incentive Drive. Suggestion boxes will be located in centralized areas, and will be open for suggestions of what should be placed on these shirts. Anthony Swain, President of Phi Beta Lambda, plans also to work within the community setting, as well as to participate in certain projects on campus. Judy Perry, Acting President of The Health Careers Club, plans to have seminars on such subjects as how to check one's blood pressure and the occurrence of cancer. The Health Careers Club also plans to take trips to other areas. The Health Careers Club is open to each individual regardless of his major.

Contestants engaged in a five-minute game with the player who scored ten points first winning the match, if he or she led by two points.

Each winner in the early competition received a \$200.00 scholarship and a trophy. When winners were ineligible to receive the scholarship because of financial assistance restrictions, the money was donated to their schools' athletic departments.

Second, third, and fourth place winners in the early competition received trophies. The top fifty finishers in the One-on-One games received a pair of Miller High Life athletic socks and a One-on-One jersey.

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Up The Ladder To Success

By **BERNADETTE CARVER**
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As the saying goes, "Some people have all the luck."

Dr. Floyd Robinson, former Band Director and former Extended Day/Summer School Director has stepped upward once more in order to assume the responsibilities of Assistant Vice-Chancellor for Academic Affairs.

Dr. Robinson was the leader of our Marching Viking Band for 10 (ten) years and will cherish it for many more to come. Robinson, who is better known as "chief," feels that any person in education has to enjoy working with large groups of students at any institution.

After his ten years of service to the Viking band, Dr. Robinson then became the Director of the Extended Day/Summer School Program. Dr. Robinson formulated policies, established plans, and advised many students who participated in the program.

Robinson's job title now is Vice Chancellor for Academic Affairs. He not only works with the students of Elizabeth City State University, but the faculty too. Even though Dr. Robinson works closer with the faculty and staff, the overall outcome of his previous job is the effect of the institution itself.

Dr. Robinson will continue to serve students, not only those in the Viking Band, but any student of the Viking Family.