

# Campus Briefs

## Campus smokeout sponsored

ECSU's Division of Student Affairs and the American Cancer Society sponsored the Great American Smokeout on campus November 20. The efforts were directed toward the goal of encouraging smokers to give up smoking for one day.

As part of the Smokeout, The Great Balloon Release

was held at 1:30 p.m. at the University Center. Messages asking the finder to join the campaign and contact the sender were placed inside the balloons.

An Adopt a Smoker program was also held. Smokers were paired with non-smokers and gave encouragement to the smoker throughout the day.

## ECSU alumnus speaks to campus club

Mack Wiggins, a 1980 graduate of ECSU, gave a presentation to the Geoscience Club October 31 on behalf of the Department of Natural Resources and Community Development's Division of Environmental Management, Water Quality Section.

Wiggins explained the purpose of the Water Qual-

ity Section of DEM and gave an overview of all units within the Water Quality Section. He also talked about the opportunities available in the Division of Environmental Management and conducted a field trip to the city of Elizabeth City Waste-water Treatment Plant.

## ROTC alumni on the go

Army Reserve 2nd Lt. Hope D. Carter, daughter of Wilhemena Carter of Elizabeth City, has completed the Army Finance Officer Basic Course at Fort Benjamin Harrison, Indiana. The course prepares newly commissioned finance corps officers for their first duty assignments. Carter is a 1986 graduate of ECSU and a former MISS ECSU.

Army 1st Lt. Michael R. Mullen, son of Herman and Emma J. Mullen of Elizabeth City, has arrived for duty with the U.S. Army Engineer Center in Fort Belvoir, Virginia. Mullen is a 1983 graduate of ECSU. His wife, Joyce, is the daughter of Columbus and Annie L. Dance of Elizabeth City.

## Legislators checked

Dr. Trina Talag, associate professor at Elizabeth City State University, served as one of three exercise physiologists who were involved in the N.C. Legislative Health and Fitness Day. Each legislator was checked to determine their physical fitness level. Their percentage of body fat was measured, blood pressure checked, cholesterol level checked,

and their cardiovascular endurance was checked.

Dr. Lois Green, Chairman of the Division of Education at ECSU, has been nominated Chairman of the UNC Cooperative Planning Consortium for Special Education Training Programs. The consortium serves as an advisory group to the President of the UNC system and its Board of Governors.

## One of four sites statewide

# ECSU selected as Pre-College Program site; involves area high school teachers, students

By Steve Smith  
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ECSU has been selected by the Board of Governors of the University of North Carolina System as one of four sites to implement pilot programs in math and science for minority and female high school students. Other sites selected were the Greensboro Area Mathematics and Science Education Center; the Research Triangle Consortium, which includes North Carolina State University, UNC-Chapel Hill, and the N.C. School of Mathematics and Science; and UNC Charlotte.

The Pre-College Program is a newly established program of the UNC Mathematics and Science Education

Network aimed at increasing the number of underrepresented female and minority students who graduate from high school with sufficient interest and preparation in math, science and English to pursue math and science-based fields at the university level. The program will be geared toward the more than 500,000 female persons in North Carolina between the ages of 10 and 19, as well as the more than 300,000 minority persons in the age category. The three other sites that have been selected will target grades 6-9 initially and expand to grades 6-12 by the third year of the program. However, ECSU will begin with grades 9-12 initially and expand to grades 6-12 by year three.

As a Pre-College Program site, ECSU will work with teachers and students from four or five selected high schools in the region. Each of the selected high schools will create an advisor team composed of mathematics, science and English faculty persons and a counselor. This team will work directly with students to develop an understanding of the concepts, academic skills and self esteem needed to be successful.

Students will participate in structured tutoring, academic career advisement and personal advisement. Study groups, field trips and enrichment programs are also planned, along with special activities such as science and math competitions and special workshops.

High school teachers who participate in the project will be involved in summer institutes and enrichment programs that are designed to help them motivate their students toward math and science based careers.

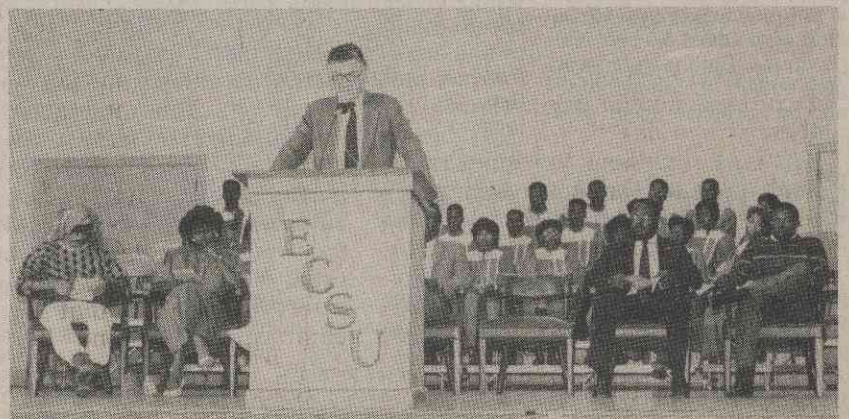
Parents, business and industry professionals, and professionals in math and science based fields will be asked to play an active role in a number of ways, such as serving as advisors, tutors and role models for the students.

ECSU will serve in a coordinating role and will provide the needed guidance and supplemental programs which will aid all involved. This program is scheduled to begin in early 1987.

## INTERNATIONAL WEEK CELEBRATION

The International Week Assembly speaker, Dr. Burt Schepper, Professor of Modern History at Norfolk State University, Va., addressed the issue of "Human Rights in South Africa."

Schepper has done extensive research in Europe, including the USSR and South Africa. A former Fulbright Exchange Scholar, he introduced Jewish history at Norfolk State, which he still teaches. His visit was part of the International Week Celebration on the ECSU campus from November 2 through November 6. Events included an international dinner, seminars, carnival and panel discussions.



Dr. Burt Schepper

Photo by Richard McIntyre

## "School and Community-United for Excellence"

# American Education Week filled with activities

By Robin Sawyer  
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"School and Community-United for Excellence" was the theme of American Education Week, November 17-21. During the week, educators and education majors on ECSU's campus shared the spotlight through various activities held to commemorate the occasion.

As art exhibition was held Monday through Friday in the corridors of the Early Childhood Education Building. On display was the work of the students of the ECSU Laboratory School. The Labo-

ratory School is composed of children ranging in age from three to five years. An open house was also held on Tuesday with the public invited to visit in order to experience the school's learning activities.

According to Mrs. Faleese M. Jenkins, "The laboratory school is housed in one of the most modern school facilities in Northeastern North Carolina and Southern Virginia. Excellent teaching strategies are provided by a staff of well-trained teachers and administrators. Each child is provided individualized instruction and encouraged to

work to his/her fullest potential."

She added that a large percentage of the graduates of the ECSU Laboratory School are selected for the Academically Gifted Programs in other school systems.

The American Education Week Assembly was held in Williams Hall, Tuesday, November 18. Co-sponsored by The Division of Education and the campus chapter of the SNCAE (Student North Carolina Association of Educators), the assembly was open to the public and fea-

tured Gladys Graves, President-Elect of the NCAE, and Carolyn Penny, 1986 Pasquotank County Teacher of the Year, as speakers.

Following the American Education Week Assembly, a reception was held in the Early Childhood Education Building. This was also sponsored by the Department of Education and the SNCAE.

A Teacher Education Recruitment Booth was another activity involving the Department of Education on Tuesday, November 18.

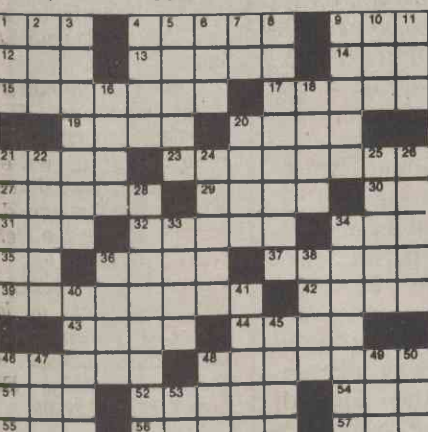
## The Puzzle

- ACROSS**
- 1 Policeman
  - 4 Crown
  - 9 Young goat
  - 12 Swiss river
  - 13 Beginning
  - 14 Anglo-Saxon money
  - 15 Church dignitary
  - 17 Transgressed
  - 19 Rise and fall of ocean
  - 20 Insect
  - 21 Stalk
  - 23 Dependence
  - 27 Sea-going vessel
  - 29 Want
  - 30 Latin conjunction
  - 31 Sum up
  - 32 Showy flower

Answers to puzzle on p. 2.

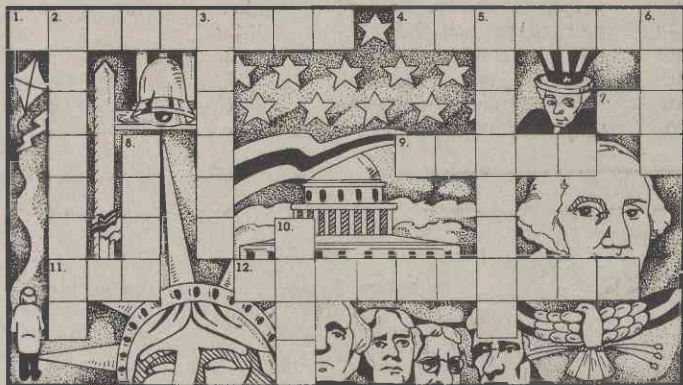
- DOWN**
- 1 Headgear
  - 2 Paddle
  - 3 Sham
  - 4 Frog

- 5 Bury
- 6 Peer Gynt's mother
- 7 Concerning
- 8 Studios
- 9 Mohammedan bible
- 10 Anger
- 11 Parent colloq.
- 16 Citrus fruit
- 18 Peruse
- 20 Escape
- 21 Narrow, flat boards
- 22 Pertaining to the tide
- 24 Go in
- 25 Evergreen tree
- 26 Short jackets
- 28 Imprudence
- 33 Winter vehicle
- 34 Unyielding
- 36 Roman road
- 38 Slippery
- 40 Country of Europe
- 41 Extra
- 45 Turkish flag
- 46 Man's name
- 47 Pale
- 48 Actor Linden
- 49 Grain
- 50 Lair
- 53 Symbol for calcium



# The easiest puzzle you'll ever solve.

- ACROSS**
- 1 & 4. What 18-year-old guys have to register with. (2 words)
  - 7. Initials of 1 and 4 across.
  - 9. \_\_\_\_\_ as a flash-like Selective Service registration.
  - 11. Selective Service is \_\_\_\_\_ a draft.
  - 12. You must register within a month of your birthday.



- DOWN**
- 2. Which 18-year-old guys have to register?
  - 3. What you broke if you're in prison—as in Selective Service registration is \_\_\_\_\_ (2 words)
  - 5. \_\_\_\_\_ with Selective Service!
  - 6. Not difficult—like Selective Service registration.
  - 8. Where you register—the \_\_\_\_\_ office.
  - 10. How long registration takes—\_\_\_\_\_ minutes.

If you're a guy about to turn 18, you need to know the answers to this puzzle. Don't worry, it's easy. Within a month of your 18th birthday, you must register with Selective Service. Just go to the post office and fill out a card. That's all there is to it.

**Register with Selective Service. It's Quick. It's Easy. And it's the Law.**

Presented as a public service message by the Selective Service System.

ANSWERS: ACROSS: 1 & 4. Selective Service 7. SS 9. Quick 11. Not 12. Eighteenth. DOWN: 2. Evergreen 3. The law 5. Register 6. Easy 8. Post 10. Five