

Funding provided for college's Tech High program

Dave Shelton (right), community development representative of North Carolina Power, presents a check for \$15,000 to Dr. B. Franklin Lowe, Jr., vice president for academic affairs, to fund the 1996 Tech High program. Looking on is Dr. Garth D. Faile, chairman of the department of science, and coordinator of the program. Tech High—developed jointly between North Carolina Power and Chowan—provides math and science enrichment for rising high school sophomores in northeastern North Carolina. The hands-on, high-tech summer camp will be conducted during the week of June 16-21 in Carrie Savage Camp Hall and other locations on campus.



Chowan hosts annual Regional Science Olympiad; top winners announced

A qualifying tournament for Science Olympiad in the northeast region of the state was held on Saturday, Mar. 2, at Chowan College with twenty-eight teams from North Carolina middle schools and high schools participating. Students from 20 different schools from the area between Goldsboro, Greenville, Elizabeth City and Roanoke Rapids took part in the annual activities.

The Science Olympiad Regional tournaments

are academic, interscholastic competitions, which consist of a series of individual and team events for which students prepare during the academic year. Although the Olympiad tournaments are competitive, most events are team events that require teamwork, group planning, and cooperation.

The emphasis of the regional Olympiad tournaments is on learning, participation, interaction, having fun, and developing team spirit.

Middle schools winning the overall competitions are as follows: first place, C. M. Eppes, Team 1; second place, Ridgcroft; third place, Bath Elementary; fourth place, C. M. Eppes, Team 2; fifth place, Chaloner, Team Black. Four of these schools will send teams to compete in the state competition at Morganton on Mar. 30.

High schools winning the overall competitions are as follows: first place, Washington High School, Team 1; second place, Chocowinity High School; third place, Eastern Wayne High School; fourth place, Aycock High School; fifth place, Hertford County High School, Team Blue. The top four schools will send teams to compete in the state competition at Morganton on Mar. 30.

Trustees name Dr. Lott new Chowan president

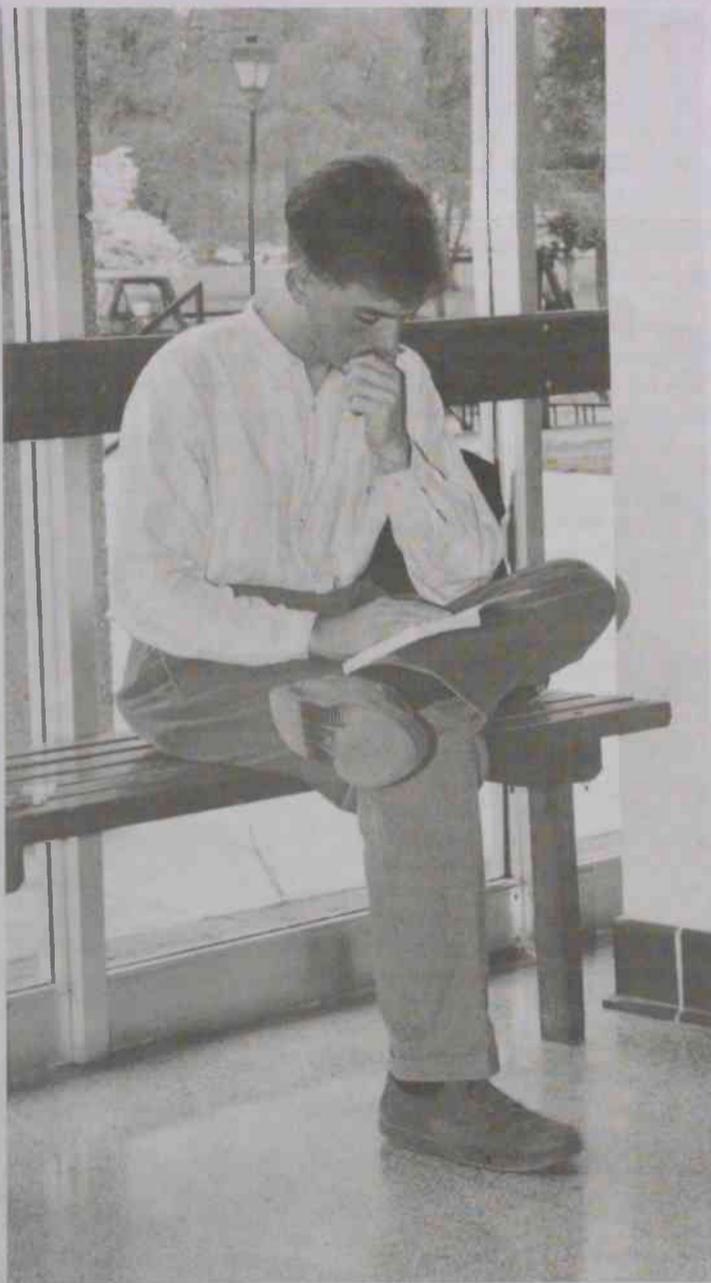
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colleges and universities of all kinds in the process of seeking and selecting presidential and senior level administrative leadership. Dr. Bruce T. Alton, a former faculty member, dean and president of two church-related colleges, served as principal consultant.

A 14 member committee consisting of Chowan alumni, faculty, staff and students examined an applicant pool of over 100 names. L. Clement Yancey, a retired Oxford businessman and Chowan trustee, chaired the committee. After months of deliberations, the applicant pool was narrowed to 6 semi-finalists who were interviewed in Norfolk, VA. Three finalists visited the campus to meet college personnel.

Each finalist participated in an intensive day of meetings with various groups of Chowan constituents. On March 28, the Search Committee's recommendation that Lott be named president was unanimously approved by the Board of Trustees.

Chowan currently offers over 20 majors, the most popular of which includes business administration, teacher education, physical education, art and printing production and imaging technology. The college is currently installing a campuswide fiber optic network that will provide the campus with state-of-the-art computer technology, including Internet and other extended online services.



The lobby of Marks Hall is a popular place between classes and many of the students use the area to chat with friends and catch up on campus news. This young man, however, is using the time to prepare for his next class by reviewing the assigned class material.

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