### News.

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## crime watch

On Sept. 12, Beth Mari, 21, of 2217 Edgar Rd., Pt. Pleasant, NJ, was cited on Lebanon Avenue for failure to wear safety belt.

On Sept. 13, Brandon Braxton, 19, of 433 Overman Dr., Burlington, was arrested and charged with larceny of a firearm.

On Sept. 13, Eddie Stutts, of 2114 Young St., Burlington, was arrested and charged with larceny of a firearm.

On Sept. 13, Kevin Bates, 18, of 5 Virdap St., Scarborough, Maine, was cited on Haggard Avenue for underage possession of a malt beverage.

On Sept. 13, Cresta Whitmer, of 590 Leather Hinge Tr., Roswell, Ga., was cited in Ashley Oaks parking lot for underage possession of a malt beverage.

On Sept. 13, Sara Douglas,

19, of 433 Glenbrook Dr., Atlantis, cited on Holt Avenue for underage Fla., was cited in Ashley Oaks parking lot for underage possession of a malt beverage.

On Sept. 13, Crystal Dickerson, 17, of 127 Concord St., Greensboro, was cited in Sheridan Place parking lot for underage possession of a malt beverage.

On Sept. 13, Erica Preusse, 19, of 209 W. College Ave., was possession of a malt beverage.

On Sept. 14, Donald Long, 29, of 602 Veterans Dr., was arrested and charged with assault on a female.

On Sept. 14, William Hoffman, 19, of 739 E. Haggard Ave., Apt. 4-D, Elon College, was cited on East Haggard Avenue for littering.

On Sept. 14, Casey Speares, 18, of Cabin Creek Ct., Burtonsville, Md., was cited in Sheridan Place parking lot for underage possession of a malt beverage.

On Sept. 14, Katherine Clyburn, 18, of 5675 Cross Gate Dr., Atlanta, was cited in Sheridan Place parking lot for underage possession of a malt beverage.

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# **Spectrum Supports Homosexual Rights**

#### Andrea Stoffer

"Spectrum gives you an immediate support group and makes you know that you are accepted right away," said senior Ron Stephenson about Elon's new homosexual organization.

Spectrum, which is open to all types of people, promotes awareness and acceptance on homosexual issues.

It held its first meeting in May and the Student Life committee should make the group official next week.

Spectrum members discussed the structure and agenda for the club in the last two meetings this fall. Flyers with the meeting times, dates, and hotline (229-5289) will be posted around campus. People who signed up at the organization fair Sept. 6, will be called about upcoming meetings.

On Spectrum's tentative schedule: viewing gay films with students/members of the club. They hope the films will be co-sponsored by Cinelon and Elon's Cultural Events. Spectrum is also hoping that Cinelon will bring the directors of the films to Elon and lead discussions.

Also, the group wants gay and lesbian poets to speak on campus. In addition, Spectrum may visit the AIDS quilt in D.C. on a trip sponsored by the Student Union Board, during fall break. The same weekend, the group may attend a gay youth march.

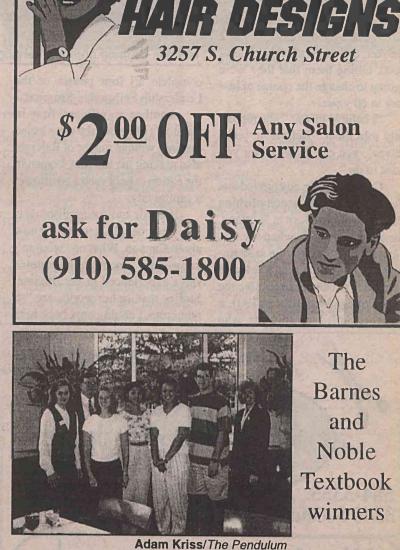
The club plans on seeing "Roseanne's" Sandra Bernhard on National Coming Out Day, Friday October 11, at The University of North Carolina at Greensboro.

Last Thursday, four members visited the student run Gay Lesbian Bisexual Student Association at UNCG. G.L.B.S.A. is on the internet and prevalent in other colleges and universities.

"Spectrum is not a separtist organization. We are a culturally diverse group. Whether you are homosexual, heterosexual, blue, or green, Spectrum accepts you, Rosa\* said (named changed).

Thirty people signed up for the club at the Organization Fair. A lot of the members are straight. For example, Jeff Keim joined the group because "he wants to promote civil rights and raise awareness on the campus. He wants to help educate students to help them realize we are all different."

In addition, many professors including advisors biology professor Michael Ulrich and political science professor Laura Helvey are supporting the club.



From left: Jolene Childress, Gerald Whittington, Candace Stanebreaker, Wewona Suggs, Rahshida Wilson, Joe Mattern and Julianne Maher

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## **Students Win Free Books in Campus Shop Scholarship**

#### **Adam Kriss**

'This program began when Barnes and Nobel took over the bookstore four years ago and this year we just wanted to promote it a little more." said Jolene Childress, Elon College Campus Shop Manager.

This program is the Barnes and Noble/Campus Shop Textbook Scholarship fund.

Five students were selected by

the business and finance office based on their G.P.A's from last year.

Over the summer, five names were sent to the campus shop, which then notified the students that they had won. The students won free textbooks for both the fall and spring semesters.

The winners were William Bartley, Joseph Mattern, Candace Stonebreaker, Wenona Suggs and Rahshida Wilson.

On Sept. 16 the five students were invited to a lunch in the Ward Octagon Room of the Moseley Center

"We decided that this is something that we should recognize," Childress said.

The five winners all felt good about their accomplishment.

Wilson said, "I am very happy and this was a blessing from God."

Stonebreaker was happy with the news. "It gets expensive to have

to pay for books and college at the same time. I was just very, very happy to get the scholarship," she said.

Mattern said, "I got a letter, and I was just relieved because books are very expensive."

"I was just really happy that it came," Suggs said.

Childress took over as manager of the bookstore last April and wanted to try some new things.

"I had no idea how the stu-

dents who won the scholarship in the past were handled, however, I knew we needed to recognize these five students in some fashion," she said.

Childress noted that this program will happen every year and that five new students will be chosen. "No student can win this more than once," she said.

This is a scholarship that can be won anytime by sophomores, juniors and seniors.