

New employees deluge WCC

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Bob Waller



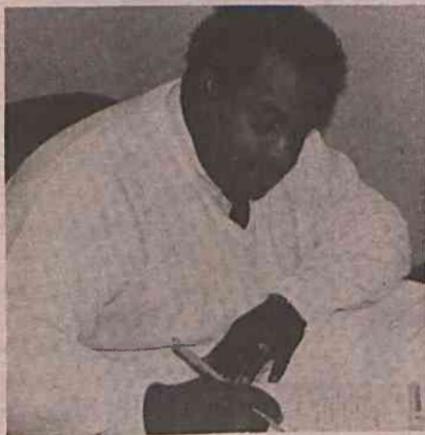
Susan Walton



Karen Audette



Charles Audette



Wesley Alston

By MICHAEL PARKS

Since July 1, 19 new employees have joined the WCC staff.

The Campus Voice welcomes all of these new employees to WCC.

The spring issue of the Voice will include any biographies not listed in this article.

Bob Waller, Director of the Upward Bound Project, was born in Kannapolis, NC.

He received a master's degree at UNC-Chapel Hill.

In Goldsboro Waller taught and coached football, basketball, golf, and baseball.

From 1962-68 he was an assistant principal; from 1968-76, he was the Dean of Students at WCC.

From 1976-88 he was Vice President at Crawford-Norwood Realty, and from 1988-92, he was Director of Athletics for the Goldsboro school system.

Waller has served 15 years on the Board of Education and 20 years on the Board of Directors at the Boys Club.

He is currently on the Salvation Army Board.

He and his wife Pat have 3 sons--Chuck, Scott, and Wes.

Karen J. Audette worked at WCC for 6 year as a Purchasing Agent before she moved with her husband when he was transferred to a new job.

She has returned as an accounting technician.

She graduated from Platt High School and received her ASS from WCC.

Charles Audette, Director of Campus Safety, Health, and Staff Development, graduated from Manchester High School and received a B.S. in Business Administration and marketing from the University of Connecticut.

Born in St. Johnsbury, Vermont, he and his wife Karen have two daughters, Lynn and Kim.

Wesley Alston, a counselor in Student Support Services, was born in Raleigh, NC.

He attended St.

Augustine's College where he earned a B.A. in sociology.

He also attended North Carolina Central University and received his M.A degree after which he attained a J.D. degree from Miles Law School in Birmingham, Alabama.

Alston previously worked at Elizabeth City State University.

He is married to Sally who works at Shaw University as an Upward Bound Associate Director.

They have 2 daughters, Monique, a junior at North Carolina Central University and Bernice, a third grader at Fuller A.G Elementary School in Raleigh.

Susan G. Walton, Employment Interviewer outstationed from Employment Security Commission (ESC) to provide job placement for students, attended Meredith College where she received a home economics Degree.

Born in West Palm Beach, she received her high school diploma from Seacrest High School in Delray Beach, Florida.

She has 2 children, Glenn and Jason.

She has been working at ESC since 1972.



Dennis Cain
PHOTO: Brad Jordan

There he met Ricky "The Dragon" Steamboat without whose advice and confidence he would have never gone on to wrestle professionally, he said.

On December 2, Cain organized a benefit wrestling match to raise money for a friend's child that had recently undergone a bone marrow procedure for leukemia.

The Eric Outlaw Wrestling Benefit, or "Mount Olive Mayhem" as Cain called it, was held in the Mount Olive Armory.

The event, which started at 8:00 p.m., featured Ivan and Vladimir Koloff, Wahoo McDaniels, and several other wrestlers including two females.

In their match against Ivan and Vladimir Koloff, Cain and his partner Wahoo McDaniels defeated the Russian tag team.

Cain, who expected 200 people to attend, was disappointed that only half that number showed.

Proceeds also did not cover the costs of renting the armory, leaving Cain personally responsible for the losses.

Cain, a graduate of Southern Wayne High School, said he will return to college one day, but for now he has other things on his mind as he continues to dream of a future in the world of professional wrestling.



Former WCC student realizes dream, becomes pro wrestler

By BRAD JORDAN

Dennis Cain, 23, former WCC college transfer student and "Campus Voice" reporter, is trying to realize a childhood dream of becoming a professional wrestler.

Cain attended WCC in 1990 and 1991; then the high school wrestling champ and 4-year body builder decided it was time to pursue his dream.

He went to Charlotte, NC, where he graduated from the professional wrestling school, Indian Trails Wrestling Academy.