

The Cougar Cry

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that A Fling

.. And a good time was had by all! Especially Robert Johnston, Pete Mann, Bud Mayes, and Bill Scarborough--or so it seemed as they were dunked repeatedly in the Dunking Booth provided by the Ye Hosts Club. It appeared to be quite refreshing as the sun shone brightly and the temperature climbed to 85 degrees F. during the noon hours.

As the bands played, some couples strolled lazily arm in arm, lolled about on the grass, and sprawled upon blankets scattered around, while the more energetic participated in various games.

Refreshments were available in the form of cold drinks sold by the Math Club, Hot Dogs, and Hamburgers sold by the Circle K, and ice cream sold by Phi Beta Lambda.

The 100 yard dash, sack race, and egg throw had to be canceled as thundershowers appeared about 3:00 P.M. The unexpected rain forced everyone into the Student Commons where the festivities continued unabated until about 6:15 P.M.

The highlight of the day was the Battle of the Bands. The medley of Country, Blue Grass, and Rock satisfied everyone's musical preference. Nightbird was judged as the number one band, with a prize of \$400. Second place winner was Jack, with a purse of \$200. Steel City Exit won \$100. for a third place prize. The prize money came from the SGA, who worked diligently to arrange the Spring Fling.

Aside from the primary purpose of giving everyone a break from the monotony of the Spring quarter, the Fling also provided an excellent opportunity for the making of the film, "W.C.C., The Peoples' College," a film being prepared by Wilkes Community College. The events filmed, in the midst of fun and frolics, show the real nature of W.C.C. students, staff, and faculty--truly a wonderful, funloving, extra nice group of people.

The Fling should happen more often, Spring or not!



On Wednesday, May 10, seventeen students were presented with certificates for Who's Who Among Students in American Junior Colleges. They were presented by John V. Idol. The honor was based on scholarship, service to the school and community, club activities, and citizenship.

All college faculty and staff were able to nominate students. The nominations then went to a nomination committee for final approval.

The seventeen recipients come from seven different counties and one other state. Alleghany County, Edward Bruce Shepherd; Ashe County, James Dwight Hartzog, Patricia Carolyn Goodman, Gregory Albert Greer; Catawba County, Dennis Ray Caudill; Iredell County, Frances Elaine Church, Dolly McCoy Vanwy; Vance County, Malcum Leon Sneed; Wilkes County, Glen Richard Curtis, Rosemarie Jarvis, Minnie Millsaps, Nan Nichols, Kimberly Lynn Shepherd, Richard Neil Thomas, Michael Edgar Wilcox; Yadkin County, Caroll Lynn Allred; and Charleston, South Carolina, Robert Lee Myers.





Left to right: Kimberly Shepherd, Michael Wilcox, Minnie Milsaps, John V. Idol, Nancy Julia Nichols, Glen Richard Curtis. Not pictured: Rosemarie Jarvis, Richard Neil Thomas.



Left to right: John V. Idol, Dennis Ray Caudill



Left to right: John V. **Edward Bruce Shepherd**



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Left to right: John V. Idol, Carol Lynn Allred



Elaine Church



Left to right: Dolly McCoy Vanwy, John V. Idol, Frances Left to right: Gregory Albert Greer, John V. Idol, James Dwight Hartzog, Patricia Carolyn Goodman