

Future Chemistry Major Receives Kiwanis Honors

"Music plays a large part in my life," commented Doug Bradham, Kiwanis Boy for October. "I like all kinds — classical, jazz, and pop." Doug's in-



DOUG BRADHAM, Kiwanis Boy for October, is already working on the pictures for this year's annual. (Photos by Killebrew)

terest in music stems from his participation in band work since the fifth grade. As a result, Doug is seen at every home football game at half-time leading the band in formation across the field. The string base heard in the background when the dance band plays, is another indication of his interest.

His second major field of interest is the Hi-Noc-Ar. Not only is he co-editor of the annual, but also he does most of the photography for it. As co-editor he is ex officio member of the President's cabinet. Doug is interested in photography because it can be creative work as well as a science. All of these jobs involve quite a bit of time and work.

One would think that with all Doug has to do at school, he would not have any spare time for outside activities. This is definitely not true. He is active in the Youth Fellowship of the First Presbyterian Church and is also a member of the Albemarle Presbytery Youth Council.

Next year he hopes to attend the University of North Carolina at Chapel Hill where he will major in chemistry. "I hope to work in a research lab in the summers, so that I will be farther along toward my goal, which is to be employed in the research lab of one of the large firms."

Language Series Sparks Interest

EDITOR'S NOTE — This is the first of a series of articles on the various departments of RSHS. The foreign language department which includes French, Latin and Spanish, has developed into one of the major departments of the school.

Rocky Mount Senior High is fortunate in having one of the best foreign language departments in the state. Two modern languages and one classic language are taught by the six teachers who make up the department.

New Series Of Books

In the modern area, French and Spanish are offered to the student by five out-of-the-ordinary teachers. Miss Dorothy Craighill, head of the French department, is really extraordinary. After her graduation from George Washington University, she studied at the University of Paris one summer.

After taking several other summer courses, she received her masters degree in French from the University of North Carolina at Chapel Hill. Last summer she attended classes at the University of Poitiers in La Rochelle, France. She loves to teach French but "I worry I don't have enough time to prepare the way I would like to."

Mrs. Evelyn Walston, who teaches first and second year French received her degree from Meredith College. She has also spent several of her summers studying at such colleges as State and Atlantic Christian



MISS CRAIGHILL shows sophomore Harriett Brinn how to operate the equipment in the language laboratory.

College. This is her second year of teaching the new series of books being used for the first and second year French, and this series is "quite different" from the old.

The first and second year Spanish books are quite a bit like the French books. According to Mrs. Suzanne Sifford, who received her degree at Lenoir-Rhyne, the new books are "based on the student who wants to learn to speak a foreign language." She also feels, as Mrs. Hayworth does — that

the new series is better for speaking and understanding than the old. Mrs. Hayworth studied first at the University of North Carolina at Greensboro, then later received her Master's degree at the University of North Carolina at Chapel Hill.

Mrs. Ann Brinson, who graduated from Atlantic Christian College, teaches five first year classes this year. Last year she only taught one class. By Christmas, she hopes to have her classes speaking everything in Spanish. Mrs. Brinson can be called "the wanderer," for only two of her classes are in the same room. She moves from classroom to classroom, like the teachers in South America do.

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