



The picture above is Michael Alston, the Kiwanis Boy for the month of September. Photo by Bryant.

Michael Alston Chosen September Kiwanis Boy

The Kiwanis boy, an outstanding student chosen by the administration for September, is Michael Alston.

Michael is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Will N. Alston of 1021 Long Avenue. Michael's determination and enthusiasm show why he is liked

Service Club Sets Goals

One of Rocky Mount Senior High's most active clubs is the Service Club advised by Mrs. Jacqueline Heston. This is Mrs. Heston's first year as a club advisor, and she, as well as all of the members, is actively involved in the club's activities.

At the present time The Homecoming Mini-Parade, which will be held October 11, is foremost on the club's list of activities. The Club is hoping for much participation throughout the school as each homeroom and various other groups show their creative ability.

Perhaps the activity that will be most beneficial to the school is the upcoming candy sales. The club is striving to reach a goal of three hundred dollars, which will enable them to present three one hundred dollar scholarships to three deserving students at the end of the school year. In order for their goal to be reached and for their plan to succeed, the participation and cooperation of every student as well as that of the community is a necessity.

During the football season the Service Club meets every Tuesday afternoon to make preparations for the programs that are to be sold at the football game the following Friday night. When the football season is concluded, the club's attention will be focused on another event therefore the meetings may vary.

Five Students Attend Journalism Institute

Five journalism students attended the North Carolina Scholastic Press Institute June 17, 18, and 19 at UNC at Chapel Hill. The Institute offered three days of intensive training in newspaper journalism.

The students participating in the Institute from Senior High were Cathy Allen, Sara Jane Collier, Phyllis Goffney, Kim Nelson and Terri Kilpatrick.

The three days provided the students with an opportunity for problem solving, discussion, innovation and

creativity. Over 300 delegates were there from across the state. By meeting and talking with students from different schools, members of the GRYPHON staff were able to compare techniques and learn new ideas.

Sessions were taught by UNC School of Journalism faculty members and other experienced publication advisors and newspaper experts. One class featured a discussion with the staff members of THE DAILY TAR HEEL, the UNC student newspaper.

Officers for 1975 were elected by all the delegates at a business session on the second day. Cathy, this year's Editor of the GRYPHON, was elected NCSPI Secretary. She will be involved in planning next year's NCSPI.

According to the students who attended, the three day Institute was both valuable and rewarding. The students also said that being able to stay three days on the campus of UNC was a lot of fun.

Gryphon Staff Attends Workshop

September 28, eight members of the Gryphon staff went to Campbell College to participate in a Publications Workshop there. Journalism students who made the Saturday trip were: Boon McGee, Teresa Mosely, Phyllis Goffney, Virginia Culpepper, Kim Nelson, Gail Phillips, Natalie Knight, and Cathy Allen. The purpose of the workshop was to enlarge general knowledge and skills having to do with high school newspapers. Newspaper editing, judging, makeup, and photography were the topics of main interest.

Mr. John Bradley gave the lecture on newspapers editing, Dr. Ira Baker discussed newspaper judging.

Newspaper makeup was headed by Mr. Ralph Delaro, and Mr. Todd Scarborough lectured on photography.

There were also films, a general meeting, and a luncheon.

Poetry

THOUSAND MEMORIES

I've suffered no great loss
I've shared no great pain.
I've lived throughout the sunny days
I can live through the rain.

I need you more than ever;
More than you could ever know.
Taking time with our love
I'm sure it will grow.

You are a thousand memories
Flowing through my mind.
Remembering how wonderful you are
And knowing also that you're very kind.

I shall envision you in my dreams.
I shall love you until the end of days.
I shall remember you forever
And love you in many different ways.

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