



**GRYPHON OFFICERS CHOSEN:** Pictured from left to right are Beth Hutchisson, Karen Walston, Clifton Barnes, Dan Thorp, John Smith, Kathy Carroll, Keith King, Leslie Locke, Mary Fleming and David Goff. [Photo by Bulluck]



**HI-NOC-AR OFFICERS PICKED:** Pictured from left to right are Mae Jackson, Allison Aldridge, Mark Pearsal, Carol Lehman and Celia Horne. [Photo by Hutchisson]

## Gryphon Announces New Staff Members

The Gryphon staff has many new plans for next year. One major difference will be that they plan to change to a new printer. They will be moving from Benson to the Nashville Graphic. This will allow more issues. Instead of a 12 page paper nine times a year, they will print an eight page paper 14 times a year. This is so that the news can be printed faster and the staff will be more involved in the actual production.

The new staff will be meeting earlier than the other school students in August to prepare for the coming year. Now the staff is working on ad sizes and ad rates. The new officers and staff members have been meeting every Tuesday afternoon to discuss plans for these changes next year.

The staff will be traveling to Chapel Hill to the Journalism Convention at UNC-Chapel Hill in June.

A different staff organization will take place next year. The officers are now working on the specific duties of the new positions. Officers for next year are as follows: Editor, Keith King; Managing Editor, Clifton Barnes; Layout Editor, Johynn Smith; Assignment Editor, Dan Thorp; Copy Editor, David Goff; Business Manager, Leslie Locke; Advertising Manager, Kathy Carroll; Circulation Manager, Mary Flemming; Photography Editor, Beth Hutchisson; and Materials Manager, Karen Walston.

The new staff members for next year are: Patina Battle, Bill Brannan, Kathy Callahan, Sam Clounts, Steve Feltony, Greg Fredericks, Debra Henderson, Jerry Joyner, Hope Kelly, Angela Lloyd, Donna L. Massie, Stan Miller, Melinda Penny, Linda Roberson, and Tracy Sykes.

## Hi-Noc-Ar Staff Picked

Officers for the 1977-78 Hi-Noc-Ar staff were announced at an all school assembly held May 13.

Allison Aldridge and Carol Lehman will share the top job and act as co-editors. Mae Jackson will serve as Advertising Manager with help from Celia Horne who will be the Business Manager. The Co-circulation Managers will be Terrie Canner and Mark Pearsal.

The Senior staff members who will be returning are: Joni Thower, Amelia White, Kaye Batts, Chipper Doyle, Mary Ward Robbins, Teresa Everett, Starletta Wiggins, Janet Kitts, Oie Osterkemp, Kent Smith,

Lindi Fields, and Frank Bradsher.

Upcoming Juniors who will be on the staff are: Eddie Wilson, Dee Whitley, Brian Wilcox, Steve Ratchford, Drew Peterson, Toni Williams, Jana Lucus, Cassandra Thorpe, Marsha Thompson, Stephanie Henderson, Courtney Szama, Blythe Matkin, Eleanor Lee, Audrey Cooper, Barbara Wujciak, Toretta Pollard, and Gaither Weeks.

Allison Aldridge, one of the co-editors, states, "We are expecting to have a good Hi-Noc-Ar next year because the new staff members were given high recommendations, but we'll still have a hard time trying to do better than this year's annual."

## Boys Selected For Convention

The two Rocky Mount Auxiliary American Legior Posts have selected four boys to attend the Boys State Convention this summer. Post 58 is sponsoring Steven Phillips as the delegate and Jack Todd as the alternate. The other, Post 113, selected Clarence Wiggins and Michael Edmond.

This convention is being held at Wake Forest University in Winston-Salem the week of June 12. It will be a fulfilling

week of the science of government and citizenship according to guidance personnel.

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