

Guest speaker examines pollution display.

THE FULL MOON

Albemarle Senior High School

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Marlyn Massey, business

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Reid Squires, Tony Morton,

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Louise Cranford, copy editor;

Rising juniors selected to

Doug Pinkston and Meg

news editor.

manager.

**Executives Fill Positions** 

# Happy Earth Day To You?

Dr. Manly Orates

Seniors, juniors, and sophomores saw how destructive man really is by attending classes on pollution April 22, Environ-

mental Education Day.
Dr. J. O. Manly of Pfeiffer began the day's activities in a kick off assembly first period. Dr. Manly defined man and explained how man adapts by

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ton, and Mary Anne Crisco.

Mrs. Nancy Gamewell con-

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tive positions on the 1971 Cross-

roads staff are Carolyn Nance,

editor-in-chief; Susan Chandler

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Susan Chandler works with

ager; and, Donna Smith, assis-

lay-out and design; Steve Blalock

works primarily with photog-

sor for the 1971 Crossroads.

Miss Ann Thomason is spon-

tant business manager.

raphy.

changing his environment. He presented statistics concerning population growth.

Dr. Manly stated that man has always been a destructive creature because he drives animals to extinction and turns fertile land into desert area. The issue of pollution is now pressing on our total environment. By and change its climate.

Dr. Manly further stated that we have the technological knowledge to solve the problem, but we don't have the willpower and willingness to spend the

Unwanted, Unneeded . . .

Second period, Mr. O.W. Strickland spoke on solid waste control. He defined solid waste as unwanted, unneeded, and undesired material. He showed slides of dumps of littered highways throughout North Caro-

Mr. Strickland listed some of our biggest problems as the disposal of cardboard boxes, automobile tires, and old appliances. One of the newest and most effective means of disposal is the sanitary land fill, in which the debris is covered with dirt and the site is developed into parking areas or recreational facilities. He also discussed the

Carolina in accordance with their best uses. This classification involves a five point system for fresh water and a four point system for salt water. Students discussed industry's part in water pollution.

#### Babies = Pollution

and abortion.

#### **Hazards Listed**

Students attending fifth period class explored the area of population explosion with Mr. T. D. Scurletis. Mr. Scurletis raised the question, "Do adults create pollution or do babies create pollution?" He enumerated causes contributing to the growth of population such as urbanization and the lack of understanding on the use of medical services. He felt the answers to the problems lay in education and control of pregnancies by using contraceptives

Mr. Scurletis pointed out that even though the pill is controversial, it is a medicine, and all medicines have danger, stating statistics to the effect that of 100,000 women who took the pill only 3 might die. If these same women had gotten pregnant 30 could have died. He also discussed the possibilities of sterilization.

Mr. Dane Brown discussed Radiation Hazards. Man has always been exposed to cosmic radiation but only after 1900 did he use it for such things as X-rays, reactors, and bombs. Sources of radioactive wastes listed were from natural fuels, reactor coolants, chemical processing, applications and research, and man-made fuels. He defined the two kinds of wastes, high level and low level and the various methods of disposal.

Mr. Brown also discussed the way radiation gets into the body through the food chain and the water cycle.

#### polluting the ocean we slow up the rate of photosynthesis and decrease the amount of oxygen. Also, by burning massive quantities of oil and coal we can increase the earth's temperature

use of insecticides.

Mr. Livingston Jones spoke third period on water pollution. He showed students some available literature concerning the subject. He also gave them background information on the passing and enforcing of laws concerning stream sanitation.

Officials classify all significant surface waters of North

## We Love You, Srs. Shouting poetry to groups of

Seniors, participating in peanut nose-rolling races, being sacrificed to the bush god, carrying mountains of books down the halls, riding broom horses through the cafeteria, shouting, "The British are coming!" and skipping down the hall singing "We Love You Seniors" are just a few of the punishments, inflicted on juniors and sophomores, April 20-24, better known as Senior Week.

Deciding to change from the traditional-style Senior Week, Tom Wilson, class president, appointed a committee to suggest activities. This com-mittee consisted of Patsy Davis, Sharon Stowe, Bruce Tyson, Donny Davis, Billy Lowder, Shelia Lambert, Jo Ann Meaders, and Tommy Taylor.

Monday, seniors received blue and white beanies in homerooms to signify their class rank.

The Student Council served milk and donuts to seniors before school, Tuesday morning. The faculty allowed seniors to wear anything they wanted.

Wednesday, sophomores presented their class gift of brownies to the upperclassmen.

Juniors gave their gift, Tootsie Roll Pops, Thursday. Skipping fourth period class to eat dinner anywhere on the school campus and receiving a coke were among the privileges allowed to seniors Thursday.

Most of the privileged students chose to bring picnic lunches and eat on blankets in the school yard.

Class Of '70 Reigns

Thus ended Senior Week for

### **Grads Stage Talent**

the Class of '70.

The seniors held their talent show Friday, April 24, second period. It began with tributes to the seniors from the Student Council by Ernie Whitley; the sophomores, by class president, Mike Palmer; and juniors by class president, Tony Oettinger. Tom Wilson gave the senior response. In a short ceremony, Tom then dedicated to the school a picture in memory of senior, Ernest Morgan.

The first act was a song about the talent show theme, "Up the Road," by all talent show mem-

Making their last local appearance, The James Brothers sang "My Old Man" and "If I Had a Hammer."

"Dizzy," a baton twirling act, was performed by Majorettes Sarah Earnhardt and Paula Fes-

Susan Squires then entertained with two folk songs, "Someday Soon" and "Who Knows Where the Time Goes."

With singing and dancing, Lessie Davis, Joanne Meaders, Ethel Horton, Herman Funderburk, Virgil Currie, Bruce Tyson, Wayne Knight, Kerry Thomas, and Mitchell Johnson next portrayed the Supremes and Temptations.

Mary Ellen Hill, Pat Courtney, Paul Wolf, and Ricky Swaringen presented a comedy dance and song number to "Raindrops Keep Fallin' On My

Yamaha Don and the Cycles next entertained with "Mustang Sally." Making up this group were Don Kimmer, Tom Wilson,

and Mike Kendrick. Portraying Moms Mabley, Carrie Davis conducted the talent presentations as the Mistress of Ceremony.

#### **Upperclassmen Feast**

Seniors got a sneak preview of the week after graduation at the Senior Banquet, April 25 at 7:00 p.m. The atmosphere of a beach party filled the school gymnasium.

Mr. H. T. Webb, Superintendent of City Schools delivered the invocation.

Tom Wilson, Senior Class

Next on the program, Danny

President, welcomed the stu-

Mr. Warren Hawkins, princi-

dents to the Beach Party.

pal, then gave a response.

Durham, class historian, reviewed the class' past accomplishments. Paul Wolf, giftorian remembered seniors with gifts appropriate to their reputation. Ernie Whitley presented the Last Will and Testament in which seniors leave something to an underclassman.

The Junior Waitresses then entertained the seniors with various acts.

Following this, Jane Garrison presented superlatives and Cathy Barger gave the class prophecy showing what the seniors will be doing in the future.



Tom Wilson, Senior Class President, exploits lowly sophomores during Senior Week activities.

## better citizens. Julie Goes Civitan

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Nominees

Strike Out

For State

selected David Carpenter, Shep

Russell, Ricky Carpenter, and

Doug Pinkston as candidates for

The event will take place on

Chosen on the basis of leader-

the Wake Forest campus in

ship, character, scholarship, and

service, these four youths will

gain true conception of the

ideals and objectives, the func-

tion and operation of govern-

ment. Each boy will play an

active role in the political parties

be presented by public officials,

faculty members, and leading

valuable aid and assistance while

Lectures and discussions will

These leaders will receive

The boys are looking forward

to a very enriching experience in

broadening their views of various

governmental functions and

weaknesses. They plan to apply

what they learn to become

organized at that time.

Legionnaires.

residing there.

Boys' State June 21-27.

Winston-Salem.

A faculty honors committee

Julie Deese will attend the Civitan Youth Conference on Human Relations, June 14-20, at Hendersonville, N. C. Julie, selected because of her

ability to participate in discussions and concern for the future, will participate in various discussion groups and special

There will be approximately 60 students from all over the state. One other student from the county will accompany

The local Civitan Club will sponsor Julie's trip.

The Columbia Scholastic Press Association notified The Full Moon Friday, April 24, of their being awarded Medalist rank in the National School Newspaper Competition with a score of 960 out of 1000.

The honor of Medalist is the highest of all awards. Second highest is first place which The Full Moon has received for the past five years.

ASHS journalism now ranks number one in the nation!