

Community News

Serving Boiling Springs, Flint Hill, Lavonia, Mt. Pleasant, Prospect, and Trinity

Flint Hill Community

by Ruby Ledbetter

Youth weekend will be held the 7th, 8th and 9th at Flint Hill Baptist Church. On Friday night, there will be a cookout and inspirational song service in church at 8 p.m. with Phil Sigmore. On Saturday there will be field day competition at Zion Baptist Church. On Sunday, the youth will help in all regular church activities.

The WMU Council will meet on August 5th and the Long Range Planning Committee will meet on August 6th.

Backyard Bible Clubs will meet with Ladell Shields on August 3-7 and with Gaynell Scruggs August 10-14.

Mr. and Mrs. Howard Wacaster and family have returned from a vacation.

Mr. and Mrs. Olen Ledbetter visited Mrs. Bolin at Honea Path, S.C. recently.

Flowers were put in the sanctuary to memorialize the birthday of Rex Ledbetter Sunday.

Mrs. Rex Ledbetter has returned from Gaston Memorial Hospital.

Mrs. Dan Ledbetter visited her mother, Mrs. A. Whitaker at the Baptist Hospital in Winston-Salem recently.

Mrs. Rose Goforth of Cliffside visited Mr. and Mrs. Melvin Wyatt last week.

Rev. and Mrs. Paul Crofts visited the Durham Ledbetters on Friday. Miss Wanda Goodman came for a visit also. Mrs. D.H. Connor returned to Maiden with the Crofts for a visit on Monday. Mrs. Tom Goodman and Ronnie came to the Ledbetters and Wanda returned to her home in Vale with them.

Prospect Community

by Mrs. Broadus McGinnis

Mrs. Vera Camp visited Wednesday with Mrs. Eula Suttles and James Camp.

Mike Hawkins and son, Michael of Charlotte spent Friday night with Mr. and Mrs. G.V. Scruggs. They, along with Mrs. Scruggs attended a ball game in Asheville on Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. D.R. Hamrick and granddaughters, Gigi and Kristina Moore of Kings Mountain, visited Thursday with Mrs. Broadus McGinnis.

Mr. and Mrs. Bill Bailey and Bryan Williams of Belmont were Monday dinner guests of Velma McCraw. Rev. and Mrs. Kenneth Brackney, Kenny and Angie, of Norfolk, Va. and Conway McCraw of Avondale visited Friday with Miss McCraw.

Rev. and Mrs. Roy Webb, Lesia and Tonya, spent last week in Wilmington with relatives.

Mr. and Mrs. Bobby Barnes and Mrs. Dennis Phillips and Tim spent from Saturday until Tuesday at Myrtle Beach.

Mr. and Mrs. Gill Barnes of Cherokee County visited Thursday night with Mr. and Mrs. Bobby Barnes.

Mrs. O.Z. Jones spent Saturday night with Mr. and Mrs. J.T. Jolley.

Miss Laura Jolley of Columbia spent from Sunday until Thursday with Mrs. Annie Jolley and Louise. Mrs. Molly Hoyle and Doyle Hoyle of Spindale visited them Sunday afternoon.

Madison McCraw and sisters had as Sunday visitors Mr. and Mrs. Jack Ruffelt and children, Mr. and Mrs. Barry Ruffelt and family and Mr. and Mrs. Gregg Sanders and children of Belmont.

Sunday visitors of Mr. and Mrs. Forrest Jones were Mr. and Mrs. William Clements and Tony of Spartanburg, Allan Jones of Una, S.C., Mrs. Lera Walkee and Mrs. Estelle Ruppe of Cliffside. Also visiting was Mr. and Mrs. Kenneth Jones of Henrietta.

Mr. and Mrs. John Compton spent from Friday until Sunday at Stoney Campground at the Cherokee Indian Reservation and Bryson City, Tenn.

Mr. and Mrs. C.T. Pace of Hendersonville visited Friday night with Nina and Pettus Mosteller and Mrs. Cecile Jolley. Mrs. Ollie McCraw ate supper Saturday with them. Other visitors were Mrs. Della Pearson and Mr. and Mrs. Bill Baber of Forest City.

Dr. and Mrs. Hamlet Lemaster of Gaffney visited Wednesday with Mr. and Mrs. I.L. Elmore.

Pam McCraw of Charlotte spent last week with Mr. and Mrs. Earl Scruggs.

Mrs. Gary Walker, Lori and Juli, of Cincinnati, Ohio, spent last week with Mr. and Mrs. D.B. Scruggs. Gary Walker joined them here for the weekend they are spending this week. Don Scruggs of Belmont is spending this week with his parents.

Mrs. Thomas McBrayer and son, John of Forest City visited Monday with her mother, Mrs. T.P. Wood.

Mr. and Mrs. William Howington of New London visited relatives in the community Wednesday. They also visited Mr. and Mrs. Joe Ledbetter on Saturday in Spartanburg.

Mr. and Mrs. David W. Ledbetter and Melissa of Concord spent Friday and Saturday here with their family.

Mr. and Mrs. Marvin Byars and family spent the week at Myrtle Beach, S.C.

Lavonia Community

by Linda Petty

Mr. and Mrs. Rusty Splawn and children of Forest City visited on Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Ernest McCraw.

The Bertha Smith circle met on Monday evening at the home of Mrs. Myrtle Spake.

Vacation Bible School has been in progress this week at Lavonia Baptist Church. Miss Dorothy McCraw served as director.

Mr. and Mrs. Elwyn McCraw visited on Tuesday with Mr. and Mrs. Johnnie Barteer in East Flat Rock, N.C.

Mrs. J.A. Barteer spent several days last week with Mr. and Mrs. McCraw.

Steve Peeler is a patient in Cleveland Memorial Hospital in Shelby. Mrs. Sandra Earls has returned home after spending several days in the hospital.

Dale Petty spent last week at Lake Hartwell, Georgia with Mr. and Mrs. Burl Turner and family.

Weekend visitors of Mrs. Janie McCraw were Mrs. Ruby Harris and Lisa from Cliffside.

Mrs. Ruby Harris and Lisa from Cliffside and Carol Jo Harris of New York visited on Wednesday evening with Mrs. Janie McCraw. Weekend visitors were Mrs. Alice Hames and Mrs. Grace Wall of Cliffside.

Mr. and Mrs. Mac Davis and family spent several days last week vacationing in Myrtle Beach.

Leslie and Lisa McCraw of Shelby were Sunday dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. Larry Petty and Richard.

Boiling Springs Community

by Louise Moore

Dr. Phillip Hamrick and daughter, Eileen, of Cary spent the week end with Mrs. Dorothy Edwards. They were Saturday evening dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. Hal B. Greene. They made from Raleigh especially to attend the Washburn reunion which was held on Sunday.

Mr. Bobbie Morehead of Gastonia visited with Mrs. Maude Burroughs over the weekend.

Mrs. Mac Greene has returned home after flying to Washington, D.C. to spend several days with her daughter and son-in-law, Gale and Bill Miline. Mrs. Greene reports lots of interesting sight seeing and a real good time.

Mrs. Jerry Bumgarner and Mrs. Trisha Atkins and children, Kelly and Amy, spent last Sunday in the North Carolina mountains.

Community sympathy is expressed to the family in the recent death of Eula Hattie Ledbetter of Wilksboro, formerly of Boiling Springs.

Mr. and Mrs. Larry McSwain and children and Mrs. Julia McSwain visited Mr. and Mrs. Roy White and children in Kings Mountain Tuesday night.

Mr. and Mrs. J.R. Greene spent their vacation this week in Gatlinburg, Tenn. and the North Carolina mountains.

Mt. Pleasant Community

by Betty Blanton

Mr. and Mrs. Jack Dawson spent Monday and Tuesday in Gatlinburg, Tenn. where they report seeing lots of people and enjoying the beauty of the mountains.

Mr. and Mrs. Homer Sarratt and Mr. and Mrs. Clayton Scruggs of Cliffside enjoyed a sight seeing trip to the "Fields of the Woods," Rock City and Opryland last week.

The youth held their meeting at the church on Tuesday evening with Mari Wiles, youth director, leading a discussion on "The Holy Spirit."

"Kid Power" which is the smaller children of our church, made a trip to Shelby Airport on Wednesday morning to see a plane. The group was accompanied by Mari Wiles and Mrs. David Brooks.

Mrs. Steven Goode, Amber and Andy, Mrs. Goode's mother, Mrs. Nancy Anthony, visited with Mr. and Mrs. Austin Anthony and Mrs. Herbert Blanton in Boiling Springs on Wednesday evening.

Due to inclement weather, grades 1-6 enjoyed games at the fellowship hall instead of an outing at Kings Mountain National Park on Thursday and the youth along with several other youth groups enjoyed a cookout on Thursday evening at the home of Mrs. Gaglia Richard in Fallston.

A retreat was held at Mars Hill College Friday for the youth and Mt. Pleasant's youth participated in it. A three mile hike, a movie entitled, "No Longer Alone," and a discussion by the campus minister, David Smith, were enjoyed. To close the day, a time for a tour of the Asheville Mall was also enjoyed. Mari Wiles and Mrs. John Hamrick accompanied the group.

Roy Ramsey and Mari Wiles attended the puppet workshop at the Kings Mountain Baptist Association Building in Shelby on Saturday afternoon. They report a very informative and interesting workshop.

Mr. and Mrs. Larry Hicks, Catherine and Elizbeth, took Mrs. Hicks' grandmother, Mrs. Mae Hopper, to Newport, Tenn. on Saturday. Mrs. Hopper had been visiting in the Hicks' home for two weeks and her home is in Danville, Kentucky.

Mr. and Mrs. Garland Jolley, Hazel Jolley, Debbis Hoyle, Mark Broadway, Mr. and Mrs. Steve Hawkins, Lesley and Wesley Hawkins, enjoyed vacationing last week at Cherry Grove Beach, S.C.

Angie Jenkins of Shelby was ten years old Sunday and she had a birthday party at Kate's Skating Rink in celebration of the occasion. A pretty birthday cake with lighted candles was cut and served with colos to the guests attending the party. Angie received many nice gifts. Her mother, Mrs. Jenny Jenkins of Shelby was hostess for the party and her grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. Buren Jolley of this community, were special guests.

Mr. and Mrs. Steve Goode, Amber and Andy, visited on Saturday evening with Mr. and Mrs. Gary Cooper and Adam and Mr. and Mrs. Frank Griffin, Jr., all of Shelby.

The children, grandchildren, and great grandchildren of the late Mr. and Mrs. Frank Hamrick, Sr. enjoyed their reunion at Mt. Pleasant Fellowship Hall on Sunday. This reunion is held every five years and it is interesting to see the new faces that are added each five years. Lots of food, fun and fellowship was enjoyed by the group. This family has placed the lovely flowers in the sanctuary in memory of Mr. and Mrs. Frank Hamrick, Sr.

Mr. Junie Scruggs and his granddaughter, Jennifer Scruggs of the Camps Creek Community, visited with Mr. and Mrs. Lewis Jolley on Sunday afternoon.

Sunday supper guests of Mr. and Mrs. Jack Dawson were Mr. and Mrs. A.Y. Morgan of Aiken, S.C. and Sharon Scruggs of Aiken, S.C.

The William Dellinger family of Statesville was the guests of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Shull Whitaker on Saturday.

Rev. and Mrs. Ronald McSwain and Esther are vacationing and in his absence, Rev. John Crupper conducted both services on Sunday.

Carole Jolley is pending this week with her aunt, Mrs. Shelia White in Greenville, S.C.

Boiling Springs Reports

Fire

A quiet week passed with no calls at the Boiling Springs Fire Department. Thursday night Don McSwain and three others represented the Town at the Cleveland County's Fireman Association meeting, and distributed clothing which had been donated by Boiling Springs residents for the victims of a July 18 trailer fire at Casar.

Police

2 August. A resident returned home to Varsity Square apartments after 9:30 p.m. and found the back window broken, the door open, and a stereo and cash missing. Police recorded the loss at \$956.00 and are actively investigating the case as a breaking and entering, larceny.

30 July. Vandals broke out a skylight at West Cleveland School Thursday night and caused an estimated \$400 damage. Police are investigating.

Rescue

The squad made three emergency housecalls this past week; they transported two patients to Crawley Memorial Hospital, one to Cleveland Memorial. Two other non-emergency transports were made. This week the squad traveled 139 miles, spent 17.5 hours on call, and another 156 hours on standby.

This Place, That Time

30 Years Ago Today

"Mr. and Mrs. Horace Hamrick and family of Cliffside spent the weekend in the mountains and attended the pageant 'Unto These Hills.'" " \$13.50 is all you need for us to deliver a brand new \$89.95 guaranteed Faultless Wringer Washer."

News item, advertisement, Shelby Daily Star, Aug. 6, 1951

10 Years Ago Today

"The Rev. Stanley Webb will be guest evangelist for revival services at Pleasant Ridge Baptist Church in Swainsville." "Apollo 15's three moon explorers streak home for a Saturday splashdown in the Pacific Ocean."

Shelby Daily Star, Aug. 6, 1971



The first talking cartoon movie was Walt Disney's "Steamboat Willie," released in September 1928.

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FLIGHT FACTS

Atlanta's Hartsfield International Airport terminal is the world's largest. It contains 2.2 million square feet of floor area.

The first jet airplane was built and flown by The Heinkel Company in Germany in 1939. The Germans also developed the first jet fighter in 1944.

The first solo, around-the-world flight was made by Wiley Post in 1933. The 15,596-mile flight took seven days, 18 hours, and 49 minutes.

There's only one commercial airport inside a U.S. national park. According to Figgie International's Scott Aviation division, it's at Yellowstone National Park in Jackson, Wyoming.

Is It The Shroud of Christ?

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