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Underclassmen!

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Baccalaureate, Graduation Highlights Seniors' Farewell

Faculty Club Gives Tea For Graduating Seniors

Junior homeroom teachers headed by Mrs. Kate Everhart. Miss Mary Furey, and Miss Peggy Joyner, junior class adviser, were in charge of a tea presented to graduating seniors by the faculty club May 18.

According to Mrs. Everhart, senior class colors of blue and gold were predominate in decorations at the Woman's College Alumnae House, site of the annual affair. Miss Estelle Mitchell, French teacher, was in charge of table arrangements and Mrs. Nellie Kate Blackburn, retired Dean of Students, made flower arrangements for the occasion. Miss Anne Moore made invitations, Miss Mary Ellen Blackmon was in charge of hospitality, including the receiving line. Mrs. Jean Newman and Miss Peggy Joyner were general hostesses, and Mr. S. L. Whitely, Mr. Robert Fredrickson, and Miss Lottie Burnside kept the kitchen in order and the tables filled.

Among those in the receiving line were Mrs. Eloise Keefer, president of the faculty club, senior class officers, Mr. and Mrs. A. P. Routh, Mr. and Mrs. Lody Glenn, Mr. and Mrs. Phillip Weaver, Dr. W. J. House, and Miss Jean Wood.



Commencement exercises June 9 at 8 p.m. in the boys' gymnasium will end the high school career of over 500 Greensboro Senior High School students.

Chancellor William B. Aycock of the University of North Carolina is the principal speaker for the event. The graduates will receive their diplomas from Mr. A. P. Routh, Senior High principal and Mr. P. J. Weaver, superintendent of schools. Mr. W. K. Hunter, Greensboro school board chairman, will give each senior a miniature diploma for his wallet.

Dr. Chas. P. Bowles will give the invocation for the service while Dr. R. M. Jones will pronounce the benediction. During the exercises the Best-All-Round superlatives will be announced as well as the valedictorian and salutatorian. The Senior High choir will provide the music for the occasion.

The graduation formalities began with the installation for new school officers May 10. Following their farewell addresses, Carol Smith, 1960 student body president, and Dick Bowen, senior class president, and Suzye McNeely, vice president of the student body, received standing ovations from the entire assembly.

Seniors were honored by the faculty at the traditional senior tea at WC Alumna House, May 18.

Mr. P. J. Weaver addressed the assembled students before the annual presentation of awards May 24.

Class day was presented yesterday in the auditorium at 9 a.m. The theme for the 1960 Class Day was "Senior Showboat", and Dickie Bowen was general student chairman. Geanie Black served as student director with faculty adviser Miss Mozelle Causey. Jeanie Deese Bill Seabrook, Chuck MacDonald, Smith Goodrum, Wade Gresham, Sue Wade, and Geanie Black helped to prepare the script.

Bob Dixon, Janie Leigh Wall and Skip Jones handled the musical part of the program. Skip ar-

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Mr Routh MC's Awards Day Program; About 140 Students Receive Recognition

About 140 seniors received recognition at the annual awards day assembly presided over by Mr. A. P. Routh, principal, May 24.

Music awards were first on the docket after a short speech by Mr. P. J. Weaver, City School Superintendent. Mr. Kimball Harriman, orchestra leader, presented the Harriman Trophy to Arthur Springer, the Robert G. Roxxler Cup to Dave Williams, the Brady Miller Cup to Julie Pinson and the Briety-Hazelman Cup to Jack Nelson. Judy Routh, a member of choir, was the recipient of the Woman's Club Music Award. Several members of the orchestra received awards of merit for their outstanding contributions to the music department.

The Civitan Clubs of Greensboro, whose motto is "Builders of Good Citizenship," presented their best Citizen's Award to Carol Smith, president of Senior. Susan Wade won a cup and \$25 from the Civitans for her prize-winning essay on Citizenship and Jewel Williams, \$15 for second place in the contest.

The Whirlie Boosters Club presented awards to six outstanding athletes: swimmers Karen Hill, Christina Stewart, Carolyn Brown, and Frances McNairy and basketball players Jackie Farrington and Nancy Crabtree.

Mr. Routh presented several Journalism awards. Geanie Black and Jean Ellen Jones were selected by the High Life staff as the most valuable staff member and the most outstanding senior respectively. Charles Jernigan received the Most Valuable Member Award and Jeanie Deese, the Best Writer Award from Quill and Scroll.

Pat Adams, winner of the General Mills Homemaker Contest, was given the home economics Frances Jenkins Award by Miss

Mary Price. Sears Roebuck and Company sponsored six awards to skilled home economics students. Brenda Reese and Linda Pegram third year students; Sue Albright and Dianna Taylor, second year students; and Sara Welch and Linda Simpson, first year students were recognized for the Sears awards.

Miss Mozelle Causey, speech teacher, presented the Playmasters Award to Christina Stewart, the Debating Cup to Dick Haskell and Mary Radcliffe, and recognized Jimmy Freedman for winning the United Nations speech contest which enabled him to attend the United National Pilgrimage in New York.

Eleven students received vocational awards. Susan Moffitt won a \$100 secretarial scholarship. Sandra Jett was determined the best typist and Linda Crouse, the most outstanding business student. Joyce Peeples was given recognition for her work in business education, Joseph Shoffner in machine shop, Dan Hughes, in mechanical drawing, Frankie Bibus in printing, Jerry Wayne Clemeney in woodwork, Lou Ellen Hart in D. E., Susan DeSantis in D. O. office, and Iris Morton in D. O. trades.

The \$200 Torchlight scholarship went to Sherry Mullins, the \$300 Junior Jaycee scholarship, to Percy Leonard; and the five \$200 Sears grants went to Yvonne Kincaid, Suzye McNeely, Sammy McNairy, Joye Payne, and Al Walke. Sammy also won the Mathematics Award. Arthur Springer was recognized for winning first place in the state math contest. Vera LeCraw, Jim Perry, and Tara Dinkle are recipients of National Merit Scholarships. Diana Charles won a \$100 renewable Medical Auxiliary Nursing Scholarship. Mr. Routh pointed out in assembly

that a conservative estimate of \$42,500 had already been granted to GHS students to further their education.

Sherry Kellett and Roger Lewis sophomores, and Pam Pfaff and Don Grimes, juniors received recognition for having the highest averages in their respective classes. The P-T-A sponsored the awards.

Pam and Don also received the Junior Classical League Award and Pam, the Dr. Charles C. Jernigan Award. The third year Spanish student with the highest average was Meredith McNeill. Charles Thompson was awarded the French Medal by Miss Estelle Mitchell French teacher.

Herb Stout was presented with the first Key Club Sandy Nininger Award for making the best possible use of his opportunities.

During the program Shirley Sampson, Lucy O'Brien, Carolyn

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Lockers To Contain New Built-in Locks

New lockers with built-in locks will be installed on the first floors of the main and science buildings, stated Mr. "Jabbo" Johnson, school store manager.

Students who wish to reserve lockers for next year should give their names to Mr. Johnson and pay the locker deposit before school ends. Combinations to the lockers will be given next year.

29 Senior Students Report Receiving Of Scholarships

Approximately 29 GHS seniors as of Tuesday, May 24, have turned in blanks to the guidance center specifying that they are recipients of scholarships.

Four girls were named winners of various music scholarships. They are Brenda Coltrane, 4 year renewable, \$700 music scholarship to the Conservatory of Cincinnati; Martha Gibbs, 1 or 2 year, \$200

music scholarship to Brevard; Jeannie Littlejohn, 1 year, \$150 scholarship to Woman's College; and Judy Edwards, 4 year renewable scholarship, worth \$200.

Five students plan to attend Duke University on their scholarships. They are Bob Jamieson Jr., two 4 year, \$4,000 scholarships; Jim Perry, 4 year, \$7,000 NROTC scholarship; Corby Rouse, Jerry Sawers, and Larry Sawers received grants-in-aid to Duke. Corby's is a \$750, 4 year grant; while the Sawers' grants are \$425, 4 year ones.

Other Four Year Scholarships

In addition to those mentioned above, nine other seniors received 4 year scholarships. They are Sammy McNairy, \$150 renewable scholarship to Carolina; Tommy Cribbin, NROTC scholarship for tuition and books to Carolina; Page Acree, \$4,000 scholarship to Furman; Bob Foster, \$300 scholarship to Guilford; Johnny Sink, \$350 renewable scholarship to Davidson; Arthur Springer, \$500 renewable scholarship to State; and Keith Robbins, \$5,500 scholarship to the United States Air Force Academy. Two girls are planning to attend Woman's College on their 4 year scholarships. They are Jewel Williams, \$100, and

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Summer School To Start June 13 And End July 20

Summer school is scheduled to begin Monday, June 13, and end Wednesday, July 20.

The purpose of summer school is to give students an opportunity to make up work, to strengthen themselves by taking extra work and to get certain enrichment courses that they may not have time to get during the regular session.

Any high school subject for which as many as five students register will be offered. A fee of \$20 per subject will be charged, or \$35 for two subjects. This fee is payable on the day of registration, Monday, June 13, at 9 a.m.

in the auditorium.

Two subjects will be the maximum allowed any student. Any student who successfully passes the work taken will receive credit but no credit will be given on work if a student has more than one unexcused absence or more than two unexcused tardies.

The school will operate six days per week, and the hours will be from eight o'clock until one. Each subject will have a two and one-half hour period. Monday, July 4 will be a holiday.

The faculty will be chosen from the teachers now teaching at Senior High School.