

Teenage Carnival Now Here

The annual Teenage Carnival is now underway. The dates for the carnival are from April 23 to April 27. On weekdays, it will be open from 4 p.m. until 11 p.m. and on weekends from 12 noon - 12 midnight.

The Coliseum parking lot is the site chosen for this year's event. Approximately 30 clubs will have booths featuring contests and games. Everyone

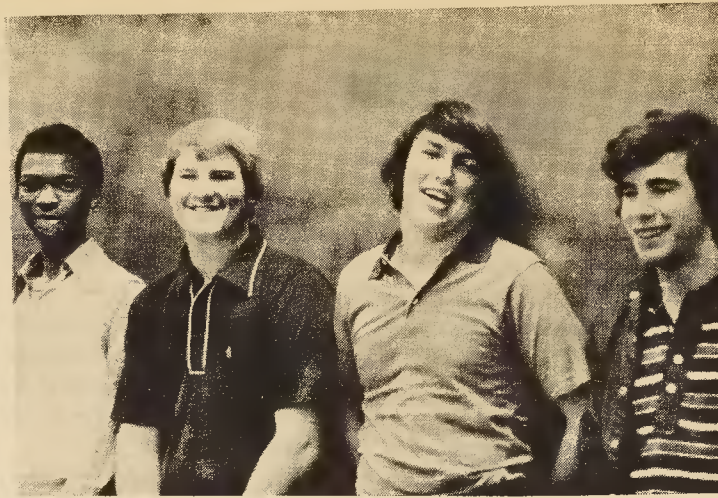
will receive a prize whether he wins or loses. There will also be a candy booth and a Souvenir Booth selling carnival T-shirts, stuffed animals, and "surprise" bags.

Childress Amusements Co. is supplying the many rides and amusements this year. A "Battle of the Bands" will be taking place during the carnival. Groups such as the school Stage Bands, Gospel Singers, bluegrass bands, and

rock bands will compete for prizes. The Exhibit Hall is being used to display nearly 100 different exhibits.

The Carnival, which is put on every year by the Greensboro Youth Council has a staff of about 300. Preparations headed by Chairman Bobby Wainer, have been underway for three months.

The closing date is Sunday, April 27 at 6:00 p.m.



Award Winners: Spruill, Tutterow, Alston, and Pearlman

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GCS Improves Channels

So far this year Grimsley has had 13 communications' meetings. The last one will be on May 1.

Topics such as School Beautiful, exams, curriculum, and the media center have been used to open channels for communication between students, teachers, and administrators.

Besides improving communication, the program was

designed to help students understand the city school system and the constraints under which it works. "To help students be more responsible for their education

-- that is the ultimate goal," said Mr. Glenn.

Any change in the communications' system for next year must be initiated by student input. Suggestions for ways in which the program might differ in the 1975-'76 school year should be given to a hub member or a group leader.

Because Grimsley was the first secondary school in the nation to adopt the program, Dave Bell Associates came to Grimsley to make a documentary film. This film is now in the final stages of production.

Russell, Hall Award Winners In Regionals

The Grimsley Drama Department entered two plays in the Theatric Carolina Dramatic Association's regional competition in Charlotte in March.

The two plays entered were **The Octogenerian** which received a rating of excellence and qualified for the state competition. **Some of My Best Friends are Smiths** received a distinguished rating. **The Octogenerian** also won two Theater Arts' Awards for Costuming and Set.

Susan Russell and Bernie Hall won awards for individual excellence in the play. **Some of My Best Friends are Smiths**.

In the state competition at Chapel Hill, **The Octogenerian** received a distinguished rating.

Members of the cast of **The Octogenerian** were Scott Harkins, Mike Hyman, Lori Bailey, Susan Cashion, Bonny Hill, Debi Hawkins, Nayasha Murphee, Susan Russell, June Lee Simmons, Lars Erikson, Greg Hall, Alan Kaplan, Andy Nance, and Greg Trask. Bryant Cockrum was the stage manager, and Mr. Michael Parrish directed the play. Cast members of **Some of My Best Friends are Smiths** included Ann Smallwood, Susan Russell, Tama Murco, Bernie Hall, and Adrian Widemon. Stage manger was Russ White. The directors were Karen Ross and Mr. Parrish.

On March 30 students from Grimsley, Ragsdale, and Dudley make a four-day trip to New York. The group of 76 took in three plays and were given a tour of the backstage of Radio Music Hall.

News Briefs

Congratulations to Mr. Charles R. Hill, Jr. who married the former Rebecca Kearns on March 29.

Welcome back to history, Mrs. Gayle Lackey.

The Bike-a-thon will be held on May 3 (rain date May 17) for the benefit of crippled and burned children and emphysema research.

The Betty Crocker Award for Grimsley was won by Karen Austin.

The Summer Scholars' Programs, sponsored by Guilford College, Bennett College, and Greensboro College, will award 30 scholarships for regular college summer school from June 23 until July 26. Applications should be given to the Director of Admissions at Guilford College by May 1.

Congratulations to Cliff Flynn for being named the GYC Student of the Month for April.

Congratulations to Mrs. Bonnie Weddington, who gave birth to a baby girl on March 22.

Applications for taking the SAT's June 28 must be mailed in by May 15.

HIGH LIFE won a Second Class Rating with a high Mark of Distinction for Excellence in Editorial Leadership from the National Scholastic Press Assn. for first semester's issues.

The Junior class fund-raising project, a yard sale, will be Saturday, May 3, at the girls' gym.

Alston Gains Morehead; Other Students Take Honors

Interviewing a Morehead scholar is a rare experience -- there are not that many of them. However, Grimsley can boast one this year, Chuck Alston.

The process began one year ago when a special committee headed by Mrs. Moody and Mr. Glenn nominated six Grimsley students for this scholarship. The screening commenced as each of the Grimsley hopefuls were interviewed here at school by two local representatives from the University of North Carolina at Chapel Hill.

The first cuts were then made. Next, those survivors were interviewed again, this time at the Hilton. It was then on to Chapel Hill for a four-day interview and a chance to become acquainted with the campus. On the basis

of this last screening process, final decisions were made.

Chuck is one of 62 high school seniors to receive this \$10,000 scholarship to UNC. Qualities considered were academic standing, character, leadership, physical vigor, and ambition. Activities which helped Chuck win this scholarship include his being President of the Junior Exchange Club, co-captain of the varsity football team, and a member of the All-State band.

Wesley Spruill of Grimsley was recently chosen to be the recipient of the local Soroptimist Citizenship Award. The Soroptimist Club is an organization for professional and executive business women comprised of almost 1,000 clubs with a member-

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Dunnavant Wins Pageant

Neil Dunnavant was chosen as the top male in the second annual Womanless Beauty Pageant held on April 10.

Dunnavant displayed a unique cheering talent and a most definitive answer to the question "What is your goal in life? -- while on his way to taking the coveted crown.

The Congeniality Award, for the person who worked the hardest and got along the best with the other contestants, was given to Michael J. Klein.

Twelve other "beauties" tried for the title of Mr. Grimsley. These young "love-lies" included Edwin Battle, first runner-up; Bill Silkworth,

second runner-up; Tom Essa, third runner-up; Randy Severs, fourth runner-up; Avery Cooke; Chuck Alston; Alan Gillespie; David Edgerton; Rick Lebaube; Nathan Sikes; Richard Biler; and Alan Kaplan.

The evening started with the parade of stars, in which each contestant gave his name, class, and sponsor. The bathing suit competition took place after the parade. Then the 10 semi-finalists were chosen.

Talent competition began soon after with talent acts ranging from a tuba duet, with Chuck Alston and Alan Gillespie, to a jumprope

exhibition with flippers, performed by Richard Biler. Other talents included singing and the playing of different instruments.

The evening ended with a farewell walk by the reigning Mr. "G," David Kennett, and the crowning of the new king.

Between acts various commercials were performed along with a couple of songs by Bill Warlick, Jerry Swartzberg, and Randy Reeves.

Bob Howerton, chairman of the senior class and head of this project, reports a huge success with a profit of more than \$430.



Beauty Pageant finalists: Dunnavant, Battle, Essa, Silkworth, and Severs.