



# HIGH LIFE

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## Student Council

### Essa, Spruill Elected Class Presidents

By Shandon Bates

Junior and sophomore student council representatives were chosen by homeroom voting on September 21.

Chosen as Junior class representatives were Carol Essa, Glen Gorham, Kelly Ferrell, Cynthia Rankin, and Sandy Sillmon. The sophomores elected were Lynn Leonard, Devon Spaulding, Julie Hollander, Ronald Spruill, and Becky Sillmon.

These elected representatives met October 5 to establish council positions. The Council's junior members chose Carol Essa as Class Chairman; Glen Gorham, YRC Representative; Sandy Sillmon, Pep Board Representative; Cynthia Rankin, Student Affairs Representative; and Kelly Ferrell, Council Secretary. The sophomores chose Ronald

Spruill as Class Chairman; Becky Sillmon, Pep Board Representative; Devon Spaulding, YRC Representative; Julie Hollander, Student Affairs Representative; and Lynn Leonard Treasurer.

The Class Chairman is in charge of taking the Council's business to the homeroom presidents, and is also in charge of a class project to raise money for the pictures in the annual and to pay for the class gift. Student Affairs representatives are in charge of public relations work such as the presentation of Thanksgiving dinner to Grimsley's janitorial staff and the annual visitation to the pediatrics ward at one of the two local hospitals and distributing candy there during Christmas holidays. Pep Board representatives are in

charge of building school spirit by sponsoring Spirit Days and planning pep rallies. The Youth Recreation Committee representatives (YRC) are in charge of dances and other entertainment such as the Homecoming festivities. The Council Secretary takes notes at meetings, and the Treasurer is in charge of monetary sums from fund raisers.



Members of Grimsley's Executive Council listen intently during the meeting on October 17. [Long photo]

### Frederick, Robbins Start Year

By Jennifer Enright

Pauline Frederick and Charles Robbins were this year's first Get Set program speakers on Tuesday, October 2 at the Carolina Theater. The lecture, which began at 10:00 a.m., was attended by approximately 1000 interested students from the four city high schools.

Ms. Frederick, an award-winning commentator, and Mr. Robbins, an energy consultant, began the day with a press conference at Weaver Center, conducted by student newspaper editors. After the press conference, the husband-wife team proceeded to the Carolina Theater, where they lectured on the topic "The Human Race vs. the Arms Race."

Frederick, an international affairs analyst for National Public Radio, was the main lecturer. Robbins, an expert in the field of energy followed, because according to Ms. Frederick, "... he always has the last word in our house."

Mr. Robbins spoke on the uses of nuclear energy and other energy sources opposed to fuel.

At the end of the presentation, the speakers received questions from the audience.

Get Set is a program sponsored by SSBAG.

### Litter Week

Governor Jim Hunt has declared the week of October 15-20 Clean Up Litter Week.

Litter destroys and costs the state tax payers in excess of one million dollars a year.

Hunt encourages all students to participate in the program.

Looking toward Clean Up Week, a number of Young Life members participated in a Grimsley campus clean-up during the October 9 teacher workday.

### SSBAG

Grimsley's SSBAG members attended an orientation meeting at the Administration Building on September 28 at 10:00 a.m.

Mrs. Joanne Bluethen-

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thal, a member of the Greensboro City School Board, presided over the meeting. Speakers who introduced the SSBAG members to the program were Mr. Jim Betts, Dr. Kenneth Newbold, Mr. Mel Swann, and Mr. Mike Renn. SSBAG members from Grimsley are Ken Anderson, Jon Albright, Carl Winfield, Lydia Harris, Jenny Enright, Wayne Moore, Mike Sher-

rill, Carol Essa, and Ronald Spruill.

### Junior Miss

On September 22, the Greensboro Junior Miss Program was held in Odell Auditorium at Greensboro College.

Theresa Wilcox, a senior at Northeast High School, won the competition, receiving a five-hundred-dollar

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### Juniors Take Test

By Bryan Smith

Juniors and seniors in Greensboro's four city high schools who had not taken or passed North Carolina's Competency Test received their opportunity on October 11 and 12.

The purpose of the Competency Test is to determine if the students have achieved certain basic skills in high school. In order for a student

to receive a diploma, he must pass the Competency Test.

The test was brought about by the North Carolina General Assembly as a response to the national concern over the value of a high school diploma. The test was designed by the Competency Test Commission to accurately measure basic skills and be fair to all students.

### Homecoming 1979

By Shandon Bates

"A Long and Winding Road" is the theme for this year's Homecoming festivities. The crowning of the Homecoming Queen, the dance, and football game with High Point Andrews will take place on Friday night, October 26.

The following girls have been elected to the 1979-80 Homecoming Court: Robin Benton, Cameron Clegg, Jo Ann Engle, Susan Flannagan, Ay Frazier, Wendy Ford, Rosalyn Gibson, Genia Hunt, Jane Moffitt, Jean Moffitt, Regina Newell, Kim Paul, Pam Rice, Lisa Tagert, Kitten Worthy. The Court

was presented to the student body at the October 12 pep rally.

This year's dance will be from 10:00 p.m. until 1:00 a.m. The extended time is to accommodate the football players who plan to attend the dance. In the past the dance has been held the Saturday night following the game. The band this year is Spirit, a group that played for the Governor's School earlier this year.

Service club presidents met with Mike Sherill to decide on their club project for Homecoming. A trophy will be presented at the

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This year's Homecoming Court: [row 1] Robin Benton, Amy Frazier, Susan Flannagan, Kim Paul, Jane Moffitt, Pam Rice. [Row 2] Lisa Tagert, Jo Ann Engle, Cameron Clegg, Jean Joffitt, Eugenia Hunt. Some members of the Court were absent for this picture. [Long photo]