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Couples dance, talk, mingle at the Grimsley Prom held May 14 at the Bryan Park Enrichment Center. For more photos and a story, see Page 4. (Carver Photos)



## Senior Tea Honors Graduates

On May 26, from five to six p.m., the faculty representatives and student leaders will once again honor the seniors at the Alumni House of UNC-G with the traditional Senior Tea.

The Senior Tea, an established tradition at Grimsley, started approximately thirty-five years ago when the Grimsley faculty assembled with the senior class to offer their congratulations and to wish them luck. The Senior Tea is still held in the Alumni House at UNC-G and remains the only high school in North Carolina to honor its seniors this way.

According to Mrs. Lillian Sutton, chairperson of this year's tea, "It is the faculty's way of saying 'Thank you' and 'congratulations' to outgoing seniors."

The tea, a formal afternoon affair, is complete with a receiving line and music from the school orchestra.

## Student Elections Held

After the elections assembly on Monday, May 3, students returned to homeroom to vote on officers for 1982-1983.

Elected were the following: Student Body President, Erik Albright; Vice-Pres-

## Attendance, Discipline, Consequences

### Policy Changes: System-Wide

Beware, rising seniors and juniors! A new and stricter attendance and discipline policy is headed your way for school year 1982-1983.

A school committee is now meeting regularly to make recommendations regarding attendance. This committee consists of the following randomly picked faculty members: Mr. McKinney, Mr. Smith, Mr. Knox, Mrs. Crisp, Mrs. Simons, Mrs.

Williams, and Mrs. Chapman, the chairperson. The recommendations will be turned over to GHS principal Dr. Bonny Baur, who will then try to fit them into a whole new policy involving not only attendance, but "discipline and consequences" as well.

Assistant Principal Mr. James Whites will be GHS representative in the system-wide committee, of which

Mr. Bennie Higgins, Smith High School principal, is chairman.

Baur emphasizes that one purpose for these changes is to make the rules consistent throughout the system.

Therefore, a student from Page caught with alcohol on campus would get the same punishment as would a student from Grimsley for the same offense.

It is also true, Baur adds, that some teachers feel the present "attendance policy is too lenient." She states that "Some teachers have a philosophical problem with unexcused absences"; that is, they believe no absence should be unexcused.

Even though Baur believes students ought to

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## Whirlie Happenings

### Scholarships

William McClamrock, a GHS senior, is a winner in the National Merit Scholarship Contest. McClamrock will attend Georgia Tech.

### Music

As the school year comes to a close, the GHS music department held their year-end concerts. The final band concert was held Thursday, May 13, while the orchestra performed on Thursday, May 20. The choral department's final show was Sunday, May 23, and featured performances by three choirs, a chicken dinner, and a variety show.

Unfortunately, the Senior

Class had to postpone the Whirlie Jam, scheduled for Sunday, May 9. Another date has not been set.

### Roland Wins VICA Contest

Randy Roland, GHS senior, was awarded first place honors in Graphics Communication at the state VICA contest.

The contest for Vocational Clubs of America was held in April at Central Piedmont Community College in Charlotte, N.C.

Roland, a second-year graphics student at Weaver Center, participated with

other students from all over the state in areas of layout, paste up, stripping, and press work.

He is now qualified to complete in the national VICA contest to be held in late June in Louisville, Kentucky.

### Flags!

In the April issue of High Life, the flag pictured is identified as being donated by Congressman Eugene Johnston. It should be noted also, that Grimsley's own Ser-Teen Club has purchased two flags for the GHS campus.



Despite being temporarily spoiled by vandals, the finished Whirlie Country sign attests to the spirit at Grimsley (Sophomore Class Project; Hamilton Photo)