

# Class of 69 To Graduate

Graduation week at RHS began Sunday with the Baccalaureate sermon which was held in Rocket Stadium at 8 p.m.

The Rev. W. F. West, Jr. spoke to the 245 graduating RHS seniors.

Mr. West is a 1939 graduate of RHS. He was salutiferian of his class and also editor of the high school paper in his senior year.

He was ordained to the ministry at Roxboro Baptist Church in June 1945. He now has a church at Hartwell, Georgia, where he is residing.

Graduation exercises are scheduled for tonight at 8 p.m.

in the school stadium. In case of rain the services will be moved to the gym.

Mr. R. P. Burns, also a graduate of RHS, will give the graduation address.

He is an associate professor of architecture and head of the Department of Architecture at N. C. State University.

Mrs. Doris Delp, senior class sponsor, and Mrs. Annie Belle Duncan of the RHS faculty are responsible for planning and supervising the graduation events at RHS.

Miss Gertrude Holt supervised the selection and activities of the class marshals.



Senior Class President Brooks Langston exemplifies the Senior spirit of '69 by staying on the top of things.

# Summer School Begins June 9 To End July 18

Summer school will be held at RHS this summer from June 9 through July 18.

If a student enrolls he must attend the full 30 days. Make-up classes will be held five days a week, for 30 days and will last two and a half hours a day. If a student failed both semesters, class will be for 30 full days, five hours a day and 5 days a week.

A tuition of \$30 is charged for make-up subjects, and \$50 for a new subject. Classes will function from 7 a.m. to 12 noon. Also 2½ hour classes from 7:30 to 9:00 a.m.



Mrs. Delp, one of the Senior sponsors, deserves a big hand for all the work she has done toward graduation.

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## Seniors Win Scholarships

It's time for seniors to think about going to college, but many have already started. These people applied for scholarships several months ago. Some didn't win, some did, and others are still competing.

Jimmy Wade has won a \$1550 scholarship from Duke. He also won the Hankins scholarship from Wake Forest for \$500, and a University scholarship to UNC-Chapel

Hill for \$300.

Beth Hester won from Greensboro College an honor scholarship for \$500.

Ginger Dunkley won a \$2250 grant and loan from Duke. She also won a State Teachers scholarship and the Mary Ann Smith scholarship to UNC at Chapel Hill.

The Whitaker scholarship from Duke for \$3300, a General Motors scholarship for \$1500 to State all belong to Marvin Branscome. Marvin has also won the Competitive Freshman scholarship to Columbia University.

Eddie Oakley has a \$1200 University Distinguished Scholars scholarship to Carolina.

A Veteran's scholarship goes to Carolyn Hall.

Wayne Lunsford goes to Davidson with a \$2550 scholarship. He got a \$1200 scholarship to Carolina also.

Ray Woody has a \$850 scholarship to North Carolina State. Vicki

Denny has also won a scholarship to N. C. State.

Bobbie Brandon was the local Betty Crocker Contest winner. Kathie Overby and Gary Hall also won local scholarships. Kathie won the Roxboro Womens Club scholarship and Gary won the Roxboro Indian Head scholarship.

Donna Garrett and Foster Massey won a state Teachers scholarship. Benard Pulliam won a \$1200 scholarship to A&T. Jean Dunn will go to Appalachian with a \$1000 scholarship and aid work loan.

Janice Jones got \$200 from the Durham Alumnae Chapter of Delta Sigma Theta Sorority.

Sarah Garah won a \$1600 scholarship from Wake Forest and Billy Yoder won a \$1500 scholarship to UNC at Chapel Hill.

"The March of Dimes scholarship will be announced at graduation," stated Mrs. Harris, RHS guidance counselor.

## Core Group To Meet In Summer To Plan Guides For Next Year

Meetings began last month for the 1969-1970 — Core Committee under the supervision of Core Committee Chairman Tommy Holt. The Core Committee will be in charge of all school activities and act as temporary student council during the summer and the first six weeks of the next school year.

During the summer the Core Committee will undertake such projects as orientation booklets for sophomores, revision of Student Council constitution, guides for the beginning of school, teacher's tea before school and co-ordinating activities between schools.

The RHS Corp Committee is

composed of sophomores — Sarah Holeman, Kenneth Clayton, juniors — Sandy Cates, Nita Oakley and seniors — Betty Duncan, Keith Rogers, and Frances Hicks all from Helena High.

Members from Person County High include sophomores — Kathy Bradsher, Linda Jackson, juniors — Raymond Perry, Theresa Little and seniors — Patricia Spencer, Gwen Burton and Gale Dickens.

Members from Roxboro High include — sophomores — John Pollock, Connee Carver, juniors — Genie Rogers, Tom Fitzgerald, seniors — Shelby Wiley, Cindy Woody and Tommy Holt.

## RHS Band To Travel To Myrtle Beach Will Take Part In Sun Fun Festival

The Roxboro High School Band, under the direction of Mr. Mike Cannon, travels to Myrtle Beach, South Carolina on June 5 to participate in the Sun-Fun Festival.

The 52-member band shall leave Roxboro on June 5, and return on June 8. On June 6 they are to be judged in marching competition and on the 7th will be judged in concert competition.

The Sun-Fun Festival is an annual event for Myrtle Beach. Bands from all the East Coast arrive for the event.

This will be the first time the RHS Band has traveled to this event. Also, it will be only the

second time they have participated in marching competition. (The first time was in Vinton where they marched away with 2nd place in the top division.)

"Bandology" will be played in marching competition. At the concert, they shall play "Chorale For Band," "Bandology," "Sonations for Band," "Two Pieces in Folksong Style," and "Ceremony for Winds."

The trip will cost approximately \$2500. In the hopes that no individual would have to bare the money burden, the members have sponsored bake sales, a sock hop and a car wash. They have also received donations from several local organizations and individuals.



Student Council President, Marvin Branscome caught in his daily act of making announcements. This young man deserves a lot of credit for his all-round leadership.