

ECU honor students

GREENVILLE — Students earning academic honors at East Carolina University during the fall represent 87 of the state's counties, 26 states and the District of Columbia, and 18 foreign countries.

A total of 2,713 ECU students earned places on the university's official honors list for the semester.

Most elite of the honors is all A's. Those making the Dean's List have earned a B plus average with no grade below C. The Honor Roll includes students with a B average and no grade below C.

Area students named were as follows:

All A's

Marvin Carroll Baccus, Edenton; Karen Deneen Roberts, Edenton; and Elizabeth Porcher Tompkins, Windsor.

Dean's List

Karen Webb Keeter, Edenton; Sara Patrick Kelly, Edenton; Ginger Ellen Ober, Edenton; Malcolm Ray Phelps, Windsor; Carla Ann Rascoe, Windsor; Stephanie Dawn Robertson, Colerain; Frances D. Wadsworth,

Lewiston; Karen Denise White, Powellsville.

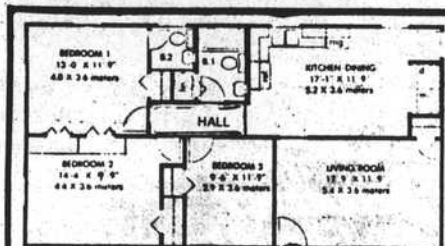
Honor Roll

Oneida Ruth Boyce, Tyner; Sarah Arlene Evans, Edenton; Patricia Hart Flanagan, Edenton; Sabrina Kaye Garrett, Edenton; Aubrey Allen Harrell, Hobbville; David Walter Hibbard, Edenton; Marion DuBose Jones, Edenton; Marla Louise Jordan, Edenton; Juliana Rost Nordale, Edenton; Carey Wayne Parker, Edenton; Penny Carole Peele, Edenton; Shelle Lee Stryker, Edenton; Susan Renee Perry, Windsor; Phyllis Yolander Portie, Merry Hill; Emily Joyner Rascoe, Windsor; Judy Carol Thompson, Windsor; and Mary Charles Ward, Windsor.

Democratic meeting scheduled

The Center Hill Democratic Precinct will meet at 8:00 p.m., March 13, at the Center Hill - Crossroads Fire Department.

Helen Hollowell, precinct chairman, urges all precinct members to be present.



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COOKER— Eddie Rountree, Edenton Band Parent (left) and Otis Strother, Band Director, are shown with a gas fired cooker that will be raffled to help pay for a trip to Washington, D.C. and for band camp expenses next summer. The cooker, with deep fat fryer capability, was built at the Washington County unit of the N.C. Dept. of Corrections with assistance from Beaufort Community College. Tickets for the raffle are available through March from any band parent or student.

Come For Our Travel Party

Cardinal Travel Service invites you to join us at Edenton Bake Shop in Gaslight Square in Edenton on March 12, 1986 at 2:30. We'd like to get to know you and share with you our escorted tour program for 1986... Plan to join Jewell and Rozann for coffee. If you can't come, but would like to be on our mailing list, call or write our office.

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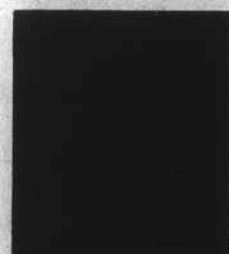
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The Mailbag

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Since show-case space is limited, such exhibits as the present one cannot be all-inclusive. There is one distinguished American I should like to see included in any recognition of Black Americans. This is Dr. Charles Drew, a physician whose pioneering work made possible the preservation of blood plasma and the establishment of blood banks.

Charles Drew did his undergraduate work at Amherst College in Massachusetts, where he was a top scholar, football star, and captain of the track team. He studied medicine at McGill University Medical School, and stayed in Montreal for his internship and residency programs. He returned to the States to teach at Howard University College of Medicine, and in 1938 received a Rockefeller Fellowship for graduate work at Columbia University's College of Physicians and Surgeons in New York. His dissertation, entitled "Banked Blood: A Study of Blood Preservation", introduced the principle of storing plasma rather than whole blood.

In 1940, with the Nazi blitz of London in full blast, Dr. Drew was called upon to head the "Blood for Britain" project, in which he succeeded in solving the many problems involved in producing and storing blood plasma on a massive scale. In 1941 he became the first director of a new U.S. program to collect and store blood plasma for the armed forces. Ironically, the Military established a policy that non-Caucasian blood would be unacceptable for U.S. fighting men, and Dr. Drew resigned to protest this affront to his race and to medicine in general. The ultimate irony occurred in 1950, when he was badly injured in a car accident near Greensboro, N.C. while travelling to a medical meeting in Alabama. He was taken to a segregated hospital which had no blood plasma that might have saved his life. Dr. Drew's work resulted in

saving many thousands of lives in World War II, and countless thousands since then. It was highly appropriate that in 1981 Dr. Drew was the subject of a commemorative stamp in the U.S. Postal Department's Great Americans Series. He was truly one of the greats of American Medicine.

N.B. Bullard
Edenton, N.C.

Quilt Lovers

Dear Sir:

On behalf of the Quilt Lovers Guild, I would like to thank the people of Pasquotank, Perquimans, Chowan, Dare, Gates, and Currituck counties for a most successful Quilt Documentation Day on February 22nd.

The coverage we received in your paper really reached the multitudes and resulted in a record breaking day. I think we can call the whole seven counties "Quilt Lovers." This is a very rich area to have so many beautiful quilts and so many people who value them.

It was truly a feast for the eye and at times a lump in the throat when we felt the story and histories unfold before us. We were overwhelmed at the turnout. As more than 150 people learned, we had to stop taking quilts to process them. We did take their names, and they will be called to a make up day so that their quilts can be documented.

I can't begin to tell you how patient and understanding people were. The lines were long and the quilts piled high but not once did we hear "a discouraging word." I think they might have been enjoying the "quilt show" as we were.

We also want to thank all of the volunteers who came and worked. They came from our seven counties plus Greenville and Tidewater (I even had a "customer" or two pitch in) to help and we couldn't have done it without them. It was an exciting day we won't soon forget.

Sincerely,
Jackie (Mrs. V.M.) Fueston
Corresponding Secretary
Quilt Lovers Guild

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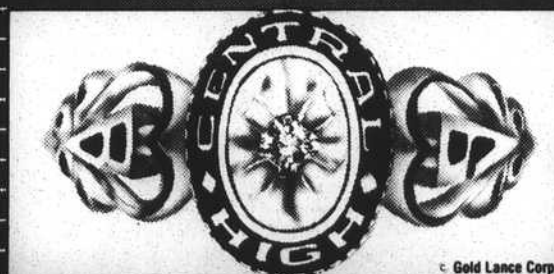
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