# White Oak Students Prepare Classes For Halloween

By DIANE SWANNER We could tell Halloween was coming when Mr. Underwood brought in about twenty five large pumpkins. Each class was given one for their room. What else is

happening in these classrooms? Mrs. D. Bunch has a witch on a broom flying around in her room.

paper pumpkins. Mrs. Curtis's students have their own pumpkin patch with pumpkins and jack-olanterns they made. Mrs. Swanner's class made paper pumpkins showing different feelings, to decorate the windows.

Mrs. Murrill has a Halloween

# **Holiday Carnival Is Slated**

cordially invited to an oldfashioned Halloween Carnival to be held at Lawrence Academy on Thursday, October 29 from 5-8 p.m. Plans have been made to Pumpkin Squirt. You can have provide fun for all ages. Salty Sam the Pirate will judge the children's costume contest in the gym at 7 p.m. Contestants will be the Haunted House, if you dare. A grouped in three categories: star attraction this year will be preschool and kindergarten, first through third grades, and fourth grade and older. Prizes will be given for creativity and originality.

A variety of foods will be ly fun.

MERRY HILL-The public is available and adults will enjoy shopping in the Farmer's Market and Christmas Shop. Prizes can be won at games such as Bingo, Cake Walk, Goldfish Pond, and your face painted in the Make-up booth, have your picture taken in the Photo Room, or stroll through Carmen the Great, renowned for tune teller.

Come on out to Lawrence Academy on October 29 for a "spook-tacular" evening of fami

cotton, peanuts, and a bat. The students brought this in.

Mrs. 'awrence's students made ghosts and cut out pumpkin peo-ple. M. Bunch's students each have a big pumpkin face of paper attached to their desks.

Mrs. Lassiter's class has pum-

pkin people and tissue ghosts made out of lollypops hanging up. Mrs. Ziemba's class also has tissue ghosts.

Mrs. Lewis's class painted ghosts and finger painted pumpkins. Mrs. Dail's class painted real pumpkins with tempra.

Mrs. Renner's class made

Mrs. White's students made display with gourds, pumpkins, mosaic pumpkins and ghosts to hang in the hall. Mrs. Perry has paper plate witches hanging up and a "terrible lizards" display.

Mrs. Williams' class is doing creative writing to spooky records. The library also has the spirit. Mrs. Belfield is reading Halloween ghost stories.

All the bulletin boards throughout the school have a Halloween theme. One art class painted big skeletons on black

All this Halloween spirit will burst forth on October 30 when we all come dressed in costumes and have a parade.

## **Noneman Attends Conference**

RALEIGH-N.C. School Public Relations Association (NCSPRA) member Walter Noneman of Edenton-Chowan Schools, attended the organization's fall conference here September 22-23, which focused on improving professional writing skills.

## School Menus Are Released

October 25-30

Monday: Breakfast - orange juice, assorted cereals, milk. Lunch cheeseburger-bun, french ries ketchup, fresh apples, milk. Tuesday: Breakfast - apple saucy, cinnamon toast, milk. Lunch - spaghetti with meat sauce, carrot and celery strips, accen beans rolls, milk

Wednesday: Breakfast asserted juices, buttered grits, bacon strips, milk. Lunch - ham and cheese sandwich, condiments, green limas, buttered corn, grapes, milk,

Thursday: Breakfast - fruit or jance, cheese toast, milk, Lunch roust inrhey with gravy. cranherry sauce, whipped potatoes, green peas and carrots,

Friday: Breakfast - apple juice, doughadts, bulk, Lunch - fish filler, core slaw, broccoli spears, macacani and cheese, pineapple.

Dr. Bertie Fearing, director of the Technical Communications Program at East Carolina University, opened the two-day conference at the North Raleigh Hilton with the topic, "Removing Writing Weaknesses - the High Cost of Bad Writing." Fearing's presentation focused on correcing wordiness, eliminating "tired terms," and writing grammatically and concisely.

The conference also included four other topics on Wednesday, eptember 23, including writing for advertising, writing for news releases and features, creative public relations writing and writing for slide, videotape and radio presentations. Other presenters include Robert Bodle. creative director, Behrends, Bodle and Parsons Advertising, Inc. of Greensboro; Val Lauder, instructor, School of Journalism, University of North Carolina at Chapel Hill; Myra Joines, public coordinator, information Charlotte-Mecklenburg Schools; and a faculty member of the Department of English, N.C. State University.

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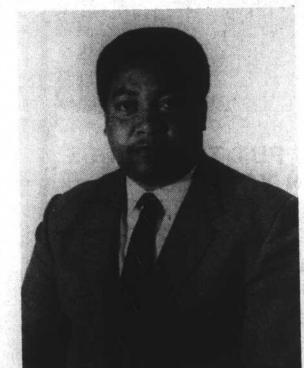
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