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## INDIAN WEEK CONTINUES AT PEMBROKE STATE UNIVERSITY

**Pembroke**—The American Indian Student Association continues to celebrate Indian Week at Pembroke State University. Activities continue through Friday. Archie Lynch, Haliwa-Saponi, is president of the student association.

The student association heard from A. Bruce Jones, executive director of the North Carolina Commission of Indian Affairs and LRDA executive director, Ken Maynor Wednesday morning.

Tuesday night the students honored retiring teachers, including Mrs. Cattle M. Hunt, Mr. George Chavis and Mr. Winfred Lowry. Also present was Mr. Albert Hammonds, who was honored in recent years as a retired teacher.

On Monday it was a special celebration of the Indian heritage with special emphasis on Indian regalia, crafts, food and dancing.

Guest speaker was Dr. Gerald Maynor, chairman of the Education Department at PSU and advisor to AISA. Supt. Purnell Swett also gave special comments to the assemblage meeting at Town and Country Restaurant in

The next event is the gospel singing tonight. This takes place at PSU's Performing Arts Center at 7:30 p.m. There will be no admission.

Friday, April 18, a pow wow will be sponsored by Haliwa Saponi Indians of

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### Rev. C.E. Locklear Faithful to the End

by Lew Barton

I understand that as one of his last acts on behalf of Indian people, the late Rev. C.E. Locklear, first Indian mayor of

Pembroke, officially enrolled in the Lumbee Tribe, once more leading the way by personal example.

He was one of the most earnest, hardest-working, most inspiring Indian leaders we ever had or are ever likely to have again. There is in our midst, not one who can fully replace him.

He was a pillar of strength and fortitude who stood at the center of Indian activity for many a year, unshaken and unrelenting in his efforts to bring a better life to us all.

Farewell, beloved Shepherd of legions of fellow Indians. Few are there among us whose lives you have not touched in one way or another for good.



SHOWN ABOVE ARE THE STUDENTS, HONOREES AND SPECIAL GUESTS.

### ROBESON COUNTY WOMEN'S CONFERENCE HELD AT PSU



DR. PAUL R. GIVENS To be officially installed as Chancellor of Pembroke State University Saturday, May 10



Principles in the Opening Session of the Governor's Robeson County Conference on Leadership Development for Women were Linda Locklear, Regional Coordinator for the N.C. Council on the Status of Women; Ruth Dial Woods of Pembroke, Conference Chairperson; Dr. Paul Givens, Chancellor of Pembroke State University; Deheava Drake, local Robeson County Performing Artist, and Henry McKoy, Director of the Office of Advocacy Programs, Office of the Governor.

Seventy-five women from across Robeson County attended the Governor's Robeson County Conference on Leadership Development for Women at Pembroke State University on Saturday, April 12.

The Conference opened with a General Session with Deheava Drake, local performing artist, Chancellor Paul Givens of PSU, Linda Locklear, Regional Coordinator for the N.C. Council on the Status of Women, and Henry McKoy, Director of Advocacy Programs, Office of the Governor. Ruth Dial Woods, Chairperson, of Pembroke, presided, calling the Conference "the culmination of the personal and professional commitment of many women across Robeson County to promoting opportunities for leadership by women and maximizing opportunities for full citizenship and participation of women in all facets of life and society in Robeson County."

#### WORKSHOPS

The conference provided opportunities for participants to attend two of five workshops.

**Coping with Stress** was conducted by Dr. Mary O.D. Cunningham, Deputy Director of the National Commission on the International Year of the Child, Washington, D.C. and reported by Mable Ziegler, President of Alpha Kappa Alpha Sorority. Participants defined stress and discussed appropriate means by which to deal with stress

placed on women by virtue of being born female and coping in a male-dominated society, the personality of stress, and how to identify and utilize resource persons and agencies for resolving conflicts.

**Leadership Skills and Organizational Development** conducted by Dr. Ray Von Beatty of Pembroke State University and reported by Frances Cummings, past-president of NCAE, discussed predefined roles of women and role limitations of these definitions, how leadership skills are developed, how to analyze leadership and the necessity for assertion and success-orientation in action planning.

Ruth H. Mundy, professional volunteer of Lumberton, conducted a workshop entitled **Building a Positive Self Image**, which was reported by Elvera Locklear, Pembroke Business and Professional Women's Club and Pembroke Jayettes. The workshop focused on listening and communication as integral forces in developing positive self concepts and attitudes to facilitate women in taking control of their lives and destinies.

Dorothy Powers, member of the Lumberton City School Board, reported on **Women and Legal Issues** conducted by Julian Pierce, Attorney and Executive Director of Lumbee Legal Services, Inc. The workshop provided an overview of the legal rights of women and developments since 1950 which have included the right to vote, forms of

discrimination in current laws, current laws governing women's rights, sexual stereotyping in employment, Title IX Sex Discrimination laws and the responsibility of women to educate and train children in legal issues.

**Job Campaign Skills, Career Planning and Management** was conducted by Diane O. Jones of Pembroke State University and reported by Margaret Krabill, Robeson County League of Women Voters. Focus was given to self-images and self-concepts which reinforce assertiveness and success as equally important to women as well as men, techniques for successful interviews, coping with two-family incomes, and identification and utilization of available resources for job listings and placement services.

#### LUNCHEON

Jane Smith Patterson, Acting Secretary of the Department of Administration in the Office of the Governor keynoted the Conference at the luncheon session with Mary A. Teets, Principal of Janie Hargrave School in Lumberton and Molly Briley, Robeson County Home Extension Service, participating.

Ms. Patterson reviewed the leadership of the State in promoting and encouraging active participation and involvement by women in state government and in leadership capacities, noting that women are assuming roles in leadership in elected and appointed positions, and the need for increasing women involvement at all levels.

Gubatorial appointees in attendance were recognized during the luncheon and included Grace S. Epps, NC University Board of Governors; Dr. Norma Jean Thompson, NC Mental Health Advisory Council; and Ruth Dial Woods, elected member and confirmed Gubatorial appointment to the NC State Commission of Indian Affairs. It was noted that a total of seventeen women in Robeson County currently serve by gubatorial appointment on state commissions, councils and boards.

#### PANEL

The Honorable Lura S. Tally (D-Cumberland), moderated a panel discussion in the afternoon general session during which time reports were given by workshop reporters. Representative Tally challenged women leaders to higher levels of involvement and active participation in local and state government while providing an overview of the changing attitudes toward the necessity

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### PEOPLE AND LAND THINGS

#### SINGING PLANNED

The Burnt Swamp Baptist Association singing will be held at Bear Swamp Baptist Church on Sunday, April 20, at 2 p.m. All singers are invited to come and sing. The public is cordially invited to attend.

#### BLOOD MOBILE THURSDAY

The Pembroke Senior High Key and Keyette Club is sponsoring a Red Cross Blood Mobile Thursday, April 24, 1980 from 9 a.m. until 2 p.m. at the Pembroke Senior High Gym. Everyone is encouraged to come out and give so that others may live.

#### LAVERNE TRIPP IS COMING TO ROCKINGHAM

Laverne Tripp will be appearing at the East Rockingham Pentecostal Holiness Church, Rockingham, May 8 at 7:30 p.m. All seats are free and the public is cordially invited to attend.

#### Democrats

#### Meet Saturday

The Robeson County Democratic Convention will be held at the O.P. Owens Auditorium on Saturday, April 19, at 12 noon.

The primary purpose of the meeting will be to elect delegates to the District Convention, which will be May 31 in Fayetteville, NC and the State Convention which will be held June 21 at the Dorton Arena in Raleigh, NC.

#### 15th Annual Haliwa-Saponi Pow-Wow

You are invited to the 15th Annual Pow-Wow of the Haliwa-Saponi Tribe on April 18-19, 1980. The event will be held at the original site of the Haliwa School, near P'ollister, N.C. The main event will begin on Saturday, April 19, at 11 a.m. Guest speaker will be Tom Oxendine of the Bureau of Indian Affairs.

#### A Gospel Sing at VA Hospital

A gospel sing will be held Sunday, April 20, at 3 p.m. at the VA Hospital in Fayetteville. The singing is sponsored by Chapter 47 DAV of Pembroke. Groups participating will include Mr. Lacy Freeman and the Sensations from Lumberton, Mrs. Helen Deal, Lumberton, Mr. Wiley Jones and Mrs. Jacobs of Harper's Ferry Baptist Church.

#### TO DISCUSS LUMBEE TRIBAL ROLL

There will be a community meeting at the Saddletree Jaycee Clubhouse at 7:30 p.m. Monday, April 21. Topic for discussion will be the Lumbee Tribal Roll. All community persons are invited to attend and bring a friend.

#### Celebrates Birthdays



April Strickland and Adam Locklear celebrated their birthdays on April 11, 1980 with a surprise party given by their parents and the Clinton L. Thomas Jr. Day Care Center staff.

April celebrated her 55th birthday. She is the daughter of Mrs. Harriet Strickland of Pembroke, NC.

Adam celebrated his 5th birthday on April 11, 1980. He is the son of Mrs. Lura S. Tally of Pembroke.



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THIS IS AN INVITATION TO ALL CITIZENS OF THIS AREA TO ATTEND INSTALLATION CEREMONIES FOR CHANCELLOR PAUL R. GIVENS OF PEMBROKE STATE UNIVERSITY. THIS SPECIAL CEREMONY WILL BE HELD ON SATURDAY, MAY 10, AT 3:00 P.M. PERFORMING ARTS CENTER. YOU ARE CORDIALLY INVITED TO ATTEND!

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