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Jim R. Lowry

JIM LOWRY SLATED AS BANQUET SPEAKER AT INDIAN UNITY CONFERENCE

Jim R. Lowry, State Purchasing Officer, will be the Banquet Speaker at the Eighth Annual N.C. Indian Unity Conference. The Banquet will be held at 7 p.m., Friday, March 11, at the Bordeaux Motor Inn Convention Center in Fayetteville, site of this year's Conference which will convene March 10-12.

Lowry was named State Purchasing Officer by Secretary of the Department of Administration, Jane Smith Patterson. He began his duties Dec. 1, 1981. "Gov. Hunt and I have gotten to know Jim Lowry very well through his work as Chairman of the Commission of Indian Affairs," said Ms. Patterson. "He has shown an understanding of government, and demonstrated the ability to think

clearly and rationally through complex problems. He is the kind of person we wanted in the position of state purchasing officer."

The Robeson County native is a 1966 honor graduate of N.C. State University, receiving a B.S. degree in Aeronautical Engineering. Lowry was an aircraft research engineer with Lockheed Aircraft in Georgia for three years and was affiliated with General Electric Computer Division in South Carolina, Florida and Charlotte, before becoming self employed as President of Lowry Chevrolet, an automobile dealership in Tryon, N.C. A Lumbee Indian, Lowry is Chairman of the N.C. Commission of Indian Affairs. He was the founding chairman of the Metrolina Native American Association in Charlotte and was awarded the Distinguished Service Award by that Association.

Lowry is also Chairman of the N.C. and Virginia Dealers Group. He was elected Dealer Council Representative for Chevrolet Motors Division. The native Robesonian is also President of Tryon United Methodist Church Men's Club, and a member of the Tryon Kiwanis Club.

He is married to the former Phyllis Locklear and they are the parents of two children—Ramona and Chadwick. Special entertainment at the Banquet will be provided by Ruby Hammonds who portrays 'Rhoda Strong' in "Strike at the Wind!", and Will Plummer, Junior Champion Fancy Dancer from Cherokee, N.C.

PEOPLE AND PLACES AND THINGS

PUBLIC NOTICE

Jones Intercable of Pembroke reports the availability of a local phone number to call for service after 5 p.m. and week-ends. The new number is 521-4830. If no answer, call 739-8497.

UNITED METHODIST CHILDRENS WORKSHOP

The Childrens Division of the Rockingham District Council on Ministries of the United Methodist Church will sponsor a workshop, featuring, "Summertime Models for Children," on March 3, 1983 at Galilee United Methodist Church, Laurinburg, NC.

The workshop will begin at 7 p.m. with registration and orientation and will close at 9:30 p.m. with a dedicational service by Dr. Joseph B. Bethea.

Classes will be offered in Resident and Day Camping, Music, Age Level-Vacation Church School Literature and Special Days.

Leading the workshop will be Rev. & Mrs. Michael Hale of Fayetteville, NC; Rev. Virgil Huffman of Barnesville, NC; Mrs. Johnathan Maisonnier of Lumberton, NC and Mr. Harold Jacobs of Pembroke, NC. Miss Gloria McKenzie of Maxton will serve as facilitator.

All workers with children and interested persons are invited to attend.

Mrs. Roberta Scipio is District Chairperson of Childrens Ministries and Dr. Joseph B. Bethea is District Superintendent.

PRE SCHOOL CLINIC FOR DEEP BRANCH SCHOOL SLATED

The Pre-school Clinic for Deep Branch Elementary Kindergarten will be Friday, March 11, 1983 from 9 a.m. until 12 noon. If your child will be five years old by October 16, 1983 please bring the birth certificate and shot records.

MEMORIAL SERVICE FOR FORMER PASTORS TO BE HELD SUNDAY

A Memorial Service for former pastors of Prospect United Methodist Church will be held Sunday, March 6 at 6 p.m. at that church. The United Methodist Women (UMW) of that church will unveil portraits of former pastors at that time. The public is cordially invited to attend.

TALENT SHOW COMING TO PROSPECT

Pembroke—"Strike at the Wind!" and Prospect Auxiliary will present a talent show at Prospect School, March 12, 1983. The participation will be from Prospect School with age ranging from five years to twelfth grade. This type of activity is great for young people," said Carnell Locklear, General Manager of "Strike at the Wind." We wish to invite all citizens to mark this date on their calendars so that they may come and view our young entertainers and see all this wonderful talent just for a dollar. The program will begin at 7:30 p.m., in the Prospect Gym.

For more information, one may call Carnell Locklear at 521-3112, Lucille Bullard at 521-2965; Shirley Moore at 521-9371, or any member of the Prospect Auxiliary Club.

"STRIKE AT THE WIND!" SPRING CONCERT

"Strike at the Wind!" presents A Spring Concert. The concert will be presented at Pembroke State University in the Performing Arts Center, March 30, 1983 at 7:30 p.m. Featuring: Rufus Edmisten, NC Attorney General, as Master of Ceremonies; Willie Lowry, noted Indian performer; Lori Ann Locklear, 1982 NC Wrangler Contest winner; Alan Sugar, recording artist; Lumbee Pride, Local Country singing group, and many more. Advanced tickets are \$4.00 and \$5.00 at the door. For more information, please call 919-521-3112 or 919-521-2480.

'Strike at the Wind' Director chosen



Pembroke-Carnell Locklear, General Manager of "Strike at the Wind!", has announced that William Shawn Smith will be the Director for the upcoming production of "Strike at the Wind!" for the 1983 season. Locklear said, "Mr. Smith brings a wide range of theatre experience to our company and we welcome him graciously."

Mr. Smith has a Master's of Fine Arts Degree in Theatre from the University of North Carolina at Greensboro; Master of Fine Arts Degree from the University of North Carolina at Chapel Hill; a Bachelor of Arts Degree in Theatre from Western Carolina University.

His teaching experience includes; University of North Carolina at Greensboro; North Carolina Central University in Durham, NC; University of Arizona, Tucson, Ariz.; Virginia Intermont College in Bristol, Tennessee.

Mr. Smith has directed a number of plays, including: The Lark; The Diary of Anne Frank; Rope; Bus Stop; Anything Goes; Lightening From The East; Look Homeward Angel; Tobacco Road; Sly Fox; The Fantastiks; The Lion in Winter; and many more.

He was the director of "Texas Historical Theatre Foundation" in San Antonio, Texas; Summer Theatre at Duke; North Carolina Central University Theatre; University of Arizona Theatre; UNC Greensboro Summer Repertory Theatre and etc. Mr. Smith is also a member of Actors Equity Association and Screen Actors Guild.

"Strike at the Wind!" is a non-profit organization, funded through monies from the North Carolina Theatre Arts, which is a State Agency funded from the North Carolina General Assembly. For more information, call 919-521-3112.

Outstanding Young Fire-fighter Award was presented to Kelvin Kent Lowry by Adam Warren Love.

Luther B. Moore was recognized as the Outstanding Young Farmer. His award was presented by Carnell Locklear.

Dr. Reginald Oxendine was named Outstanding Young Educator. This award was presented by Mrs. Diane Goins.

Outstanding Young Law Officer Award was presented to Lee Edward Sampson by Pembroke Police Sgt. Robert Locklear.

Pembroke Attorney Donald Bullard presented the first Outstanding Young Corrections Officer Award to Ms. Darlene Holmes.

The Distinguished Service Award was presented to Dr. David E. Brooks by last year's recipient Pembroke Jaycee Bill Oxendine.

The Boss of the Year Award was presented to Adolph L. Dial by Harry S. Siebert, LOF supervisor and last year's recipient.

Pembroke Jaycees host Awards Banquet

The Pembroke Jaycees hosted Awards Night on Saturday night, Feb. 26 at the Pembroke Jaycee Hut. Invocation was by Donald Bullard, Chaplain. Dinner was served and the welcome was given by Willie R. Harris, Jr., President of the Pembroke Jaycees.

Noah Woods, Past President recognized the guests. Jimmy Goins, District Director introduced the guest speaker, the Honorable John Ingram, N.C. Commissioner of Insurance.

Commissioner Ingram said, "Community service is extremely important... Important because it is at the grassroots level that many significant changes for all of the people of North Carolina are first brought to light and developed.

"Service to our fellow human beings is the foundation of our Democratic Society and

the root of our greatness as a state and nation.

"As Jaycees, you believe as I do...that service to humanity the best work of life. Many people here in North Carolina and throughout the United States are direct beneficiaries of your good works."

Commissioner Ingram commended the Burn Center at the University of North Carolina Medical Center in Chapel Hill as probably the best known statewide project. Said he, "The Burn Center will stand as a sterling standard of success that is accomplished when people dedicate themselves and their lives to work for the good of humanity."

Following the keynote address was the presentation of awards. The Outstanding Young Rescuer Award was presented to Charlie Ray Revels by Kelvin K. Sampson.



Shown standing left to right are: Charlie Ray Revels, Outstanding Young Rescuer; Kelvin Kent Lowry, Outstanding Young Fire Fighter; Outstanding Young Law Officer,

Lee Edward Sampson, Outstanding Young Farmer; Luther B. Moore; Outstanding Young Educator, Dr. Reginald Oxendine; seated left to right: Dr. David E.

Brooks, Distinguished Service Award; Adolph Dial, Boss of the Year Award; Darlene Holmes, Outstanding Young Corrections Officer. [Photo by Elmer W. Hunt]

Banquet Speaker



Guest speaker for the banquet was North Carolina Insurance Commissioner John Ingram. Commissioner Ingram is currently serving his third term as the State's elected Insurance Commissioner and has received national acclaim as a "pacesetter in insurance reform in the nation for the consumer."

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