

### PEMBROKE STATE UNIVERSITY

BY GENE WARREN



25th member of the Chancellor's Club at PSU. Members of the club donate \$1,000 a year to PSU for a period of 10 years.

"I have so many friends over here at Pembroke," said Biggs. "The school has meant a great deal to our area. I've particularly enjoyed the performances at the Performing Arts Center."

Biggs said he first became interested in supporting PSU during the time that Dr. English Jones was chancellor



Chalmers Biggs becomes 25th member of PSU's Chancellor's Club.

from 1962-79. "He got me interested," Biggs added. "And the others have continued this good relationship." Biggs graduated from NC State University in engineering in 1933. His father, Dennis Biggs, established Biggs Funeral Home in 1912, and Chalmers Biggs continued the business.

**CONCERT BAND PERFORMS TUESDAY**  
PSU's Concert Band and Percussion Ensemble will perform Tuesday, Oct. 16 at 8 p.m. in the PSU Performing Arts Center.

The concert is free to the public. Conducting the band will be Dr. Robert Romble, chairman of the PSU Music Department, while conducting the percussion ensemble will be Charles Mercavich, a member of the PSU Music Faculty.

Featured will be soloists Allen Johnson of Dillon, SC, student conductor Polly Allen of Dillon, SC, and xylophone soloists Wayne Campbell of Fairmont and Miss Allen.

**STEVE STREATER SPEAKS THURSDAY**

Former UNC football player Steve Streater, who lost the use of his legs because of an automobile accident, will be the speaker at 7 p.m. Thursday night, Oct. 11, in the PSU Student Center as part of "Alcohol Awareness Week." Streater, former safetyman and punter for the Tar Heels, had signed a contract with the Washington Redskins just prior to his accident. He will have much to share.

**SHELBY STEPHENSON AT FESTIVAL**

Dr. Shelby Stephenson, associate professor of English at PSU, takes part in a Fred Chappell Festival at Emory and Henry College in Emory, Va., Thursday and Friday. Chappell is the poet from UNC-Greensboro who spoke and read here last year.

They will not only read poetry, but take part in a dialogue for the students. Chappell, Stephenson, and Dabney Stuart of Virginia have individual printings of poetry in "The Broadides," published by Iron Mountain Press. Copies will be distributed at the festival, which is a third annual event.

22 FOREIGN STUDENTS AT PSU

Twenty-two foreign students from 10 countries are attending PSU this year. Japan has the greatest number, seven. There are four from Nigeria, three from Finland, and two from Korea. The other countries are represented by one student each.

Each of the students was treated to a covered-dish supper recently at PSU. Sponsoring it were eight members of PSU's World Studies Committee, led by Dr. John Chay, chairman of the PSU History Department.

The students and their native countries are: JAPAN--Yuko Hasegawa, Richard Kono, Yoko Nakano, Hiroko Suga, Sei Takashi, Yashuo Takamatsu, Toshiaki Tsuruta; NIGERIA--Fred Ekwunoh, Kenneth Oloru, Victor Onireti, Hippolitus Ogu; FINLAND--Takashi Murakami, Kaarina Nuortle, Petri Rekola; KOREA--Sung Jean Ki, Hye Ok Lee; SIERRA LEONE--Osman Janneh; JAMAICA--Sharon Johnson; HONG KONG--Vincent Kwong Lau; VIET NAM--Thi Le; BAHAMA--Alanna Moss; IRAN--Farzad Sefiddashti.

**VERY SPECIAL PEOPLE SUPPORTERS**

A seminar on understanding and communicating with parents of handicapped children will be held Friday, Oct. 19 at PSU's Old Main room 222 from 9 a.m. until noon. Invited are teachers and other professionals who work with children with handicaps. For more information on these "Very Special People Supporters," telephone Rosa Sampson after 3 p.m. at 521-9967.

### Deep Branch PTA and Open House

Deep Branch Elementary School recently held its first PTA and Open House for the 1984-85 school year.

The faculty and staff along with the principal met with the advisory council in the cafeteria. Informal introductions were made. After a brief discussion of future school plans by Mr. Walter Oxendine, Principal, teachers and parents adjourned to the classrooms for individual conferences. The staff and faculty were encouraged and enthusiastic about the number of parents that participated.

# PEMBROKE STATE UNIVERSITY SPORTS

Gary Spitzer Sports Information Director

### CHEERLEADING TO THE TOP!

by Russell Clark  
Virginia "Ginny" Pope, first-year head coach of the Pembroke State cheerleading squad, believes that cheerleading should be regarded as equal to other sports.

"We've got a basketball team and we have got to have cheerleaders to uplift the school spirit," the 1975 West Charlotte graduate explained.

Pope comes from a strong cheerleading background. "I started cheering when I was in the sixth grade and I cheered through my sophomore year in college at UNC-Charlotte," she said. I was on the squad when our basketball team lost to Marquette in the 'Final Four' in 1977.

"Pope is different than anybody we have ever worked with," said Jackie Sweat, a sophomore returnee. "Gary Spitzer did a great job with us last year. But I relate better to a female coach."

The nine-member team will include: (Captains) Jeanne Jacobs and Debra Mims, Pam Oxendine, Joyce Chavis, Dorothy Minervini, Shelly Woodcox, Christina Ruegger and Angela Parker.

Alternates Jackie Sweat

and Dorothy Minervini will only cheer at home games because they were the last to be selected for the squad.

"We will be a very good unit this year even though we will be young," the 1979 East Carolina graduate explained. "Because of this, we will not start out with any difficult stunts or pyramids until we have improved gymnastically."

Pope's career objective is to secure a teaching position with a growing educational unit and to advance through personal commitment and education. However, she now works in a eye clinic where she is training to be a para-optometrist.

She is a member of the Delta Zeta Sorority and some of her hobbies include tennis, volleyball, swimming and spending time with her family. "I'm excited about my new position," she said, "and will strive to get our cheerleaders involved in more campus activities."

### CROSS COUNTRY FEATURE

by Russell Clark  
As Pembroke State's All-district star Marty Lemons awakens to the hard and heavy sound of raindrops pounding on his window, he gears up for another day of training.

"We are running three to five miles in the mornings Monday through Friday and about 50 to 70 miles per week at this point in the season," Lemons explained. "For me, this phase began around the first of July."

The PSU cross country program helped Lemons to capture all-district honors his

last two seasons. Lemons took fourth place in the 1984 District 26 Cross Country Meet with a fine time of 26:12.

Coach Larry Rodgers, now in his fourth year, believes that the Braves training philosophy is one that includes progression in development for each athlete. The three phases of the training philosophy include: (1) Persistence yields improvements, (2) Confidence builds success, (3) Hard work produces results.

The training season is divided into thirds, according to Coach Rodgers. The first one-third consists of distance running 70 to 100 miles per week. This began in the off-season around the first of July.

The second one-third, about mid-season, the mileage is decreased to 55 to 75 miles per week to concentrate on speed work.

Throughout the season, weekly training shifts to a hard day, easy day basis. "The easy day comes rarely, but it is a reward given to us by Coach Rodgers when we perform well athletically," Lemons said. "Our tough days are Monday, Wednesday and Thursday."

The team goals set for the PSU hurriers in 1984 are to have an athlete receive an excellent education and graduate, have athletes develop their full potential athletically, have an athlete enjoy his experience while at PSU and stress the team concept.

### SUPPORTERS OF REAGAN AND MONDALE DEBATE

In the wake of the much talked about first Reagan-Mondale debate, PSU is having "its own debate" between Reagan and Mondale advocates Friday, Oct. 12, in room 225 of Classroom North. The subject: "President Reagan's Foreign Policy."

The debate, sponsored by the PSU Department of Political Science, will be from 11 a.m. to 1 p.m.

Two specialists in international relations from the University of South Carolina will be the debaters. They are Professor Raymond A. Moore, Jr., speaking for President Reagan, and Professor Robert S. Thompson, speaking for former Vice President Mondale.

Everyone on the PSU campus is invited to attend the debate. So is the general

public.

And while noting politics, it should be added that over 80 students were registered to vote in a special registration held at PSU's Student Center last Thursday. Conducting it was Ed Chavis, PSU student who is a registrar for the north Pembroke precinct. He was assisted by other PSU students and former students. This registration drive was sponsored by the PSU Political Science Club, whose leader was Manfred Riley of Fayetteville.

As this registration effort took place at PSU, Republican and Democrat supporters were near by, enthusiastically urging support for their candidates.

### CHALMERS BIGGS JOINS CHANCELLOR'S CLUB

Chalmers Biggs, owner and manager of Biggs Funeral Home in Lumberton, is the



Four of 22 foreign students now attending PSU are at a covered-dish supper for them by PSU's World Studies Committee. Osman Janneh, Sierra Leone; Vincent Lau, Hong Kong; Yko Nakano, Japan; and Kenneth Oloru, Nigeria. Ten foreign nations are represented at PSU in all.

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### DANCER INFORMATION

Dancers in competition events must register and pay Entry Fee as follows: Adults 20 and over \$5.00, Youth 7-19 \$2.00 and Tiny Tot 0-6 \$1.00. Dancer Registration for competition events will end Friday night at 8:30 (No exceptions). Dancers can register for one competition event only.

### DANCE CONTEST PRIZES

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