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News Briefs

Students Honored For Their Research Efforts

Research Competition, with her paper entitled "A Comparison of Young Childrens' Behaviors Following Three Types of Trauma." Kathy North-Herald of Chelesters

research papers.
Other Citadel graduate students projects included Victoria Allen of Ladson, Joe Blackmon of Orrum.
Vaudrian Forshthe of Mt. Pleasant, of Columbia. Deborah Foster of Goose Creek, David Halfacre of Charleston, Pamela and Dean Howell of Lexington

heir research findings at the meeting, and Encouraging Advocacy.

Charleston, SC-Citadel graduate The Citadel had the most submissions and undergraduate students were out ok the schools that participated in recently honored for their research the undergraduate research efforts at the annual meeting of the South Carolina Psychological Association in Myrtle Beach.
Sherri Stokes of Mt. Pleasant took the top honors in the Graduate Student Student Proposed States of Student Student Proposed Student S

Herald of Charleston and Kara Van presented research studies at the Der Heyden of Mt. Pleasant both meeting included Eric Baumgartner Other under graduate students who received honorable mention for their of Newberry, Charles (Trey) Leath of research papers. Chapin, Christian McDuffie of Sumter. Oberdan Congello of North who presented original research Adams, Otha (Trey) Perry of Stanley, projects included Victoria Allen of Mark Wozar of Glen Burnie, and Scott

Cadets Tyrone Benson of Columbia Hammonds of Pembroke, and Daniel assisted Dr Tim Daugherty in a



Charlie Gaddy, news anchor and senior editor of Raleigh's WRAL-TV, elivers the commencement speech at Pembroke State University.

Charlie Gaddy Speaks to PSU Graduates

Charlie Gaddy, who retires July I as news anchor and senior editor of Raleigh's WRAL-TV, praised Pembroke State University's graduating class of 531 stud

Gaddy said he draws inspiration from the fact "that there has never been a racial incident on this campus." whose 3,000-plus students are made up of "62 percent white. 24 percent American Indians and 12

percent African Americans."

He asked, "What is it of most value that you will carry from this place." I believe it to be the humanness you have found here, the respect for each other that is nurtured on this campus. While the history of this University continues to be written, its commitment to and practice of civility have already been

In speaking of how America can take a lesson from PSU, Gaddy pointed out, "There is some recent evidence that students on some of the nation's campuses are resegregating-that the students divide themselves racially in the dining halls. Let us not drift into suspicion and distrust. You here a Pembroke State have learned to let diversity as Americansenrich us-not divide us

Gaddy said the people of this state and the UNC system "are justifiably proud of your record of academic excellence, the diversity of your curriculum, and your

outstanding Master's program. Gaddy, a native of Biscoe, was presented an honorary doctor of human letters degree by PSU and was cited as "North Carolina's honorary doctorate as "one of the greatest moments of life."

Also presented an honorary doctor of science was Dr. Earl (Lowry, a native of Pembroke who served in Europe during the World War II and attained the rank of colonel as a U.S. Army surgeon. Now a resident of Des Moines, Iowa, Lowry provided medical attention to some of the great names of World War II, including President Franklin D. Roosevelt, Gen. Dwight D Eisenhower, and Gen. George

In his remarks as speaker for the occasion, Gaddy spoke of how the news media has gone to new heights national OK Corral-a shootour on every corner. What will it take to change television?" he asked. "The off button," he said with resolve. He emphasized that whatever

people are watching, whether it be a newscast or a soap opera, is recorded by the industry as a yes vote. "Hollywood producers and news consultants are not going to chang anything as long as you are watching. They may give it lip service, but, believe me, they won't change anything until they are financially injured by the off button."

Gaddy also encouraged the graduates to vote, noting that only 14 percent of the voters turned out in the recent primary in Wake County. He compared this with the South Africans who walked for hours and stood in lines sometimes a mile long "in order to exercise the privilege of

marking a ballot."
Gaddy said that he recommends to the graduates "community service," adding, "You can never do anything for someone else that does not come back to you tenfold."

The commencement also saw presentation of three Adolph L. Dial Endowed PSU Faculty Awards, each worth \$1,000, to Dr. Kathryn Rileigh, professor in the Psychology Department, for teaching, to Paul Van Zandt, chair of the Art Department, for scholarship/creative work; and to Dr. Ray Pennington. athletic director and professor in the Department of Health, Physical Education, and Recreation, for community service.

Greetings to the graduates were voiced by Jack P. Jordan, a member of the UNC Board of Governors; Dr. Roy Carroll, vice president for planning of the UNC General Administration; and Joe Huffman of Raeford, president of the PSU Student Government Association.

The record 531 graduates included 457 receiving undergraduate degrees and 74 receiving graduate degrees.



graduate from Pembroke State University, which is hers are (left to right) her mother, Doris, who graduates mielle, who graduated in '90; and her father, Dr. Da aduated in '61. Her brother, Dalton Peter Brooks, who wild not be present. He is in dental school in Massachi



Shown Left to Right at Pembroke State University's commencement Saturday are: PSU Chancellor Jospeh Oxendine; Dr. Earl C. Lowry, who was presented an honorary doctor of science; Charlie Gaddy, the graduation speaker who was presented an honorary doctor of humane letters; and Marion Bass, chair of the PSU Board of Trustees.

Locklear to Publish New Book



The subject of a forthcoming book he had to tell the story intimately in order to tell the personal miracle which cing of a wreath of her husband, happened to him after his wife's death. is honored on Mother's Day by the placing of a wreath of her husband, Rev. Edmond Locklear, Jr., and their Rev. Edmond Locklear, Jr., and their son and daughter and their families. The book to be titled: "My Wife Is Dying of Cancer" will tell how Mrs. Mary Elizabeth Locklear and Rev. Locklear grew up as Lumbee Indians in Robeson County, North Carolina and how they lived their 37 years, 10 months, and 27 days as man and wife. The writing of the book is complete and it is now woing through several. and it is now going through several refinement drafts. Rev. Locklear says

The book's publication date i November 21, 1994, the secon November 21, 1994, the second anniversary of Mrs. Locklear's passing. Rev. Locklear latest book titled: "98% Of the People You Know & Love are in Dangerous Sexual Situations" was published in April and is now going out to bookstores Rev. Locklear is on the left side of the picture. A memorial stone for his wife's grave is not yet complete.

Adult Volunteer Leaders Recognized and Honored

Robeson County's adult volunteer membership drive. Central District leaders got a pat on the back for a job Executive Reed Wallace was called well done. The Central District of the Cape Fear Council Boy Scouts of America held its annual awards banquet on April 28th. This year's ceremony was hosted by Fairmont's Fire and Rescue Center.

ctivities which to this is the one special time of the year where the adult leaders are the center of attention. It is the opportunity for formal acknowledgement to be made to the hundreds of volunteer leaders county wide who provide our youth

with a quality program.

The Central District Chapter of the Order of the Arrow provided an opening ceremony, and District Chaplain Reverend Thomas House delivered the invocation. Central District Chairman Bill Mauney Director of Student Services at Robeson Community College served as master of ceremonies for the awards presentations covering a variety of program areas.

For events management, 1993 Cub Scout Day Camp Directors Barry and Sandra Currier of Lumberton were acknowledged. Les Abbott of Lumberton received recognition for his work with the Fall Cub Scout Fun Day at Pembroke State University. Mr. Abbott and Harvey Colley both were recognized for their successful Boy Scout's Fall Camporee. For his work as 1994 Scout Show Chairman, Larry Scantlin of Lumberton was also recognized.

Central District's Training Committee Chair, Nancy Caughill of Fairmont was called upon to recognize the adults leaders who had successfully completed their training programs.

Ms. Caughill made special acknowledgment of three individuals who had completed the advanced Boy Scout leader training program known as "Woodbadge." These individuals included Francis Pinchbeck of Pembroke, and Pat Jones and David Newbrough of Lumberton.

Each Fall across the United States, scouting holds its "Fall Roundup"

News Church

West Saddletree Baptist Church is cated 4 miles West of Saddletree urch of God on Rennert Road are having their Special Open House on Located at the Red Hills intersection. Sunday, May, 15 1994 at 3-5 p.m. and wishes to extend invitations for all the May 15, 1994 from 3:00 p.m. to 5:00

on to present awards to the members of Robeson County's outstanding "Roundup Team": Barry Currier, Joe Hernandez, James Hooper, and Kathy Stanton all of Lumberton: Francis Pinchbeck, of Pembroke. Steve and Unlike all other scouting events Donnis Smith, and Wayne Kraft of Cathy Shooter of Rowland, and Gordon and Nancy Caughill of Fairmont. Recognizing the unit leaders'

outstanding work was District Commissioner Jim Blake who presented "Quality Unit Award" ribbons to those exceptional cub scout packs and boy scout troops, and explorer posts who met national quality program standards.

For past administrative service and leadership to Robeson County's scouting program during their terms of office (1991-93), former District Chairman Earl Strickland and District Commissioner Dr. George Mozingo III were acknowledged. Also recognized for their outstanding leadership with the "Investment in Character" finance campaign were 1993 County Campaign Chairman Character Hnance campaign were was cited as Adoth Caronna's 1993 County Campaign Chairman foremost broadcast journalist." He described being the graduation speaker at PSU and receiving the 1994 County Campaign Chairman Glen Heintz of United Carolina Bank.

District Chairman Bill Mauney presented the "Chairman's Circle" special recognition award to Jo Ann Johnson of Pack 327 in Pembroke and Pack 323 in Maxton, to James Hooper of Troop 302 at Sandy Grove Baptist Church in Lumberton, and Wanda Stephens of Pack 300 at Tanglewood.

The district's highest award, for outstanding service to the entire county the Cape Fear Award went to three individuals: Larry Scantlin of Lumberton, Linda Pitts, of Pembroke State University, and to the memory of Kenneth Locklear, former scoutmaster of Troop 326 at Mt. Airy Baptist Church, past Camporee Chief, and leader of the Cape Fear Council contingent at the 1993 National Scout Jamboree at Fort A.P. Hill in Virginia.

Open House

The Public is cordially invited to attend the Special Open House of Salem Missionary Baptist Church. Located at the Red Hills intersection.

Everyone's welcomed to come out not help celebrate our Open House invite everyone to come and percial Addition with Pastor Ted participate in the Open House



A view of the record graduation class of 551 at Pembroke State University 1st Saturday.