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TWENTY-FIVE CENTS

Twenty Years...and the Pow Wow Continues GNAA to Sponsor Annual Pow Wow

GREENSBORO - The Guilford Native American Association is pleased to announce that they will be sponsoring their annual Pow Wow on September 20 - 22, 1996. The three day event will be held at Castle McCulloch in Jamestown, NC.

GNAA's Pow Wow will feature dancers representing tribes from throughout the United States and Canada. These dancers, ranging in age from 18 months to 75, will compete for prize money in several different dance categories.

This year, the Pow Wow has been extended one day - Friday, September 20 through Sunday, September 22. It will officially begin Friday, September 20 with the Opening Ceremony at 7:00 pm and continue Saturday, September

21 at 10:00 am with various activities including inter-tribal dancing, specialty dancing - featuring The Ximalli Aztec Dancers of Mexico, dance and drum competition, arts and crafts competition, honoring ceremonies and a gospel singing. Food vendors will be on hand throughout the weekend selling traditional Indian frybread and tacos in addition to many other types of food.

The Pow Wow begins on Sunday, September 22 at 11:00 am with Gospel Singing from 12:00 Noon - 1:00 pm. Dance and drum competition will continue throughout the day. Prize money will be awarded to the top dancers in each category during the closing ceremony.

Joining us this year serving as Master of Ceremonies will be

Apesanahkwat, a member of the Menominee Tribe and actor on Northern Exposure. Currently residing in Los Angeles, CA. Apesanahkwat has been acting for the past thirteen years. He has had feature roles in movies such as Sioux City, co-starring with Lou Diamond Phillips. Apesanahkwat is also a traditional dancer.

Our host drum, made up of singers from all over North Carolina, will be Southern Sons. Our head dancers will be Ray Jacobs, from Bolton, NC and a member of the Waccamaw-Siouan Tribe and April Whittemore of Fayetteville and a member of the Lumbee-Cheraw Tribe.

Additional information and/or photographs are available upon request. Check us out on our Web site at:



Apesanahkwat Master of Ceremonies at GNAA Pow Wow

Revival Set at Preston Gospel Chapel

A Revival at Preston Gospel Chapel on September 15-29, 1996. Guest Evangelist Tom H. Roberts to be held Sunday at 9:30 a.m. & 5:00 p.m. from Monday-Friday at 7:30 p.m. Everyone is invited to come.

Shopping Trip Planned

A shopping trip is planned for November 29, 30 and December 1 at the Potomac Mills Shopping Mall in Reading, PA. A \$25 deposit is due by September 20, 1996. The total cost will be \$115. To make reservations call Francis Chavis at 521-9075 after 6:00 p.m.

Help Available for Victims of Hurricane Fran

by Vinita M. Clark

Hurricane Fran came across the Cape Fear Region on Thursday, September 5, 1996 causing devastation, destruction and injury to our region. Many homes are still without electricity and wind damage was extensive. Several counties in the region have been declared disaster areas, among them is Robeson, Cumberland, Scotland, Bladen, Columbus, Pender, Harnett, Hoke, Lee, Moore, and Sampson.

The Carolina Indian Voice is publishing these agencies and their telephone numbers so that we may help our fellow man.

FEDERAL EMERGENCY MANAGEMENT AGENCY

Toll Free Number 1-800-462-9029 8 am. to 6 p.m.

Hearing and Speech Impaired: 1-800-462-7585

You will need: Your Social

Security Number, Address of Damaged Property, Mailing Address, Dependents: Name and Age, Present Proof (that you were in the residence at the time of Fran), Pictures of before and after damage.

County Emergency Agency Numbers 911 for all fire, police and ambulance in Cape Fear County Region

Bladen	862-6760
Columbus	640-6610
Cumberland	483-3903
Harnett	893-7580
Hoke	873-4126
Lee	775-8268
Moore	947-6317
Robeson(800)	672-6161
Sampson	592-8996
Scotland	276-1313

Anyone seeking help from state government should call (800) 662-7952.

WANT TO HELP? CALL THE RED CROSS (800) 435-7669.

Connie Locklear Jones, M.D. Joins Medical Staff of SRMC

Connie Locklear Jones, M.D. has joined the staff of Southeastern Regional Medical Center. She is a family practitioner associated with the Julian T. Pierce Health Center in Pembroke.

A native of Robeson County, Dr. Jones grew up in the Prospect community. She is the daughter of Bill R. and Jessie L. Locklear.

"I have always planned to come back to my community and practice medicine in this rural area," she said.

She is a graduate of UNC-Pembroke and holds a master's degree in organic chemistry from N.C. Central University in

Durham. She earned her medical degree from East Carolina University School of Medicine and completed her training in Fayetteville at the Duke/Fayetteville AHEC family residency program in June of this year.

Dr. Jones, her husband Terry, and their 4 year-old son Colby live in Pembroke.

Along with her associates Dr. Tonya Hudson, Dr. Joey Bell, and Family Nurse Practitioner Bobby Lowery, Dr. Jones is committed to providing health care for a wide range of ages and conditions. To

Activities from Pembroke Housing Authority

Pembroke Housing Authority's "Helping Hands" 4-H Club awarded the following residents during the month of August with Yard of the Month. The winners were Kathrine Oxendine of Strickland Heights, Delphia Caudle of Dial Terrace, Elenoir Oxendine of Locklear Court, Vera Jones of Chavis Park and Eldis Hunt of Maynor Manor. The yard of the month is awarded each month by "Helping Hands" 4-H Club Lawn and Garden Committee.



Ms. Vera Jones
Chavis Park



Ms. Eldis Hunt Maynor Manor
Presentation by 4-H President Ryan Collins



Mrs. Delphia Caudle
Dial Terrace



Ms. Kathrine Oxendine
Strickland Heights



Ms. Eleanor Oxendine
Locklear Court

Presentation by 4-H Vice President Christine Hunter

Pembroke Kiwanis Report

by Dr. Ken Hihson

The weekly meeting was held at the Town and Country Restaurant on Tuesday evening at 7:00 PM with President Bob Lowry presiding.

Program Chairman was Brian Brooks and speaker was Judge Dexter Brooks who explained the very extensive details that some court cases entail. This case in particular involved a juvenile injured in a car accident with a fractured skull, his mother making a left turn was at fault. Doctors, lawyers, parents, witnesses all had to be questioned in order for him to come up with a decision. It was truly very interesting to hear Judge Brook's logical analysis of the case, and arriving at a decision.

New member Attorney Carlton

Mansfield was voted into the membership. He was presented by Attorney Brian Brooks. His home is in Pembroke. He is a graduate of the UNC Law School in Chapel Hill. And a member of the Chavis and Ransom Law Office of Lumberton. Carlton does Criminal Defense work, Real Estate and Civil Cases. His wife Alicia Hardin Mansfield is the daughter of Dr. Ben Hardin and is busy taking care of Buck Hardin Mansfield her brother, who is ill.

Four members of the Benson Kiwanis Club were visitors. They had an interesting story to tell of their annual fund raiser. Called "Honoring the Mule".

Invocation: Garth Locklear, Song Leader: Ray Lowry, Reporter: Ken Johnson.

Say you read it in Carolina Indian Voice. To subscribe call 521-2826

Five Candidates Running for LREMC Board

Lumbee River Electric Membership Corporation's 56th Annual Meeting of Members will be held on October 1, 1996 at the Givens Performing Arts Center on the campus of UNC Pembroke. Registration and voting will begin at 6:00 p.m.

An electric cooperative is unique compared to other utilities because its members elect the board of directors. Members may become candidates for the board either by being nominated by a nominating committee or by petition. This year eight candidates are running for the four board positions up for election. Candidates for this year's election are:

District 3: Robert L. Strickland, incumbent, of Rt. 3, Box 178, Lumberton. District 3 contains the townships of Black Swamp, Smyrna, Britts, Wisharts, Raft Swamp and Lumberton.

District 7: James Albert Hunt, incumbent, of Red Springs.

District 7 contains all of Hoke County west of N.C.

District 9: Herbert Clark, incumbent, of 10002 Stewartville

Cemetery Rd. Laurinburg. District 9 contains all of Scotland County 211.

At Large: Conrad Oxendine, incumbent, of Rt. 2, Box 182, Maxton.

Barbara Goins, 1467 Wagon Wheel Road, Shannon.

Director-at-large candidates may live anywhere on

In addition to the election, a business meeting will be conducted starting at 7:30 p.m. Members will hear reports about the co-op's operation and have an opportunity to bring new business before the board. Members not wishing to stay for the business meeting may simply register, vote and leave. Members should remember to bring their registration card and pictured ID with them. Any member authorized to vote on behalf of a business, church, club or other organization will need to bring a signed Letter of Authorization which will be found in the Official Notice to be mailed on or about September 19th. This year's entertainment will be provided by the D&L Gospel Singers and comedian Frank Hayes.