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The weather Tuesday: high 96, low 67, hum. 73 percent. It's the humidity!

There will be live entertainment at the Pine Crest Inn Friday and Saturday night to kick-off the Labor Day weekend. Dorothy Dobbs, a "belter" who is well known to audiences around Jacksonville, Fla., has been booked.

Our sources say Ms. Dobbs, in her mid-40s, handles everyone's favorites tunes from the last six decades, and is particularly noted for her renditions of Billie Holliday's blues tunes. Expect her to work through the crowd and entertain one and all from 6 p.m. until late.

Also on Saturday night, the Polk County Republican Club is holding its annual picnic feast at Harmon Field in Tryon. For tickets, information or reservations call 859-9810.

And don't forget the Ninth Annual Hogback Mountain Arts and Crafts Fair to be held from 9 a.m. to 4:30 p.m. Satuday at Landrum High School.

There will be no Bulletin published Monday, Labor Day, and the newspaper office will be closed.

Henderson County voters over-

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### Polk Population Trends Surprising

Chamber of Commerce News by Michael McCue

Demographic trends suggest opportunities and challenges for all of us in business. Polk County is unusually interesting demographically.

Not long ago, I had a fascinating conversation with Bill Tillman, North Carolina's State Demographer in Raleigh. The most recent good data that we have on population distribution and trends were published by Bill's department last summer. Here are some of the State Demographer's statistical estimates, which I find particularly useful to know.

Polk County's total population in 1988 was 14,728, a 13 percent increase in the eight years since the beginning of the decade. In that period, deaths of 1,455 resident people exceeded births to residents (whether born at St. Luke's or out of the county) of 1,078, for a net "natural" population decrease of 377.

But inward migration was 2,115 people. This is a rate over the 1980 population base of 16.3 percent, compared to a statewide average in-migration of 5.3 percent. Inbound migration rates of some other counties were: Rutherford 5.1 percent, Transylvania 9 percent, Macon 16.1 percent, Henderson 17 percent, Moore (Pinehurst) 15.1 percent.

In terms of age "cohorts," Continued On Back Page

## Worsnop Elected Library V.P.



Nancy Worsnop has been elected Vice President of the Polk County Public Library Board of Trustees. She has been a member of the board for one year.

A native of Hollywood, California, she grew up in Flushing, N.Y. and lived most of her married life in Michigan, except for a few years in Australia and Canada. She taught school in Plymouth for six years after graduating from the University of Michigan with a Bachelor of Arts degree.

Always active as a volunteer wherever she lived, Nancy has continued such activities since moving to Polk County three years ago. She has been a volunteer at the Peppermint Gift Shoppe and is not Coordinator of

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### At Campobello-Gramling School Every Can Counts

Students in Melinda Green's 5th and 6th grade science classes are very excited about the year ahead. These students are undertaking a recycling project to help clean up our environment. Aluminum cans are being collected on a weekly basis. All students are encouraged to participate because — EVERY CAN COUNTS.

With money earned from these cans the students plan to buy bird seed for the feeder in the school courtyard, hamster food and supplies for the classroom pet, and fish food for the fish in the aquarium. The students will also help Mrs. Greene select materials to be purchased for use in the classroom. Of course, the more cans they collect, the more money they have to spend. So, if you know a student in 5th or 6th grade at CGS, please let them have any aluminum cans you have because - EVERY CAN COUNTS! - Reporter

### Red Fox Bridge

Results of Ladies Red Fox Bridge are as follows: 1st. Kathleen Glunz; 2nd. Ruth Casey; 3rd. Barbara Keffer.

#### **Narcotics Anonymous**

NC Meeting schedule Tuesdays and Fridays, 8 p.m. Church of Holy Cross. Phone 859-2272 or 894-2668 for more information.