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**The weather Wednesday:** high 74, low 38, hum. 62 percent. Several people have asked when the time will switch back to Daylight Savings Time. According to *The World Almanac*, we will move our clocks ahead one hour at 2 a.m. on the first Sunday in April - April 7. Of course, if you don't want to get up then you can do it before you go to bed.

Success has brought Hospice of Polk County a critical challenge: they have more patients than volunteers right now. A training course for new volunteers will start very soon. If you might be able to help out, call Hospice at 859-2270.

A "green" idea for this weekend: help turn Stearns Park green. There will be a shrub planting at Stearns Park at 10 a.m. Saturday. Anyone interested in helping with the project is asked to bring a shovel and some energy. In the event of rain, the work day will be rescheduled.

The Chestnut Brass Company returns to Tryon for a Tryon Concert Association performance tonight at the Tryon Fine Arts Center.

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Because of an increase in patient volume to three times normal, the Hospice staff and volunteers are stretched to the limit.

To increase our crew of volunteers, a training course will be started as soon as possible, probably early April. The course will be given in six half-day sessions, probably mornings.

If you or someone you know might be able to help out, please call Hospice at 859-2270 or tell any Hospice nurse or board member that you know.

-Community Reporter

## N.C. 74 Bids To Be Opened

The N.C. Department of Transportation is seeking bids from contractors interested in building portions of N.C. 74 in Polk County.

Bids will be opened April 16th for grading, draining and structures contracts for 6.35 miles of N.C. 74 from Beulah, which is located east of Mill Spring, west to the Broad River in Rutherford County.

Contracts remaining to be put out for bid are the section from Hwy. 108, where N.C. 74 now terminates, to Beulah.

The state has set 1996 as the target date for completion of the entire highway linking Asheville with Charlotte.



"The Dynamic Breakers"

## Back By Popular Demand-3rd Year!

The Polk County Jaycees proudly present, for the third year in a row, "The Dynamic Breakers." This band is one of the best rhythm, beach, and blues bands in the southeast.

The eight-member band features a super four-piece horn section and a great "Blues Brothers" show set. They will be performing at the Tryon Youth Center on Saturday, April 13 from 9 p.m. to 1 a.m. Don't miss it!

Tickets are available from any Jaycee or call Hov McClure at 457-4405.

-Community Reporter

## Jones Upgraded

Jeff Jones' condition has been upgraded, Rutherford County Hospital officials said Thursday.

Jones, who was critically injured in an automobile accident last week, is out of intensive care and is listed in stable condition.

## Block House Race Card

Encouraged by the approach of springtime, the Tryon Riding & Hunt Club this week trotted out the race card for the 45th renewal of the Block House Steeplechase to be run on Saturday, April 20.

This year's race meeting will again feature the famed Block House Steeplechase at two and one-half miles, and carrying a purse of \$20,000. At two miles and three furlongs is the NCNB, a race for maidens, or non-winners, offering an enlarged purse of \$10,000. This steeplechase, nearly as old as the Block House, is run as a memorial to Carter P. Brown, the man who brought hunt racing—and almost everything else connected to horses—to Tryon.

Also at 2-3/8 miles are the Doncaster, a conditioned claimer with a purse of \$7,500 and the Hunting Country Cup, a maiden claimer for \$5,000. Sponsored by the ERA Walker Agency and Ridgewood Farm, the Hunting Country is a memorial to Dr. Jack Bradshaw, a long-time chairman of the race meeting. The Doncaster, named for its sponsor, the well known apparel manufacturer, as well as a famous race in England, was once a race for amateur riders. However, as more and more of the top jockeys have become professionals, it has become necessary to open

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