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The weather Thursday: high 90, low 67, hum. 54 percent.

Consider this: Why would two 30-year-old guys who are just about to have their first child both be running for a Landrum City Council seat?

Don't they know what a first child does to your life? (Your former life.)

Doug Brannon's wife is due in November and Mitch Stewart's wife is due in January.

Still, one of these two is going to be taking a seat on the council after tomorrow's special election. We're lucky they're willing to do it. Each is an outstanding candidate.

But a fulltime job, a council seat and a new baby? Good luck, fellas. Get some sleep now, while you can.

The Tryon Thermal Belt Chamber of Commerce board of directors talked about the recession a bit last week, and its effect on local merchants.

Several interesting points were brought out. Such as:

* Saturday sales are being hurt because out-of-town visitors

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Polk County Honors Its Own

On Independence Day, while Americans across the country celebrate freedom and peace, Polk County will honor the local men and women who served in Operation Desert Storm.

A Military Appreciation Committee has been appointed by the Polk County Commissioners to coordinate the event, which will be held at noon on July 4, 1991 in front of the Polk County Courthouse. Each of the attending service men and women or their designee will be presented an American flag and other mementos.

"Invitations have been mailed to all 30 of the known Polk County service personnel who served in the Gulf," said Harry Evans, committee chairman. "We need help from the community to ensure that we have a complete list."

Following are the names of the individuals to whom invitations have been mailed:

Stuart Whitesides, Brian Parker, Timothy Pruitt, William A. Mills, Anthony Johnson, Ray Moffitt, Ricky Joel Counts, John K. Allwood, Iona Fox, William Teague, Phillip Lynch, Eric Little, Tonya Durham, Joseph F. Whitmire, Morris Carson, David Booker, Radway Littlejohn, Robert Herron, Dwight Durham, Cynthia Gas-

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Shawn Antoine Suber

Holy Cross Awards Scholarship

The Episcopal Church of the Holy Cross is pleased to award a Memorial Scholarship to Shawn Antoine Suber, a 1991 North Carolina Scholar graduate of Tryon High School.

Shawn was a member of the Beta Club. He is the son of Gloria Suber and Verbus Logan of Tryon. He will attend UN-Charlotte this fall. Shawn is a member of Garrison Chapel Baptist Church.

-Community Reporter

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Alzheimer's Meeting Today

Alzheimer's Disease, a degenerative brain disease, is the fourth leading cause of death of American adults. It is not a part of the normal aging process. It is a tragic illness which places a tremendous strain on the family, both financially and emotionally.

Coping can be difficult; but, support groups exists to ease the burden. Polk County's family support group meets each month in The Meeting Place (old St. Luke's Hospital, lower level). The next scheduled meeting is today at 2 p.m. For more information, call Marian Corn, 859-6661.

-Community Reporter

Toastmasters Will Offer 'Reflections'

Talk of the Town theme for the June 19 meeting at 7 p.m. at the Western Steer in Columbus will be *Reflections*.

Toastmaster for the evening will be Dave Slater. Speakers will be Ross Fox, Bill Kuhn and Baiba Bourbeau. General Evaluator is Peggy Dando. Steve Strickland will handle table topics. The public is welcome.

-Community Reporter