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The weather Thursday, high 91, low 69, hum. 48 percent.

Kirt Flynn used to edit a newsletter and he put a statement in each issue, one which we have had to use a lot lately while our minds have evidently been preoccupied elsewhere.

Kirt always said: "I tried to put something in for everybody, including those who like to find mistakes.

What's happening:

The Polk County Board of Commissioners meets today at 3 p.m. in the courthouse annex.

The Tryon Town Council meets tonight at 7:30 at Town Hall.

The Foothills Humane Society resumes its monthly board meetings on the third Monday of each month, starting today at 4 p.m. at NCNB.

The North Carolina Big Sweep program will hold a clean-up on Lake Adger Sept. 21. For more information, call the Tryon Thermal Belt Chamber of Commerce at 859-6236.

Tickets are on sale for the annual FENCE Moon Howl, to be held Sept. 21. Call FENCE

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Tryon Elementary PTA Meets Thurs.

The first of four PTA meetings for the school year will be held Thurs., Sept. 19 at the school. There will be an open house from 6:30 to 7:30 p.m. This is the parents' chance to meet their child's teachers and see their classroom. Parents are urged to come on time, as classroom doors will be closed 7:30. At this time, the general

meeting will be held in the school auditorium. Dr. Lakey, Tryon Elementary Principal, will speak briefly and then turn the program over to the guest panelists for the 45 minutes program. Speakers will be Sue Rhodes, Dept. of Social Services, Gordon Schneider, Polk County Mental Health Center and Rachel Ramsey, from "Steps To Hope."

These speakers will address the problem of child abuse and neglect. This program was coordinated through the Polk County Agricultural Extension Service.

Babysitting for younger children will be provided, along with entertainment for the older children.

When swallows fly high it's considered an indication of good weather. The birds feed on gnats and flies which are found farther from the ground when warm air rises.

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Major Alan C. Leonard

Awarded Medal

Major Alan C. Leonard of Tryon, has been awarded the National Defense Service Medal for participation in Operations Desert Shield and Desert Storm.

Major Leonard is a navigator with the 156th Tactical Airlift Squadron, North Carolina Air National Guard, and flys as a crewmember on C-130 "Hercules" aircraft. He flew 23 airlift sorties in support of the Persian Gulf campaign.

The Charlotte, N.C. based Air National Guard unit flew a total of 76 support missions and 369 sorties during the gulf war. -Community Reporter

Adger Clean-Up

Once again, in conjunction with The Big Sweep, there will be clean up of Lake Adger on Sept. 21, from 9 a.m. until 1 p.m. Volunteers are to meet at the Red Barn Boat Launch where launching will be free of charge and instructions and trash bags will be distributed.

Even if you do not have a boat, you can help. There are many campsites that need cleaning, and someone will transport you to a site and come back for you. In addition, the Green River above the lake is in need of clean-up and is accessible in many places by car.

For additional information contact Zone Captain, Carlann Osborn at 894-3885 or call the Chamber of Commerce office in Tryon.

-Community Reporter

4-H Informational Meeting In Gree Creek

Parents and youth ages 6-12 are invited to an informational meeting on the North Carolina 4-H program. Find out why your child should become a 4-H member on Thurs., Sept. 19, from 7-8 p.m. at the Green Creek Elementary School cafeteria.

For more information please contact Deborah H. Johnson, Extension Agent, 4-H or Allyn Walker, Asst. Agricultural Agent, with the North Carolina Cooperative Extension Service, 894-8218, M-F; 8:30-noon, 1-5 p.m.