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The weather Monday, high 63, low 30, hum. 45 percent.

The 1992 Polk County Gardener's Calendars have arrived and are being offered for sale at area businesses.

If you have not owned one of these in the past, you are missing out. The calendar is a nationally awarded project of the Polk County Extension Service. It contains month by month information on what to plant, what to prune, what to fertilize and other general chores you need to remember in order to keep your yard looking great.

Many of us see Extension Director John Vining here and there and everywhere each week. Often you see people stop him and ask a question about this plant, or that shrub. Invariably he'll given them the advice they seek, and remind them that the next time they need help all they need to do is, "Look at your gardener's calendar." It's all there, even when John is not.

What's happening:

The Carolines will be performing at Landrum Estates today at 1 p.m.

The Landrum Town Council
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Election Board To Hear McMillian's Complaints Tuesday

The Columbus Board of Elections will hear complaints filed by mayoral candidate Kathleen McMillian by Tuesday in Town Hall, but no definite time and date have been made, said the board chairman.

Kathleen Culbreth, Joyce Dedman and Heinie White must first decide if there is probable cause for a hearing to consider complaints of voting by non-registered, non-resident persons and voter harassment by Charlie Feagan.

If the complaints filed by McMillian warrant a hearing, the election board will hold the hearing before answering Mrs. McMillian's complaints in writing, said Mrs. Culbreth. First the municipal election board must file a record with Raleigh that hearing will be held, Mrs. Culbreth explained.

The Columbus Election Board can either dismiss the complaints or honor them.

Mrs. Culbreth said that the complaint of two voters' residency will be hard to prove. However, she believes there are plenty of witnesses of harassment by Feagan.

If in fact two non-registered, non-resident voters were permitted to vote, a new election could be ordered, explained Johnnie McLean with the North Carolina Board of Elections.
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Peggy Edwards

Tryon Elementary Teacher Of The Year

"In kindergarten you have more freedom to have fun," says veteran teacher Peggy Edwards. At Tryon Elementary last week, Mrs. Edwards, who has taught kindergarten for nineteen out of the past twenty-three years, was named "Teacher of the Year" by her colleagues.

She began her career teaching second grade in Kings Mountain for a year, and taught two years more in a federally funded kindergarten before moving to Tryon in 1971. After two years as a fourth grade teacher, Mrs. Edwards was given the kindergarten assignment at Tryon Elementary that she has enjoyed ever since.

"Kindergarten is not easy for children," she says. "It's their
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Lions Meet Tonight

Bill Murphy will be the guest speaker as the Tryon Lions meet tonight at 7:30 p.m. at the Western Steer in Columbus. His topic will be "Early Detection of Prostate Cancer Saves Lives."

Murphy, who refers to himself as a "survivor pro tem" recently completed 35 radiation treatments for prostate cancer, wants to encourage all men over 40 to have a yearly prostate exam.

The American Cancer Society says 27,000 American men will die from prostate cancer this year, but, like breast and colon cancer, could have been helped if detected early.

Murphy will point out the signs and symptoms of prostate cancer and discuss the three exams or tests used by doctors to detect prostate cancer: digital exam, ultra-sound and the prostate specific antigen (a simple arm-prick blood test).

He will also describe the radiation treatments for prostate cancer. Public is invited.

—Community Reporter

Foothills Music Club To Meet Thurs.

The next meeting of the Foothills Music Club will be on Thurs., Nov. 14, 3:30 at the home of Lesley Oakes. Performers will be Grace Bley and The Melrose Trio. Guests are welcome. Please inform the hostess if you plan to bring guests.
—Community Reporter