

# Jeanette White Finding Retirement "Flabbergasting"

By Teresa Simmons  
Post Managing Editor

Even before its origin Jeanette Kelly White has found that retirement can be as flabbergasting as a walk on the moon.

A surprise retirement party for Mrs. White was thrown by friends of a club she is a member of, the Birthday and Sick Group.

"We wanted to show Mrs. White our love for her," Lena Sarratt, fellow club member, commented.

"She has done so much for members in the club and our club just wanted to honor her as a great lady."

Ms. Sarratt, who has worked with Mrs. White at Sharon Towers Retirement Home for 10 years, offered that she has never seen her angry.

"She's just everything that's nice. She has a beautiful personality and that never changes. She's an amazing lady. Even when she's sick she is smiling. If anything it keeps her going."

Mrs. White who will officially retire as a nurse's assistant July 14, has been known to take special interests with the Towers' and other nursing home residents. She often sends flower bouquets and baskets to nursing home residents.

A member of St. John's Baptist Church she also aids others through Christ. According to her pastor, Rev. Robert Leak, Mrs. White gives baskets, clothes and benevolence gifts to members and non-members of the church.

"She's loved by all members of the church and community," Rev. Leak commented. "She advises the young against wrong and she is always sticking against wrong."

"She doesn't hold any malice; she's tolerant and patient," Rev. Leak continued.

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Ms. Jeanette K. White  
... "An amazing lady"

Ms. White is president of the Pastor's Aid group at St. John's and a member of the Sunday School, Missionary, and is a member emeritus of the Usher Board. She has been a member of St. John's since the age of 13.

Rev. Leak has invited Mrs. White to be a delegate from the church at the National Congress in Milwaukee, Wisconsin. "She is a number one supporter of the church at large. She has contributed to the progress and improvement of her church in many ways and all of her actions are exemplified by her love," Rev. Leak stated.

Mrs. White enjoys cooking including making up recipes and canning. She is

# Las Amigas Conducts Charm Session

By Lori Grier  
Post Staff Writer

What does it mean to be in the "Little Miss Las Amigas" Pageant? It means cultural and personal enrichment experiences and lots more. It allows girls to make long lasting friendships with others in their age category at the get acquainted activities.

At the session on Saturday, June 5, held at the Greenville Center, young girls were given the opportunity to participate in a personality enhancing session led by Mrs. Jeanne Holtzclaw. This session emphasized presenting one's self in a pleasant manner so that extending friendly relationships becomes lasting. A group discussion about the sum total of one's own experiences provided for extensive input among the young girls.

The charm session for the girls was led by the charming Dr. Joyce Waddell. This group session demonstrated proper wearing attire for occasions exemplified by each day of the week. As a surprise to the agenda each girl was present with a doll and handmade clothing. They delighted in dressing for different events in our society.

The founder of Las Amigas and director of the pageant is Mrs. Dora Mason who arranged the

entire series of events that accompany the involvement for young girls in beauty, charm, self enhancing societal and cultural participation. Mrs. Mason greeted parents and still found time to sit with the group of girls ages three to six as they talked about proper nutrition and how these nutrients are naturally found in foods from our four basic groups. This led to the setting of a table and, of course, proper

table manners which are essential at home and in public places designed for eating.

It is hoped more occasions for young black girls to become involved in beauty, charm, good grooming, cultural and social graces, for these experiences are worthwhile for every young girl.

Interested young ladies can still participate. Call Mrs. Dora Mason at 596-0386.

# Bus Trip Scheduled For Orlando

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