



MRS. BILL MAYES conducted a pottery-making workshop for members of the Creative Living Home-makers Club of which she is president. Mrs. Mayes is teaching Mrs. Tony Dotson at the potter's wheel.

WCU Alumni Will Meet September 30

The Western Carolina University Alumni will meet on Thursday, September 30th, at 6:00 p. m. at the Connestee Raltec Restaurant. This will be a dinner meeting.

A short business meeting will be held. Mrs. Joanne Gordon, President will preside. A representative of the Connestee Raltec will speak to the group.

All alumni are urged to attend. New members are welcome to join at this time.

Outdoor Biology Lab Being Held

By Pam Boyce

When you're wading after slimy salamanders or stalking uncooperative grasshoppers, a three-hour lab tends to slip by rather quickly. So Mrs. Potts' lab students discovered last week during a field trip to her house.

After dividing into groups of six, everyone scattered into the woods surrounding Mrs. Potts' home. Each group was to collect flowers, plants and crawling things if they could. The scavenger hunt lasted an hour and a half; then everyone rendezvoused back to the house.

Squirmy girls returned carrying bags of flowers and weeds. The braver men carried jars of salamanders, crawfish, frogs and tadpoles. Shortly a herd of grasshoppers, crickets, and spiders wandered around the porch.

One group returned with a kitten only hours old. Another searched through frozen peas and corn on the cob for a hawk in Mrs. Potts' freezer. (She's

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Clarke To Direct

First Baptist To Have Four-Day Sunday School Training Program

The First Baptist Church is putting a major emphasis on a growing Sunday School Program for this fall. All Sunday School workers will be involved in a four-day training conference from September 26th-29th.

The director of this conference will be William Harry Clarke, Associate Director of the Sunday School Department for North Carolina Baptists in Raleigh.

Mr. Clarke is a native of West Virginia and served as a pastor for over 20 years. He was a Chaplain in the U.S. Army from 1944 - 1946. He holds a A. B. degree from Marshall University, a B.D. degree from Southern Baptist Theological Seminary in Louisville, Kentucky and has completed all resident requirements for his Th. D. in Religious Education. Mr. Clarke has been with the State Baptist Convention since April, 1970.

The four-day training conference will include such areas as teaching improvement, lesson planning, motivation, expansion, spiritual renewal, Christian commitment and discipleship.



MR. WILLIAM H. CLARKE

There will be a separate conference for each age division including pre-school, children, youth and adult. Each division leader will be a staff member of the State Baptist Convention in Raleigh, or a competent, well-trained leader in Sunday School work among North Carolina Baptists.

The other conference leaders will include Miss Hilda Mayo of Raleigh and Miss Louella Brown of Cullowhee for the Pre-School Division; Mrs. Myra S. Motley of Raleigh, Mrs. John Hicks of Asheville, and Mrs. J. H. Mauney of Maysville for the Children's Division; Bill Greenwood of Lexington for the Youth Department; and Mr. Clarke of Raleigh for the Adult Division.

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Business Club At College Has First Meeting

The first Business Club meeting of the school year was held Tuesday, September 7, in the Brevard College faculty lounge. The gathering gave an opportunity to meet the new members.

The meeting was brought to order at 6:30 p. m. by President Linda Funderburk. The sophomore officers were presented as follows: Vice - President, Janet Capps; Secretary, Cathy Rhodamer; Freshman, Debbi Harrison was elected treasurer.

All the members of the club introduced themselves and told of their recent work experiences. Hope was expressed for many valuable speakers to address them during the remainder of the year.

The club then adjourned to the refreshment table where cake and punch were served.

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Plans Are Being Formulated For County-Wide Pre-School Centers

Mrs. Frank McGuire, Chairman of the Transylvania County Coordinated Child Care Program a United Fund Agency, has announced that plans have been made for a county-wide system of pre-school centers. Funds for the expansion of this project have been requested from the Appalachian Regional Commission and budget figures have been submitted to support this request. An answer from the Commission is expected within the next two months.

The 4C Program, of which Mrs. McGuire is Chairman, operates the First Adventure Center and is, at this time, the only licensed day care center in the County. The center is open to all children. Mrs. Edith Jenkins, Director of Social Services for the County, is Vice - Chairman. Other members of the policy board represent public agencies in the County which are concerned with the training of pre-school children.

The First Adventure Center is located in facilities donated by the First United

Methodist Church and offers a carefully planned program of early childhood education including arts, crafts, games, music, free play and field trips designed to interest three, four and five year olds.

In commenting on the proposed expansion of the 4C Program, Mrs. McGuire stated that without the help of the United Fund, the first step toward providing educational experiences for the very young children could not have been taken and the decision to expand by seeking additional funds could not have been made.

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