



The Pinehurst Page

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PINEHURST'S HOMECOMING QUEEN—Miss Ollie Frances Robson, was chosen Homecoming Queen of Pinehurst High School for 1961-62 following the annual homecoming games between the Pinehurst and Wagram basketball teams November 22 at the local gym. She is shown here with her escort, Gary Cameron. The 17-year-old queen, is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Vander Robson of Pinehurst. (Hemmer photo)

Pinehurst School Highlights

By Gene Maples and John Barry

The Pinehurst girls' and boys' basketball teams wished each other a "happy homecoming" as they defeated Wagram here November 22.

Interesting to note is that both games had such nearly identical final scores—Pinehurst girls won 58-49, while the boys scored one point less to win 57-49.

Judy Cameron of Pinehurst was, as usual, high scorer for the girls with 31 points—keep that average up, Judy! Patsy Hunt scored 18 points for her contribution to the victory, while Linda Hinson scored nine points. Our girls made eight out of 18 shots from the foul line for 44 per cent accuracy.

Margaret Shaw, for Wagram, was close behind Judy, with 29 points, outshooting Carolyn Smith of Wagram, who had 14. The Wagram girls outshot us percentage-wise, making 15 of 31 shots for 48 per cent accuracy.

Boys' Game
The Pinehurst boys, who are really playing heads-up basketball this season, scored their fifth straight victory November 22. Bobby Norton and Marshall Lewis did all right by adding 12 points each to the score books. Butch

Hardy of the locals was close behind with 10. Our boys made 9 of 16 free throws for 56 per cent accuracy.

In this hard-fought game, Curry and Odom were high scorers for Wagram with 19 and 12 points. Wagram's accuracy was slightly lower than ours—they made 50 per cent.

Homecoming Queen
Of course, at every homecoming, there must be a queen. Each player on the boys' basketball team escorts one girl, who is a candidate for the crown. The student body then votes for these girls and elects the queen and two runners-up.

Ollie Frances Robson was crowned the 1961-62 Homecoming Queen of Pinehurst High School; her escort was Gary Cameron.

Judy Cameron was voted first runner-up. She was escorted by Bill McDonald; and second runner-up was Gail Williamson, who was escorted by Richard Oldham.

Sock-Hop
As is the annual custom, a sock hop followed the games. The mood for some was light and gay, while others were dreamy and blue, but all agreed they had a wonderful time.

Pinehurst Cub Scouts To See UNC-Va. Game

The Cub Scout, Pack meeting, held Friday evening at the Pinehurst Community Church, was opened with a flag ceremony conducted by Douglas Sheffield and Randy Bosworth. The Rev. Father Mulholland of Sacred Heart Catholic Church gave the devotional.

Cubmaster E. K. Dudley presented the following awards: Bear badges—Steve Dennis, Jimmy Cameron and Ray Monroe; Gold Arrow—James Cameron; and four Silver Arrows—Robbie McKean.

Plans were made to attend the UNC-Virginia football game next Saturday, December 2. Free tickets to this game were awarded Pack 7 by the Oconeechee Council for recruiting 12 new boys.

Cubmaster Dudley announced that the next Pack meeting will be our annual Christmas party, to be held at the American Legion Hut December 20. All boys will bring staple goods wrapped in white tissue paper to be given to the Community Service Fund. Dens will decorate a tree with handmade decorations to be taken to the Pinehurst Convalescent Home.

Mrs. Lanie Garner's Den 3 presented Thanksgiving playlet as the program for the evening. The attendance cup was won by Mrs. Garner's Den 3.

Refreshments were served by Mrs. Garner, Mrs. Clarence H. Bost, Mrs. C. C. McKenzie, Mrs. Sam Hartsell and Mrs. Harold E. Black.

MASSES TO BE HELD

On Friday, December 8, the Feast of the Immaculate Conception will be observed at Sacred Heart Catholic Church with masses at 8 a. m. and 5 p. m. with the pastor, the Rev. James R. Jones, celebrant.

Miss Ann Morgan Feted, Bride-Elect Of December 30

Miss Ann Morgan of Raleigh was recently feted at a bridal shower in the fellowship hall of Beulah Hill Baptist Church, by the Woman's Missionary Society.

After the social hour, refreshments in keeping with the bridal motif were enjoyed by the guests. The bride-elect received many lovely gifts.

Miss Morgan, the daughter of Mrs. Minnie Morgan of Pinehurst, will be married December 30 to James Hufford, son of Mr. and Mrs. Mercer C. Hufford of Pinehurst.

E. A. Regan Wins Kenworthy Trophy in Tin Whistles Event

E. A. Regan scored a net 68 over Pinehurst's Number One Course to become the 11th winner Saturday of the Howard Kenworthy trophy in the Tin Whistles Club tournament. Sixty-three members participated.

A Class D competitor, runner-up in the division, was David R. Riach, who scored net 69 on Number Three. Tied at 69 for top honors in Classes A and B were John D. McConnell, Gen. Stuart Cutler and Lyle T. Alverson, all in A; and Dr. Duwayne D. Gadd, Mercer C. Hufford and R. M. Pearse, in B.

H. F. Seawell, Jr. posted 72 to win Class C and one stroke off with 73's were Woody Browning, Thomas C. Smith and Norwood P. Johnston.

Silver Foils Club Tourney Winners And New Members

Following are the results of last week's Silver Foils Club event, received too late for the Pilot's early (Thanksgiving) deadline.

Scoring 67's to tie for first place in the best ball of all four partners tourney, with foursomes drawn from the entry of 47 players, were: Mrs. William C. Harris, Mrs. Stuart H. Patterson, Mrs. John M. Reeves and Mrs. Edward Stevens; and Mrs. Lewis C. Burwell, Mrs. Dennis C. Crotty, Mrs. Cuyler S. Patton and Miss Margaret A. Lavary.

Members Voted In

Elected to membership in the Silver Foils Club at the November 2 board of directors meeting were: Mrs. John Barclay, Jr., Greensburg, Pa.; Mrs. W. V. Cadmus, Short Hills, N. J.; Mrs. P. Huber Hanes, Jr., Winston-Salem; Mrs. H. Brandon Jones, Montpelier, Vt.; Mrs. William Merrill, Rye, N. Y.; and Mrs. Guy C. Smith, Knollwood.

Tournament Results

Mrs. Louis R. Porteous and Mrs. Edward Stevens registered 82 to take first prize in Tuesday's Silver Foils Club tournament. Fifty-two members played in the par bogey, better ball of pair event.

Three teams, tied at 80 for runner-up position, were: Mrs. Dennis C. Crotty and Mrs. L. Paget Rigby; Mrs. John W. Lindsay and Mrs. William C. Harris; and Mrs. J. A. Ruggles and Mrs. Walter G. Robins.

Four Top Winners In Pet Show at Carolina Sunday

Youngsters, and their pets, taking top honors at the annual Thanksgiving Pet Show Sunday afternoon in the Carolina Hotel Riding Ring were: Best of Show—"Frenchy," silver poodle shown by Bobby Burwell and David Gadd; Prettiest—"Lili," a Pekinese owned by Caroline Hodgkins of Southern Pines and shown by Patsy Creem of Pinehurst; Funniest—silver-crowned Welsh Corgi, shown by Edie Graves of Statesville; Most Unusual—"Mr. Toad," shown by Joann Wedlock.

Judging the event were Carolina guests Mrs. W. G. O'Connell of Dalton, Mass.; Mrs. Virginia Farnsworth of Winchester, Va. and Mrs. C. Samuel Mason of Virginia Beach, Va.

(Results of the Horse Show which followed appear on another page.)

R. M. Cushman Speaks To Pinehurst Lions Club

The Pinehurst Lions Club, meeting last Wednesday evening for dinner at Laverne's Grill, heard a talk by Robert M. Cushman of Southern Pines, executive vice president of Amerotron, Inc.

Gordon Cameron, program chairman for the evening, introduced the speaker.

New members inducted into the Club by Club Secretary and Zone Chairman W. Graydon Spivey, were Everett A. Horrell of Southern Pines and Thomas Garnzaou of Pinehurst.

168 Compete in Tufts Memorial at Pinehurst

Winners of the seventh annual Tufts Memorial tournament for Pinehurst Country Club members were Mrs. Clement R. Monroe and Frank R. Wells, with low net 64.

Eighty-four pairs played in Friday's medal play better ball of pair event, the biggest field ever for the Memorial tourney. Tied at 65 for runners-up position were Mrs. Richard Hellmann and Raymond E. North, Mr. and Mrs. George T. Baird and Mrs. James E. Harrington, Jr. and Peter V. Tufts.

Funeral Held For Mrs. McGraw, 85

Funeral services were held at Pittsburgh, Pa., Saturday for Mrs. Mary Evans McGraw, 85, who had been a Pinehurst winter resident for many years.

She was the widow of Thomas H. McGraw, Jr., prominent Pittsburgh industrialist who died several years ago.

Mrs. McGraw died Thursday morning of last week at her cottage, "Live Oaks," following an illness of several months.



AFTER DEDICATION of the new Chapel Hall November 19, Bishop Louis C. Melcher, minister of the Village Chapel, moved into the study where he is shown, above, with Mrs. Henry Beale Spelman, right, donor with her family of the new room in memory of her late husband. On the Bishop's right is Mrs. Charles Maddox, who gave the curved cloister joining the Village Hall to the Chapel, as a memorial to her late parents, Mr. and Mrs. Samuel Young Ramage. (Hemmer photo)

TEEING OFF * WITH deNISSOFF

One of the Thanksgiving blessings listed by Wilton Garrison in his Charlotte Observer column—"The majesty of the long-leaf pines and the quiet dignity of Pinehurst."

While in her Carolina Hoof Prints column in the same paper, Mimi Howard relates the origin of the blessing of the hounds and includes in her list of hunts opening Thanksgiving Day the initial meeting of the Moore County Hounds with joint masters Richard D. Webb and W. O. Moss at the latter's Mileaway Farms.

"While fox-hunting traditions originated in England and Ireland," writes Mimi, "the blessing of the hounds at the beginning of each season is said to have begun in Belgium."

She recounts briefly the tale of St. Hubert, himself a hunter and patron saint of hunters. After his conversion to Catholicism following a Good Friday vision of a stag having a cross between his horns, Hubert entered a monastery.

He was eventually canonized

Bishop of Liege. It is in St. Hubert's name that the custom of blessing the hunt began in Belgium, was picked up in France, then England, where the Episcopalians adopted it.

"Think, when we talk of horses,
That you see them
Printing their proud
hooves
T' the receiving earth."

The continuing perfect Sandhills weather—crisp, tangy mornings with warm sunlight illuminating the slowly fading autumn foliage—is a tantalizing invitation to get on a horse for a ride on one of the bridle paths winding in and out of Pinehurst for 100 miles or so.

The youngsters in this section have always taken to the saddle early, and many beginners and more advanced riders are learning and practicing the art of equitation with Sallie and Corbett Alexander at their stable on Mid-

Here and Away

Weekend guests of Adm. and Mrs. Thomas Regan were his sisters, Mrs. John J. Topper of Christianburg, Va. and Mrs. Joseph L. Cantwell of Bristol, Va.

Mr. and Mrs. S. Donald Sherred returned home Tuesday after a holiday visit with their daughter and son-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. Philip White and daughter, Lisa, in Yardley, Pa.

Mr. and Mrs. Udell C. Young, have left for their place in Larchmont, N. Y. and expect to return here in February.

Mrs. Robert D. Buchwald and two daughters left Tuesday for their home in Norfolk, Va. after three weeks her with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Lionel Callaway.

Lt. Buchwald, on a tour of duty in the Caribbean, expects to be back in Norfolk in mid-January.

Miss Allison Gramelsbach returned to Tufts University at Medford, Mass. after a holiday visit with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. F. W. Gramelsbach.

Here from Montreal, Quebec for the weekend with Mrs. C. M. Rudel were her son and daughter-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. Jack Rudel.

Mrs. Hargrave Vail and Mrs. Washington Innes-Taylor spent the Thanksgiving weekend visiting the former's sons, Duncan Vail and his wife in Greensboro, and Jimmy Vail, his wife, and their children, in Winston-Salem.

Mrs. John E. Dixon returned Sunday following several days in Chattanooga, Tenn. with Mr. and Mrs. John S. Dixon.

Mr. and Mrs. Russell Sibley and their three children returned Saturday to Rochester, N. Y. after spending Thanksgiving with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. John R. Sibley.

Mr. and Mrs. Livingston L. Biddle returned home Saturday from visits in New York and Philadelphia.

Here for the weekend with her aunt, the Countess of Carrick, was Miss Nancy Smith of New York City.

Visiting Mr. and Mrs. Hugh Carter over Thanksgiving and for the weekend was their daughter, Miss Mary Anne Carter of Raleigh. Her fiancé, Edward Clayton of Ft. Jackson, S. C., was the Thanksgiving overnight guest of Mrs. T. A. Cheatham.

Guests of Mrs. Hulon Cole over

NEW TOYS FROM OLD

Members of the Pinehurst Fire Department are again this year re-painting and re-pairing and refurbishing old toys, dolls, etc. to be given to the children of needy families at Christmas.

They urgently request that old toys either be taken to the Fire House, or they will be picked up if desired, following a call to CY4-4141.

Tennis Tournament Winners at Pinehurst

Gary Cameron Saturday defeated Robert Pearse, Jr., 6-4, 9-7, thereby becoming champion of the men's division in the fall tennis tournament on the Pinehurst Country Club's clay courts.

Mrs. J. H. Devins of Southern Pines won the women's division title, defeating Mrs. Albert L. Sneed 6-0, 4-6, 6-0 in their finals match Sunday.

Pro Joe Roddey announces a mixed doubles tournament will be played on the Pinehurst courts Saturday and Sunday afternoons.

DISCOVERY

Prior to 1835, Mount Mitchell was called Black Dome and New Hampshire's Mount Washington was generally believed to be the highest in Eastern America. That year, Dr. Elisha Mitchell, a professor of mathematics, mineralogy and geology at the University of North Carolina in Chapel Hill, made barometric measurements of the highest peaks in the Black Mountains and announced his discovery that Black Dome was taller than Mount Washington.

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