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Two Courses Are Studied For Davie Rec Center

MOCKSVILLE — Citizens of Davie County came up with two possibilities Monday night in their quest for a Civic Recreational Center, in a meeting held at the Davie County Library.

Mrs. Knox Johnstone, president of the Mocksville Woman's Club, initial sponsor of the project, said this morning that first of all the group agreed to make it a county-wide community project rather than confining the center to the town.

She said that through courses taken recently in Civil Defense, residents discovered that one course open in securing a community center could be through funds from the U.S. Civil Defense Service.

Mrs. Johnstone said they were told that the whole facility could be constructed underground, with future auditorium and other rooms built above ground. The underground facility would serve as the community center in addition to future disaster accommodations which the town lacks at the present time.

Meeting rooms, kitchen facilities, dressing and wash

rooms would encompass the underground areas, as well as providing large storage areas for stocking the shelter and with room for 1,000 to 2,000 people to be protected.

Another possibility for achieving the center was discussed, but this idea would probably take about two years for plans to be completed.

This idea was that bonds be secured to construct a new grammar school building to replace the one on Main Street, adjacent to Rich Park where the community center will be built.

Mrs. Johnstone said that if this idea is approved, the school building would be constructed with underground facilities for the community center and school gymnasium. Classrooms and auditorium would be built above ground.

Mocksville Town Board members were present at last night's meeting, and will discuss the two possibilities for the center at their meeting tonight, and with Davie County Commissioners soon.

Boy Injured By Accident

Davie County Sheriff's deputies have tentatively listed as accidental an early Sunday morning incident at the Cooleemee Shopping Center which resulted in the breaking of a large glass door and the injury of an 18-year-old youth.

Larry Head, son of Mr. and Mrs. James Head of Wall Street, was found at the shopping center about 6 a.m. Sunday in a dazed condition.

The youth apparently had

fallen through the glass door of a nearby hardware. Eugene Holland, who discovered the young man, summoned an ambulance.

Young Head was taken to Davie County Hospital where he was placed under observation. He was later released.

Deputies investigating the incident questioned several witnesses and reported there was no indication of the incident being other than accidental.

Spring Is Here

... And Alicia Baidler, seven-year-old daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Chuck Baidler, is 100 per cent in favor. Framed by blossoms of her pear tree, Alicia flashes a happy spring smile for Journal Photographer James Hastings.

You Must Re-Register To Be Eligible To Vote

A new vote registration is taking place in Davie County. You must re-register if you want to vote in the coming elections since Davie County is going to the loose-leaf system of registration.

Registration books will be open at the following precincts from 9 a.m. to 6 p.m. each Saturday through April 20:

N. CALAHAN—Center Community Building, Ralph Dwiggins, Rt. 1, Mocksville.

S. CALAHAN—Davie Academy Community Building, Claude Carter, Rt. 1, Mocksville.

CLARKSVILLE—William B. Davie School, W. Macy Langston, Rt. 5, Mocksville.

COOLEEMEE—Cooleemee School Gym, Mrs. Jo Creason, Cooleemee.

FARMINGTON—Farmington School Gym, Glenn Allen, Rt. 5, Mocksville.

FULTON—Fulton Fire Station, Mrs. Jean Hauser, Rt. 2, Advance.

JERUSALEM—Jerusalem Fire Station, Mrs. Frances Ridenhour, Pine Ridge Road.

N. MOCKSVILLE—Mocksville School Gym, Mrs. Ruth Howell, N. Main Street, Mocksville.

S. MOCKSVILLE—Court House L. E. Foster, Rt. 4, Mocksville.

E. SHADY GROVE—Advance Fire Station, Mrs. Shirley Cornater, Advance.

W. SHADY GROVE—Sixty Fire Station, Johnny Norman,

Rt. 2, Advance.

SMITH GROVE—Smith Grove School Gym, Mrs. Richard Allen, Hwy. 150, Rt. 2.

In addition to the Saturday registrations, voters may register at the homes of the registrars during the week.

GOP CANDIDATES

Republicans will have a primary to nominate three candidates for the county commission.

The seven vying for the three spots are Charles (Buddy) Alexander, Samuel L. Daywalt, Fred O. Ellis, I.H. Jones, Lorin W. Nixon, Dr. Francis W. Slate, and Clay Tuttlecrow.

Gilbert Lee Boger and Homer Tolbert are unopposed for the Republican nomination for the House of Representatives.

Other uncontested GOP candidates are Kermit Smith, register of deeds; Dr. B. L. Richards, coroner; and J. C. Comer, surveyor.

DEMOCRATS

Democrats will not need a primary May 4.

Candidates include Harold Odom, Joe Murphy and Jim Bowles, county commission; Lester P. Martin Jr. and J. P. Hawkins, House; Bill Brantman, register of deeds; and Ted M. Foster coroner.

BOARD OF EDUCATION

Two of five candidates will be selected in a non-partisan election for the Board of Education May 4. Candidates are Claude Hicks, Hudson Hoyle Jr., Benny Naylor, Allen E. Webb and Booker T. Williams.

Holy Week Services

The Holy Week Services of the Cooleemee Methodist Church will begin Sunday and continue through Thursday, April 11.

The Rev. Charles G. Beaman Jr., district superintendent, will conduct services each evening at 7 p.m.

On Thursday night the Rev. Mr. Beaman will lead the congregation in a candlelight Communion Service.

No other meetings of the church will be in conflict with these services.



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JERUSALEM GROUND BREAKING — Golden Circle Ladies break ground for new sanctuary at Jerusalem Baptist Church. They are (l-r), Mrs. D.E. Beck, Mrs. O'H Hartley, Mrs. E.C. Williams, Mrs. Dora Cable, teacher, Mrs. C.W. Beck, Mrs. R.F. Hamilton and Mrs. B.W. Singletor. Mrs. W.R. Whinnant is also a member of the class.