

# Bloodmobile Meets Quota

The bloodmobile met the quota for the year in their visit to Raeford last week. Of the 138 pints of blood

that were donated, 114 were acceptable. Of the donors, the highest number, 51, came from Burlington Industries. Knit-Away employees donated 20 pints of blood, in their first time of participating in the program.

House of Raeford employees donated 15 pints, Tex-Elastic employees donated 9, the Collins Co. gave 4 pints and 15 other donors listed themselves as self-employed.

Because the quota was met, a make-up visit by the bloodmobile will not be necessary.

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## From The Home Agent's Desk

By Ellen Willis and Brenda Abrams

### THE WONDERFUL ONE-DISH MEAL

Everybody knows about cooking meat balls and spaghetti, but have you ever cooked meat balls and vegetables? Here's a medley of good foods that will bring hearty flavor to your table and a note of economy to your budget. This amazingly easy meal-in-a-dish is called Meat Balls 'N' Vegetables but something like Surprise Casserole might describe it just as well.

Count on this casserole to be a hit with men, women and children. Its mouth-watering blend of flavors pleases every taste, and it's easy to make. First make the meat balls, seasoning them lightly with onion and mustard, and binding them together with egg, milk and bread crumbs.

Browned in butter, they're soon ready to go around the edges of your baking dish. Meanwhile you have a sauce to cook and vegetables to cook. Frozen mixed vegetables lend themselves beautifully to this casserole, as they offer such a variety of flavors and jewel-bright colors as soon as your gardens produce use your own vegetables. The sauce is made conveniently with condensed cream of mushroom soup, enhanced by a favorite herb, old-fashioned sage, and a generous amount of golden Cheddar cheese.

It's a matter of minutes to arrange the meat balls around

the sides of the casserole, pour the creamy sauce in the middle and fill it with vegetables. Cover and bake, then serve still bubbling hot. With milk and a salad dinner's ready.

### MEAT BALLS 'N' VEGETABLES

- 1 pound ground beef
- 1/2 cup fine dry bread crumbs
- 1/3 cup milk
- 1 egg, beaten
- 1/4 cup finely chopped onion
- 1 teaspoon salt
- 1/4 teaspoon dry mustard
- 1 tablespoon butter
- 1 can (10 1/2 oz.) condensed cream of mushroom soup
- 1 1/2 cups (6 oz.) shredded Cheddar cheese
- 1/2 teaspoon rubbed sage
- 2 packages (10-oz. each) frozen mixed vegetables

In a bowl lightly combine beef, bread crumbs, milk, egg, onion, salt and mustard. Shape into twenty-four 1 1/2-inch balls. In a large skillet melt butter; brown meat balls slowly on all sides. Combine soup, cheese and sage. Meanwhile, cook vegetables according to package directions; drain. Arrange meat balls around sides of a shallow 1 1/2-quart casserole; spoon soup mixture into center. Place cooked vegetables over top. Cover with foil; bake in a preheated 350 degree oven for 30 minutes. Yield: 6 servings.

# Outstanding Students Honored

Outstanding Hoke High students were awarded at special ceremonies held Monday morning in the school auditorium. Awards were presented by the school faculty members and other Hoke County residents.

The Mathematics Award for the high scorer in the High School Mathematics Contest went to Frank Williamson.

Business Awards went to the following students: Shorthand--Debbie Tew; Typing I--Kelly Jordan; Typing II--Linda Ashburn; Best in Business Dept.--Becky Conoly. The Raeford Women's Club presented a scholarship award to Beth Ivey and a Creative Writing Award to Tom Garrison.

A \$100 Hoke County Extension Homemaker's Council Award was divided between two students, Jane Barnes and Barbara Plummer.

A \$50 scholarship from the Rockfish Extension Homemakers went to Linda Hendren.

The Ashmont Extension Homemaker's Award for \$50 went to Jim Crissman.

Calvin Monroe was awarded the DECA Club Scholarship.

A \$500 scholarship from the Lumbee River Electric Corporation went to Shelly Bratcher.

"I Dare You" awards were presented to Tony Littrell and Mary McCallum.

Winner of the American Legion Oratorical Contest was Calvin McNeill.

The American Legion Memorial Scholarship in memory of Israel Mann, was presented to Jim Crissman.

Winner of the Voice of Democracy Oratorical Contest from the VFW was Missy Upchurch. She was presented a \$125 savings bond.

The D.A.R. Good Citizen Award was presented to Shelly Jean Bratcher.

The Farm Bureau Award for the best agriculture student went to Zinford Chavis.

Carol Fowler was awarded the \$100 Howell Drug Scholarship.

The Nannie Fickle Scholarship for \$300 went to Mary Lee Shaw.

A \$100 Kiwanis Citizenship Award in memory of Israel Mann, was presented to Russell Davis.

The Professional Women's Club trophy for leadership was presented to Eddie Dupree.

A \$300 scholarship from the Raeford United Methodist Church was awarded to Kathy Currie.

Anthony McGregor was named audio-visual aid of the year.

The awards for the most improved library aides went to Barbara Scarboro and Marion McCollum.

The library student of the year was Mary Kate Monroe.

Most active Library Club member was Betsy Postel.

Distinguished service to the library awards were presented to Gail Bowen, Toni McDiarmid, Doris McNeill, Peggy Graham, Margaret Rogers, Ann Melton and Ruby Goodman.

The ITC Library Club award was presented to Carolyn Baker.

The FFA Library Club

award went to Joseph McCollum.

Textile students were presented certificates from Burlington Industries.

Physical Science Awards were presented to Pam Dockery, Evelyn Monroe, Allen Riddle, Robin Maxwell, Carolyn White and Jeanette Field.

Biology awards were presented to Betty Goins, Marilyn McKoy, Queen Hollingsworth and Barbara Ross.

The Raeford Presbyterian Scholarship was awarded to

Mike Conoly.

The First Baptist Church Scholarships were awarded to Linda Hendren and Linda Barfield.

An anonymous \$100 scholarship was presented to David Dombkowski.

Principal's Awards were presented to the following students. Ronnie Buie, Skip Autry, Beth Jordan, Debbie Easterling, Barbara Plummer, Russell Davis, Alice Campbell, Michael Adkinson, Missy Upchurch, Jim Crissman, Veris Thomas.

Julia Ann Gibson, Jerry Tucker, Kelly Jordan, Frank

Williamson, Beth Ivey, Barry Inman, David Wood, Kathy Currie, William Woods, Martin Best.

Calvin Monroe, Ronnie Dockery, Shelly Bratcher, Calvin McNeill, Linda Ashburn, Yvonne Baker, Jane Barnes, Linda Barfield, Evelyn Brown, Charles Chandler.

David Dombkowski, Stephen Ellis, Harvey Farmer, Larry Foster, Kenneth Hendrix, Bobby Grantham, Carla McNair, Becky Hood, Matthew McGregor, Mack McNeill.

Bruce Morrison, Bill Poole, Johnny Sanderson, Donnie Smith, Leland Strother, Mark Thompson, Jim Warner, Cynthia White, David Willis, Janie Beatty.

Annie Blue, Lillian Shaw, Henry Harris, Debbie Leach, Troy Inman, Sally Mac Johnson, Joe McCollum, Deborah McMillian, Mark Cummings, Ardell Clark.

Shirley Butler, Sammy Young, Richard Gaddis, Mark Gillis, Eddie Barefoot, Van McBryde.

Special recognition was given to the following students:

Carolyn Stator, who was chosen to attend the Governor's School; Veronica Singletary, who was chosen to attend the N.C. Leadership School; Beth Jordan, for receiving the National Council of English Teacher's Award and for winning a \$100 savings bond for her first place state essay in the N.C. Civil Defense Essay Contest.

## Stonewall Report

BY MRS. HAROLD CHASON

Vacation Bible school will begin at Sandy Grove United Methodist Church Monday, May 12 at 8:30 a.m. Children are urged to attend.

The Rev. and Mrs. Berry O. Barbour were presented a silver cake stand by T. C. Jones from the members of the church in appreciation for their three years of service to Sandy Grove United Methodist Church at the Sunday Morning worship service June 4.

Mr. and Mrs. E. P. Roberts of Galax, Virginia spent Tuesday and Wednesday of last week with Mr. and Mrs. Brown Hendrix and family.

Mr. and Mrs. Woodrow Hayes and Mrs. Blanche Hedgpath spent from Sunday through Wednesday with Mr. and Mrs. Jerry Marsh in Seveva Park, Maryland. Mrs. Hayes fell on Friday and broke her arm.

Mrs. E. B. Maxwell, Ellen and Robert Maxwell visited Mr. and Mrs. Billy Jones in Clio Sunday.

Mrs. Norma Jean Andrews, Donna Gary and Lynne Andrews spent the weekend with Mr. and Mrs. M. C. Boyles.

Donald McKenzie visited Tom Chason at the veteran's hospital in Fayetteville Sunday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. Billy Jones and son of Durham spent the weekend with Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Jones, Mrs. Jessie Jones and daughter Ashley of Raeford and Mrs. John Henry McNeill of Red Springs were Sunday guests of Mr. and Mrs. Jones.

Mrs. Frank Davis attended eighth grade graduation exercises for Michael Black at Upchurch School Monday a.m.

Mrs. Clellan McKenzie, Glenda and Teresa McKenzie attended the senior graduation exercise at Parkton High School Friday night June 2. There were 68 graduates.

Mrs. Mildred Shaw, Mr. and Mrs. Jimmy Shaw and Miss Ailene Shaw of Rex, and Clyde Carter of Parkton were weekend guests of Mr. and Mrs. L. M. Chason.

Miss Glenda McKenzie, Kim Burke, Lynn Wallace and Debbie and Teresa Phillips spent the weekend at Holden Beach.

Mr. and Mrs. W. W. Walker spent the weekend visiting with Mr. and Mrs. E. L. Huss in Hickory. They also toured in the mountains visiting Mount

Mitchell, Rome Mountain and Asheville.

Mrs. Jon Evans daughters Allison and Susan Evans spent Friday night with Mr. and Mrs. Jim Maxwell and family.

Mr. and Mrs. Grover McMillian and daughter Tammy spent the weekend at Kure Beach.

Mr. and Mrs. Weldon Bishop and children Betty Conoly and Mary Jones spent the weekend at Holden Beach.

Sunday afternoon guests of Mr. and Mrs. Jeanette Jackson were Mr. and Mrs. Johnny Jackson of Grays Creek.

Mrs. Ailene Jackson and son Ronald, Jack and Michael of McCall were Sunday guests of Mr. and Mrs. Harold A. Chason and daughters.

### BIRTHDAY PARTY

Keith Jackson was entertained with a birthday party at his home Sunday afternoon for his third birthday. Those attending were Brian Miller, Jennifer Cox, Mr. and Mrs. David McBryde, David and Kim McBryde, Mr. and Mrs. Luther Jackson Jr., Mrs. Mary Bell Jones of Lumber Bridge, Mrs. Dorothy Jackson and son Johnny, Mr. and Mrs. George Stone, George Jr. and Shelly Stone.

Refreshments of birthday cake, ice cream, nuts and Cokes were served. Keith received many nice and useful gifts.

Mr. and Mrs. Lester Bullock spent Saturday at Myrtle Beach. SP5 and Mrs. Danny Craig spent the weekend at Myrtle Beach.

## North Raeford Fire Dept. Officers

Johnnie Baker of the North Raeford Fire Dept. was elected fire chief in recent elections for the 1972-73 term.

Elected to the post of assistant chief was George Baker. Willie Bridges was elected as captain, Henry Kizer and Steve Hedgpath were chosen as training lieutenants and Elwood Blake was elected as maintenance lieutenant.

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