

As St. Andrews's 'Sixth Woman'

Monique McClinton Gets Turnovers, Rebounds

Raeform's Monique McClinton worked hard last year as a freshman forward on St. Andrews College's Lady Knights basketball team, hard enough, in fact, to be named the squad's Most Improved Player at the close of the '80-81 season.

On most teams, that accomplishment would be enough to insure a starting position the following year. But at St. Andrews, McClinton's competition for a starting berth are forwards Catherine Armstrong and Eva Pittman, both strong All-American candidates and ranked among the nation's scoring leaders.

So McClinton instead is the team's "sixth woman." As such, she takes over for Pittman and Armstrong when they are tired or in foul trouble, typically with aggressive play and poise.

Being sixth woman does not discourage McClinton. "It's kind of fun," she commented. "People don't expect as much."

At Hoke High School, McClinton played the guard position under Coach Audrey Long. "In my senior year I probably was the best offensive player I'll ever be."

"Now I'm concerned with

defense," McClinton continued. She plays forward for the Knights and averages 4.8 rebounds per game.

"I can always depend on her to get more possessions," stated St. Andrews Coach Betsy Graham. "She's consistent in forcing turnovers and getting rebounds. For a bench player, she's great."

McClinton stands 5'9, not tall for a basketball player. But she has ability to get under the basket and get the rebound despite being shorter than most of her opponents. "I use my mind to get the rebound instead of my body," she explained.

McClinton played in every game this season and will probably be a

starter next year. She helped the team to a 16-6 over-all record for the season and an invitation to the NCAA Division III Regionals held at UNC-Greensboro this past weekend.

Although McClinton did not share the "glory" with Catherine Armstrong and Eva Pittman, she was a very important part of the Knights success this season. "I don't care who gets the glory as long as the team wins," she modestly said. "Being a part of the team is what's important to me. After all, we can't all be stars."

In the next year or two, McClinton may well be "one of the stars" as she continues to improve her ability on the court.



Monique McClinton

Heart Fund Tennis Tournament

To kick off activities for its third year, the Hoke Tennis Association will sponsor a Heart Fund Tournament April 12-18.

Competition will be offered to association members of all ages in 14 progressive events will advance "B" events. Winners of each

progressive event will advance directly to the State Heart Championships which will be held July 22-28 at the Chapel Hill Tennis Club at the University of North Carolina at Chapel Hill.

Local entry fees are \$10 for singles and \$10 per team for doubles. They are contributions to the Heart Fund and will be credited to the local Heart Association with Emma Mims as chairman.

The deadline for entries is April 7.

Entry forms will be available within a week. Persons interested are advised to contact Robert Calhoun, tournament chairman, or Steve Phillips, association president, for information.

Other members of the executive board for 1982 include Marilyn Semones, vice president; Betty Smith, secretary; Cecil Bond, treasurer; John Moses, membership chairman; Joy Upchurch, planning committee chairman; and Susan Phillips, public relations chairman.

The executive board has planned the association's yearly calendar. The following tournament dates have been set in addition to the April 12-18 event: May 14-16 -- HTA Spring Open; June 25-27 -- HTA Junior Classic; August 13-15 -- Hoke Tennis Classic; and October 4-10 -- HTA Closed Association Championship Tournament.

Ladder competition on an "A" or "B" level and Junior level will begin following the Heart Fund

tournament. Association members may sign up for the "ladder" as they pay their dues. Seeding for the ladders will be taken from the final standings of the Heart Fund tournament and from the order of signing up.

Awards will be presented to the ladder winners after the Closed Association Championship Tournament in October.

The first general meeting and social outing will be held Friday, March 26, at McLauchlin Park tennis courts. A weiner roast will start at 6:30 p.m., followed by a brief business meeting and family fun and games. All members and anyone interested in joining the association are welcome to attend and join the fun. Dues may be paid at this time.

Membership dues are \$10 family, \$5 single, and \$3 student. To join the association a person should contact Moses or Bond. A calendar of the year's scheduled events and tournaments will be given to each association member. The name of the member is included on the membership roster for the yearly calendar if the dues are paid by April 1.

The association expresses its appreciation to the citizens of the community and to the City Council for their support in the association's goal of promoting and encouraging the sport of tennis and of fostering good will among the youth and other people of the community.

Girls' Basketball League

Wake Forest won the Girl's Basketball Tournament.

March 1 -- N.C. State 2, Clemson Tigers 0.

Wake Forest 17, Duke Blue Devils 2.

Wake Forest: L. Bronson 9 and M. Bailey 8.

Duke Blue Devils: W. Bronson 2.

March 2 -- Wake Forest 13, N.C. State 4.

Wake Forest: M. Bailey 6, N. Singletary 3, L. Bronson 2, and G. Thompson 2.

N.C. State: E. Maynor 4.

Liniment Basketball League

First Baptist won the Liniment Tournament.

March 1 -- 1st Baptist 46, Presbyterian 31.

1st Baptist: D. Nye 23, S. Sampson 10, G. Langdon 5, W. Barnhill 4, and T. Williams 4.

Presbyterian: D. Wood 8, J. McNeill 8, C. Parson 6, J. McPhaul 5, and J. Plummer 4.

Raeform Methodist 43, A.M.E. Zion 39.

Raeform Methodist: J. Bryan 18, R. White 12, T. Houston 2, C. Haves 2, and B. Britt 2.

A.M.E. Zion: M. Cooper 18, R. McLaughlin 10, S. McAllister, and B. Knight 4.

March 4 -- 1st Baptist 36, Raeform Methodist 33.

1st Baptist: W.K. Morgan 14, D. Nye 10, T. Williams 6, S. Sampson

4, and G. Langdon 2.

Raeform Methodist: R. Calhoun 15, J. Bryan 10, R. White 4, T. Houston 2, and B. Britt 2.

At the conclusion of the game, the tournament champ trophy was awarded to 1st Baptist.

Junior Basketball

The Cavaliers won the Junior Basketball Tournament.

Cavaliers 32, Sonic 31.

Cavaliers: B. Kelly 10, C. Andrew 10, O. Galberth 8, D. McLean 2, and D. Virgil 2.

Sonic: F. Covington 16, F. Morrissey 6, F.L. Morrissey 4, R. Morrissey 3, and G. Monroe 2.

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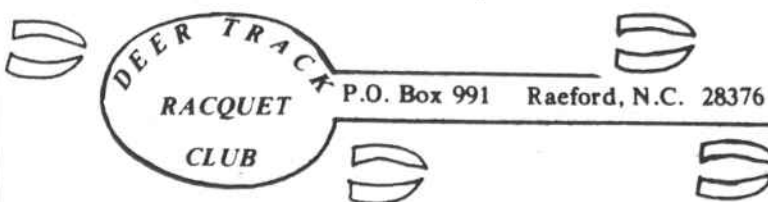
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The chosen site for Deer Track is a peaceful, undeveloped, rural setting within a fifteen-minute drive from Raeform, Red Springs, and St. Pauls.

The initial plan is for six (6) composition courts and 2 hard courts to be constructed in the spring of 1982. The clubhouse and pro shop are planned for summer, 1982. Additional facilities, which include: racquetball, sauna room, jacuzzi, weight room, T.V. room and lounge will be added as membership warrants.

The club pro is a member of the Professional Tennis Registry and is experienced in the areas of instruction and supervision of club activities. This area of responsibility would include: tennis lessons, ladders, local and sanctioned tournaments, scheduling court reservations, and enforcing court rotation, when necessary.

We at Deer Track feel there is a need for such a facility in the area and would appreciate your response by dropping us a card or letter to the above address.



EAGLE SCOUT-- Tony F. Cunningham, son of Mr. and Mrs. Lewis C. Cunningham, Sr., of 1215 Fuller St., Raeform, will receive his Eagle Scout award Sunday during the morning services at Freedom Chapel A.M.E. Zion Church, SR 1311, Raeform. He is senior patrol leader of Boy Scout Troop 434 and also is active in the church. Friends and Scouters are invited to attend. The church's pastor is the Rev. James L. Glenn.

Recreation Bits

Senior Citizens' Bingo

Senior citizens will enjoy a good conversation, a game of bingo, and good conversation at the Senior Citizens' Bingo. The bingo party will be held at the Parks and Recreation office on Wednesday, March 10, at 2 p.m. Bring all your friends, the more the merrier!

Men's Softball

Hoke County Parks and Recreation Commission will hold an organizational meeting for the Men's Softball league on Thursday, April 15, at 7 p.m. at the Recreation office. All interested persons should have a membership card.

League Meetings

League meetings for the Little League, Junior Tennis, Senior Tennis, and Women's Softball, should make plans to attend the meeting on Thursday, April 15 at 7 p.m. at the Recreation office at 7 p.m. Rules, schedules and 1982 requirements will all be discussed.

Soccer To Start

Hoke County Parks and Recreation Commission will sponsor a Spring Soccer League for all interested boys and girls ages 7-12. You must turn in before May 1, 1982, and you must turn in on or after May 1, 1982, to be eligible.

Signups will take place at the big field behind the Hoke High School tennis courts, beginning on Monday, March 8, at 4 p.m. All interested participants must register either on Monday, Tuesday, or Wednesday. Teams will be divided by the Recreation staff and matches on Thursday, March 11, and all players will be assigned to a team.

All players should meet on Friday, March 12, at 5:30 p.m. at the big field behind the Hoke High School tennis courts to meet with their team and coach.

March 20, from 10 a.m. to noon, Mike Schaffer, Pembroke State University soccer coach, will direct a clinic. Schaffer and Pembroke soccer players will demonstrate and teach various soccer skills to all youth players, coaches, and interested parents. Please mark these dates on your calendar.

Available to all players is a Standard Life Insurance policy for \$5 per person. This insurance is optional, available upon request. Contact the Parks and Recreation office for more information.

Zoo Trip April 13

Hoke County Parks and Recreation Commission will sponsor a trip to the North Carolina State Zoo in Asheboro on Tuesday, April 13 (Easter break) for the first 35 kids to register and pay their \$5 fee.

Children must be between the ages of 5-15. Each child must bring a bag lunch, drinks will be provided. A few parents are needed as chaperons, if you are interested contact the Parks and Recreation office.

Spring Flea Market

Hoke County Parks and Recreation Commission will sponsor a Spring Flea Market on Saturday, April 24, 9-5 p.m. on the big field behind the North Carolina National Guard Armory. The first 30 to reserve a space through the Parks and Recreation office will be permitted to participate. No charge. Contact the Parks and Recreation office to get your name on the list.

Aerobic Exercise Class

The Parks and Recreation Commission will be offering a six week Aerobic exercise class. The class will meet on Tuesday and Thursday nights, 7:00-8:00 p.m., March 2-April 8 at the J.W. Burlington School gym. The cost for the 12 hours of instruction will be \$15 per person.

Aerobic exercise is the type which usually supplies enough oxygen to the working muscles for as long as the exercise is continued.

Any rhythmic, repetitive, dynamic activity which can be continued for several minutes without tiring and pausing afterwards is Aerobic. Aerobic exercise incorporates running with rhythm, jumping, stepping and skipping.

See Davis will be the instructor. She will be using the Aerobic Dance Program by Jackie Gorenson.

Karate Class

The Parks and Recreation office is offering a Tae Kwan Do Karate class for ages 7-up on Tuesday and Thursday nights 7-8:30.

The class meets at the Gibson gym at Hoke High School. There is a \$20 per month fee plus a \$5 insurance fee for ages 7-12, and a \$10 insurance fee for ages 13 and up.

Angel Rivera is the instructor. To sign up contact Hoke County Parks and Recreation.

Beginning Bridge Class

Hoke County Parks and Recreation will be offering a Beginner Bridge Class starting Monday, March 8, 7:30-9:30 p.m., at the Parks and Recreation office. The class will continue through April 5 and will cost \$8 per person. Mrs. Andrea Scarborough will be the instructor. Contact Parks and Recreation Commission to sign up.

Easter Egg Hunt

Hey, children, the Hoke County Parks and Recreation Commission is sponsoring an Easter egg hunt especially for you on Saturday, April 10, at McLauchlin Park at 10 a.m.

Two different hunts will be designated in order to divide the participants into groups of ages 2-5 and 6-8. All kids must bring their own basket and parents or guardians are required.

