

School News



HALL OF FAMERS -- Hoke High seniors were recently named to the Senior Hall of Fame. The students named were: Caroline Ansley, Tammy Baldwin, Tony Barefoot, Sabrina Barnes, Willett Bissett, Betsy Blanton, Carl Bundy, Eric Coley, Pam Currie, Beverly Farrow, Cindy Frahm, Velyn Graham, Greg Hollingsworth, Greta Johnson, Patricia Kellermann, William Locklear, Donna Maxwell, Carla Myers, Freddie McLean, Lee McNeill, Teresa Pickett, Patti Smith, Gwen Southerland, Chau Tran and Nadine Wadsworth.



WINNERS: These Hoke High students were winners in the District 4-B Deca competition held at Robeson Technical College Tuesday. Pictured are from left to right: Tonya Holt-proficiency and certificate in fashion merchandising, Willie McNeill first runner up in restaurant marketing, Pam Bryan winner of general merchandising and overall winner in general merchandising, and Deborah Taylor first runner up in restaurant marketing.

Hoke Highlights

by Teresa Taylor & Pam Currie

On February 18 Mock Graduation was held for those seniors who had successfully completed the graduation requirements as of mid-term.

During this time 25 students were named to the senior Hall of Fame.

The students should be recognized for this honor.

They are as follows: Caroline Ansley, Tammy Baldwin, Tony Barefoot, Sabrina Barnes, Willett Bissett, Betsy Blanton, Carl Bundy, Eric Coley, Pam Currie, Beverly Farrow, Cindy Frahm, Velyn Graham, Greg Hollingsworth, Greta Johnson, Patricia Kellermann, William Locklear, Donna Maxwell, Carla Myers, Freddie McLean, Lee McNeill, Teresa Pickett, Patti Smith, Gwen Southerland, Chau Tran, and Nadine Wadsworth.

These students should be congratulated for their accomplishments throughout high school which were responsible for their election into the Senior Hall of Fame.

The Senior Superlatives have also been chosen for this school year.

They are as follows: Most School Spirit-Charlie Averitt and Wanda Brown; Most Popular-Greg Hollingsworth and Teresa Pickett; Best Dressed-Everett Andrews and Beverly Farrow; Best Looking-Lloyd Manning and Donna Maxwell;

Most Likely to Succeed-Chau Tran and Greta Johnson; Cutest-Alton Smith and Xan Capps; Most Humorous-Greg Johnson and Sabrina Barnes; Most Talented-Willett Bissett and Michelle Crotty; Most Intellectual-Chau Tran and Nadine Wadsworth; Friendliest-Willett Bissett and Greta Johnson; and Most Athletic-Greg Hollingsworth and Sabrina Barnes.

These students were selected by the seniors.

Each of the students is deserving of the award and should be congratulated.

The Miss Ekoh Pageant was held on Thursday of last week.

Miss Donna Maxwell was crowned Miss Ekoh 1983 by Miss Ekoh 1982, Dana Connell.

Miss Connell is presently attending the University of North Carolina at Chapel Hill, but returned home to attend the Miss Ekoh Pageant.

Carla Myers received the first runner-up trophy, and Christy Nichols received the second runner-up trophy.

Lisa Madden was voted as Miss Congeniality by the other contestants in the pageant.

The girls vote on the one person they felt was the most cooperative and the most supportive throughout the pageant.

The other semi-finalists in the pageant were Cheryl Farmer, Tracie Newkirk, Selina Sanchez, and Melody Williamson.

All of the girls were very lovely. Congratulations to all of them.

The pageant would not have been possible had it not been for the Hoke High Annual Staff, who did a very good job preparing this pageant.

Charlie Parsons, the Master of Ceremonies, also made this pageant possible.

The Hoke High Chorus and Choral also aided by providing entertainment.

There are many others who also assisted, and thanks to all of you.

Harold Gillis, representing the Hoke Reading Literacy Council, presented awards to two hosts tutors at Hoke County High School this month.

The students, Pat Kellermann and Valerie Lucky, were awarded certificates for being the Tutors of the Month.

They are currently tutoring in several academic areas.

Attending the presentation were Barbara Buie, Director of the Council, HOSTS advisors, and nearly all of the tutors and the students they tutor.

Mr. Harold Gillis praised the HOSTS for tutoring and helping students succeed.

Music Boosters Hold Members Drive

The Hoke Co. Music Booster Club is sponsoring its annual Booster Club Membership Drive.

Membership prices are: \$3 for students, \$5 for adults and \$15 for families.

The culmination of the fund

raising drive will be a concert March 10 at 7:30 p.m. at Hoke High MacDonald Gym.

The chorus and bands from Upchurch will perform as well as the chorus and chorale and Hoke High Band.

This year there will be a drawing for prizes at the concert.

The grand prize is a weekend for two at Myrtle Beach.

Please support the Booster Club in their fund raising effort. Community support is vital to the existence of music in Hoke County.

Sandhills College Open House Planned For March 26 Weekend

Sandhills Community College is planning a weekend of fun for all area residents with a college-wide open house Saturday, March 26 and Sunday, March 27.

The hours for the exhibits will be 1-5 p.m. both days.

The tenth annual Continuing Education Arts and Crafts Show

will feature the weekend's activities.

The purpose of the event is to invite people from throughout the area served by Sandhills to come and see the rich variety of facilities and programs at the College.

The entire campus will be open, with planned activities to highlight the institution's offerings in curriculum and continuing education programs. Each department will have a special program, such as blood pressure checks in the nursing department, special horticulture exhibits, use of a microcomputer, etc.

Musical programs will be presented hourly, including choral music, bluegrass, and the SCC orchestral groups.

Faculty member Steve Smith and other area poets will be giving readings and art students and faculty will be displaying their work.

The SCC physical education facilities will be the scene for a softball tournament for area teams and a tennis tournament for area high school players.

On Saturday, all former Sandhills students are invited to an alumni mixer from 5-7 p.m. A Sunday highlight will be the fashion show at 2 p.m., presented by the Cosmetology department.

These are just a few of the activities planned for the Open House Weekend at Sandhills Community College March 26 and 27.

Just remember---there will be lots of fun, activities, and refreshments for everyone, and it's all free.

McCrea Returns From Okinawa

Marine Pfc. Anthony McCrea, son of Pavavar McCrea of 312 Crawford St., Raeford, has returned from a deployment to Okinawa.

He is a member of 3rd Battalion, 4th Marines, Camp Lejeune.

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