

Sports



Going after that ball
Bill Upchurch takes an afternoon of tennis very serious as he prepares to tackle the oncoming tennis ball with the viciousness of a beginning John McEnroe. (photo by Terry Houston)

J. Morris Named Leading Officer

David C. Austin, vice president and city executive of First Citizens Bank announced that John A. Morris has been named leading officer at the Greenville, South Carolina, Main Office. He formerly served as manager of the bank's Pleasantburg branch. The North Carolina native

graduated from the University of North Carolina at Chapel Hill with a B.S. degree in industrial relations. Morris joined First Citizens in 1981 after managing a finance corporation branch for eight years.

Morris serves on the Board of Directors of the Greenville Metro Civitan Club. In addition, he is active in the Greenville County United Way Loaned Executive Program as well as the Greenville Chamber of Commerce.

He is married to the former Elaine Sanders, a native of Greenville.

Morris is the son of Sam C. and Mary Alice Morris of Raeford. The bank is located in South Carolina.



John Morris

L. Harris Takes Part In Solid Shield '83

Army Spec. 4 Lee M. Harris, son of Julia M. Bryant of 185 Cox St., Southern Pines, and Curtis Harris of Rural Route 1, Raeford, has participated in Solid Shield 83, a U.S. Atlantic Command exercise involving all services in the Department of Defense and the U.S. Coast Guard.

The exercise was conducted in Georgia, North Carolina and the Atlantic Ocean emphasizing command and control of military forces in a combat environment involving land, sea and air forces.

The Atlantic Command is one of six unified commands within the Department of Defense and has the responsibility for joint operations in about 40 percent of the world's ocean and seacoast areas.

Harris is a cannon crewman with the 24th Infantry Division at Fort Stewart, Ga.

Recreation Bits

Karate Class

The Tae Kwon Do Karate class sponsored by Hoke County Parks and Recreation Commission will meet in the Parks and Recreation office on Tuesdays and Thursdays 5:30-7 p.m. For more information, please call the office at 875-5603.

Liniment Softball League

Hoke County Parks and Recreation Commission is sponsoring a Men's Liniment League ages 30-up.

If you are interested in submitting a team in the league, contact the Parks and Recreation Office at 5-5603.

The season is set to start June 6 at Armory Park. The deadline for team entry fee is Wednesday, June 1, 5:00 p.m. at the Parks and Recreation office.

Ladies' Softball League

Hoke County Parks and Recreation Commission is sponsoring a ladies softball league age 14-up. If you are interested in submitting a team in the league, contact the Parks and Recreation office at 5-5603.

The season is set to start June 8 at Armory Park. The deadline for team entry fee is Friday, June 3, 5:00 p.m. at the Parks and Recreation office.

Co-Ed Volleyball

The Parks and Recreation Commission will offer a Co-Ed Volleyball League for interested teams and individuals. There will be an organizational meeting on Thursday, June 2 at 7:00 p.m. in the Recreation office.

To be eligible you must be a high school graduate and up, or age equivalent. Each team will be limited to 12 members. Competition will involve teams of at least 3 females and 3 males. Interested teams must have a representative present. If you are interested in playing, but are not a member of a team, you are encouraged to attend the meeting also.

Men's Softball Action

Hoke County Parks and Recreation Commission Men's Softball continued action Tuesday night, May 24. In the first game of the week, Hard and Heavy defeated the Raeford Jaycees 15-3. V. Morrison 4-4, R. McRae 3-4 with one home run, C. McCall 2-4 both hits were home runs and A. Thomas 2-4 were the leading hitters for Hard and Heavy. The Jaycees C. Crowder went 1-1, C. McDuffie 1-1, B. Stevens 1-3 and R. Wilcox was 1-3.

In the second game, Beasley's Body Shop downed Boahn Concrete 15-5. Beasley's leading hitters were H. Thompson 3-3 with two home runs, J. Thigpen 2-3 and M. Sutton 2-4 including a grand slam homer. Boahn Concrete was led by T. Watson 2-3, J. Boahn 2-3, D. Clark 2-3 and S. Thompson 2-3.

In the third, the All-Stars defeated the Duffie Braves 15-4, R. Maynor 3-3 with one home run, E. Gibson 3-3, G. Maynor 2-3 and B. Hurst 2-3 were the leading batters for the All-Stars. The Duffie Braves were led by W. Walker 1-2, R. McKoy 1-2 and T. Page 1-3.

In Thursday night action the first game matched the All-Stars against the Duffie Braves, with the All-Stars winning 15-8. E. Gibson 3-5, P. Maynor 3-4, and R. Leggett 3-4 were the top hitters for the All-Stars. The Duffie Braves leading batters were R. McLeon 3-3, L. Douglas 2-2 and N. McKoy 2-4.

In the second game, Beasley's defeated Boahn Concrete 17-3. Beasley's scored eleven runs in the first inning for the victory. H. Thompson 4-4 with one home run, G. Rockholt 3-4, W. Barnhill 3-4 and W.L. Priest 2-4 with one home run to lead Beasley's. Boahn Concrete was led by D. Lunsford 2-2, R. Odom 2-3 and S. Holt 1-2.

The final game of the night matched Hard and Heavy against the Raeford Jaycees. Hard and Heavy won 19-4. C. Chandler 3-3 with one home run, A. Thomas 3-3, R. McRae 3-3 and K. McDonald 3-4 were the leading batters for Hard and Heavy. The Jaycees were led by J.W. Jones 2-2, D. Gibson 1-2 and D. McNeill 1-2.

Standings	W	L
Hard and Heavy	7	0
Beasley's Body Shop	5	2
All Stars	5	2
Jones Intercable	4	2
Duffie Braves	2	5
Raeford Jaycees	1	6
Boahn Concrete	0	7

Jr. Tar Heel Baseball

Hoke County Parks and Recreation Commission will sponsor a Jr. Tar-Heel Baseball League this year. Anyone who has not signed up can still do so by coming by Hoke County Parks and Recreation office. Please bring Birth Certificate. Season is set to start June 6 at Armory Park. For additional information contact Parks and Recreation at 5-5603.

Senior Citizen Bingo

Come on out for an afternoon of fun on June 29, 1983 at 2:00 p.m. The agenda will include bingo, prizes and refreshments. Free.

Flea Market

The Parks and Recreation Commission is sponsoring a Flea Market on Saturday, June 25th, 9:00 a.m.-5:00 p.m. on the big field left of the old National Guard Armory. The first 30 to reserve a space through the Recreation office at 5-5603, will be able to participate. No Charge.

Wicker Elected Lion Governor

Harry L. Wicker, Secretary of the Fayetteville Lions Club, has been elected District Governor of District 31-F of Lions Clubs International. District 31-F includes Cumberland, Bladen, Columbus, Harnett, Hoke, Lee, Montgomery, Moore, Richmond, Robeson, Sampson and Scotland counties.

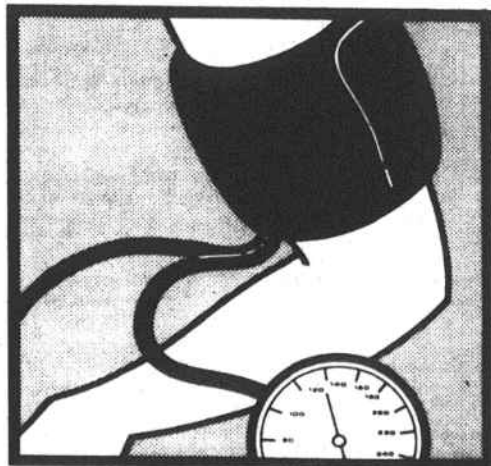
Wicker is the South Central Regional Director of N.C. Services for the Blind. He received his Bachelor's degree at East Carolina University and Master's degree in Social Work at U.N.C.-CH.

In addition to his work with Lions Clubs, Wicker is active in White Hill Presbyterian Church, N.C. Federation of the Blind, N.C. Council of the Blind, American Association of Workers for the Blind, Flu Cured Tobacco Stabilization Corporation, Lee County Beekeepers Association and the N.C. Farm Bureau.

Wicker is married to the former Mary Alice Morgan. They have a sixteen year old daughter, Mary Ann and two sons; Harry Lee Jr. age 12 and Warren Kenneth, age 3.

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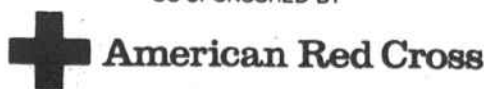


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