

## In Weeks to Come

### In Hoke County

**October 23**  
**SOFTBALL** — Pittman Grove Baptist Church will hold a softball game at 10 a.m. Oct. 23 for all current and former players. Refreshments will be served.  
**GOSPELFEST** — The October Gospel Fest, Singing By the Lake, will be held from 11-4 Oct. 23. The event is sponsored by the Chapel of Jesus Christ in Five Point on Horace Walters Road and is co-sponsored by Fayetteville Freewill Holiness Church. A number of groups will perform with proceeds going to the Save the Children House of Refuge. For information call 875-8167 or 875-4419.  
**TEA AND FASHION SHOW** — The Youth department of Pentecostal Temple Church of God in Christ will hold an "Around the World Tea and Fashion Show" Oct. 23 at 7 p.m.  
**CLASS OF 84 MEETS** — The Hoke High Class of 1984 will hold a planning committee meeting for its 10-year reunion at the Hoke Library Oct. 23 at 4 p.m. For more information call Kim Bullock at 875-8751, Paulette Leggett Faison at 875-8156 or Tina Baldwin Latham at 875-0229.  
**BENEFIT SINGING** — A benefit singing will be held at God's Holy Tabernacle, Highway 211 east, Oct. 23 at 7 p.m. The singing will benefit foster children.  
**October 24**  
**GALATIA HOMECOMING** — Galatia Presbyterian Church will hold its 169th homecoming Oct. 24 beginning with the 11 a.m. worship service led by the Rev. Leighton McKeithan. A covered dish dinner will be held in the fellowship hall immediately following the service. For more information call 867-0656.  
**ROCK HILL ANNIVERSARY** — The Rock Hill Inspirational Choir will hold its 8th anniversary Oct. 24 at 3 p.m.  
**PITTMAN GROVE HOMECOMING** — Pittman Grove Baptist Church will hold homecoming Oct. 24. The Rev. Al Teague will preach. A potluck lunch will follow the service and a gospel music concert will be held with the New Life Vocal Band following lunch.  
**October 24**  
**REVIVAL** — Hillcrest Baptist Church will hold a revival Oct. 24-27 with the Rev. Douglas Worley speaking.  
**October 30**  
**HALLOWEEN PARTY** — The Hoke Library will host a Halloween party for ages 3-11 Oct. 30 beginning at 6:30 p.m. Attendance is limited to the first 50. Registration forms are available at the library. For more information call 875-2502.  
**October 31**  
**KIRKIN' O' THE TARTANS** — Raeford Presbyterian Church will hold a Kirkin' o' the Tartans (blessing of the family clans) at 11 a.m. Oct. 31. Those who would like to, may wear their kilts in honor of their Scottish background, or may wear something that represents their family. A bagpiper and brass quartet will provide music. For more information call the church at 875-2101.  
**November 6**  
**FALL BAZAAR** — Sandy Grove United Methodist Church will hold a fall bazaar Nov. 6 with breakfast from 7:30-10; barbecue plates and soup from 11-2; a yard sale from 7 a.m.-2; and crafts, baked goods and canned goods for sale between 8 a.m. and 2 p.m. All proceeds go to the church's building fund.  
**November 9**  
**NICKELS FOR KNOW-HOW** — The Nickels for Know-How referendum will be held Nov. 9. Polling places are the Cooperative Extension Service Center in Raeford; the ASCS office in the Raeford Post Office; and at Farm Chemicals on Highway 20. All purchasers of feed and fertilizer are eligible to vote for the self-help program for agriculture.  
**November 13**  
**NCNG FAMILY SUPPORT GROUP** — The N.C. National Guard Family Support Group will hold its second Inside Flea Market Nov. 13. Booths are rented for \$10, with tables and chairs available for an additional \$5. Rental fees are due by Oct. 31. For information call Julia at 864-3468 or Brenda at 484-1916. Send rental fees to NCNG Family Support Group, HHC (-) 2-252AR, 305 Teal Drive, Raeford 28376.  
**December 12-13**  
**LIVING CHRISTMAS TREE** — Raeford Presbyterian Church will present the Eighth Living Christmas Tree concert Dec. 12 and 13 at 7:30 p.m. The N.C. Symphony will present a mini-concert at 7:10 p.m. and accompany the choir at 7:30 p.m.  
**Nearby**  
**Through October**  
**DINOSAURS IN MOTION** — The Cape Fear Museum hosts Dinosaurs in Motion, seven robotic dinosaurs plus a full-size Tyrannosaurus Rex head. Includes hands-on activities. Call 341-4350 for more information.  
**October 21-24**  
**"LEND ME A TENOR"** — Robeson Little Theatre will present "Lend Me a Tenor" Oct. 21-23 at 8 p.m. and Oct. 24 at 2:30 at the Carolina Civic Center in Lumberton. Tickets are \$6, adults; \$5, senior citizens; \$3, students. For more information call 739-5148.  
**October 28**  
**FLORA MACDONALD FALL FESTIVAL** — Flora Macdonald Academy in Red Springs will hold its annual fall festival Oct. 28 from 5-8 p.m. Crafts, baked goods, games, a haunted house and a costume contest will be featured.  
**Through November 17**  
**"REMEMBERING THE HOLOCAUST"** — Sandhills Community College will host a series of films, speakers and exhibits through Nov. 17 entitled "Remember the Holocaust." Ten films will be shown weekly at 7 p.m. in room 134 of Kennedy Hall. Admission is free. For a brochure providing details call Tom Kowalick at 919-695-3881.  
**November 19**  
**PIANIST GANZ PERFORMS** — Brian Ganz will perform with the N.C. Symphony Nov. 19 at Robert E. Lee Auditorium at Pinecrest High School in Southern Pines. The 8 p.m. concert cost \$25 for reserved seating, \$20 for general admission, \$17 for senior citizens; and \$5 for students (at 692-4356).  
**Announcements**  
**HUNTER EDUCATION CLASSES** will be held October 11-13; on Nov. 15-17; and December 13-15. All classes will be held at Turlington Library on Prospect Avenue from 6:30-10 p.m. For more information call Hoke 4-11 at 875-2162.  
**LEACH SPRINGS Missionary Baptist Church** is looking for photographs and information to aid in a homecoming booklet. Anyone with information should call

Gwen Southerland at 875-2491 or write Historical Research Committee, the Rev. George Gilmore, Leach Springs Missionary Baptist Church, P.O. Box 661, Raeford 28376.  
**VIETNAM VETERANS OF Nha Trang Air Base** are having their first reunion at the Hyatt-Regency, Dallas-Fort Worth Airport Nov. 12-15. The reunion coordinator is Charles Timms, (803) 972-2020.  
**CUMBERLAND COUNTY HIV/AIDS Task Force** has an HIV/AIDS clearing house with free brochures, pamphlets and posters available to the public. It is also recruiting volunteers. Call Ms. Lewis at 484-0823.  
**REALISTIC MINISTRIES** is an outreach community service that now provides Christian counseling for Hoke youth 24-hours by phone. The number is 875-1062.  
**SPONSOR A CHILD** through Pembroke State University's Givens Performing Arts Center. For \$12 a worthy child will have the opportunity to see four performances at the Center during the upcoming season. Call 521-6361 for more information.  
**IF YOU LIVE IN HOKE COUNTY** and are not on the 875 telephone exchange, please send Hoke Emergency Communications your name, address, phone number and the name of the road you live on. The information will be used only to reroute your 9-1-1 calls to Hoke EMS and will be kept confidential. Send information to Hoke County Communications, P.O. Box 299, Raeford 28376, Attn: Lisa Howell.  
**HAVE A JUNKED CAR?** Get it picked up free by calling Beasley's Body Shop at 875-3659 and ask for M.D. Hutchinson. If you have questions contact Gary Warren at 875-3461 or Whiteford Jones at 875-6912.  
**HOKE AGAINST DRUGS (H.A.D.)** promotes community awareness of substance abuse and promotes community support for substance abuse programs for youth at risk. For more information write P.O. Box 508, Raeford 28376.  
**FREE GED AND ABE (Adult Basic Education)** classes are offered Mon.-Thur. at Sandhills Community College, Hoke Center from 8 a.m. to noon and 6-9 p.m. Classes are held at Cameron Heights Mon. and Wed. from 12:30-2:30 p.m.; East Hoke Middle School Mon. and Wed. from 6-9 p.m.; Hoke County Holiness Church Mon. and Wed. 6-9 p.m.; Rockfish Community Center Mon. and Wed. 6-9 p.m.; South Hoke Elementary Mon. and Tue. 6-9 p.m.; and West Hoke Elementary Tue. and Thur. 6-9 p.m. Students may enroll at any time during the quarter. For registration call 875-8589.  
**ENGLISH AS A SECOND LANGUAGE CLASSES** for foreign-born students are held at Sandhills Community College, Hoke Center on Mon. and Wed., 7-9 p.m. and Tue., Thur., 12:30-2:30 p.m.; and Saturday from 9 a.m. until noon. For information call Martha Bergman at 1-800-338-3944, ext. 772.  
**SANDHILLS COMMUNITY COLLEGE** in Hoke County holds G.E.D. testing the fourth Wednesday of each month from 8:30 a.m. to noon and 5:30-8:30 p.m. at the Hoke County campus on Elwood Ave. For more information contact Cathy Carthens at 875-8589 or Vi Nissen at 1-800-338-3944, ext. 777. SCC placement testing for GED graduates will be held on the first Monday of each month from 3:30-6:30 p.m.  
**THE BIG BROTHER/BIG SISTER** program is designed to help youth at risk by providing positive role models and structured guidance. If you'd like to be a big brother or big sister or want to refer someone to the program call Sherry Wall at 875-5138 or the Parks and Recreation office at 875-4035.  
**THE HIGHLANDS CHAPTER OF THE RED CROSS** is seeking volunteers to assist in upcoming blood drives throughout the coming year. Call the chapter at 867-8151.  
**THE HOKE HIGH CLASS OF 1983** is trying to locate members of its graduating class. Please contact Yvonne Thomas Craigmiles at 875-4390 or Deborah Goodman Ross at 843-2612. You may also write to P.O. Box 134, Raeford 28376.  
**FREE G.E.D. and A.B.E. classes** are being offered Monday-Thursday at Sandhills Community College, Hoke Center at 8 a.m.-noon and 6-9 p.m. Classes are also held at Cameron Heights Mon. and Wed., 12:30-2:30 p.m.; East Hoke Middle School, Mon and Wed. 6-9 p.m.; South Hoke School, Mon and Tue 6-9 p.m. Students may enroll at any time in the quarter; call 875-8589.  
**VOLUNTEERS ARE NEEDED** to represent abused and neglected children in court. Contact Julie Miller, Guardian Ad Litem, 276-7936.  
**THE ROBERT EARL DEW VFW Post 11330**, is looking for new and transfer members. Meetings are held the second Tuesday of each month at 7:30 p.m. at the National Guard Armory. For more information call 875-5309.  
**NEW 4-H CLUBS** are being organized in three areas of the county. 4-H is open to boys and girls between 6 and 19 regardless of race, creed, or handicap. To find out how to join call 875-2162.  
**THE DAV AUXILIARY** is seeking membership from wives or widows of disabled veterans. For more information contact Mary Patterson, local DAV Auxiliary Unit 17 commander at 875-8739. Meetings are held every third Tuesday at 7:30 p.m. at the National Guard Armory.  
**THE N.C. INDIAN HOUSING AUTHORITY** has resumed taking applications for housing on Thursdays from 9-11 a.m. and 1-3 p.m. at Hawkeye Sands Apartments, A-23 Sands Hill Road (875-6149).  
**VOLUNTEERS SOUGHT TO DELIVER MEALS**—Volunteers are being sought to deliver for Meals on Wheels at 11 a.m. each weekday from the Green Street Nutrition Site. Call 875-3120 for more information.  
**ANY VETERAN IN HOKE COUNTY**—seeking employment can go to Job Service on Elwood Avenue and see John Rhinefield, Veterans' Employment Representative on Tuesdays only from 8:30-11 a.m.  
**HOST FAMILIES WANTED**—American Inter-cultural Student Exchange is offering families the opportunity to host foreign high school students ages 15-18 for the upcoming school year. Call 1-800-456-6335 or Jackie Lynch at 875-3572 for information.

### Recurring Events

**THE RAEFORD-HOKE CHAMBER OF COMMERCE** Board of Directors meets the second Tuesday of each month at 7 a.m. at Edenborough Restaurant. Members are welcome to attend. Members wishing to be placed on the agenda should call the Chamber office at 875-5929.  
**THE HOKE CIVIC LEAGUE YOUTH COUNCIL** meets every second Monday at 7 p.m. For more information call Eivenia Southerland at 875-6308 or Flossie Robinson at 875-8800 or Joseph Monroe Jr. at 875-2593.  
**THE HOME SCHOOL SUPPORT GROUP** meets the second Monday of each month at the Hoke Library at 7 p.m. For more information call 875-4466 or 875-8005.  
**THE HOKE HIGH SCHOOL PTO** meets every third Monday at Hoke High Media Center at 6:30 p.m. All parents of Hoke High students are urged to attend.

## Red ribbons signify drug-free citizens

Raeford-Hoke is getting ready to celebrate Red Ribbon Week, October 25-31. This celebration is in honor of Agent Enrique (Kiki) Camarena, a Drug Enforcement agent, who was murdered after he discovered a multi-billion dollar drug pipeline that possibly involved the Mexican army, police, and government.  
 News of his murder reached national television, radio stations, and newspapers. The red ribbon became the symbol of showing intolerance of drug use and abuse. In 1988, the National Federation of Parents of Drug Free Youth, coordinated the first Red Ribbon Week that was an eight day celebration proclaimed by the Congress of the United States of

America.  
 "In order for the drug dealers and users in Raeford-Hoke to visibly sit up and take notice of our growing intolerance for their deals, they need to see the red ribbons around town, schools and communities and understand what they symbolize. We as a community need to be vocal about our intolerance by letting them know we are not going to sit around and let drugs overrun our lives and our children's lives," says Marsha McPherson, an organizer of Raeford's Red Ribbon Week.  
 To show support for Red Ribbon Week, October 25-31, participants are asked to place a red ribbon on the front

of their houses, businesses, cars, or to wear one during the week. "This will be a good opportunity for the business community to bond together to show support of a drug free work place and community," McPherson says. The schools will also participate in this week by door decorating contests that display a drug free message, and students will be wearing red ribbons throughout the week. If you would like to have a red ribbon for your business made by a florist, the following florists will be giving discounts for ribbon arrangements made: Calico Corner, Brocks Florist, Hollingsworth Florist, and the Colonial House.

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## Hillcrest Baptist Church

Hwy. 401 Business

### HARVEST DAY BAZAAR

Saturday, Nov. 6

STEAK DINNER

11 a.m. - 7 p.m. — \$6.00

9 to 10 oz. Steak, Salad, Baked Potato, Beverage, Dessert

ALSO

7 a.m. - 7 p.m.

YARD SALE - CRAFTS - BAKED GOODS

\$1 Donation

Maple Leaf Design Blue & Cream QUILT

Made By Mary Graham and Beulah Johnson

REVIVAL Oct. 24 - 27 -- 7:30 p.m.

Guest Speaker: Rev. Douglas Worley

EVERYONE IS WELCOME

## Kirkin' O' The Tartans

A Celebration of our families as being a part of God's family.

October 31st - 11:00 a.m.

As a part of our worship of God, we will celebrate the county's first ever Kirkin' O' The Tartans.

We worship God by thanking God for our families and by seeking a special blessing on the individual families represented in our worship service and on the larger family of God we all represent.

This worship service will be a special time of music, prayer, and the reading and preaching of the Word of God.

We welcome those who would like to wear their kilts in honor of their Scottish background. Regardless of your background, you are invited to bring or wear something that represents your family.



Also Featuring:

A Traditional Highland Bagpiper and a Brass Quartet

### Raeford Presbyterian Church

128 W. Edinborough Ave. Raeford, N.C.

Sunday School: Come and study God's word 9:45a.m.

Youth Fellowships 7:00p.m.

For more information call 875-2101

Public is Cordially Invited

Reverend Tully Hunter, Pastor

Call The News-Journal or bring calendar items to the office before 10 a.m. on Tuesday