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Heavenly Angles specializes in aromas



Mary Hollingsworth has the honors at a ribbon cutting for Heavenly Angles Candles.

Heavenly Angles Candles advertises the smell of passion.

Or it can be said that their candles and other wares smell like heaven.

Heavenly Angles is open for business at 700-B Harris Avenue—across from the Wagon Wheel. They sell hand-poured candles but also gift and balloons (even a gift in a balloon), fruit baskets, Bibles, books, robes and other church needs.

Candle aromas range from baby powder to fresh brewed coffee, spring rain, vanilla velvet, grandma's kitchen, hot fudge brownie, log cabin, mulled cider, ocean mist, strawberry daiquiri, hot apple pie and many other smells pleasing to the senses. Candles come in votives, apothecary jars, jelly jars and hexagon containers. A new product is the smelly jelly car freshener.

Fund-raising is also a service of Heavenly Angles, and the company does home shows. Call them at 904-2600; or email at heavenlyanglescandles@yahoo.com.

Surgeons fraternity inducts Hoke native Dr. Ray Jones

Dr. Ray L. Jones, a Board Certified General Surgeon, recently was inducted in The American College of Osteopathic Surgeons into its Academic Regalia of the Fellows at its Annual Ceremonial Conclave held in Chicago.

Dr. Jones received a plaque engraved "Dedicated to the highest standards for surgical education and patient care, and to the furtherance of osteopathic principles." He was hooded at the event by one of his osteopathic colleagues, Dr. Adam B. Smith of Fort Worth, Texas.

The son of Ray and Elizabeth Jones of Raeford, Dr. Jones is married to Jo Ann Register Jones. They reside in Lewisburg, West Virginia with their two children, Jonathan and Megan Jones.

Dr. Jones has his private practice in Greenbrier Valley.



Dr. Ray L. Jones



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Farm-City Week Nov. 17-21

As we prepare for our Thanksgiving Day celebration, it is a special time to reflect on the bounty most of us enjoy every day.

It is a time to remember that our food and products used to produce our clothing, housing, medicines, fuel and other products used on a daily basis did not just appear in a store. They got there thanks to a tremendous partnership of farmers and ranchers, processors, brokers, truckers, shippers, advertisers, wholesalers and retailers.

National Farm-City Week, the seven days leading to and including Thanksgiving Day, has been proclaimed each year by the President of the United States to emphasize the successful partnerships between rural and urban residents who make our food and fiber system the envy of the world. To acknowledge Farm City Week, Hoke County will celebrate and offer activities the week of November 17-21, 2003.

"Partners in Progress" is the ongoing theme of Farm-City Week. The key is the interdependence among those who produce the products, those who consume the products, and all those in the production and marketing chain between the producer and consumer.

Farmers and ranchers do not work alone. Farm workers, researchers, processors, shippers, truck drivers, inspectors, wholesalers, agribusinesses, marketers, advertisers, retailers and consumers all play important roles in the incredible productivity of our nation's food and fiber system.

As we prepare to gather with family and friends around the Thanksgiving table, it is fitting that we count among our blessings the vital farm-city partnerships that have done so much to improve the quality of our lives. Rural and urban communities working together have made the most of our rich agricultural resources, and they continue to contribute to our health and well being and to the strength of our economy.

It is a time for me to say "thank you" to all those who make the Farm-City connection so successful.

Raeford Pediatrics wants healthy kids



The Raeford-Hoke Chamber of Commerce sponsored a ribbon cutting at Raeford Pediatrics last week.

"Overall wellness" for Hoke children is the goal of Raeford Pediatrics.

Raeford Pediatrics had its ribbon cutting, courtesy of the Raeford-Hoke Chamber of Commerce, recently and is seeing patients.

Located at 206 Southern Avenue, office hours are weekdays with a one-hour closure for lunch. When the office is closed, physicians and physician assistants are still available. You may call an after-hours Nurse Advice line at 1-888-267-3675. If there is an emergency situation, the nurse will contact an on-call provider, and they will advise you if you need to take your child to a hospital emergency room.

To call for an appointment, dial 875-8897.

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Winner

Kermina Chavez, winner of the Moore's 80th Anniversary TV giveaway sponsored by Lee & Moore's, is congratulated by Raeford store manager Ed Terwilliger.



Megan Ellis and "Chip" as Elvis and Priscilla. Robert Ellis and "Eeyore" as the gambler and the dealer.

Costumed goats state fair winners

Megan Ellis and "DB Farms Mr. Chocolate Chip," better known as "Chip," placed second and was a cash award winner in the Pygmy Goat livestock division at the recent North Carolina State Fair. Her brother Robert Ellis won Best in Open Doe competition with "Gabiella."

Goats were dressed in costume for some of the show events. Chip, who is 2 1/2 years old, wore a rhinestone and satin cape and also wore dark sunglasses as a "cool" Elvis Presley. Megan went as Priscilla Presley.

Megan and Chips won second place in the costume category.

Robert showed "Eeyore" in the Halloween costume. Eeyore was a card dealer to Robert's gambler. They won in the costume category as well as in the obstacle course competition.

Megan, a sophomore at Fayetteville Christian School, said she enjoyed meeting the fair goers and answering their questions about goats. Robert, who is 8, is also a student at Fayetteville Christian School.

They are the children of Ron Ellis and Tammie and Mack Cox of Raeford.

Learn computers

The Hoke Reading/Literacy Council operates a public computer lab through the Rural Internet Access Authority's e-NC Initiative. The lab is open and staffed on Mondays and Wednesdays at 5-8 p.m. and Saturdays at 9 a.m.-1 p.m. The labs are for beginners or for those who want to hone the computer skills they already possess or learn how to use the internet. The address is 125 West Elwood Avenue.

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