

Women's Volleyball

All teams that are going to participate in woman's league volleyball play should be present at the Burnsville Elementary gym Thursday, October 30 at 6:00 p.m. There will be a short volleyball clinic and introduction game. Anyone having questions contact Gordon Banks 682-2243.

New Book

A book about Captain Otway Burns, for whom Burnsville is named, will be available at the Country Store in October. The book, entitled **Cruise Of The Snap Dragon**, by Ruth P. Barbour, is based on a true, but little-known venture in America's history when Captain Otway Burns, American privateer, takes his schooner to war against British shipping in 1812.

Mountain Heritage Student News

Activities are picking up at Mountain Heritage High, as students report the following:

SEATS INSTALLED

By Karen Robinson
The Universal Equipment Company began installing the seats in the Mountain Heritage auditorium this past week. It is hoped that installation will be completed by the school dedication date, October 10.

The auditorium has a capacity of 758 seats. The color of the seats is red, and they will be cushioned for the

occupants' comfort. Individuals throughout the county are helping in the payment of the seats by purchasing any number of them. Cost of each seat is \$50.

PARTICIPATE IN GAME

By Ina Quinn
Twenty-six social study students from Mountain Heritage have been chosen to participate in a Model Security Council Simulation Game at ASU on November 21. The students get chances to learn more about the United Nations.

The following students were chosen: Donny Laws, Mike Sink, Pam Hopson, Natalie Fox, Janice Biggerstaff, Scott Westall, Renee Hensley, Anna Webb, Stephanie McFee, Doyle Bradford, Gregory Edge, Marie King, Cindy McLain, Rocky Styles, Peggy Ann McQuade, Barbara Deyton, Pam McCurry, Shirlyn Chandler, Randall Chrisawn, Jeann Whitson, Wade Biddix, David Perkins, Mike Thomas, Kim Buttker, Chris Chrisawn, Renee Peterson.

INTERVIEW

By June Pittman
Mr. Frank Robinson, assistant principal at Mountain Heritage, was interviewed by this reporter about the new school. Mr. Robinson feels that the school is a big responsibility, but he says it

and now has chosen their officers. Mrs. Zuver, sponsor, says she is very proud of her outstanding art students this year. The officers are Claudette Hensley, President; Mark Young, Vice President; David Whitson, Treasurer; Kathy Bradley, Secretary and Reporter.

AVIATION SCIENCE

By Janet Elkins
This year at Mountain Heritage a course called Aviation Science is being taught by Mr. David Mauney. During this course students will gain the knowledge and information needed to pass the FAA Private Pilot written examination. The students are going on orientation flights in single engine airplanes. They will get to learn about all the instruments and controls of the airplanes. Later on in the year, the students will take a cross-country trip that they have planned, and will navigate the trip enroute. Students taking this course will receive one unit of credit. Prerequisites for the course are being a senior and/or having a C average in Algebra I and Geometry.

BAND BOOSTERS CLUB

By Janet Elkins
The Mountain Heritage Band Boosters Club had its first meeting Tuesday, Sept. 21. The president for the 1976-77 year is Charles Aldridge. The Band Boosters Club has set up a stand on the football field at East Yancey to raise money for the new band suits and new band

instruments that they have bought.

MEDIA CENTER OPENS

By Diane Wampler
The Mountain Heritage Media center had its official opening on Sept. 22. Mr. Byrd and the students who work in the center have worked very hard to get it opened as early as possible. Mr. Byrd is hoping that the media center will be used to the fullest extent and that the students will use it with respect. The media center is open each day from 8:00 to 3:30 for the convenience of the student body. Students are allowed to come to the media center with their classes or as individuals when the need arises. Mr. Byrd is well pleased with the center thus far. Below are remarks that students have made concerning the new media center:

Dairen Edwards: "It is a very nice place to study or do research."

Randy McCurry: "It's nice."

Walter Bailey: "It's nicer than the one I've been used to."

David Perkins: "It's a good place to grade papers."

Randy Whitson: "It's a lot prettier than either of the other high school libraries."

LITERARY STAFF MEETS

By Donny Laws
On Friday, Sept. 24, the Literary Staff of Mountain Heritage had its first meeting of the year. The staff was reorganized by adding new students. This year the staff consists of Sheila Peterson

and Donny Laws, editors; Marc Vess, art editor; Sherri Byrd as the business manager; Natalie Fox, Bill Fender, Renee Peterson, Vicki Buchanan, Greg Westall, and David Perkins. The sponsor of the Literary Staff is Mrs. Amelia Fortner.

The staff began working toward its publication of the literary magazine which will appear during the second semester. Students throughout the school will submit creative writing and art to the staff, who will then choose the best works and will put them in the magazine. The literary staff hopes the magazine will be better this year because there are more "creative minds" in our new school.

RUNNING SMOOTHLY

By Jane Allen
Mountain Heritage is getting into the ole swing. School is no longer a strange place to the students. Clubs are beginning to form. A square dance team is trying to get participants. Things are really turning out good. As one walks through the school one can see the classes in session. Members of Mrs. Fortner's Gifted and Talented English class are starting to use all their skills. Mr. B.R. Bailey's Architectural Drawing class is working hard to turn outline shapes into complex figures. Mrs. Hughes' Home Ec. class is showing many pretty outfits. The funny pieces of cloth are beginning to take form.

It would be safe to say, "Things are running smoothly at Mountain Heritage."

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9th Annual Minstrel of the Appalachia "Mtn. Music and Dance Festival"
Thursday-Friday-Saturday
Sept. 30, Oct 1 & 2
To Be Held At
Madison County High School, Marshall and Mars Hill College Mars Hill

WORKSHOPS
Workshops in clawhammer and bluegrass banjo playing, guitar playing, ballad singing, the dulcimer, and the fiddle will be conducted by outstanding mountain musicians. Workshops in both smooth and clog dancing will also be conducted. The workshops will get underway SATURDAY morning on the green in front of Bridges Cafeteria.

JAM SESSION
Starting around 1 p.m. SATURDAY, a chance will be given to pick and sing with old friends and an opportunity to make new acquaintances among the many fine musicians expected to attend.

DANCING

THURSDAY NIGHT
Smooth and clog dancers will perform in the gymnasium of the new Madison County High School in Marshall Thursday night beginning at 7:30 p.m. Beginning, junior, and adult classes will be featured. An admission of \$.50 for all students and \$1.00 for adults will be charged.

Mountain Music Festival
Beginning SATURDAY at 7:30 p.m. in Moore Auditorium, musicians and dancers will gather to honor the memory of Mr. Lunsford and to carry on the tradition he started nearly half a century ago. Dancers from the previous night's activities will dance in an exhibition. Admission for the night is \$.50 for all students and \$1.50 for adults. Proceeds will be used in advancing the work of the Southern Appalachian Center.

CRAFTS DEMONSTRATIONS
Weavers, whittlers, quiltmakers, spinners, and woodworkers will demonstrate their crafts at the Country Boutique all day SATURDAY.

HOME COOKING DEMONSTRATION
A demonstration of authentic Mountain Home Cooking skills is planned for Saturday from 11 a.m. to 4:30 p.m. in front of the Country Boutique. Planned for this demonstration will be wood stove cooking including pie making, bread making and general meal preparation, soap making, jam and jelly making and butter churning.

FRIDAY NIGHT

A primary purpose of the Lunsford festival is the passing on of Mountain Music traditions to younger musicians and dancers. Starting at 7:30 p.m. these young musicians and dancers will participate in a festival of traditional mountain music. Admission 50c for all students, \$1.00 for adults. This event will be held in the College's Moore Auditorium.

Frank Robinson

has a good student body and dedicated teachers to make it work. The assistant principal thinks that the curriculum in the new school is now broad enough to meet the needs of the students. He says he is definitely looking forward to this school year because he feels everyone can work together as a unit. He says that being a new school, our goal is to develop the best school we possibly can, and this is a challenge in itself. Mr. Robinson also remarked that many people are wondering how the students from the two schools are functioning together, and he says one would never know there had been a Cane River or an East Yancey.

ART CLUB OFFICERS

The Art Club at Mountain Heritage has been very busy

Heritage High Sports

The Cougars were upset in last week's game, but are working hard on the practice field for victory in the future.

EAGLES DOWN COUGARS

By Karen Robinson
The Cougars got off to a bad start Friday night as the Sylva-Webster Golden Eagles scored a touchdown in the first few seconds of the game. Although the Cougar defense tried hard, they were unable to hold the Eagles. The Eagles went way ahead taking every opportunity to use their long pass. The final score was Sylva Webster 50, Mountain Heritage 26.

Some of the outstanding performances of the Cougar team were turned in by quarterback Darrell Huskins, who completed 16 of 20 passes for 113 yards; Eddie Burns who carried the ball 13 times for 100 yards. Rushing yardage was 242. Total yardage for the Cougars was 355 yards.

JR. VARSITY DEFEATED

By Ricky Peterson
The JV football team of Mtn. Heritage was defeated Thursday night, Sept. 22 by a score of 43 to 6. The game was the second one of the season for the JV's. Owen's defense stopped the JV Cougar offense so that they scored nothing. But on a pass play by Owen, Ricky Cooper

intercepted a pass and ran 60 yards for a touchdown.

PLAYER OF THE WEEK

By Donny Laws
Greg Bryant has been chosen the Cougar Player of the Week for his outstanding play against the Sylva-Webster Golden Eagles last Friday night. Although the Cougars lost, they turned in an excellent performance. Bryant played a vital role



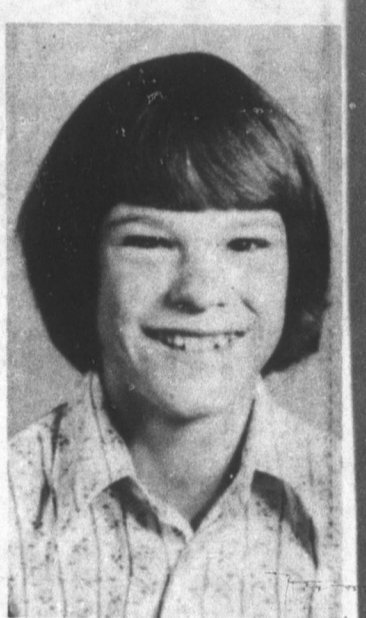
Greg Bryant

in the superb performance of the offensive line. The Cougar offense rolled up a total of 355 yards. Bryant opened up many holes for running backs Ray Troxell and Eddie Burns. He and his fellow offensive linemen gave excellent pass protection to quarterback Darryl Huskins.

Bryant playing from his

Cane River Rebels Defeat Blue Devils

This week's Cane River Player of the Week was Joe Gillespie. Joe did an excellent job from his Quarterback position keeping the defense confused. Joe also did an outstanding job passing in this game. He threw one touchdown for 55 yards, and set up other scores on passes. Joe has improved with each game and appears to be a bright prospect for the Heritage High Cougars.



Joe Gillespie

The Rebel Football Team put on its best performance of the year in defeating the strong Flat Creek Blue Devils by 38-0. The Rebels were led in scoring by Bill Shade, Roger Bank, Harley Paul Norton and the strong passing of Joe Gillespie.

The Rebels got on the scoreboard early and scored in each quarter to dominate the game. Other fine performances were turned in by Brett Neil, Kenneth Randolph

at Tackles, Davis Gillespie and Edward Evans at Linebackers, Carroll Elkins and David McFee at Ends, Brennan Hardy and Randy Hughes at Defensive Halfbacks.

SCHOOL LUNCH MENU

- OCTOBER 4-8**
Monday
Cheesburger on Bun
Mayonnaise, Mustard
Lettuce and Tomato
French Fries w/catsup
Choc.Cake w/vanilla topping
- Tuesday**
Pinto Beans w/onions
Mustard greens w/vinegar
Canned tomatoes
Apple Cobbler
Cornbread, butter
Milk
- Wednesday**
Spaghetti w/meat sauce
Tossed Salad w/dressing
Fruit Cup
Roll
Cookie
Milk
- Thursday**
Hot Dog on Bun w/chili, and onions
Mustard, catsup, mayonnaise
Cole Slaw
Pork and Beans
Chocolate Brownie
Milk
- Friday**
Gr.Beef or Sausage Pizza
Tossed Salad w/dressing
Whole Kernel Corn
Strawberry Shortcake, topping
Milk

League Football

East Yancey and Mars Hill, both 4 and 0 in the Tri-County Football League meet at East Yancey field this Saturday night. The two teams are as evenly matched as two teams could be. The game will probably be won by the team that wants to win the most.

East Yancey should have an added incentive to win since Mars Hill is the only team that has defeated an East Yancey affiliated team in two years. Even last year when the Burnsville team won the conference championship with a 7 and 1 record their only defeat came at the hands of Mars Hill.

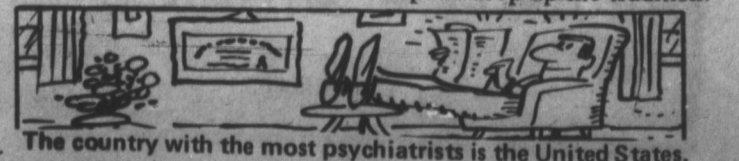
To set the stage for the showdown, East Yancey played a good first-half last week and then took the remainder of the night off. The final

score was Panthers 20, Bears 6.	Mars Hill defeated the Mountaineers 50-20.	Cane River continued to look impressive by whipping the Blue Devils 38 to 6.	
Team	W	L	T
East Yancey	4	0	0
Mars Hill	4	0	0
Cane River	3	1	0
Rams	2	1	0
Marshall	1	2	0
Blue Devils	1	2	0
Bears	0	3	0
Mountaineers	0	4	0
Raiders	0	4	0

Scouts Plan Trip

BY DAN MAXWELL
Boy Scout troop 502 of Burnsville is going on a camporee to Lees-McRae College in Banner Elk. The bus will leave on Friday, October 1 at 4 p.m. and will

bring the scouts back home on Monday afternoon. The camporee will be mainly swimming and basketball competition. Troop 502 has won a blue ribbon in every camporee they have ever gone to and they hope to keep up the tradition.



The country with the most psychiatrists is the United States.