

**LIONS CLUB
FRUIT CAKES
ARE ON SALE**

BLACK MOUNTAIN NEWS

DEVOTED 100% TO OUR COMMUNITY — THE GROWING SWANNANOVA VALLEY

Weather

	High	Low	Prec.
Oct. 30	71	41	
Oct. 31	56	44	
Nov. 1	58	26	
Nov. 2	54	32	
Nov. 3	51	31	
Nov. 4	53	27	
Nov. 5	41	30	

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Town Topics

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TEACHERS WILL BE SAFE
It would be interesting to know how many different stories made their way into the pages in this community following the announcement made by principals over the public address system in the schools last week in regard to behavior in case of disaster.

Johnny Burgess was telling his mother of the events of the day and the conversation was something like this: "Mother, Mr. Keever said today that ole Kruschey had taken his missiles home except for Mrs. B. Is that right?" "That else did he say?" "He said that if Black Mountain is bombed the kids will all be sent home in the school buses and you know what else?" "Keever said he was going to build a bomb shelter 120 feet deep," Mrs. B. "That will be fine, is that for the children to stay in?" Johnny: "No, that is for the teachers and principals, so kids will be in the buses."

CRAGMONT WINS HONORS

A brief trip into the Cragmont section Thursday showed some of the improvements which led judges to give top award for the non-farming community to this group. The new scripture board is near one of the churches and shows a small segment of the well kept cemetery. There were several very attractive well kept houses and yards, and these two seemed typical of the work done to improve the homes. I did knock on both doors to ask permission to take pictures, but as none was there, I had to assume the owners would have allowed their homes to be mapped. This community goes into further competition now with other winners from other communities and we wish them success. There is only one other addition which would add to the attractiveness—signs saying "Entering Cragmont Community"—which we are told are being made.

HAPPY HALLOWE'EN FOR ALL COMMUNITY YOUNGSTERS PRAISED

Several people in our town week. So many neighboring communities are plagued with real vandalism and wanton destruction at this time that we are doubly proud of our young people. The Police department reports no damage done in or around town and not "nary" a soap mark did our new windows at the News have the morning after.

Gourmet Lunch Program For Woman's Club

The Black Mountain Women's Club will gather for the November meeting at the Baptist church for the Gourmet luncheon at 12:30 on Wednesday 14.

Following a practice of several years women will bring their favorite dishes and one copy of the recipe for publication. Members may bring guests for the uncheon and program for 50c each. There is no limit on the number of guests each member may bring. This has been one of the most popular meetings in past years and the program this year will be conducted by one of the club members, Mrs. M. J. Wyrick, who with A. F. Tyson, Jr., will present a program on interior decorating. Mrs. Wyrick is chairman of the American department of the club. Each year at the luncheon some phase of home life is used in the program.

Honor guest this year will be Mrs. Carl B. Hyatt, Jr., district president. Members of both the Junior club and the Senior club attended the district meeting in Hendersonville recently. The Juniors won first place with their year book; the Seniors won second place and received a certificate for being a 100% club. Hostesses for the November meeting will be: Mrs. M. E. Head, chairman, Mesdames Holcombe, Wall, Willis, Dupuy, Heath, Uzzell, White, Nale, Aleshire and Gregory.

Navy Undersea Exploration Is Rotary Topic

Commander John O'Donnell, Naval Reserve officer of Asheville, and John Ashburn, Gunnery's Mate, second class, spoke to local Rotarians Monday on the Conquest of Inner Space. The talk was illustrated by use of slides. This particular phase of Navy work dealt with exploration under the sea. Although 75% of the earth's surface is covered with water, more is known of the moon than of what lies beneath the surface of the water. There are places in the ocean where the depth reaches seven miles, the speaker stated, and we do know that there are three areas namely, the continental shelf, the continental slope, and the sea floor.

According to the commander there are three reasons for the Navy to explore, for scientific reasons, for exploring economic possibilities and for military reasons.

The tides and actions of currents effect many continents and the fact that England is surrounded by water which brings warm currents to their shores, makes the temperature of that country 35 degrees warmer than it would be otherwise.

In the future it may become necessary to turn to the ocean for a source of food supply, it may be that the algae of the sea will supply food to the undernourished in the future. From beneath the sea's surface lies 40% of the world's oil located on the continental shelf; this supply is virtually untouched.

Russia's exploration in outer space has led us to think of them largely in this field, however, there are 100 ships flying the Russian flag, doing undersea study while our own country has only a few.

Dr. Blair Daniels of Warren Wilson college was a guest and Chris Bowers, plant engineer of Kearsfott, was welcomed into the club as a new member.

Kearfott Employees Complete Action Course In Practical Politics



—Photo by DuPuy

Meteorologist Kiwanis Club Speaker

Ernest A. Rodney, meteorologist at the United States Weather Bureau, Asheville, was the speaker at the Black Mountain-Swannanoa Kiwanis club luncheon meeting held Thursday, Nov. 1, at the Monte Vista hotel.

Mr. Rodney delivered a very interesting and comprehensive address on the work of the Weather Bureau in predicting what the weather will be. Many factors are considered in the study of the weather in forming a forecast for the district covered by the bureau in Asheville. The technicalities are many and varied in the attempt to give a quite accurate report on weather conditions.

Those present at this meeting were very much impressed by the fine presentation given by Mr. Rodney.

The chairman announced a Scout meeting at the Youth Center for Monday, Nov. 5. He also announced a luncheon meeting of the board of directors of the club for Tuesday, Nov. 6 at the Monte Vista.

Visitors at this meeting were the Rev. Milton Crum, Episcopal chaplain at Clemson college, S. C., and Ernest A. Rodney, Asheville.

Vice-president Harry Hyder presided.

RICHARD MORROW ABOARD ENTERPRISE

Richard W. Morrow, senior chief interior communications electrician, USN, son of Wade Morrow of Black Mountain, is serving aboard the world's first nuclear-powered attack aircraft carrier, the USS Enterprise.

The Navy's "queen of the seas" is the largest ship in the world, measuring 1,125 feet long.

Kearfott employees received diplomas in recognition of their successful completion of the Action Course in Practical Politics. Joseph Elmo, plant manager, presented the documents which were signed by Fred D. Herbert, Jr., president, and Sidney P. Herbert, vice president of Industrial Relations, General Precision, Inc. Aerospace Group. Those present (from left to right) were H. R. Talley, G. Sahr, G. H. Bumbarner, D. R. Pelava, R. J. Davis, R. W. Westbrook, G. S. Burgess, J. H. Vese, W. C. Thompson, R. L. McCrawley (receiving diploma), P. Tarsian, and J. Elmo. B. V. Ivey who was the conference leader, was unable to be present.

Week End Guest
Miss Mary Lou Giard of Chapel Hill, was a weekend guest of Miss Connie Dougherty and Miss Marian Simons.

Senior Scouts To Conference On Leadership

Eight Senior Girl Scouts from Black Mountain were among the 30 girls from the Pisgah Girl Scout Council and the 20 Explorer Boy Scouts to gather at Pisgah View Ranch last week end for a conference on Community Leadership.

The keynote speech, given following lunch on Saturday, was delivered by Dr. Wm. E. Highsmith, president of Asheville-Biltmore college.

With panel and discussion groups, adults and youth delved into the subject of leadership as influenced by church, individual, community goals and high schools and colleges. Final summation followed discussion by small groups.

Saturday evening Mrs. Julius Sader of Brevard acted as caller for a square dance for the group.

Sunday activities began with a "Scouts Own" devotional led by Miss Ruth Townsend. Discussion groups then reassembled for suggestions and specific action.

Black Mountain Senior Scouts from Troop 98 who attended the conference were Bobbi Miller, Dede Styles, Ann Terrell, Sandy White, Mary Estep, Martha Ann Bassing, Ann Harris, and Phyllis Owenby.

Attends Annual State Meeting Of Federation

The Black Mountain Humane society was represented in Charlotte on Saturday, Nov. 3 at the semi-annual meeting of the N. C. Humane federation. H. McGuire Wood of Laurel avenue reported the state meeting a successful one and the new Charlotte Public Library a fine meeting place. Black Mountain is the official home of the state federation, Mr. Wood explained, since it was founded several years ago by the late Frank W. Dixon of Black Mountain.

The Transylvania County Humane society of Brevard urged the federation to sponsor stronger controls over the sale of poisons which are deadly to animals and children.

President Carroll of the New Hanover County Humane society of Wilmington, recommended the federation seek more strict investigation by eastern laboratories in their purchase of dogs and other animals for experimental purposes so that stealing of pets for resale to them is made impossible.

James Vandell, president of the Mecklenburg County society recommended adoption by local communities of the American Humane association's model ordinance controlling the sale of baby chicks and rabbits at Easter time to require humane handling of these helpless young birds and animals.

Mr. Wood told the meeting that the federation is helping to form new societies in Highlands and in Fayetteville. All county and local humane societies are members of the state federation.

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COMMUNITY BULLETIN BOARD WBMT

Lions Club Fruit Cakes Are On Sale

W. B. Beddingfield, chairman for the Black Mountain Lions Club annual fruit cake sale, announced this morning that cakes would be delivered to club members at the regular meeting Thursday evening at 6:30 at the Monte Vista.

Team Captains have been appointed and each Lion assigned to a group, the chairman said. He asked that citizens of the community contact a member of the Lions Club immediately and make arrangements to buy enough of the Old Home Fruit Cakes to last through the Thanksgiving and Christmas holidays. They'll be tickled to death that they did, Mr. Beddingfield, believes.

Fruit cakes will also be on sale at the Black Mountain News until further notice.

W B M T — 1350 ON YOUR DIAL FOR GOOD LISTENING!

Auxiliary Policemen Ready For Emergency Duty

The men pictured above are the class of auxiliary policemen, sworn in for emergency duty. Their main concern is to see that all school children are escorted safely home if disaster occurs. They will also be called on for other duty in time of emergency. Mayor Stone, R. T. Greene, Chief Simmons, and Policeman H. B. Robinson conducted the course.

Pictured are Chief Simmons, Al White, Lawt Allen, R. T. Greene, Louis Ladner, Dick Stone, Don Burgin, Bob Hauth, John Klutz, Marion Godfrey, H. B. Robinson, C. E. Barry, Ewart Walker, Johnny Rice, Jarvis Dickens, Ernest Reed, Phil Stevens,

Jim Dougherty, Gene Ragan, and Hubert White.

W.M.U. CHALLENGED BY MEXICAN MISSION
Those present for the monthly meeting of the W.M.U. of First Baptist Church, held on Monday night, 7:30 P.M., were

taken on an imaginary tour of Mexico to visit some of the centers of Southern Baptist work and the Federal District where Mexico City is located.

Mrs. E. F. Baker, guide for the tour, made each member feel she was really following wherever the guide went. Slides, shown by Mrs. Marshall Mott of her own personal tour of Mexico, lent helpful information as well as depicting places of interest.

Purpose of the work being done in Mexico is to evangelize and help build churches

by means of the printed page, which is well represented by book stores, churches and individuals in more than forty Spanish-speaking countries, using the literature published here.

Mexico is a land which offers a distinct challenge to our missions program and sends out a cry for more Mexican national leaders, more members to be added to the vigorous minority and for increasing support from the home base to strengthen mission investment.

Principals To Attend Meeting In Durham

Durham will be host to the 1000 North Carolina school principals for the annual Principals' Professional Conference on November 7-8. Local principals will be among those attending from this section of the state. This year's conference deals with the principal's competence in his complex and varied duties.

Arranged around the theme "New Directions in Quality Education," the conference devotes itself to three major sections. There will be two general sessions, planned tours, and panel discussions.

The first general session features an address by Dr. Karl H. Berns, assistant executive secretary of the National Education Association. A reception Wednesday evening will honor Miss Mildred Mooneyhan for her years of service as secretary-treasurer of the Division.

On Thursday Dr. Mary Scott, Elementary education consultant for NEA will address a breakfast session for elementary principals and high school principals will hear Dr. William Cartwright of Duke speak on "Trends in the Education of Teachers." During the major part of Thursday, 15 groups will explore pressing problems and plan improvements in the professional assignments of the principals. Dr. Herbert W. Wey, Associate Dean of the University of Miami's School of Education will address the closing general session that night.

McKenzie Will Be Speaker For Woodmen Meet

On Saturday, Nov. 10, the Woodmen will have their fall joint meeting of the ladies' court and men's camp with a buffet supper at the Swannanoa clubhouse at 6 p.m.

Don McKenzie of the Presbyterian Home, will make a talk on the orphanage program. This meeting is especially for the orphans fund project. There are over 1500 orphans in North Carolina and the Woodmen again plan to see that each one has a nice present at Christmas time.

There will be an auction after the supper of items of advertisement from the local merchants, proceeds of which will go to help in this fund.

The Swannanoa Woodmen also plan to have several turkey shoots at the Grove Stone lake in the next few weeks for this worthy cause.

Warhorses End Season In Loss To Waynesville

Waynesville capitalized on an intercepted pass in the final game of the season Friday evening as the Mountaineers handed the locals a 41 to 0 defeat in a contest played in the Haywood County seat.

Highlight of the game for the Warhorses was the play of Joe Davis, junior end, who gives promise of developing into one of the finest in the Blue Ridge conference, the defensive work of Mike Miracle, who got the Warhorses out of a jam early in the game by intercepting a pass in his own territory, and the all around work of Co-Captains Mac Blizard and Ronnie Lowe.

Early in the third quarter the Warhorses marched to the Mountaineer 10 but a 15 yard penalty killed this scoring opportunity.

But for the fumbles and the intercepted pass, the Owen eleven might have made a much better showing. In fact the game was much closer than the score indicates.

This game marked the close of a dismal season for the locals. They won one and lost nine, the poorest record for an Owen team since the consolidation of Black Mountain and Swannanoa High schools in 1955.

Bobby Ballard, star quarterback injured in a midseason game, returned to action.

Visit Doughertys

Mr. and Mrs. Walter S. Dougherty and sons Richard and Brian of Decatur, Ga., were recent weekend visitors of their families, the Chas. A. Doughertys of Black Mountain, and Mrs. Ruby Medlin of Oteen, N. C.

FRED SHOOK, JR. IN BASIC TRAINING

Fred Shook, Jr., son of Mr. and Mrs. Fred Shook of Black Mountain is undergoing nine weeks of basic recruit training at the Naval Training Center, Great Lakes, Ill.

The indoctrination to Navy life consists of physical fitness drills, military drills, seamanship, basic military law, customs and etiquette of the naval service, swimming and survival and first aid.

During the training, recruits receive tests and interviews which determine future training and assignments in the Navy.

Swannanoa Firemen To Be Honored

Members of the Swannanoa Volunteer Fire Department and their ladies will be guests of honor on Saturday evening at a dinner given by Swannanoa Womens Club, at the Elementary School Cafeteria.

The affair is an appreciation dinner for firemen who give their time to make Swannanoa a safer place in which to live. Mrs. Frank Huggins is president of the Womens Club and Mrs. Kenneth Davidson is chairman of the committee which is making arrangements for the dinner.

Time of the dinner will be 6:30 p.m.

WILLIAM ELLIOTT TAKES PART IN NATO EXERCISE

Army Specialist Four William M. Elliott, 25 son of Mr. and Mrs. Vernon M. Elliott, Black Mountain, recently participated in FALLEX, a large-scale NATO exercise in Germany.

FALLEX is an annual exercise designed to test the overall combat readiness and effectiveness of NATO forces in Europe.

Specialist Elliott is assigned as a radio relay operator in Company A of the 8th Infantry Division's 8th Signal Battalion in Bad Kreuznach. He entered the Army in December 1959, completed basic training at Fort Jackson, S. C., and arrived overseas in October 1960.

Elliott is a 1956 graduate of Owen High school and a 1958 graduate of Gaston Technical institute, Gastonia.

COACH HOUSE TO REMAIN OPEN DURING WINTER

Bill Brasington, manager of the Coach House, announced today that he plans to keep the popular restaurant open this winter.

Mr. Brasington, well known in the area for his hints and fruit cakes, invites anyone in the area to visit the Bake Shop located in the back of the Coach House.

The University of North Carolina Soccer team, which played Warren Wilson Saturday, ate their meals at the local restaurant and Saturday evening the college faculty was entertained with a dinner.

Mrs. Jane Piekelsimor is hostess and will be happy to arrange dinners and parties for groups.

BY SPECIAL REQUEST

Mrs. George Hudson, Ridgecrest Road, has received so many compliments on her Pumpkin Chiffon Pie that we felt it should be shared with the entire community since this is the season for good fresh pumpkins and they seem to be plentiful.

Pumpkin Chiffon Pie
1 baked 9 inch pie shell. 1 envelope unflavored gelatine. 1 cup firmly packed dark brown sugar, 1/2 teaspoon salt.

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