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ATTENTION

The Owen High School Warhorse Basketball Team's fund drive begins Saturday. They will be going door to door collecting returnable soft drink bottles. The money they collect from the bottles will be used to send team members to basketball camp. Get your bottles together and aid these young men. They will also gladly accept any cash donations or contributions.

Report From The Office Of Town Manager

The Chief of Police, Craig Slagle, and the Town Manager, attended a regular meeting of the Criminal Justice Advisory Committee on Friday, March 23rd. The Committee acted on a recommendation from Mayor Slagle and elected Chief Slagle to serve on the Criminal Justice Advisory Committee.

We would like to welcome Mrs. Lina Munday of Black Mountain, to our staff at Town Hall. She has filled a secretarial position in our Police Department, as a result of the Emergency Employment Program.

The Town has requested that additional "speed limit" signs and "children playing" signs be erected on North Fork Road. The Department of Transportation has advised us that these signs will be put on their work list for placement as soon as possible. A large

number of speeding cars due to an insufficient number of signs has been the cause for great concern to the residents of this area, especially those families with children. Hopefully these additional signs and a greater awareness of the hazards will reduce the speeding problem on North Fork Road.

Mayor Slagle attended the monthly meeting of the Land of the Sky Regional Council in Asheville last Wednesday, the 21st of March, where she and the Council discussed, along with other business, the Black Mountain water problem.

The delay in getting the fence up around the pool is due to the contractor having previous commitments also they are waiting for footing for new bath house to be poured. The fence's not being in place will give more space for workmen.

How The Valley Voted	Questions				Democratic Primary					Republican Primary						
	No. 1		No. 2		Univ'y Bonds		Renton	Harris	Jackson	Udall	Wallace	No Preference	Ford	Reagan	No Preference	
PRECINCTS	For	Against	For	Against	For	Against										
BLACK MOUNTAIN NO. 1	168	106	159	113	137	145	3	164	6	14	9	76	10	76	27	1
Owen High School																
Black Mountain No. 2	132	102	134	96	122	112	0	113	1	10	6	96	18	31	34	0
Black Mountain Primary School																
BLACK MOUNTAIN NO. 3	296	100	301	105	225	166	3	211	1	20	14	94	22	96	33	2
Club House, Lake Tomahawk																
BLACK MOUNTAIN NO. 4	229	106	208	127	168	163	1	134	7	22	15	77	10	68	53	2
Montreat Gate House																
BROAD RIVER	30	29	32	26	21	43	0	16	0	1	0	28	0	13	19	0
Broad River Community Center																
SWANNANOVA NO. 1	77	74	77	66	75	81	2	101	2	2	4	63	3	31	18	0
Swannanoa Volunteer Fire Station																
SWANNANOVA NO. 2	355	186	352	187	288	252	3	271	5	18	14	118	19	124	71	3
Swannanoa School																

Alert From BBB

We have just received a report of a gypsy-like band entering Western North Carolina at Bryson City offering home improvement services. The members of the band pose as painters, roofers, driveway pavers, etc. Rural people and particularly the elderly, are prime targets for these people.

Examples of home improvements that have been reported are paint that looks fine until the first rain washes most of the "Paint" off and roofs patched with burnt oil rather than tar.

We are sure your readers will appreciate your alerting them not to have anything to do with itinerants of this kind. You may also wish to advise your Sheriff's and Police Departments to be on the lookout for them.



ESSAY CONTEST WINNERS — Students in the Third Grade at the Black Mountain Primary School recently competed in an Essay Contest "What The Flag Means To Me." The winners were first - Scott Emery of Mrs. Karen Glenn's Class (Scott's essay was also entered in the City-County contest and he won second place there.) Second - Roger Inman, Mrs. Davis' class; third - Susan Ledbetter and fourth - Erwin Walker both of Mrs. Glenn's room. The winners are left to right front row - Scott Emery and Roger Inman; back row - Susan Ledbetter and Erwin Walker.

WHAT THE FLAG MEANS TO ME
The flag to me is a special symbol. It's a great part of America. To me our flag stands for freedom, liberty, justice, brotherhood, and, most of all, love. The flag shows how people fought for liberty. Also, the colors of the flag stand for certain things. Red stands for the blood we shed in battle, white stands for freedom, and blue for liberty. The flag is wonderful. That's why I love our flag. The thing of freedom, the thing of liberty, the thing of peace... My Flag!

—Scott st



An old legend says that if you stand a broom behind a door an unwanted guest will leave!

Public Hearing

Notice of Public Hearing to be given by the Land-of-Sky Regional Council

Place: S & W Cafeteria, Azalea Room 1,2,3 and 4, Asheville Mail, Asheville, N.C.

Date: April 28, 1976.

Time: 7:00 p.m.

Purpose: The purpose of the hearing is to inform the public of the level of work involved with the "208" Areawide Waste Treatment Management Plan and receive public advice and comments related to the "208" Study.

Background: The "208" Study will consider such water quality related topics as treatment facilities, point and nonpoint sources of pollution. The major objective of the 208 Study will be to develop the planning and management systems necessary to achieve the water quality goals set forth in PL 92-500. This is to achieve water quality which provides for the protection and propagation of fish and wildlife and provides for recreation in and on the waters by July 1, 1983.

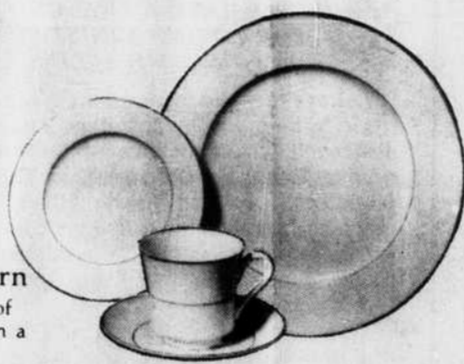
Anyone interested in water quality and the aspects of the 208 Areawide Waste Treatment Management Plan should contact Bob Purcell, 208 Project Director at Land-of-Sky Regional Council, 25 Heritage Drive, Asheville, N.C. 28802. Phone (704)254-8131.

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