

PEOPLE IN THE NEWS

# Gretta Saunders Selected To Work With Teacher Trainees

Gretta Saunders, a teacher at Union Primary School, Shallotte, is one of 60 teachers statewide chosen to work with North Carolina Teaching Fellows at Meredith College May 29-June 1.

She was selected to work with the teacher trainees by a panel at the North Carolina Center for the Advancement of Teaching (NCCAT) at Collewhe, where she was a teacher scholar in November 1987 and again in July 1988. In addition to the spring session, she will also continue to work with a selected group of students until they graduate from colleges and universities across the state.

The state's Teaching Fellows Program subsidizes the college costs of selected high school graduates with scholarship/loans at a sum of \$20,000 for four years. For every year a fellow teaches in a North Carolina public school after college graduation, one-fourth of the "loan" is forgiven.

An employee of the Brunswick County Schools for 19 years, Ms. Saunders holds a master's degree in school administration, a degree in art education and certification in gifted/talented education and as a mentor.



SAUNDERS

## Studies Jet Engines

U.S. Navy Airman Recruit Stephen O. Perkins, son of William and Lois Willoughby of Shallotte, has completed the Aviation Machinist's Mate Basic Jet Engine Course at the Naval Air Station Memphis, Millington, Tenn.

A 1989 graduate of West Brunswick High School, Perkins received introductory instructions on the characteristics and operating principles of jet engines.

## Receives Scholarships

Five Brunswick County students are among 400 recipients of N.C. Teaching Fellowship scholarships, according to the Public School Forum of North Carolina.

The local recipients are Robin Yvette Freeman, Mary-Anna Frances Hale and Andrea Eden Phillips, all of the Leland area; Sheryl Dawn Burks of Southport; Lenora Michele Lewis of Long Beach; and Stephen Matthew Lancaster of Route 2, Supply.

Each fellow will receive an annual \$5,000 scholarship loan during their four-year college careers. The loan will be forgiven in exchange for teaching at least four years in a North Carolina public school.

The Teaching Fellows Program was approved in 1985 by the N.C. General Assembly upon recommendation by the Public School Forum. Some 1,750 high school seniors competed for the scholarships this year. The new class will join nearly 1,200 teaching fellows already enrolled in North Carolina universities.

## Extra Hours Noted

Extra hours spent at Bolivia Elementary School have earned Beth Conrad Barton of Southport, contract speech therapist, selection as its April volunteer of the month.

The Toledo, Ohio, native has 20 years of experience in speech therapy in a variety of settings, serves on the advisory board of the Brunswick Community College Interagency Program and has coordinated the Southport Head Injury Support Group. She holds a bachelor's degree in hearing and speech science from Ohio University and a master's of education in communications from Georgia State University.

## Completes Course

U.S. Coast Guard Lt. Commander Thomas J. Martin, recently graduated from the Armed Forces Staff College. His wife, Jane, is the daughter of Thomas and Madeline Harris of Calabash.

Martin is a 1975 graduate of the Coast Guard Academy, New London, Conn., with a bachelor of science degree; and a 1985 graduate of Webster University, St. Louis, Mo., with a master of arts degree.

## Graduates Academy

U.S. Marine Corps Staff Sgt. Mickey A. Scaffé, son of Raymond and Jeanine Scaffé of Route 3, Leland, has graduated from the Staff Noncommissioned Officers Academy, Quantico, Va.

The school offered instruction in skills required to be a staff sergeant or gunnery sergeant. A former Fayetteville resident, Scaffé joined the Marine Corps in September 1977.

## Assistant Chosen

Kindergarten assistant Alla Kay Small of Southport is employee of the month for April at Bolivia Elementary School, where she has been an assistant for 11 years and also serves on the social studies and public relations committees. She is a member and treasurer of First Baptist Church of Southport and is a graduate of Brunswick County Training School and De Shazors Beauty College.



SMALL

## Pope Trained

Pvt. 1st Class Michael D. Pope Jr. has completed Army basic training at Fort Dix, N.J.

During the training, students received instruction in drill and ceremonies, weapons, map reading, tactics, military courtesy, military justice, first aid and Army history and traditions.

The son of Michael and Linda Pope of Leland, he is a 1989 graduate of North Brunswick High School.

## Completes Course

Spec. Desmond J. Vain has completed a U.S. Army primary leadership course. Students received training in supervisory skills, leadership principles and small unit training techniques essential to a first-line supervisor in a technical or administrative environment.

Vain is a combat engineer with the 237th Engineer Battalion in West Germany. He is the son of Henry E. Vain of 225 Lansdowne Road, Bolivia.

## Finish Training

U.S. Navy Seaman Recruits Norris E. Brown and Quentin L. Brown have completed training at the Recruit Training Command, Orlando, Fla. The eight-week course covered instruction on general military subjects.

Norris Brown is the son of David and Bessie Brown of Route 2, Bolivia. Quentin Brown, a 1989 graduate of North Brunswick High School, is the son of Carl Vernon and Beverly Brown, both of Leland.

## Sherrod Inducted

Long Beach resident Elizabeth McNeil Sherrod, a student at the University of North Carolina at Chapel Hill, was among 24 journalism students inducted into Kappa Tau Alpha, a national journalism society. A special awards convocation was held April 9 in Chapel Hill.

The honorary society is dedicated to the recognition and promotion of scholarship in journalism. About 10 percent of journalism students are inducted into the society. Eligibility is determined by academic standing.

## Attends Meeting

Hubert Reaves, environmental health specialist with the Brunswick County Health Department, participated in the N.C. Passenger Safety Association Board meeting March

29 and 30 at Wrightsville Beach. He is a member of the board's conference committee.

The organization's annual conference will be held April 22 through 24 at the Blockade Runner, Wrightsville Beach, and will be attended by representatives from safety, law enforcement, health, education and civic organizations across the state.

## Accepted In Program

Carolyn Williams, assistant principal at Bolivia Elementary School, has been accepted in the doctorate in educational administration program at the University of South Carolina at Columbia.



WILLIAMS

A Winnabow native and Boiling Spring Lakes resident, she has 22 years of experience in education, including classroom and resource teaching, guidance counseling and administration. She holds a bachelor of science degree from Campbell University and a master's of education from the University of North Carolina at Chapel Hill, and maintains membership in several professional organizations. At Bolivia School her duties include coordinat-

ing the exceptional children's program and directing the awards program.

## Receives Diploma

Alan Robinson of Brunswick County recently received a diploma for completion of this winter's Master Farm Management Seminar at N.C. State University, Raleigh. Conducted by the college's Department of Agricultural Economics and sponsored by Farm Credit of North Carolina, the one-week program brought farmers from around the state to Raleigh to improve their farm management skills.



ROBINSON

## Davis Commended

U.S. Marine Corps Lance Corporal Michael G. Davis, son of Dorothy and Fred Davis Jr. of Route 5, Leland, recently was commended while serving with the Second Marine Aircraft Wing, Marine Corps Air Station, Cherry Point.

Davis was recognized for his outstanding performance of duty, professionalism and overall dedication to the service. He joined the Marine Corps in June 1987.

## Green Selected

Donna Green of Bolivia is the bus driver of the month for April at Bolivia Elementary School, where the South Brunswick High School graduate also serves as a resource assistant. Mrs. Green also serves as secretary of the Bolivia P.T.A.




GREEN

## Gains New Title

Linda P. Phillips, formerly of Southport, has been named law enforcement liaison for the Securities Division, Department of the Secretary of State. She will be responsible for coordinating the law enforcement activities of the department and informing professional associations of related programs available through the department.

These include the "Investor Alert!" program aimed at preventing securities fraud. It includes a workshop offered to civic groups and other organizations.

Former Southport alderman and former aide to Rep. David Redwine, Ms. Phillips will also continue to work on the department's legislative agenda.



# ELECT TOM ALDRIDGE

## DISTRICT ATTORNEY

DEMOCRATIC PRIMARY - MAY 8TH

Fifth Annual

# BRUNSWICK LIVING



# HOME SHOW

## APRIL 27-28-29

### Sea Trail Buildings

(Oyster Festival Site, Corner Hwys. 904 & 179, Seaside)

**Hamburgers  
& Hotdogs &  
Refreshments  
Will Be  
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