

# This Week In Brunswick Sports

THURSDAY, MARCH 7

- South Brunswick to host winner of Capital Area #3 vs. Central Tar Heel #4 contest in Eastern 2-A Sectional III boys' basketball quarterfinals, 7:30 p.m. (other county boys' and girls' teams in sectional playoffs to be announced)
- Acme-Delco at North Brunswick, girls' softball, 3:30 p.m.
- Brunswick County Mens' Basketball League at Shallotte Middle School
  - Igloo Freeze vs. Warriors, 7 p.m.
  - Sonics vs. Igloo Freeze, 8:15 p.m.

SATURDAY, MARCH 9

- Eastern 2-A Sectional III and IV boys' and girls' basketball finals at Union Pines High School (Carthage), teams and times to be announced
- North Brunswick boys' and girls' track teams at Seahawk Twilight Express 8-K Run, Wilmington, 9 p.m.

MONDAY, MARCH 11

- Acme-Delco at West Brunswick, baseball, 4 p.m.
- Pender at West Brunswick, girls' softball, 4 p.m.
- Dixon at North Brunswick, baseball scrimmage, 4 p.m.

TUESDAY, MARCH 12

- New Hanover at West Brunswick, girls' softball, 4 p.m.
- Laney at West Brunswick, boys' tennis scrimmage, 4 p.m.
- Laney at North Brunswick, girls' softball, 3:30 p.m.
- North Brunswick at Hoggard, JV baseball, 5 p.m.
- North Brunswick at Hoggard, boys' track, 3:30 p.m.
- Brunswick County Co-Ed Volleyball League at Shallotte Middle School
  - Milliken's vs. Gene's Body Shop, 7 p.m.
  - Brunswick Com. College vs. Larry's Bar, 7:45 p.m.
  - Tar Heels vs. Beach Bums, 8:30 p.m.
  - Richard Jones Const. vs. Roberto's Pizza, 9:15 p.m.

WEDNESDAY, MARCH 13

- West Brunswick at Acme-Delco, baseball, 4 p.m.
- South Brunswick at West Brunswick, JV baseball, 5 p.m.
- West Brunswick at Nakina, girls' softball, 4 p.m.
- Brunswick County Men's Basketball League at Shallotte Middle School
  - Sonics vs. Young Guns, 7 p.m.
  - Lakers vs. Turntables, 8:15 p.m.

This week's listings include events reported to the *Beacon*. To list your sporting contest call or write the *Beacon* with schedules and details.



**TRAIL BLAZERS WIN TOURNAMENT**—The Trail Blazers won the Trojan-Aire Youth Basketball League tournament championship Saturday with a 67-46 win over the Bulls. Playing for the Blazers are, from left, front, Jeremy Thomas, Jason Norris, Sam Mintz and Marcus Gause; back, Chris Mintz, Neil Warren, coach Winkie Mintz, Jay McRoberts and Timothy Daniels.

## RECREATION BRIEFS

# All-County Teams Announced

Brunswick County middle school coaches have announced the all-county boys and girls basketball teams for the 1990-91 season.

Members of the boys' team are Timothy Daniels and Chris Mintz of Shallotte, Wade Ashley of Waccamaw, Charles Blue of South Brunswick and Mario Bullard of Leland.

The girls' all-county team includes Penny Hill and Felicia Morgan of Shallotte, Rebecca Hughes and Cynthia Borden of Waccamaw, Tennesia Davis of South Brunswick and Michelle Bennett of Leland.

Shallotte Middle School won the boys and girls basketball championships. Runners-up were Leland Middle School in the boys division and South Brunswick Middle School in the girls division.

## Wins Trophy

Joseph Powell, a seventh-grader at Shallotte Middle School, placed fourth in the boys division at the Eastern Surfing Association's recent surf contest for southern North Carolina. The contest was held Feb. 24 at the cove at Fort Fisher.



POWELL

**Movement Class Set**  
The Long Beach Parks and Recreation Department is offering a voice and movement class starting today (Thursday) at the recreation center.

Classes will be held from 3:30 to 5 p.m. and from 5 p.m. to 6:30 p.m. The cost is \$8 per person.

The class is for theater and non-theater individuals who want to develop a stronger natural voice, enjoy a tension-free body, learn a proper warm-up and stretching program, strengthen stage presence and preparation and improve posture and appearance.

Participants should wear leotards or a sweatsuit. For more information, call the parks and recreation department at 278-5011.

## Umpires Sought

The Waccamaw Dixie Youth Baseball League needs umpires for the upcoming season.

All umpires must be certified, and a certification class will be held Saturday, March 16.

Due to bad weather, try-outs have been rescheduled for Saturday, March 9, from 10 a.m. to noon at the ball park.

For more information, contact Howard Inman at 287-6353 or Zelma Babson at 287-6851.

## Easter Events Set

Spring is coming and so is the Easter Bunny.

The Brunswick County Parks and Recreation Department is gearing up for the Easter holiday with an after-school arts program and community egg hunt.

Participants in the spring holiday craft program will make bunnies and ducks and dye eggs. The program is open to children ages 6 to 13, and all materials will be provided.

The program will be offered Friday, March 22, at Leland Library; Monday, March 25, at West Brunswick Branch Library, Shallotte; and Wednesday, March 27, at Southport Library. Classes begin at 4 p.m. and last about an hour.

The community egg hunt is scheduled Saturday, March 23, at 10:30 a.m. at the government center in Bolivia.

The hunt is open to everyone up to 9 years old. Participants should bring their own basket.

For more information on either of these events, contact Emma T. McGraw at 254-4357 or 1-800-222-4790.

## Series Continues

The Brunswick County Parks and Recreation Department will continue its travel film series this month with two films, *All Aboard America* and *Hawaii, Come for the Beauty and Stay for the People*.

The films will be shown Wednesday, March 20, at Southport Library and Thursday, March 21, at the West Brunswick Branch Library in Shallotte. The programs begin at 2 p.m.

For more information, call Emma T. McGraw at 253-4357 or 1-800-222-4790.

# Trail Blazers Win Youth Cage Tourney

The Trail Blazers defeated the Bulls 67-46 last Saturday for the tournament championship of the Trojan-Aire Youth Basketball Association held at the West Brunswick gym.

Timothy Daniels scored 26 points, Chris Mintz 16 and Neil Warren 15 to lead the Blazers (10-1), who also won the regular season title.

Wayne Branch scored 17 points and Jody Riley 15 to lead the Bulls.

The Bulls advanced to the tournament finals with a 51-49 win over the Lakers in a preliminary round game also on Saturday.

Riley scored 16 points and Branch 14 for the Bulls.

Greg Gause led the Lakers with 21 points followed by Jemel Metts with 18.

The league, for ages 10-14, began in early January and concluded with the tournament. West Brunswick basketball coach Billy Mims served as program director while John Kinlaw was league president.

# This Week's Tide Table

		MARCH		HIGH		LOW	
Day	Date	A.M.	P.M.	A.M.	P.M.	A.M.	P.M.
Thursday	7	12:22	12:28	6:33	6:38		
Friday	8	1:14	1:22	7:28	7:34		
Saturday	9	2:11	2:21	8:28	8:33		
Sunday	10	3:10	3:21	9:27	9:36		
Monday	11	4:08	4:17	10:22	10:32		
Tuesday	12	4:59	5:09	11:12	11:23		
Wednesday	13	5:44	5:57	11:57	-----		

**ADJUSTMENTS**  
SHALLOTTE INLET—add 17 min. high tide, add 32 min. low tide.  
LOCKWOOD FOLLY—subtract 22 min. high tide, subtract 8 min. low tide.  
BALD HEAD ISLAND—subtract 10 min. high tide, subtract 7 min. low tide.  
SOUTHPORT—add 7 min. high tide, add 15 min. low tide.  
LITTLE RIVER—add 7 min. high tide, add 7 min. low tide.

# Waters Closed To Fishermen

State fisheries officials closed Brunswick County coastal waters to shellfishing Monday and will stop shrimp harvesting within three miles of the beach starting today (Thursday).

The N.C. Division of Marine Fisheries temporarily closed oyster and clam beds between Southport and the South Carolina line Monday morning due to heavy rainfall over the weekend.

Rainfall can carry bacterial pollution into coastal waters and make shellfish unsafe to eat. The local closure was part of an action that affected waters as far north as Hyde County, according to a state proclamation.

Starting today, ocean waters within three miles of the Brunswick County coast will close to shrimping to protect white shrimp spawning populations.

Atlantic Ocean waters between a line running from Cape Fear to Buoy 6FP and the South Carolina state line will close to shrimp harvesting, according to a Marine Fisheries proclamation.

The temporary closure is common in the late winter and early spring to protect spawning shrimp populations.

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