

PEOPLE IN THE NEWS

Brunswick Students Attain Honors

Eight students from Brunswick County are among those to attain academic honors for the winter quarter at Southeastern Community College at Whiteville.

Earning high honors with a grade point average (GPA) of 3.6 or better are Sandra Ferguson Duran, music; and Vickie Lynn Poole, parks and outdoor recreation, from Shallotte; and Melanie Bellamy Long, general curriculum, and Rhonda Renee Simmons, criminal justice, from Ash.

Making the honors list with a GPA of 3.25 to 3.59 are these students: Michael Darren McKeithan, general curriculum; Shallotte; Craven Allen Hewett, pre-pharmacy, Supply; Bradley Wallace Anderson, general curriculum, Leland; and Debra Long Fowler, pre-nursing, Ash.

Blue Graduates

Airman Latanya M. Blue recently graduated from Air Force basic training at Lackland Air Force Base, Texas.



BLUE

A 1991 graduate of North Brunswick High School, she is the daughter of Eric G. Blue of Route 2, Leland, and Marion M. Blue of Route 8, Jacksonville.

During six weeks of training she studied the Air Force mission, organization and customs and received special training in human relations.

Named To Committee

Three members representing local industry have been named to the committee charged with laying the groundwork for a science, math and technology education project in Brunswick County.

They are Bobby R. Davis of Brunswick Electric Membership Corp., Shallotte; Carl Frank Blackmon of Carolina Power & Light Co., Southport, and Dr. Roger G. Rudolph of DuPont's Cape Fear plant, Leland.

Other committee members are Johnnie Simpson and Nancy Davis, Brunswick Community College, and Elizabeth Young and Carol Midgett, Brunswick County Schools.

The committee met March 17 to begin its work. Members are charged with outlining the shape and direction the center is to take, including recommendations regarding organization, structure and staffing.

Watson Graduates

Anthony (Tony) Dwayne Watson of Shallotte graduated March 20 from the Art Institute of Atlanta with an associate degree in art in visual communications. A 1989 graduate of West Brunswick High School, he is the son of Jimmy and Pat Watson of Shallotte.

Thirteen local fishing boat crew members completed the Red Cross

CPR/First Aid course Sunday at Coastline Volunteer Rescue Squad.

Certified were charter boat captains Gary Carr, Ronnie Rabon, Ed Parbst, Otho Tew and Tom Wolfe.

Crew members who completed the course were Roger Grainger, Mike Hendricks, George Wilson, Dick Elms, Eunice Grainger, Donnie Simmons, Roger Ambruster and Margie Ambruster.

The U.S. Coast Guard does not require crew members of charter fishing boats to be certified in first aid and cardiopulmonary resuscitation.

However, the Holden Beach fishing fleet requires training for at least one member of each crew.

Helen Potter and Kathleen Jacobs of Holden Beach taught the course.

Walker On List

Kristin Walker, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Charles F. Walker of Yaupon Beach, was recently named to the second quarter honor roll at Cape Fear Academy, Wilmington.

Her name was inadvertently omitted from an earlier list released by the school.

Completes Course

Marine Pvt. Jeffrey R. Rice recently completed a motor vehicle operator course at Marine Corps

Service Support Schools, Marine Corps Base, Camp Lejeune.

He learned the operation and capabilities of Marine Corps vehicles, defensive driving techniques, "rules of the road" and user-level preventive maintenance.

The son of Richard R. Rice of Leland, he joined the Marine Corps in July 1991.

King Invited

Van H. King III, pharmacist manager at Seashore Drugs in Calabash, has been invited to attend a May 16 party honoring Tom S. Miya, Ph.D., who is retiring after more than 15 years as dean of the School of Pharmacy of the University of North Carolina at Chapel Hill.

King, an alumnus of the school, is a former director of the UNC Pharmacy Alumni Association and for 15 years has served as Class of '56 head class agent for the Carolina Fund alumni giving program.

The Wilmington native has been at Seashore Pharmacy for four years, associated with owner Edward R. Thomas II, registered pharmacist.



KING

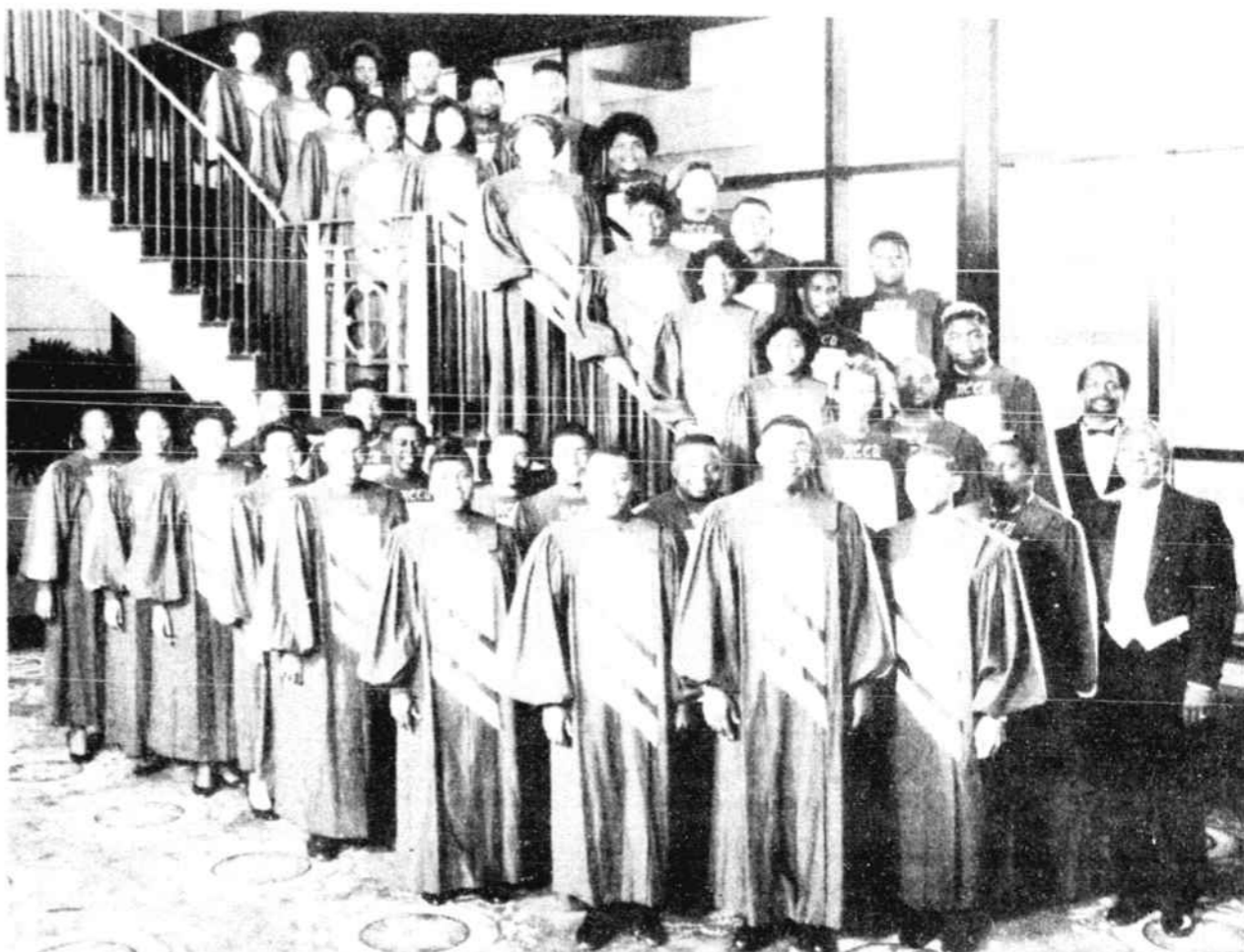


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NCCU Touring Choir Coming

The Touring Choir of North Carolina Central University in Durham will present a varied concert of sacred and secular music when it appears Friday, April 10, at 7:30 p.m. at the Public Assembly Building at the Brunswick County Government Center, Bolivia. Admission is \$5. The group includes two local young people, Tania M. Butler of Shallotte and Sherwin Keith Bryant of Leland, both sophomores.

Celebration Focuses On Coast

What do you get when you mix education, entertainment and tantalizing seafood with a theme of environmental protection?

Organizers of the Save Our Sounds Coastal Celebration hope it adds up to another weekend of learning and fun.

The fourth annual celebration will be held Saturday and Sunday, April 11 and 12, at the Kerr Scott Building on the N.C. State Fairgrounds in Raleigh. The event lasts from 10 a.m. to 6 p.m. each day.

This year's theme is "Preserving the Environment...For the Children." During the celebration, children will be able to participate in essay and poster contests as well as a treasure hunt.

Degradation of coastal resources caused by pollution and overdevelopment led to the first Coastal Celebration in 1989. An estimated 40,000 people have attended the three previous events.

This year, candidates running for governor will discuss their views on environmental issues in a debate Sunday, April 12, at 11 a.m.

A wide array of performers, demonstrators, panel discussions, slide shows and other programs will entertain and educate adults and young people about environmental issues throughout the weekend.

Many of the exhibits and activities at the celebration are oriented toward helping people better understand coastal ecology and how they can help protect it.

Admission is \$2 per day for adults, while youngsters will be admitted free. Children also will receive free tree seedlings to plant at home.

Save Our Sounds Inc. is sponsoring the celebration in cooperation with the N.C. Coastal Federation, N.C. Department of Agriculture and N.C. Forestry Association.

For more information, call Barbara Mannen at (919) 821-8790.



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Center Supported

Money donated recently by the Rotary Club of the South Brunswick Islands will give a boost to the media center collection at Union Primary School in Shallotte. Presenting the check to Center Coordinator Etherine Butler is club President John Fazekas.

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