Although it's tourist season at the coast and almost everyone's invited, there are some visitors, hurricanes, who are downright unwelcome. The hurricane season began the first of June and will run through November, but most hurricanes can be expected in August, September and

With their forceful personalities, hurricanes usually seem to get their way, employing millions of tons of water hurled at colossal speeds. In the face of a power so great, man seems pretty insignificant. But helpless, he is not.

In the sub-basement of the Administration Building in Raleigh, Civil Preparedness (CP) officials work throughout the year in anticipation of the days that breed tropical storms and hurricanes in the Caribbean and Atlantic. Their offices surround the State Emergency Operating Room, where the huge lighted map board displays recent hurricane history and the path and direction of any current tropical storm.

For Civil Preparedness this is a landmark year in helping communities prepare for the storms. They have just published their prototype hurricane evacuation plan.

of Raleigh were weekend guests of Mr. and Mrs. W.F.

Mr. and Mrs. Josiah Proc-

tor of Harvey Point spent

several days this week at

Ocracoke and Morehead

Mrs. C.E. Cannon and

Miss Cornelia Cannon are

spending several days this

week in Chocowinity and

Mrs. Reba Owens spent

the weekend in Elizabeth

City with her mother, Mrs.

Kenyon Bailey. Mr. and Mrs. Charles

Whedbee and family of Washington, D.C. are guests

of Mr. and Mrs. S.N.

Whedbee at Nags Head and

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Mc-

Tarkenton.

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Hertford

the basis for hurricane plans for counties most threatened by the storms from the sea. These counties include: Beaufort, Bertie,
Brunswick, Camden,
Carteret, Chowan, Craven,
Currituck, Dare, Hyde,
Martin, New Hanover, Onslow, Pamlico, Pas-quotank, Pender, Per-quimans, Tyrrell, and Washington. CP planners have visited emergency service personnel in the coastal counties, familiarizing them with the prototype and helping them draw up their own

specialized plans. State Civil Preparedness Coordinator David Britt is pleased that the plan is being distributed right at the beginning of the season.
"With the booming population and unprecedented numbers of tourists at the coast," he said, "there is impetus to local planners to standardize hurricane plans in accordance with our prototype, while allowing for the special needs of individual communities. Our idea is to make emergency procedures more efficient to help ensure the safety of the people and property at the coast. In conjunction with our Disaster Relief and Assistance Plan, the new

Local People In The News

and Todd, of Norfolk, Va.

were weekend guests of

Jr. and daughter, Shannon,

returned to their home in Roanoke, Va. on Sunday

after spending last week

with their parents, Mr. and

Mrs. Joseph Proctor, in

Hertford, and Mr. and Mrs.

Harlan Hurdle, in

Sgt. and Mrs. Will Green

and family of Laurel Bay,

S.C. were weekend guests of

Mr. and Mrs. Preston

Mrs. Lewis McNeill and

Miss Martha McNeill of St.

Pauls were overnite guests

of Mr. and Mrs. Phillip

Thach and Miss Ann

Mr. and Mrs. Joe Proctor.

Mrs. R.B. Thach.

Belvidere.

Nixon.

Mr. and Mrs. Jim Presley Closkey and sons, Darrin

The plan is the result of hurricane plan will also and keep these hurricane years of study, observation, make it easier when it safety rules: and writing, and will form comes time for federal 1. Enter each hurricane disaster aid applications."

The National Weather Service has announced that changing weather patterns might make North Carolina especially susceptible to the big storms this season. It is of the greatest importance that families and individuals be familiar with the basic precautions.

If the announcement comes for you to evacuate, do not delay. You should have sufficient time to leave the endangered area, but there will be little margin for hesitation. Evacuation of coastal low-lying areas is the primary element to hurricane safety.

David Britt urges that coastal residents and visitors take these three steps immediately: (1) plan a safe evacuation route; (2) learn the elevation of your property above mean sea level; and (3) learn the storm surge history for your area. Storm surge is the giant dome of water striking the coast near the eye. It is by far the most dangerous threat to lives during a hurricane.

Britt further suggests that everyone who intends to be in a hurricane-prone area this summer and fall read

Mr. and Mrs. Clarence

Lee Dail and family of

Plymouth were weekend

guests of their parents, Mr.

and Mrs. Harlan Hurdle, in

Belvidere and C.L. Dail, in

Mr. and Mrs. Harlan Hur-

dle, Jr. and son, Brad, of

Belvidere and Mr. and Mrs.

Frank McCloskey and sons,

Darrin and Todd, of Norfolk,

Va. spent Saturday at

Mrs. Katherine Ward has

Dr. and Mrs. Frank

Ainsley and family have

returned to their home in

Wilmington after a visit

with Mr. and Mrs. W.F.

been confined to her home

for several days due to

King's Dominion.

illness.

Peggy Riddick and Janice Hurdle; (third row) Marlene (Doggie) Pierce,

Grace Eure, Peggy Byrum and Debbie

Ayscue. Coaches (top row) for the team

are Billy Pierce and Daniel Eure. Team members not pictured are Peggy Copeland, Brenda Chappell and Gail

Pierce. The team winning the men's

division in regular season play will be

pictured in next week's edition. (Staff

photo by Kathy Newbern)

season prepared. Every June through November. recheck your supply of boards, tools, batteries, nonperishable foods, and the other equipment you will need when a hurricane strikes your town.

2. When you hear the first tropical storm or hurricane advisory, listen for future messages; this will prepare you for a hurricane emergency well in advance of the issuance of watches and warnings.

3. When your area is covered by a hurricane watch, continue normal activities, but stay tuned to radio or television for all National Weather Service advisories. Remember, a hurricane watch means possible danger within 24 hours; if the danger materializes, a hurricane warning will be issued. Meanwhile, keep alert, ignore rumors.

4. When your area receives a hurricane

Plan your time before the storm arrives and avoid the last-minute hurry which might leave you marooned, or unprepared.

Keep calm until the emergency has ended.

Leave low-lying areas that may be swept by high tides or storm waves well in advance of the hurricane. If you plan to evacuate, evacuate early.

Leave mobile homes for more substantial shelter. They are particularly vulnerable to overturning during strong winds.

ALL-STARS - The Albemarle All-Stars in Babe Ruth Baseball took on the Manteo All-Stars in a three-game tournament played in Perquimans County last week. The Albemarle team, consisting of young men from Hertford and Edenton, took the tournament title in two games. Coaches for the Albemarle All-Star team included Marvin Hunter (far left) and Bryant Woodell (far right). All-Star team members (l. to r.)

included (front row): Tommy Haste,

Mike Spear, Jeff Babb, Michael Winslow, Charlie White and Woody White; (second row): Gary Hunter, Jerry White, Clint Williams, Reggie Boyce, David Jordan and Shelton Skinner; (third row): Phil Woodell and Elton Layden. The All-Stars were selected from the 13-14 age division. Three teams, representing each age group in Babe Ruth baseball, will be playing in a tournament in Greenville, N.C., this week. (Staff photo by Kathy Newbern)

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Tips To 'Beat The Heat'

You can't really beat the

Whether it's the heat or the humidity, or both, it's hot in almost all of the United States in July. After weeks of sweating and steaming, it's not uncommon to find the heat is beginning to wear you down.

You can't do anything about the outside temperature. You can avoid it if you're fortunate enough to work and live in airconditioned comfort, but it still will be hot outside.

CARD OF THANKS

The American Medical have liver or kidney trouble Association points out that there are some things you can do to be more comfortable - things that can help you beat the heat.

Stay out of the sun as much as possible, especially during the middle of the day when rays are hottest. Wear light loose clothing. The ladies have the edge over the men in this respect. Drink more liquids than usual, but take extra salt only on your physician's advice, particularly if you

or a heart condition.

Take a shower or dip in the pool once or twice a day to cool off. Get plenty of rest and sleep. Eat your regular diet and don't go overboard on cold cuts and salads. unless you like them anyway.

Get up early in the morning to do your heavy work on the lawn or garden. Or work at dusk in the evening, but try to avoid heavy exertion during the hottest hours of

You need exercise in the summer as well as in the winter, but don't overdo it. especially on extra hot days. Don't overdo physical exertion, whether at work or at

The more relaxed outdoor life of the summer months has many advantages to July14,21,28; Aug.4 compensate for the heat.

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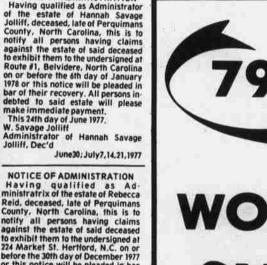
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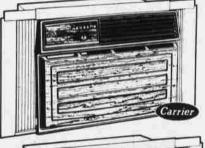
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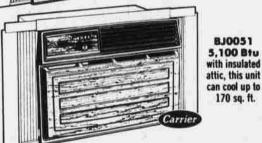


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