

First School Lunch Menus

Perquimans County Schools will begin serving lunch on Monday, Aug. 29. Lunch prices will remain the same as last year: K-8—50 cents; 9-12—55 cents; all reduced—20 cents; extra milk—7 cents; adults—70 cents; adult extra milk—15 cents. The following lunch menus are for Aug. 29 through Sept. 2:

French Fries
Chilled Peaches
Peanut Butter Chews
Milk

Tuesday, Aug. 30
Fish Portion
Tri-Taters
Slaw
Bread
Milk

Wednesday, Aug. 31
Spaghetti with Meat Sauce
Tossed Salad
Applesauce
Bread
Milk

Thursday, Sept. 1
Beef Stew
Fruit Cup
Cornbread
Milk

Friday, Sept. 2
Ham, sliced or pattie
Potato Salad
Greens and Pickles
Bread
Milk

High School: See menu at school for additional items.



APPLE FOR THE TEACHER?—George Overman didn't have the proverbial apple to bring his mathematics instructor, Phyllis Byrum, so he substituted this gigantic cantaloupe which will easily take the place of a dozen or so apples. The huge, aromatic melon is the product of Overman's garden and although it was not weighed in, from the heft of it, it should have scaled well over 10 pounds. Overman,

who maintains a busy schedule farming and working for a local ophthalmologist, also finds time to attend classes at College of the Albemarle. The sophomore is enrolled in one of the community college's college transfer programs which will allow him to transfer to Durham Institute to complete his study for an optician's degree. (COA Photo)

Looking Backward

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MASONS ENJOY FISH FRY AT ZACHARY'S PLACE: By the broad blue waters of the Perquimans River in the water-front backyard of Dr. J.W. Zachary, the Perquimans lodge of Masons together with wives, sweethearts, daughters and friends, banqueted late Tuesday afternoon at a fish fry.

PARTY LEAVING BY SPECIAL BUS MONDAY FOR WORLD'S FAIR: Leaving by special bus late Monday afternoon to spend several days at the New York World's Fair, returning Friday morning to Hertford, are: Misses Grace and Hilda Knowles, Bernice White, Patricia Stephens, Dorothy Stephens, Ruth Elliott, Mary Morris, Blanche Moore Berry, Mary Thad Chappell, Clara White, Virginia White, Merle Blanchard and Gladys Hamrick, Mrs. T.W. Jessup, Miss Pearl White, Morgan Walker, Frank Jessup, Eldon Winslow, and Zach White.

AN HISTORICAL FACT: Hertford, county seat of Perquimans, was in-

corporated in the year 1758, and was named for the Earl of Hertford, one of the Lord Proprietors.

ENTERTAINS FRIENDS: Miss Florence Darden entertained a few friends at a slumber party at her home Wednesday night. Her guests were Misses Ruth Hollowell, Marguerite Ware, Anne Felton, Ruth Winslow, Nita Newbold and Margaret Broughton.

BIRTH ANNOUNCEMENT: Born to Mr. and Mrs. Otis Lane of Chapanoke, a daughter, Evelyn Gertrude, on August 14, 1939.

HIGH SCHOOL CORPS OF PATROLMEN IS SUGGESTED BY LIONS: With the approach of the new school term, the Hertford Lions Club has been scouting around with new

ideas which may be put into practice and help to reduce the element of danger to the county's several hundred school children who travel by bus. The Lions, at their meeting, discussed a system of high school patrolmen, one for each bus, and appointed a committee to talk the plan over with F.T. Johnson, Superintendent of the schools in Perquimans.



ON THE TEAM—Oliver Felton of Hertford will be playing the nose guard position for the 1977 football season of the Pirates of East Carolina University in Greenville, N.C. Felton is a graduate of Perquimans County High School.

ADD LIFE

Add longer life to a shower curtain beginning to tear from the hooks by placing cloth reinforcements at the holes.

TRAVEL TIP

When traveling, carry large safety pins for pinning skirt tops to the bottoms of hotel hangers.

Cancer Meeting Planned

The Perquimans County Chapter of the American Cancer Society will meet Monday, Aug. 29 at 8 p.m. in the auditorium of the Albemarle EMC Building, located on U.S. 17, north of Hertford.

Dr. Roy C. Haberkern, pediatrician, will be guest speaker at the meeting, presenting information on cancer in children.

Cancer is second only to accidents as the cause of death for children under 15 years of age. Childhood cancer accounts for one out of 28 deaths compared to adult figures of one out of six. However, since 1950, death rates for all sites have declined somewhat from more than eight per 100,000 to 5.5 by 1973. This seems to be partly a result of the decreasing death rates for leukemia, kidney cancer and lymphomas. The actual number of deaths has also decreased during this period.

Incidence has also decreased slightly from 1947 to 1971. If present rates continue, the number of new cases per year will be about 6,500, deaths number about 3,000. The most common forms of childhood cancer are leukemia, brain and central nervous system, lymphomas, kidney and bone. Cancer kills more children between the ages of 3 and 14 than any other disease. Leukemia accounts for about one-half of these deaths.

For all forms of cancer occurring in children under 15, the five-year survival rate age-adjusted for normal life expectancy is 30 per cent. For the 10 most frequent forms, the range is as low as three per cent for some leukemias to a high of 98 per cent for thyroid and 85 per cent for eye tumors. In Comprehensive Cancer Centers, the five-year survival rate rises to 50 per cent for children with acute lymphocytic leukemia; these results reflect aggressive treatment, more than 60 per cent of leukemia cases in children are acute lymphocytic.

The public, including interested parents, are invited to attend the Monday night meeting. Dr. Haberkern will also discuss cancer symptoms in children.

RETURN HOME

Mr. and Mrs. Jimmy Perry and children, Becky and Gwen, have returned to their home in Hueytown, Ala. after spending some time with Mr. and Mrs. J. Lawrence Perry.

VISIT HERE

Willis and Wesley Williams of Raleigh, grandsons of Mrs. Claude Williams, visited here recently.

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Local People In The News

Mr. and Mrs. J.H. Thigpen of Windsor were guests of Mr. and Mrs. Marion Swindell on Sunday.

Mrs. C.A. Davenport has returned home after spending several months in Cambridge, Md. with her sister, Miss Ruth Schroeder.

Mr. and Mrs. W.G. Edwards, Walter Edwards Jr., and Mrs. H.A. Whitley spent the weekend at the Edwards cottage at Nags Head.

Mr. and Mrs. Linwood Skinner of Mountain Home are guests of relatives in Hertford this week.

Mrs. Don Holman and sons, Don and Billy, of Va. Beach, Va. were recent guests of Mr. and Mrs. Hurler Hoffer.

Mr. and Mrs. J.H. Bagley have returned from a visit with Mr. and Mrs. W.L. Pickhardt in New Smyrna Beach, Fla.

Mr. and Mrs. Pul Bamberger of Hickory were weekend guests of Mr. and Mrs. J.W. Ward.

Mr. and Mrs. Martin Towe and granddaughter, Stephanie White, were weekend guests of Miss Jo Davis Towe, in Richmond, Va.

Miss Beth Swindell left this week to enter Guilford College.

Mr. and Mrs. Paul Mathews and family of Winston-Salem were guests of Mrs. Phillip Jackson on Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Don Roberts and family of Virginia Beach, Va. were guests of Mr. and Mrs. N.W. Chappell in Belvidere on Sunday.

Jim Mertz Jr. and son, James Mertz III of Cullowhee are guests of Mr. and Mrs. Broughton Dail.

Mrs. Tom Riddick of Whiteston is a patient in the Albemarle Hospital due to injuries sustained in an automobile wreck on Sunday.

MSSgt. Phillip Thach Jr. and family left Thursday for their home in Cape Canaveral, Fla. after a visit with Mr. and Mrs. P.B. Thach Sr.

Mr. and Mrs. C.C. Walters have returned home after spending 2 weeks at Nags Head.

Mr. and Mrs. Don Chesson and family of Raleigh were guests of Mr. and Mrs. Jake Chesson during the weekend.

Mrs. Seymour Chappell has returned from the Albemarle Hospital, where she underwent surgery last week.

Mr. and Mrs. Julian White Jr. and their daughter, Joan, of Forest Hill, Md. will spend this weekend with Mr. and Mrs. Julian White Sr.

Mr. and Mrs. Gary Ross and son, Jason, of Raleigh were weekend guests of Mr. and Mrs. Haywood Divers.

Mr. and Mrs. Bobby Elliott of Ahoskie were guests of relatives here during the weekend.

Mr. and Mrs. John Stallings and family of Greenville were guests of Mr. and Mrs. Jimmy Sawyer and Mr. and Mrs. Jimmy Stallings during the weekend.

Mrs. Mac White of Belvidere was a patient at Norfolk General Hospital last week.

Mr. and Mrs. Gerald Gregory and family of Norfolk, Va. were guests of Mr. and Mrs. Noah Felton Jr. and other relatives in the area on Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Lynn Boynton and family of Rock Hill, S.C. were weekend guests of Mr. and Mrs. Noah Felton Jr.

Miss Teri Copeland left last week to enter Greensboro College.

Mr. and Mrs. Edgar Dail and family of Newport News, Va. and Mrs. Wayland Howell of Hertford spent last week at Nags Head.

Miss Ann Winslow and Miss Mary Bryant have returned to Peace College in Raleigh to resume their studies for the 1977-78 school year.

Mr. and Mrs. J.T. Biggers have returned home after spending the weekend in Pinehurst with Mrs. Biggers' sister, Miss Helen Cole.

Miss Thelma Elliott was a guest of Mr. and Mrs. Charles Godwin Jr. in Williamston on Sunday.

Murray Dail has returned home after being a surgery patient in Albemarle Hospital for several weeks.

Mrs. George Clarke and sons, Morris and Roger, of Petersburg, Va. spent several days last week with Mrs. J.E. Morris.

Mr. and Mrs. H.R. Christensen have returned to their home in Charlotte after spending last week in Hertford.

Announcing

Chowan Academy will Open on Wednesday September 7th for the 1977 - 78 School Year.

For Information Call 221-4277 or 221-4110

NOTICE

FINAL CUT OFF DATE FOR SIGNING UP FOR COUNTY WIDE WATER SYSTEM SERVICE TAP ON WILL BE AUGUST 31, 1977. AFTER THIS DATE TAP ON CHARGE WILL BE \$200.00.

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