

## Workshop set for substitutes

The Perquimans County Board of Education would like to offer a reminder to prospective substitute teacher workshop participants. There will be two workshops this year — on Sept. 18, a workshop for beginners will focus on helpful techniques to be used in the classroom. Principals will be available for comments and questions concerning their individual schools.

On Sept. 11, an advanced workshop will be held for those who did participate in the 1979-80 workshops. There will be a review of last year's content and a discussion (with activities) of other techniques substitutes can use effectively.

Each workshop will be held from 8:30 a.m. until 1 p.m.

For registration, call 426-5741. Class size will be limited.

## Library news

Come enjoy the hilarious comedy of Chaplin and Fields on Friday, Sept. 5! Charlie Chaplin will star in "Easy Street" (1917) and "The Gold Rush" (1925). Two 1933 W. C. Fields flicks, "The Pharmacist" and "The Barber Shop" will also be playing. Showtime is 8 p.m., at the library, and admission is free!

Did you know that the library has materials to help your child learn to read? Come check it out!

**NEW BOOKS**

**THE WOMEN OF EDEN** by Marilyn Harris. Continuing a story begun in three previous novels, the Eden family women find their lives shaped and changed by the domineering influence of John Eden, husband, son, and lover.

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**DON'T PUSH ME, I'M NO COMPUTER:** how the pressures to achieve harm preschool children.

**OLD MAN'S GOLD:** and other stories, including Gub'ner Green, Midnight Prayer, and For Rosa McGee, by North Carolina writer, Ovid Pierce.

## Patrol to begin safety program

With the new school year now underway, Colonel John T. Jenkins, Highway Patrol Commander, has announced a program designed to improve safe travel for children commuting to and from school.

"The safety of these children is everyone's responsibility and we're hopeful that parents will assist us in implementing the program", Jenkins said.

He pointed out the program will involve members of the Patrol's Traffic Safety Information Unit meeting with as many elementary school children as possible and discussing pedestrian, bicycle and school bus safety. "Hopefully we'll be able to reach all students in grades 3 and 4 during the school year", Jenkins said.

He said the program also provides for students to receive a letter for their parents requesting they discuss with their children the safety rules printed on the reverse side. "This is a different approach, but it's an effective way to request and receive the assistance of every parent," he said.

Jenkins pointed out that many students will be walking or riding their bicycles to and from school, while approximately three-quarters of a million children will be transported by school buses. Although the Patrol's program concerns the safety responsibilities of students and their parents, Jenkins called on all motorists to be especially alert between 7 a.m. to 9 a.m. and 2 p.m. to 4 p.m. "The priceless cargo of these buses and the safety and well-being of all children warrants every possible consideration on the part of all drivers", Jenkins concluded.

## Boosters to meet

The Perquimans County Band Boosters will hold a membership meeting Monday, Sept. 8, at 7:30 p.m. in the high school cafeteria.

All band parents and band supporters are urged to attend.

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## Nursing graduates

Brenda K. Strain, a Snug Harbor resident, was among 20 students who recently graduated from the Practical Nursing Education program at College of the Albemarle. Mrs. Strain, the wife of George Strain, received her

cap and pin during a candlelight ceremony at Cann Memorial Presbyterian Church in Elizabeth City. Graduates are (front row, left to right): Belva A. Biggs; Janet Lee Burris; Judy C. Byrum; Shirley J. Castelow;

Janet G. Forehand; Deborah Rae Griffin; Virginia C. Hassell; and Katherine J. Henderson. Second row (left to right): Beverly T. Koonce; Sandra Lane; Margot Hearn Liggett; Denise V. Mack; Rhonda A. Midgett; and

Elizabeth L. Pipkin. Back row (left to right): Sandra H. Wilson, Julina Lynn Wilson; Carolina P. Williams, Nancy Sue Twiford; Mrs. Strain; and Charlene F. Stone. (COA Photo)

## Annual testing aids college prep

James S. Midgett, guidance director at Perquimans County High School, has announced that students taking the Preliminary Scholastic Aptitude Test-National Merit Scholarship Qualifying Test on Oct. 21, will benefit from additional services in 1980.

These services are designed to provide students with more information about the content and uses of the test.

Students who plan to take the 1980 PSAT-NMSQT will receive a complete sample test to practice, along with an answer key and scoring instructions. When scores are reported in December, each student will receive a Report of Student Answers, including the correct answers as well as

the answers the student gave. To allow students to refer to the original questions, schools will return test booklets with scores. Students will continue to receive ABOUT YOUR PSAT-NMSQT SCORES, a booklet of general information on college planning.

The PSAT-NMSQT is co-sponsored by the College Board and National Merit Scholarship Corporation. It is administered annually to more than one million students and measures verbal and mathematical abilities.

The PSAT-NMSQT gives students a chance to find out what the College Board's Scholastic Aptitude Test (SAT) is like, and helps them

in planning for college; further, students who opt to participate in the College

Board Student Search Service have an opportunity to hear from colleges that they might not otherwise learn about.

## Students honored Graduate

Mark Steven Cummings recently graduated from the University of North Carolina at Chapel Hill with an A.B. degree. Cummings resides at Route 1, Hertford.

## Scholarship

Thomas Lightfoot and Chrita Whitehurst were the recipients of the Elnora V. Billups Memorial Scholarship presented during the Youth

## Girl scouts set recruitment night

Girl Scout Recruitment Night will be held Tuesday, Sept. 9, at 7:30 p.m. at the ARPCD Building, on Church St. Ext., in Hertford.

A film in scouting will be shown and Girl Scout leaders and personnel will be on hand to answer questions.

Girls in grades 1-3 can qualify as Brownies; girls in grades 4-6 qualify as Junior Girl Scouts; and girls in grades 7-9 are eligible as Cadette Girl Scouts.

For further information, contact Marjorie Rayburn at 426-7167.

## Lunch menus

**GRADES K-6**  
Mon., Sept. 8  
Waffle-Syrup, Mixed Fruit and Milk, Ham biscuit, French Fries, Peas and Carrots, and Milk  
Tues. Sept. 9  
Cheese Toast, Fruit Punch and Milk  
Seaman's Cake, Potato Salad, Lettuce & Tomato, Corn Stick, and Milk  
Wed. Sept. 10  
Sausage Biscuit, Assorted Juice, Milk  
Country Style Steak, Rice & Gravy, Turnip Greens, Pear Halves, Corn Meal Muffin, and Milk  
Thurs. Sept. 11  
Cheese Danish, Apple sauce, and Milk  
Chuckwagon-Bun, Lettuce-Dressing, Whipped Potatoes, and Milk  
Fri. Sept. 12  
Cinnamon Toast, Orange Wedges, and Milk  
Lasagna, Green Beans, Frozen Fruit

**GRADES 7-12**  
Mon. Sept. 8  
Ham Biscuit or Hamburger, French Fries, or Peaches, Peas & Carrots, Milk  
Tues. Sept. 9  
Seaman's Cake or Submarine, Potato Salad or Fresh Fruit, Lettuce & Tomato, Corn Sticks and Milk  
Wed. Sept. 10  
Country Style Steak or Ham Pattie, Rice & Gravy, Turnip Greens or Candied Yams, Pear Halves, Corn Meal Muffin, and Milk  
Thurs. Sept. 11  
Chuckwagon-Bun or Pizza, Lettuce-Dressing, Whipped Potatoes or Fruit Cup, and Milk  
Fri. Sept. 12  
Lasagna or Cheeseburger, Green Beans or French Fries, Frozen Fruit Cup, Buttered Toast, and Milk

## Youth day at capital

If you are a high school student in Perquimans County and would like to run state government for a day, now is your chance.

Approximately 125 students in grades 10 to 12 across the state will have an opportunity to serve as governor, lieutenant governor, state attorney general and other state officials during Youth Involvement Day activities in Raleigh, October 6-7.

"This experience gives our young people a firsthand look at the daily operations of state government," said Gov. Jim Hunt. "State officials also learn from them about their concerns and recom-

mendations for young people's programs."

The cost per student is \$24.50, which covers a dinner, entertainment, lodging and breakfast.

For registration and information, contact Pam Kohl at (919) 733-5966, or write to Youth Involvement Office, Suite 115, Howard Building, 112 W. Lane St., Raleigh, N.C. 27611. The deadline for registration is Sept. 15.

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