

## Remember Easter Egg Hunt April 1

The recreation department has begun taking registration for: Jr. Babe Ruth baseball (ages 13-15), \$13; Sr. Babe Ruth baseball (ages 16-18), \$13; Girls softball (ages 9-15), \$7; and Adult softball teams (ages 16 and above), Men-\$185 and ladies-\$125.

A softball coaches meeting will be held Monday, April 4 at the Senior Center. Coaches for the ladies league will meet at 7 P.M. and the coaches for the men will meet at 8 P.M.

Special Olympics on Friday, March 25 at Central School. Volunteers are still needed to help with the festivities. Come out and watch these special kids become winners.

Easter Egg Hunt—Don't forget this year's Easter Egg hunt on Friday, April 1. The hunt will be for kids ages 2-12 at Missing Mill Park beginning at 4 P.M. All children are welcome to come and gather Easter Eggs!

Soccer-Try-outs for soccer will be held behind Central School, Saturday, March 26. All 7 year olds will meet at 10 A.M., 8 year olds at 10:30 A.M., 9 year olds at 11 A.M., 10 year olds at 11:30 A.M. and 11-12 year olds at 12 noon. Games will begin on Saturday, April 9.



Teacher at Perquimans High School Kathy Ansick works with students preparing them for the Special Olympics, which is coming up March 25 at Central Grammar School in Winfall.

## Local Special Olympics coming March 25

Weeks of training and hard work will culminate Friday, March 25 when 55 of Perquimans County's exceptional children will participate in the annual Special Olympics set at Central Grammar School in Winfall.

All residents of the county are invited and encouraged to attend. The opening ceremony will begin at 9 A.M. with the traditional parade of athletes and huggers led by the High School Band, followed by the guest speakers, Mr. Pat Harrell and Miss Bobbie Veon and ending with the lighting of the Special Olympics Torch. Kathy Ansick, county coordinator of the local olympics says, "The Special Olympics are

guaranteed to bring unmeasurable joy not only to the athletes but to the spectators as well. Seeing the determination on these kids faces as they compete in the various events makes all the hard work that goes into the Special Olympics worthwhile."

Students from 6-20 years of age will compete in the softball and frisbee throw, standing broad jump and 50 meter dash. There may even be a wheelchair race. Specially selected students from the high school will be huggers, clowns, and run diversionary activities such as parachute games, hula hoop games and many other activities.

## Perquimans Pirates fall at Regionals

By ERIC SKINNER

The Perquimans Pirates ended the Troy Jackson era with a very emotional loss to Clayton at Wilson Pike in Wilson, N.C.

Although Troy Jackson, the senior sharp-shooter and high scorer, put in 26 points it wasn't enough.

The Pirates started off doing a very good job, on both defense and offense, but it appeared that Clayton was doing alot better.

The Pirates played a very impressive first period. They received their scoring from Jackson, Ronnie Ferbee, James Riddick and Dennis Hunter. The Comets scored first and then the Pirates came back to return the favor. After a few offensive rebounds by Clayton's Arnold Vinson, Clayton was up by 19-14 at the end of the first period.

Clayton opened up the second period with 4 unanswered points. The Pirates quickly got on track with a jump-shot by Jackson and one by Hunter.

Clayton's own Arnold Vinson,

getting a steal from senior guard Melvin Coston, made a fast break lay-up to put Clayton up by 7.

Coach Calvin Webster called a time out to talk to the sagging Pirates. Whatever was said appeared to work as senior Brad Frierson made two passes to senior Melvin Coston, who made a quick lay-up, followed by James Riddick who made a successful steal and

followed through for a stunning lay-up.

Jubilation went over the Pirates fans, but Clayton soon recovered and ran the Pirates up and down the court taking both offensive and defensive rebounds and the half-time score was 40-31 Clayton.

The Pirates came back in the third period with impressive playing. Jackson got into foul trouble and was

benched. The Pirates reached into their bag of tricks and pulled out other weapons. George Long, Charles Leigh and Teton Reid took the load off of Jackson's shoulders. The Pirates could've used Jacksons but the "little guys" had something to prove.

Teton Reid, catching a rebound and throwing a outlet pass to Doug White, made a "net-popping, jump-shot," leaving the score at the end of the third quarter, 72-55 Clayton.

The fourth period was one of the longest of Pirates history, as Troy Jackson followed by Melvin Coston fouled out with 3:36 left on the clock.

From that point Perquimans went into a slump. The Comets took advantage of this state and ended the game, 94-72 Clayton.

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## School menus

March 29-31 & April 1

Monday-Breakfast-toast-bacon and grits, cereal, fruit or juice and milk. Lunch-Tony's pizza or chuch-wagon-bun, tri-taters, tossed salad, fruit and milk.

Tuesday-Breakfast-peanut butter and jelly sandwich, cereal, fruit or juice and milk. Lunch-cheeseburger-bun or beef-a-roni, lettuce and dressing, fruit, mgrs. choice vegetable and milk.

Wednesday-Breakfast-pancakes-honey or cereal, fruit or juice and milk. Lunch-barbecue chicken or pork chopette, whipped potatoes, green beans, vegetable sticks, congealed salad and milk.

Thursday-Breakfast-cinnamon bun or cereal, fruit or juice and milk. Lunch-ham sandwich or peanut butter sandwich, vegetable soup, hash browns, apple crisp and milk.

Friday-Breakfast-danish or cereal, fruit or juice and milk. Lunch-sloppy joe or hot dog, corn, baked beans, fruit, hash browns and milk.

## Notice of Public Hearing Town of Winfall

The Citizens of the Town of Winfall are hereby informed that the Town intends to apply to the North Carolina Department of the Natural Resources and Community Development for a Small Cities Community Development Block Grant (CDBG).

In an effort to involve the Citizens of Winfall in the planning of the Town's Community Development Program, a public hearing will be held at the Town Hall on April 5, 1983, at 7:30 p.m.

The purpose of the hearing will be to explain the Small Cities CDBG Program and to allow the Citizens of Winfall to express their views concerning community development needs and priorities.

Lloyd R. Morgan, Mayor

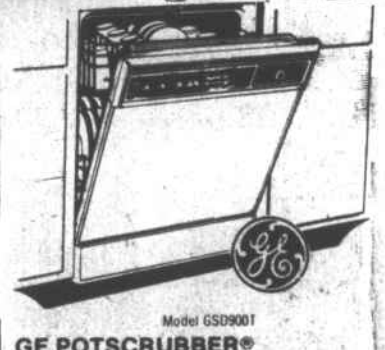
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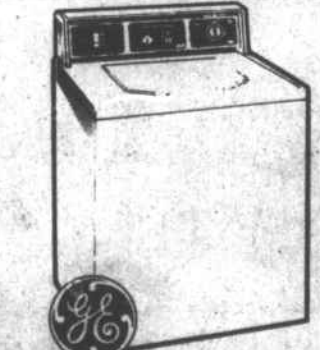
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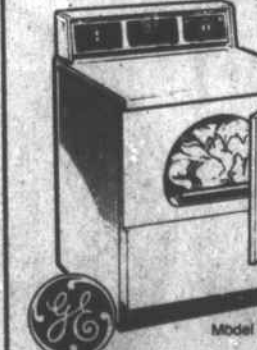
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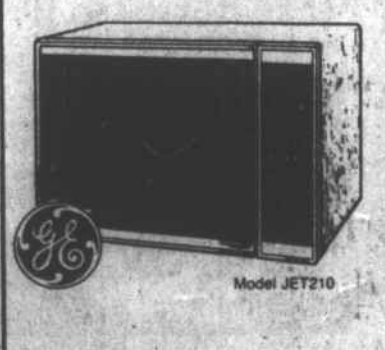
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