

Supper will benefit recreation program



August 15-September 2. Ages 6-13 may register. Teams will be broken into two age brackets, 6-9 and 10-13 years of age. Games will be played on Saturday mornings starting in September.

Registration fee is \$7. If you would like to volunteer some of your time as a coach or in just providing your support to the soccer program, please contact the Recreation Department or Peggy Rohrer at 426-9217.

INDIAN SUMMER RUN — The Perquimans County Recreation Department and Chamber of Commerce will be sponsoring a 5K (3.1 miles) run on Saturday, September 17. Registration forms may be picked up at the Recreation Department. For more information, contact the department at 426-5695.

MIDGET FOOTBALL — Information on football will be in next week's paper.

BBQ CHICKEN SUPPER AND AUCTION — The Perquimans County Recreation Advisory Committee will sponsor a Barbecue Chicken Supper and Auction at Missing Mill Park on Saturday, August 20. Proceeds will benefit the Perquimans County Recreation Department.

Tickets may be purchased at local businesses, from advisory committee members, Perquimans Senior Center and the recreation department.

SOCCER — Registration period is

Cooking school set September 7



Additionally, Meixel's family tree reveals a 300 year association with the meat business. members of Meixel's family still own and operate the original (300-year-old) family meat market which is located in Germany.

Meixel is often thought of as the Murrill Ellis of Farm Fresh, as he has extensive knowledge of cutting and cooking a variety of meat products.

He is an expert gourmet meat cook and has presented numerous cooking schools to "standing room only" crowds.

Mark your calendars now for Wednesday, September 7, 7-9 p.m., Albemarle Commission, and help us welcome Mr. Walter Meixel and Farm Fresh Home Economist Susan Mayo to our area.

Numerous door prizes, one grand prize and light refreshments will be provided.

Interested persons should call 426-7697 or 426-5428 by September 2, to register for this event. (Seating will be limited.)

"What's Your Beef" is the theme of a cooking school which is being co-sponsored by Perquimans County's Extension Homemakers, Extension Service and Farm Fresh Supermarkets, Inc.

The school will be conducted on Wednesday, September 7, from 7-9 p.m. at the Albemarle Commission Building in Hertford.

The featured guest and cooking school instructor will be Mr. Walter Meixel, who is the Director of Meat Operations for Farm Fresh Supermarkets, Inc. Mr. Meixel has been the director of meat operations for 27 years.

COA graduation scheduled August 17

More than 100 associate degrees and diplomas will be awarded on Wednesday, Aug. 17 during the summer commencement at College of The Albemarle.

Weather permitting, the outdoor ceremony will take place at 6:30 p.m. on the front lawn of the community college's North Road Street campus in Elizabeth City.

In the event of rain, the graduation exercises will begin one hour later, at 7:30 p.m. at the S. L. Sheep Auditorium.

Dr. Gerald B. James, former Rockingham Community College president, will be the principal speaker. He was the founding president of the institution, which is located in Wentworth, from 1964 until his retirement in June.

A native of Oakboro in Stanley County, James attended Wake Forest College. He received his bachelor and master of science degrees from North Carolina State College. He earned his doctorate at the University of Illinois.



Jason Smith 8 1/2, son of Paul and Anna Smith of Route 2, Hertford, recently caught this 30 lb. Cobia while fishing with

his grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. Paul Smith, Sr. at Ocracoke.



Nine-year-old Dan Oden caught this 43 lb. white marlin while fishing from the yacht, "Jersey Devil," in the Gulf Stream off Hatteras. Assisting Dan was the mate,

Mark Grosskrentz, from Queensland, Australia. Dan lives in Hatteras and is the grandson of Mr. and Mrs. C. C. Walters of Rt. 4, Hertford.

Fishing is great in Florida Keys

It's funny how you go for long periods of time and don't see or hear from people that you used to see every day and night and so on and so forth.

You think about them, then you talk about them, wish you had their phone number; and the next thing you know they're standing in your yard.

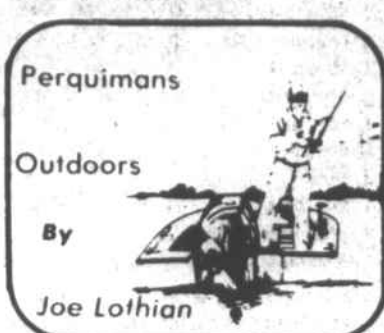
One of my old roommates showed up Saturday after a considerable absence, still single and fresh from two weeks in the Florida Keys and the Everglades.

He said the fishing down there was great and there was still plenty of room to camp and just look around. On his way back, he stopped at Hatteras to see family and freinds and to do some fishing.

The fishing wasn't too good. Fishing down at the beach has tailed off considerably; and if you're not in the right place at the right time, you'd be well advised to stay in and sit in front of the fan.

The best fishing right now is out in the sound for white perch. There are large catches of white perch being taken along with croakers and spot. There are also a few flounder being caught.

There are more and more local people going out at night and doing pretty well gigging flounder, taking



more than they can with hook and line. The fishing in the river is fair, but there have been good catches of bream and catfish reported.

Let me remind all you waterfowl hunters that we need your participation in Elizabeth City on August 22 at 7:30 p.m. at the Pasquotank County Courthouse to let the Wildlife Resources people know how we feel about when our waterfowl should be set.

Currituck will be well represented and we have to counter their early season proposals. If you duck or goose hunt, be there.



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