

# HIGH POINT NEWS

## Central

### On The Soul Side

Sharonne Gray

This week at Central has been very eventful. The service clubs, football team, cheerleaders, band, and Homecoming Court are busy preparing for Homecoming which will be this weekend. On Wednesday College Day was held and the students received the opportunity to converse with representatives from various colleges and vocational schools. We discussed such relevant topics as college admissions, financial aid, availability of scholarships and social life on campuses.

gets a few of the material things he wants seems out of place when applied to the black experience. Now that some of the doors are open we should attempt to fulfill our highest potentials. Not to do so is to cheat oneself as well as our society.

I found the lack of interest in higher education displayed by some black students disturbing. The attitude that it doesn't matter what one does with the rest of his life as long as he manages to survive and

I was surprised to be informed by our school newspaper that since students don't think about race, race will no longer be a determining factor in the selection of student representatives. I say "says who?"

Suggestions: Read: Sippi - by Joh Killens Sec: Cleopatra Jones Listen: Stevie Wonder Higher Ground Still trying to reach higher ground, Sharonne

## Notice

Have you neglected to be tested for Sickle Cell Disease?? If the answer is yes, then this announcement is especially for you.

The Sickle Cell Outreach and Education Project sponsored by the High Point Business and Professional Men's Club and funded by Model Cities will hold a special testing clinic at the Daniel Brooks Recreation Center, Friday, October 26, from 6pm - 9pm and Saturday, October 27, from 1pm - 6pm.

All residents of High Point are encouraged and invited to attend.

The test is free, simple and almost painless.

## Activities At Wingate Andrews

Shelia Harp



Greetings from the students here at Andrews! There has been much excitement over the newly formed Professional Women's Club. This club will provide a social and academic atmosphere for the Black girls. Their purposes are to promote relationships among students and teachers and to encourage academic participation. The black students here are finally realizing the necessity of leadership and participation in clubs.

The future of a Black tomorrow rests upon our shoulder. If black tomorrow is to be successful we have to be capable of running it effectively. Participating in clubs help us to prepare for tomorrow.

We are exceedingly proud of our fine football players. Steve Hamlin,

Keith Harp, Joe McElrath, Alfred McElrath, Sammy Little, Gary Walker, Randy Robinson, Hardy Foster and Jesse Palmer all of these guys help bring home victories. There are many more fellows who deserve credit for their outstanding performances at the football games.

The Professional Men are working very hard to get off to a good start this year. Remember brothers and sisters if we unite and work together we could have an ultimate victory for our "Black Tomorrow." There has definitely got to be that tomorrow. We have to make an imprint upon the American Society.

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**Ragsdale Roundup**  
By Toni Gibson

Homecoming, undefeated Tigers, Concerts, new exam schedules, and annual sales are the happenings around Ragsdale.

Student Council met to hear the report on the progress of homecoming for 1973. The chairman, Debbie Grant, told student council that the court for this year will be chosen by popular vote. The students will receive their ballots in homeroom. Sophomores and juniors choose five attendants and seniors chose seven. On every ballot there must be at least one black and one white the rest of any race.

Students are also getting ready for the parade. Classes have had consecutive meetings to plan and build their floats. Homecoming is Oct. 26 against the Northeast Rams.

Friday night our Tigers maintained an unblemished record of 5-0. Ragsdale won 57-20 over the Western Warriors. In the past couple of games the secondary has had a chance to show Coach Kemp their

stuff and from here it looks pretty good.

On Oct. 1, the student body had an assembly to hear the group that was to give a concert there Tuesday. The Spurrrows sang several songs from the charts and then entertained the students even more by having a dance contest. Out of the four contestants our favorite teacher, Mrs. Mileski won. Congratulations Mrs. Mileski.

Exams this year will be given at the end of the nine weeks instead of semesters. The only gripe I and a "few" other seniors have is that we can't get exempt. OOOooooohhhhhhh!!!!

The Echo went on sale last Monday and sales will continue through this week. Students are urged to order their annuals now as there probably won't be any extras ordered.

And lastly, Ragsdale's interscholastic volleyball team took first place. This is the first year that this sport has been offered. Congratulations go to Miss Kautz and players.

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## OBITUARIES

### MARY LOUISE BOWENS

Mrs. Mary Louise Bowens, 46 of Route 1, Thomasville, died in the Community General Hospital following hospitalization of two weeks and declining health of 9 months.

The funeral was held at First Baptist Church by the Rev. W.E.Banks. Burial was followed in Carolina Biblical Gardens.

Thomas-Haizlip Funeral Home, Thomasville, in charge of arrangements.

### MONT VERNON BAPTIST CHURCH

WEDNESDAY: Mid-week prayer service.  
SUNDAY: 9:45, Sunday School, 11:00, Morning Worship Service, 5:00, Bible Study.

### NEW HOPE BAPTIST CHURCH

WEDNESDAY: 7:30 Prayer Service  
THURSDAY: 7:30 p.m. Senior Choir rehearsal  
SUNDAY: 9:50 a.m. Sunday School, 11:30 a.m. Morning Worship

### MEMORIAL UNITED METHODIST CHURCH

WEDNESDAY: 8 p.m. Senior choir rehearsal  
SUNDAY: 9:45 a.m. Church School, 11:00 a.m. Morning Worship.  
SUNDAY: October 28; A Silver Offering Tea will be held here at the church at the close of morning service sponsored by Group #3, Mrs. Grace Watson is the leader.

### WILLIAMS MEMORIAL C. M. E. CHURCH

Wednesday, 7:00 p.m. Prayer Service  
Sunday, 9:45, Sunday School; 11:00, Morning Worship Service;

## CHURCH CALENDAR

CONGREGATION UNITED Wednesday: Senior Choir rehearsal at the regular hour.  
Sunday: 9:45 a.m. Sunday School, 11:00 a.m. Worship Service

### FIRST BAPTIST CHURCH

Wednesday: Mid-Week Prayer Service 7:30 p.m.  
Sunday: 9:45 a.m. Church School, 11:00 a.m. Morning Worship.

### Pearson Memorial A. M. E. Church

Sunday: Sunday School, 9:45 Morning Worship, 11:00.

Revival Services will be held at the First Baptist Church, 701 East Washington Drive October 1-5. Rev. I.C. Ravizee, Pastor of the 22nd. Avenue Baptist Church, Birmingham, Alabama, will be the Evangelist.

Devotions will begin nightly at 7:30 P.M. The public is invited to attend.

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