

Bloodmobile to visit August 27

Mountain Video will sponsor the August 27 visit of the Red Cross bloodmobile in Kings Mountain. Donors will be processed at First Baptist Church from 1 p.m.-6 p.m. "American Red Cross Blood Services appreciates the faithful

donors who have contributed to the blood supply this summer," says Sandi Bolick, director. "While all blood types are still needed on a regular basis, types O negative and B positive are particularly needed at this time."

Benefit bake sale at Oak Grove VFD

A bake sale Saturday at Oak Grove Volunteer Fire Department will benefit Robert Ervin, who is now recuperating at home following a long stay at Charlotte Rehabilitation Center. Ervin was diagnosed five months ago with Guillain Barre' Syndrome. He will continue to receive therapy at Gaston

Rehabilitation Center.

He hopes he will be able to return to his job in about a year. Funds from the benefit will be used to help the family pay rising medical costs. Homemade goodies, including cakes and pies, will be sold starting at 9 a.m.

HIV/AIDS response luncheon planned here

Cleveland County Health Department will host a "Cleveland County Collaborative Response to HIV/AIDS" September 2 at noon at a luncheon at Kings Mountain Hospital.

Recently, Cleveland County joined the Regional HIV/AIDS Consortium, said Denise Stallings, Health Director. The Consortium's Executive Committee will familiar-

ize local leaders and health care professionals who may currently or in the future have to deal with this issue. Stallings said local leaders will learn how to integrate local resources, what resources are available throughout the region, and how to utilize a regional approach to meet the needs of HIV/AIDS families and patients to address the overall AIDS effort.

'Dracula' auditions at KM Little Theatre

Auditions for the Halloween-weekend production of "Dracula" will be held Thursday and Friday nights by Kings Mountain Little Theatre.

L-T President Jeff Grigg will direct the play and conduct auditions from 7 p.m.- 8 p.m. at Central

School Auditorium.

The cast will include six men, three ages 40-50, and three ages 20-30, and two women, ages 20-30.

Play dates are October 29-31. "Dracula" will be sponsored in part by a Grassroots grant from the North Carolina Arts Council.

Sandra Wilson named to First Citizens board

Sandra S. Wilson has been elected to serve on First Citizens Bank's local board of directors in Kings Mountain, according to Eric L. Dixon, First Citizens Bank assistant vice president and Kings Mountain city executive.

As a member of the local board, Wilson will assist bank management with business development and policy matters and will serve as a liaison between First Citizens and the Kings Mountain community.

Wilson is a real estate broker and owner of Sandra Wilson Realty. The Kings Mountain native is a member of several local and national real estate associations. She is a member of the Kings Mountain Chamber of Commerce and the National Association of Independent Businesses.



SANDRA WILSON

Wilson and her husband, Arlin E. Wilson, have two adult children and attend El-Bethel United Methodist Church.

Kings Mountain Weather Report

(Compiled by Kenneth Kitzmiller)

	August 12-18	Last Year
Total precipitation	1.93	1.54
Maximum one day	1.70 (13th)	1.15 (14th)
Year to date	34.96	38.20
Minimum temperature	64 (15th, 18th)	64 (15th, 17th)
Maximum temperature	89 (12th)	98 (18th)
Average temperature	72.4	74.4



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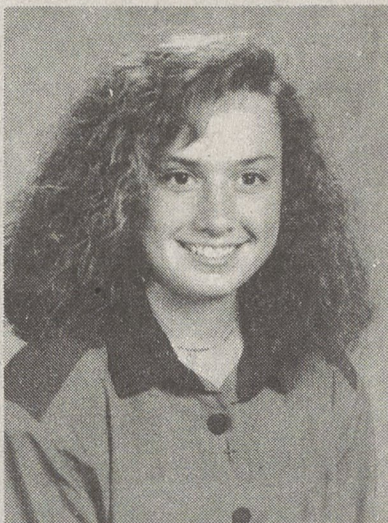
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ERIKA RANDALL

Erika Randall in Who's Who

Erika Randall, KMHS sophomore and daughter of Merrill and Jean Randall, has been nominated for honorary award recognition and to have her biography published in the appropriate volume of "Who's Who Among American High School Students, 1991-92."

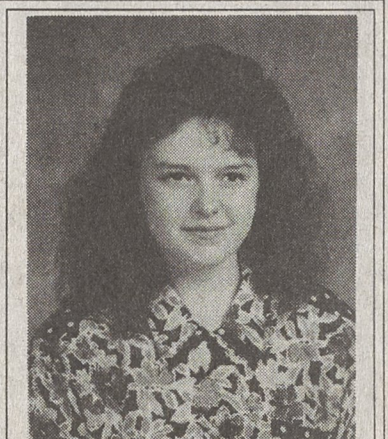
As a Who's Who student, she is eligible to apply for a \$1,000 scholarship from the \$100,000 to be awarded this year.

Erika is the granddaughter of Howard Randall of Kings Mountain and the late Lucille Randall and Mrs. Charles E. Wharmby of Gastonia and the late Mr. Wharmby.

Permission granted

Three Moss Lake residents received permission from Moss Lake Commission to make improvements to their properties at the recent meeting.

Keith Wherry got permission to put up a seawall, Ken Knight to clear brush and install siltation barrier, and Ralph Tongel, for rip rap on shoreline property.



Happy 16th Birthday
Melissa
Love, Mom & Dad

Drivers beware: school is 'in'

Kings Mountain Police are putting up signs in town reminding drivers that "School's Open - Drive Carefully."

In order to make motorists keenly aware of the large number of children heading back to the classroom the AAA Carolina Motor Club has dispatched nearly 20,000 posters to law enforcement agencies and school officials in 177 communities in the two states. This material is furnished free for posting in key community areas making up school routes. Since AAA began sponsoring the school safety program, the nationwide pedestrian

death rate among children 5-14 has decreased 70 percent.

"Drivers should be particularly careful in school zone areas," said Chief Warren Golorth. "Being alert to the presence of school children on our streets, we can continue to reduce pedestrian mishaps related

to school children."

The basic message on the posters is the same each year, however, a new drawing is picked annually among the thousands of school children across the country who enter AAA's traffic safety poster contest.

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Showtimes:

Saturday, August 22
10 am, 12 pm, 2 pm,
4 pm, & 6 pm
Sunday, August 23
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