



United Fund President Jay Rhodes congratulates Nancy Scism, the new fund drive chairman for 1994 for the Kings Mountain United Fund.

## Scism to lead UF drive

Nancy Scism, executive officer of Home Savings Bank, will head the Kings Mountain United Fund campaign for funds for 1994. United Fund President Jay Rhodes made the announcement at a meeting of the board of directors Tuesday at Town and Country BBQ. Scism said she is contacting people this week to serve as divisional chairmen for various aspects of the community's largest single fund-

raising effort annually. The campaign kickoff is September 9 and celebration of completion of the effort is set for November 30. The executive committee of UF will meet June 7 for an allocation meeting to discuss requests for funding for the campaign. Last year the United Fund exceeded its goal and gave money to 16 charitable organizations in the Greater Kings Mountain area.

## Kids Etc! program honors parents

Kings Mountain District Schools' Kits Etc.! Program designated the week of April 24-29 as Parent Involvement Week. Parents were encouraged to visit their child's school and received an information booklet on "How To Get Involved In Their Child's School." A parent appreciation breakfast was held at all five elementary schools. Parents enjoyed coffee, juice, and doughnuts, and had the opportunity to spend time with their child and visit their teacher.

The week concluded with the Kids Etc.! annual spaghetti supper and talent show. Those attending got to see a group of talented performers as well as master of ceremonies, Joh Robinson, host of the Charlotte Morning News on Radio 1110 WBT. Winners of the talent show were Emily Owens, Jordan Cole, Caleb Herndon and Chase Roper. Special entertainment was provided by Michael Hayes and Christy Walker.

## Jones state secretary of FHA

Mandy Jones, daughter of Alan and Wanda Jones of Kings Mountain, was elected State FHA/Hero Secretary at the annual FHA/Hero Leadership Conference April 21-22 at Raleigh Civic Center. King Mountain High School was represented by Jones, a 10th grader, Amanda Burns, Mychuan Logan and Bobby Philbeck. Burns, Logan and Philbeck competed in the Nutra Trends event and placed third in the state. The three ninth grade students studied the amount of fat that is in pasta, researched pasta recipes, selected and prepared three pasta dishes. They surveyed Kings Mountain High School students during lunch as to taste, appearance, and ease of preparation. The results of the survey was compiled and graphed for a display. The students presented an oral and a display board on the "Pasta Pyramid." Jones will begin her state duties



MANDY JONES

July 11-16 in Orlando, Florida as she serves along with the other North Carolina state officers at the National FHA/Hero Leadership Conference. Thirteen students and teachers from across the state attended the conference.

## Cory Steven Mullins celebrates birthday

Cory Steven Mullins, who will be two years old May 23, recently celebrated his birthday with a party with family and friends. The party included a cookout and Barney cake with decorations and ice cream. Guests were her grandmother, Rose Price; cousins Chelsea and Carley Vestal, Kala and Nacole Vestal, Chris and Shane Hall, and David and Megan Hall. Cory is the son of John and Linda Mullins of Gastonia, and the grandson of John and Saretta Mullins and Tammy and Chris Rhome.



CORY MULLINS

## SCHOOL AWARDS

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Instructional Support Employee of the Year; Sandra Bumgardner, Office Support Employee of the Year; Annie Mae Berry, School Food Service Employee of the Year; Buddy Ramey, Maintenance Employee of the Year; Herman Green, Bus Driver of the Year and Fred Tate, Custodian of the Year. Five other employees were recognized for successfully completing their Professional Development Plan established by their respective state organizations. They were Shirley Valentine, Professional Associate, NCAEOP; Doris McGinnis, Advanced Associate III, NCAEOP; Judy Bowen, Intermediate Certificate, NATA; Martha Sloan, Standard Certificate,

NCATA; and Glenda Ivey, Intermediate Certificate, NCATA. Three teachers received framed certificates and gift items for their two year service as a mentor teacher for those beginning teachers who are required to participate in the initial certification program. They were Recca Wright and Lynda Stewart of Kings Mountain Middle School and Dianna Allen of Bethware School. After collectively accumulating 252 years of service in the Kings Mountain Schools, 10 employees will leave the profession at the close of the 1993-94 school year. They are Dr. Larry Allen, Brenda Neal, Bill Wellmon, Sara Griffin, Stella Ware, Mary Ellen Davis, Bill Hager, Juanita Herron, Mae Grigg and Billy Lemons.

# Smokey Bear exhibit at Schiele Museum

An exhibit commemorating the 50th birthday of Smokey the Bear will be held today through Saturday at Schiele Museum in Gastonia. Al Grimes, a retired forest ranger from New Hampshire, will be at Schiele with Smokey the Bear memorabilia he has collected over the years. It includes calendars, belt buckles, ash trays, posters and dolls.

Viewing hours are 9 a.m.-5 p.m. Thursday and Friday and 10 a.m.-5 p.m. Saturday. On Saturday, Smokey the Bear will be on hand to greet the children. Those who have been collecting Smokey the Bear items are encouraged to take them so participants can see many different items. Grimes is touring the eastern United States with his exhibit and other exhibits are being held all over the U.S. in commemoration of Smokey's 50th birthday.

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