



**SENIORS LEAD AWARD WINNERS** - Kings Mountain High School seniors Molly Blanton, Brett Wells and Will Mauney, left to right, led the award recipients at Monday's Arts & Crafts Festival of the Kings Mountain Woman's Club. Back row, education chairman Doris McGinnis; KMHS drama teacher Betsy Wells, mother of Brett Wells; and KMHS band director Chris Cole.



**LITERATURE AWARD WINNERS** - Pictured are students who won literature awards in Monday's Arts & Crafts Festival of the Woman's Club. Front row, from left, Elizabeth Mauney, Heather Causby, Kathryn Champion, Brad Goforth and Blake Clary. Back row, Angela Davis, Clay Phillips, Teresa Rainey, Jessica Love, Michelle Grigg and Courtney Fredell.



**YOUNG ARTISTS** - Pictured are some of the winners of the student Art awards presented by Kings Mountain Woman's Club. From left to right, Darin Brown, Jessica Ramsey, David Black, Ben Godfrey and Krista Short.

## Students win Woman's Club awards

Kings Mountain High School seniors Brett Wells, Will Mauney and Molly Blanton were recognized for drama, music and scholarship awards by the Kings Mountain Woman's Club Monday night.

Mauney played "Pepite Piece Concertante" on the euphonium and Wells gave a cutting of the character, Riff, in "West Side Story." Band Director Chris Cole introduced Mauney, son of Mr. and Mrs. Kemp Mauney, and Drama teacher Betsy Wells introduced Wells, son of Betsy and Steve Wells.

Blanton, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Jerry Blanton, was among nine students who competed for the Sallie Southall Cotten scholarship and now advances to district competition. She was introduced by the club's Education chairman Doris McGinnis.

Numerous other students also won ribbons for participation in literature, essay, short story, poetry and student art contests.

Other student winners were: Literature - Brad Goforth, first place, short story, "The Gaffney Strangler." Essay - 10th grade - Angela

Davis, first, "The Importance of Physical Fitness," Elizabeth Mauney, second, "Adoption" and Clary Phillips, third, "Pete Rose Is A Rose."

Short Story - 10th grade - Courtney Fredell, first, "Hoppy" and Kathryn Champion, second, "A Friend to Die For."

Poetry - 10th grade - Michelle Grigg, first, "My Teacher Had a Hole In His Pants," Jessica Lowe, second, "Loves' Wings" and third, Tasha Adams, "In My Heart." 9th grade - Blake Clary, first, "Memory Hill," Teresa Rainey, second, "First Gate" and Heather Causby, third, "The Willow Tree."

Student Art - 12th grade - Jason Payne, first; Krista Short, second and Souphatta Ratsavong, third; 10th grade - David Black, first; Darin Brown, second and Ben Godfrey, third; and 9th grade - John Hunter, first; Sherry Conner, second, and Jessica Ramsey, third.

Local artists A. B. Snow and Margaret Dixon introduced the students and art teacher Sherry Bingham and literature teachers Becky Champion and Elizabeth Melton were recognized.

Selena Trott made the awards presentations.

Judges for the various events were Ethel McGinnis, crafts; Juanita Goforth, literature; and Snow and Dixon, art.

Esther Muench, club president, said the first place winners will vie for prizes at the annual District IV Arts Festival to be held February 8 at the Kings Mountain Woman's Club. Local club women will host the District IV meeting of the N. C. Federation of Women's Clubs.



**BIG BUCK** - Ronnie Wilson Jr., son of Ronnie Wilson Sr. and Marcia Cash, killed three deer during the recent hunting season, including this six-point buck.

## Doctor's discovery may end obesity

**HILTON HEAD, S.C.** -- A doctor has discovered that an ingredient found in a small fruit grown in Asia, combined with an ingredient praised by the U.S. Department of Agriculture can help cause significant weight loss.

In a study published in a prestigious American medical journal, Dr. Anthony A. Conte, M.D. reported that the formula, now called Bio-Rex 3000, caused patients to lose more than twice as much weight as a control group on the same fat reduced diet. Neither group was instructed to decrease the amount of food they ate or to increase their exercise levels. An article published in the *American Journal of Clinical Nutrition* confirms that you don't have to reduce the amount of food you eat to lose weight, provided that you limit the fat.

Scientists suggest that the mechanism behind the weight reduction may include decreasing sugar cravings and interruption of the "Krebs Cycle," an important step in the body's fat storage process. "The best part of this unique discovery is that it is not a drug, but a safe dietary food supplement" says Dr. Conte. The Asian fruit, called garcinia, is similar to citrus fruit found in the United States with one big exception - it may help some people fight obesity! While Dr. Conte's study may be preliminary, the exclusive North American distributor, Phillips Gulf Corp., is calling the Bio-Rex 3000 supplement "Nature's Ideal Diet Aid."

According to a spokesperson for the company, Bio-Rex 3000 is now available through pharmacies and nutrition stores or call 1-800-729-8446.

Bio-Rex 3000 is available locally at:



Author's Note: This statement has not been evaluated by the FDA. Bio-Rex 3000 is not intended to diagnose, treat, cure, or prevent any disease.

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### JAY STRACK BANQUET

A rally banquet for the Jay Strack Impact Crusade will be held Thurs., Feb. 20 at the KMHS cafeteria. Guest speaker will be Dr. Dwight "Ike" Reighard, senior associate pastor of First Baptist Church in Atlanta. The banquet will provide information about opportunities for involvement in the crusade August 24-28 at John Gamble Stadium. For tickets or more information call the crusade office at 730-0120.



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## Legals

### CO-EXECUTOR'S NOTICE

Having qualified on the 6th day of December, 1996 as co-executors of the Estate of Charlene C. Padgett, deceased, late of Cleveland County, North Carolina, this is to notify all persons, firms and corporations having claims against the decedent to exhibit the same to the undersigned Philip G. Padgett, Jr. and Charles C. Padgett, or before the 19th day of March, 1997, or this notice will be pleaded in bar of their recovery. All persons, firms and corporations indebted to the estate should make immediate payment.

This the 19th day of December, 1996  
Philip G. Padgett, Jr., Co-Executor  
7709 Charleston Drive  
Bethesda, MC 20817  
Charles C. Padgett, Co-Executor,  
8 Shelter Cove  
Durham, NC 27713  
Estate of Charlene C. Padgett  
Attorney:  
George B. Thomasson, P.A.  
George B. Thomasson  
P.O. Box 205  
Kings Mountain, NC 28086  
KMHS-1310 1:9, 16, 23,30

### NOTICE OF ADMINISTRATRIX NORTH CAROLINA, CLEVELAND COUNTY

The undersigned, having qualified as Administratrix of the Estate of Glenn E. Bolin, Jr., deceased, late of Cleveland County, hereby notifies all persons, firms and corporations having claims against said Estate to present them to the undersigned on or before April 16, 1997, or this notice will be pleaded in bar of their recovery. All persons indebted to the said Estate will please make immediate payment to the undersigned.

This the 16th day of January, 1997.  
Tracy B. Bradley, Administratrix  
Estate of Glenn E. Bolin, Jr.  
J. Ben Morrow, P.A.  
Attorney for the Estate  
312 South Chester Street  
P.O. Box 116  
Gastonia, N.C. 28053-0116  
KMHS-1319 1:16, 23, 30; 2:6

### ADMINISTRATOR EXECUTOR'S NOTICE

Having qualified on the 17th day of January, 1997 as executrix of the Estate of Charles H. Sparks, deceased, late of Cleveland County, North Carolina, this is to notify all persons, firms and corporations having claims against the decedent to exhibit the same to the undersigned Chloe L. Sparks, on or before the 22nd day of April, 1997, or this notice will be pleaded in bar of their recovery. All persons, firms and corporations indebted to the estate should make immediate payment.

This the 22nd day of January, 1997  
Chloe L. Sparks  
Charles H. Sparks  
1009 Sherwood Lane  
Kings Mountain, NC 28086  
KMHS-1323 1:23, 30; 2:6, 13

### IN THE GENERAL COURT OF JUSTICE SUPERIOR COURT DIVISION BEFORE THE CLERK EXECUTOR'S NOTICE NORTH CAROLINA, CLEVELAND COUNTY IN THE MATTER OF THE ESTATE OF: RUTH H. LEDFORD

Having qualified on the 15th day of January, 1997 as Executrix of the Estate of Ruth H. Ledford, deceased, late of Cleveland County, North Carolina, this is to notify all persons, firms and corporations having claims

against the decedent to exhibit the same to the undersigned Executor on or before the 23rd day of April 1997, or this notice will be pleaded in bar of their recovery. All persons, firms and corporations indebted to the estate should make immediate payment.

This the 23rd day of January, 1997  
Jack A. Ledford, Executor  
2425 Knickerbocker Drive  
Charlotte, NC 28212  
E. Scott Cloninger  
CLONINGER & NEISLER  
115 West Mountain Street  
Kings Mountain, NC 28086  
KMHS-1321 1:23, 30; 2:6, 13

### IN THE GENERAL COURT OF JUSTICE SUPERIOR COURT DIVISION BEFORE THE CLERK EXECUTOR'S NOTICE NORTH CAROLINA, CLEVELAND COUNTY

IN THE MATTER OF THE ESTATE OF: HUBERT K. MCGINNIS, SR.  
Having qualified on the 15th day of January, 1997 as Executrix of the Estate of Hubert K. McGinnis, Sr., deceased, late of Cleveland County, North Carolina, this is to notify all persons, firms and corporations having claims against the decedent to exhibit the same to the undersigned Executrix on or before the 23rd day of April 1997, or this notice will be pleaded in bar of their recovery. All persons, firms and corporations indebted to the estate should make immediate payment.

This the 23rd day of January, 1997  
Freida McGinnis, Executrix  
1001 Sherwood Lane  
Kings Mountain, NC 28086  
E. Scott Cloninger  
CLONINGER & NEISLER  
115 West Mountain Street  
Kings Mountain, NC 28086  
KMHS-1322 1:23, 30; 2:6, 13

### ADMINISTRATOR EXECUTOR'S NOTICE

Having qualified on the 14th day of January, 1997 as Executor of the Estate of James H. Pursley, deceased, late of Cleveland County, North Carolina, this is to notify all persons, firms and corporations having claims against the decedent to exhibit the same to the undersigned Fredrick Dixon Hambricht, Executor on or before the 23rd day of April 1997, or this notice will be pleaded in bar of their recovery. All persons, firms and corporations indebted to the estate should make immediate payment.

This the 23rd day of January, 1997  
Fredrick Dixon Hambricht, Executor  
Estate of: James H. Pursley  
307 Maner Road  
Kings Mountain, NC 28086  
GEORGE B. THOMASSON, P.A.  
George B. Thomasson  
P.O. Box 205  
Kings Mountain, NC 28086  
KMHS-1319 1:23, 30; 2:6, 13

### ADMINISTRATOR EXECUTOR'S NOTICE

Having qualified on the 28th day of January, 1997 as Administratrix of the Estate of Margaret Hamm Greene, deceased, late of Cleveland County, North Carolina, this is to notify all persons, firms and corporations having claims against the decedent to exhibit the same to the undersigned Ann B. Ellison, Administratrix on or before the 30th day of April 1997, or this notice will be pleaded in bar of their recovery. All persons, firms and corporations indebted to the estate should make immediate payment.

This the 30th day of January, 1997  
Ann B. Ellison, Administratrix  
Margaret Hamm Greene  
206 N. Dilling Street  
Kings Mtn., NC 28086  
KMHS-1328 1:30; 2:6, 13, 20

### IN THE GENERAL COURT OF JUSTICE SUPERIOR COURT DIVISION BEFORE THE CLERK

### EXECUTOR'S NOTICE NORTH CAROLINA, CLEVELAND COUNTY IN THE MATTER OF THE ESTATE OF: EUGENE RICHARD HALE

Having qualified on the 21st day of January, 1997 as Administratrix of the Estate of Eugene Richard Hale, deceased, late of Cleveland County, North Carolina, this is to notify all persons, firms and corporations having claims against the decedent to exhibit the same to the undersigned Executrix on or before the 30th day of April 1997, or this notice will be pleaded in bar of their recovery. All persons, firms and corporations indebted to the estate should make immediate payment.

This the 30th day of January, 1997  
Dorothy H. Hale, Admin.  
103 Countryside Road  
Kings Mountain, NC 28086  
E. Scott Cloninger  
CLONINGER & NEISLER  
115 West Mountain Street  
Kings Mountain, NC 28086  
KMHS-1325 1:30; 2:6, 13, 20

### ADMINISTRATOR EXECUTOR'S NOTICE

Having qualified on the 21st day of January, 1997 as Administratrix of the Estate of Hurman Louis Young, deceased, late of Cleveland County, North Carolina, this is to notify all persons, firms and corporations having claims against the decedent to exhibit the same to the undersigned Mary Lou Young, Administratrix on or before the 30th day of April 1997, or this notice will be pleaded in bar of their recovery. All persons, firms and corporations indebted to the estate should make immediate payment.

This the 30th day of January, 1997  
Mary Lou Young, Administratrix  
Margaret Hamm Greene  
206 N. Dilling Street  
Kings Mtn., NC 28086  
KMHS-1328 1:30; 2:6, 13, 20

### PUBLIC NOTICE

The Annual Report of The William Kemp and Mary S. Mauney Foundation, Inc., is available, at the address noted below, for inspection during regular business hours, by any citizen who so requests within 180 days after publication of this notice of its availability

THE WILLIAM KEMP AND MARY S. MAUNEY FOUNDATION, INC.  
16 Pine Street  
Kings Mountain, NC 28086  
W. K. Mauney, Jr.  
President  
KMHS-1327 1:30

### CITY OF KINGS MOUNTAIN PUBLIC NOTICE APPLICATION HAS BEEN RECEIVED FOR VARIANCE FROM THE ZONING ORDINANCE Case No. VA 1-1-97

Matthew C. Wood has requested a variance from Section 6.2, page 31 (Minimum side yard setback for principal structure) which would allow an addition to the house which would project three (3) feet in to the side yard setback or nine (9) feet from the side property line. The subject lot is located at approximately 614 Meadowbrook Road, also known as Kings Mountain Tax Map 24, Block 1, Lot 14. Said lot is zoned R-10

### PUBLIC HEARING BOARD OF ADJUSTMENT CITY HALL-COUNCIL CHAMBERS TUESDAY, FEBRUARY 4, 1997 9:00AM

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KMHS-1326 1:30

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