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First Presbyterian going on the Internet

will make available morning worship 11 a.m. Sunday services on the Internet beginning Sunday.

Rev. Dick Newsome, pastor, said Mayor Scott Neisler got the idea and this week he was setting up his equipment in a room off the sanctuary.

The mayor, who is a member of the church, hopes that members who can't come to church and have computers can tune into the service. The audio enables the listener to enjoy the anthems, other hymns and the sermon just by clicking on Neisler's web site: www.audioscape.com./fpc.

Neisler has become familiar with the Internet through his association with Winthrop

First Presbyterian Church University where he broadcasts sports events. He said web casting has been a valuable tool in recruitment efforts of the university and he has had listeners to the ball games from as far distant as England.

"We had 150 people on the line for some of the games,' said Neisler.

The church service will begin with a picture of the church, a mission statement and then the regular church service complete with audio.

The mayor says those familiar with computers can get to his web site by clicking on Real Player 5.0.

The small lap top computer actually runs itself with transmission through telephone lines.



ON THE INTERNET - First Presbyterian Church pastor Rev. Dick Newsome, left, observes as Mayor Scott Neisler, a member of the church, illustrates at his computer how church services will be available Sunday on the Internet.

Myers and Kelly reelected

KINGS MOUNTAIN WEATHER REPORT

(Compiled by Kenneth Kitzmiller)

	Aug. 5-11	Year Ago
Total precip	.89	Trace
Max. 1 day	40 (9th)	Trace (5th)
Year to date	40.58	43.12
M\Low temp.	64 (5th)	58 (8th)
High temp.	91 (5, 8, 11)	89 (11th
Avg. temp.	75.9	75.0

City police Sgt: Bob Myers was reelected chairman and Ward 3 Councilman Clavon Kelly was reelected vice-chairman of the city board of adjustment Tuesday.

Okaying a variance for Eckerd Drug Store to add extra parking spaces in an area that was street yard landscaping was the major action of the meeting. Pete McDonald, who has leased the property, and

David Hall, engineer, presented the request.

Planning Director Steve Killian said the city will continue the sidewalk down King Street and north up Cleveland Avenue. He said that when the Department of Transportation put in turn lanes that part of the property at Eckerds was scraped and sidewalks removed. The board approved a five feet easement on which to maintain the sidewalk.



S.A.V.E. plans year's activities

The S.A.V.E. Club, the second largest club at Kings Mountain High School, was founded in honor of a West Charlotte student who was fatally shot when he tried to break up a fight at a Friday night party in 1989. His classmates and a special teacher did not want him to become just another statistic. The Monday following Alex Orange's death his fellow classmates and teachers gathered in the school cafeteria with a vow to organize against violence, in his honor. The group they formed - Students Against Violence Everywhere - has now spread from coast to coast and several foreign countries.

Since the S.A.V.E. Club has been at Kings Mountain High School the number of acts of violence has decreased yearly. S.A.V.E. promotes nonviolence within the school and community. The club is open to all students who want to support an S.A.V.E., contact Mrs. Diane attitude of nonviolence. Over Bridges, faculty sponsor, or Seth the past four years the club's Denton, club president, at Kings membership has increased ev- Mountain High School. ery year.

Members of the club have taught gun safety classes in elementary schools and visited the local Kids Etc. programs with Resource Officer Maurice Jamerson. The purpose is to inform the elementary students of the club and answer any questions about S.A.V.E.

Throughout the year the club will have various fund drives to benefit the community. Any donations or help from the community and local businesses would be appreciated. Scheduled events include:

September - Balloon release at home football game.

November - Can tree drive. December - Toy drive, blanket drive.

January - Hire A Student (community).

March - Car wash.

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April - Drinking and driving campaign.

For more information about

Friday Focus set for August 21

Spaces are still available for the first "Friday Focus" class on August 21. In this class on "How to Write Press Releases," participants will learn how to write a press release, tips for interviews on radio and TV, and the difference between radio, TV and newspaper.

We will write press releases and do mock TV and radio interviews. It is going to be lots of fun. The class meets Friday, August 21 from 9 a.m.-noon at the County Administration Building, 311 East Marion Street, Shelby, in the first floor conference room.

The best part is the class is free and open to the public. Sign up today by calling 476-3012.



"It was just something we center.



regular meeting Tuesday, August 18 in the country administration building in Shelby. On the agenda: a public hearing on proposed amendments to the animal control ordinance, and commissioners will hold a public hearing on a proposed sewer line extension project for N.C. 216.

If you have any questions The Cleveland County me at 476-3012.

> the old PD radio tower had to be removed first. The building will be torn down for construction of a new law enforcement



wanted to do and we reported every plane we saw," he said. Bud said he had special memories of going up a ladder to the it at the fire museum on cupola and spotting planes.

Department was located for support it. If not, firemen will many years at the old city hall beside of Harris Funeral Home cupola into a design for a fuon S. Piedmont Avenue. The firemen quarters were on the second floor of the fire station which was located at the side of the building closest to the fu-

neral home.

Red Ware began his service as a volunteer fireman in 1941. He retired after 46 years.

Crane operators from Rosdahl of Gastonia, assisted by Kings Mountain firemen, started preparing to lift the 2500 pound cupola, copper dome and weathervane off at 9 a.m. Wednesday. The project took about two hours because

Fire Chief Frank Burns said firemen will rebuild the base of the cupola and then may install Cleveland Avenue if the roof of Kings Mountain Fire the building is heavy enough to store it and incorporate the ture satellite fire station.

Brick steps from the old building will decorate the fire museum. The fla, pole will go up at the present fire department at city hall on East Gold Street.

"I'm pleased to hear that the cupola won't be destroyed," said Red Ware.

Ware's daughter, Phyllis Austin, said her father has scrapbooks detailing his long service with the Kings Mountain Fire Department and pictures of the cupola will add to them.



DANCERS - Rachel Faircloth of Kings Mountain and DuFay Pearson of Gastonia dance for residents of White Oak Manor. Members of the Wagon Wheelers Club presented the entertainment program.