

CLUB NEWS



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Kings Mountain Aging Director Monty Thornburg, right, recently installed officers of the Kings Mountain AARP Chapter #4063. Left to right, officers are Nancy Ross, 2nd Vice President and Program Chairman; Myetta Oates, Chaplain; Lou Ballew, Treasurer; Lucy Wells, Secretary; and Arlene Barrett, President. The chapter meets the third Tuesday of each month (except July and August) at 2 p.m. at the H. Lawrence Patrick Senior Life and Conference Center. Anyone over age 50 is eligible to join.

Magnolia Garden Club meets

The January meeting of the Magnolia Garden Club was held at the home of Ester Muench.

Upon arrival, members enjoyed heart-shaped apple muffins and cookies and had a choice of wassail, coffee or orange juice to drink.

Sandra Murphrey, President, reminded members that the club was organized in 1952. Its purpose was to encourage amateur gardeners, promote civic beautification, and to preserve wild flowers.

After reading the Club Collect, members discussed old business. A report was given on the downtown beautification project. Tulips and pansies were planted in early

December.

The group made plans for the February meeting, which will be a trip to the Southern Living Show. Club members will meet at the ARP parking lot at 9:30 a.m. and will car pool to Charlotte.

Points were taken and Team I had 12 points and Team II 17 points.

Bess Phifer presented a program on "Flowers for Foliage and Cutting."

She said flowers soothe the soul and it is nice to have a few cut flowers in the home.

Some pointers she gave were that flowers are arranged more casual than in the past.

Before cutting flowers for arrangements, decide on the type of arrangement being

planned and cut three different pieces for spikes.

The main items in an arrangement are spikes, rounds and fillers.

Eucalyptus is one of the most used flower for spikes. Rounds are any blossom and most any type of foliage can be used for fillers.

Always cut flowers at an angle. Cut flowers at different stages of growth.

It is important to condition flowers for an arrangement.

Susan Kiser and Geneva Caveny made beautiful arrangements in a mug. Both arrangements had good lines, nice foliage and good color.

DAR meets at restored home in KM

The Colonel Hambright Chapter of the Daughters of the American Revolution met January 19 for a luncheon at the restored home of organizing Regent, Mrs. Ida Pauline Neisler.

Cindy Brown, owner of the home, and Robin Masters provided tours of the home on Piedmont Avenue. This was a joint meeting of the Flint Hills Chapter and the Colonel Hambright Chapter.

Betty Masters led the Pledge to the Flag. Margaret McGinnis led The Star Spangled Banner. Athlene Hicks, Regent, and Robin Masters, Chaplain, led the DAR Ritual.

Honored guests were Betty Boyd, North Carolina State Regent; Mayor and Mrs. Rick Murphrey; and nine members of the Flint Hills Chapter in Boiling Springs. Mayor Murphrey brought greetings to the membership and welcomed everyone to Kings Mountain.

The names of new members were read to the membership. They are Rebecca Falls Scism, Ann Evans Hoyle, Rachel Hamrick Summey, Ann Miskelly Jones, June Marlowe Higginbotham, Deborah Bartholomew-Cook, Dianne

Roberts Houston, Christine Homesley Poston, and Geneva Homesley Neal.

Four prospective members were also introduced. They were Bonnie Panter Hallman, Brenda Eller Conner, Margo Plonk, and Julie Buice Long.

Mary Sommers Neisler of Kings Mountain was presented the Colonel Hambright Chapter's Community Service Award for her dedication to preserving historic places in Kings Mountain. She was also presented a Community Service certificate and pin from Betty Boyd.

Mrs. Boyd spoke to the membership about the goals of the DAR and how to keep the memory of the brave men and women who fought for freedom alive. She also told the group about her project at Crossnore.

At the completion of Mrs. Boyd's speech she received into membership the five new members of the Chapter who were present.

After lunch, the group enjoyed a musical program by Linda Dixon, vocalist, and Libby Putnam, pianist. Mrs. Dixon sang "Hymn of Praise," "Write Your Blessed Name Upon My Heart," "Mary, Did You Know?" and "Pass It On."



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New members were sworn in at the January 19 meeting of Colonel Frederick Hambright Chapter of the Daughters of the American Revolution. Left to right are Becky Scism, June Higginbotham, Rachel Summey, Ann Hoyle and Ann Jones.



Left to right, Athlene Hicks, Mary Neisler, Nancy Poston, Ann Lancaster, and Rachel Jolley at meeting of Colonel Hambright Chapter of the DAR.

BRIEFS

Two services set at East Gold church

A "Super Sunday" is planned for Sunday at East Gold Street Wesleyan Church, 701 E. Gold St.

In the 8:30 a.m. service, the Praise Band will lead the worship. Pastor Curtis Williams will begin a sermon series entitled "Extreme Christianity." The service is held every Sunday in the fellowship hall. Sunday School for all ages is at 10 a.m.

In the 11 a.m. service the choir will lead the worship time and Pastor Eddie Gray will continue the sermon series, "The Work of the Holy Spirit in a Christian Life."

At 6 p.m., The Frank Family of Indiana will be in concert. A love offering will be received. The public is invited. Cal 1739-3215 for more information.

Hartgrove to preach at St. Peter Baptist

Mary Georgette McKissick Hartgrove will preach her initial sermon Sunday, Feb. 17 at 6 p.m. at St. Peter Missionary Baptist Church, Grover.

The public is invited.

Saturday, Wednesday services at Resurrection

Saturday night worship service is held the second and fourth Saturdays at 5:30 p.m. at Resurrection Lutheran Church, Kings Mountain.

Holy Communion is celebrated each Saturday. Children accompany the singing with guitar, flute and percussion.

The public is invited.

A mid-week Bible study is held each Wednesday at 5:30 p.m. in the fellowship hall. A light meal is provided.

The current study is on the Gospel of John. The Wednesday evening time is also used as a time to pray for the needs of the community.

The public is invited.

Valentine's social set at Mary's Grove

The youth of Mary's Grove United Methodist Church will sponsor a Valentine dance and spaghetti supper on Friday, Feb. 15 from 6:30-9:30 p.m. The cost is \$5 and includes the dance and meal.

The youth will go on a scavenger hunt for non-perishable food items on Tuesday, Jan. 29 from 6:30-8 p.m. They will go through the community knocking on doors and asking for food for the needy.

Anyone willing for the youth to come to their house is asked to leave a porch light on or have a candle in the window.

Mary's Grove is located at 1223 Mary's Grove Church Road, Kings Mountain. For more information call 435-5544 or 739-7024.

Revival scheduled at Cherryville church

Victory Life Assembly of God,

Highway 150 West of Cherryville, will be in revival March 3-6. Services are at 10:45 and 6 p.m. on Sunday and 7 p.m. Monday through Wednesday.

Speaker will be Johnny Whichard. For more information call 435-5539.

Pleasant Ridge plans fund raiser

Pleasant Ridge Baptist Church, 198 Pleasant Ridge Church Road, Shelby, will hold an indoor yard sale and breakfast Saturday, February 7 beginning at 6 a.m.

The cost of the breakfast is \$4 for adults and \$2 for children age 6-12. Proceeds will go to the 2002 Moscow mission trip.

For more information, call the church at 434-6431.

Rev. Holmes accepts call to Shelby church

Jimmy Holmes of Kings Mountain recently accepted a call as pastor of First Assembly of Shelby, 1905 E. Marion St.

The church has undertaken a revitalization project that includes a new staff, new programs, and a remodeling of the church building.

Other new staff members are Minister of Music Jamie Killian and his wife, Gay, Youth Pastor Keith Weisgerber and his wife Ann, and Children's Pastor Shawn Gibby and his wife Samantha.

The church is located across the street from Cleveland Mall.

Fiddler on the Roof set at Gardner-Webb

The Webb Spinners of Gardner-Webb University will present "Fiddler on the Roof" February 21-25 at Dover Theatre.

Tickets are \$6 for adults and \$4 for students and seniors. Group rates are available.

For reservations or more information, call 406-4371.

Valentine dance to benefit C-RKA

A Valentine Dance Friday, February 8 at 8 p.m. at Cedar Park, Highway 10 North, Polkville, will benefit the Cleveland-Rutherford Kidney Association.

Johnny Short & The Country Travelers will provide the music. Admission is \$6. Concessions will be available and there will be cake walks and other fund-raising activities.

Hot dog sale to benefit Ed Pheagin

Grover Fire Department will sponsor a hot dog sale Saturday, Feb. 2 from 10 a.m.-2 p.m. to benefit retired Grover Police Chief Ed Pheagin, who had to retire for health reasons. Only carry-out orders will be available.

The cost is \$1 each.

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