

Deb Ball Saturday in Shelby

Sixty-seven young women from 19 area cities and towns will be presented to society in the Junior Charity League of Shelby's 57th annual Debutante Ball to be held Saturday, June 8.

The weekend's activities begin Friday morning with a registration and coffee at the home of Mr. and Mrs. L. Lyndon Hobbs on Brookwood Drive. Friday evening will include a parent dinner dance at Cleveland Country Club and a debutante dinner dance at North Lake Country Club.

Debutantes and their chief marshals will be honored Saturday morning with a father-daughter brunch at Cleveland County Club. A mother's luncheon will be held Saturday at the Lakemont Drive home of Mrs. Charles Harry III.

The formal presentation of the debutantes will be held at 8 p.m. at Cleveland Community College, with Jeff Renn as commentator. The event will include the debutantes, their chief marshals, assistant marshals, mothers and invited guests.

Mrs. Ann Bema and Mrs. Anne Goss are co-chairs for this year's ball. Mrs. Loann Meekins is serving as secretary to the deb.

Local debutantes include:

Carrie Brinkley, daughter of David Carl and Marie Myers Brinkley of Kings Mountain. She is the granddaughter of Mr. and Mrs. Carl Brinkley of Valdese and Mr. and Mrs. Roland Myers of Clover, SC. Chief Marshal is David Carl Brinkley. Assistant marshal is John Bradly Goforth.

Allison Elizabeth Hager, daughter of Robert Heman and Nancy McDowell Hager of Kings Mountain. She is the granddaughter of Lois L. McDowell of Statesville. Chief marshal is Robert Heman Hager and assistant marshal is Christopher Scott Collins.

Suzanne Rise Hunsinger, daughter of Susan Crawford Hunsinger of Kings Mountain and the late Norman Daniel Hunsinger. She is the granddaughter of Mr. and Mrs. Calvin Crawford of Kings Mountain and Mr. and Mrs. Eugene Vinesett of Shelby. Chief marshal is Jack Charles Forbes and assistant marshal is Donald Fredrick Jenkins III.

Melissa Elizabeth Messer, daughter of Gary Wayne Messer of Greenville and Dr. Bernice Elizabeth Redmond of Lincolnton. She is the granddaughter of Mrs. Thomas J. Redmond of Kings Mountain and Mr. and Mrs. Thomas R. Killian of Hickory. Chief marshal is Robert Franklin Ehridge and assistant marshal is Calvin Jackson Nantz III.

Emily Kathryn Wallace, daughter of Joseph Daniel Wallace Jr. of Shelby and Cynthia Chapman Wallace of Boiling Springs. She is the granddaughter of Rev. and Mrs. Dan Wallace of Shelby and Mr. and Mrs. Boyd Chapman of Kings Mountain. Chief marshal is Joseph Daniel Wallace Jr. and assistant marshal is Joseph Daniel Wallace III.

The Junior Charity League of Shelby is 68 years old, evolving in 1934 from the Music and Arts Division of the Shelby Woman's Club when 57 energetic women banded together to help their needy neighbors during the depth of the depression. They called themselves the Shelby Civic League before becoming the Junior Charity League. During the past 60 years the Junior Charity League has furnished aid to the community in amounts totalling more than \$1 million.

This year's budget will be administered to provide assistance to needy individuals and to deserving community projects in Cleveland County. Over 8,000 hours of service will be volunteered by the League's active members and sustainers to promote the successful projects.

The 2002 Debutante Ball is the 57th sponsored by the League. The first ball was held June 7, 1946 with 31 ladies presented at the Shelby Armory.

Accepting invitations as "sponsors" of the ball were 24 high school girls from Shelby, one from Hickory, two from Kings Mountain and four from Lincolnton. The event was held at the Shelby Armory with Paul Harmon and his 13-piece band presenting music.

The 1978 ball was the largest ever when 131 deb. were presented. The 2002 deb. will carry on a tradition of years past by making lifelong friends as they gather for the festivities and socializing.

COMMUNITY CALENDAR

Mondays

9:45 a.m. - Aqua aerobics, Kings Mountain YMCA. No charge for members. \$15 month for non-members. Also meets on Wednesday and Friday. Call 739-9631 for information.

9 a.m.-1 p.m. - Senior shuttle, transportation to KM Senior Center activities. Call the senior center at 734-0447 for more information.

9:30-11:30 a.m. - Ceramics, Kings Mountain Senior Center. Call 734-0447 for information.

10:30-11:30 a.m. - Sit for Fitness, Kings Mountain Senior Center. Call 734-0447 for information.

10:30 a.m. - Do You Remember When?, KM Senior Center. Call 734-0447 for information.

11:30 a.m. - Meal for senior citizens, KM Senior Center. Call 734-0447 for more information.

9:30 a.m. - Morning aerobics, Kings Mountain YMCA. No charge for members. \$15 month for non-members. Also meets on Wednesday and Friday. Call 739-9631 for information.

9:30 a.m. - Yoga, Kings Mountain YMCA. No charge to members or \$15 month.

12:30 p.m. - Quilting class, KM Senior Center. Call 734-0447 for more information.

5:45 p.m. - Land aerobics. Also meets Tuesday and Thursday; also 7 p.m. Tuesday and Thursday and 10:30 a.m. Saturday. Free to members. \$15 for non-members. Call 739-9631.

5:30-6:30 p.m. - Overeaters Anonymous, every Monday, Central United Methodist Church, Kings Mountain. For more information call Phyllis Carroll at 864-7629.

5:45 p.m. - Aerobic classes, Kings Mountain YMCA. Land aerobics. Call 739-9631 for more information.

7 p.m. - Parents Without Partners, every Monday, Shelby Presbyterian Church. For more information call Alan Smith at 481-2986.

7 p.m. - Hurting Families Support Group, every Monday, Christopher Road Baptist Church, Shelby. For information call 538-0410.

8 p.m. - AA Big Book Study, every Monday, Serenity Club, Highway 74 at Bethlehem Road, Kings Mountain.

Tuesdays

9 a.m.-1 p.m. - Senior Shuttle, transportation service to KM Senior Center activities. Call 734-0447 for more information.

10 a.m. - (Second Tuesday) - LaLeche League of Gaston County, mother to mother breast feeding support group, Sacred Heart, 100 Mercy Dr., Belmont. For more information call Judy at 704 853-0449.

10:30 a.m. - Bible study, Kings Mountain Senior Center. Call 734-0447 for information.

11 a.m. - Sing-A-Long, third Tuesday of each month, KM Senior Center. Call 734-0447.

11:30 a.m. - Meal for senior citizens, KM Senior

Center. Call 734-0447 for more information.

2 p.m. - Third Tuesday, AARP meeting, Kings Mountain Senior Center. Call 734-0447 for more information.

6-7 p.m. - Free aerobics classes, First Baptist Church, Kings Mountain. For more information call Rosemary at 739-9631.

6:30 p.m. - Kings Mountain Lions Club, dinner meeting, second and fourth Tuesday of each month at Kings Mountain Woman's Club.

7 p.m. - Kings Mountain City Council, last Tuesday of the month, City Hall, East Gold St.

7:30 p.m. - Southern Arts Society, first Tuesday of the month, at Kings Mountain Woman's Club.

Wednesdays

9 a.m.-1 p.m. - Senior Shuttle, transportation to Kings Mountain Senior Center activities. Call 734-0447 for more information.

10 a.m. - Third Wednesday of month, free blood pressure clinic, KM Senior Center. Call 734-0447.

10:30-11:30 a.m. - Sit for Fitness, KM Senior Center. Call 734-0447.

11:30 - Meal for senior citizens, KM Senior Center. Call 734-0447.

1:30 p.m. - Duplicate Bridge, KM Senior Center. Call 734-0447.

2 p.m. - Exercise class, KM Senior Center. Call 734-0447.

Thursdays

11 a.m. - every Thursday, Self Care Program, Bliss Center in Lawndale, Kings Mountain Senior Center, Boiling Springs United Methodist Church, and Charles Place, Shelby. Call Amanda Helms at 482-3488 for information.

9 a.m.-1 p.m. - Senior Shuttle, transportation service to KM Senior Center activities. Call 734-0447 for information.

11 a.m. - Bingo, Kings Mountain Senior Center. Call 734-0447 for information.

11:30 - Meal for senior citizens, KM Senior Center. Call 734-0447 for information.

12-2 p.m. - Shopping for senior citizens in KM Senior Center program. Call 734-0447 for information.

1 p.m. - Craft class, KM Senior Center. Call 734-0447.

12 noon - Kings Mountain

Rotary Club, Patrick Senior Center.

12 noon - Senior Scribblers, Kings Mountain YMCA. (First Thursday of month). Seniors writing memories for fun. Take brown bag lunch, writing notebook and pen or pencil. No charge.

5:30-6:30 p.m. - Overeaters Anonymous, Central United Methodist Church. For more information call Phyllis Carroll at 864-7629.

6-7 p.m. - Free aerobics, First Baptist Church, Kings Mountain. For more information call Rosemary at 739-9631.

6 p.m. - Kings Mountain Kiwanis Club, Mauney Memorial Library.

7 p.m. - Broad River Genealogical Society, fourth Thursday, Senior Center in Shelby.

Fridays

10 a.m. - Senior Center Cinema, each Friday during January and February, Kings Mountain Senior Center television room. Free admission. Pop corn and coke will be served. Call 734-0447 for more information.

9 a.m.-1 p.m. - Senior Shuttle, transportation to KM Senior Center activities. Call 734-0447 for information.

11 a.m. - Sing for Fun, KM Senior Center. Call 734-0447.

11:30 - Meal for senior citizens, KM Senior Center. Call 734-0447.

2 p.m. - Exercise class, KM Senior Center. Call 734-0447.

7-10 p.m. - Third Friday of each month, KM Senior Center. Call 734-0447 for information.

Saturdays

9-10 a.m. - Overeaters Anonymous, Central United Methodist Church. For more information call Phyllis Carroll at 864-7629.

11 a.m.-2 p.m. - Kings Mountain Historical Museum is open every Saturday and on other days by calling 739-1917 for

appointment. See Kings Mountain artifacts and special events displays.

Sundays

3 p.m. - Broad River Genealogical Society meets the second Sunday of each month at the Senior Center, Fallston Rd., Shelby.

Thursday, June 6

5:30-8:30 p.m. - Alive After 5, courtsquare, Shelby. Call 484-3100 for information.

June 7-8

Joseph R. Smith Relay for Life, Kings Mountain Walking Track, Cleveland Avenue. All proceeds to American Cancer Society.

Saturday, June 8

10 a.m.-12 noon - Crowders Mountain Summit hike, Crowders Mountain State Park. Meet at Linwood Road Access. Strenuous hike in high places so wear good walking shoes. Take water and lunch. Not recommended for children under 12. No pets. Call 853-5375 for more information.

Sunday, June 9

2-4 p.m. - 18th century cooking demonstration with Kate Carter of Schiele Museum, Broad River Greenway. Taste authentic pioneer cooking. Call 434-2357 for information.

Tuesday, June 11

9 a.m. - Uptown Shelby Walkers Club, Shelby City Park. \$5 joining fee. Call 484-6811 for information.

Saturday, June 15

6-9 p.m. - Mountaineer Cruisers car and truck cruise-in, Swooger's, Hwy. 74 Business, Kings Mountain. (Third Saturday of every month). Call 739-7760 for more information.



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