

KINGS MOUNTAIN POLICE REPORT

ARRESTS

James Hale, 46, 109 George Lewis Rd., driving while license revoked, no insurance, failure to register vehicle.
 Anthony Pettyjohn, 25, 119 Gold Mine Rd., felony wanted by DOC probation violation, resist and delay, simple possession of marijuana, \$15,500 secured bond.
 Nicholas Fish, 23, 4209 Taft Park, no operator's license, failure to report accident, failure to stop at accident, \$500 secured bond.
 Jerry Phillips, 32, 607 Sterling Dr., two counts failure to appear, one count each fictitious information and resist and delay, \$2,665 secured bond.
 Cynthia Humphries, 22, Shelby, larceny, resist public officer, \$500 secured bond.
 Gary Teague Sr., 57, 103 Maxine Ct., felony probation violation; misdemeanor driving while license revoked and driving opposite direction, no bond.
 Sheldon Crocker, 23, Georgetown Apt. 21, one court larceny, two counts assault on female, \$300 unsecured bond on larceny charge, no bond on assault

on female charge.
 Tiffany Reeves, 20, 614 Meadowbrook Rd., driving while license revoked, \$1,000 unsecured bond.
 Derrick Cook, 20, 125 Collage Ave. Apt. B-3, driving while license revoked, careless and reckless, \$500 secured bond.
 Anthony Garrison, 25, Blacksburg, SC, driving while license revoked, \$500 secured bond.
 Sheila Williams, 44, Pennington Pl. Apt. 23, assault, possession of drug paraphernalia, \$800 secured bond.
 Donald Adams, 36, 1020 Barnett Dr., child support violation, \$300 secured bond.
 Grady Hall, 19, 202 Fulton St., disorderly conduct, \$300 secured bond.
 Dewayne Hutto, 37, 808 Fourth St., misdemeanor worthless check.
INCIDENTS
 Sherry Payseur, 413 York Rd., reported larceny of a bicycle belonging to Elizabeth Cathey. Value was \$100.
 Mark Champion, 806 Southridge Dr., reported larceny of golf clubs and bag

valued at \$300.
 City of Kings Mountain reported vandalism to the concession stand at Davidson Park. Damage was \$2,000.
 Amanda Clark, 700-7 Battleground Villa Ct., reported \$100 damage to her vehicle and larceny of money and a portable CD player.
 Ethan Lee, 710 N. Cansler St., reported being assaulted on Parrish Dr.
 Main Attraction Video, 901 Shelby Rd., reported larceny of 10 DVD movies, valued at approximately \$168.
 Jay Deep Inc. (Rick's Ole Country Store), 1557 N. Piedmont Ave., reported larceny of money.
 Angela Hill, 509 W. Mountain St., reported larceny of a 1995 Nissan owned by Vickie Gregory. The car is valued at \$24,000.
 Denise Dawson, 313 Waco Rd., reported break-in and larceny of two DVD players, 30 DVDs, and personal jewelry.
 Albert Smarr, 123 Linwood Rd., reported being assaulted.
 Kim Goode, 310 N. Dilling St. reported being assaulted.

Diana Hamrick, 530 Waco Rd., reported larceny of a 1990 Oldsmobile Cutlass.
 Branda Hastings, 415 Fulton St., reported that someone broke into her home and stole two televisions.
 Vernina Gregory, 908 Blalock Dr., reported that someone stole a 1993 Toyota Tercel belonging to her mother, and also stole a purse and contents.
 James Chaffee, 315 Fulton St., reported larceny of a trolling motor valued at \$800.
 Donald Combs, 307 Downing Dr., reported that someone hit his mailbox with an unknown object, causing \$50 damage.
 Movie Gallery, 207 e. King St., reported larceny of five DVDs.
 Troy Sisk, 612 Charles St., reported larceny of a bicycle.
 Angela Farr, #26 Carolina Gardens, reported being assaulted. She also reported \$200 damage to two windows.
CITATIONS
 James Black, 200 New Moon Ln., failing to stop at stop sign, expired inspection sticker.

Carolyn Sledge, 213 E. Ridge St., speeding 50 in 35 zone.
 Jeffrey Mosteller, 5178 Battleground Ave., speeding 69 in 55 zone.
 Banicca Watkins, 612 Charles St. #75, failing to stop at stop sign.
 Harold Foster, 37, 509 Landing St., failing to yield right of way.
 Larry Hall, 200 Spruce St., failing to stop for police vehicle; resisting arrest.
 Larry Hall, 200 Spruce St., speeding 55 in 35 zone, no insurance.
 Larry Hall, 200 Spruce St., failing to stop at stop sign, speeding in excess of 20 mph over the speed limit.
 Larry Hall, 200 Spruce St., failing to stop at stop sign, driving while license revoked.
 Carl Roberts, 154 Cane Dr., failing to stop at stop sign.
 Misty Garrett, 113 White Plains Dr., expired registration plate.
 Mark Moore, 1242 Second St., possession of stolen property.
WRECKS
 Fariba Rafizadeh of Gaithersburg, MD was traveling South on I-85 when a

tire blew out and caused the vehicle to hit a guard rail. Damage to the vehicle was \$2,400 and damage to the guard rail was \$1,000.
 Vehicles driven by Pheng Rithiphong and John George Jr., both of Kings Mountain, struck on Phifer Rd. at Southwood Dr. Damage to the Rithiphong vehicle was \$4,500 and damage to the George vehicle was \$3,500.
 Vehicles driven by Karen Hawkins of Cherryville and Kellie Perez of Kings Mountain struck on NC 216 at E. Mountain St. Damage to the Hawkins vehicle was \$1,500 and damage to the Perez vehicle was \$800.
 A vehicle owned by Smeikia Wimbush of Kings Mountain was reportedly parked on W. Parker Street while Ms. Wimbush was doing her laundry. The vehicle rolled west on W. Parker and hit a raised manhole and several trees. Damage to the car was \$3,500.
 A vehicle driven by John Barber of Kings Mountain was backing out of a parking space at Dollar General on S. Cherokee St. and struck the corner of the building.

JIM

From 4A

and off-color remarks.

The final straw from Heaton was when somebody named Ryan Secrest, of "American Idol," pulled open his female co-presenter's shirt, then said to a 12-year-old girl in the front row: "Don't worry, honey, you'll have a pair of these soon."

"It was an affront to anyone with a shred of dignity, self-respect and intelligence," Heaton said, "I'm not going to be a part of this. Get me my car, I'm leaving."

I cannot tell you how much respect I have found for Patricia Heaton. Unfortunately, there aren't enough people like her in Hollywood, so the public will continue to be bombarded by filth and bad taste, but she's certainly a shaft of light in a sea of darkness.

I have trouble understanding why more of those people don't take a similar stand.

Any time you hear someone talk about Jennifer Lopez for more than a minute, you hear them mention her "voluptuous derriere." Is that the only attribute this woman has? I thought she was a singer, a dancer and an actress.

Oh well, it just makes you appreciate Patricia Heaton more.

ABIGAIL

From 4A

our soldiers start dying?

Without the support of a strong majority of the people, this war could be another Vietnam, not necessarily in the casualty area but in the fact that so many people are against the war. Vietnam was not a successful war. We accomplished little with all of the lives that were lost. The country still fell to the communist part after we left. Will Iraq be any different? Is this a war that is worth fighting? Have all the options been explored for a peaceful resolution, or is the President using the war to cover up for the economic crisis at home?

Clearly, many questions still exist about the war. Clearly, the President is not hearing both sides of the story. In order to be a good leader, he needs to listen to his people. He needs to know how they feel about the war. After all, he is representing them.

If the President continues on his destructive path towards war without listening to the voices of all of the people, and not just the ones who agree with him, he will prove himself to be a very poor leader. He should have allowed the pacifists and the poets to speak. He should have listened and at least tried to understand what they were saying. He would gain respect on all sides if he at least listened.

BRIEFS

Garrison joins First National

Phillip Garrison has joined First National Bank as Trust Officer for Gaston County. His office is located in the bank's New Hope Road location.



A Gaston County native, Garrison is a cum laude graduate of Campbell University with a BBA in Trust Management and Financial Planning. He was previously employed with The Morehead Group in Charlotte and with Bank of America where he received the Excellence in Leadership Award.

KM continues curbside pickup

The curbside leaf pickup for the City of Kings Mountain will continue through February 15.

All leaves raked to the curb prior to February 15 will be picked up. A survey will be taken of the streets on February 17.

After February 15 any leaves, grass clippings, etc., must be put into bags and set at the curb.

The limb and brush debris cleanup from the storm will be completed this date also. After February 15 all limbs and brush put out must

meet the specifications of the Code of Ordinances to be picked up.

Registration set for kindergarten

Children who will be five years old before October 16, 2003 should register for kindergarten in their respective school districts. If parents do not know which school their child should attend they should call the Kings Mountain District Schools office at 734-5637.

Applications for kindergarten health assessment reports are available at all elementary schools. The application should be completed and returned to the school as soon as possible. The report is to be completed by the child's physician or the health department and is due on or before August 11.

Orientation day for incoming kindergarten children and their parents is March 7 at all elementary schools. At this time parents are to take the child's official birth certificate and social security number. No child can be enrolled without the official birth certificate.

On orientation day parents will take their child to school at 8:30 a.m. and remain for an informative session with the principal

which will last approximately one hour. Children will go to classes and enjoy a typical kindergarten day, ending with lunch in the cafeteria as guests of the school system. Parents will pick up their children at 11:30 a.m. Regular kindergarten students will not attend school on this day. Questions should be directed to John Goforth, Executive Director for Instruction/Curriculum at 734-5637.

KM teachers attend seminars

Kings Mountain educators Charity Jackson, kindergarten teacher at West Elementary School, and Mark Bryson, sixth grade science and social studies teacher at Kings Mountain Intermediate school, recently attended seminars sponsored by the North Carolina Center for the Advancement of Teaching and the North Carolina Department of Public Instruction.

Bryson participated in "Teach to the Future" January 26-31.

Jackson participated in "Support Seminar for Teachers Pursuing National Board Certification" January 6-10 conducted by Donna Glee Williams, center fellow.

Summit Place Assisted Living Kings Mountain Community Involvement



Pictured left to right: Whitney Shalash, Kristi Anthony, Executive Director of Summit Place and Clarissa Rabb.

Summit Place participated in Job Shadow Day 2003 on February 4, by offering two Kings Mtn. Middle School Students the opportunity to get a glance of what the "working world" in the Assisted Living environment is like.




Summit Place assisted living managed by Beacon
 1001 Phifer Road • Kings Mountain, NC 28086
 Phone: 704-739-6772

KM Class of '73 planning reunion


The Kings Mountain High School Class of 1973 is planning a 30th year reunion May 10th at Deer Brook Golf club with deadline for reservations March 15.

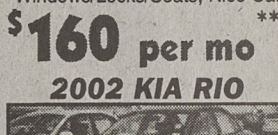
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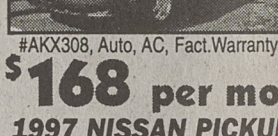

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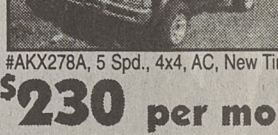
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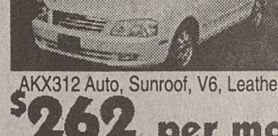

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Due to the recent interest, the Cleveland County Health Department will continue providing **FREE** health screenings at the Kings Mountain Health Center, every Monday!

Time: 8:30am-12:00 and 1:00-4:00pm
 (Closed 12:00-1:00)

For More Information Call:
 (704) 730-1371

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