

## LOCAL

# KM Intermediate School honor roll

Kings Mountain Intermediate School has announced its honor rolls for the first nine weeks grading period.

## Fifth Grade

A honor roll - Akua Adams, Rebekah Anthony, Carolina Baker, Elizabeth Baker, Chaney Barnes, Lauren Belt, Wendi Belt, Melissa Betaneur, Caitlyn Brauns, Sumner Canipe, Timmy Carroll, Deanna Carroll, Savannah Cash, Taylor Cash, Elainie Cass, Joseph Chapman, Kendall Chase, Mitchell Cloninger, Macy Coble, Alyssa Cogdell, Tanner Collins, Davis Crawford, Kristin Dawkins, Kayla Edge, Jordan Falls, Paul Farris, Seth Ferrell, Erin Flynn, Nicole Ford, Adam Gardner, Kanaan Greene, Anna Griffin, Trey Grigg, Durham Harmon, Lowell Henry, Caleb Hines, Allison Ingram, Priscilla Jordan, Paul Ledford, Maikiya Logan, Marina Lovelace, Jessica Lovette, Kendall Mansfield, Mindy Mayfield, Sarah McComas, Mariah McKee, Alex Mooneyhan, McKenzie Parker, Mary Kathryn Pasour, Lorin Payne, Isaac Pearson, Emily Peeler, Casey Philbeck, Kirstin Postell, Hunter Potts, Ashley Regans, Awanda

Rithiphong, Morgan Scism, Emily Simonds, Alexandra Springs, Breanna Stevens, Jordan Stowe, Blake Suess, Hank Surber, Zachary Trammel, Morgan Weeks, Wendy Wheeler, Kylee Wideman, Bailey Williams.

AB honor roll - Kayla Absher, Erika Adams, Haley Adams, Tyler Adams, Joshua Adams, Marco Altunar, Geranda Archie, Chris Berard, Aaleyah Bess, Amma Boakye, Maggie Bowen, Adam Bridges, Paris Brooks, Maranda Brooks, Christian Broome, Ashley Cain, Laura Canniff, Sadia Casim, Tiffani Champion, Storme Chapman, Kimberly Church, Ross Clark, Jacob Cole, Brooke Conner, Tyrece Crawford, Gloria Crocker, Ericka Dabbs, Austin Davis, Emily Denike, Joshua Dickinson, Gelila Dimetros, Brookelynn Edmonson, Jayme Ellis, Mary Beth Ellis, Ashley England, Brandi Falls, Tyler Fannin, Sheree Feaster, Dennis Fender, Brandon Floyd, Dustin Fortenberry, Jenna Gallarini, Jeremiah Gamble, Brandon Gilbert, Ryan Godwin, Dillon Gordon, Ryan Green, Jesse Gregory, Justin Grigg, Brandi Griggs, Ambrea Hamrick, Andrew Harris, Michael Hartsoe, Christy Heffner, Jada Henson,

Katherine Holmes, Miranda Huff, Jamie Hutchins, tia Jackson, Amanda Jenkins, Cody Johnson, Justin Jones, Brooke Jones, Dylan Jones, Michael Tomas Killian, Shannon Laney, Preton Leonard, Tanisha Lipscomb, Mandy Lockridge, Matthew Lovelace, Jonathan Martin, Brandon Matheson, Denise McCoy, Chad McKinney, John Meyers, Britany Moore, Matthew Moss, Justin Nanke, Lauren Nieser, Gary Odums, Taylor Pearson, Cameron Pittman, Chelsea Pratt, Jeremy Pruitt, Jordan Reep, Trent Rhea, Kaylin Rhea, Brittnee Roberts, Morgan Robinson, Kristen Rogers, Sarah Scoggins, Tray Sellers, Megan Sepaugh, Austin Simmons, C.J. Sims, Michelle Sims, Tereka Smith, Ayana Smith, Emily Smith, Zach Smith, Tomeshia Spriggs, Qulyna Steele, Nathan Stewart, Tony-Reid Swane, Jana Tindall, Tia Tipton, Eli Tolentino, Amanda Turner, Colton Wade, Kayla Ward, Tyler Ward, Justus Watkins, Micaela Watterson, Chris Webster, Alexis West, Destiny Williams, Paisley Williams, Anthony Wilson, Ariana Wingo, Scotty Wise.

## Sixth Grade

A honor roll - Chris Allen, Andrew Barrett, Kasey

Batchler, Tyler Bess, Austin Black, Sarah Blackburn, Connor Blalock, McKenzie Bolin, Brandon Boyce, Jared Boyd, Evan Bragg, Katie Bridges, Nick Broome, Paul Brown, Brian Brown, Ashley Bullard, Morgan Burns, Jessica Burton, Nick Byers, Valerie Case, Christian Cash, Caroline Chambers, Catherine Chambers, Wesley Cloninger, Tabitha Cochran, Anna Cole, Danielle Copley, Anne Crawford, Cabrea Crumpton, Jesse Davis, Casey DeVane, Sara Dixon, Will Dixon, Johnna Etters, Jennifer Falls, Taylor Faris, Sarah Fedyschyn, Candice Forbes, Ashley Frazier, Stephanie Fuller, Trey Funderburke, Emily Gates, Victoria Glass, Sarah Gray, Stetson Griggs, Cameron Harris, Morgan Harrison, Erica Hicks, Timothy Hines, Michael Homesley, Haley Injejkian, Xavier Jarrett, Swane, Clint Johnson, Faith Johnson, Yvonne Jones, Chelsea Kidwell, Chan Lotus, Kimberly Luangrath, Angelica Lubas, Abbie Lynch, Sarah Mauney, Brooklyn Mauney, Joshua Negus, Olivia Oliver, Rachel Page, Ali Prow, Savannah Rice, Claire Richards, Brittany Ross, Devan Ruff, Michelle Scruggs, Brandy Sisk, Stuart Smith, Emily Sourisoud, Amanda Stacey,

Austin Stevenson, Dustin Stone, Angellica Sweat, Savanna Thomas, Tony Walker, Josh Wall, Allison Wellman, Elizabeth Wells, Derrick Willhaus, Emily Yarbro, Lea Zwick.

AB honor roll - Jodie Allison, Lizzie Anderson, Katie Anthony, Spencer Bagwell, Zach Bartlett, Courtney Bell, Johnathan Black, Dakota Black, Casey Bolin, Marcus Boyce, Jacob Boyd, Ashley Brafford, Tori Brauns, Seth Brewere, Whitney Bridges, Courtney Bridges, Austin Broadway, Cassie Buonnaiuto, Brenna Burgess, Bree Campfield, Courtney Carrigan, Hector Casey, Ashley Cash, Anthony Cedillo, Daniel Christenbury, Joseph Cook, Jeremy Darby, Chad Davis, Kaitland Day, Jake Detloff, Lynette Dixon, Nicole Durham, Erica Early, Trey Edgerton, Amber Edmondson, James Thomas Fitch, Laura Fleming, Tyler Fletcher, Hayden Foy, Dylan Foy, Colby Gardner, Kirstin Gilbert, Ashley Gilmore, Ariel Goins, Latisha Goode, Deandra Goode, Miranda Goode, Seth Haraszkiwicz, Buddy Harrelson, Reuben Hart, Brittany Hayes, Sabrina Herring, Austin Hildreth, Damian Hill, Kelly Hitchcock, Olivia Hopper,

Justin Howard, Cailyn Hughes, Amber Jackson, Nick Jackson, Christa Jones, Jacob Jones, Maddiosn Keeter, Chelsea King, Michael Laney, Amber Lawson, Kevin Lynn, Joey Lytle, Autumn Malpass, Stephanie Maples, Cory Marshall, Tara Martin, Ethan Mashburn, Rachael McDaniel, Heather McFadden, Jacqueline Mercer, Tyler Mezey, Lauren Miller, Erin Moore, Tommy Morgan, Dylan Painter, Haley Parker, Brandie Penner, Johanna Perez, Houston Phillips, Halie Price, Jeremy Putnam, Ana Ramirez, Aryka Roberts, Bionca Roberts, Tanner Ross, Scott Sanders, Bryan Saunders, Davey Scism, Preston Shipley, Kandis Shumaker, Michael Sipe, Sterling Smarr, Zach Smith, David Steele, Asiah Stevenson, Pagiah Stevenson, Josh Stroupe, Jessica Tate, Derrick Thammavongsa, Tiffany Waddell, Michael Wagenknecht, Jaime Wall, Angela Walters, Tia Watkins, Shelton, Watson, Ryan Webster, Brandon Weigel, Josh Whitesides, Matthew Wieser, Tyler Willhaus, Christina Willis, Kayla Wood, Alexis Young, Tevor Zaffke.

## HEFFNER

From 4A

She returned, wearing a different dress, purse in hand, and, after I told her she was a walking vision, they left.

My SIL gave me a funny look as she went out the door. I just gave her my wisest knows-all smile.

Once, when I thought I was God's gift to the world of comedy, I made one of my dumbest mistakes where my wife is concerned.

She and the next door neighbor went to the beauty shop together, and when they returned, I asked, "where have you two been?"

"We went to the beauty shop," she said.

"Didn't get waited on, huh?" I remarked.

That brilliant observation cost me dinner that night, and several nights of cold shoulder. I was finally able

to convince her I was merely talking about the neighbor. These days, when she returns from the beauty parlor, I become cloyingly sweet and complimentary.

Here are a couple more traps and proper answers to look for.

"Do you think this dress makes me look a little hippy?"

"Absolutely not. You look good enough to take to Chinatown."

Be aware of this one, it could be deadly. "Look at that woman, she looks like a tart."

The lady in question is a knockout, but you had better answer something like this. "Well, every woman can't be as lovely as you, sweetheart." Say this sincerely, or you will pay an exorbitant price.

Men, young and old, should learn from other's mistakes.

## Ledford helps with hurricane relief effort at Florida panhandle

BY ANDIE L. BRYMER  
Staff Writer

A Kings Mountain National Military Park administrative officer is off to Gulf Island National Seashore this week to help in the aftermath of Hurricane George.

Debra Ledford traveled to the Florida pan handle park several weeks ago for a week-long assignment. National Park Service disaster relief typically takes place in two-week intervals but Ledford had to return to North Carolina for scheduled arm surgery.

She'll spend this week finishing up financial reports from the relief work. During her first week, she supervised a six-member team which kept up with time



DEBRA LEDFORD

cards, purchased food, paid for lodging, medical attention and made general disaster-related purchases.

When Ledford arrived

after the storm, she saw five feet of debris in the visitor's center parking lot. Twenty five to 30-foot storm surges dumped jet skis, toys and household appliances in the park.

"It was amazing to see," she said.

A propane tank apparently broke a storm door at the park's headquarters letting in water. Computers and other equipment were drenched.

The director of the National Park Service told Ledford he had not seen that much damage since Hurricane Andrew hit the Everglades.

The park's superintendent Jerry Edward's own home got four feet of water.

"They lost everything but he kept working," Ledford

said. "He had a park to take care of."

Chief of Maintenance Karen Schlechty worked as a supply manager in a Marietta, Georgia warehouse getting food, water, chainsaws, bug repellent, sun screen, first aid and other supplies to her team in Alabama.

Park Forestry Technician Alex Scronce spent two weeks at the Jacksonville Naval Air Force Base helping planes and trucks send water, ice, food and other supplies in and out.

Ledford has been with KMNMP for 32 years. Schlechty has been at the Kings Mountain park three years and has worked for the National Park Service 27 years. Scronce has been with KMNMP two years.

## ANDIE

From 4A

was designed not to enforce majority rule but to protect the rights of everyone.

How would the Christians of North Carolina feel if next week the governor declared it Koran Week? What if the president

declared it Bhagavad Gita Week to honor the scriptures of Hinduism?

I'm convinced that our local churches, interested businesses and individuals could come together for Bible Week without the aid of city hall. If the words of the Bible are true and good, they will stand the test of time without proclamations from elected leaders.

A few seconds later, the preacher came to the phone.

"I intended to give you \$50,000," my friend said, "but since ya'll gave me such a run-around, I've changed my mind," and he slammed the phone down.

## GARY

From 4A

more begging than preaching and the phones in the studio were lighting up with pledges.

My buddy dialed the number on the screen and asked to speak to the preacher.

"Oh, he can't come to the phone," the lady on the phone said. "He's on the air."

"Well, said my friend, "I want to give \$50,000 but I'm not going to give it unless I talk to him personally."

## Mathis to speak at BC Chamber event

Mark Mathis, co-host of Fox News Edge, will be

guest speaker at the 26th annual dinner meeting of the Bessemer City Area Chamber of Commerce Tuesday, Nov. 9 at 6:30 p.m. at First Baptist Church Family Life Center, 107 East



MATHIS

Washington Avenue, Bessemer City.

The cost is \$15 per person. Door prizes will be awarded and the Citizen of the Year will be announced.

Reservations need to be made by November 5 by calling the Chamber office at 629-3900 or 629-4176.

Mathis may be best

known as the "Wacky Weatherman" on Channel 18. He co-hosts the Fox News Edge with Ashley Anderson five nights a week at 10:35 p.m.

Mathis has been featured on the cover of Charlotte Magazine and has been recognized in Charlotte's Best Of magazine. He also

appears in numerous regional and national commercials and musicals and had a part in the movie "Where The Heart Is" starring Ashley Judd.

Mathis currently hosts an open mic night at The Comedy Zone on Sunday nights titled "Mathis Madness."

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