

LIFESTYLES



JOSEPH BRYMER/HERALD
John Murphey gets a plate at the Relay for Life 2006 kick-off Monday night at the Patrick Center. Below, Marianne Moore feeds her daughter Eveie Moore.

KM gearing up for Relay for Life

It's only November but Kings Mountain is ready for Relay for Life.

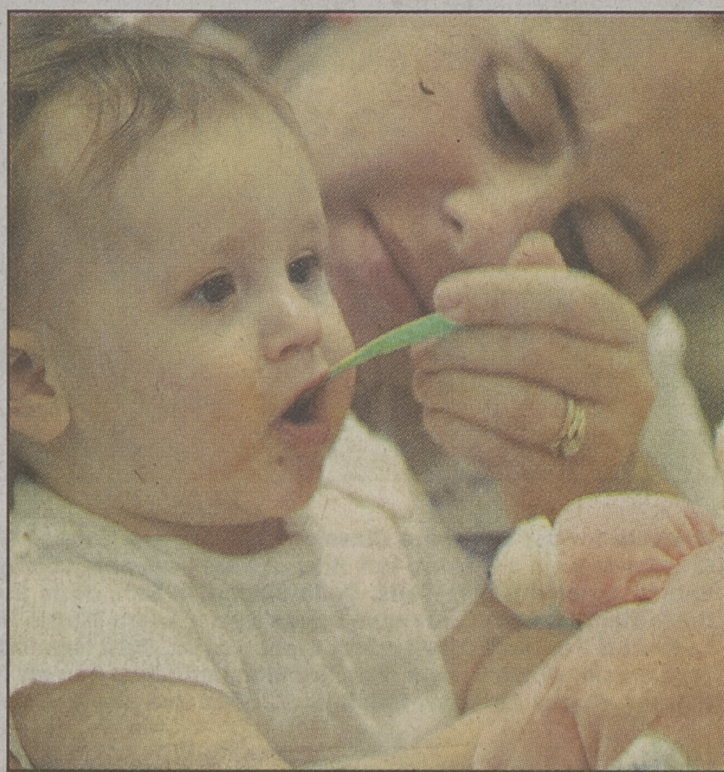
The American Cancer Society signature fundraiser will be April 28 and 29 at the Kings Mountain municipal walking track. ACS staff and local volunteers held a kick-off Monday night at the Patrick Center.

"We did phenomenally well last year. Everyone should be proud," said event co-chairperson Tammy Hogue. She and Tammy White are co-chairing this year's event.

The King's Review chorus from Kings Mountain High School provided entertainment and Fatz provided dinner.

Kings Mountain's 2005 Relay's 39 teams and 90 survivors raised \$93,023. The county's three Relays combined raised the fourth highest dollar amount in the 75,000 to 99,999 population bracket nationwide. Cleveland County Schools raised \$104,000, the most of any school in the multi-state Region 5. Over 650 survivors participated in the county's three Relays garnering the Pack the Track award.

The money raised goes



toward research, prevention, early detection, education and services for people facing cancer.

There will be a Relay for Life Roadshow University for volunteers Monday, Nov. 14 at 6 p.m. at the Patrick Center. Registration will be from 5 to 6 p.m. Dinner will be provided. Training will begin at 6:30 p.m.

Registration deadline is today. To register, call 704-552-6147.

For more information about cancer, call the American Cancer Society at 1-800-ACS-2345 24 hours a day or visit www.cancer.org.

Families, churches, businesses and other groups or individuals are invited to form Relay teams. For more information, call Linda Neal at 704-470-4064.

Car show set November 26 for couple going to Africa

When Daniel Knox was diagnosed with Hodgkin's lymphoma last year, his friends in Midnight Cruisers Car Club rallied around him with support.

In October they held a car show fundraiser for Knox at the Cleveland Mall. Thirty vehicle enthusiasts entered and Rick Campbell took best of show with his lime green Civic.

Extreme Kustomz of Shelby, who sponsors the club, sponsored the show. The business is owned by David Jackson and Eric Hess. Hess also contributed his talent as a DJ.

Knox, who underwent chemotherapy, radiation and three surgeries, now shows no sign of cancer.

He is majoring in criminal justice at Cleveland Community College and already has a degree in auto body repair from CCC.



ANDIE L. BRYMER/HERALD
Daniel Knox, left, Aaron Sanders and Josh Croom are all members of Midnight Cruisers Car Club. The club held a fundraiser last month for Knox who underwent successful treatment for cancer.

Knox graduated from Kings Mountain High School in 2004.

The club will sponsor another fundraiser car show Nov. 26 from 9 a.m. to 5 p.m. for Shelby missionaries

Brian and Debbie Goodson who are traveling to Africa. The location of the fundraiser has not yet been determined.

For more information, call Croom at 704-477-5403.

11th annual Murphey's Scooter Shed Toy Run is November 19

Murphey's Scooter Shed's 11th annual Toy Run to benefit the Shriners Burn Center Oxford Orphanage Masonic Home for Children will be held Saturday, Nov. 19. Rain date is Sunday, Nov. 20.

All area citizens are urged to take a toy or donation to Murphey's Scooter Shed, 1145 Camelot Court, Kings Mountain.

All area bikers are invited to participate in the Run, which will leave Murphey's Scooter Shed and travel through many area streets and roads, and return to Murphey's for a free barbeque.

Murphey's is located just off Phifer Road, about five miles from Kings Mountain. From Highway 74 east, turn right on Bethlehem Road and pass Bethlehem Fire Department. Turn left on

Phifer Road and turn left on Camelot.

From Business 74, go through Kings Mountain and pass Kings Mountain Hospital. Turn left at the stop light and go three miles. Camelot Court is on the right.

The Toy Run route is Camelot Court right onto Phifer Rd., right on Bethlehem Rd., left on Bethlehem Church Rd., right

onto Cleveland Ave., Grover, right on South Post Road (180), left on Earl Rd., left on 74/West Dixon Blvd., right on E. Marion St., right on Dekalb St., left on 74/East Dixon Blvd., left on E. Marion St./Cleveland Mall, right on Borders Rd., right on Oakgrove Rd., right on Stoney Point Rd., left on Battleground Ave., left on E. Gold St., left on 161/York Rd., left on King St., left on Phifer Rd. to Murphey's Scooter Shed.

Veterans Day events set in Kings Mountain and Shelby

There will be a Veteran's Day service and parade Friday, Nov. 11 beginning at 10 a.m.

Marchers will assemble and there will be opening ceremonies at 10 a.m. at the Kings Mountain War Memorial at the corner of Mountain Street and Railroad Avenue across the street from the Joy Performance Center.

The parade will begin at 10:15 a.m. and proceed

down Gold Street to the Veteran's Memorial at Mountain Rest Cemetery. The service there will begin at 10:30 a.m.

For additional information, contact city events coordinator Ellis Noell at 704-730-2103.

In Shelby the Cleveland County Veterans Council will hold a service at 11 a.m. at the old courthouse or in the event of rain, inside the gym at Shelby City Park.

Rev. Rit Varriale, pastor of Elizabeth Baptist Church, will be the guest speaker. The First Baptist Church ensemble will provide music. Other groups participating include the Burns High School Air Force Junior ROTC and Marine Corp League N.C. Foothills Detachment.

Nov. 6 to 12 is Employ A Vet Week.

Program at park

Crowders Mountain State Park will host "Animals of Crowders Mountain" Sat., Nov. 19 at 2 p.m. See photos of animals found in the park. A ranger will answer questions and provide information.

Meet at the visitor center. Call 853-5375 for more information.

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Saturday November 12th, 2 pm
at the EAST CAMPUS OF GASTON COLLEGE & TEXTILE TECHNOLOGY CENTER (Former NC Center for Applied Textile Technology) 7220 W. Wilkinson Blvd., Belmont

Sunday November 13th, 2 pm
at the FAMILY LIFE CENTER, FIRST UNITED METHODIST CHURCH 190 E. Franklin Blvd., Gastonia

Tune in to Cable Channel 9 to watch the film at various times between 8:00 pm Friday, Nov. 11 through midnight Sunday, Nov. 13.

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