

LIFESTYLES

Scoggins celebrated golden anniversary at Patrick Center

Bob and Mattie Scoggins celebrated their 50th wedding anniversary with a dinner August 2nd at the Patrick Center in Kings Mountain. They were married August 3, 1958.

The dinner was hosted by daughters, Janice Sachs and husband David and Cindy Stone; sons, Andy Scoggins and wife Robin and Jeff Scoggins and wife Patsy. Sister-in-law, Sandra Gettys, took pictures.

Also in attendance were sisters, Wanda and her husband Junior, Lucy and her husband Wayne, Corky and her husband Jim, Cathy and her husband Houston, and Alice; brother, Raymond and his wife Sandra; grandson Timothy and great grandson Steven.

Others attending were friends and neighbors of many, many years.

Bob retired from teaching high school in 1999, and Mattie



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retired from work at the Patrick Center three weeks ago. They currently operate Scoggins Nursery in Kings Mountain.

SOCIAL BRIEFS

Vendors needed for Gateway Festival

The City of Kings Mountain is calling all craft vendors. Spaces are still available for artisans to participate in Crafter's Alley at the upcoming Gateway Festival on Saturday, October 11, 2008 from 10 a.m.-5 p.m.

Slots are also still available for folks to enter their cars into the festival's car show. For more information or applications visit www.cityofkm.com and click on the Special Events tab.

Mauney Library offers programs through Sept.

Mauney Memorial Library is offering the following programs to the public throughout the month of September:

Monday, Sept. 15 - Marlene Smith will provide an hour-long talk and demonstration about the health benefits of yoga. Participation is encouraged. Bring a towel or a yoga mat.

Tuesday, Sept. 16 - "Rhythm of the Factory" exhibit will feature guest speakers Leon Neal, who contributed to the exhibit, and Bob Brown, of the Belmont Historical Society. Neal will share his experiences growing up on a "mill hill."

For more information about programs, call Margot Plonk at 704-739-2371, ext. 5.

Thomas Lovelace family reunion Sunday

A Thomas Lovelace family reunion will be held at 1 p.m. Sunday, Sept. 14 in the fellowship hall at Oak Grove Baptist Church, 1022 Oak Grove Road. All family members of Thomas Lovelace are invited to attend.

BRGS to offer program on tombstone engravings

Dr. June Hobbs, a member of The Association of Gravestone Studies, will be presenting a program on the symbolism of hands and other engravings on tombstones, in the Performing Arts Area of the Neal Senior Center in Shelby at 3 p.m. Sunday, Sept. 14. at the next Broad River Genealogical Society meeting.

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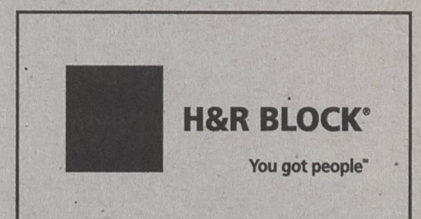
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