



Honored

Fred Smith, right, presents Leigh Bell, Kings Mountain High School Guidance Counselor, a certificate of appreciation at Tuesday's meeting of the Third Tuesday Morning Breakfast Club at Mountain View Restaurant.



Scholarship Winner

Justice Brown, son of Benjamin and Opal Brown, was presented the first annual scholarship, \$500, by the Third Tuesday Morning Breakfast Club. A KMHS senior, Brown plans to attend North Carolina State University and study mechanical engineering. The club plans to increase the scholarship each year. James Lomick, right, makes the presentation.

Photos by Lib Stewart

Class of 1964 reunion June 20

The Class of 1964 of Kings Mountain High School will hold its 50th reunion June 20. The event will begin on Friday evening at 6:30 p.m. at Deer Brook Golf Club and will continue on Saturday evening, June 21, at

6:30 p.m. at American Legion Post 155 in Kings Mountain. Reservations (\$35 per person) should be mailed to KMHS Class of 1964, PO Box 277, Kings Mountain, NC 28086 by May 31, 2014.



CCC Pinning

A pinning ceremony was held recently for students in the phlebotomy program at Cleveland Community College. Front row, from left, Brittany James, Kierra Bell, and Diamond Scell. Back row, from left, Dena Fox, PBT (ASCP), Lauren Rent, John Hood, Taylor Pruitt, and Dana Mode, PBT(ASCP). Not pictured: Michelle Threewits.

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Legion to sponsor bloomobile May 23

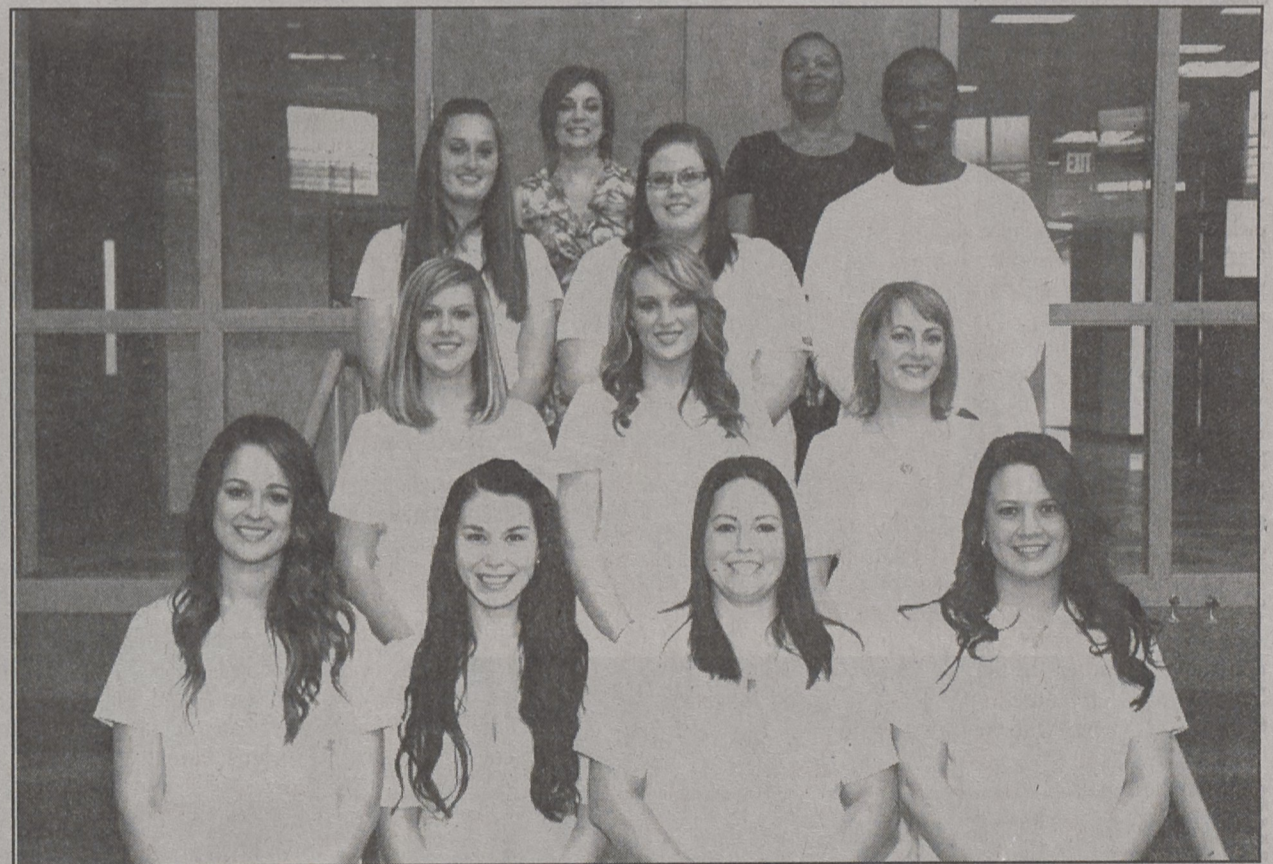
American Legion Post 155 will sponsor a visit of the Red Cross bloodmobile Friday, May 23, from 1:30-6 p.m. at the Post at 813 E. Gold Street. Post Commander Curtis Thrift said goal of the collection is 30 pints of blood. Members of the American Legion Auxiliary will

serve refreshments to donors who participate in the blood collection. Holiday travel usually escalates on Memorial Day weekend and the American Red Cross is gearing up for more blood donations in event of accidents during the holiday.

Pregnancy Prevention releases resource guide

The Cleveland County Teen Pregnancy Prevention Coalition is celebrating May as National Adolescent Pregnancy Month by publicly releasing "Private Matters"- a youth resource guide with information and resources covering numerous youth health issues including teen pregnancy and STD's. The coalition encourages the community to take ad-

vantage of this free resource to assist them in engaging in conversations about teen pregnancy prevention this month. DeShay Oliver, Coordinator of Health Services for the Cleveland County Health Department, said "Private Matters" is available online by going to: <http://clevelandcounty.com/cchd> and clicking on the Private Matters banner.



CCC pinning ceremony

Students in the Cleveland Community College Radiography program were honored on April 24 in the Student Activities Center on the CCC campus. Front row, from left, Megan Garcia, Lacy Ford, Kelly Elledge, Kyle Murray; second row, from left, Jessica Hamrick, Kinsey Williams, Callie Nartowicz; third row, from left, Rachel McDaniel, Sierra Blatant, Avian Tate; and back row, Clinical coordinator Lee Ann Mays and discipline coordinator Lease Rousseau.

City closed Monday for Memorial Day

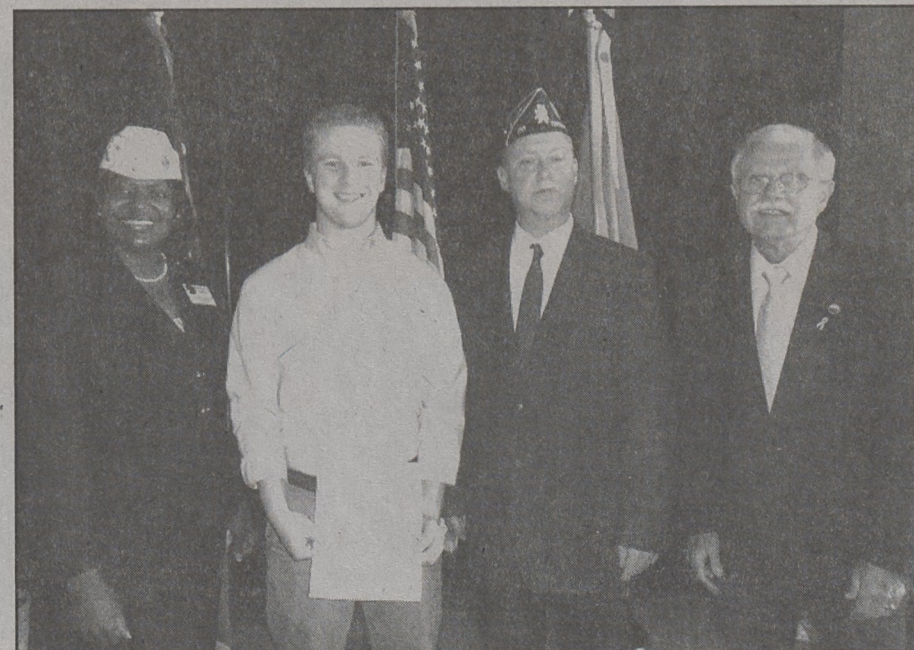
The City of Kings Mountain will be closed on Monday, May 26 in observance of the Memorial Day holiday. Garbage service for the week will be on a one day delay schedule. Each day's garbage will be picked up the day following the regu-

lar scheduled pick-up. Recycling service will be changed as follows: route 6 and route 7 will be picked up on Tuesday, Route 8, 9, and 10 will be picked up on their regular schedule on Wednesday, Thursday and Friday.

Concert at Christian Freedom

Contemporary Christian singer/songwriter Phil Wickham will perform in concert July 19 at 7 p.m. at Christian Freedom Baptist Church, 246 Range Road. General admission tickets are \$20 with a limited number of premiere seating tick-

ets available for \$30 each. Tickets can be purchased via the church web site at christianfreedomchurch.com or at the church office from 9 a.m.-3 p.m. Monday through Thursday. Call 704-739-4152 to ensure tickets will be ready for pickup.



Left, Jordan Bullins is congratulated by American Legion State Commander Patricia Harris, left, Post 155 Commander Curtis Thrift, and Mayor Rick Murphrey on his acceptance in the North Carolina Student Trooper Program June 8-13 in Raleigh. American Legion Post 155 is sponsoring the KMHS junior who aspires to work as a highway patrolman. Bullins is the son of Dana and Tommy Painter of Kings Mountain and Mike and Julie Bullins of Huntersville. He is a Life Scout in Troop 92 at First Baptist Church, and a Senior Patrol Leader working on his Eagle badge.

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