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Wednesday, September 2, 2015

\$10,000 in scholarship money for Grabert

Gregory Grabert, Jr., son of Dr. Gregory and Mrs. Estelle M. Grabert, has been awarded a \$10,000 college scholarship from the Hunter Douglas Foundation. The scholarship is to be distributed in \$1,250 increments over eight semesters, with a requirement of academic performance. Gregory is a 2015 graduate of Kings Mountain High School and is currently a freshman at NC State University, where he is enrolled in the Exploratory Studies program.



Gregory Grabert; Jr.

Holiday trash pickup schedule Sept. 7

The city will be closed on Monday, September 7, in observance of Labor Day. Garbage service will be on a one-day delay.

Recycling service will be changed as follows: Routes 1 & 2 will be picked up on Tuesday; Routes 3, 4, & 5 will be on their regular schedule.

CHURCH BRIEFS Lighthouse **Ministries'** Homecoming Sept. 6

Lighthouse Ministries, 1908 Shelby Road, will hold homecoming day on Sunday, Sept. 6 at 11 a.m. Soul Vision of Hendersonville will present special music. Pastor Don Mc-Neely invites the public to attend the service and to the covered-dish luncheon following the service.

Westover concert Soul Vision, a quartet of

gospel singers, will present a concert at Westover Baptist Church on Sunday, Sept. 6 at 6 p.m. Everyone welcome.

Ministers meet Sept. 3

Kings Mountain Ministerial Association will resume monthly meetings Sept. 3 at 12 noon at Mountain View Restaurant on King Street. All Kings Mountain pastors are encouraged to become involved in the Ministerial Association.

People's Baptist Music Concert

People's Baptist Church will host the North and South Carolina Unified Worship Choir on Sept. 12 at 6 p.m. at 1010 Groves Street. Pastor John House says the concert is to bring fellowship back to churches and communities. Any other singers, musicians, and church choirs are welcome to participate with the group singing. The church will also be helping a needy family in the community.

Sheriff's office reaches out to churches for emergency prep

The Cleveland County Sheriff's Office takes emergency preparedness very seriously. Every day we work to protect our county and its citizens, but we can't do it alone. That's why we're asking our faith based community to help us educate and engage those around them in the community and in their houses of worship.

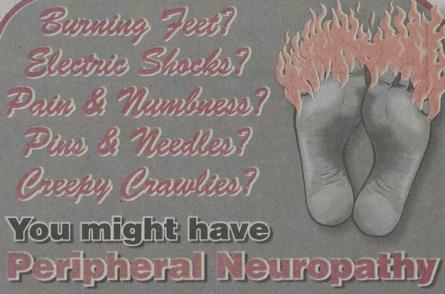
The Sheriff's Office has developed a plan to assist an emergency should one of God. Together, through arise in the church. It is our hope that this plan would give church members a basic knowledge of what to do in the event of an emergency and how to protect lives in the case that a situation arises within the church.

Sheriff Alan Norman says, "We are living in a dangerous time in our history. Unfortunately, we are at the point where people are takchurches in preparing for ing violence into the House

awareness, education, and action, we can minimize vulnerabilities and ensure the protection of our houses of worship and its congregants."

If any church is interested in having a presentation given to their church or the leadership of the church, please contact Captain Joel Shores at 704-476-3053 or joel.shores@clevelandcounty.com

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