

Career Development Open House Is Held

Open house for the newly established Career Development Center for Displaced Homemakers was held Monday, at the Cleveland Tech Annex, located in downtown Shelby.

State Senator, Helen Marvin, featured speaker, officially opened the Center for the State. Other dignitaries attending included Les Roark, Mayor of Shelby, Dr. James Petty, President of Cleveland County Technical Institute, Ms. Miriam J. Dorsey, Executive Director of the North Carolina Council on the Status of Women, and State Representative Edith Lutz.

The Career Development Center will work with 80 Displaced Homemakers within the next year. Displaced Homemakers are persons who have worked for years as homemakers and suddenly find themselves without means of support because of divorce,

separation, death, or disability of a spouse, and they must find jobs to support themselves.

The program will provide five weeks of vocational assessment, confidence building, personal and job counseling, job readiness, (interviewing techniques, and resume writing), career workshop, and physical fitness. In addition, the program will provide two weeks of subsidized job searching.

The Center is funded by the Comprehensive Employment and Training Act CETA and is administered by the North Carolina Department of Administration. The Center in Shelby, one of four in North Carolina, is coordinated by Cleveland County Technical Institute. The service area includes Mecklenburg, Lincoln, Rutherford and Cleveland Counties.

Lost Colony Story To Be Presented

"The Strange Secret of Roanoke Island," a multi-media presentation of the story of the Lost Colony, will be presented at the Malcolm E. Brown School-Civic Auditorium on Thursday, Nov. 29, at 7:30 p.m.

This event is sponsored by Shelby City Community Schools in association with the Greater Shelby Community Theater. Admission price is \$1.00 at the door, or may be purchased at the Shelby City Schools Administrative Center, 315 Patton Drive or at Suttle's Drugs.

"The Lost Colony" is an historical outdoor drama based in Manteo on the Outer Bank. Selected actors, actresses, and musicians from The Lost Colony play several roles in the touring production. The play uses time shifts back and forth between the 16th and 18th centuries to help give the story of the Lost Colony a contemporary interpretation. Slides, motion pictures, music and dance are combined to provide a fast tempo for the one-hour production.

1979 Evelyn Russell Layton Award winner, Haskell Fitz-Simons, narrates the show. He has sung with the "Lost Colony" choir for several seasons. Jimmi-Ann Carnes, who played Dame Coleman in the 1979

season of "The Lost Colony," returns for a second season with the Touring Company. She is joined by Cynthia Knight, who played Eleanor Dare; Bill Jenkins, who played Ananias Dare; and Joe Baron, who played Chief Wanchese, in "The Lost Colony" in 1979. Jim Graham, Governor White of the Lost Colony, and Karl Helmer, who was Sir Walter Raleigh this year, are sound and lighting technicians, respectively for "The Strange Secret of Roanoke Island." Production stage manager is Sara Howell, technician with "The Lost Colony." She was understudy and technician with last year's Touring Company.

The show's producer is Mrs. Fred W. Morrison, producer of Paul Green's "The Lost Colony," and Joe Layton, director of "The Lost Colony," directs "The Strange Secret of Roanoke Island." The script was adapted by Paul Tyler and lighting design was done by George Schneider. Costumes are by C. Michael Hunter and sets by Doug Smith.



OPEN HOUSE AT CENTER—Senator Helen Marvin of Gastonia, left, is welcomed by Dr. James Petty to an open house of the newly established Career Development Center for Displaced homemakers in Shelby at Cleveland Tech Annex.

Entries Being Accepted For Cinderella Pageant

Entries are now being accepted for the Charlotte Tri-County Area in the North Carolina State Pageant to be held Dec. 15, at North-East Jr. High School.

The Pageant is open to all girls in Charlotte and surrounding communities.

There will be five competitive age groups: Cinderella Tot (Age 3-6); Cinderella Miniature Miss (7-9); Cinderella Miss (10-12); Cinderella Teen (13-17); Cinderella Girl (18-26); all five age groups model sportswear and party dresses and, all except the Cinderella Tot Division, perform a talent routine.

The winners in each division

will represent the Charlotte Tri-County area in the North Carolina State Pageant to be held in June, 1980. Winners there will advance to the International Pageant in Baton Rouge, Louisiana.

This is an opportunity for all talented young girls to participate in a wholesome, youth-oriented activity with opportunities for scholarships and advancement.

Further information and entry forms may be obtained from Mrs. Clara Kramer, State Director, 1015 Foxhound Court, Charlotte, N.C. 28212. Phone (704) 568-5921.

Fiber Employees Have UW Record

Employees of the Shelby Plant of Fiber Industries, Inc. have set a new record of \$188,000 pledged to the United Way Agencies in Cleveland County and surrounding communities.

In-plant Campaign Chairman, Wayne Hall said, "It was especially gratifying to exceed our Plant goal by 23 percent. The 1980 Plant goal of \$112,000 was considered an ambitious one in view of the troublesome economic times."

Last year's record amount of \$108,000 was exceeded by \$80,000 this year, with 1980 pledges representing the highest in average donation per employee. 91 percent of Fiber employees participated in this year's drive. In addition, fair share con-

tributors were 85 percent, up significantly from previous years.

Plant Manager John Sullivan said, "The success of this drive is a reflection of the can-do attitude of the people of the Shelby Plant and their concern for the people and the community in which they live."

Hall, Unit Superintendent of Polymer and Production Services, was assisted in his campaign by in-plant volunteers and a nine-member committee. The committee members were Vice Chairman Paul Sessa, Johnny Bridges, Maureen Castern, Mills Cline, Ray Crowe, Nancy Dade, Jim Jordan, Lalage Moss and Gaines Nichols.

Bryant To Present Lions Club Program

Lion Howard Bryant will show slides and present a commentary on a trip to Germany and Austria where he visited schools at Tuesday night's meeting of the KM Lions Club. Lions members will gather at 7 p.m. for dinner at KM Motor

Inn. Christmas fruit cakes will also be distributed at tonight's meeting. Due to increased costs, the cakes are selling for \$2 per pound this year or \$6 for a three-pound box. All proceeds benefit the civic club's projects for the blind.

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Basketball Openers Postponed

Kings Mountain High's scheduled basketball opener with West Charlotte has been postponed to Wednesday night. It will be played on the Lions' home court.

The games were originally set for tonight but conflicted with the KMHS football banquet.

West Charlotte will be in Kings Mountain Friday night for a doubleheader beginning at 6:30.

KMHS opens Southwestern 3-A Conference play on December 4 against East Gaston.

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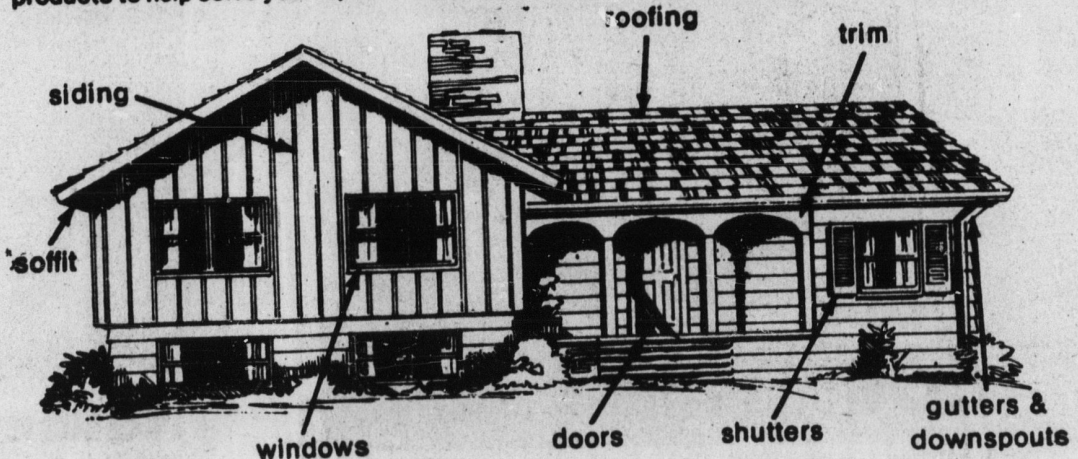
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