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Jobs!

Youth Job Program Taking Applications

Young people in the area seeking summer employment may get some help from the Mayor's Summer Youth Program.

The program, entering its 14th year, is designed to aid high school and college students in gaining summer employment to help finance their education or supplement their family income.

Mayor John Moss has named a nine-person committee, which will begin accepting applications and interviewing students Friday at the Governmental Services Facilities Center (new city hall).

Applications may be obtained, and interviews scheduled, between 1-5 p.m. Friday; 8 a.m. until 12 noon Saturday, and from 8:30 a.m. until 5 p.m. next Monday and Tuesday.

Franklin Ware and Rev. M.L. Campbell will serve as co-chairmen of the committee. Other members are Mayor Moss, Mrs. Margaret McCarter, Mrs. Joel Marable, Mrs. Ruby Alexander, Jerry King, Mrs. Martha Edwards, and Gerald Grigg.

"This has been a most successful program, because of the cooperation of industries and businesses in the area," Mayor Moss said. "This is a particularly important year in view of the national economic effect on our area, and we will be working closely with all prospective employers and the youth so as to develop as many job opportunities as possible."

"The committee urges all youngsters interested to come and register as early as possible," he added.

Baccalaureate Service, Graduation Scheduled

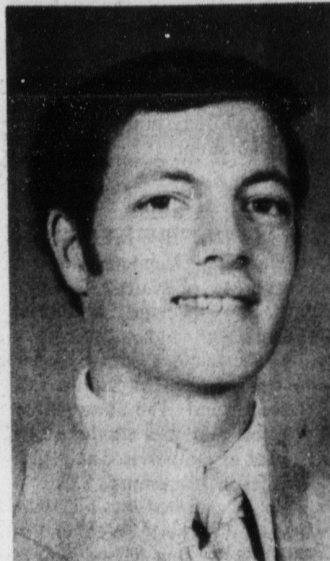
Baccalaureate service and graduation exercises for the Kings Mountain High School Class of 1982 have been scheduled.

The baccalaureate service will be held at 8 p.m., Sun., May 30 at B.N. Barnes Auditorium. The Rev. William Tyson, pastor of Boyce Memorial A.R.P. Church, will deliver the sermon. Graduation is scheduled for Tues., June 1 at 8 p.m. at John Gamble Stadium.

Area ministers will be in charge of the baccalaureate service. Special music will be presented by the Kings Mountain High School Chorale and Ensemble, under the direction of Eugene Bumgardner, director of the high school choirs. Pianist will be Jerri Patterson.

The traditional "Pomp and Circumstance" will be used for the processional and recessional.

Dr. T.A. Powell, pastor of Galilee and St. Paul United Methodist Churches of Kings Mountain, will give the invocation. The Rev. Paul T. Baliles, pastor of First Assembly of God of Kings Mountain, will read the



REV. WILLIAM TYSON

scripture. Rev. Eugene W. Land, pastor of Second Baptist Church, will introduce the speaker, and the Rev. Kenneth Ray Looney, pastor of the Kings Mountain Church of God, will give the benediction.

The congregation will sing "This Is My Father's World"

and the choral groups will sing "Immortal Love" and "O Magnum Mysterium".

The Kings Mountain Junior High School Ninth Grade Band, under the direction of Christopher Cole, will play "Pomp And Circumstance" for the processional at graduation. There will be no recessional.

The KMHS Chorale and Ensemble will sing "Flying Free" and "Go Ye Now In Peace."

Senior class officers will lead the program and will share the stage with school board officials and school administrators.

Robert R. McRae Jr., principal, and William F. Davis, superintendent, will present the diplomas, assisted by Joan Lois Finger, Chief Marshal of the Junior Class.

Kristin Anne Gatts, vice president of the Senior Class, will give the invocation, and Robert Lee Smith III, president of the Student Participation Organization, will welcome the guests.

Lee Sommers Neisler, president of the Senior Class, will present the Class of 1982, and Claude Russell Morrison Jr., secretary of the Senior Class, will

recognize all honor graduates.

Leigh Anne Baliles, class treasurer, will present to class gift to June C. Lee, chairman of the Kings Mountain District Schools Board of Education. Terry Leonard Feaster will give the benediction.

Junior Marshals include Joan Lois Finger, Chief; Daniel Clifton Ayscue, Susanna Lynn Bolin, Bryon Mark Cloninger, Sharon Allison Dilling, Kevin Darryl Dixon, Kelly Ann Goodson, Roger Dean Grant, Joanie Lynne Hamrick, James William Lackey, Clayton Lloyd Ollis and Lisa Rae Smith.

Senior sponsors are Mrs. Adelaide Allison, Mrs. Peggy Baird, Mrs. Linda Dixon, Mrs. Brenda Neal, Miss Annette Parker, Mrs. Jacquitha Reid, Ms. Sheila Sisk, Mrs. Mary Taylor, Mrs. Angel Teer and Dean Westmoreland.

The senior class motto is "If no one else believes in us, we have to remember to believe in ourselves."

City Paying Consultant Up To \$60 Per Hour

The City of Kings Mountain is paying up to \$60 per hour for a personnel consultant to advise Mayor John Henry Moss and the Cost-Efficiency Committee on equal employment matters.

The City Board of Commissioners last week, by a 4-2 vote, authorized the Mayor to take

whatever actions he deemed necessary to cut the cost of city services.

Commissioners Jim Childers and Norman King voted against a recommendation by the Cost-Efficiency Committee, which is comprised of Commissioners Jim Dickey, Humes Houston, Corbet

Nicholson and Moss.

The committee, without authorization of the full board, had earlier hired Employers E.O. Services Inc. of Charlotte and Winston-Salem, specialists in equal opportunity compliance management, to advise the city on how it could dismiss

employees without danger of having the termination appealed to the Equal Employment Opportunity Commission.

E.O. is charging the city \$60 per hour, plus 25 cents per mile travel, for professional legal services. For technical assistance, its fee is \$20 per hour plus 25

cents per mile travel.

The city employs three other consultants. W.K. Dickson and Company serves as the city's water and sewer and street construction and maintenance consultants. Southeastern Consulting Engineers Inc. is the city's electrical services consul-

tant, and Heath and Associates is the gas service consultants.

Heath charges \$250 per day, plus 22 cents per mile; Southeastern's fees range from \$360 to \$314 per day; and Dickson's fees are \$40.95 to \$21.42 per hour, plus 17 cents per mile travel.

Sam Houston Earns Education Doctorate

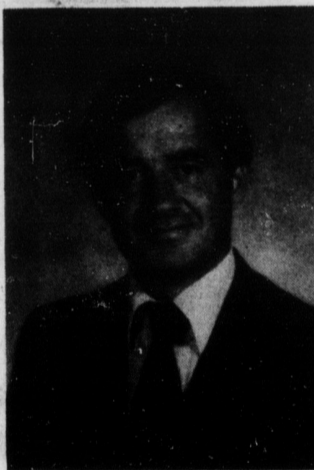
Sam Houston, formerly of Kings Mountain, received a Doctor of Education Administration degree in commencement exercises May 16 at UNC-Greensboro.

Son of Humes Houston of Kings Mountain and the late Debbie Houston, he is employed as assistant superintendent for auxiliary services of Davidson County Schools, the 10th largest school system in North Carolina.

He is married to the former Diane Roberts of Kings Mountain. He served as principal at Ledford Junior High School and North Davidson Senior High School before being named director of auxiliary services last year. He was named assistant superintendent last summer.

Houston earned his bachelor's degree at Appalachian State Teacher's College and his master's at Appalachian State University. He earned an education specialist degree at East Carolina University. He has also studied at N.C. State University and the University of North Carolina.

He formerly taught and coached football on the elementary and junior high level and is a former coordinator of evening programs at Fayetteville Technical Institute and adjunct professor at Appalachian State University.



SAM HOUSTON

He has served as a consultant to several educational organizations, including the North Carolina State Department of Education, the Laurinburg-Scotland County Schools, Robeson County Technical Institute, Commission on Alcoholism and Drug Abuse, Alcohol and Drug Prevention and Control Program, Raleigh City Schools and Harnett County Schools.

Attending graduation ceremonies from Kings Mountain were Mr. and Mrs. Gene Roberts, Miss Annie Roberts and Mr. and Mrs. Humes Houston.

City Firemen Battle Five Fires Last Week

Kings Mountain firemen reported five fires last week.

At 1:30 a.m. Thursday, they extinguished a fire at a vacant house on Parkdale Circle. The house was owned by Phillip Bollinger.

Later Thursday, they were called to the Phillips 66 Station on East King to water down leaking gas. No damage was

reported.

At 4:37 a.m. Friday, they extinguished a woods fire on Brice Street and at 11:45 a.m. Friday, they doused a grass and woods fire on Brice Street.

On Saturday, they put out a car fire at 618 East Gold Street. The 1973 Chevrolet, owned by Ronnie Philbeck, was declared a total loss.

Briefly

KIWANIS CLUB

Joyce Lee, Cleveland County Probation Officer, will be the guest speaker at the weekly meeting of the Kings Mountain Kiwanis Club Thursday night. The Kiwanians will have their annual Ladies Night Banquet on Thurs., May 27. Reservations must be made by Mon., May 24, by calling Kyle Smith at 864-3201.

BEAUTY(?) CONTEST

The Dixie Youth and Babe Ruth baseball leagues of Grover will sponsor a womanless beauty contest Saturday at 7:30 p.m. at the Grover School Auditorium. Admission is \$2 for adults and \$1 for children 12 and under. Contestants will be members of the coaching staffs.

SPAGHETTI SUPPER

Grover Rescue Squad will sponsor a spaghetti supper Sat., May 22 beginning at 5 p.m. All you can eat plates will be served for \$2.50 for adults and \$1.50 for children. Children under 12 may eat free. For carry out orders and information, call 937-7632.

SIERRA CLUB

The first meeting of the newly-organized Cleveland County group of the Sierra Club will be held May 25 at 7:30 p.m. upstairs at the Cleveland County Historical Museum. All prospective members are urged to attend.

NEW LOCATION

The Kings Mountain Chamber of Commerce and Credit Bureau has moved to 115 West Mountain Street at the rear entrance beside Fulton's Department Store.

CORRECTION

The Kings Mountain Herald inadvertently printed the name of Andrea Beason in the Cleveland County delinquent tax listings printed in last week's edition.



Photo by Gary Stewart

KMCC WEEK - This is Kings Mountain Convalescent Center Week, and residents of the center have experienced a number of treats. Carolyn Bell, left, an employee of KMCC, is pictured above serving ice cream to three residents Tuesday. Left to right are Mrs. Vada

Herndon, Ella Harrelson and Bertha Blanton. The residents were also treated to a music program by the Kings Mountain High pep band. More activities are scheduled through Saturday, ending with an old timey family reunion day.

This Is KMCC Week

Kings Mountain Convalescent Center has been observing Kings Mountain Convalescent Center Week all this week.

Activities will continue through Saturday.

The schedule for the remainder of the week includes a cookout from 11 a.m. until 1:30 p.m. Thursday, Country-Western Day Friday from 2-4 p.m. and an Ole Time Family Reunion Day Saturday from 2-5 p.m.

Lillian Mitchem will play a clown and special singing will be held during Friday's Country-Western Day. Featured performers include the Rev. Allen Jolly, the Swinging Mountaineers, banjo picker Arnold Clayton and guitarist Tom Dellinger.

Delores White and the Macedonia Baptist Church Choir will sing Saturday at 2:30 p.m., Louise Cole and the Mt. Zion Baptist Church Inspirations will sing Saturday at 3 p.m.

and Nelson and Jane Fletcher and other singers will perform from 4 until 5 p.m. Saturday.

Fun Day was held Monday with entertainment furnished by a clown from the Pizza Hut. A pie-throwing contest was also held.

Tuesday's activities featured an ice cream social. The Kings Mountain High Pep Band, under

the direction of Donald Deal, performed along with Allen Davis, who did a juggling act.

Wednesday's activities featured a birthday party given by Oak Grove Baptist Church. Shirley Austin, elementary music teacher for Kings Mountain District Schools, and 100 students gave a musical salute to North Carolina.

School Bands Spring Concert Set Thursday

The Kings Mountain District School Bands will present the Annual Spring Concert on Thursday, May 20 at 8:00 p.m. in the Barnes Auditorium.

The Concert will be presented by the Central School Seventh Grade Band, the Kings Mountain Junior High School Eighth

Grade Band, the Kings Mountain Junior High School Ninth Grade Band, and the Kings Mountain Senior High School Band.

The Program will consist of a variety of music. Admission is free. The public is invited to attend.