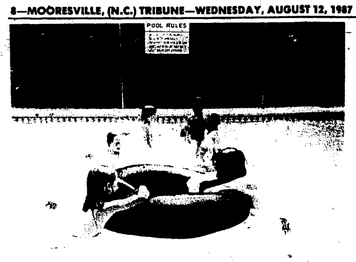

Quality Time In The Camp's New Pool

Dads Join Daughters At Ginger Cascades

Do you think Girl Scout camp is for girls only? Not at Camp Ginger Cascades, owned by Catawba Valley Area Girl Scout Council, where 31 girls and their dads, recently attended Father-Daughter Weekend.

Activities available to the couples were swimming in the new pool, sliding down the cascades, volleyball, archery, canoeing, fishing and campfire cooking and singing.

"It was exciting to watch, and great the way the fathers participated," said Toni Annas, assistant camp director.

"The camp staff was wounderful and the activities were great," said Richard Faires, who attended with his daughter, Penny.

Catawba Valley Area Girl Scout Council added Father/Daughter Weekend to its camp program sessions so fathers could become more involved with their daughters and the Girl Scout movement. Many fathers who attended the weekend last year returned because of the special time they were able to spend with their daughters.

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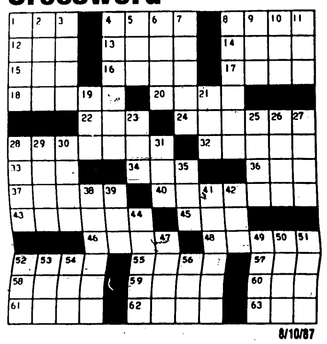

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ACROSS
1. Young flower
4. Unit of weight
8. Pecks
12. Mineral earth
13. Wander.
14. Correct copy
15. Utilize
16. A corrosive
17. Small horse
18. Domesticated
20. Feminine title
22. Ribbed fabric
24. Of greater duration
28. Spinning-wheel part
32. Worship
33. Sailor
34. Sweet potato
36. Be victorious
37. Fruit of oak
40. Genteel
43. Endowment
45. Light brown
46. Agitate
48. Noise of horse
52. Foil
55. Tidy
57. By means of
58. To sheltered side
59. Donated
60. Malt beverage
61. Plunder
62. Reach across
63. A caustic

DOWN
1. Conflict
2. A constellation
3. Judge
4. Classified
5. Legendary bird
6. Eager
7. Award of merit
8. Count on
9. Much fuss
10. Storage box
11. Pigpen
19. Sea eagle
21. Extinct bird, N.Z.
23. Fold
25. Dress
26. Great Lake
27. Tear
28. Hart
29. Step
30. Press
31. Part of head
35. Encountered
38. Took a chance
39. Kerneled fruit
41. Tie
42. Hostel
44. Carols
47. Harvest
49. Gem
50. Place confidence in
51. Large plant
52. Prevent
53. Winglike part
54. Wreath (Hawaii)
56. —— Gardner, actress

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Local Video Stores Help MDA Efforts

Cathy's Video Stores have joined together with the Muscular Dystrophy Association in the battle against Neuromuscular diseases.

From Aug. 23 until Sept. 7, Cathy's Video Stores will contribute five cents to MDA for every customer who uses their computer card when renting at any of the Cathy's Video locations, as part of the business commitment to raise $1,000 to benefit MDA.

Cathy's Video Stores, located in Denver, Cornelius and Mt. Holly, are also raising funds to benefit the Association through MDA collection canisters and a "Rock-A-Thon" to be held Sept. 6 and 7 at Cathy's Video No. 1 in Cornelius.

Cathy's Video No. 1 will be open throughout the night on Sept. 6, and pledges and contributions will be taken between now and Sept. 7, 1987.

"Together we can play an important role in MDA's battle against neuromuscular diseases," Cathy Cadieu, owner of Cathy's Video Stores, said.

MDA is a voluntary health agency that seeks treatment and cures for 40 neuromuscular diseases through worldwide research, and maintains comprehensive patient care and public health education programs to benefit those stricken by these diseases and the community at large.

Glover Completes Course

Airman Donald T. Glover, son of Helen J. and Donald F. Glover of Mooresville, route 6, has completed the U.S. Air Force security police specialist course at Lackland Air Force Base in Texas.

He studied systems security operations, tactics and weapons training and earned credits toward an associate degree in applied science through the Community College of the Air Force.

Glover is a 1983 graduate of South Iredell High School, located on Old Mountain Road near Barium Springs.

Air Force Promotion For Kerns

Mitchell T. Kerns, son of Mr. and Mrs. Bert A. Kerns Jr. of Davidson, route 2, has been promoted in the U.S. Air Force to the rank of master sergeant.

Kerns is a furnishing management section supervisor at Patrick Air Force Base in Florida, where he is assigned to the 6550th Air Base Group.

His wife, Frances, is the daughter of Sarah F. Jones of 921 Oliver St., Valdosta, Ga.

The sergeant is a 1970 graduate of North Mecklenburg High School near Huntersville.

Area Museum Stays Busy

During the month of June, visitors from all 50 states and 34 countries have visited Charlotte's Discovery Place. In addition to the science museum's permanent exhibits, many visitors came to see a special travelling exhibit of animated dinosaurs.

Since its June 13th opening, "Return of the Dinosaurs" has helped attract more than 42,000 visitors to Discovery Place from as far away as Russia, Hong Kong, New Zealand, and Africa.

The dinosaur exhibit includes life-like, moving replicas of a 12-foot-long Stegosaurus; three-horned Triceratops; man-eating Tyrannosaurus Rex; 35-foot-long Apatosaurus; the Pachycephalosaurus; and the lizard-like Dimetrodon. They range from one-half to life-size and are controlled by a computer operated pneumatic system that allows them to roar, growl, kick and move their heads, tails and eyes.

"Return of the Dinosaurs," sponsored by the Guild of Science Museums, will be on display at Discovery Place through Aug. 31. The museum offers free parking. For more information, contact (704) 372-6261.

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Achievement is the best word to describe the Mooresville schools during the past twenty-four months. As school administrators and staff strive for an unduplicated climate of excellence in education the following may be noted:

MOORESVILLE SCHOOLS

Mooresville Graded School District
Central Office, 383 N. Main St. —
664-3353 ——— Superintendent: Sam Houston

Mooresville Senior High School
850 East Center Avenue
664-3545 ——— Principal: Roger Hyatt

Mooresville Junior High School
160 South Magnolia Street
663-3841 ——— Principal: Brady Guin

Park View Elementary School
217 West McNeely Avenue
664-3343 ——— Principal: Becky Wilson

South Elementary School
829 South Magnolia Street
664-5671 ——— Principal: Dr. Ruth Ann Palmer

Woods Elementary School
574 West McLelland Avenue
663-2274 ——— Principal: C. C. Bankhead

Continuing the quest for excellence... NATIONAL PROMINENCE

- Park View Elementary was recognized in 1986 as a National Exemplary Elementary School in the initial year of the recognition program sponsored by the U.S. Department of Education.
- Mooresville Junior High School was selected in 1987 as a National Exemplary Secondary School sponsored by the U.S. Department of Education.
- The Annual Report, a yearly report on the status of the Mooresville schools, received honorable mention recognition by the National School Public Relations Association in 1986-87 in its National Competition.
- The NSPRA awarded the 1987 Annual Report a Golden Anvil Award of Excellence.
- Mooresville Junior High School received an EXCELLENT rating. Of 1299 entries in the nationwide contest, 401 Awards of Excellence were presented. The Mooresville Annual Report will be on display in San Antonio, Texas at the National School Public Relations Conference. This is good publicity for all of Mooresville and Iredell.
- Federal funding in the amount of $30,661.00 for exceptional children's programs, Chapter I reading program, Extended School Day start-up program and vocational education was gained through competitive grants or requests for funding proposals.
- Mooresville schools were selected in 1987 as Apple Computer demonstration sites for the Development of To be one of 22 national pilot classrooms for disadvantaged students. Apple Award Facts and Figures: 700 concept papers were submitted in January nationwide. 109 were accepted to forward papers for final proposal. Twenty-two were accepted of the 700 which began in January. That relates to 3% accepted and 97% rejected. The value of the award is approximately $33,000.00.

. . . 1986-1987 A Great Year! STATE PROMINENCE

- A school administrator was selected as recipient of the Excellence in Educational Administration Award sponsored by the North Carolina Association of School Administrators.
- The Community Schools Principal of the Year Award was won by a Mooresville educator.
- Mooresville Junior High was regional winner in the NC School Beautification Contest.
- Mooresville schools were one of six school systems in the state to receive an award at the NC Dropout Prevention Conference in 1986 for the low dropout rate.
- This award was presented by the Governor.
- Seniors from the high school have been regional and state winners in a multitude of scholarships and competitions.
- An elementary teacher was selected to participate in the NC Advancement of Teaching.
- The varsity boys basketball team won the Southern District VII Conference.
- Mooresville finished second in Wachovia Cup competition for overall excellence in athletics.
- Achievement on standardized tests were above state and national scores in virtually all areas tested.
- An elementary teacher was selected as the Teacher Recruiter for Region VII.

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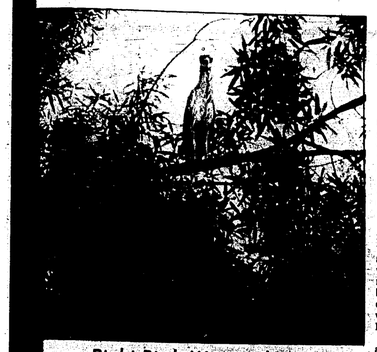
In support of learning . . . LOCAL PROMINENCE

- New families and businesses list the Mooresville schools as one of the major reasons for locating in Mooresville.
- Community groups and civic organizations continue to recognize and support achievements of students and staff through recognitions such as: First Union Principal and Elementary Teacher of the Year, Mooresville Jaycees Outstanding Young Educator, Junior Civitan of the Month, Business and Professional Women Girl of the Month, Junior Rotarian, etc.
- Thousands of dollars were given in the form of scholarships to the graduating class.

The Mooresville Board of Education, administrators and staff pledge unrelenting dedication to the Mooresville community to hold high expectations for themselves and the students taught so achievement will be a continuous process.

WE CELEBRATE WITH MOORESVILLE THE 200TH BIRTHDAY OF OUR CONSTITUTION!



Right Bird, Wrong Place?

verybody and everything has to be somewhere all the time, ut why was this strange-looking bird in the top of a water oak 229 Troutman Ave. Friday? Jason Atwell, who's 11 and who ves there, spotted the unusual visitor around 8 a.m. It remained perched, occasionally looking around, until it flew way—haltingly—around 8 p.m. Young Atwell watched his est all day, and he tried, without success, to identify it. He cided it is "some kind of water fowl." It had difficulty fly; g, he said, so he feels it still is in the neighborhood.

ENERGY

By Harriette B. Skaggs
Duke Power Consumer Products Specialist

lectrical power is a wonderful duct. It allows us to live in luxury rounded by appliances that keep comfortable, appliances that do work for us and appliances that rtain us. Yet, like any other duct, the more we use, the more sts. And for some people living a tight budget, it becomes a lem when one doesn't also get the use of electricity.

untless numbers of individuals g in rental housing often fear there is virtually nothing that be done to keep energy expenses Perhaps the reason for this f is that some feel that the ion of insulation, storm win- and storm doors are the only ns of managing energy waste.

ot so. It is true that insulation, ith windows and doors will make significant difference in the mount of energy consumed by eating and cooling. However, water ating, refrigeration, cooking, hing, drying clothes and the use ther major applicances are also significant portions of the power bill. And the way you use these appliances affects just how much it cost to operate them each month.

How often do you open and close the refrigerator door? Do you wash your clothes in hot water? Do you prepare only one dish at a time in your oven? Do you dress warmly in winter and cool in the summer? These and other questions could help you evaluate why "the way you use your appliances may often get you into hot water over your power bills."

Duke Power Company has a leaflet called "A Check on Energy Savings for the Renter." It lists many helpful hints on how to use energy efficiently in three major categories of usage: heating and cooling, water heating and appliances.

Here are a few hints for apartment dwellers:

Maintain you heating theromostat at 68 to 70 degrees.

Maintain your cooling thermostat at 78 to 80 degrees.

Clean or replace furnace filters once a month.

Take short showers — they use less hot water than tub baths.

Use cold water in the garbage disposal.

Use flat-bottom pots and pans on the range surface units.

Cook out of doors during warm weather to reduce heat produced from cooking indoors.

Wear clothing appropriate for weather conditions. Lightweight clothes in summer and layers of garments in the winter help reduce the temptation to raise or lower heating and cooling thermostats.

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Public Service Co. Reports Earnings

Public Service Company of North Carolina, Inc., a natural gas utility, has reported that operating revenues for the 12 months ended June 30, 1987, were $222,312,000 compared to $219,263,000 for the same period in 1986.

Net income for the 12 months ended June 30, 1987, was $12,301,000 compared to $7,912,000 for the same period last year. Earnings per average common share, based on 7,817,000 average common shares outstanding, were $1.53, and 53 percent increase from $1 for the same period last year, adjusted for the 100 percent stock dividend paid April 27, 1987. This reflects a four percent increase in the average number of common shares outstanding over the adjusted average number for the same period a year ago, due mainly to the sale of 1,150,000 shares of common stock in June 1987.

For the second quarter ended June 30, 1987, operating revenues were $44,210,000 down three percent compared to $45,381,000 for the same period in 1986. This decrease in operating revenues was offset primarily by a 10 percent decrease in the cost of purchased gas, which contribute to a decline in total operating expenses from $42,525,000 in 1986 to $40,762,000 in 1987. This resulted in operating income for the quarter ended June 30, 1987, of $3,448,000 up 21 percent compared to $2,853,000 for the same period a year ago. Net income rose to $1,414,000 compared to $496,000 for the same period last year. Earnings per average common share were 17 cents as compared to 5 cents for the same period last year, adjusted for the 100 percent stock dividend paid April 27, 1987.

The improved operating results were primarily attributable to increased natural gas sales due mainly to the company's increasing residential and commercial customer base and cooler weather conditions. Residential quantities sold increased 25 percent while commercial quantities sold increased 15 percent over the second quarter a year ago.

UNCC Offers Ext. Classes

The University of North Carolina at Charlotte will offer a number of graduate education extension courses at numerous sites in the university's service area during the 1987-88 academic year.

Courses to be offered in Statesville, Gastonia, Shelby, Salisbury, Troy, Mt. Gilead and Monroe should be of interest to teachers seeking certification renewal or hours toward an advanced degree.

The UNC Charlotte Office of Continuing Education and Extension has prepared a bulletin providing locations for, and descriptions, of these course offerings, along with registration information. UNC Charlotte's fall semester begins Aug. 26.

To receive the bulletin, call Ken Burrows, Betty Walter or Lou Hunley at 704/547-4446 from 8 a.m.-5 p.m. weekdays or write Office of Extension, UNC Charlotte, Charlotte, N.C. 28223.

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The week will begin with a cookout at 6:30 p.m. on Sunday. Following an opening assembly at 7 p.m., the various classes will meet for recreation and study from 7:10 p.m until 9 p.m.

"Jesus Teaches Us" is the theme for several children's classes varying from nursery through the sixth grade. The high school class will deal with the topic of decision making. The adult class will be led by the Rev. Charles Summers, chaplain at Davidson College. He will present "A Look At The Psalms."

The adults will also participate in a period of recreation, ranging from the making of Chrismons to horse shoes and volleyball.

Closing cermonies on Wednesday evening will include an ice cream social at 8:45 o'clock.

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