



ASHLIE PENCE

7-Year-Old To Compete

Seven-year-old Ashlie Lynn Pence, daughter of Greg and JoAnn Pence of 249 East Catawba Avenue, Mooresville, has been selected as a finalist in the 1991 Miss North Carolina National Pre-Teen/Petite eleventh annual pageant to be held at the Holiday Inn, Raleigh-Durham Airport from July 19-21. This is the official state pageant for the Miss National Pre-Teen/Petite pageant to be held in Florida this November. This pageant is the only pre-teen/petite pageant affiliated with the Miss National Teen-Ager Scholarship pageant now in its 20th year.

The winner will receive a savings bond, crown, sash and her transportation and full sponsorship to the national pageant to compete with other state winners for the title of Miss National Pre-Teen/Petite 1992.

Contestants will be judged on academics/achievements, interview, poise/appearance and personality. There is also an optional talent and sportswear division. Miss National Pre-Teen has teamed up with "Just Say No" against drugs and works very hard to promote this worthwhile program with "Just Say No" awards on both state and national levels.

Ashlie's hobbies include drawing, swimming and cheerleading.

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Births

Donnelly and Tina Sherrill of Cornelius announce the birth of their daughter, Carol Anne Ruth Sherrill, on June 4, at Presbyterian Hospital, Charlotte. Carol Anne weighed 8 pounds and 6 ounces and she joins a big sister, Christina, 7 years old. Grandparents are Donnelly and Phyllis Sherrill of Cornelius and Vernon and Marie McCord of Mt. Holly.

Melvin Danyels and Mary Beckam of Mooresville and Calvin Beckam of Sherrill's Ford. Kathy Perkins and Shay Kaufman of Mooresville announce the birth of their daughter Whitney Shay Kaufman on June 9, at Lake Norman Regional Medical Center. Whitney Shay weighed 7 pounds and 5 ounces.

Christie and David Danyels announce the birth of their daughter, Chelsea Elise, at Davis Community Hospital, Statesville on April 28. Chelsea Elise weighed 5 pounds and 6 ounces. Grandparents are Mr. and Mrs.



MICHELLE MAYHEW
Honor Graduate

Nursing School Graduate Has Area Relatives

Miss Michelle Leigh Mayhew graduated with honors from the Mary Hospital School of Nursing in Charlotte on Friday afternoon. The graduation exercises were held at St. John Neumann Catholic Church.

Mayhew was the recipient of the Outstanding Student Award given by the Board of Directors to the student who demonstrated high scholastic ability, dedication to professional and community service and outstanding performance in all phases of nursing.

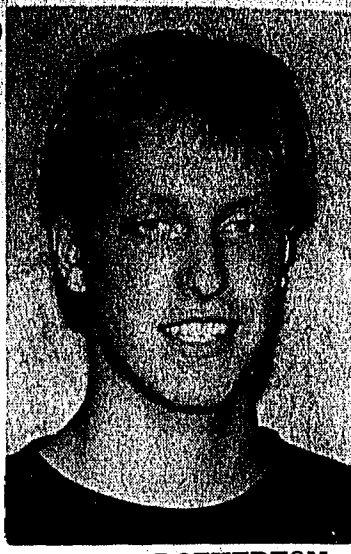
She is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Ken P. Mayhew of Macon, GA and the granddaughter of Mrs. Rachel Mayhew of Mooresville and Mr. and Mrs. Ernest L. Giladette of Davidson.

Brotherton Awarded Scholarship

Joel Crispin Brotherton, a 1991 graduate of East Lincoln High School, was recipient of the school's Student Council Scholarship, which was presented at the Awards Day Program last Friday. This scholarship is given annually to a member of the senior class who exhibits characteristics of strong leadership, maintains a high scholastic average, gives unselfishly of his time to service projects and exhibits loyalty to both the Student Council and the school. Paul Houser, school counselor, indicated that Joel has always been willing to undertake any assignment given him and has carried out his responsibilities in an exemplary manner. He has earned the respect and admiration of students and teachers alike.

Brotherton has been a member of the track team, Beta and French Clubs and the Student Council. He also participated in the North Carolina Academic Scholars program. To become a North Carolina Academic Scholar, a student must complete a challenging course of academic study and maintain an overall four-year grade average of B.

Brotherton has been accepted at the University of North Carolina at Charlotte and will begin his studies this fall.



JOEL BROTHERTON
East Lincoln Graduate

Byers-Cruz Marriage Announced

Mildred Ivette Cruz, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Gervacio Cruz Jr. of New London, CT and Aldrick Harrison Byers, son of Mr. and Mrs. Joseph "Joe" Byers of Mooresville, are pleased to announce their marriage to family and friends.

The couple were married in Charlotte on Friday, June 7, at 5:00 p.m.

The newlyweds will make their home in Mooresville.

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Cubs Overcome Initial Shock To Take Third Place In Softball NIT

Upon arriving in Lexington, S.C. last week for participation in their inaugural 18-and-under USSSA National Invitational softball tournament, Mooresville's Cubs were stunned.

"The first thing that hit me," recalled Earl Lewis, one of the local team's three coaches, "was what in the world had we gotten ourselves into. We really didn't know what kind of competition we would be up against. Once we found out, we were shocked."

But the Cubs, a team without an 18-year-old on its roster and making its first appearance in a nation-wide event, shook that awe aside long enough to fashion a

third-place finish in the competitive eight-team, double-elimination field.

"For us to finish third in our first event," beamed Lewis, "that's something. And considering the kind of experienced teams that we played, we did ourselves proud."

The Cubs did so by advancing to the second round of the winner's bracket before suffering their first defeat and then motoring through three rounds of do-or-die play in the loser's bracket before finally being ousted by the tournament's eventual champions.

"Before the tournament started," noted Lewis, who joined cohorts Gary Newton and Ron Moss in calling the team's shots from the dugout, "nobody had ever heard of us. Before it was over, we gained ourselves and our players some national attention. That speaks highly of these girls in their first taste of national competition."

The Mooresville Cubs, consisting of players from the Mooresville and South Iredell areas, overcame their initial shock long enough to secure themselves in a victory in their tournament debut, racking up a 14-4 decision over the Georgia Royals.

The Cubs tallied eight runs in their first two games to get their act off on the right foot.

Mendi Newton pegged four base hits, while Jennifer Hobbs added three. Tanya Stewart, Donna Lewis and Sheri Sullivan all added three safeties each.

That pitted the Cubs opposite the Jacksonville Astros, one of the most successful teams in NIT play and a former World Champion in the 18-and-under division, in the second round. A 13-3 defeat there sent the Mooresville crew

into the loser's bracket.

There, the Cubs kept their tournament hopes alive with a 30-6 routing of the Cayce Rockets in their opening loser's bracket game.

The Cubs set the stage with a 16-run first inning and never looked back in fashioned the blowout.

Newton joined Laura Moss in clubbed four hits each, while Lewis, Stewart, Hobbs, Latisha McLaughlin, Erin Broome, a converted outfielder who keyed the team's infield defense at shortstop, and Garry Speaks all bashed three hits apiece.

That triumph pushed the Cubs into the loser's bracket semifinal round against the Georgia Royals again.

As the results were the same, as Mooresville sent the Georgia Royals packing with a 20-7 defeat, Stewart and Angie Hill topped the winners with five hits apiece, while Lewis and Rochelle Gaston each uncorked four safeties each.

Advancing into the loser's bracket finals, Mooresville matched up against the Jacksonville Astros once again.

The Astros again emerged as winners, this time by a 15-4 score, to end the Cubs' run.

The loss in the loser's bracket final made the Mooresville entry the event's third-place finishers, which was awarded with a team trophy.

The Jacksonville squad then bested winners' bracket champion, the Northern Kentucky Thunder, in two games to win the NIT title.

The Cubs filled their busy weekend by playing four games on Saturday and the fifth on Sunday in making their initial national tournament appearance a success.

The activity paid off in more than just team recognition, as Newton represented the Cubs as an all-tournament player.

The team, seeking sponsorship, engaged its members in numerous fundraisers to help cover the cost of participating.

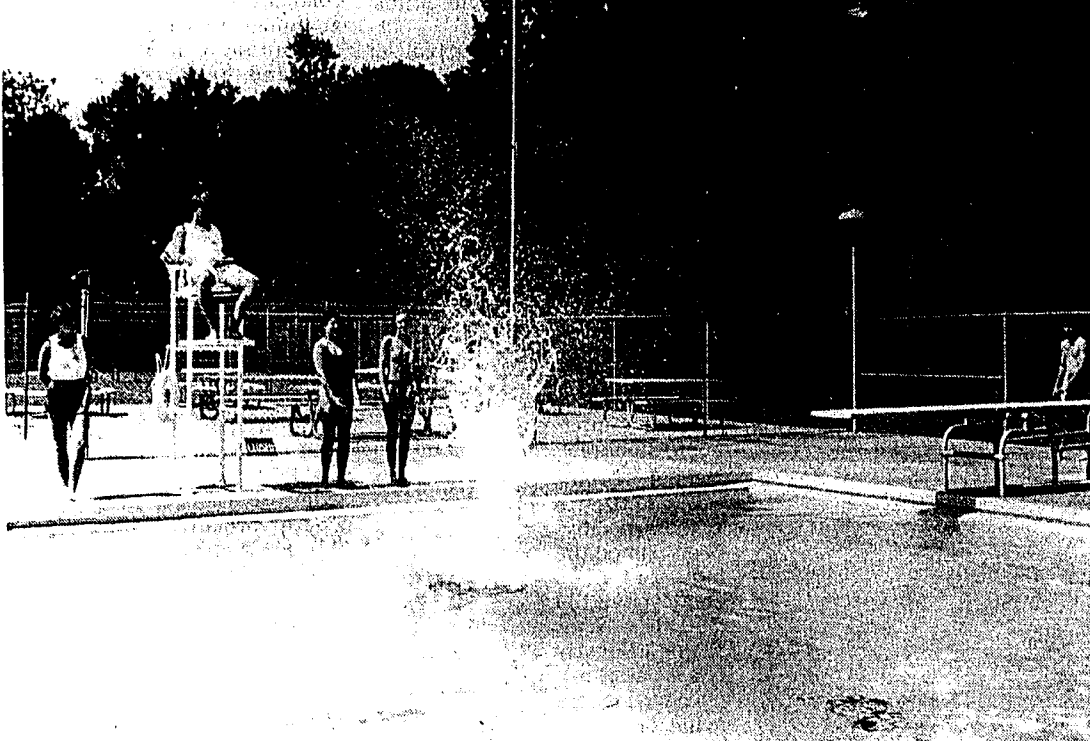
As a result of its third place finish, the Cubs received an automatic berth in the World Championship Tournament, set to take place in Kansas City later this summer.

The tournament in Lexington kicked off a hectic consecutive eight-week schedule for the Cubs.

This week, the team travels closer to home when attending a World Youth USSA Tournament at West Mecklenburg High School in Charlotte.

The following weekend, the Cubs return to NIT play when engaging in a multi-team affair in Kannapolis.

The team is receptive of donations to help cover the cost of playing in the various tournaments.



Swimming season officially splashed down in Mooresville Saturday with the opening of the War Memorial public pool. The pool began regular operating hours Saturday and will continue to do so through late August. From now until then, the pool will be open from 1-5 p.m. through the week, and from 1:30-5 on Sundays. Plans are also in the works to begin swimming hours on Saturdays as early as 10 a.m. Six American Red Cross-certified lifeguards will be on duty during all public swimming hours, according to Ben Phillips, the pool manager. Admission fee this season is \$1 for swimmers 12 years of age and under, and \$2 for all others. There is also a kiddie pool available free of charge. In addition to public swimming, the pool will also be available again this season for private parties, at a cost of \$40 for two hours, plus lifeguard fee. Swimming lessons, certified through the American Red Cross, are also being offered through the Mooresville Recreation Department.

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Simpson Community News

By MRS. HAL DEATON

—Miss Mary Houston and Mrs. Zoie Deaton attended the funeral service Saturday afternoon at Bunch-Johnson Funeral Home for Marie Houston Tepepugh, Marie lived in this community for a number of years.

—The UMW of this Wesley Chapel met June 6 at the Educational Building.

Mrs. Thelma Holt, vice president, opened the meeting. The program was "When We Have Need of Healing." The secretary, Mrs. Lois Clodfelter, gave her report.

There were six members present. The hostesses, Mrs. Virginia Overcash and Mrs. Margaret Westmoreland, served punch, cake, ice cream and soft drinks.

—Russell Sherrill is a patient at Davis Community Hospital.

C.R. Hunnicutt entered Lake Norman Regional Medical Center last Thursday and returned home Sunday.

—Miss Beth Arthurs left Saturday to accept work this summer with the Greenville News. She will be living at Clemson, S.C. and will be a senior at Clemson University this fall.

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