

### Eagle Project Benefits Mooresville Resident

An Eagle Scout project is a Boy Scout's opportunity to serve his community. It's a chance for the scout to prove he is worthy of the organization's highest honor, and the chance for him to help a community or one of its residents. Boy Scout Rob Kemper has accepted that challenge. Kemper, a member of Boy Scout Troop 157, is using construction talents to earn the Eagle Scout award. His Eagle project is the construction of a 27-foot access ramp at the Boger Street home of Bobby Smith. Kemper has outlined the work and acquired the permits for the ramp and decking. He has worked on the project for several weeks with help from members of his Troop and others interested in lending a hand. The helpers have included Troop 157 members Sam Cohen, Richard Swartz, Aaron Henson, Daron Henson, Jamie Mainered, Craig Kalista, Scoutmaster Joey Kalista, Billy Mabrey, Dennis Essleman, Rodney Bishop, Reid Carlson and others. In addition, two missionaries from the Church of Jesus Christ of Latter-Day Saints, Lester Staley and Kevin Peel, has also pitched in.



### Vanhoy Businessperson Of Quarter

Brenda Vanhoy, who owns Mooresville's Lake Country Gallery and Frame Shop, was named the top small businessperson of the March-June financial quarter by the Mooresville/South Iredell Chamber of Commerce. Vanhoy received the award in honor of her business, which recently opened in a second location in the Mooresville Festival shopping center on N.C. 150. The Lake Country Gallery and Frame Shop provides custom framing, prints and limited edition to individuals and businesses. Jane Carrigan, chamber president, left, presented the award to Vanhoy.

### McGuire To Conduct June 21 Emergency Response Test

Residents of the McGuire Nuclear Station's 50-mile Ingestion Pathway, which includes Alexander, Anson, Burke, Cabarrus, Caldwell, Catawba, Cleveland, Davidson, Davie, Forsyth, Gaston, Iredell, Lincoln, Mecklenburg, McDowell, Montgomery, Rutherford, Rowan, Stanly, Union, Wilkes and Yadkin Counties, are invited to observe the state, county and Duke Power officials critique the station's June 19-20 emergency response exercise at 2:30 p.m. June 21.

The critique will take place in the auditorium of the Catawba County Government Center, located on U.S. Highway 321 in Newton. The exercise will test the comprehensive emergency response plans which have been developed to protect the public in the unlikely event of an accident at the McGuire Station.

These plans may be reviewed and inspected by the public during regular business hours at public libraries and the Iredell

County Emergency Management Agency, Agriculture Building, corner of Tradd Street and Water Street, Statesville.

### Sigmon Named UMC District Superintendent

Dr. Tom Sigmon is one of three new district superintendents within the Western North Carolina United Methodist Conference.

Sigmon, 52, was pastor of Williamson Chapel United Methodist Church from 1964 until 1967, and he is a former pastor of the Wesley Chapel-Shiloh UMC charge. He also did pastoral work at Mount Zion UMC in Cornelius while he was in seminary. Most recently, he was senior minister of Sharon UMC in Charlotte.

His appointment as superintendent of the Gastonia District was effective June 9. He was named to the post by Bishop Bevel Jones.

## Trust Fund Committee Will Meet June 19

The Lowrance Hospital Trust Fund Committee will meet again June 19 to continue its study of the phase-two recommendation it will make to Iredell County commissioners.

On June 5, the committee heard detailed proposals from supporters of two projects that would require major allocations from the trust established by the sale of county-owned Lowrance Hospital to private interests. This meeting in the municipal courtroom was attended by about 150 persons, nearly all supporting Group 2.

Group 2 is a multi-purpose building that would become a part of Mooresville's public recreation facilities. It would contain specific accommodations for elderly, as well as other services.

Group 3 is a health education center championed by Mooresville schools, Mitchell Community College and Lake Norman Regional Medical Center, a private hospital that formerly was Lowrance Hospital.

Spokesmen for both projects addressed the committee.

Jimmie Houston chairs the five-member trust fund committee. He said this week the committee may ask Group 2 and Group 3 representatives to return next week for additional questions.

Both groups are asking for the bulk of funds remaining in the trust that began at \$3.6 million in 1986 and grew to \$4.7 million by the end of the five-year moratorium imposed on spending. However, \$2 million was loaned and an additional \$800,000 promised to the South Iredell Community Development Corporation for use in developing Mooresville Business Park.

Of the remainder, \$1 million was allocated this spring to Group 1, six separate projects. This means less than \$1 million currently is available, pending SICDC paying off its loan, which it is required to do — with interest — within the next three years.

Group 2 and Group 3 are asking for more than is available now.



"Dad, My First Party Was Fun ... And Just Think. Your Big Day Is Sunday And I Love You"

Kramer Lowe celebrated his first birthday with a "Puppy Dog" party theme at his home on Sunday, May 5. Kramer shared his party with 40 family and friends. Balloons and banners added to the party theme. Birthday cake and ice cream were enjoyed.

Party gifts were given to his special guests, Alicia and Jessica Jurney, David Wilson, Seth Rhyne, Erin Rummage, Kimberly Wilson and Trey Jones.

Kramer turned one year old on May 6. He is the son of Robbie and Jill Lowe and his grandparents are Don Parker and the late Sondra Parker and Bobby and Lib Lowe. Great-grandparents are Hugh and Dee Sherrill, Fred and Blanche Parker, Tom and Blanche Morrow, Bonnie Lowe and Rena Nantz.

### Atlas

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for the site in the 500-acre Mooresville Business Park, which currently has only one industrial tenant, Matsushita Compressor Corporation of America.

"The decision to come to Mooresville is the result of a two-year study and the desire to move in specialized higher-value products and to diversify geographically," Winston Ling, a Petropar director, said.

State industrial recruiters said the Mooresville site offered everything Petropar was looking for.

"Easy access to Interstate 77 and close proximity to the international airport in Charlotte played a significant role in landing the facility," Don Moss, a development representative of the N.C. Department of Economic and Community Development who helped Petropar find the right location, said.

He said other factors included the availability of a quality, training workforce, industrial training through the state's community college system, an outstanding quality of life and cooperation of local leaders.

Part of that cooperation was an agreement by the town to give Petropar permission to connect to town utilities while granting the company a five-year exemption from annexation.

The Iredell County Board of Commissioners are also taking action to serve the company. Last week, the commissioners agreed to fund 70 percent of the utilities expansion work needed to service Atlas' property in the business park.

The county will provide \$120,000 of the estimated \$170,000 it will cost to connect the property, and other undeveloped industrial park sites, to Mooresville's utilities system.

Mooresville will fund the remainder of the cost under the "70-30" financing plan. The agreement includes a payback schedule the town must follow if the property is annexed within 10 years.

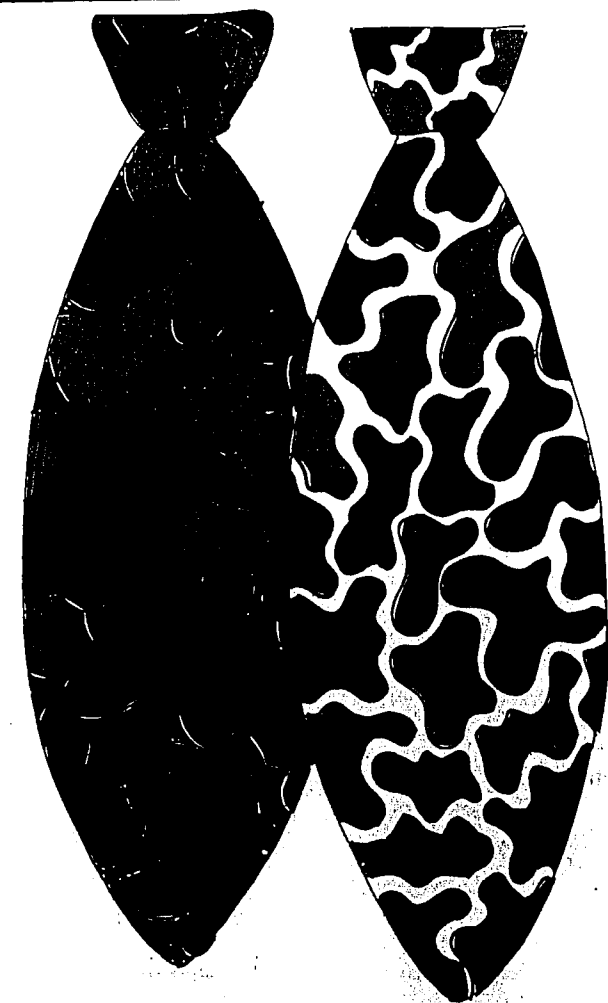
### Driver's

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if we are doing good things for the students, we need an extra dose to combat all the non-educational things that take time during the school day," Houston said.

The school board approved continued study of an extended school day, but took no further action.

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