



Woods team, from left, Myers, Cameron, McFarland, Crnich and Hyatt



Brawley team, standing from left, Whitten, Brody, Hicks, Perry, Gold; in front, from left, Hagler, Underwood, McLaughlin, Hancock

Odyssey Teams Quality For World Journey

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a structure out of one-eighth inch thick balsa wood. The structure was then tested to determine how much weight it would support.

While the weight was on the structure, it was impacted by a collider, causing the balsa structure to twist and vibrate. But the team's creation, while supporting 422 pounds, did not break.

In the Transformation category, the Brawley team's assignment was to create and present a performance that shows a series of real or imaginary changes. The Brawley team took the imaginary approach and ran with it.

The team's presentation shows the fictional evolution of a

marshmallow from ingredients to a "centerfold" smore. The skit features three changes and creative characters like Sweet Sugar and one of our Miss Playmarsh of the Year.

The Brawley team and another Transformation II two finished at the top within a half point of each other and both teams were selected to represent the state in the world competition.

While the teams earned the right to advance, they were not the only local OM's receiving recognition.

A Transformation I team from Brawley placed second at the state level. The team members were Melissa Moser, Heather Morris, Stephanie Stutts, Kath-

leen McAlpine, Anna Brody and Sherry Kerr. Joann Moser is the team's coach and Stephanie Tilley and Dana Morris are assistance coaches.

Also, a Transformation I team from Woods placed third. The team members were Michelle Guissinger, Laura Hart, Elizabeth Byers, Zac Hille and Ryan Griffiths.

Griffiths also received a coveted "Ranatra Fusca Creativity Award" for his performance. The award is presented to teams or individuals who capture the overall spirit of Odyssey of the Mind by displaying outstanding creativity.

The Super Collider II team from Brawley was also the recipient of a Ranatra Fusca Award.

Four Students Selected For Governor's School

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with various academic awards at Senior High and is a member of the Youth Life and Beta clubs and is active in the Fellowship of Christian Athletes.

She took part in the Science Olympiad and has competed on the national level as a member of the Mooresville Senior High cheerleading squad.

Williams, the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Jerry Williams of Mooresville, will attend Governor's School East for concentrated work in instrumental music.

Williams is a member of the Girls Athletic Association, Leo Club, Students Against Drunk Driving, the Environmental Club, Students Opposed to Drugs and Alcohol, Young Life Campaigners and Future Business Leaders of America at South Iredell.

She is a student council representative and a nominee for the James B. Hunt Citizen Award.

She is a member of the varsity basketball, softball and volleyball teams at South and a member of the Viking Band. For her music ability, she was selected for second and third chair in All-District and All-State bands and received the "Viking Rookie" award in 1990. She will also take part in the Summer Ventures program and is currently a finalist for the North Carolina School of Science and Mathematics.

Williams is president of her United Methodist Youth Fellowship at Williamson's Chapel and

is secretary for her Girl Scout Troop.

Ketchie, the son of Mr. and Mrs. Roger Ketchie of the Shepherd community, will attend Governor's School West and will focus on the study of natural sciences.

Ketchie is a member of the Beta Club, Close-Up, Students Against Drunk Driving, Future Teachers of America, French Club, Environmental Club and the Monogram Club at South.

He is an Erskine Fellow and a James B. Hunt Citizen Award nominee.

He is currently a member of the varsity baseball team and was also on the varsity wrestling, cross-country and track teams.

Ketchie is senior patrol leader of his Boy Scout Troop and is president of the United Methodist Youth Fellowship at Vanderburg United Methodist Church.

Coddle Creek News Items

By MRS. L. M. KARRIKER

—The officers' retreat will be held Saturday at 8:30 a.m.

—At a meeting of the Session, Dee Anne Parker was received into the membership of Coddle Creek Associate Reformed Presbyterian Church. She came by re-affirmation of faith having been a member of the Back Creek Presbyterian Church, Mount Ulla. Welcome, Dee Anne!

—Our Known Sick: Elma Jarvis, Mary Patterson, Peggy Myers, Inez Kistler, Rufus Brooks, Eva Craven, Louise Long, Barney Patterson, Maude Blackwelder.

—Sarah Karriker visited Sunday afternoon with Mr. and Mrs. Henry Corriker of Mooresville.

—April 15-20 is Lend-A-Hand Week at Bonclarken any Volunteers?

—Dr. William Hunt and children, Maryanna, Douglas and Sarah Beth, of Mattapoisett, Mass., were weekend guests of Dr. Hunt's brother, the Rev. James Hunt, Mrs. Hunt and family.

—The Linwood Home Extension met Thursday, April 11, at the home of Mrs. Beula Potts on Cedar Street in Mooresville, with Mrs. Nina Cole as co-hostess. Mrs. Lucille M. Carter, and Iredell County Home Extension agent, gave an interesting program. Eighteen members were present.

News Briefs Of Shepherd

By MRS. HELEN R. KETCHIE

—Congratulations and best wishes to Bradley and Phyllis Belk as they celebrate their wedding anniversary on April 21.

—Happy birthday and best wishes to Jennifer Meadows on April 18, Ruth Etchison on April 20, Judy Neill on April 21, Lois Benfield and Jennifer Wooten on April 22.

—We will have a softball team playing in the Troutman Area Church Softball League. The schedule of games will be out soon.

—The United Methodist Men will sponsor a Spring Golf Tournament on May 18 at the Mooresville Golf Course. There will be a Captain's Choice with A, B, C, and D players. Everyone is invited. Cost: \$25.00 (cost and green fee). Prizes for 1st, 2nd, and 3rd place teams and closest to pin on two par threes.

—Mr. and Mrs. Bob Davis of Davidson, Mr. and Mrs. Deacon Southgate of New York, and Mooresville and Mrs. Emma Sherrill of this community, spent Thursday in Hillsville, Va., visit-

ing Mr. and Mrs. Steve Sherrill and children, Scott and Julie.

—Super Wednesday Fellowship Meal this Wednesday, April 17, at 6 p.m. The United Methodist Women will serve the meal. The program will be: "The Goofy Girls." Menu: baked ham, green beans, baked beans, potato salad, tossed salad, assorted desserts, rolls, tea and coffee. You're invited!!

—Many thanks to our Chancel Choir for the beautiful anthem "So Send I You" with Shelley Griffin conducting and at the piano.

—A church wide clean-up day is scheduled for Saturday, May 4, beginning at 8 a.m.

—Mrs. Emma Sherrill had as her Sunday dinner guests Mrs. Joyce Hight of Davidson and Mrs. Helen Ketchie.

—Deepest sympathy is extended to the family and loved ones of Mr. Bill Caldwell who died at his home Saturday, May 11, at 8:30 a.m. May God comfort and sustain each of you in your bereavement.

Junior Marshals At South Iredell

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member of Beta Club, Close-Up, French Club, FTA, Environmental Club, SADD, and Monogram Club. He is an Erskine Fellow, a Governor's School nominee and a James B. Hunt Citizen Award nominee. Vincent is on the Varsity Baseball, Wrestling, Cross-Country and Track teams. He is Senior Patrol leader of a Boy Scout Troop and President of UMYF of Vandeburg Methodist Church.

Kothadia is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. James Kothadia of Mooresville. She is presently a member of Leo Club, SADD, Beta Club, Close-Up, French Club, and Debate Team. Neha is a Governor's School nominee, a James B. Hunt Award nominee and recipient of Perfect Attendance award. She is a DARE program volunteer, Peer tutor, Brawley school volunteer, and CROP Walk and March of Dimes volunteer. Neha has received the AAUW Math and Science award, the James Barkley Citizenship award, and she has been selected for Who's Who Among High School Students. She is a winner in the National Wildlife Essay contest, the N.C. Zoo Essay contest, and Showstopper National Talent competition. Neha is also a Summer Ventures participant.

Kress, the daughter of Mrs. Ann Kress of Barium Springs and Mr. Ronald Kress, is a member of Keywanettes, Beta Club, SADD, French Club, FTA, Drama Club, and FBLA. Jodi is Junior Class Treasurer, and has been a member of Student Council for three years.

Long is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Jerry Long of Statesville. He is a member of the Latin Club, FTA, Library Club, Academic Team, Beta Club and SODA. Brittain is an Erskine Fellow, a member of the Math League, and a member of the Governor's School Chorus and selected for Mars Hill Choral Clinic. He has performed in many school musicals and community recitals. Brittain has received many "Superior" and "Excellent" ratings for piano, and has been awarded the Estelle Brady Piano Scholarship and the Joann Alexander Vocal Scholarship. He is also a member of the Iredell County Youth Council.

Mills, the son of Mr. and Mrs. Frank Mills of Mooresville, is a member of Beta Club, Close-Up, Spanish Club, FTA, Monogram Club, SADD, and Environmental Club. He has received several Iredell County Science Fair awards, is a nominee for the Hugh O'Brien Youth Foundation, and is listed in Who's Who Among High School Students. Brian is a member of the Varsity Wrestling, Cross-Country, and Track teams. He is a Senior Patrol Leader in Boy Scouts, Chapter Chief in Order of the Arrow, Assistant Lodge Secretary in Order of the Arrow, and an Eagle Scout. Brian is also on the Administrative Board for Vanderburg United Methodist Church, and on the Council of Ministries Board, as well as Vice President for Youth Fellowship and President of his Sunday School Class.

Neill is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Randy Neill of Mooresville. She is a member of the Leo Club, Close-Up, Spanish Club, FBLA, Junior Civitans, and SADD. Jennifer has also been on the Varsity Basketball and Track teams.

Signon, the daughter of Vera Gallyon and Loy Signon, Jr. of Statesville, is a Varsity Cheerleader and a member of GAA, Spirit Club, Junior Jaycees,

Drama Club, SADD, Beta Club, and Keywanettes. She has attended the Converse College Leadership Conference and the Student Athlete Summer Institute. Anita is a winner in the Lees McCrae Math Competition and a Junior Marshall at the Carolina Carrousel Pageant, as well as a nominee for Governor's School. She is a three year Student Council representative, Captain of the Cheerleading Squad and a Peer Tutor.

Sims is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Michael Sims of Mooresville. She is a member of the Library Club, Beta Club, the Academic Team, Spanish Club, and the newspaper staff.

Wingler, the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Claude Wingler of Mooresville, is a member of Beta Club, the Library Club, Academic Team, French Club, newspaper staff, FBLA, and FTA. She is also a volunteer coach at Brawley School.

Cavin

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member of the Oasis Shrine Temple in Charlotte.

Mr. Cavin was a Navy veteran of World War II, serving aboard the USS Cincinnati.

Survivors include the wife, Mary Frances Holbrooks Cavin, whom he married on Jan. 13, 1944; two sons, William A. Cavin Jr. and Robert W. Cavin II, both of Huntersville; three daughters, Mrs. Mary Nell Coblenz of Mount Ulla, Mrs. Elizabeth Fisher of Huntersville and Mrs. Linda Alden of Stanley; and one brother, Robert W. Cavin of Mooresville. Nine grandchildren also survive.

A funeral for Mr. Cavin will be conducted at 3 p.m. tomorrow (Thursday) at Mount Zion United Methodist Church in Cornelius, with the Rev. Ned Owens and the Rev. Phil Gibbs officiating. Burial will be in the Mount Zion Community Cemetery in Cornelius.

The family will receive friends at the Cavin Funeral Home in Huntersville this (Wednesday) evening from 7 until 8:30 o'clock.

Memorials may be made to the Cemetery Fund of Mount Zion United Methodist Church, or to Hospice of Charlotte.

Trust

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week, Houston said, the committee agreed to ask interests in priority groups two and three to submit more detailed plans on how they would use the funds they have requested.

No. 2 priority is a multi-purpose building containing accommodations for elderly, including an indoor swimming pool, an auditorium, meeting rooms and other facilities.

The third major project is a cooperative health-education center involving local schools, Mitchell Community College and the local hospital.

In late March, county commissioners agreed to free up \$1.9 million of the hospital trust fund. This represents all available monies. The South Iredell Community Development Corporation borrowed \$2 million from the trust, which it must repay with interest within five years, and it has been promised an additional loan of \$800,000.

Habitat

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dividuals are needed to provide the land, time, materials and sweat that each Habitat for Humanity home requires.

The upbeat, spiritual tone for the meeting, held at Roland R. Morgan Auditorium, was established from the start by the choir from Jerusalem Baptist Church. Then Betty Bradley, chairperson of the local affiliate, welcomed the crowd and introduced the officers of the newly-formed organization. After the introductions, a 10-minute video about the Habitat program in Charlotte was shown.

Bradley then called Melissa Cornett to the podium. Cornett lives in a Charlotte home built by that community's Habitat affiliate. Her message, mixed with tears of thankfulness, was that Habitat had given her family something it had been missing, and something it desperately needed — hope.

Then Bob Wilson took over. Wilson is a Lake Norman resident who directs the Jimmy Carter Work Projects, an annual effort in which volunteers from all Habitat affiliates come together to build homes at one designated site. He also works with Americus, Ga.-based Habitat for Humanity International, which builds two houses overseas for each Habitat home built in this country.

In a 40-minute presentation filled with stories about people of all ages who have helped — and been helped by — Habitat projects throughout the world, Wilson kept coming back to one point.

"This is the work of the Lord," he repeated often, stressing the importance of helping those who need help. "Habitat for Humanity is a faith-driven ministry that relies not on words, but on action."

He spoke of a six-year-old girl in San Diego who, before Habitat built her family a home, had lived under a bridge. And he spoke of an elderly woman and her family in Mexico who, when the work was done, walked by with teary eyes and simply said "mucho gracias" to him and others working on the project.

And he spoke of a Habitat volunteer from Italy who said it was hard to leave the house-building project. "It's the children, their eyes can steal your heart," the man told Wilson. "When you see that, it is difficult to know who is more blessed."

He concluded by comparing involvement in the Habitat project with the story of the good samaritan in the Bible.

"What you need to do when deciding if you should take part in this project is take a look at the substandard houses in this community," Wilson said. "Can you pass by? What would Christ have us do?"

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Dreams Are the Stuff Contributions Are Made Of

C.C. Bankhead, principal of Mooresville Junior High, speaks at Mayflower Restaurant during the April 13 banquet of the South Iredell Chapter of the National Association for the Advancement of Colored People. The annual dinner drew more than 200 persons. Bankhead called his address "Daring to Dream." He told his audience that "dreams are the creation of the imagination, but they also are visionary" in that a person must envision his goals in life before he can reach them. The educator emphasized the power of education in attaining those goals. "Education is the key that unlocks doors to opportunities. The opportunities are there, but without education doors to them remain closed."

Lions Club Attic Sale Saturday

The area's largest attic sale will be held April 20 at the stationhouse of the Lake Norman Volunteer Department on Brawley School Road.

The sale, which is being sponsored by the Lake Norman Lions Club, will offer a large selection of items for the club's annual spring fund raiser.

The sale, which will get underway at 8 a.m., will continue in full swing until 4 p.m.

Persons having items they would like to donate, should call 664-5800, 664-6624, or 664-6408 for pickup service or bring them to the fire department's stationhouse Friday evening or early Saturday morning.

The patronage of the public will be greatly appreciated.