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Beacon '93



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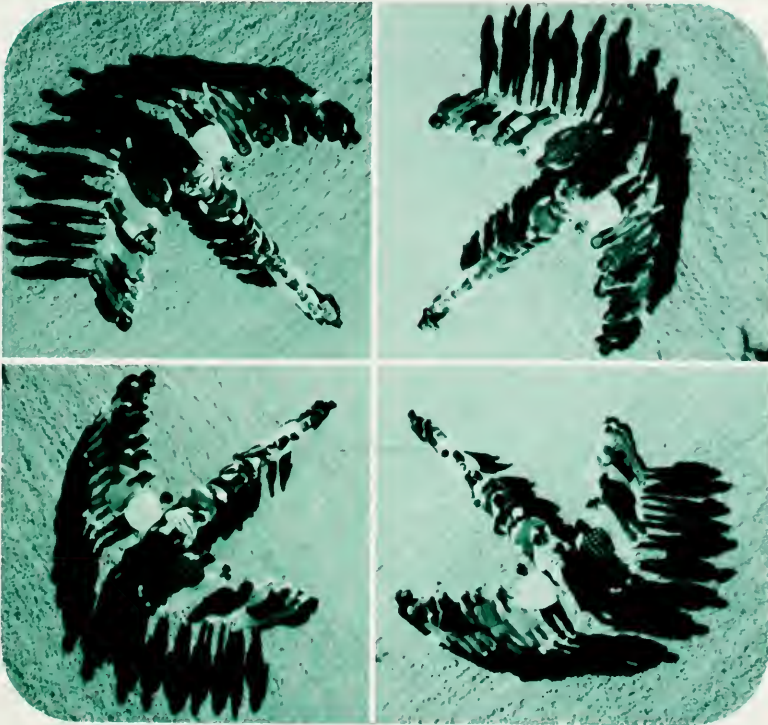
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1992-93 BEACON

College of the Albemarle

Hwy. 17 N. Elizabeth City, NC-27906



Seven Different Counties

College of The Albermarle is represented by seven counties: Camden, Currituck, Dare, Chowan, Pasquotank, Gates, and Perquimmons. Besides the main campus that is located in Pasquotank there is one located in Chowan and another in Dare. Not only do the students come from these seven counties, we also have students that come from out of state. People from all diversities join together at College of The Albermarle to further their education, broaden their horizons, and strengthen their individuality.



Pasquotank County Courthouse



Camden Courthouse



Camden Bridge



The Barker house located in Edenton, NC.



Wright's Mounment at Kitty Hawk



Old Currinuck Jail



Currituck Courthouse

A Day of Confusion: Registration



First Come, First Serve



Squatter's rights



If this is the end where is the beginning?

Did someone say confusion? If so, they were correct because the day of registration was just that. Many students arrived several hours in advance to get at the beginning of the very long line. The doors of the building opened up at 7:00 a.m. but the actual registration didn't start until 8:30, so students already stood in the line for an hour and a half if they arrived on campus on time. COA had a good reason for the long line and the impatient waiting because the school had experienced more than 2000 students for the fall quarter. It is said to be the highest enrollment ever.

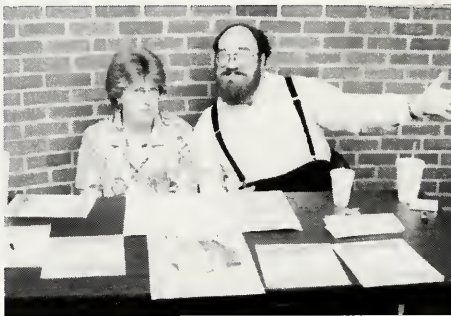
Club Day

COA's club Day is a series of events to recruit new students to join and to participate in a variety of club functions. It is also a time to gather with old faces and encounter new acquaintances. Club day offers activities to individuals that direct them in the path of well-roundness. The clubs that participated includes: PTK, PBL, Biology Club, Student Senate, Beacon staff, Foreign arts and many others,

Throughout the Beacon 92-93, you will notice photos of students who take tremendous pride in these endeavors that go on at this prestigious community college.



Janice Williams, President and Helen Howard, members of the Phi Beta Lambda Club



Smile Barney! Your on Candid Camera!



Hey! Let's get serious. Shelly Long and friend.



Let me sign my life in here! I hope I'll be alright.

Oh! Wow! You know what I mean!



Come on men! Let's get serious here. Sign in. Mr. Stephens of the Student Voice newspaper.



You are really doing a good job. Keep it up! Lynn-Hurdle-Winslow Director of Student Activities with Christina Hall of the Art Club.

"It's All In A State of Mind"

If you think you are beaten you are,
If you think you dare not, you
won't

If you think to win, but don't
think you can

It's almost a cinch you won't

If you think you'll lose you're lost
For out in the world you'll find
Success begins with a fellow's will
"It's all in a state of mind"

For many a game is lost
Ere even a play is run
And many a coward fails
Ere even his work is begun

If you think you think you are out-
classed, you are
You've got to think high to rise
You've got to be sure of yourself
Before you can ever win a prize

Life's battles don't always go
To the stronger or faster man
But sooner or later, the man who
wins
Is the fellow who thinks he can

For out in the world you'll find
Success begins with a fellow's will
"It's all in a state of mind"

May success and fulfillment of life
be yours. Thank you
for teaching and showing us how to
become champions and
believers that "It's all in a state of
mind."

(Author Unknown)



President of COA 1975-1992



Dr. Chesson with his wife, Wynda Lynne and his two beautiful daughters, Daphne a Pharmacist, and Melanie, a Pre-Medical student at the University of North Carolina in Chapel Hill.



Dr. Chesson in 1964 as an assistant Biology Professor at COA.



Known to be a busy man, Dr. Chesson did stop on occasion for a quick bite.



Ribbon cutting ceremony dedicating the Small Business Center.



Dr. Chesson at his farewell ceremony held in the lobby of the Small Business Center.

Proudly we dedicate this section in honor of our remarkable Dr. Chesson. To be a winner, little effort is required and anyone who tries can be successful.

Dr. J. Parker Chesson was born on August 19, 1941 in Hertford, NC. He is married to the former Wynda Lyne Chappell and they have two daughters, Daphne and Melanie Chesson. They attended Corinth Baptist Church, where he served as an Ordained Deacon and a Sunday School teacher.

Dr. Chesson is a graduate of Perquimans County High School, North Carolina State University.

Professionally, he was a graduate teaching assistant at East Carolina State University, Duke Marine Laboratory and East Carolina University,

assistant Professor of Biology for College of The Albemarle, and a graduate teaching assistant for North Carolina State University. He has served as President for the College of The Albemarle since 1975. Dr. Chesson has been recognized for his outstanding dedication to community service at local and state-levels.

He'll also be sorely missed by the faculty and staff Baseball team.

The staff and students at COA would like to thank you and wish you the best in the new endeavors that you have chosen. May these endeavors always be successful to you . . .



Dr. Chesson, President of College of The Albemarle along with Robert W. Scott and Robert G. Williams, Chairman of the Board of Trustees

Board of Trustees, Council Members, President

Front row: John S. Cooper, Ray S. Jones, Jr., Wallace E. Nelson (Chairman); Joseph L. Lamb, Jr., Jan C. Riley, and Gerald F. White
Back row: Andrew H. Williams, Bruce A. Biggs, Philip J. Donahue, Gerald W. Bray (secretary) and Robert D. Aldridge Not pictured: W. C. "Bill" Owens, Jr. (Vice President); Jerry Kelly and Robert G. Williams



Council Members are: Gene Talkington, Joe Turner, Phyllis Haskett, Ron Riccardo Lynn Hurdle-Winslow Ray Scaffa, Jeff Zeigler, W.R. Sterritt, John Wells, Julian Aydtlett, Gerald Bray, Floyd Horton.



Dr. Gerald Bray, Interim President

Dr. Gerald Bray was born in Sunbury and grew up in Pasquotank County. He is married to Ellen Alice Martiny and they have three sons.

Dr. Bray has served as Dean of Administrative Services for COA in 1978-1986. He is now currently the Interim President.

In his opinion the most important aspect in his life is being a husband, father, educator, and having the ability to work with others.

Some advice he'd like to share with students is to be flexible with our acceptance of change but have strong values to learn about our unstable society. As for faculty he believes they should use their knowledgeable abilities and direct students in the right path.

Faculty and Staff



Smile of accomplishment! Mr. Stephens won the Outstanding Faculty Award for 1991-1992.

COA's Faculty and Staff are not only professors and hardworking individuals but they are people. They extend a warm smile to their students as well as the public. They make time for their families, participate in student activities, and are award winners. Last but not least, they are diligent workers.



Judy Nero, a staff member, helps organize and direct students in the right direction during registration.



Rita Layden is working hard on COA's accounts payable.



Ray Scaffa and the chicken celebrate Lynn Hurdle-Winslow's pregnancy.



Mrs. White and Mrs. Watts discuss the events taking place during Welcome Back to Student Day.



Smiling for the camera, Ron Riccardo and Jerry Leete are styling and profiling.

Faculty and Staff

"A teacher effects eternity; He/she can never tell where his/her influence stops."

As the faculty and staff of COA, you are always present ready to guide and to lead us in the right directions of the various fields of our lives. We, the students just want to express our deepest appreciation to you. A true dedication is shown among you that filters down to us, which

helps us to accomplish our academic goal and individual needs.

We cannot emphasize enough the positive effects you have on our lives but again, we express appreciation. We know we can be all we can be through your continuous assistance.

Sometimes life is nothing but a picnic.



Adams, Bobby K.
Aldridge, Allen
Alexander, Karen
Alexander, Miriam
Anderson, Delores H.
Anderson, Jimmy R.



Aydlett, Julian E.
Banks, Mildred
Ballard, Shirley
Beloat, Hollis A.
Boyce, Sandra N.
Bray, Gerald W.



Brickhouse, Wendy W.
Bridges, James T.
Brown, Mary Louise
Bryant, Janice P.
Bunch, Lynne M.
Chou, Leland L. C.



Chou, Lillie
Cook-Wood, Holly
Christie, Raymond
Crane, Glenda W.
Daverro, Susan W.
Davis, Carolyn R.



Douglas, Carol
Dozier, Quay J.
Dubbé, Marsha A.
Dunlow, Dorothy J.
Farless, Patti B.
Farmer, Nancy P.



Faculty and Staff Continued



Finch, Patricia A.
Finley, Lisa G.
Ford, Robert L.
George, Jean S.
Dawson-Godfrey, Angela
Gandara-Robtoy,
Geraldine



Gregory, David B.
Harris Jr., Marion
Harris, Barry D.
Haskett, Phyllis N.
Hewitt, Sherry A.
Hill, Benjamin F.



Hodges, David T.
Hoffman, Faye E.
Holland, Deborah R.
Horton, Floyd P.
Winslow-Hurdle, Lynn
Jennings, Rita O.



Johnson, Roy L.
Jones, Betty Elizabeth
Keeter, Frances
Krauss, Keery
Kulhanek, Karen G.
Ladow, Carolyn F.



Lamm Jr., William C.
Layden, Rita M.
Leete, Jerome B.
Leverett, Clyde
Leverette, Diane
Mansfield, Shelby H.



McDonald, Carlton
McNary, Orville E.
Mercer, Jesse B.
Morgan, Ray
Mudge, Sharon L.
Needham, Lynn E.



Nero, Judy T.
Nixon, Stanley E.
Overman, Gwendolyn W.
Partin, Mary Annette
Partin, Mary F.
Patterson, Kay M.

Faculty and Staff Continued



Phelps, Milton M.
Phillips, Sandra S.
Ricardo, Barbara D.
Ricardo, Ronald R.
Ring, Frederick
Rosenblatt, Harry J.



Rountree, Dawn E.
Roun, Joe
Sanders, Patsy O.
Sawyer, Diane M.
Sawyer, Douglas M.
Scaffa, Raphael G.



Schmidt, Steven J.
Sheep, Michelle W.
Stephens, Robert O.
Stephenson, Louis
Sterritt, Patricia F.
Strickland, Sandra



Talkington, Eugene P.
Taylor, Lance
Watts, Kyle K.
Watts, Rhonda L.
Wells, John M.
Wesner, Gerhardt H.



White, Nelson
White, Marvenia
White, Melody L.
Whitehurst, Gladys
Whitehurst, Raynee
Williams, Andrea R.



Williams, Debra S.
Williams, Douglas H.
Winfred, Munden
Winslow, Percy L.
Ziegler, Jeffrey J.
Lane, Emma



Dare County Campus staff and faculty is comprised of thirty-five part-time faculty, six full-time faculty, five full-time staff, and three work study students. The faculty's wide variety of backgrounds and educational experiences provides an excellent learning environment for students. Faculty and staff take an active interest in the educational advancement of the students and willingly provides additional hours of advice and support. Faculty and staff are also involved in such programs as providing meals and gifts for needy families of Dare County during Thanksgiving and Christmas.

Adams, Carol
Barefoot, Kay
Barris, Grace
Bernsten, Mary
Bryant, Lynn



Chaney, Larry
Congdon, Kathleen
Daniels, Luther
Davis, Walter
Gillis, Peg



Hardee, Georgia
Heller, Marion
Hoelzel, Charles
Hooper, Robin
Keagy, Tim



Kelly, Sherry
 Kerber, Teresa
 Loy, Vicki
 McDonald, Steve
 Oliver, Jerry



Parker, Lavern
 Payne, Lois
 Smith, Barbara
 Spence, George
 Storey, Pat



Tillert, Virginia
 Trainor, Marietta
 Turner, Joe
 Wescott, Becky



Are we playing follow the leader, Jerry?



Food Collection for the needy at Dare Campus.

Don't leave, Joe.



Clubs



Second year nursing students taking part in Health Fair.

We have a variation of clubs ranging from: Phi Beta Lambda, Biology Club, Art Club, Foreign Arts, Student Senate, Phi Theta Kappa, Nursing Clubs, Cosmetology Club, and the Beacon. The clubs gives students the opportunity to become active leaders for COA and the community.



Phi Beta Lambda sells Avon products to raise money for a trip to State Conference.



Dare Campus bunny rabbit gets warmed up for the Annual Easter Egg Hunt for Headstart children.



Congratulations! Nursing Department.



The yearbook staff are busy as bees.

Diversified Organizations

The Art Club



Left to right: Tammy Bowen, Clay Rodgers, Sherri Bray, Sissy Padgett, Brenda Perry, Lynn White, Tusan Metz, Mr. Hill, Carol Swet, and Christina Hall. Not shown: Rhonda Sturdivant

Through a variety of fundraisers the Art Club has raised funds to purchase periodicals and video tapes which are kept in the library for student viewing. The funds raised will also be used to sponsor cultural enhancements for members. The officers include: Christina Hall — President, Carol Swet — Vice President, Brenda Perry — Secretary, Sherri Bray — Treasurer, Lynn White — Student Representative, Tusan Metz — Historian, Advisor Mr. Be Hill.

Foreign Arts



Left to right: Jackie Croser, Shelly Lane, Karen Warren, Barbara Riccardo, Leslie Wiggins, and Tanya Bailey Not pictured: Brice Shier and Jennifer Roughton.

The Foreign Arts Club promotes cultural awareness to anyone who is interested. They invite foreign speakers to inform students about the cultures of their homeland. Their activities consist of service projects for the community and COA. The officers include: Mrs. Barbara Riccardo — Advisor, Kate Warren — President, Shelly Lane — Vice President, Jackie Croser — Treasurer, Leslie Wiggins — Secretary, Tanya Bailey — Publicity Chairperson, Jennifer Goughton — Student Senate Representative.

Biology Club



The Biology Club participates in various activities throughout the year. Since the beginning of the Fall quarter they have had two fundraisers, a car wash and a bake sale. Skiing and White Water rafting are planned for future activities. The officers include: Scott Hale — President, Sarah Williams — Vice President, Missy Watts — Secretary, Tammy Watts — Treasurer, Michelle Ferrell and Shelly Lane — Student Senate Rep., Diane Dail and Brice Shirey — Historians.

Members present: Front row: Scott Hale, Tony Davenport, Missy Watts, Tammy Watts, Brice Shirey, Kristi Burgess, Wendy Forbes, Michelle Ferrell, Susan Hoskins and Karen Whedbee Back row: Chris Zeeb, Sarah Williams, Jon Morgan, Andy Forsland, Brain Johnson, Yvonne Johnstone, Karen Carpenter, and Diane Dail.

The Cosmetology Club



The Cosmetology Club consists of students that learn about hair styles and the proper techniques of grooming. They have participated in candy and bake sales, raffles, hair shows, and community work. The Cosmetology Club caters to the needs of their fellow students and to the public. Their officers include: Ann Elliott — President, Abbie Brice — Vice President, Cindy Sawyer — Secretary, and Susan Wise — Treasurer. Advisor — Mrs. Faye Hoffman

Front, left to right: Emily Berry, Terry Lorenzo, Amy Eason, Luanne Dieck Second row: Jessica Kerbeu, Sam Bowe, Jane Hoppel, Missy Walston Third row: Anne Roughton, Terri Cooper, Kisa Williams, Yoshie Griffin Fourth row: Mimi Harris, Measa Bateman, Donna Hickie Fifth row: Susan Wise, Michelle Lane, Cindy Sawyer, and Ann Elliot.

Register Nursing — Second Year



Bottom row: Amy Beickert, Roseanne Browne, Susan Furlaugh, Robin Marriner, Nancy Jennings, and Sylvia Barkley Second row: Jenny Jenkins, Rachel Spruill, Kim Needham, Dee Dee Maxey, Elaine Spruill, Lisa Barkley, and Susan Wyche. Back row: Nancy Terrill, Linda Lance, Mike Chalor, Jennifer Stallings, Sabrina Casas, Betsy Frizelle, Allison Brown, and Leonora Trafon.



Sherry Russell is charting information about her patient.



"The Catering Duo."



Class officers, left to right: Amy Beickert and Susan Furlough — Historian, Robin Marriner — Secretary, Elaine Spruill — Treasurer, Susan Wyche and Sabrina Casas — Senate Rep., Bottom row, left to right: Sylvia Barkley — Vice President, and Mike Chalor — President Advisor — Mrs. Patti Farless.

Practical Nursing



The PN Club consists of all PN (Practical Nursing) students. Their purpose is to enhance collaboration while working toward goals of graduation while serving others. This year the PN club volunteered at the Albemarle Food Pantry and planned to volunteer at the Community Pharmacy Project. They also planned to sponsor a child for Christmas. Some of their fundraisers are bake sales and raffles.

Register Nursing — 2nd year



We wash from head to toe.



Who cares how long it takes just as long as we get there.



There is no job to simple for us.



Make the bed Ladies.



If I do one more research paper I'll



What do you think about that new procedure we had to do?

Phi Theta Kappa (ΦΘΚ) Club

The Phi Theta Kappa society is the only internationally acclaimed honor society serving the two-year colleges offering associate degree programs. Since its founding by a group of Missouri two-year college presidents in 1918, Phi Theta Kappa has sought to recognize and encourage scholarships among associate degree students. To achieve this purpose the Society has developed opportunities for leadership, fellowship and service as well as provided an intellectual climate for continued academic excellence.

Activities for 1992-1993 are: Sent supplies to victims of Hurricane Andrew, donated money to two needy families at Christmas, donated money to local baton club for uniforms, purchased gifts for residents at local nursing homes, awarded a \$500 scholarship to a student for the school year and held an Essay Contest for local schools with a \$50 savings bond as the prize.



Left to right: Retha House — Treasurer, Veralyne Malone — President, JoAnn Palis, Mary Marcus — Secretary, Bonnie Pritchard, Vicki Lambert, Karen Warren, Marie Foster — Vice President, and Teresa Burgess.



1992-1993 Phi Beta Lambda



Accomplishments: Due to former club member Johnnie Hollowell winning state competition the last two years and traveling to national competition, the club thus far this year has been busy building up the treasury. This has been done through a bake sale, a turkey raffle, and an Avon sale. We plan to sponsor a child at the COA Children's Christmas party and will be involved in other community projects in the spring.

Officers are: Janice Williams-President, William Leigh-Vice President, Eleanor Boyce-Secretary, Cynthia Cobb-Treasurer
Advisors: Mr. Gene Talkington, Debra Williams, Nancy Farmer, Rhonda Watts

College of The Albemarle's Community Band



College of The Albemarle's Community Band plays for graduation.

Beacon Staff



Row one: Sarah Williams, Himdiyya Muhammad, Seema Petel, Jennifer Worrell, Nancy Dennis, Becky Ward Second row: Anthony Moore, Susan Stubblefield, Vattres Williams, Barbie Overman, Vivian Overton, Gerald Taylor Third row: Debbie Purkette-Beasley, Jackie Crosier, Annie Sawyer, Tony Whitaker Not showed: Karen Alexander-Advisor and Shirley Ballard-Asst. Advisor.



Annie Sawyer and Jackie Crosier working on a page.



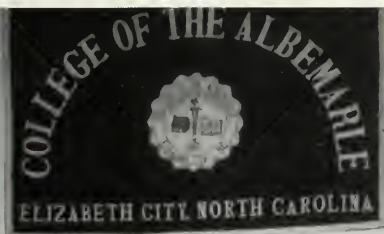
Steve Lanning from Taylor Publishing Company gives the yearbook staff pointers on how it is done.

Student Senate



The purpose of the Student Senate of the college shall be to promote good citizenship throughout the college and to plan and initiate with the advice and consent of the Dean of Student Development designed activities that are sponsored by the Student Senate. It shall be the purpose of this organization to stimulate interest in college life both on the campus and in the community.

Left to right: Virginia Tillet, Anthony Moore, Debbie Willis, Elyse Boncek, Jackie Croser, Jesse Slate, Latonya Bailey, David Campbell, Clay Rodgers, Melody Carawan, Christi Warren, Kimberly Payne, Joyce Mathews, Lynn Hurdle-Winslow, and Sean Vail.



Planning Session



Students and advisor prepare for the SGA Leadership Workshop.



Phi Theta Kappa

Phi Theta Kappa is the international Honor Society of the two-year college, and is the only internationally acclaimed honor society serving institutions which offer associate degrees. The purpose of Phi Theta Kappa is to recognize and encourage scholarship among two-year college students. The Dare Campus chapter was very active this past year in the Vote America service project. In addition, they coordinate the sponsorship of a family at Christmas, operate the used book store, attend regional and national conferences, and work with other campus organizations to facilitate student and faculty needs.



Lenny Spruill, Robin Hooper (President), Marilyn McDaniel (Treasurer), Vicki Lanier (Secretary), Lee Ann Daniels, Rhonda Swift, Charles Henderson, Shelli Swift, and Susie Walters (Vice-President). Not pictured: Amy Taylor, Jeanne Kitchin and Club advisor Teresa Kerber

Environmentalist Club

The Environmentalist Club is keeping busy. We have just published a newsletter dealing with recycling tips to use during the holidays. On December 21st, we will be sponsoring a cake walk and cake auction in the student lounge at COA at 12:00 and 7:30. Later in the year we plan on participating in "Beach Sweep," planting trees to beautify our campus and our county, and helping to bring everyone's attention to the necessity of recycling and doing our parts to raise awareness of environmental issues among our fellow students.



Kim Hastings, Rhonda Swift, Shelli Swift, Donna Wilson, Vicky Lanier, Joyce Matthews, Christie Warren and Major Hooper (President). Not pictured: Debbie Willis, Pam Sarvis, Kim Payne, Melody Carawan Advisor — Vicki Loy

Dare Campus: Student Senate



The SGA is very active in promoting and conducting activities for students. Activities include Welcome party, Christmas party, contributions for the needy families during the holidays, and a Halloween costume contest.

left to right: Front row: Kim Payne, Debbie Willis and Pamela Sarvis Back row: Donna Wilson, Kim Hasrey, Joyce Mathews, Christie Warren, and Melody Carawan.

Students Against Drunk Driving/SADD



The SADD Chapter of Dare Campus is very active in promoting the programs of alcohol awareness. Frequent promotional campaigns and fund raisers help raise awareness of alcohol related problems and provide donations to law enforcement agencies for related equipment.

left to right: Kim Payne, Vicky Lanier, Joyce Mathews, Christie Warren, Debbie Willis. In front: Melody Carawan

Student Club Listing

Practical Nursing

Juliandra Book-Darakjy
Therese Brown
Deborah Bush
April Colson
Linda Doyle
Easter Gibbs
Sonya Graham
Charles Howllowell
Bonnie Parton
Kathy Proctor
April Trueblood
Thomas Waddington
Beverly Warfield
Holly Wells
Bridgett Whitehurst
Lois Whitson
Reber Woodley
Carla Worley

Biology Club

Scott Hale
Sarah Williams
Grian Johnson
Kim Crisp
Tammy Watts
Jon Morgan
Page Alston
Long Leary
Julia Younts
Craig Carey
Richard Davis
Susan Hoskins
Crystal Spruill
Wendy Forbes
Krist Burgess
Missy Watts
Karen Whedbee
Tony Davenport
Andy Forsland
Yvonne Johnstone
Karen Carpenter
Shelly Lane
Diane Dail
Michelle Ferrell
Chuck Gould
Bonnie Keel
Chris Zeeb
Rene Bytom
Jennifer Simmons
Jim Bean
Vickie Lambert

PTK Club

Veralyne Malone
Marie Foster
Mary Marcus
Retha House
Robert Brown
Teresa Burgess
Michael Chalor
Vickie Lambert

Robin Marriner
Bonnie Pritchard
Sherry Russell
Karen Warren
JoAnn Palis

Art Club

Christine Hall
Carol Sweet
Sherri Bray
Susan Metz
Lynn White
Brenda Perry
Clay Rodgers
Tammy Bowen
Sissy Padgett
Rhonda Sturdivant

PBL Club

Brian Lewis
Eleanor Boyce
Janice Williams
William Leigh
Mary Williams
Regina Smith
Nancy Chappell
Vatress Williams
Cynthia Cobbs
Marie Miller
Doris Holley
Deborah P. Beasley

RN First — Year

Cindi Fishwick
Janet Roberts
Paula Steronson
Marie Foster
Kim Gray
Andrea Bass
Arlene Spear
Lesley Sactot
Mary Marcus
Debbie Skinner
Mary Fischman
Charelene Denson
Sherry Christian
Tracie Wildman
Amy O'Neal
Joan Gilchrist
Donna Joyner
Susie Ford
Pam Flanner
Sharon Lewis
Bobin Bivens
Beverly Jones
Jack Stevenson
Terri Smith
Teresa Burgess
Diane Dorsey

Cosmetology Club

Emily Berry
Terry Lorenzo
Amy Eason
Luanne Dieck
Jessica Kerber
Jane Chappel
Missy Walston
Anne Roughton
Terri Cooper
Kisa Williams
Yoshie Griffin
Mimi Harris
Tressa Bateman
Donna Hickle
Susan Wise
Michelle Lane
Cindy Sawyer
Ann Elliot
Deana Hewitt
Samantha Rose-Bowe

Dare Co. PTK

Lenny Spruill
Robin Hooper
Marilyn McDaniel
Vicki Lanier
Lee Ann Daniels
Rhonda Swift
Charles Henderson
Shellie Swift
Susie Walters
Amy Taylor
Jeanne Kirchin

Dare Co. Environmentalist

Kim Hastings
Rhonda Swift
Shelli Swift
Donna Wilson
Vicky Lanier
Joyce Matthews
Christie Warren
Major Hooper
Debbie Willis
Pam Sarvis
Kim Payne
Melody Carawan

SADD at Dare Campus

Kim Payne
Vicky Lanier
Joyce Mathews
Christie Warren
Debbie Willis
Melody Carawan

SGA at Dare Campus

Kim Payne
Debbie Willis
Pamela Sarvis

Michael B. Pilgrim, Visiting Artist at COA

Michael B. "Barney" Pilgrim, a resident of South Mills and the Visiting Artist at College of The Albemarle, was recently honored for his achievements on the General Education Development (GED) Testing Service exam. Pilgrim had the highest score in the state of North Carolina in 1991 on the GED exam and also had a perfect score on the Social Studies section of the test. Pilgrim earned his GED through the literacy program at College of The Albemarle. Pilgrim scored 370 points out of a possible 400 and was the top scorer in North Carolina of the 13,331 who passed the GED test in 1991. Over 800,000 took the test in 1991 in the United States, Canada, and U.S. territories.



Pure Enjoyment!



Fiddle playing can be serious business.



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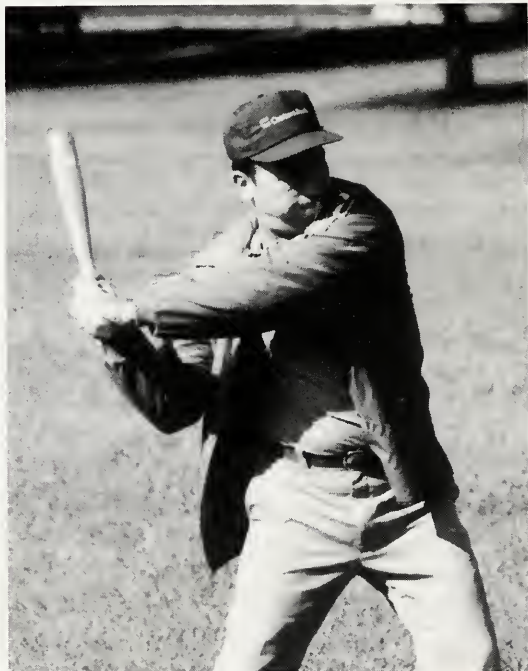
Drifting Toward Student Activities

Welcome Back to Student Day

Welcome Back Student Day gives students from different colleges an opportunity to get together and have some fun. The three colleges involved in this activity include College of The Albermarle, Roanoke Bible College, and Elizabeth City State University. Between these three



colleges there is intense competition. The competition consist of volleyball, basketball, rug of war, and an art contest. This is a wonderful way to escape from studying and the pressures of school. This day promotes school spirit and a chance to meet new and different faces.



Batter Up! Mr. White prepares to hit a home run and defeat COA's students.



COA Art contest draws outside attention.

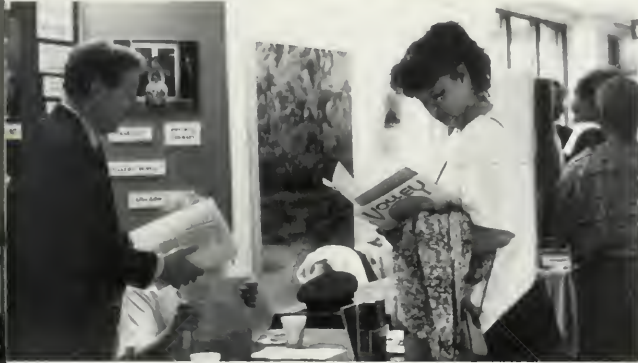


Pull ladies, Elizabeth City University girls are on the other side!

Student Life



Throughout a student's life there are many obstacles that he/she must challenge. Getting up at the crack of dawn, choosing the right classes, passing tests, and studying are just a few stepping stones for expanding our learning to a higher level. Sacrifice, dedication, and motivation are the tools to success in college.



Volunteer Day gives students the option to devote some of their time for a better community.



Students prepare to play a serious game of ball.



Students attempt to grab a bite to eat before heading off to class.



COA offers a Blood Drive for students and the public.

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Hang on ladies!



Do I need to learn all of this?



Don't miss!



Red Cross Blood drive



Student Senate Meeting



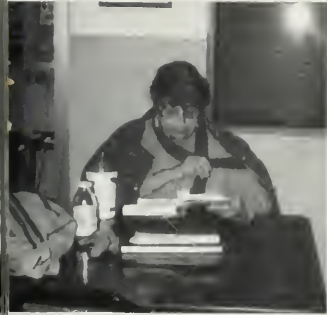
Hit the Ball!



How is your classes going?



A group of students playing cards in the Student Center



Joan seems to be burning the candle at both ends.



Oh Boy! Time to eat.

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Pepsi Please!

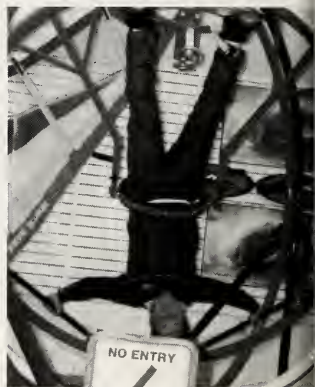


Students are waiting for classes to start

Special Activities at Dare Campus



A little one-on-one.



Beam me up Scottie, there's too much intelligent life down here!



The Rockets



Dare students were supposed to wear costumes this Halloween, but nobody did.

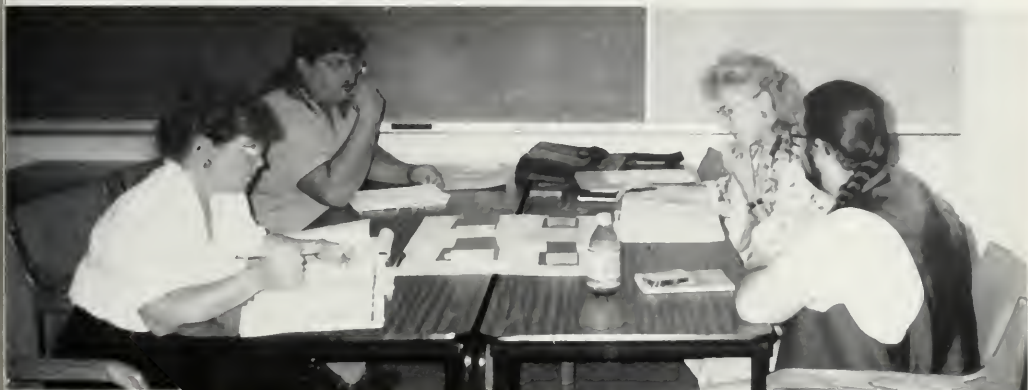


Nice days can mean outside classes at Dare Campus.



Students get to class, anyway they can. Even riding with chickens.

Special Activities continued . . .



A planning session for the Coast Players Production "Big River."



Oh Boy! Pizza



Robin Hooper, Teresa Kerber and Susie Walters spent time "discovering" white-water rafting at ФHK Leadership Conference in Banner Elk.



It's time to relax.

Children's Christmas Party



Is that really, Santa?



How can I hit Santa, when I can't see him?



Mike McLean, Dare County, enjoys part-time employment.



I want . . .

Children's Christmas Party



Santa, I have been a good girl for Christmas this year. I want a doll baby, some stuffed animals, and a puppy dog. I want Barbie clothes. Oh! A new Ford for Mommy and Daddy.



No, Fair! She moved it. I can't find it. Where is it? Hold still!



No, candy cane until after you eat your pizza.

Admissions Department



Ms. Banks working hard, helping students, and fussing with security — very tired by the end of the day.



College of the Albermarle as it strives to fulfill its purpose follows the "open door" policy of the State Board of Community Colleges with selective placement in different programs of the institution. Admission to a specific program of study is based on guidelines developed to ensure the student's chances of success in the programs. Lisa Finley helps with all the paper work resulting from admitting students to the college.



Miss Brown working on records in her office during a non-registration time as she is sitting still and there is no blur of fast movement.

Business Office



No invoices get past the watchful eye of Miss Rita.



"Business office, Michelle."



Books! Books! Books!



Everything is under control.

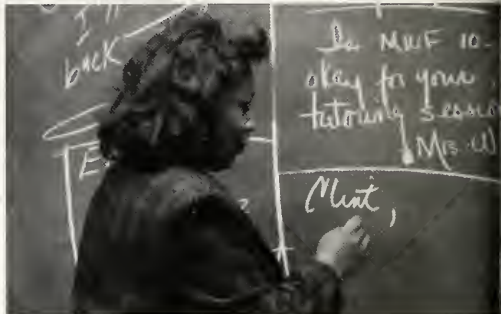


Don't worry it will be alright.

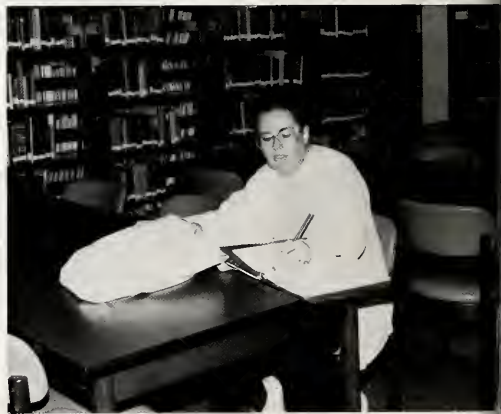
Library and Student Support

The Learning Resource Center houses materials relevant to the technical, vocational, and college transfer courses taught at the College of the Albemarle. The center is open to students, faculty, staff, and area residents. Ms. Cook-Wood, Mrs. Sawyer, and Ms. Tuisku are very helpful in locating materials needed for research projects. (Nor pictured — Mrs. Lynn Needham and Patricia Scott). They are always happy to assist with finding leisure needs as well as reference or research materials.

Student Support Services is a federally funded program that offers supportive services for no-cost tutoring, child care, personal development, resource and guidance so students will successfully reach their college goals.



Ms. Warren coordinates the tutoring program in addition to providing instruction on college success skills.



Bridges Department



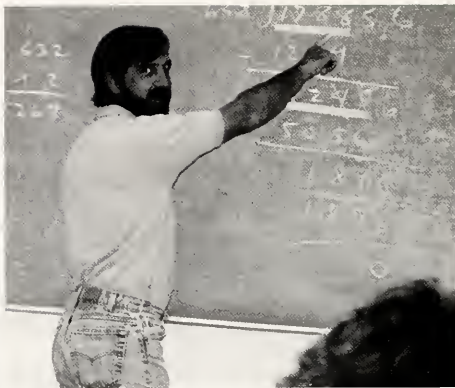
Bridges is a federally funded program which provides educational opportunities for the economically disadvantaged. It is taught in four 11-week cycles over the year, with students taking the GED test at the end of their respective cycles. Books and supplies are paid for and if needed, child care and transportation expenses are provided.

Carolyn Davis teaches reading, math, social studies, grammar, and science from 8:30 a.m. to 3 p.m. Monday through Friday. More important, though, she teaches self-confidence.

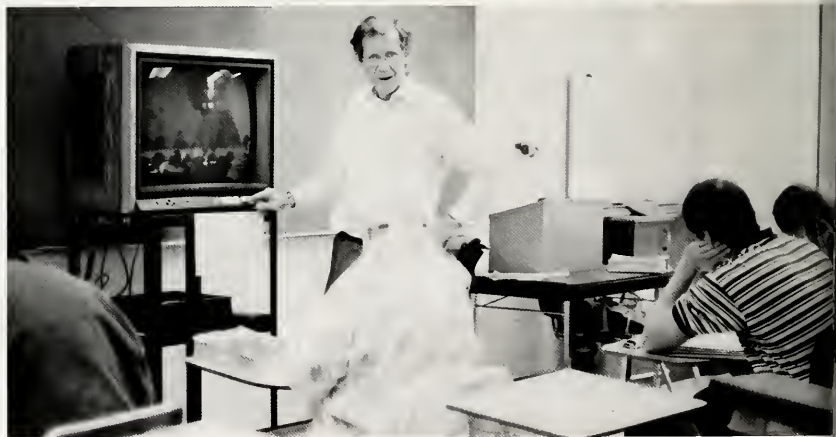
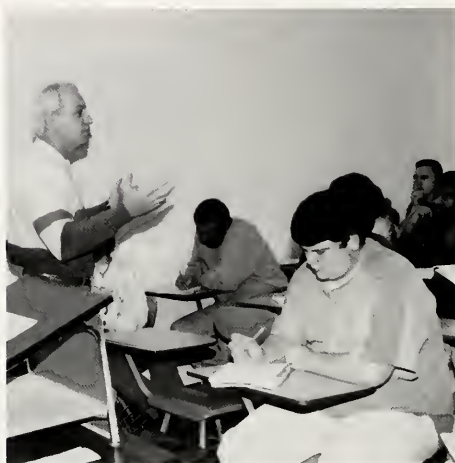


A smile of "confidence."

Transfer Department



An effort to provide students enrolled in college transfer programs and certain technical programs with accurate information concerning course transferability, the Student Development Office maintains a complete and detailed listing of institutions with transfer agreements. Some required subjects are: English, Literature, History, Algebra, Art, and Physics. The General Education degree, is designed for students who would like to tailor their studies to personal interest rather than to specific professional requirements.



Transfer continued



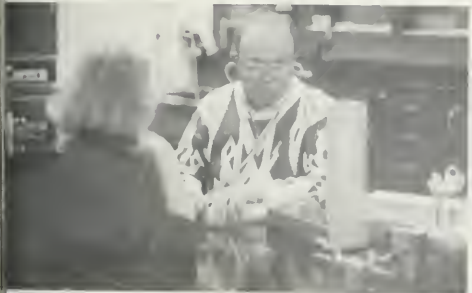
Mr. Gregory, "Did you finally find Mr. Bones?"



Don't blow anything up!



Wow! Check it out!



Guess what? You're still living.



This is the aorta. This is

Computer and Electronic Department



Students are hard at work in Mr. Rosenblatts Computer class.



Mr. Hodges helps students during computer lab.



More women are becoming involved in electronic classes.



Mr. Krauss prepares for his Electronics class.

New computers being installed at Dare Campus.



Cooperative — Education/Job Placement



Greg Witcher, a business administration major, is employed part-time as the purchasing manager at Coastal Office Equipment. He is demonstrating one of his business' products to cooperative education secretary/faculty assistant, Nancy Farm-



Melissa Witcher a business education major, works part-time in the law office of Mr. William Morgan, Jr. Also during her first year at COA she worked in the office of Farmers Home Administration.



Robert "Red" Jackson, a mechanical drafting and design major, works part-time at Precision Kitchens where he has an opportunity to utilize his drafting and computer skills.



Tracy Holley, a general office technology major, has two part-time jobs, one in medical records at Swan Hospital and the other in the cooperative education/job placement office at COA assisting Nancy Farmer.

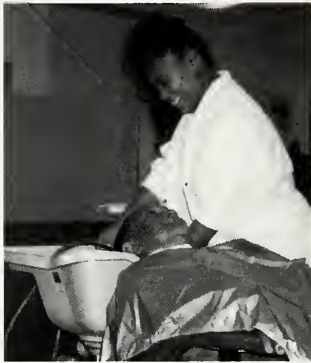


Cosmetology Department

Cosmetology refers to the scientific study and practice of beauty culture. This field offers the opportunity for a life time career in one of the largest and most respected industries. As professional students they must practice and master many techniques during their short time in school. This knowledge leads to the passing of State boards and obtaining the goal of the cosmetology license. Areas of study include: Hygiene and good grooming. Visual poise, personal development, professional ethics, perms, wigs, haircoloring, nails and disorders, facials and manicures. **LOOKING GOOD LADIES!**



What pretty nails!



You're looking gorgeous, Mrs. Dunlow.

Nursing Department — RN and PN

The Nursing Department of COA consists of three areas. They include Register Nursing, Practical Nursing, and the Mobility Program. These programs offer students high standard principles and theories of nursing and the sciences in utilizing the nursing process during the practice of nursing. General college courses are taken prior to admission to the nursing program. Clinical components of major nursing courses are carefully planned around current nursing theories. The practice of nursing by Associate Degree graduates consists of assessing the patient's physical and mental health.



First year RN students practice range of motion.



Hi there, everybody!



Mrs. Spruill teaching first year students all about ethical nursing.



Open Wide!

Business Department

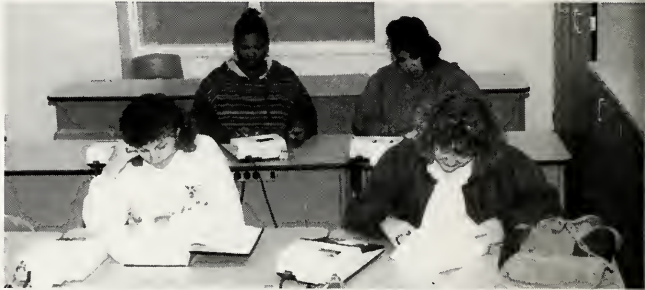
There are six full-time and many part-time instructors in the Business Department at College of The Albemarle. The six full-time faculty members are: Jimmy Anderson, Dorothy Dunlow, Harry Rosenblatt, Marvenia White, Nelson White, and Lot Winslow. These six faculty members have almost 100 years of teaching experience among them. Students who are interested in business careers can choose from several degree programs such as: Business Administration Technology, Administrative Office Technology, Banking and Finance, Business Computer Programming, Microcomputer Systems technology, general Office Technology, Medical Office Technology, and the business transfer programs.



Businessman turned professor, Harry Rosenblatt has been voted by the faculty to represent COA in the 1992 state Department of Community College's First Union Foundation awards for excellence in Teaching. Rosenblatt said. "I'm extremely proud to receive it."



In Elementary Keyboarding students learn to master the keyboard by using the typewriter or micro-computer.



Students acquire competency in performing basic calculations while learning electronic calculators.



Students use a commercially available software package for Word Processing classes.



New Computer Operators at work!



TOOLS!



Wonder, what Mr. Ford is smiling about.



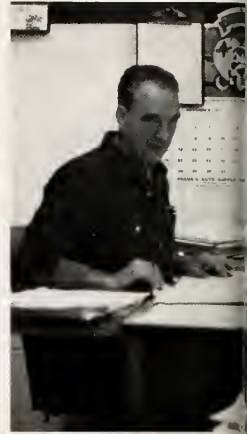
Let me, show you what I want.



A Work Study student lightens the paperwork for instructors

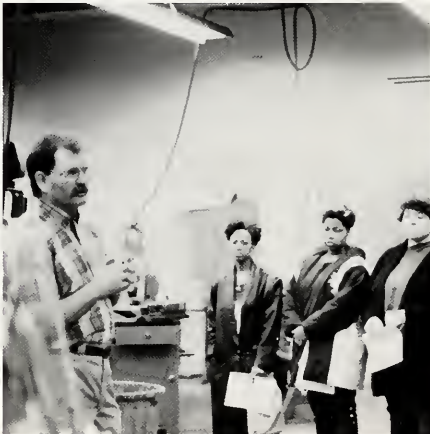
Drafting Department

Auto Mechanics and Machine Shop



The Automotive Mechanic Department provides a training program for developing the basic knowledge and skills needed to inspect, diagnose, repair, and adjust mechanical problems.

The Mechanist curriculum provides an opportunity to acquire basic skills and related technical information necessary for employment as a skilled metalworker who shapes metal by using machine tools and hand tools. Both programs offer students actual hands-on experience by working on projects given to COA from the community.





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Bryant, Linda
Caneup, Anna



Carrwright, Lisa
Day, Marilyn
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Graham, Sonya



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Hite, Patti
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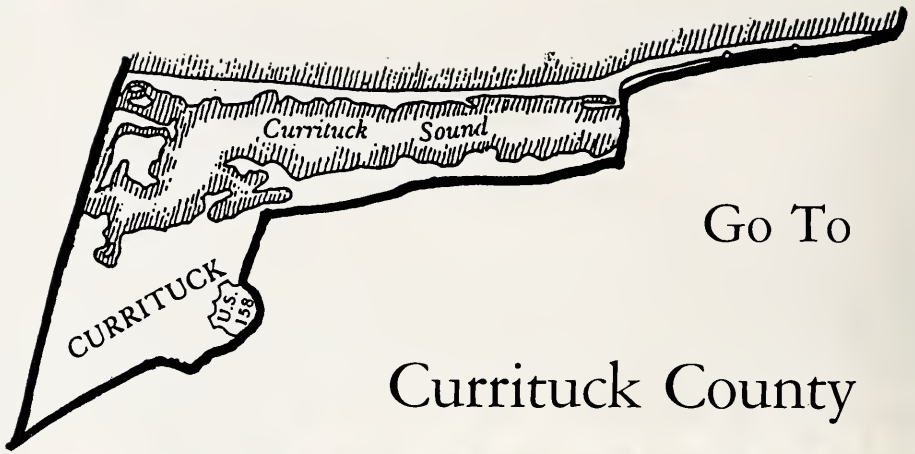
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Tague, Terry
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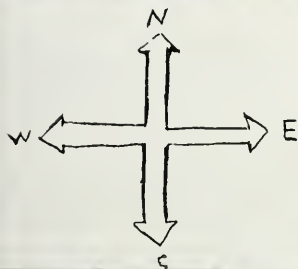
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Mine! All Mine!

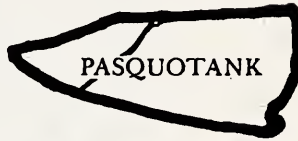


Dare students get ready for another hectic day of classes.

From all directions . . .

Pasquotank

County



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Balance, Lillie



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Barnes, Thomas
Barrett, Nakeshia
Basnight, Jennifer



Bowen, Tammy
Boyce, Eleanor
Bray, Sherrie
Bray, Lynn



Bray, Benny
Brewer, Patricia
Brinson, Lanny
Brock, Jason



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 Dail, Ann



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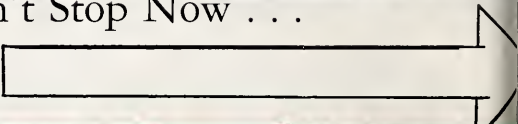
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Don't Stop Now . . .



Keep Moving . . .



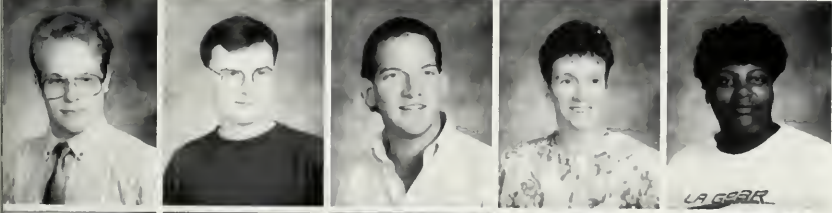
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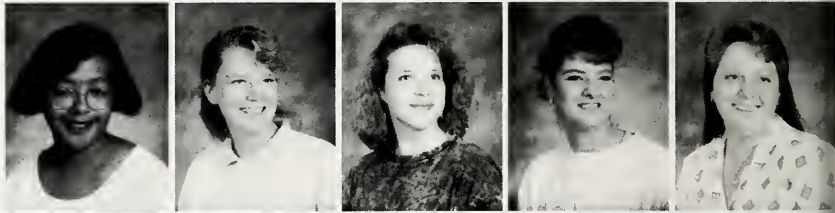
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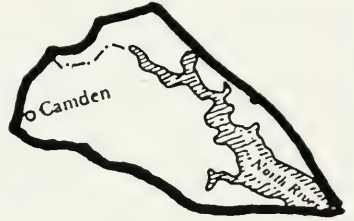


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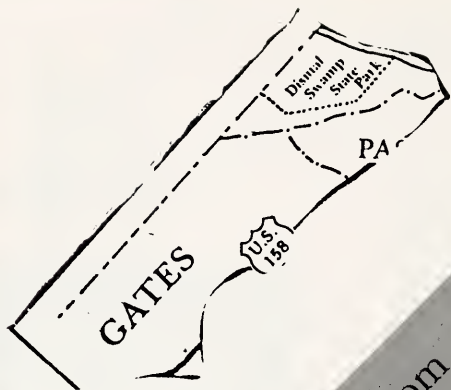


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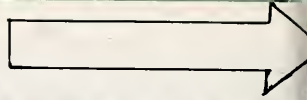


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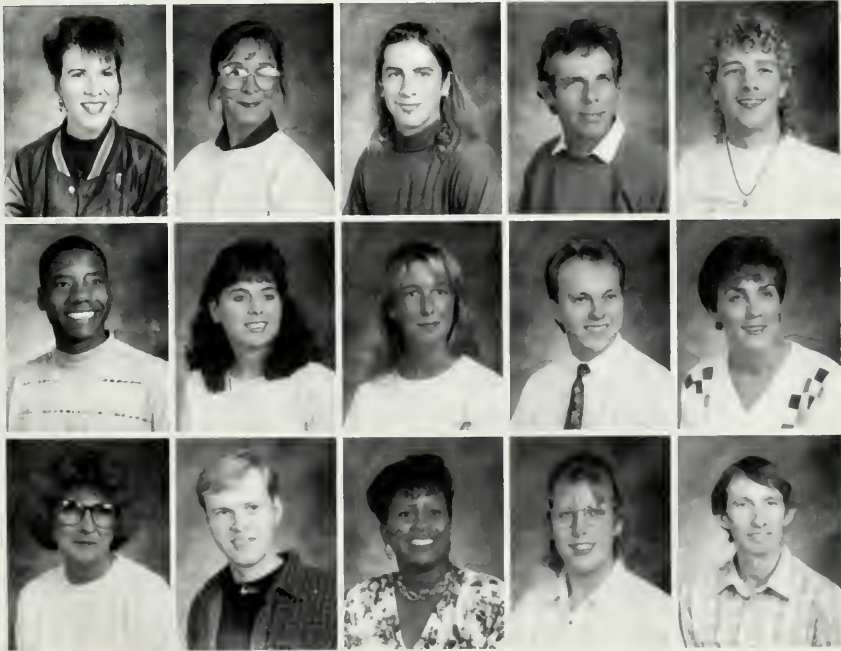
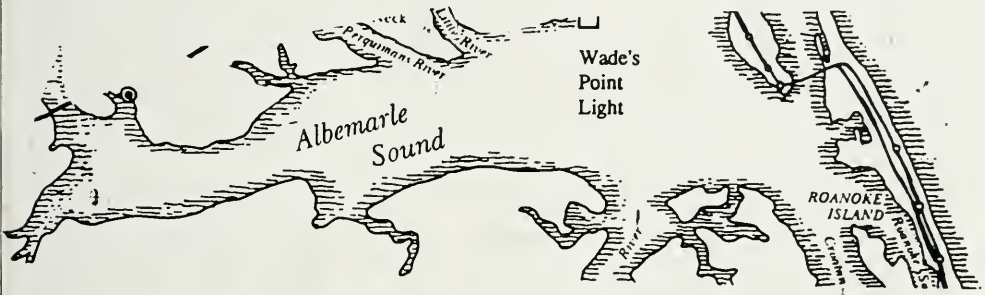


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All The Way To . . .

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Clark, William
Daniel, Lee

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Drummond,
Dwayne
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Gibb, Beverly
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Joiner, Donna
Karpatis, Kere
Lanier, Vicky

Midgett, Jamie
Nash, Teresa
Neale, Sally
Payne, Kim
Scarborough,
Bonnie



A "Mummy — Mommie" being unwrapped at Dare Campus.

Slow Down!! Stop Sign Ahead.



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Spruill, Lenny
Swift, Shelly
Warren, Christie
Wentz, Colleen

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Willis, Debbie
Wilson, Donna
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Wilson, Sonny



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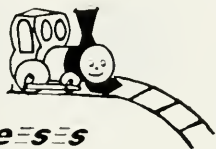
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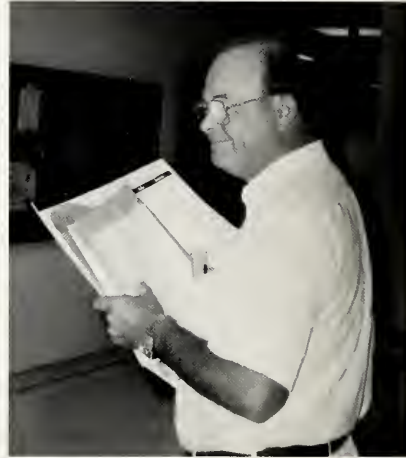
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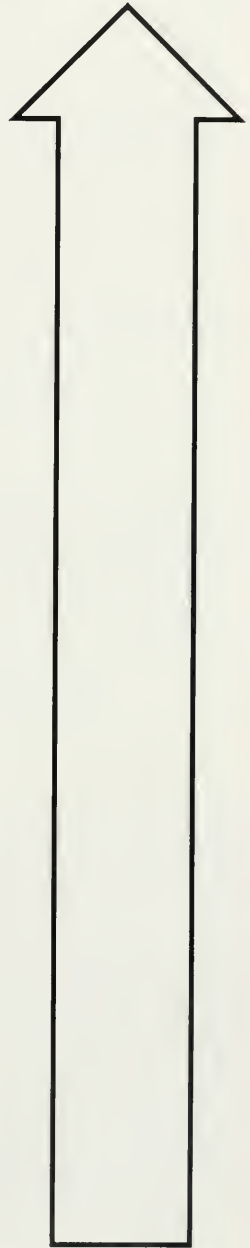
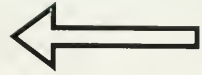
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