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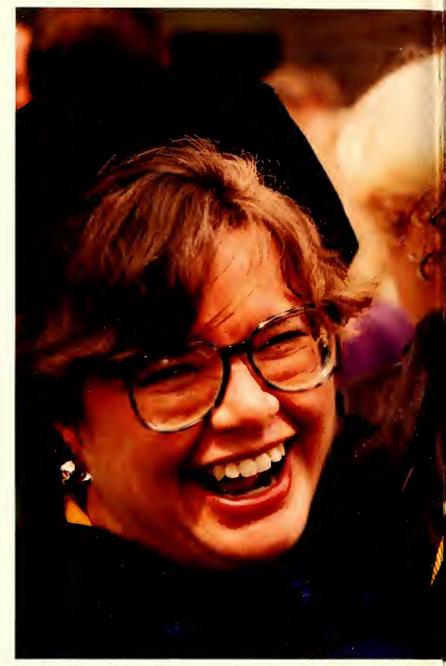
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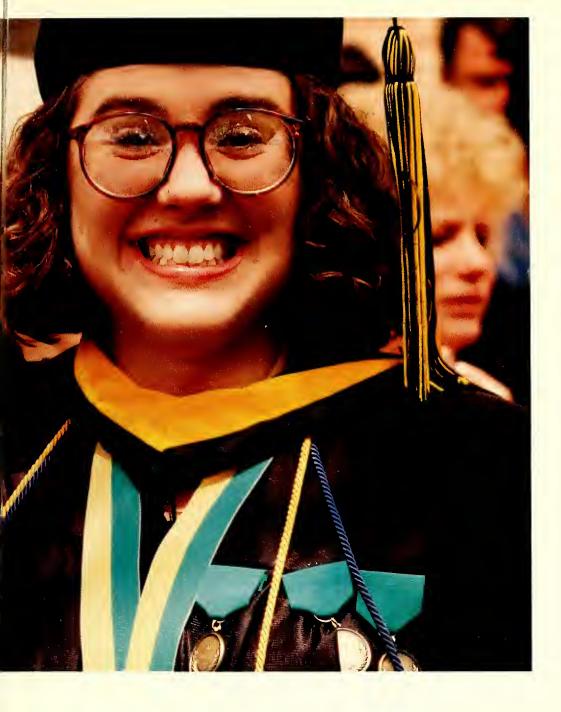
1994 Ontaroga Lees-McRae College

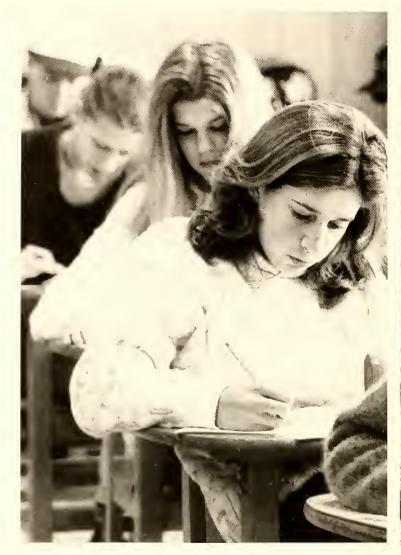


Graduation Jubilation

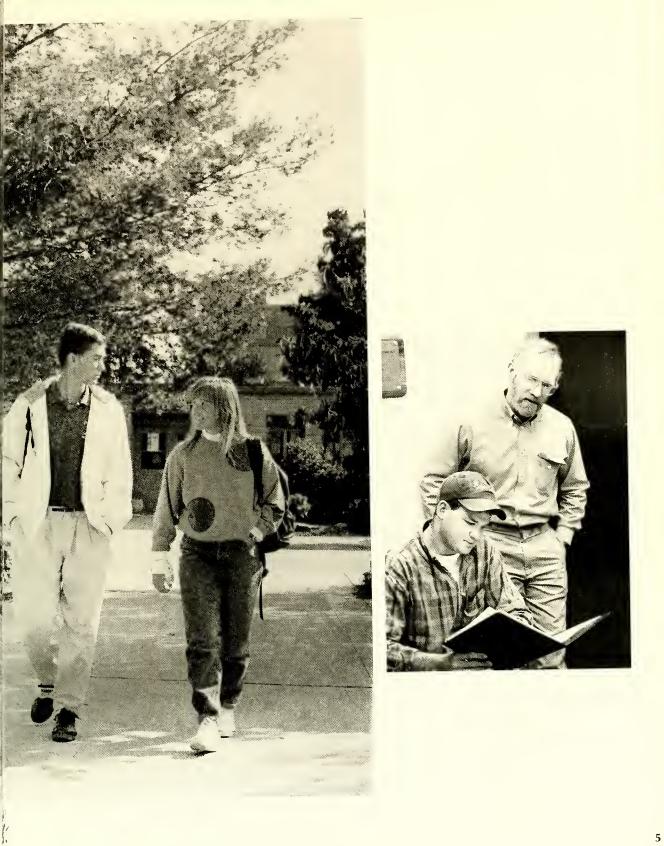
Dr. Charlotte D'Armond (left), Associate Professor of Performing Arts, lets off some of that "the year is over, postgraduation" steam with senior Jen Moody (Class of '94) (right).







Lees-McRae College is a private, coeducational institution affiliated with the Presbyterian Church (U.S.A.). The college was founded in 1900 by the Reverend Edgar Tufts as part of an Appalachian ministry of education and service. This tradition of caring and the College's location in the North Carolina mountains make Lees-McRae unique.



The Spirit of Lees-McRae is in evidence throughout the year whether in the form of a performance by the renowned Clogging Team (pictured above right with Clint Carraway and Alyson Lowe), or the celebratory atmosphere of graduation (pictured lower right with (I-r) John Carter, President Dr. James Schobel, Jeanne







... or a Homecoming Parade (pictured above) with former Homecoming **Queens Julie Far**thing (left) and Robbyn Clemmer (right). The focus on learning at Lees-McRae takes on new meaning at left as Kristin Radebaugh receives instruction from **Professor of English** Dr. Ted Ledford.



Lees-McRae College 1994 Ontaroga

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A Survey

Academics

The President



Dr. James A. Schobel President B.A., M.A., Ph.D., Ohio University



Dr. Schobel makes a point to some of the students who met with him after a question and answer session during the spring semester. Schobel took on the full duties of President in early April of 1994.



Dr. David S. Frazier Interim President Ph.D., Florida State



George Gunn Chaplain M. Div., Louisville Sem.



Pat Bentley Administrative Assistant to the President.



Cozette Spears Switchboard

The Trustees



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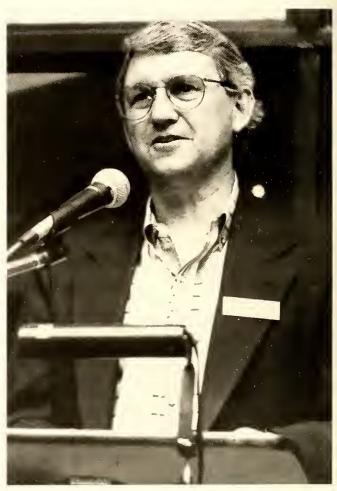
Plato S. Wilson High Point, NC



Thomas H. Broyhill Lenoir, NC



H.J. Moser, III Jefferson City, TN



Dr. Danield W. Massie (pictured above) served as Chairman of the Lees-McRae College Board of Trustees for two years and also received an honorary doctorate from Lees-McRae during his tenure.



Edward J. Kuseł Vero Beach, FL



James Appleby Charlotte, NC



Mrs. Harriet Tucker Greensboro, NC



William A. Lockwood Boynton Beach, FL



Trustee Plato Wilson (pictured right)receives a bronzed bobcat bust upon joining the giving club "The Society of Edgar Tufts Fellows" from Vice President for Institutional Advancement and Business Affairs Bill Farthing.



S.J. "Sam" Whalen Naples, FL



Dr. Lymon Fulton Johnson City, TN



Earnest Deavenport, Jr. Kingsport, TN



Roma Melton '48 (pictured above with Trustee Ed Kusel) was honored for her work as Secretary on the Lees-McRae College Board Trustees.



W. Ned Hollandsworth Morristown, TN

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Donald R. Baker VP Info. Services/Ath. A.A. Lees-McRae/A.B. ETSU



Joyce Baker Asst. for Public Rel. A.A., Lees-McRae



Jack B. Lytton Men's Basketball/Asst AD B.S., M.A. ASU

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Nancy Semones Dir. Continuing Ed. B.A. Lenoir-Rhyne



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Randall Bentley Assistant Football B.S. North Texas



Rick C. Baker Asst. Men's BB/SID M.A. East Tennessee St.



C.E. "Fish" Gupton Head Volleyball/Tennis M.S. Virginia Tech



Rita Smith Athletic Trainer M.A. Appalachian State



Fred LaRoche Head Men's Soccer M.S. Midwestern State



Ried Estus Head Women's Soccer M.A. Covenant College

Student Services and Campus Facilities



Class Trip To LMC-Banner Elk Elementary School teacher Ms. Gay Meade brought first and second grade students over to visit Lees-McRae Vice President for Student Services and Athletics Dr. Gary Juhan to learn more about his job and about Lees-McRae. Juhan's son, Cagle, is the student sporting one of the numerous toothless grins at the far left of the room.



Dr. Gary Juhan VP Student Services/Ath. Ph.D. ETSU



Patti Stephans Dean of Students M.S. Indiana State



John Angel Assoc. Dean of Students M.A. Appalachian State



Paul Isaacs Dir. Safety/Security A.S.W. Piedmont CC



Harry Peterson Director of Maintenance B.S. Nebraska



Molly Donnelly Dir. Residence Life M.A. Appalachian State



Dir. Intramurals

M.A. Appalachian State



Ron Holman-Security



Jane Smith Director **College Post Office**



Iris Miller **Postal Clerk**



Sharon Coutant Career Counselor M.A. Appalachian State



Dr. John C. Wilson **Health Services Nurse** D. Min., Union Seminary



Debbie Smith Secretary Maintenance



Special Recognition to LMC Grounds Crew by 5th Quarter Club-(pictured left to right) Daniel Burleson, C.W. Antho-ny, Roger Bailey, Robert Stout.



Grace Woody Student Services Office Mgr., A.S. Lees-McRae



Clara Sparks Student Center Staff



Jean Reece Traffic



Betty Gentry Student Center Staff

Institutional Advancement & Bus. Affairs



William B. Farthing VP Inst. Advancement B.S. Appalachian State



Dr. David Sokol Dir. Fin. /Bus. Affairs Ph.D. Century Univ.



Vice President for Institutional Advancement and Business Affairs Bill Farthing spreads the news about Lees-McRae.



Michael Andrews Dir. Foundation/Corp. Grants/B.A. Len. -Rhyne



Laura Martz Financial Aid Officer B.A. Campbell Univ.



Carter Hammett-McGarry Dir. Financial Planning M.A. Pres. School



Stuart Silver Financial Aid Officer



Guy Adams Dir. Development B.A. Berea College



Sandy Hoyle Accts. Payable Clerk



Geoff Hurdle Dir. Alumni Affairs B.A. Lees-McRae



Cathy Shell Accountant



Fish Bowl Art Winners- Nearly 20 children of Lees-McRae employees and friends of the college took part in an art show/contest held by the LMC Business Office. Some of the contestants, along with their parents are pictured left (left to right) LMC Director of Development Guy Adams, Caitlan Adams, Darcy Adams, Katherine Sokol, Cindy Burton, Asst. Director of Computer Services Kathy Burton, and Patricia Sokol.



Faye Williams Payroll Officer



Carolyn Ward **Dir. Fixed Assets** Telecommunications



Tonyah Gwyn Accounts Payable Clerk



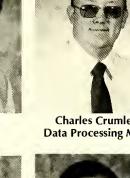
Kathy Burton Asst. Dir. Computer Ser. M.S. Univ. Tennessee



Mary Johnson Controller

David Menzel

Dir., ARA Food Service



Charles Crumley Data Processing Mgr.



Jimmy Street Dir. College Store/ Purchasing



Frankie Needham Secretary, Inst. Advancement/ **Business Affairs**

Gwen Miller

Purchasing Sect. and

Clerk for College Store



Margie Revis Sect. Alumni Affairs



Danny McKinney College Store Clerk



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Academic Affairs



James A. Stonesifer VP Academic Affairs M.A. UNC-Chapel Hill



Richard C. Jackson Librarian M.A. UNC-Chapel Hill



Martha Dorage Dir. Admissions B.A. Elon College



Kathy Henson Secretary, Academic Affairs



Joyce Ratliff Secretary, Division of Performing Arts



Mary Ann Abrusci Data Processor



Linda King Dir. Fr. Experience/ Academic Counseling



Tammy Franklin Secretary, Academic Affairs

James R. Barbour, Jr. Registrar D.Ed., Nova University



lucational Talent Search Staff at LMC include (left toright) Darne Gibbs, April Pittman, Lynne Wilson and irector Joyce Watson.



Rosie Smith Library Staff M.A. Appalachian State



Lynn Hinshaw Admissions Secretary



Donese Presswood Asst. Librarian M.S. Appalachian State



Romona Hayes Library Staff



Robbyn Clemmer Admissions Counselor B.S. Lees-McRae



Tommy Anthony Admissions Counselor B.S. Lees-McRae



Louise Jackson Library Staff



Mary Louise Pritchett Library Staff



Beckie S. Schwefel Admissions Counselor B.A. Lees-McRae



Sandy Bott Admissions Counselor B.S. Lees-McRae

The Faculty



Lees-McRae College hosts Teacher Education conference

Division of Education



Roma Joyce Chair, Div. of Education Ed.D., UNC-Greensboro



Ita Kilbride Assoc. Prof. of Ed. Ph.D., Univ. Illinois



Celia Dalton Coordinator of the Curriculum Center

Division of Academic Advancement



Pat Smith Chair, Learning Skills B.A. Emory & Henry



Debbie Gidney Academic Adv. Supervisor A.S. Lees-McRae



Joan Williams Asst. Prof. Academic Ad. M.A. Appalachian St.



Amelia Gossett Asst. Prof. Academic Ad. M.Ed. Univ. Georgia



Karla McGinnis Asst. Prof. Academic Ad. M.A. Appalachian St.



Carolyn Bailey Asst. Prof. Academic Ad. M.Ed. Central Florida



Judy McClung Asst. Prof. Academic Ad. M.A. Wheaton College

Division of Performing Arts





Janet Speer Chair, Performing Arts Ph.D. Louisiana State



Charlotte D'Armond Assoc. Prof. Perf. Arts Ph.D. Louisiana State



James Taylor Lecturer In Music M.M. Appalachian St.

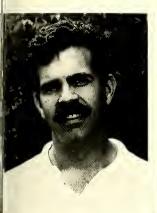


Kacy Crabtree Asst. Prof. of Dance M.F.A. UNC-Greensboro



Stephen Parrish Asst. Prof. of Music M.A. Appalachian St.

Division of Natural and Physical Sciences



Eugene Spears Chair, Div. Nat/Phys Sciences, Ph.D. Flor.



Stewart Skeate Assoc. Prof. Biology Ph.D. UF-Gainesville



Claude Pyatte Asst. Prof. Biology D.V.M. NC State



James A. Stonesifer Prof. of Biology UNC-Chapel Hill



Robin Canterbury Asst. Prof. Biology Ph.D. Clemson



Charla Rae Armitage Asst. Prof. of Biology Ph.D. Oklahoma State



Phil Teagarden Assoc. Prof. of Biology D.A. Western Colorado

Division of Social and Health Sciences





O'dell Smith Chair, Div. Social/Hlth Sciences, M. Div. Union



Roberta Cauvel Asst. Prof. Religion M.A. Presbyterian Sch.



John L. Pate Physical Education M.S. Georgia Southern



George Gunn Religion M. Div. Louisville Sem.



Janet Dixon Physical Education M.A. Gardner-Webb



Archie Smith Assoc. Prof. History M.A. Appalachian St.



Wayne Morris Asst. Prof. History Ph.D. Tennessee



David Yount Assoc. Prof. History M.A. Univ. of Vermont



Fred LaRoche Physical Education M.S. Midwestern State



John Wilson Psychology & Sociology D. Min. Union Seminary



Jack Lytton Physical Education M.A. Appalachian St.



C.E. "Fish" Gupton Physical Education M.S. Virginia Tech



Allen Speer Assoc. Prof. Pol/Science Ed.D. UNC-Greesnboro



Dwaine Greene Asst. Prof. Religion Ph.D. Univ. of Virginia



Ried Estus Physical Education M.A. Appalachian St.



J. Michael Randleman Asst. Prof. Crim/Justice J.D. Wake Forest



Mary Wilgus Assoc. Prof. History Ph.D. Vanderbilt



Rita Smith Athletic Training M.S. Appalachian St.



Gary Juhan Assoc. Prof. Sociology Ph.D. ETSU



Ken Nelson Asst. Prof. Crim/Justice M.A. Appalachian St.

Division of Math Sciences and Business Administration



Susie Sheffield Chair, Math/Sciences & Bus. Ad, M.S. App. St.



Sam A. Burton Asst. Prof. Business M.S. Univ. Tennessee



Lees-McRae Associate Professor of Business Susie Sheffield taught for the second time in Lees-McRae's Cooperative Center for Study in Britain during the 1993-94 school year. Sheffield taught Financial Reporting in the International Environment.



Jack Coffey Assoc. Prof. Business Ed.D. Highland Univ.



Samuel Travis Assoc. Prof. Math M.A. Appalachian St.



Nellie Gobble Instructor of Math M.S. East Tennessee

Not Pictured: Floyd Fuller Asso. Professor of Computer Science, M.A. Appalachian State; Xiao-Qing Meng, Associate Professor of Mathematics, Ph.D. State University of New York at Buffalo



William B. Watterson Chair, Div. Languages/Lit. &Fine Arts, M.A. App. St.



Ted Ledford Professor of English Ph.D. Ohio University

Division of Languages Literature and Fine Arts



Ruth Shomaker Asst. Prof. of French M.A. Memphis State



Carolyn Travis Assoc. Prof. of English M.A. Appalachian State



Michael E. Joslin Assoc. Prof. of English Ph.D. USC-Columbia





Philip Royall Assoc. Prof. Spanish M.A. Appalachian State

Associate Professor of English Mary White (M.A. Hofstra/M.A. Bucknell) at a college program.





Freshmen







Rebecca Abernathy Monroe



Branner Baldwin Winston-Salem

Derrick Anthony Winston-Salem



Terrance Bannister Columbia, SC



Emily Asbill High Point



Susan Barnes High Point



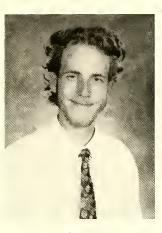
David Bailey High Point



Steve Barnette Richmond, VA



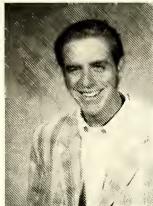
eshman Terrance Bannister gets in some computer ork at the Pittman Communications Computer Lab.



Mark Barron Springfield, VA



William Bebber Troutman



Kevin Bishop Kingsport, TN



Heather Bowman Hendersonville, TN



Patricia Boyd Charlotte



Wendy Brands Lawrenceville, GA



Johnny Brown, Jr. Fort Myers, FL



Scott Brown Raleigh



Jodi Bryant Mount Pleasant, SC



Bryan Burns Port Charlotte, FL



Alvaro Cabrera San Sebastain, Spain



Anderson Cagle Lexington



Matt Camarillo Concord



Garrett Carter Matthews



Travis Chappell Church Hill, TN



Richard Cox Littleton



Kelly Crater Charlotte



Megan Crawford Concord



Robin Christian Montgomery, AL



Tim Clipse Roan Mountain, TN



Misty Cochran Black Mountain



Dave Collier Banner Elk



Kelly Corriher Huntersville



Julia Davis Savannah, GA



Lamont Davis Spindale



Angela DeSensi Apopka, FL



Morgan Davis High Point



Mark DeVeer Dunwoody, GA



Marc DeDominicis Corpus Christi, TX



Kelly Doerr St. Petersburg, FL



Ashley Delamar Cary



Olivia Duncan Alpharetta, GA



Taylor Earman Mount Pleasant, SC





Jody Edmonds Mount Airy



John Fay Franklin



Bernard Evans Mauldin, SC



Robert Feamster Montross, VA



Heidi Evans Winston-Salem



Tate Flannigan Augusta, GA



Peter Fangmeier Charlotte



Kelly Freeman Archdale



Chritopher Frye Marion, VA



Ryan Gascoyne Rìchmond, VA



Kelly Gillenwater Lebanon, VA



Alex Gilmore Winston-Salem



Scott Griffith Breckenridge, CO



Kim Herrmann Murrells Inlet



Rebecca Harman Pfafftown



Daniel Harris Raleigh



Cary Hathcock Albemarle



Heather Hill Greensboro



Glenda Hinson Stanfield



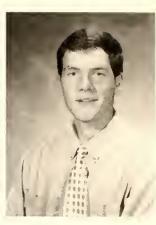
Cory Hodges Winston-Salem



Todd Hoffman Finksburg, MD



Jessica Horney Banner Elk



Kemp Houck Forest, VA



Scott Huntley Charlotte



Jamie Irby, Jr.



Mandy Jones Durham



Chris James Whittier



Ricky Jordan Waxhaw



Melissa Jenkins Lebanon, VA



Casey Joyner Yadkinville



Eric Jessup Mount Airy



Ali Kadiri Kingsport, TN



Lee Keller Denver



Jay Kis Sarasota, FL



Andrew Latham



Matt Lee Chapel Hill



Margaret Legner Cape Coral, FL



Christopher McCall Cary



Gary Lehman, Jr. Mount Juliet, TN



Pech Ly



Lisabeth Madden Mount Pleasant, SC



Melinda McClendon Douglasville, GA



Dana McCoig Gastonia



Carla McGinnis Sugar Grove



Sean McKee Blowing Rock



Kevin Milbredt Concord

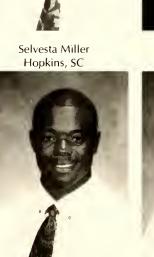


Brian Miller Lincolnton



Keith Miller Winston-Salem





Venturi Norris Charlotte



lan Mills Roanoke, VA



Terri Parris Lebanon, VA



William Mink, Jr. Abingdon, VA



Brad Parrish Winston-Salem



Casey Newberry Wilmington



Sam Pearce Loveland, OH



Elizabeth Pippin Arden



Jerald Preswood Banner Elk



Daniel Price Lebanon, VA



James Redies Harrisburg



Devin Remick Carrboro



Kimberly Rendon Sugar Grove



Marie Renner Clearbrook, VA



Jay Repass Kingsport, TN





Lloyd Roberts Cocoa, FL



Ashley Rogers DeLand, FL

Official Opening of the Avery Residence Hall Tutor Center. Attending (pictured left to right/front row) Terrance Bannister, Richard Cox, (back row) Roma Angel, Gary Chesno, Chase Warner, Roy Krege.





Leigh Rogers Jacksonville, FL



Tracy Shuford Wilmington



Matthew Rowland Durham



Jenifer Schulz Seminole, FL



Ronald Samuels Charlotte



Dennis Silver Burnsville



Amy Shirley Cliffside



M. Caldwell Smith Knoxville, TN



Edward Snyder, III Albemarle



David Speer Asheboro

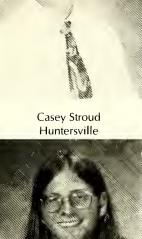


Kristoffer Stewart Duluth, GA



Gerald Stepp Hendersonville







Michael Thorne Raleigh



Ronald Stout, Jr. Durham



Jason Studybaker Fort Myers, FL



Patrick Strain Burlington



Emily Tatum Maryville, TN



Jackie Thomas Burnsville





Bert Trantham Raleigh



Eric Troutman Harrisburg



Laney Troutman Shelby



Rafis Tibbs Charlottesville, VA



Chase Warner Chapel Hill



Andy Warren Kernersville



Josh Warren Durham



Jeffrey Weaver Hickory



Rudi Williams Olney, MD





Shawn Williams Krum, TX



Christina Wiseman Port Saint Lucie, FL



Kelwin Witherspoon Turpeville, SC



DeWitt Woods Florence, SC



James Woods Winston-Salem



Mary Beth Wooten East Bend



Cynthia Wray Sylva



Felix Yamasoto Lima, Peru

to Opposite Page) Margaret Legner gets some info on "Camp Cheerio" dur-SUMMER JOB DAY at Lees-McRae. (Below) Students check out the new dinkitchen area in Baldwin Hall. (Right) Kim Herrmann runs to daylight during a football game on Earth Day.





Sophomores





Bethany Baumgardner Raleigh



Manuel Cruz Fayetteville



Mark Bennett Franklin, TN

Marcus Davis

Blacksburg, SC



Bryon Buesser Durham



Heidi Deeks Naples, FL



Karla Byrd Bakersville



Michelle Gardner Raleigh



Zack Hayes Denver



Jason Jones Elk Park



Heather Lee Prince George, VA



Rebecca Lipford Mountain City, TN



Paul Lucas Jacksonville, FL



Kim Mattox Christiansburg, VA



Gary Mayes Taylorsville



Sherry McCloud Elk Park



Members of the Organization of Afro-American Students take part in the annual Homecoming parade and entertain with a mobile street dance.



LMC Volunteers Work at Avery Corrections Center-Lees-McRae Teacher Education and Criminal Justice students made a spring trip t the Avery County Corrections Center to take part in a training session with Chaplain Bill Stewart. Front row (left to right): Kelly Garris Susan Evans, Celia Gorrell, Dr. Daniel Kamanda, Richard Cox, Michelle Lieneck. Back Row: Mike Jones, Henry Terrell, Jeff Wall.









Laura Padgett Linville

Mark McKinney Morrístown, TN

Sam Rowland Greenwood, SC

Suzanne Singletary Ahoskie







Graham Warren Charlotte







Kim Watkins Greensboro



Alexandra Zyrianova Banner Elk

Juniors



Associate Professor of History Archie Smith teaches Political Science to a class in the North Carolina Building.



Gayle Farina Baypines, FL

Joe Fluellen Hampton, VA

Mandy Gadd Matthews

Michael Haydon Shelby

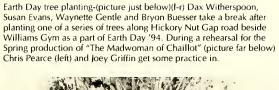
> Jennifer Hilton Kingsport, TN

Joseph Jenkins, III Matthews





Michele Monsour Thaxton, VA





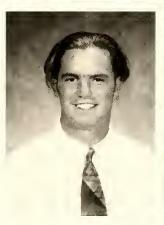


Dwayne Parker Apex





Hiltons Named LMC Parents of the Year-Lees-McRae College Junior Jennifer Hilton's parents (pict ured above left to right, Lynda, Jennifer and James Hilton) were honored during "Parents Weekend." The Hiltons are from Kinsport, TN.



Jason Pinholster Jacksonville, FL



Robin Scott Marion, VA



Libby Byrd Self Bakersville



Mitch Shelton Chester, VA



Jeff Wall Polkton



Jennifer Webb Linville





Regina Worsley Greensboro



Dax Witherspoon Knoxville, TN

Let's take a road trip to Charleston, SC, for the Citadel game ...

Seniors



William Bake Phone Home ...

Amy Ainsworth Jacksonville, FL

William Bake, III Boone

> Maris Ethridge Lithonia, GA

Waynette Gentle Kannapolis

> Noel Gressner Banner Elk

> > Vic Hall Murphy















The mail room crew featuring "wonder twin" (cast) power.



Jeffrey Harris Newland

Roger Hayes Winston-Salem

Brittany Herndon-Swain Banner Elk

Michelle Johnson Banner Elk

Todd Lacy Morrìstown, TN

Dena Moyer Clearwater, FL Lees-McRae College professor of English Dr. Ted Ledford gives special directions to senior Kristin Radebaugh during an outdoor video session. Ledford was awarded, during the Spring semester, a grant of \$6,000 by the Appalachian College Association to research and produce a broadcast quality video on four traditional artists/crafts people in the area.







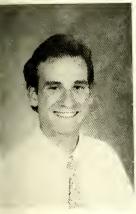


Sam Mumpower Powder Springs, GA

> Andrew Nevil Raleigh

Soko Nozawa Tokyo, Japan









Scot Pankey Lenoir

Fred Petke Kingsport, TN

Amanda Poplin Ronda





Kristin Radebaugh Lincolnton

Steve Tollie Spruce Pine



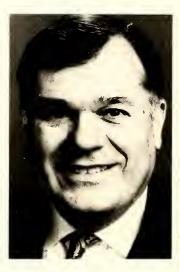
Activities

The Beginning of the Schobel Era

After a six month search and consideration of over 120 candidates, Dr. James A. Schobel was tabbed to be Lees-McRae College's eleventh president in the ninety four year existence of the school. Schobel, who recently completed his twentieth year as president of Mayville State University in North Dakota, has "all the characteristics of the president we were seeking," said Lees-McRae Board of Trustees Chairman Dr. Daniel Massie. "Our Presidential Search Committee was thrilled to announce that after months of assessment, study, research, conversation and interviews we have come to a most happy conclusion with the nomination of Dr. James A. Schobel as Lees-McRae's new president. He is a proven college president, administrator, educator, leader and churchman. We are convinced that James Schobel is the right person for this time in the life of Lees-McRae College and will lead us to new heights in the years ahead."

Schobel, an Ohio native, earned his bachelors, masters and doctorate degrees from Ohio University. He has worked in both the public and private education sectors and began his career as a research associate with the Ohio Center for Economic Education at Ohio University. A year later he was named Resident Director and Assistant to the Dean of Residence Life at Ohio University where he also served as the first fulltime graduate intern with the President. Schobel later accepted a position at Pittsburg State (KS) where he supervised residence hall programs.

Schobel then relocated to Dakota Wes-



Dr. James A. Schobel President Ph.D. Ohio University



leyan where he was Dean of Students and Assistant Professor of Economics. In 1973 Schobel became the youngest president in the North Dakota system when he took the reins at Mayville State. During his tenure at Mayville State he increased student enrollment, piloted Mayville's involvement in a computer data based management system, initiated a program of institutional advancement that resulted in a ten-fold increase in annual giving, created North Dakota's first satellite teaching network, implemented faculty development grants which more than tripled the number of doctoral degreed faculty and began a summer workshop for exceptional students.

His professional activities have include serving as chairman of the Board of Directors for the Northern Plains Consortium composed of both public and private colleges.

Upon hearing of the unanimous selection by the Search Committee and confirmation by the Board of Trustees, Schobel stated he was "eager to begin" his duties at Lees-McRae. ough Schobel didn't officially begin his duties resident of Lees-McRae until early April after 1g hired in December of the previous year, he 3ht out students on every visit to campus and maintains 40pen door" policy to the student body.



Schobel greeted the students back from the Christmas holidays as the featured speaker during Opening Convocation Ceremonies for the Spring Semester.



o have a second chance in one lifene to be called to serve and lead a disguished institution of higher educan is both an humbling experience and great responsibility. Lees-McRae is mmitted to service and true Christian inciples and offers all persons involved the college's future an unparalleled portunity to pursue the noblest of all llings — commitment of self to the rvice of others. In my vision for LeescRae and with God's calling for all to forth and do good works, willing and le students will 'Come to the Moun-

tains' not only to enjoy the beauty and inspiration of one of the nation's most beautiful campus sites, but to discover new and expanded opportunities of one's potential service to his fellow man." Schobel and his wife Jane are the parents

of four children.

Frazier Completes Interim Term as Lees-McRae President

One of the first official duties Lees-McRae College interim president Dr. David Frazier took on was being the featured speaker during Opening Convocation Ceremonies to start the 1993-94 school year. The following are excerpts from his address to students, faculty and staff entitled "Take Pride in LMC."

"I am very pleased to be here with you as your interim president for a brief period of time. Perhaps because I have been familiar with Lees-McRae and have known folk here for 30 years or so, I take exceptional pleasure in serving with you. It is my hope that everyone - every single person - in this auditorium has a special sense of pride in being here. You have a lot about which to be proud. "You have the tradition and history of the institution about which you can take pride. You should know the Edgar Tufts story of the founding of this institution. You ought to know of the personal sacrifices of the many people who have come before you. You should take pride in the beautiful, inspiring location in which this college is set. I was telling someone on the phone today that I have been on hundreds of campuses, but I've never been on a campus that had more natural beauty than Lees-McRae's. The mountain peaks reaching toward the sky inspire us onward and upward. And we feel closer to nature, to one another and to our maker." Frazier also mentioned that others, outside of the campus community, also take pride in Lees-McRae. "This institution has the respect of others, others both inside and outside of the community of higher learning. It has respect from the church for its mission and goals, and from major donors who have given millions of dollars to Lees-McRae for you. You should be proud of the leadership of the folks on this campus. These people are committed to you students. They are committed to making this institution the kind of place it should be. They are committed to giving you the best possible Christian higher education, which is important to the mission of this college.

"I don't know if I have seen more loyalty and dedication than among the faculty and staff on this campus.



Dr. S. David Frazier Interim President Ph.D. Florida State University



And you should take pride and enjoy the benefit from the sense of community and caring. It is the essence of Lees-McRae.

One student said to me, 'I stayed and graduated because the faculty cared.' And a staff member told me during my first days here that, 'There is an unusual sense of community here.' And I believe you will feel that, you will sense that after you have been here awhile.

"Students, you have the most at stake in Lees-McRae's reputation and future. You will always be a graduate or alum of this school. Today's and tomorrow's reputation will stick with you, so you should try to nurture and enhance the reputation and image of this institution."

Frazier closed by giving a few "random thoughts" to the students upon entering a new academic year. "Most good things do not come easily, or to put it in today's vernacular, 'no pain, no gain.'

"Integrity is the cornerstone of good relationships and the good life. America needs people of integrity and morality. And, early mistakes often mean permanent handicaps. So, in conclusion, these simple thoughts: life is short; death is certain; and God keeps his promises. I wish all of us a happy, successful academic journey and life this semester. God bless."



Dr. Frazier gets in a little hands-on work during his tenure at Lees-McRae painting railing on steps leading from Swank Park.

Heard on Campus: Speakers and Programs 1993-94

A Woman's Visit to Kuwait-Associate Professor of English Mary White recounted details from her trip toKuwait during LMC's "Women's Week" 1994. White, pictured right gets some assistance from senior Dena Moyer in describing the dress of Kuwaiti women.



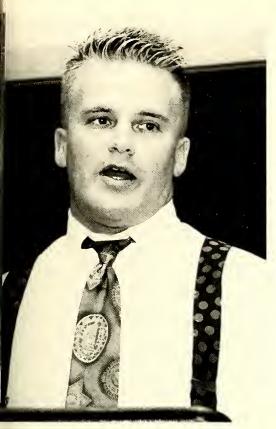
Mary Lowe-Evans Featured during LMC's Women's Week. Dr. Mary Lowe-Evans (pictured above), Associate Dean at the University of West Florida, spoke on "Women's Place in the Frankenstein Myth."



Brackin Brings Artistic Style to LMC-Boone artist Irmaly Brackin was Lees-McRae's artist in residence during Women's Week and performed (above) "Rainforest Sings Jaguar Animal and ElectricBlue Butterfly" in Evans with dancers and music.



MacLeon Covers Topics of Vi lence and Abuse. Counselor Virginia MacLeon presented to program, "Seeds of Violence: Families in Crisis," during LMC's Women's Week.





Smith Speaks at LMC Mark O'dell Smith, M.D. spoke on the subject of "Wilderness Medicine." He spoke of the challenges nature provides from a doctor's viewpoint.

LMC Grad & police officer Chandos Wiliams spoke on the subject of law enforcement.



"Desert Storm: Past/Present an Future." Lees-McRae student Jason Hatcher(pictured above) joined Mary White for an informal discussion regarding Desert Storm. Hatcherserved as a Communications Specialist during Operation Desert Storm.



k Herdklotz, CEO, Hoechst-Roussel maceutical presented "NAFTA and rond: Insights on World Trade and Global Economy" during LMC's usiness Insight Series."



Virginia Mackin, Vice President Nations-Bank Corporation presented "Work/-Family Programs: Taking Care of Families is Good for Business" during LMC's "Business Insight Series."



Earnest Deavenport, Lees-McRae trustee and CEO of Eastman Chemical Company presented "The Public's Fear of Chemicals: The Truth Behind the Media Hype" during the Business Insight Series.



Frazier Speaks at Fall Opening Convo-Lees-McRae Interim President Dr. David Frazier spoke at Opening Convocation Ceremonies for the Fall 1993 Semester. The subject for his speech was "Take Pride in Lees-McRae."



Lees-McRae "Built to Last" according to Thomas- Lees-McRae Founder's Day speaker, the Reverend Dan Thomas, took those gathered in Evans Auditorium on a trip back through the history of the college, covering both the triumphant times and the times of travail in his speech entitled "I'm with you."



"If we have but one goal at Lees-McRae College, it is to equip students to begin the journey that leads to self-actualization and service to others." -Lees-McRae College President Dr. James A. Schobel, speaking at LMC's Opening Convocation Ceremonies for the Spring Semester 1994 in Hayes Auditorium.



Kamanda Speaks at LMC- Associate Professor of Education at LMC Dr. Daniel S.M. Kamanda was the featured speaker during a program presented in recognition of February being "Black History Month." The title of Kamanda's speech was "Towards the Dream."





eaker Alan Canfora, who as shot during the Kent ate riots of 1970 spoke on tudent Activism from the 60's to the '90's."



As a part of the Staley Christian Lectureship Roger Nelson presented "The Confession of St. Patrick."

Lafferty Honored Posthumously at LMC's Founder's Day-Former LMC Dean E.L. Lafferty was honored posthumously with the 1994 Founder's Day award. Lafferty was represented at the ceremony by (pictured above left to right) his daughter, Louise Leasure, widow Sallie Lafferty and son, William Lafferty.



Legal Seminar at LMC- A legal seminar featured (pictured above left to right) Banner Elk Chief of Police Bill Burleson, Avery County Sheriff Ed Gwyn and LMC Asst. Professor of Criminal Justice Mike Randleman.

Homecoming Court 1993



Bethany Baumgardner



Shannon Taylor, a senior (pictured above left), was crowned the1993 homecoming queen during halftime ceremonies durin LMC's game against Ferrum. Brad Watson escorted Taylor.



Emily Asbill



Samantha Beckman

Mandy Gadd







Dana McCoig

Cindy Wray

Kristi DeMeritte



Misty Wilcox



Penny Ward



Kim Mattox



Shannon Taylor



1993 Homecoming Court-(front row left to right) Penny Ward, Shannon Taylor, Samantha Beckman, (back row) Kim Mattox, Cindy Wray, Emily Asbill, Misty Wilcox, Dana McCoig, Bethany Baumgardner, Mandy Gadd, (not pictured) Kristi DeMeritte.

Student Clubs and Organizations



STUDENT ACTIVITIES BOARD-(left to right, front row) Melessa Roney, Gayle Farina (middle) Meg Dutnell, Ginny Worsley, Gary Chesno, (back) William Suber, John Angel.



STUDENT GOVERNMENT ASSOCIATION-(left to right, front row) Alana Hill, Erica Pratt, Dena Moyer, Christine Padovano, Tracey Fox, Kim Mattox, (second row) Kama Roberts, Kristi DeMeritte, Jena Schulz, Katie Franson, Waynette Gentle, Leigh Smith, Mandy Gadd, (back row) Kris Stewart, Clint Carraway, Paul Stephenson, Gary Chesno, Shawn Williams (not pictured) Mandy Poplin, Terrance Bannister.





STUDENTS AGAINST A VANISHING ENVIRON-MENT (front/l-r) Heather Lee, Berta Cauvel (sponsor), (back) Fred Petke, Mike Stimpson, Josh McLamb.

rth Day Goings On- During LMC's 1994 Earth Day Fred Petke eft) plants a tree with the help of Casey Joyner (right).





Organization of African-Americans: (front) Roger Hayes, Sponsor Dr. Daniel Kamanda, Charles McFadden, Lamont Calhoun, (back) Henry Terrell, Marcus Davis, Kareem Epps, Eric Bryan, Wardell Cooper.

STUDENT AMBASSADORS-(front) Sponsor Mary Ann Abrusci, Emily Davis, Christine Padovano, Kathy Langevin, Amanda Shoaf, Heather Hìghman, Clarissa Kussin, Noel Barnwell, (back) Dax Witherspoon, William Bake, Jonathan Caine, Josh McLamb, Gary Chesno, Paul Stephenson, Todd Lacy, Troy McCormick, Carter Todd.

OT HALLOWEEN CARNIVAL







(TOP PHOTO) Director of Alumni Affairs Geoff Hurdle looks for his fortune (MIDDLE) Director of Intramurals/Activities Todd Gambill auctions off items with the help of Misty Wilcox (left) and Fred Petke (right) (BOTTOM) Marshmellow Men Dax Witherspoon (left) and William Bake (right) patrol the Order of the Tower Halloween Carnival.





(TOP PHOTO) Assistant Professor of Business Sam Burton takes in the sights with daughter Cindy (BOTTOM PHOTO) Quinn Adams, daughter of Director of Development Guy Adams, gets a lift from student Erick Bayne.



KING AND QUEEN of Spring Formal Dax Witherspoon and Susan Evans.



Candidates for 1994 LMC Spring Formal Queen: Lori Eichler, Waynette Gentle, Leigh Smith, Bethany Baumgardner, Mia Feliciano, Dena Moyer, Mandy Poplin, Susan Evans, Miki LaMonte. King candidates: Scot Hill, Jeff Wall, Dax Witherspoon, Andy Wilson, Gary Chesno, Mike Osterink, Mike Jones, Curt Fisher, Joe Jenkins, Richard Cox.

Performing Arts DANCE



LMC Art Instructor Barbara Timberman (pictured above left) gets in some serious hoofing with Asst. Professor of Business Sam Burton (right) during a Lees-McRae Dance Concert.







ESPIRIT La DANCE-(front row) Suzanne Singletary, Bethany Baumgardner, Anjanette Eckenrod, Emily Asbill, Kelly Freeman, (back) Heather Highman, Mindy Davidson, Jason Hatcher, Emily Grisham, Olivia Duncan. NEBRASKA!-Lees-McRae College senior Brad Watson is captured in the photo at left during the Spring Dance Concert in Hayes Auditorium. "Nebraska" was choreographed by LMC Chair of the Division of Performing Arts Dr. Janet Speer.



Lees-McRae junior Waynette Gentle kicks up her heels during a solo clogging routine during a dance concert.

Performing Arts One-Act Plays















One-Acts at LMC (pictured clockwise from center spread) "A Pair of Lunatics" starred Joey Griffin (left) and Penny Henderson (right), "Love Course" starring Brad Watson (left) and Shannon Taylor (right), "Single and Proud" starring David Magid, Rebecca Beaston, Amy Wilson and Genie Gunn, "Trial By Jury" starring Todd Morgan (left) and Brittany Herndon-Swain (right), and the "Land of Counterpane" starring Christina Wiseman, Gerry Stepp, Melody Wiley and Kelly Garrison. Not Pictured a Children's Theatre play "Snow White and the Seven Dwarfs" directed by Misty Wilcox. "Snow White" starred Matt Handley, Bethany Baumgardner and Marsi Hellard.

LMC GOES "INTO THE WOODS"

The first offering of the 1993-94 Lees-McRae College Performing Arts academic season was the musical "Into the Woods."

"Into the Woods" is a musical that features well known fairy tale characters and story lines that interweave and interact with each other. Fairytales such as Little Red Riding Hood, Cinderella, Jack and the Beanstalk, Rapunzel, alone with the Baker and his wife and the wicked witch.





"Into the Woods" (left to right) (front) Brad Watson, Jodi Bost, (back) Gene Sexton, Burlene Ness, Allyson Lowe, Tim Reynolds.

EXTREMITIES

The story of a taunting rapist who terrorizes a young woman in her home until she turns the tables on him is the basis of the "Extremities" story. "This is a very provocative play, somewhat unusual for LMC, yet a play we think is very much in keeping with the college's mission," said Dr. Janet Speer, LMC Chair of Performing Arts. "Part of our mission is to bring issues out into the open, and the issue of violence against women will be one that's with us for a long time."

Performing Arts ENTERTAINMENT

LMC Presents "Madwoman of Chaillot" The classic french comedy "The Madwoman of Chaillot" hit the stage during the Spring of 1994. Lees-McRae Associate Professor of Performing Arts Dr. Charlotte D'Armond called "Madwoman" "a great opportunity for our students to engage in a marvelous and diverse array of characters." The play has a kind of fantastic, bigger than life nature to it and the theme we've interwoven into it during rehearsal is: Nothing is as it seems."

The play was written by Frenchman Jean Giraudoux in 1948. Pictured at right (left) Brad Watson and (right) Tina Smith.





The Chorus-(front row/l-r) Burlene Ness, Suzanne Singletary, Brittany Herndon-Swain, Erin Mannion, (middle) Angela St. Clair, Andrea Mullins, Ronnie Brown, Katarina Vojvodic, Jen Moody, (back) Shannon Taylor, John Williams, Todd Morgan, Derrick Anthony.





The jolly old elf makes a visit on stage during the annual Lees-McRae Candlelight Christmas Show.



(ABOVE) The few of the song and dance troupe The Highlanders share a microphone during a performance. (BELOW) The championship Clogging team kicks up some dust during a Homecoming wkd. show.



Baccalaureate & Graduation

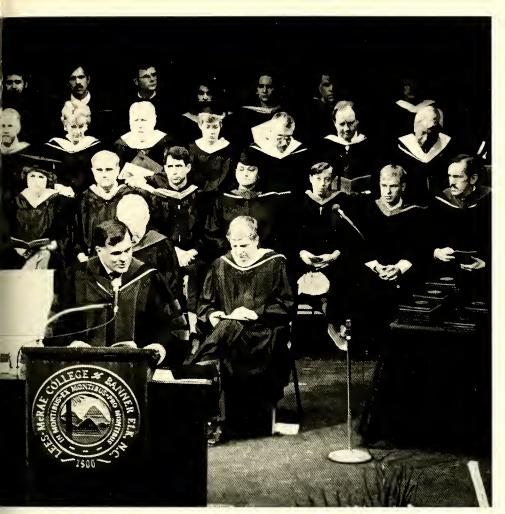


Dietzel Speaks to LMC Graduates Renowned coach, educator and Lees-McRae College Trustee, Paul Dietzel encouraged the 81 members of the graduating class at Lees-McRae to "be champions" in their lives in his commencement speech. Outgoing Dean Jim Stonesifer was honored at the conclusion of the ceremony for his 22 years of service to the college as Dean.





The Graduation Grip-These Lees-McRae College seniors have a firm grip on their diplomas just moments after crossing the stage. (I-r) William Bake, Noel Barnwell and Samantha Beckman.

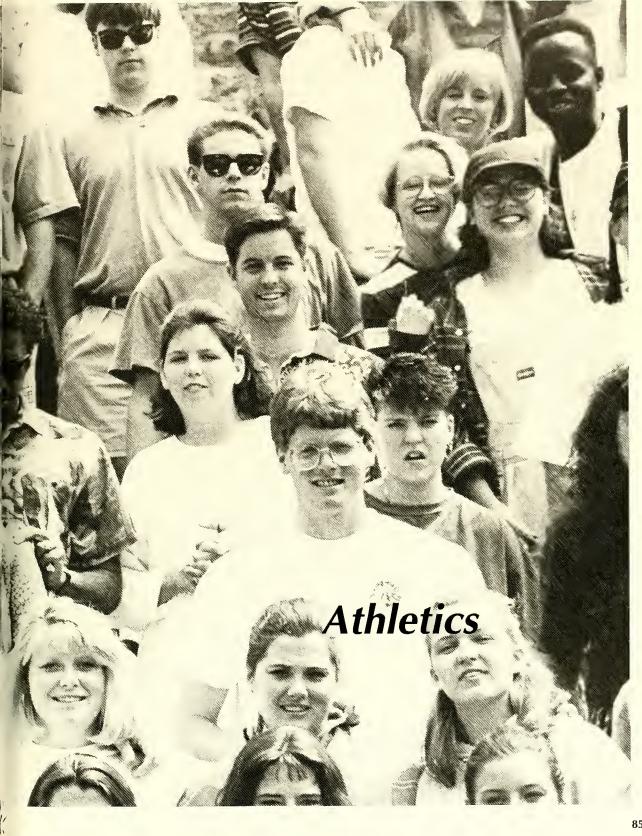




Schobel Presides Over First Lees-McRae Graduation-Dr. James A. Schobel presided over his first Lees-McRae College graduation as the college held its 64th commencement exercises.

Hollandsworth Delivers LMC Baccalaureate Sermon-The Reverend Ned Hollandsworth referred to the words of the Apostle Paul, "Help carry one another's burdens and this way you will obey the laws of Christ," in opening his sermon. Hollandsworth, who is the pastor of the First Presbyterian Church of Morristown, Tennessee, is a current Lees-McRae College Trustee.

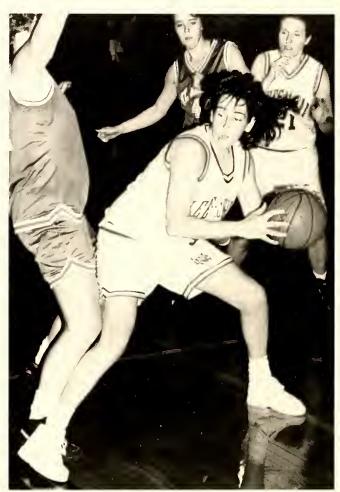




Record Setters

ROBIN SCOTT JR. CENTER

- *Carolinas Conference Player and Female Athlete of the Year. *Only player in LMC history with 1,000 career points and rebounds. *NAIA National Player of the Week (2-21-94). *Carolinas Conference
- Player of the Week four times.
- *NAIA National Defensive player of the week (2 times) by Hanson's Gazette.
- *Carolinas Conference All-Tournament and MVP.
- *Led Nation (NAIA) in rebounding (16.8 rbpg). *Second in nation (NAIA)
- in scoring (26.7 ppg). *Led Carolinas Conferencein scoring, rebounding, and FT percentage.
- *Own or shares 20 All-Time Lees-McRae records including: Most Points in a Game-
- 44;
- Most Rebounds in a Game- 31.



LAMONT CALHOUN, SENIOR QUARTERBACK

Calhoun surpassed the following records during his senior season in 1993 including: Most Career Passing Yards (2,749); Most Career Passing Attempts (400); Most Career Passing Completions (191); Most Pass Attempts One Game (41). Calhoun also placed second in Total Offense for One Game with 320 total yards against Lambuth.







JON MOORE, SENIOR RECEIVER

Bobcat wide receiver Jon Moore added his name to the Lees-McRae record books in 1993 with following marks: Most Career Yards Receiving (1,368); Best Career Yds. Per Catch Avg. (21.0); Most Career Receptions (65); Most Career Kickoff Returns (69); Most Kickoff Return-Yardage Career (1,542); Best Kickoff Return Avg. Season (24.2); Best Kickoff Return Avg. Career (22.3).



JOEY MORRIS, SOPHOMORE GUARD

Morris broke out of the gate quickly during her sophomore season and tied a Lees-McRae record for three pointers in a game with 7 against Barton. She tied the LMC record with Robin Scott for Most Free Throws Made in a Season with 182. Morris had a career best 37 points against Francis Marion. She ranked 9th nationally in scoring (23.1 ppg.), and finished second in the Carolinas Conference in scoring, second in FT percentage, third in steals and fifth in assists. Named All-CIAC.

Women's Basketball

1993-94 Schedule

Lees-Mc	Rae d	Opponents
89	Chowan	61
83	F. Marion	74
94	Milligan	68
84	Voorhees	66
73	B. Abbey	80
96	High Point	72
63	N. Georgia	57
76	8. Abbey	70
75	8arton	80
76	M. Olive	85
69	Pfeiffer	74
95	Coker	74
75	St. Andrew	s 56
71	8. Abbey	67
61	High Point	62
96	Pfeiffer	80
75	St. Andrew	s 59
109	Barton	68
71	Coker	82
119	Chowan	61
84	Voorhees	88
95	Newberry	69
73	USC-Spart.	92
CONFER	ENCE TÒURI	VAMENT
90	8. Abbey	86
93	8arton	86
86	M. Olive	82
NATION	AL TOURN	AMENT
57	SW Okla.	79

FINAL RECORD: 19-10





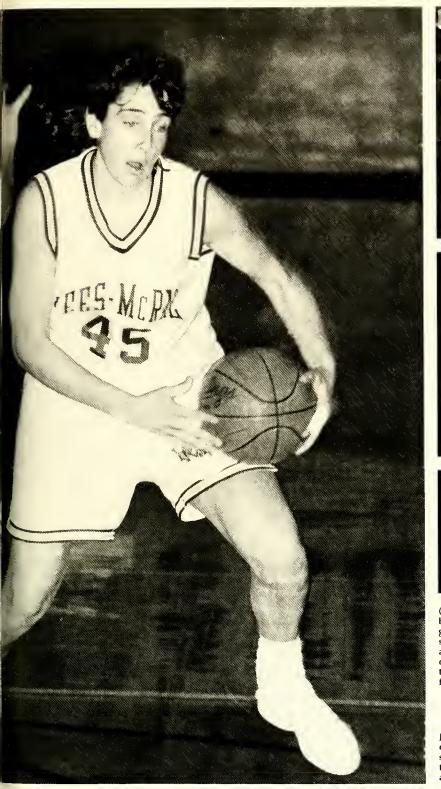
(TOP) Joey Morris drives the lane for a lay up. (ABOVE LEFT) Elizabeth Pippin makes a move off of the dribble. (RIGHT) Karla Byrd looks inside.



The 1993-94 Lady Bobcats (left to right) (front row) Misty Cochran, Sherry McCloud, Heidi Deeks, Karla Byrd, Elizabeth Pippin, (back) Head Coach Janet Dixon, Joey Morris, Melonye Trivett, Rohin Scott, Stacy Lamb, Student Assistant Lori Eichler, statistician Libby Byrd-Self.













(TOP) Sherry McCloud breaks for the baseline. (MIDDLE) Melonye Trivett grabs a rebound from her forward spot and puts the ball back up for a basket. (BOTTOM) Heidi Deeks seals off her opponent and helps set up the Lady Bobcats' devastating full-court pressure.

Junior Robin Scott (pictured left) opened her game up during the 1993-94 season and provided an extra weapon to the already potent Lady Bobcat attack by adding an outside shot.

Men's Soccer

1993 SEASON RESULTS				
Lees-McRae	Opponents			
4	C. Wesleyan			
0	Catawba			
1	Erskine			
0	Lander			
0	High Point			
0	Mount Olive			
1	Barton			
1	King			
0	St. Andrews			
4	Piedmont			
2	L. Memorial			
1	Coker			
0	L. Rhyne			
2	Pfeiffer			
0	Tusculum			
2	Milligan			
0	Wingate			
2	B. Abbey			
CONFERENCI	E TOURNAMENT			
0	B. Abbey			

FINAL RECORD: 4-14-1



(BELOW) Casey Joyner moves the ball in Belmont Abbey traffic.





1993 Bobcats (front row/left to right): David Guy, Mike Ray, Keith Sutton, Carter Todd, Curtis Fisher, Matt James, (back row) Head Coach Fred LaRoche, Chad Smyre, Scott Huntley, Kevin Renz, Paul Lucas, Brendan O'Donnell, Matt Simpson, Casey Joyner, Patrick Garmon, Asst. Coach Ben Helton. (not pictured) Felix Yamasoto.







(LEFT) Sophomore Carter Todd gets set to send the ball deep into the opponent's territory from his midfield position. (ABOVE) Team MVP junior Chad Smyre looks to advance the ball across the field. (BELOW) Junior David Guy puts some pace on the ball.



BOVE) Sophomore Felix Yamasoto eyes a passing lane at midfield. RIGHT) Freshman Matt James uses his speed to outrun an opponent to the ball.

Tennis

	1994 TENNIS	
Lees-McRae		Opponent
2	Barton	7
5	B. Abbey	4
8	Tusculum	1
4	St. Andrews	5
3	Pfeiffer	5
2	Barber-Scotia	7
4	Newberry	3
6	C. Newman	1
7	Roanoke Coll.	2
0	Barber-Scotia	7
5	UNC-Asheville	4
9	Lenoir-Rhyne	0
4	Coker	5
6	V. Intermont	3
3	High Point	6
9	Mount Olive	Õ

FINAL RECORD:

9-7

1994 TENNIS ROSTER

Jason Pinholster Felix Yamasoto Steve Phouangphrachanh **Max Gonzales** Luke Gravitte **Charlie Zeigler Michele Monsour Mandy Poplin**

(RIGHT) Sophomore Steve Phouangphrachanh lifts off during the backhand.





(LEFT) Sophomore Felix Yamasoto, who also played varsity soccer for the Bobcats draws a bead on a forehand return. (ABOVE)



The Lees-McRae College tennis team finished the 1994 season by winning two of the last three matches and finishing a respectable fourth at the Carolinas Conference Tournament. The Bobcats had two players, senior Charlie Zeigler and freshman Max Gonzales, reach the finals of the singles competition of the CIAC tourney, but only the doubles team of Felix Yamasoto and Luke Gravitte won in the championship round as the pair won the number two doubles flight and were named to the All-District team. (LEFT) Head Coach Charles E. "Fish" Gupton hands out the coveted "Butt-Fish" award.



(FAR LEFT) Senior Jason Pinholster leans into a forehand. (LEFT) Argentinian freshman Max Gonzales whips a backhand cross court. (BELOW) Senior Charles Zeigler goes up for a tall forehand return.



phomore Luke Gravitte cks his shot on the follow rough.

1993 SEASON

Lees-McRae		Opponent
0	Webber	2
0	Queens	3
0	Covenant	
0	Tusculum	2
1	Belmont Abbey	2 2 3
0	High Point	3
0	Tusculum	3
0	Pfeiffer	3
2	Limestone	3
		3
1	Barton	
3	Coker	1
0	St. Andrews	3
3	MonAnderson	
0	Pfeiffer	3
0	C. Southern	3
0	Barton	3
1	Coker	3
0	St. Andrews	3
3	Columbia	0
2	Mount Olive	3
0	Mount Olive	3
0	High Point	3
0	Queens	3
1	Lenoir-Rhyne	2
3	B. Abbey	1
	E TOURNAMEN	т
0	St. Andrews	. 3
FINAL RECO	RD: 4-22	-

Volleyball



(RIGHT) Freshman Margaret Legner goes on the attack with a kill attempt. (BELOW RIGHT) Sophomore outside hitter Christie Simonds gets ready to set up a teammate. (BELOW) Head Coach Charles E. "Fish" Gupton gives some instruction during an outdoor preseason practice.







Lady Bobcats "Dig" a win against Montreat-Anderson Junior Kristen Surber goes deep to keep the ball alive during the Lady Bobcats' win over Montreat. Teammate Christie Simonds looks on in the background. Surber was the Team MVP and Simonds received the Coach's Award. (LEFT) Deanna Magaw (far left) and Becky Abernathy stuff a dink attempt. (BELOW) Magaw, a junior outside hitter was pressed into doing some setting for the Lady Bobcat Spikers during the season.



Men's Basketball

1993-94 SEASON

Lees-McRae	JJ- J4 JEAJO	Opponents
67	C. Newman	93
70	Presbyterian	67
59	Mars Hill	95
79	Catawha	73
63	8. Abbey	59
65	Elon	74
73	Mount Olive	. 79
72	Queens	81
85	St. Andrews	75
97	St. Leo	96
79	8. Abbey	65
71	8arton	69
59	Mount Olive	. 89
65	St. Andrews	70
65	Mars Hill	85
79	High Point	63
70	Pfeiffer	84
80	G. Webb	83
74	Barton	76
64	Coker	69
92	Catawba	95
79	St. Andrews	65
69	Pfeiffer	83
52	High Point	88
75	Coker	72
87	USC-Spart.	79

CONFERENCE TOURNAMENT

94	Mount Olive	92	
83	Pfeiffer	86	
FINAL R	ECORD:	12-16	

(BELOW) Lees-McRae's lone senior Vic Hall was recognized before his last home game with a portrait photo signed by all of his team mates. Hall was joined by his parents Mary and Roscoe Hall.



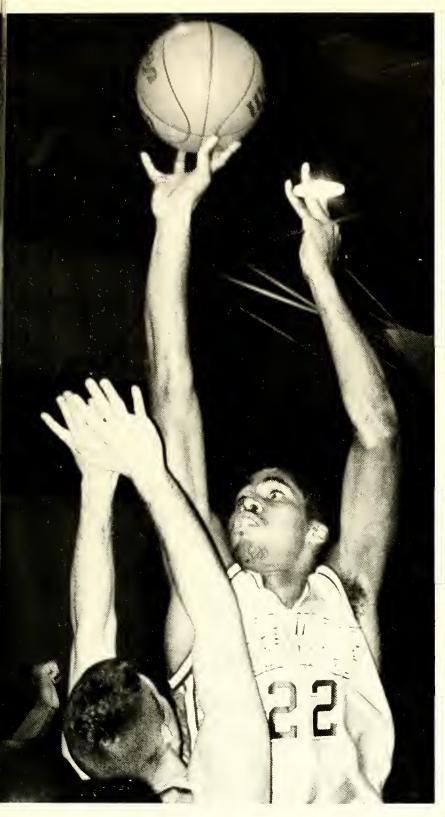
(RIGHT) Ereshman Ken Clarke stretches upward to get his shot off. (BELOW) The 1993-94 Bobcats (front row/left to right) Vic Hall, Dane Barker, 8rian Kyzer, Kelvin England, Gary Mayes, Andy Wilson, Gerry Coon, Ken Clarke (Back row) Manager Blair Chambers, Head Coach Jack Lytton, Alphonso Keaton Jr., Ian Lockwood, Matt Treski, Scott King, Jamie 8ell.



(BELOW) Junior guard Andy Wilson lays one on the glass just beyond the outstretched hands on an opponent.











(TOP RIGHT) Alphonso Keaton rises above a double team. (ABOVE) Lytton cheers his charges on during a game.



(LEFT) Junior transfer Jamie Bell pictured right at liftoff. Bell, who stands just 6'2, constantly outrebounded and outscored opponents in the pivot. (RIGHT) Sophomore Matt Treski finds the range from the baseline.

Women's Soccer

1993 SEASON

Lees-McRa	ie	Opponent	Lees-	McRae	Opponent
3	Centre	0	7	LaGrange	0
2	L. Wilson	1	1	Huntington	1
1	G. Webb	1	0	High Point	0
5	Tusculum	0	9	Pfeiffer	0
5	C. Newman	2	0	Coker	1
4	T. Wesleyar	n 0	2	Erskine	0
0	Lynn	3	2	Charleston	0
1	Berry	5			
4	Wingate	0	CON	FERENCE TOURNA	MENT
1	St. Andrews	. 0			
7	Chowan	1	2	High Point	0
1	Queens	4	1	Coker	2

FINAL RECORD: 13-5-3





(ABOVE RIGHT) CIAC Freshman of the year Stacy Lamb gets set to blast a penalty kick. (RIGHT) Erica Pratt advances the ball past an opponent.



1993 Lady Bobcats (front row/left to right) Tanya Naumann, Dena Moyer, Erica Pratt, Heather Bowman, Maris Ethridge, Kim Watkins, Laura Mizell, Alana Hill, (back row) Head Coach Ried Estus, Traine Scot Hill, Kama Roberts, Ashley Rogers, Kristi DeMeritte, Leigh Smith, Stacy Lamb, Angie DeSesni, Melinda McClendon, Kim Herrman.



(ABOVE) Angie DeSesni works the ball from midfield. (BELOW) Dena Moyer clears the ball out of the back.





(LEFT) Senior Leigh Smith goes up above the crowd to head the ball into goal during a corner kick. (ABOVE) Kristi DeMeritte turns the corner on her opponent.



Football

1993 Season

Lees-McRae	Opponent	
31	Newport News	31
29	Gardner-Webb	34
28	Wingate	45
16	Ferrum	13
7	The Citadel	62
13	Wofford	46
17	Charleston S.	24
61	Lambuth	42
24	Newberry	27
40	Chowan	21
SEASON RECORD:		3-6-1



(ABOVE RIGHT) Freshman Joel Hawk comes off of the field after a successful defensive series. (RIGHT) Alex Watson (LEFT) and fellow linebacker Robert Horn check the sidelines for a signal while catching a breather.





1993 Coaching Staff (left to right/ front row) Sam Mumpower, Tom Nelson, Steve Letnich, Brad Almon, (back) Randall Bentley, Todd Knight, Head Coach John Pate, Tony Byers.



BOVE) Quarterback Travis Hyatt rolls left with the option of e run or the pass with interference provided by tailback ma Nightingale. (RIGHT) Wide receiver Marcus "Lope" Davis ecks the line of scrimmage with the side judge before e snap of the ball.





(TOP PHOTO) Defensive end Jason Brewer talks over sideline strategy. (ABOVE) The training staff for 1993-94 (front row/left to right) Leslie Smith, Head Trainer Rita Smith, Ginny Worsley, Troy McCormick, (back row) Noel Gressner, Scot Hill, Wendy Hurd, Melinda McClendon, Leigh Rogers, Scott Brown.





Senior wide receiver Jon Moore looks for running room with a reception against Newport News Apprentice. Moore set several offensive records in '93.



DEFENSIVE LINE (right to left/front row) Brian Temple, Casey Stroud, Daniel Harris, Wardell Cooper, Terrance Bannister, Kelvin Johnson, (back) Coach Tony Byers, Mike Jones, Joe Brotzman, Selvesta Miller, Jaye DeRienzo, Tim Baird, Anthony Haire, Jason Brewer, Coach Sam Mumpower.





(LEFT) Sophomore running back Rama Nightingale led the Bobcats in rushing with 556 yards. (RIGHT) Managers (l-r) Devin Remick, Dax Witherspoon, Cary Hathcock.







(TOP PHOTO) The '93 Seniors visit the "black hole." (ABOVE) Senior tackle Roger Conkin sets up pass blocking coverage. (LEFT) Members of the defensive unit help out the referees as to the possession of the fumble. (BELOW) 1993-94 Cheerleaders (left to right) Ashley Livengood, Marie Renner, Heather Highman, Jennifer Hilton, Kelley Corriher, Cynthia Wray, Vanessa Taylor, Julie Powell.







RECEIVERS/QUARTERBACKS (front/l-r) Charles McFadden, Coach Steve Letnich, Brian Prowant, (middle) Travis Chappell, Marcus Davis, Lamont Calhoun, Jon Moore, (back) Chris Thomas, Ronnie Cain, Shannon Church, Willis Knight, Travis Hyatt.



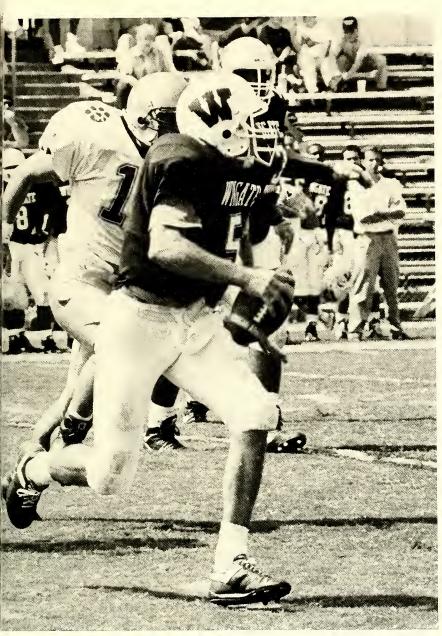
DEFENSIVE SECONDARY (front row/l·r) Joel Hawk, Carlos Brandon, Frank Stevenson, Eric Jeffries, (back) Johnny Brown, Qiane Hale, Lamont Davís, Coach Brad Almon, Derek Hammock, Joe Fluellen.



OFFENSIVE LINE (front row/l-r) Billy Icenhour, Kevin Benfield, John Fullwood, Steve Barnette, (back) Chris Gentry, Kelwin Witherspoon, Jamie Irby, Coach Randall Bentley, Jeff Wall, Roger Conkin.



(ABOVE) Freshman linebacker Pernell Oliver draws a bead on a Wingate signal-caller during the 1993 season.

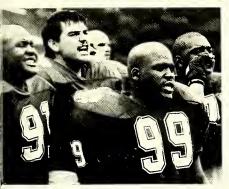




TE's (front) Donday Warner, (back) Henry Terrell, Coach Tom Nelson, Mike Morton.



(ABOVE) Freshman back Tìm Clipse ran for a 50 yard TD in 2nd collegiate carry.



(LEFT) Sideline encouragement comes from (l-r) Terrance Bannister, Tim Baird, Kelvin Johnson and Jeff Wall.

Golf/Skiing Cross-Country Intramurals

The 1993-94 LMC Alpine Ski Team consisted of Sean McKee, Chad Smyre, Jon Tennant, Gary Chesno, Kim Rendon, Ashley Brittain, and Tracy Shuford.

> (ABOVE) Jon Tennant clears a gate during a race at Ski Beech. Tennant's best '94 finish was an 8th at a Ski Hawksnest GS.



The '93-94 Ski Team had as its best result a pair of second place finishes at Ski Hawksnest early in the year. (RIGHT) Coach's Award winner and regional qualifier Sean McKee is pictured next to Coach Scott Ballard at the award's banquet.



(LEFT) Golf Team plays with famous alum-Touring pro J.C. Snead ('62) took part in the 1993 Booster Club **Golf Tournament** and played with members of the Bobcat Golf Team. (I-r) Tommy Thomas, Clint Carraway, Boyd Perry ('62), J.C. Snead ('62), Charlie Drumm ('52), Tyler Hunter, Jay **Repass, Don Baker** ('57). Carraway led the '94 team with a top 8 finish in the Gane Invitational at Pembroke State. Coach J. Lytton.



BOVE)CROSS-COUNTRY: The top obcat finisher at the CIAC Champinships with a top 20 result and team IVP was Noel Gressner (w/coach Jack ytton).





Men's Intramural BB winners: (I-r) Joe Fluellen, Mike Jones, Charles McFadden, Rama Nightingale, Jeff Wall, Lamont Calhoun, Bernard Evans, Brad Mettee, Marcus Davis.

Women's Intramural BB Winners (I-r) Coach Erica Pratt, Angie DeSensi, Heather Bowman, Leigh Smith, Dreama Pullon, Marie Lytton, Melissa Jenkins, and Mandy Poplin.



Honors/Accolades



Who's Who

Among Students in American Universities and Colleges

Waynette Gentle





Charlie Zeigler

Li Liu

Dena Moyer



Lamont Calhoun





Soko Nozawa



Christie Stringer

Steve Tollie





Fred Petke

Vic Hall

Emily Davis



Thirty-Fifth Annual Honors and Awards Held at Lees-McRae





Sullivan Awards (I-r) Counselor Sharon Coutant (presenter) Waynette Gentle, Asst. Professor of Religion Berta Cauvel, Fred Petke, Asst. Professor of Religion Dr. Dwaine Greene, (back) Assoc. Professor of History David Yount (presenter).

ABOVE) Edgar Tufts Faculty Award winner Larry shook (left) with Vice President for Academic Affairs Jim Stonesifer (right).



Special Recognition (I-r) Roger Hayes, Susan Evans, Katie Franson, Sherry McCloud, Asst. Professor of Religion Dr. Dwaine Greene, ARA Food Services Director Dave Menzel.



Academic Awards (front/l-r) Tom Lambeth, Li Liu, Sherry Burleson, Tammy Clark, Michelle Johnson, (back) Qiane Hale, Carol King, John Carter.



Athletic Awards (I-r) Vice President for Student Services and Athletics Dr. Gary Juhan (presenter), Lamont Calhoun, Leigh Smith, Clint Carraway.



Board of Trustees Scholarship winners Luke Gravitte (left) and Emily Davis (right) are shown above with Trustee Dr. Carter Wiseman.



Scholarship winners (front row/l-r) Gayle Farina, Sherry McCloud, Rezeil Johnson, Sasha Zyrianova, Emily Davis, Misty Wilcox, Marsi Hellard, Laney Troutman, (back) Laura Padgett, Carol King, Luke Gravitte, Joe Magid, Max Gonzales, Kama Roberts, Robin Scott, Shawn Williams.

> Donna Brady (left) was inducted as SGA President by Waynette Gentle (right)





.C. Evans Jr. Fidelity Award winner oger Hayes (left) with presenter VP for cademic Affairs Jim Stonesifer.



PTK Outstanding Educator winner Dr. Charlotte D'Armond with PTK president and presenter Luke Gravitte.



Neron Wilson Math Award winner Carol King (left) with presenter Ms. Nevada Wilson.



Teacher Education Special Recognition Awards (I-r) Mike Stimpson, Assoc. Professor of Education and Master of Ceremonies Dr. Ita Kilbride, Patty Kincaid (Avery County Schools), and Chairperson of the Division of Education Dr. Roma Angel.





Lewis Hall Scholarship winner Penny Ward with Order of the Tower president William Bake.

Athletic Awards (front row/l-r) Lamont Calhoun, Chad Smyre, Sean McKee, Karla Byrd, Dena Moyer, Leigh Smith, Clint Carraway, (back) Charlie Zeigler, Mandy Poplin, Robin Scott, Joey Morris.



Performing Arts Awards (front row/l-r) Alyson Lowe, Brittany Herndon Swain, Waynette Gentle, Jen Moody, (back) Gene Sexton, Tim Reynolds, Brad Watson.

Fred I. Dickerson Awards, Lamont Calhoun, Leigh Smith; Performing Arts Awards: Clogging, Waynette Gentle; Technical Theatre, Brad Watson; Theatre Performance, Tim Reynolds, Alyson Lowe; Music, Brittany Herndon-Swain; Dance, Gene Sexton; **Overall Performance, Brad Wat**son, Jen Moody. Academic Excellence: Art, Kristen Radebaugh, Qiane Hale; English, Tammy Clark; Communications, John Carter; Neron Wilson Math Award, Carol King; Business, Sherry Burleson; J.B. Pritchett Science Award, Li Liu.

Criminal Justice, Michelle Lieneck; Social Science, Michelle Johnson; History, Tom Lambeth; **Religious Studies Tom Lambeth.** Scholarships: E.L. Lafferty Science, Troy McCormick; Student Ambassadors, Noel Barnwell, Emily Davis; Dr. Gary Juhan **Res-idence Life, Gayle Farina;** Pat Smith Academic Advancement, Rezeil Johnson, Max Gonzales; Alumni Council, Laney Troutman: Tim Weatherman Memorial, Jon Tennant; Lewis Hall, Penny Ward; DKG Society, Laura Padgett; Margaret Tufts Neal, Carol King;

The Order of the Tower assisted the administration of Lees-McRae College in the presentation of the Thirty-Fifth Annual Honors and Awards program. Mr. William Bake, Tower President, and Ms. Donya Price, Vice President presided. Dr. Ita Kilbride, Assoc. Professor of Education, was the master of ceremonies. Mr. O'dell Smith, Chair of the Division of Social and Health Sciences, delivered the invocation. Athletic Awards: Women's Basketball MVP, Robin Scott and Joey Morris, Coach's Award, Karla Byrd; Men's Basketball MVP, Jamie Bell, Coach's Award Vic Hall; Golf MVP, Clint Carraway, Coach's Award Tommy Thomas; Cross Country MVP, Noel Gressner; Football MVP, Lamont Calhoun, Defensive Coach's Award, Alex Watson, Offensive Coach's Award Chris Gentry; Skiing Coach's Award, Sean McKee; Men's Soccer MVP, Chad Smyre, Coach's Award Paul Lucas; Women's Soccer MVP, Leigh Smith, Coach's Award Dena Moyer; Volleyball MVP, Kristen Surber, Coach's Award Christie Simonds; Tennis MVP, Charles Zeigler; Coach's Award, Mandy Poplin; Alesia Ann Albritton Award, Ellen Sanders; Outstanding SR Athletes, Clint Carraway and Leigh Smith.



E.L. Lafferty Scholarship recipient Troy McCormick (left) with presenter Mr. Will Lafferty.



Margaret Tufts Neal Scholarship recipient Carol King with presenter Division of Education Chair Dr. Roma Angel.

Board of Trustees Leadership, Luke Gravitte, Emily Davis; Beta Tau, Sasha Zyrianova, Emily Davis, Misty Wilcox, Marsi Hellard.

Col. and Mrs. Paul M. Callahan Memorial Scholarships: Calvin Lindsey Award, Shawn Williams; Jack "Pap" Martin, Kama Roberts; John A. McConnell, Luke Gravitte; Ralph "Tony" Soverel, Joe Magid; Preston Peter Wolfe, Laura Padgett; John Mackorell, Robin Scott.

Special Recognition Awards: Resident Asst. of the Year, Susan Evans; SGA Outstanding Officer, Katie Franson; Teacher Education, Mike Stimpson, and Patty Kincaid (accepting for Avery County Schools); First Lady's Teacher Ed. Award, Roger Hayes; Bradford L. Crain Award, Sherry McCloud.

Sullivan Awards (national awards given to individuals who, by their general conduct and relations with others, indicate they possess to a marked degree a spirit of the beauty and valueof the intangible elements of life): Waynette Gentle, Fred Petke, Roberta Cauvel, Dwaine Greene. The H.C. Evans Jr. Fidelity Award given to the student considered the best all-around: Roger Hayes. Faculty, administration and staff members receiving awards included: Charlotte D'Armond, Roberta Cauvel, Dwaine Greene, Larry Shook and Dave Menzel.

Ten Avery County students were honored at Honors and Awards. The list includes: Sherry Burleson; John Carter; Tammy Clark; Brittany Herndon Swain; Michelle Johnson; Joe Magid; Sherry McCloud; Laura Padgett; Jon Tennant; and Penny Ward. Following the awards ceremonies, a reception hosted by the Order of the Tower, was held for the honorees, faculty, staff and administration.



Jamie Bell All-CIAC



Robin Scott KODAK All-American



Joey Morris KODAK All-American



Kama Roberts NAIA All-American



Leigh Smith NAIA All-American Scholar



Stacy Lamb CIAC Frosh. of Year



Dena Moyer All-CIAC



Jon Moore NAIA All-American



Alex Watson NAIA All-American



Chris Gentry NAIA All-American



Luke Gravitte NAIA All-District 26



Felix Yamasoto NAIA All-District 26



enior Jeffrey Michael Harris was honored with the Alexa nd Annie Binnion Award by Interim President Frazier.



Brittany Herndon-Swain receives the LMC President's Scholarship from Interim President Dr. David Frazier.



DEDICATION OF THE 1994 ONTAROGA: DON BAKER.

For the work and dedication over a career at Lees-McRae, the 1994 Ontaroga is dedicated to Don Baker ('57). Baker, who first worked on the Ontaroga as a student at Lees-McRae, and later as an employee of the college as Advisor and directed the layout, design and production of the Ontaroga with the help of his wife Joyce for thirty-three years.

"Excellenta Est Praemium Laboris" (Excellence is the fruit of Labor)

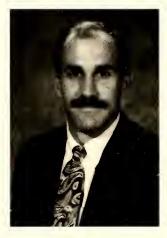


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