

North Carolina 4-H Congress – N. C. State University BLACK NAMED HEAD OF NORTH CAROLINA 4-H PROGRAM



Dr. Chester D. Black, an experienced administrator with the University of Missouri, has been selected to head 4-H and other youth programs of the Agricultural Extension Service at North Carolina State University.

Dr. Black succeeds Dr. Carlton Blalock, who was given other administrative duties with the Extension Service following the death of Associate Director George Smith.

During the interim, Mr. Lyman B. Dixon has been acting head of 4-H activities.

The 40-year old Black was an area director for the University of Missouri Extension Service. He has also served as a county agent.

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"Dr. Black is youth oriented," commented Dr. George Hyatt, Jr., Extension Director, at the time Black's appointment was announced. "He will bring to North Carolina a new kind of

background and many new ideas for conducting our youth programs." A native of Missouri, Black holds two degrees from the University of Missouri and

a doctor of education degree from North Carolina State University. He and Mrs. Black have three children.

His appointment is effective August 1, and he will carry the title of an assistant extension director.

BLACK EXTENDS GREETINGS TO CONGRESS DELEGATES

In a special statement of welcome to delegates to the 1970 North Carolina 4-H Congress, Dr. Black states:

"Welcome to the 1970 North Carolina 4-H Congress.

"An outstanding program has been prepared for your stay in Raleigh. Many people, including your State 4-H Council, have worked diligently to make this a memorable occasion in your 4-H career

"As the chosen leader of a great youth organization, you have two important responsibilities to your club and county. First, enjoy yourselves and participate fully in the planned activities. They can help in the development of your leadership talents. Second, consider the contribution that you can make to your community and state by practicing this leadership and inspiring others to improve citizenship and individual development.

"Congratulations and best wishes."

Dr. Black will be officially presented to the delegates on Tuesday morning at which time he will speak to the Congress.

"LEARN, LIVE, SERVE, THROUGH 4-H"

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NATIONAL WINNERS TO BE PRESENTED TO CONGRESS

Dr. T. C. Blalock, assistant director of the North Carolina Agricultural Extension Service, will present 1969 national winners to the delegates at the morning session of the congress on Tuesday morning.

Those to be recognized are:











KAREN LEAR---Rowan County. Won a \$600 educational scholarship at the National 4-H Club Congress in Chicago.

Daughter of Mr. and Mrs. William F. Lear, Jr., Rt. 7, Salisbury, Miss Lear was one of six winners in the 4-H Clothing program.

Miss Lear has made a total of 205 garments and 31 other articles of clothing in six years of projects. She has presented 20 clothing programs to her fellow 4-H'ers and been responsible for several clothing workshops.

PATSY KERR---Rowan County. Daughter of Mr. and Mrs. James Kerr of Salisbury, Miss Kerr was awarded a \$600 scholarship for her achievement in Home Improvement.

One of six national winners in this area, Miss Kerr intends to become an interior decorator, a decision influenced by her 4-H work.

She has presented many demonstrations in home improvement. She has also had projects in entomology, crafts, personal appearance and grooming, foods and nutrition, health, public speaking, and junior leadership.

MARY JANE NEEL---Iredell County. One of seven national winners in the <u>Health</u> program, Miss Neel received a \$600 scholarship.

Daughter of Mr. and Mrs. A. Y. Neel, Jr., Rt. 2, Mooresville, has reached over 5,000 people in her last seven years of work through 114 talks and demonstrations.

Additionally, she has appeared on radio and television and written articles for newspapers.

DAVID ALAN LEE---Lenoir County. Son of Mr. and Mrs. Ashley Lee of Kinston, Lee presided at last year's 4-H congress as king of Health along with queen Mary Jane Neel, and he won a \$600 scholarship just as she did.

In a nine year period he has completed 296 personal health improvements and reached more than 7,000 people with health information during this period.

Over the years he has made more than \$6,000 from his varied projects in many areas of his 4-H work.

AMY DREW---Rowan County. One of six national winners in the <u>Dairy Foods</u> program, Miss Drew, who is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Edward E. Drew of Rockwell, was awarded a \$600 scholarship.

Currently enrolled at North Carolina State University, Miss Drew has made numerous demonstrations and talks, as well as television presentations. At one time she had her own radio show on teen food habits.

She has prepared nearly a thousand dishes utilizing dairy products.



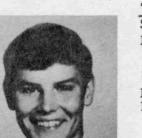












MARGIE NEWLIN---Alamance County. One of six national winners in the 4-H <u>Dress Review</u>, Miss Newlin is the daughter Mr. and Mrs. Marvin M. Newlin of Mebane.

The recipient of a \$600 scholarship, Miss Newlin had made 42 garments in her program and chose a red, navy, and yellow plaid coat, an A-line dress and matching red beret to model in the national revue.

Other projects she has undertaken in 4-H include health, photography, safety, food-nutrition, and dairy.

JAMES "MIKE" CARPENTER---Haywood County. Former North Carolina State 4-H president, Mike Carpenter was named one of 12 national winners in the 4-H Leadership program.

A former national horticultural winner, Mike was awarded a \$600 scholarship. He is the son of Mr. and Mrs. James C. Carpenter of Clyde.

Not the only one in his family to earn 4-H honors, Carpenter's mother, a former 4-H'er and a club leader, was a state 4-H Alumni award winner in 1966.

FRED BAGGOTT---Forsyth County. Son of Mr. and Mrs. William D. Baggott, Rt. 5, Winston-Salem, was one of four national winners in the Bicycle project records.

The recipient of a \$600 scholarship, Baggott had been a 4-H member for six years. He has completed 33 projects. He has been named a district winner in his wildlife and health projects. He has served as a county delegate to Wildlife Camp, Electric Congress, Citizenship Short Course and the N. C. 4-H Congress.

KAY SLOOP---Iredell County. Currently serving as president of the North Carolina 4-H, Miss Sloop was a \$600 scholarship winner in the 4-H Achievement program. She was one of 12 national winners.

Daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Avery Sloop of Mount Ulla, she has been a national winner in the health program and is the only girl to win places on both the State 4-H Livestock and Dairy judging teams.

She plans to become a food technologist.

WILLIAM BLAKE JACKSON---Sampson County. Winner of a \$1,000 scholarship for outstanding work in the national 4-H Safety program, Jackson is the son of Mrs. Jasper D. Jackson, Rt. 1, Dunn.

One of eight national winners, Jackson has removed 5,750 hazards from the home, 8,850 from the farm, and 4,900 from the community.

He has written 56 safety articles, appeared on 34 radio programs, two TV shows, and given 35 demonstrations.

TERRAL H. (TERRY) HILL---Henderson County. Winner of a \$1,600 scholarship in Forestry, Terry is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Terral Polk Hill of Hendersonville.

Currently enrolled at North Carolina State University, Terry is a dedicated conservationist. Additionally he has undertaken projects including dog care, gardening, horse, entomology, horticulture, and agriculture.

CLUB OFFICERS TO PRESENT SKIT AT FIRST GENERAL SESSION



In addition to their usual duties of presiding at the general sessions of the congress, State 4-H club officers will present a surprise "skit" at the Monday night opening session of the congress.

Pictured above are those participating. Left to right, Kay Sloop, Mt. Ulla, president; Tommy Cahoon, Columbia, vice-president; Beth Lutz, Newton, reporter; and Don Morgan Windfall, secretary-treasurer.

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