

# CLOVER LEAVES

1975

## North Carolina 4-H Congress - N. C. State University

### HONOR CLUB INDUCTION HIGHLIGHTS FIRST CONGRESS SESSION

Frank Cherry, president of the North Carolina State 4-H Honor Club will preside at ceremonies tonight "tapping" new members into the nearly 1,000 member organization.

The traditionally colorful candlelight ceremony represents a reward to 4-H club members for outstanding service to 4-H work. The 4-H'ers are judged on their leadership abilities, moral standards, 4-H activities, and project achievement.

Selection is made after careful study by the Honor Club members. The tapping is a distinction reserved for less than one-half of one per cent of the State's 4-H members.

Other officers of the State 4-H Honor Club include Gwen White, vice-president, Jane Hamrick, secretary, Rebecca Byrd, treasurer, and Bob Hilton, historian.

### OUTSTANDING ALUMNI

Three North Carolinians have been selected as outstanding 4-H alumni for 1975.

They are Dr. Rachel Davis, a Kinston physician; Dr. Lewis C. Dowdy, chancellor of A&T State University in Greensboro; and William B. (Bill) Austin, Jr., Manager of the Dixie Classic Fair in Winston-Salem.

These winners were announced by Dr. Chester Black, state 4-H leader at North Carolina State University. Selections were made on the basis of community leadership, public service, and service to the 4-H program. The winners will receive plaques from the Olin Corp., Little Rock, Arkansas.

Monday, July 21, 1975

### NORTH CAROLINA 4-H'ERS WIN NATIONAL HONORS



Above, North Carolina's National 4-H Congress winners: Left to right; first row, Carol Myers, Lora Richards, Sharon Runion, and Shirley Goodnight. Second row, Luanna Parker, Glenda Edwards, Ruth Roman, and Ann Sharp. Back row, Adrian Gaskins, Bruce Miner, Grady Fenner, Jr., Chuck Owens, and Douglas Lee.

North Carolina 4-H members won an outstanding list of honors at the National Junior Horticultural Association meeting in Washington D. C., in November and at the National 4-H Congress in Chicago, Ill., in December.

At the NJHA meeting in Washington, the state's 28-member delegation won 17 national honors.

Demonstration winners were: landscaping, Jeanne Brickhouse, and Fran Smith, both of Columbia; production, Teresa Bryant, Creswell, and Hope Owens, Columbia;

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

#### 4-H DELEGATES NAMED



Six delegates were selected for National 4-H Conference and two were chosen for Danforth camp during interviews on March 3 at North Carolina State University. They are, left to right, (front row) Goldie Smith, Duplin; Linda Peterson, Sampson; Chris Heavner, Lincoln; and Carol Myers, Forsyth; (back row) Ken George, Wake; Glenda Edwards, Union; Robert Crews, Vance; and Lynn Hall, Duplin. Miss Edwards and Hall will attend Danforth Camp in Michigan this summer. The others attended 4-H Conference in Washington, D. C., April 19-25.

#### STATE PROJECT WINNERS NAMED

Forty-four North Carolina 4-H members have been selected as state winners on the basis of long time project records.

The 1975 state project winners were announced by Dr. Chester Black, state 4-H leader at North Carolina State University. "These 44 winners represent the boys and girls who will be rewarded for their project work this year," he reported.

"The 4-H'ers are being rewarded for their project achievement, but they have also demonstrated superior leadership responsibility," Black said.

Some 25 of the 44 winners receive expense-paid trips to National 4-H Congress in Chicago in November. The others receive such awards as savings bonds and cash.

Most state winners will place their project records in competition with others

from all over the United States for \$800 educational scholarships and other awards.

The winning 4-H members are: achievement, Stanley Rash, Clemmons, and Mary Landen, Lilesville; agricultural, Jackie Whitley, Kenly; automotive, Danny Helms, Monroe; bicycle, Kathy Caruthers, Hillsborough; breads, Glenda Ann Hinson, Monroe; beef, Jodi McDonnal, Monroe;

Citizenship, Robert Sauls, Raleigh, and Luanna Parker, Monroe; clothing, Karen McNamara, Kernersville; commercial horticulture, Lynn Hall, Warsaw; communications, Pam Wetherington, Bridgeton; consumer education, Sara Buff, Monroe;

Dairy, Kaye Johnson, Siler City; dairy calf, Pam Carland, Fletcher; dairy foods, Lisa Blake, Chadbourn; dairy industry, Greg Casey, Winston-Salem; dog, Quindolyn Lea Helms, Monroe;

Entomology, Selma Carter, Fletcher; environmental beautification, Minnie Faye Allen, Tar Heel; experimental horticulture, Randy Burnette, Gaston; foods & nutrition, Remona Jones, New Bern; food preservation, Sylvia Rebecca Howey, Monroe; forage crops, David Darch, Wake Forest; forestry, Frank Thompson, Hillsborough;

Garden Horticulture, Boyd Rose, Columbia; home environment, Sarah Ann Howey, Monroe; home management, Gena Poovey, Newton; horse, Cathy Hill, Tryon; leadership, Dee McNamara, Kernersville, and Chris Heavner, Vale;

Personal appearance, Helen Lyn Jones, Pikeville; petroleum power, Joe Davis, Mt. Ulla; photography, Patricia Todd, High Point; poultry, Mark Brantley, Monroe; public speaking, Willie Moore, Warsaw, and Christine Laney, Monroe;

Recreation, Rachel Parker, Monroe; Safety, Phillippa Smith, Dana; sheep, Kenneth Vanhoy, Belews Creek; swine, Kenny Winchester, Monroe; tobacco, Terry Bass, Lucama; veterinary science, Jimmy Plyler, Monroe and wildlife, Wanda Marshall, Stokesdale.

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marketing, Mary Brown, Mt. Ulla, and Chris Heavner, Vale; and fruit and vegetable use, Ann Williamson, Wilson, and Karen Griffin, Marshville.

Randy Burnette, Gaston; Dee McNamara, Kernersville; and Adrian Gaskins, New Bern, won honors in the open division of the judging, information, and identification contest. Burnette also won the experimental horticulture and the achievement and leadership recognition projects.

Lynn Hall, Warsaw, and Thomas Hooper, Jr., Brevard, were winners in the fresh market section of the production and marketing contest.

Horticulture Clubs in Forsyth and Union counties were cited for outstanding group projects in environmental beautification and production and marketing.

In Chicago, the state's 38-member delegation won 13 educational scholarships valued at \$8,700. In addition 18-year-old Forsyth County 4-H member Carol Myers received a coveted silver tray inscribed by the President of the United States. Miss Myers, of Winston-Salem, won the tray and a \$600 scholarship in the achievement program.

Winners of \$700 scholarship were: automotive, Bruce A. Miner, Lewisville; bread, Ruth Denning Roman, Faison; clothing, Lora Richards, Sims; consumer education, Luanna Parker, Monroe; dress revue, Shirley Goodnight, China Grove; food-nutrition, Ann Sharp, Sims; food preservation, Glenda Edwards, Monroe; health, Grady Fenner, Jr., Columbia; and swine, Chuck Owens, Columbia.

Winners of \$600 scholarships in addition to Miss Myers were: achievement, Douglas Lee, Kinston; citizenship, Adrian Gaskins, New Bern; and leadership, Sharon Runion, Bakersville.

## SMITH DOUGLASS SCHOLARSHIP WINNER

William D. Hughes, Jr., Apex has been named winner of a \$400 scholarship for outstanding 4-H and scholastic achievement.

Dr. Chester Black, state 4-H leader,

said Hughes will receive the scholarship awarded annually by Smith-Douglass, a division of Borden, Inc., Norfolk, Va.

A senior at Northwood High School in Pittsboro, Hughes has won numerous awards on the county and state level as a member of a 4-H dairy judging team. He has also exhibited dairy animals at more than 15 shows.

Hughes, who has also served as president and treasurer of the 4-H county council and been active in FFA and extra-curricular activities, plans to attend North Carolina State University.

## 4-H DEVELOPMENT FUND AWARDS 12 SCHOLARSHIPS

Twelve Tar Heel high school graduates have been awarded \$500 scholarship through the North Carolina 4-H Development Fund.

Recipients were announced by H. Dail Holderness of Tarboro, president of the fund.

Holderness pointed out that this year's 12 grants of \$500 each bring the total amount to \$84,000 that the fund has awarded outstanding 4-H members in the state during the last 14 years.

The scholarship winners are: Cheryl Ann Alridge, Robbinsville; Jason Beasley, Hurdle Mills; Barbara Cade, Fayetteville; Gwen Gore, Tabor City; Chris Heavner, Vale; Eugene Jordan, Jr., Tyner; Lynne Lowder, Norwood; Michael Moore, Kinston; Stanley Rash, Clemmons; Sue Salmon, Norlina; John Summey, Brevard; and Valerie Wesson, Windsor.

The 4-H Development Fund, with headquarters at North Carolina State University at Raleigh, was organized in 1958 by friends and alumni of 4-H to help support certain phases of the youth program. The 4-H program is conducted by NCSU through the North Carolina Agricultural Extension Service, which has an office in each of the state's 100 counties.

The winners were selected on the basis of their high school records, evidence of college aptitude, and 4-H records. The scholarships are to be used for college study during the 1975-76 year.

## CLUB OFFICERS TO PRESIDE AT OFFICIAL CONFERENCE SESSIONS



Pictured above are your State officers who will preside over the official session of the Congress. From left to right they are: Adrian Gaskins, New Bern, reporter; Sharon Runion, Bakersville, vice president; Chris Heavner, Vale, president; and Robin Kinton, Fuquay-Varina, secretary-treasurer.

Heavner will preside at the opening session tonight and at the final session Thursday evening. Gaskins will preside at the Tuesday evening session; Miss Runion at the Wednesday morning session; and Miss Kinton at the Wednesday evening session.

### ITEMS FOR CLOVER LEAVES

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