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PROJECTS '97 RECEIVES HELP IN FIRST VIDEO PRESENTATIONS AT CENTRAL AND TANNERSVILLE

In just our first two video programs we received some nice gifts to help us do our projects for 1997. Our thanks to Glen Lester for his \$20 cash gift, and for Joe and Wanda Holmes, who gave \$100 to help improve the campus for 1997!

VIDEO PROGRAM A HIT!

We are not on Broadway (Biblically, we hope we are on the narrow way), but our C/A "Friends are Forever" video is a hit! Below is a list of where we hope to be in February

Feb. 2	a.m.	Claypool Hill
	p.m.	Duhring
Feb. 9	a.m.	Pine Grove
	p.m.	Midway
Feb. 23	a.m.	Hillcrest
	p.m.	Falls Mills

LAUREL FORK INCREASES SUPPORT

Our great friends at Laurel Fork have sent notice that they are increasing their monthly support for 1997 from \$50 to \$60! Thanks for setting such a grand example for others to follow!

GENERAL BOARD TO MEET AT MAPLEVIEW FEB. 21

Our quarterly meeting of the C/A General Board will be held Friday night, Feb. 21st at the Church of Christ at Mapleview at 7:30. Highlighting this meeting will be a vote on the application from Tannersville Church of Christ for membership and also the updating and minor changes to the C/A by-laws.

Each member church is to have elected the 3 representatives by the time of this meeting and send them to this important meeting.

KEY CLUB HAS NEW SUPPORTERS!

We would like to welcome Jeff and Sonja Evatt from the Central Church of Christ as our newest KEY CLUB members. They signed up for \$5 a month for an undetermined amount of months.

30 PIECES OF SILVER OFFERING IS MARCH 30

We ask our readers of the Chronicle and our supporting churches to help us get enough money in our annual 30 Pieces of Silver offering to do the pavilion paving. We released a bid this month to Floyd Asphalt for \$5475. We will need \$2346.62 to have enough from our two annual offerings to do the work.

LADIES DAY IS APRIL 26TH!

The Ladies at Mountain View and Burkes Garden are already working hard to make this year's C/A Ladies Day another memorable event! Ladies, mark those calendars for Saturday, April 26th!!!

FAMILY CAMP PLANNED FOR MEMORIAL DAY WEEKEND

Jason Pancake and Roy Vanscoy already have most of the program laid out for our restored C/A FAMILY CAMP on May 23-25. The theme is "Remembering Jesus." Don Cooper, "Bebo" Heneger, D.J. Maxey, and Bob Miller are the featured speakers! The Family Camp will close with our spring gospel sing on that Sunday night from 7 - 9 p.m.

ROBERT AND JAMI REBUILD RECREATIONAL DEPARTMENT

My daughter and her husband mailed in a generous \$200 check this past month to help us restock a lot of our worn out recreational supplies. We will be purchasing new basketballs, volleyballs, etc. for the upcoming camp season! Thanks, new-lyweds!

OOPS! NAME LEFT OFF KEY CLUBBERS

I threw away my original so either I or our printer accidentally left Ira and Deborah Matney off the list of faithful KEY CLUB supporters. We had 43 - but only listed 42! Please forgive us Ira and Deborah!

I would also like to highlight regular monthly supporters who did not sign up under the KEY CLUB program but do send monthly help - Ora Phipps, Clarence and Dora Bowman, Esther Elmore, Ken and Marlene Buffalow, and the Primary Church at Grandview!!!!

BAM RECEIVES \$494.50

What a great start for 1997! Our special thanks to our friends listed below who gave \$494.50 in the month of January:

Montcalm, Church of Christ at	\$10
Petry, Church of Christ at	\$23
Bozoo Christian Church	\$28
Springville Christian Church	\$33
Lerona Church of Christ	\$25
Glen Lyn Church of Christ	\$45
Mudfork Ladies Bible Class	\$20
Athens Church of Christ	\$30
Cedar Grove Church of Christ	\$63
Willowton Christian Church	\$97
First Christian Hinton	\$8
Peterstown Christian Church	\$23
Falls Mills Sr. Class	\$11.50
M/M Herb Taylor	\$10
Midway Church of Christ	\$14
Lindside Christian Church	\$22
Helen Cole	\$12
Ruth Presley	\$12

SOUP LABELS DUE - POURING IN !

We need your "cut and counted" Campbell soup labels by mid-February. Below is a list of those who have already mailed theirs in.

Amanda Perdue	3
Pikeview	13
Beryl Kinser	50
Brian and Melinda Hamilton	25
Carol McKeenan	25
Irma Wall	65
Falls Mills Christian Church	33
Wanda Bowman	12
Doug and Gloria Bowman	69
Central Church of Christ	484
Jason and Stephanie Hill	31
Glen Lyn	49
Bozoo	40
M/M Barry Papania	38
Harold and Shirley Wilburn, Jr.	10
Tannersville	184
Nancy Lively	2017

GRAND TOTAL 3148

JESUS BIRTHDAY OFFERING A GREAT ONE!

To date, all of our friends and supporting churches have mailed in \$3,128.38. (See the financial report enclosed for all who gave so generously) The money will be used to help pave the area over at the pavilion. We now hope to get enough in the 30 pieces of Silver offering to do the job completely. If we subtract the bid of \$5475 from the \$3128.38, we will need an offering of \$2346.62 for our Easter offering to have enough to do the job in just these two offerings.

NEW CALENDAR OF EVENTS

The back page of the Chronicle has an updated version of our calendar of events for 1997. Please take the old one off your refrigerator and replace it with this new one.

PREACHERS MEETINGS HAVE GOOD ATTENDANCE

Feb. 10th at 11:00 a.m. is our next preacher's get together at Ryan's Steak House. Ya'll come!

THOUSANDAIRE CLUB ADDS 3 !

A big C/A welcome to Ron and Cheryl Gillespie and Janet Harrison from Central, and to Harry and Joy Hendrickson from Tannersville, as our newest T-Club members.

MIKE SULLIVAN ADDED TO COLLEGE STAFF

Mike Sullivan, 1996 BCE graduate, has returned to Bluefield College of Evangelism, as Director of Development. He began his duties on January 1st.

Mike has also agreed to be our Jr. II dean on July 20-25th.

YOUTH CORNER:

We want to highlight some of the special activities planned in the area for all young people. Young people, mark these on your calendar:

Feb. 22nd: Tannersville Church of Christ is sponsoring an all area skate from 5-7 P.M. at United Skates of America outside of Tazewell. The cost is only \$1.75 for each person.

March 21-22: The Appalachian Teen Convention in Pikeville, KY.

April 11-12: A great "Fishers of Men Youth Retreat" is being planned here at C/A. It's an overnighter that includes fishing in a hatchery pond down in the Wytheville area - more details later!

April 25-26: Youth Revival at Maplevue with Tommy Oaks!

CAMP WORKERS NEEDED!

If you are a faithfully attending member of one of our supporting churches, and in the 10th grade or higher, and are willing to give references, then the deans listed below might need your help during their week of camp. Please give them a call if you are interested.

WEEK	DEAN	PHONE #
Sr.	D.J. Maxey	(304) 589-3996
Jr. III	Dick Brown	(304) 753-9543
First Chance	Mike Lynn	(540) 726-3051
Jr. High I	Frank Horn	(540) 988-4169
Jr. I	Jason Pancake	(540) 753-5786
Jr. II	Mike Sullivan	(540) 326-2835
Jr. High II	(still open)	

Financial Report for Christian Acres • January 1997

BEGINNING BALANCE: JAN. 1, 1997	\$7,987.53
Rick and Joanna Mathena	\$108.00
Mountain View Church of Christ	\$50.00
Church of Christ at Pettry	\$55.00
Central Church of Christ	\$100.00
Ora Phipps	\$20.00
Church of Christ at Montcalm	\$49.00
Community Christian Church	\$32.00
Goodwyn's Chapel Church of Christ	\$58.00
Springville Christian Church	\$100.00
Roderfield Christian Church	\$20.00
Lerona Church of Christ	\$40.00
Laurel Fork Church of Christ	\$60.00
Glen Lyn Church of Christ	\$155.83
Andra Drive Flower Club Memorial: William Blackwell	\$25.00
Danny and Bonita Meadows KEY	\$10.00
Laura Smith KEY	\$10.00
Bob and Ruth Smith KEY	\$15.00
Margaret Puckett KEY	\$5.00
M/M Floyd Ferguson KEY	\$10.00
Roger and Sandy Meador KEY	\$10.00
Helen Chambers KEY	\$10.00
Ed and Penny Fernandez NEW KEY CLUB	\$10.00
Laura Conley KEY	\$10.00
Libby Brown T-Club	\$10.00
Jim and Katy Haines KEY	\$20.00
Tony and Nancy Myers KEY	\$20.00
p and Mary Beth Zutaut KEY	\$25.00
Steve and Teresa Wills KEY	\$15.00
Pikeview Christian Church	\$25.00
Hillocrest Church of Christ 2nd half 1996	\$300.00
Cedar Grove Church of Christ	\$150.00
Clarence and Dora Bowman	\$25.00
Rick and Joanna Mathena	\$239.00
Church of Christ at Mapleview	\$200.00
Willowton Christian Church	\$40.00
Beryl Kinser	\$10.00
Robert and Jami Harvey Recreation Equip.	\$200.00
Bozoo Christian Church	\$50.00
Falls Mills Christian Church (extra gift)	\$200.00
Falls Mills Christian Church	\$400.00
Rick and Joanna Mathena	\$82.00
Duhring Church of Christ	\$100.00
Grandview Christian Church	\$150.00
Grandview Primary Church	\$10.00
First Christian Church Hinton	\$50.00
Ken and Marlene Buffalo	\$35.00
Trevor Butterworth KEY	\$15.00
Beth Brown KEY	\$10.00
Rudy and Bessie Martin KEY	\$35.00
Mrs. Erman Ratcliff 1997 KEY	\$100.00
Seymour Hgts. Christian Church (ski group)	\$800.00
Peterstown Christian Church	\$100.00
Lindside Christian Church	\$25.00
Midway Church of Christ	\$400.00
Church of Christ at Claypool Hill	\$87.53
omy and Crystal Belcher KEY	\$10.00
old and Shirley Wilburn Jr. KEY	\$120.00
Tannersville Church of Christ C/A Pres.	\$50.00
Lynn Wilburn T-Club	\$10.00
MONTHLY INCOME:	\$5,081.36
SUB-TOTAL:	\$13,068.89
LESS DISBURSEMENTS:	

Safe Deposit box rent (bank withdrawal)		(32.86)
Doug McCoy	8617	(\$73.50)
Russell Mathena	8618	(\$444.15)
Johnny Cundiff (pavilion)	8619	(\$520.00)
Jonce Leedy and Co. (pavilion)	8620	(\$1,620.00)
Citizen's (pavilion)	8621	(\$559.24)
One Valley Bank (Dec. taxes)	8622	(\$514.13)
U.S. Postmaster	8623	(\$160.00)
Russell Mathena	8624	(\$444.15)
Bluefield Rescue Squad (Insurance)	8625	(\$269.35)
Conner Instant Printing	8626	(\$175.00)
A.E.P.	8627	(\$277.67)
Sam's (office supplies and fax)	8628	(\$244.97)
Russell Mathena	8629	(\$444.15)
W.V. Department of Tax and Revenue (taxes)	8630	(\$196.04)
Russell Mathena	8631	(\$444.15)
MONTHLY EXPENSES:		(\$6,419.36)
CHECKBOOK BALANCE 1/27/97		\$6,649.53
INCLUDED IN CHECKBOOK BALANCE:		
CAMP SCHOLARSHIP: \$1053.29		
BAM SAVINGS: 1/27/97 \$21,107.03		
HISTORICAL RECORD:		
TOTAL INCOME: \$2,177,386.87		
TOTAL EXPENSES: \$2,170,737.34		
1996 JESUS BIRTHDAY OFFERING—DEC. 22, 1996		
Gene and Judy Bailey		\$100.00
Naomi Bowman		\$10.00
John and Jean Lawrence		\$100.00
M/M Garnet Strock		\$25.00
Evelyn Kauff		\$10.00
M/M Rick Mathena		\$60.00
Debbie Maxfield		\$20.00
Finley Carroll		\$50.00
Patty Strock		\$101.00
Grassy Spur Church of Christ		\$100.00
Ben and Ronda Veltema		\$25.00
Lerona Church of Christ		\$250.00
Church of Christ at Pettry		\$109.00
M/M Kenny Wright		\$25.00
Falls Mills Christian Church		\$1,309.00
Bozoo Christian Church		\$82.00
First Christian Church Hinton		\$34.03
Sid and Lou Nash		\$500.00
Rick and Jean Owens		\$30.00
Willowton Christian Church		\$118.35
Wanda Bowman		\$20.00
Al and Sally Harman		\$50.00
GRAND TOTAL:		\$3,128.38

**THANKS FOR YOUR
SUPPORT TO C/A**

1997 CHRISTIAN ACRES CALENDAR OF EVENTS

February 21	C/A General Board Meeting at Mapleview 7:30
March 30	30 Pieces of Silver Offering
April 26	C/A Ladies Day
May 2-3	C/A Men's Clinic
May 16 - 17	Camp Reunion (overnighter)
May 16	C/A General Board Meeting at C/A 7:30
May 17	Country Steak Dinner - 5:30 music - 6:00 meal
May 23-May 25	Family Camp and Spring Gospel Sing
June 15-20	Sr. Week (11-College) D.J. Maxey
June 22-27	Jr. III (5th - 6th) Dick Brown
June 29-July 1	First Chance (1st-2nd) Mike Lynn
July 6-11	Jr. High I (7th-8th) Frank Horn
July 13-18	Jr. I (3rd-4th) Jason Pancake
July 20-25	Jr. II (4th-5th) Mike Sullivan
July 27-Aug. 1	Jr. High II (8th-9th) "?"
August 15	C/A General Board Meeting at C/A 7:30
August 31	Fall Gospel Sing 7:00-9:00 P.M.
September 6	Ham Supper 5:30 music - 6:00 meal
November 21	C/A General Board Meeting at Mapleview 7:30
December 21	C/A Jesus Birthday Offering

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