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"SWEET, SWEET SPIRIT" VIDEO ON ROAD!

As I prepare this Chronicle for press, we have shown the all new "Sweet, Sweet Spirit" 1999 C/A video at two congregations with great reviews. Both Hollybrook and Duhring thought it was another great one. One lady at Hollybrook said it was the best ever. It is about 26 minutes long, thus allowing us to show it during Sunday School in the mornings and also at the evening service.

Get your appointment by calling 589-6296. The slots always fill up fast.

In coming weeks we will be at the following places;

Feb. 7	a.m.	Rt. 20
	p.m.	Montcalm
Feb. 14	a.m.	Athens
	p.m.	Falls Mills
Feb. 28	a.m.	Pine Grove
	p.m.	Midway

HOOKED ON JESUS II ADDED TO CALENDAR

Please discard last month's 99 calendar of events off your refrigerator and replace it with the revised edition on back which moves the steak dinner and adds in the Hooked on Jesus 2 fishing exploration that was so popular two years ago here at C/A. We couldn't work in a date last year, but have gotten this weekend set aside. The first ever had over 150 present - - they caught almost 600 fish in one afternoon at Wytheville. More details are forthcoming for this grand youth and adult venture as the date approaches.

MORE CAMP SCHOLARSHIP MONEY ARRIVES!

It is always special to me when young people help their own camp. The Lerona Youth Class sent in \$109 designated for camp scholarship for the 99 season! Thanks, little ones!

C/A GENERAL BOARD TO MEET FEB. 19TH!

The regular quarterly meeting of the C/A General Board will be held at the Church of Christ at Maple View on Friday night, Feb. 19th at 7:30. The election of officers for 1999 will be held at that time. Each member church is obligated to send 3 representatives to vote on camp matters.

WINTERFEST '99 ON TAP FEB. 21-23!

Seven greater Peterstown area congregations are planning their second Winterfest Preaching Rally for Feb. 21 - 23, 1999 at the Rich Creek Community Center with refreshment and fellowship time at 6:30, followed by some great preaching by Ed Bousman at 7:00 P.M. The rally will start on Sunday night and end on Tuesday night. For more information call (304) 726-3051. See you there!

KEY CLUB ADDS TWO!

Our appeal during the first two video programs also netted two more KEY CLUB helpers, monthly givers to C/A. We welcome Todd and Cindy Morrison and Nell Strock, both from Hollybrook, who have promised to send \$10 each for an undetermined amount of months!

T-CLUB ADDS ONE!

237 of our 353 members have mailed in their November \$10 gift for their camp - - about 2/3 of our membership. If you forgot, mail it in today.

We welcome our newest member, Amanda Townley, who joined during our Hollybrook video presentation.

**Schedule C/A Facility
for 1999 by Calling
589-6296**

CHANGES IN AREA MINISTRIES!

Mountain View: Ron Carpenter has resigned here due to his move to Blacksburg, VA, effective at the end of December. While the area will miss Ron and Ann, we'll be in constant touch - - Misty, our daughter is engaged to their son, Scott.

Rt. 20: Scott Hamilton has resigned here effective mid-January

1999 C/A CALENDARS HAVE ARRIVED!

We have been passing out the 3500 1999 C/A Calendars that came in just a few days ago. If you don't have yours by mid-February, give us a call to send you some!

SOUP LABELS DUE FEB. 15TH!

We have only until March 1st to get all the labels bundled up for mail out. Please get the ones you have been saving in to us no later than Feb. 15th so we can process them in time. Please cut and count them for us! It saves an enormous amount of work!

Below is our list of helpers this past month:

BCE	13
Falls Mills Christian Church	108
Peggy Hale	11
Ron and Ann Carpenter	11
Rt. 5, Box 264, Bluefield	47
Bill and Joyce Harton	182
Paden City Christian Church	84
Tannersville	250
Duhring Church of Christ	456
Grand Total	1174

THANKS FOR THE CONCERN!

Many of you are aware that I have been fighting high blood pressure since October of last year; rumors were flying around that I spent several days in the hospital, but I only went to the emergency room a couple of days before Christmas to be completely checked out. The greatest news when Dr. Sowder looked at the EKG, chest exams, blood work - was "boring!" I think I may have gall bladder problems which is running up my pressure and making me sick most of the time. Many have called - - thanks for the concern!

Another rumor - - some said I had BFU Syndrome - **B**ig, **F**at, and **U**gly!

BAM HAS GREAT JANUARY

\$400 MAILED IN

John and Mary Belcher	\$12.00
Springville	\$16.00
Athens.....	\$31.00
Pikeview Adult Class.....	\$9.00
Mudfork Ladies Bible Class	\$20.00
Midway.....	\$6.00
Glen Lyn	\$26.00
Lerona	\$25.00
Cedar Grove	\$64.00
Lindside	\$31.00
Willowton	\$67.00
Grassy Spur	\$15.00
Peterstown	\$22.00
Petry	\$25.00
First Christian Hinton	\$8.00
Falls Mills Sr. Adults	\$7.00
Hollybrook.....	\$16.00

Grand Total \$400.00

PROJECT FUND RECEIVES FIRST GIFTS!

We announced last month that we hope to add new bathrooms to the chapel and build an \$8000 large deck for 1999! In our first two video programs, we received \$220 toward these projects. Our thanks to Jesse Finley and to Larry and Cecia Jarvis both for \$100 gifts, and to Don and Betty Thomas for a \$20 gift.

GREAT JESUS BIRTHDAY OFFERING!

Our special thanks to the 23 churches and individuals who sent in collectively \$2,478.55 to date for the 1998 Jesus Birthday Offering. Look at the bottom of the financial report on page 3 for a complete listing of all who contributed. The money has been set aside for our 1999 projects.

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 work in camp this summer, please give the deans listed below a call. Be prepared to give references.

Sr.	D.J. Maxey	(304) 487-0708
F/C	Rod Hedrick	(304) 763-5027
Jr. High I	Warren Whittaker	(304) 326-3911
Jr. I	Mike Lynn	(540) 726-3051
Jr. High II	Jeff White	(540) 726-7902
Jr. II	Open	
Jr. III	Dick Brown	(304) 753-9543

Financial Report for Christian Acres • January 1999

BEGINNING BALANCE: 1/1/99	\$16,161.82
Wayne and Marilyn Anderson T-Club	\$10.00
John and Shirley Pennington T-Club	\$20.00
Betty Kiger T-Club	\$20.00
Steve and Teresa Wills KEY	\$15.00
Joe and Pam Mooney KEY	\$20.00
Jimmy and Crystal Belcher KEY	\$10.00
Tommy Widdoes KEY	\$10.00
Kenny and Donna Hytton, Jr. KEY	\$50.00
Garland and Anna Tyree KEY	\$10.00
Danny and Bonita Meadows KEY	\$10.00
Jimmy and Rhonda Sisk KEY	\$10.00
John and Vicki Helton KEY	\$20.00
Rob and Sherie Hale KEY	\$10.00
Skip and Mary Beth Zutaut KEY	\$25.00
M/M Floyd Ferguson KEY	\$10.00
M/M Floyd Ferguson Jesus Birthday	\$15.00
Central Church of Christ	\$100.00
Church of Christ at Montcalm	\$99.00
Ora Phipps	\$20.00
Mountain View Church of Christ	\$50.00
Roderfield Christian Church	\$20.00
Springville Christian Church	\$100.00
Community Christian Church	\$29.00
Pikeview Christian Church	\$25.00
Rick and Joanna Mathena	\$104.00
Laurel Fork Church of Christ	\$60.00
and Janet McVey	\$20.00
Cedar Grove Church of Christ	\$160.00
Falls Mills Christian Church	\$400.00
Midway Church of Christ	\$249.95
Clarence and Dora Bowman	\$25.00
Rick and Joanna Mathena	\$256.00
Ingleside Community Church	\$30.00
Bozoo Christian Church	\$50.00
Lerona Church of Christ	\$40.00
Glen Lyn Church of Christ	\$207.38
Dewey and Linda Conley T-Club	\$25.00
Jim and Emily Ruth Hale T-Club	\$20.00
Kerry and Susie Stauffer KEY	\$5.00
Jim and Katy Haines KEY	\$20.00
Lerona Youth Class Scholarship	\$109.00
Duhring Church of Christ	\$50.00
Duhring Church of Christ Jesus Birthday	\$71.10
Lindside Christian Church	\$50.00
Willowton Christian Church	\$50.00
Rick and Joanna Mathena	\$119.00
Grandview Christian Church	\$150.00
Grandview Primary Church	\$10.00
Ken and Marlene Buffalow	\$50.00
Ron and Ann Carpenter	\$25.00
Peterstown Christian Church	\$100.00
Bobby and Darlene Parker	\$40.00
Hillcrest Church of Christ	\$300.00
Church of Christ at Pettry	\$55.00
Church of Christ at Claypool Hill	\$118.63
Church of Christ at Maple View	\$200.00
lybrook Church of Christ	\$75.00
Larry and Paula Stiltner KEY	\$10.00
Jimmy and Crystal Belcher KEY	\$10.00
Trevor Butterworth KEY	\$5.00
Rudy and Bessie Martin KEY	\$35.00

Bob and Ruth Smith KEY		\$15.00
Tom and Barbara Laws KEY		\$10.00
Grandview Teen Youth Group T-Club		\$10.00
Duhring Church of Christ C/A Pres.		\$100.00
Hollybrook Church of Christ C/A Pres.		\$100.00
MONTHLY INCOME:		\$4,248.06
SUB-TOTAL:		\$20,409.88
LESS DISBURSEMENTS:		
Bank Box Rent		(\$32.86)
Russell Mathena	9245	(\$460.79)
Russell Mathena	9246	(\$460.79)
Bluefield Rescue Squad Insurance	9247	(\$420.68)
U.S. Postmaster Chronicle	9248	(\$190.00)
Citizen's Communications	9249	(\$173.77)
One Valley Bank Dec. Taxes	9250	(\$621.72)
WV Depart. of Tax and Revenue State Taxes	9251	(\$260.00)
Conner Instant Printing	9252	(\$175.00)
Russell Mathena	9253	(\$460.79)
Russell Mathena	9254	(\$460.79)
AEP	9255	(\$259.56)
Sam's Club VCR and Office Supplies	9256	(\$138.48)
MONTHLY EXPENSES:		(\$4,115.23)
CHECKBOOK BALANCE 1/25/99		\$16,294.65
INCLUDED IN CHECKBOOK BALANCE ABOVE		
CAMP SCHOLARSHIP: \$726.84		
BAM SAVINGS: 1/25/99 \$29,362.24		
HISTORICAL RECORD SINCE 1968		
TOTAL INCOME: \$2,397,766.40		
TOTAL EXPENSE: \$2,381,471.75		
JESUS BIRTHDAY REPORT-DEC. 20, 1998		
Gene and Judy Bailey		\$100.00
Joe and Pam Mooney		\$10.00
Paul and Judy Cooper		\$10.00
M/M Garnet Strock		\$50.00
Sally Harman		\$30.00
Sibyl Harshbarger		\$10.00
Naomi Bowman		\$10.00
Don Whitt		\$12.00
David and Patricia Thomason		\$25.00
Junior and Maxine Scott		\$50.00
James and Mary Shrader		\$25.00
Patty Strock		\$100.00
M/M Rick Mathena		\$150.00
Deborah Maxfield		\$30.00
Robert and Jami Harvey		\$40.00
First Christian Hinton		\$33.00
Grassy Spur Church of Christ		\$100.00
Falls Mills Christian Church		\$271.00
Jeanette Hankins		\$10.00
Sid and Lou Nash		\$1,000.00
M/M Floyd Ferguson		\$15.00
Bozoo Christian Church		\$151.45
Lerona Church of Christ		\$150.00
Rick and Jean Owens		\$25.00
Duhring Church of Christ		\$71.10
Grand Total to Date: 1/25/99		\$2,478.55

1999 CHRISTIAN ACRES CALENDAR OF EVENTS

February 19	C/A General Board at Maple View at 7:30
April 4	30 Pieces of Silver Offering
April 24	C/A Ladies Day (Hollybrook/Bozoo)
April 30-May 1	C/A Men's Clinic, Dan Webb, Chairman
May 14-16	Hooked on Jesus II Youth Retreat
May 21	C/A General Board at C/A at 7:30
May 22	C/A Country Steak Dinner - 5:30 music - 6:00 meal
June 13-18	Sr. Week (11-College) D.J. Maxey (all camp weeks are tent.)
June 20-23	First Chance (1st-2nd) Rod Hedrick
July 4-9	Jr. High I (7th-8th) Warren Whittaker
July 11-16	Jr. I (3rd-4th) Mike Lynn
July 18-23	Jr. High II (9th-10th) Jeff White
July 25-30	Jr. II (4th-5th)
August 1-6	Jr. III (5th-6th) Dick Brown
August 20	C/A General Board Meeting at C/A 7:30
August 29	Fall Gospel Sing 7:00- 9:00 P.M.
September 11	"Pig Roast" Supper, music - 5:30, meal at 6:00
November 19	C/A General Board Meeting at Maple View 7:30
December 19	Jesus Birthday Offering for C/A

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