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T-CLUB DUE NEXT MONTH!

Currently we have 353 members in our Thousandaire Club here at C/A all of whom are supposed to mail in \$10 next month! If you, as a reader of our Chronicle, would like to help out \$20 a year - by giving \$10 in May and \$10 again in November, clip the card below and sign up!

Members, don't forget to mail the bottom section of your card in and let me know if you want a thank you letter and receipt. If you don't specifically say "no" you will automatically get a receipt from me.

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() Yes, I want to share in the ministry of Christian Acres by joining the Thousandaire Club. I Pledge with God's help to give \$10 twice a year in the months of May and November.

Name _____ Phone _____

Address _____

City/State/Zip _____

☐ Yes, I want to be placed on your mailing list

GOOD-BYE DOUG!

Doug McCoy has been the C/A caretaker for the past three years, but is now finished his work for the camp. I hope you were one of the ones who told him personally just how good the campus looked all the time. Doug, we'll miss you!

Around the first of the year, we will be taking resumes for the new caretaker, whose job begins April 1st of 1998!

BOBBY HAGER NEW MEMORIAL YOUTH MINISTER

Bobby Hager, BCE upper-classman has begun his new duties as Memorial's Youth Minister. He began there around the first of September.

"WINTER WEEKEND" DRAWING NEARER!

"Majestic Revelation" from Grundy will be providing the music and Jason Pancake will be speaking for the C/A Winter Weekend on Dec. 5-6!

This fabulous youth retreat is for ages 13 and up and only costs \$3 per person! A packet of information is being mailed to all area churches by Wade Allen. Young people, contact your youth sponsors for more details. Register by Nov. 10th!

BAM ACCOUNT BUILDING UP!

We now have just over \$19,500 in our savings account to do projects for 1998. I have contacted the paving company for an estimate on the lower parking lot and hope this will be one of the choices by our Board for next year. Below is a list of those who helped this past month:

Hollybrook	\$20
Athens	\$32
Montcalm	\$37
Mudfork Ladies Bible Class	\$20
Midway	\$19
Lerona	\$25
Glen Lyn	\$26
Springville	\$32
Grassy Spur	\$15
Petry	\$23
Cedar Grove	\$62
Falls Mills Sr. Adults	\$16
Pikeview Adult Class	\$8
Peterstown	\$18
Grand Total	\$358

RICK BEGINS 18TH YEAR, OCT. 1!

I didn't have as much gray hair on Oct. 1, 1980 when I first began my duties as Promotional Director and Camp Manager. All I can say, though, is that it has been a busy but fun time working here at C/A. I begin my 18th year this Oct. 1, 1997!

CHRISTIAN ACRES SERVICE CAMP 1997 REGISTRATION REPORT							
NAME OF CHURCH:	Senior	Jr. III	E/Chance	Jr. High I	Jr. I	Jr. II	Jr. High II
							Grand Total
Altavista Church of Christ			1				1
Adria Church of God				1			1
Athens Church of Christ			1	1			2
Bastian Church of God			1				1
Bastian Union Church						1	1
Beckley Church of God						1	1
Bland St. United Methodist					1	1	2
Bluefield Church of Christ			1				1
Centerville Presbyterian				1			1
Bluewell United Methodist					1	1	2
Bluewell Church of God						1	1
Bluefield First Church of the Nazarene	1	1	2				4
Cedar Grove Church of Christ		1					1
Bramwell Church of Christ at						1	1
Calvary Messenger Ministry				1			1
Brushfork Methodist			2		2		4
Boissevain House of Prayer	1						1
Carr Memorial United Methodist				1			1
Central Church of Christ		3	3	6	2		14
Brushfork Baptist			2			1	3
Ceres Baptist		1					1
Chester Va. Church of Christ			1				1
Christ United Methodist			1		2		3
Claypool Hill, Church of Christ at		2			1	1	6
College Ave. Baptist				1			1
Crane Creek Pentecostal				1	1		2
Cumberland Heights Baptist			1				1
Deliverance Temple				2			2
Ebenezer United Methodist				2			2
Edgemont Baptist			1				1
Falls Mills Christian Church	1		1	3	2	6	13
First Assembly of God				1	1		2
First Baptist-Albemarle, NC			1				1
First Christian Bluefield				1	1		2
Gateway Church of Christ			2	1			3
Glen Lyn Church of Christ	1	14	9	1	19	3	47
Goodwyn's Chapel Church of Christ			1	3			6
Gospel Center	2						2
Grace United Methodist						1	1
Grandview Christian Church	9	10	6	3	6		43
Grassy Spur Church of Christ				3	1		4
Heaton Christian Church-N.C.					1		1
Hillcrest Church of Christ		1		1		1	3
Hollybrook Church of Christ	1		10	2	6	8	30
Johnson Chapel				3			4
Kellysville Church of God			2				2
Laurel Fork Church of Christ			1			1	2
Lerona Church of Christ		2	1	2	4		9
Lifespring Fellowship		1					1
Lighthouse Baptist						2	2
Lindside Christian Church	3				4	2	11
Lutheran Church				1			1
Lynchburg Assembly of God			1				1
Macedonia Church of Christ				3			3
Mapleview, Church of Christ at	7	4	8	7	5	9	41
Maranatha Baptist				1			1
Maxwell Hill Baptist				1			1
Memorial Baptist					1		1
Memorial Church of Christ	1	1		2		1	6
Midway Church of Christ	2		3	1		2	9
Montcalm Church of God						1	1
Montcalm, Church of Christ at				1		2	3
Mountain View Church of Christ				1			1
Mt. Hope Christian Church				2			4
Mt. Hope Church of God				1			1
Mt. Jackson Baptist			3	1	1		6
Mudfork Church of Christ	1					2	3
Nevins Christian Church-Illinois						2	2
New Hope Rd. Church of God					1		1
Oak Grove Christian Church	7	3	7		5	1	23
Oak Hill Christian Church	5			2			7
Open Door Christian Church-Hillsville, VA				1			1

Peterstown Baptist	1	2						3
Peterstown Christian Church		6	4		3		1	13
Petty Church of Christ				3		1		4
Pine Grove Church of Christ	6	2		2	1	2	1	14
Princeton Assembly of God		1						1
Princeton Church of Christ						1		
Princeton Free Methodist			1					
Redeeming Life Christian Center						1		1
Rocky Gap Methodist						1		1
Roderfield Christian Church						1		1
Ronceverte Christian Church			1					1
Sacred Heart-Bluefield					2			2
Sacred Heart-Princeton				1				1
Sandlick United Methodist	1			1				2
Shady Grove Methodist					1			1
Smith Chapel Church of the Brethren					3			3
Springville Christian Church		1			1			2
Spruce Run Church of the Brethren		1						1
Tabernacle Church						1		1
Tannersville Church of Christ	1	1	4	1	1		1	9
Temple Bethel	1							1
Va. Highlands Christian Fellowship							1	1
Vansant Church of Christ	1							1
Voice of Praise	1	1			1		3	6
Westminster Presbyterian		1						1
White Oak Missionary Baptist		1						1
Willowton Christian Church		2	4					6
(Other-No Church listed)	2	6	7	9	2	5	3	34
SUMMARY:	SUMMARY:							
41 NEW TESTAMENT CHURCHES	361 NEW TESTAMENT CAMPERS							
68 DENOMINATIONAL CHURCHES	97 DENOMINATIONAL CAMPERS							
	34 NON-CHURCH CAMPERS							

HAM SUPPER HAS GREAT MEAL - - SMALL CROWD!

Our thanks to Don Helmondollar and all his staff from Mapleview for the delicious meal served Sept. 6 to about 135 area Christians. They contributed \$343.00 to help defray the expense of offering this meal. Our thanks to Jeff White for providing the excellent music at 5:30.

861 CAMPBELL SOUP LABELS RECEIVED!

Barbara Laws	18
Robert and Jami Harvey	11
Bonnie McDaniel	56
Falls Mills	18
Retha Hogan	54
Luther Owens	159
Cora Wimmer	3
Bowers Family	444
Helen Chambers	45
Frank and Regina Horn	48
At BCE	5

GLEN LYN HAS NEW YOUTH MINISTER

We bid a sad farewell to Mikael Clear who left Glen Lyn on August 31st and give a warm WV welcome to Skip Broome, who began his new duties on Sept. 17th as Glen Lyn Youth Minister. He has already said he wants to work in camp next summer.

Financial Report for Christian Acres • September 1997

BEGINNING BALANCE: 8/25/97	\$8,402.52
Interest 8/31/97	\$16.65
Hale Reunion cash	\$114.00
Chad Mathena cash	\$30.00
Hollybrook Church of Christ	\$60.00
Tannersville Church of Christ	\$50.00
Pine Grove Church of Christ	\$400.00
Rick and Joanna Mathena	\$98.00
WCC Helping Hands	\$10.00
Bozoo Christian Church	\$50.00
Martin and Patricia Burchell dorm stay	\$25.00
Coca Cola Bottling Company picnic	\$300.00
Danny and Bonita Meadows KEY	\$10.00
Beth Brown KEY	\$10.00
Richard and Melissa Raines KEY	\$10.00
John and Vicki Helton KEY	\$20.00
Hollybrook VBS	\$553.47
Pool Income	\$100.50
Ham Supper	\$343.00
T-Shirt sales cash	\$21.00
Steve and Teresa Wills KEY	\$15.00
Joe and Pamela Mooney KEY	\$20.00
Laura Smith KEY	\$10.00
M/M Floyd Ferguson KEY	\$10.00
Deborah Madfield KEY	\$10.00
Harold and Shirley Wilburn Jr. KEY	\$120.00
Margaret Puckett KEY	\$5.00
Bob and Ruth Smith KEY	\$15.00
Terry and Nancy Komegay KEY	\$30.00
and Penny Fernandez KEY	\$10.00
Mountain View Church of Christ	\$50.00
Church of Christ at Pettry	\$55.00
Laurel Fork Church of Christ	\$60.00
Mudfork Church of Christ 5th Sunday	\$664.50
Central Church of Christ	\$100.00
Community Christian Church	\$50.00
Goodwyn's Chapel Church of Christ	\$60.00
Oak Grove Christian Church	\$374.00
Church of Christ at Montcalm	\$46.00
Ora Phipps	\$20.00
Rick and Joanna Mathena	\$98.00
Clarence and Dora Bowman	\$25.00
Lerona Church of Christ	\$40.00
Rick and Jean Owens	\$50.00
Roderfield Christian Church	\$20.00
Midway Church of Christ	\$286.27
Glen Lyn Church of Christ	\$195.62
Midway Church of Christ Camp T.	\$112.50
Oak Grove Christian Church Camp T.	\$380.75
Tony and Nancy Myers KEY	\$20.00
Springville Christian Church	\$100.00
Cedar Grove Church of Christ	\$160.00
Rob and Sherrie Hale KEY	\$10.00
Kerry and Susie Stauffer KEY	\$20.00
Trevor Butterworth KEY	\$15.00
Skip and Mary Beth Zutaut KEY	\$25.00
Willowton Christian Church	\$50.00
Grandview Christian Church	\$150.00
Grandview Primary Church	\$10.00
Church of Christ at Mapleview	\$200.00
Falls Mills Christian Church	\$400.00
Rick and Joanna Mathena	\$149.00
Esther Elmore	\$10.00
Rick and Joanna Mathena	\$93.00
Pikeview Christian Church	\$25.00
Lindside Christian Church	\$50.00

Ken and Marlene Buffalow	\$40.00
Josh Peters Group Campus Use cash	\$100.00
Mrs. Remines Central S.S. Class cash	\$15.56
Mudfork Church of Christ	\$100.00
Bozoo Christian Church	\$50.00
Peterstown Christian Church	\$100.00
Rick and Joanna Mathena	\$18.32
Rick and Joanna Mathena	\$142.00
Tri-State Clinic Winter Weekend	\$25.00
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Harry and Joy Hendricksen KEY	\$20.00
Jim and Katy Haines KEY	\$20.00
Jimmy and Crystal Belcher KEY	\$10.00
Rudy and Bessie Martin KEY	\$95.00
Larry and Paula Stiltner KEY	\$10.00
MONTHLY INCOME	\$7,352.14
SUB-TOTAL:	
LESS DISBURSEMENTS:	
S. and S. Express Fuel	8867 (\$69.00)
Doug McCoy	8868 (\$87.50)
Russell Mathena	8869 (\$444.15)
Citizen's Building Supply Supplies	8870 (\$256.82)
Citizen's Telecom	8871 (\$124.75)
Paper Supply Supplies	8872 (\$210.80)
Scroll and Pen Partial-Doug's Books	8873 (\$96.69)
U.S. Postmaster Chronicle	8874 (\$150.00)
Rick Mathena Mileage: June-Sept.	8875 (\$431.20)
Advance Auto Tractor battery	8876 (\$81.97)
Doug McCoy	8877 (\$70.00)
Russell Mathena	8878 (\$444.54)
Acme Ham Supper	8879 (\$126.65)
One Valley Bank August Taxes	8880 (\$749.60)
Russell Mathena	8881 (\$444.54)
Conner Printing	8882 (\$175.00)
A.E.P.	8883 (\$650.75)
WV Depart. of Lab Services Water Test	8884 (\$10.00)
Doug McCoy	8885 (\$28.00)
Jones Candy Company Ham Supper	8886 (\$19.50)
Kroger Food	8887 (\$19.90)
Russell Mathena	8888 (\$444.54)
Scroll and Pen Bookstore Doug's Books	8889 (\$95.96)
Bluefield Rescue Squad Ins.-2 months	8890 (\$210.38)
TOTAL EXPENSES:	(\$5,442.24)
CHECKBOOK BALANCE 9/23/97	\$10,312.42
INCLUDED IN CHECKBOOK SAVINGS ABOVE:	
CAMP SCHOLARSHIP: \$1813.19	
BAM SAVINGS: 9/23/97 \$19,595.31	
HISTORICAL RECORD SINCE 1968	
TOTAL INCOME: \$2,264,708.73	
TOTAL EXPENSES: \$2,254,396.31	

*Many Thanks to our
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AREA CALENDAR OF EVENTS:

Oct. 5-10 — Revival at Horsepen with Johnnie Elmore at 7:00

Oct. 6-10 — Homecoming and Revival at Pine Grove with Dale Day at 7:00. The Bruff Graff and Rudy Hearn families will be present.

Oct. 10-12 — Revival at Roderfield with Rick Mathena at 7:00 on 10 - 11, Special Sunday speaker.

Oct. 11 — BCE Area Wide Youth Day. For more info. contact D.J. Maxey.

Oct. 13 — Preachers Meeting at 11:00 A.M at Ryans.

Oct. 13-14 — BCE Alumni Rally

Oct. 14-16 — Grundy National Prayer Clinic.

Oct. 17-19 — Revival at Claypool Hill with Rick Mathena at 7:00.

Oct. 31 - Nov. 2 — Tracey and Wendy Tooley in Youth Emphasis Weekend at 7:00.

KENNY HYLTON, JR. CUTS DITCH LINE, RICK OWENS HELPS TOO!

We have had some really wet springs for years in the new parking lot area and have been unable to mow part of this area all summer due to the run-off of water. Kenny Hylton, Jr. came by on Sept. 22nd and cut about 500 feet of line for us. We will be installing perforated line and gravels in the coming days to get rid of the problem. Thanks, Kenny for your help !

Rick Owens, from Southern Gunite, has also loaned us tools to work on the pool and plans to bring a machine over to put the gravels in the ditch line for us!

MUCH WORK NEEDS TO BE DONE BEFORE WINTER!

Our appeal for painters last month has netted "nothing". I have been working on the pool repairs for the past month and still have some winterizing work to be done before cold weather strikes - **H E L P !**

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