

Sept. 25, 2011

Kenly, N.C.

Births

- Cheyenne Elizabeth Hill, Aug. 17, 2011
- Noelani Elizabeth Stancil, Aug. 17, 2011
- Caylee Reese Johnson, July 14, 2011
- Amelia "Lily" Elisabeth Huggins, July 13, 2011
- George Thomas Stancil, June 29, 2011
- Camryn Rebecca Colledge, June 23, 2011
- Evan Ray Wright, June 17, 2011
- Jaydan Lime, April 28, 2011
- Emily Rose Reason, April 19, 2011
- Breasyn "Brea" Faith Thomas, March 3, 2011
- Reynolds Pope, Feb. 27, 2011
- Nicole Lorraine Stancil, Jan. 28, 2011
- Hadley Cayton Collins, Dec. 14, 2010
- Thomas Ward Martin and Titus Alan Martin, Nov. 6, 2010
- Nolan Marrero, Sept. 18, 2010
- Rayleigh Grace Summerlin, May 27, 2010
- Kennedie Noel Carnahan, April 30, 2010
- Westin Alan Murphy, Feb. 12, 2010
- Oaklyn Neal Lutterloh, Aug. 29, 2009
- Kenan Jase Collins, July 8, 2007

STANCIL RECORD

2011

Alvin

Graduations



Emily Renee Mercer, daughter of Trent and Barbara Mercer, graduated from Cedar Ridge

High School in Hillsborough, N.C. on June 10, 2011. She played varsity softball, was awarded a Sportsman Softball Scholarship and an academic scholarship. Emily is attending Louisburg College in Louisburg, N.C. She is the granddaughter of Reuben and Shirley Mercer. (Beulah)

Kristy Lynn Thigpen, daughter of Wanda Mercer Roberts, graduated from North Carolina State University on May 14, 2011, with a master's degree in social work. (Beulah)

Samuel Arden Mercer, son of William Frederick and Crystal Mercer, graduated from Forsyth Technical Middle College in Winston-Salem, N.C., on May 12, 2011, with a high school diploma. He is the grandson of Reuben and Shirley Mercer. (Beulah)



Wes James with his grandparents Barbara and George West at his graduation from Mount Olive College in North Carolina.

William Westley James, son of William and Patti West James, graduated from Mount Olive College on Dec. 18, 2010, with a bachelor of arts degree in business administration. He is the grandson of George and Barbara Stancil West. (Vernard/Barbara)

Patti West James, daughter of George and Barbara Stancil West, received a master's degree from Grand Canyon University in Phoenix, Ariz., in October 2010 in School Administration. She is teaching license renewal courses to teachers at Coastal Carolina Community College in Jacksonville, N.C., and at Onslow County Public Schools. (Vernard)

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Marriages

Jonathan Andrew Phillips, son of Robin and Pat Phillips, married Kimberly Lynn Odum on Sept. 17, 2011, in Snellville, Ga. Jonathan is the grandson of Hank and Judy Stancil Phillips. (Vernard)

Mandelyn Roxanne Gaylor, daughter of Wayne and Wanda Boykin Stancil, married Charles Edwin Cort V on Oct. 16, 2010, at the home of Wayne and Wanda in North Carolina. They live in Culver City, Calif., and honeymooned in Kaua'i, Hawaii. (Glenn)

***Next year, our newsletter will be accepting ads for family businesses to fund the production costs. Contact rennhinton@stancilreunion.com for details.**

Henry

Deaths

Gurnie Patricia



Stancil Crabtree, mother of

Charlie, Jane and Guy, daughter of Oscar Stancil, died Oct. 26, 2010, at 96, one day before her 97th birthday. She was the oldest family member present at the 2010 Reunion, where she held Scarlet Huggins, daughter of Sandy and Dale Huggins, the youngest present.

Nona Bell Creech



Godwin Matthews, 86, mother

of Jimmy, Linda and Sandy, widow of James Cleon Godwin, daughter-in-law of James Marvin and Bessie Lee Stancil Godwin, died Oct. 30, 2010. (Bessie)

Henry "Speck" Claiborne



Pope, 72, son of Nancy Agnes

Stancil Pope, grandson of Henry Stancil, husband of Carol Ann, father of Bonnie and David, died on March 20, 2011.

Births

Noelani Elizabeth

Stancil, daughter of Randol Iaukea Stancil and Larissa Calabrese, was born Aug. 17, 2011. She is the granddaughter of Douglas Stancil Jr. and great-granddaughter of Doug Stancil. (Oscar/Guy)

Caylee Reese Johnson,



daughter of Brandon and Jamie Johnson, was born July 14,

2011. Caylee is the granddaughter of Tammy Rose-lynn and Joseph Raymond Johnson and great-granddaughter of Frances Pope Johnson. (Agnes)

George Thomas Stan-

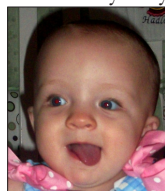


cil, son of Nicholas and Julie Stancil, was born June 29, 2011,

in Denver, Colo. He is the grandson of George Lee and Marilyn Stancil. Grandparents George and Marilyn flew out to see George. (Walter/Tommy)

Jaydan Lime, son of Nani Renee Kekahualani Malupu'vuri Lime, was born April 28, 2011. Jaydan is the grandson of Angel and Charmaine Kekahualani Stancil Lime and great-grandson of Theodore Rudolph Kalikookala Stancil. (Oscar/Guy)

Hadley Cayton Collins,



daughter of Mel and Emily Baldree Collins, was born Dec.

14, 2010. She is the granddaughter of Lee and Nancy Cayton Baldree. (Bessie/Emma Lee)

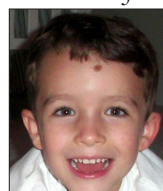
Thomas and Titus Martin, twin sons of Stephen and Felicia Capps Martin, were born Nov. 6, 2010. They are the grandsons of Vickie and Jimmy Capps. (Lillian/Creola)

Kennedie Noel Carnahan, daughter of Brian and Cindie Carnahan, was born April 30, 2010. She is the granddaughter of Wes and Peggy Cayton Carnahan. (Bessie/Emma Lee)



Amelia, Stephen and twins Thomas and Titus Martin

Kenan Jase Collins, son



of Mel and Emily Baldree Collins, was born July 8, 2007.

He is the grandson of Lee and Nancy Cayton Baldree. (Bessie/Emma Lee)

Engagement

"Alex" James Alexander Godwin, son of "Jimmy" James Cleon Godwin Jr., is engaged to Emily Purdie. The wedding will be on April 28, 2012, at the Castle McCulloch in Jamestown, N.C. Alex and Emily live in Boston. (Bessie/Cleon Sr.)

110th Stancil Family Reunion

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This newsletter is just a little bit of what has happened in the Stancil family this past year.

We get our news from you, so please pass along news anytime you have it to share. We also run www.stancilreunion.com. The website contains history on the family, and news is occasionally posted there as well. We are always in need of information for both the newsletter and website.

Henry

Graduations



Sarah Ashley Leffler

Sarah Ashley Leffler, daughter of Michael and Karen Leffler, graduated from Eastern View (Culpeper, Va.) High School. She is attending James Madison University in Harrisonburg, Va., and will pursue a major in chemistry and plans to enter the pharmacy field. She was an honor graduate, vice president of the National Honor Society, member of National Society of High School Scholars, lettered in music, tennis and drama. She was crowned Miss Eastern View 2011 and received a \$2,000 scholarship. She is the granddaughter of Dale and Marie Creech Leffler. (Lillian/Joseph Manley)

Caroline Grace Creech, daughter of Les and Jane Creech, graduated from Grimsley High School in Greensboro, N.C., on June 12, 2011. She was vice president of Grimsley High School's National Art Honor Society. She is the granddaughter of Kenneth and Hulda Creech. (Lillian/Leslie)

Kelsie Nicolle Brink, daughter of Kenneth and Sherry Brink, graduated from Grassfield High School, Chesapeake, Va., on June 16, 2011. She received the Superintendent's Scholar-Athlete of the year Award. Kelsie was a member of the volleyball team and played left field on the softball team. She is attending Virginia Tech. She is the granddaughter of Geraldine Creech. (Lillian/Joseph Manley)

Andrew Edward Crabtree, son of Guy and Debbie Crabtree, graduated from Riverside High School in Durham, N.C., on June 9, 2011. He was selected prom king at Riverside High. Andrew served as co-Master of Ceremonies for the Riverside Chorus Cabaret at the Broad Street Cafe in Durham. He closed the show singing "I'm on Fire." He attends the University of North Carolina-Chapel Hill, majoring in dramatic arts. Andrew is battling a rare form of soft tissue tumor cancer, synovial sarcoma. (Oscar/Gurnie)

"Zac" Gregoles, son of John and Jackie Stancil Gregoles, graduated from Badger High School, Lake Geneva, Wisc., on June 5, 2011. He is attending the University of Wisconsin-Whitewater and will major in psychology and minor in world religions. (Oscar/Jack)

Ashley Rhea Godwin Spencer, daughter of Butch and Cheryl Godwin, graduated from Nash Community College on May 12, 2011, with an associate's of applied science in the physical therapist assistant program. She is the granddaughter of Billy Godwin. (Bessie)

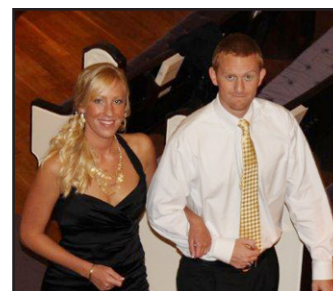
Emily Ryan Godwin, daughter of Butch and Cheryl Godwin, graduated from The Crown College of the Bible in Powell, Tenn., on May 2, 2011. She is the granddaughter of Billy Godwin. (Bessie)

Marriages

Jane Stancil, daughter of Phillip and Grace Stancil, married Brian Steele on Sept. 17, 2011. (Walter/Tommy)

Christopher Graham Creech, son of Byron and Tammy Creech, married Katy Millberg on Aug. 13, 2011, at Wake Forest Baptist Church in Wake Forest, N.C. Chris is the grandson of Grover and Ruby Stancil Creech. (Oscar)

William Russell Washam III, son of Russell and Lucia Creech Washam, graduated from Appalachian State on May 7, 2011, with a major in geography. He was a GIS (Geographic Information System) intern at Carolina Thread Trail (CTT). The Carolina Thread Trail is a network of trails for walking hiking, and biking. He is the grandson of Grover and Ruby Stancil Creech. (Oscar)



Hazel Hill Wright (Tempy Ann)

Hazel, 91, the second daughter of Zilphia and Millard Hill, was nicknamed 'Scoop' by Uncle Clarence Hill. Once Hazel snuck some of her mama's snuff. She turned blue and vomited. That ended dipping! Hazel had a sense of rhythm and was a good dancer. She loved to jitterbug and often said, "If the right tune comes along I might try it again."



George Ira

Births



Amelia "Lily" Elisabeth Huggins, daughter of Dale and Sandra Huggins, was born July 13, 2011. She is the granddaughter of Ronnie and Alice Stancil Huggins. (Emmette/Junior)



Camryn Rebecca Colledge, daughter of Daryn and Megan Sweesy, was born on June 23, 2011. She is the granddaughter of Ike and Sandy Sweesy. (Emmette/Rose)

Graduations



Kip Austin Hinton, son of Bobby and Renn Stancil Hinton, earned his Ph.D. from UCLA on June 11, 2011. He is an assistant professor at the University of Texas at Brownsville. (Ralph)

David Mark Smick Jr., son of David and Victoria Stancil Smick, graduated from Mount St. Albans School in Washington, D.C., on June 11, 2011. He is attending Bowdoin College in Brunswick, Maine. (Delanie/George Arnold)

Cody Eugene Marsh, son of Patrick Marsh, graduated from Clayton High School in Morrow, Ga., on May 23, 2011. He is the grandson of Ed and Janet Moore Winkler. (Delanie/Norma)

James Mitchell Hunter, son of Gil and Renee Batts Hunter, graduated from Middle College at GTCC-High Point, N.C., on May 23, 2011. He is attending Caldwell Community College. He is the grandson of Jim Batts. (Vazelle)

Melissa Anne House, daughter of Bradley and Jane House, graduated from the University of Maryland on May 19, 2011, with a masters of library science degree. She is the granddaughter of Reba Stancil House. (Delanie)

Amy House Thurston, daughter of Larry and Janey House, received her Law Degree from University of North Carolina Chapel Hill and passed the bar in 2010.

Deaths



Ethel Octavia Hales Stancil, 94, wife of the late Ralph Stancil, mother of Georgeanne Stancil Schore, Renn Stancil Hinton, Hale Ralph Stancil and Wm. Harold Stancil, died on Feb. 16, 2011, at her home in Ocala, Fla.



Katherine Sweesy Lane, daughter of Michele Sweesy Lane, married Daniel Mabardy on July 10, 2011. Family at the wedding were, back row, from left: Toni and Chris Sweesy, Matt and Michelle Lane, Katie and Daniel, Ike Sweesy, Brooke Burch, Dave Moser. Front: Brad and Whitney Sweesy, Robin and Kim Moser. (Emmette/Rose)

She also has a master's degree in Civil Engineering. She is the granddaughter of Reba Stancil House. (Delanie)

Marriages

John Ralph Stancil, son of Hale and Becky Stancil, married Jennifer Gray on July 23, 2011, in Greenville, Fla. (Ralph)

Marenda Alice Huggins, daughter of Ronnie and Alice Stancil Huggins, married Todd Stephen Ausbon on Nov. 13, 2010, at Ayden Christian Church. (Emmette/Junior)

Engagement

Dale Benedict is engaged to Brenda Haley. Dale is a pilot and Brenda teaches equestrian. (Emmette/Martha)



Jack Alan Benedict, 74, father of Gerri Benedict Butler, Derek and Dale Benedict, died on Jan. 31, 2011, at home in Newnan, Ga. He retired from Piedmont Airlines as a pilot and enjoyed riding motorcycles. (Emmette)



Mary Alice Rivenbark Stancil Ayers, 96, mother of "Tommy" Emmette Stancil III and Alice Marie Stancil Huggins, died on Nov. 12, 2010, at home in Ayden, N.C. She was an RN and a pilot. (Emmette)

Josiah

Births

Nicole Lorraine Stancil, daughter of Bret and Kylie Stancil, was born Jan. 28, 2011.

She is the granddaughter of "Chuck" and Janet Stancil. (Harry/Harry Jr.)

Graduations

Britta Nicole Guyer, daughter of Bill and Susan Wing Guyer, graduated from Mercyhurst North-East College in Pa., in criminal justice. She is presently working in mall security. (Herbert/Beverly)

Vanessa Nicole Finley, daughter of Noel and Kerri Finley, graduated from California State University, Sacramento on May 20, 2011, in psychology and a minor in business. She is the granddaughter of Eleanor "Ellie" Stancil Mahoney. (Harry)

Ryan Patrick Mahoney, son of Kelly and Doreen Mahoney, graduated Magna Cum Laude from Jesuit High School, Sacramento, Calif. He is attending the University of Santa Clara in Santa Clara, Calif. He is the grandson of "Ellie" Eleanor Stancil Mahoney. (Harry)

Marriage

John Repecko III, son of Jay and Florence

Repecko, married Kristen A. Brooks on Aug. 20, 2011. (Herbert/Patricia/Cheri)

Edward Sean Stancil, son of Joe Stancil, married Helen Horn on Dec. 19, 2010. (Harry Sr.)

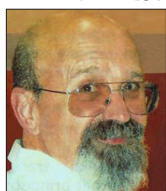
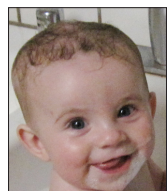
Meghan Elizabeth Stancil married Joe Furr on Oct. 9, 2010, in Benton, Tenn. (Leumos/Jimmy/Phillip)

Deaths

"Ken" Wesley Collins, 86, widower of "Betty" Stancil Collins, father of Craig, Debby and Brett Wesley Collins, died on Dec. 29, 2010. (Harry)

"Tim" Levi Burgess, 58, son of Gloria Maxine Stancil Wood, father of Phillip and brother of "Chuck" W. Moore II, died on April 13, 2011. (Leumos)

Harold Stancil, 85, husband of Elizabeth, father of Allison, Chris, David and Russell, died on March 24, 2011. (Leumos)



Tempy Ann

Births

Cheyenne Elizabeth Hill, daughter of Steven Edward and Tori Medford Hill, was born Aug. 17, 2011. She is the granddaughter of Diane Hill and the great-granddaughter of Jean Petway Hill. (Jack/Ed/Eddie)

Evan Ray Wright, son of Joy and Kevin Wright, was born June 17, 2011. He is the grandson of Jeannie and Wayne Wright and great-grandson of Hazel Hill Wright. (Millard)

Reynolds Pope, daughter of Cameron and Jamie Narron Pope, was born Feb. 27, 2011. Reynolds is the granddaughter of Van and Debbie Narron and great-granddaughter of Claude and Janey Edward Narron. (Ronja/Mozelle)

Graduations

Larry "Trey" Wayne Lassiter III, son of Larry and Ginger Hill Lassiter, graduated from Sanderson High School in Raleigh, N.C., on June 12, 2011. He played second base and pitcher for the baseball team. Trey attends East Carolina University. He is the grandson of Jim and Evelyn Hill. (Jack)

Erica Smith Narron, wife of Steven Dale Narron Jr., graduated from East Carolina University on May 6, 2011, in elementary education. (Delia/Annie/Bruce)

Engagement

Ashley Renee Narron, daughter of Frederick and Linda Narron, is engaged to Adam Webster. They plan to marry on Oct. 15, 2011. (Ronja/Mozelle)

Marriage

Christopher James Godwin, son of Joan Bass, married Elizabeth Susan Moeller on July 16, 2011, at Rose Hill Plantation in Nashville, N.C. He is the grandson of Mavis Godwin. (Millard/Willie/James)

Steve Dale Narron Jr., grandson of Bruce and Judy Narron, married Erica Smith of Smithfield, N.C., on Feb. 26, 2011, in Faith Community Church in Clayton, N.C. Steve, a marine, is stationed at Camp Lejeune. (Delia/Annie)

Deaths

James Radford Johnson, 67, husband of Brenda, father of James Paul, died on May 25, 2011. (Delia/Esker)

"Ernie" VanBuren Bennett, 61, husband of Kathy Wright Bennett, father of Cassie and Erin, died on Dec. 11, 2010. (Moses/Glady)



Samuel

Graduations

Taylor Marie Woodlief, daughter of Greg and Lisa Woodlief, graduated from Gloucester High School in Virginia, on June 12, 2011. She is attending Old Dominion, majoring in nursing. She is the granddaughter of Shirley Pipkin and great-granddaughter of Thelma Stancil Pipkin. (Elbert)



Will Newton and mother Annette at graduation

Morgan Stancil, daughter of Brian and Paula Stancil, graduated from Hunt High School in Wilson, N.C., on June 11, 2011. She is attending Barton College. She is the granddaughter of Jerry and Marcia Stancil. (Elbert/Durward)

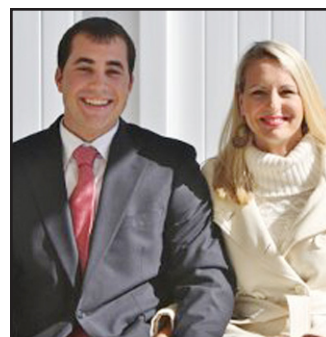
William "Will" Thomas Newton, son of Dr. Tommy and Annette Whitfield Newton, graduated from Clinton High School in Clinton, N.C., on June 11, 2011. Will received an award for being "One of the Top 5 in his Class," he was a member of the golf team that advanced to the N.C. State Playoffs and finished fourth. He lettered in golf. He is attending University of North Carolina-Chapel Hill. He is the grandson of Pat Stancil Whitfield and the late Bill Whitfield Jr. (Lonnie)

Allison Stancil, daughter of Shelia and "Walt" Walter Thomas Stancil Jr., graduated from Hunt High School in Wilson, N.C., on June 11, 2011. She is the granddaughter of Janice Hurley Stancil. (Lonnie)

Jessica Rama Hazelett, daughter of Alice Pipkin Parker, received her pulmonary therapist degree in San Diego, Calif. She is the granddaughter of Thelma Stancil Pipkin. (Elbert)

Jeff Brown, son of Roselyn Stancil Brown, graduated from Nash Community College in nursing and passed the RN nursing exam. (Elbert/Durward)

Jordan Michael Hazelett, son of John and Jessica Rama Hazelett, graduated from Point Loma High School, San Diego, Calif. He played French horn in the school band and also plays the drums and plays in the "Volunteer Band," whose gigs include churches and the community. Jordan is attending California State University-San Marcos. He is the grandson of Alice Pipkin Parker and great-grandson of Thelma Stancil Pipkin. (Elbert)



Erik and Stephanie Stancil
Sommerville

Marriage

Stephanie Karen Stancil, daughter of Steven and Karen Stancil, married Erik James Sommerville on April 16, 2011, at the Forest Hills Baptist Church in Wilson, N.C. (Elbert/Fernie)

Deaths

Michael Shayne Poythress, 30, son of Flora Jean Stancil, father of Alexis Re Ann Thompson, died on Feb. 13, 2011. (Elbert/Fernie)



Harvey

Births

Breasyn "Brea" Faith Thomas, daughter of Lorin Cooke and Christopher Thomas, was born March 3, 2011. She is the granddaughter of Holly Langston Nation. (Gertrude/Ruth)

Graduations

Shelton Pittman, son of Angel Pittman, graduated from Smithfield-Selma Se-

nior High School in Smithfield, N.C. He received a senior award for baseball and another one for football. Shelton is attending Wilson Tech and plans to become a fireman. (Gertrude/Tom)

Deaths

Sandra Annette Pittman, 49, daughter of the late Thomas and Carolyn Pittman, partner of Rob-

ert Christian, mother of Cassidy, Tiffany, Emily and Lucas, died on June 9, 2011. (Gertrude)

Bernard "Buck" Columbus Buchanan, 94, husband of the late Gertie Mae Pittman, father of Lisa, Larry and



Steve, died on March 23, 2011. (Gertrude)

George Garland Stancil, 92, grandson of John Thomas Stancil, son of Harvey Arthur Stancil, husband of Doris, father of Katie and George, died on Oct. 24, 2010.



Arnett

Births



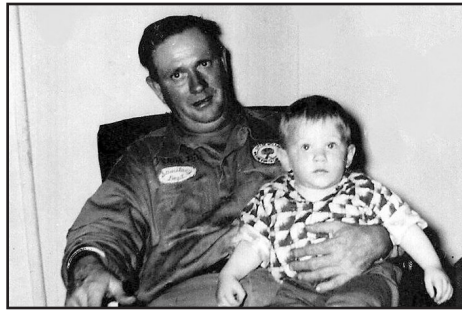
Emily Rose Reason, daughter of Douglas and Crista Murph Reason, was born April 19, 2011. She is the granddaughter of Wilbert Christopher "Kip" and Wanda Murph. (Wilbert/Marvalene)

Nolan Marrero, son of Javier and Kim Murphy Marrero, was born Sept. 18, 2010. Nolan is the grandson of Benny Murphy and great-grandson of Benny and Imogene Hill Murphy. (Wilbert)

Rayleigh Grayce Summerlin, daughter of Gray and Kevin Ray Summerlin, was born May 27, 2010. She is the granddaughter of Sharon Hill Turnage. (Wilbert)

Westin Alan Murphy, son of Alan and Christian Murphy, was born Feb. 12, 2010. He is the grandson of Tim and Robin Murphy and great-grandson of Benny and Imogene Hill Murphy. (Wilbert)

Oaklyn Neal Lutterloh, son of Clay and Christy Murphy Lutterloh, was born Aug. 29, 2009. Oaklyn is the grandson of Tim and Robin Murphy and great-grandson of Benny and Imogene Hill Murphy. (Wilbert)



Looking back

Arthur Hill and grandson Larry Isenhour, son of Myrtle Hill Isenhour Estes taken in 1959.

Graduations

Amanda Marie Isenhour, daughter of Larry Isenhour, graduated from N.C. State on May 14, 2011, with Bachelor of Science degree in microbiology. She is the granddaughter of Myrtle Hill Isenhour Estes. (Arthur)

Jacob Hill, son of William "Junior" Janell Hill Jr., graduated from Princeton High School, Princeton, N.C., on June 10, 2011. He is the grandson of "Toot" and Martha Hill. (Wilbert)

Wilbert Christopher "Boot" Murph Jr., son of Wanda and Wilbert Christopher "Kip" Murph Sr., graduated from UNC-Wilmington on May 13, 2011, with a bachelor's degree in informational systems. He works for Alpha Numeric in Raleigh, N.C. He is the grandson of Marvelene Hill Carico. (Wilbert)

Carly Murph, wife of "Boot" Murph Jr., graduated from East Carolina on May 13, 2011, with a master's degree in ac-

counting. She works for an accounting firm in Raleigh, N.C. She is the daughter-in-law of "Kip" and Wanda Murph. (Wilbert/Marvelene)

Engagement

Branley Hill, son of Jeffrey William Hill, is engaged to Ashley Annear. He is the grandson of "Toot" and Martha Hill. (Wilbert)

Marriage

"Junior" Hill, son of Toot and Martha Hill, married Terri Salvail on Aug. 27, 2011, in Kenly, N.C. (Wilbert)

Wilbert Christopher "Boot" Murph Jr., son of Wanda and "Kip" Murph Sr., married Carly Megan Moore on May 22, 2011, in Wilmington, N.C. He is the grandson of Marvelene Hill Carico. (Wilbert)

Leslie Ann Isenhour, daughter of Larry Isenhour, married Scott Holston on Sept. 25, 2010. Leslie teaches at Johnston Community College. She is the granddaughter of Myrtle Hill Estes. (Arthur)

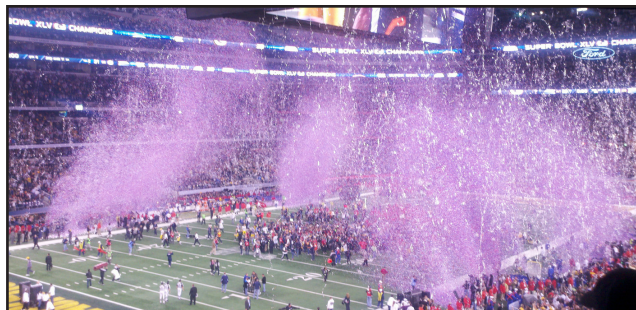
News/Honors

Wanda and Wilbert Christopher "Kip" Murph Sr. celebrated their 30th wedding anniversary with a cruise to the Bahamas. They were married July 24, 1981. Wanda said, "The best part was watching 'Kip' be a kid again." He particularly loved the water slide on the ship. "Kip" is the son of Marvelene Hill Carico. (Wilbert)

Leah Nicole Isenhour, daughter of Larry and Mitzie Isenhour, is a member of the Smithfield-Selma swim team. At the Greater Neuse River 4-A Conference meet, she was runner-up in the 500 meters with a time of 7:20.72. She's a member of FFA. Leah and her mother Mitzie, plus 50 other members of the First Baptist Church, Smithfield, N.C., spent a week in Belize in Central America. They stayed at the Baptist Training Center in Belmopan. Leah told Bible stories and taught crafts for Bible School for ages 5 to 13. Mitzie did the cooking. Leah is the granddaughter of Myrtle Hill Isenhour Estes. (Arthur)



Leah Isenhour



Ike Sweesy and several family members traveled to Arlington, Texas, to watch Daryn Colledge play in Super Bowl XLV. **By IKE SWEESY** (Emmette/Rose)

Daryn Colledge: Super Bowl champions

Daryn Colledge, husband of Megan Sweesy Colledge, was a member of the Green Bay Packers in 2010, the Super Bowl XLV champions. He started at left guard.

Attending the game in Arlington, Texas, were: Wife Megan; parents Scott and Tammy; brother Kyle; sister Katie; uncle Chris; father-in-law Ike; mother-

in-law Sandy; brothers- and sisters-in-law Joe and Cristen Sweesy Walker and Gary and Laura Sweesy Lim.

Before joining the Packers, Colledge was a four-year starter for Boise State.

In August 2011, Colledge signed a new five-year contract with the Arizona Cardinals.

Showing horses



Avery Philemon, son of Buddy and Cynthia Narron Philemon, competes in horse shows. He is the grandson of Esther Godwin Narron. (Bessie)



Billy Wallace races trucks at Langley Speedway.

Billy Wallace in truck races

Billy Wallace, son of Ed and Irene and husband of Joan, started racing Supertruck division at Langley Speedway in 2006. His Chevy S10 truck has a highly modified Ford 2500cc motor has a top speed of 85 mph on the 4/10 mile track. Billy attended the Lowes Motor Speedway driving school in 1994 and then attended each year for three days through 2009.

He logged in over 1500 laps. Billy's fastest lap was 164 mph. In 2004 he began his racing career.

Billy started out in the 4 cylinder car division with a Ford Escort.

He won the track championship in his second season at Langley Speedway and set the qualifying record at the Southhampton Speedway. He still has that record as the speedway has closed. Today Billy, the oldest driver at Langley Speedway, has finished second and third a few times.

"I race for the fun of it so I limit my spending, which limits my success. But it sure is fun!" (Gertrude)

George/Alvin Branch gatherings

More than six years ago, members of the Alvin and George Branches began meeting once a month at Stevenson's BBQ in Willow Springs, N.C.

They gather for good food, family news, fun, fellowship and bonding.

Those who often at-

tend include brothers Jim and Bill Batts (George), Donell Stancil (Alvin), George Dettenmayer, J.G. Renfrow, Bobby and Camden Renfrow, Ronnie and Dale Huggins, Tommy Stancil III, Chris Sweesy, Derek and Dale Benedict and Ronnie Butler (George).

Donell stepping down as treasurer

Donell Franklin Stancil, son of Alvin and last living grandson of John Thomas and Delaney Sasser Stancil, will step aside after our 110th Reunion. For more than 50 years, he has been treasurer. In addition to this, he and Lou have secured the location, purchased paper goods, made and served the traditional Reunion Lemonade. We are confident another branch will step forward to assume these important duties.



Donell Franklin Stancil

Family cemeteries

Johnston County

Stancil Cemetery, 2160 Glendale Road — Marshall McCall and Rodney Stancil.

Hales Cemetery, near 3268 Shoeheel Road

Hill Cemetery, near 4412 Glendale Road

Center Ridge Cemetery, 2712 Glendale Road

Kenly Cemetery, 610 W. 2nd St. in Kenly

Holly Springs Church Cemetery, 80 Beulah town Road in Kenly

Bethany Baptist Church Cemetery, 8980 Old Beulah Road in Kenly

New Jerusalem Church Cemetery at S.R. 222 and Jerusalem Church Road

Stancil's Chapel Free Will Baptist Church Cemetery, 11471 Old Beulah Road in Kenly

Cockrell Family Cemetery, 2905 Glendale Road

Stancil Cemetery

Wayne Stancil, son of Glenn, Rodney Stancil, son of Cecil, and Marshall McCall, son-in-law of Wayne take care of the of the Stancil Cemetery on Glendale Road. There are 18 marked graves and at least 10 unmarked graves. John Thomas and Delaney Sasser Stancil are among those buried here.

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Wilson County, N.C.

Springhill Presbyterian Church Cemetery, Springfield School Road

Howell Cemetery — Jerry Durward Stancil and family maintains Howell. Samuel Stancil and Missouria Howell Stancil are buried there. Call 252-237-6621.

Health concerns

Tempy Ann

■ “Jim” Albert Hill, 80, husband of Evelyn, is battling lung cancer. He resides at 4512 Bristol Court, Wilson, NC 27896. (Jack)

■ Sudie Bailey Sullivan, daughter of Delia, resides at Brian Center Health & Rehabilitation Room 219, 2501 Downing Street SW, Wilson, NC.



Rachel and Margie Hill

■ Rachel and Margie Hill, daughters of Clarence, reside at Wilson Assisted Living, 3501 Senior Village Lane, NW Ste 4, Wilson, NC 27896. Margie is in Room 202A and Rachel is in Room 202B.

Alvin

■ Columbia Ann Mercer Kornegay has memory problems and is at The Laurels of Forest Glenn, Room 227, 1101 Hartwell St., Garner, NC 27529. (Beulah)

■ A.R. Mercer had a shunt put into his brain to remove excessive fluid on June 9, 2011. He is recovering with the help of his wife Lottie's loving care. (Beulah)

Harvey

■ Anne Pittman Viverette, wife of James, is recovering from a fall on Aug. 30, 2011. She suffered dislocations and broken bones. Anne had surgery on Sept. 6. Anne resides at Wilmed Nursing Center Rehab Center, Room 17, 1705 South Tarboro St., Wilson, NC 27893. (Gertrude)

Samuel

■ James “Jay” Elbert Stancil, husband of Betty, is having memory problems and resides at Liberty Commons Nursing-Rehab, Benson, N.C. Last year he missed his first Stancil Reunion in 10 years. Cards should be sent to: Jay Stancil, c/o Cynthia Stancil Groff, 126 Pisgah Dr., Garner, NC 27529. (Elbert)

George

■ “Jes” Jesmon Arnold Hales, husband of Betsy, had cancerous polyps removed in April, spent weeks in the ICU and extensive care. He came home in July and uses a wound vac. His cancer is in remission. (Hilda)



Granddaughter Samantha, daughter Shirley, Thelma, daughter Alice and son Dee Dee

Thelma Pipkin's 90th birthday

Thelma Lee Stancil Pipkin, daughter of Freeman Elbert Stancil and Annie Viola Renfrow, was born at home, Nov. 19, 1920. She was named Myrtle Viola Stancil. It was changed to Thelma Lee.

Thelma, 3, recalls staying with Grandma Missouri, who was stern and ugly and required her to walk 5 miles to church, a long walk for a tiny girl.

Her parents divorced in 1924. She lived with Elbert, older brothers Durward, Fernie and younger sister Annie Laurie. Durward was protective, saving her from more than one licking from the hired sitter. At 5, she lived with her mother in Wilson. Her mom moved them to Virginia, lost her job and Uncle Lonnie Stancil brought Thelma and Annie Laurie back to Elbert. They cried all the way. Elbert was getting ready to marry pretty Gladys Pearl Lamm, 19.

Elbert moved the family to a farm. Durward and Fernie grew tobacco and cotton. Elbert worked for Southern Dairies. Gladys, a stern overseer, never did

farm work. Thelma started stringing tobacco at 10.

At 15, Thelma ran away to live with her mother. Elbert wanted her home, she refused. A friend introduced Thelma, 16, to George Dallas Pipkin, 24, from Black Creek. He worked in a restaurant. Love blossomed. Thelma quit school. They were married in Lawrenceville, Va. George rented a house in Wilson. After a year, they moved to Virginia. They had three children George Dallas 'Dee Dee' Jr., Shirley Ann and Alice Leigh.

Thelma and George moved 28 times between Newport News and Wilson. George would work at the shipyards and then farm! Thelma worked at Savage Groceries, for a doctor, drug store, even filling RXs.

A year before George retired; they bought grocery store in Wilson, named it, Pipkins. Hours were 7am to 7 pm, open 7 days a week and delivered groceries. They sold out after three years.

Thelma was fun loving and adventuresome. She took up motorcycle riding at 65!

Family photos

TEMPY ANN BRANCH



Erica and Steve Narron with grandparents Judy and Bruce Narron. Steve and Erica married on Feb. 26, 2011, in Clayton, N.C. (Delia/Annie)

JOSIAH BRANCH



John Repecko III, son of Jay and Florence Repecko, married Kristen A. Brooks on Aug. 20, 2011. (Herbert/Pat/Cheri)



Elisa Stancil, daughter of Joe Stancil, and husband Chuck Levine took a trip to China in May 2011. (Harry)

TEMPY ANN BRANCH



Tim Williams, Gene Godwin, Mason Alexander, Evan Cole and Elizabeth Williams at the beach in North Carolina. Elizabeth is the daughter of Gene and the late Betty Jean. Mason and Cole are the great-grandsons of Mavis Hill Godwin. (Millard)

Family photos

GEORGE BRANCH



Marena Alice Huggins, daughter of Ronnie and Alice Stancil Huggins, married Todd Stephen Ausbon on Nov. 13, 2010, at Ayden Christian Church in Ayden, N.C. At the wedding were, from left: Marena's parents Ronnie and Alice Stancil Huggins; Bride Marena and Groom Todd; and sister-in-law Sandra and brother Dale and niece Scarlett Huggins. (Emmette/Junior)

ARNETTIE BRANCH



"Junior" Hill, son of Toot and Martha Hill, married Terri Salvail on Aug. 27, 2011, at the home of Dan and Jill Hill Wall in Kenly, N.C. Jill is the sister of Junior. Attending the wedding were, back row, from left: Adrienne Harrison (Terri's daughter), Jill Hill Wall, William "Toot" Hill, William Hill Jr. (groom), Terri Hill (bride), Jacob Hill. Middle row: Heather Brown, Martha Hill, Joy Hill, Dan Wall. Front row: Emily Wall and Hannah Wall. (Wilbert)

JOSIAH BRANCH



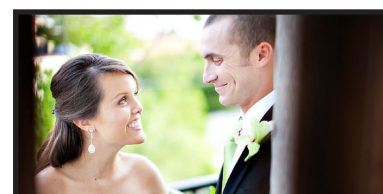
Meghan Elizabeth Stancil married Joe Furr on Oct. 9, 2010, in Benton, Tenn. (Leumos/Phillip)

JOSIAH BRANCH



Edward Sean Stancil, son of Joe Stancil, married Helen Horn on Dec. 19, 2010, in California. (Harry)

ARNETTIE BRANCH



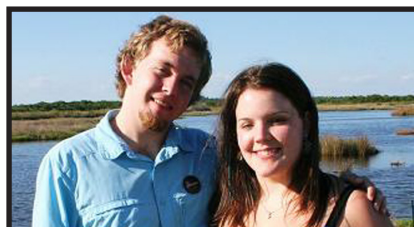
"Boot" Murph Jr., son of Wanda and "Kip" Murph Sr., married Carly Megan Moore on May 22, 2011, in Wilmington, N.C. (Wilbert/Marvalene)

GEORGE BRANCH



John Ralph Stancil, son of Hale and Becky Warner Stancil, married Jennifer Gray on July 23, 2011, in Greenville, Fla. (Ralph)

ALVIN BRANCH



Jonathan Andrew Phillips, son of Pat and Robin Phillips, married Kimberly Lynn Odum on Sept. 17, 2011, in Snellville, Ga. (Vernard/Judy)

ALVIN BRANCH



Mandelyn Gaylor, daughter of Wayne and Wanda Boykin Stancil, married Charles Edwin Cort V on Oct. 16, 2010, at the home of Wayne and Wanda.

George Ira

News/Honors

Jessica Hales, daughter of Betsy and Jes Hales, spoke at one of the sessions on Understanding Serious Mental Illness and Emotional Disturbance with Kim Hammack MA at the first statewide, 2010 Alabama Mental Health Court Conference in October 2010. Jessica is the Adult Services Coordinator in the Office of Mental Illness Community Programs at the Alabama Department of Mental Health. She has been an adjunct professor in the Psychology department at Auburn University at Montgomery since 2001. (Hilda)

Amalia Ortiz, wife of Kip Hinton, had her musical, "Carmen de la Calle," performed for three nights in late July at SAY Sí Black-Box Theatre in San Antonio, Texas. The production was Amalia's take on Bizet's opera "Carmen," based in San Antonio. Amalia plays Mica. Amalia was also awarded a 2011 IC3 Artist Residency at the National Hispanic Cultural Center (NHCC) in Albuquerque, N.M. The campus is located along the Rio Grande River. The center opened in 2000 and its mission is to preserve, promote, and advance Hispanic culture, arts, and humanities. Kip is the son of Bobby and Renn Stancil Hinton. (Ralph)



Glenn and Georgeanne Stancil Schore celebrated their 50th wedding anniversary on Oct. 30, 2010. Her mother, Ethel, joined 175 friends for a catered luncheon at First Christian Church in Ocala, Fla. The wedding date was Nov. 25, 1960. They were married at the First Christian Church, the same church as her parents, Ralph and Ethel Stancil. Seamstress, Mrs. Lola Putz, who designed and made her dress, was a special guest. The dress, on display, was also worn by daughter-in-law Jean Burgess Schore. Members of the wedding party who attended were maid of honor: Barbara Sundey McCullough, bridesmaid: Renn Stancil Hinton, flower girl: Diane Warner Wilson (sister-in-law of Hale Stancil) and mother-of-the-bride: Ethel Stancil. Sons Ted and Alex gave them a trip to Las Vegas. (Ralph)

Donna Padgett was elected president of the Rocky Mount Writers' Guild. She also teaches for the University of Phoenix and tutors for Saint Augustine's College in Raleigh, N.C. (Delanie/Norma)



Bobbie Lynn McGhee Padgett, wife of Barry Gregory Padgett, is the 2012 Mrs. Topeka and Mrs. Kansas. She will compete to be Mrs. America 2012 in the spring at the Greenbrier in West Virginia. Bobbie has been accepted by Washburn University in Topeka. She is the daughter-in-law of Donna Moore Padgett. (Delanie/Norma)



Callahan and Philo, owned by Alex and Karen LaVie Luciano, won the 2010 Maryland DockDogs Holiday Photo Contest. (Myrtle/Jean)

Sylvia and Catherine Padgett, daughters of Barry and Bobbie Padgett, were inducted into the Thespians Troupe at Hayden High School in Topeka, Kansas, and awarded \$1,000 scholarships. Sylvia is the Hayden Thespian President. They are granddaughters of Donna Moore Padgett. (Delanie/Norma)

Carol Molinari, wife of George Ira Stancil III, was a co-presenter at the Academy of Management 2011 Annual Meeting in San Antonio, Texas. She was also a co-presented at the Association of University Programs of Health Administration Annual meeting in Charleston, S.C. Topics were "Differences Matter: Assessing an Organization's Cultural Competency" and "Follow the Leader: Learning from Students Regarding Preferred Ways to Promote Collaboration in Hybrid and Online Courses." (GI)

Alex and Karen LaVie Luciano, daughter of Al and Jean Eason LaVie, celebrated their 23rd wedding anniversary by returning to the location of their honeymoon. They took the Skyline Drive to the Big Meadow in the Shenandoah National Park, Va. They enjoyed camping and hiking along the Rose River. (Myrtle)

Marty Stancil, wife of "Tommy" Emmette Stancil III, retires from Pitt County Schools at the end of October 2011. She taught more than 30 years and has her master's degree in speech pathology. (Junior)

Josh Alexander, son of Doug and Jo Ann Eason Alexander, earned the Steve Pittman Scholarship for spring 2011 at Barton College. (Myrtle)

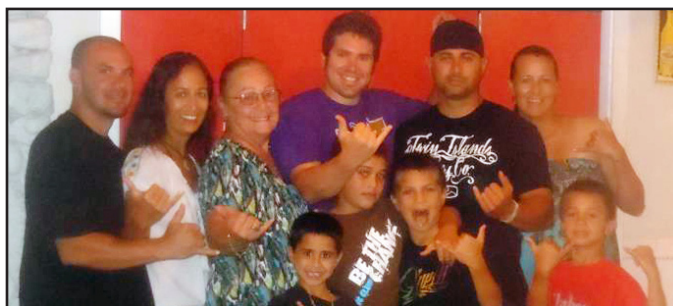
George Ira

Jean Eason LaVie and daughter Karen LaVie Luciano bake Fresco's Restaurant's Bumbleberry Pie. Six area restaurants in Ocean City, Md., feature Jean and Karen's pies. Jean's blueberry bushes came from ones her father, Grover, grew in Wilson, N.C. (Myrtle)

Eva Nichole Batts, daughter of Tim Batts, was inducted into the National Junior Honor Society. Tim and Eva went whitewater rafting on the New River in West Virginia. Eva is the granddaughter of Bill Batts. (Vazelle)

Abigail Williams, daughter of Steve and Katherine Renfrow Williams, participates in the Greater Cleveland Athletic Association soccer team. Her team won a silver medal in the N.C. State Games in June. They lost to a team from Charlotte in the final seconds. Abigail plays many positions, but enjoys center midfield. She is the granddaughter of J.G. and Denise Renfrow. (Rachel)

Cassie Mitchell, daughter of Derek Benedict, plays on three softball teams: a school team from Southern Nash, a recreational team, and the Mustangs, a traveling softball team from Wake County, N.C. Cassie primarily plays catcher also pitches and plays first base. (Emmette/Martha)



Evan Stancil, son of Ira and Carol Molinari Stancil, vacationed in Hawaii and spent several days with cousin Guy Stancil of the Henry Branch. Back, from left: Guy Stancil Jr., Jodi (Tita) Akau Kim, Kathleen Stancil Akau, Evan Stancil, Josiah Stancil Akau, Joelle Akau Hussey. Front: Jayce Akau (Josiah's son), Josiah Stancil Akau Jr. (Josiah's son), Alapaki Kapilioha Hussey (Joelle's son) and Alakea Kamakaokalani Hussey. (Joelle's son)

Sarah Schore, daughter of Ted and Jean Schore, plays melophone and tenor sax in marching band and tenor sax in jazz band, plus the clarinet in the concert band at West Port High School in Ocala, Fla. She plays clarinet in the Youth Symphony Orchestra. She is the granddaughter of Glenn and Georgeanne Stancil Schore. (Ralph)

Eva Schore, daughter of Ted and Jean Schore, plays the flute in the marching band and the oboe in the symphonic band at Howard Middle School in Ocala, Fla. She is the granddaughter of Glenn and Georgeanne Stancil Schore. (Ralph)

Grace Schore, daughter of Ted and Jean Schore, is a member of the Tech drama team, where she learns how to operate the lighting and sound systems for the stage,

at Madison Street Elementary School in Ocala, Fla. She is the granddaughter of Glenn and Georgeanne Stancil Schore. (Ralph)

Ashley Hales, daughter of Jeff Hales, is president of the Humane Society Chapter at Gwinnett County High School in Georgia. Ashley also volunteers at a local veterinarian office. She wants to be a vet. She is the granddaughter of Jes and Betsy Hales. (Hilda)

Rachel Strother, daughter of Meredith Renfrow Braswell, went on a spring tour with the Hunt High School in Wilson, N.C., chorus to New York City. The chorus sang at the Church of Saint Paul the Apostle. Rachel toured the Statue of Liberty and NBC studios. She also saw two musicals. She is the granddaughter of J.G. and Denise Renfrow. (Rachel)



Ira, Carol and daughter Julia Stancil, spent nine days in Hawaii. (GI)

Dale Benedict, daughter Emily, fiancée Brenda Haley, visited New York City. While there they took a boat trip to see the Statue of Liberty, went to the top of the Empire State building, toured the city and saw "The Lion King" on Broadway. (Emmette/Martha)



Shelley and Dustin Stancil, son of Mena Woodard Stancil Sullivan, spent almost two weeks in Sweden, Denmark and Norway. They moved to Cincinnati in the fall of 2010. (GI/Don)

Emily Benedict, daughter of Dale Benedict, began riding lessons when she was 4 years old and now competes on "Red" in the Hunter Jumper Class at area horse shows. (Emmette/Martha)

John Archer

News/Honors

Luke Harrison Stancil, son of Kermit Jackson Jr., was invited by Justin Burr, a member of the North Carolina House of Representatives for the 67th District, to represent North Carolina at the TAR (Teen Age Republicans) Leadership Conference held from July 25 to 30, 2011, in Washington, D.C. Luke is the grandson of Ann Stancil. (Kermit)



Sen. Richard Burr (R-N.C.) and Luke Stancil



Jeanne and Henry Sawyer, son of the late Henry and Carletta Stancil Sawyer, went to England and Ireland for the month of June 2011. They visited Hadrian's wall, Newcastle, Durham, Harrogate, York, Southwell, Bridgenorth, Ironbridge Gorge, and London and then Ireland. In mid-December 2010, Henry and Jeanne took a cruise to South America where they saw Rio, went south to the Falkland Islands, then to Antarctica, around Cape Horn and Tierra del Fuego, Chile, Argentina, Montevideo and ended in Buenos Aires.



Kyla Rys with panda.

Flip, wife Lynn Middleton Rys and daughter Kyla spent 2 1/2 weeks in China, Kyla's homeland. They visited Kyla's hometown, Yue Yang in the Hunan Province. They found the location where Kyla was left near the open air market and visited the Yue Yang Orphanage where Kyla spent her first eight months. They saw the rural areas of China as well as Beijing, traveling by plane, train and boat. Kyla is the granddaughter of Gail Stancil Roberts. (Beaman)

Marty Sellers, daughter of Margaret Stancil Sellers, has been officially adopted by the New England Coastal Schaghticoke Indian Tribe. Her native name is Chattering Mockingbird. Marty is the Spirit Medicine drummer on the 30-inch drum and assistant tribal secretary. (Arthur)

Matt Williams, son of Jennifer Stancil, teaches guitar and is a member of Tiny Boxes, The Ocean, Josh Blake's Juke Box and Zansa. (Kermit)

Rachel Brown, daughter of Mike and Robin Brown, made the principal's list with all A's at Fike High School in Wilson, N.C. Rachel is the granddaughter of Betty Stancil Brown. (William Arthur)

Meredith Brown, daughter of Mike and Robin Brown, has been volunteering at a local nursing home by calling Bingo and

performing other services. Meredith attends Toisnot Middle School in Wilson, N.C. She is the granddaughter of Betty Stancil Brown. (William Arthur)

Eric and Lisa Harris Peters traveled to Chautauqua Institute on the shores of Chautauqua Lake in southwestern New York state. They experienced world class symphonies, opera, theatre, lectures, performing arts, and recreational activities at this peaceful and inspiring location. Lisa is the daughter of Robert and Gail Stancil Harris. (Beaman)

Graduation

Michael Wayne Stancil, son of Wayne Thomas and Toni Stancil, graduated from the University of Central Missouri on May 7, 2011, with a bachelor of science in business administration and a minor in aviation. He is the grandson of Jean Stancil. (Arthur/Tom)

Marriage

Miranda Stancil, daughter of Charles Stancil, married Bill Edwards III on Sept. 25, 2010, in Whiteville, N.C. She is the granddaughter of Jean and the late Tom Stancil. (William Arthur Sr.)

Tempy Ann

News/Honors

Kayla Nicole Narron, daughter of Alan Scott and Janie, an eighth-grader at Elizabeth Davis Middle School, has won the PTA Reflections Contest for the second consecutive year, which awards for excellence in arts. Kayla's entry was in dance and choreography, and she was awarded first place on the local, county and district levels. This is her 11th year of dance at Encore Performing Arts Studio in Chesterfield. Kayla is attending Appomattox Regional Governor's School for the Arts and Technology. She is the granddaughter of Jim and Pat Narron. (Preston/Neta)

Christopher "Chris" Reid Hill, son of Michael and Bobbie Hill, gave up his law enforcement career and joined the Army in 2010. He is in officer training school at Fort Lewis, Wash. He and wife Michelle Dawn, live in Lacey, Wash. He is the grandson of Evelyn and Jim Hill (Tempy/Jack)

Alan Davis, son of Dr. Shay and Robin Davis, is a volunteer fireman at Stony Point Volunteer Fire Department. Recently he was part of the team that helped deliver a baby. Alan is a senior at Terry Sanford High School in Fayetteville, N.C. He is the grandson of Bobby and Nell Davis. (Delia/Sally)

80th Birthday



Velma Hill Bunn, daughter of the late Ella and Clarence Hill, celebrated her 80th birthday at Parker's Barbecue in Wilson, N.C. Velma Hill Bunn with daughters Susan Lucas, Sandra Lucas, Sherry Gardner and Betty Davis. Right: Velma's great-grandson Brayden Robert Boswell also attended the celebration.



Brayden
Boswell



Brenda Hill Pollard, daughter of Dorothy Hill, was a North Carolina delegate at the 2011 National Convention of Democratic Women. She and North Carolina Gov. Bev Perdue attended the Women's Forum luncheon. First lady Michelle Obama was the guest speaker. She met President Obama. Brenda was appointed to the North Carolina State Museum of Natural Sciences Advisory Commission by Perdue in January 2011. (Millard/Jim)

Jackson "Jay" Petway Hill, son of Jean Hill, passed the N.C. State Boards and is now an insur-

ance adjustor with Crawford and Company Insurance Adjustors of Raleigh, N.C. (Jack/Ed)

Evan Cole Williams, son of Tim and Elizabeth Godwin Williams, competed in the Schwan's USA CUP International Youth Soccer Tournament in Blaine, Minn. The team went to the quarterfinals. His father, Tim, is the assistant coach of his St Croix Team, Virgin Islands. The team won first place at the AYSO (American Youth Soccer Organization) Florida State Games in January. Evan is the grandson of Gene Godwin and great-grandson of Mavis Hill Godwin. (Millard)

Katherine Davis, daughter of Dr. Shay and Robin Davis, represented Freedom Christian Academy, Fayetteville, N.C., at a Leadership Conference in Orlando, Fla. Katherine is the granddaughter of Bobby and Nell Davis. (Delia/Sally)



Brenda Hill Pollard, daughter of Dorothy Hill, and her husband Larry have hosted foreign exchange students from France and Germany. In the summer, they visited Dr. Tina Anneken Biesenbach in Germany. (Millard/Jim)

Henry

News/Honors

Kelly Pope Aycock, wife of "Chuck" Aycock, was promoted to vice president and relationship manager for the Selma office of KS Bank in April 2011. She is the daughter of Randy and Teresa Pope and granddaughter of Gene and Grace Pope. (Agnes)



Rick Ruggles and Steve Godwin.

Steve Godwin, son of Billy Godwin, wrote poetry for the book, "Finding Hearts," by Rick Ruggles. This is a photo book of naturally occurring hearts. Steve began writing poetry at 16 and this continued when he attended the University of North Carolina. He was selected to attend two, artist in residencies, at the Vermont Studio Center, in the Village of Johnson in Vermont. VSC was founded by artists in 1984. The campus is along the Gihon River in the picturesque Green Mountains. (Bessie)

Stancil cousins in Las Vegas



Members of the Henry Branch and George Ira Branch gathered for a small party for the Super Bowl in Las Vegas in February 2011. Attending were, front row, from left: Joseph Akau, Mike Stancil and Kathleen Akau (Henry). Back row: Coree and Ash Hinton (George), Sarena (Mike's niece), Amalia, Kip and Ty Hinton. (George).

Geoffrey Bichler is a workers' compensation lawyer in Winter Park, Fla., was Program Director for the Breakout for Attorneys and First Responder Heart Claims: The Current State of Law & Medicine at the 66th annual Workers' Compensation Educational Conference in August 2011 in Orlando. He also was a panelist at the Case Law Update presentation. Geoff was included in "Best Lawyers in America" for 2011 (Walter/Tommy/Anemari)

Janet Lee Brink Maddox and her son Hunter, daughter and grandson of Geraldine Creech, appeared in the play, "Rabbit Hole" by David Lindsay-Abaire, a production of the Little Theater of Virginia Beach, Va., that opened Jan. 28, 2011. (Lillian/J.M.)

Kellen Stancil, son of Mark and Cathy Stancil, is performing in "The Lion King" in Las Vegas until Dec. 30. He is the lead male gazelle in the scene with antelope. If attending the show, email him at kaliko315@yahoo.com. He is also a featured performer in "Butterfly Las Vegas" at Chateau Gardens in the Paris Hotel & Casino every Saturday starting Oct. 15. Kellen was in the Victoria's Secret Fashion Show on Nov. 30, 2010. He was one of the jungle dancers about 40 minutes into the show. He is the grandson of Ted Stancil. (Oscar/Guy)

Emily Baldree Collins, wife of Mel Collins, passed required boards and became a Nationally Board Certified Teacher of Music in November 2010. She is the

daughter of Lee and Nancy Cayton Baldree. (Bessie/Emma Lee)

Brooke Graham, daughter of Marty and Aileen Graham, was awarded the 2011 Humanitarian Award for A.L. Stanback Middle School in Hillsborough, N.C. She is also an honor student and plays on the school's volleyball team. She is the granddaughter of Bettie Lou Williams Graham. (Walter/Esse)

Ashley Crabtree, daughter of Guy Crabtree, is the editor and business manager for The Pirates' Hook, Riverside High School's student newspaper. The paper was one of only four student newspapers to receive the prestigious Tar Heel Award from the N.C. Scholastic Media Association. (Oscar/Gurnie)

"Phil" Haywood Creech, husband of Rebekah Creech, retired after 39 years with Progress Energy in Raleigh, N.C. He is a part-time consultant and does work in New York doing audits for reliability. He is the son of Grover and Ruby Stancil Creech. (Oscar)

Roger Bynum, husband of Jane Cayton Bynum, will participate in the Trap Shooting Tournament at the Forest City Gun Club in Savannah, Ga., on Oct. 7-9, 2011. (Bessie/Emma Lee)

Harvey

News/Honors

Cynthia Smith Carpenter was selected in November 2010 to direct the 2011 N.C. State University Engineering's summer camp held at Wesley College in Rocky Mount, NC. She has taught at the camp since 2007. In 2009, she was the only North Carolina teacher to be awarded a \$1,000 from the North Carolina Science Teachers Association. Cynthia applied for the Innovative Curriculum Grant entitled, "Lip-Smack-in Good Science." All monies will be used to enhance the science program. She used a portion to purchase a set of books titled "Top Secrets" for use in the classroom. Cynthia is a National Board Certified Teacher and was the North Carolina recipient of the 2007-08 Target Field Trip Grant. Cynthia is an eighth grade science teacher at Southern Nash Middle School. She has taught school for 32 years with 26 of them in North Carolina. Cynthia is



Ed and Mabel Irene Wallace celebrated their 66th anniversary with son Billy and his wife Joan on July 7, 2011, at their favorite Mexican restaurant in Gloucester, Va. (Gertrude)

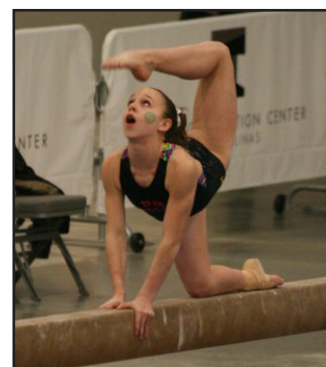
married to George. (Eula Gray)

John Zachary Axsom, son of Kandy Pittman Buchanan, opened Axsom Martial Arts in Newport News, Va. Besides his trips to Japan, he has also participated in a clinic in Destin, Fla. He is a government and history teacher at Menchville High School. In a side job, John helps run Commonwealth Strategies, a political consulting company. He is the grandson of

Johnnie Jean. (Gertrude/H.A.)

Bobby Wallace, son of Ed and Irene Pittman Wallace, wife Nancy and family spent a week at Nags Heads, N.C. (Gertrude)

Samuel Aaron Hovater, son of Curtis and Lisa Buchanan Hovater, has been accepted into the Governor's School for Science and Technology. (Gertrude/Gertie Mae)



Annabelle Hovater, daughter of Curtis and Lisa Buchanan Hovater, won state Level 10 Gymnastics meet in her age group. She won bars and beam as well as the all around title. Annabelle is an eighth grader at Yorktown Middle School in Yorktown, Va. (Gertrude/Gertie Mae)

Abby Farrell, daughter of Greg and Marsha Howard Farrell, is a member of the North Raleigh Christian Academy golf team. She is also a cheerleader and the one they throw, called a flyer. Abby is the granddaughter of James and Anne Pittman Viverette. (Gertrude)

Henry

Lee and Nancy Cayton Baldree, daughter Wini, grandchildren Emma, William and Olivia Boswell all visited the Tobacco Farm Life Museum in Kenly, N.C. Highlights included seeing the Stencil Tapestry, farm and household items Nancy remembered from her childhood. (Bessie/Emma Lee)

Ron Christmas, son of Bettie Lou Williams Graham, has spent two months annually for the past eight years in the Marais district of Paris. He travels to unexplored areas of the city and writes, "Paris is magical and a place everyone should experience at least once." Ron and wife Amy live on

Kapaa, Hawaii. They make and sell baskets. (Walter/Esse)

Geoff, Deanna and children Annabelle, Izzy and Beau Bichler vacationed at the family home in Booth Bay Harbor, Maine, and spent two weeks in Europe. Annabelle, a member of

the Maitland Middle School Chorus, was selected to sing a solo at the Spring Choral Concert. Izzy is a member of the Orlando Elite Rampage Remix Basketball Team for 12-year-old girls that won the Florida State Championship and represented Florida at Nationals. (Walter/Tommy/Anemari)

Josiah

News/Honors

Kim Marie Pellerin



McHugh, daughter of Sandra Bowes Kelly, received the Mas-

sachusetts General Imaging Award of Clinical Excellence for 2011. She spoke at the 80th Massachusetts Society of Radiological Technologists Conference in Mansfield, Mass.

(Herbert/Pat)



Maeva Stancil, daughter of James and Cathy Stancil, had her drawing of a raven chosen for the back cover of this year's yearbook at ArtQuest in Calif. She is the granddaughter of Elisa Stancil. (Harry/Joe)

Ronnie Carter, son of John and Billie Edwards Carter, is a member of ROTC was promoted to C/2nd Lt. He is commander of the Exhibition Drill Team. Ronnie was awarded the Reserve Officers Association Medal. He is an active Boy Scout and earned the Life Scout rank. Ronnie is the grandson of Laura Edwards. (Leafy/Bill)



Eric and Laura Stancil Martinson, daughter of Chris and Robin Stancil, joined members of the George Ira Branch for lunch in Inglewood, Calif., in June. Attending the lunch at Magic Johnson's TGI Friday's were, front row: Renn Stancil Hinton, daughter of Ralph and Ethel Hales Stancil, and husband Bobby Hinton. Back row, from left: Laura and Eric Martinson, Dwight Hovey (friend), Kip, Ty and Coree Hinton. The Hinton's were in California for Kip's graduation from UCLA.

Wesley Carter, son of John and Billie Carter, runs in the 100-meter and 500-meter events for C.B. Aycock High School in Goldsboro, N.C. He placed in the top three in all his races and received the Coaches Award Trophy. Wesley is interested in pursuing a career in the medical field. He was selected to participate in a "medical shadowing program" at Wayne Memorial Hospital. Wesley is the grandson of Laura Edwards and the late Bill Edwards. (Leafy)

Ron and Fanny Stancil visited Lima, Peru, Fanny's hometown. While there, they slept through a minor 4.0 earthquake on Feb. 16. (Herbert)

Jeff and Krystin Leonhardt, son and daughter-in-law of Gay Stancil, spent six days in Bimini in the Bahamas with an "eco friendly" wild dolphin swim company. They focused on dolphin conservation and alternatives to captive dolphin entertainment. In January, Krystin traveled to Japan to help document the annual capture and slaughter of dolphins in Taiji, Japan. "The Cove" is an Oscar-award winning documentary that tells this story. Krystin also volunteers for Earthrace Conservation working to promote marine conservation issues, including dolphin captivity, shark finning and sustainable ecotourism. (Harry/Harry Jr.)

Bill and Susan Wing Guyer went with the Erie Skin Divers to the island of Bonaire, in the Dutch Caribbean. Bonaire is known for its preservation of marine life and some call it a diver's paradise. Bill has been teaching scuba diving for nine years. Susan grew up diving, her parents had a dive shop. (Herbert/Beverly)

Kylie and Bret Stancil, children Madison, Jacob and Nicole, visited the Monterey Bay Aquarium, Monterey, Calif. Madison and Jacob loved the open ocean exhibit with sharks and getting to pet stingrays. Madison, Jacob and Nicole are grandchildren of Janet and Chuck Stancil. (Harry/Harry Jr.)

Eleanor "Ellie" Joyce Stancil Mahoney visited the Galapagos Islands. These volcanic islands are more than 600 miles west of South America. The oldest island formed 3.5 million years ago. Ellie traveled on a small ship with 90 passengers. (Harry Sr.)

Gay Stancil, her daughter Michelle Leonhardt Fallon, husband Michael, children Jack and Joshua; her son Michael Leonhardt, wife Lidia and Carson; her son Jeff Leonhardt, wife Krystin and Libby, took a Disney Cruise from Vancouver, Canada to Alaska. (Josiah/Harry/Harry Jr.)

Josiah



Mariah Chao Kelly, daughter of Sandra Bowes Kelly, visited China, her native country, with Masconomet Regional School District, Topsfield, Mass. She stayed with a host family. Memories include seeing the Great Wall, Museum of Qin Terracotta Warriors and Horses and Qin Shi Huang Mausoleum in Lintong, Xian, Shaanxi Province. Mariah received a Gold Key in Graphic Design and Silver Key for her drawing "Noodles," in the 2010 and 2011 Bos-

ton Globe Scholastic Art Awards (Herbert/Pat)

Kim Pellerin McHugh, daughter of Sandy Bowes Kelly, celebrated her 40th birthday party and was surprised by husband Steve with tickets to Las Vegas. (Herbert/Pat)

Elisa Stancil, daughter of Joe Stancil, visited Shanghai with her husband Chuck Levine for eight days in early May. Her best memories were of the bells in the temples and the water wheel in the re-configured internment camp they now call a people's park. (Harry Sr.)

France, Greece, Turkey vacation



Elisa Stancil's family took a summer trip to Europe, including visits to Turkey, Greece and France. Pictured, from left: Elisa's daughter-in-law Cathy, son James, granddaughter Margaux, husband Chuck Levine, Elisa and granddaughter Maeva. Elisa is the daughter of Joe. (Harry Sr.)

Alvin

News/Honors

Tyler Williams, Sean and Wesley Mangum, children of David and Ginger Stancil Mangum, lettered in basketball, baseball and soccer at North Johnston High School in Kenly, N.C. Sean was also the most improved baseball player. They are grandchildren of Joan Stancil. (Glenn/Cecil)

Wesley Mangum and Tyler Williams, sons of David and Ginger Stancil Mangum, were inducted into the National Honor Society at North Johnston High School in Kenly, N.C. They are

grandchildren of Joan Stancil. (Glenn/Cecil)

Robert Mercer, son of Trent and Barbara Mercer, was awarded the 8th Grade Citizenship Award at A.L. Stanback Middle School in Hillsborough, N.C. He is the grandson of Reuben and Shirley Mercer. (Beulah)

Deana Thigpen Fowler, daughter of Wanda Mercer Thigpen Roberts, was promoted to business services officer/assistant vice president in the commercial credit department at BB&T Bank in Winston-Salem, N.C. (Beulah)



The former George Ira Stancil Homestead caught on fire on Aug. 8, 2011. By **CRETINI McCALL**, Alvin Branch

George Ira Stancil Homestead

The George Ira Stancil Homestead, at 2160 Glendale Road, had an electrical fire that started in the attic on Aug. 8, 2011. Significant damage was evident on the second floor. It was built in 1923.

Early in 1923, Freeman Elbert Stancil drove George and Eva around Wilson, NC to look at new houses. Rufus Barnes, brother-in-law of Henry Stancil, was the overseer hired by George. For more details, go to www.stancilreunion.com.

Samuel

News/Honors

Ann Marie Ballance, daughter of Gerald and Deborah Marie Lucas Ballance, received the Girl Scout Silver Award in Wayne County, N.C., for her scale model of the school-house at the birthplace of Gov. Charles B. Aycock. Her model was part of an exhibit at Waynesboro Historical Site. She is the granddaughter of Johnny Gene and Faye Boykin Lucas. (Rose Annie)

Justin Brown, son of Jeff and Priscilla Brown, spent a month in Washington State for officer's training. He is an Army ROTC student at East Carolina. He is the grandson of Roslyn Stancil Brown. (Elbert/Durward)

John Hazelett, husband of Jessica, retired after 20 years in the Navy as a Chief. He is the son-in-law of Alice Pipkin Parker. (Elbert/Thelma)

Roselyn Stancil Brown participated in the People To People program in the summer. Students spent 19 days in England, Ireland, Wales and Scotland. (Elbert/Durward)

Morgan Ann Woodlief, daughter of Jerry Woodlief, was on the dean's list at Radford University in Va. She is the granddaughter of Shirley Pipkin and great-granddaughter of Thelma Stancil Pipkin. (Elbert)



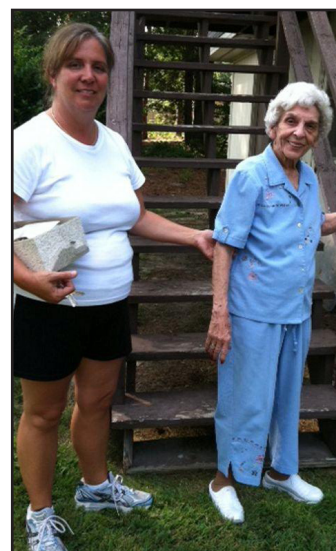
Monica Mann, daughter of Oliver and Allison Stancil Mann, was the first runner-up in North Carolina for her first grade entry in PBS Kids Young Writers and Illustrators contest. Her story will be animated online and on TV. Monica is the granddaughter of Jerry and Marcia Stancil. (Elbert/Durward)

Dr. Tommy, wife Annette Whitfield Newton, sons J.T. and wife Megan, Wilt, and Will selected The Virginia Academy of Family Physicians (VAFP) Annual Meeting and Exposition for a family vacation and continuing education classes for Dr. Tommy in 2010. They stayed at The Homestead Resort in Hot Springs, Va. Tommy, J.T., Whit and Will formed a foursome and entered the VAFP Golf Tournament. They won the tournament plus Will won the longest drive, Tommy won the closest pin (flagstick) and Whit won the hole-in-one! The resort offered many activities and a family favorite was shooting skeet. Annette is the daughter of Pat Stancil Whitfield. (Lonnie)

MacKenzie Stancil, daughter of Brian and Paula Stancil, received an award for academic excellence and a band award for playing the clarinet at Forest Hills Middle School in Wilson, N.C. She is the granddaughter of Jerry and Marcia Stancil. (Elbert/Durward)

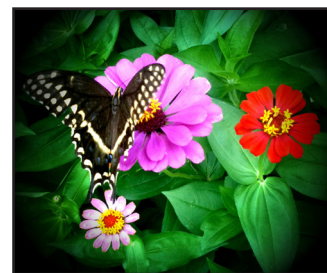
Walt, Sheila, daughters Ashlea and Allison Stancil vacationed at White Lake, N.C. Ashlea attends Pitt Community College in Greenville, N.C. Her grandmother, Janice Hurley Stancil, is an RN. (Lonnie)

The Exclusive Cleaners in Wilson, N.C., owned by the Whitfield Family, was severely damaged by the tornado that hit in April 2011.



Joan Whitfield Bartlett and Pat Stancil Whitfield

The Pat Stancil Whitfield Family gathered for Christmas. Pat is the youngest daughter of Lonnie and 'Susy' Renfrow. Pat and husband Bill started the Exclusive Cleaners. When donations were requested for the Samuel Stancil monument, Pat immediately donated \$1,000.



Photographer Robin Stancil Berry, daughter of Chuck and Judy Stancil, mother of twins, Conner and Collin, lives on a farm in Aberdeen, N.C. Her husband Dennis is career Army. (Elbert)