Parks and Recreation Swim Lessons

Anson County Parks and Recreation is offering swim lessons at Little Park for \$18. For more information contact Jeff Waisner at 704-695-2550, Wendell Small at 704-695-2782 or Morris Gatewood at 704-694-5751.

Here are the dates and times:

- Class #1July 11-21
- Class #2: July 25-Aug 4
- Class #3: Aug 8-18 8-9am Adult Swim Lessons 9:30-10am Youth Beginners
- 10:15-11:00 Youth Advanced 11:15-11:45am Parent and Child, Preschool

You can register at Little Park in Wadesboro, at www.co.anson.nc.us or at the schools on the following dates, from 2 to 3:30 p.m.:

- Tuesday, May 17 at Wadesboro Elementory Gym
- Wednesday, May 18 at Wadesboro Primary School
 Thursday, May 19 at Peachland Polkton El-
- ementory
 Tuesday, May 24 at Ansonville Elementory
- Wednesday, May 25 at Lilesville Elementory Ball Field
- Thursday, May 26 at Morven Elementory

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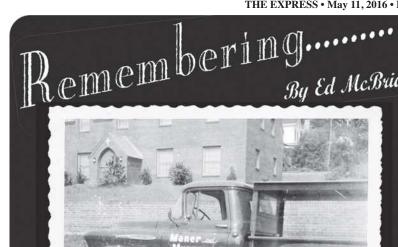
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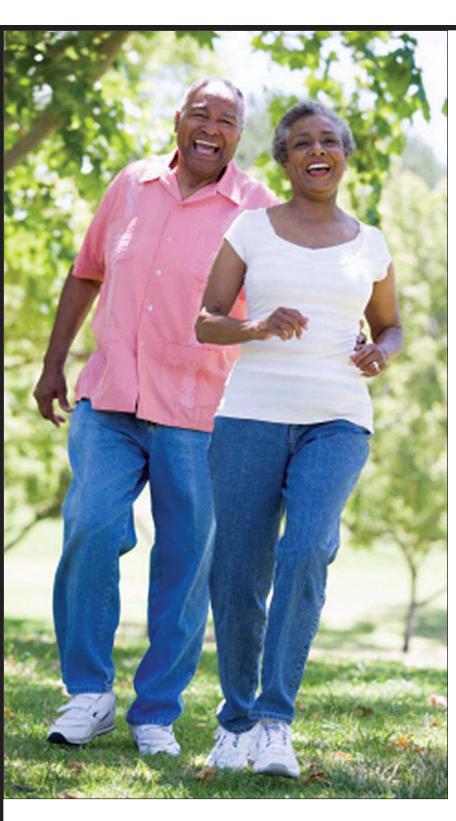
Serving...Others!!!

Was looking through some of my "accumulated picture collection" the other day and saw this one of Maner and Murray Grocery - and what memories.

This one goes back a few years to a very special time in history, a time when the "Lady of the House" would go to the telephone and call her grocery order in - especially some of the people who lived "close in to town." One of the grocers was Maner and Murray (and there were several others). Through the many years of my early "sign painting" days I had the pleasure of lettering many trucks for some of these grocery stores...and many others as well.

As I think back I also remember so many other grocery stores - many that are not here today. In fact, there are no grocery stores in the "square block" area. It was in that area that when I finished high school I came to town to work in the A&P Grocery Store - making, I thought, "good money" for a Saturday's pay (less 2¢ for Social Security). I worked from 7:30 a.m. to sometimes 1 or 2 a.m. - or until we cleaned up the store and re-stocked the shelves. There were no Sunday hours, but we would have it ready to open on Monday a.m.

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