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vied for the crown and all gave an outstanding effort in competition, which included interview, swimsuit, evening gown, and stage question. Other contestants include Paige Brewster, 19, of Hiawassee; Kayla Hyatt, 18, of Hiawassee, Kailyn Crouch, 20, of Murphy, NC, Shelby Connor, 18, of Hayesville, Ali Jones, 19, of Young Harris and Tiffany Edge, 18, of Hiawassee.

2009's Miss Georgia Mountain Fair, said that the last year has been quite an experience for her.

Her highlights have included meeting Willie Nelson on Halloween, and representing the Georgia Mountain Fair in the 2010 Fairest of the Fair Pageant held in Atlanta.

In her final farewell as Miss Georgia Mountain Fair, Miranda Carballo told the crowd that family is the most

important aspect of life. She always will remember her family at the Georgia Mountain Fair.

"The people who make up the Georgia Mountain Fair are a like a second family to me," she said. "I'll never say good-bye."

For the next year, Victoria is sure to capture the same warm feelings about being 2010's Miss Georgia Mountain Fair as she experiences the thrill of the title.

Veterans scholarships now available at NGTC

The North Georgia Technical College Foundation Board of Trustees has received an anonymous donation of \$20,000 for an endowed scholarship. Beginning Fall Quarter, 2010, the interest from this endowment will be available to veterans in need of financial assistance to attend North Georgia Technical College. The deadline to apply for the Veterans Scholarship is Tuesday, September 7, 2010.

Applicants for this scholarship must meet the following criteria:

Be an honorably discharged United States Veteran.

Complete an application for State and Federal Financial Assistance (FASFA).

Have an unmet financial need.

Maintain a cumulative GPA of 3.0 or better and a work ethic grade of at least 2.0.

Complete Veterans Endowed Scholarship Application.

Write a brief statement of financial need and future career goals and how further training will make these ambitions achievable.

Submit letter of recommendation from advisor, instructor or employer.

Submit a letter of appreciation to the Foundation Office to be forwarded to the anonymous scholarship donors.

"We are proud to have this opportunity to serve those who have served this country," said NGTC President Steve Dougherty.

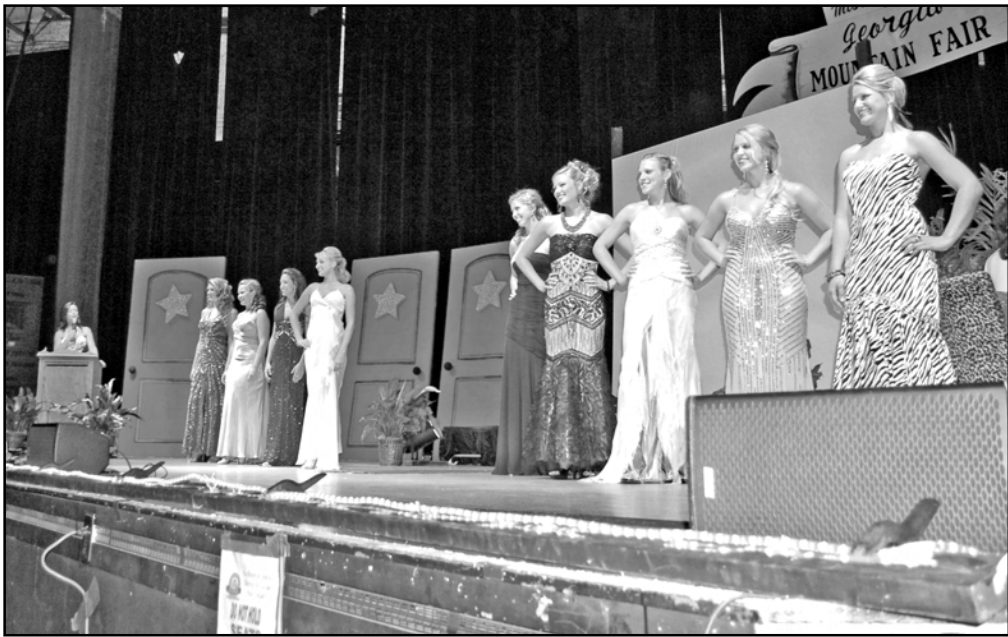
Last year over 100 NGTC students were recipients of Foundation monies that allowed them to receive a quality education on one of the three NGTC campuses. Individuals and organizations are invited to contribute to this and other Foundation scholarships awarded to students based on availability of funds. Your tax deductible donation provides resources to students in your community interested

ans Scholarship or the Foundation should call 706-754-7714 or email cbrown@northgatech.edu. You may also visit the NGTC website at www.northgatech.edu to apply for financial aid online. NJJul28,Z1)SH

Chatuge Nursing Home needs recipes

Chatuge Regional Nursing Home is in the process of creating a cookbook to raise money for activities. We would like to have as many of our current and past residents

represented in our cookbook as possible. Anyone wishing to submit a recipe for the cookbook, please bring it to the nursing home or fax it to (706) 896-5784. TUJul28,F1)SH



Miss Georgia Mountain Fair 2010, Young Harris College's Victoria Neisler is accompanied by First Runner-up Brittany Lee (R) and Jessie Carballo (L) at Anderson Music Hall on Monday night. Below, the nine beautiful contestants compete in the Evening Gown Competition. Photo/Lowell Nicholson

Chili cookoff money buys AED for Fire Department



Seen in front of Station 1's Fire Safety truck with the AED are Firefighter Cory Ledford, Fire Chief Mitch Floyd, Fire Corps President Brenda Hunt, Fire Corps V.P. Dr. Bill Wendel, and Station 1 Captain Terry Parker.

Thanks to all the community participation in this year's Chili Cook-off the Towns County Fire Corps was able to supply an AED (Automatic Energized Defibrillator) for Station #1 Fire Station in Hiawassee, along with 3 sets of turnout gear and 2 pairs of boots for our fire department. The cook-off was held on Saturday, May 29, 2010 on the square in Hiawassee with many volunteers from Fire Corps, Red Cross, and the Fire Department making it a successful fund-raiser.

This AED will be assigned to Utility 1 (Station 1- Hiawassee) that is used to respond to medical assist calls. The Department now has AED's assigned to Rescue units at Station 1 (Hiawassee), Station 2 (Young Harris), Station 4 (High Tower), Station 5 (High River) and Engine 3 (Bald Mtn Park)

Recently Firefighters Ledford and Beck used the AED on Rescue 1 to successfully convert a heart attack victim in the Hiawassee area. The individual was able to return home in just a few days and is expected to fully recover. Approximately 2 years ago Firefighter Wayne Nelson used an AED in the High River area to convert a patient in full cardiac arrest. That individual is

alive and doing well today as a result of the quick use of an

AED and citizen administered CPR. TUJul28,G1)SH

Dance at CCSC

DANCE at the Clay County Senior Center, 196 Ritter Road, Hayesville, NC, Friday, August 6, from 7 p.m. to 9:30 p.m. Music by Swing Time Band. Playing Foxtrots, Waltzes, Latins, Line Dances, Country, Rock, and Polkas.

For more information call: (828) 389-9271. (828) 369-9155 or (828) 586-6373.