1990

Big Chief:	Loren Fulton
Lesser Chief:	Gary Frey
Scribe:	Sharon Carrick
Medicine Man:	Richard R. Angus
Scout:	Earl Dunn

The Frederick County 4-H Camp was the site of our semi-annual conference on Saturday, May 5, 1990. A beautiful setting and Frederick County can be proud of all the volunteer effort that has gone into making the camp a reality. Thanks to Tanya Ramsburg and Clay Noffsinger who chaired the conference and the Frederick County 4-H All Stars for hosting the Conference.

At the conference a motion was passed that effective October 7, 1990 the dues will be $5 annual and $45 life time dues. Life dues may be paid in three consecutive yearly payments of $15.

The All Star Interstate Conference was held at Jackson's Mill, West Virginia. An outstanding program was presented and Maryland was well represented.

The annual conference was held at the Patuxent 4-H Center on Sunday, October 7, 1990. Fifty-five new 4-H All Stars were initiated into the organization from 16 counties. Officers elected were: Big Chief, Sharon Carrick; Lesser Chief, Rick Houck; Scribe, Richard Angus; Medicine Man, Jean Reinhold; and Scout, Earl "Corky" Dunn.

All Stars deceased during this year were: Carlos Skaggs, Dorothy Emerson, Paul Kelly, William Kimbles IV, Brian Moore, and Nina Bender Boozer.

1990 Food Booth monies were distributed as follows:

$400	Citizenship Washington Focus
$425	Citizenship World Focus
$650	Hickmon Memorial Craft Trip
$400	Pfefferkorn Scholarships for North East Regional Leader Forum
$120	Alumni Plaques
$225	4-H Club Plaques for Outstanding Club Achievement
$660	Maryland mementoes for sharing at out-of-state events
$1,200	Congress-Maryland State Suite

$500	Congress-Maryland State Dinner
$300	Teen Leadership Workshop
$800	4-H Recognition Luncheon for state sponsored projects
$3,320	Teen Focus
$400	Regional Field Days
$500	Patuxent River 4-H Center Canoe
$1,100	10% to Blackhall Student Loan Fund

Goldie Riha has completed her work as Historian and Louella Marlin has accepted as the new Historian for the Maryland 4-H Club All Stars.

Maryland Chapter of

4-H Club All Stars

1990 Interstate Conference Report

Motto: Service

Beta Chapter

The Beta Chapter has held two conferences since Interstate '89. Annual Conference was held November 4 at the National 4-H Center where 60 new members were initiated. This was not an election year and no major items of business were enacted. Semi-Annual Conference was held this spring at the Frederick County 4-H Camp Center and 94 new candidates were approved for membership. .Currently Maryland has 1292 lifetime members and 158 active members who have not yet reached the lifetime status. This year's Annual Conference will be held at the Patuxent River 4-H Center on October 6-7. This new camp (which is available for rent year round) adjacent to our Nation's Capitol is directed by Past Big Chief Bonnie Dunn.

The major service project for our chapter continues to be the operation of a food booth at the ten-day state fair. This year will be our tenth, and in recent years the project has raised about $10,000 annually. These funds are used to sponsor a Club Congress trip in memory of one of our members, provide a state suite and dinner at National Club Congress, over $3,000 was committed this year to our state "Teen Focus" week, $750 was added to the Blackhall scholarship fund, and other scholarships were awarded for Washington and World Focus and the Northeast Regional Leader Forum. These funds are also used to purchase Maryland mementos which members and leaders involved in national or out of state meetings use to trade with participants from other states.

The aforementioned Blackhall 4-H Memorial Loan fund was established in 1956 and to date 118 low-interest college loans totaling $65,450 have been made. Loan applicants must have been active in the state 4-H program for at least two years. The loans are interest free until after graduation or withdrawal from school.

This year saw the loss of one of our All Star founders, Dot Emerson. Maryland All Stars had a prominent role in her memorial service last March. Miss Emerson was 96 and had been in ill health for several months.

The Maryland 4-H All Stars will elect officers this year and most incumbents will change. For sake of a contact however, one future officer is known at the present time.

Past Big Chief . . . Loren A. Fulton . . (301)935-5218

Yours in Service,

Loren A. Fulton,
Big Chief

Group Picture - 1990
Maryland 4-H Club All Stars

1991 and 1992

Big Chief:	**Sharon Carrick**
Lesser Chief:	**Rick Houck**
Scribe:	**Richard R. Angus**
Medicine Man:	**Jean Reinhold**
Scout:	**Earl "Corky" Dunn**

Effective November 1, 1990, dues were increased to $5 per year for Annual and $45 for Life Memberships, payable in 3 consecutive installments of $15 each.

Semi-Annual Conference was hosted by the Northern District at the Carroll County 4-H Office in Westminster.

August 8-11, 1991, found several Maryland All Stars attending the Interstate All Star Conference in Oxford, Mississippi.

Our llth year at the Maryland State Fair Cow Palace food booth brought $9,590 in profits back to the State 4-H program. With these funds, the All Stars sponsored the Craft trip to Congress and the State Suite and State dinner at Congress. State Teen Focus received $3,320. The remaining funds went to a variety of recognition and leadership training programs.

Seventy-seven nominees joined our organization at Annual Conference ceremonies in October at the New Windsor Brethren Center. Excellent attendance had the facility bursting at the seams. All went well and a full day of ceremonies and socializing was enjoyed by all.

Blackhall 4-H Memorial Student Loan Fund continues strong, receiving 10% of all Food Booth profits, and with all loans current.

Caroline and Talbot County All Stars provided a delicious meal for Semi-Annual Conference 1992 at the Caroline County 4-H Park on April 26th, where 113 new candidates were approved. The membership voted to send a letter to the National 4-h Council expressing our concerns about changes to National 4-H Congress. Individual members were encouraged to send letters as well. Charles Marshall conducted a lively auction, raising $328.40 for the IFYE fund.

Sixteen Maryland All Stars and guests traveled to Charlottesville, Virginia to participate in the joint National IFYE Alumni/Interstate 4-H All Star Conference. Tours included visits to Monticello (home of Thomas Jefferson), Montpelier (home of James and Dolly Madison), and Ash Lawn (James Monroe's "cabin castle"). Massachusetts All Stars presented an interesting invitation to their Interstate in '93, based in New Bedford and including a whale watch cruise and visits to Plymouth and Martha's Vineyard. Maryland will be hosting Interstate in '94 in Kent, Queen Anne's, Talbot and Dorchester Counties.

Bad weather on Labor Day weekend meant lower profits from the State Fair Cow Palace Food Booth in '92, but we still were able to return $8,168 to the State 4-H program, including $3,320 to Teen Focus and $500 for the State Congress suite. As always 10% of the profits went to the Blackhall Fund.

Dedicated efforts of Ruth Proctor and Ed Smith have guaranteed tremendous results from the Food Booth despite continued staffing problems. Membership at Annual Conference '92 voted overwhelming to continue with the Food Booth, and promised better staffing in the future.

Annual Conference 1992 was at New Windsor Brethren Center again. October 13th found the facility once again bursting at the seams. A lively trivia competition helped liven up orientation. Central District won a prize of $50, to be used for a District All Star event or activity. Although designed to acquaint new members with our organization, "veteran" All Stars learned too! Sixty-seven new All Stars were initiated into the Beta Chapter.

Newly elected officers for 1992-94 are:

Big Chief:	**Dick Angus**
Lesser Chief:	**Ricky Houck**
Scribe:	**Jean Reinhold**
Medicine Man:	**Sharon Carrick**
Scout:	**Meredith Smith**

The past two years has seen the loss of two dear Maryland All Stars. Alverta Miller was the last surviving original member of the Beta Chapter and will be dearly missed. Amy Fry Leber's efforts on behalf of the Maryland 4-H program cannot adequately be detailed. Maryland All Stars continue her efforts by selling the remaining "Savor Maryland's Flavor" cookbooks.

We have updated our Standard Operating Procedures (SOPs), streamlined the nomination form, and composed Scouting Guidelines to help the counties in organizing the information submitted for new candidates.

Throughout the 1990-92 term, Maryland's All Stars have continued to support the 4-H program on the National, State, District, County and local levels through their service on planning committees, as fair judges, as club leaders, organizational leaders and volunteers. They have sponsored awards and prizes and continue to encourage the youth of today in becoming the best citizens and leaders of tomorrow.

1991 MARYLAND 4-H CLUB ALL STARS

ALLEGANY

Tammy Blubaugh
Jason Leith

BALTIMORE CITY

Hope Abney
Eric Bundy

BALTIMORE

Mary Beth Janicki
Ruth Lawrence
Dale List

CALVERT

Michele Dawn Cox
Brett Worrell

CAROLINE

Melva Jean Glessner
Ruth Donovan Mitchell
William J. Neal
Landon Kent Turner

CARROLL

Iris M. Craven
Bonni Crispin
Heath Geiman
Donna Garrett Myers
Trevor Williams Wells

CECIL

Amy Sheriff

CHARLES

Kirstin Hyssong
Regina Kelly
Cris Swann

DORCHESTER

Ronald C. Edgar
Scott Radcliffe

FREDERICK

Thomas Deater
Robert W. Fogle
Amy Heller
Mary Kathleen McGuirk
Ruth Spurrier
Vivian Stottlemyer
Robert Valentine
Aaron Weedy
Elizabeth Zimmerman

GARRETT

Marvin E. Beckman
Robert Custer
Rebecca (Carroll) Friend
Steve Lichty

HARFORD

Michael Scott Birch
Lenny Pieper
William D. Pullen II
Mary Scarborough

HOWARD

Jennifer Brewer
Dawn Marie Knill
Chris Mullinix
David C. Peddicord
Nancy Carole Plenge
Mary Lee Quinn
Laura Jane Stull

MONTGOMERY

Heather Hamm
Blanche Hogan
Blanche Knapp
Susan Knapp
Paul N. Leatherman Jr.
Diana Lerch
Nancy Mallory
Valerie Murray
William Reed
Jody Rice
Jonathon Rippeon
Christopher Wojciechowski

PRINCE GEORGE'S

Carrie A. Nemith
John P. Schaecher Jr.
Robynn Simpson

QUEEN ANNE'S

Jill Edwards
D. Craig Higgs
Karen Sue Higgs
Kevin V. Higgs
Howard Meredith Jr.
Anne Schnappinger
Lee Anne Schnappinger

ST. MARY'S

Bernard Kerwin
Zita Kerwin
Joanne Lacey

WASHINGTON

Duane Leer

WORCESTER

Mary Regina Adams
Kelly Holland
Susan P. Ledger

1992 MARYLAND 4-H CLUB ALL STARS

ALLEGANY
June Brinsfield
Jonathan M. Leith

BALTIMORE
Royston Greene Coale III
Gretchen F. Klein
Peter Westover

CALVERT
Nicole McCready

CAROLINE
James Bradley Dodd
Barbara Richard Helme
Mary R. Richard

CARROLL
Sara Ashley Bair
Matthew Allan Blauvelt
Curtis Frizzell
Heather Hull
James "Bub" Smith
Margaret P. "Meg" Smith
Shelley Yingling
Michelle M. Zepp

CHARLES
Raymond Boyden
Cecilia Chandler
Michael Herbert
Shannon Morris

FREDERICK
Nancy Deater
Grace Heller
Jack Heller
Ruth Lenhart
Karren Marie Mullen
Mary West
Ryan Thomas Wiles
Laurie D. Zimmerman

GARRETT
Nathaniel Emory

HARFORD
Virginia Jean Harkins
John Harvey Scarborough
Shelly Waltimyer

HOWARD
Shirley Geis
Dana Nolt
Rick Plenge
Eric Joseph Widmaier

KENT
John C. Birkmire
Sandra Jeanne Curlett
Kristen Langenfelder
Alice Mason
Robin Gwendolyn Rodney
Sheri Lynn Rodney

MONTGOMERY
Robert L. Anderson
Robert Balser
Jean Corazza
Dana Hudson
Danny Jones
Laurie Kelly
Michael Rippeon
Amy Savage
Elizabeth Serig
Jennifer Wilson

PRINCE GEORGE'S
Keith Emory Fulton
Harry Yeich
June Yeich

QUEEN ANNE'S
Amy Denise Chance
Dawn S. Skinner

ST. MARY'S
J. Elwood Cusic Sr.
William Ben Hewitt
Cecil M. Kidd
Sharon Ann Kidd
John G. Lancaster
Robert Lee Trossbach

SOMERSET
Rachel D. Horsey

WASHINGTON
Kathleen G. Anders
Mary Marguerite McCleaf

1992 - 1993

Big Chief:	**Richard R. Angus**
Lesser Chief:	**Richard Houck**
Scribe:	**Jean Reinhold**
Medicine Man:	**Sharon Carrick**
Scout:	**Meredith Smith**

The Maryland 4-H All Stars made a $100 contribution to the Make It With Wool contest which was held October 17, 1992 at the Carroll County Agricultural Center, Westminster, Md.

The Semi-Annual Conference was hosted by Allegany and Garrett County All Stars in Cumberland, Md. April 17, 1993. The spirited auction raised $500. One hundred and nine new candidates were approved if they choose to take part in the consecration and initiation ceremonies scheduled for the Comfort Inn in Bowie, October 16, 1993.

The Interstate 4-H All Star conference was held in New Bedford, Massachusetts, August 10-15, 1993. Maryland 4-H All Stars who attended were Charles Marshall, Sharon Carrick, Ed, Mary and Meredith Smith, Doris and Ruth Rye, and Dick Angus.

Dick Angus retired from the Maryland State 4-H Faculty on June 30, 1993 and many All Stars attended the retirement party hosted at the Maryland State Fairgrounds in Timonium. The All Stars presented him with an answering machine so he could take our calls when we needed his help.

All Stars continued to sell the Maryland 4-H Cook Book, a project which Betty Bures from the State 4-H Office was trying to finish up before her retirement.

Maryland will be the host state for the All Stars Interstate Conference scheduled for Bowie, Maryland, August 11-14, 1994. Our state Annual Conference will be held on Sunday, August 14th.

The Annual Conference was held at the Comfort Inn in Bowie, Maryland on October 16, 1993. Our IFYE from the Norway showed slides to the guests while the initiation ceremonies were being conducted. Sixty-two new All Stars were consecrated and initiated.

1993 MARYLAND 4-H ALL STARS

ALLEGANY COUNTY
Melanie King
Portia King
Lauren Orndorff
Susan Orndorff

BALTIMORE COUNTY
Jill Berry
Tom Denbow
Susan Marie Janicki
Wayne "Tex" Parker

CALVERT COUNTY
Victoria C. Bradley
Angelina Danford
Benjamin M. Dickerson
Demond Tilman Johnson
Florence Lindsay
Barbara L. Rascon
Alice J. Seidenstricker

CAROLINE COUNTY
Robert E. Fletcher
Delores A. Green
Allison M. Tolson

CARROLL COUNTY
Beverly I. Abbott
Judith A. Baile
Debbie D. Tasto

CECIL COUNTY
Cynthia R. Fell

CHARLES COUNTY
Danika Hyssong
Frances Kelly

FREDERICK COUNTY
Rosalee B. Glisan
Michael John Kuster
Edward D. O'Hara
Janice D. O'Hara
Kay L. O'Hara
Myrtle O. Sturtz

HARFORD COUNTY
Roy G. Elliott
Mary Beth Foard
Robert J. Kelly III
Dwayne Murphy

HOWARD COUNTY
Erma L. Booth
Margaret E. Cahill
Angela Johnson
H. Duane Norman
Kelly Lee Quinn
Peggy Romenesko
Jason W. Spicer

KENT COUNTY
Melvin Thompson

MONTGOMERY COUNTY
Trevor William Ashley
Michele Balser
August J. "Bud" Corazza
Ruth Emily Corazza
Barbara Ann Kelly
Lonette Luther
Edith C. Williams
Elizabeth "Liz" Wilson

PRINCE GEORGE'S COUNTY
Creva A. Nemith
Cherylann Stegmeier
Diane Whaples Tavel

QUEEN ANNE'S COUNTY
Darby H. Cissel
Kelly Leigh Ireland
M. Garry Schnappinger

ST. MARY'S COUNTY
Mary F. Bowles
J. D. Lacey
Rose Ellen Mattingly
Linda M. Shepherd
Karen Theresa VanRyswick
Bernadette Zimmerman

1993-1994

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Lesser Chief:	Richard Houck
Scribe:	Jean Reinhold
Medicine Man:	Sharon Carrick
Scout:	Meredith Smith

All Stars Semi-Annual Conference was hosted at Horn Point, in Dorchester County on April 16, 1994. Dick and Gerry Heavner taught the participants how to make wind chimes from green plastic bottles. All Stars learned how to do this and made enough to be given as gifts at the Interstate 4-H All Star Conference in August. Sharon Carrick and Charles Marshall are serving as the co-chairs for the Interstate Conference.

Big Chief Dick Angus brought the following All Stars into the Lodge of a Thousand: Sharon Carrick - Keokuk, Sauk Tribe - watchful fox, "lead in peace not in war"; Loren Fulton - Uthawah, Iroqouis, keeper of the council fire; Dick Heavner - Wasajoh, Apache, beckoning; Geraldine Heavner, Sacagawea, Shoshone, bird woman, assisted Lewis & Clark expedition; Richard Houck, Tenskwatawa, Shawnee, prophet, the open door; Charles Marshall, Cochise, Apache, you may speak straight so that your words may go as sunlight to our hearts; Ruth Proctor, Matowaka, Union of the Algonquin Nation, called Powhatan Confederacy, also Pochahontas, daughter of Powhatan. lively one or frisky; Tanya Ramsburg, Wasamegin, Wampanoag Tribe of Massachusetts and Rhode Island, yellow feather; Ed Smith, Tecumthea, Shawnee, panther lying in wait (version of Tecumseh - shooting star).

Ruth Proctor reported to the Executive Board that the State Fair 4-H All Star Food Booth netted approximately $11,000 and we appreciate all the time and effort of our All Star volunteers who manned the booth. Special thanks to Ruth Proctor, Bonnie Dunn and Ed and Mary Smith who provided leadership for the operation of the Food Booth.

The Maryland 4-H All Stars helped sponsor the state suite and dinner for the Maryland delegates to National 4-H Congress in Chicago. Several thank you notes were received from delegates. The All Stars continue to sponsor the craft trip in memory of Bill Hickmon, deceased Baltimore County 4-H All Star.

During the year, Sharon Carrick, our medicine man, updated the data base for our Maryland 4-H All Stars. We now have a fairly accurate record of all of our Maryland 4-H All Stars. Problems continue where the All Star was initiated and then the married name or change in name is not reported to the Medicine Man. It is difficult to maintain a useable data base if the names are not current. It also costs return postage on "Trail" mailings as well as All Stars not receiving the information.

The Beta Chapter hosted a successful Interstate with tours to Angelica Nursery and Remington Farms in Kent County; to St. Michael's; and a presentation by Sewell Fitzhugh, chief of the Nause Waiwash band of Indians on the Eastern Shore. His talk and demonstration of the Indian lore of his band captivated the audience and the proceeds from the auction were donated to them in the hopes that they could acquire and old church for their long house. We sincerely appreciated all of our All Stars efforts and especially those of Sharon Carrick and Charles Marshall who co-chaired the Interstate Conference.

Seventy-seven new All Stars were consecrated and initiated into the Beta Chapter on August 14, 1994. Inducted into the Lodge of a Thousand were: Betty Bures, Chantesuta, Dakota (Sioux), to be firm of heart; Lois Fulton, Wichaka, Dakota (Sioux), to be true; Geraldine Houck, Songitebe, Chippewa, strong hearted; Mary Knobel, Wawokiye, Dakota (Sioux), one who helps; Jean Reinhold, Ihikona, Cheyenne, industrious worker; Doris Rye, Towayam, Coos, beloved of all, lovable; Meredith Smith, Akikta, Dakota (Sioux), one who works with determination; Joseph Voshell, Zhonta, Dakota (Sioux), trustworthy; and Edith Williams, Chanteyukan, Dakota (Sioux), to have a kind heart, benevolent.

Officers elected to serve from 1994-1996 are:

Big Chief:	Richard R. Angus
Leser Chief:	Joe Voshell
Scribe:	Jean Reinhold
Medicine Man:	Sharon Carrick
Scout:	Meredith Smith

1994 MARYLAND 4-H ALL STARS

ALLEGANY COUNTY
Mary Susan Norris
Michelle Stahlman

ANNE ARUNDEL COUNTY
John H. DiBenio Jr.
Penny Lorraine Glover
Brandi N. Schwinn
Charles H. Schwinn II
Ruby J. Schwinn
Anne McDowell Young
Robin McLeod Young
Victoria Young

BALTIMORE CITY
April Anderson Greene

BALTIMORE COUNTY
Amy P. Lein

CALVERT COUNTY
Josephine V. Johnson
Sherwood Reynolds

CAROLINE COUNTY
Carolyn R. Boncella
Holly Richard

CARROLL COUNTY
Carol Jeanette Brothers
Lucy Elizabeth Judge
Jennifer D. Kibler
Melanie Elizabeth Soper
Marie Lee Speak
Dollie Tasto
Gabriel Shane Zepp

CHARLES COUNTY
Bonnie K. Boyden
Harry Boyden
Victoria Currie
Luckett Willis Emory Jr.
Mary Ellen Emory
Catherine E. Fey
Catherine M. Feaganes
Erica L. Fruh
Patrick E. Swann

DORCHESTER COUNTY
Aubrey Carowan

FREDERICK COUNTY
Nancy Burrier DeHart
Glenda Etzler
Richard Etzler
Kathy M. Gordon
Patty Keilholtz Kerns
Susan Wachter Minso
Sharron Mullen-Pilson
Brenda Keilholtz Seiss
Joyce M. W. Shry
Rebecca L. Wightman

GARRETT COUNTY
Edwin Odell Friend Jr.

HARFORD COUNTY
Andrea Noel Merritt
Julie Ann Perkins
Ann P. Schenning
Nicole Lee Waltimyer
Heather Lynne Warner
Herbert Lee Wilkinson

HOWARD COUNTY
Judith E. Iager
Mark E. Iager
Helen H. Moody
Helen Nolt
Cheryl Seymour

MONTGOMERY CO.
Alana L. Burdette
Barbara Lynn Ernst
Scott Thomas Kelly
Meredith Lloyd
David McKeever
K. Darwin Murrell
Joyce V. Murrell

PRINCE GEORGE'S
Leon R. Brooks
Anne F. Ridgely

QUEEN ANNE'S
Paige Nicole Chance

SOMERSET COUNTY
Erik C. Atkinson

ST. MARY'S COUNTY
Pamela Goddard
Teresa Lynn Mattingly
John L. Richards

TALBOT COUNTY
Kathy Behrens
Shelly K. Frampton

WASHINGTON COUNTY
Brian K. Diefenderfer

WICOMICO COUNTY
James Robert Adkins
Joseph Adkins
Mary Beth Calloway

WORCESTER COUNTY
Corey Michael Dean
David Grant Hill

1995 MARYLAND 4-H ALL STARS

ALLEGANY COUNTY
Mary Ellen Guinn
Annafaye C. Hare
Ronald Hare Sr.
Ernest Hare
Mary Beth Stahlman
Robert G. Wallace

BALTIMORE COUNTY
Patricia B. Allred
Scott Campbell
William Edelen
Karen L. Fox
Stephen C. Gaede
Lisa Jones
Laura Ann Langlotz
Carrie Ann Sellman
Erin Rochelle Simms
Megan L. Truxel

CALVERT COUNTY
Mabel M. Briscoe
Tiffany Ann White

CAROLINE COUNTY
Victoria C. Dodd
James Morgan

CHARLES COUNTY
Wanda J. Abell
Maggie Boyden
Kara Ann Tydings Emory
Shannon Marie Emory
Frank H. Fruh
Jennifer Michele Harmon
Carrie Howell
Brigitte Kovacs
Casey William Moore
James M. Simpson III

DORCHESTER COUNTY
Erik A. Hanna
Heather N. Nabb
A. Jestina Lewis

FREDERICK COUNTY
Karen L. Hevner
Barbara L. Mullen

GARRETT COUNTY
Christopher D. Herbert
Jennifer L. Marple

HARFORD COUNTY
Thomas Lawrence Gardiner
Walter A. Johnson

HOWARD COUNTY
Christine L. Bouma
Madeline Beck
Jennifer Bly
Joan Curry Bosmans
Diane S. Bosse
B. Justin Brendel
Darryll-Ann Buschling
Diana Cullum
Linda M. Hodiak
Peggy Howell
Jerry Raffel
Thembi L. Scott

MONTGOMERY CO.
Jonathan Corazza
Kelly Himes
Fred Kelly
Frances J. Morris
Jeannie Raines
Dolly Rau
Katherine Segal

PRINCE GEORGE'S CO.
Erin Melissa Carmany
Kim D. Jolly
Robin K. Lish
Claudia H. Payne
Matthew Scott Ridgely

QUEEN ANNE'S COUNTY
Shelia Shorter-Dorsey
April Hall
Donovan Hollingsworth

ST. MARY'S COUNTY
Rebecca L. Johnson
Cynthia M. Morgan

TALBOT COUNTY
Kristina Golt
David W. Snow

WASHINGTON COUNTY
Angela May Uzelac

WICOMICO COUNTY
Andrea M. Derickson
Gayle C. Dunkelman
Susan Schoenian
Myra Spencer

WORCESTER COUNTY
Evelyn Payne Adams
Gina Melissa Dean
Darlene Dean

1994-1995

The Food Booth at the Maryland State Fair was a success again with more than $10,000 being donated back to support programs for Maryland 4-H and the Blackhall Memorial 4-H Student Loan Fund. A storage barn to keep Food Booth supplies was purchased and located at Ed Smith's home. The Consumer Education trip to New York was funded. Other programs supported were the Northeast Leaders Forum, Teen Conference, Collegiate 4-H, National 4-H Congress.

We were saddened by the loss of two of our precious All Stars, Goldie Riha, Anne Arundel County and Dottie Keller Markline, Harford County. They leave tremendous voids in their families and communities. Other All Stars whom we have received notification of their deaths include: Carol Fulk Spangler Keene, Washington County; Ed Bender, Montgomery County; William Shumaker, Allegany County; Ruby Thomas, Charles County; Dorothy Hutson Grimes, Allegany.

Edith Williams was named Interim Coordinator for the Maryland 4-H Program in January, 1995 filling the position held by Betty Bures who retired on December 31, 1994. Jeff Myers also resigned from the State 4-H Faculty in February, 1995. He had filled the vacancy created by Dick Angus's retirement in 1993.

Semi-Annual Conference was hosted at the Patuxent 4-H Center by Prince George's County All Stars. Bonnie Dunn was initiated into the Lodge of a Thousand as Hinhanwastey, Dakota (Sioux), pretty owl. Her presentation on Indian lore to the participants was informative and fascinating. Funds from the silent and live auction ($576.75) were given to the Patuxent 4-H Center for scholarships.
The Executive Committee approved 1994 Food Booth allocations for 4-H Congress, $1,000; Teen Focus $2,320; 4-H Nutrition program $800; Consumer Education Trip $1,000; Northeast Volunteer Leader Forum $600; and Collegiate 4-H $200.

The Blackhall Memorial 4-H Student Loan Committee met July 9, 1995 and elected Herb Lowe to a 3 year term as chairman of the committee. Joy Schwab and Wanda Hutchison will serve another 3 year term through December 31, 1997

The Annual Conference was held at the Comfort Inn, in Bowie on July 29, 1995. An excellent turn out helped initiate 78 new All Stars into the Beta Chapter. Marjorie Eyler, Wakichonza, Dakota (Sioux), one who determines or decides, a leader; and Jane Stull, Wakishaka, Dakota (Sioux), one who never tires, indefatigable; were initiated into the Lodge of a Thousand.

New district representatives were selected by the districts in the morning session. They are: Northeast - Kelly Wilson replacing Marta Waltimyer; Central - Karen Mullen and Sharon Pilson replacing Tanya Ramsburg; and Western, Debbie Friend replacing Dick and Gerry Heavner.

A nominating committee to prepare a slate of officers to be elected in August at the Annual Conference, 1996 at the Comfort Inn in Bowie was appointed by the Big Chief. It consists of Loren Fulton, Chairman, Anne Schnappinger, and Richard Heavner.

Interstate 4-H All Stars conference was hosted in Providence, Rhode Island with Dick Angus, Charles Marshall, Gerry and Ricky Houck attending. Excellent tours, friendship and food made it a big success.

The 1995 State Fair Food Booth continued to generate revenue to support the Maryland 4-H program. Lois Fulton helped replace Bonnie Dunn in the Food Booth in the mornings.

Semi-Annual Conference is scheduled for April 20, 1996 at the Montgomery County Fairgrounds.

Next year's Interstate will be held at Glade Springs Resort, Beckley, West Virginia, July 25-28, 1996. In 1997 it will be hosted by Mississippi All Stars.

Annual Conference is scheduled for August 3, 1996 at the Comfort Inn in Bowie, Maryland.

1995 New Initiates Maryland 4-H All Stars

1995-1996

Big Chief	Dick Angus
Lesser Chief	Joe Voshell
Scribe	Jean Reinhold
Medicine Man	Sharon Carrick
Scout	Meredith Smith

The Maryland 4-H All Stars Food Booth in the Cow Palace at the Maryland State Fair in Timonium continued to generate funds for the Maryland 4-H Program. Monies were given to support the National 4-H Congress in Memphis, Tennessee; North East 4-H Volunteer Leader Forum scholarships; consumer education trip; Collegiate 4-H; rope course at Western Maryland 4-H Center, International 4-H Youth Exchange, and the Blackhall Memorial 4-H Student Loan Fund.

This year we were saddened by the loss of David Jenkins, our long time Permanent Trustee for the Blackhall Loan Fund. He died on February 28, 1996 at the age of 72. Earlier in January he had transferred the Blackhall records to Big Chief Dick Angus who assumed the responsibility for administering the funds until the Blackhall Committee could choose a new trustee in June.

Semi-Annual conference was held at the Montgomery County Fairgrounds on April 20, 1996 where 99 new candidates were voted on and approved. Loren Fulton presented the nominating committee report as follows: Big Chief - Joe Voshell; Lesser Chief - Tanya Ramsburg; Scribe - Meredith Smith; Medicine Man - Lois Fulton; and Scout - Gerard Worrell. Gerry asked to have his name removed from the slate because of other commitments at the time of Annual Conference. Host families for our German IFYE, Peggy Rostin were requested by the Big Chief.

June 29th found the Executive Committee meeting with the Southern Maryland 4-H All Stars at the Patuxent 4-H Center along with the Blackhall Loan Committee. The Loan Committee chose Dick Angus to serve as the Trustee for the Blackhall Fund and approved two loans of $800 and $3,000.

Interstate 4-H All Star Conference was held at Glade Springs Resort, Beckley, West Virginia, July 25-28, 1996. Maryland was represented by Doris and Ruth Rye, Charles Marshall, Eleanor Finisecy, Michelle and Ashley Willingham; Lois and Loren Fulton, Mary Knobel, Sharon Carrick and Dick Angus. A circus night opened the conference followed by the Friday tour to the Natural Gorge, Tamarack craft center, underground coal mine tour, and a chicken bar-b-cue at Raleigh County 4-H Camp and the play "The Hatfields and McCoys". Saturday included breakfast at the camp, antique shopping in Lewisburg, lunch at the 4-H cafeteria at the State Fairgrounds and the flea market. The business meeting and banquet were held back at Glade Springs. The many county All Star and 4-H groups made many gifts for all participants which came back to Maryland as real treasures. We look forward to next year's Interstate in Hattiesberg, Mississippi, August 7-10, 1997 with one day in New Orleans; 1998 in Winchester, VA; 1999 in Salem, Mass. and Maryland in 2000.

The Annual Conference of the Maryland 4-H All Stars was held on Saturday, August 3, 1996 at the Comfort Inn Conference Center in Bowie with 213 in attendance. 80 new All Stars were initiated into the state Beta Chapter. The deaths of Catherine Rauschenberg, Carroll County, Harry Hearn, Howard County, Allie Messer, Montgomery/Kent County, and Janice Freeney, Worcester County were acknowledged at the Annual Conference and a moment of silent reflection in memory of deceased All Stars was observed.

Big Chief Dick Angus inducted Martin Hamilton into the Lodge of a Thousand and he was given the name **THAYENDANEGEA** from the Mohawk tribe meaning Three Calf.

Newly elected officers installed by past Big Chief Loren Fulton were: Big Chief - Joe Voshell; Lesser Chief - Tanya Ramsburg; Scribe - Meredith Smith; Medicine Man - Lois Fulton; Scout - Sharon Carrick. District Representatives on the Executive Committee were elected by their respective districts following the morning business meeting. Chosen were: Western - Debbie Friend; Central - Karren Mullen; Northeast - Kelly Wilson; Upper Shore - Connie King; Lower Shore - Charles Marshall; Southern Maryland - Bonnie Dunn.

The group picture was taken by Loren Fulton during the break between the consecration ceremony and the initiation ceremony.

In the morning, Anna Waterman, new All Star from Montgomery County and Katie Painter from Carroll County shared their experiences in England as part of the Maryland-England Young Farmer Exchange program. Peggy Rostin, German IFYE shared her country with the guests in the afternoon session while the new All Stars were being initiated.

1996 MARYLAND 4-H ALL STARS

ALLEGANY
Jennifer Ann McKenzie

BALTIMORE
Stephen Denbow
Matthew Fox
Janice C. Ross
Sara Weber

CALVERT
Kelly Harris
Karen Kay Hoile
Michelle Hoile
Charles Lindsay Jr.
Jessica McCready
Jeanette Seidenstricker

CAROLINE
Arthur Daniel Pechin
Dorothy Elizabeth Pechin
Donna L. Worden

CECIL
Rebecca Brown
Ruth Zipprian Gilbert
H. Corbin M. King
Aaron Wallace

CHARLES
Alison Hancock Bode
George Timothy Dyson
Joseph B. Harmon
Ann Herbert
Raena Keicher
Edward M. Uppole

WICOMICO
Susanne Adkins
Michelle Elassal
Patrick Tobat

FREDERICK
Carrie L. Clabaugh
Charlotte O. Dinsmore
Kirstie Hevner
Deborah B.H.Smith
Barbara J. Turell
Laura Rebecca Wiles

GARRETT
Harold E. Butler
Danielle DeBerry
Janet Hutzel

HARFORD

John Schenning

HOWARD
Daniela Bals
Theresa Bly
Jamie K. Brand
Alison E. Brown
Robert J. Currier
Richard Hodiak
Hope M. Jackson
Mary Mihm
Randy Mullinix
Jason Daniel Murray
Christina Schulze
Chris Seymour

KENT
John Martin Curlett
John Thomas Curlett
Melissa Hendrickson
W. James Milliken

WORCESTER
Ike Franklin Ledger
Samantha Nicole Maddox
Regina Alida Cornelia Moolenschot

MONTGOMERY
Mollie L. Kromer
Anna Waterman
Joanne Wilson
Adrienne
Wojciechowski

PRINCE GEORGES
Stephen Canter
James W. Lish
Charles McPherson
Amber Rebecca Price
Arnold P. Rausch
Ann E. Robinson

QUEEN ANNES
Julie Edwards

SAINT MARYS
Joseph Bowles
Patricia L. Bowles
Sheila Goddard
Kimberly Lacey
John E. Trossbach
Stephen VanRyswick

SOMERSET
Tanya Bright

TALBOT
Kenneth Jeremy
Andrew

WASHINGTON
Mark Aaron Michael
Brian Roy Schnebly
Brian Spielman
Kimberly Spielman

Maryland Chapter of

4-H Club All Stars

Motto: Service

Beta Chapter

BETA CHAPTER REPORT

The Maryland 4-H All Stars continue to be strong supporters of the Maryland 4-H program by providing approximately $10,000 annually to the 4-H program as a result of their volunteer efforts in manning the State Fair 4-H All Star food booth.

Programs receiving funding include teen conference, NorthEast 4-H Volunteer Leader Forum, leader scholarships, rope course for Western Maryland 4-H Center, National 4-H Youth Congress, International 4-H Youth Exchange, Collegiate 4-H Club, consumer education trip, and the Blackhall Memorial 4-H Student Loan fund.

The semi-annual All Star Conference was held on April 20, 1996 at the Montgomery County Fairgrounds where 99 new candidates were voted on and approved for membership. The Annual Conference is scheduled for the Comfort Inn and Conference Center in Bowie, August 3, 1996 with the anticipation that 88 of these candidates will be consecrated and initiated.

The August 3 meeting will also be the time for election of new officers for a two year term. Proposed officers are: Big Chief - Joseph Voshell, Lesser Chief - Tanya Ramsburg, Scribe - Meredith Smith, Medicine Man - Lois Fulton, Scout - Sharon Carrick. Six district representatives will also be selected to serve on the executive committee as well as standing committee chairs.

The Beta Chapter regrets the death of David Jenkins, long time permanent trustee of the Blackhall Memorial 4-H Student Loan fund in February 1996. The Blackhall Committee met in June and selected Richard Angus to serve as the trustee. They also approved two new loans totaling $3,800. There are 22 loans valued at $30,942.90 outstanding currently.

Richard R. Angus
Big Chief - Wovoka

1996-1997

Big Chief:	Joseph Voshell
Lesser Chief:	Tanya Ramsburg
Scribe:	Meredith Smith
Medicine Man:	Lois Fulton
Scout:	Sharon Carrick

Maryland 4-H All Stars operated the Food Booth at the 1996 Maryland State Fair. Ruth Proctor and Ed Smith managed the Booth and Bonnie Dunn assisted. Profits were distributed by the All Star Executive Committee as follows: National Advertising Campaign $1,000; Consumer Education Trip $1,000; IFYE Alumni $960; North East Regional Leaders Forum $1,000; Patuxent 4-H Center ropes course $2,000; Teen Council $250; Blackhall Memorial 4-H Student Loan Fund $960; Congress Suite $1,650; Maryland Mementos $1,600; Nutrition programs $1,600; Congress Trip $1,000. Total distributed $13,020.

Semi-Annual Conference was hosted by Baltimore County 4-H All Stars. Doris Rye gave leadership to the day along with Mary Lou Cox who handled the spirited auction. Mary Lou was inducted into the Lodge of a Thousand by Big Chief Joe Voshell and given the name "Kee-A-Kee-Ka-Sa-Coo-Way". Kelly Wilson worked with the group as Northern Representative on the Executive Committee. Funds from the auction are helping underwrite costs of the TRAIL mailing. 101 new candidates were approved for membership in the All Stars.

Deceased All Stars this year included Ruth Donovan Mitchell, Caroline County; Harold Butler, Garrett County; Alice Marvin, Charles County; and Carl Eck, Baltimore & Queen Anne's Counties.

Annual Conference was held at the Comfort Inn Hotel and Conference Center, Bowie on July 26, 1997 with 73 new All Stars being initiated and consecrated to membership. Ricky Houck was responsible for orientation of the new All Stars. Esther Hoffman and Kay Hoffman Semple handled the registration. During the initiation ceremony, the guests were treated to a view of WALES via our United Kingdom exchangee, Catrin Ambrose.

The Interstate All Star conference scheduled for Hattiesburg, Mississippi was canceled.

Charles Marshall, Lower Shore Representative, shared information that the Nause Waiwash Indians had purchased an old country church to be renovated and used as their Long House. We had contributed funds from the 1995 Interstate auction which we hosted to help them.

District Representatives who served in 1996-97 included: Western-Debbie Friend, Garrett County; Central-Karren Mullen, Frederick County; Northeast-Kelly Wilson, Baltimore County; Upper Shore-Connie King, Cecil County; Lower Shore-Charles Marshall, Dorchester County; and Southern-Bonnie Dunn, Prince George's County.

BETA CHAPTER REPORT 1996-97

The Maryland 4-H All Stars continue to be strong supporters of the Maryland 4-H Program as a result of their volunteer efforts in manning the State Fair 4-H All Star Food Booth at the Maryland State Fair in Timonium, and their support to 4-H'ers and the Extension Service in their counties by helping with judging, judging teams, county fairs, etc.

Approximately $10,000 annually goes to the Maryland 4-H Foundation to be distributed to programs such as National Advertising Campaign, Consumer Education Trips, IFYE Alumni, North East Regional Leaders Forum, Patuxent River 4-H Center ropes course, Teen Council, Blackhall Memorial 4-H Student Loan Fund, 4-H Club Congress suite and trip, Maryland mementos and nutrition programs.

Our deceased All Stars in 1997 included John Hardinger, Allegany Co.; Dorothy St. Clair, Baltimore Co.; Harold Butler, Garrett Co.; Alice Marvin, Charles Co.; Carl Eck, Queen Anne's Co.; and Myrtle Bradley, Wicomico County.

Charlie Marshall, our lower shore representative shared a clipping with us regarding the progress being made by the Nause Waiwash Indians in securing an old country church to be renovated and used as their Long House. Remember that Chief Sewell "Winterhawk" Fitzhugh made a presentation on their tribe and enlightened everyone on their traditions at the 1996 Interstate All Star meeting hosted by Maryland.

Eighty new All Stars were consecrated on August 3, 1996 at the Comfort Inn and Conference Center in Bowie.

Our Officers for 1996-98 are as follows:

Big Chief	Joseph L. Voshell 22006 Gannon Drive Preston, Md. 21655	District Representatives Western - Debbie Friend Central - Karren Mullen Upper Shore - Connie King
Lesser Chief	Tanya Ramsburg	Lower Shore - Charles Marshall
Scribe	Meredith Smith	Southern - Bonnie Dunn
Medicine Man	Lois Fulton	Northern - Kelly Wilson
Scout	Sharon Carrick	

Submitted by: Joe Voshell, Big Chief
Zhonta

1997 MARYLAND 4-H ALL STARS

Initiated at the Maryland 4-H All Star Annual Conference held at Comfort Inn, Bowie, Maryland on July 26, 1997

ALLEGANY
William Orndorff
Karen McKenzie
William McKenzie

CHARLES
Donald E. Braun
Suzanne E. Braun
Kimberly E. Gladwell
Joseph Matthew Swann

KENT
Peter Lott
Jonathon Mason
Bradley M. Morris
Sara Morris
Gwen Rodney

PRINCE GEORGE'S
Maggie McPherson
Mary Elizabeth Ridgely

QUEEN ANNES
Jennifer Lynn Butler
Holly Davis
Jana Lynn Edwards
Lauren Engelke
Martha T. Patterson
LaToya Tremaine Roberts

WICOMICO
Sharon Adkins
Kelly Dennis
Stephanie Elassal
Brenda Salem
Wayne Spencer

CAROLINE
Alice Pechin
Craig Roller
Dean R. Voorhees
Margaret Blessing Voshell

FREDERICK
Michael Turell

HARFORD
John M. Bachman
Dee Dee Binns
David Daughton
Samantha J. Dietz
C. Reginald Dixon
Michael Doran
Sarah Elaine Edie
Karen Kalck
Amanda I. Moore
Teresa Paulsen
Katie Tracey

ST. MARY'S
Jay A. Farrell
Melinda Owens

TALBOT
Amanda Kaye Brown
Elizabeth Heinsohn

WORCESTER
Beth Greaser
Darren Olsen

CARROLL
Mac Bair
Amanda Boyd
Jessica Susan Fritz
Johanna Judy
Kelly G. Myers
Katie Painter
Daisie Tasto
Christopher Weaver

HOWARD
Brianne Bly
Jennifer K. Haugh
Dr. Matthew E. Iager
Jami L. Jacobson
Donna Schulze

MONTGOMERY
Chris Gazunis
Jennifer R. Hogan
Susan Morris
Annette Murray
Tricia Stabler
Emily Warnock
John H. Wells
Becky Wilson

WASHINGTON
Kelly S Beckley
Heidi Drury
Jason Lynn Hose
Laura M. Schmidt
Mark Allen Schnebly

1997-1998

Big Chief:	**Joseph Voshell**
Lesser Chief:	**Tanya Ramsburg**
Scribe:	**Meredith Smith**
Medicine Man:	**Lois Fulton**
Scout:	**Sharon Carrick**

District Representatives were the same except for the Upper Shore where Amy Schnappinger from Queen Anne's County has replaced Connie King, Cecil County.

The Food Booth at the Maryland State Fair at Timonium was again a success due to the many volunteers who pitched in and helped. Nineteen counties had participants and 133 volunteers signed the book and there were others whose name did not get recorded.

The Executive Committee met on November 23, 1997 and distributed profits as follows: 1998 Northeast Volunteer Forum $500; 4-H Service Learning/Reading Buddies $1,000; 4-H Mementos $2,000; State Nutrition Program $300; Teen Focus - volunteer scholarships $1,200; Team Challenge $200; 4-H Congress $2,500; Consumer Education & Life Smarts $2,000; IFYE Alumni $1,000; and Blackhall Memorial 4-H Student Loan Fund $1,000.

Semi-Annual Conference was hosted by Queen Anne's County 4-H All Stars at the Queen Anne 4-H Park, Denton on April 18, 1998. Patricia Scott served as chairperson for the day.

Annual Conference was held at the Comfort Inn, Bowie, Maryland on July 25, 1998. 67 New All Stars were initiated and consecrated into membership in the Beta Chapter of All Stars. Our IFYE from Denmark was the conference speaker and also provided additional information to our guests while the initiation ceremony was being conducted.

Margaret K. Ringler died this year. She became an All Star in 1927 and was elected Big Chief in 1946 and 1947. She named a committee to plan for the assembling and printing of the first All Star history which was published in 1949.

The All Star Food Booth at the Maryland State Fair made a profit of $10,321.08.

Interstate 4-H All Star Conference was held in Winchester, Virginia, The 1999 Interstate will be hosted in Salem, Massachusetts, August 5-8, 1999.

MARYLAND 4-H ALL STARS
1998

Inducted at Comfort Inn & Conference Center, Bowie, Md. July 25, 1998

ALLEGANY
Kara Lynn Orndorff

BALTIMORE
Donna Triplett Gill
Joseph Leidig Sr.
Rebecca A. Miller
Kathryn J. Walder

CALVERT
Anita Danford
Kenneth Duke Wells

CAROLINE
David Robinson
Blanche Voorhees
Eric Voorhees

CARROLL
Justin Barber
Kevin Brown
Katherine Marie Bryan
Cheryl A. Drzewianowski
Jason Lewis Watt

CECIL
Mary Kate Brown
Tammy Eastburn Culver
Susan Sprout Knight
Brian Russell

CHARLES
George R. Abell
George Robert Abell Jr.
Ronald "Billy" Moore
Betty Lou Moore

FREDERICK
Kathy Marie Axline
Janice Fay Lathrop Dommerich
Mary Beth Turell
Gloria Jean Wolf

GARRETT
Linda Custer Rush

HARFORD
Kara Schmidt
Heather Nicole Selway

HOWARD
Darlene Bouma
Robin Mihm
Heather Gene Spahr

KENT
Laura Bradley
Bonnie Messix
Michael M. Messixl
Jackie Voshell

MONTGOMERY
Stephanie Brown
Rochelle Marie Cavanaugh-Rouse
Cliff D. Driver
Erin Christine Feuillet
Peggy Himes
Megan Anne McGolrick
John E. Morris
Katherine Dierdre Schultz
Douglas R. Sherwood
Alicia Warnock
Kelsey Elizabeth Wells
Kendra Buckel Wells

PRINCE GEORGES
Alicia Rausch
Gregory Stotts

QUEEN ANNES
Duncan Gray Butler III
Amber N. Wilkerson

ST. MARYS
Kristin Farrell
Jillian Marie Ferrante
Mary Della Ripley

TALBOT
Melanie E. Asche
Will Behrens
Jason Blades Hrynko
Michael Ann Mullikin

WASHINGTON
Melissa A. Drake
Rebecca Fishack
Amanda Frey
William R. Keller
Sarah D. Kelly
Christopher W. Zepp

WORCESTER
Christina Marie Finch

1999 MARYLAND 4-H ALL STARS

Initiated at Comfort Inn, Bowie, Maryland, Saturday, July 10, 1999

Allegany
Kathleen Crump
W. Jason McKenzie

Caroline
Cathy Collins
Rebecca B. Collins
April Frase
Eric Frase

Charles
Zachary Arthur House

Garrett
Linda Schmidt Bittinger

Montgomery
Sarah Curran
Gertrude B. Sherwood
Elizabeth Wood

Prince George's
Stacey Canter
Julie Czechanski
Megan Czechanski

Talbot
Amanda Faulkner
Erin L. Heinsohn
John C. Morris

Baltimore
Sharon Lynn Curtis
Brooke Joseph
Erica Gail Marstellar

Carroll
Ross M. Bair
Stefanie Buckler
Samuel Chamelin
Andrea Drzewianowski
Rachel Lynn Dyky
Kristen L. Myers
John Sies
Amanda Elaine Tracey

Howard
Anna Baran
Charles "Bud" Cullum
Amanda Geiger
Leanne M. Jacobson
Megan Rynarzewski
Alex Smallwood
Rebecca Warfield

St. Mary's
Philip "Jackson" Goddard
Seth Hindle

Washington
Beth Graham

Calvert
Emily Harms
Maraila Jill Merritt

Cecil
Joyce Lee Moore Barczewski
Mark Barczewski
Nicholas Lynn Underwood
Clarence Robert Webb III

Frederick
Charles Harshman
Joann Harshman
Cheryl Lynn Lenhart
David A. O'Hara
Carol Reed
Stephen L. Sturtz
Helen Troxell
Robert Troxell

Queen Anne's
Marie Ireland
Angela Meryer
Lori O'Connell
Jennifer Watkins
Paula Wilkerson

Wicomico
Monica A. Buckley

1998 - 1999

Big Chief:	**Joseph Voshell**
Lesser Chief:	**Tanya Ramsburg**
Scribe:	**Meredith Smith**
Medicine Man:	**Lois Fulton**
Scout:	**Sharon Carrick**

The Food Booth at the Maryland State Fair, Timonium, was again a success thanks to the many All Stars, 4-H members, and others who helped. At the November 22nd Executive Committee meeting held at the Patuxent River 4-H Center the following allocations were made:

National 4-H Congress-trip and suite $2,500; Consumer Education-Life Smarts trip for top seniors $2,000; 4-H mementos $1,950; 8 scholarships for Teen Focus $1,200; Workforce Preparation State event $1,000; State Nutrition awards $300; Safe Night USA $550; and 4-H Technology Corps $500. An additional $1,303.25 was approved at the Executive Committee meeting on July 10, 1999 for purchase of archery materials and supplies for the Nature Center at Western Maryland 4-H Center.

Semi-Annual Conference was held at the Western Maryland 4-H Center, Swanton on Saturday, April 10, 1999. 105 nominations were voted on and accepted. Big Chief Joe Voshell inducted Debbie Friend into the Lodge of 1,000. The fun auction brought in $1,040 to be used to help cover costs of printing and mailing the TRAIL.

Annual Conference was held at the Comfort Inn, Bowie, Maryland on Saturday, July 10, 1999. One hundred fourty-eight attended and 58 new All Stars were consecrated and initiated. Dick Byrne, state 4-H program leader was the keynote speaker and brought us updates on the strength of the Maryland 4-H program and the excellent support given by the All Stars. He announced the resignation of Cam Carte, Natural Resources Specialist effective July 20, 1999 and Jeff Myers, Asst. Executive Director of the Maryland 4-H Foundation effective July 30, 1999.

Two new appointees to the Blackhall Memorial 4-H Student Loan Committee are Dick Heavner, Allegany County and Louise Harcum, Wicomico County. Their terms expire December 31, 2001.

With schools beginning classes earlier this year (1999) the State Fair opens on Friday August 27 and ends on Labor Day September 6. 4-H livestock exhibitors will participate on the first weekend and leave on Sunday, August 29th. All Stars have been asked to have food service available in the Grandstand on Friday, August 27th for the bicycle, engineering and dog show.

Maryland All Stars attending the Salem, Massachusetts Interstate 4-H All Star meeting August 5-8, 1999 included Big Chief Joe and Margaret Voshell, Sharon Carrick, Dick Angus and Gerard Worrell. Interstate 2000 will be held August 3-6 in Frederick.