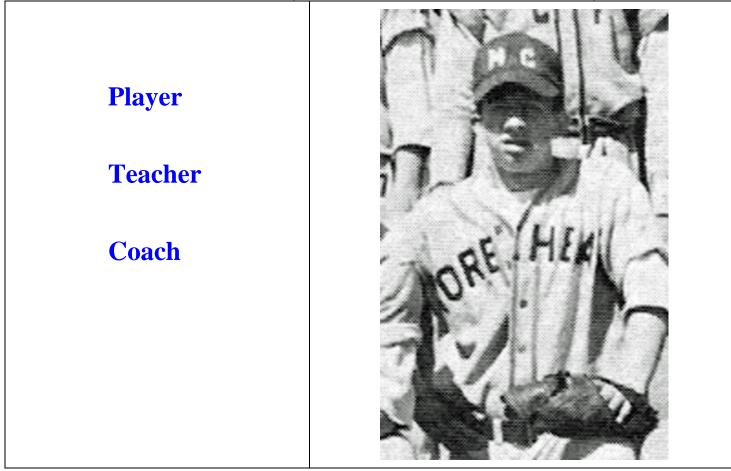
#1B 1962 ECL - Jimmy Parker, Morehead City



- Love of baseball and association with Carteret County baseball started in 1947, along with Bradley McIntosh, Raymond Willis we were batboys for Morehead City in the old Tidewater League.
- Played Baseball 4 Yrs at MCHS 1952-1956; led the team with .388 in 1956; played Football 3 years (1953-1956) and Basketball 2 years 1(1953 & 1956).
- Member of the 1954 & 1955 Championship Baseball teams; including the 1955 team, led by Jerry Pittman, Brad McIntosh, Jimmy Willis, Ray Willis, Bobby Willis, Kent Brown, Norman Larkee, and Jimmy Parker lost to Williamston High School for State Championship which had the Perry brothers Jim and Gaylord.
- Attended Chowan College, played Football 2 Yrs. (1956-58); Baseball 2 Yrs. (1956-58); and played on the 1960s East Coast League Teams.
- Attended Appalachian State University, played Baseball 2 Yrs., Capt. of 1960 Mountaineer team; Led North State League with 11 home runs in 1960 season; and played Football one year (1958).
- He was the leading batter, with a .344, in the East Coast League in 1962 (Note: This was through 7/06/1961 beating out Fred Bartholomew with a .327, and it may not be the final since they played through August.)