

## #49 1958, Mar 11 Beaufort Seapups Basketball Team Wins Tournament

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# Beaufort Seapups Win Their Own Invitational Hoop Tournament



Photo by Bob Seymour

The victorious Beaufort Seapups pose with their trophy after a 45-36 victory over Havelock in the tournament finals. Team members, front row, left to right, David Jones, Freddie Hooper, Eddie Taylor, Kenneth Jones and Ray Glover. Back row, left to right, Danny Monroe, Raymond Gillikin, Gray Simpson, Jackie Gardner, George \_\_\_\_\_. Dennard Harris and Coach David Lee.

The Beaufort Seapups won the Beaufort-sponsored tournament Friday night at Beaufort, downing the Havelock Rams in the championship game by a 45-36 score. It was the third tournament victory for the Seapups, who beat the Newport and Morehead City jayvees in gaining the final round. The tournament opened Wednesday night.

David Jones was the key man in the Seapup victory. His great ball handling brought comments from fans and coaches alike. Jones scored 19 points on driving lay-ups and foul shots.

James Seaton kept Havelock in the game with 19 points and a strong rebounding game.

### Rams Take Lead

In the first quarter the Rams scored five quick points before the Seapups found the basket. After five minutes of play the Rams held a 9-5 advantage. By the end of the quarter, though, the Seapups had tied the score at 11 all.

It was a nip and tuck battle all through the second quarter and at the half only one point separated the teams. Beaufort was on top of a 22-21 count.

The end of the third quarter saw the score tied again, this time at 30-30. The Seapups got fired up in the last quarter and completely dominated play. They scored 15 points while holding the Rams to six.

### Last Quarter Rally

The last quarter rally by Beaufort was the only difference in the two teams, which put on one of the best hoop shows by jayvee teams this year.

Kenneth Jones played an outstanding game for the Seapups, scoring 14 points. Freddie Hooper scored seven points and Ray Glover hit one free throw to complete the scoring for Beaufort.

Seapup Coach David Lee said that he was very pleased with the performance turned in by his team. He predicted that some of the boys will make fine varsity players.

## Newport Wins Consolation Title in Beaufort Tourney

### Raiders Beat Moose Thursday

The Smyrna Nite Raiders wound up their regular season play in the New Bern city league with a 53-45 victory over the Moose Thursday night. The win clinched second place in the league standings for the Raiders.

The Nite Raiders met the Caldwell Oilers last night in the first round of a double elimination tournament to determine the league champion.

After Thursday's games, players voted for the outstanding player

The Newport jayvees won the consolation title in the Beaufort junior varsity tournament with a 40-33 victory over Swansboro. The winners grabbed the lead in the first quarter and held it all the way in winning their second game of the tournament. They lost to Beaufort in the opening round and beat Smyrna in the second round of play.

Coach Frank Gillikin had his charges up for the battle. The lit-

tle Hawks pulled into the lead with a last-second shot in the first quarter 9-7.

Swansboro got rattled in the second quarter and managed to score only three points while Newport was pouring 13 points through the hoops.

In the third quarter Newport surrendered one point of its lead but still held a 30-19 edge when the final quarter opened. A strong finish by Swansboro cut the Newport

margin to five points by the end of the game.

Chadwick was the leading scorer for the winners with 13 points. Small hit for nine points, Pollock got eight and Mills hit for seven. Garner hit for two points and Glancy added one free throw.

Hester was high scorer for Swansboro with 14 points. Hancock was runner-up with 10 points for the losers. Jones scored seven points and Dameron and Williams scored two points each.