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A special time of year

The class King and Queen pageant, as well as the Miss Merry Christmas pageant, was held in the first weeks of December. Rosie Bright was named the 1988-89 Miss Merry Christmas. "This pageant is most likely the best we have ever had," remarked Student Council Adviser Lynn Stroble. She concluded, "We owe a big thanks to Christy Bashan, Misty Linder, and Monica Linder."

The NHS also sponsored their second annual Christmas Ball. This gave the students an opportunity to come together one

last time before school let out for the holidays.

Community activities were also a part of the students' activities. The NHS sponsored a Christmas tree for underprivileged children. "The Christmas tree is always a success but this was the best year ever," commented Amy Wright. The FCA sponsored a Christmas party for underprivileged children and with their treasury they bought the children gifts. Mr. and Mrs. Claus also made a special appearance. The Walterboro Junior Cotillion Club's annual ball was

held four days before Christmas. Girls from Walterboro High and John C. Calhoun Academy and their dates attended this social function. A live band provided music, and pictures were taken by Bill Bone.

Along with the school and community activities, students spent time with family and friends. Christmas caroling, family dinners, hay rides, and parties were just a few ways students enjoyed time off from books, teachers, homework, and hassles.

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Sophomore Counselor and National Honor Society sponsor Yvonne Lloyd places a gift for a needy child beneath the NHS Christmas Tree. This is the third year the NHS has sponsored the Christmas Tree project.



The 1988-89 Miss Merry Christmas was senior Rosie Bright. Tammy Bryd, escorted by Troy Spires, was the runner-up. Miss Merry Christmas was chosen by popular vote.

Sitting on Shannon "Santa" Murdaugh's lap, Emily Sullivan tells him what she wants for Christmas, while Anisha Blevins enjoys some goodies from his bag.

