Bloodmobile Visits WHS

The Bloodmobile came to the school on October 25 to gather the much-needed blood from students and faculty. "Blood is needed at all times all across Colleton County," commented Scott Breeze, one of the lead volunteers in the program. The Bloodmobile was sponsored by the Student Council. The requirements for giving blood were that the students were required to be at least 17 years old and weight at least 110 pounds. Any other requirements would have been brought to the students' attention when they arrived to give blood. Eighty to one hundred pints of blood are usually collected from Walteroboro High School. Mr. Breeze continued, "I am satisfied with this and I enjoy working with the students at WHS," who are a "terrific bunch."

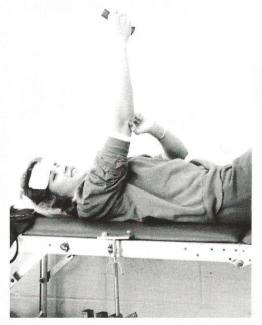
There are no serious risks in giving blood. Occasionally, a person may become lightheaded or pass out from lack of blood. Despite the risks, others were unable to give blood because they were anemic, not having enought iron in their blood, or they were too young, underweight, or were taking medicine that kept them from giving blood.

Sheila Washington commented, "I didn't give blood because I wasn't old enough." She continued, "I would have given blood because it is a good cause and it helps the persons who need it a lot." Nicole Holmes

Students and Teachers Take Part replied, "I didn't give blood because I am afraid of needles."

Student volunteers for the program were Rosie Bright, Sontá Smalls, Lasonya Washington, Rhonda Maree, Janyce Cobbs, Terrance Williams, and Lamonte Heyward. Community volunteers were Christie Beach, Dianne Mitchener, Chris Frasier, Earl Gordan, Debbie Rowell, Scott Breeze, Martha Hosteter, Lisa Weatherford, Evelyn Simmons, Mildred Griffin, Marchell Evans, and Sandy Barefield.

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In an attempt to help those less fortunate, Chrissy Greene and Shannon Murdaugh participate in the fall blood drive.



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