Randolph Sports Council holds winter banquet

The Randolph Sports Council held its winter banquet at Snyder Farms Restaurant on Monday. Above, the council honored its sportsmanship recipients. In the front row (left to right) are Rachel Luna (Asheboro), Emma Luther (Eastern Randolph), Avery Browder (Providence Grove), Karie Kirkman (Randlemann), Kenzie Whitson (Southwestern Randolph), Anna Kate Patterson (Trinity) and Kayla Lewallen (Wheatmore). In the second row are Latrell Moore (AHS), Jordan Terrell (ER), Jordan Hodges (PG), Timothy York (RHS), Dakota Bogg (SWR), Gage Taylor (THS) and Gavin Rains (WHS). At right, Barton College head football coach Chip Hester was the event’s keynote speaker.

Blue Devils notch ACC road win at Notre Dame

From staff reports

SOUTH BEND, Ind. — Many Mike Krzyzewski assistant coaches have gone on to head coaching jobs elsewhere. Several have faced Coach K from the opposing bench. But only one has defeated their old boss: Notre Dame head coach Mike Brey.

In fact, Brey hasn’t just beaten Mike Krzyzewski’s Duke, but his teams have played consistently well against the Blue Devils over the years — Brey entered Monday with a 5-6 record at Notre Dame and 5-7 record overall against Krzyzewski. Monday night, however, the Irish had no such luck as the mentor got the best of the protege.

Duke picked up an 83-61 victory at Notre Dame, led by 26 points, nine rebounds and four assist from freshman Zion Williamson.

The Blue Devils improve to 18-2 overall and 7-1 in ACC play, one game before hitting the halfway mark of conference play when they host Boston College on Feb. 5.

The Irish’s struggles continued, as they fall to 1-7 in the ACC and 11-10 overall. The Irish play at Boston College on Saturday.

The Blue Devils led from the outset, using a 17-2 to run to take a comfortable lead early. They led by 19 late in the first half and held a 46-28 lead at halftime.

Duke led by as many as 24 in the second half and Notre Dame never got closer than 16.

Duke shot 54.2 percent from the floor; Notre Dame shot 34.8 percent.