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735 Pierce Avenue

Lunch - 11:30 AM
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MACON, GA

“Thinking Of All Of You”

{HANG IN THERE !}

“Shelter-In-Place / Stay at Home / Stay Safe”

“For Fun - Can You Identify Me? – ”

In my last SWAPS, I published the “Flying Skeeter” and I have published it again below. If you can identify the image let me know via e-mail, text, or just give me a call.



“Church Sign Chuckles”



“Youth Of The Year – Club Year 2019/2020”

Stephanie Pierson from Mt DeSales placed first in the *Macon Exchange Club’s “Youth of the Year”* event. Due to the “times” we will be making the announcement and presentations via the Mt. DeSales School Counselor. At some future club meeting date, we will invite **Stephanie** so we can formally acknowledge her achievement. A check for “\$500” will be sent to the college of her choice from our Club. The full application entry packet will be sent to Georgia District for the District competition. Congratulations !!!!!



President Ron Raleigh acknowledging Stephanie Pierson as “Youth of the Month” with Debbi McCreary.

Debbi McCreary has done a superb job in implementing the youth programs. **Also**, she has been working diligently with **Steve Allen** on the *Exchange Club of Macon* website and other social media implementations. Be sure to check it out.

Stephanie Pierson

Personal Achievement Paragraph
“Let’s make it a True Daily Double.”

Whenever I hear this phrase on *Jeopardy!* I lean forward in my seat, anxiously anticipating the next thirty seconds. Normally, the person in this position is very far behind in score, struggling to make a comeback. Regardless of the contestant’s position, the statement says more about the player’s attitude toward the game, and toward life. Contestants who make outrageous wagers on the show are passionate, like I am. Being on *Jeopardy!* was a life-changing experience, not only because of the obvious reasons – fifteen minutes of fame, meeting Alex Trebek, and venturing out West for the first time, but also because of the validation it provided for my life mindset. “All or nothing” is the guiding principle of my life, and I bring this principle to both school and extracurricular activities. *Jeopardy!* also gave me an amazing community of passionate, inquisitive, kind teenagers from all across the country. I have made lifelong friends who embrace the quirkiness and nerdiness that is all too characteristic of a *Jeopardy!* teen. Although *Jeopardy!* was only a three-day experience translated into a thirty-minute television episode, I will never forget the impact that the show has had on my life.

“30+ Days into ‘Shelter-In-Place’ Covid-19 Humor”



Quarantine has me realizing why my dog gets so excited about something moving outside and going for walks and car rides.

I just barked at a squirrel.



“You must do the thing you think you cannot do.”

—Eleanor Roosevelt



(Does not apply to haircuts during the quarantine.)

