

Research continues, expands



SCIENCE STUDENTS at Cape Hatteras Secondary School of Coastal Studies are continuing oyster reef research and beginning new projects under the direction of teachers Amber Bradshaw, Christin Brown, and Tracy Shisler with UNC Coastal Studies Institute Education Programs Coordinator John McCord and Education Associate David Sybert. September 16, McCord and Sybert involved students in several activities to enhance their understanding of food chains and bio-load. Using tennis balls to represent environmental toxins, CHSSCS students (from left) Katie Williams, Tyler Thomas and Noah Dixon with McCord demonstrated and discussed how these toxins accumulate within the food chain. Sydney Buettner (bottom photo) ended up at the top of the food chain and with the most "toxins." (T. Shisler photo, DCS)

