News

A truly scary All Hallow's Eve festivity

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Book burning - a term that most people identify with ignorance, radicalism, and witch hunts.

However, tomorrow night, just up the road in Haywood County, The Amazing Grace Baptist Church will conduct a Halloween book burning; kindling will include bibles, other literature and music which Satan has popularized.

The church plans to torch all non-King James (KJV) versions of the Bible. In addition to the Non-KJV bible burning,

the church plans to burn works from 'heretics' such as Billy Graham, James

Dobson, The Pope, Mother Theresa, and John Grisham (just to name a few.)

The church will commence the evening's festivities around 7 PM and will offer a fried chicken dinner to accompany the event. However, it is unclear whether or not

the meal will be cooked on the towering inferno of heretical literature. After all, any good southerner k n o w s you never substitute paper for charcoal.

According to the church's

website, the attendees of the book burning will not only eradicate their personal stores

of Satanic literature, but they also plan to torch 'Satan's' music. Some of Lucifer's favorite genres apparently include "country, rap, rock, pop, heavy metal, western, soft and easy, southern gospel, contemporary Christian, jazz, soul, oldies but goodies, etc."

We can only assume that by contemporary Christian music, the church members mean all music not originally composed in Aramaic. Unfortunately for attendees, Aramaic is a dead language.

On the bright side however, "A true scholar is one who believes the Bible (KJV) whether he understands it or not," according to their website. Obviously the whole tolerance thing must be one of those parts not necessary to be understood.

As thrilling as this event may appear to be when compared to all the other Halloween festivities occurring tomorrow evening, it is, unfortunately, not open to the public, and all those attendees who are uninvited will be considered trespassers.



Homecoming Schedule 2009

Friday, October 30th

12 – 4 p.m.: DanceHeads in Meyers Dining Hall, free DVD to keep 9 pm: Pep Rally, in Auxiliary Gym

Saturday, October 31st

11:30 a.m.: The Calm Before the Storm, in Meyers Dining Hall

l p.m.: Football vs Catawba, Brevard High School

4 p.m.: Men's Soccer vs Catawba, BC soccer field

10 p.m. – 1 a.m.: CAB Halloween Costume and Dance Party, Reserve Dining Room, win \$300 for best costume

Sunday, November 1

2 p.m. and 8 p.m.: Little Shop of Horrors, at Morrison Playhouse

Alumni Homecoming Schedule:

Friday, October 30th

8 a.m. – 6 p.m.: Registration in the Alumni House

11:30 a.m.: Annual Golf Outing 12 p.m. Class of 59" Reunion Lunch,

Institute Room, Meyers Dining Hall

3 p.m.: Walking Tour of Campus, Meet at Alumni House

6 p.m.: Distinguished Alumni/Faculty and Athelic Hall of Fame Dinner, Boshamer Gym

6 p.m.: Class of 59' Reunion Dinner & Get-Together at Sagebrush Stakhouse 8 p.m. Little Shop of Horrors, Morrison Playhouse

9 p.m. Pep Rally, Village Quad

Saturday, October 31st

8 a.m. – 6 p.m.: Registration at Alumni House

8 a.m. – 6 p.m.: Gathering Rooms, McLarty-Goodson Rooms

10 a.m.: President's Update and Q & A, McLarty-Goodson, Room 125

10:30 a.m.: Class of 59' Memorial Service, McLarty-Goodson gathering room

10:45 a.,m.: Walking Tour of Campus, meet at Alumni House

11 a.m.: 50th Reunion Class Photo, J. A. Jones Library front steps

11:30 a.m. Golden Club Luncheon, Boshamer Gymnasium

11:30 a.m. Picnic with Professors, Myers

Dining Hall

12 p.m. – 1 p.m.: Shuttle Service to Football Game, shuttle at Myers Dining Hall and Boshamer Gym

1 p.m.: Football Game, Brevard College vs Catawba College, Brevard High School 4 p.m.: Men's Soccer, Brevard College vs Catawba College, Brevard College soccer field

5 p.m.: Happy Hour, Boshamer Gymnasium 6 p.m.: Homecoming Dinner & Celebration, Boshamer Gymnasium

6:30 p.m.: Class Pictures

8 p.m.: Little Shop of Horrors, Morrison Playhouse

Sunday, November 1

8:30 a.m., 9 a.m., & 10:55 a.m.: Worship Services, First United Methodist Church 11 a.m.: Brunch, Myers Dining Hall 2 p.m.: Little Shop of Horrors, Morrison Playhouse

For more information about any of the Alumni Homecoming Events, please contact Rebecca Gill, Assistant Director of Alumni Affairs, at (828) 884-8218 or e-mail: gillra@brevard.edu.