# Iota Rho enters 'Relay for Life'

The Iota Rho Chapter of Zeta Phi Beta Sorority, Inc. will have a team participating in the Relay for Life on Friday, April 26, and Saturday, April 27.

Relay For Life is a fun-filled overnight event designed to celebrate survivorship and raise money for research and programs of your American Cancer Society.

During the event, teams of people will gather at the Rocky Mount Senior High Athletic Complex and take turns walking or running laps. Each team tries to keep at least one team member on the track at all times.

Relay For Life represents the hope that those lost to cancer will never be forgotten, that those who face cancer will be supported, and that one day, cancer will be eliminated.

Luminaries will be placed around the track in the beginning hours of the Relay for Life on Friday, April 26. The luminaries will remain lighted throughout the night. The names of the honoree will be on each luminary. At 9 p.m. there will be a luminary ceremony. At this time the candles will be lit.

On Friday, April 26, at 6:30

# r p.m. there will be a cancer survivors walk. Cancer survivors e (one year, five years, one month, it doesn't matter are needed to walk in the Cancer Survivor Lap, the opening lap of the Relay for Life. Cancer survivors can run, walk, or wheelchair the opening

lap. If you are interested in making a donation to the Iota Rho team, purchasing a luminary, or you are a cancer survivor and would like to walk in the Cancer Survior Lap, please contact Modestine Welch, mwelch@ncwc.edu, or Sharron McNeil-Davis, Advisor, smdavis @ncwc.edu or 985-5128.

# **Cookout/bonfire** set this Saturday

Tri Sigma and Tau Kappa Epsilon are hosting a cookout/ bonfire bash on April 20, from 5 until 11 p.m.

We need faculty and staff to come out and attend any portion of the event for full approval of the school. If you would like to come out and eat food, listen to music, and have a great time,

### BIO/CHM SENIOR PRESENTATIONS

April 15 Orin Autry — Pathophysiology and Biochemical analysis of Kuru Disease-Prion Disorder Teresa Rossi — The Mammalian Metabolism of Benzo(a)pyrene Lamont Segears — Pigs for Parts: Hyperacute Rejection and Porcine Endogenesis Retrovirus Transmission from Pigs to Humans

April 22 Alyson Wlson — Aging of

the Senses: Vision and Hearing

Kwabena Boakye — Fluorous synthesis: a Fluorous-Phase Strategy for Improving Efficiency in Organic Synthesis

#### Tameika Dickens — TBA

April 29 Lynette Hall — TBA Christopher Pierce — History of Prusiner's Prion Research please e-mail Erin Dawson, Tri Sigma president, or Chester Tillis, Tau Kappa Epsilon president, a confirmation e-mail stating your name, and that you will attend the Bon Fire Bash.

Dawson's email address is eldawson@ncwc.edu. Tillis' email is cctillis@ncwc.edu.

# SNCAE joins fight against child abuse

SNCAE has begun a new project, The Blue Ribbon Drive to Prevent Child Abuse, in conjunction with the Prevent Child Abuse North Carolina Organization.

Members of SNCAE are encouraged to see Katie Schaeffer, SNCAE President (kschaeffer@ncwc.edu), or Peggy Maines, SNCAE member (pmaines@ncwc.edu), to receive their Blue Ribbons to sell at \$1 each.

Half the proceeds will go to Prevent Child Abuse N.C.; the other half will be used to purchase children's books to donate to a local health clinic.

Members are asked to sell at least 20 ribbons. A prize will be given to the first member who sells his or her 20 ribbons.

Please see the bulletin board near the Education Department for additional information about this worthwhile project.

Questions? E-mail Katie Schaeffer or call advisor Janice Fleming (985-5165).

# **Spring Fling 2002 continues**

All events are free unless otherwise noted.

**Friday, April 19** Admissions Preview Day

Block Step Show 11:30 a.m. - 1 pm. (Location TBA) sponsored by Office of Fraternity and Sorority Life and the United Fraternal Community, with cookout sponsored by Sodexho

> Field Day Fun 5 p.m. - 7 p.m., Edgecombe Lawn, sponsored by CAB, with cookout sponsored by Sodexho

Zeta Phi Beta Coming Out Celebration 7:20 p.m., Location TBA

*Luau* 9 p.m. - midnight, at the Fountain, sponsored by Office of Fraternity and Sorority Life and the United Fraternal Community

> Saturday, April 20 Inflatable Games 11 a.m. - 4 p.m., Edgecombe Lawn, sponsored by CAB

Batchelor Bid Powers Recital Hall, 7 p.m. - 9 p.m. After Party in the Hartness Center, 10 p.m. - 2 a.m. Sponsored by Sisters of Distinction

Sunday, April 21 All Star Slam-Dunk/3-Point Contest and Intramural Championship Basketball Game 2 p.m., Gymnasium Sponsored by Intramural Sports

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