

# Calendar and Announcements

**1981 COOKIE SALE** The annual Girl Scout cookie sale is on now through February 9. Girl Scouts in the twenty-County Pines of Carolina Council will be taking orders for six cookie varieties and a snack cracker at \$1.50 per box. The cookie sale is the financial mainstay of the Girl Scout organization. Troops receive a bonus for each box sold. Last year Durham County Girl Scouts sold 82,848 boxes. Since 1936, cookie sale proceeds have been used to support troop activities and community projects.

**DISPLACED HOMEMAKERS** — The Career Development Center for Displaced Homemakers — persons who are out on their own and must find paid employment — offers personal counseling and career guidance. Services include job readiness instruction, job search assistance, support group meetings, and referrals to other agencies and training programs. Call 682-9671 for more information; or contact Durham CETA or YWCA offices.

**SIXTY OR OVER?** You've learned a lot in sixty years of living. Don't keep it to yourself. The Retired Senior Volunteer Program needs you to: share a small amount of time with a group of children in an after school program; escort patients in a hospital; or assist patients in a nursing home with crafts, writing letters, playing records, etc.

RSVP provides travel reimbursement and free insurance. For more information, call Ms. Helen Pressley or Ms. Kathy Walters, 596-9311, ext. 321, Durham Technical Institute.

**THE W.D. HILL RECREATION CENTER**, 1308 Fayetteville Street, is offering adult classes in photography, liquid embroidery, speed reading and aerobic slimnastics. Teens and adults may also register for sewing, macrame and weight training. Youth programs include gymnastics, modern and tap dance, baton, and an after school fun fest. Roller skating lessons and martial arts are offered for all age groups. For more information call 683-4292.

**CPR CLASSES** — CPR is short for cardiopulmonary resuscitation. It's a way to help keep heart attack victims alive. CPR classes can usually be completed in 8-12 hours of instruction giving over two to three days. You'll learn how to give basic life support to adults, children and infants. Look for the CPR posters in your area for class information or call the Triangle J Council of Governments at 549-0551.

CPR — one day it may save the life of someone you love.

**ART EXHIBIT** — Through February 15, "The Museum's Choice," featuring selected Student Art Work, Durham City and County Schools, at the N.C. Central University Museum of Art. No admission charge. Hours 9 a.m.-5 p.m., Tuesday-Friday, 2-5 p.m. Sunday.

**CLOTHES FOR THE NEEDY** — The Social Service office of OBT is open to serve people within the community and Head Start families who may have a clothing problem.

**RECYCLING** Need extra cash? There's money in the trash — aluminum, that is.

Reynolds recycles at Northgate Shopping Center, every Tuesday through Saturday, 9-11:30 a.m.

Bring cans in a clear plastic bag, and other pieces cut to lengths not exceeding three feet and tightly bound. You will be paid cash on the spot.

For more information, call toll free 1-800-228-2525.

**WINTER CLASSES AND WORKSHOPS AT THE YWCA** — The 1981 schedule of classes and workshops is now available from your Durham YWCA, 809 Proctor St. Classes will be offered in the following categories: Parenting, Women's Issues, Do It Yourself, Gardening, Physical Fitness, and special interest groups.

Registrations are now being taken. Please call 688-4396 or visit the Durham YWCA, corner of Vickers and Proctor Streets for more details.

**NEW ISLAMIC CALENDAR PUBLISHED** — The New Islamic Lunar and Solar Calendar 1401/1981 has been released by Jewel Communications, a New York public relations and publishing concern specializing in literature of interest to the Islamic community.

The 1401/1981 Calendar, designed for use by Muslims in America, features: Islamic, Christian, Judaic and legal observances; narratives on significant dates in Islamic history and commentary on the evolution of the Islamic Calendar. It is in full color with photographs by Najah Abdul-Al-Haqq of Africa, America and the Middle East. It features

"Prayer Time," an illustration by Artist Mustapha Nasir relating the Muslim's daily prayers to the 24-hour time cycle used in America.

Available at both wholesale and retail rates. For further information, contact Jewel Communications, Inc., 54 West 84th St., New York, NY 10024 (212) 496-0686.

**3-2-1 CONTACT** — In conjunction with the popular television program, 3-2-1 Contact, the Museum of Life and Science is offering hands-on activities related to the weekly theme of Hot/Cold from 1:30-3:30 p.m., on Saturday, January 24. Bring the family along to participate in the series of 3-2-1 Contact Saturday programs.

**AFTER SCHOOL RECREATION PROGRAMS** Durham City Community Education Program and the Durham Parks and Recreation Department are conducting After School Recreation Programs at Y.F. Smith, East Ed., and George Watts Elementary schools. These programs operate each day school is open through June 5. The hours are Monday through Friday, 2:30-5:30 p.m.

The program offers a wide range of activities including sports and athletics, music and drama, arts and crafts, study hours, tutorial sessions, and other seasonal special events. There is a small weekly fee.

For more information, call Gaston Patterson at 683-4355 or Albert Huey at 688-2361, extension 245.

**SOUTHERN CONFERENCE ON AFRO-AMERICAN STUDIES** will hold its Second Annual meeting February 26-28, in Houston, Texas. The theme is "Laborers, Shouters, Good-Timers, Voters: Participants in the Afro-American Experience." Further details can be had by contacting Dr. Howard Jones, Box 104, TSU, 3201 Wheeler Avenue, Houston, Texas 77004.

**DURHAM SYMPHONY YOUNG ARTISTS COMPETITION** for pianists and orchestral instrumentalists, grades 10-12 in Durham, Wake, Orange, Granville and Person counties. Winners will play a movement of a standard concerto with the Durham Symphony. Audition date: February 7. Call Hjordis Tourian, 682-2910 or Ginny Zehr, 782-4840, for further information.

**CAROLINA UNION** presents Elvis Costello and the Attractions, the English Mug's Tour, with their old China's Squeeze on Sunday, January 25, at 9 p.m., Carmichael Auditorium, UNC. Advance tickets \$6; Day of Show tickets \$7. Tickets available beginning Monday, January 19, at Union Box Office, noon-six weekdays. (933-1449).

**THE CAROLINA STUDY CENTER** — is offering spring courses in "The Prophets and the Promise" Tuesday evenings in Chapel Hill, and "Introduction to Creative Writing: Experimenting in Christian Imagination", Thursday evenings on the Duke University campus. For information, call the Carolina Study Center in Durham at 286-5587.

**FREE PUBLICATIONS FROM IRS** may be ordered by calling the IRS toll free telephone number listed in the directory. Among the subjects covered are: child care credit, energy credit, moving expenses and other tax breaks.

**BOOKMOBILE WEEKLY STOPS** — Every Monday—1:45-2:45, Wellon's Village (near Big Star); Every Tuesday—2:00-3:00, Lakewood Shopping Center; Every Wednesday—1:30-2:45, Northgate Mall (near Big Star); Every Friday—2:00-3:45, King's Plaza (Hillsborough Rd.); Every Saturday—9:30-12:30, Crossdaile Shopping Center; 2:30-3:30 Shannon's Plaza; 3:45-4:30 South Square Mall (near Big Star).

**RZFERRAL SERVICE** — Duke University is implementing a Day Care Referral Service for all employees and students as of February 1. Ms. Lillian P. Spiller, Duke Child Care Coordinator, is interested in talking with people who are presently operating Day Care Homes and those who may be interested in starting day care services in their homes. In North Carolina, the only requirement is registration with the Office of Child Day Care Licensing; there are no standards that registered homes are required to meet. For further information, contact Ms. Spiller at 684-2808.

**SLIMNASTICS** — Exercise to Music — Get into shape after the holiday eating. Tone up muscles and receive helpful exercises and hints for nutritionally healthful eating habits.

Classes to begin February 3 - March 2, 7-8:30 p.m. Ms. Betty McNeal, instructor. Fee YWCA members, \$15, non-members, \$18. Register now.

**DURHAM CITY SCHOOLS MENUS — JAN. 26-30: Breakfast: Mon.—Cheese toast or cereal, juice**

or ½ cup of fresh fruit, milk; Tues.—Fruit muffins or cereal, juice or ½ cup of fresh fruit, milk; Wed.—Peanut butter bun or cereal, juice or ½ cup of fresh fruit, milk; Thurs.—Egg biscuit or cereal, juice or ½ cup of fresh fruit, milk; Fri.—Cinnamon bun or cereal, juice or apple sauce w/blueberries, milk.

**Lunch:** Mon.—Ham in yeast roll or turkey in yeast roll, macaroni & cheese, steamed collards or green beans, peaches, milk; Tues.—Salisbury steak w/gravy, rice, fruit cup or tangerine, steamed cabbage, roll, choice of milk; Wed.—Poor Boy Hoagie w/shredded lettuce, french fries, congealed salad or fresh fruit, choice of milk; Thurs.—Turkey w/gravy on corn bread stuffing, green peas or sweet potatoes, fresh fruit, roll, choice of milk; Fri.—Pizza, butter corn or toss salad, pears, banana bread, choice of milk.

**PROJECT LIFT** can cure your winter doldrums with free information and referral on the wide array of adult hobby, skills and continuing education classes to be offered in Durham and beyond. Job listings and reference materials are also available. Call or visit Project LIFT — Learning Information For Today — 9-9 Monday and Tuesday; 9-5:30 Wednesday through Saturday, at the Durham County Library, 300 North Roxboro St., or call 683-2626, Extension 31.

**IRS PROBLEM RESOLUTION OFFICE** has a toll-free number, 1-800-832-8800 in Greensboro. If you have problems you have not been able to resolve through normal channels, call the Greensboro number. They promise to cut through red tape and get to the solution faster than routine channels you have tried. You may also write: Problem Resolution Office, 320 Federal Place, Greensboro, NC 27401.

The IRS Office at 400 W. Main St., Durham, offers free assistance to taxpayers the year round. Anyone needing personal assistance with tax problems may visit any weekday from 10 a.m. to 3:45 p.m. No appointment necessary.

**VOLUNTEERS ARE NEEDED** for a variety of needs. Call the Volunteer Services Bureau, 688-8977 or 688-9049, weekdays, 9 a.m.-4 p.m.

**CALENDAR ITEMS** should reach us no later than Friday before the desired publication week. Two to three weeks prior is even better! Mail to: Calendar, The Carolina Times, P.O. Box 3825, Durham, NC 27702. No charge.

**WEEKEND PROGRAM** — The N.C. Museum of Life and Science, 433 Murray Ave., will show the film "Dragon of Komodo", a 20-minute film of the giant lizard Komodo, on Friday, Saturday and Sunday, January 23, 24, 25, at 3:30 p.m.

**ERA DEBATE** — The Carolina Forum in conjunction with the Association of Women Students will present the ERA Debate with Betty Freidan vs. Phyllis Schlafly on Monday, February 9 at 8 p.m. in Memorial Hall, Chapel Hill. Mrs. Schlafly, cited as one of the 25 most influential women in the U.S., is national chairman of STOP ERA. Mrs. Freidan, author of the *Feminine Mystique*, is the so-called "Mother Superior" of the woman's movement. Both women are highly respected nationally and have written numerous articles on the controversial issue of women's rights. Admission to the ERA debate is \$1 for UNC students and Union Staff Privilege Card holders and \$2 for the general public. Tickets can be purchased at the Union Box Office.

**ORANGE COUNTY WOMEN'S CENTER** — Do you think women have special health needs? If day care were provided by your employer, would you use it? If you are looking for a job, what problems have you had in your job search? Do you know anyone who has been a victim of domestic violence? where did she go for help? How was she treated?

These and many other questions are part of the countywide needs assessment survey which will be conducted by the Orange County Women's Center through February. The face-to-face interviews will last approximately thirty minutes. The survey is also sponsored by the Orange County Commission on Women, and various university and community professional have contributed their time and expertise to the project.

If you have questions or would like to be a volunteer interviewer, call Gail Henderson at the Women's Center, 968-4646.