

Calendar and Announcements

ATTENTION PARENTS — The Durham system City-Wide PTA Council and the Durham City Community Education City-Wide Advisory Council will sponsor a workshop entitled "A Family Affair" on March 30, 7:30 p.m., at E.K. Powe Elementary School on Ninth Street. The workshop will deal with parent-student relationships with emphasis on the role of parents with students at home.

Oliver Johnson, consultant for the N.C. Department of Public Instruction, and Mrs. Rebecca Hunt, reading specialist/supervisor for Durham City Schools, will be the facilitators.

All parents and the general public are cordially invited.

REAL AND SURREAL — Durham Art Guild exhibition through March 31, at 120 Morris St., Durham. Virginia artist Betty Branch will show sculpture, Marcia Tyrrell will show painting, Louise Francke will show lithographs and Louellen Vernon-White will show etchings. Under the theme, "The Real and Surreal" the artists explore the reality of environments, the human figure, and the humor and sensuality to be found in fantasy and myth.

THE MOUSETRAP, last performances of a spellbinding mystery by Agatha Christie at the Raleigh Little Theatre March 24-28 at 8 p.m. Sunday matinee, March 29 at 3 p.m. Adults: \$5 weeknight & matinee; \$6 Friday & Saturday; students and senior citizens, \$3 weeknight, \$4 Friday and Saturday and \$2 matinee. For reservations call 821-3111, 12-6 daily.

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).

THEATRE IN THE PARK 1981 Mini-Season. "Kennedy's Children"—March 26-29; "Lysistrata"—April 2-5. Advanced reservations are advised and can be made by calling 755-6939.

BLACK AWARENESS WEEKEND — The Black Student Association of Appalachian State University is sponsoring Black Awareness Weekend, April 1-4. The highlight of the weekend will be a lecture by Dick Gregory on Friday, April 3, in Whitner Auditorium at 7:30 p.m.

On Saturday, April 4, the BSA will sponsor its Sixth Annual Black Cultural Pageant at 4 p.m. in Farthing Auditorium. Admission for all events is free and all are invited to attend.

EXERCISE FOR WOMEN AND GIRLS — Do you like dance and good exercise, too. You can have both at St. Joseph's Performance Center on Old Fayetteville Street, Saturday afternoons. Classes begin at 12 for girls ages 3-6; 1 o'clock for girls ages 7-12; women's exercise class, 2-3; African dance class, 3-4:30 with live percussion and lots of fun. For more information, call 682-6045.

BULL CITY CARPOOLING PROGRAM operations have been transferred to the Triangle J Council of Governments in the Research Triangle Park. The transfer is part of a federally funded pooling of the region's urban ridesharing programs into one regionally coordinated program called TRI-A-RIDE, or Triangle Area Ridesharing Program. Call 549-9999 for names of others traveling your route.

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

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.

VOLUNTEER GUIDES are needed for the McCown-Mangum House and/or West Point Mill, especially for the spring and summer crowds. Guides are asked to help three hours a month on the weekends or when their schedule permits. Training classes will be offered on Saturday, March 28, 9-12, for the West Point Mill. Please find out more about volunteering by calling 471-1623 between 1-4 p.m., on weekends only.

OBJECTS AND IMAGES, an exhibition of pottery and graphics by Chapel Hill artists Joan Cohen and Dino Read, will be featured at Center/Gallery, 118-A East Main Street in Carrboro April 3-May 3. Gallery hours are Friday and Saturdays, 11 a.m.-5 p.m., and Sundays, 2-5 p.m. Admission is free.

THE SCARBOROUGH NURSERY PARENT CLUB will meet on Thursday, April 2, 7:30 p.m., at the school, 309 Queen Street. All parents are urged to attend.

PORGY AND BESS — The Duke University Artists Series closes its 51st Season on Wednesday, April 8, at 8:15 p.m. in Page Auditorium with the presentation of "Porgy and Bess" by the North Carolina Opera. The presentation of George Gershwin's American classic set in Charleston's Catfish Row will feature Wilhelmina Fernandez as Bess and James Tyeska as Porgy. Tickets are available at Page Box Office weekdays, 9 a.m.-4 p.m. for further information, call 684-4059.

HHS CLASS OF '75 — The Hillside High School Class of 1975 will meet on Sunday, April 5, 7 p.m., at the home of Daryl Vereen, 506 Cecil St. All class members are invited to attend.

THE CHILD CARE REFERRAL SERVICE at Duke University is interested in obtaining information on local summer programs for children of all ages. If you are involved in a summer program or have information on summer programs, please call Ms. Lillian Spiller at 684-2808.

TENNIS COURTS AVAILABLE — The Durham Parks and Recreation Department has tennis courts available for rental. Groups may rent available courts at the rate of \$1 per hour per court day use or \$1.25 per hour per court night use. Make tennis a part of your next family or business social. Call Ms. Eileen Witt at 683-4355 to reserve your courts now!

REGISTRATION OPENS FOR DAC SPRING CLASSES — Registration for Durham Arts Council's spring classes and workshops will be open from now through Monday, April 6. The usual array of painting, drawing and clay classes will be highlighted by special interest courses in quilting, maskmaking, stained glass, and soft sculpture. Fifteen classes are being offered especially for children, from designing and constructing paper airplanes to making creative environments for turtles and fish. Call 682-5519 for a complete listing of classes, days and times.

SIGN LANGUAGE — The Durham Parks and Recreation Department and the Durham Technical Institute Continuing Education Program, in cooperation with the Durham City Community Education Program, will offer adult class in Basic Sign Language starting April 1 at Brogden Junior High School, 7-9 p.m. Fee for class is \$5.

For more information and to pre-register, contact Gaston Patterson, Jr., at 683-4355.

THE IRON CLAD AGREEMENT, a professional theatre group from Pittsburgh, begins a seven city North Carolina tour of an original production on the life of Eli Whitney and the invention of the cotton gin on April 2. The first performance will be given in Snow Camp at the Eli Whitney Quilting Festival; other sites include Asheboro, Winston-Salem, Dallas, Marion, Spindale and Durham. All productions are open free of charge to the public. The project is assisted by the North Carolina Humanities Committee and sponsored by the Duke University Office of Continuing Education. For more information, call 684-6259.

CHILDREN'S FILM FESTIVAL — The Carrboro Recreation and Parks Department will feature the film "The Hideaways" on Friday, April 10, as part of its 1981 Children's Film Festival (especially selected for children ages 3-12). Parents are invited to attend with their children. The film will be shown in the Carrboro Elementary School Auditorium at 7 p.m. Admission is 75¢ per person.

FREE FEATURE MOVIES are shown each Saturday at 3 p.m., in the auditorium of the Durham County Public Library. Plan to see "Diary of Anne Frank" March 28 and "Dinner At Eight" April 4.

FREE FILMS — On Tuesday and Wednesday evening at 7, March 31-April 1, the Chapel Hill Public Library, corner Franklin and Boundary Streets, will show "King Kong".

King Kong goes on rampage in New York City and the picture of Fay Wray lying in his hands will live forever.

SOUTHERN ARTS FEDERATION (SAF) — is seeking performing arts groups to include in its 1982-83 touring program. Southeastern performing arts groups interested in touring in the region beginning in September, 1982 should contact SAF immediately for application information. The deadline for application is April 15, 1981.

Each year SAF assists a limited number of professional touring theater, dance, opera and music

groups with partial fee support to qualified sponsoring organizations in the Southeast. Performing groups are chosen based on their application, funds available and demand in a given art form.

A performing group must have a firm commitment from its board of directors, administrative staff and artists to the concept of touring for community audiences; a history of sound administrative and artistic direction and a regional or national reputation that demonstrates a high level of accomplishment. In addition, their artistic product, structured programs of educational value, and a demonstrated history of successful touring in their resident state will place the applicant in a favorable light.

SAF is a regional arts service organization with membership including the state arts agencies of Alabama, Florida, Georgia, Kentucky, Louisiana, Mississippi, North and South Carolina, Tennessee and Virginia.

For more information, write Southern Arts Federation, Suite 712, 225 Peachtree Street, NE, Atlanta, Ga. 30303.

TENNIS LESSONS are offered at Edison Johnson Recreation Center on an on-going basis Monday and Wednesday mornings at 9 a.m. and 10:30. Cost for 12 hours of instruction is \$22 for City residents and \$24 for non-residents. Register at Edison Johnson Recreation Center or call 683-4355 for more information. Resource person: Ms. Eileen Witt.

POTTERY WORKSHOPS — A pottery workshop is being offered by the Durham Arts Council for those interested in making windchimes. Mar. 28; 10-12 noon, \$8. To register, call 682-5519.

AUDUBON WILDLIFE FILM SERIES in Chapel Hill at Guy B. Phillips Junior High School auditorium on Estes Drive. Tickets will be sold for any unoccupied seats ten minutes before the 8 p.m. performance. For information in Chapel Hill, contact Mrs. Robert Broughton, 942-3836 or Mrs. Robert Utiger, 942-7437; in Durham, Mrs. Charles Stuart, 286-2760.

Remaining film in the series is: Norm Wakeman's "Inside Passage to Alaska" on Tuesday, April 7.

SCHOLARSHIPS AVAILABLE FOR VET CHILDREN — Over \$2.3 million is available this fiscal year for college scholarships for eligible children of veterans. The state-funded scholarships are awarded to children of certain disabled, deceased and POW/MIA veterans. The scholarships are for four academic years and can be used at public and private schools in North Carolina. Students who think they may be eligible should apply during their senior year in high school and before May 1. Students should contact their local veterans service officer or write: N.C. Division of Veterans Affairs, 227 E. Edenton St., Raleigh, NC 27601. For more information, contact Charles Beddingfield at (919) 733-3851.

EVENING OF SHARING — Community Education students at Carrington Junior High will demonstrate their new skills on Tuesday evening, March 31. The session will be catered by the catering class. Cloggers, guitar, photography and wood-working students will participate. Time 8 p.m. Open to the public.

HALF MARATHON ROAD RUN — Carrboro and Orange County Recreation Departments are co-sponsoring a half marathon road run from Carrboro to Hillsborough on Sunday, March 29 at 2 p.m. \$3 entry fee is due by 5 p.m. on March 27 or \$5 on race day (nonrefundable).

Trophies will be given to the first male and female across the line. There will be water stations and split times at the 3, 6, 9 mile marks with a bus at the finish to return runners to Carrboro. For registration and information, call 942-8541 or 732-9361.

CPR CAN SAVE A LIFE — More than one million Americans suffer a heart attack each year. One of them may be someone you love. With CPR training, you could possibly save that victim's life.

The Triangle J Council of Governments is coordinating classes in this lifesaving technique. Look for the CPR posters in your area for class information, or call 549-0551.

MEDEA — North Carolina Central University's Department of Dramatic Art will present the classic Greek tragedy, "Medea", by Euripides, April 8-12 in the University Theatre located on the corner of Lawson and Fayetteville streets. Showtime is 8:15 p.m. April 8-11, and 3:15 p.m. April 12. For ticket information contact the University's Drama Department at 683-6242.