## Calendar and Announcements

CHECK THAT BLOOD PRESSURE - You are invited to come by the American Red Cross for . their monthly Blood Pressure Screening Clinic on Thursday, April 30, from 10 a.m. to 2 p.m. and havve your blood pressure taken. The Screening Clinic will take place at the Red Cross Center, 1000 East Forest Hills Boulevard. This service is staffed by volunteer Red Cross nurses and is offered free of charge to the public.

CONCERT BAND PERFORMANCE - On Tuesday evening, April 21, at 8:15 p.m., the Concert Band of North Carolina Central University will perform in B.N. Duke Auditorium, which is located on Fayetteville Street near the intersection with Lawson Street. Admission is free and the public is

invited to attend.

The NCCU Concert Band, under the direction of Jerry Head, Jr., assisted by Mozell Long, will perform works by Holst, Wagner and Forsblad and others. Of special interest will be the premier of "Minuet for Winds and Percussion" by James DeBerry, graduate of NCCU, and percussion instructor in the NCCU Music Department. DeBerry will perform the percussion part.

SOFTBALL LEAGUES ORGANIZING — The Durham Parks and Recreation Department will be holding an organizational meeting for youth softball leagues on Tuesday, April 21, at 7 p.m., at the Central Civic Center, corner of Foster and Morgan Sts. All interested persons should attend this meeting to find out registration procedures, entry fee costs, league rules, etc. For more information, contact Ms. Angela Joines at 683-4353.

CHOIR CONCERT — The North Carolina Central University Touring and Concert Choirs will appear in concert at NCCU's B.N. Duke Auditorium at 4 p.m., Sunday, April 26. Admission is free. The concert is being sponsored by the Durham Chapter of the NCCU Alumni Association.

BOOKMOBILE WEEKLY STOPS — Every Monday—1:45-2:45, Wellon's Village (near Big Star); Every Tuesday—2:00-3:00, Lakewood Shop-ping Center; Every Wednesday—1:30-2:45, Nor-Mall (near Big Star); Friday-2:00-3:45, King's Plaza (Hillsborough Rd.); Every Saturday—9:30-12:30, Croasdaile Shopping Center; 2:30-3:30 Shannon's Plaza; 3:45-4:30 South Square Mall (near Big Star).

BE A "BIG SISTER" — A 15 year old girl who

lives in the Bragtown area needs a "big sister". She has little contact with others outside school and lives with her eighty year old grandfather and legally blind mother. She would like to have a special

friend to spennd time with her.

Groups are invited to lend a helping hand with neighborhood projects in our community. Playground equipment at several day-care centers needs a coat of paint, and sandboxes need filling for

If you are willing to give some time, call the Volunteer Services Bureau at 688-8977, weekdays,

ENGLISH HANDSMOCKING CLASS — Carrboro Recreation and Parks Department is now accepting registration for a four-week English Handsmocking class. Class will meet on Tuesday nights, 7-9, April 28-May 19. Participants will learn basic rules and stitches of handsmocking as well as how to create stacked figures. Hints on garment construction will also be offered. Each participant will have the opportunity to complete at least one project during class. A knowledge of sewing is helpful, but not required.

There is a \$7 nonrefundable registration fee for the class. In addition, participants will need to purchase materials (estimated \$5-\$8) for their projects. Instructor will be Ms. Martha Linn. For more in-

formation, call 942-8541, extension 203 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.

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.

OBJECTS AND IMAGES, an exhibition of pot-tery and graphics by Chapel Hill artists Joan Cohen and Dino Read, will be featured at Center/Gallery, 118-A East Main Street in Carrboro through May 3. Gallery hours are Friday and Saturdays, 11 a.m.-5

p.m., and Sundays, 2-5 p.m. Admission is free. YWCA ANNUAL DINNER Thursday, April 23, Ramada Inn Downtown. Social hour 6:15 p.m., buffet dinner, 7; entertainment, "The New Generation," a pop-gospel group. Tickets \$8 by April 21. The public is welcome. Call 688-4396 for more in-

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!

ARE YOU PREGNANT? - Are you thinking about it, or just curious? Do you know how to choose health care providers that will help you have the birthing experience you want? Come hear Ms. Woodward, an experienced childbirth educator, speak about "A Consumer Approach to Birthing". She will discuss the results of a recent survey of obstetrical units in the Orange-Durham-Chatham County area, as well as speak about parent rights and responsibilities in childbirth. "Nan's Class," a movie following five women through their pregnancies, will also be shown. This program is the third of an eight week series offered by Women's Health Counseling Service.

This series is free and the public is invited to attend on Monday, April 20, 7:30 p.m., at the Newman Center in Chapel Hill. For more information, call Ms. Elaine Barney at 968-4646.

LITTLE TARHEEL BASEBALL — A public meeting concerning the organization of "Little Tarheel Baseball" is scheduled for Tuesday, April 14, 7 p.m. in the Durham Central Civic Center. Anyone interested in coaching, sponsoring or playing should come to this meeting. Call Gene Tomlinson for more information at 683-4355.

EASTER EGG HUNT — The Durham Parks and Recreation Department and the Kings Club will sponsor the 11th annual Easter Egg Hunt for children four through twelve years old on Saturday, April 18, 10 a.m. at the following locations: Forest Hills Park, University Drive; East End Park, Alston Avenue; West Durham Park, Hillsborough Road and Northgate Park, Club Boulevard.

THE HILLSIDE HIGH SCHOOL Class of 1974 will meet at the Alfonso Elder Student Union on NCCU's campus, Saturday, April 18, 3 p.m., in Room 144-A. All members are asked to be present.

THE BAHA'IS OF DURHAM — will hold a

discussion on the Baha'i Faith open to all interested persons on Sunday, April 19, at 7:30 p.m., at 1412 Wyldewood Road, Apt. A-1. For further information, phone 383-2306.

FREE FEATURE MOVIES are shown each Saturday at 3 p.m., in the auditorium of the Durham County Public Library. Plan to see "Summertime" April 18 and "Hound of the Baskervilles" April 25.

FREE FILMS - On Tuesday and Wednesday evening at 7, April 21-22, the Chapel Hill Public Library, corner Franklin and Boundary Streets, will show "Quality Street".

George Stevens directs Katharine Hepburn, Franchot Tone and Fay Bainter. Yearning for vengence, a spinster of 1805 England poses as her own flighty niece to charm and chastise a man who had disappointed her ten years earlier by going off to the Napoleonic wars instead of proposing marriage.

(Hepburn always gets her man.)
STOP SMOKING - CONTROL WEIGHT — The Durham YWCA will sponsor stop smoking and weight control clinics with Clinical Hypnotist John Greer, The clinics will be held at the YWCA, 809 Proctor Street, in Durham, on Friday, May 1. The stop smoking clinic will begin at 5:30 p.m. and the weight control at 7:30 p.m. Each clinic is \$35 and includes three hypnotic inductions, literature, and cassette tapes for reinforcement of the suggestions

If you're interested in getting help making these positive life changes, YWCA at 688-4396.

SUMMER NÜRSERY-KINDERGARTEN Applications are being accepted for a seven-week session of the North Carolina Central University Nursery-Kindergarten beginning May 18 and ending July 3. The school day will begin at 7:45 a.m. and end at 4 p.m.

Applications for the fall session, beginning in September, are also being accepted. For further information, call 683-6447 or visit the NCCU Nursery-Kindergarten at the Diana S. Dent Home Economics Building at North Carolina Central

University.

ENO PARENTS OF VISUALLY IMPAIRED CHILDREN will meet at Watts Street Baptist Church, Urban Avenue and Watts St., Durham, Thursday, April 23, 7 p.m.

Anyone who is interested in handicapped children receiving an appropriate education is en-

couraged to attend this meeting

1981 MARINE ENVIRONMENT WORKSHOP The N.C. 4-H Program, the N.C. Marine Resources, and the N.C. Sea Grant are sponsoring a summer workshop on the Marine Environment July 19-24. The workshop is open to rising high school juniors, seniors and seniors who have graduated but not entered college.

Many facets of coastal life will be examined with special emphasis placed on the following three ob-

jectives:

-Create an awareness of marine resources and their potential value to man.

-Develop an awareness of ecological problems affecting marine life and the complexity of their solu-

-Explore opportunities in marine related careers. Outstanding educational research facilities and an excellent staff furnish an atmosphere of learning, fun and fellowship.

The workshop will be held at the Bogue Banks Marine Resources Center with lodging and other activities at Mitchell 4-H Camp, Swansboro, N.C.

For more information or applications, contact the 4-H office, 721 Foster St or call 688-2900. Ap-

plication deadline June 1, 1981.

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

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.

'FETISH ART INVITATIONAL", a show featuring artists Steve Clapp, Rich Craven, Barbara Harmeyer, Mark Keppler, Bill McAllister, Lawrence Merenstein, Johnnie Mizell, Jerry Noe, Ann Rowles and Ann Shearer will run May 8-31 at Center/Gallery, 118 E. Main St., Carrboro. Gallery hours: 11-5 Friday-Saturday; 2-5 Sunday. Reception will be Friday, May 8, 8-10 p.m. For informa-

tion, call 967-1316.

**BOXING CENTER REOPENS** — The Durham Parks and Recreation Department announces the reopening of the E.D. Mickle Boxing Center on Alston Avenue. All Durham youth and young adults are invited to join the Boxing Program. Drop by the E.D. Mickle Center weeknights for more in-