

Some Things Going on in June

The Reynolda House, Museum of American Art will hold a one-week session of Young Writers Workshops entitled "The Voices of African Americans" June 21-25 from 2-5 p.m. The workshops are for students who have completed grades five through twelve.

Youth will hear selections from writers of African descent and examine those qualities which have made African-American writing an important, distinctive and influential area of American literature. Students will be encouraged to explore ways in which written language helps give a voice to their own ideas.

Through this workshop, young writers are offered an invitation to write, encouragement throughout the writing process, and the rewards of success. The relaxed environment of Reynolda House relieves the anxiety about writing that many young people feel. A collection of American art from 1755 to the present provides rich inspiration to write. Neil and Camilla Wilcox will lead the workshop. The cost is \$95 and enrollment is limited.

The noon-time summer concerts at Winston Square Park continue in the month of June with some exciting performances by local

groups, sponsored by the Arts Council and the city of Winston-Salem. These lunch-time concerts offer a chance to enjoy some great music and the warm summer weather. Outta the Bag concerts will take place Monday through Friday from

- June 15 - Choyce II (top 40, beach)
- June 16 - The Gathering (progressive rock)
- June 17 - Summer Wages (bluegrass)
- June 18 - Scott Ainslie (blues guitar)

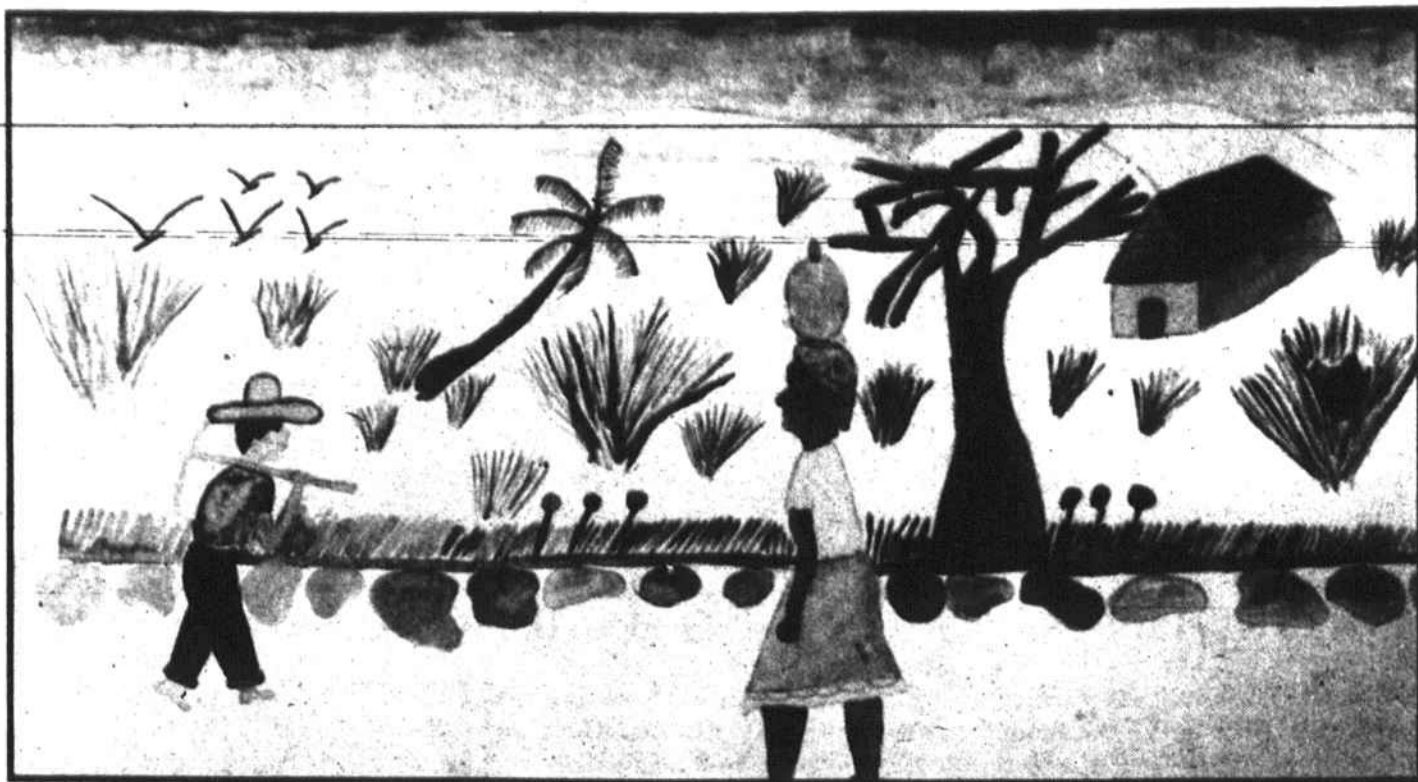
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- 12:15-1:15 p.m.
- The June schedule includes:
- June 1 - Mystic Knights of the Sea (rhythm and blues)
 - June 2 - SPEX (rhythm and blues)
 - June 3 - Zeke Saunder's Blades of Grass (bluegrass)
 - June 4 - Phase Band (beach)
 - June 7 - Matt Kendrick Trio (jazz)
 - June 8 - Imani (reggae)
 - June 9 - Larry Davis Trio (variety)
 - June 10 - Doug Hylar (blues)
 - June 11 - Tri A La Froot (classical/modern)
 - June 14 - In the Black (jazz)

- June 21 - The Lee Highway Travelers (bluegrass)
 - June 22 - Breeze (jazz)
 - June 23 - Sunset Pass (cowboy music)
 - June 24 - Moment's Notice (variety)
 - June 25 - The Latem Band (rock)
 - June 28 - Livengood & Chaplin (country rock)
 - June 29 - Sweet Dreams (jazz)
 - June 30 - Pazazz Productions (variety/dance/drama)
- Super Saturdays for kids also continues in June with an exciting



Child artist Frenel Venant's work from the Paintbrush Diplomacy exhibit of the Smithsonian Institute.

mini-arts festival for kids scheduled in Winston Square Park on Saturday, June 19, at 10 a.m.

Geared for kindergartners through fifth graders, this event offers a chance for families to get together and participate in fun art activities. Super Saturday for Kids will feature Pat Stepney with African-American storytelling, the Sawtooth Center for Visual Art with a special art project, and SciWorks with a nature project.

Winston-Salem State University will be closed during the month of June.

However, after a brief "vacation" period, the Diggs Gallery will re-open with an incredible collection of new exhibitions in July. Beginning July 24 and running through Aug. 21, the Diggs Gallery will be hosting three unique exhibits. One show will feature recent works by Vandorn Hinnant titled "Space Summoning." In celebration of the National Black Theatre Festival, the Diggs Gallery will also be hosting

an exhibit featuring the works by Janet Dubois, an actress and painter, and Lavon Van Williams, the artist that designed the logo for the festival. The third show on exhibit as the gallery reopens will be a "Sites Exhibit" from the Smithsonian Institute in Washington titled "Paintbrush Diplomacy: Children's Art of the Americas."

Reggie Johnson is vice president of Community Outreach for the Arts Council of Winston-Salem and Forsyth County.



Youth of the local Jack and Jill chapter participate in a workshop.

Jack & Jill Teens Hold Informational Workshop

The Senior Teens of the Winston-Salem chapter of Jack and Jill held a "Teens and the 411: An Informational Workshop" recently at Winston-Salem State University.

The youth conducted the workshop with the assistance of Astor Y. Herrell and six speakers who spoke on a variety of subjects that relate to teens in their daily lives.

Speakers were Andrea Bush, a Winston-Salem/Forsyth County school guidance counselor, who spoke about "Teens and Their Future"; Deborah Winfrey, a psychologist, who spoke about "Teens and Their Relationships"; Willard Tanner and Alberta McMillan, Urban League Education Initiative professionals, who spoke about "Teens and Their Heritage"; Denise Hartsfield, an attorney, who spoke about "Teens and the Law"; Felicia McMillan, a Winston-Salem/Forsyth County teacher, who

spoke about "Teens and Their Creativity"; and Nat Irvin, a parent/child advocate, and wife, Chandra Irvin, a professional with B&C Communications Inc., who spoke about "Teens and Their Values."

The 65 youth interacted with presenters during the workshop and participated in group skits.

Jack and Jill of America Inc. is a non-profit, family organization founded in 1938. The local chapter was founded in 1951. The goals of the organization are to create a medium of contact for children to stimulate overall growth and development; provide constructive, educational, civic, cultural, recreational, and social programs; to aid mothers in their efforts to learn more about their children through careful study; and to seek for all children the same advantages they desire in their own.

Jones Receives Award

Martha G. Jones, Extension Nutrition Program assistant with the North Carolina Cooperative Extension Service, Forsyth County Center, received an Outstanding Performance Award at the State EFNEP Conference held recently in Raleigh. She was one of seven in North Carolina to receive the award for her work in the Expanded Foods and Nutrition Education Program, which helps young mothers on limited incomes to improve their nutritional status and stretch their food dollars by wise shopping habits.

Jones has worked for the

agency for 21 years. Because she knows the community so well, she has helped many families improve their living conditions as a result of key referrals and through her continuing encouragement. As a result of her work, hundreds of families in Forsyth County have improved their eating habits, reduced their risk of major diseases, and stretched their incomes to improve their quality of living.

For information about EFNEP or to learn how you can become involved, contact Martha Isenberg, Home Economics Extension agent, at 767-8213.



Martha G. Jones (left) receives an Outstanding Performance Award for her work with the North Carolina Cooperative Extension Service from Ngaire VanEck.

Wachovia Makes Grant

Wachovia Bank of North Carolina has made a \$500,000 commitment to the new School of Filmmaking at the North Carolina School of the Arts.

The grant will be used to assist the School of Filmmaking in start-

up operations.

In addition, the funds will be used to match a portion of a \$500,000 National Endowment for the Arts Challenge Grant that the school of the arts received earlier this spring.

Garden Club Holds Meeting

Flower Niche Garden Club held its monthly meeting May 15 at the home of Mary Warren.

The agenda included the reading of the last meeting's minutes; 4th District Garden Council meeting report; duties of club members during the upcoming May 29 flower show, "The Magic of Spring;" and the treasurer's report.

After a luncheon, Marion Wooten and Edythe Williams made two reports. Wooten discussed growing herb gardens in pots and cooking creatively with herbs. Williams, club president, discussed flower arranging by pattern and

design, using harmonious colors.

Louise McGhee will be the delegate to the state convention. Leola Sadler gave the Nominating Committee report.

The 1993-94 officers are: Williams, president; Eula Smith, vice president; Bessye Dobson, secretary; Bernice Davenport, assistant secretary and journalist; Grace Lowery, financial secretary; and Louise McGhee, treasurer.

Members who attended the meeting were Elsie McKoy, Mozella Williams, Lowery, Dobson and Davenport.

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