Mr. C's Shop Does More than Just Serve Ice Cream

By DELETTHIA SUMMEY Chronicle Staff Writer

Mr. C's Ice Cream and Soda Shop on New Walkertown Road is not only serving ice cream but has taken on the task of serving community youths, as well.

As young boys began showing their presence around the parlor, Clarence Millner, LaShanda Millner and Jackie Bates decided to lend a hand in teaching children a positive way of life.

This small idea has developed into a grand "Positive Attitude" community group for boys and girls, ages 6 to 15 years old. Although meetings are scheduled every Tuesday and Thursday, this 12-member organization goes beyond excess discussion and concentrates on taking action.

Based on their dedication, the youths are proud to be part of such a

"It was a good thing to join, because it keeps you out of the streets and stops you from doing bad things," said Terry Perry, an active member.

Thus far, the children have assisted in the grand opening of the shop by dressing as clowns, delivered brochures about their program to surrounding neighbors and had a car wash as a fund-raiser.

Now they are planning a dinner, where they will provide the groceries and the cooking.

In preparation for the upcoming school year, the organization plans to have a reading club, weekly spelling bees, poetry readings and a



Mr. C's community group during a meeting

line, using retired teachers. For fun, they look forward to a

program similar to a homework hot- back-to-school dance, train rides and fishing trips.

Community Briefs

Lt. Gov. Appoints Mayor Wood to Committee

Lt. Gov. Dennis Wicker has appointed Mayor Martha S. Wood to the North Carolina Housing Partnership. Wood will assist the Housing Partnership in developing a coordinated state policy for lowincome housing.

Wood's three-year term begins

▲ Year of the Cat

The Forsyth Humane Society is celebrating "The Year of the Cat" during the month of August. As a special promotion, the adoption fee for cats is reduced \$5 to \$40 for the entire month of August. The fee covers the cost of spaying or neutering the cat.

The Forsyth Humane Society is open Monday and Friday, 1-7 p.m., and Tue., Wed., Thursday and Saturday, 10 a.m. to 4 p.m.

▲ Money Available

The Winston-Salem/Forsyth County Coalition on Alcohol and Drug Problems announces the availability of seed money for alcohol and other drug abuse prevention projects within Forsyth County. Any neighborhood-based organization may apply.

The deadline for requesting an application is Aug. 31. Applications must be returned by Sept. 15. To request an application or for further information, call 723-3784.

A campaign rally in support of Joycelyn Johnson for East Ward alderman will be held on Aug. 21 from 2-4 p.m. at Mt. Zion Baptist Church, 950 File St. Meet the candidate and discuss plans for progress in the East Ward.

▲ Carowinds Trip

The William C. Sims and Martin Luther King recreation centers took 26 youths and four adults to Carowinds on July 31. The children enjoyed the rides and games. The two communities came together for fellowship.

Center supervisors are Ben Piggott and Bill English.

▲ Peace Rally

The Winston-Salem/Forsyth County Coalition on Alcohol & Drug Problems will hold a peace and unity rally until 8 p.m. on Aug. 13 at the Dixie Classic Fairground's Education Building. U.S. Attorney General Janet Reno will be the featured speaker. The event will include entertainment. There is no fee for admission.

The public is invited. For more information call Black Men and Women Against Crime at 773-0992 or the Winston-Salem/Forsyth County Coalition on Alcohol and Drug Problems at 723-3784.

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August

FRIDAY, AUGUST 13 4 p.m. - SciWorks, the Science Center and Environmental Park of Forsyth County will host Free Friday.

SATURDAY, AUGUST 14

11 a.m. - The Winston-Salem chapter of the A. Philip Randolph Institute will hold its annual membership drive, fish fry and voter registration drive in the parking lot of the East Winston Shopping Center. Call 724-2441.

SUNDAY, AUGUST 15 4:30 p.m. — The local chapter of the NAACP will hold its regular general membership meeting at the Ivy Arms Apartment clubhouse, 1115 Second St. The public is invited.

TUESDAY, AUGUST 17 1 p.m. — The Bee Hive Craft Shop, 1601 Mt. Zion Place, will host a flower arranging class.. The cost is \$2. Materials needed are flowers, containers, styrofoam and florist clay. Call 727-

8142 or 727-2505. 2 p.m. — The Executive Committee of the Forsyth County Tourism Development Authority will meet in the East conference room at the Chamber of Commerce.

7 p.m. — Auditions for the Little Theatre's production of Agatha Christie's "Witness for the Prosecution" will be held at the Hanes Community Center, 610 Coliseum Drive. There are roles for four women and 11 men. Performance dates are Sept. 24-26 and Oct. 3. Call 725-4001.

THURSDAY, AUGUST 19 6 p.m. — "Spice Up Your Life" in an Old Salem workshop, in which participants learn the

fascinating history of spices. The workshop will be held in the Single Brothers Workshop. In addition to the history, this workshop will explore how and where spices grow as well as some of their uses. The fee is \$10. To preregister (required), call 721-7300.

7 p.m. — The 14th Annual Mary Sloan Jones Fellowship Banquet for adults with disabilities will be held at the Benton Convention Center. The affair is free for persons with disabilities, \$10 for non-disabled persons and \$5 for senior citizens. Call 727-2505.

ONGOING

· Is the summer heat getting too warm? Are the tasks of budgeting, checkbook balancing, billpaying and health insurance filing burning you up? Let Senior Financial Care keep things cool by helping you with these matters. Call 725-1982 for an appointment. SFC is a United Way

 The Special Populations & Programs Unit of the Winston-Salem Recreation and Parks Department sponsors needlecraft classes at the Beehive, 1601 Mt. Zion Place, on Mondays from 10-11:30 a.m.; and the William Sims Center, 1201 Alder St., on Thursdays from 1:30-3 p.m. Classes are for senior adults. The fee is \$1.50. Call 727-2505.

UPCOMING

 The Special Populations & Programs Unit of the Winston-Salem Recreation and Parks Department will host the Carolinas Association Beepball Tournament Aug. 13-14 at Hines Park. Volunteers are needed to serve lunch both days and perform other duties to assist the visually

impaired softball players. Call 727-2505. · The Department of Women's Affairs of the Institute for Islamic Involvement Inc. will host its 2nd annual weekend camp for Muslim girls Aug. 21-22 at the YMCA Camp Hanes. The camp fee is \$50 per person; \$35 per person is three or more in one family. Preregistration fee is \$10. For details or registration call 748-0756 or 767-8252.

· Forsyth Humane Society has introduced a speaker's bureau to address school-aged children about the problem of overpopulation and responsible pet care. A volunteer training workshop will be held at the main branch of the Forsyth County library on Aug. 28 from 11 a.m. to 2 p.m. Those interested in speaking to children should call 721-1303 for more information.

 Consumer Credit Counseling Service of Forsyth County is offering the workshop "Finances in Separation and Divorce," Aug. 31, as part of its series concerning personal money control. Workshops are held in the boardroom of CCCS at 926 Brookstown Ave., from 6-8 p.m. Preregistration is required and should be completed at least one week in advance of the course date. A fee of \$10 will cover expenses and course materials. Refreshments will be served. For information or to register, call 725-1958.

. The Winston-Salem State University Class of 1953 will hold its reunion Oct. 8-9 at the Marque Hotel. For information call Donald Astwood (Fatz) at 914-934-5502 or send a post card including your name and address to Donald Astwood (Fatz), New York Life, 411 Theodore Fremd Avenue, Rye, N.Y. 10580.





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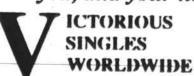
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