

"The Jesse Owens Story" To Air Nationally

Look forward to seeing the four hour, two-part major television event, "The Jesse Owens Story" to air nationally this July, prior to the 1984 Summer Olympics.

"The Jesse Owens Story" follows the life of this American folk hero from his incredible record-breaking college days through the 1936 Olympics to his battle with the United States courts.

Starring in the title role is Dorian Harewood, who plays Owens for a period of almost 40 years in the great athlete's life. Harewood is joined by a stellar cast including Tom Bosley, Ronny Cox, George Stanford Brown, LeVar Burton, Barry Corbin, Norman Fell, George Kennedy, Debbi Morgan, Ben Vereen and Vic Tayback.

"The Jesse Owens Story" is not just a screen biography. It is a great love story, a tale of a black man's fight to maintain his dignity in a racist world, a tale of a dramatic look at a very special athlete who was dedicated to a country and a society that had no place for him. Jesse's is the story of a human being who truly made a difference in this world.

WHO ARE THE DEBOLTS

What's so special about the Debolts? I guess you could consider them rather typical except for the fact that they have 19 kids. Thirteen of their kids were adopted and physically handicapped. What makes a couple take on this type of responsibility and have no regrets? Watch this award-winning documentary as narrator Henry Winkler (the Fonz on "Happy Days") talks about Dorothy and Robert and their 19 kids and find out. "Who Are the Debolts..." will air on channel 58, Saturday, June 9 at 9 p.m.

FRONTLINE

Three young American debaters go to Russia hoping to meet Soviet young people and in their

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own way try to improve communications between the two super powers. That's the topic "Frontline" delves into Monday, June 11 at 8 p.m. on channels 42 and 58. Can they succeed where American and Soviet experts and politicians have failed? LET THE GOOD TIMES ROLL

Let the good times roll with B.B. King on Wednesday, June 13. You'll not only get to hear his music, but attention will also be focused on his early life and times in Mississippi. B.B. King will perform some of his most popular songs and documentary

scenes of his life are all a part of the good times that is scheduled to air on channels 42 and 58, beginning at 10 p.m.

SHAKESPEARE FESTIVAL

Are you looking for a getaway that includes a taste of culture? Maybe the North Carolina Shakespeare Festival has the right dose of excitement that you are in search of. For the weekend of July 21 and 22 NCSF is sponsoring a weekend of theatre. For only \$49 you can spend a luxurious weekend in High Point at the new Radisson, enjoy the company of good friends, fine food and good



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PIANO RECITAL

Patricia Johnson, the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Gerald Johnson recently performed in a junior piano recital at the First Baptist Church. Miss Johnson, a rising seventh grader, has won superior rating in the National Piano Playing Auditions for the past four years. Her superior playing abilities has resulted in several awards and frequent invitations to play for various affairs.

SUMMERSTAGE '84

Uptown Charlotte kicked off its outdoor summer

celebration recently. These free noon-time programs are sponsored by the Central Charlotte Association, with NCB and WBTV, Trammel Crow and First Union National Bank. This summer's events will include a variety of acts ranging from concerts to a magic show to comedians.

WORKSHOP

Sydney Hibbert, 1983 Los Angeles Drama Critics

Award Actor,

Master-Teacher and Theatre Director will offer a workshop, "The Actor As Instrument" at the Hanes Community Center, June 11-15. Enrollment for the workshop is limited, with emphasis on individual participation. For more information call (919) 723-7907.

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RAIN OR SHINE

Mercy Nursing School To Hold Graduation

Fourteen students will be graduated in commencement ceremonies on June 8 from the Mercy Hospital School of Nursing.

The ceremony will be held at 7 p.m. in the Mercy Hospital Auditorium.

Dr. Donald Schumacher, a specialist in internal medicine with Casell Medical Associates in Charlotte, will be the keynote speaker.

In addition to being on the staffs at Mercy and Presbyterian hospitals, Dr. Schumacher is vice chairman of the Department of Internal Medicine at Mercy and a member of the board of directors of the Mercy Hospital Foundation, Inc.

A 1970 graduate of the

Bologna Medical School in Italy, Dr. Schumacher completed his residency at Georgetown University Hospital in Washington, D.C., before joining Caswell Medical Associates in 1975.

Mercy Hospital executive vice president Gregg Watters will preside over

the graduation ceremony as hospital president Sister Mary Jerome Spradley awards diplomas.

Special recognition will be given to the outstanding student; valedictorian; and students who have excelled in maternity, pediatrics, mental health, and medical-surgical nursing categories.

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