

Rape awareness week programs planned

By SCOTT GREIG
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The Carolina Union Human Relations Committee is helping to sponsor a series of upcoming programs April 7 through 10 designed to alert women on campus to the problems of rape and sexual assault.

Eleven other organizations, including RHA and Student Health Services, are involved in "Confronting Rape: A Week of Awareness and Education."

Linda Nettles of the Orange County Rape Crisis Center said she hopes the programs that she is involved in will de-mystify the issues of rape and sexual assault.

"The focus of our programs is on awareness building," Nettles said. "We're going to try and define a problem that the public has a hard time understanding."

Helping women understand the gray areas, especially in dealing with date and acquaintance rape, will hopefully protect them, Nettles said.

Peter Hatcher of the Union's Human Relations Committee said that although the program is aimed at women on or near the university campus, anyone may attend.

Hatcher said while he was not sure if anything of this nature had been done before, he was sure that "nothing on this scale" had ever been attempted.

Tim Fesperman, campus director of the Rape Assault Prevention Escort Service, said his organization would have a table set up in the Pit Monday through Thursday from 11 a.m. to 1 p.m. "We'll be out in the Pit to provide information about the service

and to answer any questions that people might have," Fesperman said.

The Tin Drum Theater Group begins the week with two theatrical presentations dealing with the myths, misconceptions and realities of rape and sexual assault. The presentations will take place in the Pit on Monday at noon and 12:40 p.m.

At 6:30 p.m. Monday, RHA and STOW Residence College will co-sponsor "Dealing with Rape and Sexual Assault" at Spencer dorm. The program will include representatives from Student Health Services, Chapel Hill police and the Orange County Rape Crisis Center.

The Panhellenic and Interfraternity Councils are providing programs for those in fraternities and sororities as well.

Wednesday at 8 p.m. a film and discussion about rape and rape culture, sponsored by the Chapel Hill Police Dept., will take place at the Delta Kappa Epsilon house, located at 132 South Columbia Street.

The Pi Beta Phi house at 102 Hillsborough Street will host a workshop on self-defense Thursday, April 10, at 3:30 p.m.

Hatcher said the topic of rape awareness would be discussed Wednesday at 11:30 p.m. on WXYC's Northern Hemisphere Live.

The focus of rape awareness week would be exemplified, Hatcher said, by a mock trial to be held in the Union's Great Hall Tuesday at 7:30 p.m.

Hatcher said the trial was designed to be the "showcase event" of the week-long awareness program.



'Ugly man' Don Courtney explains that looks aren't everything

APO sponsors charity auction

By LIZ SAYLOR
Staff Writer

How much would you pay for lunch with coach Dean E. Smith?

At Alpha Phi Omega's Campus Chest auction in Great Hall Thursday, the going rate was \$200.

Gary Dixon and Donna Mason, the "morning zoo" team for the 94Z WZZU radio station, were the auctioneers. Campus Chest, sponsored by the APO co-ed service fraternity, raised about \$7,400 for charity with the auction.

Dixon and Mason also announced the results of the Ugly Man on Campus contest. Don Courtney, last year's winner, won again. He made a plea to UNC women in his acceptance speech.

"(An ugly guy) ... won't fool around on you," Courtney said.

APO's Campus Chest has raised over \$77,000 since 1961, said chairman Chip Anderson, all of which is donated to local charities. This year the Campus Chest committee of students, faculty and community members chose to give to 12 charities.

Anderson said he had hoped to top their record of \$9,000 in 1971. Campus Chest had raised about \$5,400 going into the auction, Anderson said, and made about \$2,000 when the night was over.

About \$2,400 came from a bike auction APO held last year, Anderson said. The Housing Department donated the bikes, which were cut off campus bike racks over the past four years.

"The bike auction was a big

factor," Anderson said, but it didn't quite put them over their record.

The Ugly Man contest raised about \$300, most coming from donations to individual candidates.

"I've delegated lots of authority," Anderson said. "I've worked hard, but there's no way I can claim all the credit."

Local businesses donated many of the auction packages, and celebrities such as Johnny Carson and Mitch Kupchak donated personal items for the bidding.

One package that finally went for \$34 was the "N.C. State Special." Included was a Bud Light hat and Bud Beer light, two T-shirts and two 8-tracks of Ricky Skaggs and an autographed photograph of Sen. Jesse Helms.

A lifetime membership to the UNC Alumni Association, a \$300 value, went for \$115 after a long bidding scramble.

"Flower Power," which included a dozen roses, a silk flower arrangement and a \$20 gift certificate to a floral shop, went for \$70. Dixon said he was amazed at that bid.

The Campus Chest charities for 1985-86 are the Interfaith Council for Special Services, Orange County Social Olympics, Victory Village and Holmes day-care centers and ArtSchool's West End Project.

Proceeds also went to the Orange Senior Center, Carrboro Meet Your Neighbor Club, National Kidney Foundation, Boy Scouts of America, Girl Scouts, Planned Parenthood of Orange County and the Animal Protection Society.

N.C. Court of Appeals upholds contested reservoir construction

By VALERIE STEGALL
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A recent ruling by the N.C. Court of Appeals upheld a previous decision by a lower court affecting the construction of the proposed 760-acre Cane Creek Reservoir in Orange County.

The decision was prompted by the

action of the Orange Water and Sewer Authority to condemn two land parcels owned by Thomas Teer, a dairy farmer. OWASA already owns 48 of 50 parcels needed to construct the facility.

According to Patrick Davis, assistant to the executive director of OWASA, the Cane Creek Reservoir has been

under consideration since 1965, when the University was responsible for providing drinking water for the Chapel Hill community. OWASA was formed in 1977, and it inherited a chronic water shortage situation, with only University Lake in use as a reservoir.

"Currently the community uses


between 5 1/2 and 6 million gallons per day," Davis said. "University Lake provides 3 to 3 1/2 million gallons per day."

Davis also said that a water source needs to be developed that will store about three billion gallons, and Cane Creek will fulfill that need by providing about 10 million gallons per day to the community.

The issue of providing enough water for Orange County is particularly relevant considering the extremely dry conditions currently plaguing the area.

Questions about the legality of OWASA's claim to the two parcels of land started the court battle in 1983. Two previous decisions had confirmed the claim, but the possibility of further appeal to the N.C. Supreme Court remains open. The unanimous decision is not automatically appealed.

If there is no further delay by court action, construction may begin on the extensive project sometime in early 1987, according to Davis. Opponents of the project include Teer and the Cane Creek Conservation Authority.



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