

Community Calendar

Commissioners To Meet

The Madison County Board of Commissioners will hold a special meeting at 1 p.m. Monday in the Madison County Courthouse.

School Registration Set

Pre-school registration for kindergarten and first grade students in Madison County will be held Monday at Laurel and next Thursday at Marshall Primary and Walnut. Registration will be held between 9 a.m. and noon.

CPR Classes To Be Held

The American Red Cross will hold cardio-pulmonary resuscitation classes at the Weaverville Fire Station from 6 p.m. to 10 p.m. Tuesday and 6 p.m. to 10 p.m. next Thursday.

Genealogical Society

The Old Buncombe County Genealogical Society will conduct a mini-workshop for beginners in genealogy on "How to Fill Out a Pedigree (or Lineage) Chart." The workshop will begin at 12:30 p.m. Saturday night at the Society office in the Miles Building on Wall Street in Asheville. A fee of \$1 will be charged. The monthly General Meeting of the Society will be held at 2 p.m. on Saturday at Lord Auditorium in Pack Memorial Library. Marie McClure, librarian of the Church of Jesus Christ of the Latter Day Saints Genealogical Library, will present a program on census records, including an LDS-produced video tape.

Games To Benefit Fender Family

The Marshall and Walnut boosters clubs will sponsor three benefit basketball games on Saturday night beginning at 6 p.m. at the Marshall Elementary gym. Proceeds will benefit the family of the late Benji Fender, a 9-year-old boy who died last week of cystic-fibrosis. The Spring Creek ladies will play the Walnut ladies followed by Red Oak ladies vs. the Marshall ladies. The Marshall men will challenge the Red Oak men. There will also be cake walks and cake auctions. Donations will be appreciated.

Library Moves Deposit Box

The Madison County Public Library deposit box, originally located at Brigman's Store in Walnut, is now located at Walnut Cash and Carry. The library windows are currently displaying baskets by Treasure Frisby and Elizabeth Clark and silk flowers, quilts and roses by Neva R. Ray and Lucille Greene.

GOP Convention Saturday

The Madison County Republican Convention will be held Saturday beginning at 4 p.m. at Madison High School. Lincoln Day dinner will be served. Everyone is invited to attend.

Mars Hill Group Sets Meeting

The Mars Hill Group (Alcoholics Anonymous) meets every Thursday at the Mars Hill Methodist Church at 8 p.m. Anyone with a problem related to alcohol may attend. There are no dues or fees. Information may be obtained by calling Doug at 689-2941 or Barbara at 689-2970.

Turkey Dinner Sponsored

The Ladies Auxiliary of Post 317 will sponsor a turkey dinner on March 29 beginning at noon at the Marshall Elementary School lunchroom. Proceeds from the dinner will be used for the needy and Christmas for Kids program. The price will be \$4 for adults and \$2 for children.

Applications Accepted

Applications for distribution clerk are being accepted through Friday at the U.S. Post Office general mail facility in Asheville.

Marshall Merchants To Meet

The Marshall Merchants Association will meet tonight at 7 p.m. at the Madison County Public Library to discuss their membership drive and dues, promotional map and formation of a county-wide Chamber of Commerce.

Tobacco Meeting Tuesday

The annual tobacco education meeting will be held in the Madison High School cafeteria on Tuesday beginning at 7 p.m. This meeting, sponsored by the Agricultural Extension Service, will feature representatives from ASCS, SCS and FmHA to help answer questions concerning the "Sodbuster" provision of the 1985 Food and Security Act. All interested persons are invited to attend. Refreshments will be served.

Cleanup Day Planned

The Upper Laurel community will sponsor a communitywide cleanup day March 23. The community will also have a covered dish dinner on March 23 at 1 p.m. in the community center.

LIFE Program Sponsors New England Trip

Mars Hill College's Learning Institute for Elders (LIFE) will sponsor a trip through Colonial New England this fall during the height of the fall color season, Oct. 4-14.

Dr. Evelyn Underwood, former chairman of the college's history department, will be the tour leader as the group visits Mystic Harbor, Boston, Lexington, Concord, Salem,

Newport, Sturbridge Village, Deerfield, Bennington Museum, Tanglewood, Lennox and Stockbridge.

On the return, the tour will stop in Philadelphia to participate in ceremonies surrounding the 200th anniversary celebration of the U.S. Constitution. Excursions to New York Ci-

ty and other areas are also planned. Total cost for the trip will differ depending on the number of people occupying the hotel rooms. This ranges from \$785 for four people to a room to \$999 for single occupancy. The cost covers deluxe motorcoach transportation by Young Motor Lines, 10 nights lodging, baggage handling, all admission fees, 10 lunches and one dinner, escorts on the motorcoach and tour guides while in

New England and refreshments throughout the tour on board the motorcoach.

Because of the interest in the trip, a deadline of May 1 has been established. Reservations will be taken on a first-come, first-served basis.

Those interested in the trip should send a \$50 deposit to The Center for Continuing Education, Mars Hill College, Mars Hill, N.C. 28754, telephone 689-1166.

Community Groups Begin Campaign Against Littering

By EMMA LOU WAMBLES
The Council of Madison County Community Development Organizations recently adopted a resolution as part of an anti-litter campaign being waged by its members.

The group plans to enlist the support of the Madison County Board of Commissioners, the sheriff's department, the N.C. Highway Patrol and other local organizations in the effort to clean up county roadsides, streams and communities.

The council approved the resolution at a meeting earlier this month at the Marshall Senior Citizens Center.

Seventeen members of the group were present.

Ruth Gregory of Marshall offered the resolution for the council's consideration.

In other action, Extension Director Earl Wise announced that community development clubs from the county will receive awards in Raleigh on Monday.

BBB Board Fills Vacancies

The Board of Directors of the Better Business Bureau of Asheville/Western North Carolina has elected officers to fill vacancies created by the resignation of the previously elected chairman.

Leonard F. Clayton, senior vice president of First Citizens Bank, will serve as chairman of the board in 1987. Charles Pine, vice president and general manager of Belk, will fill the post of vice chairman.

Richard B. Wynne had resigned as chairman due to an assignment outside of Asheville. He had served on the Board of Directors since the organization's founding in 1971 and had served in the position of chairman in 1976.

James B. Banks, president and publisher, Asheville-Citizen Publishing Company, has been appointed to fill the unexpired term of Wynne as a director.

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