Calendar Of Events

Thursday, March 18

COAST TOASTERS TOASTMASTERS meet today at the South Brunswick Islands Chamber of Commerce building, Shallotte, 7 a.m.-8 a.m. Visitors welcome. Call Don or Susan Eggert, 754-5082, after 5:30 p.m.

THE CLOTHES CLOSET, which offers free clothing to needy families, is open to receive donations of good, used clothing every Thursday, 9 a.m.-noon, old Sunnyside School building, corner of Main Street and N.C. 130 West, Shallotte. Call Ginny Waples, 754-6275.

HOLDEN BEACH SENIOR CITIZENS meet every Thursday for Mature Movement, exercise for older adults, Lockwood Folly Community Building, Stanbury Road, Supply, 9 a.m.-10 a.m. A crafts class also meets each Thursday at 1 p.m.

WINDY POINT WOODCARVING CLUB meets third Thursday of every month, 9 a.m.-3:30 p.m. Call Ralston Smith, 842-2315.

SUNSET BEACH TOWN COUNCIL AND PLANNING BOARD hold a work session to discuss zoning of Bird Island, at town hall, 10 a.m.

CALABASH VOLUNTEER FIRE DEPARTMENT LADIES AUXIL-IARY meets at the Calabash Fire Station, Persimmon Road, 10 a.m Open to all women who live in the fire district.

ALCOHOLICS ANONYMOUS holds a closed discussion meeting at the AA Building, Grissettown, every Thursday at noon.

HOSPICE SUPPORT GROUP meets at The Brunswick Hospital, Supply, 2 p.m.-3:30 p.m.

BETTHER BREATHERS CLUB meets in the classroom, Grand Strand General Hospital, Myrtle Beach, S.C., 2 p.m.-3 p.m. Free and open to those who suffer from respiratory ailments or have special respiratory

A FOOD PANTRY is open at Farmers Chapel Baptist Church, Maco, every Thursday for those in need of food, 4 p.m. 6 p.m. For more information call the church, 1-919-655-2937.

A FOOD PANTRY is open at Peace Memorial Baptist Church, Winnabow, every Thursday for those in need of food, 6 p.m.-7 p.m. For more information call Omage Sullivan, 253-5255.

GENERAL CLINIC HOURS are extended the first Thursday of the month at the Brunswick County Health Department, Government Center, Bolivia, to provide child immunizations. There is no charge for the service and no appointment is needed, 10:30 a.m.-7 p.m. Call the department at 253-4981 for more information.

ADDICTS ANONYMOUS meets at Serenity By The Sea Bookstore, Resort Plaza, Shallotte, 7 p.m.-8 p.m. Open to all 12-step programs. Call Janie Floyd, 754-2132

SHALLOTTE LIONS CLUB meets at Joe's Barbecue, Shallotte, 7 p.m. For information call Don Eggert, 754-5082.

DAV CAPE FEAR CHAPTER 78 meets at the chapter home, 113 n. Rhett St., Southport, 7:30 p.m.

BINGO is open to the public at Calabash VFW Post No. 7288, 7:30 p.m. ALCOHOLICS ANONYMOUS holds an open discussion meeting at the

AA Building, Grissettown, every Thursday, 8 p.m. THE SOUTHPORT-OAK ISLAND GROUP of Alcoholics Anonymous

meets in open session, St. Philip's Episcopal Church, Southport, 8 p.m. ALCOHOLICS ANONYMOUS FISHERMAN'S GROUP holds a closed meeting for people who have a problem with alcohol, St. James Episcopal Church, Shallotte, 8 p.m.

Friday, March 19

ROTARY CLUB of South Brunswick Islands meets Fridays at Sandpiper Bay Golf & Country Club, Old Georgetown Road, Calabash, 7:30 a.m. Visiting Rotarians are welcome.

USDA COMMODITIES will be distributed by the Volunteer and Information Center to qualified households, Brunswick County Republican Headquarters, U.S. 17 Business north of Supply, 9 a.m.-3:30 p.m. Call VIC, 754-4766 for information.

MYRTLE BEACH CHARITY BRIDGE ASSOCIATION meets every Friday, Derbster's Restaurant, Calabash, 10 a.m. For more information, call Jim Ballou, 579-7195. Beginners welcome.

CALABASH EXTENSION HOMEMAKES CLUB meets at the Calabach Fire Station, Persimmon Road, 10 a.m.

PRESCHOOL STORYTIME will be held today at the Leland Library,

SHALLOTTE WHEEL AND DEALERS western square dance club dances every Friday night at Shallotte Middle School. For more information, call Charlie Holden, 754-6014. COVERED DISH DINNER for residents of the Shallotte Point fire dis-

trict is planned at the fire station, 7 p.m. Participants are asked to bring a vegetable, salad or dessert. THE MIDWAY GROUP of Alcoholics Anonymous meets for open discus-

sion at Town Creek Park, U.S. 17, Winnabow, 8 p.m. ALCOHOLICS ANONYMOUS holds a closed meeting for persons who have a problem with alcohol, AA Building, Grissettown, 8 p.m.

SHALLOTTE AL-ANON FAMILY GROUP, a support group for families of alcoholics, meets at Camp United Methodist Church, Shallotte, 8 p.m. NARCOTICS ANONYMOUS meets at St. Peter's Lutheran Church, N.C. 211, Southport, offering a 12-point program to help addicts overcome their desire to use drugs and fellowship among recovering addicts, 8 p.m.

THE SOUTHPORT-OAK ISLAND GROUP of Alcoholics Anonymous holds a closed meeting at Ocean View United Methodist Church, Yaupon Beach, 10 p.m.

Saturday, March 20

Call 1-919-762-6638 for more information.

A BASIC PUMP OPERATIONS class will be conducted by instructor Curtis Todd at Tri-Beach Volunteer Fire Department, Sabbath Home

Road, 8 a.m. USDA COMMODITIES will be distributed by the Volunteer and Information Center to qualified households, Brunswick County Republican Headquarters, U.S. 17 Business north of Supply, 8:30 a.m. until gone. Call VIC, 754-4766 for information.

BLOOD DRIVE will be held by the American Red Cross and the Calabash Elks Lodge, at the Elks Lodge, Calabash, 9 a.m.-1 p.m. CALABASH VOLUNTEER EMS THRIFT SHOP, located beside the

squad building on N.C. 179, Calabash, is open 9 a.m.-4 p.m. THE CLOTHES CLOSET, sponsored by the South Brunswick Interchurch Council, opens every Saturday at old Sunnyside School, N.C. 130 West and Main Street, Shallotte, 9 a.m.-noon. Offers good, clean clothing to

families in need. COASTAL DOLL COLLECTORS CLUB OF SOUTH CAROLINA holds its annual doll show and sale today and Sunday, featuring more than 200 tables of dolls and related items, plus four four demonstrations, Exhibition Hall, Myrtle Beach Convention Center, 10 a.m.-5 p.m. Admission is \$3 one day or \$4 two days, adult, and \$1 children ages 6-12. Call Virginia Brandt, 1-803-272-4328 for information.

BINGO is played every Saturday at the Calabash fire station, Persimmon Road. Doors open at 7:30 p.m.; play begins at 8 p.m.

ALCOHOLICS ANONYMOUS holds a closed discussion meeting at the AA Building, Grissettown, 8 p.m.

OPEN MEETING of the Supply non-smokers' group of Alcoholics Anonymous, for alcoholics and others interested in the disease, dining

room, The Brunswick Hospital, Supply, 8 p.m. THE KEEP IT SIMPLE GROUP of Alcoholics Anonymous holds a closed discussion at the AA Building, Long Beach, 8 p.m.

Sunday, March 21

COASTAL DOLL COLLECTORS CLUB OF SOUTH CAROLINA annual doll show and sale continues today, featuring more than 200 tables of dolls and related items, plus four four demonstrations, Exhibition Hall, Myrtle Beach Convention Center, 10 a.m.-5 p.m. Admission is \$3 one day or \$4 two days, adult, and \$1 children ages 6-12. Call Virginia Brandt, 1-803-272-4328, for information.

THE SOUTHPORT-OAK ISLAND GROUP of Alcoholics Anonymous meets at St. Philip's Episcopal Church in open session, 8 p.m.

ALCOHOLICS ANONYMOUS holds an open meeting with a speaker, AA Building, Grissettown, 8 p.m.

Monday, March 22

OVEREATERS ANONYMOUS meets every Monday at Seaside United Methodist Church, N.C. 904, Seaside, 5 p.m. For information call 754-

BRUNSWICK COUNTY BOARD OF SOCIAL SERVICES meets in the Social Services Department conference room, DSS Building, Government Center, Bolivia, 5:30 p.m.

BRUNSWICK SOIL AND WATER CONSERVATION Board of Directors meets in the Agriculture Building, Government Center, Bolivia, 7 p.m. CALABASH PLANNING BOARD holds a workshop at the town hall, 7

CALABASH AMERICAN LEGION POST NO. 503 meets at the Calabash VFW Building, Traders Village, Calabash, 7:30 p.m. Call Richard

Lanahan, 579-2598 SHALLOTTE AMERICAN LEGION POST NO. 247 meets at the post home, South Main Street, Shallotte, 7:30 p.m. Call Bill Alexander, 754-

THE SOUTHPORT-OAK ISLAND GROUP of Alcoholics Anonymous meets at St. Philip's Episcopal Church, Southport, in open session, 8 p.m. ALCOHOLICS ANONYMOUS holds a closed discussion meeting for those who have a problem with alcohol, AA Building, Grissettown, 8 p.m.

Tuesday, March 23

HOLDEN BEACH SENIOR CITIZENS meet each Tuesday for Mature Movement, exercises for older adults, Lockwood Folly Community Building, Stanbury Road, Supply, 9 a.m.-10 a.m.

PRESCHOOL STORYTIME is held at the West Brunswick Branch Library, Main Street, Shallotte, 10 a.m. and 11 a.m.

WOMEN'S SUPPORT GROUP meets weekly at Serenity by the Sea Bookstore, Resort Plaza, Shallotte, 11 a.m.-12 noon. Call Janie Floyd at 754-2132 for more information.

ALCOHOLICS ANONYMOUS holds a closed discussion meeting at the AA Building, Grissettown, noon.

CALABASH COMMISSIONERS meet at the town hall, 7 p.m. THE HEAD INJURY SUPPORT GROUP meets at Dosher Memorial

Hospital, Southport, 7 p.m. Call Beth Conrad, 1-919-457-5271, Ext. 375. OVEREATERS ANONYMOUS meets every Tuesday at the Hope Harbor Home's Women's Resource Center, 7 p.m. Call Cathy Swaim or Laurie Webb for information, 754-5726.

CODEPENDENTS ANONYMOUS (CODA) meets every Tuesday at Serenity By the Sea Bookstore, Resort Plaza, Shallotte, 7 p.m.-8 p.m. Al-Anon members welcome. Contact Janie Floyd, 754-2132

THE BRUNSWICK CONCERT BAND rehearses every Tuesday, Trinity United Methodist Church, Southport, 7 p.m. For more information contact Donna Massingale, 842-3233, after 6:30 p.m.

SHALLOTTE LADIES BARBERSHOP CHORUS rehearses every Tuesday at Camp United Methodist Church, Main Street, Shallotte, 7:30 p.m. New members welcome. Contact Belinda Formyduval, 754-5372

BINGO at Calabash Elks Lodge is open to the public every Tuesday, 7:30

ALCOHOLICS ANONYMOUS holds an open discussion meeting for beginners, at the AA Building, Grissettown, 8 p.m.

THE MIDWAY GROUP of Alcoholics Anonymous holds an open, nonsmokers' meeting, Sabbath Home Baptist Church, Holden Beach, 8 p.m.

Wednesday, March 24

BRUNSWICK TOASTMASTERS CLUB meets every Wednesday at Sea Captain Restaurant, West Street, Southport, 7 a.m.-8 a.m. Call Dave Dorsett, 457-5493, for more information. Guests welcome.

PRESCHOOL STORYTIME is held at the Southport Library, 10 a.m. STROKE SUPPORT GROUP meets in the classroom, Grand Strand General Hospital, Myrtle Beach, S.C., 3:30 p.m.-5 p.m. Open to persons who have suffered a stroke and their relatives and/or caregivers. Call Bob

Clancy, 1-803-249-6134. HOLDEN BEACH COMMISSIONERS meet at the town hall, 7 p.m.

SUNSET BEACH CITIZENS ADVISORY PANEL meets at the town hall, 7 p.m. The panel is considering the proposed regional wastewater treatment system.

NEWCOMERS CLUB OF SOUTH BRUNSWICK BRIDGE GROUP meets in the dining room, The Brunswick Hospital, U.S. 17, Supply, 7 p.m. All members and recently arrived area residents are invited. Contact Agusta Mylroie, 579-9410.

ALCOHOLICS ANONYMOUS holds a closed meeting for persons who have a problem with alcohol, AA Building, Grissettown, 8 p.m.

NARCOTICS ANONYMOUS, a 12-step program to help addicts overcome the desire to use drugs and to provide fellowship with recovering addicts, meets at St. Peter's Lutheran Church, N.C. 211, Southport, 8 p.m.



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