

Show Celebrates Multi-Cultural Heritage

"All Together Now," billed as multi-cultural experience, will bring to Brunswick County audiences on April 29 the nostalgia of Appalachian storytelling with the music and dance of the Cherokee Indian and the African, and more, wrapped in poetry.

Two one-hour and 15-minute shows are scheduled by the nonprofit organization Catch the Spirit of Appalachia. Both will be presented in the Odell Williamson Auditorium at Brunswick Community College, the first at 12:30 p.m., and the second at 7:30 p.m.

Shows are free to the public, with reservations required. The shows have been underwritten by BCC through state community service funds.

"We're trying to increase awareness that we are multicultural here at Brunswick Community College," said Velva Jenkins, associate dean of continuing education and a member of the college's cultural diversity team.

"We're real excited about the program. It's different from what we're used to on this campus."

Amy Garza, an Appalachian novelist and storyteller, begins the program with stories such as "The Banjer and the Old Holler Log," told by her mountain family. She is accompanied by visual artist Doreyl

Ammons, Daniel and George Pheasant, in full Cherokee ceremonial garb, dance to the rhythms of their forefathers. Then the Latin music of the Ozzie Orenge Percussionists engulfs the stage. To end the show, Kamuina Badimu of the Baliba tribe of Africa, presents ancient tribal dances and drumming.

"The Tree of Life," poetry by Thomas Rain Crowe closes the production which was created and is directed by Doreyl Ammons, co-founder of Catch the Spirit of Ap-

palachia.

Approximately 1,200 school children, many from surrounding counties, already have reservations for

the afternoon performance.

Reservations are still available for both shows by calling the college at 754-6900 or 754-3133, Ext. 383.

Yard Sale Benefits Homecare Efforts

The Foundation for Homecare will hold a yard sale May 7 and 8 from 8 a.m. until noon at Comprehensive Home Health Care, 1120 Ocean Highway West, Supply.

The foundation is a nonprofit organization that assists with home-

bound patients in southeastern North Carolina with the costs of durable medical goods, drugs and other needs. For more information, call 754-8133.



A CEREMONIAL DANCE of the Cherokee Nation is just one element of "All Together Now," a cultural extravaganza that celebrates cultural diversity and human connectedness.

Local Students To Participate In Regional Engineering Bowl

Brunswick County students will be among 400 gathering at East Columbus High School Saturday to compete in an engineering jamboree.

The annual event is sponsored by the Region O Council for the Advancement of Minorities in Engineering (ROCAME).

Student teams from 16 middle schools and 13 high schools from Brunswick, Columbus, New Hanover and Pender counties will compete in 11 engineering events and a Quiz Bowl. The events are run by engineers from local industries in-

cluding Carolina Power and Light, General Electric, Cape Industries, Corning and the U.S. Army Corps of Engineers.

Other sponsors include Federal Paper Board, Dupont and the N.C. Science and Mathematics Alliance at UNCW.

First-, second- and third-place medals will be awarded for each event, and a county trophy will be awarded based on cumulative scores.

U.S. Rep. Eva Clayton will assist in the awards presentation, scheduled from 4 until 4:30 p.m.

Child First Aid Training Slated

A four-hour workshop on infant and child first aid child care training will be offered May 10 and 12 by the Brunswick County Cooperative Extension Service office.

Sessions will be held from 6:30 p.m. to 10:30 p.m. each day in the Agriculture Building at the Brunswick County Government Center in Bolivia.

The course does not cover infant and child cardiopulmonary resuscitation, said Pearl W. Stanley, a county home economics extension agent.

May 3 is the deadline for payment of the registration fee. The cost is \$12 per person. The fee is only \$6.75 for anyone who has attended other health and safety units and have the workbook.

The training session is limited to

12 persons unless special arrangements are made.

Checks should be made payable to County of Brunswick and mailed to Pearl W. Stanley, Home Economics Extension Agent, P.O. Box 109, Bolivia, N.C. 28422.

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