Club offers a new'flavor'

By Tracy Fagan Staff Writer

Music lovers can indulge themselves in a new flavor of entertainment. It's "45 Cherry," the new live music club opening in downtown Asheville this week.

The club, which will offer a variety of live "non-top 40" music, is named for its location on Cherry Street. It's an attempt to fill the void for alternative music here in live Asheville, according to Frank Grabosky, a spokesman for the club. Asheville. The club will offer a of variety booked entertainment

several through agencies in Charlotte, N.C., said Grabosky. He a second band on Friday drinking age, added said offering live music will be the main said Grabosky. goal of the club, so special gimmick nights building as newly re-Will not be a part of modeled their appeal.

tones," "Cruis-o-matic" area away from the and a local band, stage, which should "Crimes of Fashior " help in channeling bar said Grabosky.

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one band on Wednesday said Grabosky. and Thursday nights and

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He described the and spacious with booths and small Some acts scheduled cocktail tables. It to appear in the near includes a long bar in future are "The Sponge- the back of the main traffic away from the "The Killer Whales" on The names of these performing and dancing Nov. 5 and 6.

frequented the now ex- gameroom with pool tab-Hall, the only other which is far enough club in Asheville to from the stage area for offer 'alternative live conversation, he said. Additionally, the 45 Cherry will fea- building has an outside ture reggae at least porch area which will once a month and offer be renovated next live music Thursday spring for the seasonal through Saturday, with activities of the club,

State law allows only private clubs to serve alcohol, so there is a one-time membership fee of \$10. Cover charges will range from \$3 to \$5 depending on the band appearing that night, he said. Unfortunately for those under 21, the club is off limits due to the recent raising of the

And because the club does not want to encourage those who are under age to attempt to get in illegally, there will be no student discount offerings, he said.

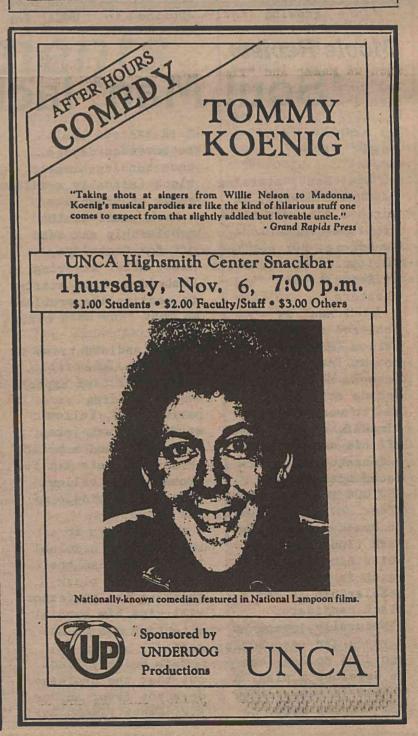
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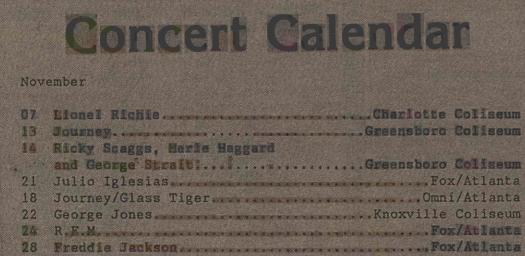


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That's Entertainment

UNCA students participate in an out-door skit last Thursday in front of Ramsey Library. The Drama Department presented the performance.





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