

BOOKS AND FOOD

A new group, called Booktalk, to do exactly that, is being organized for regular meetings on the second Wednesday each month at the homes of interested faculty and staff.

There will be a presentation and discussion about one or more books at each meeting.

The first meeting will be Wednesday, Oct. 10, at 8 p.m. at the home of Marie Devine. The discussion by Dr. Alison Burford will be "Eating in the Past," a tasteful sampling of recipes, customs and eating habits from Roman times to the past century.

Twentieth Century refreshments will be served.

Booktalk will be open to all UNC-A administration, faculty, staff and their spouses. Future subjects include "The Tao of Physics" and "Philoprogenitive Polymath: A Look at Erasmus Darwin."

Anyone interested in joining such evenings of convivial conversation or suggesting topics for talk should contact Alison Burford, Marie Devine, Dot Sulock, Ileana Grams or Diane Hendrix.

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'Lighthearted' Lecture For URA Forum

URA Science Forum. URA High School Day. URA field trips. URA book sale. URA tutoring. URA research. URA picnic. URA meeting.

You are a-meeting for many reasons, it seems, but what is this URA that keeps turning up? It is the Undergraduate Research Association, one of the most active groups on campus and organizing again this year.

URA tries to promote the sciences and students at UNC-A in many ways. There are activities for the general public and science-tasters. There are activities for advanced science majors wanting research or career planning. Somewhere within the spectrum there should be a niche for anyone interested in the sciences. Membership is free and open to all, but anyone can participate without being a member.

Dr. John Stevens of the Chemistry Department came up with the idea several years ago and has led it with much assistance from his wife Ginny. President this year is Beth Firnschild, senior biology major also working with

NAME YOUR MAJOR NOW

Juniors and seniors who have not officially declared majors should do it immediately. Ask the chairman of the department of your chosen major to complete a Major Declaration form. Graduation check sheets will be distributed on Oct. 18 and 19 with the Term 2 class admit cards to **STUDENTS WHO DECLARE MAJORS BY OCT. 8.**

FLU SHOTS

Trivalent flu vaccine, for protection against the three most common types of influenza virus, will be offered at the infirmary from Sept. 19 until Christmas vacation.

The vaccine will only be administered during the hours when the campus physician is at the infirmary, from 8:30-9 a.m., Monday, Wednesday and Friday; from 1-1:30 p.m. Tuesday and 2-2:30 Thursday.

If you were immunized in 1978, only one injection is required. If you were not, two injections one month apart are required for adequate protection.

Physicians do not recommend flu immunization except for people over 60 or individuals who have health problems that would be aggravated by the illness.

Any person who requests the vaccine may have it for a charge of \$2 per shot, payable when received.

the Mossbauer physics/chemistry program. After the initial meeting in September she announced the plans for the year.

Top priority again this year is the Science Forum, a weekly series of speakers aimed at the general public. A non-technical lecture for little more than half an hour is intended to lead a mixed audience of freshmen, seniors, townspeople and faculty to begin asking questions. Questions and discussion continue through that hour and beyond, over coffee and home-baked pastries. Sample topics from last year include a tribute to Albert Einstein, revitalization of downtown Asheville, computer modeling of pollution in the North Sea and how mathematicians win at Monopoly.

This year the Science Forum series begins lightheartedly on Oct. 11 with Dr. Mike Ruiz on "Light: A Light Lecture." As with all Science Forums this is Thursday at 1 p.m. in RS 122. Everyone is invited.

CHAMBER MUSIC LOVERS MAKE NOTE OF THIS

Chamber music lovers will have the first course of their yearly feast when the Quintetto Boccherini plays in Lipinsky Auditorium at 8 p.m. Oct. 17.

The concert is the first of four scheduled for the Chamber Music Series, which was started in Asheville 28 years ago.

All concerts are free to students from any school, regardless of age. This admission policy is made possible through the organization's student fund, financed by contributions from individuals and corporate donors. The concerts are also supported by the University's committee on special programs and cultural events.

Regular season memberships are \$18 each. Sustaining memberships are \$50 and Patron memberships \$100. Contributions to the student fund are welcomed, a Chamber Music spokesman said.

All concerts in the series begin at 8 p.m. Checks for memberships (made to The Chamber Music Series) may be given to Dr. Phillip Walker in the History and Classics Department or Mrs. Lutrelle Wishart in the Literature and Language Department. They may also be mailed to: Chamber Music Series, 1 Hillcrest Rd., Asheville, N.C., 28804.

The following concerts this season will be played by the Vermeer Quartet on Saturday, Feb. 2, the Sydney Quintet on Saturday, Mar. 2, and the Sylvan Wind Quintet on Wednesday, April 30.

STUDENT I.D.s

The Learning Resources Center will make student I.D. pictures only during the following hours: Monday, Tuesday and Thursday from 5 p.m. to 6 p.m.; Wednesday from 2 p.m. to 6 p.m.

HISTORY ASSOCIATION

The UNC-A History Association will meet at the home of Dr. Milton Ready, 1 Greystone Drive at 8 p.m. Friday, October 12. Officers for 1979-80 will be elected and projects and events for the year will be discussed.

The History Association is separate and distinct from Phi Alpha Theta. There are no academic standards to meet. It exists to promote social and cultural events for all students, instructors, and alumni who are interested in history. All are welcome and cordially invited to attend.