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FROM THE AQUARIUM

The Aquarium will be closed on Christmas Day and New Years Day but they have many interesting events scheduled for other days. Watch the papers and the bulletin boards at the Town Hall and the Aquarium for the listings. They have field trips, workshops, films and slide programs.

Regularly scheduled events include:

Behind-the-Scenes Tour

Learn about the operations of the Aquarium and investigate the behavior of sea turtles, moray eels and mullet in this informative tour. A tour is scheduled each Friday at 11:00 a.m. Pre-registration required. Limit 15. For more information call [919] 247-4003.

Behind-the-Glass

On selected days at 10:00 a.m. [Thursday, Saturday] an aquarium inhabitant is brought to your attention behind-the-glass. Following this informal program the particular animal will be fed. Informal yet informative.

Boque Banks Library Storytime

Wednesdays at 10:00 a.m. the Aquarium co-sponsors a storytime in the auditorium. Interested parents and children may contact the library for more information at [919] 247-4660.

Small Fry

This nature program with a marine emphasis is open to pre-schoolers [ages 4-6]. Field excursions and indoor fun will open your youngster's eyes to the world outdoors. Pre-registration is required. December 8 and 22 at 10:00 a.m.

Close Encounters

Touch and feel the spines of a purple urchin, look into the mouth of a seastar as the Aquarium brings out the gentle touchable animals. December 13, 29, at 4:00 p.m.

A variety of programs and activities are available for interested Aquarium visitors to enjoy. Films, field trips and workshops occur throughout the winter. For more information, please see the Calendar of Events, Winter 1988-89.

JANUARY BIRTHDAY PARTY NOTICE

Remember last January - the good time we had at our Birthday party? Well, we're going to do it again on January 25th. Call either Ruth Smith, 247-6474 or Lily Zaminer 247-6005 after the Holidays for more information.

PKS FOOD CO-OP

The next order day for the Food Co-op will be <u>Tuesday</u>, January 24 with delivery February 10.