

# Ticket Sales Begin For The 2000-2001 Performing Arts Series

The Children's Museum of Iredell County will begin ticket sales for the 2000-2001 Performing Arts Series Monday, Sept. 11. Last year's series was attended by over 6500! This year a sixth production has been included.

The Tarradiddle Players will perform "The Prince and the Pauper", Nov. 2. This Charlotte theatre troupe is consistently sold out. This year's performance will allow the audience to learn what it is to "live in someone else's shoes."

Arts, Theatre IV too has established a tradition of excellent, well attended performances.

"Santa's Christmas Miracle" is a heart-warming holiday musical filled with music, dance and old-fashioned holiday good cheer.

"A Woman Named Truth" is based on the life of Sojourner Truth. Two amazing women shared center stage in the 19th century American history.

StageWorks Theatre will present "The Wind in the Willows" on Jan. 18. Come join in the wild adventures of Ratty, Mole and Mr. Badger and the ever irrepressible Mr. Toad!

The series will close with "Lazer Vaudeville" performed by Lazer Vaudeville on Mar. 1. Lazer Vaudeville will be making their first visit to the Carolinas. The full length theater performance brings old fashioned vaudeville entertainment to

the TV generation.

Performances will be at MacGray Auditorium, Statesville High School, at 7 p.m. except for "The Prince and the Pauper." This performance will be held at Mooresville High School in the auditorium at 7 p.m. Tickets are \$5.00 for the general public and \$3.75 for Museum members. Call 872-7508 for more information.

The Grey Seal Puppets will lead off the series with "The Halloween Monster Show," Oct. 19. Charlotte's award-winning puppets will provide some frightfully entertaining Halloween fun. This 45-minute production will feature a variety of fascinating fantasy creatures.

Theatre IV returns again on Dec. 5 with "Santa's Christmas Miracle" and February 20 with "A Woman Named Truth." Nationally recognized by the Children's Theatre Association of America, Kennedy Center for the Performing Arts, and National Endowment for the

## EnergyUnited Schedules Annual Meeting And Health Fair For Members

EnergyUnited's annual meeting will be Saturday, Sept. 16 at Davie County High School in Mocksville.

A free health fair for members will be conducted in the small gym between 7:30 and 10:30 a.m. The health fair will offer a number of free screenings as well as health information.

Members of the electric co-op will receive a \$5 attendance award when they register and cast their ballot in the board of directors election. This year, members will elect six directors. Registration and voting will be held in the lobby of the large gym between 7:30 and 11 a.m.

The 82nd Airborne All American Chorus will provide the entertainment at 10:30 a.m. This singing group is acclaimed for its rendition

of popular patriotic songs. Another special feature will be a number of informational booths under a tent beside the large gym. EnergyUnited employees will staff these booths and provide information about the co-op's new products and services. Members are invited to stop by to learn more about these services and to sign up for as many as they wish.

Special activities for the children will include a clown, face painting, a train ride and a MoonWalk.

The business meeting will begin at 11 a.m. and officials will give a report on the past year's activities. Following the business session, there will be a drawing for door prizes. After the adjournment of the meeting, members can pick up a free bag lunch (barbecue for adults and hot-dogs for children). EnergyUnited is planning free bus

rides from outlying district offices to and from the annual meeting. For a bus ride contact Dusty Rhodes at 1-800-522-3793, as soon as possible. Customers may contact their local EnergyUnited office for more information about the Annual Meeting of Members.

EnergyUnited, an innovative and fast-growing organization that provides energy services to a quarter of a million North Carolinians, is the third-largest provider of electricity to residential customers in North Carolina. In addition to electricity and propane, EnergyUnited offers a group of specialized energy services for businesses under the brand name Provanta and offers a wide range of specialized residential products and services through its HomeVantage brand.

## Help Litter Sweep Cleanup

The North Carolina Department of Transportation (NCDOT) 2000 Litter Sweep cleanup will take place Sept. 17-30. Litter Sweep is a two-week period each fall dedicated to cleaning our highways and protecting the environment and beauty of North Carolina. Local organizations are encouraged to participate by organizing a roadside cleanup group. Community involvement is essential to making the cleanup a success.

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Prizes will be awarded for the most unusual litter found along the roadside during the cleanup. To enter, complete the form from the highway department and return it with a photograph of the unusual litter. Include the name of the person or persons who found it.

Your local NCDOT maintenance office will provide you with orange safety vests, orange trash bags and blue recycling bags for use during the cleanup. Also, NCDOT county maintenance yards will pick up filled orange bags from any state road. After your cleanup call your local maintenance yard and let them know the number of bags to be picked up and where they are located alongside a state road.

Cleanup is a time when local governments, civic organizations, NCDOT employees, community service workers, churches, schools, inmates and concerned citizens work as a team to make North Carolina a cleaner and better place to live!

The Governor has issued a proclamation naming Sept. 17-30, 2000 Litter Sweep time in the state. (All

For local information call Joy Martin at 876-3947.

# Up Coming

**Mondays**  
TOPS meets at 6 p.m. in the educational building at Broad Street UMC. Call 871-2220 for more information.

**Saturdays, Aug.-Sept.**  
Jam Sessions scheduled every Saturday night, 7:30 p.m. at Fiddler's Grove Campground, Union Grove. Musicians are encouraged to bring their instruments and join in the jam sessions.

**Monday, Sept. 11**  
American Legions Post 65 meets at Post Home, Salisbury Hwy. passed Wayside School at 7 p.m. For more information call Don Webber at 873-6430.

**Tuesday, Sept 12**  
Statesville Newcomers Club host season

kickoff coffee at Nettie Engram, 312 St. Andrews Road, 10:30 a.m. Anyone who has moved to the area in the past two years is invited to attend. For more information call Nettie Engram at 873-2324.

**Saturday, Sept. 16**  
Join Keep Iredell Clean/Keep American Beautiful, Inc. in the fourteen annual Big Sweep from 9 a.m. to 1 p.m. To learn more about Big Sweep, on the internet go to [www.ncbigssweep.org](http://www.ncbigssweep.org) or call 1-800-24-SWEEP.

**Saturday, Sept. 16**  
Fiddler's Grove Campground jam session presents host band Edd Michael and the Green Island Pickers, Port Republic, Va. Call 704-539-4417 for information.

**Saturday, Sept. 16**  
Prostate Cancer screening held at Davidson College Student Health Services Office from 9 a.m. until noon. Make appointment by calling 660-4004.

**Sunday-Saturday, Sept. 17-30**  
NCDOT 2000 Litter Sweep begins.

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**Tuesday- Friday, Sept. 19-29**  
Sewing workshops sponsored by Catawba County Extension and community Association and NC Cooperative Extension-Catawba Center. call 873-0507 for details on each class and information on registration.

**Saturday, Sept. 23**  
Fiddler's Grove Campground jam session presents host band Cyber Grass, Mocksville, NC, Champion Bluegrass Band at the 2000 Ole Time Fiddler's & Bluegrass Festival, Union Grove, NC. For information call 704-539-4417.

**Saturday, Sept. 23**  
Prostate Cancer screening held at Lake Norman Regional Medical Center from 9 a.m. until noon. Make appointment by calling 660-4004.

**Saturday, Sept. 30**  
Fiddler's Grove Campground jam session presents host band Front Porch Strings, Harmon and Statesville, NC. For information call 704-539-4417.

**Late September**  
ADD/ADHD Treatment Symposium need speakers & exhibitors. Call 528-9284 or 528-9956 for more information on being a presenter or attending.

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