

HALF-MARATHON SCHEDULED

Chamber of Commerce officials and coordinators for the Durham Half-Marathon have scheduled the Second Annual Durham Half-Marathon for Saturday morning, October 4. Charlie Payne, assistant track coach at Duke University, will serve as race coordinator. For details of the race and further information, contact Jim Mentzer, Durham Chamber of Commerce, 201 N. Roxboro St., Durham or call 682-2133.

FOR SCHOOL STARTERS — Beginning school is a frightening experience for many young children. They leave a secure, known environment for one that is unknown. Starting Monday, August 18 at 5 p.m., on Channel 4, a special week of "Mister Rogers' Neighborhood" will be devoted to preparing pre-schoolers for their first day of school.

Emmy Award-winning host Fred Rogers will go on location to a real school to acquaint pre-schoolers with a typical day. Rogers explores concerns they have about school: what teachers and classmates will be like, how much they will have to know before they get to school and who will take care of them there.

"Young children frequently have misconceptions about what school really is," Rogers says. In the special week of programming, questions will be answered and reassurances given.

FALL RECREATIONAL LEAGUES — The Durham Parks and Recreation Department will hold an organizational meeting for Adult Soccer, August 18 at 7 p.m., at Edison Johnson Recreation Center on West Murray Avenue.

All interested persons should attend in order to find out registration procedures, entry fee costs, local league rules, etc. For more information, contact Ms. Angela Brooks at 683-4355.

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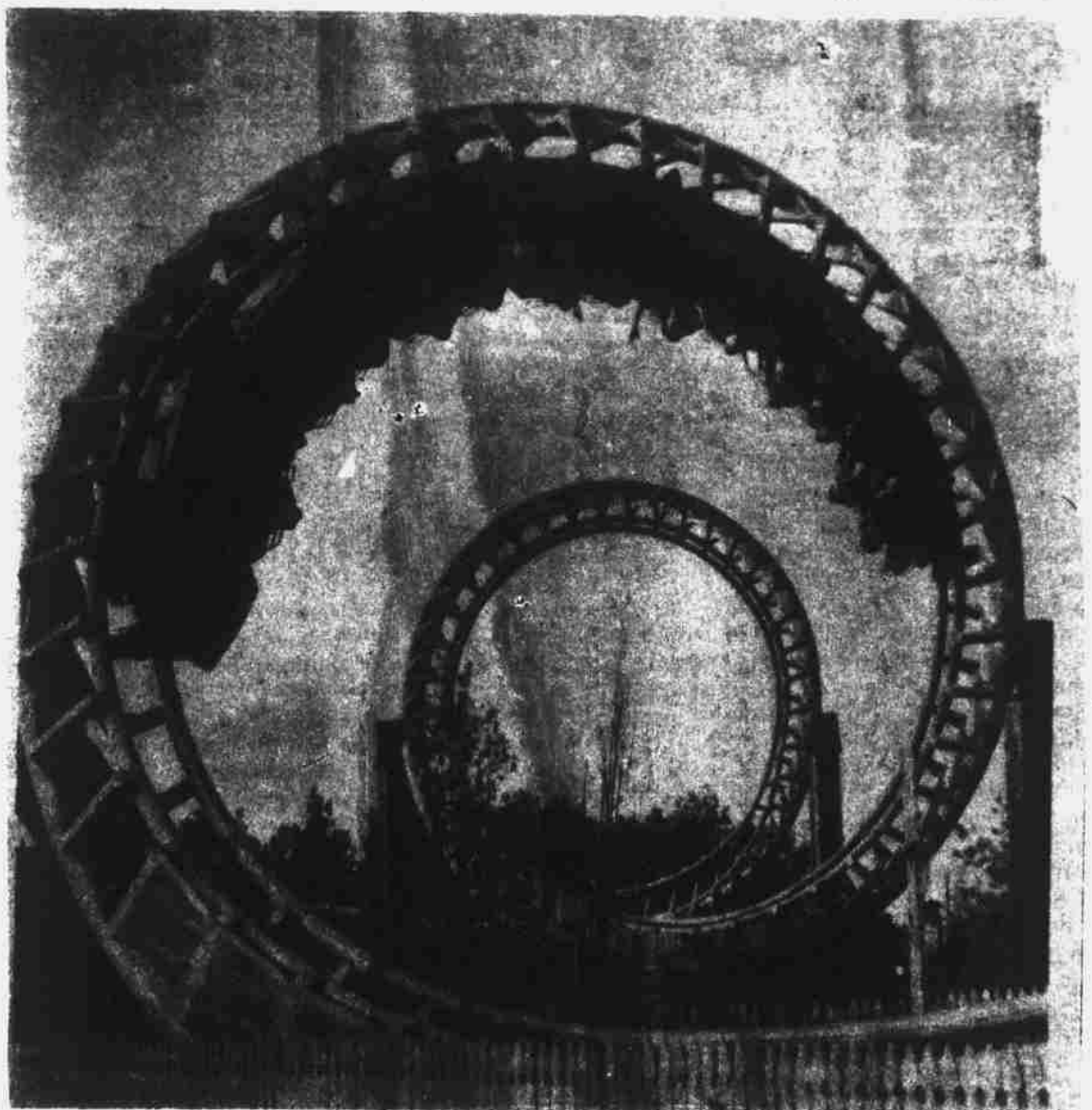
FREE PUBLICATIONS FROM IRS may be ordered by calling the IRS toll free telephone number listed in the directory. Among the subjects covered are: child care credit, energy credit, moving expenses and other tax breaks.

HILLSIDE HIGH SCHOOL CLASS OF 1960 REUNION will be held August 29 through the Labor Day weekend.

NATIONAL BLACK POLITICAL CONVENTION will meet in New Orleans August 21-24 at the Hyatt Regency.

WHAT IS THIS THING ANYWAY? If it's hung over your grandmother's couch since you can remember or if you found it in the attic and it looks like art to you, bring it by the N.C. Museum of Art in Raleigh on Mondays between 2 and 4:30 p.m., when the museum staff offers its free art consulting service. They won't tell you what it's worth, but you'll find out everything else they know about it, and you might discover that you have a treasure. For more information, contact Sterling Boyd, the museum's chief of programs at (919) 733-7568 or Michael Matros at the Department of Cultural Resources at (919) 733-5722.

AFTERSCHOOL RECREATION PROGRAMS — The Durham City Community Education program and the Durham Parks and Recreation Department will conduct Afterschool Recreation



Thrill-seekers will be able to ride the quadruple looping Carolina Cyclone roller coaster on weekends only, beginning Saturday, August 23 when Carowinds theme park returns to a weekends only (Saturdays and Sundays) Fall schedule. Carowinds will close for the 1980 season on Sunday, October 12. The 73-acre theme park will not be open to the public on Labor Day Monday, September 1.



Organizational Vital When Home Canning

Buying canning equipment and getting it together in the kitchen in proper working order is only one part of managing a home canning operation.

You also need to be organized when the job is at hand, say agricultural extension foods and nutrition specialists at North Carolina State University.

First off, there has to be enough space cleared in the kitchen. Use the counter to good advantage by lining up all the equipment and planning the most efficient use of the space, she says.

Then have everything ready to use. For example, get all the jars washed and scalded before you need the sink for cleaning the food.

If you'll need hot water for blanching or scalding, have it ready on the range while you clean and trim the produce.

If you will need extra ice for quick cooling, freeze it beforehand. Then have any containers, packaging materials and labels you need at the space where you'll use them.

Everyone in the family can help, provided appropriate jobs are assigned and the kitchen is big enough. Younger children can help wash or rough-trim vegetables and have fun making labels for the finished products.

Just make sure they're not in the traffic pattern when you're handling hot water or jars.

Programs at Y.E. Smith, East End and George Watts Elementary schools. These programs are scheduled to start on August 19 and operate each day school is open through June 5, 1981. The hours are Monday through Friday from 2:30-5:30 p.m.

The program will offer a wide range of activities which will include sports and athletics, music and drama, arts and crafts, study hours, tutorial sessions, and other seasonal special events. There will be a small weekly registration fee.

For more information call Gaston Patterson at 683-4355 or Albert Huéy at 688-2361, extension 245.

Pre-registration will be held at the Parks and Recreation Department until August 15. Office hours are 8 a.m. to 4 p.m.

YOU DO MAKE A DIFFERENCE — The American Cancer Society, North Carolina Division, will be winding up this year's Cancer Crusade on

August 31. Your contribution will make it possible to intensify and broaden efforts to eliminate cancer entirely as a human disease. Dig deep! Mail your contribution today to Cancer Crusade, P.O. Box 2893, Durham, NC 27705.

THE ANNUAL HAMMOCKS BEACH PILGRIMAGE will be held on Saturday, August 16, at the Gertrude Hurst Assembly Building in Swansboro, beginning at 10 a.m., with Mrs. Ruth B. Jones, president, presiding. Mrs. Mary Hatwood Futrel of Alexandria, Virginia will deliver the keynote address.

Dr. E.B. Palmer, executive director, will discuss several business matters about the Hammocks. Mrs. Edna Richards and Robert L. Davis will discuss the renovation program and the status of NCTA.

The meeting will conclude with an afternoon of sun and fun beside the sea and surf.

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