

# ARTS & LIFESTYLE

## Of Interest ...

### Piedmont Wind Symphony to give free concert

The Piedmont Wind Symphony, under the direction of Robert Simon, will open its 21st Season with its annual Labor Day Concert at the Children's Museum of Winston-Salem, 390 S. Liberty St., on Monday, Sept. 6 at 6 p.m. Admission is free.



Simon

This year's concert - "Music To Eat Popcorn By!" - features music from popular films. Directed by Simon and Jeff Whitsett, concert highlights will include medleys such as "Chillers & Thrillers," "Disney at the Oscars," "Grease," "James Bond Suite," John Williams' "Fantasy of Flight," "Mission Impossible," "Pink Panther" and the Theme from "Shaft." Children are invited to dress up as their favorite

movie characters and walk the red carpet.

Attendees should bring lawn chairs and a picnic for an evening of movie-going musical fun for the entire family. Food will also be available for purchase from a variety of local vendors. The rain date for the concert is Saturday, Sept. 11.

For more information about this event, call 336.722.9328; the Children's Museum at 336.723.9111; or visit [www.piedmontwindsymphony.com](http://www.piedmontwindsymphony.com) or [www.childrensmuseumofws.org](http://www.childrensmuseumofws.org).

### Mobile black history museum will visit Guilford College

Sankofa, the African American Museum on Wheels, will return to Guilford College Sept. 1 and 2. The exhibit will be open in Sternberger Auditorium, located in Founders Hall, from 4-9 p.m. on Sept. 1 and 10 a.m.-5 p.m. on Sept. 2. It is free and open to the public, and group tours are available. Tours last 30-45 minutes.

The exhibit, created by Angela Jennings, includes artifacts, photographs and art pieces that emphasize the importance of African American history up to the present, highlighting the "King Cotton" era, the Negro Baseball League, the Tuskegee Airmen and African American inventors. Jennings also presents stories and dramatizations about the people featured in the exhibit. "Sankofa" is a Ghanian term meaning "use the wisdom of the past to build the future." Jennings has traveled throughout the United States, the U.S. Virgin Islands, West Africa and Europe to find pieces for the exhibit. She created the museum in 1995 after discovering that her nephew, an honor student, knew little about African American culture.

For more information, visit [www.guilford.edu](http://www.guilford.edu) or contact Guilford's Office of Multicultural Education at 336-316-2433.

### NEA Chair will take part in Arts Center opening

Rocco Landesman, chairman of the National Endowment for the Arts, will be in Winston-Salem for the opening of the Milton Rhodes Center for the Arts, Sept. 10-12.

Landesman was selected to head the Endowment by President Barack Obama. Prior to joining the NEA, he was a Broadway theater producer. Landesman will arrive in Winston-Salem on Sept. 10; he will be the guest of honor at a luncheon for arts, cultural, civic, business, education and political leaders.

From 2 - 3:30 p.m., he will host a town hall meeting on "How Arts and Innovation Impact Communities" at Performance Place on the campus of the University of North Carolina School of the Arts. A panel of artists, arts patrons, and entertainment figures will participate. The public is invited. Because of limited parking on the UNCSA campus, shuttles will run from the Gateway YWCA beginning at 1:30 p.m. Some reserved parking will be available for people with special needs.

That evening, Landesman will join hundreds of other guests at the "Light Up the Arts" Gala Opening of the Milton Rhodes Center for the Arts and attend a concert at the Stevens Center by legendary vocalist Tony Bennett. He will take part in a ribbon cutting for The Center at 10 a.m. on Saturday morning.

For a complete schedule of the more than 100 arts and cultural activities offerings, visit [CityOfTheArts.com/opening](http://CityOfTheArts.com/opening).

### Evans arrested for driving drunk

LOS ANGELES (AP) - Grammy-winning singer Faith Evans has been arrested after being stopped at a drunk driving checkpoint in the Los Angeles area.



Evans

Officer Cleon Joseph of the LAPD says the 37-year-old Evans was arrested Saturday night near Marina del Rey on suspicion of misdemeanor drunken driving. He says Evans was held for a few hours and released on bail Sunday morning. Her car was impounded.

The R&B singer is the widow of rapper Christopher Wallace, also known as the Notorious B.I.G. She won a Grammy in 1998 for the song "I'll Be Missing You." A reality series chronicling Evans' life is reportedly in production, and a new album is scheduled for release in October.

## Actress Rowell to speak at Bennett

CHRONICLE STAFF REPORT

Actress Victoria Rowell will be the next person to take to the podium as part of Bennett College's 2010-11 Lift Every Voice Speaker Series.

She will deliver her address on Thursday, Sept. 9 at 11 a.m. in Bennett's Annie Merner Pfeiffer Chapel. The event is free and open to the public.

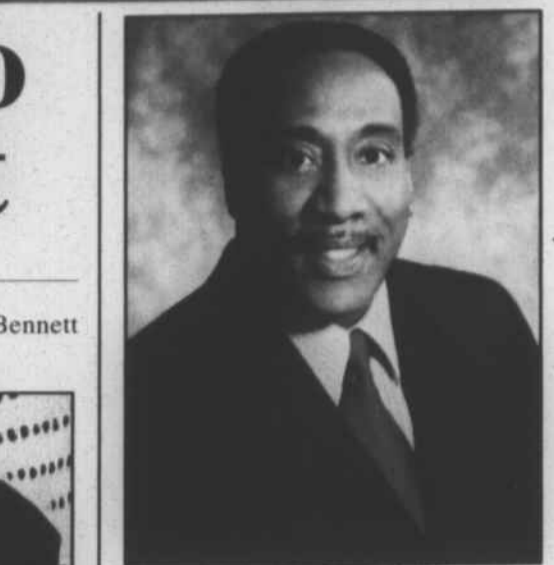
Rowell is best known for her role as Drucilla Winters on CBS's highly-rated daytime drama "The Young and the Restless." She also co-starred in the CBS hit prime-time television series "Diagnosis Murder," with Dick Van Dyke for eight seasons. Off screen, a former product of the foster care system, Rowell has become a powerful advocate for foster care. She is also now a New York Times Bestselling author. She is currently on a nationwide tour to promoting her novel, "Secrets of a Soap Opera Diva." Her memoir, "The Women Who Raised Me" received the African American Literary Award and an NAACP Image Award for Outstanding Literary Work/Debut Author.

Rowell, who was recently appointed to the advisory board of Princeton University's African American Studies Department, received the Ford Foundation scholarship to the Cambridge School of Ballet when she was eight. She flourished as a dancer before accepting modeling assignments. She graced the pages of magazines like Seventeen and Mademoiselle before auditioning for her first television role.

President Julianne Malveaux started the Lift Every Voice Speaker Series to bring people to the college who uplift and inspire. The series has brought notable figures like Iyanla Vanzant, Ed Gordon and Nikki Giovanni.



Victoria Rowell is an actress and author.



Harold Dow

## Longtime newsman Dow dies

THE ASSOCIATED PRESS

NEW YORK - Emmy-winning CBS News correspondent Harold Dow, who helped shape the documentary program "48 Hours" and covered the kidnapping of Patricia Hearst and the Sept. 11 attacks, has died. He was 62.

Dow died suddenly Saturday morning in New Jersey, network spokeswoman Louise Bashi said. It was reported earlier this week that he had an asthma attack while driving. He lived in Upper Saddle River, N.J.

Dow had been a correspondent for "48 Hours" since 1990. His nearly 40 years with the network also included reporting for "CBS Evening News with Dan Rather" and "CBS News Sunday Morning."

A "48 Hours" report on runaways earned him a George Foster Peabody Award. He also won five Emmys, for work including coverage of the 1988 bombing of Pan Am Flight 103 over Lockerbie, Scotland, and of American troops' movement into Bosnia in 1996.

"Insatiably curious, he was happiest when he was on the road deep into a story," Susan Zirinsky, executive producer of "48 Hours Mystery," said in a statement. "It was his humanity, which was felt by everyone he encountered, even in his toughest interviews, that truly defined the greatness of his work. He was the most selfless man I have known."

Dow landed an exclusive interview with kidnapping victim Hearst in December 1976, and he had the first network interview with O.J. Simpson following the 1994 killing of his ex-wife. He barely escaped one of the falling twin towers on Sept. 11, 2001, the network said.

Dow was a contributor to "48 Hours on Crack Street," the 1986 documentary that led to the creation of the weekly "48 Hours." Before that, he had been a co-anchor on "CBS News Nightwatch" and a correspondent and reporter at the CBS News Los Angeles bureau. He started his career with the network as a broadcast associate in 1972.

As a co-anchor and talk-show host for KETV in Omaha, Neb., he was the first African-American television reporter in that city.

Dow is survived by three children, Joelle, Danica and David, along with his wife, Kathy.

## Area photographer needs your votes

CHRONICLE STAFF REPORT

Photographer Roxanne Lovett of Statesville has been named a category finalist in the 2010 Energizer Ultimate Photo Contest with National Geographic. The Grand Prize Winner will receive a trip to the Greek Isles and will see his or her photo appear in the pages of National Geographic magazine in an ad for Energizer Ultimate Lithium batteries.



Roxanne Lovett's entry.

Geographic photographer and judge for the Energizer Ultimate Photo Contest. "There is in the lean of the horse and the lean of the soldier a unity of action and a harmony of purpose," said Richardson. "The scene is graced by just enough background to suggest a greater tableau, of events larger than life and part of our history, but it is that graceful cant caught in the moment that is beguiling."

From now through Sept. 15, the public can go to [www.nationalgeographic.com/lithium](http://www.nationalgeographic.com/lithium) to view the gallery of Category Finalist photos and to select their favorite in each category. If Lovett receives the most votes in her category, she will be among six Category Winners vying for the title of Grand Prize Winner, to be determined by Richardson and announced on or about Nov. 4.

The 2010 Energizer Ultimate Photo Contest, which launched in April, has named two finalists in each of its six thematic categories: animals/wildlife, nature, travel, people/cultures, weather and action/energy.

Lovett's photo was selected as a finalist in the people/cultures category. She took the photo of a uniformed man atop a moving horse, at a Civil War battle reenactment event. Lovett's photo stood out as one of the best representations of the theme, said Jim Richardson, National

## Peace event will take place Saturday

CHRONICLE STAFF REPORT

Lanterns of Hope, which celebrates the city's racial diversity while promoting peace and understanding, will take place in the heart of the city's Arts District this year.

The event will happen on Saturday, Aug. 28 from 7 - 9 p.m. in conjunction with the popular Summer on Trade outdoor concert series. Brother Josephus and the Love Revival Revolution Orchestra will perform live throughout the evening. The 11-piece gospel band hails from New Orleans.

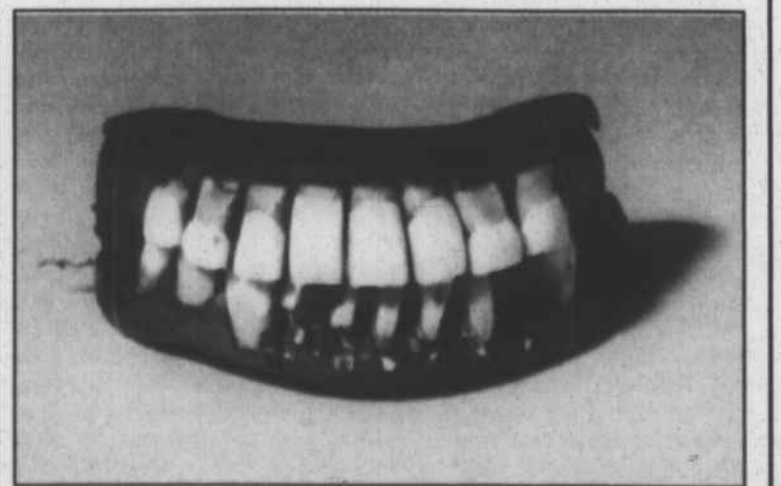
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Japanese lanterns are a universal symbol of peace.

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## EXPLORING WASHINGTON



Submitted Photo

The Raleigh-based N.C. Museum of History will allow visitors to "Discover the Real George Washington" when it opens an exhibit on the nation's first president on Sept. 10. Nearly 100 original objects associated with Washington - including the only surviving complete set of his famous dentures - are featured. The exhibition will be on view through Jan. 21, 2011. For more information, go to [ncmuseumofhistory.org](http://ncmuseumofhistory.org).