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Community Calendar

Candidates at Emmanuel

Emmanuel Baptist Church, 1075 Shalimar Drive, will host an election candidates' forum on Tuesday, April 17 at 6 p.m. More than a dozen candidates are expected to take part.

Dinner theater

The Greensboro Club of the National Association of Business Professional Women's Clubs Inc. will present a dinner theater performance of "The Day the Church Fell In," on Saturday, April 14 at 6:00 p.m. Caldcleugh Multicultural Center, 1700 Orchard Street in Greensboro. Tickets are \$22.00 and may be purchased from any organization member or at African American Art in Four Seasons Town Center. Call Beverly Wallace at 379-7208 or Sandra Alexander at 202-8400 for more information.

Cemetery clean-up

The Happy Hill Cemetery Friends is encouraging all who are interested to come out and help clean the cemetery from 9-11 a.m. on each Saturday morning during the month of April. This is a good time to search for your ancestors (or someone's relative) and perhaps place some flowers. Bring gloves and work tools. Maurice Pitts Johnson at 718-1081 or Jean Moses Petree at 721-1288.

Free financial workshop

Edward Jones Financial Advisor Charmon Baker will present a free workshop on April 17 at 6:30 p.m. at the Carl Russell Sr. Recreation Center, 3521 Carver School Road.

Dudley High Reunion

Greensboro's Dudley High School Class of '72 is planning its 40th Reunion from July 20 - July 22. Class members may send their address information to P.O. Box 5818, Greensboro, NC 27435, call 861-8625 or 574-0140. You may also send an email to dudleyclassof72@yahoo.com.

Art at Senior Services

A new show has just opened in Senior Services' Gallery, 2895 Shorefair Drive. It features 15 works by area artist Justine Linville. All are oil on canvas, and several are available for purchase. The show is open to the public and will run until tomorrow (April 13). Viewing is open from 8:30 a.m. - 4:30 p.m., Monday through Friday.

Rock the Block bands

wanted Rock the Block, the city's annual end-of-summer music festival, is accepting applications from rock, country and R&B bands interested in performing at the next Rock the Block on Sept. 22. Interested bands should send a media kit to Rock the Block, P.O. Box 2511, Winston-Salem, N.C. 27102. Kits may also be emailed to Sue Spainhour, susans@cityofws.org. Band entries for Rock This!, the teen battle of the bands, will be accepted starting June 15. For information, call CityLink 311.



Russell Center Director Ben Piggott looks on as the winners of the large Easter baskets examine their prizes.

Kids satisfy sweet tooths at annual Easter Candy Hunt

BY TODD LUCK THE CHRONICLE

Overcast skies threatening rain couldn't dampen the fun last Thursday at the Carl H. Russell Sr. Community Center.

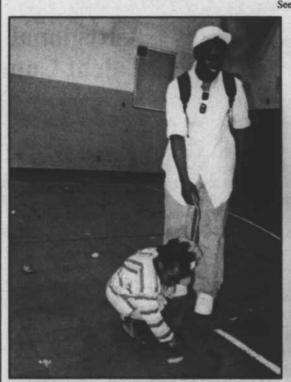
For the first time, the Center was forced to move its annual Community Easter Candy Hunt indoors. Hundreds of pieces of candy were scattered around the Center's gym floor. Mixed in with the sweet treats were multi-colored and gold plastic eggs containing little pieces of paper bearing the names of special prizes.

The gym offered few places to hide candy and prize eggs, but that was just fine with the kids, who scooped up goodies by the handful. Phillip Singletary helped his 3-year-old daughter Ja'Meria find goodies. It was Ja'Meria's first Easter egg hunt so dad gave her a hunting crash course

"The way I told her to get it, I was just like 'pick up everything you see, all the colors, everything you see out there is yours," said Singletary, who was impressed with the Center's event and plans to bring his daughter back next year.



Ben Piggott goes over the rules with children and parents.



Phillip Singletary holds the basket as his young daughter Ja'Meria picks up candy.



S. Wayne Patterson hands a pool pass to winner Johnae Martin.



Vanessa Vinson's daughters Makyrah and Dymond show off their goodies.



Children in the 6-8 year-olds section snatch up eggs and candy.



Adults help the the youngest kids hunt for candy in the 3-5 year-olds section.

