

Community Briefs

WSSU library director elected ALA president

Wanda Brown '77, the director of library services at Winston-Salem State University (WSSU), has been elected the president-elect for the American Library Association (ALA). Brown will become the chief elected officer for the oldest and

largest library association in the world. She will serve as president-elect for one year before stepping into her role as president at the close of the 2019 ALA Annual Conference in Washington, D.C. Brown will become the

Brown first ALA president who is a librarian at a historically black college and university (HBCU) and the sixth African-American president. Brown holds a bachelor's in English with a minor in psychology from WSSU, and an MLS from the University of North Carolina at Greensboro. The ALA, founded in 1853, has more than 57,000 members worldwide.

The Little Theatre of W-S announces 84th season board

The Little Theatre of Winston-Salem held its annual board meeting on Thursday, June 21, at the Arts Council Theatre. During the meeting, the theatre company elected the following new board members for a three-year term: Scott Crockett, Katie Dunn, Chad Edwards, Trean Ellis, and Hannah Suttle. The slate of officers includes David Ratcliffe as president, Jay Matthews as vice president, Daniel Alvarez as secretary, and Anita Bain as treasurer.

Continuing members are: James Dubose, Dustin Greene, Jennifer Lenchik, Robert Muhammad, Philip Powell, Aaron Singleton and Michelle Welborn.

A local teacher participates in Library of Congress program

A participant in the Summer Teacher Institute's second session with a general focus was Kris Dearmin, of Atkins High School in Winston-Salem (June 25-29). Local educators across the nation were selected from a pool of more than 300 applicants to participate in the Library of Congress' Summer Teacher Institute, part of the Teaching with Primary Sources program. The institute will run through Aug. 3. Each year, the Library of Congress provides the opportunity for K-12 educators to attend one of its five teacher institutes in Washington, D.C. During each of the five-day programs, participants work with Library education specialists and subject-matter experts to learn effective practices for using primary sources in the classroom.

Delta Arts closed for renovations

The Delta Arts Center will be closed due to renovations sponsored by the BB&T Lighthouse Project through Tuesday, July 10. The center thanks the public for patience and apologizes for any inconvenience in a press release.

Local architect firm marks 25 years of service

On July 1, the office of David E. Gall, Architect, PA, of Winston-Salem, marked the 25th anniversary of its founding. The firm has placed a strong emphasis on volunteer service in the communities where its projects are located and, to date, has shared volunteer time with over 70 non-profit institutions. Projects designed by the firm have earned 27 awards for design excellence. The office staff includes Principal Architect David E. Gall, AIA; Office Administrator Rhita Kaye Newcomb, Intern Architect Joyce Josey Pope, LEED AP; and Landscape Designer Kathy Slatton Helms.

Salvation Army announces major grant from Kate B. Reynolds Charitable Trust

The Salvation Army of Greater Winston-Salem has received a grant from the Kate B. Reynolds Charitable Trust to implement a new pilot program with the goal of a 25 percent reduction in the population of The Salvation Army Center of Hope Family Residence by helping clients stay in their current housing or find a stable alternative. The new project will also provide life skill sets for individuals taking part in order to help them maintain self-sufficiency going forward. The program is directly targeted at serving families, youth, and children. The \$226,859 award will fund the pilot program for the next two years.

Old Salem bake shop opens in Marketplace Mall

Old Salem Museums & Gardens recently opened the Old Salem Bake Shop as a result of the tremendous success and demand for Moravian baked goods from the historic and popular C. Winkler Bakery. The Old Salem Bake Shop is located in Marketplace Mall on Peters Creek Parkway in Winston-Salem. It includes in-house bakery production and a distribution facility as well as a retail sales area. This replaces a previous, non-public bakery production and distribution facility on Poplar Street near Old Salem.

Winkler Bakery in Old Salem's historic district will continue to make baked goods on site as it did when it opened in 1800. Winkler Bakery, where visitors can watch the bakers at work and purchase fresh-baked products, is the most visited site in Old Salem. The Old Salem Bake Shop will produce a variety of baked items, which will help supplement the items for sale in Winkler Bakery and at other retail outlets within the historic district.

The Old Salem Bake Shop also will offer a variety of single-serve bakery items as well as soft drinks. Retail hours at Old Salem's Marketplace Mall location are currently Tuesday through Friday from 9 a.m. to 3 p.m. It will be expanding its hours of operation in the future.

Community Calendar

NOW - July 28 - Music Festival

Eastern Music Festival runs through July 28 for its 57th season with over 60 performances during its five-week run. Call Triad Stage at (336) 272-0160 for information. For complete calendar, performance details and ticket information, visit www.easternmusicfestival.org.

NOW - Aug. 4 - Appalachian Summer Festival

The App. Summer Festival will be presented from July 1- Aug. 4. The various events will be presented in venues on the campus of Appalachian State University in Boone, including Kool and the Gang 7:30 p.m. on July 7. Ticket prices range from \$5 - \$55, with some events free. Purchase any five adult tickets in any combination and receive 10 percent off. The "Pick 5" ticket discount, only applies to purchases at the box office or by telephone (800) 841-2787 or (828) 262-4046. Tickets can also be purchased online at appsummer.org.

Every 1st & 3rd Tuesday - Pinochle fun and fellowship

Pinochle summer sessions will be held on 1st and 3rd Tuesday at 10 a.m. at Sims Recreation Center, 1201 Alder St. There will be a special session on July 3. Persons wanting to learn the game are welcome and can call ahead to get a guideline sheet. Call Maurice Johnson at (336) 815-8417 or the center at (336) 727-2837 for more information.

July 6 - Kids Rock Music

Join us for live music, age-appropriate instruments, and interactive movement on July 6 at 11 a.m. Kids Rock Music brings the joy of musical expression to children and families. Included with museum admission and free for Kaleideum members. Kaleideum Downtown, 390 S Liberty St., Winston-Salem. (336) 723-9111. www.kaleideum.org

July 6 - Submission deadline

Art on Paper celebrates contemporary art in which the use of paper - either as surface or material - is a primary concern. Submissions for Art on Paper 2019: The 45th Exhibition is NOW OPEN. The deadline for submissions is July 6. Artists will be notified of their status by Sept. 21. Email questions to: WAMAop@uncg.edu.

July 7 - Bookmarks to celebrate one-year anniversary

Bookmarks invites the public to celebrate the one-year anniversary of its home for the Literary Arts on Saturday, July 7, from 10 a.m.-9 p.m. at 634 W. Fourth St. #110 in downtown Winston-Salem. Drawings for prizes will be held every hour for visitors. Throughout the day, artists from Art for Arts Sake (The AFAS Group) will create permanent murals in the breezeway connecting Bookmarks and Footnote to Fourth Street. Visit bookmarkscnc.org for more information.

July 7-8, 13-15 - Play

Peppercorn Theatre at Kaleideum will premiere "Learn to Speak Doll" in July at the Hanesbrands Theatre, 251 N. Spruce St. The play is inspired by the legacy of Maya Angelou. "Learn to Speak Doll" will be performed for the general public on July 7, 8, and 13-15. Tickets for public performances are \$10 (+tax) for Kaleideum members and \$12 (+tax) for non-members. Visit

www.peppercorntheatre.org for specific showtimes and to purchase tickets.

July 8 - Free Screening

"Forbidden: Undocumented and Queer in Rural America" will be screened at a/perture cinema on July 8 at 5:30 p.m. The free screening is sponsored by Sanctuary City Coalition Winston-Salem, who will be holding discussion on next steps in local immigration activism during the event.

July 8 - Prayer Circle

There will be a prayer circle for police and first responders on July 8 from 3-4 p.m. The event will be held rain or shine and located at 725 N. Cherry St.

July 9 - Society Membership Meeting

Lewisville Historical Society Membership Meeting will take place at the Lewisville Branch Library (6490 Shallowford Road, Lewisville) on July 9 at 6 p.m. The program will be our popular "Local History Show and Tell." Bring an item of historic significance from your hometown, or a family heirloom to show and tell about. Light refreshments. Free and open to the public. Co-sponsored by the Lewisville Historical Society and the Lewisville Branch Library. Call (336) 650-8738 for more information.

July 13 - Accessible Festival

The Winston-Salem Transit Authority will host the Accessible Festival 2018, Friday, July 13 from 9 a.m.-3 p.m. in the Education Building at the W-S Fairgrounds. Accessible Festival is a day of fun, fellowship, entertainment and food for individuals with disabilities and their families. If you have any questions or concerns, contact (336) 748-3964.

July 14 - Evening with Judge Morgan

Forsyth County Democratic Party will host an evening with the Honorable Judge Michael Morgan on July 14. The event will be held at The Milton Rhodes Center for the Arts, 251 N. Spruce St. VIP Reception begins at 5:30 p.m.; dinner starts at 7 p.m. Tickets prices are: \$75/guest, VIP reception and dinner is \$200/guest and table of 8 is \$750. Tickets may be purchased at <https://secure.actblue.com/donate/eveningwithjudgemorgan>. For more info, email eveningwithJudgeMorgan@gmail.com.

July 15 - "Big Chill" fundraiser

The Shalom Project announces its 10th Annual The Big Chill fundraising event on Sunday July 15 from 3-6 p.m. at Bailey Park. The Big Chill is Winston-Salem's biggest National Ice Cream Day event! This fun-filled afternoon features dozens of homemade ice cream samplings, a children's activity area and live music by local musicians. Organizations and individuals are invited to get involved by sponsoring this event.

July 17 - Gardening class

N.C. Cooperative Extension will host a class on crop planning and autumn gardens on July 17 from 6-8 p.m. The class will be held at Catholic Charities, 1612 14th St. NE. It is free but registration is required. Please register online at: <https://tinyurl.com/CropPlanningJuly2018>, or call (336) 703-2850.

July 17 - Medicare

Workshop

The Shepherd's Center of Greater Winston-Salem, in collaboration with the Forsyth County Public Library, is offering a workshop for individuals turning 65 (as well as those who already have Medicare) to learn about the different insurance options available, including "Original Medicare." Medicare prescription drug programs, Medicare supplements and Medicare Advantage plans. The session will be held on Tuesday, July 17 from 5:30 - 7:30 p.m. at the Carver School Road Library, 4915 Lansing Drive. The session is provided at no cost. Because space is limited, reservations are required. Contact the Shepherd's Center at (336) 748-0217 for more information or to reserve a seat.

July 18 - Class on Heirloom Tomatoes

There will be an adult education class on heirloom tomatoes at The Arboretum at Tanglewood Park on July 18 beginning at 11 a.m. The class is free but registration is required. Register at coop-ext-registration@forsyth.cc or (336) 703-2850, no earlier than two weeks prior to the program. Space is limited.

July 19 - Lunch and Learn

A free Lunch & Learn for Caregivers is scheduled for Thursday, July 19, 11 a.m.-1 p.m., at Senior Services, 2895 Shorefair Drive. The topic will be "Navigating the Healthcare System." Lunch provided by Brookridge Retirement Community. Registration is required. Call (336) 721-6918. Call early to assure a space. Sponsored by Senior Services, Shepherd's Center of Greater Winston-Salem, Forsyth County DSS, Hospice & Palliative CareCenter, SECU Family House, and PTRC Area Agency on Aging.

July 21 - ReptiDay

ReptiDay is the one-day version of the events presented by Repticon, a recognized leader in hosting reptile and exotic animal expos throughout the United States. This event, held at the Winston-Salem Fairgrounds, offers great family entertainment which is suitable for all ages and for a very diverse range of enthusiasts. The doors open to the general public at 10 a.m. on Saturday, closing at 5 p.m. At the door, tickets are \$10 for adults, \$5 for children 5-12, and children under 5 are admitted free. VIP early-entry tickets may be purchased from our website at <http://repticon.com/north-carolina/reptiday-winston-salem/>.

July 21, Aug. 4, and Aug. 18 - Movies in the Park series

City residents are invited to enjoy free family-friendly movies this summer. Showing as part of the WePLAY Movies in the Park series are "Ferdinand," July 21 at Winston Lake Park; "Coco," Aug. 4 at the Winston-Salem Fairgrounds; and "The Incredibles," Aug. 18 at Jamison Park. The movie series is being sponsored by Recreation and Parks, Community Development, and the Winston-Salem Police Department. "Ferdinand" on July 21 and "The Incredibles" on Aug. 18 will also be shown outdoors and feature food trucks. The showing of "Coco" on Aug. 4 will be held in the Neal Bolton Home & Garden Building on the Winston-Salem Fairgrounds and will begin at 2 p.m. Residents should bring lawn chairs and blankets to sit on. Go to <http://www.cityofws.org/News/ID/20708/WePLAY>

Movies-in-the-Park-Starts June-16-with-Black-Panther for more information.

July 27-29 - Reunion

The 33rd Annual Reunion of the staff, students, and friends of the former Kate Bitting Reynolds Memorial Hospital, School of Nursing, and School of X-Ray Technology will be held July 27-29 at the Hawthorne Inn and Conference Center, 420 High St., Winston-Salem. For more information please contact Jacqueline Howell (919) 477-2200 or Beverly Watson (336) 287-4676.

Aug. 1 - Volunteer training

The Shepherd's Center of Greater Winston-Salem will have volunteer training from 9:30 a.m. to noon Wednesday, Aug. 1 at the center located at 1700 Ebert St. Older adults in the community need help with supportive services such as transportation, minor home repairs, visits or caregiver respite. The center is especially in need of visitation volunteers to provide companionship to homebound older adults a few hours per month. Mileage reimbursement is offered. For more information or to volunteer, call The Shepherd's Center at (336) 748-0217 or email vpooore@shepherdscenter.org to register for volunteer training.

NOW- Aug. 1 - Call for artists

For the fourth year, the "Take a Seat for Chairity" fundraiser is looking for artists to make or up-cycle old chairs and create "Art Chairs" to be auctioned to benefit Next Step Ministries. The chairs will be auctioned off on Thursday, Sept. 27. Chair Artists will receive 1 complimentary ticket to the event. To get involved, artists can pick up an application at Election, Next Step Ministries Thrift Store or by going to the "Chairity" Facebook page.

NOW - Aug. 11 - Summer Workshops

Old Salem Museums & Gardens is offering a series of fun, hands-on workshops each Saturday this summer from June 16 through Aug. 11. These workshops are perfect for the whole family, from kids. Each workshop will focus on either hearth-cooking, pottery, or pewter spoon making. The workshops are limited to 12 participants per session so pre-registration is advised. Register on line at old-salem.org or call (800) 441-5305.

Aug. 17 - Parkland High School "Hall of Fame" deadline

Parkland Magnet High School third Hall of Fame class showcases 9 Mustang legends.

The inductees will be honored at a banquet at the Old Salem Visitor's Center on Thursday, September 6 at 6:30 p.m., and introduced during halftime of the Parkland High School vs. Marvin Ridge High School football game on Friday, September 7 at the Parkland Magnet High School. Prepaid reservations for the banquet are \$25 per person. The deadline to register is Friday, August 17, and seating is limited. For additional information in reference to purchasing a prepaid ticket, contact the Athletic Director, Linwood Jerald at (336) 624-3563, Mackie Thompson at (336) 813-4073, Chris Kirkpatrick at (336) 287-1707 or Eddie Raynard (336) 785-5611.

NOW - Aug. 24 - Learn to Swim program
Hand in Hand Water