

Burris, BACA Criticize Japanese Prime Minister's Remarks

Washington, DC - Illinois Comptroller Roland Burris and Colorado State Senator Polly Baca, vice chairs of the Democratic National

Committee, issued a joint statement recently in response to recent remarks by the prime minister of Japan concerning blacks and Hispanics:

"It is regrettable that the prime minister of Japan made such insensitive remarks about the intelligence of blacks and Hispanics in this country.

"Although he apologized, it does not lessen the damage done by his comments. It does show that the

prime minister is uninformed and unenlightened about the intellectual accomplishments and contributions of blacks and Hispanics in the development of America.

"Let the record show that we object to insensitive, callous remarks made by anyone - particularly world leaders - who, apparently, have not taken time to become educated on the role and contributions of blacks and Hispanics to the historical development of

our great nation.

"We further offer to provide information for his edification and enlightenment. The prime minister typifies a certain kind of thinking that is dangerous to the accomplishment of true racial harmony, unity and brotherhood in the world society.

"It is hoped that the world will ignore his comments and recognize that the prime minister stands corrected."

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UNC-CH Black

Alumni To Meet

The black alumni of the University of North Carolina at Chapel Hill who reside in the Metrolina area, will meet for an organizational and planning meeting at the Education Center at 701 E. 2nd St. in uptown Charlotte on Monday, October 13, from 6-8 p.m.

For more information contact Elliott Lynch at 704-525-4056.

Humor Can

Save Any Day

Humor can save most any day, when used appropriately. A Saturday workshop at the WomanReach Center will be "Positive Mental Attitude: How to Be Happier & Mentally Healthier, Using Humor," beginning Saturday, October 11, and ending October 18 from 10 a.m. - noon, facilitated by Liz Isherwood Brown.

For more information, call 334-3614.

United Way Raises

34.4% Of Goal

At a recent report luncheon, United Way Campaign Chairman Don Steger announced that \$4,144,800 or 34.3 percent of the human service organization's \$12,067,670 goal has been raised one week after its public kickoff.

Steger, Assistant City Manager, told the audience of enthusiastic volunteers, "You are continuing the commitment of being sensitive to the needs of people who need help in our community through your efforts in this campaign."

The money raised during the campaign will be allocated to the 42 United Way funded agencies in Mecklenburg and Union Counties. More than 200,000 people are assisted yearly through 150 services in the two-county area.

Scoliosis Meeting

The Piedmont Carolinas Chapter of the Scoliosis Association will hold its next meeting on Thursday, October 16, at 7:30 p.m., in the cafeteria of the Orthopedic Hospital of Charlotte, 1301 Randolph Rd. Jan F. Tooke, M.A., L.P.T., will present a program discussing methods of exercise and mobilization of the spinal joints as part of a scoliosis program.

Big Sisters

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year commitment, many matches go longer, and some will perhaps become life long friendships.

The Charlotte agency, organized in 1972, was the first agency in North Carolina and is now a division of United Family Services and is funded by United Way.

The Big Brother-Big Sisters Agency is spear-heading a Minority Recruitment Project that will run the first two weeks in October.

The two main parts of this project are: 1) a media blitz and 2) recruitment in major black churches in Charlotte on Sunday, October 12.

A task force made up of black media and business professionals has worked extensively to plan these two weeks of minority recruitment.

At the end of August, 76 black boys, ages 7 to 15, were waiting for a big brother - some have been waiting two years. At the same time, there were only two black men in screening possibly to become Big Brothers to two of these lucky boys.

How does this compare with the need for white Big Brothers? There are 34 white boys waiting for a big brother.

If you would like to be a friend to a child or feel we can help your child, call 577-3963 or go by the office at 301 S. Brevard Street.

Church News Briefs

The Anointed Ones will be presented in concert at Moore's Sanctuary AME Zion Church on Sunday, October 12, at 6 p.m.

The public is cordially invited to attend.

The church is located at 4100 Morris Field Dr.

ST. MICHAEL'S
The Men's Club of St. Michael's and All Angels Episcopal Church will sponsor the Chapel Choir of St. Augustine's College in concert on Sunday, October 12, 4 p.m., in the Clinton L. Blake Auditorium, West Charlotte Senior High School.

Dr. Prezell Robinson, president of St. Augustine's, will accompany the choir.

Proceeds from the concert will benefit the building fund of St. Michael's Church.

St. Augustine's alumni are urged to respond. The public is cordially invited to attend.

The cost of tickets is \$3. For ticket information, call Sidney E. Smith at 376-8114. You may leave a message.

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