

Brevard Sheltered Workshop Program Supported By United Fund

Sponsored By Local Jaycees, Partially Self-Supporting

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Where do the United Fund dollars go? This is a reasonable question that deserves a reasonable answer.

But clearly, there is not just one answer. There are many, for the United Fund dollars go many places — all worthwhile, all to responsible organizations, all to purposes any charitable citizen would support if he understood the need.

The question can be answered generally or specifically. The general answer will appeal only to the mind, for it is a logical listing of carefully audited requirements, an unemotional statement of the needs of community organizations and services. It has been answered this way, and the answer has been widely publicized.

But once we know the purpose, the works and the stories of personal dedication to a particular service, the answer appeals to the heart. Such an answer can be given for the dollars that go to the Brevard Sheltered Workshop.

SERVICE UNEXCELLED

The Sheltered Workshop provides a service unexcelled in pure humanity anywhere or anytime. It provides a place where retarded or handicapped people — 16 to 65 — can learn, associate with their peers; and, perhaps most of all, gain a sense of purpose in life that would be denied them without public help. It makes the difference between an aimless, shut-in life of no hope, and a future, by the simple provision of a day to day interest in living — so little compared to what most people have; yet so much to those who have so little.

Sponsored by the Brevard Jaycees, the Sheltered Workshop is an example of devotion to a cause and a day-by-day commitment of two dedicated people — Mr. and Mrs. Maynard R. Hunter, Executive Director and Assistant Director of the Workshop. Dedication is obvious in their every act toward those whom they love and help. It is obvious in their aggressive pursuit of public help for the Workshop; their unstinting willingness to do anything, that the Workshop may grow and improve.

LUNCH PROGRAM

Probably the best recent example of the Hunters' leadership is the Workshop's lunch program.

Says Mrs. Ruth Hunter: "A number of the Workshop clients were coming to the shop either without lunch or with lunches completely inadequate. A number came from homes where the diet was clearly insufficient. There was a crying need; something had to be done."

And something was done. Go-getters Mike and Ruth Hunter, backed by the Jaycee sponsors, began investigating the possibilities of government and community help for a lunch program and asking for support.

The result, to skip a lot of hard work and time spent, was that the United States Department of Agriculture agreed to individual contributions of food and individuals contributed food and help. After the first six weeks, the North Carolina Vocational Reha-



It's Luchtime At The Brevard Sheltered Workshop

bilitation Division of the Department of Public Instruction began contributing funds to assist the V. R. sponsored clients and the N. C. Department of Mental Health contributed support for other individuals at the Workshop. All this, together with a lot of hard work in a kitchen, made the lunch program possible. It began in April, 1970, and is now going strong.

You have to see the faces of the Workshop members as they sit down to their hot, home-cooked style meal at noon to appreciate how strong.

PART OF TRAINING

The lunches are prepared and served in the Workshop. Supervised (and a large part of the work done) by Mrs. Hunter, the food preparation and serving is approved by state health agencies. Dietary information is received from professional sources. You couldn't get a better meal anywhere.

The clients themselves help with the work. This leads to a two-fold benefit in the program for the (average) 16 clients of the Workshop. They receive attractive and nourishing food for their noon meal and, at the same time, training in food preparation, table setting, kitchen clean-up, and table manners.

OTHER JOBS

The Sheltered Workshop, while benefitting from U. F. contributions, does not depend upon them alone, of course. It is basically sponsored and supported by the Jaycees. It receives help from individuals who recognize its unique contributions to the public good. It receives help in the lunch program from government sources.

But most important of all, it earns money for itself in an unusual combination of training programs which contribute to the self respect of its clients and at the same time provide useful services.

The Workshop clients do box repairs for industry, address and mail bulk material, reclaim paint and cleaning rags, make decorative bows, and cut surveying stakes. They contract for lawn care—work mowing in the summer; cleanup and leaf raking in the fall —do furniture stripping and handle other simple manufacturing contracts.

ASK U. F. SUPPORT

Where do the United Fund dollars go? Some of them go to help the Brevard Sheltered Workshop. They go to help less fortunate people in a way that is probably as much a kindness as any human can do for another. They go to make life meaningful for neighbors who would otherwise be without hope.

The people at the Sheltered Workshop are a good answer to where the U. F. dollars go. And they ask that everyone give generously, for:

"If you don't do it, it won't get done."

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First Baptists To Hold Youth Rally Nov. 12-14

The First Baptist Church of Brevard will sponsor a city-county wide youth rally November 12th - 14th. The speaker for the rally will be Albert Long of Durham.

Mr. Long graduated from the University of North Carolina in 1955, where he was the second, and last, athlete in UNC history to win letters in football, basketball, baseball and track.

He is on the National Advisory Council of the Fellowship of Christian Athletes (FCA) and has held some 250 high school assembly programs the past four years. He has also recorded two high school assembly talks with World Records, Inc.

In 1967 Albert was the Young Man of the Year in Durham. He spends one weekend a month with Teen Crusade, Inc., with such men as former Yankee second baseman Bobby Richardson, Lt. Clebe McClary, who was such a hit on the Billy Graham Crusade in Anaheim, California, PGA golfer Dave Ragan, and others. He is employed by Minnesota Mutual Life Insurance Company. He won "Service to Mankind" award for Durham in 1970.



ALBERT LONG

ing Friday and Saturday nights. The Friday night service will begin at 10:30 p. m. following the football game. Sturday's service will be at 7:30 p. m.

The public is cordially invited and encouraged to attend these worship services.

State governments will ring up total debts of \$6 billion this fiscal year a Census Bureau study predicts.

A volunteer youth choir will

Business Meet Is Held By Rotary Club

Brevard Rotarians held a business meeting Monday at their regular weekly session in Gaither's Rhododendron room.

President John I. Anderson presided, and a number of items was discussed by the members of the club.

Gene Baker gave a brief inspirational talk on Rotary to begin the meeting, and Harry Haderer inducted Clifford Frady into the club as a new member. Mr. Frady is manager of Pisgah Gardens.

A committee was appointed to work with the Transylvania County Christmas House. Serving on the committee are Harry Haderer, Jerry Purser and Doug Thomason.

Dr. Marius Wells reported on the Botanical Gardens project of the Rotary club.

Several other matters were referred to the Board of Directors.

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Optometrists Attend Meet In Charlotte

Dr. Glenn S. Matheny, Dr. Frank B. McGuire and Dr. E. O. Roland, local optometrists, attended a symposium Sunday on the Bausch and Lomb Soflens contact lens.

The Charlotte meeting was attended by several hundred practitioners from North and South Carolina and Virginia. This was the initial introduction of this new concept in contact lenses in this area.

Bob Sherrill Is Honored, Retires Here

Robert C. (Bob) Sherrill, native of Transylvania County, who left in 1951 to take a job in Columbus County with Riegel Paper Company, retired October 29th and has returned to retire in his cabin on top of Jeter Mountain.

A dinner party was given by Riegel Paper Company where Mr. Sherrill was recognized by C. C. Peters, Vice President of the Company.

Those attending this special occasion were Mrs. Jo Merrill, of Chimney Rock; D. M. Sherrill, II, of Ireland, Mrs. Bobbie Rimmer, of Chesapeake, Virginia, John Sherrill, of Burgaw, and Mrs. Sam Reed, of Edneyville. Another son, R. C., Jr., was unable to attend.

Mr. Sherrill has a sister, Mrs. Edith Allison, of Pisgah Forest, and Mrs. Sherrill, a brother, C. R. Ramer, also of Pisgah Forest.

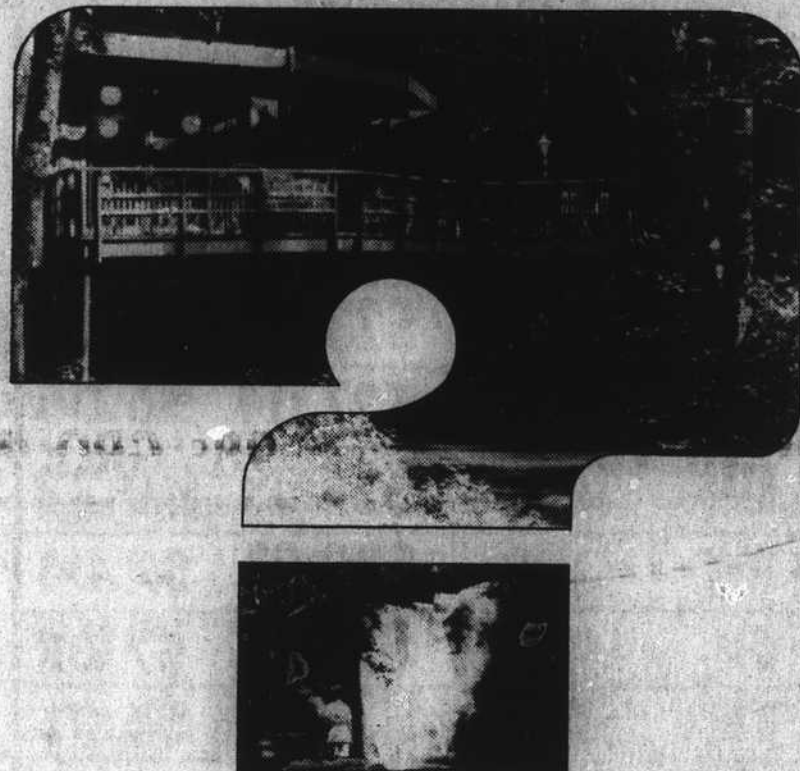
The Sherrills extend an invitation to all their friends to visit them at their home on Jeter Mountain.

Shrine Club Meets Monday

The Transylvania Shrine Club will hold its regular monthly meeting on Monday, November 8th, at 7:00 p. m., at Berry's.

All Shriners are urged to attend.

The average American spends only 18.7 per cent of his income on food, compared with 27 to 30 percent in Western Europe and Japan, and 50 per cent in India.



What's my line? name

I know very well what my line is: it's serving absolutely scrumptious meals, at reasonable prices, three times a day, to residents and tourists in the Brevard area. But my creators (parents, if you will), the developers of the new "Un-city"—Connestee Falls—forgot to give me a name! Now really, I don't want to go through life being called "The Connestee Inn Restaurant", I'm far too glamorous for that.

So, I need your help. Please give me a name, and I'll repay the kindness. I'm having a contest, and the person who picks the name I like best will win an All-Expense-Paid Weekend Vacation For Two—at the Connestee Inn, of course. That's three days and two nights, double occupancy, six meals per person.

To enter the contest, just visit me at Connestee Falls, six miles south of Brevard on U.S. 276 and pick up an entry blank. And while you're here, if you'll try some of my fare, perhaps it will help you choose a really great name. But whether you eat my food or not, come on down for a look (I'm pretty, too) and get your entry blank.

Also, while you're here, my folks, the Connestee Falls people, would like to host you on a tour of our private, recreational/residential community now being constructed as an "Un-city"... uncrowded, unpolluted and unspoiled.

Please hurry and give me a name... the contest ends November 15.

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(Alias The Connestee Inn Restaurant)

Connestee Falls

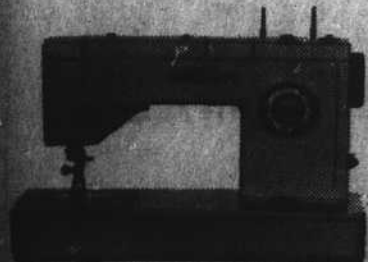
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