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## Rock & Roll Party Set Wednesday



DR. JIVE OF WSRC IN DURHAM  
All Set For Rock And Roll Request Party Show

### "Dr. Jive" To Spin Records On Morehead Bldg. Steps

By LARRY CHEEK

Rock and roll will launch a full scale invasion of the Carolina campus Wednesday night when "Dr. Jive" comes to town for a two and one-half hour record request and variety show on the Morehead Building steps.

The show, sponsored and organized by the Summer Activities Council, will last from 8 to 10:30 p.m. Students are urged to bring blankets and come early for a choice spot on the lawn facing the Morehead Building.

The evening's feature performer will of course be "Dr. Jive," a Negro rock and roll disc jockey from station WSRC in Durham. Dr. Jive, or Jimmy Byrd as he is known to some, will spin records by request during the show. In addition, he will add variety to the proceedings by interviewing various members of the student body.

Dr. Jive will bring along two other acts who will entertain the crowd from time to time. They are Buddy McKnight, a song stylist and pianist, and Reggie Dalton, a comedian.

Request boxes and slips have been placed at strategic points around campus, and anyone who wishes to request a song may do so by filling out one of these slips. The boxes will be collected Tuesday and turned over to Dr. Jive.

Although the emphasis will be on rock and roll, a fair sampling of pop and dreamy tunes will be sprinkled throughout the program. So anyone who wishes may request one of the less violent type tunes.

An hour segment of the show will be taped and played back the following day on the "Dr. Jive Show" on WSRC from 1 to 2 p.m. The broadcast segment will be given the full treatment

complete with commercials and all the trimmings.

Present plans call for a break in the show about 9:30 p.m. when refreshments will be served.

Byrd began his show business career in New York City where he was a combination comedian and emcee in various big town hot spots. He later moved on to radio station WWRL in New York to act as "flunky" and record puller for the original Dr. Jive.

Becoming interested in the disc jockey field, he took a six-months short course in radio, then found his budding career interrupted by Uncle Sam's call.

After four years in the Air Force, he spent one year at Morgan College. Then he caught on

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### Square Dance Slated Tonite

All students have been invited to attend the Graduate Club square dance to be held in the Y Court at 8 o'clock tonight. In addition to "string" music, popular tunes will be provided for more conventional forms of dancing.

Bob Rennick, Graduate Club spokesman, will do the calling, records will supply the music and gaily-colored skirts and shirts will comprise the decorations.

The dance, co-sponsored by the Summer Activities Council, was planned by P. E. Barrows, Jean Pierre Boissavit, Preston Browning, Tom Donnelly, Dave Heck and Bob Rennick.

The event is free of charge and open to all students. Refreshments will be on sale in the Y Court.

## Carolina Playmakers To Premiere Three Student One-Act Dramas

Three new one-act plays will be given premiere productions in the Playmaker's Theatre on tonight and Saturday evening at 8 o'clock.

### Students Needed For Fall Orientation

Like people?

Then perhaps you might be interested in being an orientation counselor for graduate students this fall.

Grad students, like freshmen, will participate in a two-day orientation to "The Carolina Way of Life," on arrival here in September.

According to Bob Rennick—spokesman for the Graduate Club which is sponsoring orientation for grad students again this year—"Anyone interested in participating in the project is asked to apply at the Y office."

### Swimming Party Set By Activities Council

One swimming party coming up!

That's the word we hear from Richard Love, who reports that the Summer Activities Council has scheduled a splash party for Wednesday, August 14, at Kessing Pool.

Bathing suits and casual clothes will be the attire for the event, which is open to all students without charge.

Selected as the best scripts written in Professor John W. Parker's playwriting class last term, *Bid Time Return* and *A Midsummer Tonic*, both by James Poteat of Charlotte, and *April in the Moon* by Lewis Ennis of Delray Beach, Fla., will comprise the bill.

As usual on these occasions the audience will be invited to comment on the plays and the productions after each is shown.

Student directors are Philip Fischer of Boston, Mass., Rose Lily Soller of the Philippine Islands, and Lewis Ennis of Delray Beach, Florida. The stage managers are Elizabeth Bolton

of Chapel Hill, Glenn Holt of Erwin, and Larry Thorp of Rocky Mount.

Chapel Hillians appearing in the casts include Myra Lauterer, Barbara Bounds, Gloria Di Costanzo, Peter Sinclair, Dee Casey and Bobbi Bounds.

University students and Junior Playmakers completing the casts are Charles Oakley, Susan Dorris, Jane Morgan, Ruth Young, William Sills, Andrea Mayland, Nancetta Hudson, John Whitty, Sam Baker, Lewis Ennis, Emily Jackson, Joan Tyler and Russell Link.

Sets for these productions were designed by Ed Massengill, Russell Link and John Whitty.

## Polio Total Jumps; Students Urged To Get Shots

By BILL CHESHIRE

With 47 polio cases next door in Durham County (more than half the state total), 3 cases here in Orange County and 1 UNC student under observation at press time, Carolina students have been advised to report to the infirmary for Salk polio shots.

Students may obtain these shots now at the Student Health Service for \$1 per shot. A total of three shots is given. The second shot is given two months after the first; the last shot seven months after the second. The shots will be given free to all students under the age of 19 and expectant mothers.

As the polio season got off to

a near-record start in this area, Dr. Edward Hedgpath, director of the Student Health Service, strongly urged students to take no chances. "We have always advised students to take the shots," he said.

A 24-year-old UNC student, Robert Dale Wood of Chapel Hill, is under observation as a possible polio victim.

However, there has been no definite diagnosis yet. After spending several days in the infirmary, he was removed to his home last week.

In nearby Hillsboro, three 14-year-olds are among those in this area who have fallen victim to the disease. Authorities are not sure whether these children had

taken the Salk polio vaccine, according to Katherine Hearne at the Chapel Hill Health Dept.

None of these three cases has involved paralysis.

Durham's 47 cases this year (as of press time) are only one shy of the total in that county for the

entire year of 1956 and new cases are being reported each day.

Officials there have issued an appeal to the National Foundation for Infantile Paralysis requesting emergency funds to handle the rising number of polio cases.

## Top Stars Featured In Free Flick

A mirth-provoking comedy—*A Letter to Three Wives*—is the free flick for this coming week and is scheduled Thursday at 8 p.m. in Carroll Hall.

Starring Jeanne Crain, Linda Darnell, Ann Sothorn, Paul Douglas, Kirk Douglas and Thelma Ritter, the flick is being

presented by the Summer Activities Council in conjunction with the Summer School Film Festival.

*Bannister Wins the Mile Run* is the short subject film which shows how on August 7, 1954 at Vancouver, Canada, John Landy and Roger Bannister broke the four-minute mile.