

## Social Calendar

- March 24 - Women's History Month luncheon, 12:30 p.m., Family Life Center, First United Methodist Church, 190 E. Franklin Blvd., Gastonia. Adults and older students. \$10 includes lunch and program. Speaker Dr. Patricia A. Skinner, President, Gaston College. Tickets available at all Gaston County Public Library branches. Deadline for tickets March 15. Call 922-3621 weekdays 9 a.m.-6 p.m.
- March 24-27 - "A Woman Called Truth," 7:30 p.m., CCC auditorium. \$6 adults, \$5 students and senior citizens. 484-4025. March 26 performance at 2:30 p.m.
- March 25 - Frog Features, 2 p.m., Crowders Mountain State Park. Park ranger will lead a frog ID slide program and lake hike. Program will last 1 1/2 hours. Call 853-5375 for more information.
- March 25 - Night music, Kings Mountain State Park. Meet at farm parking lot by 7 p.m. 1 1/2 hour program. Take flashlight and hot drink. Ages 6-adult. Register by March 23. Free. Call 803/222-3209 between 11 a.m.-noon and 4-5 p.m. daily.
- March 25 - 12 noon-8 p.m. - Blacksburg High School Band Booster Club fish fry. Adults \$6, children 12-under \$3. Plates include fish filet, slaw, hush puppies, French fries and drink. Band students will wait tables and bring more food as requested. Carry-out plates available.
- March 25 - 1 p.m., Gastonia Chapter 955 United Daughters of the Confederacy meeting, North Main Baptist Church, Highway 273, Mount Holly. Program "Using the Federal Census to Research Veterans of the War Between the States" by Judson Crowe.
- March 26 - 2-5 p.m., Cleveland-Rutherford Kidney Association Skatathon at Rollerrama, Polkville. First prize \$75 gift certificate, second prize \$50 gift certificate, third prize \$25 gift certificate. Call Kidney Association at 481-9535 for information.
- March 27 - Kings Mountain Womens Club, 7 p.m., "Volunteers for Education" program by Betty Gamble of KM Schools and John Pinkerton of Reliance Electric. District art winners will be recognized.
- March 28 - "Swindlers are Calling," seminar for older adults, 1 p.m., Kings Mountain Senior Center. Learn how to handle a telephone swindler. Call KM Senior Center, 734-0447.
- March 28 - Board of Directors of the Women's Resource Center of Cleveland County will meet at 6:30 p.m. at the Cleveland County Administration Building. Public invited. For information call Hayden S. Wilkerson at 484-0344.
- March 31 - Seminar "Making Your Workplace Drug-Free," 9 a.m.-noon, Gaston Memorial Hospital auditorium. Presenters Harold G. Lilly, PhD, and Vince McGarvey, Human Resources Manager, General Tire, Charlotte. Lunch provided. To register call 825-7297.
- April 1 - 9-11 a.m., Woman's Club bake sale, Woman's Club Building, East Mountain St. Cakes, pies, casseroles, breads. Proceeds to Scholarship Fund.
- April 1 - Senior Citizens dance and social, 7-10 p.m., Kings Mountain Senior Center. Call 734-0447 for information.
- April 13 - Southern Arts Society meeting, 7 p.m., Kings Mountain Woman's Club, 108 E. Mountain St., Kings Mountain.
- April 20 - Free blood pressure clinic, 10-11:30 a.m., for senior adults 60 and older. Call 734-0447 for information.
- April 21 - Senior Citizens dance and social, 7-10 p.m., Kings Mountain Senior Center. Call 734-0447 for information.
- April 22 - Bird Walk, 9 a.m., farm parking lot, Kings Mountain State Park. \$2. Register by April 21 by calling (803) 222-3209 between 11 a.m.-noon and 4-5 p.m. daily. Program lasts 2 1/2 hours. Take binoculars, bird guide and drink.
- April 29 - March of Dimes walk-a-thon. Sign up for Kings Mountain Police Dept. team at KMPD. Register 8 a.m. April 29 at Cleveland County Courthouse. For information on walking or sponsoring, call Marty Blanton or Theresa Long at KMPD, 734-0444.
- May 4 - Gaston Choral Society Spring Concert, 8 p.m., Hunter Huss High auditorium, Gastonia. Tickets at door.
- May 6 - World of Quilts, 9:30 a.m.-5 p.m., Living History Farm, KM State Park. Take your favorite quilt to be displayed. There will be quilting demonstrations and informal talks. Free.
- May 13 - Herbs of the Upcountry and Their Uses, 10:30 a.m., Living History Farm, KM State Park. Learn about the uses of aromatic herbs such as cooking and medicine while wandering through herb gardens. Ages 12-adult. Free. (803) 222-3209.
- May 19-20 - Cancer Society Relay for Life, Shelby High School Stadium. 24-hour walk around track to raise funds. Call 482-1566 or 482-5614.
- May 20 - Nature Walk, 9 a.m., farm parking lot, KM State Park. Register by May 18 by calling (803) 222-3209 between 11 a.m.-noon and 4-5 p.m. weekdays. Discover the habitats of plants and animals who live on the farm. Take binoculars, field guides and snack. AGES 6-adult. \$2. Program last 2 1/2 hours.

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### Gaston Choral Society needs patrons

Gaston Choral Society is conducting its annual patron drive. Four different categories of patrons are offered, with patrons receiving complimentary tickets to concerts and name recognition in concert programs. Categories include Whole Note (20 complimentary tickets) \$100; Half Note (10 complimentary tickets) \$50; Quarter Note (five complimentary tickets) \$25; and Eighth Note (two complimentary tickets) \$10. Patron categories are half-price. Tickets after the fund drive are \$5 for adults and \$3 for senior citizens and students. For more information, call Esther Muench at 739-1917 or send a check to Bob Thornburg, 318 Thornburg Road, Dallas, NC 28034.

### Conservation program at Woman's Club

A program on conservation will feature Monday night's Woman's Club meeting at 7 p.m. at the clubhouse. Five members of the Woman's Club will attend the state art festival in Winston-Salem Saturday. President Esther Muench will lead the delegation. Betty Gamble and Linda Dixon are co-hostesses for the Gideon dinner which the club will serve on Tuesday night at the clubhouse. Karl Moss, the city's Superintendent of Public Works, will be guest speaker. Jackie Cooper is program chairman.

### CCB, Security Capital announce merger

CCB Financial Corporation and Security Capital Bancorp announced today that their respective shareholders approved the merger of SCBC into CCBF at special shareholder meetings held March 16.

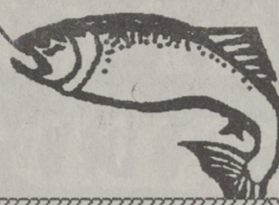
As the resulting corporation, CCBF will have consolidated assets of more than \$4.7 billion and will operate approximately 150 offices in North Carolina. A great majority of the offices will be in the most populous and commercially developed area of the state extending from the Research Triangle region surrounding Raleigh and Durham, along the I-85/I-40 corridors through the Piedmont Triad region surrounding Greensboro and Winston-Salem, to the metrolina region surrounding Charlotte. CCBF and SCBC currently expect the merger, and the related mergers of SCBC's financial institution subsidiaries, Security Capital Bank and OMNIBANK, SSB, Salisbury, Citizens Savings, SSB Concord, and Home Savings Bank, SSB, Kings Mountain into Central Carolina Bank and Trust Company, to close on May 19.

### Business Briefs

■ James Farris of Shelby has joined the staff of Cleveland Community College's maintenance department. Previously he was employed in maintenance for the Insignia Management Group.

■ Carole C. Misenheimer has been promoted to investment officer by the BB&T Board of Directors in Wilson. Misenheimer is an investment officer in Cleveland and Rutherford Counties.

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3 Lbs. Or More - Market Fresh Ground Turkey **59¢** Lb.

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Grouper Fillets **\$4.99** Lb. Pan Ready Croakers **\$1.99** Lb.

Fresh Crisp Romaine Lettuce **69¢** Lb.

Fresh Green Asparagus **\$1.99** Lb.

Large Russet Baking Potatoes **39¢** Lb.

Red Or White Potatoes **69¢** Lb. *New Crop*

16 Oz. Bama Grape Jelly **79¢**

Reg. \$1.19

17.6 Oz. Kellogg's Smacks **\$1.99**

Reg. \$3.35

128 Oz. Clorox Liquid **89¢**

Reg. \$1.09

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2 Liter Pepsi Cola

Diet Pepsi, Caffeine Free Pepsi, Caffeine Free Diet Pepsi

2 Liter Mt. Dew, 7-Up, Diet 7-Up **.89**

6 Pk. - 16 Oz. NR Bottles Mt. Dew, Mt. Dew, Pepsi, Diet Pepsi **2.19**

## MVP Customers

Look For This Tag When You Shop For Additional Savings

Prices in this ad good Wednesday, March 22 thru Tuesday, March 28, 1995. We Reserve The Right To Limit Quantities.