

COMMUNITY CALENDAR

February 22, 1991, at 9 am at the West Las Vegas Library, 951 West Lake Mead Boulevard, Las Vegas, THE POSITIVE LINK COMMUNITY SHARING MEETING will meet, sponsored by the Department of Human Resources, Welfare Division, The Bureau of Alcohol and Drug Abuse, Clark County Juvenile Court Services, and Clark County School District. Call 455-5418 for more information and reservations.

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**LEADERSHIP 91:
 PROGRESS
 THROUGH UNITY**

The Black Student Association at the University of Nevada, Las Vegas is hosting an African-American youth leadership conference on Friday, February 22, 1991 through Sunday, February 24, 1991. The conference will present workshops and seminars to provide students of all racial and ethnic backgrounds an opportunity to enhance their leadership abilities. Guest speakers include Conrad Muhammad, the Youth Leader for the Nation of Islam, and Susan Taylor, Editor-in-Chief of essence magazine and television show, as well as some very interesting local leaders!

"There's a whole lot of something going on" so with that in mind, join the Black Student Association at UNLV in an attempt to find out just what that "something" is!

For more information please contact the BSA Conference Committee at (702) 649-7869.

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SELF-ESTEEM WORKSHOP
 UNLV's Office of Minority Student Affairs, Central Telephone Co., and Caesars Palace are sponsoring a Self-Esteem and Career Development Workshop, Feb. 24, 5-7 p.m., in Moyer Student Union Lounge 203 on

the university campus.

The workshop will be "The Dynamics of Being Assertive."

For more information, call 597-4165

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**BLACK HISTORY MONTH
 RECOGNIZED IN LIBRARY
 PROGRAMS**

In February, several programs in libraries acknowledge Black History Month.

"Africa for Africans at Home and Abroad," an historical slide, photo and poetry presentation by Kimya Boner, director of Westside Poets, will be held at the West Las Vegas Library, 951 W. Lake Mead Blvd., Feb. 24, at 2 p.m. The program highlights the life of controversial African-American activist Marcus Garvey.

Dr. Paul Meacham, President of Clark County Community College, traces "The History of Blacks in America" in a lecture at the Sunrise Library, 5400 Harris Ave., Feb 27, 7 p.m. The lecture will be followed by the St. James the Apostle Catholic Church Choir directed by Susan Wolf performing traditional spirituals.

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**SO YOU WANT TO
 START A BUSINESS**
 The SBA, Score and UNLV division of continuing education are sponsoring a seminar dealing with the legal structure, licensing, business planning, dealing with your banker, marketing and advertising as well as financial requirements on Thursday, February 28, 1991 from 9 am-4:30 pm at the St. Tropez, 455 E. Harmon, Monte Carlo Room. For more information call 739-3707

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**Financial Planning and
 Computer-Aided Accounting
 for Small Business**
 The Small Business Administration, service corps of retired

executives and Clark County Community College will co-sponsor a workshop on financial planning and computer aided accounting on Friday, March 8, 1991, from 8:30 a.m. to noon at Clark County Community College, 3200 E. Cheyenne Ave., Room 1227. FEE: \$30.00. Call 643-6060, ext. 200 for registration.

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 The North Las Vegas Chamber of Commerce, in conjunction with the City of North Las Vegas, has set Thursday, April 18th, 1991 for its annual Economic Development Bus Tour.

The one and one-half tour will depart 2:00 p.m. from North Las Vegas City Hall and will view a variety of new and existing points of economic interest. Tour participants will receive an updated, detailed Resource Guide on North Las Vegas. Immediately following the tour, a Reception will be hosted by the City of North Las Vegas and the Chamber on the lawn at City Hall.

With over \$100 million in building permits issued in North Las Vegas this past year, the 1991 tour promises to be the best yet.

For registration information contact the North Las Vegas Chamber at 642-9595.

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**CALL FOR ARTISTS
 & CRAFTSMEN**
 The Clark County Department of Parks and Recreation is sponsoring the 7th Annual Craft Fair and Rib Burn Off on May 18 and 19 at Sunset Park. Any artists or craftsmen with original works interested in participating should call 455-08200 for applications and information. The application deadline is March 6, 1991.

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 The Las Vegas Water District, along with other concerned

businesses, is co-sponsoring "Water Wise 91." Experts from all areas will give presentations on a variety of subjects, such as water conservation and water efficient landscaping. There will be workshops and lectures for everyone, both beginners as well as professionals. In addition to the presentations and lectures, there will be vendors and other exhibitors with activities for children ages 5-12. The public is encouraged to bring their questions and learn from the experts. This event will take place at UNLV, Moyer Student Union, on Saturday, March 16, 1991, from 8:00 a.m. to 4:00

p.m. Admission is FREE!!!

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 Bridge Counseling Associates offers a Day Treatment Program for adolescents 12-17 years of age with substance abuse problems. Transportation and dinner are included. Call 474-6450 for details.

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**Small Business Tax
 Deductions, Strategies
 for Business and
 Professional People**
 You need this seminar if you are self-employed, in outside sales, professional, consultants, people conducting a second

business, people who hold jobs that don't withhold taxes, owner-employees of a small corporation, partner's in a partnership, or any other capacity that requires you to pick up the tab for your own business expenses.

This class has two purposes: 1) to build a strategy to reduce your income taxes. 2) to reduce your fear of the I.R.S.

The instructor is Samuel Morris, senior tax advisor for Morris and Associates. For further information call 735-5555.

This seminar is sponsored by Valley Bank.

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REID RESPONDS TO LATEST DEVELOPMENTS IN THE GULF

This is U.S. Senator Harry Reid's statement on the latest developments in the Persian Gulf War:

"In analyzing the extremely lengthy statement read in Iraq today, we should remember that Saddam Hussein is a cold-blooded liar who will say and do anything for his own personal glory. He has lied and killed before and he is capable of doing so again. Saddam's announcement has certainly been released for propaganda purposes, since the many conditions for withdrawal indicate very little good faith on Saddam's part."

"His statement does indicate that the coalition is winning this war and that the allied military pressure is hurting Saddam's war machine. This confirms the wisdom of the coalition's strategy and that's why the bombing should not be stopped until Saddam Hussein agrees to withdraw from Kuwait without any conditions."

THE NAACP AND YOU!



Rev. Jesse D. Scott
 President
 Las Vegas, NAACP



THE NAACP AND YOU - ATTORNEY GENERAL DEL PAPA RESPONDS

Frankie Sue Del Papa responds to the outcry of the good citizens of Southern Nevada Black, White Yellow and Red who have almost said in unison "Enough is Enough." The Attorney General's letter came to me in the aftermath of the killing of Charles Bush a Black man by strangulation by three Metro-Police officers in his apartment on July 31, 1990 and the subsequent hung jury on February 7, 1991.

The Attorney General expressed in her letter that she had attempted to reach me by telephone on several occasions and that she was aware of the concern and deep felt feeling of the people relative to the recently held trial of Charles Bush in Clark County.

The Attorney General ended her letter by saying the discussion to retry this case was difficult one and it would be made independent of any political consideration. Attorney General Del Papa must fully understand her position calls for making difficult decisions. Taking the Attorney General at her word this decision can be made very easy doing what she took an oath of office to do that is to abide by and uphold the constitution of the United States and the laws and statutes of the State of Nevada.

The U.S. Constitution and the Fourth Amendment mandate that there shall be no unlawful search and seizures unless that there is an emergency. The three Metro Police officers had no warrant and there was no emergency. We can't understand why it is so difficult for her to decide whether she will order a new trial. The Attorney General can be assured of two things: another election is coming up in four years and that the Charles Bush case will never be swept under the rug and die for attention. This case will only be closed when Justice is done. Which has not happened yet.

Ebony Fashion Show tickets are available in the NAACP office located at 940 E. Owens Ave. Call 646-1662 or come to the office. General Admission tickets \$20. Reserved tickets \$30.

The Las Vegas Branch NAACP will hold a community protest rally Monday, February 25, 1991, 6:30 p.m., at Pentecostal Temple Church of God in Christ which is located at 1111 North "F" Street, Bishop E. N. Webb Pastor. The purpose of the rally is to discuss the Charles Bush Trial and to make plans for a protest march in Las Vegas. The community is invited to attend.

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