GOMMUNITY GALENDAR

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To preserve the health of our customers, smoking will be prohibited in all Las Vegas African-American Barber Shops. Las Vegas African-American Barbers.

* * * ATTENTION RESIDENTS OF LAS VEGAS

Simba Talent Development Center, Inc. is offering a special after school training program in dance, drama, and music. Classes are provided in Tap, Ballet, and Modern dance. Also voice and acting. Professionally trained instructors.

Ages 8-18: 4:00 to 8:00 p.m. Monday - Thursday; Ages 3-7; 12:00 to 5:00 p.m. Saturday. Scholarships available. All classes held in the Herbert P. Gerson Community Center, 2020 McGuire. For more information call 647-8808 days, or 648-3715 after 5:00 p.m. ask for LaVerne, Teri, or Marilyn.

Se Habla Español.

*** FREE DAY CARE

The Title XX Child Day Care Program have funds available for low income families. Parents must either be working, in a shortterm training program, or seeking employment.

For more information, call Deloris Carter-Bell at 647-4010.

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Toughlove, a self help program for families struggling with unacceptable teenage behavior, meets at 7:00 p.m. every Tuesday at 2917 West Washington. Call for additional information...

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The Suicide Prevention Center offers a support group for Survivors of Suicide. This is open to family members who have lost a loved one thru suicide. For further information call 731-2990 and ask for Sara or the S.O.S. Coordinator."

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A Message especially for single moms...Now, more than ever, we all need someone. If you are a single mom who could use a helping hand to cope, or a woman who has something to offer a single mother in need, call Bridge Counseling Associates at 474-6450 and ask about MOMS. That's MOMS- a free community service program for single moms.

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The Black Cultural Awareness Society of Southern Nevada will be holding their 1992 African Diaspora Summer Film Festival through August 22 at several locations throughout Las Vegas.

The four films featured are: Daughters of the Dark, Xica, Sitting in Limbo, and Yaaba.

Each film will be shown once a week at a different location each week, and is free to the public.

The locations include: The Southern Desert Correctional Center, Community College of Southern Nevada, Gerson Projects, A.D. Guy Center, W.L.V. Library, Black Fire Fighters Hall, N.L.V. Library and U.N.L.V.

For further information call 893-0105.

*** TALENT NEEDED

Can you sing, dance, perform magic, have a comedy routine, ect... Currently there is a need for talents of all kinds to perform in a weekly showcase with cash give-aways. If you are interested or have any questions call 593-2874.

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The 93rd Grand Lodge Convention and the 90th Temple Convention of the improved Benevolent Protective Order of Elks of the World willcontinue through August 7, 1992 at Bally's Hotel.

The I.B.P.O. Elks of the World, the world largest predominantly Black fraternal organization, estimates fifty thousand (50,000) members, their families and visitors will be in attendance, traveling from across the United States and other parts of the world.

Its member consists of a broad cross section of business, professional, religious, governmental, educational, medical and grass roots men and women.

A wide variety of activities will be open to the public.

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The 15th Annual Affair presented by the Cosmetiques will be:

"Summer Time - DOING IT IN STYLE" FASHION SHOW Sunday, August 16, 1992 -7:00 p.m. - until

NEW TOWN TAVERN, 600 West Jackson

Donation \$12.00 (Food-Entertainment-Door prizes included)

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Join the Professional Black Firefighters of Clark County for their Wednesday Night Showcase from 5:00 p.m. until 9:00 p.m. located at Patricia's Lounge, 208 E. Sahara Ave. (Sahara and Paradise). Free Hors d'oeuvres, Entertainment, \$1.00 Drink Specials: Domestic Beer, Domestic Wine, and Well Drinks. There is no cover charge.

Wednesday, August 12, 1992-Firefighters Appreciation Night. The men and women of the Professional Black Firefighters cordially invite everyone to enjoy all of these events. For more information, call (702) 791-0107 Entertainment Dir./Hostess, Ms. Weeks

*** UNLV ADVENTURES SUMMER 1992 CALENDAR

AUG. 21-23 Humboldt National Forest \$55 Adaven - Troy Peak Backpacking Adventure AUG 24-28

Sea Kayak Adventure \$275 Mexico - Cabo Punta Banda, Pacific Ocean

We attempt to organize the outdoors, you are invited to join us!!

Ask for information about these adventures and the upcoming fall calendar in MSU 137, Outdoor Recreation — 739-3575.

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Concerned Parent Committee GRAND OPENING, August 7, 1992. FREE LUNCH!! Place: 1037 Miller; Time: 12-2p.m.

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The Nevada Chapter of the National Association for Sickle Cell Disease, Inc., 10th Annual Anniversary Banquet will be held Saturday, September 26, 1992 at the Plaza Suite Hotel, beginning at 8:00 p.m., honoring:

Mr. Greg Morris, Television
Personality & Humanitarian

 Dr. Jack Lazerson, State Chairman, Sickle Cell Disease Advisory Committee & Professor of Pediatrics, University of Nevada.

The National Association for Sickle Cell Disease, Inc. in cosponsorship with local businesses and organizations in the Las Vegas community, has been coordinating fundraisers such as this for the last 10 years. For more information call 646-8422.

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If you would like to be a part of a new film, then here's your chance. On Wednesday, August 26th, 1992 at the New Beach House Cafe, located at 4550 S. Maryland...The fun starts at 8:30 p.m. until 12:30 p.m.

Come and enjoy free Champagne, Buffet, some of the finest entertainment in town!! This is not just a chance to be a part of a hot new film, but a chance to

have a part in a hot new industry!!

Please RSVP by calling (702)382-2888 or (702) 259-0188 on or before August 21st, 1992.

* * * NATIONAL ASSOCIATION FOR PROFESSIONAL SALESWOMEN

Topic: Politics: Debating the Truth. On Thursday, August 27, 1992, Bill Vassiliadis and Jon Ralston will be the guest speakers. Our guests are two of the most knowledgeable political analysts in Nevada, and have promised to share their insights with us regarding the upcoming election.

The public is invited to attend the monthly breakfast meeting of the National Association for Professional Saleswomen of Southern Nevada. The August meeting will be held at 7:10 a.m. on Thursday, August 27, 1992 at the Palace Station, 2nd level.

For more information, please contact the NAPS Hotline at 593-NAPS.

* * * THE SOUTHERN NEVADA ADOPTION ASSOCIATION

A support group for families who are interested in adopting or have adopted a child (ren), especially those with special needs, meets monthly to provide a non-threatening environment in which to share experiences and gain insight. The next meeting is THURSDAY, August 13, 1992, from 7:30 p.m. until 9:00 p.m. at First Christian Church, 101 South Rancho Dr., Room 6. If you have any questions regarding this Adoption Support Group, please call 648-5769.

* * * "Get Your Act Together" Talent Showcase

Every Friday beginning August 7, 1992. The cost is \$10 per person. Its location is at the historic Moulin Rouge Hotel and Casino 900 West Bonanza Rd. Get ready for the great sounds, dynamic movement, and roaring laughter. Be part of the live audience response all for your enjoyment. A Simba Talent Development Center Production. Call 647-8808 for more information.

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MONDAY, AUGUST 17, 1992
StreetWise Alive
Wet 'n Wild Day

Wet 'n Wild Park, 2601 S. Las Vegas Blvd.

End of summer splash. \$20

DOOLITTLE SATELLITE SENIOR CENTER ACTIVITIES-AUG. 9-AUG. 17

The Doolittle Satellite Senior Center, located inside the Doolittle Community Center, at 1901 N. "J" Street (at W. Lake Mead) is open to people age 55 and older from 10 a.m. to 2 p.m., Monday and Friday.

The following programs have been scheduled for August, but please be advised that changes may have occurred since this printing. Please call 229-6125 or 229-6289 to confirm the time and date of the activity and to sign up.

Aerobic exercise classes meet at 10 a.m. every Monday, Wednesday, and Friday.

Embroider and craft classes meet at noon every Monday.
Learn to Tri-Chem (shirt design) at 11 a.m., Mondays
Skin and Hair Care classes meet 10 a.m., Tuesdays.
Coffee and games are offered at 10 a.m. every Tuesday and

Thursday.

Bingo is played at noon every Tuesday and Thursday.

Sewing and stitching classes meet at 12 noon every Wed-

nesday.

Poetry and creative writing classes meet at 10 a.m. every Tuesday.

A sketching class with Mitch meets at 10 a.m. every Friday.

Quilting is offered at noon Fridays.

Unless indicated otherwise, the number to call to sign up for activities is 229-6125.

adults (10 years and older), children \$17 (3-9 years), and children under three are free. Day includes exclusive private use of picnic area, special games and prizes, a live disc jockey and

dancing, pre-taping for youth dance TV show, free unlimited soft drinks, food coupons, live radio remote, and special \$5 off ticket for a return visit. Call 457-1652 for more info.

THE NAACP AND YOU!



Rev. Jesse D. Scott President Las Vegas, NAACP



DR. GIBSON SPEAKS

The first full day of activities at the NAACP's 1992 Annual Convention at Nashville's Convention Center climaxes tonight. Monday July 13th, with a Public Mass Meeting at which Dr. William F. Gibson, Chairman, National NAACP Board of Directors, will deliver his convention speech. The time is 7 P.M. and the location is the Covention Center Exhibit Hall East.

Earlier in the day, the NAACP's Commerce and Industry Show will open doors from 10 A.M. to 6 P.M. in the Convention Center Exhibit Hall Center. Insides will be the booths of over 200 major corporations as well as government and non-profit agencies. Outside of the exhibit Hall, space has been provided for a number of minority vendors, many of whom are displaying hand crafted art and artifacts as well as other items.

Guest speaker for the morning plenary session at 10 A.M. will be Dr. William Gray, President, United Negro College Fund. There will also be the Presentation of the Chairman's Corporate Social Responsibility Award to Hugh McColl Jr., President/CEO Nationsbank.

A highlight of the afternoon will be the presentation of the ACT-SO awards. The formal name of the program is the Afro-Academic, Cultural, Technological and Scientific Olympics. It is a national program that encourages academic achievement. Over \$300,000 in scholarships and prizes will be awarded to the top three finalists in more than 24 categories.

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