Nevada women in politics will be honored at a gala fund-raising dinner benefiting the UNLV Women's Center

The event, which will be held on the evening of October 10 at the UNLV campus at 7:00 p.m., will be co-hosted by Las Vegas Mayor Jan Laverty Jones and Elaine Wynn. Entertainment and a silent auction are also planned.

Those being honored at the gala include Congresswoman Barbara Vuccanovich, State Senators Dina Titus and Ann O'Connell, Assemblywomen Myrna Williams, Sandi Krenzer and Chris Guinchigliani, Lt. Governor Sue Wagner, Secretary of State Cheryl Lau, and other city and state officials.

Designed to be a place of nurturing, support and assistance, the Women's Center offers such services as outreach programs, workshops and seminars, career information, counseling, a mentor program and other important contributions. Programs and services deal with single parenthood, child care, date rape, college re-entry, career transition, sexual harassment and similar

For further information regarding the dinner, contact the Women's Center at 597-4475.

# EBB AS SPOKESPERS

Veronica Webb, writermodel-actress, has been signed by Revlon, Inc., to an exclusive contract as model and spokesperson. Joining Revlon's other glamorous international spokeswomen Cindy Crawford and Claudia Schiffer, Ms. Webb will focus on the firm's soon-to-be launched Colorstyle cosmetics which is described as the ultimate cosmetics collection for the contemporary African-American woman.

Exclusively designed by Revion to meet the specific needs of the African-American women, ColorStyle includes a complete range of shades for

the face, eyes, lips and nails Not merely an extension of existing formulas or shade ranges, it is an entirely new, state-of-theart array of products never before available to this fast-growing segment of fashionable

A native of Detroit, Ms. Webb originally attended Otis Parsons school n Los Angeles where she studied the art of animation. Her desire for less collaborative, more personally involving work brought her to New York where she was "discovered" in a SoHo boutique while attending Parsons School of Design. Almost immediately, her ,modeling ca-



Veronica Webb, newly signed spokesperson for Revion's Colorstyle Cosmetics.

reer was launched and she was on her way to Paris. Working with such prestige designers as Azzedine Alaia and Karl Lagerfeld, she quickly captured the attention of the beauty and fashion press, and has appeared on the covers of a number of leading publications including VOGUE and ELLE.

She returned to New York to continue her modeling career and to concentrate on her other ambitions - acting and writing. In 1991, she made her motion

picture debut as Vera Flood in the popular "Jungle Fever," and will soon appear in a cameo performance opposite Denzel

Washington in the upcoming "Malcolm X." Additionally, she is a regular contributor to such publications as INTERVIEW,

DETAILS, ELLE, as well as a monthly columnist at PAPER. the bible of New York's down-

# **Pointers For Parents**

Fun and Nutritious Lunch Time Ideas

As many moms know, little ones are likely to have big appetites when lunch time rolls around. Happily, lunch time can be good nutrition time, even while your child is away at school, if you've packed some fresh fruit, such as sweet valencia oranges, in your child's lunchbox.

Surprisingly, green tinged California-Arizona valencias are actually the ripest, sweetest, juiciest of the season. As the weather warms and the oranges remain on the tree, they begin to turn green again at the stem end. These regreened oranges are really the pick of the season! Valencias have thin skins and few seeds, making them especially ideal for children and each orange supplies twice the recommended daily amount of vitamin C and only 50 calories.

For easy-to-eat orange "smiles," cut the fruit in half crosswise, then cut three or four wedges from each half. To pack in lunchboxes, seal the "smiles" in small plastic bags. You might also want to wrap up this funto-eat sandwich recipe:

# CRAZY CUTOUT SANDWICHES

1 cup granola-type natural cereal 3/4 cup creamy peanut butter

1 teaspoon fresh grated orange peel

1 Sunkist orange, peeled, cut in bite-size pieces, drained\*

1 to 2 tablespoons honey

12 slices wheat bread\*\*

In medium bowl, combine cereal, peanut butter, orange peel and pieces; add enough honey to make a spreadable consistency. To make



Orange "smiles" and Crazy Cutout Sandwiches are fun and nutritious lunch time treats.

# cutout sandwiches, use large, funshaped cookie cutters to cut shapes from bread slices before making sandwiches. For each sandwich, spread filling between 2 bread cutouts. Place each sandwich in a Reynolds Sure-Seal Zipper Bag. (Makes: 2 cups filling.)

\*For bite-size orange pieces, cut each peeled orange in half lengthwise and with a shallow "V" shape cut, remove the white center core. Place the halves cut-side down; cut lengthwise and crosswise

\*\*Freeze bread for easier cutting.

A major public opinion poll on women's attitudes about work, economic issues, political and community involvement, and family values - called Women's Voices - will be released to the media in a press conference at the National Press Club on September 3 in Washington, DC. In addition, a major policy report

based on the findings of the poll will be made available.

The Women's Voices Poll, commissioned by the Ms. Foundation for Women and the Center for Policy Alternatives, found some important and intriguing results. In an election year in which "family values" have become part of the campaign rhetoric, this national survey, for example, found that "family" is the single most important element in the life of American women.

The poll was conducted cooperatively by a group of five survey experts from politically and racially diverse backgrounds. The polling team includes: Celinda Lake, partner and Vice President of Greenberg/Lake: The Analysis Group; Linda DiVall, founder of American Viewpoint; Linda Faye Williams, Associate Professor of Government and Politics at the University of Maryland; Sandra Adams Nathan, President of the Nathan Group; and Raydean Acevedo, President of Research Management Consultants.

At the press conference. Marie Wilson, President of the Ms. Foundation for Women, and Linda Tarr-Whelan, President of the Center for Policy Alternatives, along with Celinda Lake, Linda DiVall, Linda Faye Williams and Sandra Adams Nathan will discuss the findings of this unique study and evaluate how the women's vote could influence the dynamics of the November elections.

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