

COMMUNITY CALENDAR

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The Economic Opportunity Board's (EOB) Micro Business Program will conduct a FREE six-week series on the legal issues that effect the small business person in their small business pursuit. Each week a different attorney will expound on issues that concern you the entrepreneur. Each Thursday thru December 14, 1995, from 6 p.m.-7 p.m., at the KCEP 88.1 FM Conference Room, located at 330 West Washington Blvd. Call your Micro Business office at 647-7735 to RSVP.

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The Southern Nevada Council of UAW Retirees meet the third Friday of every month, excluding the summer months of May thru August. Meetings are held at the Zelzah Shrine Temple located at 2222 West Mesquite Rd. (at the corner of Rancho) at 10 a.m. All United Auto Worker Retirees and their spouses are welcome to attend.

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It's here, it's finally here! A single's connection that caters to the unique needs of professional single African Americans. Black Coffee-Las Vegas' premiere African American Single's Connection. If you'd like more information on how we can help connect you with that *special* someone, please call us at 226-4731.

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Theta Omicron Zeta Chapter of Zeta Phi Beta Sorority is hosting a "State Meeting" Saturday, December 9, 1995, at the West Las Vegas Library, from 9 a.m. - 3 p.m. Pacific Regional Director, Laura Farwell will conduct workshops of concern for both graduates and undergraduates of Zeta Phi Beta Sorority, Inc. For more information, call 399-1877.

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The Winchester Gallery will present "Cuentos," an exhibit for two and three dimensional works by Arizona artists through January 11, 1996. The "Cuentos" exhibit is based upon a collaboration between artists, arts organizations, curators and communities. The Winchester Gallery, 3130 S. McLeod, is open from 8 a.m. to 9 p.m. Monday through Friday and from 9 a.m. to 5 p.m. on Saturday. There is no admission fee. For more information, call 455-7340.

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Temporary Contemporary Collective and the Clark County School District high school art departments cordially invite you to attend the first annual juried student art competition "Time On Our Side," from Dec. 1, 1995 through January 13, 1996. All parents, faculty, administrators, and students are invited to attend an opening reception on Friday, Dec. 1 from 6 to 8 p.m. at the gallery located at 4171 S. Maryland Parkway. Categories of competition will be painting, drawing and printmaking, ceramics, sculpture, computer graphics and photography. Jim Shaw, Artist in Residence at UNLV will juror with Best of Show awards in each of the above categories. Please plan to attend this event!

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On Saturday, December 9, from 9 a.m. to 8 p.m., the Preservation Association of Clark County and the Clark County Heritage Museum will host the eighth annual Old Fashioned Christmas Celebration at the Museum, 1830 South Boulder Highway in Henderson. The annual event benefits the restoration of Heritage House, a 1930's residence originally located on Seventh Street near downtown Las Vegas. Funds raised will repair the inside of the house and provide water and air conditioning so it can be restored and opened to the public. For more information, call the Museum at 455-7955.

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A coed free throw contest takes place Saturday, January 20, at the Robinson Community School, 4794 Harris Avenue. Competition takes place from 10 a.m. to 1 p.m., and is open to ages 11-14. Registration takes place January 8-15, at the City of Las Vegas Municipal Sports Office, 821-1/2 Las Vegas Boulevard North, behind the Reed Whipple Cultural Center. The cost is \$10. This contest is being sponsored by the City's Municipal Sports Unit. Call 229-2362 for details.

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The Nathan Adelson Hospice 8th Annual "Light Up A Life" Celebration, a candle lighting ceremony where loved ones and friends will be honored. Special prayers and words of remembrance will be given by local clergy, refreshments will be served, and entertainment will be provided by the Durango High School Chamber Ensemble. The celebration will be held on Thursday, December 14th at 6:30 p.m., at 4141 S. Swenson St. For more information, please call 796-3135.

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Community Action Against Rape (CAAR) needs volunteers. CAAR is Southern Nevada's only 24 hour sexual assault crisis intervention

hotline. The 40-hour training course will be held from February 1st to the 22nd, 1996. The course provides training on crisis counseling, hospital, law enforcement, court procedures, as well as State and County compensation. Pre-interview screening will be conducted from January 8th to 24th, 1996. Training will be held at CAAR, 749 Veteran's Memorial Drive in Las Vegas. There is no cost for volunteers donating 12 hours per week for a six month period. For application and/or more information, please call 385-2153.

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The Clark County Heritage Museum on Boulder Highway between Henderson and Boulder City is featuring a special exhibit, "Rock and Roll: Toys of the baby Boomers" through January 28, 1996. The exhibit of over 100 toys from Tinker Toy to McHale's Navy and Barbie to Attacking Martian Robots provides an opportunity to see what made growing up in the '50s and '60s so much fun! "Rock and Roll: Toys of the Baby Boomers" is traveling from the Detroit Antique Toy Museum, and will show daily in the Museum's heritage gallery. Museum admission is \$1.50 for adults, and \$1.00 for seniors and children. Hours are 9 a.m. to 4:30 p.m. daily. For more information, call the Museum at 455-7955.

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The 50-piece Concert Band of the Community College of Southern Nevada will present its winter concert of classical and seasonal favorites on Tuesday, Dec. 12, at 7:30 p.m. Featured will be the 1812 Overture as well as concert band and holiday standards. Admission is free and the public is invited to the Horn Theatre at the Cheyenne Campus, 3200 E. Cheyenne Ave.

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The Centennial Chapter of the American Business Women's Association, a non-profit organization, meets on the second Monday of each month. The December meeting will be held December 11th in the Wengert Room at the Nevada Power Co. Administration Bldg., 6226 W. Sahara Ave. Dinner begins at 6 p.m. Cost is \$11 per person. An open invitation is extended to all women of Las Vegas to attend. For information, call Glennis Hamilton at 878-1069.

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CR Associates Internet Consulting will be presenting "An Introduction to the Internet." Learn what the Internet is, how to get connected and what it will cost at the Spring Valley Library, 4280 South Jones Blvd., on Wednesday, December 13 at 7 p.m. Space is limited. Call 702-247-6244 for more information and to reserve your seat.

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Clark County Parks and Recreation is sponsoring craft workshops and a special event holiday for the whole family the week of December 11-December 15 at two locations in Spring Valley. Persons donating canned goods for the Salvation Army Food Bank will receive a free tree ornament or get a picture with Santa. Call 455-8393 for details on all activities.

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Unified Tenants Association and Marble Manor Resident Council will be hosting a Bid Whist/Spade Tournament on December 16, 1995 beginning at 5:00 p.m. All adults from the age of 18 and older are welcome to participate in this function. There will be a fish fry in conjunction with the tournament. Also, 1st, 2nd and 3rd Place prizes. For further information, contact Brenda Miller or Patricia Brown at 647-0927.

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The Marble Manor Marvalettes Drill Team will be having a Bake Sale every Saturday to raise funds for their uniforms. The Bake Sale will be at 810 "J" Street. For further call P. Brown at 647-0927.

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

LV African-American Barbers.

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The Dr. Martin Luther King, Jr. Youth Committee will be sponsoring a membership drive for our youth committee for ages 12 through 19. For further info please call 631-1913 or come by the Dr. Martin Luther King Center at 1316 Morgan for an application. No membership charge for youth.

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If using drugs isn't fun anymore and you've tried to stop but you can't, there is a group of recovering addicts who can help you live without the use of drugs. For help call Narcotics Anonymous at 369-3362.

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Have a gambling problem and want to quit - Call Gamblers Anonymous of Southern Nevada. GA has day and evening meetings, Monday thru Sunday. Call our 24 hour hotline

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385-7732 for immediate help and meeting schedules.

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READING CENTER NEEDS VOLUNTEERS

The Reading Center and Clinic in UNLV's College of Education needs volunteers to read college textbooks to students with learning disabilities as part of the Learning Abilities Program. If interested, call the center at 895-3781.

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SAVE OUR SELVES OF LAS VEGAS (SOS) is a secular, non-profit group of anonymous non-professionals dedicated to the recovery from addictive behavior. Call 223-2634 for meeting times and locations.

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The Suicide Prevention center is accepting new Volunteers to man the Hotline. Upon completion of training, calls are taken in your home. Also, volunteers are needed to work in the office. Some clerical skills are required. For information call 731-2990 and ask for Evvy.

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When a nursing home is not the answer, and your family member needs care that you cannot provide, why not consider an Adult Day Care program? An un-nursing home just might be the right answer. For more information call: Lied Senior Care Center 648-3425 or Holyhock Adult Day Care 382-0093.

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LOW-COST SENIOR HOT MEALS AVAILABLE AT 13 MEAL SITES
The Senior Nutrition Program and it's Meals on Wheels program offers hot midday meals Monday through Friday including holi-

days to any person 60 and over. The meals are served at 13 different sites in Las Vegas. Meals are also delivered to homebound seniors. A donation of \$1.25 per meal is suggested for anyone over 60. Persons under 60 pay \$3 per meal. Sponsor of the program is Catholic Community Services of Nevada. For more info on the program & locations of meal sites, please call 385-5284.

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Doolittle Clinic, 1901 North "J" Street (at West Lake Mead), Childhood Immunizations (age 2 months to 21 years), Well-baby exams (Infant through 4 years), 4th Tuesday of the month, 10:00 a.m.-2:00 p.m. Child health exams - by appointment - 383-1307. Immunizations - no appointment needed.

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UNIFIED TENANTS ASSOC. OF LAS VEGAS

Unified Tenants Association in conjunction with the Marble Manor Resident Council are sponsoring a Homework/Tutorial Program at 810 "J" Street. The program will be available from 3:00-7:00 p.m. Monday through Friday. Children all ages are welcome and adults are invited to come out and assist their children and brush-up their skills. For more information call 647-0927, Patricia Brown, President.

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Regular Meetings for the Las Vegas Alumni Chapter of Delta Sigma Theta Sorority are held at the SHOWBOAT Hotel and Casino, 2nd floor on the third Saturday of each month at 10:00 a.m. unless otherwise notified.

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R.U.S.H. Alumni Association is a organization that consists of recovering people

from substance abuse. R.U.S.H. services the community as a whole with emphasis on children, homelessness, senior citizens, and whatever else is deemed appropriate by the organization. R.U.S.H. Alumni Association is having a coat and blanket drive for the homeless. Please help by bringing your used blankets and coats to E.O.B. Treatment Center, 522 W. Washington to be distributed before December.

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BOY SCOUTS RECRUITING NEW MEMBERS

The Boulder Dam Area Council, Boy Scouts of America is recruiting boys and adult leaders for the new Scout season. Boys who are in the first grade may join Tiger Cubs with a parent. Cub Scouts are available for boys who are between the ages of 7 through 10 years. Boys who are 11 years or older may join the Boy Scouts. The Boy Scout program emphasizes character building through outdoor activities, fun filled events and community service. Boys and adults who are interested in joining the Boy Scout movement may call for information at 736-4366.

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HERPES SUPPORT GROUP

Meets on the first Tuesday of each month at 7 p.m. and has phone line for confidential discussions. If you have (or are concerned about) the herpes simplex virus, 593-5166.

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BURNTOAST TOASTMASTER'S CLUB

Join us for a unique leadership experience - Burnttoast Toastmaster's Club - a Toastmaster's program with an Afro-Centric agenda!! Learn Leadership/Listening/Speaking Skills - every Thursday night - 6 p.m. - 7 p.m. Mable Hoggard Magnet School - 950 Tonopah Drive. Give yourself the gift of excellent communications skills!! Join us today!! For further information - call Faye Duncan-Daniel 631-0000.

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Are you on the streets with no one to turn to, no where to go? Nevada Homes for Youth

can help. Their programs assist young people between the ages of 17 and 21, who need immediate shelter for up to one year. Programs benefits include paid utilities, counseling, life skills classes and employment assistance. To get more information call Nevada Homes for Youth 24-hr hotline, 256-9200.

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Need a Job? United Charitable Foundation of America offers job search workshops every Monday from 9 a.m. to 11 a.m. Employment assistance available to all participants. For further info, call 792-4407.

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Project Youth has space available for youth in our Life Skills Classes. These classes are for youth between the ages of 11-18, that need alternatives to their negative behaviors. Parents why, do it alone? We can assist you and your youth obtain a second chance or provide early intervention to keep them out of the court system. Enroll now. For more information call 647-5800 and ask for Rena.

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Community Health Centers of Southern Nevada, Inc., with facilities located at 916 West Owens in the Nucleus Plaza and at the Cannon Senior Center, has joined with Sierra Health Services, Inc. as primary healthcare providers for Health Plan of Nevada and Senior Dimensions members. For further information or to schedule an appointment at the Nucleus Plaza location call 631-8800 or 384-2273 for the Cannon Senior Center location.

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The Power Breakfast, a "no membership fee" business networking group, meets every Thursday morning at 7:00 a.m. The group meets at the R Bar Restaurant located at 6000 West Charleston Blvd. (W. Charleston and Jones). Currently, there are membership openings for physicians, dentists, chiropractors, plumbers, electricians, mechanics and other businesses and professions. For more information about the networking group contact Liz Garrison at 244-2598.

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Church Announcements

HOMESCHOOL HELPERS

If you would like help with your homework - math, reading or anything... Come to St. James Church, 820 North "H" Street. Monday and Tuesday evenings 6:00 to 7:30 p.m. Reading program: Thursdays 6-7:30 p.m. All are welcome. Don't forget to bring your homework!

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SECOND BAPTIST CHURCH PROVIDES FREE TUTORING CLASSES

The Second Baptist Church located at 500 West Madison Avenue, provides free tutoring to any students kindergarten through twelfth grades. The sessions are held on Mondays through Thursdays from 3:45 to 5:15 p.m. Students are provided with help to understand and complete homework assignments in all academic areas. For more information call 648-6155.

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"The Pastoral Counseling Center, 6151 West Charleston Boulevard, Suite B, is offering short term workshops in the following areas: Assertive Training for Men and Women; Applying the 12 Step Format to Daily Living; Parenting for Success, Stress Management and Understanding Co-Dependency. Cost is \$5.00 per session. Call 870-7150 for info."

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Health and Healing Class meets every Tuesday at 7 p.m. Call 792-6746 for details. Daily Health Tips-223-1733; Daily Inspiration-223-1717. Christian Ambassadors, 1111 S. Las Vegas Blvd. (5th Ave. Plaza), Suite 325A.

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Mount Zion Full Gospel Fellowship is sponsoring its second annual Christmas Teddy Bear Drive for the Children at Sunrise Hospital, many of whom will be unable to spend the day at home. If you would like to donate a new Teddy Bear for this worthy cause, please, call Pastor Arnold at 655-1600 to arrange for delivery or pick-up. Per your request, you can have your name attached to the Teddy Bear.

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Looking for a break from the routine during the busy holiday season; something that's terrific fun for the whole family; and cheap too? Malt Shop Christmas Party is a 50s Christmas Revue including swingin' tap, jazz, and jitterbug numbers promising to make your evening a trip down memory lane. Pops, the malt shop owner, would like to invite you and the kids to the Malt Shop Christmas Party. A live, fun show for everyone. General admission tickets are \$3. Family packages are only \$7.50. Seating is limited. For ticket info 646-7332.

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On December 10, the Unitarian Universalist congregation of Las Vegas will look at ways to create simple, spiritual celebrations that have holiday meaning. Rev. Suzanne B. Dougherty will draw material from the popular book, Unplug the Christmas machine, A Complete Guide to Put Love and Joy Back into the Season. The book has been an inspiration for thousands of workshops over the years. The goal of the book and the workshops is to replace stress with love and joy. For more information, please call 894-8911 or 243-5949.

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The True Love Missionary Baptist Church, 1941 North "H" Street would like to invite the public to a soul-saving "Winter Revival" beginning December 10, 1995 at 11:00 a.m. and continuing through December 15, 1995 starting at 7:00 p.m. each evening thereafter. The Rev. John Reed Sr. from Muskogee, Oklahoma, Pastor, Mt. Zion Baptist Church will be bringing the message each evening. Mark your calendars and don't miss this Winter Revival.

Obituaries

It is with much sadness that the Las Vegas Sentinel-Voice announces the deaths of Roxie Roker Kravitz and Mildred Wiggins Bruce Robinson. Mildred Robinson, affectionately known as Millie, died Tuesday, November 28, 1995, at Cedars Sinai Hospital in Los Angeles. Millie was born in Atlanta Georgia on January 26, 1918. She moved to Los Angeles and attended public schools there. Millie first married Herman Bruce. They had three children, Ramona, Herman and Eddie Bruce. After her divorce, Millie worked a while in Las Vegas at the Moulin Rouge Hotel. The commuting became too much so she returned to Los Angeles and met Sugar Ray Robinson. They were married in 1965 and moved to New York. Millie encouraged and helped Ray to start the Sugar Ray Robinson Youth Foundation in 1969. After Ray's death in 1989, she served as Executive Director of the Foundation until her death. Millie's celebration of life was held Tues., Dec. 5, 1995 at 11:30 a.m. at the Angelus Crenshaw Chapel in Los Angeles

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Roxie Roker Kravitz died shortly after midnight December 2, 1995. Roxie was born in Miami, Florida. It's hard to believe she was 66; she looked at least 16 years

younger. She moved to New York with her father, Albert Roker, and her late mother Bessie Mitchell Roker. Roxie was educated in the public schools of her beloved Brooklyn. After graduation from Girls High in Brooklyn, Roxie matriculated and was graduated from Howard University with a Bachelor of Arts degree in drama. An actress, Roxie was best known for her role of Helen Willis in the long-running television series "The Jeffersons." Under a Hattie Strong Foundation Fellowship, Roxie attended the Shakespeare Institute of Stafford-on-Avon, England where she studied Shakespearean and Elizabethan drama. Roxie was very proud of her work with the Negro Ensemble Company in New York. She was nominated for a Tony Award and won an Obie Award for her role in NEC's production of "The River Niger." Howard University honored her with its alumni award for distinguished post-graduate achievement in the performing arts. Roxie is probably best known for her artistic creation of her son, rock star Lenny Kravitz. It was not unusual to see Roxie at church with her granddaughter Zoe. Roxie was real people. She never said anything bad about anyone. Roxie was so humble and down to earth. She was a class act. We will all miss her.

★ GOSPEL'S TOP TEN ★

1. Kirk Franklin and The Family - KIRK FRANKLIN AND THE FAMILY CHRISTMAS
2. William Becton & Friends - BROKEN
3. Donald Lawrence & The Tri-City Singers - BIBLE STORIES
4. Kirk Franklin and The Family - KIRK FRANKLIN AND THE FAMILY CHRISTMAS
5. The Winans - HEART & SOUL
6. Cece Winans - ALONE IN HIS PRESENCE
7. The Canton Spirituals - LIVE IN MEMPHIS II
8. Shirley Caesar - SHIRELY CAESAR LIVE...HE WILL COME
9. The New Life Community Choir Featuring John P. Kee - SHOW UP!
10. Donald Lawrence Presents Rodney Posey - LIVE IN PRAISE & WORSHIP WITH THE WHITFIELD COMPANY

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