

EVENTS!

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"From Colored People to People of Color: The Black Identity Evolution" will be held at 7 p.m. in the Preston College Seminar Room.

A T-Shirt Making Session for the Clothesline Project will be held from 6 p.m. to 9 p.m. at the Women's Quad, Sims Classroom.

Greek Week '97 activities will include guest speaker Sharon Whittaker at 6 p.m. in the Russell House Ballroom. The Greek Review Committee will meet at 6 p.m.

The Academic Skills Program will present "Stress Break" as part of their Wednesday Academic Success Drop-In Series from 12:15 p.m. to 1:15 p.m. in Leconte Room 115.

Women's Studies will present "Creating Knowledge About Women: Research by Women's Studies Graduate Students" at 3:30 p.m. in Gambrell Room 250. Call 777-4007 for information.

A Housekeepers' Luncheon will be held at 12 p.m. in the Golden Spur.

- Leadership Team, 4:15 p.m.
- Campus Judicial Board, 4 p.m., Witten Room
- Student Government Senate, 5 p.m., RH Theater
- Scuba Club, 6 p.m., Blatt 135
- PALM Ministries, Body & Soul, 5:30 p.m., 728 Pickens St.

• Interservice Chapter Prayer, 7:15 a.m., RH 315

• Women Student's Association, 8 p.m., RH

• American Marketing Associations, 8:30 p.m., BA 002

• Fellowship of Christian Athletes, 9:15 p.m.

• Homecoming Participation Meeting (mandatory), 7 p.m., RH 322

• Bisexual, Gay, Lesbian Association, 8 p.m. BA 450

• Carolina Productions Concerts, 7 p.m., RH Witten Room

• Carolina for Kids, 8:30 p.m., RH 302

• College Republicans, 7:30 p.m., Gambrell 250

• International Students Association, every other week

• Mountaineering and White Water Club, 7:30 p.m., RH 303

• Student Legislature, 8:30 p.m., Gambrell Hall 151

• Habitat for Humanity, 7:30 p.m., RH 205

Entries for the EVENTS! calendar may be submitted to The Gamecock on the third floor of the Russell House. There is a box in the newsroom designated for event entries.

Briefs

Memorial to be held for Professor Millstone

Students can celebrate the life of the late Professor Amy Millstone of the Department of French and Classics at 2 p.m. Saturday in the Gambrell Hall auditorium.

Winners announced for art, poetry contest

Student winners in the College of Engineering art contest include Bryan Hively in first place, Gene Speer in second place and Jami Lynn McKinnon in third place.

Student winners in the poetry contest include J. Jakub Pitha in first place, Gary Leising in second place and George Lopez in third place.

Faculty/staff winners were Ed Madden of the Department of English and Lucy Hollingsworth of the School of Public Health.

Also recognized were top entries from the College of Engineering from Paul McCarty, Markus Alison, Professor Richard Ray and Assistant Professor Molly Gribb.

Nominations due for Amoco Teaching Award

Students are encouraged to submit nominations for the USC Columbia campus faculty member who best exemplifies excellence in undergraduate teaching. Nominations should be in the form of a letter describing the nominee's strengths as a teacher. The letter should be mailed to Dr. Lori Thombs, Chair, Amoco Teaching Award Committee, Department of Statistics,

USC, Columbia, 29208, no later than March 7. The award carries a prize of \$2,500. Call 777-5163 for information.

Dance Company performs through Sunday

The Dance Company will perform "The USC Dance Company in Concert" at 8 p.m. Thursday and Friday and "Pinocchio, the Ballet" at 9 a.m. and 11 a.m. Thursday and Friday. Special performances featuring "Pinocchio" and two selections of the dance concert will be held at 3 p.m. and 8 p.m. Saturday and at 3 p.m. Sunday. Tickets are \$10 for the public; \$8 for faculty and staff, senior citizens and military personnel; and \$6 for students.

Students go 'Into the Streets' for a day of community service

ALYSSA SMITH Staff Writer

For the sixth year in a row, students will go "Into the Streets" Saturday to help those in need.

Into the Streets is an annual community service project that gives the USC community a chance to do community service when they normally could not.

Into The Streets, coordinated through the Office of Community Service, contacts local non-profit agencies to find out what work they need done and cannot afford to have completed. The volunteers are then divided into individual groups with site leaders. The groups go to the different agencies to help.

"With all of the resources we have—students, faculty and staff—it gives us a chance to give back to the community," said Clifton Chestnut, Publicity Coordinator for Into The Streets. "It also

shows us that there is a need for volunteers and it shows the community that all college students aren't apathetic."

The work done at each site varies depending on where the site is. Most of the work is beautification work like weeding and mowing. Other work might include playing board games with the elderly and playing sports with children.

"The work is very physically training," said Stacy Race, site leader and trainer. "You are out in the sun working for six hours. But, it is also hilarious because you never know what is going to happen. It was an awesome experience."

This year there are 21 agencies involved with Into the Streets. These include Camp Discovery, Waverly United for Action, Women's Shelter, Boys and Girls Club of the Midlands, Willow Lake Apartments, Volunteers of America, Ethnics United, the Department of Juvenile Justice and the Drug Abuse

Council.

The first Into the Streets was in the fall of 1991 and had only 50 volunteers. This year, planners are expecting at least 300 volunteers.

The USC Alumni Association and the Division of Student Affairs are joining Into the Streets to make it a USC National Service Day, and all USC alumni chapters have been invited to join a service project on the same day. Most of the alumni service projects will center on Habitat for Humanity.

"We're pretty excited about it," Chestnut said. "It mobilizes everyone, students, faculty, staff and alumni."

All volunteers are to check in at 10 a.m. at McKissick Museum, where they are assigned to a team. Each team has a site leader, who coordinates the work at the site, and a different site. Transportation is provided, but people are asked to car pool, if possible.

The teams work at their sites from 11:30 a.m. until 2:30 p.m. At 2:45 p.m., all of the groups meet back at the Russell House Ballroom for food, music and prizes.

"[The ballroom party] gives people a chance to think about what they did and maybe get them to continue," Chestnut said.

"When you do Into the Streets, you learn to appreciate a lot of things because you see what others don't have," said Lateca Wise, vice president for publicity. "You feel very rewarded when you are finished."

"We have received a lot of support from local businesses," Chestnut said. "They gave us the food and prizes for the party. We really appreciate it."

Students who are interested in participating should contact the Office of Community Service.

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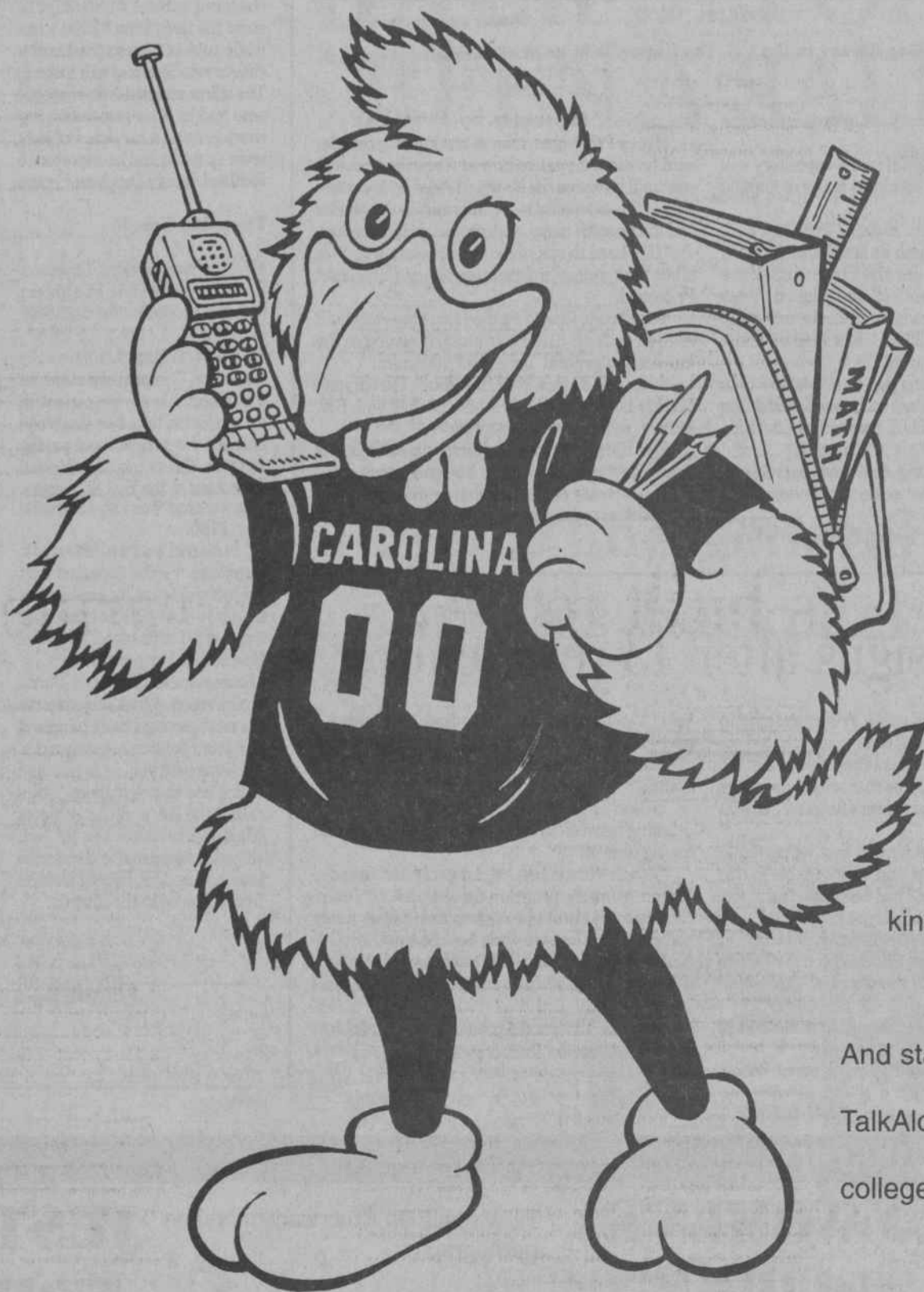
Wednesday, Feb. 19

•Driving under the influence, violation of ABC law, disorderly conduct, open container, no driver's license, Saluda and Devine Streets. While traveling east on Saluda, reporting officer observed a blue Chevy Lumina traveling south on Devine then making a right turn onto Saluda traveling west

in the eastbound lane. Officer observed several other vehicles flashing their headlights at this time. Subject stopped his vehicle, backed up a few feet, then resumed traveling west in the eastbound lane. Officer activated his blue lights and subject vehicle pulled over to the curb. As the officer approached the vehicle a strong odor of alcohol was detected from the vehicle. Officer asked the subject for his driver's license and subject stated

he did not have a license and that this was the passenger's vehicle. Officer asked driver to exit the vehicle. Subject was unsteady on his feet and failed four field sobriety tests. Suspect was arrested and transported to Richland County Detention Center. An open bottle of gin was found under the driver's seat. Passenger was also intoxicated and boisterous and had two open bottles of liquor at his feet. This subject was also arrested and transported

to Richland County Detention Center. •Assault and battery, McBryde Quad. Victim reported that she had gone to the incident location to visit a new boyfriend, when they saw her ex-boyfriend. In the course of conversation the victim asked for some of her personal belongings back from the ex-boyfriend. Subject became angered and struck her along the right side of her jaw. Subject also scratched the victim's neck.



Don't Miss This Game!

Clear your social calendar. This Wednesday night, February 26, you must see the Gamecocks take to the court in a SEC match-up with the Vanderbilt Commodores.

Bell Atlantic NYNEX Mobile will be there for Bell Atlantic NYNEX Mobile night. They'll be giving away T-shirts and stirring up all kinds of fun at halftime.

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