Friday, April 4, 1997

Special Olympics needs volunteers in Columbia

STAFF REPORTS

Special Olympics Summer Games, featuring a variety

of Olympic-type sports, will take place at two locations in the Columbia area: Fort Jackson Ind the University of South Carolina.

More than 800 athletes from South Carolina will compete in Athletics (track and field), Aquatics (swimming), Softball and Bowling.

The event incorporates 300 coaches and 500 volunteers from the Columbia area.

Adult volunteers are needed 🗭 o serve in many event capacities, from sports venues to food service.

The event will begin May 16 with a softball competition in

the afternoon at Fort Jackson and with Opening Ceremonies on the post at 7:30 p.m.

On May 17 adult volunteers are needed for the following sports competitions:

Carolina Alive

Spring Show '95

come and enjoy the sights and sounds of USC's talented pop singing group!

Koger Center

Saturday, April 5 • 7:30 Students, Faculty & Staff; \$5

General Admission; \$8

Anyone interested in becoming a part of USC's finest group of singers and dancers should come to the Music Building Rm. 006 at

7:30 pm. Audition date is April 8.

For more information call Dr. Richard Conant 777-3125

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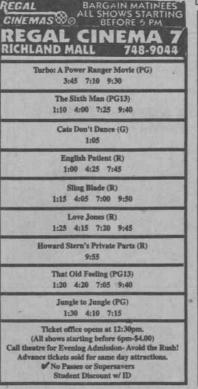
Jackson

competitions.

Adults interested in volunteering for the Summer Games should call the Volunteer Services of South Carolina Special Olympics at 722-1555, ext. 30.

8 a.m. to 5 p.m. Athletics at Patton Stadium, Fort







International Week April 4 ~ 11, 1997

FULBRIGHT INFORMATION SESSION Learn about Fulbright grants which are available to graduating seniors and to graduate students. The grants allow students to conduct research, engage in advanced study, or undertake teaching assistantships for one year in a foreign country. Application materials and guidelines will be presented at the session. Sponsored by the Office of Fellowships and Summer Programs. 4pm, Gressette Room, Harper College

COOKING AROUND THE WORLD

Interested in expanding your cooking repertoire? Then join some international students who will teach you their culinary specialties. You'll learn how to make British scones, German potato soup, and more! Sponsored by International Programs. 5pm, Baptist Student Union, lower level



immigration attorney based in Charlotte, will discuss recent and important changes in immigration law. He will also talk about H-1 visas and permanent residency. Sponsored by International Programs. 3:30pm, Gambrell 152

PHILIPPINES: A CULTURAL EXPERIENCE Enjoy the film, A Cultural Experience, which explores the multifaceted Philippines. An informal panel discussion will follow. Sponsored by the Filipino-American Association of Greater Columbia. 7pm, Gambrell 152

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8 a.m. to 5 p.m. Softball at Hilton Softball Complex, Fort Jackson 9 a.m. to 1 p.m. Bowling at Century Lanes, Fort Jackson 9 a.m. to 2 p.m. Aquatics, USC Blatt P.E. Center A victory celebration and closing ceremonies will be held May 17

at Cole Park Tennis Courts, Fort Jackson.

The public is invited to attend all ceremonies and events. South Carolina Special

Olympics is a year-round training and competition program for children and adults with mental retardation.

Summer Games is one of three state-level events held each year in addition to local and regional



GOVERNOR'S RECEPTION All international students are invited to attend this annual event at which South Carolina's governor honors the University's international community. Sponsored by the Columbia Council for Internationals. 4pm, the Governor's Mansion

FESTIVAL OF FOUR

This multicultural stringed ensemble combines specialties in Spanish flamenco, Andean mountain, classical European, and traditional American musical styles. Admission: \$12.50 adults, \$10 students. 8pm, Koger Center

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PEACE CORPS "THE TOUGHEST JOB YOU'LL EVER LOVE" Upcoming Campus Events at: UNIVERSITY OF SOUTH CAROLINA April 9 International Festival 11 am - 2 pm, Russell House Patio Information Session & Reception "Discovering the Peace Corps Experience"

from 5 pm to 7 pm Russell House Ballroom A



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SALSA MERENGUE BAND Come dance the night away with the lively and popular 13 piece band, Sabor Tropical. Admission is free. Sponsored by SALA (Students Associated for Latin America) and the Office of Multicultural Affairs. 7pm, Golden Spur

SHIATSU BASICS Learn about Shiatsu, the therapeutic art of Japan which is deeply rooted in the philosophy and practices of traditional Chinese medicine. Christi Stewart, Natural Therapeutic Specialist, will give a brief historical overview of Shiatsu and demonstrate basic techniques of this massage therapy. Admission is free. Sponsored by International Programs. 5pm, Russell House 303

FILM: THE SECRET OF ROAN INISH

Enjoy the magical tale of a girl whose search for her missing brother brings an enchanting Irish legend to life. This program is part of the Cinema du Monde Film Series. Free admission. Sponsored by International Programs. 7pm, Business Administration 351

FILM: LIKE WATER FOR CHOCOLATE

Based on the novel by Laura Esquivel, Like Water for Chocolate creates a world of romance through the magical realism that is central to modern Latin film and literature. The film is in Spanish with English subtitles. Admission is free. Sponsored by SALA (Students Associated for Latin America) and the Latin American Studies Program. 5pm, Russell House 303

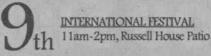
INTERNATIONAL COFFEE HOUSE: A TOUR OF GREAT BRITAIN

Learn about Great Britain while enjoying British tea and treats. Also, meet some of the University of South Carolina's students from Great Britain. This event is part of the International Coffee House Series. Free admission. Sponsored by International Programs. 7:30pm, Gressette Room, Harper College

COFFEE, COOKIES, AND CONVERSATION Enjoy this unique opportunity for American students to meet, mingle, and converse with internationals from all over the world. Sponsored by English Programs for Internationals, Columbia World Affairs Council, and Alpha Phi Omega. 7pm, Top of Carolina, Capstone

THREE SHORT SPANISH PLAYS

Enjoy El delantal blanco by Sergio Vodanovic, La parada by Rafael Portillo, and La zapatera prodigiosa by Federico Garcia Lorca. Performances are in Spanish. Admission: \$2 students, \$3 others. Sponsored by the Department of Spanish, Italian, and Portuguese. 8pm, Longstreet Theater



MOVIE: FRENCH KISS

Catch the spirit of going abroad with this romantic comedy set in France - starring Meg Ryan and Kevin Kline. Sponsored by International Programs. 5pm, B.A., Belk Auditorium

DISCOVER THE PEACE CORPS EXPERIENCE

Returned Peace Corps volunteers will share and discuss their overseas experiences. Enjoy an exciting slide show about the life of a Peace Corps volunteer and learn about ways that you, too, can have such an experience. Sponsored by International Programs. 7pm, Russell House Ballroom

THREE SHORT SPANISH PLAYS See April 8 for description, time, and location. A MIDSUMMER NIGHT'S DREAM Ethan McSweeny directs this Shakespeare favorite. Admission: \$10 general public, \$8 faculty and staff, \$6 students. Sponsored by the Department of Theatre, Speech, and Dance. 8pm, Drayton Hall Theatre-

INTERNATIONAL HOUR All international students are welcome to enjoy free food, fellowship, and ping-pong. Sponsored by the Columbia Council for Internationals. 12-1pm, Baptist Student Union, lower level

THE GREAT LAKES CONFLICT IN CENTRAL AFRICA

John Beya, from the Department of Anthropology, will discuss how the Great Lakes conflict arose and became entwined with Zairian president Mobutu and his oppressive regime. Sponsored by the Department of Anthropology. 12:15-1:15pm, Hamilton 318

INTERNATIONAL DINNER

Get a taste of the world by participating in this popular event! NADA residents will host a delicious international dinner with a variety of foods. \$2 admission. Sponsored by NADA International Living Community. 7:30pm, NADA Courtyard

A MIDSUMMER NIGHT'S DREAM See April 10 for description, time, and location.

CELEBRATE THE WORLD! 1997 INTERNATIONAL FESTIVAL

Wednesday, April 9, 11am-2pm, Russell House Patio Enjoy international food, music, and cultural displays. Live music performed by Patrick's Cadillac (Irish) and Cadir (Turkish).

Photo exhibit, Archaeology from the Air, on loan from the Consulate General of Israel April 4-11, Russell House, 2nd floor lobby

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