

ISSUES / PROGRAMS LIST

31-Mar-13

SECTION I : ISSUES OF CONCERN TO THE COMMUNITY

1. ECONOMICS: Business Development, Non-Profit Organizations, Virginia Film Office Development, farming issues, Offshore Drilling, rising utility rates, Tax Rate Affect on business development and elderly, Incandescent light bulb ban, Green Job Development, government job development, Tourism, Personal finance, Housing Market-affected foreclosures, Renewable Energy Issues

2. EDUCATION: Disparitiy African American and Caucasian students, school funding, bullying, school programming 4x4 block controversy (Albemarle only), Excellent Arts programs, teachers unions affect on education quality ,Preservation of historical sites. UVA Admissions, UVA Degree Programs, PVCC Degree Programs, SOL tests, No Child Left Behind Act effects on education, and other educational programming topics.

3. GOVERNMENT: Redistricting, town Hall Meeting, Tax Policies, Larry Sabado, TEA party influence on politics, Patient Protection and affordable Healthcare Act controversy Cucinnelli vs UVA on Mann Research lawsuit, political races, Miller Center Research and Archives, founding Fathers Historical Preservation (battle fields, historical structures), election issues, Disaster preparedness and response.

4. HEALTH: Access to healthcare for uninsured and impoverished, poison control, Free Clinic, Food Banks, Meals-on-Wheels, UVA and medical research and development, Homelessness, Pet Care and Adoption, Diabetes, Obesity, Physical Fitness, Tobacco Use, Alcohol and Drug Abuse, weather related health issues; ie heat exhaustion, severe allergies, Parks and Recreation Development Equal Access, Organic Non-toxic Food Availability, Biking Awareness, Planned Parenthood funding and other controversies.

5. INFRASTRUCTURE AND DEVELOPMENT: Western-Eastern 29 bypass, Meadowcreek Parkway, Potholes, EMS and Fire access to rural roads, VDOT funding, Snow Removal issues, Power Grid, Renewable/Green energy, Red-Light cameras, Places 29 Plan, Conservation Easements, Severe Weather Travel, DMV issues, Critical Slopes, sustainable population, Business Development, 50-year-water supply plan, Affordable Housing, Offshore Drilling, Biking Lanes, Public Athletic Fields, Chesapeake watershed, and any
6. LAW ENFORCEMENT: Battling and Denying gang Violence, Drug related crimes, Hate Crimes, Downtown Mall Security, Date Rape, Stalking, Alcohol and Drug abuse, Speeding and Drunk Driving, Accidental Deaths, Illegal Immigrant Crime, Fire Arm Control, Illegal Hunting, Identity Theft, lack of funding for police force.
7. RELIGION: Church dogma controversies, Inter-faith community activism, church community outreach, religion/spirituality affects on the community, religion in politics, Religious study.
8. SOCIAL JUSTICE: Gay marriages, Racism, GLBT issues, Personal Development, Charity, Immigration Policies and challenges within immigrant community, English-only policies, The Bridge-Charlottesville Art Collective for Social Justice, Raising Awareness Through Art, Assimilating immigrants into local society, Protester Rights, Illegal Search and Seizures.

Stations air the following public affairs programming weekly:

Charlottesville This Week - 25 minutes weekly - see attached for times/information.

InfoTrak - 30 minutes weekly. See sheets for times on specific stations.

What's Happening in Charlottesville - 30 aired ex per day Mon-Sun 6a - 8p.

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SECTION III: DETERMINATION OF COMMUNITY INTERESTS/ISSUES

It is the policy of Monticello Media, licensee of WCHV, WKAV and WCHV-FM/AM, Charlottesville, WHITE Ruckersville, VA WCVK Staunton, VA and WZGN Crozet, VA to determine the interests and issues concerning the local community through informal, individual interviews with community leaders and prominent community residents. These interviews are conducted on an ongoing basis with a diverse prominent community residents. These interviews are conducted on an ongoing basis with a diverse cross-section of individuals in order to obtain a balance of opinion. As issues are determined, programming on WCHV, WKAV, WCHV-FM, WHITE, WZGN and WCVK shall be structured to meet those needs.

PSA SCRIPTS FOR CHARLOTTEVILLE THIS WEEK-25 MINUTE SHOW

Jan 5-Jan 6	Segment 1- Craig Evans	Facial Stuffy Author/Growth is Good topic
	Segment 2-Journalist Randy Saltzman	Growth is Good topic
	Segment 3-Anthony Amos	Growth is Good topic
Jan 12-13	Segment 1-Actor Raynor Scheine	Lincoln film/Va History discussed
	Segment 2-Actor Raynor Scheinie	Lincoln film/Va History discussed
	Segment 3-Actor Raynor Scheinie	Lincoln film/Va History discussed
Jan 19-20	Segment 1-Kim Connolly/Jessica Snyder/Jackie Bright	United Way Mentoring Fair
	Segment 2-Kim Connolly/Jessica Snyder/Jackie Bright	United Way Mentoring Fair
	Segment 3- Kim Connolly/Jessica Snyder/Jackie Bright	United Way Mentoring Fair
Jan 26-27	Segment 1-Randy Salzman	Author of Transportation Study
	Segment 2-Randy Salzman	Author of Transportation Study
	Segment 3-Randy Salzman	Author of Transportation Study
Feb 2-3	Segment 1-Kirk Bowers/Erich Zimmerman/Ken Boyd	Taxes Policy
	Segment 2-con't	Taxes Policy
	Segment 3-con't	Taxes Policy
Feb 16-17	Segment 1-Carolyn Kalantari-Attorney/Rachael Faithful	Legal Aid Justice Center
	Segment 2-con't	Legal Aid Justice Center

	Segment 3-con't		Legal Aid Justice Center
Feb 23-24	Segment 1-Tammy Simkins/Diane Egozcue/Renee Davis		NRA Events
	Segment 2-con't		NRA Events
	Segment 3-con't		NRA Events
Mar-2-3	Segment 1-Brian Owensby-Uva History Chair Ret.		Virginia History
	Segment 2-con't		Virginia History
	Segment 3-con't		Virginia History
Mar 9-10	Segment 1-Morgan Butler-Attorney Southern Environment Law Center		Environment Topic
	Segment 2-con't		Environment Topic
	Segment 3-con't		Environment Topic
Mar 16-17	Segment 1-Amy Whitaker, Cindi Burket, Deborah McLeod		Red Cross/Women's Month Topic
	Segment 2-con't		Red Cross/Women's Month Topic
	Segment 3-con't		Red Cross/Women's Month Topic
Mar 23-24	Segment 1-Lee Catlin		Albermarle Co Growth/Topic
	Segment 2-Becky Weybright		Sexual Assault Director
	Segment 3-Senator Geroge Lincoln Barker		State Politics/Bills

SCRIPTS FOR CVL HAPPENINGS-EACH UPDATE- 60 SECONDS -attached

JAN 2013

Doctors Bryan and Heather Snyder, Robert Baglio and Samuel Schustek and the Salvation Army have organized "Shoes for the Homeless" collecting used but useable shoes for the needy and homeless of the Charlottesville area. Look for signs at schools and businesses and donate your used but useable shoes. The Salvation Army will distribute the shoes free of charge.

The County of Albemarle will once again this year take your Christmas tree and turn it into mulch... Drop off your Christmas tree through Jan 16 at numerous locations around central va... The McIntire Rd Recycling Center... Crozet Park... Greenwood Community Center... Chris Green Lake... Darden Towe Park... Scottsville Community Center... and Walnut Creek Park.. Trees will be ground into mulch and you can get your mulch for free starting on Feb 1st at DardenTowe Park

The Teddy Bear Hike is Saturday Jan 5th from 11 til noon at Riverview Park, in Charlottesville. Dress yourself and your favorite stuffed animal warm for a stroll on the Rivanna Trail. Bring the whole family and discover how the City Forests help real animals stay warm, sponsored by the Rivanna Trails Foundation.

FOURTH ANNUAL SOUP FOR SENIORS

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The Skyline Slammers 14 and under fast pitch softball team is looking to fill multiple roster spots for the 2013 season. For information please call 434-806-3144.

Come to the Ivy Creek Natural Area in the Education Building on January 9th from 10 to 11 am for information on training to be a master naturalist volunteer.

The Crozet Library will teach you how to download free audiobooks and e-books through the library to your Kindle, Tablet or Nook, on January 10th at 7pm. Registration is required so call 823 40 50 for visit the library.

The Greene County Library film series presents one of the most critically acclaimed films of all time free on January 11th at 7pm. We can't tell you the title because of licensing requirements but the film stars Richard Gere, Brooke Adams, and Sam Shepard and it won an oscar for Best Cinematography, contact the library for more information.

The Scottsville Volunteer Rescue Squad will be holding a Spaghetti Dinner for the Collins Family at the rescue squad building on Friday, January 11th, from 5:30-8:30pm. Lisa Collins is a local and active EMT at the rescue squad in Scottsville, and her husband sustained serious burn injuries in an accident on Sunday, December 9th. He was recently released from UVA, and is projected to be out of work for several months as he undergoes medical treatment and therapy for his injuries.

In addition to the dinner, the event will also feature a silent auction and a bake sale. All proceeds from the night will go to the Collins family to help cover medical expenses and day-to-day costs of living.

Price is \$8 a plate for adults - \$4 a plate for children under 10.

If you are interested in donating to the family or the event, please contact JoAnn Lohr at lohr.joann@gmail.com or 434-305-6685.

Are you a class clown looking for a more constructive way to express yourself? Are you shy, lacking in confidence, introverted and/or have a hard time with things public speaking? If you are either of these two things or honestly anything in between, you should strongly consider taking an Improv 101 session with Bent Theatre. Improv 101 is a 10-week program, taught on Saturday mornings to give people a basic grounding in the skills used onstage weekly by Charlottesville's own Bent Theatre. But more than...that, these skills help boost confidence, public speaking, stage presence, its a great way to meet friends and impress everyone you meet with the wit and cleverness this group can help you find within yourself.

- *Learn how to create characters
- *Learn basic acting skills to enhance stage presence and public speaking skills
- *Learn how to tell a story, as an individual, with a partner and as a group
- *Learn fun improv games that are enjoyed by all ages
- *Build confidence in this nurturing and supportive environment.
- *HAVE FUN, these classes are wicked fun

-Classes run from 10am - 12:30pm on Saturday Mornings starting on January 19

-Cost of the class is \$100 for the entire session.

-If you sign up, you are expected to attend, if you need to back out we request that you do it as soon as possible so that your space can be filled

-Graduates of Improv 101 will have an opportunity to audition for Bent Theatre's Performance Group

CALL OR TEXT 434-218-BENT for more info

Or if you really want to, just show up at the front doors of Play On at 9:50 Saturday morning. Priority will be given to those who have signed up, but hey, there very well might be a spot for you.

WHAT PEOPLE HAVE SAID ABOUT US!

"Thanks to The Bent Theatre's Improv classes, Sam, Hannah and Grace took first in regional Destination Imagination Improv tonight. Thank you Bent!" - Deborah Watson Stubbs

Visit our webpage to sign-up

<http://benttheatre.weebly.com/classes.html>

www.benttheatre.com

Find us on Twitter & Youtube as well

See More

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Cheers & Good Times,
Andy Davis

Director

Check out our website for shows, classes, blog and merchandise
(434) 466-6235

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The Bent Theatre is a member of the Central Virginia Theater Alliance

<http://www.theatreallianceva.org/>

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"Hunger never takes a holiday," says JABA's Volunteer Service Coordinator Robi Keys. "And, winter weather can make getting to the store close to impossible for low-income seniors who are homebound or who have trouble getting around. A shelf stocked with nutritious ready-to-serve canned or packaged foods can make a life-saving difference for these folks."

Especially needed are canned meat products such as tuna or stew, pasta sauces, no-sugar added fruits, and lower salt soups and vegetables. "Of course, monetary donations are always welcome."

This year, Soup for Seniors runs from January 2 to January 21. The public is urged to bring their food donations to JABA on Hillsdale Drive on or before the Martin Luther King Day holiday or drop them off at specially marked collection boxes located at the following locations:

- [JABA](#), 674 Hillsdale Drive, Charlottesville
- [Care Advantage Plus](#)
- Branchlands
- The Colonnades
- The Independence
- Jefferson Heights
- Martha Jefferson House
- Park View
- The Senior Center, Inc.
- [Twice Is Nice](#)
- Westminster-Canterbury
- Woods Edge
- Walmart Distribution Center in Zions Crossroads

All donations go to the Blue Ridge Area Food Bank's Charlottesville branch that supports the Food Bag program. Checks should be made out to JABA, Inc. Mail checks to Soup for Seniors c/o JABA, 674 Hillsdale, Charlottesville, VA 22901. For more information call Robi Keyes, 434-817-5272, rkeyes@jabacares.org.

About JABA

JABA (the Jefferson Area Board for Aging) serves the city of Charlottesville, and the counties of Albemarle, Fluvanna, Greene, Louisa and Nelson. JABA cares about all aspects of senior and intergenerational welfare. The nonprofit organization works to promote, establish and preserve sustainable communities for healthy aging that benefit individuals and families of all ages.

For information on JABA and answers to other aging related questions, contact JABA at (434) 817-5222 or visit the website www.jabacares.org. News about JABA can also be found on Twitter @JABAcare, on Facebook at JABA Charlottesville and the JABA blog at www.jabacares.wordpress.com.

If you eat at Ruby Tuesday on Emmet Street in Charlottesville on Jan 17th and mention Monticello High Music Boosters, 20% of your purchase will go to the music boosters. It's a part of the Giveback program at Ruby Tuesday. Rubytuesday.com

The Heritage Inn of Charlottesville is having their monthly Lunch and Learn on January 17th at 1:00pm. The topic is: "New Year, A New You", and the guest speaker will be Kelly Lynn from ACAC. The Heritage Inn will serve you lunch and dessert while you enjoy the speaker. There is no charge for the lunch and learn series **Lunch and dessert are included at no charge, but must RSVP to Danielle Flippin at 977-0002**

It's an indoor yard sale at St Andrew's Church at 10-83 Dice's Spring Road in Weyers Cave Friday the 18th and Saturday the 19th. Refreshments will be available. 540-234-8126 for more information

The Grand Squares of Nelson are having a SWING THROUGH THE 50's and 60's square dance, January 18, 7:30 - 10:00p.m. at the Rockfish Valley Fire Department, 11100 Rockfish Valley Highway, Afton, VA. The caller is Larry Winegard. A \$6 donation per person is requested. For more information call 434-361-2470.

The Charlottesville High School Orchestra's String Ensemble, directed by Laura

Mulligan Thomas, will present Prokofiev's "Peter and the Wolf" on Saturday, January 19.

WVIR-NBC29 meteorologist Clayton Stiver will narrate the classic children's tale. The

concert is designed for children of all ages and will be performed at 3 p.m. at the Martin

Luther King Performing Arts Center in Charlottesville. Tickets are \$10 for children and

\$15 for adults, and are available at Greenberry's, New Dominion Bookshop, Music and

ArtsCenter, from any CHSO member, or at the box office starting at 1 p.m. on the day of

the concert. This show has sold out in previous years; advance purchase is strongly

advised.

Specifically written as a symphonic introduction for children, "Peter and the Wolf" uses a narrator to present its iconic musical themes and rousing story, and the CHSO is thrilled to welcome Clayton Stiver in this role. Clayton has been with the NBC29 Weather Team since October 2006. He comes from Nazareth, PA, and has had a strong passion for weather ever since the 2nd grade. When he isn't tracking the weather, he enjoys playing his trombone, skiing, and watching Penn State Football. He is proud to say he was a member of the Penn State Blue Band and has met legendary film composer John Williams.

Proceeds from the concert will go toward the award-winning Charlottesville High School Orchestra's trip to New York City this spring, where they will compete in the World Strides Heritage Festival of Music. Children of all ages are welcome, and there will be an instrument "petting zoo" following the performance, where little ones can see how they size up next to a double bass, and get up close and personal with a variety of instruments and musicians.

For more information, contact Laura Mulligan Thomas at

laura.thomas@charlottesvilleschools.org or (434) 245-2726 and visit

www.chsorchestra.org.

January 19th from 7:30 til 10:30am Our Lady of Peace Retirement Community is hosting a Pancake Breakfast to benefit the homeless dogs and cats of the Fluvanna SPCA. Just a DONATION to the FSPCA - either monetary (\$5 min. suggested) or a donation of supplies (ex. leashes, collars, harnesses, cat/dog toys, cleaning supplies, blankets). More info, call 591-0123

Jefferson School invites you to the open house on the 19th from 10am til 1pm at 233 4th Street NW. The Jefferson School City Center is now a community Center for healthy living, learning and recreation in the heart of Charlottesville. The literacy Volunteer Center presents volunteer tutor Alden Bigelow at 11:30am for a special presentation and book signing of his recent novel, "KILLING TIME IN A SMALL SOUTHERN TOWN".

Come to the First Baptist Church at 735 Park Street for the Memorial Blood Drive in memory of David Shipp, and Pam Collier Melampy. Monday the 21st from 1 til 7pm in the fellowship hall. Please drink plenty of water, eat a good meal, and bring a photo ID. All donors may enter for a Thousand dollar home improvement gift card. Give the gift of life with the Red Cross.

THE PARAMOUNT THEATER ANNOUNCES ANOTHER ACTION-PACKED SPRING & SUMMER SEASON

The Paramount Theater announces the 2013 Spring and Summer Season featuring show stopping music, laugh-out-loud comedy, internationally acclaimed classical music, family programming and more! From The Flying Karamazov Brothers in February to the Ash Lawn Opera Festival in July there is nonstop action throughout the spring and summer spanning all genres and artists!

2013 Spring & Summer Season at The Paramount!

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Festival of the Photograph	June 12 - 15	Various check website	Check www.look3.org
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Not a part of the Paramount community? Make a donation of \$75 or more to the theater and gain early access to tickets now. Tickets will go on sale to the general public on Friday, January 25. Adding to the excitement, the first 100 ticket purchasers on Friday will receive complimentary "Friends of The Paramount" perks for one year, including early access to tickets and more! If you are already a Paramount supporter, your benefits will be extended for another year for free. It does not matter which show you are purchasing tickets for, all ticket buyers will qualify.

"We are so excited to be bringing so many incredibly talented artists to the Charlottesville community. Your community support makes this quality programming possible. We hope to see you at the theater often, and always welcome the suggestions and ideas of our community as to what artists or events you would like to see at The Paramount," stated Chris Eure, Executive Director of The Paramount. "The Paramount is a gift by the community for the community. In addition to these fabulous shows, our season never ends, so stay tuned for the latest and greatest event announcements."

About The Paramount Theater

The **Paramount Theater** of Charlottesville has been a local landmark since 1931. As a **nonprofit** performing arts center, our mission is to: educate, enchant, enlighten and enrich by

- offering the Central Virginia community a wide range of arts, education, and entertainment events with the goal of reaching diverse audiences and enriching our community
- presenting educational programs for school-age children, teens, college students, and the community at large
- making its facilities and resources available at a reduced rate for use by charitable, arts, community, and other organizations and individuals for presentation of their performances and events

Please send all press inquiries to Katherine Davis at The Paramount Theater at katherine@theparmount.net or call (434) 293-1003.

FREE Lessons Wednesday, January 23, 2013 at Woodbrook Elementary in Charlottesville

The Virginia Reelers Square Dance Club of Charlottesville are pleased to announce that Spring 2013 classes will begin with an Open House on January 23, 2013 from 7-9pm. Singles and couples are invited, there's no experience is necessary and there's no obligation to join the class, just come to the Open House and check it out!

Here's a few details...

- The class is held at Woodbrook Elementary School in Charlottesville
- \$50/person for a 15-week alternating mainstream and plus tip sessions
- 10% discount for signing up the night of our Open House
- Classes led by George Jordan and Dave Terrell

Who should attend?

- Anyone looking to have some fun, learn something new, and make new friends!

Questions?

- Contact s_glenn_thomas@hotmail.com.

The Knights of Columbus council 3670 is sponsoring a pancake breakfast Sunday, the 27th from 9am-1pm. Cost: \$5 person / \$12 family at the Church of the Incarnation 1465 Incarnation Drive Charlottesville. Proceeds fund the benefit charitable efforts of the Knights of Columbus in the community.

"Have you ever thought about becoming a volunteer mentor or tutor? Come to the United Way Volunteer Center's Mentor & Tutor Fair on Monday, January 28 at the Omni Hotel from 11 to 2. Or visit BeAVolunteer.info"

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4th Annual Carson Raymond Foundation

Texas Hold'em Poker Tournament

& Casino Night

Register at: www.carsonraymondfoundation.com

Enjoy a night at the Casino!

Roulette, poker and blackjack tournaments will provide an evening of fun and excitement!

All proceeds will support the Carson Raymond Foundation.

February 9th

6-11pm

Holiday Inn

1901 Emmett Street

Silent Auction & Registration Open @ 6:00 PM

\$100 for a seat (includes casino entry)

We are excited to offer a **blackjack tournament** this year

- **\$30** per person per entry to the **casino event**.
- **Bigger starting chip stacks** offered for those that **register by Feb 1**
- **Prizes** awarded to poker and blackjack tournament winners; plus casino guests.

Support Youth Baseball in Charlottesville!

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Not a part of the Paramountcommunity? Make a donation of \$75 or more to the theater and gain early access to tickets now. Tickets will go on sale to the general public on Friday, January 25. Adding to the excitement, the first 100 ticket purchasers on Friday will receive complimentary "Friends of The Paramount" perks for one year, including early access to tickets and more! If you are already a Paramountsupporter, your benefits will be extended for another year for free. It does not matter which show you are purchasing tickets for, all ticket buyers will qualify.

"We are so excited to be bringing so many incredibly talented artists to the Charlottesvillecommunity. Your community support makes this quality programming possible. We hope to see you at the theater often, and always welcome the suggestions and ideas of our community as to what artists or events you would like to see at The Paramount," stated Chris Eure, Executive Director of The Paramount. "The Paramountis a gift by the community for the community. In addition to these fabulous shows, our season never ends, so stay tuned for the latest and greatest event announcements."

About The Paramount Theater

The **Paramount Theater** of Charlottesvillehas been a local landmark since 1931. As a **nonprofit** performing arts center, our mission is to: educate, enchant, enlighten and enrich by

- offering the Central Virginiacommunity a wide range of arts, education, and entertainment events with the goal of reaching diverse audiences and enriching our community
- presenting educational programs for school-age children, teens, college students, and the community at large
- making its facilities and resources available at a reduced rate for use by charitable, arts, community, and other organizations and individuals for presentation of their performances and events

Please send all press inquiries to Katherine Davis at The Paramount Theater at katherine@theparmount.net or call (434) 293-1003.

The Fluvanna Flutterwheels invite you to Square Dance. Square Dancing with Plus tips and 2X2 Rounds on February 2nd from 7:30 til 10pm at the Fluvanna High School next to Pleasant Grove. Jerry Biggerstaff will be the caller and the cuer will be Gordon Adamski. call Janice at 434-286 2585 or Warren at 434-981-1747 for more information

The Charlottesville Municipal Band will present a FREE Ensemble Concert featuring the band's Flute Ensemble and Saxophone Quartet at 1:30 pm on Sunday, February 3 at the Municipal Arts Center at 1119 5th St. SW. The program will include a wide variety of selections from both classical and popular genres.

For more information please call 295-9850 or visit the band's web site www.Cvilleband.org. The Municipal Arts Center is located to the right of the Willoughby Shopping Center.

The Knights of Columbus Council 3670 in Charlottesville is hosting a night with UVA head baseball coach Brian O'Connor Monday night, February 4 at Church of the Incarnation's Stone Chapel. The event begins with baseball food (hot dogs, chips, drinks, and cookies) at 6:30. Coach O'Connor will speak and field questions about the upcoming UVA baseball season and his life in baseball starting about 7:00. Admission for the event is free, and it's open to everyone. The Knights will be auctioning off four 10-game UVA baseball ticket mini-packages as well that night. Raffle chances are \$1 a piece or six for \$5. Bring the family for a fun night of baseball talk less than two weeks before the Cavaliers begin their 2013 season.

If you can talk to the animals, you may want to audition for Play On's upcoming production of Dr. Dolittle. Of course, even if you can't talk to the animals, it's still a great idea.

Play On is pleased to announce open auditions for all roles in the musical version of Dr. Dolittle. Based on the 1967 movie starring Rex Harrison and Anthony Newley, the show includes such favorite songs as Talk to the Animals, When I Look into your Eyes and After Today. Roles include Dr. Dolittle, male 35-60; Matthew Mugg, male 25-40; Emma Fairfax, female 25-35; Tommy Stubbins, boy or girl 12-17; plus an assortment of actors and actresses of all ages, shapes, sizes and ethnicities. Some actors will play animals such as Polynesia, the 200 year old parrot; Gub-Gub, a lovable pig; Jip-Jip, the doctor's faithful dog and the dancing star of the circus, the two-headed Pushmi-pullyu.

Director, Shelley Cole (who directed the sell-outs Rodgers & Hammerstein's *Cinderella* and *The Wizard of Oz* in past seasons) is looking for a cast of 22-24 for this fun-filled show. Prepare a song which shows you at your best for the auditions and be prepared to play with animal sounds. An accompanist will be provided. You may also bring a track with background only. Singing without musical accompaniment will not be allowed so please be prepared. If you need assistance locating sheet music or karaoke tracks, contact the director (information below).

Auditions are February 4th & 5th at 7:00 p.m. Attend either session. Performances are May 3-19. Performances and auditions will be held at Play On's Theatre at 1x at 983 Second Street SE in Charlottesville. Check our web site for more information at PlayOnTheatre.org. Contact the director at sicunicorn@aol.com if you have questions.

The Grand Squares of Nelson's Valentine Celebration square dance is February 15, 7:30 to 10: p.m. at the Rockfish River Elementary School, 200 Chapel Hollow RD. Afton.

Chuck Chesteen is the caller. Refreshments are served. \$6.00 donation suggested. For further information check the website GrandSquaresofNelson or call 434-361-2407.

Great things are happening at Community Christian Academy, and we want everyone to know about the events that are happening here. Our Open House will be an opportunity for interested families to visit the school and to find out more about us.

The open house will have two sessions on Wednesday, February 13 from 10:30-noon and 6:00-7:30. Please help us spread the word to people you know who may be interested in coming. Also, on Tuesday, February 12, we are serving our area pastors with an event we are calling "Pastors' Appreciation Day."

All area pastors are invited, and we are trying to get the word out to them. If we have somehow missed getting this information to your pastor, would you see that he/she gets it? Details are in the newsletter.

Kimberly G. Moore, Ed.D.

Executive Director

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Saturday February 16th, 2013 Swing Dance

Charlottesville Swing Dance Society offers a high-energy day of Swing Dancing and a variety of other dances at Unity Church, located at 2825 Hydraulic Circle, off Hydraulic Road near Albemarle High School, Charlottesville. Come join us, Saturday February 16th, for our monthly dance. The fun begins at 2:30 p.m. when dance pro Robin Smith teaches a series of three hour-long workshops for all levels in West Coast Swing. A catered dinner at 6:00 for \$10 provides a break before Robin's pre-dance West Coast Swing lesson. Workshops are \$10 apiece for members, \$13 for non-members and \$9 for students or get all three lessons, dinner and dance admission for \$40 for members, \$50 for non-members and \$35 for students. The pre-dance lesson begins at 7:00 and Robin DJs the dance held from 8pm to 11 pm. Singles and couples are welcome; no partner is needed. Dance-only admission is \$13 per person, \$7 students (with ID), \$10 members. For more information visit <http://www.cvillesswingdance.com/>.

February 16th at the Stanardsville American Legion Hall it's a Chili Cook off with a portion of the proceeds benefiting a local breast cancer victim. Chili chefs are needed. Admission is \$5 per person with sampling beginning at 11am. Other food will be available. The chili cook off is sponsored by the Minuteman Motorcycle Club. Bluegrass music will be performed all afternoon

Team entry forms available at 806-3310 540 718 9563 or 882 2171

The Fluvanna SPCA will be at the Tractor Supply Company, in Charlottesville this Saturday, February 16th, from 9am until Noon. They're bringing some of their sweetest, cuddliest furbabies and hoping to find them forever homes! Come see puppies (Delmer, Della, and Patches to name a few) and a few adult dogs (including Dusty, who is currently spot lit as the FSPCA

The women of Effort Baptist Church are sponsoring Spa Day on February 16th from 9am till 3pm at Classic Impressions and Lake Chiropractic at Lake Monticello. Haircuts, massages, manicures and more! No reservations required, some funds donated the A21 Campaign to abolish human trafficking.

Rhonda Vincent & The Rage, featuring Charles Frazier & The Virginia Ramblers One show only, Sunday, February 17th @ 4:30PM William Monroe High School Auditorium, Stanardsville, VA

Benefiting Zero Tolerance girls Fastpitch softball organization.
Tickets are on SaleNOW. \$25/each.

More info: ztfastpitch@gmail.com or by calling 434-806-2281

The PTO of Madison Primary School Playground is hosting the Leprechaun Launch 5K Obstacle Race in Madison again this year to raise money for the MPS Playground. Here is the information:

Come to beautiful Madison County on March 16 and tackle various obstacles in the 2nd Annual Leprechaun Launch at Hoover Ridge Athletic Fields located next to Madison Primary School. The race will begin at 9AM and the cost is \$25 if you register before 2/17, \$30 after. The first 75 people will receive a T-shirt and the top 3 in each age group will receive awards. Not wanting to do obstacles? You can still sign up to walk or run the 5K for fun (ineligible for age group awards). The Kid's Obstacle Course and Fun will begin at 9:30 (obstacle course, sheriff's barrel train, face painting and more) and is \$5 per child (aged 4-10). Please visit www.mpsplayground.com for more info and registration or call Valerie at 540-718-6531.

Oakland School in Keswick, serving children ages 6 to 14 with learning differences or those struggling in a traditional classroom, invites you to their next open house on February 18th at 10:00 am. It's your opportunity to meet the director, take a tour of the campus and classrooms, and learn more about Oakland's year-round program and summer camp. Visit www.oaklandschool.net for more information.

Last month more than 115 felines danced their way into forever homes during the SPCA's Winter Formal Special. Now, it's the dogs' turn to party! At the Charlottesville-Albemarle SPCA, we're getting wild and extending the Carnival Season throughout the month of February! Instead of Mardi Gras, we are celebrating Mardi Growl, a canine party that can't be beat! The beads will be flying and the adoption fees will be discounted 50% for all regularly priced adult dogs. Plus, every week we will crown a special King or Queen of Mardi Growl and their adoption fee will be waived! We hope to see as many dogs as possible parade on out of the SPCA and into loving homes during this month-long celebration. This adoption deal even includes services normally costing hundreds of dollars: spay/neuter, age appropriate vaccinations, deworming, a free physical from participating vets, a coupon for Science Diet dog food, an animal behavior CD, and your very own canine party wingman. That's priceless!

For more information about the SPCA call 434-973-5959 or visit our website at www.caspc.org. The SPCA's main adoption center is located at 3355 Berkmar Drive in Charlottesville and is open seven days a week from 12 PM– 6 PM. The mission of the Charlottesville-Albemarle SPCA is to provide a safe and nurturing environment for the lost, abandoned, and homeless animals of the City of Charlottesville and the County of Albemarle and to increase the number of these animals being placed in appropriate, loving, and permanent homes through adoptions, foster care, and outreach and to set a standard of excellence and leadership in shelter animal care, humane education, and progressive animal welfare programs.

On Thursday, February 21, the Adult Choir of Christ Episcopal Church will sing the beautiful "Requiem" by Gabriel Fauré. The program will open at

7:00 p.m. with a 25-minute organ recital on the magnificent newly restored (Andover/2012) Hook organ, featuring two works of César Franck,

performed by Alice Layman. Following the organ recital, the Adult Choir will sing the "Requiem," accompanied by a 14-piece orchestra, with

guest soloist Keith Wagner, baritone. Members of the Christ Church Junior Choir will join on the "Pie Jesu" movement. Please come and enjoy

this program which is a perfect offering for the Lenten season. Admission is **FREE AND OPEN TO THE PUBLIC**. Christ Church is located

downtown Charlottesville, 2nd and High Streets. Street parking is available, and there is a church parking lot at the corner of 1st and Jefferson.

There will be a reception following the performance will be in Meade Hall. More information is available on the church website:

www.christchurchville.org.

On February 16, Shelia Talbott will demonstrate open-hearth cooking in Ash Lawn-Highland's reconstructed slave quarters. Open hearth cook Shelia Talbott will discuss the many contributions of enslaved African-Americans to American Cuisine. Shelia Talbott is a native Virginian who has conducted hearth cooking and living history programming for various historic sites depicting time periods from the earliest English settlement in Virginia to American Civil War. She has over 23 years living history experience, with emphasis on the Early Republic and the War of 1812. Talbott has studied period clothing construction techniques at Colonial Williamsburg, The Valentine Museum, in Richmond, the DAR Archives Washington, DC and the V&A Museum in London. 1-4 PM. *Included with price of admission.*

On February 22, 2013 Dr. Gene Allen Smith, professor of history and director of the Center for Texas Studies at Texas Christian University will discuss his most recent book, *The Slaves' Gamble: Choosing Sides in the War of 1812* at Ash Lawn-Highland on Friday, February 22. The book explores the history-changing decisions made by African-American combatants in the crucial conflict, and how the opportunity to fight changed the course of slavery in America. Co-sponsored by Dan Preston, editor of the Papers of James Monroe. 4:00 PM with book signing immediately following Dr. Smith's discussion. *Free and open to the public.*

The Closet Teen consignment sale of gently used name brand clothing, room decor, homecoming & prom dresses, electronics, and much more is Feb. 22 3-8pm, Feb. 23 7:30am-noon

at the Victory Worship Center 200 Hammond Lane Staunton.

Register online at the closet4teens.com to sell or volunteer, Teens welcomed! Proceeds will benefit local families/teens in need and youth ministries.

"Lyndhurst United Methodist Church Men's Club" will be having a "Tenderloin Dinner" on Saturday February 23, 2013. From 4:00 to 7:00 pm in the church Fellowship Hall. Menu includes Tenderloin, Mashed Potatoes, Corn, Green Beans, Roll, Drink and Dessert. Price is \$7.00 for adults, \$4.00 for Children 6-12, Children 5 and under eat "Free". For more information contact the church office at 540-943-8057

The shelter for help in emergency is seeking women and men to participate in volunteer training at 1415
Sachem Place in Charlottesville Feb 26th thru March 14th on Tuesday and Thursday evenings from 6 till 9pm.

MARCH 2013

Charlottesville International Folk Dance presents the First Friday Dance Series, Miki Liszt Dance Company, at the McGuffey Art Center, 201 2nd St. NW, March 1, with Free performances at 6 p.m. and 7 p.m. with audience invited to learn afterwards. <http://www.charlottesvilleinternationalfolkdance.com>. Mary Beth, mbstefanko@gmail.com 434-985-9809

The Second Annual Crozet Lions Club Pancake Dinner on Saturday March 2, from 5:30 pm to 7:30 pm at the Field School across from Crozet Elementary. Recommended Donation \$5 for Adults and \$3 for Children. Proceeds go to the Lion's Large Print Section of the Crozet Library. Thanks to all Crozet Business's that have provided prizes for the raffle. Good Food and a Great Time is guaranteed for all.

Contact Skip Thacker 434 823-2288 for more information.

Life after High School" - Conference and Resource Fair for students with disabilities and their parents

Life after High School Transition Conference and Resource Fair

PREP/Parent Resource Center, in collaboration with the VDOE I'm Determined Project & VDOE Region 5 T/TAC will sponsor a free conference and resource fair for middle and high school students with disabilities and their parents. Community members, educators, and agencies are welcome to attend.

The conference will take place on Saturday, March 2, 2013, 8:30 am to 3:00 pm at Charlottesville/Albemarle Technical Education Center (CATEC), 1000 E. Rio Road, Charlottesville, and will highlight issues such as Transition 101, Self-Determination, Postsecondary Education, Employment Models & Expectations, Health Care, So You're 18: Legal Rights and Obligations, and Sexuality. There will be a special student breakout session throughout the day.

The resource fair will provide participants an opportunity to meet with local agencies and organizations that provide services and support for young adults. Lunch is provided with pre-registration, giving parents an opportunity to network with each other.

For more information call (434) 975-9400 ext. 68032 or email sblech@k12albemarle.org or www.prepivycreek.com. To learn more about transition: www.lifeafterhs.org

The Junior League of Charlottesville is announcing the deadline for applications to be accepted for the 10th annual Emily Couric Community Advocacy Award. The deadline is **Friday, March 22, 2013**.

This award of \$2000 will be given to a non-profit agency in honor of an individual, nominated by that non-profit agency, who stands out as a model of community advocacy. The Junior League of Charlottesville created this community award program to honor Senator Emily Couric. She was a great friend to the Junior League of Charlottesville and former member of the League's Community Resource Board. The award application can be found by accessing the Junior League's website: www.jlcville.org. For more information please email the Junior League President-Elect at presidentelect@jlcville.org. A member of the Board will contact you shortly.

The Junior League of Charlottesville is an organization of women committed to promoting voluntarism, developing the potential of women, and improving communities through the effective action and leadership

of trained volunteers. The JLC supports local community organizations like The Boys and Girls Club of Central Virginia, Children, Youth and Family Services, as well as Meals on Wheels, The Virginia Discovery Museum, The Children's Museum at the University of Virginia Health System and many more.

For more information visit the Junior League of Charlottesville website at www.jlcville.org.

Upcoming Events/Important Dates:

March 2 Kids in the Kitchen 2013

March 22 Emily Couric Award Nominations due

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The "Friends and Family for Life" Relay for Life Team is having basket bingo at the Gordonsville Fire Hall on Saturday March 2nd. With refreshments for sale, bingo and baked goods auction. The cost is \$25 at the door for a bingo card or \$20 in advance, to reserve tickets (five-four-zero)832-3297.

2013 15th Annual Charlottesville Heart Ball

Silent and Live Auctions

Dinner and Dancing

Date: Saturday, March 2, 2013, 6 p.m.

Location: The Boars Head Pavilion

200 Ednam Drive, Charlottesville, VA

Who: Chairman, Ken Boyd

Presenting Sponsors: UVA Health System and Cumberland Development

Join us for the 2013 Heart Ball, an elegant celebration of life, with proceeds benefiting the American Heart Association. The American Heart Association is the nation's premier volunteer health agency dedicated to reducing disability and death from cardiovascular diseases and stroke, the nation's No. 1 and No. 4 killers. Our impact goal is by 2020, to improve the cardiovascular health of all Americans by 20% while reducing deaths from cardiovascular diseases and stroke by 20%.

This year the American Heart Association expects more than 300 attendees and hopes to raise \$200,000 at the event to help fight Virginia's No. 1 and No. 4 killers –heart disease and stroke.

Each year nearly 20,000 Virginians lose their lives to cardiovascular disease (heart disease, stroke and other vascular diseases). That's about 53 people every day!

For tickets and more information at (804) 965-6587 or (434) 851-4701, visit

www.heart.org/charlottesvillevaheartball

To reserve a press pass contact Michelle McLees, AHA, at 804-965-6505 or michelle.mclees@heart.org.

The Fluvanna Flutterwheels present square dancing with plus tips and 2 X 2 Rounds on March 2nd from 7:30 to 10 pm at the Fluvanna High School next to pleasant grove. The caller is Bill Harrison and the cuer is Connie Cox. For more info call 434-286-2585 or 981 1747

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The Alzheimer's Association will host "Walk to End Alzheimer's Team Captain Workshops" on Thursday, March 7 at 8:00am, Noon and 4:00pm. Learn new fundraising tips and get new tools to lead your Walk Team in the fight to End Alzheimer's. Need more information, call 973-6122.

Corey Harris Debuts his new CD Fulton Blues at the Jefferson School African American Heritage Center

February 5, 2013

On March 7, 2013 Corey Harris will perform with his band Rasta Blues Experience, at the Jefferson School African American Heritage Center auditorium at 7 p.m. Prior to the concert he will discuss the research that lead to his development of *Fulton Blues*, released on January 31, 2013.

Fulton Blues, Corey Harris' new collection of both original and classic material, celebrates the timeless sound of traditional blues with fresh, insightful lyrics that paint an unflinching picture of life in the American South, both then and now. The stories in the fourteen songs on the album range from love, loss, and longing to celebration, tragedy and triumph. *Fulton Blues* is rooted in the blues tradition with true story-telling and soulful musicianship. It is the next step in the nearly twenty-year career of today's most daring and innovative acoustic blues player.

Fulton is a community in Richmond, VA that is older than the city itself. From its docks on the James River, the first African captives were marched to the city's slave market to be sold into bondage. This Black town on the east end of the city endured for more than 300 years until its land was seized and the families living there were forcibly evicted in the name of greed masquerading as progress.

In 2007, Harris was awarded a \$500,000 MacArthur Fellowship – commonly referred to as a “genius award” – from the John D. and Catherine T. MacArthur Foundation. The annual grant, which recognizes individuals from a wide range of disciplines who show creativity, originality and commitment to continued innovative work, described Harris as an artist who “forges an adventurous path marked by deliberate eclecticism.” That same year, he was also awarded an honorary Doctor of Music degree from Bates College in Lewiston, Maine.

This is the first concert in the newly renovated Jefferson School auditorium, which first opened in 1926. The auditorium's renovation preserves its original 1926 character; however, it has been updated and is now a purpose-driven state of the art

venue. It is the new home of the African-American Heritage Center's film, lecture, and performing series.

Tickets go on sale on Monday, February 11 and are available on the Heritage Center website www.jeffschoolheritagecenter.org. They can also be purchased at the African Heritage Center Tuesday – Friday 10 am-12 pm, 233 4th St, NW, 2nd floor.

The concert and lecture are made possible through the generous support of the Blue Moon Fund, Hampton Inn and Suites, and *albemarle* Magazine.

The Jefferson School African American Heritage Center's (JSAAHC) mission is to honor and preserve the rich heritage and legacy of the African American community of Charlottesville-Albemarle, Virginia and promote a greater appreciation for and understanding of the contributions of peoples of color locally, nationally, and globally.

For more information about the Jefferson School African American Heritage Center go to www.jeffschoolheritagecenter.org, and follow us on Facebook at www.facebook.com/pages/Jefferson-School-African-American-Heritage-Center

Western Albemarle Theatre Ensemble presents Little Shop of Horrors Friday March 8 at 8pm Saturday March 9 at 8pm Sunday March 10 at 2pm WAHS Auditorium

Student Tickets \$5 in advance \$6 at the door Adults \$10 in advance \$12 at the door Seniors \$5 in advance \$6 at the door

We will have a benefit preview showing Thursday March 7 at 7:30PM. The cost for this show is by donation.

A tale of fortune, fame, love, and money, this show is sure to entertain the whole family-

A down-and-out skid row floral assistant, Seymour, becomes an overnight sensation when he discovers an exotic plant with a craving for fresh blood. This R&B singing carnivore soon offers him fame and fortune in exchange for feeding its growing appetite- with a "Greek chorus" of girl-group singers and a plant that keeps growing bigger onstage, Seymour must choose between success and doing what he knows is right.

Belmont Baptist Church is hosting a Solo Acoustic Show featuring Jimmy Fortune on Saturday March 9. Doors open at 6PM, show starts at 7PM. Tickets are \$15-general admission, there is no reserved seating. Proceeds benefit the ministries of Belmont Baptist, which include a STOP HUNGER NOW event, where volunteers package over 10,000 meals to be used across the globe.

A Novel Murder

A Fundraiser Event for Play On!

The Plot:

"The annual Celebrity Book Tour has made its way to town and brought with it pop sensation, Renee Sherry, and past award winning author, Arthur McWillingham. This year's extravaganza isn't your ordinary book signing though. Obsessive fans will go crazy, security guards will take their jobs too seriously, and a murder will ensue! The CBT needs your help as a witness to reveal clues in pursuit of finding the murderer. Join us in solving the case of, *A Novel Murder*.

Play On! Invites you to join us for a unique, thrill-filled evening of murder most foul, as tell A play Entertainment stages one of their hugely popular, interactive murder mysteries. Watch the crime unfold, see the plot thicken, then YOU get to question the suspects, examine the clues, and solve the murder.

This event is an important Fundraiser for Play On! Every penny raised will go to helping us pay the rent for the Theatre at 1x. Please join us and support Charlottesville's only all-volunteer, not for profit, Community Theater!

Tickets are \$20 for adults and \$10 for kids (12 & under); and include a complimentary beer, wine or cocktail or unlimited soft drinks.

One show only: Saturday, March 9 at 7:00 pm

Visit PlayOnTheatre.org or call (434) 872 – 0184 to get your tickets today.

Varsity Baseball team at Monticello High School is planning a car wash fundraiser tomorrow, March 9th at the "Floors Are Us" store on route 29 proceeds go to the Athletic Boosters Club that helps pay for athletic expenses at the high school, bring on your dirty car....

Virginia's **Statewide Tornado Drillis Tuesday, March 12, at 9:45 a.m.**To start the drill, the National Weather Service will send a TEST tornado warning that will trigger a tone alert and message on NOAA Weather Radio, simulating what listeners will hear during an actual tornado warning. This is only a test message and not a real tornado. But this will be a great time to practice tornado safety! When you hear the test message, go to the center of the lowest level of a sturdy building. Stay away from windows. Crouch down and cover your head with your hands. For more, go to ReadyVirginia.gov

It's Donkey Basketball to benefit the Buffalo Gap FFA on March 14th

At Buffalo Gap High School.

The Grand Squares of Nelson are having a WEAR'N O' THE GREEN square dance on March 15, 7:30 to 10:00, at the Rockfish River Elementary School at 200 Chapel Hollow road in Afton. The dance is for plus and mainstream dancers. The caller is Ken Jordan. Refreshments are served. A \$6.00 donation is suggested. For more information check the website GrandSquaresofNelson or call 434-361-2470

The Shenandoah Valley Plant Symposium is March 27th,

8:00am– 4:00pm Presented by Waynesboro Parks and Recreation Department, At Best Western Inn & Suites Conference Center, Waynesboro, \$95.00 before March 15th, \$105.00 after March 15th

This event offers something for everyone from the novice home gardener to experienced horticulturist with ideas and solutions for all your planting problems.

Be inspired by nationally renowned plant experts Dan Heims, Peter Hatch, Pam Baggett and Bryce Lane. They will be presenting their favorite ideas and solutions for all your planting problems. It will be just what the doctor (or horticulturist in this case) ordered as winter ends and the spring planting season begins. This event offers something for everyone from the novice home gardener to experienced horticulturist. The proceeds will supplement the horticulture program's budget to provide more for the community.

Spencer Marie Eavers

Special Event & Programs Coordinator

Waynesboro Parks and Recreation

413 Port Republic Rd., Waynesboro, VA22980

(540) 942-6735

Pleasant Valley Church of the Brethren
91 Valley Church Road
Weyers Cave, VA

Invites you to their 8th Annual Dinner Theatre

"ONCE UPON A LEPRECHAUN"

Friday, March 15, Saturday, March 16, & Friday, March 22, at 6 pm
& Saturday, March 23 at 12 Noon

Tickets: Adults \$20, Children 10 and under \$10

Proceeds to Benefit Mission Work in Haiti

For Ticket Reservations call (540) 234-8142 or email pshuffman52@aol.com

"Once Upon A Leprechaun" is the retelling of 3 Irish Folktales set in rural Ireland. The message is one of hope and reminds us to spread joy without thinking of personal gain. It is written by Patrick Rainville Dorn with Music & Lyrics by Bill Francoeur. Produced by Special Arrangement with Pioneer Drama Service, Inc. Englewood, Colorado.

Dinner Menu

Dudlin Tomato Bisque
Luck-O-Irish Salad with poppy seed dressing
Shamrock Beef Stroganoff
(over poppy seed noodles)
Irishmen Dream Ham
Culchie Green Beans
Happy Hearts Baked Apples
Irish Batch Bread
Savage Oreo Delight
Coffee, Tea & Water

Cinderella's Closet, the premier cocktail and formal dress sale in Central Virginia is Friday, March 15, 2013 from 4:30 pm- 6:30 pm and Saturday, March 16, 2013 from 9:00 am- 1:00 pm. Cinderella's Closet aims to ensure that every young woman in Central Virginia has a beautiful and affordable prom experience.

This event is open to the public, and we have new and gently used gowns, many designer labels still with the tags on, are available for only \$35 (\$25 with a student ID). Shoes, handbags, and jewelry are also available at very affordable prices. Each patron will be entered in a door prize drawing for special products and gift certificates! Raffle tickets for GREAT gift certificates to local restaurants and services will be available for purchase. You won't want to miss the premier dress sale of the season!

Visit us at Facebook and like us for frequent updates: www.facebook.com/#!/pages/Cinderellas-Boutique-MHS/192423787443153

Donations of new or gently loved formal wear and accessories are accepted at Monticello High School, 1400 Independence Way, Charlottesville, VA 22902 during regular school hours of 9:00 am - 4:00 pm.

Proceeds from Cinderella's Closet benefit the MHS PTO, the MHS Make A Difference Fund, and the MHS 2013 Prom Committee.

For more information, contact Rose Van Epp, Chairperson, at CinderellasCloset@hotmail.com.

Learn how to prevent kidney disease. Learn how to stop it!

Come to the Free Kidney Screening sponsored by the UVA Health System Division of Nephrology, Renal Services and the National Kidney Foundation Saturday, March 16, 9 a.m. to 2 p.m. at the

Free Clinic. 1138 Rose Hill Dr Suite 200. Charlottesville (Charlottesville/Albemarle Health Department)

Urine Testing. Blood Testing if needed.

Free consultation with UVA Kidney Doctors.

For more information, call: 434-924-5504

The Aldersgate Methodist church at 1500 E. Rio road invites you to a corned beef and cabbage supper from 5:30 til 7:30 on March 16th. The Blue Ridge Irish Music School will perform in the sanctuary at 6 with music and dancing. Tickets available at the door and range from 5 to 10 dollars. Carry out's will be available ..

The Metje's Munster's relay for life team is part of

A community yard and bake sale is Saturday March 16th at the Augusta County Eagles in Fishersville from 7am, reserve a spot

540-241-7550. That evening Metje's Munsters will be a the Stuart's Draft Rescue Squad community room from 6 til 9pm for a Cake Walk, Raffle, and Silent auction, the raffle prize is a P Buckly Moss Print, "Ribbon of Hope" valued at \$185.

The PTO of Madison Primary School Playground is hosting the Leprechaun Launch 5K Obstacle Race in Madison again this year to raise money for the MPS Playground. Here is the information:

Come to beautiful Madison County on March 16 and tackle various obstacles in the 2nd Annual Leprechaun Launch at Hoover Ridge Athletic Fields located next to Madison Primary School. The race will begin at 9AM and the cost is \$25 if you register before 2/17, \$30 after. The first 75 people will receive a T-shirt and the top 3 in each age group will receive awards. Not wanting to do obstacles? You can still sign up to walk or run the 5K for fun (ineligible for age group awards). The Kid's Obstacle Course and Fun will begin at 9:30 (obstacle course, sheriff's barrel train, face painting and more) and is \$5 per child (aged 4-10). Please visit www.mpsplayground.com for more info and registration or call Valerie at 540-718-6531.

This year "RIDE RANKS FOR A CURE", comes to Virginia, so that our local cowboys could get a chance to experience this amazing school and get the joy of watching a large check being donated to a family in need. There will be bull riding, bull fighting and cowgirls barrel racing. We have recently started promoting this event and we also have created a Facebook page, "Ride Rank for a Cure VA". This event will be held April 19-21, where on the 21 we will be having a rodeo type atmosphere for all the guys and girls competing. We are going to advertise Sunday so that the public will come out and watch these cowboys & cowgirls compete in a rodeo atmosphere. We will be asking for donations instead of selling tickets to the event, where spectators can come and watch cowboys & cowgirls ride, get autographs, meet the professional bull riders and bullfighters who are teaching the school, and make bids at the silent auction. We are trying to get as many people to this event to help support and donate for this person in need, who is fighting for their life! It's going to be held at Oakland Heights Farm in Gordonsville, VA. We have an application out for people who are interested in being considered for getting the donation. If we could add that into the info that would be great. Maybe add my email somehow? Or get them to contact you to get in touch with me? They have to fill out an application and the person chosen by the board will have to provide written documents from their doctor. We are still accepting applications!! :) Thanks so much!!

the founder of the organization, "Ride Rank for a Cure" is Rickey Ritter. Ride Rank for a Cure will donate 100% of the proceeds to the recipient chosen through the application process. Rickey Ritter has a group of people who will sort through and vote on the person they feel is most deserving of the donation.

The address of the farm is:

OaklandHeightsFarm

17110 James Madison Highway

Gordonsville, VA22942

Call 804-357-3457to ask any other questions

Work Source Enterprises is a nonprofit organization, about job training and employment programs that help people with disabilities Some informational meetings are on Monday, and Tuesday March 18th and 19th. These are not fund raising events; they are simply a way for work source enterprises to tell people what they do and to give them an opportunity to learn more. Perhaps you know someone who has a child with a disability, or someone who cares about services for people with disabilities. Or perhaps YOU would like to come to learn more about work source enterprises programs. If you know someone, please have them make a reservation. We are catering the meetings, and I want to be sure we have enough food, beverages, seats, etc.

Monday, and Tuesday March 18 and 19th Meetings at Noonand at 5:30 pmAt Work Source Enterprises, 1311 Carlton Avenue, Charlottesville, The events are FREE, and catering will be provided by Bread Works Bakery & Deli, a division of Work Source Enterprises

You can call me at the numbers below, or send me an email.

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(804) 426-7030- cell

A Sierra Club Program, "**Protecting the Rivanna River Challenges and Opportunities**" is Wednesday, March 20, 7:00 p.m.at St. Mark Lutheran Church on the corner of Ivy & Alderman Road. Robbi Savage, Executive Director of the Rivanna Conservation Society, will share information about this beautiful waterway in central Virginia.

Free & open you along with Refreshments & door prizes provided by the Piedmont Group of the Sierra Club.

For more information please contact Suzanne at (434) 245-9898or suzmichels@yahoo.com.

It's time for the Made for Kids Spring/Summer Consignment Sale!
Baby and Children's clothing, nursery items, maternity, and much more. March 22nd 7:30am- 6:00pm, and
the 23rd 7:30am-noon

At Victory Worship Center 200 HammondLane Staunton, VA

Register online at www.made4kids.net to sell or volunteer.

Proceeds will benefit pediatric cancer, children and youth ministries.

The Junior League of Charlottesville is announcing the deadline for applications to be accepted for the 10th
annual Emily Couric Community Advocacy Award. The deadline is **Friday, March 22, 2013**.

This award of \$2000 will be given to a non-profit agency in honor of an individual, nominated by that non-
profit agency, who stands out as a model of community advocacy. The Junior League of Charlottesville
created this community award program to honor Senator Emily Couric. She was a great friend to the Junior
League of Charlottesville and former member of the League's Community Resource Board. The award
application can be found by accessing the Junior League's website: www.jlcville.org. For more information
please email the Junior League President-Elect at presidentelect@jlcville.org. A member of the Board will
contact you shortly.

The Junior League of Charlottesville is an organization of women committed to promoting voluntarism,
developing the potential of women, and improving communities through the effective action and leadership
of trained volunteers. The JLC supports local community organizations like The Boys and Girls Club of
Central Virginia, Children, Youth and Family Services, as well as Meals on Wheels, The Virginia Discovery
Museum, The Children's Museum at the University of Virginia Health System and many more.

For more information visit the Junior League of Charlottesville website at www.jlcville.org.

Upcoming Events/Important Dates:

March 2 [Kids in the Kitchen 2013](#)

March 22 [Emily Couric Award Nominations due](#)

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"Parenting POWER," a Saturday morning information session, will be held on Saturday, March 23rd from
8:30 a.m. to 12:30 p.m. at Charlottesville High School. David Waters, PhD, a licensed family therapist, will
start the morning with words of encouragement for parents who are raising children in this fast-moving and
ever-changing age. Following Dr. Waters' remarks, parents may choose from individual information sessions
that will include:

- Parenting Self Care

- How To Talk So Your Kids Will Listen & Listen so Your Kids Will Talk

- Healthy Eating & Sleep Habits

- Talking With Children About Difficult & Sensitive Topics

- Gang Prevention & Awareness in Our Community

- Healthy Teen Relationships & the Teen Dating Culture

- Internet Safety

Free food, information and door prizes will also be available throughout the morning event. Assistance with childcare and/or transportation may be available that day and can be requested by contacting Safe Schools/Healthy Students at: office@safeschoolscville.org or (434) 872-4568. To pre-register for the information sessions, go to the Safe Schools/Healthy Students website at: www.safeschoolscville.org

Parenting POWER is the result of collaboration between a number of community agencies that work to support children, families and parents. Says Carol Fox, Project Leader from Safe

Schools/Healthy Students: "This event capitalizes on the experience and expertise of many community partners and really does harness the POWER of multiple agencies that support parents and children in our community. All of us want this day to be energizing and uplifting for parents." Adds Brenda Sampe, Child Protective Services Supervisor for the City of Charlottesville Department of Social Services, "The planning team for Parenting POWER really believes that the most important things we could offer parents are support for some of the difficult issues they face and affirmation of the critical roles they play in the lives of their children. We hope they'll find both at Parenting POWER, and we hope our collaborative can be a continued source of information, inspiration and support in the future."

Parenting POWER Partner Agencies:

Albemarle County Department of Social Services

Albemarle County Police Department

Albemarle County Public Schools

Charlottesville City Department of Social Services

Charlottesville City Police Department

Charlottesville City Public Schools

Charlottesville Student Health Advisory Board

Children, Youth and Family Services

FoothillsChildAdvocacyCenter

JeffersonArea Child Health Improvement Program

Safe Schools/Healthy Students Albemarle/Charlottesville Project

Sexual Assault Resource Agency

Smart Beginnings

University of VirginiaTeenHealthCenter

Walton Middle School Band. Walton Middle School Band Yard Sale There will be a Huge Yard Sale to benefit the Walton Middle School Band at the Walton Middle School Cafeteria on Saturday, March 23rd from 8:00am to 2:00pm. Proceeds will help offset the cost for band students to perform and compete in this year's Festival Event in Williamsburg. If you want to sell your own items at the sale and keep the profits for yourself, you can purchase a table for \$12 each. If you would like to purchase space and sell your own items or donate items to us contact Peggy Haluska at Walton Middle School. E-mail or call Peggy at phaluska@k12albemarle.org 977-5615. Come on out and see what treasures you can find and support music in our schools as well

Help change a life.

Tutor an adult in reading, writing, and/or speaking English.

Our students come from a wide variety of backgrounds, and they are all hoping to acquire the skills they need

to independently pursue their life goals, support their families, and be active in our community.

New Tutor Training

Saturday, March 23, 9:30 am- 4 pm

Lunch provided

We currently have a waiting list of students who need your help.

Register today! No teaching or tutoring experience necessary.

Call 434-977-3838 for more information or to register.

www.literacyforall.org

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UNITED METHODIST CHURCH

Date: Saturday, March 23, 2013

Time: 9:00 a.m. to 4:00 p.m.

Location: Mt. Bethel UMC

148 Rock Mountain Lane, Crimora

Questions, please call (540) 810-4816

Having.....a bake sale, a Craft/Exhibitor Show

GoldCanyonCandles, Thirty-One, South Hill Designs,

Country Reflections Photography and many more!

Lastly, having a canned food drive to support the local ERMA Food Pantry.

Please bring a can of food instead of paying an admission charge.

Let's support our community in need!

Food will also be available to purchase!

EASTER BAKE and SPRING CRAFT SALE

Saturday, March 23, 2013 8 am to 1 pm

St Andrews Church

1083 Dices Spring Road

Weyers Cave, VA 24486

EASTER BAKED GOODS

CANDIES

SOUP

PICKLED EGGS

CRAFTS

FOR INFORMATION CALL (540) 234-8126

Peggy S. Huffman 704 Chapel Hill Lane Weyers Cave, VA 24486 (540)234-8142
pshuffman52@aol.com

Relay For Life of Orange, Team Heart & Sole is sponsoring a 5K Run/Walk on Saturday, March 30th at Orange Elementary School. Race starts at 8 a.m.. To register please go to runsignup.com. All proceeds will benefit the American Cancer Society Relay For Life.

The Alzheimer's Association will host Walk to End Alzheimer's Team Captain Workshops on **Tuesday, March 26** at 8:00am, Noon and 4:00pm. Learn new fundraising tips and get new tools to lead your Walk Team in the fight to End Alzheimer's. Need more information, call 973-6122.

Music, movies, puzzles, games, software, and more in the Spring Book Sale at the Gordon Ave. Library, Charlottesville. Saturday, March 30 through Sunday, April 7th from 10-7 each day. Proceeds benefit the public library system, the Jefferson-Madison Regional Library. A Pre-Sale for dues-paying members only will be held March 29 from 5 To 7pm. A new policy this year prohibits the use of scanners or other electronic devices during the first three hours of the first day of the sale, March 30. Call (434) 977-8467 or email info@jmrifriends.org for more information. You can also visit the Friends on the Internet at www.jmrifriends.org