

Musician Needed

Townsley Chapel AME Church is seeking a permanent Musician. Candidates must be trained and experienced in playing both organ and the piano. Interested persons may call James Hall, Search Committee Member, at 234-4300. Rev. Joseph Baker, Pastor.

Hodge Memorial Day Care Center Annual Fundraising Banquet

Tickets just \$30.00

Saturday, May 30, 2009 at 7 p.m.
Bethlehem Baptist Church Banquet Room
1008 May Street, Savannah, GA 31415

Come and celebrate Hodge's 89th Anniversary of continuous service to the community. Reconnect with old friends and teachers and help to support an institution that has educated hundreds of local Savannahians.

GUEST SPEAKER
Mayor Otis Johnson

For ticket information or to make a donation to Hodge, please contact Mr. Melvin Mason, Executive Director at 912-233-8421.



Sports with Walter Moore



Walter Moore

Frasier Leads Lady Warriors

Tonique Frasier scored 16 points and pulled down 6 rebounds to help the Savannah Lady Warriors to a season-opening 61-40 win over the Tampa Bay X-Factor on May 16 at the Savannah High Gym. The Warriors led 16-2 after one quarter and held a 30-9 halftime advantage. Tampa Bay made 28 turnovers and were out-rebounded 60-44. Tamara Bowie added 14 points and five blocks for Savannah while Aylssa Days had 11 rebounds.

Former SSU Coach Laid To Rest

Former Savannah State football, track and cross-country coach Richard Washington was laid to rest on May 14. Funeral Services were at First Congregational Church on Habersham Street and Interment was at Forest Lawn Cemetery. Washington was head football coach at SSU from 1957-63 and had a record of 22-31-6. He was the Tigers head track coach from 1956-72 and in 1985. Washington was named "SIAC Track Coach of the Year" in 1965 and 1966 and the SEAC SIAC Cross Country Coach of the Year in 1971. During his tenure, the track team won four conference championships. Among those at the funeral were SSU Alumni, Boosters, former players, tennis buddies, former co-workers and former SSU administrators.

season with a 6-5 road win over Charleston Southern on May 12 as Dexter Kelley hit a two-run single in the 7th inning. The Tigers lost the first game of the double-header 5-1. In the win, Brett Pointer hit a home run and Tristan Smith scored twice. In the first game, SSU made seven errors and Bucs pitcher Brandon Roberts struck out 12 batters. For the second consecutive season, SSU ends their season with a losing record. This year the Tigers were 25-26.

Plump Qualifies For Track Regional

Savannah State freshman Eric Plump has qualified for the NCAA Track Regional in the men's 200m. The Columbus native has a qualifying time of 21.32. The computer science major has also qualified for the USATF National Junior Championships in the 200m.

Tigers Run At Georgia Tech

The Savannah State track team ran at the Georgia Tech Invitational on May 15-16 in Atlanta. Sharonda Redfield was 11th in the women's triple jump and Eric Plump was 13th in the men's 200m race.

SSU Baseball Ends Season

The Savannah State baseball team closed their 2009

The NCAA Regional will be May 27-30 in Greensboro, North Carolina while the National Junior Championships will be June 25-26 in Eugene, Oregon. Anyone wishing to give Plump financial assistance with the trips, since its is not a school sponsored event, can contact coach Ted Whitaker at 843-384-7521.

Babies Don't Come With Instructions

Love Babies? This Volunteer Opportunity is for You!

The First Steps Parents of Newborns program pairs volunteers with new families in the hospital setting to provide emotional support, parenting education materials, and referrals to community resources.

Volunteer training and all materials are provided. For more information about the First Steps Parents of Newborns program call 819-6911 or 819-6910 or email MobleySte@sjchs.org.

PLAY Date Savannah



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JUNE 5, 2009
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It's an alternative to the typical night out. PlayDate provides a fun and exciting atmosphere where you can enjoy good food & cocktails, listen to a variety of music, socialize, and meet great people all while playing games. ALL KINDS OF GAMES- from Poker to Chess, Twister to UNO, Monopoly to Taboo, Hungry Hungry Hippos to Rock 'Em Sock 'Em Robots, and EVERYTHING in between! We even feature nostalgic favorites like Pac-Man and PlayDate Signature games like Musical Chairs, Simon Says, and Hula Hoops.

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Special components include Art in the Heart Downtown, a juried art show and sale, and the Wine Down Tasting Experience featuring a variety of fine wines.

Other activities include the 'Round Midnight Jazz Jam, Jazz Talk, Generation Next Youth Talent Competition, jazz brunches, exhibits and children's educational displays.

All festival elements are free and open to the public unless otherwise listed.

Those slated to perform include Stanley Clarke Trio featuring Hiromi and Lenny White, Boney James, BB

King All Star Band and Roberta Flack.

Internationally hailed as one of the greatest songstresses of our time, Flack remains unparalleled in her ability to tell a story through her music.

Her songs deal insight into our lives, loves, culture and politics, while effortlessly traversing a broad musical landscape from pop to soul to folk to jazz.

For more information call the Office of Special Events at (904) 630-3690 or visit www.jaxjazzfest.com.

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degrees from University of Phoenix - Savannah, a local leader in educating working professionals.

Among the graduates was Willie L. Gadson, Jr, who received his bachelor of science degree in Business Management. Willie is the son of Willie, Sr. and Ida Gadson, the brother of LaTonya and LaTosha Gadson, and the grandson of Mrs. Janie Lattimore, and the proud uncle of three, Tyrese Morris, and TeShawn and Shaunte Pope.

During the ceremony, graduates and their families had the opportunity to hear from best-selling author and Savannah resident, Bertice Berry. Additionally, Chandra Jones represented students and spoke on the topic of overcoming obstacles and being successful.

Students who have studied online or attended the Savannah campus were recognized. The most popular degree programs among

these graduates are the Bachelor of Science in Business/Management and the Master of Business Administration.

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