Barbara Masekela for community arts debate

FLORENCE SHORT

A DISCUSSION with the head of the ANC department of arts and culture, Barbara Masekela, on the ANC cultural boycotts and on its policies on censorship and on the role of the performing arts councils has been arranged by CAP (Community Arts Project) at its Woodstock headquarters in Chapel Street tomorrow at 20h00. Masekela will be questioned by representatives of Music Action for People’s Power (MAPP), the Cultural Workers Congress, the SA Domestic Workers Union, the University of Cape Town’s Centre For African Studies and Capab. Derek Wilson, arts editor of The Argus, is also on the panel.

An all-day theatre seminar, with an emphasis on community theatre, has been organised by CAP for Saturday. Speakers include Johan Esterhuizen of the drama department of Stellenbosch University, Mpume Maluleka of the Young Peoples’ Theatre Trust, Ronnie Govender of the Baxter Theatre and Patti Henderson of CAP.

The seminar, to be opened by Masekela at 10h00, will include discussions on points raised by the speakers as well as on reports submitted by various organisations.

Details: ☏ 45-3689, ☏ 45-3648.