

# Annual Black Ball in Evans Saturday

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For all of those poor people who are feeling the post Fancy Dress Blues there is hope! Tab Brown, the coordinator of Black Awareness Activities, promises that this year's Black Ball will be bigger and better than ever.

The theme for this Saturday's Ball is "A Night at the Copa." The festivities begin at 7:30 p.m. on Saturday with a cocktail party at the Alumni House. This party is open to everyone with a ticket. After the cocktail party everyone will head on over to Evans Dining Hall to bask in the recreated atmosphere of the famous Copa Cabana. The band for the evening will be Anglo Saxon Brown, a big contemporary soul band with both rock and gospel influences. The band features eight vocalists and they promise to put on a great show. There will be non-alcoholic refreshments served at the Ball, but there will be **no beer** allowed.

Members of the Student Association for Black Unity, the Student Activities Board, and others will be working feverishly these next few days to decorate Evans with a "Latiny Flavor." Brown said that everyone has been trying to help as much as they can, and the local merchants have been especially generous with donations for the decorations. When asked about how things were going, Brown said, "Things are hectic, but a good sort of hectic. But wait till this Saturday, we're going to dance our heads off."

Tickets must be purchased in advance for \$6 either at Carole's office on the first floor of the Student Center or by calling 463-2770. The ball is a formal affair so you do need a tux. Before the final grind for exams begins come celebrate the Rites of Spring at the Black Ball.