Carver, Patterson Highs Represent 105 Years

Some 83 awards were presented to deserving students at the 46th annual commencement of the Carver High School held June 11 at the Civic Center.

Miss Pamela Denise Pitts, valedictorian, won four of them. They were the Pi Beta Sigma Scholarship Award; UMBC Scholastic Achievement Award; Carver Chapter; Future Business Leaders of America Award, and the Parent-Student-Teacher Association Award.

Roland N. Patterson presented the class to Dr. John Walton, president of the board of School Commissioners, who conferred the diplomas.

Congressman Parren J. Mitchell - (D-7th) brought greetings to the graduates, platform guests and to those seated in the auditorium.

Henry C. Johnson is principal of the school.

Other graduates were:

Vocational-Technical Curriculum

Charlotte A. Adlam, Aleasia M. Ames, Earl Anderson, Darlene D. Andrews, Mark A. Ayers, Anita Bolar, John Edward Bridgeforth, Vivian J. Brooks, Wanda L. Butler,

Milton Carr, Howard S. Carter, Alonzo L. Coleman, Wanda A. Diggs, Booker Douglass, Bernadette M. Duckett,

Cornelia Ellis, Sandra L. Grate, Mitzie Hicks, Robert A. Hicks, Leonard O. Hill, Michael F. Holley, Archie Johns,

Ronald Johnson, Rosemary R. Johnson, Archie L. Jones, John E. Jones, Larry C. Jones, Bryon G. Joynes, Ricky G. Judkins, Guy S. Lancaster,

Aaron M. Longus, Douglas L. Lunn, Delores R. Matthews, Michael N. McCrea, Debra P. Neely, Rodney W. Paige,

Ella M. Pate, Jerry L. Shropshire, Nancy L. Stewart, Alan A. C. Tellington, Aaron S. Truitt, Joyce Vellines, Lloyd W. Wilson.

VOCATIONAL HIGH SCHOOL CURRICULUM

Robert M. Adams, Eugene L. Anderson, Andre Bailey, Verdell L. Bailey, Herbert H. Baldwin, Newell Barnwell, Denise A. Beckett,

Della R. Berkley, Melvin T. Bond, Rochelle A. Bowie, Deborah D. Bridges, Roland Brogden, Douglas V. Brown,

Alice J. Brown, Linda M. Brown, Marie A. Brown, Kevin L. Bryan, Regina Delores Bryant, Reed T. Butler, Linda Byrd,

Robert A. Campbell, Keith A. Carter, Romona G. Carter, Darlene M. Carwile, Elroy R. Christopher, James D. Costes III,

Marsha A. Coleman, Alonso Coley, Belinda L. Conley, Victoria E. Conway, Michael A. Cook, Richard Cook Jr., Roy D. Cook, Irene Crawford, Talbert E. Cuffey, Mary L. Daniels, James T. Davis, Eddie Desurn.

Vanessa M. Dixon, Vanessa Dudley, Kemeth M. Dukes, Richard B. Dunn, Denise Edmond, Stanley D. Ellerbee, Orlando T. Fizer, Paula A. Flowers, Michele T. Ford, Timothy Ford.

David W. Fowlks, Andrew Fuller, Constance D. Gale, Paulette M. Gettis, Marie A. Ghee, Howard Gibbs, James A. Giles, Clifton L. Gray, Earl Green.

Wanda M. Grimes, Harry A. Hall, Betty J. Haliett, Clarence H. Harrell, Marion H. Haskins, Thomas Hayworth, Keith L. Henson, George W. Hogue, James Holmes Jr., Brian L. Hutchins, Larry F. Jackson,

Valerie F. Jackson, Warren N. Jackson, Keith R. Jemmison, Margaret T. Jenifer, Vanessa E. Jenkins, Archie Johns, David J. Johns, Josephine A. Johnson, Sherry N. Johnson, Marilyn Monica Jones, Carl A. Jordon, Ovelia D. Judkins,

Stephanie M. King, Maxine Lee, Mollen Lee, Angela M. Lofton, Rosemary Long, Arthur E. Makel, Dianel L. Marshall, Gwendolyn B. Martin, William S. Matthews Jr., Cleveland R. McDonald,

Michael McDuffie, Marilyn E. Merritt, Curtis T. Middleton, Larry J. Moore, Steven Morrison, Gracie E. Moye, Jeffrey L. Mullen, Deborah F. Myers, T. Yvette Nash,

Barbara Y. Nelson, Janice C. Nelson, Lawrence Nicholson, Martha A. Noel, Lynnise V. Norris, Clinton J. O'Neal, Audrey O. Pendleton, Wayne A. Perkins, Pamela D. Pitts, Steven R. Poole, Jacqueline J. Pretlow

Gwendolyn E. Pulley, Katie J. Quinn, Harrinetta Ragland, Louise Reynolds, Garnetta L. Rice, Lauretta E. Rice, Miriam L. Riley, Gwendolyn Roberts,

Venoid T. Robertson, Betty F. Robinson, Mary R. Robinson, Alfred Ross Jr., Thomas L. Sanders, Diane Shelley,

Alphonso Shine, David E. Smallwood, Genevieve Smith, Debbie Spearman, Lorraine Street, Annie M. Stevens, Darlene S. Taylor,

Lamont E. Taylor, Michele I. Taylor, Pamela R. Taylor, Andre D. Thomas, Regina A. Thomas, Stevie Thompson, Gilbert Traynham, Thurman L. Truesdale.

Shirley Y. Turman, Charles Y. Tunstall Jr., Donald Vaughn, Brenda J. Walker, David R. Warren, Yvonne M. Washington,

Felicia Webster, Anthony E. White, Vanessa I. Wiggins, Gary R. Williams, Deborah C. Wright, Pamela Wright, Rita L. Wynn.

VOCATIONAL CURRICULUM

Rachel Bethea, Bessie E. Powe, Wendy Redditt.

GENERAL CURRICULUM

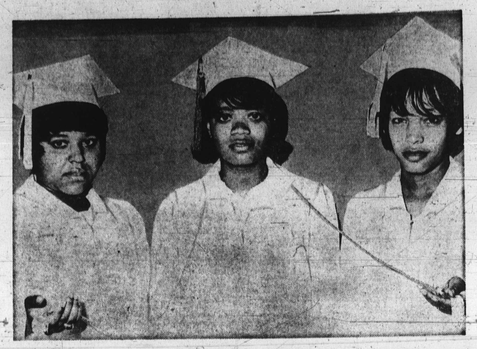
Thomas Buie, Ronnie B. Buster, Dora Carroll, Patricia D. Chamberlain, Yvonne D. Cloyd,

Norris Dail, Luvenia I. Day, Carolyn A. Duckett, Harold B. Franklin Jr., Robert A. Hernandez,

Jean Lane, Rosena M. Mack, Rhonda D. Moore, Nera Richardson, Betty Robinson,

Patricia Vaughan, Gwendolyn Washington, Gregory Whyte, Mildred F. Wooden.

HELPS A FRIEND — Josephine Johnson, left, stands while Patricia Vaughn straightens her collar. Both are Carver High grads.



WEAR GOLDEN BRAID—Pamela Denis Pitts, center, was valedictorian of the 1972 graduating class of Carver High. Other top rnking students were Marje Ghee, left and Angela Lofton.

WON THE TITLE — Josephine Johnson was cited as most outstanding student in cosmetology at Carver High. Josephine, 19 is a daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Dennis (Hazel) Johnson of N. Hilton St. She is now working as a beautician at Cooper's Beauty Salon. She studied under Mrs. Rose Marie Davis Smith.

BEHIND DARK SHADES are Carver grads Alphonzo Shine, right, and Harold Franklin, center. Kevin Bryan looks on.

TOP STUDENTS — Kathryn Marie Gomes, Mary Ann Repafotis and Janice Carol McGraw graduated with top honors at the 59th annual Patterson High School commencement. They are shown talking with principal, James L. Carroll.

PITCHING IN to help Ernestin Carter, center, with cap and gown are Miss Rosa Fair, teacher, and Marice Hartwell of Patterson High.

PATTERSON GIRLS from left are Patricia Lacy, Carolyn Bottoms and Vanessa Griffin.

CHECK THEIR NAMES — Daniel T. Berryman Jr., Byron Moss, Christopher Rucker, Burnest Sturdivant Jr. and Esander Loney Jr. look for their names in the Patterson High program.

CONCERNED PARENTS discuss with the AFRO's reporter Miss Jackie Allen the apparent unconcern of government officials in the reduction of funds for the school. The Baer School is the ony school for the physically handicapped and has won high honors for its work with children. Left to right are William Smother and Mrs. Irene Turnipseed.

Handicapped school to lose federal funds

Parents of students at Baer Elementary and Junior High School, 2001 Warwick Ave., were "fighting mad" about the loss of federal funds under Titles I and V of the Elementary Secondary Education Act at a Tuesday press conference, at the school.

About 50 parents and supporters of the school for physically handicapped children met to discuss the loss of funds.

According to parents the loss will mean no summer schools and the dismissal of four teachers. The parents stressed that their children are capable of learning and not mentally handicapped.

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Funds for the school were canceled when the results of a survey revealed that the school could no longer be classified as low income. Many of the parents claim that the surveys were not truthfully filled out by the parents of the children involved.

Baer School is the only school for the physically handicapped in the city. Many of the parents are not members of the community surrounding the school, but because it is the only school available most transport their children across town.

Mrs. Irene Turnipseed explained the situation this way: "My son is a victim of cerebral palsy. He has had eight operations which sometimes necessitates the need for my son to be out of school 7 or 8 months of the regular school year. If the summer school is closed, my son will not have the opportunity to catch up in the summer."

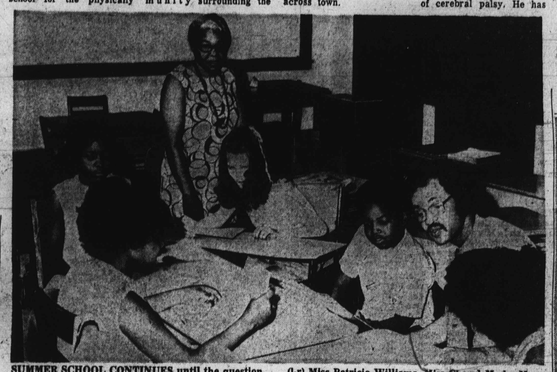
The school has an approximate enrollment of 350, with 40-45 teachers. If the program is canceled as the parents fear, the school will face a reduction in faculty.

Mrs. Turnipseed, also a representative of the Parent Advisory Council revealed that the parents are asking for another survey that truly reflects the parents' financial background.

"The federal government seems to have forgotten that handicapped children must be taught also," complained one irate member of the meeting.

Bailne White, a representative of Congressman Parren Mitchell stated, "We are behind the parents in every way. If action is not favorably taken upon here, we plan to take the grievance to the Department of Health, Education and Welfare."

"OUR CHILDREN ARE IMPORTANT TOO" — These were the words of parents of students at Baer Elementary and Junior High School. They met Tuesday in the school library to discuss possible action to regain funds lost after survey showed the school was no longer considered poverty level.



SUMMER SCHOOL CONTINUES until the question of whether the school will receive funds under the Elementary Secondary Education Act, Title I. If the funds are not received this will be the last year of summer studies at the school. Pictured here are (l-r) Miss Patricia Williams, Miss Cheryl Mudy, Mrs. Audrey Mitchell, a teacher aide, Miss Jacie Leumbach, David Crosby, Sherman Hill, instructor; and Miss Robn Thomas.

'Blue' Lewis bout to net Ali $200G

LONDON — For his fight with fellow-American Alvin "Blue" Lewis of Detroit heavyweight champion Muhammad Ali will receive a $200,000 guarantee, plus expenses.

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The Bureau of Recreation will hold its annual City-Wide Open Checker Tournament on Tuesday, July 18, at 6 p.m. at the Furley Recreation Center, Furley and Sipple Aves.

Entries will not be accepted after 6:15 p.m. or first round of play. Check in time is 5:15 p.m. and draw begins promptly at 5:30 p.m.

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The contest will be held in the following age groups: 11 years and under, 12 and 13 years, 14 and 15 years, 16 to 21 years and Unlimited.

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