The 3rd grade class of Mrs. Leona Lee and Mrs. Patricia Mobley from School No. 102 learn about how a newspaper is put together. Front Row: Tracey Holland, Tajunda Carlos, Kevin Gibson, Tabatha Keene, Yvonne Hall, Wilhomine Parker, Trevor Spruell, Gregory Banks, Deborah Johnson. Second Row: Michael Vinson, Kennette Thomas, Kim McNeil, Joseph Blackstone, George Waters, Denise Mobley, Elonda Armstrong, Tirease West, Cathy Jones, and Carmen Campbell.

The 3rd grade class of school No. 102 Central and Orleans visited the AFRO for the Newspaper in the Classroom Project. Front Row: Antoine West, Eric Graves, James Watkins, Reginald Henderson, Tommy Bumbray, Truemell Woody, Sharon Vines, Tracey Washington, Vernica May, and Sallie Gorham. Second Row: Wayne Dorgan, Rafael Williams, Robert Lewis, Deborah Whitaker, Walter Boyd, Tonua Douglass, Antionetter Rivers, Jacueline Bethea, James Hickson, and Tiffiney Faulkner. Teachers on third row are Mrs. Jacueline Almond and Mrs. Linnell Sewell.

Clean Block Fund Drive Opens

Clean Block fund $1,038.68

Hiram Grand Lodge of Masons Grand Master J. V. Thornton	$375.00
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Alpha Chapter — Chi Psi Sigma Fraternity — Robert Porter Jr.	113.18
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Mrs. G. Ball	10.00
Paul Evans	1.00

By Ida Peters

Business firms, clubs and organizations are again being solicited to contribute to the AFRO's 41st Annual Clean Block Prize Fund.

The prize fund is used to purchase seeds, paints, and flowers for needy blocks. All contributions are tax deductible. Make checks or money orders payable to AFRO Charities, 628 N. Eutaw St., Baltimore, Md. 21201.

Clean Block On WBAL-TV

If you want to learn more about the AFRO Clean Block Program watch the City School System program about Having Fun In The City This Summer on WBAL-TV, June 11, 9:30 a.m. Mrs. Gloria Barnes is moderator, and Clean Block Director, Mrs. Ida Peters will talk about how to join the AFRO Clean Block and have fun this summer.

Register Now.

More than 50 blocks are already registered in advance of the first Clean Block Meeting scheduled for Friday, June 20 at 11 a.m. at McCulloh Homes Auditorium. Druid Hill and Dolphin Sts.

South Baltimore

The AFRO Clean Block is being organized in the Boyd-Calverton Road, McPhail, Unit Calverton and Booth Street in South Baltimore.

Mrs. Henrietta Henson reports they held a Teeny-Booper Hop for the small children last Saturday at Progressive Club. They donated the soda, potato chips and music.

The party was organized by Vanessa Martin. More than 62 children attended.

Trips to the State Parks and various days are being planned for Operation Champ as a reward for those children who pitch in and help clean-up each week.

Mrs. Henson has each Clean Block Captain keep a roll book on the children in their block who work.

St. Edwards C.Y.O. Visits

The St. Edwards CYO, Catholic Youth Organization wiht Bill Welch Jr., moderator and Rev. Joseph O'Meara, pastor visited the AFRO for a plant tour and learn more about the Clean Block program.

The group located at 901 Poplar Grove St. participate in community activities. The members will act as waiters or waitressed for any non-profict community organization affair. All monies they earn go to St. Edwards Church.

The members are also working in the community by painting, cutting hedges etc. Give them a call if you have lawn work.

Members are Ann Curley, Leionel Saxon, Judy Stone, Cynthia Curley, Vernon McFadden, Carmella Brown, Vanetta Gross, Patricia Hebs, and Warren Jennifer.

Clean Block Regulations

PURPOSE

The purpose of this campaign is to get all residents in your block to keep a clean home this summer and beautify the block.

A clean block is one in which steps and sidewalks are washed once a day and the street kept free from trash.

Wood work is kept free from fingerprints vestibules are scrubbed.

Windows are kept clean and curtains hung evenly.

Garbage and trash cans are removed as soon as emptied.

Window boxes have flowers in them as well as on the porch.

No one sits at front window or on the front steps, unless his clothing be neat and clean.

Loud talking or any other disturbance which annoys others is not permitted.

A beautiful block must have flowers in it, and must be clean, both back and front.

Only back fences are whitewashed. Do not paint curbs or sidewalks.

Window Signs

One hundred per cent cooperation of the block residents will be attested by the window signs as well as by the improved appearance of the block itself.

MEETING DATES - 41st ANNUAL AFRO-AMERICAN CLEAN BLOCK CAMPAIGN

Auditorium—McCulloh Homes Project
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11 A.M.

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CLOSING MEETING

Music Notes

The Bureau of Music has announced its 115th season of free outdoor summer band concerts, to be presented in every section of the city, Monday through Friday and Sundays, during the months of June, July and August.

The first Sunday concert will be held on June 8, 1975 and will continue each Sunday until August 24 with Baltimore's Big Band conducted by Gene Walker in War Memorial Plaza from 7 to 9 p.m. The program each Sunday will feature popular music played in the jazz idiom reminiscent of Count Basie and Stan Kenton. Geared for variety, the program also will contain modern jazz and selections of contemporary music with a rock beat by composers like Thad Jones and Mel Lewis.

The daily series of 18 concerts will begin Tuesday, June 17, 1975 at the Dell, Charles and 20th Streets, 8:00 p.m. to 10:00 p.m., Dr. Leigh Martinet conducting the Municipal Concert Band.

Concert Band programs will encompass all musical categories and feature popular and semi-classics, marches and polkas, music from Broadway shows and motion pictures and currently popular tunes.

Featured nightly with each Concert Band will be a guest soloist and an audience participated "Sing Along" of old and current favorites.

String Symphony Camp

Young people tune up your fiddles.

This summer you can join a string symphony and see what it is like to play in a full-fledged string orchestra under the baton of Associate Conductor Andrew Schenck of the Baltimore Symphony Orchestra.

This is big league fiddling for those who are musically inclined and would like to have a chance to play under the leadership of a top, professional conductor.

The Mini-Tanglewood summer camp will operate one week only — June 23 June 29 — on the Bryn Mawr School campus under the direction of Anne Lane Vosough. Five string teachers will assist in the full rehearsals with Conductor Schenck, plus sectional rehearsals. The week will climax with a grande finale concert on Sunday, June 29, in the Bryn Mawr Katharine Van Bibber Gymnasium.

Anyone interested in participating, please contact Ms. Vosough at 323-8300, Ex. 29, who will provide details and proficiency requirements.

Training Concert Rescheduled

The first concert of the Baltimore Training Orchestra, sponsored by the Baltimore City Cultural Arts Project, the Maryland Arts Council and the Baltimore Symphony, originally scheduled for June 1 has been rescheduled on June 15, at 7:00 p.m. at the Dunbar Community High School.

All young instrumentalists in the Baltimore area who would like to take this opportunity to perform with members of the Baltimore Symphony are urged to come to the auditions. For information and to schedule auditions, please call the Cultural Arts Projects at 276- 4646.

Phoenix Choir

The Phoenix Choir of Baltimore will hold auditions for prospective members during the month of June. Interested young women between the ages of 15-40 may call Sami Koch, 252-8520, for further information and an audition appointment.

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During the last 47 years, the Phoenix Choir has sung to audiences in Baltimore, Washington, the eastern U.S. and Europe. Locally, the musicians present a series of spring and winter concerts annually Recently named Baltimore County's choral ambassador to the bicentennial, the choir is planning a 1976 tour of the 13 original states as part of the nation's birthday celebration.

Annapolis Symphony Workshop

Musically-talented young people in Maryland secondary schools and colleges are eligible to enroll in the 10th annual Youth Symphony Workshop to be held for two weekends this June in conjunction with the annual Annapolis Arts Festival.

The workshop, that annually attracts some 150 talented young musicians from throughout the state, will be conducted June 14-15 and June 21-22, culminating in a concert. Sunday, June 22 during the Arts Festival.

Application forms are available from Mrs. Robert E. Maersch, chairman, 321 Hollyberry Rd., Severna Park, Md. 21146.

The Banks Specials

The Banks Specials, a family group organized by their father, Elder Samuel Banks, will celebrate their 5th anniversary Sunday, June 8, 6 p.m. at Gateway Disciple Chursary, 1563 N. Fulton.

The group includes Rosa Maria Banks, 11; Lisa Lavenia Banks, 8; Anthony Samuel Banks, 10. A new member is Sarita Moore McKenny.

Mrs. Audrey Weaver is hostess; Miss Louise Haskins of the True Tones is pianist. The public is invited.

TOP HITS

1. Rockin' Chair — Gwen McCrae
2. Love Won't Let Me Wait — Major Harris
3. The Hustle — Van McCoy
4. Spirit of the Boogie/Summer Madness — Kool and Gang
5. Give the People What They Want — O'Jays
6. Look At Me — Moments
7. Cut the Cake — A. W. B.
8. Get Down, Get Down — Joe Simon
9. Mr. and Mrs. Jones — Ron Banks and The Dramatics
10. The Way We Were/Try To Remember — Gladys Knight and The Pips
11. Shackin' Up — Barbara Mason
12. Take Me to the River — Syl Johnson
13. Baby That's Backatcha — Smokey Robinson
14. Hi Jack — Herbie Mann
15. Shakey Ground — Temptations
16. Bad Luck — Harold Melvin and The Bluenotes
17. Sadie — Spinners
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Man, 65, shot and robbed on parking lot

A retired Bethlehem Steel employee remains in fair condition at Provi-Hospital, after being shot in the chest and robbed on the Mondawmin Mall parkdentling lot June 3.

Mrs. Qumi Nance, wife of Lloyd Nance, 65, 3500 block Wabash Ave. told the AFRO her husband had gone to Big Valu Food Store in Mondawmin to cash his check.

Police report Mr. Nance was approached by a man around 10:30 a.m.—who asked him to buy a watch. After Mr. Nance refused to buy the watch, he returned to his car parked near the food store.

According to police the same man was on the parklot and grabbed Mr. Nance. The robber pointed a gun at Mr. Nance and insisted that he give him his money.

Police state Mr. Nance knocked the gun out of the man's hand and they both started fighting for the weapon.

The assailant then fired one shot hitting Mr. Nance in the chest. Police state the man took the victim's money, car keys and car.

At AFRO press time, police report they had not found Mr. Nance's car or made any arrest.

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