600 clean blockers marking AFRO's parade today

Visitors to last AFRO Clean Block meeting

Visitors to AFRO Clean Block meeting last Friday held at the Masonic Temple included Jayne Kennedy, Christopher Jay, stars of new movie "Big Time;" Velvet Fire, center. Sharon Van Lear, David Van Lear and Samuel Whittner, right, Manager Ernie Donaldson of A & D Bookings, Mrs. Marie Long of Project SAFA, right, was on hand. The group gave out pictures and albums.

1977 AFRO's Honor Roll

900 Bennett Place
2400 Brentwood Ave.
1600 Calhoun St.
2000 Cliftwood Ave.
2200 Druid Hill Ave.
1900 E. Eager St.
2000 Eliting St.
300 N. Gilmor St.
2000 Grayson St.
1500 Holbrook St.
1300 E. Lafayette Ave.
1400 McCulloh St.
2100 McCulloh St.
1700 N. Monore St.
1400 Mesher St.
1200 Parrish St.
1400 School St.
1200 Short St.
1500 Stricker St.
800 Webb Ct.
4000 Woodhaven Ave.

Visit these 1976-1977 Honor Block

1000 Argyle Ave.
600 Baker St.
500 Baker St.
2000 Barclay St.
1800 Braddish Ave.
900 Castle St.
2100 Division St.
2000 E. Eager St.
1600 Edmondson Ave.
1700 Ensor St.
2100 Eliting St.
1600 Franklin St.
500 Fulton Ave.
2700 Giles Rd.
500 Gold St.
300 S. Herring Ct.
1300 E. Lafayette Ave.
1400 E. Lafayette Ave.
2300 E. Lafayette Ave.
2400 E. Lafayette Ave.
500 W. Lafayette Ave.
600 W. Lafayette Ave.
1400 E. Lanvale St.
1500 E. Lanvale St.
2400 Lakeview Ave
700 Mosher St.
1200 Myrile Ave.
1700 Monlford Ave.
1800 Monlford Ave.
1800 Mosher St.
2600 W. North Ave.
1400 Patterson Park Ave.
600 Pitcher St.
500 Sanford Pl.
2000 Sinclair La.
4400 St. Georges Ave.
500 E. 20th St.
700 E. 20th St.
700 E. 21st St.
400 E. 21st St.
500 E. 21st.
400 E. 22nd St.
1600 N. Wolfe St.
1500 Woodyear St.

HCD boost fund by $2,000.

The Department of Housing and Community Development through M.J. Brodie, Commissioner wrote the AFRO Clean Block this week that a grant of $2,000. has been made to purchase paint for needy blocks.

The letter of presentation was made by R. Reginald Scriver who has been working with AFRO Clean Blockers in alleviating problems in the blocks.

Mr. Brodie also said that the Department of Housing and Community Development is proud to be part of the AFRO's efforts to clean up and beautify Baltimore's neighborhoods.

Paint will be available for needy blocks on Monday, August 15.

Reginald Scriber of Housing and Community Development presents check for $2,000. to Mrs. Ida Peters, director, Public Relations and Mrs. Arnetta Lottier, deputy director.

We're 85 today

Today, more than 600 AFRO Clean Blockers paraded from the AFRO plant at 628 N. Eutaw St. to the War Memorial Plaza in celebration of the 85th birthday of the AFRO AMERICAN Newspapers.

Along with movie stars, beauty queers, marching bands, city officials, majorettes, a host of others block representing approximately 500 blocks marched amidst the excited paraders carrying their Honor flags and banners designating their blocks.

Clean Block paraders included 2800 W. Lafayette Ave., 1400 Bruce St., 1600 W. Lexington St., 1500 Woodyear St., 2300 E. Lafayette Ave., 2800 Walbrook Ave., 200 N. Carey St., 1800 E. Lafayette Ave., 1700 W. Lexington St., 1400 McCulloh St., 1400 Mosher St., 1700 Mosher St., 1200 Parrish St., 2000 Clifton Ave., 4000 Woodhaven St., 1200 Short Court, Old Somerset Homes; 800 Webb Court, Latrobe Homes; 1600 Wolfe St.,

Also marching were: 2000 Sinclair Lane, 800 Maderia St., 900 Maderia St. 1700 E. Chase St., 500 W. Lafayette Ave., 1800 N. Monlfond Ave., 300 E. Lafayette Ave. George B. Murphy Homes, Westport - Mt. Winans Homes, 1600 Balbury Court, Gilmor Homes; Lexington - Poe Homes, 1700 W. Franklin St.

Traveling Around

By Lonese Blowe

1700 blk Holbrook St. is a beautiful block with red and white window boxes, chairs, urns, fences and many flowers planted. The back yards and alley is clean, Pattie Boyd is captain.

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1100 blk E. Lanvale St. where Jaeuetta Griffin is captain and Jewell Campbell is co-captain, is freshly painted, but the block is dirty and the grass needs cutting.

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1000 blk E. Lanvale St. is experiencing many problems. Allison Coward is captain and Mrs. Eeeva Taylor is advisor. Trash is left on the playground and blows down into the block. The sewer at the corner was demolished by the city truck and is stopped up with dirt from construction being done two blocks away. A vacant house at 1000 E. Lanvale needs cleaning and boarding. It is used by the neighborhood as a garbage dump. Rats breed there and the odor is tremendous.

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1900 Homewood Ave. would appreciate the help of Rev. Wright of the Pentecostal Travelers Mission Church at 1901 who will not clear his back yard of the trash and boards with nails sticking out. The dogs at 1904 Oakhill are let out at 6 a.m. daily to overturn trash cans and leave feces all over the alley. The block is clean back and front. Sheila Scott is captain.

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Visited **1700 blk Ensor St.** where Melvin Reid is captain. The block is clean and beautiful flowers are planted in window boxes. The steps are white and clean.

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1400 Holbrook is a beautiful block with freshly painted red and white urns and bricks. Complaints were made about the family in the block who continue to throw trash in the alley. Linda Wright is captain. Betty Smith is co-captain and Gloria Ward is advisor.

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1600 blk Holbrook St. where Henry Speed is captain and Mrs. Georgia Lawson is advisor, was clean, but the steps need painting, the grass around the trees need to be cut and flowers need to be planted in some of the urns.

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700 blk E. 20th St. has white ladders for its many running plants. 733 is vacant and needs cleaning and boarding. Mrs. Eva Wilson is captain.

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900 North Hill Rd. where Lilleann Hutchins is captain is clean, but the grass needs cutting. The workers would like to have bags full of dirt picked up, a vacant lot, owner unknown, cleaved and cut, and the sewer cleaned out.

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Visited **2300 Ravenwood** where Tonia Gilmer is captain, Lisa Smith co-captain and Katie Smith advisor. The workers are very discouraged by the lack of cooperation of the neighborhood. However, they will keep trying.

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Workers of **2000 Cliftwood Ave.** have done a good job beautifying their block. Flowers pots are freshly painted white, gutters, porches, and alleys are clean, Steven Jeter is captain.

Winners WWIN Disco winners

The winners of the first WWIN Disco Party are:

1400 Holbrook St.
1600 Holbrook St.
1500 Holbrook St.
1700 Holbrook St.
1000 E. Lanvale St.
1100 E. Lanvale St.

5 more parties

New AFRO clean blocks

900 N. Payson St. — Captain, MRS. Mabel Dempsey; Co-Captain, Mrs. Blanche Keaton; Advisor, Yodrea Campbell.

Workers: Mary Bennett, Theodore Cade, James Johnson, Mary Dixon, Marjorie Smith, Roslyn Jackson, Betty Meredity, Otho Hill, Mary P., Dorothy Pollack, Charles Butler, Mrs. Elizabeth Scott, Mr. Leon Scott, Reginald Johnson, George Dempsey, Doris and Leila Powell, Robery Dolin, Virginia Dolin, Blanche Goldman, Annie Hall, Elma Bailey, Stewart Jackson, Howard Hawkins, Frank Briscoe, D.M. Pollock, Mrs. Samuel Taylor, Mrs. Lillian Barber, Miss Hidgell, and Mrs. Collins.

1200 E. Lafayette Ave. — Captain, Fletcher Crews; Co-Captain, Bettie Harrison.

Workers: Muriel Turner, Barbara Williams, Shirley Street, Betty Johnson, Michael Williams, Elizabeth Wise, Novella Whads, Anne Bell Lightner, James Charles, Terry House, Ina Louie, Jerry Carrin, Carolyn Chappie, Margaret Carlest, and Jerry Arim.

1400 W. Lanvale St. — Captain, La Contess Howard; Co-Captain, Robert Brown; Advisor, Wanda Mack.

Workers: Brenda Louden, John Carter, Eugene Louden, Barbara Louden, Jerry Mack, Juanita Brown, Julia Washington, Pinkie Washington, Troy Washington, Sharon Wilson, Kevin Washington, Dria Wilson, Rodney Washington, Tiffany Washington, Carolyn Mack, Charlene Mack, Hayes Sample, Jr., Maruice Mack, Janice Taylor, Janet Taylor, Claudette Ealy and Norma Earda.

1700 E. Eager St. — Captain, Mrs. Maggie Kane; Co-Captain, Irene Hallett; Advisor, Shirley Woolfolk.

Workers: Allan Brown, Hopel Green, Daisy Miller, Maggie Gray, William Richards, May Boston, Betty Walker, Opal Brooks, Ianthia Eaton, Louise Martin, Jimmie Martin, Michelle Martin, Eula Mae Brunson, Elizabeth Hill, Helen Hawill, and Mrs. Shirley Washington.

2900 Denham Cir. — Captain, Ernestine Grice; Co-Captain, Cheryl Green.

Workers: Moore Thelsnce, Bernice Harris, Geraldine Manning, Barbara Glenn, Wanda Glenn, Geraldine Scott, and Wanda Green.

1300 N. Fort St. — Captain, Susan Taylor; Co-Captain, Charles Gelling; Advisor, Annie Lois Bryant.

Workers: Elizabeth Graham, Diane Elliott, Sheila Alenby, Jones Christian, Rita Coleman, Henry O. Maine, Mrs. Anna Bryant, Mrs. Paula Sparrow, Angela Curbean, and Mrs. Sylvia Ausby.

1600 N. Bethel St. — Captain, Renea Proctor.

Workers: Debbie Brown, Wanda Gilchrist, Keith Thomas, Darlene Harris, Angela Harris, Laverne Proctor, and Shanta Proctor.

1300 Mount St. — Captain, Lavonne Smith; Co-Captain, Carlene Smith; Advisor, Mrs. Cecilia Moore.

Workers: Sharmayne Moore, Tawanda Moore, Kenneth Wyatts, Wayne Smith, Jr., Dorothy Dorsey, Jean Galloway, Carolyn Randolph, Dorothy Pulcher, Yvonne Williams, Trenirice Williams, Nathan Richardson, Daphne Jackson, Shannon Jackson, Yvette Jackson, Constance Griffin, James Moore, Garry Moore, Michelle Moore, Valarie Blocker, Darlene Stubbs, Rosetta Moore, Linda Galloway, Douglas Harris, Paula Baker, Lonnie Tillman, Veronica Smith, Patricia Hadith, Larry Terry, Gwendolyn Galloway, and Martha Richardson.

2400 Brentwood Ave. — Captain, Linda Heard; Co-Captain, Melvin Patterson; Advisor, Josie Burns.

Workers: Keith Scruggs, Synthia Heard, Romaine Scruggs, Michael Scruggs, Paulette Brewington, Anthony Turner, Gail Heard, Anthony Heard, Lucretia Heard, Kevin Scruggs, Cheri Scruggs, Edward, Yvonne Hickman, Stevert Reynolds, Mark Darley, Edward Brewington, Richard Scruggs, Tolanda Heard, Clifford Smith, Kevin Smith, Sonda Burke, Keith Scruggs, Edward Council, Maggie Heard, Virginia Council, Richard White, Pauline Lane, Constance Gilliam, Percy Council.

1400 N. Mount St. — Captain, Mrs. Doris mcNeil; Co-Captain, Mrs. Rose Bryant; Advisor, Christine Warfield.

Workers: Gail Reysler, Theresa Collings, Anthony Cooley, Jonathan Perry, Torey Reysler, Julius Williams, Sharron Peters, Timothy Robinson, Richard T. Anthony Hawkins, Marvin Hawkins, Bruce Cooley, Tim Cooley, Lynn Reysler, Victor Burrus, Tyrone Thomas, Floyd Cooley, Rodney Moore, Tammy Cooley, Terry Holton, Margaret Holton, Dante Miller, Dana Miller, Bryant Keith, and Paul Travis.

1400 McCulloh St. — Captain, Julia Brown; Co-Captain, Cynthia Hall; Advisor, Rose Hooper.

Workers: Deborah Burton, Albert Burton, Alfred Burton, Kevin Burton, Leon Heyward, Derry Heyward, Ann Blakley, Mrs. Marie Lewis, Ella Rice, Mrs. Delores Amos, Gloria Alston, Sarah McDonald, Sylvestre Windley, Oscar Brown, Anthony Cornish, Mrs. Geraldine Powell, Mrs. Lawe, Jesse Biggers, Mrs. Leetha Bryson, Florence Adams, Cheryl Coleman, and Jerry Bennett.

402 E. Lafayette Ave. — Captain, Pauls Wilson; Co-Captain, Regina Comer; Advisor, Judith Wilson.

Workers: Laverne Jones, Joann Shoats, Mary Burney, Christine Wilson, Sharon Wilson, Monica Wilson, Teri Wilson, Sherl Wilson, Judith Wilson, Rose Massey, Matthew Newman, Timothy Wilson, Paula Wilson, Thomas Wilson, Kenny Wilson, Karen Stewart, Suzy Prater, Joyce Prater, Robin Prater, Allen Trent, Pauline D., Elizabeth Massey, Bertha Conyers, Regina Conyers, Richard Cunningham, Glen Cunningham, Beverlie Cunningham, Annette Trent, Frank Parks, and Johnny Conyers.

2800 Harlem Ave. — Captain, Marlina Dean; Co-Captain, Dannie Shobs; Advisor, Mrs. Lolie Evans.

Workers: Phillip Stubbs, Sherlyn Rigers, Willie Lucas, Antonio Nelson, Geraldine Martin, Leodis Bule, Guy Austin, Louise James, Doris Vandyver, Cecilia Sweppard, Ellen Reed, Ezelle Kiny, Shal-Lee Wright, Kathy Williams, Maurice Stokes, Paula R., Eva Thomas, Gregory Evans, Angela Grim, Carolyn Scott, and Sandra Lennon.

1800 Hennemen Ave. — Captain, Georgia Ellis; Co-Captain, Adele Ayers; Advisor, Georgia Ellis.

Workers: Janet Weathers, Alice Weathers, Lee Ayers, Janet Jackson, Wanda Mitchell, Delores Crawford, Harvey Jones, Geraldine Neverson, Candace Neverson, Ellsworth Perrin, Mark Perrin, Mary Mary, Ross Hayes, Salina Perrin, Barbara Whitworth, Ida Whitworth, Keith Whitworth, Barbara Mullen, Dallie Alston, Mrs. Gertrude Randolph, Karen Davis, Gail Lomax, Mary Melvin, John M. Alisa M., Melows, James M., James Baxters and Lee Jordan.

1400 Montpelair St. — Captain, Bertha Blutord; Co-Captain, Lillian Green; Advisor, Mary Burris.

Workers: Shirley Roberts, Hester Scriggs, Thomas Wright, Earlean Dixon, William Blackwell, Mildred Phillips, Rachel Jackson, Yvonne Jackson, Ruby Judd, Ruth Johnson, John Conroy, Garfield Webb, Laurette Smith, Gerald Pulley, Calvin Stewart, Lelia Davis, and Robert Commodore.

700 Edgewood St. — Captain, Elena Willett; Co-Captain, Olga McCloud; Advisor, Nadine Willett.

Workers: Crissy Ryles, Gladys McCloud, Estella Willett, Kathy Smith, Lisa Hawkins, Angie Parker, Deke Williams, Mr. Moore, Felicia Roberson, Sherry McCleary, Francine Shields, Claudett Ferguson, Inger McCullogh, Stacey Smith, Chandra McCloud, Quincy, Fredy, James Rice, Sheila Whaley, Mrs. Nerion, and Mr. James.

Housing and community developement report

Thanks to Mrs. Carolyn Colvin, Neighborhood Services administrator, HCD and Ms. Mereida Goodman for their promptness in response to Clean Blockers complaints. Following is a list of complaints and HCD's inquiry about them.

1600 Abbotston Street — Two vacant houses and dirty lots 1637, 1641: These properties were issued vacant building notices to clean and board, 7-26-77

1635: A vacant building notice was issued 7-28-77 to clean and board

1811, 1816 E. Eager Street — Vacant houses needed boarding; the yards need cleaning

1811: A work order was issued 7-19-77 to clean and board

1816: This property is privately owned; it was inspected 7-18-77 and a five day post was issued

900 block of N. Gilmor — Vacant houses were opened at the front

925: The house was boarded on 7-12-77 inspection

923: The house was unoccupied and closed on 7-26-77

918: The property was closed on 7-26-77

300 block of N. Gilmor — Vacant houses needed cleaning and boarding

325: A work order was issued to clean and board, and cut grass, 7-11-77

327: A work order was issued to clean, 7-5-77

326: A work order was issued to clean, 7-5-77

327: A work order was issued 7-11-77

328: A work order was completed to board and clean 7-27

329: A work order to clean and cut grass was issued 7-11

1900 block of Homewood Avenue:

1901: Church yard was unclean — This property was inspected 7-22; the minister stated the problem would be taken care of within the week

1907: Vacant house — The yard needed cleaning — Property was reinspected 7-22; the property was clean and boarded on inspection

1917: Vacant house needed boarding and the yard needed cleaning — The property was clean and boarded on inspection, 7-22

1721 W. Lexington Street — A vacant house needed boarding — A work order was issued to clean and board, 7-14

1623 Mulberry Street — Vacant house to be cleaned and boarded — The property was inspected 7-13; it was closed and cleaned

300 block of S. Stricker Street — Complaint against three vacant houses (as of the last Vacant House Committee 6-29)

300: This property is privately owned. It is slated for Vacant House Program Rehabilitation

302: This property is also privately owned. It is slated for Vacant House Program Rehabilitation

331: This property is slated for rehabilitation

3517 Virginia Ave. — Vacant house needed cleaning; grass needed to be cut — This property is being acquired by a new owner — The property was cleaned on inspection 7-27

Clean Block Fund

$7,360.00

$1,000.00
Charley Pride Concert

$500.
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$350.00
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William C. March Funeral Home
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$41.00
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Urban Services

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Women's Civic League
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$3.00
Leon N. Thompson
Mrs. Mary DeShields

$50.00
P.A.L.M.A.

$25.00
James White

$2,000.00

Next Clean Block meeting

The next meeting of the AFRO Clean Block will be held at the Masonic Temple, 1300 Eutaw Place on Aug. 19 at 11 a.m. This will be the final summer meeting before the Awards Ceremony on Aug. 28 at Mondawmin Mall.

As a result of Inspection Week, Aug. 15 - 19, final Honor flags will be given out at this meeting. Final instructions will also be given out concerning Inspection Sunday, Aug. 21. All blocks are expected to be at this meeting.

(Photo by Arnetta Lottier)

1400 McCulloh St. decorated in blue and white. They were cleaning when the AFRO got to their block. Some of the Clean Blockers shown here are: Jo-Ann Brown, captain; Cynthia Hall, co-captain; Gloria Alston, advisor; Emmitt Jackson, Darnell Biggers, LaShawn Lyles, Jarod Amos, Alvin Alston.

Westport-Mt. Winans joins

Westport-Mt. Winans Homes Joins Clean Block

14 blocks from the Westport-Mt. Winans Homes joined the AFRO Clean Block Campaign. Mrs. Lenore Anderson is Manager and Mrs. Alva Vincent is coordinator of AFRO Clean Blocks.

2400 Kermit Ct. — Captain, Mrs. Estelle Lane; Co-Captain, Mrs. Mona Carr.

Workers: Jacqueline Lan Sylvia Lane, Lucille Nelson, Mrs. Rasa Feider, William Jackson, Kervin Feider, Mrs. Sandra Carter, Mrs. Ann Fortson, Mrs. Dorothy Wheeler, Mrs. Virginia Gross, and Miss Barbara Young.

2400 Maisel Ct. — Captain, Miss Vanessa Scott; Co-Captain, Miss Beverly Curtis.

Workers: Mrs. Dorothy Jones, Mrs. Virginia Barksdale, Mrs. Jinny Hendricks, Mrs. Carolyn Pearman, Mrs. Alice Stele, Mrs. Classie Little, and Miss Juanita Jones.

2400 Wilgrey Ct. — Captain, Natoml Peterson; Co-Captain, Angela Peterson.

Workers: Tracy Peterson, Alice Pinkney, Catherine Sparrow, Laydell Lewis, Alice Turner, Mrs. Clara Akes, Sonia Akas, Clara Akes, Joyce Felder, Reginald Felder, Gregory Felder, Laura Kelly, Wayne Kelly, Steven Kelly, and Adriane Kelly.

2400 Kent St. — Captain, Khalil Walls; Co-Captain, Hakim Walls; Advisor, Mrs. Dorthy Smith.

Workers: Geofrey Johnson, Rodney Haksum, Quintoh Harkum, Jamillah Walls, Mrs. Lularene Wilson, Annette Wilson, Michael Wilson, Mrs. Alice Gaines, Kevin Hair, Geofrey Hair, and David Conyers.

2200 Norfolk St. — Captain, Delores Lesterj Co-Captain, Reginald McNeil; Advisor, Mrs. Vera Randolph.

Workers: Mr. Leroy Simms, Sr., Mrs. Bernadine Simms, Leroy Simms, Jr., Antoinette Simms, Bernadette Simms, Miss Cheryl Randolph, Kevin Randolph, Mrs. Mary Tripp, Miss Roslyn Tripp, Stacy Tripp, Andre Matthews, Mrs. Geneva Hopper, John Neely, Miss Patricia Walker, Mrs. Annie Garrison, Leonard Long, James Long, Audra Gulller, and Mr. Ennis Bloodsaw.

2400 Paca St. — Captain, Lorraine Freeman; Co-Captain, Sheila Hooks.

Workers: Miss Marjorie Dixon, Denise Jones, Valarie Bates, Shawn Quick, Mrs. Mabel Quick, Joyce Smith, Robin Smith, Thomas Smith, Jalane Troy, Paula Curtis, Iris Curtis, Mrs. Janet Carter, Mrs. Paula Jones, and Desiree McKenney.

2500 S. Paca St. — Captain, Denise Martin; Co-Captain, Suzette Johnson; Advisor, Henrietta Scott.

Workers: Mrs. Forence Johnson, Cordelia Johnson, Kimberly Johnson, Mrs. Rebecca Martin, Delores Martin, Randolph Scott, Kenneth Scott, Paul Scott, Mrs. Rosa Burgress, Miss Louvenia Bulgress, Preston Burgress, William Burgress, Barbara Hickman, Dashell Hickman, Pamela Mabie, Timothy Mabie, Carol Yow, Doray Melvin, Alfreda Parker, Mrs. Carolyn White, Darryl White, Eric White, Carressa White, Annie Nelson, Wayne Nelson and Eric Nelson.

(Photo by Arnetta Lottier)

1800 Division St. has done a good job in the block despite the problems of houses falling down in the back of them. Some of the Clean Blockers are shown here. They are: Ronnie Mills, co-captain; Timmy Powell, Tevia Powell, captain; James McCrea, Harry Coates, Larry High, Jackie Coates, Karen Prince, Earl Williams, Ernest Hurt, advisor, not shown.

AWARD RECIPIENT — Edward Parks (l.), deputy director of Fort Meade's Army Community Service accepts the Judith Ann Hochreiter Award from Kalman R. Hettleman (R), director of Baltimore's Department of Social Services, in ceremonies at the Baltimore City Hall. The Landover resident was the first civilian representative of the U.S. Army to receive this award. Parks, a Fort Meade employe for the past eleven years, was cited for his initiative, untiring efforts, dedication and commitment in helping the city secure homes for adoptive children. The Hochreiter award is presented to individuals, activities or organizations that contribute significantly to foster and adoptive children.

Evening classes at Towson State

Classes for the evening fall semester at Towson State University begin September 7 and more than 4,000 part-time undergraduate students and 2,000 graduate students are expected to enroll.

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The Division of Continuing Studies is also offering 20 credit-free courses, including "Introduction to Investments", "Financial Planning," and "Auto Mechanics: Consumer Advocate Approach." These courses, which carry no academic credit, have been designed for persons interested in the subject.

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