Fight the rat... join AFRO Clean Block

First Meeting-McCulloh Homes Dolphin and Druid Hill Friday, June 22- 11 a.m.

Home and Community Fair Sunday at Inner Harbor

If you're walking around the Inner Harbor on Sunday, June 3, you may see a 14½ foot tall windmill sitting in the middle of the flag circle.

Built by Jim Lydis Jr., the windmill is part of the Home and Community Workshop Fair - this year's first Sunny Sunday program.

Now in its seventh season at the Inner Harbor, Sunny Sundays continues with the weekly arts and crafts exhibits of past years and expands to include a number of other activities.

Produced in cooperation with the Department of Housing and Community Development, the June 3 fair will feature over 80 exhibits and demonstrations centering on the home, as well as continuous entertainment from noon to 5 p.m.

Several of the exhibits focus on energy, among them the Baltimore Gas and Electric Company's home energy conservation booth and the Maryland Energy Policy Office's solar energy display.

Other exhibits will feature advice on urban gardening, crime resistance, minor plumbing repair, and a host of renovation and repair techniques from flooring installation to roofing repair.

Musical entertainment on and off stage will be provided by the Port City Jazz Ensemble and by strolling musicians from the Musicians Association of Metropolitan Baltimore. Children will delight in Kathleen Jacobs' puppet production "Save the Dragon." In addition, San Francisco's "Willy the Clown" will be at the Harbor to celebrate the opening of The New Theatre Festival.

For more information on these and other down town events, call the Baltimore Office of Promotion and Tourism at 685-TOUR (685-

Rev. P. H. Franklin, of St. Martin's Church of Christ, 2114 - 30 Madison Ave. issued a challenged to all the churches of Baltimore to support the AFRO Clean block program. Above, he presents a check for $100. as the first payment of a $250. pledge. He is making presentation to Mrs. Ida Peters, Clean Block Director.

Clean Block prize fund $2,650 We need you!

Clean City Awards

The Women's Civic League, for the 30th consecutive year, presented its Clean City Awards. Cash prizes were given to employees of the Baltimore City Sanitation Division who were judged by the citizens of Baltimore as being worthy of special recognition and conscientious approach to duty. The following is a list of this year's winners!

Mixed Refuse - Crew No. 3688 - Northeast District — Charles L. Chisholm, chauffeur; Lewis W. Lynn; William R. Dixon.

Street Cleaning - Crew No. 3309 - Northwest District: Paul G. Christian, chauffeur; Louis Williams Huell Moore, Charles L. Montgomery, Ervin L. Meeks.

Bulky Trash-Crew No. 3452 - Eastern District James L. Lee, chauffeur; Jerome W. Hampton, Edward N. Butcher.

Hokey Cart Operator - Northeast District Joseph Hajek.

Where to call for help Sanitation

Northwestern — 2840 Sisson Street — Percy Wallington - 396 - 6070 Boundaries - west of Greenmount Ave., City Line, north of North Ave., City Line.

Eastern - 6709 Pulaski Highway - Joel Becker - 396 - 8183 Boundaries - east of Eutaw St., City Line, south of North Ave. Waterfront.

Western - 701 Reedbird Avenue - Franklin Salisbury - 396 - 3367 Boundaries - west of Eutaw St., City Line, south of North Ave., City Line.

Northeastern - 6709 Pulaski Highway. — Charles A. Ferguson - 396 - 8181 Boundaries - north of North Ave., east of Greenmount Ave., City

Trashbash

East Baltimore

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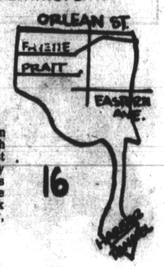
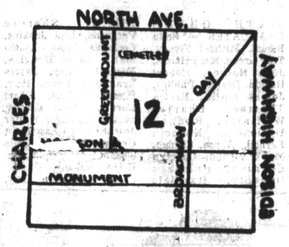
June 1-2



Trashbash started in this area May 28 which included parts of East Baltimore bounded by Orleans Street, Charles Street, Ellwood Avenue and Patapsco River. Bulk trash dates are Saturday, June 2 and June 9.



June 4-15

The sector bounded by North Avenue, Orleans Street, Edison Highway and Charles Street included Dunbar High School and Johns Hopkins Hospital. Neighbors are urged to put out their bulk trash during this period. Bulk trash Saturday dates are Saturday June 9 and 16.

Free Paint Free Seeds for Early Bird Registrations

Thorne girls fete AFRO Clean Block leader

The invitation read the Thorne girls invite you to honr Mrs. Berlean Thorne of the 1700 blk of Monroe Street on her 62nd birthday, last Saturday.

Mrs. Thorne for many years has been AFRO Clean Block Captain in her neighborhood and has lived on Monroe Street for 25 years. Born in St. Mary's County, she is married to Robert E. Thorne and is a member of St. Gregory the Great Catholic Church.

The Thorne girls presented their mother with a huge cake signed "Love Sharon, Patricia Debie, Rob Thorne; Saundra Cepl ; and Roslyn Campbell," the five Thorne girls and their brother.

The girls spread a beautiful table that included all kinds of salads, fried chicken and a traditional St. Mary's recipe, Stuffed Ham made with spices, greens and onions.

Also Mrs. Beatrice Dunbar, president of the AFRO Clean Block and her son Vernion Roscoe Dunbar, a Page in the U.S. Senate appointed by Congressman Parren Mitchell.

And, Madeline Davis, Glenda Barber, John Sydnor, Mr. and Mrs. John Sydnor, Mr. and Mrs. Leo Scriber, Haywood White, Josh Butler, and Joseph Stephens.

Helping to celebrate birthday were grandchildren, Catina Burell, Nicole Burell, Damon Thorne, LaDonna Thorne and Mercellous Campbell not shown. Husband Robert Thorne and daughters Patricia, Sharon and Deborah Thorne, Saundra Cephas and Roslyn Campbell.

(Photos by Vanessa Johnson)

Mrs. Berlean Thorne, active on the AFRO Clean Block Steering Committee celebrated her 62nd birthday with relatives and friends at her home, 1700 Monroe St., Saturday, May 26. Seated are Mesdames Dorothy Harper of Washington, D.C.; Jeannette Curtis of Balto. and Mrs. Thorne.

Madames Lucille Williams, her 86 - year - old aunt, Cora Stevens of St. Mary's County, Md. and Alverta Mitchell.

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Westside Elementary School No. 24

SIXTH GRADERS Andre Boyd and Tania Combs show off their proud school's motto, "We're striving to reach the top."

Here's the school where 765 pupils are prepared to reach higher goals

By Elizabeth M. Oliver
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Photographer

Westside Elementary School No. 24 at 2235 N. Fulton Ave. has 765 pupils who are taught the basic elements of all learning so that they may go on higher and higher in school and head toward success in life.

These youngsters who are under the Title I program are among the more than 100,000 in the Baltimore public schools who are dedicated to accomplishment.

The city's public schools have not only achieved an enviable goal in the 1978-79 year under Dr. John L. Crew, the superintendent and his administrators at the 25th Street headquarters, but also under the guidance of a dedicated staff of principals and teachers.

Ranking high on the list is Westside's Judson Wood who along with his excellent educational family is devoted to seeing that Westside Elementary's youngsters get a full measure of what is important to living inside and outside of school and in the adult world to come.

Here is a brief overview of Westside Elementary written especially for the AFRO "to show you:"

(By Principal Judson Wood)

Westside Elementary School No. 24 pupils are enrolled in pre-kindergarten, kindergarten and grades 1-6. Also included is one Structured Learning Environment (SLE) class.

The school, which opened in 1973 and replaced the old School No. 157, is referred to as the "Great Westside Elementary."

It offers a variety of learning programs and experiences designed to insure maximum learning and development for its pupils. Its goal is to strive for educational excellence.

The educational family includes principal Judson Wood; assistant principal, Malcolm Marcus; two senior teachers, 24 regular classroom teachers, five Continuum (DEC) teachers, a reading resource teacher, High Intensity Reading and Math teachers, art teacher, librarian, speech clinician, physical education teacher, 18 teacher assistants, two School-Home Community liaison workers, two Urban Services tutors and one Urban Services attendance monitor.

Also included in Westside's family are excellent custodial, cafeteria and clerical staffs.

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JUDSON WOOD, the principal, heads the staff of highly capable teachers that help the children reach their goal.