AFRO Clean Block Inspections Sun. Aug. 19

Orchids and Onions

r. and Mrs. William March of March Funeral omes presented $100. to AFRO Clean Block md to help reward youngsters for doing such good job.

Clean Block fund $7,839.50

rban Services Agency	$2,500.00
Housing and Community Development	2,000.00
City of Baltimore	1,000.00
M. W. Zerubbabel Oasis Temple No. 1	500.00
M. Goldseker	350.00
Gino's	200.00
C & P Telephone	200.00
V.A.G.'s	100.00
William C. March Funeral Home	100.00
Rev. Father P. H. Franklin	100.00
M. W. Prince Hall Grand Lodge	100.00
St. John's Lodge No. 5 PHA	70.00
Councilman Michael B. Mitchell	50.00
United Council of Christian CC Churches	50.00
Continentals	50.00
Mr. and Mrs. John B. Myers	50.00
Big Sisters	25.00
Mrs. Marie Murphy	25.00
The School Marms	25.00
Mrs. Robbie Chissell	25.00
Women's Assembly for Community Service	25.00
Herbert L. Alston Jr.	25.00
Dr. and Mrs. Emerson Walden	20.00
Raymond A. C. Young	15.00
Elihu Q. Norris	15.00
Att. DeHaven L. Smith	12.50
Miss Marlene Ford	10.00
Mrs. Marguerite Campbell	10.00
Mrs. Nellie H. Bowie	10.00
Mrs. Blanche Pettiford	10.00
Angie McCullon	5.00
Ellsworth Wilson	5.00
Mrs. Loretta Valentine	5.00

Black Family Day

The 3th annual Black Family Affair will feature Sonia Sanchez, poet, teacher and author of "I've Been A Woman" at the Community College of Baltimore, 7:11 p.m., Saturday, Aug. 18, at the Liberty Heights Auditorium.

Admission is $5. and will benefit the Alkebu-lan (Timbuktu). Center; the Sister Clara Muhammad School and Jamaican flood victims.

Special guests will be the Bryant Bolling Creative Arts Ensemble and the Maryland Pacesetters, and 18 - piece Caribbean steel orchestra. Also performing during the day will be guest poets.

1979 AFRO Clean Blocks

2100 PRESTON ST. — Captain, Iris Corbitt; Co-Captain, Lillie Clark and Advisor, Pearl Dowdy.

WORKERS: — Garderner, Susie Johs, Trina Johnson, Green Curbean, Mrs. Pam Buckson, Mrs. Hattie Cheeks, Angie Briggs, Rena Muse, Miranda Ray, Rose Ray, Joe Ray, Mrs. Mae Bell Ray, Lossie Chapman, Rev. Adams, Sandy Brown, Jeff Young, Latheu Jackson, Mrs. Ruth Hardy, Audrea Rodney Martin and Mrs. Carolyn Cooper.

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1900 GUILFORD AVE.—Captain, Lolita Wheele and Advisor, Mrs. Cora Smith.

WORKERS:—Judy Bunch, Joann Carter, Brenda Carter, Nathaniel Carter, Malinda Jobes, Elmer Bunch, James Bunch, Williams Bunch, Anthony Bunch, Shirley Bunch, Cerith Jones and George Bunch.

Winners Oriole Baseball games

Aug. 17 — 7:30 p.m. 8 Kansas City - Mrs. Quille, Druid Hill

Aug. 19 — Kansas City 7:30 p.m. - Kansas City 7:30 p.m. - Mrs. Gracie Adams - Payson St.

Aug. 20 — Texas - 7:30 p.m. - Mrs. Farmer - Montford Ave.

Aug. 21 - Texas 7:30 p.m. - Mrs. James, Sinclair Lane

Aug. 23 — Texas, 7:30 p.m. - Latrobe Homes

Aug. 30 - Minnesota — 7:30 p.m. - Mrs. Rose Maisbury Ct.

Aug. 31 — Minnesota — 7:30 p.m. Mrs. Stevens - McCulloh Homes

Sept. 1 — Minnesota — 7:30 p.m. Mrs. Wise - Perkins Homes

Community Events

The Social Services Division of Housing and Community Development presents Claremont Awareness Day, Friday, Aug. 17, 10 a.m. to 3 p.m. at the Claremont Field, 4312 Clareway. A community fair for information and referral food and fun. For additional information call 485 - 4646.

AFRO flag winners from (L) to (R) are: Lillie Carter — 1000 E. Biddle St., Berlean Thorne — 1700 N. Monroe St., Pattie Boyd — 1700 Holbrook, Karen Crosby — 900 Rutland Ave., Ezekiell Woodrup — 900 E. Biddle St., Rodney Hopkins — 1800 N. Montford Ave., Mary Woodrup — 900 E. Biddle St., and Elizabeth Farmer — 1800 N. Montford Ave.

AFRO Clean Block flag winners proudly show their flags to the crowd gathered in the War Memorial Plaza. Flag winners posing with Mayor Donald Schaefer are from (L) to (R): Emmitt Jackson — 1400 McCulloh St., John De Minds — 1000 Argyle Ave. and Angus Skinner — 500 Preston St., McCulloh Homes.

Clean Blockers from the 600 block of N. Pulaski exhibit signs identifying their block in the AFRO's 87th Birthday Parade. Captain for the block is Beverly Carter and Co - Captain is Mildred Price.

City Councilman Michael B. Mitchell presents $100 to the Clean Block Fund in memory of his grandmother Dr. Lillie M. Jackson.

Tiny Tots representing 200 Ballou Court, Perkins Home, display a little sign to commemorate the AFRO's Birthday. Captain for the block is Ethel Hobbs; Co - Captain, Blanche Faulkner and Advisor, Marge Murphy

4.99 GAL.
BAKER'S Hardware
2229 PENNSYLVANIA AVE.
AT BAKER ST.
WHOLESALE PRICES TO CLEAN BLOCK CAPTAIN
SAVE
9X12 LINOLEUM
200 RUGS TO CHOOSE FROM
8.88
FREE PARKING

SHOWTIME ★THEATRE ★ARTS ★MUSIC

AFRO celebrates 87th Birthday

with

★Parade

★Band

★Cake

War Memorial Plaza

The Westsiders under the direction of Jeff Pitts lead off the AFRO's parade with the drum, colorguard and majorette units in red and white.

Steppin' High. Singing Clean Blockers from 2400 Lakeview AVE. ARE DEFINItely in step. While marching, they sang an original tune dedicated to the "Clean Block Lady." The song goes — Everybody has a part to do to make Baltimore city a better place to live. In unity we can get the job done. Today is the AFRO's Clean Block Lady's 87th birthday and the AFRO Clean Block Lady is the one who communicates with everyone to get the job done. Happy Birthday AFRO Clean Block Lady. The words are by Minnie Williams, advisor for the block and Ricky Thompson. Co - Captain is Whyline Rogers.

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Grand Marshalls in the AFRO's 87th were singing group CAMEO who also said the Lord's Prayer. Nathan Lefterant, Wayne Cooper, Greg Johnson and Tomi Jenkins.

Platform guests at AFRO's 87th Birthday Party and 45th Annual Clean Block Flag ceremony included Mayor William Donald Schaefer, from (R), Mrs. Elizabeth Oliver, Del. Troy Brailey, George W. Larkins of Gino's; William W. Lockwood, Shirley M. Fisher, Virginia Baker, Mary Clayburn, WWIN, Sgt. Mercedes Rankin, Baltimore Police Department, William D. Parrish, Simon E. Davis, George C. Lottier, Ronald Powell, Miss Cutty Sark, Jacqueline Pitts; Michael B. Mitchell, Del. Walter Dean, Mrs. Twilah Scarborough.

Grand children and great grandchildren of John H. Murphy Sr. are introduced at AFRO's 87th Birthday Party by Mrs. Ida Murphy Peters, Clean Block Director. Above, Carl Edward Smith, Mrs. Arnetta Murphy Lottier, John H. Murphy III, Mrs. Patricia Murphy Robinson, Dr. Elizabeth Murphy Moss; Mrs. Elizabeth Murphy Oliver and the Rev. Marie Cooke Braxton.

The Young Women of Naomi Grand Council Order of the Eastern Star marched from the AFRO building to War Memorial Plaza in the AFRO's 87th Birthday Parade.

Night Scene Seen

By Bob Matthews

Way back in the olden days B.D. (before disco), clubs in Atlantic City never closed, and always had a Sunday morning breakfast show. It usually started at 6 p.m., and were invariably packed.

So now in 1979 A.D. (after disco) the scene has come full circle and the Sunday morning breakfast show is again a vital part of the night scene.

The proliferation of legitimate after - hours places — mainly discoes with no liquor licenses — led to a resurgence of breakfast shows and discoes, for "night people" traditionally hate to call it a night.

Perhaps the best known of the breakfast shows happens at Wooten's S & W Lounge in the 800 block W. Saratoga St., where Big Wooten and Barry, the "Nutty D.J." hold court each week.

The festivities kick off at 6 a.m. and last until 12 noon, and although music is the thing, it never stops, breakfast food is available.

Can guarantee there is no napping or nodding here, the music is that loud.

Another long - running breakfast show happens at Roots Unltd. in the 2100 block Vine St., where breakfast is served Sunday mornings from 6 to 10 a.m.

They advertise that breakfast costs just one dollar, but we're afraid we can't check that out for you — 'tis much to early. Do know however, that the discoing doesn't stop, despite the hour.

Perhaps the newest breakfast show in town happens at VI's Club Impulse in the 700 block Poplar Grove St. It's called a Sunday morning disco breakfast, and although it begins at 6 a.m., it continues until?

Kinda like the way they bill the event: "So when you leave the other Disco, stop by VI's for breakfast." Neat, huh!

At Pat's Lounge, 1500 block W. Saratoga St., they hold what is called a jazz - blues breakfast each Sunday morning. This time, the festivities began at 9 a.m.

They are presented by King Sam, and as Walter Williams says, you are served by seven lovely ladies.

Over on the East Side, Tiger Lil's Chez Janel in the 2100 block Orleans St., has breakfast shows beginning at 8 a.m. and lasting until 1 p.m.

It isn't a regular occurrence, so be advised to check prior to making the scene.

Marilyn Browne
Club Tahiti

Helen Saunders
The Greenleaf Lounge

G & C Lounge in the Edmondson Shopping Center, has a show each Sunday morning, most of the time with live entertainment. They, of course, have the ideal place for it, for there is a spacious banquet area adjacent to the bar.

Jackie's Lounge in the 2700 block Pa. Ave. is another of the long - running breakfast shows. This is also one of the most popular, with the usual non - stop disco music and all the rest.

Occasionally, the breakfast shows are followed by birthday parties and other special events, which are outstandingly presented for a select clientele.

Mostly for music

The Left Bank Aazz Society is having its annual moonlight boat cruise aboard the MV Port Welcome. Mickey and Shirley Fields, plus the Carlos Johnson quartet will provide the music.

The boat sails at 8 p.m. sharp, and a few advance tickets are still available. When LBJS returns to the Famous, Mercer Ellington and the Duke Ellington orchestra will be the featured attraction.

At The Bandstand, Richard Groove Holmes is in residence through Sunday. Groove may be closer to relocating in this area than we think. When he last came this way, he indicated that he was y looking around.

He will be one of the featured attractions at the City Wide Youth Council Jazz Festival at Lake Clifton High School, noon to 8 p.m. Sunday, Aug. 18.

Groove appears through the courtesy of the Bandstand. Other attractions include the John Lamkin's Concert Ensemble and Vernon Wolst and the Big Blues Band.

The Sportsman's Lounge has Judd Watkins with Charlie Covington and Gene Watkins on Fri. and St. night, with Andy Edmis heading up the Sat. afternoon jazz jam.