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Alpha Wives host festive Pre-Christmas Party

ON THE COMMITTEE for the Alpha Wives' Pre-Christmas Dinner Dance are (L to R): Mesdames Ethel Hodges Murray, Susan Jones, Bettye Moss,

ALPHA WIVES pictured (L to R) are: Ethel Hodges Murray, Susan Jones, Bettye Moss, Shirley Pinkett, Doris Reese, president; Edwin Burke, Audrey Davis and Catherine Adams, chairperson for the affair.

By Pattie Hodges
AFRO Staff Writer

The Alpha Wives Annual Pre-Christmas Party, hosted at La Fontaine Bleu, Erdman Ave., on Sunday, Dec. 14 was a festive gala. Amid colorful Christmas decorations of holly and other greenery, nearly 300 guests came out to enjoy themselves to the hilt from 7 until 11 p.m.

The steady beat of Bill Cummins Professional Gentlemen of Sound kept folks finger poppin' and doing their own dance thing on the floor.

Before the evening was over the band did a tribute to the Alpha Wives with the playing of "You Are So Beautiful To Me," while the wives stood in a semi-circle for their serenade.

The delicious buffet included roast beef, chicken, shrimp Creole, parsley potatoes and a host of other goodies. There was continuous open bar throughout the evening.

Centerpieces of Christmas candies set in wreath-bases were on each table, adding a cheerful glow to the evening's festivities.

The Alpha Wives, who were formed in the early 50's and who stand solidly behind their men, of the Alpha Phi Alpha Fraternity, are as strong.

Alpha Wives' president Mrs. Doris Reese, paid a verbal tribute to the late Mrs. Pearlie Corlie, who died on December 6 after having been bedridden for ten years.

She was the wife of Alpha Calvin Corlie and had been a staunch member of the Alpha Wives.

Mrs. Catherine Adams was chairlor the affair. Other officers include Mrs. Nakita Gregory, vice president; Mrs. Susan Jones, recording secretary; Mrs. Pattie Page, financial secretary; Mrs. Edwin Burke, corresponding secretary and Mrs. Josephine Kimbers, treasurer.

ENJOYING A SPIN around the dance floor are Nahketah Gregory and Clarence Frazier.

Black State Troopers hold first annual fundraiser

ENJOYING THE FESTIVITIES during the fundraiser dinner dance hosted by the Coalition of Black Maryland State Troopers, Inc. are (left panel, L to R): Cecil Briley, Miss Laverne Hall, State Trooper Mark Fogg, Forrestville; U.S. Marshall Matthew Fogg, Washington, D.C.;

(Right panel, L to R): David McCullough, Montgomery County Police Dept.; Ms. Terry Etheridge, Ms. Dory Hackey and George Hackey Jr., Montgomery Co., P.D.

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KEYNOTE SPEAKER Judge William H. Murphy Jr., (second from R) is pictured with (L to R): Col. Thomas S. Smith, Superintendent, Maryland State Police, Captain Milton Williams, named Officer of the Year and Corporal Charles A. English, president, Coalition of Black Maryland State Troopers, Inc.

TROOPER TOGETHERNESS is exhibited by (L to R): Miss Donna Cadenhead, pictured with Troopers Stanford Franklin, College Park, Md., and Troopers 1st Class Stewart Russell, Westminster; and William Starris, College Park, Md.

By Pattie Hodges
AFRO Staff Writer

Recently the First Annual Fundraiser Dinner Dance hosted by the Coalition of Black Maryland State Troopers, Inc. was held at Martin's West.

Several hundred guests enjoyed a lively social hour, after which opening remarks were made by Miss Sandy Mallery, Radio Station V-103 and the opening prayer was by the Rev. Wendell Phillips.

Dinner was served with background music, following which there were remarks by Lt. Henry Monroe, Pennsylvania State Police, Spokesman for Men & Women For Justice; Delegate Sylvania Woods Jr., Maryland House of Representatives; Delegate Frank Conaway, president, Black Caucus, Maryland House of Delegates and Col. Thomas Smith, Superintendent of Maryland State Police.

The keynote speaker for the occasion was William H. Murphy Jr., judge, Supreme Bench, Baltimore. Comments and presentations were made by Charles English, Coalition President.

During English's remarks acknowledgement waa made of the law enforcement agencies present and there was the presentation of a plaque of commendation to Captian Milton Taylor, Maryland State Police, who was named "Officer of the Year." Captain Taylor gave remarks of appreciation.

Following the formal program, there was continuous dancing and live entertainement featuring the Carlos Johnson Trio.

Partyline

Strictly Social hosts at Christmas bash

By Pattie Hodges

At the Village of Cross Keys Village Clubhouse on Saturday, Dec. 13 that group of ladies called Strictly Social hosted its sixth annual Holiday Social.

The affair, which began at 8 p.m. featured delicious home-cooked food, disco music with lots of dancing and several surprises.

On the delicious menu were barbecued pork, fried chicken wings, other soul food, macarom and cheese and collard greens straight from the garden of Russell Jolivet, hubby of club member Tina Jolivet.

Dessert to top the meal off was home made fruitcake flown in from Kentucky, compliments of club member Marlene Opara's aunt.

The disco music, which kept the floor hot with dancers was handled by disco d.j.'s Aaron Jollivett, son of Tina and Bobby Cuthrell, son of member Ruth Cuthrell.

As a special surprise, the 10-member club, which includes sorors of several sororities, treated each female guest to a complimentary manicure at Esthtique Inc. in Pikesville.

Another treat was the presentation to each guest couple of a souvenir picture of themselves.

Until 1 a.m. it was party-hearty for the more than 70 who attended.

TLOD Area II Conference here

Recently the Top Ladies of Distinction, Inc., (TLOD) an organization of women devoted to improving society on all levels through service to youth and senior citizens, beautifying the community and raising the status of women, held its First Annual Area II Conference at Meushaws Restaurant, Security Blvd.

The Baltimore (Host) chapter entertained delegates from Trenton, N.J., New York and Washington, D.C., as well as Baltimore.

Highlight of their conference weekend was a luncheon program, with Lady Clarice LaV Brooks presiding.

Invocation was by Lady Ozell Dean, founder-emeritus; followed by a musical selection by Miss Margaret Lindsay, who did several others during the affair.

The group received greetings from Governor Harry Hughes, Mayor William Donald Schaefer, County Executive Donald Hutchinson, the Baltimore City Council, Lady Fannie B. Poulson, president, Baltimore Chapter president, TLOD and Lady Marie Campbell, Area II Director.

Keynote address was given by Dr. Barbara Lett Simmons, vice president, Washington, D.C. School Board, and a member, Washington TLOD Chapter, who was introduced by Lady Doris B. Austin, vice president Baltimore TLOD chapter.

She addressed herself to the conference theme "Dicisions for Action in the New Decade." She spoke in practical terms of the importance of strengthening family life, being better parents to our children and being aware of political issues and trying to vote people into office who will serve our interests best.

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STRICTLY SOCIAL MEMBERS pictured during their sixth annual Holiday Social held at the Cross Keys Clubhouse are (Seated, L to R): Ruth Cuthrell, Marilyn Beatty, Gilda J. Garrett, Marlene Opara; (Standing, L to R): Tina Jolivett, Jo Ann Jollivett, Vera Proctor and Nettie Harrell.

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