

Dotti's Doin's



BY DOTTI ALLEN

Don't know what charmin' ANN "PIC A TUNE" ROBERTS, was doin' up in Washington, but whatever it was it was really agreeable with her. DOTTI, dropped by to pick up some sounds, and this chick was just too outta' sight, she was runnin' down the vacation scene, and from what ANN, says DOTTI'S, just got to make the Washington trip maybe by 1983 I can afford the set, or maybe I'll just have to keep on vacationing in fabulous city of Henderson wow' that's about as far as my vacation funds will take me.

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If you music fans are roamin' around trying to find some good good music to enjoy stop by the Hideaway located at 900 W. Bonanza, and check out the RAPPERS, these fellas can jazz it up for ya; soul it up for ya' or really funk it up for ya, whatever turns you on they will play it. The Rapper CHARLES EALY, blows flute too, and if you happen by ask him to blow a few bars of "Coming Home." This super talented group appears six days a week at the Hideaway and they play from (9 p.m. til 3 a.m. Seems as tho BIG AL, always has something good for you, so here it is.

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In case you haven't heard . . . theres a new production agency in Vegas, and our own JIMMY GAY, and charmin' MRS. DE WITT have teamed together to give struggling artists a helping hand. The G & W Production Agency located at 1000 So. Third Street, is equipped to help new groups in grooming, booking, and publicity in and out of the city. Watch for the grand opening of the agency.

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April 6-7-8 are dates to keep in mind, and please make it a point to participate in the second Las Vegas Afro-American Unity Festival. The program includes . . . The battle of bands, a parade, black and white, and a beauty pageant ball. The theme "Unity in the Community," I do hope it will be better supported this year than last. It's a worthwhile cause so by all means get involved.

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Why is it, the wives and children of military men that must remain behind when the men are TDY, in another country, are forced to exist on the wives inadequate allotments? Seldom are these monies enough to pay rent and utilities not to mention food, clothing and other necessities, and when these families go to the "ever there to help you," REDD XXX, they are told, "sorry but we can't help you, we can write dear hubby and tell him you're family is broke, hungry and damn near outdoors. Now this definitely boosts the morale of the po' fightin' fellas across the water (ha). Don't you think Uncle Sugar could do a little more to secure the left behind families of po' G.I. Joe??? I'm told State Welfare won't help out either.

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If you've been grocery shopping lately I know you've noticed, the ever climbing prices of meats. Oh it's not the fault of the poor grocer, so don't plan to do him great bodily harm. We do have a choice, 1. become vegetarians, 2. raise your own ole' Ferdinand the bull, or 3. don't buy. Other cities have boycotted, and found by not purchasing meats at these ridiculous prices it will force the meat pals to drop the cost of the ole' tired meat. It's worth a try anyway.

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Our local, master of the congos, EBONY, has really gotten into sumptin' big he's been the man behind the bookings in the PanAfro. JOHNNY TAYLOR, was the most recent. Hey' EBONY, is trying to do something to help our community the least you could do is support him in his efforts, he only books the pros for your enjoyment. The admission is verree reasonable, and you can afford it, I know cus' I've seen you pump that much into the one armed bandits, and spend that much on that lady you've been trying to rap to and she called you a tired dude.

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Thats all ya'll see you next week.

S.W.A.P.' 3RD ANNIVERSARY SCHOLARSHIP DRIVE



The advisors of S.W.A.P. (Students With A Purpose) met recently to plan their third anniversary scholarship drive.

The objective of S.W.A.P. is to: Aid and assist young people in education, recreation and community involvement.

Presently there are twenty one (21) adult advisors. Their time and talent is volunteered and available to all interested young people.

A cocktail and dinner party is planned for

April 14, 1973 at 1300 Gold St., Las Vegas. Cocktail hour is 7:30 to 8:30. Dinner 9-10:30 p.m. Cocktail and dancing until----. Door prizes and a surprise special guest.

Proceeds will go into the scholarship fund. Support our youth! Our leaders of tomorrow.

L-R: Mrs. Bertha Green-Mrs. Ruth Bell-Mrs. Grace Taplin.

Powder Puff Mechanics

For many women, automobile engines are mysterious monsters which operate in strange incomprehensible ways.

However, women enrolling in a new class at Clark County Community College will have the opportunity to learn about automobile engines and understand some of their mechanical mysteries.

Beginning March 24, the college will offer a new community service class, powder puff mechanics for beginners, meeting each Saturday morning from nine until noon.

Bruce Bollman, course instructor, said the class will study the basic theory and technology of automotive engines, learning "what does what and why under the hood."

"The course involves classroom training only," Bollman said. "Practical, hands-on experience will be available for students progressing to advanced powder puff mechanics."

Instruction will cover all mechanical parts of the automotive engine, including their operation and relationship to each other. In addition to textbooks, the class will utilize film-strips and demonstrations.

Registration for the class may be completed any weekday 9-4 p.m. at the college, 737 N. Main St. Class sessions will meet in the automotive lab at the Southern Nevada Manpower Training Center, 301 S. Highland.

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