

Focus on Seniors

Outdoor activity is the main feature of each Wednesday at the LOB Senior Center. This means that a group of seniors from the Center are taken to visit some place or activity in the Clark County area as a learning and enjoyable experience.

Last week, for example, the seniors visited the Blind Center at 1001 N. Bruce. They were given a most comprehensive tour of the fine facilities, and saw the beautiful work accomplished. The seniors noted how fulfilled the people seemed to be, and each one counted the experience as most worthwhile.

This week the trip has been to Tule Springs, with each senior bringing a picnic lunch. In fine weather, the trip to Tule Springs is enjoyed greatly.

The senior citizens of the EOB Senior Center decide themselves what trip they want to make on Wednesdays, outdoor activities day. Any and all seniors of the area are invited to participate. Call the Senior Center at 648-3280, ext. 85, for information. Or pay us a visit--the address is 960 W. Owens, and all seniors are most welcome.

The Retired Senior Volunteer Program (RSVP) needs Black and bi-lingual RSVP volunteers to work in its local program. Volunteers will find satisfying opportunities to serve, making for a more meaningful life during retirement. Qualifications are simple--you must be 60 or older, and have a desire to be of service. The work involves a few hours a day, with reimbursement for lunches and for trips. For further information, call the EOB Senior Center, 648-3280, ext. 85.

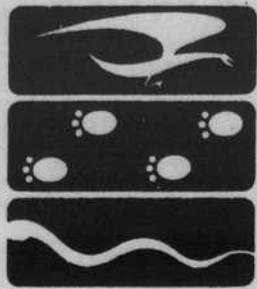
Several spaces are left for the Grand Canyon trip June 28, but you must act fast if you want to make this beautiful, over-night trip. Call the Senior Center, 648-3280, ext. 85, at once if you are interested in going.

All senior citizens, age 60 and older, should register at once for a ridership card allowing them service in the new transportation program sponsored by the Economic Opportunity Board of Clark County. This free service to seniors is expected to begin August 1, 1975. Register at the EOB Senior Center, 960 W. Owens.

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The family of Willie M. Perry wish to thank their many friends for the kindness shown during their bereavement.



Las Vegas Valley Zoo

LAS VEGAS, Nev.,--Ronzi, the young lioness at the Las Vegas Valley Zoo recently gave birth to three cubs. The three youngsters, two females and a male, were born on June 2nd.

Ronzi came to prominence in her many public appearances as a

fund-raiser for the new zoo. The Las Vegas Valley Zoo opened in December, 1973, with Ronzi officially the zoo's first animal.

Ronzi was donated to Las Vegas by the Phoenix, Zoo. The cubs' father, Gilbert, was received from the Honolulu Zoo at the age of one year. Both are now over two years of age. Ronzi and Gilbert have proven great favorites of the thousands of school children who have seen them at Tule Springs Park.

Zoo visitors may soon have the chance to see the cubs, as Ronzi has on several occasions carried a baby from her den to the outdoor enclosure.

AKA Sorority holds conference at MGM Grand



Conference--Miss Bernice Sumlin of Dayton, Ohio, will attend the 46th Far Western Regional Conference of Alpha Kappa Alpha Sorority, Inc., at the MGM Thursday through Saturday. She is the Supreme Basileus of the Dayton Chapter.

Theta Theta Omega Chapter of Las Vegas will host the 46th Far Western Regional Conference of Alpha Kappa Sorority, Inc., Thursday through Saturday at the MGM Grand Hotel.

Several hundred Alpha Kappa Alpha directors from across the county are expected to attend the event. The theme of the conference is "greater involvement--Alpha Kappa Alpha Responsibility."

Alpha Kappa Sorority, Inc., was the first Greek Letter organization founded for Black college women in 1908 at Howard University in Washington, D.C. It presently has over 60,000 members in undergraduate and graduate chapters throughout the United States, Nassau, Bahamas and Monrovia, Liberia.

The group is involved in many areas of human development and improvement, such as consumer education, National Negro College Fund, leadership training, voter registration, etc.

Blue lights outlawed

CARSON CITY---Effective July 1st a flashing blue light may only be used by authorized emergency vehicles.

Col. James Lambert, Chief of the Department of Motor Vehicles' Highway Patrol Division said, "We wish to stress that the use of a revolving, flashing or steady blue warning light mounted on a vehicle is restricted to authorized emergency vehicles. In the past, a wide variety of vehicles and trucks have mounted blue lights, but under the new

law no vehicles other than authorized emergency vehicles can legally be equipped with a flashing blue light.

"An authorized emergency vehicles is one belonging to a law enforcement agency, fire department, ambulance service, public lifeguard or life saving agency.

"Recent Studies," conclude Lambert, "indicate under certain atmosphere conditions, a blue light more effective than a red. However, both are effective under most conditions.

THANK YOU

David E. Watts, Project Director of Foster Grandparents (FGP), expresses thanks to the following donors who made possible the attendance of the Foster Grandparents at the Senior Luncheon, May 29th.

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EOB FREE HEALTH CLINIC SCHEDULE

CLINIC LOCATIONS:

West Las Vegas - 940-A West Owens
 North Las Vegas - 2445 Las Vegas Boulevard No.
 Henderson - 750 Major Street (trailer adjacent to Al Landsman Gardens)

SENIOR CITIZENS:

Provides medical examinations with emphasis on hypertension, annual pap smears, medication, and laboratory tests. Services are available to all low-income seniors 55 years of age or older.

West Las Vegas - 1st and 3rd Thursday of each month, 9:00 am - 12:00 noon.
 Henderson - 1st and 3rd Tuesday of each month, 12:00 noon - 2:00 pm.

FAMILY PLANNING

Provides pap smears, contraceptives, pregnancy tests.

West Las Vegas - Tuesdays and Thursdays, 5:30 p.m. - 7:30 p.m.
 North Las Vegas - Mondays 1:00 p.m. - 5:00 p.m.
 Henderson - Tuesdays, 3:00 pm. - 7:00 pm.

MATERNAL AND CHILD CARE:

Provides pre-natal and post-partum care for pregnant women and medical care for young children through the age of two from low-income families. It also includes WIC participants.

West Las Vegas - Wednesdays, 1:00 pm - 4:00 pm.
 Thursdays, 9:00 am - 12:00 noon and 1:00 pm - 4:00 pm.
 North Las Vegas - Mondays, 9-12 a.m.
 Henderson - Tuesdays, 3:00 pm - 7:00 pm.

WOMEN, INFANTS AND CHILDREN (WIC):

Provides high protein foods and medical care to eligible pregnant women and young children up through the age of four. See Maternal and Child Care schedule.

SICKLE CELL SCREENING:

West Las Vegas - Tuesdays and Thursdays, 5:30 p.m. - 7:30 p.m.