



Pictured from left to right are: Mrs. Grace McGlothen, Music Department Chairperson, Greg Lisner, Ann Lenzie, Patricia Green, Suzette Wheeler, Tammy Merrill, Julie Ward, Mrs. Evelyn O'Gwinn-Principal, Rhonda Raybourne, Richard Dover, and John Laughton. Students participated in the Jo Mackey School Song Contest.

JO MACKKEY PTA SPONSORS SCHOOL SONG CONTEST

Several students of Jo Mackey School recently participated in a school song contest sponsored by the Jo Mackey PTA. Students were asked to write the lyrics to a familiar tune in their own words and that the lyrics should be meaningful, dignified, in good taste - showing respect for their school. Several interesting songs were presented to the judges. First place winner was Suzette Wheeler whose words were set to the tune of "I'd Like to Teach The World To Sing"; second place winner was Ann Lenzie, whose words third place winners were Chris Zalate and Peter "Get A Job".

Other participants who will all receive consolation prizes are: Patricia Green, Julie Ward, Tammy Merrill, Richard Dover, Valerie Evans, John Lawton, Rhonda Raybourne, and Greg Lisner.

Judges were Mrs. Grace McGlothen, Jo Mackey Music Department Chairperson Bill Hart, Jo Mackey Band Director, and Mrs. Barbara Scott-Teacher Aide with a music major from Langston University, Oklahoma.

****V*A FACTS**

EDITOR'S NOTE: Following are representative questions answered daily by VA counselors. Full information is available at any VA office.

Q -- My only income is \$750 a month compensation from the VA. I am rated 100 per cent disabled. My wife has been placed in a nursing home and I am having financial problems. Can I receive more assistance from the VA?

A -- Since Oct. 1, 1976, veterans with service connected disabilities rated 50 per cent or more eligible for an increased allowance if their spouse is in need of aid and attendance. For veteran rated 100 per cent disabled that amount is \$78 per month instead of the \$43 monthly allowance for a spouse. These amounts are proportionally reduced for veterans less than 100 per cent disabled.

Q -- Please define what a deficiency course is under the educational benefits of the GI Bill?

A -- Any secondary-level course or subject not previously completed satisfactorily and which is specifically required for pursuit of a post-secondary program of education.

Q -- What is the coverage under the Civilian Health and Medical Program of VA (CHAMPVA) for inpatient care?

A -- CHAMPVA will pay 75 per cent of the allowable charges of the hospital and professional personnel.

MARION BENNETT YOUTH PROGRAM

PRESENTS

Attorney General Robert List

AT A FUND RAISING DINNER

DATE: SAT., MARCH 19, 1977

TIME: 7:00 p.m.

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RUBY SAYS

I have just returned from Washington D. C. where I attended the public hearing on Welfare Reform being conducted by Joseph Califano, new Secretary of Health, Education and Welfare. A regional public hearing was held in Las Vegas last week on the same subject.

I was somewhat disturbed at the Las Vegas hearing since a panel was picked of local people to take the information and return it to HEW. Not one Black was on the panel to listen to primarily Black women's complaints and problems. Not one welfare mother was on the panel. After seven years of my working for welfare reform and literally screaming about it, I was not contacted to serve on the panel. That says one thing to me - that's that people didn't really want to hear about welfare reform - and the hearing was and will not be taken seriously.

What welfare recipients of Clark County represented at both these hearings is this: When welfare recipients became active in Nevada, there were 18,000 people receiving benefits. Today, there is only 15,000. Thousands of families live below the poverty level but are not eligible for welfare assistance in Nevada. Some families have incomes as low as 50% of the poverty level and are still not eligible. The Medical cutbacks in Nevada are the most restrictive in the nation.

It is not that Nevada is a poor state and can't afford a decent welfare system. It is that Nevada doesn't want a welfare system? Welfare administrators misrepresent to our state legislators the cost of new or expanded programs. They have turned back to the State general fund surpluses as high as 1/3 of the annual budget. Only a year ago, they were threatening bankruptcy if the Medicaid program was not cut back. Several months later we learned that during the period they were screaming "bankruptcy" the State was accumulating a general fund surplus which amounted to 25% of the entire state budget.

Well, Nevada may be glad to know that nobody wants a welfare system. Recipients would love to have a job and not put up with the harassment and hardships that go along with welfare. If they only had the choice

Ask your social worker for a SAMI 25 form. Remember early screening health check-ups, free food from the WIC program - Just call Operation Life for more information at 648-0012. Also, remember that we have openings in the Operation Life Child care center in North Las Vegas. Call 649-3447 and ask about it.

Operation Life will be having a conference with Lt. Governor Mervyn Dymally from California and Carol Burris, Director of Women's Lobby from Washington D. C. as main speakers. Look for more information -- it will be held April 23 (Saturday) at the Royal Inn Hotel.

Hope to see you there -- keep the faith.

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NOTICE OF INTENTION TO ENTER INTO AN AGREEMENT

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN, TO ALL INTERESTED PARTIES, THAT THE Clark County Board of Commissioners does intend to enter into an Agreement with Scenic Airlines, Inc. for the installation and operation of a fixed base operation at McCarran International Airport.

The Agreement provides for the immediate leasing of 37,200 square feet of hangar space and 134,281 square feet of land from which Scenic Airlines will provide commercial aviation services. Scenic will have the option, for a five year period, to lease all or portions of 791,460 square feet of land upon which to expand its fixed base operations. The term will commence on May 15, 1977 and continue until July 19, 1986 with Scenic having the conditional option to extend the term for three (3) additional five-year periods. The land and building rental rates are established according to the location and improvements thereon. In addition, certain revenues will be due to the County based on various phases of the business conducted by Scenic.

This notice is given pursuant to N.R.S. 496.090. At the meeting of the Clark County Commission on April 5, 1977 at 9:00 AM or as soon thereafter as the matter may be heard, this matter will be considered and any interested party may appear.

By order of the Board of County Commissioners, Clark County, Las Vegas, Nevada.

LORETTA BOWMAN, County Clerk and Ex-Officio Clerk of the Board of County Commissioners, Clark County, Nevada.

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NOTICE OF MODIFICATION

CETA Title I, Modification #702, October 1, 1976 - September 30, 1977

Notice is hereby given that the Las Vegas/Clark County Consortia, Prime Sponsor under the Comprehensive Employment & Training Act of 1973, Public Law 92-203 (CETA) has submitted a modification to accommodate the following adjustments to provide services for economically disadvantaged, unemployed and under-employed residents of Clark County:

Modification #701 -702	
1747	1747 Individuals to be served
1697	1597 Individuals to be terminated
956	956 Individuals to be placed in unsubsidized employment

No change in significant segments or number of planned participants. Program Activities and Services to be provided and planned for each Activity:

Modification -701	
1184	Classroom Training
1300	Services to Participants
193	On-the-Job Training
269	Work Experience (Youth)

Funds Planned for Each Activity

\$2,062,577	\$1,975,465	Classroom Training
693,058	777,655	Services to Participants
358,626	362,341	On-the-Job Training
158,371	157,171	Work Experience (Youth)

Total funds in the Plan are \$3,272,632 and distribution by cost categories is as follows:

Modification -701 -702		
\$648,013	\$ 643,860	Administration
812,842	1,029,760	Allowances (Enrollees)
342,064	344,824	Wages (Enrollees)
10,405	12,281	Fringe Benefits (Enrollees)
595,447	332,863	Training
863,861	909,044	Services

Notice is further given that a copy of said Modification may be examined at the Administration Office of the Las Vegas/Clark County Consortia, 300 Las Vegas Blvd. North, Las Vegas, Nevada 89101, Monday through Friday, 9:00 a.m. to 4:00 p.m., phone - 386-6531

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