

# the LOCAL NEWS

## BROTHER McDUFFIE DAY



West Las Vegas Neighbor Association proclaims Brother McDuffie Day, Thursday June 14, 1979. From 3:00 p.m. until 9:00 a.m. on Jackson St.

In recognition of the example he has showed toward keeping the streets clean without pay for eleven years.

There will be entertainment, food, balloons and flags.

Five groups of Rhythm steppers, stepping down Jackson Street ahead of bands.

We invite all Las Vegas residents to come and party with us in honor of Brother McDuffie.

Bring all the babies and the old folks too.

Special presentation will be at 7:00 p.m. West Las Vegas Library.

## MOVIES No Charge at Charleston Hgts.

The Charleston Heights Community School, 300 South Torrey Pines, offers free movies throughout the summer for "little people" from ages 4 to 12 years from 10 to 11:30 a.m. on Thursdays.

From the "Young at Heart," 13 years and over, films will be shown from 5 to 8:30 p.m. on Thursday. A fee of 50¢ will be charged with further information on film selections obtained by calling the center at 878-8644.

The community center program is located at the Garside Jr. High School and sponsored by the City of Las Vegas Recreation and Leisure Activities Department.

Highlighting the premier season of programs offered at the Charleston Heights Library Arts Center will be an outstanding series of guest artists performances in a summer chamber Music Festival. Featured artists include Janet See, Baroque flutist, and Davitt Maroney, harpsichordist, on Sunday, July 1, at 2:00 p.m.; The Pablo Casals Trio on Sunday, July 15 at 2:00 p.m.; Ena Bronstein, pianist, on Sunday, July 22 at 2:00 p.m.; and Izumi Tateno, pianist, on Tuesday, August 14 at 8:00 p.m.

The series is sponsored by The City of Las Vegas Department of Recreation and Leisure Activities/Cultural and Community Affairs Branch. Series tickets may be ordered by calling 386-6383. Single admission tickets will also be available.

## FATHERS DAY CONCERT AT LORENZI PARK

Fathers in the community will be honored on their special day at a free jazz program presented by the Carl Sanders Quintet and John Palmer Quartet at Lorenzi Park, 3333 W. Washington, beginning at 1:00 p.m.

Families are invited to bring picnic lunches, blankets and lawn chairs and enjoy the program of contemporary jazz sponsored by the City of Las Vegas Recreation and Leisure Activities Department.

The program is another in a continuing series of activities in the parks using the City's new Showmobile, a large portable staging unit with sounds and lights "on wheels".

For further information on the popular annual Park/Art program for children in June and upcoming one act melodrama comedy set for July, interested persons may call the main office of the Recreation Department/Cultural and Community Affairs Division at 386-6511.

## CETA SUMMER YOUTH PROGRAM

A total of 1,747 economically disadvantaged youth in Clark County will participate in the CETA Summer Youth Employment Program (SYEP) conducted by the Clark County School District, Angus MacEachern, acting executive director of the local consortia, has announced.

The program, beginning June 18, will provide work experience and vocational education under the Comprehensive Employment and Training Act at a cost of \$1,123,725.00. The program will end in early August. This is the third year the school district has conducted the program.

At a ceremony held Thursday in City Hall, the contract was signed by Ron Lurie, mayor pro tem of the city of Las Vegas and chairman of the CETA Executive Board; Frank Dixon, director of federal programs of the Clark County School District, and Connie Marmet Department of Labor Employment and Training Administration representative from the San Francisco regional office.

The program is designed for youths between the ages of 14 and 21 who lack the necessary funds and skills to continue their education. It provides an opportunity to obtain skill training which can be realized in on-the-job training, classroom experience and work experience.

The program also provides financial assistance for those students who may be potential dropouts to aid them in remaining in school. Average wages and allowances for each participant will be \$2.90 an hour.

Under work experience, participants will receive labor-market orientation and placement in a suitable work site. In the event a youth is not returning to school, he will be referred to the Nevada Employment Security Department for job placement into permanent, unsubsidized employment.

In the vocational career education segment, participants will receive labor-market orientation, classroom training and referral for job placement if they are not returning to school.

## BLACK SOCIAL WORKERS TO CELEBRATE JUNE TEENTH

The Las Vegas Chapter of the Nation Association of Black Social Workers would like to take this opportunity to invite you to their 3rd Annual June Teenth Barbeque, Sunday, June 17th at Lorenzi Park from 11:00 a.m. to 7:00 p.m. Donation \$3.50. (Food included).

Come on out and celebrate with the Black Social Workers all of the Black Social Workers have tickets. Tickets will also be on sale at Lorenzi Park, June 17th.

## PERSONALITY DEVELOPMENT AND MODELING CLASSES TO BEGIN



HATTIE (MICKEY) WHITE

Ms. Hattie White will begin instructing her Personality Development and Modeling Classes at Clark County Community College at 3200 E. Cheyenne Ave., No. Las Vegas, NV 89030 in October of 1979.

Ms. White, a Native of Mississippi attended C.C.C.C. in 1972-73. She attended Patricia Stevens Modeling School in late 1971 and Bernie Lenz Professional Modeling & Merchandising Institute in 1972 - 76 & 77, and instructed at that same school. She is a Clinical Secretary for the Las Vegas Mental Health Center and has been on staff there since 1975.

## ETHNIC STUDIES PROGRAM OFFERS INDEPENDENT STUDIES

Do you have a pet project you would like to investigate dealing with racial minorities in the United States? This summer, during both summer school sessions, the Ethnic Studies Program will offer Independent Studies Courses. These classes will not meet at a predesignated time but will involve student and professor meeting on a one-to-one basis in order to discuss selected projects.

A research report will be completed. Its minimum length will be twenty-five double spaced, typed pages. Some possible topics might be "Brown vs. Brown of Education: Twenty-five years Later", "The Coming of Bakke", "Illegal Aliens in Nevada", "Nevada Indians, Cigaretts and The IRS", "The Racial Slur In Race Relations", "The Treatment of Minorities in Textbooks", "The Impact of the Perception of Asian Americans on International Relations", "Racial Minorities In the Cinema", "Hiring Policies of the Hotel Industry and Minority Groups". The list of possibilities is endless.

Not only will students have an opportunity to "bone" up on research prowess but also an opportunity to discover some of the unasked questions and some of the avoided answers.

Ethnic Studies 499 being offered at UNLV is where you can fulfill this ambition. This can be done at your own pace and at a time which is most convenient to you. The instructor will be R. Fitzgerald: Coordinator of the Ethnic Studies Program at UNLV.