

Local LINKS Plan 1982 Assembly



A special committee of local LINK members are preparing for the local "Gala," which will be presented on Wed., July 7. Local members, who will treat their other sisters to a brief, but spectacular view of what this chapter is all about, will dress up in elaborate costumes and serve as hostesses for the

affair being sponsored by the chapter. Members working on that committee are shown, L-R, LINKS Gwen Booker, Juanita Smith, Maggie Pearson, Edna Perkins, Inez Archie and Anna Bailey, Chairman.

At the present time, the local chapter of The LINKS, Inc. is preparing for the "1982 Assembly," which will be held July 5-10 at the Las Vegas Hilton Hotel. This is one of the highest achievements in the sisterhood of The LINKS. The chapter has worked consistently for the past two years in preparation for this Twenty-Third National Assembly, which expects to bring over 3,000 delegates to Las Vegas.

LINK Inez Archie is the local coordinator and LINK Edna Perkins is the co-coordinator for the Assembly. LINK Anna Bailey is Chairman of the Committee planning

the Las Vegas Reception.

A variety of activities is planned for the 5-day convention. In addition to the Convention meetings, which are geared toward the direction of the national LINKS program, there are a number of special, closed social events scheduled. On Monday night, July 5, the VIP Reception honoring the National Past Presidents of The LINKS, Inc., will be held. Mayor Bill Braire, County Commissioner Woodrow Wilson and Judge A. Del Guy will also be special guests at this affair.

Another reception on Wednesday night, July 7, promises to be one of

the special highlights of the Assembly, as members of the local chapter don special costumes and give their visiting sisters and guests a real taste of Las Vegas.

On Thursday night, July 8, the 38 chapters of the Far West will host a special reception for the entire Assembly.

The Las Vegas public is invited to attend the Civic Luncheon on July 9 at the Hilton Hotel. Speaker for this event, which is scheduled to begin at 12:45 p.m., will

be Christopher Edley, Executive Director of the United Negro College Fund. Tickets are \$15 each and may be obtained from any LINKS member.

James A. Gay, III is serving as Chairman of the CONNECTING LINKS activities for the 1982 Assembly. Other CONNECTING LINKS are Porter Troutman, Jimmy Porter, Bob Bailey, George Cook, Henry Moore, William Pearson and Evan Williams.

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