

Education

CLARK COUNTY SCHOOL DISTRICT ACTIVITIES



TRADE CENTER OPENING SET—Containing 50,000 square feet of space, the new Area Technical Trade Center (ATTC) is one of three new schools opening on schedule August 30.



SCHOOL KITCHEN READIED—School cafeteria staffs, using the latest in food service equipment, will prepare thousands of meals daily to feed students Districtwide. When school opens Aug. 30, well-balanced, nutritious lunches will be available to students at last year's prices: 80 cents in elementary schools; \$1.30 for a full lunch or ala carte items in junior high schools; and a daily special priced at one dollar or ala carte items in high schools. Breakfast prices remain 40 cents in elementary schools, and from 40 to 55 cents in junior and senior high schools.

CLARK COUNTY COMMUNITY COLLEGE

From the Office of AFFIRMATIVE ACTION & MINORITY AFFAIRS

What does the Future look like:

Minority Employment Opportunities

By Margie Morris, Job Placement Specialist

From the time our forefathers were brought to this country, parents have encouraged children to get a good education, learn a trade, and be prepared. Each generation has said, "If only I had had an opportunity, I would have...." Not much has changed in 1982, except society is rapidly moving from an industrial base to a knowledge base. Today's antique is yesterday's novelty, with many theories outdated in months rather than years. Six-year-olds use computers with ease and machines complete medial tasks in record time.

Clark County Community College is meeting the challenge of the 80's with comprehensive courses at a cost within nearly everyone's budget. The slogan "Where Your Future Is Now" answers the question, "If only I had had an op-

portunity...." The College is prepared to offer training in areas which promise to have employment potential in future years, i.e., data processing, electronics, clerical, etc.

The Bureau of Labor predicts the 80's will see a growth in the computer field (check the want ads — programmers, and systems analysts have a choice of area, employer, and most of all, salary), machine mechanics (148%-173%), engineers, accounting, and medical and paralegal. As these increase in demand, other areas are disappearing. Persons in these areas receive better than average wages, but they must be skilled and willing to continue training past high school.

The present administration has deemphasized Affirmative Action programs causing Black leaders to voice

concern over "ground" gained in the 60's and 70's, being lost in the

80's. Programs previously designed to train or upgrade minorities are being cut or eliminated daily in an effort to "save" money. We, as a group, can no longer depend on the "government" to train or prepare us, but must compete and fight for an education to give us the skills to compete for the top paying jobs.

Minority women — look into the non-traditional jobs — electricians, locksmiths,

plumbers, carpenters, office machine repairmen. Good pay, benefits, but Hard Work.

To get that job you want, and to say to your children, "I had an opportunity and I...."

1. Be prepared — get good technical skills. Have a command of the English language. Good writing/communications skills. Good math skills.

2. Be flexible — realistic — If you can't afford an M.D., try the lab,

nursing, or research.

3. Be organized in your job search — employers seeking qualified minorities will list with NAACP, Black magazines, predominantly black schools, etc.

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- * Created a specialized sexual assault unit.
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