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New  
Year



**Immunization  
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Public health nurses staff Clark County Health District immunization clinics each week in and around Las Vegas. Immunization is provided without charge to children and young adults under the age of 21 at any one of three public health centers and several satellite clinics each week.

The following clinics will be open this week: (Dec. 26 and 27).

District Health Center, 625 Shadow Lane, Las Vegas, 8:30 a.m. to 4 p.m., Thursday and Friday.

Henderson Public Health Center, 102 E. Lake Mead Drive, 9 a.m. to noon and 12:30 to 3:30 p.m., Thursday and Friday.

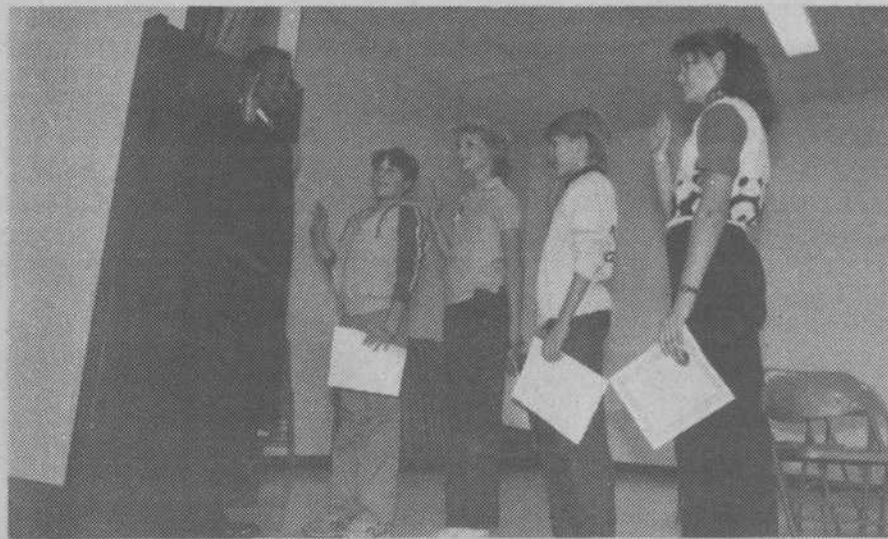
North Las Vegas Public Health Center, 3262 Civic Center Drive, 9 a.m. to noon and 12:30 to 3:30 p.m., Monday and Tuesday.

**New Year's Eve  
Ushered In  
By Hacienda!**

New Year's Eve will be full of surprises and fun galore at the Hacienda Hotel and Resort. Folks wishing to celebrate the coming of 1986 may choose from two different exciting events at the Hacienda.

"Norman, Is That You?", produced and directed by Maynard Sloate, will open on Dec. 27 in the Fiesta Showroom starring TV's George Jefferson — Sherman Hemsley. Say you've always wanted to party with George Jefferson? Here's your chance. The 8 p.m. show will cost \$19.86 for dinner and just \$14.86 for cocktails. The dinner show features prime rib with alternate selections available. The late show will begin at 11:30 p.m. \$24.95 will net you the show, party favors and champagne (or two cocktails of your choice) and of course, an opportunity to welcome 1986 with George Jefferson, himself, in the form of Sherman Hemsley as Ben Chambers, Norman's dad.

New Year's Eve will also be celebrated in the Matador Arena at the Hacienda with a Latin dance featuring Ritmo 7, Los Errantes Del Valle and Bandolero. The fun and festivities will begin at 10 p.m. and run until the wee hours of Jan. 1, 1986.



**SWEARING IN** — District Court Judge Earl White Jr., far left, is shown swearing in Booker Sixth Grade Center Student Council members, from left to right, Derrick Allen, Treas.; Melanie Jones, Secty.; Brandon Smith, Vice Pres.; Sara Acres, Pres. Attending the ceremonies were the Booker student body, parents and Yvonne Atkinson, CCSD Board of Trustees Member.

**Dwayne Banks death said to remain a mystery**

By BOB PALM

The Clark County District Attorney's Office has found nothing unusual about the death of Dwayne Banks, who died mysteriously Oct. 20 in the North Las Vegas Jail, but witnesses indicate the young man died of neglect or at the hands of arresting officers.

Bank's body was discovered at 8:05 p.m. Oct. 20 in his cell, and an autopsy discovered later that the 26-year-old died from the ingestion of 1,037 monograms of cocaine, more than twice the amount required to kill a person.

After a review of the incident, Deputy District Attorney Bill Koot has determined that nothing was unusual about the death of

the known drug dealer.

However, authorities have refused to reveal the identity of the arresting officers and the coroner has declined to comment to the press on the case. Written information about the case has been sealed from scrutiny of the press by authorities.

However, reconstruction of the arrest and subsequent death of Banks by witnesses and authorities indicate the death was far from routine.

Banks allegedly ran into the street of the 600 Block of East Carey Avenue, and flagged down the officers who later arrested him.

The officers said they had to subdue Banks when he refused to submit to arrest for irrational behavior.

The unidentified officers said they suspected Banks was under the influence of drugs.

Unofficial reports show Banks had swallowed about six rock cocaine crystals at about 8 a.m. that day outside the Sugar Hill Bar, located at 1316 Miller Ave., to prevent detection by police of drug

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