

Neighborhood Band To Hold Flea Market

The Compton Heights Concert Band of St. Louis will hold its third annual flea market fundraiser from 1 to 5 p.m. Sunday, Sept. 30, on the South Side YMCA parking lot at 2232 S. Grand Blvd.

Arts, Elderly Compiling Mailing List

The citywide Arts and the Elderly program of the St. Louis Area Agency on Aging is currently compiling a mailing list for persons interested in receiving a monthly newsletter.

In addition to a large array of household items and furniture donated by Compton Heights residents and band supporters, the flea market will feature baked goods, snow cones, plants and books. Hamburgers, hot dogs and cold or hot drinks will be sold. Compton Heights Band T-shirts and reproductions of a 1902 neighborhood poster will also be on sale.

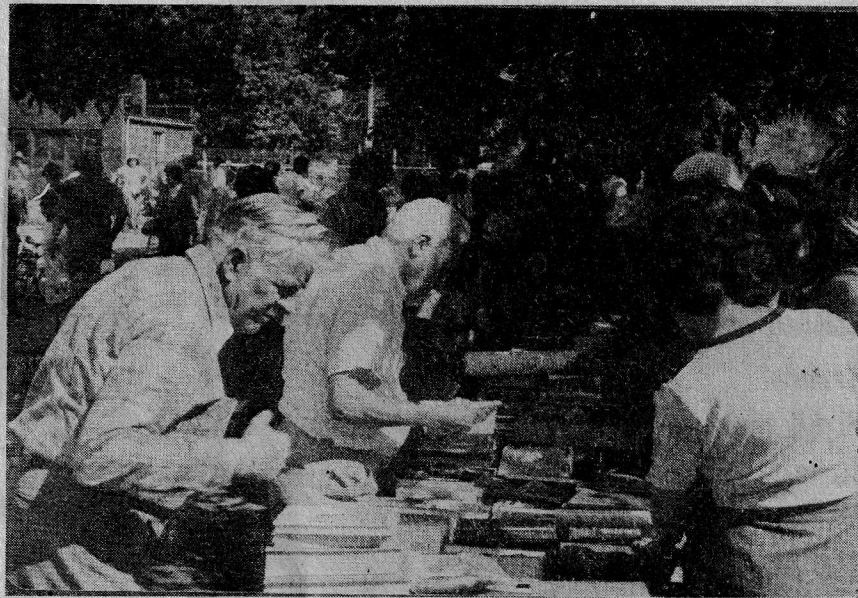
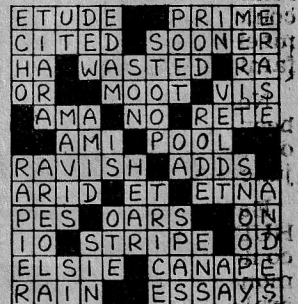
The newsletter will list information about current arts and crafts classes offered to senior citizens throughout the city, and will detail location, instructors and various class projects.

Anyone interested in donating items for the flea market can call Marilyn Horst at 773-9055 or Kitty Swanger at 776-7764 during the evening. All proceeds are for the benefit of the Compton Heights Concert Band of St. Louis, a neighborhood amateur band which had its beginnings four years ago and continues to grow.

To receive a copy of the elderly arts newsletter, mail name and address to: The Arts and the Elderly Office, St. Louis Area Agency on Aging, 560 Convention Plaza, St. Louis, Mo. 63101.

The band has performed in Tower Grove Park for the past three summers, Lafayette Park, Reservoir Park and other public parks in the city, and most recently, the St. Louis Ice Cream Festival.

Director of the band for the four years is Kaid Friedel, a



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Benton Branch Library Offers Films

A new Noonday Film series for young adults will begin on Oct. 4 at Benton Branch of the St. Louis Public Library. The programs at noon each Thursday are free and open to the public at the library, located at 1921 Prather Ave. in Roe School.

Shown on Oct. 2 will be "Captain Mom," followed on Oct. 11 by "The Sand Castle." "The Dentist" will be shown on Oct. 18, and "Sergeant Swell" on Oct. 25.

Monthly travel films will begin at 11:30 a.m. on Tuesday, Oct. 16, following the

arts and crafts class for adults which meets at 10:30 a.m. at Benton Branch.

The library also is host to Thomas Dunn Memorial classes in beginning bookkeeping and basic auto maintenance. Registration is required for the courses beginning at 7 p.m. on Oct. 1 and Oct. 3, respectively.

Free Information Night On Alcohol Abuse Planned

Alcoholism Awareness Week is the week of Oct. 7 to 13. The theme for this year is "The Other Victims," the many people who are directly affected by the drinking behavior of the alcoholic: spouses, children, innocent drivers, employers and fellow workers.

To help prepare for this week, Comtrea Family Counseling, an alcohol, drug, family counseling agency, is having an Information Night to discuss

Registration information is available at the library or by telephone at 645-2468.

After-school films are shown for children at 3:30 p.m. each Wednesday. All programs and classes at Benton Branch Library are free and open to the public.

the facts about alcohol abuse and what the "other victims" can do to help the alcoholic. The program will begin at 7 p.m. at the agency's office, 4648 Gravois on Tuesday, Oct. 2. The night will include lecture, film and time for questions and discussion. The program is offered to the public free of charge.

For further information call Mike Conley, 351-2400.

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