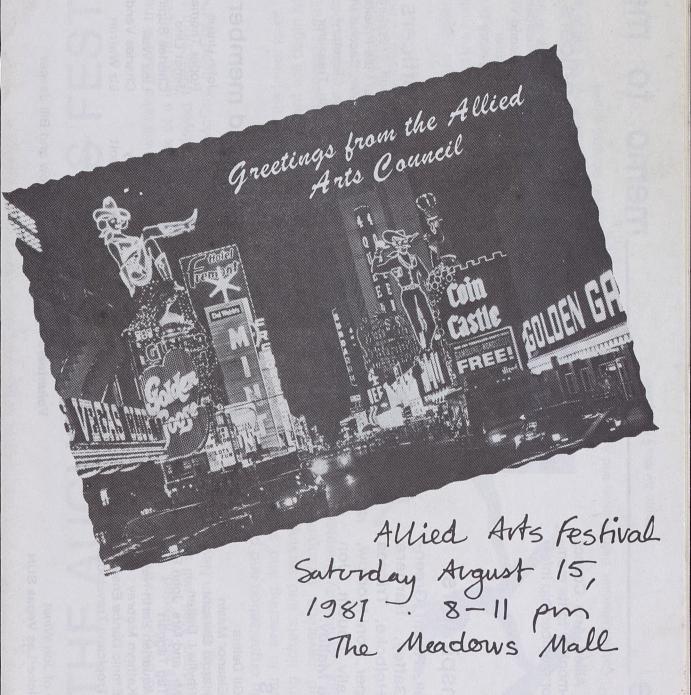
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JOIN THE AUGUST 15 ARTS FESTIVAL

Much work remains to be done on the mammoth Allied Arts Festival, and volunteers are needed. The festival, scheduled for August 15 in Meadows Mall, will be an all-media event featuring the best talent in southern Nevada.

Help is needed now in organization and publicity, and will be needed at the festival in erecting and striking stages and equipment, and taking tickets and serving drinks and hors d'oeuvres. Food and beverage arrangements are being planned by Las Vegas Community Theater board member Patricia Hind.



ALPHABET SOUP: Cathie Gilbreath, Beth Puente, and Anne Follmer.

The Allied Arts Festival will take place in the Mall after hours, and will feature the work of a large number of visual artists, whose work will be displayed throughout the Mall, selected and organized by Cindy McCoy, head of the Council's visual arts division.

Four stages will be set up on the lower level. The festival opens at 8 pm., and live entertainment will begin at 8:45 and will run continuously and often simultaneously until the festival ends at 11:00, featuring local theater groups performing excerpts from past and future productions; variety performers and dance groups; and jazz, classical, and bluegrass music. Bob Cox, director of Las Vegas Community Theater, is arranging performances.

A dance area will be set up in the center of the Mall and dancing to rock will continue through the festival. A multimedia art piece will be performed, and video productions will be shown.

Any organization wishing to participate in ticket sales should contact Allied Arts by July 15.

The festival takes up where Arts A La Carte left off in 1978 and will now become an annual event.

traffic lights by director Jacqueline Mitchell

Nancy Houssels, diminutive powerhouse and advocate for Nevada artists, smiles about the small number of people she supposes watch the Channel 10 arts calendar following Lee Winston's "Public Forum": "Five minutes of arts news on TV 10 is a start. Perhaps the other stations will follow suit." Triceea Wellcome jokes with a belly dancer's laugh that we should be called "Allah's Arts Council: All things to all people." Solemnly, before the County Commissioners, I ask that \$12,000 in federal revenue sharing funds be granted to the Arts Council to support publicity of arts events. The Board calls the Council an "arts information service and cultural development agency." In May, arts agency directors from across the country met in Monterey, an artistic setting in which to contemplate the woes of "networking in the prevailing economic climate." Given to daydreaming in workshops, I think of fishermen making knots in nets to be thrown into blue waters where silver fish swim in depths too dark to see. I ignore the jargon that "interfaces" and think of the arts; that is, the recreative expression of the human experience in multitudinous variety, like fish or stars or computer chips. I wonder myself what is the Allied Arts Council?

Mostly it's an idea. There is a crowded 2-room office on a North Las Vegas intersection where there are 3 incoming lines and a three-person team

struggling to keep up with the Board, the messages, requests, demands, mail, fund-raising, coordination of volunteers, and communication with regional, state, and national agencies. But the phones ringing and the paper shuffling and public relations aren't really the Council. Nor are the good-natured volunteers who help us so much for rewards scarcely recognized as valid in a materialistic culture. Nor are the patrons, often influential, wealthy, gifted: "the Clout Club" without whom artists have no financial return for their work. Nor is AAC the artists themselves: the dancer's fluent body, the painter's eye making miracles, the poet's voice, the illusions the actor makes of himself. Nor is the Council the new people in town seeking directions to what they like: a gallery, a class, a concert, a puppet, an artist. Nor is the Council the black and white calendars, computer lists, the ordering of the fragments of information and events into a guide; nor is it the effort of securing donated services, tools, places, and professional expertise or seeing that committee members leave meetings thinking they've all heard the same thing. It isn't answers and certainties. It isn't 500 individuals, 75 groups, 50 businesses, 30 board members, 25 advisors representing over 8000 persons; more if you count the families of members. It isn't numbers.

Mostly, the Allied Arts Council is an idea abiding in the creative imagination of Las Vegans for nearly twenty years. That force is now moving to build a fine arts museum, then a performing arts center. With luck, we'll see buildings in 3 to 5 years. But no matter how complicated the structure, nor how concrete we become, the idea of the Council, and the act it suggests, is simple: to encourage the arts by telling one another about what the artists are doing. Humans are language makers who think in metaphors and similes. I lean towards the natural world for mine, disliking Newspeak. I offer this simile: the Arts Council is a grape vine that grows all over town. Let others have their umbrellas. administrations, networks, and acronyms. I'll take my idea of the Arts Council with flower, leaf, fruit. color, life, wine, and song.

Thanks to the SUN staff: Danny Greenspun, Burt Buy, Rex Taylor, Grace Chan, Michael Taylor, and our computer friends, DC PDP 11/70 and Logicon

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And then there are clowns. . . .

The Young Audiences Benefit Performance of the Emmet Kelly Jr. "Circus Vegas" will be July 11 at 1:30 p.m. Kristie Coombs, currently playing "Annie" at the Desert Inn, will make a special appearance, meet children and sign autographs. Other "orphans" from the "Annie" cast will be on hand for the gala celebration. Tickets are on sale at the Aladdin Box Office and at all Wagon Masters. Tickets are \$8.00--5.00 and 15.00 for a family of four. Call 734-2109 for reservations.

Young Audiences brings live professional performance concerts to school children in Las Vegas. Las year 16,000 children in 26 schools enjoyed dance and musical concerts through Young Audi-

The Arts Council urges members to support this outstanding program.

MGM To Host Gala Preview of Jubilee--July 28

Proceeds to benefit Allied Arts

In a significant gesture for the Southern Nevada art community, the MGM Grand Hotel has generously agreed to assign all ticket revenues from the special prevue showing of its spectacular new show, "Jubilee," to the Allied Arts Council.

Donn Arden's new production boasts a larger cast (135 performers), more numbers, more music, and more elaborate special effects than "Hallelujah Hollywood," its enormously successful predecessor.

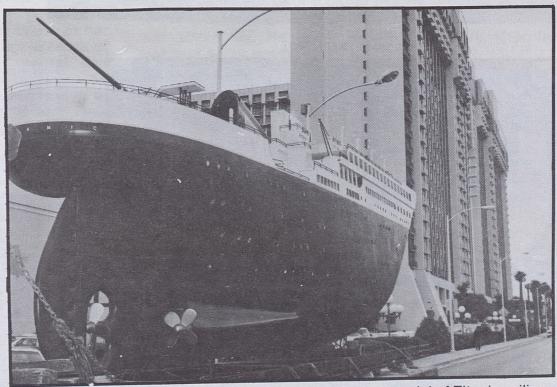
The four main production numbers, in rehearsals since April, include an opening that features a 70-member minstrel troupe and tributes to Elvis Presley, Judy Garland, and the stars of the silent screen.

The second number, "Samson and Delilah," features some of the most elaborate and magnificant costuming ever presented on stage. In addition, Samson will tumble the Philistine temple and its 35-foot idol.

The third, and most spectacular special effects number, is the re-creation of the voyage of the Titanic, including the sinking of the ship right on stage. Some of the special effects include a full-scale boiler room, which will be flooded and destroyed, and the crashing of a 40-foot model of the ill-fated liner into a giant iceberg.

Later in the sequence, homage is paid to the doughboys of World War I, and that includes an actual dogfight between two 15-foot vintage aircraft, one of them the mighty Red Baron, right over the heads of the Ziegfeld Room audience.

Tribute is paid to the greatest entertainers of all time, including Al Jolson, Jimmy Durante, Bing Crosby, Bob Hope, Maurice Chevalier, Eddie Cantor, and Rudy Vallee, as well as Garland and Preslev.



Call 649-8725 for ticket information. Caption: 40- foot model of Titanic sailing to MGM showroom.

Ninety-five girls will share the 1,147 costumes, which average upwards of \$5,000 each in cost, while weighing over 40 pounds. Many of tham are adorned with jewels from France and Czechoslovakia and a portion of 3,200 pounds of feathers from South Africa.

Tickets will be \$75. per person. Allied Arts has decided to donate one third of the proceeds as the first major contribution toward the Allied Arts Cultural Complex to be built on the recently leased site at the University.

HENDERSON ARTIST TOM HOLDER WINS CAPITOL MURAL CONTEST

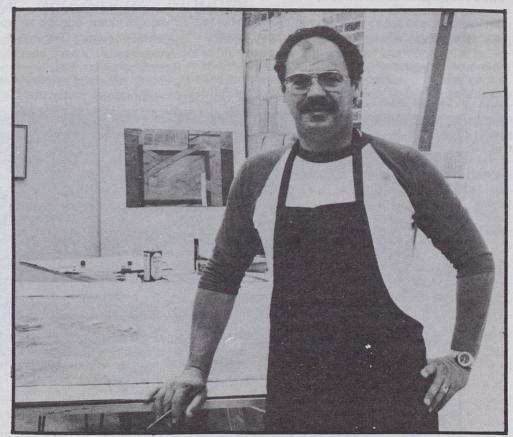
Nevada Muralists Compete

Tom Holder, UNLV art instructor and Henderson resident, has been chosen from 60 Nevada artists to paint a 40-foot mural in the State Capitol Building in Carson City. The contest was funded by the Nevada State Public Works Board and administered by the Sierra Arts Foundation in Reno. The selection committee involved statewide representatives from 12 agencies concerned with fine arts. Holder will receive a \$8500 award to produce the mural. One hundred dollar prizes were awarded to 4 finalists.

In Holder's Words

The imagery of the mural was inspired by the ruggedness and color of the terrain surrounding Carson City and other historic mining towns of the vicinity. The landscape struck me as being very similar to that of central Spain where I had spent a year painting just prior to coming to Nevada. The mural will be executed in acrylic applied in heavy washes of color suspending partially undissolved dry pigments for texture. The result will be an expressive interpretation of the environment's natural and almost violent beauty.

The mural will be installed in the Capitol Building's former assembly chambers in a space of rather unusual proportions. It is a recessed area near the ceiling measuring 6 feet high by 48 feet long. The overall length of the mural will be approximately 45 feet. It will be comprised of ten individual sections fastened together to form three major units which will be separated by a small space (probably no more than 10 inches). The visual effect of this assemblage will be reminiscent of early panoramic photographs used by the mining industry to study a region's geographical features. These photographs were frequently pieced together in the manner of a collage, resulting in long, narrow images sometimes with a viewing angle aproaching 180 degrees. I was reminded of these early photographs when I first saw the designated location for the mural. It seemed that a rare opportunity was at hand to combine several relevant ideas. I thought that I could represent the landscape in such a way as to place it into a historical context appropriate to its setting by alluding to the geology's importance to an industry which has been vital to the history and economy of our state.



Tom Holder in his studio.







The Holder mural will be on exhibit at Flamingo Library from August 20-24.

WATCH FOR:

CINDY MC COY AT REED WHIPPLE

The Reed Whipple Cultural Center Art Gallery will present the works of local artist Cindy McCoy June 28 through July 24. Nine

paintings will be displayed.

McCoy's acrylic paintings represent the human figure in her own personal style. Not interested in creating a strict likeness of her model, she selects an attribute, physical or mental, and focuses the viewer's attention by rendering it realistically. The complementary parts of her paintings are abstracted or left at nondescriptive positive or negative space. Cindy explains: "I use this technique to resolve the conflict between a realistic figure and abstract surroundings. I like to create ambiguity between the background and the foreground, encouraging the eye to move around and stimulating interest in the observer."



Cindy McCoy.

Photo by Marlene Franks.

MORE FROM LEE SIDO

The Fine Arts Gallery of the University of Nevada, Las Vegas, presented the works of sculptor Lee T. Sido April 20 through May 1, 1981. Sido received his formal art education at Northern Illinois University. He came to UNLV in 1980 after five years teaching art at Wabash College, Indiana.

The exhibit included nine three-dimensional wall constructions, two free-standing pieces, and six watercolors. Many of the sculptures are precisely-fitted composites of wood and sheet metal with ancillary wood or metal forms attached in such a way as to appear "frozen in flight."

Sido feels that his sculptures are "inspired by the variety of architectural structures that influence everyone" and that they "represent both interior and exterior architectural structures and the illusions they create in the desert environment."

The planar components of these sculptures display a variety of surface treatments apparently selected to produce complementary visual textures. In some cases, the flat areas are painted in simple linear patterns. The colors chosen seem to be those of the desert; purple, oranges, blues. . . .that interact strongly without distracting the eye.

One of the free-standing sculptures is a large plexiglass sheet assembled on a base with cylinder forms complementing similar shapes etched on the plastic. The other is a welded metal device with cut-outs that use light and shadow effects, as do the other pieces, to enhance their strongly angular design.

The watercolors, also precisely executed, seem to represent a transfer of Mr. Sido's sculptural concepts to the two-dimensional field.

Mr. Sido brings a "new dimension" to the Las Vegas contemporary art movement. We are looking forward to seeing more of this talented artist's work.

July)1 Wednesday

Cindy McCoy, large-scale acrylics, Reed Whipple Gallery, Mon.-Sat. 9-5 pm., Sun. 1-5 pm. Runs through July 24. Free. 386-6211.

Rodolfo Fernandez: Symphony in Color; oils, tempera, ink, and watercolor, Flamingo Library, through August 14. Free. 733-7810.

Jani Mae Catches Nature's Eye; a six-state series highligh ting nature's beauty by professional photographer Jani Mae Den Herder, through August 30, Flamingo Library Upstairs Gallery. Free. 733-7810.

Glass Etchings by Cathy Probert, Henderson Library, throug h July 31. 565-9247.

The Lorenzi Park Adaptive Recreation Center will display art projects by handicapped youth as part of their Celebration of '81 as the International Year of Disabled Persons, July 1 to July 31. Free, 386-6358.

Joe Behar's Community Drama Workshop, Church of Religious Science Rec Room, across from UNLV. Every Wednesday, 8 pm. to 9 pm. Free. 731-4291.

"Pete's Dragon," children's film, Charleston Heights Arts Center, 11 am. and 2 pm., Jaycee Park, 8:30 pm. Free. 386-6383.

Thursday

Cindy McCoy, acrylics, Reed Whipple Gallery. Free. 386-6211. Jani Mae Herder exhibit, Flamingo Library. Free. 733-7810. Rodolfo Fernandez exhibit, Flamingo Library. Free. 733-7810. Art projects by handicapped youth at Lorenzi Park Adaptive Center. Free, 386-6358.

Friday

Gem Club field trip to Enterprise Utah for Indian BlanketJasper, July 3 through 5. 458-4554 or 384-8964.

Rodolfo Fernandez exhibit, Flamingo Library. Free. 7337810.

- Jani Mae Herder exhibit, Flamingo Library. Free. 733-7810. Cindy McCov. acrylics. Reed Whipple Gallery. Free, 386-6211.

Art projects by handicapped youth on display at Lorenzi Park Adaptive Center, Free, 386-6358.

4 Saturday

Cindy McCoy, acrylics, Reed Whipple Gallery. Free. 386-6211. Gem Club Field Trip continues. 458-4554.

Art projects on by handicapped youth at Lorenzi Park Adaptive Center. Free. 386-6358.

Family Fun in '81; 4th of July picnic, 10 am to 4 pm Sunset Park, Free, 361-3606.

Jani Mae Herder exhibit, Flamingo Library, Free, 733-7810. Las Vegas Art Museum, Lorenzi Park, three shows continue. Free. 647-4300.

Cindy McCoy, acrylics, Reed Whipple Gallery. Free. 386-6211. Rodolfo Fernandez exhibit, Flamingo Library. Free. 733-7810. Art projects by handicapped youth at Lorenzi Park Adaptive Center. Free, 386-6358.

Tuesday

Nevada State Council on the Arts grant hearings, Reed Whipple Cultural Center, July 7-11, 649-8725.

Jani Mae Herder exhibit, Flamingo Library, Free, 733-7810. Rodolfo Fernandez exhibit, Flamingo Library, Free, 733-7810. Cindy McCov, acrylics, Reed Whipple Gallery, Free, 386-6211.

Las Vegas Art Museum, Lorenzi Park, three shows continue. Free. 647-4300.

Art projects by handicapped youth at Lorenzi Park Adaptive Center. Free, 386-6358.

"Godspell," religious rock musical, Meadows Playhouse, buffet, 6:30 pm, performance, 8 pm. Through August 1: Tues. through Sat., 8 pm, Sat. matinee at 2:30, 739-7525.

"The Time of the Triangle," planetarium show, Clark County Community College. Every Tuesday in July at 6:30 and 8 pm. Every Wednesday in July at 12:15 pm. Free with reservations. 643-6060 ext. 457.

Las Vegas Poetry Group meeting, Flamingo Library conference room, 7 pm. Public invited, 733-7810.

08 Wednesday

Las Vegas Art Museum, Lorenzi Park, three shows continue. Free. 647-4300.

Rodolfo Fernandez exhibit, Flamingo Library. Free. 733-7810. Cindy McCoy, acrylics, Reed Whipple Gallery. Free. 386-6211. Jani Mae Herder exhibit, Flamingo Library. Free. 733-7810.

Art projects by handicapped youth at Lorenzi Park Free. 386-6358. "Sinbad and the Eye of the Tiger," adventure with special effects. Charleston Heights Library, 9:30 11:30 1:30 pm. Free. 733-7810. "Godspell," Meadows Playhouse, 8 pm. 739-7525.

Planetarium show, CC Community College, 12:15 pm. Free. 643-6060.

"The Artist ... is the point at which the growth of the mind shows itself." -- I. A. Richards

12 Sunday

Jani Mae Herder exhibit, Flamingo Library. Free. 733-7810. Cindy McCoy, acrylics, Reed Whipple Gallery, Free, 386-6211. Las Vegas Art Museum, Lorenzi Park, three shows continue. Free. 647-4300.

Rodolfo Fernandez exhibit, Flamingo Library. Free. 733-7810.

One-week elementary session of Southern Nevada Summer Music School begins. Lee Canvon. 739-3734.

Art projects by handicapped youth at Lorenzi Park Adaptive Center. Free, 386-6358.

"Grease" at Judy Bayley Theatre. 8 pm. 739-3666.

Lewis Rossove Strings, Charleston Heights Arts Center, 2 pm., admission fee. 386-6383.

"Double Dealing," original Las Vegas melodrama, Mirabelli Park, 8 pm. Free, 386-6511.

13 Monday

Rodolfo Fernandez exhibit, Flamingo Library, Free, 733-7810. Jani Mae Herder exhibit, Flamingo Library. Free. 733-7810. Cindy McCoy, acrylics, Reed Whipple Gallery, Free, 386-6211.

Las Vegas Art Museum, Lorenzi Park, three shows continue, Free, 647-4300.

Art projects by handicapped youth at Lorenzi Park Adaptive Center. Free, 386-6358.

Gem Club meeting. Open to all rock and gem collectors and the public. Reed Whipple Cultural Center, 7:30 PM, 452-8066.

Gem Club general meeting, 7:30 pm, Reed Whipple Cultural Center. 458-4554 or 384-8964.

No-host luncheon for Professional Music Teachers Chapter affiliated with Nevada Music Teachers Association. For members and quests. Macayo Vegas, West Charleston, Noon, RSVP to Betty Henderson no later than July 10. 878-2409.

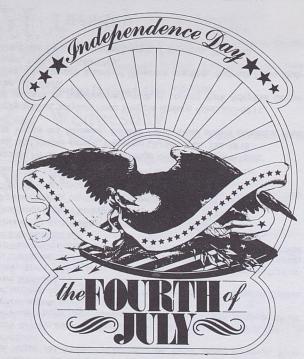
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Rodolfo Fernandez exhibit, Flamingo Library. Free. 733-7810. Jani Mae Herder exhibit, Flamingo Library. Free. 733-7810. Planetarium show, CC Community College, 6:30 and 8 pm. Free. 643-6060.

Art projects by handicapped youth at Lorenzi Park Adaptive Center. Free, 386-6358.

"Smokey and the Bandit," with Burt Reynolds and Jackie Gleason, Flamingo Library. Captioned for the deaf. 7 pm. Free. 733-7810. "Godspell," Meadows Playhouse, 8 pm. 739-7525.



PRESIDENT REAGAN ON THE ARTS

"I am naming the task force because of my deep concern for the arts in America. Cultural institutions are an essential national resource: They must be kept strong. While I believe firmly that the federal government must reduce its spending, I am nevertheless sympathetic to the very real needs of our arts organizations and hope the task force will deliver to my desk by Labor Day a plan to make better use of existing federal resources and to increase support for the arts and humanities by the private sector."

> President Ronald Reagan May 6, 1981

Sunday

One-week elementary session of Southern Nevada Summer Music School begins. Lee Canyon, 739-3734.

Jani Mae Herder exhibit, Flamingo Library. Free. 733-7810.

Cindy McCoy, acrylics, Reed Whipple Gallery. Free. 386-6211.

Art projects by handicapped youth at Lorenzi Park Adaptive Center. Free. 386-6358.

Las Vegas Art Museum Opening Reception for July shows: Main Gallery, Bicentennial Lithographs; Nevada Artists' Gallery, Kay Focht and Tom DiBella; Young People's Gallery, work by handicapped children. Music by SNSMS. 1-4 pm. Show runs through July 31. Lorenzi Park. Free. 647-4300.

Thursday

Jani Mae Herder exhibit, Flamingo Library. Free. 733-7810. Rodolfo Fernandez exhibit, Flamingo Library. Free. 733-7810. Las Vegas Art Museum, Lorenzi Park, three shows Free. 647-4300.

Cindy McCoy, acrylics, Reed Whipple Gallery. Free. 386-6211.

Art projects by handicapped youth at Lorenzi Park Adaptive Center. Free, 386-6358.

General meeting of American Association of University Women. Location TBA. 9 am. 870-7412.

"Carousel," Rogers and Hammerstein's musical, presented by Las Vegas Community Theatre and State Parks Cultural Arts Board. Spring Mt. Ranch State Park. Gates open at 6 pm., performance at 8 pm. Adults \$3. senior citizens and students \$1, children free. July 9 through 11, July 16 through 18, July 23 through 25. Free.

"Grease," rock musical, Judy Bayley Theatre, July 9 throug h 12, July 16 through 19, 8 pm. Admission: Gen., \$6, Military, Allied Arts members and graduate students, \$5., children and seniors, \$4. 739-3666.

"Godspell," Meadows Playhouse, 8 pm. 739-7525.

Orientation tour of Flamingo Library, 10 am and 7 pm. 733-7810.

Friday

Jani Mae Herder exhibit, Flamingo Library. Free. 733-7810. Las Vegas Art Museum, Lorenzi Park, three shows Free. 647-4300. Rodolfo Fernandez exhibit, Flamingo Library. Free. 733-7810. Cindy McCoy, acrylics, Reed Whipple Gallery. Free. 386-6211.

Art projects by handicapped youth at Lorenzi Park Free. 386-6358. General Meeting of Nevada Camera Club. Reed Whipple Cultural Center. 7:30 pm. 647-1179.

"Carousel" at Spring Mountain Ranch State Park. Gates open at 6 pm, performance at 8 pm. 875-4141.

"Grease" at Judy Bayley Theatre. 8 pm. 739-3666. "Godspell," Meadows Playhouse, 8 pm. 739-7525.

Saturday

Las Vegas Art Museum, Lorenzi Park, three shows continue. Free. 647-4300.

Cindy McCoy, acrylics, Reed Whipple Gallery. Free. 386-6211. Rodolfo Fernandez exhibit, Flamingo Library. Free. 733-7810.

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"Grease" at Judy Bayley Theatre. 8 pm. 739-3666.

Emmet Kelly, Jr. Circus, benefit for Young Audiences, July 11, 1:30 performance only. \$15 for family. 386-0198.

"Godspell," Meadows Playhouse, 2:30 and 8 pm. 739-7525.

"Double Dealing," an original Las Vegas melodrama by Mariah Productions, every Saturday and Sunday in July at 8 pm. in various city parks. July 11, Jaycee Park. Free. 386-6511.

15 Wednesday

Las Vegas Art Museum, Lorenzi Park, three shows continue. Free. 647-4300.

Cindy McCoy, acrylics, Reed Whipple Gallery. Free. 386-6211. Rodolfo Fernandez exhibit, Flamingo Library. Free. 733-7810.

Jani Mae Herder exhibit, Flamingo Library. Free. 733-7810.

Art projects by handicapped youth at Lorenzi Park Adaptive Center. Free. 386-6358.

"Godspell," Meadows Playhouse, 8 pm. 739-7525.

"Littlest Horse Thieves," children's film, Charleston Heights Arts Center, 11 am and 2 pm. Jaycee Park, 8:30 pm. Free. 386-6383.

Planetarium show, CC Community College, 12:15 pm. Free. 643-6060.

16 Thursday

Utah Shakespearean Festival at Southern Utah State College. Runs through August 29, 801-586-3636.

Jani Mae Herder exhibit, Flamingo Library. Free. 733-7810.

Rodolfo Fernandez exhibit, Flamingo Library. Free. 733-7810.

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Art projects by handicapped youth at Lorenzi Park Adaptive Center. Free. 386-6358.

"Grease" at Judy Bayley Theatre. 8 pm. 739-3666.

"Carousel" at Spring Mountain Ranch State Park. Gates open at 6 pm, performance at 8 pm. 875-4141.

"The Black Bird," with George Segal, West Las Vegas Librar y, 7 pm.; Sunrise Library, 2 pm, July 18; Flamingo Library, 2 pm., July 19; Las Vegas Library, 7 pm., July 20. Free. 733-7810.

Friday

Las Vegas Art Museum, Lorenzi Park, three shows continue. Free. 647-4300.

Cindy McCoy, acrylics, Reed Whipple Gallery. Free. 286-6211.

Rodolfo Fernandez exhibit, Flamingo Library. Free. 733-7810.

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Art projects by handicapped youth at Lorenzi Park Adaptive Center. Free. 386-6358.

"Grease" at Judy Bayley Theatre. 8 pm. 739-3666.

"Carousel" at Spring Mountain Ranch State Park. Gates open at 6 pm, performance at 8 pm. 875-4141.

John Adams once said, "I must study politics and war that my sons may have the liberty to study mathematics and philosophy...in order to give their children a right to study painting, poetry, and music."

18 Saturday

Rodolfo Fernandez exhibit, Flamingo Library. Free. 733-7810. Cindy McCoy, acrylics, Reed Whipple Gallery. Free. 386-6211.

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"Grease" at Judy Bayley Theatre. 8 pm. 739-3666.

"Carousel" at Spring Mountain Ranch State Park. Gates open at 6 pm, performance at 8 pm. 875-4141.

"The Black Bird," Sunrise Library, 2 pm. Free. 733-7810.

"Double Dealing," melodrama, Lorenzi Park, 8 pm. Free. 878-3945.

Southern Nevada Bluegrass Music Society Pick-out. Foxtail Canyon, Mt. Charleston, July 18 and 19, noon to dark. Members only 649-6877.

Southern Nevada Bluegrass Association Pick-out. Members and their guests only. Mt. Charleston - Lee Canyon side in Foxtail Canyon. All day. Free, 649-6877.

19 Sunday

Rodolfo Fernandez exhibit, Flamingo Library. Free. 733-7810. Jani Mae Herder exhibit, Flamingo Library. Free. 733-7810.

Las Vegas Art Museum, Lorenzi Park, three shows continue. Free. 647-4300.

Cindy McCoy, acrylics, Reed Whipple Gallery. Free. 386-6211.

Two-week junior high session of Southern Nevada Summer Music School begins. Lee Canyon 739-3734.

Art projects by handicapped youth at Lorenzi Park Adaptive Center. Free, 386-6358.

Jimmy Smith, jazz organist, with his quartet and the Jim Trimble Orchestra, in a benefit jazz concert co-sponsored by the Las Vegas Jazz Society and Family Counseling Services. 1:30 to 4:00 pm. Dunes Hotel. Admiss ion \$10. 384-0934.

"Grease" at Judy Bayley Theatre. 2 pm. 739-3666.

"The Black Bird," Flamingo Library, 2 pm. Free. 733-7810 .

"Double Dealing," melodrama, Freedom Park, 8 pm. Free. 878-3945.

20 Monday

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Cindy McCoy, acrylics, Reed Whipple Gallery. Free. 386-6211.

Art projects by handicapped youth at Lorenzi Park Adaptive Center. Free, 386-6358.

Allied Arts Council Board of Directors meeting, Spanish Oaks Clubhouse, 4:30-6 pm. 649-8725.

"The Black Bird," Las Vegas Library, 7 pm. Free. 733-7810.

21 Tuesday

Cindy McCoy, acrylics, Reed Whipple Gallery. Free. 386-6211.



"Save the People," sing the cast of **Godspell**, opening July 7 at the Meadows Playhouse. **Godspell** is a musical about the Gospel according to St. Matthew, and runs through August 1. For reservations, call the box office at 739-7525. This play is sponsored by a grant from Mervyn's.

25 Saturday

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Las Vegas Art Museum, Lorenzi Park, three shows continue. Free. 647-4300.

Rodolfo Fernandez exhibit, Flamingo Library. Free. 733-7810.

Art projects by handicapped youth at Lorenzi Park Adaptive Center. Free. 386-6358.

"Carousel" at Spring Mountain Ranch State Park. Gates open at 6 pm, performance at 8 pm. 875-4141.

"Godspell," Meadows Playhouse, 2:30 and 8 pm. 739-7525.

"Double Dealing," melodrama, Rotary Park, 8 pm. Free. 878-3945.

"Cat on a Hot Tin Roof," Las Vegas Little Theatre, 8:30 pm., 735-0167.

26 Sunday

"Nevada Nostalgia," invitational show of resident artists with especially created works depicting past into the present impressions of Nevada's uniqueness. Coordinated by Peggy Jackson. Mon.-Sat., 9-5 pm., Sun., 1-5 pm. Runs through August 21. Free. 386-6211.

"In the Heat of the Night," photographic exhibit depicting life in Las Vegas, Flamingo Library Main Gallery, through August 19. Patrons a nd interested members of the public may vote for People's Choice Award from Jul y 26 through August 14. Best of Show Award will also be given at reception Aug ust 16, 3-5. 733-7810.

30 Thursday

Jani Mae Herder exhibit, Flamingo Library. Free. 733-7810.
Rodolfo Fernandez exhibit, Flamingo Library. Free. 733-7810.
Las Vegas Art Museum, Lorenzi Park, three shows continue. Free. 647-4300.

"In the Heat of the Night," photos, Flamingo Library, 733-7810.

"Nevada Nostalgia," Reed Whipple Gallery. Free. 386-6211.

Art projects by handicapped youth at Lorenzi Park Adaptive Center. Free. 386-6358.

"Godspell," Meadows Playhouse, 8 pm. 739-7525.

"Cat on a Hot Tin Roof," Las Vegas Little Theatre, 8:30 pm., 735-0167.

"Pinocchio," Lorenzi Park, 10 am. Free. 386-6296.

31 Friday

"In the Heat of the Night," photos, Flamingo Library, 733- 7810. Las Vegas Art Museum, Lorenzi Park, three shows continue. Free. 647-4300.

"Nevada Nostalgia," Reed Whipple Gallery. Free. 386-6211.
Rodolfo Fernandez exhibit, Flamingo Library. Free. 733-7810.
Jani Mae Herder exhibit, Flamingo Library. Free. 733-7810.
Art projects by handicapped youth at Lorenzi Park Adaptive Center.
Free. 386-6358.

"Godspell," Meadows Playhouse, 8 pm. 739-7525.

"Cat on a Hot Tin Roof," Las Vegas Little Theatre, 8:30 pm., 735-0167.

"Pinocchio." Lions Park. 10 am. Free. 386-6296.

August

01 Saturday

"In the Heat of the Night," photos, Flamingo Library, 733-7810.

"Nevada Nostalgia," Reed Whipple Gallery. Free. 386-6211.

Rodolfo Fernandez exhibit, Flamingo Library. Free. 733-7810.

Jani Mae Herder exhibit, Flamingo Library. Free. 733-7810.

Oll paintings by Darlene Beard, Henderson Library. Through August 31.

Free. 565-9247.

"Cat on a Hot Tin Roof," Las Vegas Little Theatre, 8:30 pm., 735-0167.

02 Sunday

Two-week senior high session of Southern Nevada Music School begins. Lee Canyon. 739-3734.

Rodolfo Fernandez exhibit, Flamingo Library. Free. 733-7810.

Jani Mae Herder exhibit, Flamingo Library. Free. 733-7810.

"In the Heat of the Night," photos, Flamingo Library, 733-7810.

"Nevada Nostalgia," Reed Whipple Gallery. Free. 386-6211.

Las Vegas Art Museum, Opening Reception, August shows: Main Gallery, show by incoming and outgoing boards of directors; Nevada Artists 'Gallery, Watercolors by Randolph Wilson; Young People's Gallery, Prints from the Suitcase Gallery, Reception from 1-4 pm. Show runs

Las Vegas Art Museum, Lorenzi Park, the shows continue. Free. 647-4300.

Rodolfo Fernandez exhibit, Flamingo Library. Free. 733-7810.

Jani Mae Herder exhibit, Flamingo Library. Free. 733-7810.

Art projects by handicapped youth at Lorenzi Park Adaptive Center. Free, 386-6358.

Planetarium show, CC Community College, 6:30 and 8 pm. Free. 643-6060.

"Godspell." Meadows Playhouse, 8 pm. 739-7525.

22 Wednesday

Las Vegas Art Museum, Lorenzi Park, three shows continue. Free. 647-4300.

Rodolfo Fernandez exhibit, Flamingo Library. Free. 733-7810. Jani Mae Herder exhibit, Flamingo Library. Free. 733-7810.

Cindy McCoy, acrylics, Reed Whipple Gallery. Free. 386-6211.

Art projects by handicapped youth at Lorenzi Park Adaptive Center. Free. 386-6358.

"Godspell." Meadows Playhouse, 8 pm. 739-7525.

"Jeremiah Johnson," Charleston Heights Arts Center, 11 am. and 2 pm., Jaycee Park. 8:30 pm. Free. 386-6383.

Planetarium show, CC Community College, 12:15 pm. Free. 643-6060.

23 Thursday

Jani Mae Herder exhibit, Flamingo Library. Free. 733-7810.
Rodolfo Fernandez exhibit, Flamingo Library. Free. 733-7810.

Las Vegas Art Museum, Lorenzi Park, three shows continue. Free. 647-4300.

Cindy McCoy, acrylics, Reed Whipple Gallery. Free. 386-6211.

Art projects by handicapped youth at Lorenzi Park Adaptive Center. Free, 386-6358.

"Carousel" at Spring Mountain Ranch State Park. Gates open at 6 pm, performance at 8 pm. 875-4141.

"Godspell," Meadows Playhouse, 8 pm. 739-7525.

"Cat on a Hot Tin Roof," Tennessee Williams' classic, Las Vegas Little Theatre, Thursdays through Saturdays at 8:30 pm, July 23 through August 22, with matinees at 3:00 July 26 and August 16. For reservations, call 735-0167.

24 Friday

Rodolfo Fernandez exhibit, Flamingo Library. Free. 733-7810.
Jani Mae Herder exhibit, Flamingo Library. Free. 733-7810.
Las Vegas Art Museum, Lorenzi Park, three shows continue. Free. 647-4300.

Cindy McCoy, acrylics, Reed Whipple Gallery. Free. 386-6211.

Art projects by handicapped youth at Lorenzi Park Adaptive Center. Free, 386-6358.

General meeting of Nevada Camera Club. Reed Whipple Cultural Center. 7:30 pm. 647-1179.

"Carousel" at Spring Mountain Ranch State Park. Gates open at 6 pm, performance at 8 pm. 875-4141.

"Gcdspell," Meadows Playhouse, 8 pm. 739-7525.

"Cat on a Hot Tin Roof," Las Vegas Little Theatre, 8:30, 735-0167.

Las Vegas Art Museum, Lorenzi Park, three shows continue. Pres. 647–4300.

Rodolfo Fernandez exhibit, Flamingo Library. Free. 733–7810.

Jani Mae Herder exhibit, Flamingo Library. Free. 733-7810.

Art projects by handicapped youth at Lorenzi Park Adaptive Center.

Art projects by handicapped youth at Lorenzi Park Adaptive Center Free. 386-6358.

"Cat on a Hot Tin Roof," Las Vegas Little Theatre, 3:00 pm., 735-0167. "Double Dealing." melodrama, Lorenzi Park, 8 pm. Free. 386-6383.

27 Monday

Las Vegas Art Museum, Lorenzi Park, three shows continue. Free. 647-4300.

"Nevada Nostalgia," Reed Whipple Gallery. Free. 386-6211.

"In the Heat of the Night," photos, Flamingo Library, 733-7810.

Jani Mae Herder exhibit. Flamingo Library, Free, 733-7810.

Rodolfo Fernandez exhibit, Flamingo Library. Free. 733-7810.

Art projects by handicapped youth at Lorenzi Park Adaptive Center. Free. 386-6358.

"Pinocchio," Rainbow Company Children's Theatre at summer playgrounds: 7/27, Warren playground; 7/28, Carson playground; 7/29, John S. Pa rk playground; 7/30, Lorenzi Park; 7/31, Lions Park. 10 am. Free. 386-6296.

28 Tuesday

Special preview showing of "Jubilee," MGM Grand's fabulous new show, a benefit for the Allied Arts Council. Tickets, \$75. 649-8725.
Rodolfo Fernandez exhibit, Flamingo Library. Free. 733-7810.
Jani Mae Herder exhibit, Flamingo Library. Free. 733-7810.
Las Vegas Art Museum, Lorenzi Park, three shows continue. Free. 647-4300.

"In the Heat of the Night," photos, Flamingo Library, 733-7810.
"Nevada Nostalgia," Reed Whipple Gallery. Free. 386-6211.

Art projects by handicapped youth at Lorenzi Park Adaptive Center. Free, 386-6358.

Planetarium show, CC Community College, 6:30 and 8 pm. Free. 643-6060.

"Godspell," Meadows Playhouse, 8 pm. 739-7525.
"Pinocchio," Carson playground, 10 am. Free. 386-6296.

29 Wednesday

"In the Heat of the Night," photos, Flamingo Library, 733-7810. Las Vegas Art Museum, Lorenzi Park, three shows continue. Free. 647-4300.

"Nevada Nostalgia," Reed Whipple Gallery. Free. 386-6211.
Rodolfo Fernandez exhibit, Flamingo Library. Free. 733-7810.
Jani Mae Herder exhibit, Flamingo Library. Free. 733-7810.
Art projects by handicapped youth at Lorenzi Park Adaptive Center.
Free. 386-6358.

"Godspell," Meadows Playhouse, 8 pm. 739-7525.

"Pinocchio," John S. Park playground, 10 am. Free. 386-6296.

"An Arabian Adventure," film, Charleston Heights Arts Center, 11 am. and 2 pm., Jaycee Park, 8:30 pm. Free. 386-6383.

through August 31. Lorenzi Park. Free. 647-4300.

Nevada String Quartet; premiere concert of the 6th season, Flamingo Library, 2 pm. Free. 733-7810.

03 Monday

"Wizard of Oz, An Homage to Frank L. Baum," 14th annual papier mache exhibit by children and staff of 1981 Summer Playground Program, Meadows Mall. Through August 12. Free. 386-6296.

Las Vegas Art Museum, Lorenzi Park, August shows continue. Free. 647-4300.

"Nevada Nostalgia," Reed Whipple Gallery. Free. 386-6211.
"In the Heat of the Night," photos, Flamingo Library, 733-7810.
Rodolfo Fernandez exhibit, Flamingo Library. Free. 733-7810.
Jani Mae Herder exhibit, Flamingo Library. Free. 733-7810.

04 Tuesday

Jani Mae Herder exhibit, Flamingo Library. Free. 733-7810.
Rodolfo Fernandez exhibit, Flamingo Library. Free. 733-7810.
Papier mache exhibit, Meadows Mall. Free. 386-6296.
"In the Heat of the Night," photos, Flamingo Library, 733-7810.
Las Vegas Art Museum, Lorenzi Park, August shows Free. 647-4300.
"Nevada Nostalgia," Reed Whipple Gallery. Free. 386-6211.
Las Vegas Poetry Group meeting. Public invited. Flamingo Library, 7 pm. 733-7810.

05 Wednesday

"In the Heat of the Night," photos, Flamingo Library, 733- 7810.
"Nevada Nostalgia," Reed Whipple Gallery. Free. 386-6211.
Las Vegas Art Museum, Lorenzi Park, August shows Free. 647-4300.
"The Man in the Iron Mask," film, Jaycee Park, 8:30 pm. Free. 386-6296.

Papier mache exhibit, Meadows Mall. Free. 386-6296. Jani Mae Herder exhibit, Flamingo Library. Free. 733-7810. Rodolfo Fernandez exhibit, Flamingo Library. Free. 733-7810.

06 Thursday

Jani Mae Herder exhibit, Flamingo Library. Free. 733-7810.
Rodolfo Fernandez exhibit, Flamingo Library. Free. 733-7810.
"In the Heat of the Night," photos, Flamingo Library, 733- 7810.
Papier mache exhibit, Meadows Mall. Free. 386-6296.
Las Vegas Art Museum, Lorenzi Park, August shows Free. 647-4300.

"Nevada Nostalgia," Reed Whipple Gallery. Free. 386-6211.
"Cat on a Hot Tin Roof," Las Vegas Little Theatre, 8:30 pm., 735-0167.

"Movement implies a mover. In the evolution of painting, what is it that moves?"

-- Ortega y Gasset

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AUGUST 15, 8 - 11 PM ARTS FESTIVAL MEADOWS MALL

07 Friday

Papier mache exhibit, Meadows Mall. Free. 386-6296.
"Nevada Nostalgia," Reed Whipple Gallery. Free. 386-6211.
Las Vegas Art Museum, Lorenzi Park, August shows continue. Free. 647-4300.

"In the Heat of the Night," photos, Flamingo Library, 733-7810.
Rodolfo Fernandez exhibit, Flamingo Library. Free. 733-7810.
Jani Mae Herder exhibit, Flamingo Library. Free. 733-7810.
"Cat on a Hot Tin Roof," Las Vegas Little Theatre, 8:30 pm., 735-0167.

08 Saturday

Rodolfo Fernandez exhibit, Flamingo Library. Free. 733-7810.
Jani Mae Herder exhibit, Flamingo Library. Free. 733-7810.
"In the Heat of the Night," photos, Flamingo Library, 733-7810.
Las Vegas Art Museum, Lorenzi Park, August shows continue. Free 647-4300.

"Nevada Nostalgia," Reed Whipple Gallery. Free. 386-6211.
Papier mache exhibit, Meadows Mall. Free. 386-6296.
Gem Club bus trip to the California Federation of Mineralogical Societies Show; bus leaving at 5 am., August 8. \$22. 458-4554 or 384-8964.
"Cat on a Hot Tin Roof," Las Vegas Little Theatre. 8:30 pm., 735-0167.

09 Sunday

Jani Mae Herder exhibit, Flamingo Library. Free. 733-7810.
Rodolfo Fernandez exhibit, Flamingo Library. Free. 733-7810.
Papier mache exhibit, Meadows Mall. Free. 386-6296.
"In the Heat of the Night," photos, Flamingo Library, 733- 7810.
Las Vegas Art Museum, Lorenzi Park, August shows continue. Free. 647-4300.

"Nevada Nostalgia," Reed Whipple Gallery. Free. 386-6211. Festival Chamber Players concert, Flamingo Library, 2 pm. 733-7810.

10 Monday

Jani Mae Herder exhibit, Flamingo Library. Free. 733-7810.
Rodolfo Fernandez exhibit, Flamingo Library. Free. 733-7810.
Papier mache exhibit, Meadows Mall. Free. 386-6296.
Las Vegas Art Museum, Lorenzi Park, August shows continue. Free.

"Nevada Nostalgia," Reed Whipple Gallery. Free. 386-6211.
"In the Heat of the Night," photos, Flamingo Library, 733- 7810.
Gem Club meeting. Reed Whipple Cultural Center. 7:30 pm. Open to all rock and gem collectors and the public. 452-8066.

14 Friday

"In the Heat of the Night," photographic exhibit, Flamingo Library. Last day to vote for People's Choice Award. 733-7810.

"Nevada Nostalgia," Reed Whipple Gallery. Free. 386-6211.

Las Vegas Art Museum, Lorenzi Park, August shows continue. Free. 647-4300.

Jani Mae Herder exhibit, Flamingo Library. Free. 733-7810. Rodolfo Fernandez exhibit, Flamingo library. Free. 733-7810.

General meeting of Nevada Camera Club. Reed Whipple Cultural Center. 7:30 pm. 647-1179.

Super Summer Dance Program. Spring Mountain Ranch State Park. Gates open at 6 pm, dance starts at 8 pm. Adults \$3, senior citizens and students \$1, children free. 875-4141.

"Cat on a Hot Tin Roof," Las Vegas Little Theatre, 8:30 pm., 735-0167.

15 Saturday

Jani Mae Herder exhibit, Flamingo Library. Free. 733-7810.
"Nevada Nostalgia," Reed Whipple Gallery. Free. 386-6211.
Las Vegas Art Museum, Lorenzi Park, August shows continue. Free. 647-4300.

"In the Heat of the Night," photos, Flamingo Library, 733-7810.

Super Summer Dance Program. Spring Mountain Ranch State Park. Gates open at 6 pm, dance starts at 8 pm. 875-4141.

"Some Like It Hot," Sunrise Library, 2 pm. Free. 733-7810.

"Cat on a Hot Tin Roof," Las Vegas Little Theatre, 8:30 pm., 735-0167.

Allied Arts Festival, featuring visual art, dance, music, theater, special presentations; Meadows Mall, 8-11pm. \$10. 649-8725.

Southern Nevada Bluegrass Association Pick-out. Floyd Lamb State Park. Noon until dark. \$2 per car. 649-6877.

16 Sunday

Jani Mae Herder exhibit, Flamingo Library. Free. 733-7810.
"In the Heat of the Night," photographic exhibit, Flamingo Library. Reception and awards presentation, 3-5 pm., Main Gallery. 733-7810.
"Nevada Nostalgia," Reed Whipple Gallery. Free. 386-6211
Las Vegas Art Museum, Lorenzi Park, August shows continue. Free. 647-4300.

"Cat on a Hot Tin Roof," Las Vegas Little Theatre, 3:00 pm., 735-0167.
"Some Like It Hot," Flamingo Library, 2 pm. Free. 733-7810.
"Godspell," Meadows Playhouse. 8 pm. 739-7525.

22 Saturday

Tom Holder's prize-winning capitol mural, Flamingo Library . 733-7810. Las Vegas Art Museum, Lorenzi Park, August shows continue. Free. 647-4300.

Jani Mae Herder exhibit, Flamingo Library. Free. 733-7810.

Super Summer Music Evenings. Spring Mountain Ranch State Park. Gates open at 6 pm, performance starts at 8 pm. 875-4141.

"Cat on a Hot Tin Roof," Las Vegas Little Theatre, 8:30 pm., 735-0167.

23 Sunday

"From the Reed Whipple Cultural Center," student exhibit, silk screen, weaving, calligraphy, pottery, watercolor and oils, Reed Whipple Gallery. Runs through September 18. Free. 386-6211.

Pottery, Greg and Kim Kennedy, Charleston Heights Arts Center. Through September 18. 386-6383.

Tom Holder's prize-winning Capitol mural, Flamingo Library . 733-7810. Las Vegas Art Museum, Lorenzi Park, August shows continue. Free. 647-4300.

Jani Mae Herder exhibit, Flamingo Library. Free. 733-7810.

24 Monday

Jani Mae Herder exhibit, Flamingo Library. Free. 733-7810.

Las Vegas Art Museum, Lorenzi Park, August shows continue. Free. 647-4300.

Student exhibit, Reed Whipple Gallery. Free. 386-6211.

Tom Holder's prize-winning Capitol mural, Flamingo Library . 733-7810. Pottery, Kim and Greg Kennedy, Charleston Heights Arts Center. 386-6383.

Monthly meeting of Clark County Southern Nevada Museum Guild. Location and time TBA, 871-0639

25 Tuesday

Jani Mae Herder exhibit, Flamingo Library. Free. 733-7810. Student exhibit, Reed Whipple Gallery. Free. 386-6211.

Las Vegas Art Museum, Lorenzi Park, August shows continue. Free. 647-4300.

Pottery, Greg and Kim Kennedy, Charleston Heights Arts Center. 386-6383.

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647-4300.

11 Tuesday

Papier mache exhibit, Meadows Mall. Free. 386-6296.
Jani Mae Herder exhibit, Flamingo Library. Free. 733-7810.
Rodolfo Fernandez exhibit, Flamingo Library. Free. 733-7810.
Las Vegas Art Museum, Lorenzi Park, August shows continue. Free. 647-4300.

"Nevada Nostalgia," Reed Whipple Gallery. Free 386-6211.
"In the Heat of the Night," photos, Flamingo Library, 733-7810.
"Diamonds are Forever," with Sean Connery. Captioned for the deaf. Flamingo Library, 7 pm. Free. 733-7810.

12 Wednesday

"Nevada Nostalgia," Reed Whipple Ğallery. Free. 386-6211. Las Vegas Art Museum, Lorenzi Park, August shows continue. Free. 647-4300.

"In the Heat of the Night," photos, Flamingo Library, 733- 7810.

Papier mache exhibit, Meadows Mall. Free. 386-6296.

Jani Mae Herder exhibit, Flamingo Library. Free. 733-7810.

Rodolfo Fernandez exhibit, Flamingo Library. Free. 733-7810.

13 Thursday

Rodolfo Fernandez exhibit, Flamingo Library. Free. 733-7810.
Jani Mae Herder exhibit, Flamingo Library. Free. 733-7810.
Las Vegas Art Museum, Lorenzi Park, August shows continue. Free. 647-4300.

"Nevada Nostalgia," Reed Whipple Gallery. Free. 386-6211.
"In the Heat of the Night," photos, Flamingo Library, 733- 7810.
General Meeting of American Association of University Women. Location TBA. 870-7412.

"Some Like It Hot," with Jack Lemmon, Tony Curtis, and Mar ilyn Monroe, West Las Vegas Library, 7 pm.; Sunrise Library, 2 pm., August 15; Flamingo Library, 2 pm, August 16; Las Vegas Library, 7 pm, August 17. Free. 733-7810.

"Cat on a Hot Tin Roof," Las Vegas Little Theatre, 8:30 pm., 735-0167.

LAS VEGAS COMMUNITY THEATRE ANNOUNCES SEASON

The Las Vegas Community Theatre has released its schedule for the 81-82 season, which begins September 17 with the opening of 'Hello, Dolly." 'Dolly" will run for three weekends and be followed by 'No, No, Nanette." The third production will be an as yet unannounced non-musical. The fourth will be 'The Front Page." The season's closer will be 'Showboat." All shows will be presented at Reed Whipple Cultural Center. For information call 382-7225.

17 Monday

"In the Heat of the Night," photos, Flamingo Library, 733- 7810. Las Vegas Art Museum, Lorenzi Park, August shows continue. Free. 647-4300.

"Nevada Nostalgia," Reed Whipple Gallery. Free. 386-6211. Jani Mae Herder exhibit, Flamingo Library. Free. 733-7810. "Some Like It Hot," Las Vegas Library, 7 pm. Free. 733-7810. "Godspell," Meadows Playhouse, 8 pm. 739-7525.

18 Tuesday

"In the Heat of the Night," photos, Flamingo Library, 733- 7810.
"Nevada Nostalgia," Reed Whipple Gallery. Free. 386-6211.
Las Vegas Art Museum, Lorenzi Park, August shows continue. Free. 647-4300.

Jani Mae Herder exhibit, Flamingo Library. Free. 733-7810. "Godspell," Meadows Playhouse, 2:30 and 8 pm. 739-7525. Orientation tour of Flamingo Library, 10 am and 7 pm. Free. 733-7810.

19 Wednesday

Jani Mae Herder exhibit, Flamingo Library. Free. 733-7810.
"Nevada Nostalgia," Reed Whipple Gallery. Free. 386-6211.
Las Vegas Art Museum, Lorenzi Park, August shows continue. Free. 647-4300.

"In the Heat of the Night," photos, Flamingo Library. Las t day. 733-7810.

20 Thursday

Tom Holder's prize-winning capitol mural, Flamingo Library , on display August 20-24. 733-7810.

Jani Mae Herder exhibit, Flamingo Library. Free. 733-7810.
"Nevada Nostalgia," Reed Whipple Gallery. Free. 386-6211.
Las Vegas Art Museum, Lorenzi Park, August shows continue. Free. 647-4300.

"Cat on a Hot Tin Roof," Las Vegas Little Theatre, 8:30 pm., 735-0167.

21 Friday

Jani Mae Herder exhibit, Flamingo Library. Free. 733-7810.

Tom Holder's prize-winning capitol mural, Flamingo Library 733-7810.

"Nevada Nostalgia," Reed Whipple Gallery. Free. 386-6211.

Las Vegas Art Museum, Lorenzi Park, August shows continue. Free. 647-4300.

Super Summer Music Evenings. Spring Mountain Ranch State Park. August 21 and 22. Gates open at 6 pm., performance starts at 8 pm. Adults \$3, Senior citizens and students \$1, children free. 875-4141.

"Cat on a Hot Tin Roof," Las Vegas Little Theatre, 8:30 pm., 735-0167.

26 Wednesday

Student exhibit, Reed Whipple Gallery. Free. 386-6211.
Pottery, Kim and Greg Kennedy, Charleston Heights Arts Center. 386-6383.

Jani Mae Herder exhibit, Flamingo Library. Free. 733-7810. Las Vegas Art Museum, Lorenzi Park, August shows continue. Free. 647-4300.

27 Thursday

Pottery, Greg and Kim Kennedy, Charleston Heights Arts Center. 386-6383.

Las Vegas Art Museum, Lorenzi Park, August shows continue. Free. 647-4300.

Student exhibit, Reed Whipple Gallery. Free. 386-6211.

Jani Mae Herder exhibit, Flamingo Library. Free. 733-7810.

28 Friday

Student exhibit, Reed Whipple Gallery. Free. 386-6211.

Jani Mae Herder exhibit, Flamingo Library. Free. 733-7810.

Las Vegas Art Museum, Lorenzi Park, August shows continue. Free. 647-4300.

Pottery, Kim and Greg Kennedy, Charleston Heights Arts Center. 386-6383.

General meeting of Nevada Camera Club. Reed Whipple Cultural Center. 7:30 pm. 647-1179.

29 Saturday

Pottery, Greg and Kim Kennedy, Charleston Heights Arts Center. 386-6383.

Las Vegas Art Museum, Lorenzi Park, August shows continue. Free. 647-4300.

Jani Mae Herder exhibit, Flamingo Library. Free. 733-7810. Student exhibit, Reed Whipple Gallery. Free. 386-6211.

30 Sunday

Pottery, Kim and Greg Kennedy, Charleston Heights Arts Center. 386-6383.

Las Vegas Art Museum, Lorenzi Park, August shows continue. Free. 647-4300.

Jani Mae Herder exhibit, Flamingo Library. Free. 733-7810.

Student exhibit, Reed Whipple Gallery. Free. 386-6211.

Mike McCollum, sculptures and drawings; gallery opening an d reception, Flamingo Library, 3-5 pm. 733-7810.

31 Monday

Student exhibit, Reed Whipple Gallery. Free. 386-6211.

Jani Mae Herder exhibit, Flamingo Library. Free. 733-7810.

Las Vegas Art Museum, Lorenzi Park, August shows continue. Free. 647-4300.

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CULTURAL FOCUS EXPANDS TOUR PROGRAM

Cultural Focus is pleased to announce a new tour service available to Allied Arts Council member organizations and businesses. Director Liz Warren will work with groups in providing custom tours. Garden clubs may wish to tour local gardens, using a bus for convenience and maximizing services of your tour guide. Or perhaps a group would like to take a trip to a remote area of Nevada, California, or Arizona, Cultural Focus will be happy to offer its services. The group designs the tour and provides the guide---and Cultural Focus will take care of the bus chores and other accompanying headaches.

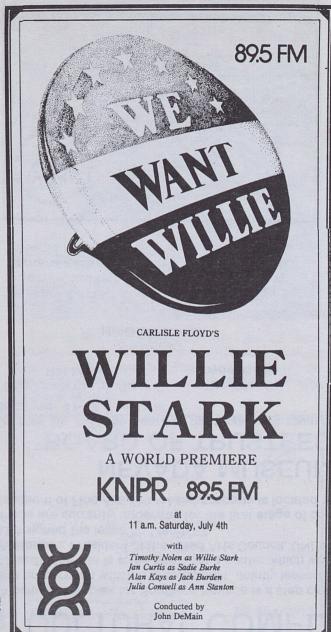
The office is located at 749 Veterans Memorial Drive, in the City of Las Vegas building on the street behind the Reed Whipple Center. Phone 382-7198 to find out how Cultural Focus can work for you.

LAS VEGAS FORT OPENED & CLOSED

MAY 15th was indeed a bittersweet day for the Las Vegas Fort, birthplace of the City of Las Vegas. The Fort, built in 1855, recently restored to its 1929 era condition, at a cost of \$250,000, was feted at a grand re-opening celebration, including a ribbon-cutting ceremony with Mayor Bill Briare officiating. Within an hour of the opening, the historic structure was again closed to the public due to unresolved issues in the lease agreement with the City of Las Vegas, which has owned the Fort since 1971.

The Preservation Association of Clark County was founded in 1973, for the specific purpose of preserving this valuable historic structure for the Las Vegas resident and tourist. Since 1976, the Preservation Association, in cooperation with the Daughters of the Utah Pioneers and the City of Las Vegas, has operated the Fort as a public museum and primary focal point for the professional interpretation of Las Vegas history. Public operation of the Fort has been made possible through private donations, sales, and funding from the City. With cutbacks in federal funding being felt at all levels of government, continuation of that major support by the City seems unlikely. At present, the funding issue is the major stumbling block to the renewal of the lease agreement with the City, which allows for the operation of this significant historic structure for public use.

Meanwhile, the Fort remains closed, and tours, including those of school-aged children, are being turned away daily. Unfortunate as the situation is, neitherthe Preservation Association, nor the Daughters of Utah Pioneers, as private, non-profit organizations, can alone assume the financial responsibility for the continued public operation of the birthplace of the City of Las Vegas.



GREEK CLASSIC ON KNPR

The ancient Greek story of Agamemnon and the Trojan War takes on new life when Earplay presents "Argive Soliloquies" by award-winning playwright John Reeves on KNPR 89.5 FM. The first segment of the drama series is scheduled for July 12th at midnight.

The plot, which focuses on the origin of the Trojan War, the war itself and its aftermath, remains relatively unchanged from the original sources. In the Earplay production however, the characters are no longer mere playthings, driven solely by the whims and fancies of the gods. "The psychology of the characters has been reconceived in modern day terms," says writer John Reeves, "and the motivation of the plot stems from these characters as newly conceived. This makes them, and their actions, quite easily recognized and understood in modern day terms by today's listeners."

The series relates the story of the power-hungry King of Mycenae, Agamemnon, played by Henry Ramer, and his insatiable appetite for total control in the Aegean--something he cannot have unless he conquers Troy. Agamemnon's wife Clytemnestra, played by Ruth Springford, and their children Electra and Orestes, also become entwined in the struggle for power.

Through the drama's many-faceted characters who plot, agonize, speak and behave in all-too-human patterns, the familiar tale of ancient Greek lore appears new and relevant to contemporary man.

"Argive Soliliquies" airs Sunday evenings at 12 midnight on KNPR 89.5 FM.





CULTURAL COMPLEX LEASE SIGNED

A cultural complex for Southern Nevada is a step closer to reality with the signing of a 75 year lease for the property on which it is to be built. Jointly leased by the Allied Arts Council, UNLV, and the State of Nevada, the site is to be home for a center which will showcase all of the arts.

Al Hansen, President of the Allied Arts Council, UNLV Chancellor Robert M. Bersi, and Governor Robert List signed the lease on March 24.

Plans are currently underway for the first stage of construction, which will be developed as the Nevada Museum of Fine Art. The leased property is located at Tropicana and Swenson.

NEVADA MUSEUM OF FINE ARTS BOARD OF TRUSTEES ELECTS OFFICERS

On May 28, 1981 the Board of the Nevada Museum of Fine Arts Board of Trustees elected officers for fiscal year 81-82. They are:

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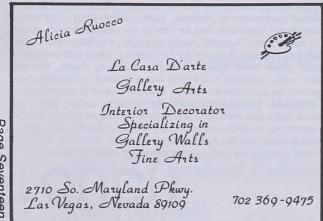
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ART-A-AFFAIR CREDIT

In the May issue of Arts Alive we failed to make clear that Art-A-Fair is co-sponsored by Clark County Library and Allied Arts in cooperation with the Charleston Heights Arts Center, the City of Las Vegas, Department of Recreation and Leisure Activities facility. Special thanks to Patricia Harris of CHAC for her help in exhibiting a number of the works at that gallery; and to Joan Adams and Helene Follmer, Allied Arts Board members, who provided refreshments for the reception.



Thanks to the Union Plaza for the June 22 Duke Ellington Benefit, and to Charlene Scott for making it such a stylish success. Page Cavanaugh will be heard playing Ellington soon on KCEP 88.1. Photo by Frank Maggio.





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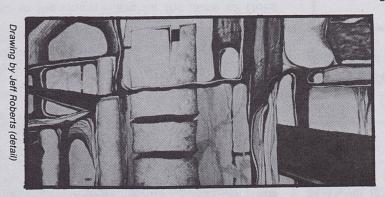
Touch, a unique show at Charleston Heights Art Gallery, presented the works of eight local artists: Charleen Gagliardi, Johanna Hawley, Caryl Hepker, Maxine Mansor, Brenda Burch, Peg Bolen, Sybil Griffin, and Minnie Dobbins. The show was open to the public from May 30 to June 26, 1981.

Although each artist uses a personal technique and style, a certain commonality of media is apparent. Most artists incorporated found objects into their work. They have used the discards and utilitarian bits of everyday reality to show us the world we have always around us but rarely perceive. Mrs. Gagliardi's glass ampules strung in a wooden frame, make an apparent social comment with the title "Kinky Resolution." Peanut shells, aged wood, palm tree bark, and a rusted grid are combined and titled "Pathfinder" by Johanna Hawley. Peg Bolen, with cheese cloth, a broken egg carton and string in a "White on White" painting, casts a kind of pristine beauty on mundane objects. Minnie Dobbins pokes fun at our Las Vegas souvenir paraphernalia with her construction piece "Las Vegas Zoo." Sybil Griffin's work "Notions" is a simulated grocery store notionsstand, which includes a small photograph of herself as well as objects of everyday life. Maxine Mansor used rods and strings in a wooden frame to create "Tactile Grid."

Brenda Burch's and Caryl Hepker's works were an exception. They used new materials and created "Angled White" and "Flower Bed" without adding discarded objects to it.

The show was a new experience for the viewer. It is not often that we can recognize our own discards in an esthetic context.

Regina Holboke



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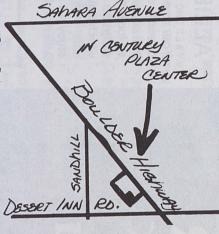
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