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March Happenings

- Sat 3rd -- "The Sting" will be shown at All Seasons Clubhouse, 290 N. Redwood Rd., SLC at 6:30 pm.
- Sun 4th -- The UAD Board of Directors will meet at UBE Building, 250 E. 5th S., SLC at 2:30 pm.
- Tue 13th -- The Governor's Advisory Council will hold an open meeting at the UBE Building in SLC, beginning 6:30 pm. All groups are invited to present their concerns at this meeting; contact chairman Ned Wheeler or secretary Dr. LeRue Winget for placement on the agenda.
- Thu 15th -- GSACD will have a meeting and social at the USD Multi-purpose Room in Ogden, beginning 7:00 pm.
- Thu-Fri, 15th-16th -- The Utah Board of Education will meet at the Utah Schools for the Deaf and the Blind in Ogden this month.
- Fri 16th -- Ogden LDS Branch will have a rump roast dinner starting at 6:00 pm, at 740 21st St. The dinner is \$3.00 per adult. "Junior Bonner" will be shown afterwards.
- Sat 17th -- Valley LDS Ward event; see flyer.
- Sat 24th -- UACD Bowling Tournament; see flyer.
- Thu 29th -- Utah Sportsmen's Club movie; contact Jerry Roach.
- Sat 31st -- "Pot o' Green" is the theme of the St. Mary Magdelene Club for the Deaf event. Admission for all is \$3.00 per person. Beginning at 7:00 pm at the Utah School for the Deaf in Ogden, "The Price is Not Wrong" and "Cingo" are the featured games, with prizes to be won. Babysitting is available.

Note: Dates which differ from the UO Calendar are due to changes made by organizations with the consent of the UO chairman.

UAD Convention

The biennial convention of the Utah Association for the Deaf will be held June 21-23, 1979. The board has appointed Jerry Westberg and Norman Williams to be co-chairmen of this convention. The two are investigating convention sites and will make their presentation to the board meeting on March 4. Further information will be found in upcoming issues of the Spotlight.

UAD Amateur Night

Organizations are invited to present a skit during the annual Amateur Night on April 28. Fay Young, the chairman, is making the preparations and will announce the location very soon.

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Hospital Rounds

October 27 -- Alfred Goetz had minor surgery on his feet at the Tooele Clinic and is fine now.

January -- Robert Worsley had surgery to remove tiny tumors on his hands. He is back to work on the night shift.

January -- Teresa Imhoff was hospitalized with hepatitis at the Holy Cross Hospital in SLC and is now resting at home.

January 30 -- Paul Gines was admitted to Holy Cross Hospital with a severe case of anemia. He was treated with blood transfusions.

February -- Lee Kidman was transferred from Logan LDS Hospital to the U of Utah Medical Center for further medical attention.

Rattles 'n' Powder

December 16 -- Dana Gregory, son of Dwight & Alana Hill of Orem. Fred & Marjorie Monson, SLC, are grandparents for the fourth time.

December 20 -- Janet Michelle, daughter of Michael & Debbie King of Montana. Roy & Betty Tuggle of Pryor, Mt. are grandparents.

January 29 -- Kori Sue, daughter of Suzie Bishop of SLC.

February 2 -- Melody, daughter of Keith & Dixie Lauritzen of SLC. Their first-born, three months premature, weighed in at 2 lbs. 8 oz. and measured 15 inches.

February 7 -- Richard Wayne, Jr., son of Richard & Carol Kunkel of SLC.

Wedding Bells

February 1 -- Karen Carruth to Roy Bunnell in the Ogden LDS Temple. Roy was a former USD housefather and an interpreter at the Ogden Branch.

February 17 -- Cindy Ragsdale to Ricky Freston, in church rites held at Chowchilla, Ca. Grandmother Lillian Freston of Ogden was among the Freston relatives in attendance at the wedding. Ricky is a son of Cy Freston, Jr. and Carol Ortega.

Obituaries

February 15 -- Robert Gallegos of Ogden, died of injuries. He was a half brother of Abel Martinez, Rochester, N.Y.

Mission Callings

John, Ed & Alice Bell's eldest son, was released from Marine service in November to fulfill his LDS calling in Minnesota...Michael McDonald returned from Japan on December 21, and his younger brother Brian left on the 26th for the same country; both McDonald boys are grandsons of Elsie Hertell.

Visitors to Our Segoe Lily State

Ned & Edith Wheeler had their daughter and son in law, Nedra & Jim Hardy, plus their four oldest and the baby, as houseguests for a week while the Hardys skied at Park City and Powder Mountain ...Charles Moore of Boulder, Co. and Jeff Rudd of Rock Springs, Wy. were in town recently, visiting friends and relatives.

Here 'n' There

To mark their 7th wedding anniversary, Albert & Ethel Bray invited a dozen of their close relatives to dine at the Teogra Restaurant in SLC...Alfred Goetz visited his cousins in Sacramento, Ca. for Christmas...Diane Millspaw is thrilled to have her sister's family, the William Griffins, move to the Ogden area from San Jose, Ca., and her brother and sister in law, Bruce & Laura Millspaw from Hawaii also moved to the Ogden area.

TTY Jottings

Add these new numbers to your TTY directory:

Craig & Nancy Opheikens	503-658-4128	Boring, Or.
Jackie & Teresa Imhoff	322-0642	SLC

If you need advice on federal income tax returns, the answer is as close as your TTY. IRS has a toll-free TTY number, 1-800-428-4732 which Utahns can call between 6:30 am and 4:45 pm. This service is located in Indianapolis, In.

Paper rolls and ribbons bought for use on TTYS are tax-deductible as a medical expense. Paper rolls sell for \$3.00 and ribbons for \$1.00, and are available from the TTY Repair Shop in SLC or from Val Platt in Ogden.

The new Utah TTY Directory at the time of writing was about to be printed, and barring unforeseen problems, should be ready on or about March 10.

Television Programs

More and more TV programs are being televised with captions or interpreting in sign language. PBS (Channel 7 in Utah) carries most of these. In addition to the ABC captioned news carried nights Mondays through Fridays on Channel 7 and 11, we have Civic Dialogue which is shown Tuesday nights at 6:30 pm with interpretation. Also on Channel 7 are foreign films which are captioned; check your TV listings.

Public Broadcasting Corporation is negotiating with CBS to buy the rights to "And Your Name is Jonah", for captioning and showing at a later date. PBS will also show "The Quiet Champion", a film about a deaf athlete at a later date. You will be kept informed through Dial-A-News and TTY Alert.

Vibes from the Utah School for the Deaf

Though the USD boys' and girls' varsity teams came out last in the California Classics recently held at Berkeley, the Utah students came out ahead with their experience of making new friends and seeing new places.

Washington State boys' and Colorado girls' teams ranked first in the play-offs. Selected to the second team All-Stars were Doyle Page and Deanne Kinner.

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News of Note

* * At a recent meeting, members of the St. Mary Magdelene Club for the Deaf elected its officers for 1979. They are: George Laramie, president; Art Valdez, vice president; Barbara Bass, secretary; Celia May Baldwin, treasurer; Dennis Platt, auditor, and Miguel Cano, social chairman. Their first big event is the "Pot o' Green" on March 31st.

* * The Ogden LDS Branch underwent reorganization recently, with the following results: Roy Cochran, president; Randy Worcott, 1st counselor; Ronald Barker, 2nd counselor; Ronald Johnston, branch clerk; and Onzlow Nelson, financial clerk.

* * The Northwest Multi-Purpose Center, located at 1300 W. 300 N. in SLC, has many activities available. On Thursdays it has billiards, swimming, drama, poetry, knitting and crocheting. On Fridays, it has woodshop, crafts, billiards, ceramics and tole painting.

A good hot lunch is available for people 60 and over at a suggested donation of \$1.00. Under 60, \$1.60 is required. Those under 60 are welcome as guests. Reservations must be made by 2:00 pm the day before.

Trips, special parties and dances are also arranged. The Center is always happy to receive suggestions and new ideas.

There is a mini-bus service for those who need transportation to the Center. Call by at least 2:00 pm the day before to make arrangements for this service.

Good news! The Center has a TTY installed in its main office, so those who wish to reserve for lunch, arrange for transportation or obtain information, can call by TTY -- 533-0453.

* * Parenting classes are being held on Wednesday evenings at 6:30 pm at the Copper Mountain Mental Health Center, 6065 S. 300 E. in Murray. For further information call 262-8416 or 262-8419 by TTY or voice.

* * Those interested in oil painting lessons may wish to know that Marge Haxton is offering lessons at \$3.75 per lesson, with the student furnishing his/her own materials. Ms. Haxton has some knowledge of sign language. The classes are taught in her home at 4219 S. 4900 W. in SLC. There are openings on Monday and Tuesday mornings and evenings; contact her by voice, 968-5841.

* * Tri-Chem parties and classes are given by Linda Haddon who sells supplies for this craft. Call her at 295-8930 (TTY - Centerville).

* * An open house to welcome the new superintendent of the Utah Schools for the Deaf and the Blind, Harlan M. Fulmer, was held in late January. Mr. Fulmer officially assumed administration of the institution on December 1.

News of Note, continued

* * The National Association of the Deaf, with the Utah Association for the Deaf as host, will sponsor National Forum X on October 17-19 of this year. Theme of this forum is "Human Sexuality and the Deaf Person". Approximately 300 educators, doctors and professionals are expected to attend the forum in Salt Lake City. Co-chairmen are Dr. Robert Sanderson, Dr. Jay Campbell and Beth Ann Campbell.

* * News Flash: At a Utah Committee for Consumer Services meeting held Friday, February 23rd, Mountain Bell turned down the request made by Utah Association for the Deaf to lower long distance charges for those using TTYs. The UAD has requested permission, and received it, for time to present a rebuttal at the March 23rd meeting.

* * Latest word from the Legislative Budget Office is that money allotted for the Center for the Deaf is not included in this year's legislature plans. Also, the \$80,000 which was cut out of the state education budget last month still has not been restored to the budget; in fact, a further \$90,000 has been cut out of the education request. Loss of services through the state education agencies will result in hurting people who need them the most.

* * The Northwest Athletic Association for the Deaf has announced its Hall of Fame selections for 1979. They are the late Cy Freston, leader; Royal Teets, coach; George Wilding, player; and Dewey Deer, old timer. Freston and Wilding are from Ogden while Teets and Deer are from Oregon.

To our valued readers,

Your interest in the Spotlight has been great. Sure, the Spotlight wouldn't be in your hands now without the willingness of volunteers to put it together every month.

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