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September Happenings

- Sat 8th -- Teams from various organizations are all set to play in the 3rd annual volleyball tournament being sponsored by the St. Mary Magdalene Club of the Deaf. Games begin at 8:00 am in the USD Gym in Ogden and continue all day. Food will be available as well as beverages. Admission for fans & players - 50¢; children under 12, free.
- Sat 15th -- Valley Ward will have a dinner and movie at 760 E. 700 S. in SLC; contact Lynn Losee for more information.
- Sun 16th -- The UAD Board of Directors will meet at the UBE Building, 250 E. 5th S., SLC, beginning 3:00 pm.
- Thu 20th -- GSACD has scheduled a meeting starting at 7:00 pm at the USD Multipurpose Room. A captioned film, "For Pete's Sake" will be shown afterwards.
- Thu-Fri 20th-21st -- The Utah Board of Education will meet in Montezuma Creek on Thursday and in Blanding on Friday.
- Sat 22nd -- A law seminar, to better inform the deaf of their rights and what present laws affect them, has been set up by the Utah Association for the Deaf. See flyer for details.
- Thu 27th -- The Utah Sportsman Club plans on a movie; contact Jerry Roach for information.
- Sat 29th -- Beginning at 11:00 am, the UACD Invitational Bowling Tournament will take place at Bonwood Bowl, 2500 S. Main, SLC. Social at 7:00 pm will be at the Utah National Guard, 1543 Sunnyside Ave. For information, call Norman Williams, 566-0138 or Jerry Westberg, 266-3036 (both TTY - SLC). Entry fee for entrants is \$6.00, not \$5.00 as reported last month.

The Governor's Advisory Council will not meet in September, but has a tentatively scheduled meeting for October 14.

Plan Ahead -- For the second year, Salt Lake NFSD Division #56 is jointly sponsoring a ping-pong tournament on Saturday, October 13 with the Salt Lake County Parks & Recreation Department. See flyer for details -- then sign up and join the fun!

-- Featured guest speakers at the Women's Conference on October 6 are Gertie Galloway, president-elect of NAD, and Nancy Rarus of Arizona. A flyer is enclosed with information on the day-long proceedings.

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Update on Center for the Deaf -- In the \$15.1 million budget for building construction and remodeling, the Utah Board of Education has earmarked \$2.5 million of it for the Center for the Deaf. A recent action placed the Center for the Deaf as #1 on its building priority list. The UBE will now present it to the State Building Board and the 1980 Legislature.

Letters will soon go out to every organization for the deaf, inviting representatives to an early September meeting to be held at the UBE building in SLC. It is important that representatives be at the meeting so that they in turn can inform their members, friends and relatives.

Position Available -- The UAD has announced the opening of a position as secretary with the TTY Multihandicapped Deaf Project. Salary is approximately \$600 with fringe benefits. One of the requirements is a willingness to learn sign language. Deadline for application is September 20; the job begins October 1. Contact David Mortensen, 262-8419 or Dr. Robert Sanderson, 533-5997 (voice or TTY -- SLC) for a job description and an application form.

State Fair Booth -- Look for the Utah Association for the Deaf booth when you go to the state fair in SLC. Mugs with two different designs, children's "I WUV YOU" shirts, ABC pencil pads and other items of interest will be on sale at the booth. The state fair runs from September 6 to 16.

Miss Deaf Utah Pageant -- Hillcrest Junior High School in SLC has been reserved for the Miss Deaf Utah Pageant to be held November 10. Tickets at \$5.00 per adult and \$2.50 per child under 12 will go on sale in mid-September; contact Linda Haddon, 376-5978 (TTY - Layton) or Nellie Sausedo, 479-5259 (TTY - Ogden) to buy them.

Rattles 'n' Powder

August 20 -- Denise Anne, fourth daughter of Ed & Liz Fisher of Salem, OR. Ed was formerly a seminary teacher at USD.

Wedding Bells

August 18 -- Terry Rusch to Dan Tompkinson, with vows solemnized in the Oakland LDS Temple. A reception that evening honored the newlyweds in Los Altos, CA. An open house on August 25 in Fillmore was held also.

August 18 -- Loretta (Crawford) Thompson to Robert Cole, in a ceremony performed at the Ogden LDS Branch.

August 29 -- Ann Burgin to Brian Monson, with their marriage sealed for time and eternity at the Salt Lake LDS Temple. They were honored at a reception at Sixth Ward Chapel in Centerville.

Obituaries

August 19 -- Clarke Nichols of Portland, OR, maternal grandfather of Corky Sparr of SLC. Corky attended the funeral with other members of his family from Ogden.

Hospital Rounds

August 7 -- Karin Mortensen was admitted to Cottonwood Hospital in SLC for a ruptured appendix. After two surgeries and three weeks, Karin was released to recuperate at home.

August 21 -- Elizabeth Millspaw, mother of Diane Millspaw, was in McKay-Dee's of Ogden for gall bladder surgery.

August -- Five stitches were needed to close a gash on Rex Clark's head when he went bow hunting with friends. The cut didn't help Rex; he missed a 4 point deer from 50 yards and sank an arrow into a tree.

Mission Callings

Susan Jackson, administrative secretary to the USDB superintendent, has accepted a call to serve the Tennessee Nashville LDS mission at the end of August.

A call to serve the Mississippi Jackson mission has been accepted by Freeda Donaldson, a teacher at USD from 1963 to 1969. Presently living in Max, ND with her daughter and family, she will enter the mission home September 13.

Conventions...Workshops

While in Washington, DC, Rollin Jones attended a leadership for the deaf workshop at Gallaudet College.

Diane Millspaw attended the National Single Swingers Dance Convention in Kansas City, MO.

Wanderlust

Edwige Dunbar flew to South Dakota & Minnesota to visit relatives & friends...George & Sophia Wilding with their youngest two flew to Georgia to visit Sophia's father...Donna & Lee Hunter drove to Jerome, ID to visit the Andersons...While in Great Falls, MT for the NWAAD softball tournament, Fred & Barbara Bass and family saw friends and relatives in their old hometown...The NWAAD softball tournament attracted at least 20 fans from Utah as well as the GSACD team, which ended up 9th out of 10...Cleo & John Peterson visited Arnold & Betty Jean (Leonard) Taylor in Sparks, NV and enjoyed the Reno attractions. Scott & Adele Sigoda with their son flew to New York to visit family members...Kenneth & Ilene Kinner and Lloyd & Merla DeGraw with their families camped at Fairview for several days before Deanne Kinner left to attend Gallaudet College...Ned & Edith Wheeler took off for Wasatch State Park for several days of relaxation and golfing... Joseph & LaVern Burnett drove to Laguna Hills, CA to visit their son, Sonny and to spend several relaxing days in Coronado...Xuan Gregersen and children of Castle Dale visited the Nguyen family in Ogden recently.

Many of you had deaf friends visiting on vacations or during the UAD convention, the LDS Zone Conference and the like. Likewise, you visited deaf friends out of state who were formerly from Utah. Why not surprise them with a gift subscription of the UAD Bulletin? A card announcing the giver of the gift subscription will be included with the first copy of the Bulletin to your friend.

Visitors to Our Sego Lily State

Paul Chamberlain of Indianapolis was in Provo for the BYU Youth Conference and also visited friends in SLC...At the Zone Conference hosted by the Valley Ward, visitors from Idaho, California, Oregon, Colorado and Nevada were in attendance along with local participants; the list is too long to permit inclusion of names...Verl & Cleo Thorup had three weeks with their son and family from Wilmington, NC where he is a bishop; they all went to Sweetwater near Logan with two daughters and their families for a few days.

TTY Jottings

More new phone numbers to put in your red book:

Robert Gillespie	262-8650	SLC
Veldon/Linda Haddon	376-5978	Layton
Sue Wessman	479-5265	Ogden
Alfred Goetz	882-7879	Tooele

Gallaudet College changed over to a new electronic phone system in mid-August. All campus phones will be touch-tone models. If you do not have the new phone numbers you need, call 447-0314 or 447-0315 and it will automatically provide a voice and TTY intercept recording from which you can obtain the new phone numbers. There are over 30 TTYs scattered throughout the college.

News of Note

The Relief Society of Ogden LDS Branch has a reorganization on August 26. The new slate includes Jean Nelson, president; Rosa Lee Parkin, 1st counselor; Beth Sevy, 2nd counselor; and Elaine Deelstra, secretary. Released were Ruth Smith, president; Phyllis Penman & Jean Nelson, 1st and 2nd counselors, respectively; and Florence Utley, secretary.

Barry Carpenter is actively setting up a ski group, the Utah Ski Association of the Deaf, and would welcome inquiries from interested skiers. By skiing as a club, Barry is hoping to obtain discount rates for all members. Contact him at 5923 Twilight Cir., Kearns, Ut. 84118, or better still, call 966-7126 (TTY - SLC).

At the Miss Davis County Scholarship Pageant in Layton, little Benjamin Merrill was presented as Davis County Prince. The 3 year old is a son of Kenneth & Billie Merrill of Woods Cross.

Mystery Box



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Vibes from the Utah School for the Deaf

Visitors to USD will notice a new free-standing marquee on the southwest corner of the Ogden campus. A combined gift of the Freston family and the Junior NAD made it possible. Announcements will be posted on it from time to time.

Remodelling has been in progress all summer in the administration building. Fresh coats of yellow & gold paint cover the lower wall panels. The bookroom has been renovated to create three new offices. The front counter in the main office has been taken down and carpeting laid. The audiology department has been relocated to the infirmary. Over at the Industrial Arts building, the printshop has been reduced to half its former size and the other half is now being remodelled for a sheltered workshop for the multihandicapped deaf students. The boys' dormitory, Woodbury Hall, has been under renovation for over an year and is expected to be completed sometime this fall for occupancy.

Fourteen new full time teachers for both Oran and Total Communication departments have been hired, as well as a number of part time teachers, secretaries for the administrative office, and dormitory supervisors. New curriculum coordinators for both departments have begun their duties.

The school year got underway on August 23 for teachers to prepare for their classes, and on the 28th for students to register.

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Deadline for October issue: September 20. Contact your area reporter -- Mary Sanderson, Jean Nelson, Cleo Peterson, Nellie Sausedo, Celia May Baldwin, Dorothy Young -- or the editor, Val Platt, 112 W. 5150 S., Ogden, Ut. 84403 -- TTY 479-5259 if you have news for the Bulletin.

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