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pient in this category.

Special Awards of Appreciation were presented to Delegate Elijah Cummings; Ronald J. Hartman, Administrator/General Manager; and Elaine M. Kurtz, Assistant General Manager — Human Resources, MTA.

Founder's Awards were presented to Carolyn Whitaker and Jerry Fair, Co-Founders of the Baltimore Chapter; and Reverend Jerry Moore, one of the Founders of National COMTO.

Mayor's citations and Governor's citations were also awarded to Chapter Officers and Committee Chairpersons.

Following the award presentations, the attendees were entertained by the dynamic sounds of Classic Revue.

The Chapter President, Ms. Minnie I. Carter, told AFRO Reporters that she is just elated over the success of the banquet, and expresses her sincere thanks to everyone for their assistance and support.

PALS seen celebrating their 45TH ANNIVERSARY are (first row, L to R): Martha Allen, Cordelia Oliver, Esther Wiles, Mary Ellis, Ruby Taylor, Mildred Taylor, Gwen Lynch; (center row: Alma Parker, Frances Lockwood, Tommie Bowie, Lois White, Margaret Lane, Eloise Brown; Back row: Jeanette Hairston, Helen Thomas, Camay Murphy.

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WOODLAWN HIGHLIGHTS

By Marjorie Green

DOROTHY BANNISTER RETIRES

Music man Eugene "Goodie" Goodall came out of retirement last Friday to spin the lastest disco records at a retirement reception given in honor of Ms. Dorothy Bannister.

The festivities took place at the Regatta on Reisterstown Rd. Co-workers and friends numbering near 70 joined former co-workers and members of Dorothy's family in an effort to create a memorable fun time for the honoree, who officially retires from 25 years of Federal service in mid-June.

Guests enjoyed a short program of song and poetry performed by Diane Newbill and Dorothy Stewart - White respectively. Peggy Butler presented the retirement certificate. The honoree also received a dozen long stemmed roses made of dollar bills.

"I'm going to have fun and sell real estate," said Dorothy when we talked recently on the telephone. She later revealed plans to leave this week for Ormond Beach, FL, where she hopes to spend two or three restful weeks in her vacation home.

The youngest guest attending the affair was Dorothy's seven-month old grandbaby, Allison Mercer, who was accompanied by her mother and father, Joan and Alfonder Mercer.

Members of the planning committee were Trevette Hord, April Hinton, LaNae Cardwell and Sharon Walker.

TLOD ANNIVERSARY

Looking for something to do on Saturday, June 11. Make plans to attend the Tenth Anniversary celebration of Top Ladies of Distinction, Inc. The event will be held at The Forum. Mrs. Marguerite White is president.

ST. JOHN DAY

The Most Worshipful Prince Hall Grand Lodge of Maryland and Its Jurisdictions, Inc. is making preparation for a gala celebration of Saint John Day on Sunday June 12. On that day, Masons throughout the State of Maryland will assemble for a gala celebration at the Willard Allen Masonic Temple, 1301 Eutaw Place where the Most Worshipful Samuel T. Daniels serves as Grand Master.

The first Masonic Lodge of color in the State of Maryland was Friendship Lodge No. 1., which was founded on February 2, 1985. St. James Lodge No. 2 and Enterprise Lodge No. 3 followed soon after, and in 1845, these lodges formed the first Colored Grand Lodge of Maryland.

Known throughout the year as an organization with a strong, religious foundation, Free masons dedicate their lodges to the memory of Saint John the Evangelist and Saint John the Baptist whose feast is celebrated on June 24, his traditional birthday, "Each Mason is constantly reminded to demonstrate his character and value to Masonry and society by the proper performance of his duties to God, to his neighbors, and to himself by steadily preserving in the practice of every commendable virtue." The service will begin at 4 p.m.

KLW'S PLAN CHARITY BENEFIT

The King's Landing Women's Service Club will hold its Annual charity benefit at The Forum on Friday, June 3. The Dennis Fisher Band, featuring vocalist Jennifer Jones, will furnish the music for dancing. Call 448-1399 or 235-1510 for tickets. See You There! !

COLUMBIA CAPERS

By Pinnie Ross

FOUR SEASONS DINNER A SMASHING SUCCESS

Saturday evening May 21 was fantastic when the Annual Four Seasons Dinner and Theater was presented at St. John Baptist Church. It is an affair which all members and friends wait for.

The idea for the Four Seasons Dinner Theatre was conceived by Dr. Alease M. McElrath in 1977 and the program, initiated by her and at that time was called, "Everybody's Birthday" while the Rev. Walter L. Parrish pastored St. John.

Deacon Ester Vines chaired the first affair.

The dinner was initially a fundraising affair to support the annual women's day. The talented youth of the church provided the entertainment. For the dinner, persons whose birthdays fall in a particular season prepare foods representative of that season and it is placed on the table in a bountiful and festive manner. All the participants partake of the various foods of the seasons.

This year's menu consisted of: Spring baked ham, leg of lamb, seven layer salad, green beans, potato salad, deviled eggs, cakes and pies; Summer- Fried chicken, baked chicken, meatballs, tossed salad, watermelon basket, hot dogs, green beans, potato salad, hot rolls and ice cream: Fall- baked chicken, stuffing, roast beef, collard greens, string beans, candied yams, corn on the cob, cranberry sauce, baked ham, cabbage, corn pudding, corn bread, turnip greens, rolls, cakes and pies; Winter- turkey and dressing, chicken and dumplings, black eyed peas and ham, collard greens, macaroni and cheese, pig feet, candied sweet potatoes, corn bread, cakes and pies.

General Chairperson Pam Johnson announced that, "You may go back for seconds, if you like," and the line formed again. Believe me, I saw several who continued to go back and I know that those calories were building up; but there was no caring for calories. It was said that we come for an enjoyable evening and the sweets table was a favorite.

After dinner, members and friends enjoyed music by the Jazz Messengers featuring Kimberly D. Jordan, a graduate of Howard University's School of Fine Arts with a degree in music education.

Kim has received international acclaim for her live performances. The London Guardian, the Daily News and Billboard Magazine have featured her.

Our own pretty Miss Talented Teen Maryland, Caya Beth Lewis, an honor student at Centennial High School, also performed. She has an extensive background in stage and television performances. Her tap dance routine brought raves.

The Four Seasons Dinner Theatre committee members were Sylvia Cook-Martin, who narrated the program: Essie Williams, Clemma Carrington, and Linda Carrington.

The beautiful decorations were done by Ida Thomas and Sandra Moxberry.

Mae A. Beale and Jerrie McCannon chaired the Winter meal; Almetha Johnson and Valeria West chaired the Spring meal; Carol Turner and Jessie Graves were responsible for the Summer meal, and Hazel Rayford and Jean Somerville handled the Fall meal.

Clemma and Linda Carrington and Marianne Wood were general co-chairmen.

The Rev. Herbert Eaton pastors the church.

CAREER CORNER

'Names' project to sponsor prayer service

The Names Project Tour Baltimore will hold a Noon Day Prayer Service on Friday, June 10, noon to 1 p.m. at the Joseph and Rebecca Meyerhoff Auditorium of the Baltimore Museum of Art.

Baltimore area churches will be invited to participate in this special hour of prayer which is being held in conjunction with The Names Project Tour Baltimore.

The Rev. Mamie Williams-Munjoma of Centennial-Caroline Street United Methodist Church and Rev. Vashti McKenzie Of Oak Street AME Church will conduct the Prayer Service.

Vocalist Debra Wren of Baltimore will be the featured soloist during the special hour of prayer.

The Names Project was conceived by Cleve Jones during a 1985 memorial march honoring Harvey Milk, the slain San Francisco supervisor. Marchers carried placards with the names of people who had died of AIDS.

Early in 1987, the Names Project set the goal of creating a memorial quilt for display at the National March in Washington for Lesbian and Gay rights, October 12, 1987. Panels arrived from 48 states and five foreign countries.

The first public display of the Quilt after Washington was held in San Francisco's Moscone Center Exhibition Hall on Dec. 17-20, 1987. During this showing, the Quilt was viewed by 95,000 people.

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