

HAPPENINGS



ENTERTAINMENT NETWORK
Joe "Bean" Keller, Entertainment Editor

Festival series begins

B.E.A.N.'s summer festival series will begin with a Juneteenth Music Festival which will be held at the Washington Park Amphitheatre on Saturday, June 23rd. It will feature the Strawberry Gambler, the Raw Deal Band, the 3-D Band and Street Music. This is a free concert, the public is welcome. Other events scheduled are a community picnic, featuring live music on the 4th of July at Irving Park, and the Grand Opening of the Union Square Mall, July 6th and 7th, featuring Breaker, Gospel and Jazz. Read the *Portland Observer* for further series information.

Metro Jazz '84

KBOO Radio will be presenting their annual Metro Jazz Festival on Sunday, June 24th at the Western Forestry Center, Miller Hall. There will be two shows, 1-5 p.m. and 6-10 p.m. and a variety of Portland's well-known Jazz artists will be featured. For information, call Ellen Wong, 225-4480.

World Music Festival

Two days of concerts, workshops, demonstrations, dancing, lectures and children's events on five stages, plus ethnic foods, arts and crafts will highlight this year's World Music Festival. The festival will be held on July 21st and 22nd at Catlin Gabel School campus. You can expect to see such artists as Taj Mahal, Obo Addy and Kukrudu, N.W. Afrikan American Ballet, Sojourner Truth Theatre, Creative Jazz Ensemble and other artists from all over the world. Early bird special on tickets for both days are only \$15 and available at the B.A.S.S. and the House of Sound Records.



Obo Addy enjoys autographing newly released album "OBO" after record release party last Sunday at the Pine Street Theatre. "OBO" is the second album released by Obo Addy on the label of Avocet Records of Portland, Oregon. The album contains eight new spirited compositions

from the Ghanaian master drummer. Obo Addy and KuKrudu will be performing on Saturday, June 23rd, for a dance open to the public at Portland State Smith Center ballroom, beginning at 10:30. Sponsored by the National Lawyers Guild. (Photo: Richard J. Brown)

Soprano graces Bethel AME

Carol Haywood, soprano, will be the featured vocalist in a concert sponsored by the Bethel AME Church, at P.C.C. Cascade Auditorium, on June 22nd, at 7:00 p.m.

Tickets are \$5.00 and can be purchased at Cascade Music Center, 4160 N.E. Sandy, Lovelee Ladee Beauty Salon, 106 N. Killingsworth, Tondalayera Designers Salon, 5401 N.E. Cully, and Committee Headquarters Zodiac Tea—Sagittarius Group.



CAROL HAYWOOD

Carol Haywood, a native of Arkansas makes her home in Milwaukee, Wisconsin. She received her B.S. Degree from the University of Arkansas-Pine Bluff.

Carol Haywood has performed operas with the Skylight Theatre for a number of years. Her roles have been in "Lost in the Stars", "The Marriage of Figaro", "The Magic Flute", "Cosi fan Tutti", "The Telephone", "Die Fledermaus", "Orpheus", and "the Mikado".

She has been church soloist at the Unitarian West Church, Temple Shalom and Mount Zion Baptist Church.

She has appeared in recitals in New York, New Jersey, Texas, and Wisconsin.

She sang original music composed by Dr. Wallace Cheatham at the 63rd Annual Convention of the National Association of Negro Musicians, Inc.

She is presently a teacher of vocal and instrumental music for the Milwaukee Public Schools.

Rev. Mumford to be roasted

They've finally caught the goose, Rev. Ira D. Mumford, who they will roast Saturday evening, June 23rd, 7:00 p.m., at Smith Chapel C.M.E. Church, 8920 N. Woolsey Avenue (Housing Authority Bldg.).

The festivities are planned so participants will have a lot of fun. Their secondary purpose is to make this a fundraiser. Everyone is welcome to take part in this roasting.



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In concert with the City of Portland proclaiming June 17th-23rd "Sojourner Truth Theatre Week", the troupe will perform "Yesterday, Today & Tomorrow." This celebration of the Black woman combines jazz, blues, drama, humor and poetry into one uniquely good time!!!
This one-night-only performance will be held Saturday, June 23rd at Portland Community College, Cascade Campus, 705 N. Killingsworth, at 8 p.m.
The word "sojourner" comes from the word "sojourn" meaning—a journey. Come join in this jubilee celebration! It is guaranteed to be one journey you'll never forget.
Price for this show will be \$5.00 at the door. For more information, call 288-0867.
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