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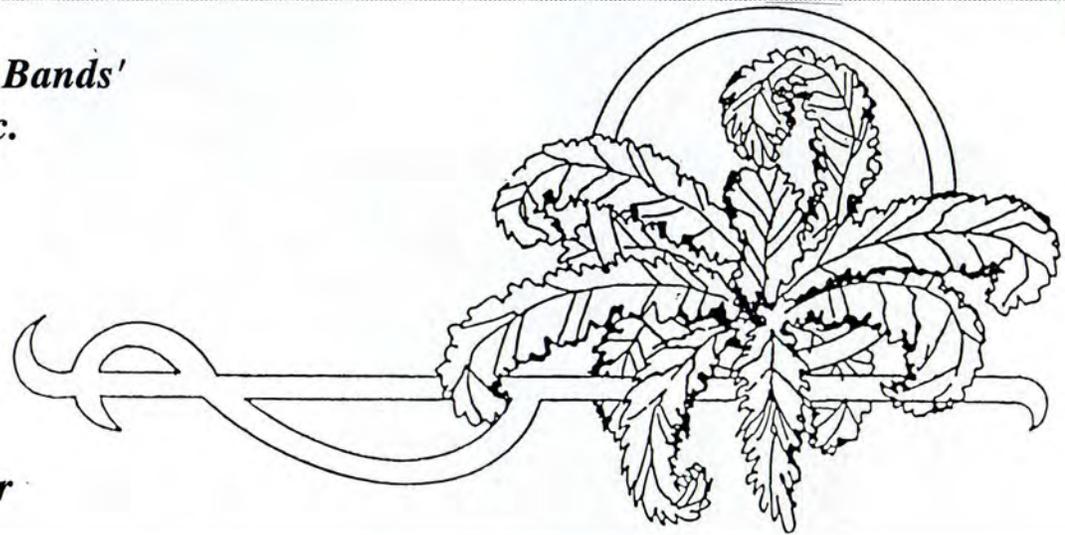


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A MESSAGE FROM THE PRESIDENT



March 20, 1992

It is my sincere pleasure to welcome you to the 1992 Show of Shows. I trust that you will find this year's show to be as entertaining as in previous years and hopefully, even better.

Each of our 16 string bands work very hard at improving themselves. I'm certain that you can attest to this as the level of competition gets greater each and every year. A direct result of this self improvement is a better and stronger Philadelphia String Band Association, as well as a better parade and show that you are viewing today.

As I close in on my second term as Association President and look back to the year long efforts and results of such, I am regretful over the chain of events that occurred over the last three months of 1991 surrounding the negotiations of the 1992 television rights. Many articles were written where individuals and groups criticized the String Bands for their insensitivity to the general public and their concern for money as the main issues. The truth of the matter is, that while any revenue helps to defray our expenses, money never was the main issue in our negotiations. Rather, the way we were treated, positions taken against us and things that were represented to us which were proven to be untrue. To you, our friends and loyal fans and followers we thank you for your continued support and know that our main objective and mission is to provide the type of entertainment and enjoyment you have come to expect and desire from us.

On behalf of the entire Philadelphia Mummies String Band Association, I would like to thank you for attending our show and for your ongoing support. It is through your support that we are able to continue the great tradition of mummery.

Just a reminder that tickets go on sale each year on or around November 1st. We look forward to seeing you again next year and hope that 1992 is Happy, Healthy and Prosperous for each of you.

Sincerely,

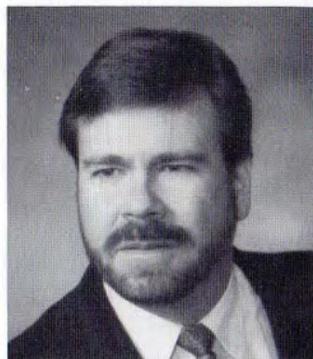
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Jack Hee
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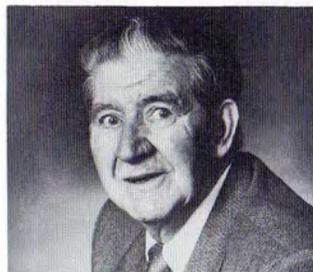


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 1958 JAMES A. DURNING
 1959 FRED J. KESEL
 1960 PETER A. BROOMALL
 1961 RAYMOND ENDRISS
 1962 ROBERT RUNKLE, JR.
 1963 RAYMOND GURT
 1964 WALTER KROP
 1965 HARRY STRAUB
 1966 HARRY LAWSON
 1967 WILLIAM MINK
 HARRY WHITMAN
 1968 JOHN FRALINGER
 DAVID ANDERSON
 1969 ROBERT HALL
 JOHN HOGG
 1970 JOHN BAUKUS
 FRED CALANDRA
 1971 ADAM QUAGLIA
 JOSEPH BRUECKS
 1972 GEORGE DUFFY
 ROBERT ZIEGLER
 1973 JIM DONAGHY
 PETER AMADIE
 1974 JOHN ARLETH
 HENRY J. KUNZIG, SR.
 1975 JOHN E. MAYER
 JOSEPH PISUZKO
 1976 EDWARD VENCKUS
 ARTHUR (LINK) GARDNER
 1977 ANTHONY (IGGY) GENEVA
 JOS BLASS
 AL FINK
 1978 HENRY KUNZIG, JR.
 HERB SMITH, JR.
 1979 RON MOYER
 HERMAN SEFLIN
 1980 JAMES BROOMALL
 ANTHONY (TISH) BORDONI
 1981 JAMES M. DRIADON
 JOHN WALSH
 1982 TOM A. HOWLEY
 JOSEPH L. BRESSET
 1983 DON KEIR
 BILL (CURLY) CONNERS
 1984 RAY DANIELEWICZ
 WILLIAM R. KURZENBERGER
 1985 JOSEPH DEIGHAN
 PHIL PESCHI
 1986 JOSEPH A. VENUTO
 CLIFFORD J. JOHNSON

1987 JACK HEE
 BOB SHANNON, JR.
 1988 AL PRIMAVERA, JR.
 EDWARD P. BROOMALL
 1989 NICHOLAS "DUKE"
 BUONPASTORE
 STAN POJAT
 1990 THOMAS E. KING
 LEN GIACOBETTI, SR.
 1991 FRANK ANELLO

OLD TIMERS HALL OF FAME

1978 DAVID (POP) ANDERSON
 1979 AL PRIMAVERA, SR.
 1980 SAM HAMILTON, JR.
 1981 JOSEPH RILEY
 1982 JAMES J. KINC
 1983 HENRY DUNAWAY
 1984 EDWARD (ROB) CARTER

1985 JOE "BAGEL" STRINE
 1986 AL STEWART
 1987 CARL JANKIEWICZ
 1988 JOSEPH GIARDINO, SR.
 1989 JOSEPH JANKOWSKI
 1990 GENE NEMETH
 1991 CLEMENT C. RENDE

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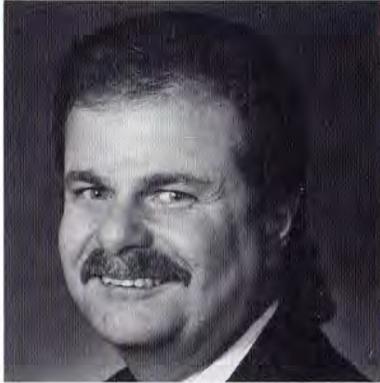
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1959	SOUTH PHILADELPHIA
1960	AQUA
1961	POLISH AMERICAN
1962	HEGEMAN
1963	QUAKER CITY
1964	POLISH AMERICAN
1965	FERKO
1966	SOUTH PHILADELPHIA
1967	FRALINGER
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1970	POLISH AMERICAN
1971	HEGEMAN
1972	FRALINGER
1973	FRALINGER
1974	FERKO
1975	SOUTH PHILADELPHIA
1976	POLISH AMERICAN
1977	FRALINGER
1978	QUAKER CITY
1979	GREATER KENSINGTON
1980	FRALINGER
1981	POLISH AMERICAN
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1984	FRALINGER
1985	QUAKER CITY
1986	POLISH AMERICAN
1987	FRALINGER
1988	GREATER KENSINGTON
1989	QUAKER CITY
1990	POLISH AMERICAN
1991	QUAKER CITY
1992	HEGEMAN

*Tie For 2nd Place

SECOND PLACE
POLISH AMERICAN
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AQUA
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1992 Philadelphia Mummies' String Band Hall of Fame



Frank Anello

The members of the Durning String Band are proud to announce the recent induction of Frank Anello into the Mummies' Hall of Fame. This award of great "honor" is voted upon by the Philadelphia Mummies' String Bands' Association in recognition for the dedication and efforts that Frank has demonstrated over the years.

Frank has been parading for thirty five (35) years, all of which have been in the String Band Division. Frank marched in his first Mummies' Parade in 1958 at the age of eleven with the Garden State String Band as an alto saxophone player.

Frank paraded with his father, Robert, one of the founders of the Garden State String Band as well as with his uncles Frank, Ralph and Henry.

In 1971, Frank became Musical Director of Garden State String Band when the band reorganized itself. As Musical Director, Frank demonstrated not only his own musical ability but also was able to obtain excellent music points for the band itself. Frank has been a teacher of music helping anyone that required his time and effort to enhance their musical ability and that of the organization.

Frank remained Musical Director up until

1986 when he served as Musical Director and Captain of Garden State String Band. Frank was Captain for four years from 1986-1989. While serving as Captain, in 1987 Frank along with a few other members took over as "costumers" and made the band's costumes for the 1988 parade. This required many hours as you can well imagine.

In September 1988, the Durning and Garden State String Bands merged, with Durning String Band being the surviving organization. Frank was very instrumental from Garden State's side to make the merger a reality. Obviously, the reason for such an approach was to maintain the spirit of mummery and keep an organization together.

Frank served as Captain of the Durning String Band in 1989 and has been an alternate delegate to the Philadelphia String Band Association since September, 1988. Frank has assumed the role of Musical Director of the Durning String Band since April 1989, a position he still holds at this time.

Throughout his career in mummery, Frank has held many different positions in the organization he was and is in. Namely, Officer, Board of Director, Chairman of the Theme Committee, chairman of the Costume Committee, Business Agent and has recently served on the Show of Show Committee of the Philadelphia String Band Association.

Parading for thirty-five consecutive years, including three years he spent in the armed services, has required many hours away from his family and home. As a result, Frank shares this honor with his wife, Marie and daughter, Kim. Frank would also like to acknowledge and thank his Mother, Marie for her unending love and support.

The Officers and Members of the Durning String Band and Frank's entire family wish to thank the Philadelphia String Band Association for bestowing this honor upon Frank. Congratulations Frank and best wishes for continued success.

1992 Philadelphia Mummies' String Band Old Timers' Hall of Fame



Clement C. Rende

"Whether the band is leaving for Texas at four in the morning or Ireland at four in the afternoon, he is always there to help." Quaker City String Band would like to congratulate Clem Rende on becoming the latest inductee into the Old Timers' Hall of Fame. Starting at the age of 6 back in 1920, "Rob" has been involved in Mummery all of his life. He first paraded with the Charlie Roberts League Island Club at 12th and Oregon and marched with various Comic clubs until he joined the Andy Gray Fancy Brigade in 1930. This was during the time when Mummies hung their badges on the Christmas tree in the front window to show how many Mummies lived in the house. Clem paraded with the Fancies until 1934 when he joined Quaker City as a banjo player

while the club was still located in the library at 4th and Shunk Streets. He was on the Board of Directors from 1941 to 1955 when he was elected Steward. This was a post to which he was just elected for the 38th consecutive year. The first suite he wore, in 1935, was the Human Fan suit and his last suit was the 1st prize winning Chief White Cloud in 1956.

Clem has been most instrumental in many of the renovations that have taken place in Quaker City's current clubhouse at 3rd and McKean Streets and, as Steward, is responsible for the upkeep of the building and premises.

He lives within walking distance of the Club in South Philly with his wife, Sis. His grandson, Ed Morrison, plays banjo in the band today, keeping the family tradition alive

MAN BEHIND THE SCENES



JAMES MORAN, JR.

The Brothers of the South Philadelphia String Band salute the Mummies' "Man Behind the Scenes" for 1992, Jim Moran, Jr.

Until November, 24, 1991, when Jim collapsed and died while serving as Co-Captain of the band in the Mayfair-Frankford Avenue Merchants' Parade, Jim was a dedicated and loyal member.

Jim started in the band in 1950, when he was fourteen years old as a saxophone player. He followed in his father's footsteps, Jim "Shoes" Moran, Sr., who is an original bandsman. This blossomed into dedication that followed throughout his lifetime.

He served on the Board of Governors for sixteen years, sat on the coordinating and bylaws committees and was President of the band for three years. Jim also served as the band's business manager and handled public speaking responsibilities for the band while on jobs. He represented the band as a delegate at all String Band and Mummies' Association meetings. Jim was very proud to be elected into the band's "Hall of Fame" in 1989, an honor he shares with his father.

The involvement Jim had with the band is a family tradition. His son, Jimmy III, is a working member studying the saxophone. Brother Joe has been a drummer for

**JAMES MORAN, JR.
NOVEMBER 24, 1991**

We in the Philadelphia Mummies' String Bands' Association have lost a dear friend and colleague this past November. We would like to dedicate this book in his beloved memory.

30 years, nephew Joe, Jr. is a saxophone player and nephew Michael is a working member studying the saxophone.

Jim incorporated his love for his family with his love for his String Band family. Mother Dorothy, wife Marie, daughters Kathy and Donna, son-in-law Joe, as well as his grandchildren Joey, Lindsay and Billy love the legacy he gave them.

In his quiet and unassuming manner, Jim was always there to do whatever was necessary to get the job done. He always advised everyone "Let's not get discombobulated!"

Jim was always an inspiration to his family, friends and fellow mummies who he referred to as "Brothers of the Plume!" Jimmy loved life, his family, and his band family. He loved what he did.

As a closing note, the officers and members of the South Philadelphia String Band, Jim's family and friends would like to thank the Philadelphia Mummies' String Band Association for bestowing the most memorable and distinguished honor upon him. Jim will live in our hearts and prayers forever.

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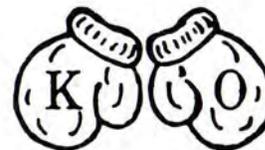
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Raymond Lutz

Raymond Lutz is 25 years old and has been parading for 21 years with the Hammond New Year Comic Club. Ray has won numerous prizes in Original Character, Costume, and Juvenile and as part of a Best Couple

Comic Hall of Fame



Gideon Sonny Lynch

Age - 61 years old. I have been with Murray for 50 years and have been very lucky to win many prizes. 1991- First prize for most original character.

I started with Harry Tyler, then John Lee's and now Rich Porco who has made the Murray the best.

I have 3 children - Gideon, Jr., Bonnie and John. All good mummies.

Thanks to all who have picked me for this honor.

Gideon Sonny Lynch



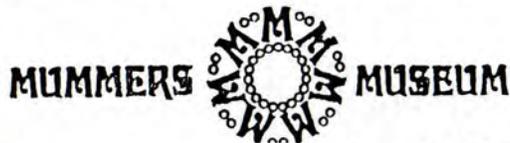
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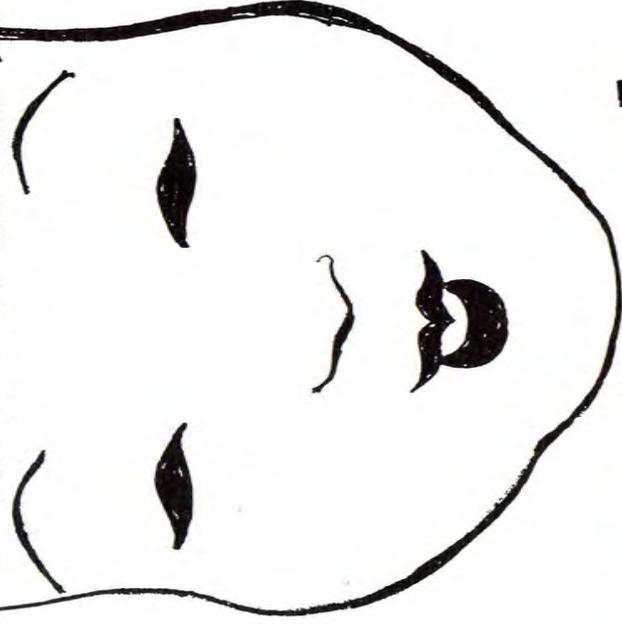
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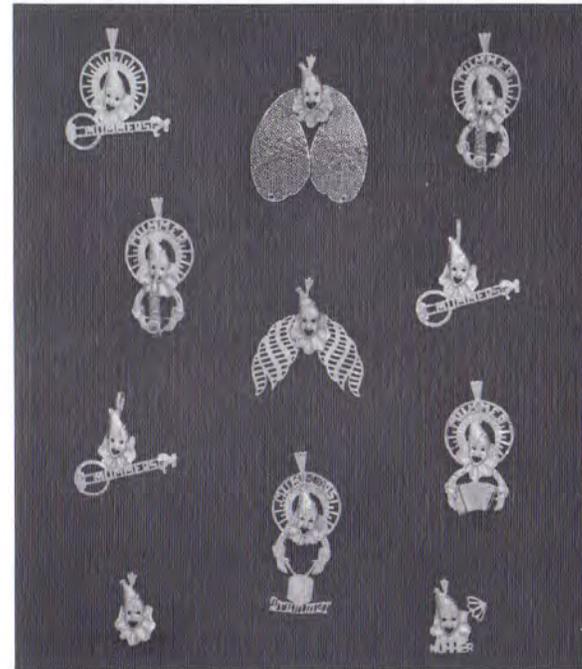


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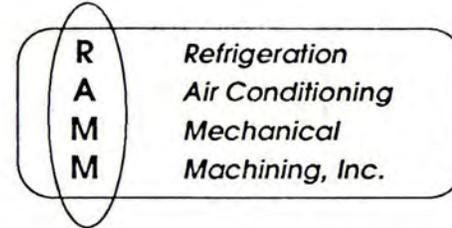


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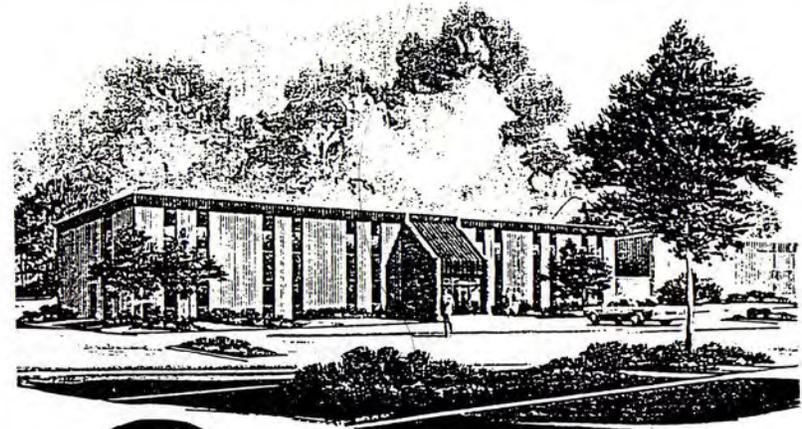
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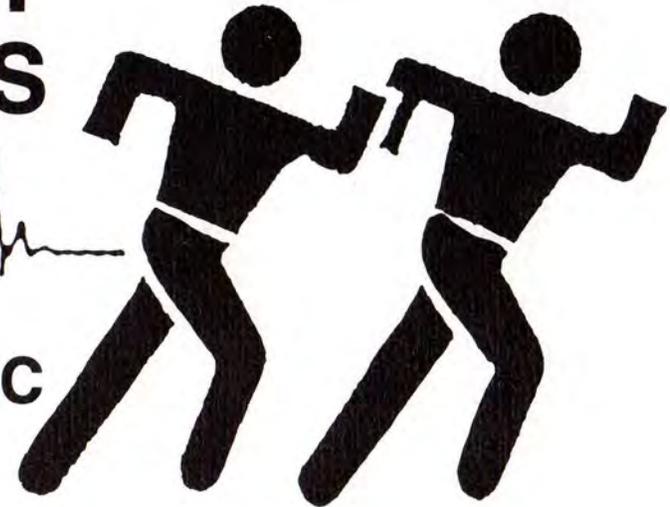
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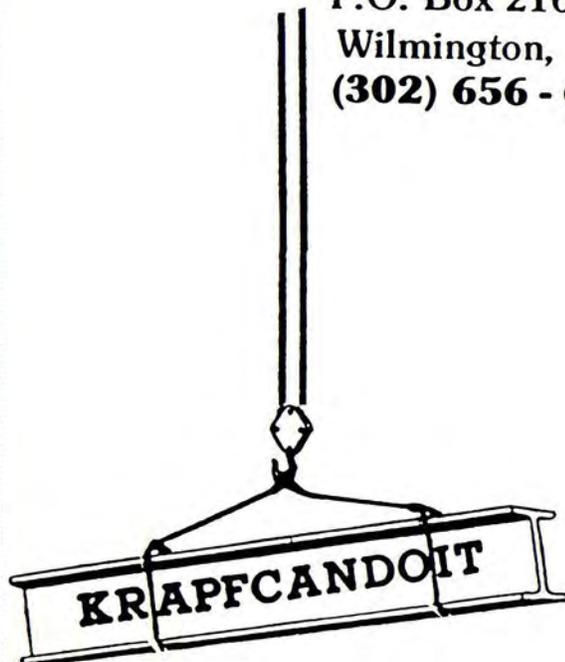


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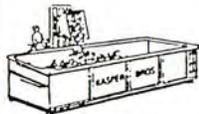
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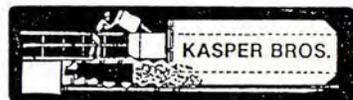


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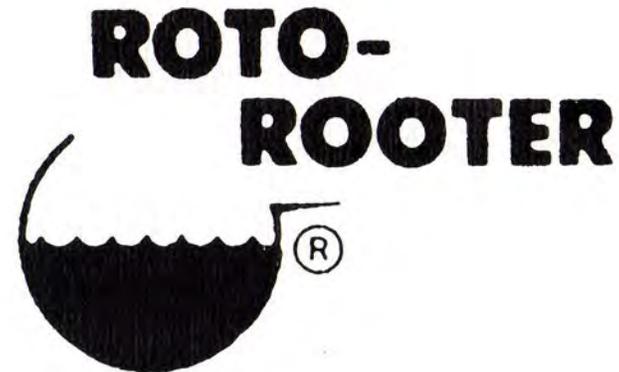
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THEME: "BIG BAND BOOM"

PRESENTATION & MUSICAL SELECTIONS

The Duffy String band would like to invite you to an evening with the big bands. With a twist of the radio dial, the big band favorite "In The Mood" opens our presentation. "Chattanooga Choo Choo" is next on the big band hit parade. The scene then shifts to the Duffy Club, where Captain Ted Kudrick and the dancers swing to "Tuxedo Junction", "Opus One", and "Sing, Sing, Sing (With a Swing)" followed by a reprise of "In The Mood." Our presentation closes with "I'll Be Seeing You."

COSTUMES

The main body of the band is costumed in blue lame suits trimmed with silver sequins topped off with a blue hat. Surrounding the main body of the band are band members in full length jacket suits of pink trimmed with silver sequins. The band's backpieces display musical bars and notes surrounded by numerous large white ostrich plumes. The dancers are costumed in black "Zoot" suits trimmed with white and silver sequins. Captain Ted Kudrick leads the presentation costumed in silver eye-ash material trimmed with pink and blue sequins. Ted's backpiece portrays an old radio of the big band era.

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The Broomall String Band was organized in 1930 by the late Peter A. Broomall. The band was originally located on 2nd Street in South Philadelphia. The band now resides in National Park, New Jersey.

THEME: "NO STRINGS ATTACHED"

PRESENTATION & MUSICAL SELECTIONS

Our presentation begins with the front line (which doubles for a curtain) opening to reveal that Master Wood Carver/Marionette maker Geppetto (our captain) trying his latest creation - Marionettes that dance, march and play musical instruments. To emphasize this, he *cuts* their *strings* and away we go. Next, our *Pit Band* enters performing precision marching movements and drills. Just to show their versatility, these Marionettes slow things down a bit and perform an intricate and clever routine. As we conclude our routine, Geppetto joins in the *Finale* dancing and swinging just the way a Marionette should if there were no "*Strings Attached*."

"When You Wish Upon A Star", "Wooden Heart", "Zing Went The Strings Of My Heart", "Wedding Of The Painted Dolls", "Power Your Face With Sunshine", "You Gotta Pull Strings", "Nola", "I've Got No Strings", "Jumpin' At The Woodside", "I Got The World On A String."

COSTUMES

The Pitband suit, with its hooped jacket and multicolored three petaled old fashioned marionette hat, is made of a combination of
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THEME: "CAR-TUNES"

PRESENTATION & MUSICAL SELECTIONS

Our manic menagerie of mobile musicians, embark on their journey down a "Long and Winding Road." Then they get their wheels rolling with "Axel F." The Pit Band goes for a Sunday drive in their "Merry Oldsmobile"s, that quickly turns into a traffic jam choreographed to an excerpt from "An American In Paris." Luckily, our traffic cop controls the near grid-lock situation and orders our automotive entertainers to "Stop, in the Name of Love."

Next, we go to Honest Harry's Used Car Lot and gaze over his "Second Hand Rows (Rose)." Then, pay the fare and take a ride in our "Tijuana Taxi," but beware of falling car parts! Even the taxi's spark plugs get into the act because "I've Got You (I Feel Good)." Next, we watch our Captain, Harry Hill, racing his car, "Grease Lightning," to the finish line, in a performance in which everybody is a winner.

COSTUMES

Our Pit Band is wearing a cartoon-like interpretation of a classic driving machine, giving a new meaning to the phrase "car and driver." They sport bodywork in primary colors trimmed in black sequins. The hard surfaces and clean angular lines give the suit its animated quality.

The Mummer's don a racing jump suit of yellow moire bengaline trimmed in fiorescent orange and fuchsia. They are topped with a mummerized version of an antique driving hat and glasses, which makes the suit look like a cross between Mario Andretti and Elton John.

Our Captain, the King of Kool, is a hipster from Motown dressed in a gold and fuchsia overcoat and capped with wide-brimmed fedora. His suit is accented with a variety of plumework, including cockle feathers, ostrich plumes and boa.

ALL IN THE FAMILY.

The Greater Overbrook String Band has seven members of the Kalbach family marching up broad street this year. Doug joined the band in 1985 and quickly began recruiting family members. Now, he marches with his father, Stan, a banjo player, his sister, Sandy and brothers, Keith, Hans and Guy, who play saxophone and his sister, June who dances. Soon to be added to the crowd is Doug's younger brother, Miles who also plays the sax.



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THEME: "AQUA'S PLAYING THEIR HEARTS OUT"

PRESENTATION & MUSICAL SELECTIONS

A succession of sites and sounds so modulated as to please the Heart & Soul. Our presentation depicts a traditional Mummer's flavor of finery, music & drill. Synonymous with musical beats, Hearts become a major force in this theme. Starting with the first scene, the large hearts begin to open and our captain appears as the band begins to play "Only Love Can Break A Heart." After this modulated sound arises, adrenaline begins to build with anticipation as the band enters to a favorite string band tune - "Heart Breaker." Notice how the band explodes in shape as we change the pace with "Young At Heart" with a Latin flavored beat. During and directly following, our HeartJesters are introduced onto the scene along with our Heart String instruments presenting "Zing Went The Strings Of My Heart."

Next, join with us as we sing an old time favorite "Heart Of My Heart." As the band plays, our backpiece men set the stage and

open up to showcase our Captain and his two dance partners for their soft shoe rendition of "Heart & Soul." Changing this mellow mood, our Captain reappears leading the band to a high-stepping, hand clapping rendition of "Deep In The Heart Of Texas" along with our HeartJesters forming the shape of a "T."

As we continue this heart-pounding show, we present the Keepers of Hearts, our Cupids. Watch as they try to point their arrows in the right direction to "Stupid Cupid." As these imaginary arrows hit their targets, our HeartJesters spring into motion as they perform "I Want To Be Happy" and the reprisal of "Zing Went The Strings Of My Heart."

As this emotional burst of movement and sound comes to an end, our backpiece men come together to draw the curtain on the show and ask you to "Smile Though Your Heart Is Breaking." Our HeartJesters are presented to you in the shape of a heart when the backpiece men reopen one more time. Remember, as we leave, "A Dream Is A Wish Your Heart Makes."

The Aqua String Band wishes to honor the memory of our recently deceased former Captain and Board of Director, Ed Venckus. He was so instrumental in making our band a success. He will be missed by all!



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DURNING STRING BAND

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Costumer.....	Al DelBuono

THEME: "DURNING'S ALL KEYED UP"

PRESENTATION & MUSICAL SELECTIONS

Our 1992 theme is a musical show of pianos. Watch as we "play" and dance and stand on the "88's" throughout the show. Our show opens with a "Piano Concerto."

Notice the melodic movement within the perimeter of the band. As we enter, feel the up beat of "I Love A Piano." Our captain plays the large keyboard which opens to present the piano keys (PitBand). The piano keys will dazzle you with syncopated movements to "Piano Roll Blues." The curtain will close (perimeter) and open to present our honky tonk players to "The Entertainer." The piano roll is pulled from the piano by our honky tonk players and laid

down to simulate large keyboards. The players soft shoe across the keyboard to "Nola." The separate keyboards form one large board and the captain glides across the ivories to "Ain't Misbehavin." The piano keys pick up the tempo and come alive to "Play A Simple Melody." As all beginners learn early on to tickle the 88's, our finale commences with "Chopsticks." Played in four different tempos, each one more flashier than the previous. The finale showcases our dancers and captain atop a Baby Grand Piano. The routine ends with a salute to "The Piano Man."

COSTUMES

The perimeter suit presents a black sequined honky tonk piano player. A bow tied striped shirt accents this suit with each member adorned with a derby hat. Out Pit Band depicts the keys of our "Keyed Up" piano again in black and white sequined costumes. Our Pit Band hats are mirrored to present the splash board of the piano. The *Durning* dancers portray Chorus Line Honky tonk trio accompanied by Hungarian dancers dressed in black and white with colored striped shirts and themed hats. *Durning* brings to you black and white as the main features in the piano and close out with a surprise costume change put in the routine. The captain's costume is a beautiful silver sequined formal tuxedo complete with top hat. The costume reminds you of the classical pianist as he plays and glides across the ivories. Initially, the captain will lead the bandsmen complete with a backpiece of plumes and a black sequined cape. The captain adorns a coat (silver sequins on the outside, astounding colors inside) at the end of the presentation, *ala Liberace*.

DEDICATION

The members of Durning dedicated their 1992 performance to the memory of Tom Barrett, a marshall in the band who passed away suddenly this past Fall.

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THEME: "SWAMPIN' AT THE SAVOY"

PRESENTATION & MUSICAL SELECTIONS

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"Brazil"ian flavor, in a true Xavier Cugat style. The night lingers on and the lizard band assembles to give us their rendition of "Opus I," while the creature from the black lagoon pounds on the skins. This is just a prelude to the finale as the frogs jump from their lily pads to "Leap Frog." It's last call with "One O'Clock Jump." But no one wants to go home because the music is cooking and the creatures swinging with "Woodchoppers Ball." It's the end of a successful night as everyone is left "In The Mood," awaiting the next time they'll be *Swampin' at the Savoy*.

COSTUMES

Based on creatures found in a swamp, you'll see shades of green, blue and brown splashed with gold and silver which embellish the overall desired effect. The exterior of the band symbolizes a leafy, swampy creature, outfitted in yards of flowing chiffon. The backpiece is solidly plumed and accented with gold and green swamp grass and a three dimensional lily pad on the back. The remainder of the band is dressed as a variety of swamp creatures who are all "decked out" in their black tuxedos which are piped in silver sequins. The alligators, lizards, and frogs have been sculptured to fit each individual performer. Don't miss those three foot tails! Both the creature from the Black Lagoon and the Swamp Monster have been constructed from foam rubber, designed and air brushed to bring realism to these characters.

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THEME: "MASQUERADE ON PARADE"

PRESENTATION & MUSICAL SELECTIONS

Come to the greatest *Masquerade Parade* ever. Bring your favorite Mask and join *Polish American String Band* as their 1992 presentation begins with a classical 17th century style "Charade."

The minuet was appropriate for this period in time. Bow and curtsy to Mouret's "Rondeau" (Theme from Masterpiece Theater). Mardi Gras is a southern favorite. New Orleans struts their best "When The Saints Go Marching In." Strut'n is fine, but slide'n is glide'n. Slide your way down and do the electric slide to "Electric Boogie." Momba, Samba, Rhumba, Latin love, feel "The Rhythm of the Night."

COSTUMES

The front line and dancers are dressed in the 17th century Baroque style costumes. These costumes are made up of gold brocade, green velvet, imported lace, sequin appliques and chandel mylar feathers.

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The Mardi Gras suit is made of grotto blue bengaline moire, royal blue boucle, accented with green and blue pom-poms, mirrors and yards of sequins. The Mardi Gras suit comes with a traditional mummer's cape adorned with turkey fluff, mirrors and sequins.

Our Latin suits explode with hot pink slipper satin, nylon organza ruffles made up of hot pink, orange fluorescent green and candy pink colors. A beautiful sequined cockatoo is added to the hat for that Latin flavor.

The masks on the hats are the focal point of the suits, the stylish Baroque, the mysterious Mardi Gras and the lavish Latin.

The backpieces are plumed with white ostrich feathers. Prismatic materials and boa make up the dimensional mask.

CAPTAIN

Captain Stan Magenta is costumed in an ornate Baroque suit made up of white and silver jeweled brocade and velvets. His cape is made of rainbow mother of pearl nylon illusion. Stan's backpiece is interchangeable with silver and gold materials on one side and multicolored materials on the other trimmed with ostrich boa.



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THEME: "RODEO CLOWN'D UP"

PRESENTATION & MUSICAL SELECTIONS

January 1, 1992 marked the 46th consecutive appearance by the Greater Kensington String Band in the Philadelphia Mummers' Parade.

Come join in the fun as 64 costumed performers present a light and lively tribute to an often forgotten member of the great American Rodeo - **The Rodeo Clown**. The band will entertain you with such songs as "Deep In The Heart Of Texas," "You're Never Fully Dressed Without A Smile," "Wagon Wheels," "Hoe Down" (from Aaron Copeland's Rodeo), "The Farmer And The Cowman", "Thunderers Hornpipe", "Cow Cow Boggie" and "I Want To Be Happy." Unlike circus clowns, rodeo clowns are unique as will be shown. Featured skits include dancing clowns in barrels and clowns creating their usual mayhem as they distract an angry bull. After things settle down, look for Captain Scott Moyer as he dances with a now docile pet. The show concludes with the entire band dancing to a Charlie Daniels Band favorite - "Boogie Woogie Fiddle Country Blues."

COSTUMES

The band has three different costumes. The main band has a western style Buffalo Bill Wild West jacket of white with gold sequin and capelet of red trimmed in red fringe. The suit is

complete with stars and arrows and western pants. The pit band shows off the rodeo clown with cowhide, fur, chaps and a vest trimmed with horns and lassos. The dancers have a clown like suit with a cactus hat and a hairy chap. Look for the sheriff stars and the "GK" brand as the dancers take their final bow. The captain begins with a rodeo version of Buffalo Bill in a western jacket, 10 gallon hat and pants of white trimmed in gold & silver sequins. His second suit is the elaborate rodeo clown made of white and gold with traditional chaps. His backpiece is 12 feet high and 12 feet wide made with over 600 white plumes. It includes clowns enclosed in barrels on each side and a bullhead on top. You are sure to enjoy Captain Moyer's enthusiastic performance as his showmanship sets the tone for yet another quality performance by the men of Greater Kensington.

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THEME: "A PERFECT PITCH"

PRESENTATION & MUSICAL SELECTIONS

The great American pastime, baseball, is everybody's favorite sport. Every little boy's dream of becoming a major league ball player when he has seen heroes from the past like Ruth, Mantle, Mays and present day heroes like Ripken, Sciosa and Carlton. Trilby will give you a unique perspective of their 1992 theme "A Perfect Pitch."

Hey! Get your programs here, it's the 1992 New Year Series with the Trilby White Sox vs. Trilby Red Sox. A "Summertime" atmosphere will be created, so "Take Me Out to The Ball Game" to enjoy the great American pastime. We'll stand and respect the flag while the band plays the "Star Spangled Banner." *Charge!!! Play Ball!!!* Roll out those "Lazy, Hazy, Crazy Days Of Summer." There's plenty of hot dogs, pretzels and beer.

Well, the Trilby Red Sox are up to bat, but "It Don't Mean A Thing" if they don't have that swing. "In The Good Old Summertime" we can remember some of the past moments of great games. Well, it's the bottom of the ninth and the Trilby White Sox need three runs. Bases are loaded and Slugger steps up to the plate. The crack of the bat, he's rounding the bases, the call at the plate - He's.....Out (or) Safe? The call creates a "Shout"ing match. Well... we hope you'll have "Memories" of this great game. It's a

one, two, three strike performance! Hope you've enjoyed the game!

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The members of Quaker City dedicate their 1992 performance to the memory of Jack Wynia.

We would also like to congratulate Clem Rende on becoming the latest inductee into the Old Timers Hall of Fame.

THEME: "SHIVER ME TIMBERS"

PRESENTATION & MUSICAL SELECTIONS

Quaker City's 1992 Presentation takes us to the high seas where their marauding band of buccaneers pillage and plunder their way around the world.

Arrr, Matey! Welcome aboard the S. S. Fogbound as Quaker City prepares to go "Sailing, Sailing" over the bounding main as we hear our pirate Captain's challenge to his scurvy crew: "Yo, Ho, Blow The Man Down." These lusty sailors spend their "Life On The Ocean Wave" as their battered vessel goes seeking new lands to conquer as we prepare to go "Over The Sea" looting and robbing anybody who would be so bold as to stand in our way. The wail of the "Sailors Hornpipe" summons everyone on deck as the Captain asks, "What Do You Do With A Drunken Sailor?"

Holding aloft an empty rum bottle, he shouts, "If it's a 'Pirate's Life for Me' now, then it's a pirate's life forever." With a "Victory At Sea" close at hand, this motley bunch want to know that "We're In The Money" as they turn their attention to more lucrative pastimes like treasure hunting, and what better place to look for this new-found wealth than "Under The Sea." What a haul! A treasure chest of rich jewels, new silk, "Old Spice", and other assorted booty from the ocean depths. As we sail off into the sunset, we will always remember the good life, the life of a Quaker City Buccaneer.

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PRESENTATION & MUSICAL SELECTIONS

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DEDICATION

This year's presentation is dedicated in memory of Don Byrne, member and friend, who passed away on August 7th, 1991. This year would have been Don's 40th year up Broad Street, 31 years with the Woodland String Band and 8 with Avalon. Don epitomized the heart and soul of the Avalon String Band. We miss you "old buddy".

THEME: "IT'S A JUNGLE OUT THERE"

PRESENTATION & MUSICAL SELECTIONS

"As the lion sleeps tonite," deep in the jungles of Indonesia, the great hunters emerge from the foliage as the native dancers are "Running Wild" performing their ritual spear dance. With "Bare Necessities", the Balinese ceremonial dancers appear from the jungle to perform their fire dance celebrating the capture of the great white hunter; British Colonel I.M. Lostagain in a "Swingin' Safari". The entrance of the Mahouts (elephants tenders) set the

stage in "Jungle Town" for the "Baby Elephant Walk", as Colonel I.M. Lostagain plays among them Tigers, native to the region, make their entrance to "Tiger Rag" under a Javanese Tiger Rug Banner for a spectacular entrance. The finale is brought to a zany ending by orangutans dancing among the ruins to "Abba Dabba" and "I Wanna Walk Like You". As we "Talk To the Animals" all the animals are joined together led by King Louie, King of the Monkeys.

Congratulations to Captain Mike Vaughan for his 1992 third place finish.

A "SPECIAL THANKS" to Mr. Jim McKnight, Sr. Dolores Ostrowski, Mrs. Crompton, Images, Vogue, Bob Finnigan, Ron "the artist" and the Quaille Family for their contributions to this year's presentation.



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The members of the Uptown String Band would like to extend a special thanks to the following people: Rita Konzelman for creating the costumes for our special can-can dolls, Al Carango for his assistance in plumbing our backpieces, Judge Dominick

Spadiccino for his help throughout the year, and the "Women" of Uptown for their help in making our backpieces, make-up and the outstanding food you feed to us all year. Additionally, thanks to all who made 1992 a success for Uptown.

THEME: "I LOVE PARIS"

PRESENTATIVE & MUSICAL SELECTIONS

Napoleon comes back to the place he loves to take you on a tour of the boulevards and streets of Paris today. From the Arc de Triomphe comes the Gendarmes, Vendors, Artists and Waiters to greet you on this tour. The Band will delight you with some Bubbly and dance the Can-Can like you've never seen it before. Vive La France!

Enjoy the sounds of France as we take you on our tour! "I Love Paris", "French National Anthem", "C'est Magnifique", "Poor People of Paris", "Alouette", "Under Paris Skies", "The Night They Invented Champagne", "I Love Paris", "Can-Can."

COSTUMES

The Main Suit represents a visual collage of all that is fun and French. Blue, white and red suit designed around a Kiosque which is the guide post to Paris. Look for the Gendarmes (French Police), Street Vendors, Artists and Waiters dressed in beautifully sequined suits. Captain Jamie Caldwell is Napoleon dressed in a uniform of sequins, velvet and gold bouillon befitting the Emperor of all France.

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THEME: "FRALINGER HAS NO RESERVATIONS"

PRESENTATION & MUSICAL SELECTIONS

To be proud, valiant, free as the wind. To be an American Indian.

By the 19th century, there were 13 Indian nations on the great western plains. Some were called the Sioux, or Cheyenne, Comanche, Kiowa or Apache. All were of the Native American pedigree. They were the last to enjoy the freedom of the American land. Through song & dance, drill formations & thematic theatrics, Fralinger portrays these pristine Americans. Song selections, topically titled, are arranged in an aggressive, popular, rhythmic style.

#1. *Gathering of Eagles* -tribes of warriors, led by young chiefs, gather on the horizon to percussive Indian drums, run into the ceremonial area singing Indian chants.

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THEME: "HEGEMAN'S HOT IN HARLEM"

PRESENTATION & MUSICAL SELECTIONS

On a misty New York night, a sophisticated man grabs his dancin' shoes and heads uptown to the clubs of Harlem. As he struts through the streets, he hears the sounds of a saxophone playing *Harlem Nocturne*. So *Let's Misbehave*, because *This Joint Is definitely Jumping*. You'll be singin', clappin' and *Blues -N- The Night*. Just wait till you feast your eyes on those Red Hot mamas but keep your eyes off my girl, *Miss Sweet Georgia Brown*. From sweetness to coolness personified, let's give a Hi De Hi De Ho to the man who knows *Minnie The Moocher*, Cab Calloway. You can sing all you want *It Don't Mean A Thing If It Ain't Got That*

Swing. Well, our swingin' New York night has to come to a close. So be careful going home because I heard *the heats on*.

COSTUMES

The perimeter of the band will be in 30's style. Black tux with a white shirt and classy blue bow tie, and to top it off, a black Homberg hat. The front of the headpiece will be a Skyscraper. The back of the headpiece will represent the famous and hottest clubs in Harlem. Each in jazzy fluorescent colors setting up a billboard type ambiance.

The pitband will be in sophisticated white tux with black shirts, silver vests, silver ties and white top hats.

Adding to the costume are our four Red Hot Mama's in sultry red sequined gowns. The men dancers will wear white jackets with red shirts and black pants topped off with a famous Fedora hat.

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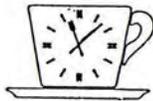
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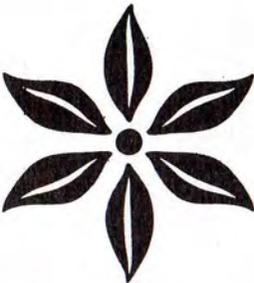
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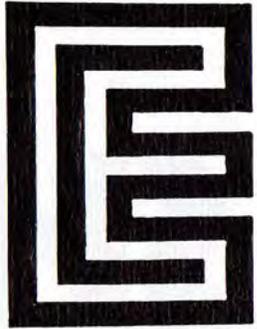
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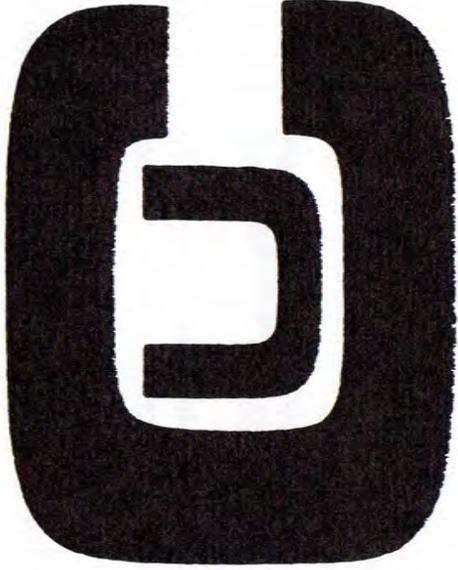
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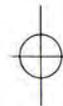
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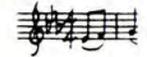
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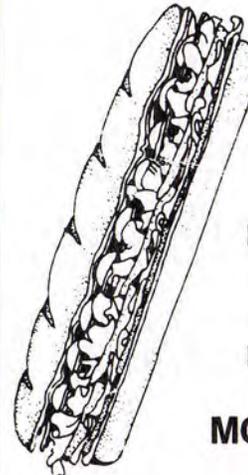


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BROOMALL STRING BAND

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lame and satins accented with sequins, mirrors, white bowa puffs, and gold cuffs. The outer perimeter suit is reminiscent of a Punch and Judy antique marionette suit. The fuchsia and turquoise satins are highlighted by a black velvet bib, bold black stripes, mirrors and gold sequins. The dancers suits, also with its hooped jacket, is made of a yellow dot satin with bold black velvet stripes trimmed in gold sequins, mirrors and shandel puffs.

The *Captain's suit* is a multitude of fuchsia and turquoise satins and lames with rolled up sleeves made of sequins. The detail of the gold and fuchsia sequins along with the artistic makeup help the captain to look like a true toy maker.

SOUTH PHILADELPHIA STRING BAND

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Captain Bill Berenato is costumed as the Swamp Monster. The suit, with its massive vines and muscular physique, is blended into a backpiece which depicts the roots and tree formation from which the Swamp Monster dwells. This will be accentuated with ostrich plumes, moss, swamp grass and other earthy tones for illusion and effect.

WOODLAND STRING BAND

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see how nimble and quick, as they wriggle and bend neath the "limbo stick." Suddenly, it's "Windy" and they're blown to and fro; but the band and the dancers go on with the show. "Is that really a 'Man In The Mirror' we see," say the mimes to themselves, "Is that him or me?" They really *are* confused, these chaps; are they "Identical Cousins" perhaps? We're not through yet, yes there is more, some "Dueling Banjos" and a "tug of war." Which side will win - each has its hope; oh what what the heck, let's all jump rope. "Smile Darn You Smile," our finale is swell; take a real good look at this "mime carousel."

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FRALINGER STRING BAND

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#2. *Society of the Arrow* - songs "Cherokee" & "Kaw-Liga." The Council Chief (Captain) leads all tribes to form a formation arrow, symbolic of a historic society of American Indian warriors.

#3. *Sun Dance Ritual* - song "Running Bear," tributes an actual Indian ritual with all band warriors dancing in every direction around Chief Running Bear.

#4. *Making Medicine* - song "Apache." This popular Indian pastime has 3 separate tribes outlined in formation action, competing in tribal dances and making good medicine.

#5. *Indian River Welcome* - songs "Row, Row, Row" & "Ten Little Indians." 10 Indians paddling upriver in a canoe, arrive to a colorful Indian skit of song and dance.

#6. *Finale* - songs "Pass The Peacepipe" & "Sing, Sing, Sing" are played separately and in counter-melody. Formation masses to 20 braves across in movements of forward and lateral activity. The Council Chief appears for this musical pow-wow to lead 6 dancers and all 3 tribes in a pulsating, ceremonial Indian Finale.

COSTUMES

67 performers portray 3 *Indian Tribes*, 6 *young chiefs* and the *Council Chief*. This portrayal allows a wide variety of Indian tribal designs. All costumes relate to the popular tribes of the western plains. The 5 Indian costumes include:

Sioux design/large backpiece - features a full eagle feathered war bonnet that flows into the large bonnet designed backpiece of 170 plumes

Comanche design/southwest plains warrior - is authentic ceremonial attire complete with a warshield backpiece and large feathered-fan headgear.

Kiowa/plains Indian design - is typical of the Indians' mimical/satirical mixing of Indian and white settler attire, with wide brim hat, large long coat, moc boots, eagle & Indian designs.

6 dancers/war chiefs in Sioux design - with full war bonnet, kid leather sequined satin costume carrying a feathered battle lance.

The Captain is the Council Chief/Medicine Man - in a silver and white design replete with full chief headdress/bonnet, buffalo horns all flowing into a bonnet design backpiece, with white fur blanket cape and full feathered trim.

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QUAKER CITY STRING BAND

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COSTUMES

The perimeter of the band features the traditional Captain Morgan Pirate dressed in solid white sequined coat and pants, shiny black boots, red velvet belt and sash, topped off with a feathered hat complementing the entire suit. What pirate worth his salt would be seen without a multicolored parrot resting on his shoulder? The backpiece consists of hundreds of white ostrich plumes, interspersed with many red accent feathers, surrounding a ship's wheel and the skull from the Jolly Roger. The pit band wears a smaller version of the perimeter band suit with a red coat, black pants, boots and a long, flowing blue cape. The deck hands will be wearing 3 different types of suits of contrasting colored pants, shirts, vests, and hats

Captain Bob Shannon, as Captain Hook, will be in white sequined pants and tunic coat with accent trim of burgundy, gold, and black. His backpiece, a more elaborate version of the band backpiece, depicts the ocean waves at the bottom with a ghost ship on top representing the skeletons of all dead pirate ship captains. The entire backpiece is encircled with thousands of white plumes also with red accents.

FERKO STRING BAND

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carried by the performers, and is led by the Captain who is King of the One Man Bands. Our first feature performers, the buglers, dance while a bugle is formed. From the bell of their bugle comes some of our star banjo players and would-be banjo players as evidenced by their washboards. The Captain leads a parade of trombones and then is joined by other toe-tapping dancers in a novel keyboard extravaganza. Fiddlers are next to appear and the whole ensemble is then caught up in the revelry of the grand finale.

Musical Selections include: "The Band Played On"; "Music, Music, Music"; "Bugle Call Rag"; "Hey, Mr. Banjo"; Banjo Picker's Ball"; "Seventy Six Trombones"; "Lazzus Trombone"; "Chopsticks"; "Zing Went the Strings of My Heart"; "Fit as a Fiddle"; "Mamma Don't Allow"; and "The Music Goes Round and Round."

Bedecked in bright multi-colored sequins on vibrant fabrics, the "One Man" performers typify the true spirit of these free hearted performers. The florescent orange perimeter band leads the way plumed in a backpiece decorated with musical staffs, trumpets and drums. The pit band, in complimentary colors of amazon blue, candy yellow, and burnt orange are finished off with drums accented by a tuba, trombone and cymbal.

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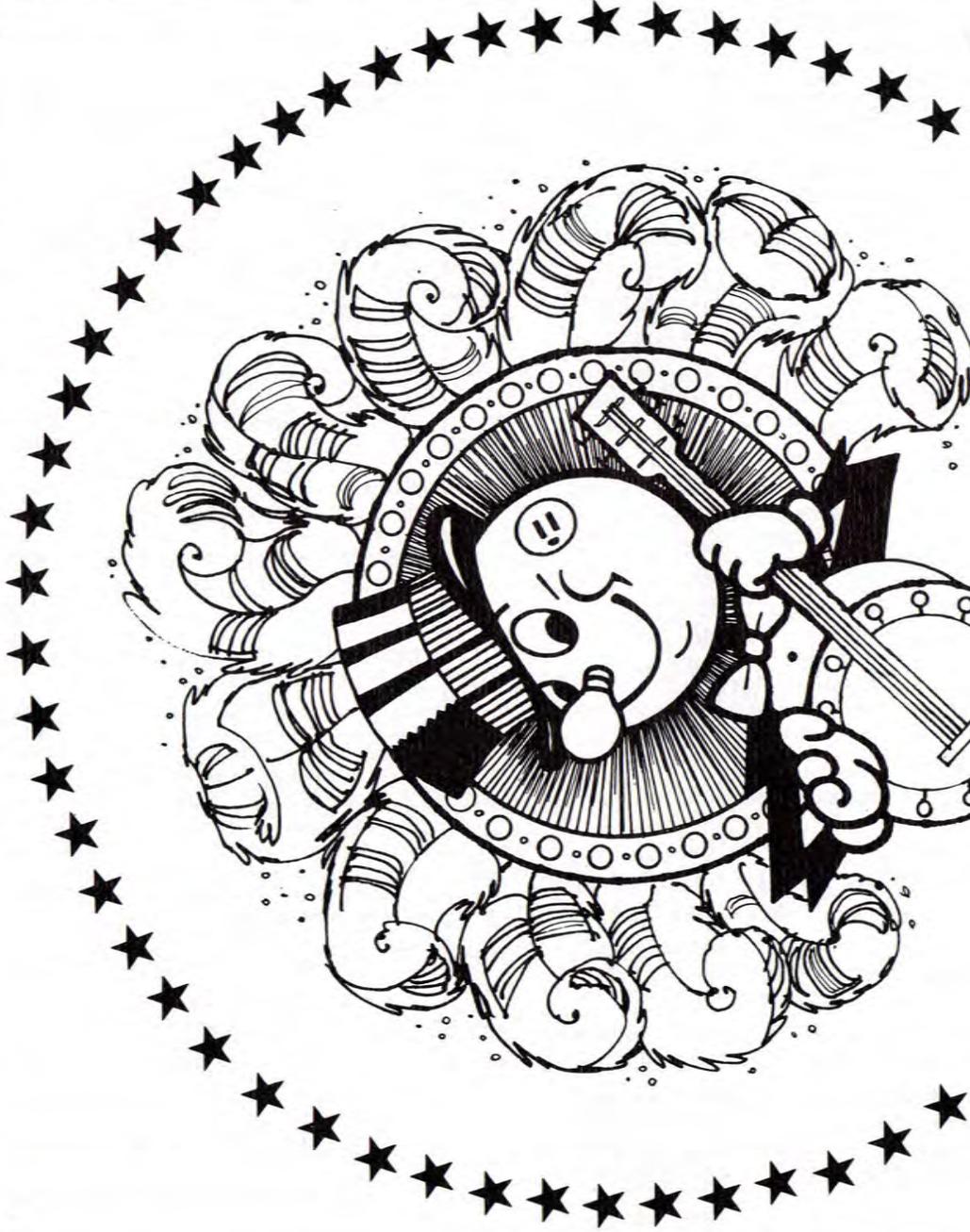
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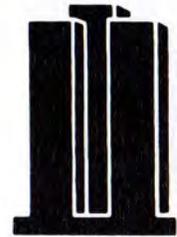
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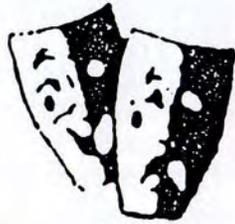
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