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GLEN ECHO PARK: THEN AND WOW!!

SATURDAY JUNE 25, 2005

Glen Echo Park Partnership for Arts and Culture, Inc.
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GLEN ECHO PARK: THEN AND WOW!!

Saturday, June 25, 2005

AFTERNOON FESTIVAL

12 noon to 6 pm

Historic Trolley Car • Park History Exhibits
Kiddie Rides and Games • Music and Entertainment
Dance Lessons • Performances • Social Dancing

“MOONLIGHT SERENADE” RECEPTION

7 pm to 9 pm in the Bumper Car Pavilion

Cocktail Fare & Desserts
Featuring The Robert Redd Trio

Swing Dance Featuring the World Famous

GLENN MILLER ORCHESTRA

9 pm to Midnight in the Spanish Ballroom

Swing Dance Lesson at 8 pm
Tom Koerner and Debra Sternberg, Instructors
Performance by Smooth & EZ Hand Dance Troupe

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THE GLENN MILLER ORCHESTRA

The World Famous Glenn Miller Orchestra is the most popular and sought-after big band in the world today for both concert and swing dance engagements. With its unique jazz sound, the Glenn Miller Orchestra is considered to be one of the greatest bands of all time.

The present Glenn Miller Orchestra

was formed in 1956 and has been touring consistently since, playing an average of 300 live dates a year all around the world.

Trombonist Larry O'Brien, the musical director since 1988, has previously performed with the orchestras of Sammy Kaye, Buddy Morrow, Ray Eberle, Lee Castle and many more. He was the featured soloist and lead trombonist with the Sam Donahue

Tommy Dorsey Orchestra. His leadership has brought the Glenn Miller Orchestra that swing feeling adored by Glenn Miller music followers everywhere.



THE ROBERT REDD TRIO

The Robert Redd trio includes three of the best musicians in the Washington area: Robert Redd on piano, Tommy Cecil on bass, and John Jensen on trombone. Robert Redd appears frequently at Blues Alley with local and national artists and performs with many groups, including the Smithsonian Masterworks Ensemble. Jazz bassist and composer Tommy Cecil has headlined at Wolf Trap, Blues Alley, One Step Down and The Smithsonian. John Jensen, a former lead trombonist and featured soloist with the United States Navy Band Commodores, has performed at the White House, the Corcoran Art Gallery, the Kennedy Center, and Blues Alley.

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3 pm - Golden Spike Ceremony

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Congressman Chris Van Hollen
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Councilmember Steve Silverman
Councilmember George Leventhal
State Senator Gwendolyn Britt
Superintendent Audrey Calhoun

7:45 pm - Greeting of Elected Officials

The following elected officials will be recognized at this evening's event:

County Executive Douglas M. Duncan
State Senator Ida G. Ruben
Delegate Susan C. Lee
Delegate Carol S. Petzold
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Waltz Time is an all-volunteer group of dancers who have produced the twice-monthly waltzes at Glen Echo Park since 1995. All net proceeds have been donated toward the renovation of the Spanish Ballroom and the Bumper Car Pavilion, and to help continue Park programs.

Waltzes Coming Up In 2005

June 26: Avant Gardeners

July 17: Addison Bleufonte

July 31: Waltzing Stars

Aug. 7: Band TBA

Aug. 21: Notorious

Sep. 4: Terpsichore

Sep. 18: Cabaret Sauvignon

Oct. 2: Footloose

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Nov. 6: Contratopia

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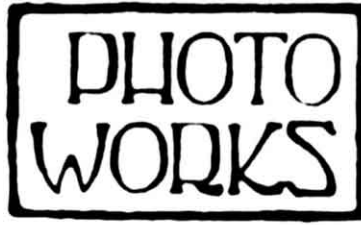
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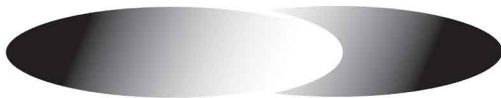
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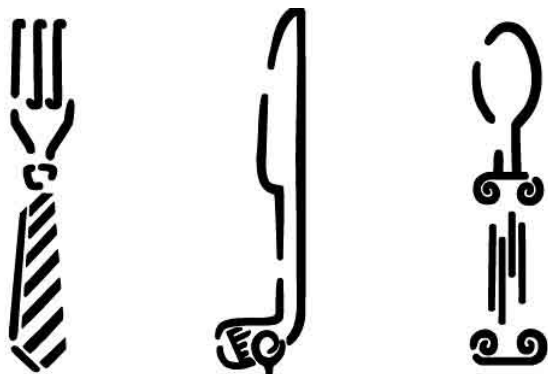
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