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FERMILAB FAMILY PICNIC AUGUST 21

Food, entertainment, games for adults and children -- it's annual Fermilab family picnic time!

NALREC will sponsor the event Sunday, Aug. 21, from 11 a.m. to 5 p.m. at the recreation area by the Village Barn. Invited are families of Fermilab employees, visiting experimenters, site ERDA office staff, Management Safeguards and Mutual Maintenance personnel employed at the laboratory.

Fun and food for children of all ages will be featured says co-chairmen Chuck Grozis (Accelerator) and Marlon Palmer (Accelerator). The day's menu will include: hotdogs, hamburgers, cotton candy, popcorn, sno-cones and beverages. Four free food tickets will be issued to each immediate family member attending the picnic. For your convenience, a signup form has been distributed so that tickets may be obtained in advance. The form should be returned to Sherry Nila (Material Supply) 43 Feldott, by Friday (Aug. 12). Additional food and beverage tickets may be purchased at the picnic for 15¢.

Serving will be from 11:30 a.m. to ?

Games will feature traditional favorites such as foot races, balloon toss and volleyball.

For the second year, carnival rides are planned. The giant ferris wheel will be back and two new rides will be: moonwalk, bouncy fun inside a giant plastic bubble; and the frolic. Ride tickets may be purchased at the picnic for 25¢ each.

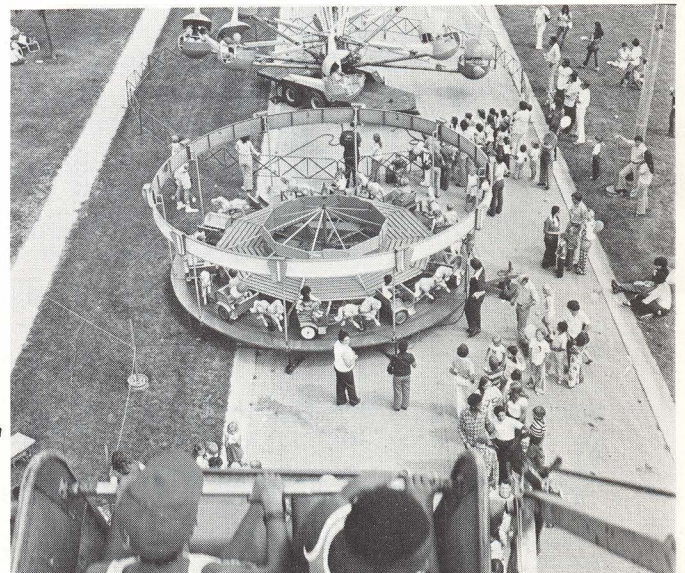
Geneva Fire Department Clown Club members will spread merriment and a special demonstration by the Fermilab Fire Department is set for 3 p.m.

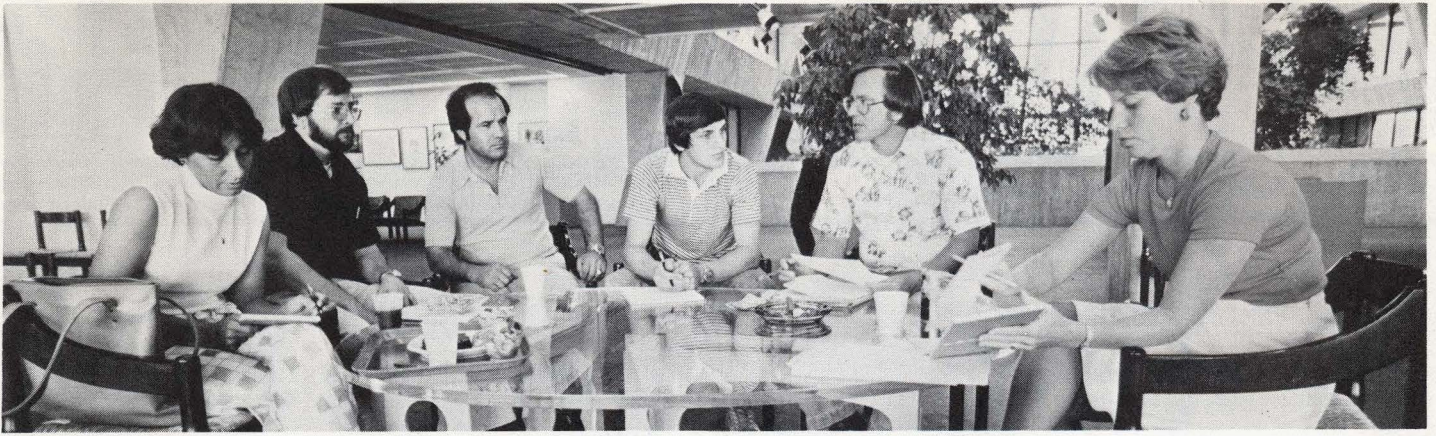
Door prize distribution gets underway at noon. Door prizes will be awarded on the half hour until 5 p.m.

Teen Town, featuring the band, "The Logic," will play from 12 to 3 p.m. in the Village Barn. The juke box will provide additional entertainment.

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Picnic planners L-R are: S. Nila, K. Schuh, J. Guerra, M. Palmer, C. Grozis and L. Foster

NALREC FAMILY PICNIC (Continued)

Based on last year's attendance (about 2,000 persons) picnic organizers recommend that 1977 picnickers bring their own chairs or blankets to supplement picnic tables.

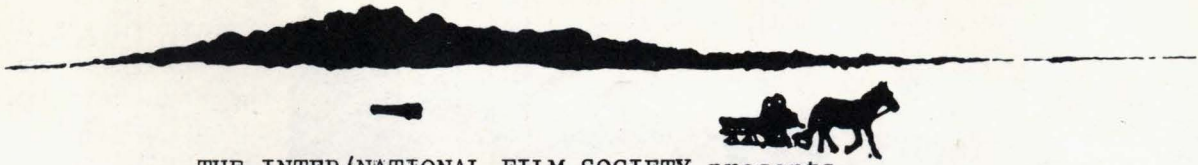
Parking areas will be designated. Extra security and emergency first aid service will be available.

About 100 volunteers are needed to make the event a success. To volunteer, contact Sherry Nila, Ext. 3585. Work schedules will follow at a later date for all that sign up.

Working for several months with Grozis are committee members: Liz Foster (Personnel), food; Marlon Palmer (Accelerator), door prizes; Jesse Guerra, (Proton), volunteer assignments; Sherry Nila (Material Supply), games/ticket distribution and volunteer recruitment; and Keith Schuh (Accelerator Controls) and Pam Cooper (Accounting), general.

PICNIC SCHEDULE

11:00 a.m.	Picnic opens - Rides begin; Teen Town opens; popcorn, cotton candy, sno-cones and beverages available
11:30 - ?	Food served. Clowns (until 2 p.m.)
Noon	First door prize awarded. Prizes awarded every half hour until 5 p.m.
Noon - 3:30	Teen Town band - "The Logic"
12:30	Door prize
1:00	Door prize
1:30	Door prize
2:00	Games - Door prize
2:30	Door prize
3:00	Fire Department demonstration
3:30	Door prize
4:00	Door prize
4:30	Door prize
5:00 p.m.	Last door prize awarded. Picnic ends.



THE INTER/NATIONAL FILM SOCIETY presents

MY UNCLE ANTOINE

Auditorium

8 p.m.

Friday, August 12, 1977

Set in a small mining town in Quebec, My Uncle Antoine portrays a few days in the life of a boy named Benoit and his uncle, the keeper of the general store. The storekeeper supplies everything in this town from wedding veils to coffins. When Antoine is called during the Christmas season to provide this last item, Benoit is pushed into contact with the harsh realities of adult life. It is this loss of innocence which is the focus of the film. Claude Jutra directed the color Canadian offering made in 1969.

Admission: \$1.50 adults, 75¢ children

COMPLAINTS?

A neat device for getting complaints off your chest will go into effect at Fermilab on Friday (August 12) John McCook has announced. When you dial Ext. 4343, after a brief recorded message a tape recorder will listen to you tell about your problem. The taped message will be reviewed and appropriate action initiated. It's another communication technique--courtesy Dave Sauer's Communications group--to improve service at Fermilab.

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SITE STOREROOMS CLOSING FOR INVENTORY

Due to annual audited inventories, Fermilab stockrooms will be closed at separate times during the week Aug. 15-19. If necessary, the inventory will continue into the weekend. The Central Laboratory will be closed during the first of the week; the Phillips farm warehouse will shut down for inventory during the latter part of the week. The stockroom not under inventory will be open for emergency service only. Phone Ext. 3808 for information.

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LIBRARY ADDITION

"Europe's Giant Accelerator," the story of CERN's 400 GeV super proton synchrotron has been added to the Fermilab library shelves. The 261-page volume, published in London this year, features color as well as black and white graphics. "Accelerator" tells the story of SPS from the design stage through the achievement of full design energy in June, 1976. Maurice Goldsmith and Edwin Shaw, veteran science writers, co-authored the book. Essential technical aspects of the machine, around which the laboratory is centered, are explained in a way that is accessible to readers unfamiliar with the language of high energy physics or the techniques of the machine builders.

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PLAYGROUP FORMING

A fall playgroup for Fermilab pre-school children is forming. The first meeting will be Thursday, Aug. 25 at 7:30 p.m. in the Central Laboratory, 2-S. The cooperative group for children of Fermilab employees and visitors is for two age groups: 18 months to three years; three years to five years. Openings are available in both groups. To enroll a child or for information, phone Barbara Jonckheere, 879-1283 or Ulla Baker, 231-0339.

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EUROPE'S GIANT ACCELERATOR

MAURICE GOLDSMITH and EDWIN SHAW



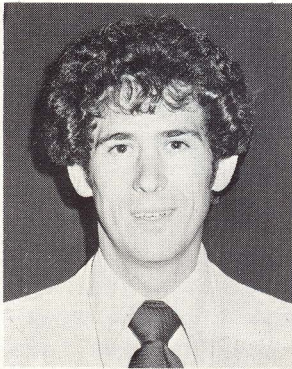
ARTISTS INVADE FERMILAB

Eighteen members of the Wayne Art League captured Fermilab scenes in oil, water colors and charcoal last week. In a second annual visit, league artists set up easels in the Central Laboratory and outdoors on the grounds. Work depicting laboratory views will be displayed at the league's annual show in May, 1978.

WANTED: TENNIS TOURNEY PLAYERS

Tennis buffs -- men and women -- are invited to enter Fermilab's annual tennis tournament. Contact Helen Ecker, CL-1W, Ext. 3126 to sign up.

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SPEAKING OF THE WEATHER...

Physics of the atmosphere -- winds, ocean currents and solar energy -- comprise a system of delicate balances, climatologist Dr. Stephen Schneider said in the Fermilab auditorium Friday. Famines and other significant impacts on society result when the balance is upset, he said, adding that putting chemicals into the air, creating clouds of dust and smoke and changing the color of the land are some ways man affects nature negatively.

"Climatic Changes and the World Food and Energy Crises" was the topic of the second Fermilab Science and Humanities Lecture Series program. Dr. Schneider is deputy head-climate project, National Center for Atmospheric Research, Boulder, Colorado.

...S. Schneider...

Improved food storage/transportation technology is offsetting past dramatic effects of weather, the speaker said. However, the rise of the U.S., Russia and India as world grain producing powers may make the earth's population more vulnerable to low-frequency, high amplitude catastrophes. Citing his "Genesis strategy," Dr. Schneider called for upgrading reserve capacities of food, water and energy to anticipate emergencies.

The Fermilab auditorium lecture series is made possible by a grant from the Illinois Humanities Council and the National Endowment for the Humanities. Next speaker in the series will be Dr. Robert L. Sinsheimer, chairman-division of biology, California Institute of Technology. "Genetic Engineering on our Own" will be his topic at 8:30 p.m. Friday, Oct. 7. Free tickets will be distributed to Fermilab people by the Guest Office from 8:30 a.m., Tuesday, Sept. 6. Ticket distribution to the public will begin Tuesday, Sept. 13, at 8:30 a.m.

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CHARMED PARTICLES RECEIVE BOOST

Despite a 17-2 season finale Wednesday, Fermilab's Charmed Particles softball team celebrated a 5-11 record in an after-game party at the Village Barn. Fans took the occasion to present a check representing funds raised through sale of booster buttons. The money will help finance uniforms and other equipment.

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