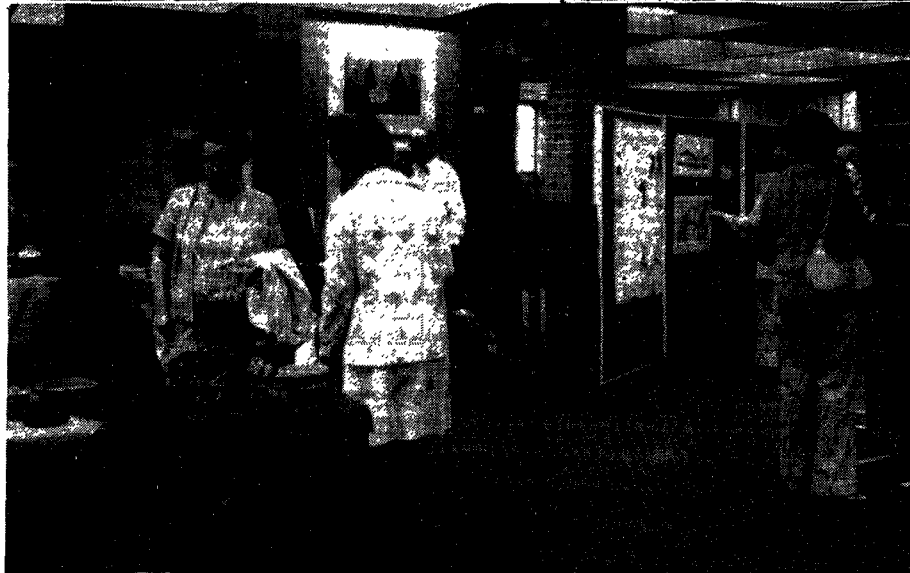


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Interested spectators view the library display at the Fine Arts Festival. (Photo by Dan Chyko of The Hazleton Standard Speaker)

Arts Festival Draws 9,000

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The Greater Hazleton Fine Arts Festival which was held May 6-8, drew about 9,000 people over the three day period, according to Mr. Everitt Binns, Chairman of the Creative Arts Festival's House Committee. This year's Festival was the twelfth annual festival held by the Greater Hazleton Fine Arts Council.

Binns said that the majority of the 9,000 people were from the Greater Hazleton area and he thought that "it proves that Hazleton people enjoy fine arts." Not only do Hazleton people enjoy looking at art, Binns added, but they want to become involved with creating art.

"The workshops were filled," he said.

Festival events ranged from Juried Craft, Photography and Painting shows to sidewalk art exhibitions and sales. Live music and dance performances were featured along with art workshops and demonstrations.

Comments from those who attended the festival included; "I'm really enjoying it," said a man from Hazleton and "Where's the ladies room?" said a woman from freeland.

Binns said that the Arts Festival is very beneficial for Highacres. He referred to the publicity the Festival and Highacres recieved as a

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Gym Dedication To Be Held This Weekend

By CATHY RUSINKO
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Dedication of The Physical Education Building will be held Sunday, May 22 at 2 P.M. in the gymnasium.

Dr. William J. David will act as master of ceremonies for the event. The Physical Education Building will be officially presented to the University by Senator Martin Murray.

Accepting the presentation on behalf of the University will be Dean Robert Quinn, Dean of Academic Instruction for Commonwealth Campuses. On behalf of the faculty, Mr. Joseph Boyle, Chairman of the Faculty Government Association, will accept the presentation. S.G.A President Ron Drum will accept on behalf of the student body. Judge Richard L. Bigelow, President
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