

'SUMMER 75'

To the Editor:

Our thanks to the Port Washington News for its coverage of "Summer '75." The Continuing Education Department, in its initial foray into the field of community education, was very happy with the results of what should have been called "experimental summer."

May we take this opportunity to thank the many people who contributed to the success of the prog-

ram: to the Port Washington School Board who granted the permission to use the schools during the summer; to the administrative staff, who supported the effort and provided staffing help in addition; to Kay Stewart who proved to be a great coordinator; to Pam and Ron Meadows for their splendid Teen Theater; to the members of the orchestra who gave so liberally of their time and talents; to all the "package" directors, student aides and volunteers who were all individually mentioned in your article; to the principals and office staffs of the schools which housed the programs; to the custodians who "cleaned around" the packages; to wonderful Mary Jayne Walsh, our resident nurse; and to Patricia Shackel, the unsung heroine of the office communications center.

We should also like to thank the cooperating agencies (listed alphabetically), namely: Community Action Council, Educational Assistance Center, First Baptist Church, Gay Pearsall (Sousa Band Shell), Girl Scouts, League of Women Voters, Littig House, Nassau County Recreation Department, Police Athletic League, Port Washington Public Library, Port Youth Activities, St. Peter of Alcantara (who offered us a facility which we were unable to use because the program envisioned for that site did not receive sufficient registrants), Temple Beth Israel, Town of North Hempstead Department of Recreation and Youth Activities, and the United Methodist Church.

Each contributed to the overall picture of "Summer '75" and its many services to the Port Washington community. Next year should be bigger and better.

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