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"With a little help from our friends, Avis, Casa keeps moving."

INVOLVEMENT is a watch word at Casa. A summary of the programs in which Casa tries to have a helping hand include:

Sewing Classes	Tutoring
English Classes	Knitting
Pre-School	Senior Citizens
Youth Groups	Rummage
Library	Employment
Voter Information & Transportation	Emergency Transportation
Referral Counselling	Immigration Information
Discretionary Fund	Piece Work through Teraco
Craft Guild (ojos de Dios, silver, flowers and stitchery.)	

Do you have a special interest in one of these areas? Please come and help us help others

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TUTORING begins for the fall term on Monday, September 30th. Helen Bellows is again directing this program which is tailored for elementary school children. We will have two classes; one meeting on Mondays and Wednesdays, the other on Tuesdays and Thursdays. The sessions will be held at our newly renovated Casa de Ninos building at 906 N. Dallas from 3:45 to 4:45 p.m. Volunteers are badly needed to serve as supervisors and tutors. Supervisors need only volunteer one day a week to oversee the program on that day. Tutors either adult or high school students, are needed two days a week since each tutor works with one particular child. An orientation session will be held the week prior to Sept. 30th. For more information, call Helen Bellows, 684-5156; Betty Sheeler, 684-8494; or the Casa.

UNITED WAY began its campaign on September 4th. Since Casa receives a portion of its support through the United Way, we urge you to help with their drive whenever possible. Casa is funded by donations from our supporting churches, private donations and through United Way. We need all three sources of support to continue operating.

SEWING CLASSES will resume Tuesday, September 18th, at St. Andrews Community Center from 9:30 to 11:30 a.m. Lessons will be given on Tuesdays and people may come on Wednesday mornings to sew if they wish.

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MANY THANKS TO:

All our summer volunteers who worked with our combined programs with St. Andrews

Dorothy Horseley and the ladies from Grace Lutheran Church who sponsored our very successful and fun KIDS CLUB.

Bruce Stores & Park Center Y for their help in transportation and for including our Casa children in their recreational program.

Midland Community Theater, Tom Mikotowicz, Pickwick Players, and donors who invited sixty of our children for three delightful Pickwick productions. (Again, Park Center Y provided transportation.)

MORE THANKS . . .

Alfredo Rey and Ricardo Torres for their excellent preparation of materials for the Chicanó Studies
Salvation Army for hauling.
Mrs Harry Denton for a contribution to Casa.
Mr & Mrs. Clifford Nutter and Kathleen Porter for donations to the Discretionary Fund.
Byron Garrison for new clothing from McCoy's Uniform Shop.
Hodges Appliances for used furniture.
A-1 Rental for furniture and appliances.
East Side Lions Club for tickets for a Magic Show.

KINDERGARTEN AT ST. ANDREWS - Drivers are needed to pick up neighborhood children for kindergarten at St. Andrews. Children need to be picked up about 8:50 and then taken home at 11:00 a.m. If you could furnish transportation one day a week or even the 8:50 pickup once a week, it would be appreciated. Call Casa or Barbara or Gloria at St. Andrews, 682-2351.

HELP WANTED: Very often we need the use of a pickup to haul supplies or haul away unusable things. A donated trailer is a much needed item. *Also needed is a handy man who could do minor repair jobs around the Casa. Don Hellinghausen, 682-2900, would be glad to hear from you if you can help. *We are still in need of a lady to work one hour a week on Fridays with our Girls Club. They have been without a leader for many months. Also, Warren Chapman, who directs our Boys Club, needs an assistant on Saturday afternoons for our younger boys, 6-12. *White elephants are always welcome for use as bingo prizes at our Senior Citizens Luncheon.

ENGLISH CLASSES: Father Jim Considine and his faithful crew from St. Nicholas Episcopal Church will start English lessons again in Sept. More later.

RUMMAGE ROOM welcomes Senora Refugio Lomeli who is now in charge of our rummage room. She opens for the Sat. sales from 1-4 p.m. and also during the week. All clothing is sold at 10¢ and this money helps pay her salary. Senora Lomeli also helps with knitting and crocheting, and makes ojos de Dios in our Crafts Guild. **URGENTLY NEEDED:** is good quality children's clothing for the rummage room. We also try to keep bedding and baby clothes on hand. These are not sold as rummage but are given out in emergencies.

MEMORIAL: The Casa Board members and all of Marilyn Van Petten's friends mourn the loss of her husband, Ed. Ed and Marilyn have been actively involved in Casa since its inception nearly 10 yrs. ago. Ed has helped in many ways; at one time donating his family car when Casa was desperate for transportation. We will miss Ed and lend our love and support to Marilyn. It is a fitting tribute to Ed that the following people, knowing Ed's commitment to the work of the Casa, sought to express their sympathy by sending memorials to the Casa Discretionary Fund, which has as its purpose to help those who can find no other help.

Mr & Mrs. Paul Rea
Mr & Mrs. Gene Jeary
Mr & Mrs. Dick Rousselot
Family Counselling
Mr & Mrs. George Stoner
Mr & Mrs. Eric K. Ericson
Mr & Mrs. John Ingram
Mrs. Muriel Bartlett
Malcolm K. Brachman

Mr. & Mrs. Hampton Hodges
Mr. & Mrs. L. W. Shrum
United Way
Mr. & Mrs. Jack Hitt
Mr. & Mrs. E. H. Watkins
Betty Ruth Smith
Mr. & Mrs. Reo Goodwin
Mrs. Betty Jo Morgan

"Loving is enough . . . If you know how"

By D. Rowe Lindsley

P.A.C.E. directed by Manuel Reyes, offers counselling to young people which encourages them to seek further education, either academic or vocational. Mr. Reyes is available for conferences with students and/or families