Local Head Start Begins Operation

Head Start Program for Lafayette Parish begins Tuesday, with the five-day in-service workshop for teachers and aides.

Friday, Sept. 8 and Monday, Sept. 11, registration for children will be held from 8:30 a.m. - 12 noon. A parent must accompany the child to the registration center bringing a copy of the child’s birth certificate and the immunization record.

Parents may bring their children to one of the following registration centers: Duson Elementary, Boucher Elementary, James Elementary, Broussard Elementary, Milton Elementary, LeRosen Elementary, Youngsville Elementary, Carancro High, Leo Judice Elementary (Scott), Vermillion Elementary, N. P. Moss or Judice High.

The Head Start Program will enroll 378 children with 21 teachers and 21 teacher aides.

Lecture Program

John Mouton, project director, will preside over the in-service workshop. Tuesday’s schedule will include the following speakers: F. C. Delana, superintendent of Lafayette Parish schools; Harold Gauther, superintendent of elementary education; Joe Glorioso, supervisor of federally supported programs; Paul Broussard, assistant superintendent; Mouton; Dr. C. Edward Hamilton, medical advisor; Larry Marks, social group worker and Mrs. Pauline Navarre, home - school coordinator.

Wednesday’s lecture program is: Mrs. Marvene Bonnet, educationalist; Mrs. Verdie St. Julien, coordinator of volunteers; Mrs. Annette Decou, home economist; Mrs. Carmelita Thierry, language development specialist.

Thursday’s schedule includes the speakers: Mrs. Doris Regan of the Department of Special Education, Mrs. Louise Dorsey of Lafayette Day Nursery and Mrs. Jean Durkee, kindergarten director.

Ends Tuesday

The program for Monday, Sept. 11, includes the speakers: Mrs. Marie Boudreaux and Mrs. Mildred White, kindergarten teachers; Mrs. Gyneth Domingue, coordinator of medical services for Head Start; and Mrs. Allen Kiser, project nurse.

The workshop will close with the activities of Tuesday, Sept. 12. Speakers will be Mrs. Thierry, Mrs. Decou, Mrs. Bonnet and Mrs. Bernes Folkner, public health nutritionist.