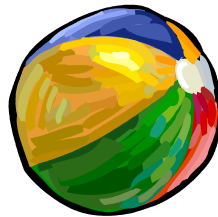


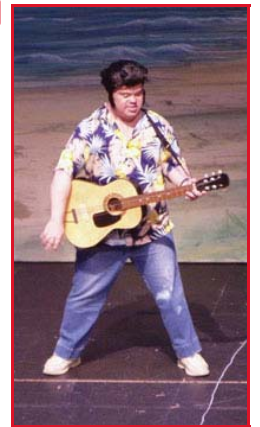


# Park Lawn Players return to the Stage

The Park Lawn Players recently returned to the stage for their fourth musical review, *“Hot Fun in the Summertime”*, a spectacular musical celebration held for the first time at the Moraine Valley Fine and Performing Arts Center in Palos Hills. Previous performances were held at Park Lawn but this highly popular event now requires a larger venue. The choir is made up of 32 individuals with developmental disabilities enrolled in various Park Lawn programs.



The stage was picture perfect as the curtain opened to beautiful beach scene backdrop complete with palm trees and crashing waves. The choir, directed by Park Lawn staff, Debbie Alba, Nikki Miller, and Jill Tyszko, performed to a group of over 500 people! The audience enjoyed the music of some favorite summertime tunes such as “Here Comes the Sun”, “Tropical Heat Wave” and “Surfin USA”. All agreed the showstopper was Elvis, aka Park Lawn Player Chuck Eberhardt, with his rendition of “Rock-A-Hula.”



“This show was bigger and better than ever, remarked Debbie Alba. It was a fantastic feeling to be in a real theater. We were thrilled and the choir members felt like they were on Broadway. We can’t wait to start planning for our next performance”.

