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The Muddy Waters Blues Band will be featured in <u>Jazz in the</u> <u>Garden</u> at The Museum of Modern Art, 11 West 53 Street, tonight (Thursday, July 8) at 8:30. Muddy, guitarist and vocalist, will be joined by James Cotton on harmonica, Little Bo, tenor sax, James "Pee Wee" Madison, guitar, Otis Spann, piano and vocals, Milton Ricks, bass, and P. J., drums. The group plays the fourth of ten Thursday evening promenade concerts sponsored jointly by the Museum and <u>Down Beat</u> magazine.

Jazz in the Garden will continue July 15 with The Jazz Composers Orchestra, directed by Mike Mantler and Carla Bley, featuring the New York Arts Quartet.

The regular Museum admission, \$1.00, admits visitors to galleries, open Thursdays until 10 p.m. Tickets for <u>Jazz in the</u> <u>Garden</u> are an additional 50 cents. Sandwiches and soft drinks are available to concert-goers only in the Garden Restaurant. Dinner is served to the public in the Penthouse Restaurant from 6 to 8. In case of rain, the concert will be canceled; tickets will be honored at the concert following.

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