Summergarden The Museum of Modern Art (perf. dates: Aug. 30 and 31)

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THE BRASS QUINTET OF THE LIGHT FANTASTIC PLAYERS AT SUMMERGARDEN

THE BRASS QUINTET of The Light Fantastic Players presents Renaissance, Baroque and contemporary chamber music at 8 PM, Friday and Saturday, August 30 and 31, in The Museum of Modern Art's Summergarden. Free admission is through the Sculpture Garden gate at 8 West 54 Street.

The Quintet will draw from its repertoire works by Ewald, Gabrieli, Pezel and Bach among others.

The Brass Quintet of The Light Fantastic Players:

Rolla Durham, trumpet Joe Eggebeen, tuba Glenn Kenreich, trombone Julie Landsman, French horn Bruce E. Engel, trumpet

A grant from Mobil Oil Corporation enables The Museum of Modern Art to open its Abby Aldrich Rockefeller Sculpture Garden as a free public park from 6 PM to 11 PM every Friday, Saturday and Sunday through September 29. Program Director Ed Bland has selected unusual informal entertainment for Fridays and Saturdays at 8 PM. Entrance is through the Garden gate at 8 West 54 Street. The public is invited to view more than 30 large-scale sculptures and enjoy informal music, or just relax in one of the most beautiful and famous "parks" in the world.

September 6 and 7 -- THE WALL STREET DIXIELAND BAND

13 and 14 -- OREGON, free-form jazz woodwinds featuring oboe 20 and 21 -- EMMETT "the stick" CHAPMAN, compositional improvisation 27 and 28 -- JOHN WATTS, composer for ARP Synthesizer

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