

Meatball (Westside Software)
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Into establishing community viewing centers, consultant work and training people in the use of the equipment. Also do work on scripted and documentary material. Have 1/2" portable Sony pack and editing equipment and access to 1".

Media Associates
Peter Weiner and Jim Tick
RFD Hanover St.
Yorktown Heights, N.Y.
Tel: 914-YO2-4761

Interest is in documenting lifestyles of people the general public is aware of but not familiar with e.g. craftsmen (glass blowers, potters, dome builders), cops, videopeople, etc. Also, have worked with people teaching them to use the equipment. Presently, trying to get tapes onto cable. Have 2 portapaks, 1 Sony 5000a, 2 Panasonic 3130 vtr's, 1 Panasonic 3150. Also, 1" Ampex, 2 studio cameras, audio mixer, switcher/fader, special effects generator.

Metropolitan Training Institute for Drug Abuse Treatment
Alan Miller
154-27 Horace Harding Expwy.
Queens, N.Y. 11367
Tel: 212-939-8883

Development and use of video in counselor training including: feedback experiments, program designs for training. Have Sony 1/2" portapak, AV3600, AV3650, studio camera, monitors, SEG-2.

New York Public Library
Fifth Ave. at 42nd St. Room 103
New York, N.Y. 10018
Tel: 212-790-6466

Ten weekly sessions for teenagers from H.S. of Art and Design, H.S. of Music and Art, Forest Hills High, Trinity School, Rhodes School, I.S. 70 in the use of 1/2" video sponsored by Library's Office of Young Adult Activities and the NYPL Film Library. Funding is made possible through NYSCA.

Osis Film Inc.
645 West End Ave.
New York, N.Y. 10025
Tel: 212-874-6933 or LO5-2081
Have 1/2" equipment.

***Portable Channel**
308 Park Ave.
Rochester, N.Y. 14607
Tel: 716-244-1259

Operating an equipment pool which services artists, photographers, students, community groups, it trains people in the use and potentialities of the equipment. Is currently presenting a series of tapes on the public access channels in N.Y.—both on Teleprompter and Sterling Manhattan. Its data bank of 1/2" tapes is impressive and they can be written to for a copy of their tape log. *Its range of material is broad and extensive: it covers entertainment and music, local culture, education, politics and social action (farm workers' meeting, Shirley Chisholm in Rochester, 3 Attica Inmates, Thomas Merton: The Truth about Reform, etc.), Women, Health, Video, Cable and the Medium, etc. etc.

Port Washington Public Library
Walter A. Dale-project director
Port Washington, N.Y.
Tel: 516-883-4400 Ext. 45

Developing vtr as a citizen production access center within the institution of the library. Emphasis is on people: programs by, for and of people. Have 2 Sony portapaks, and AV3600 and 3650 editing and playback decks.

Queer Blue Light—Gay Revolution Video
P.O. Box 410
Old Chelsea Station
New York, N.Y. 10011
Tel: 212-875-5997 or 875-6273

Are an all gay group working with other gay people to explore through video what it means to be gay, to capture some of the reflections of our life-style which we can share with the gay community. Have Sony 1/2" equipment.

***New Address:**
Richard Rubinstein
c/o The Ultimate Mirror, Ltd.
127 West 79th St.
New York, N.Y. 10024

*Has completed a 15-minute short subject, "The Thing About Sculpture," the first of a series of programs about American artists living abroad. Program shot on 1/2" video at the artist's home on an Island



of the Balearic Group (off the coast of Spain), providing a unique look into the creative process of a particularly gifted sculptor. Originally shot on 1/2" AV Rover and transferred to highband 2" for editing. Low band dubs also available (1/2" AV).

Serafini Electronics Co.
P.O. Box 404 (154 West Hoffman Ave.)
Lindenhurst, N.Y. 11757
Tel: 516-842-9043

They are going into 1/2" sales and service. Interested in Europeans working in alternate television.

***New Address and Name**
Survival Arts Media
595 Broadway
New York, N.Y. 10012
Tel: 212-966-6530

*Formerly, Peoples' Video Theatre. See Cable section for article on *public access experiment*.

***True Light Beavers**
c/o Tobe Carey
Willow, N.Y.
Have begun a community school outside of Woodstock where they have used 1/2" videotape in workshops with young children. Also, have tapes of a recent trip to Mexico where they took children from

the school. Tapes include archaeological information. In addition, as a collective venture they have written a cookbook called *Feast*, published by Doubleday and out in bookstores in late October. Recipes from everywhere. First eclectic cookbook of the new consciousness and with some interesting additions: tips on feeding an infant, tips for vegetarian survival, raising chickens and chicken recipes, berry picking, meat cutting for the beginner, fasting and some short stories. *See video experimentation section for article on child birth tape and information on its availability. Have 1/2" Sony Portapak and Panasonic 3130 editing deck.

Videofile
Jim Gallo
203 East 27th St.
New York, N.Y. 10016
Tel: 212-OR9-4937

Produces documentaries independently and for business; also theatre productions; and educational. Has Sony AV 3650 and Sony studio cameras. Also on occasion uses an Akai 1/4" portapak which he's found to be very reliable.

West Side Video
c/o Film Forum
256 West 88 Street
New York, N.Y. 10024

Just beginning. Want to serve the greater West Side Community and to initiate own program for Channel "C" public access CATV.

***Women's Video Collective**
152 West 76th St.
New York, N.Y.
Tel: 212-362-4164 or LT1-6470

Group formed with grant from NYSCA to use video as a process tool in men's and women's consciousness raising groups. Have started series of tapes on women's health. Tapes available are "May Wilson: Portrait of an Artist", "Women on Sex"—a discussion, and "Gynecological Examination." Have Sony portapak.

***Women's Video News Service**
same address as above

Coalition of women working in video. First project was to cover women involved in the Democratic Convention. Write or call for information on how to get the tape.

Woodstock Center for Religion and Worship
475 Riverside Drive
New York, N.Y. 10027
Tel: 212-866-7646

Street taping; classroom use; study of theatre, dance, play as applicable to new forms of worship. Have 3400 Rover, 3650 editing deck and 2 monitors.

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Howard R. Banchek
171 West Maynard 4-A
Columbus, Ohio 43202

Is into Medical Communications. Plans to visit hospitals in different parts of the country and record a. patient education classes, b. medical and paramedical training sessions, c. community involvement (especially in rural communities), and d. community hospital feedback.