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Bradley trains arrangers

CHAMPION arranger Clive Bradley, recently completed the second programme of lectures and workshops for steelband arrangers.

This year's programme was hosted by the San City Steel Symphony Steel Orchestra and was sponsored by the San Fernando Corporation.

20 participants benefited from the lectures and workshops put on by Bradley, who said that it was gratifying to find that level of enthusiasm among the participants.

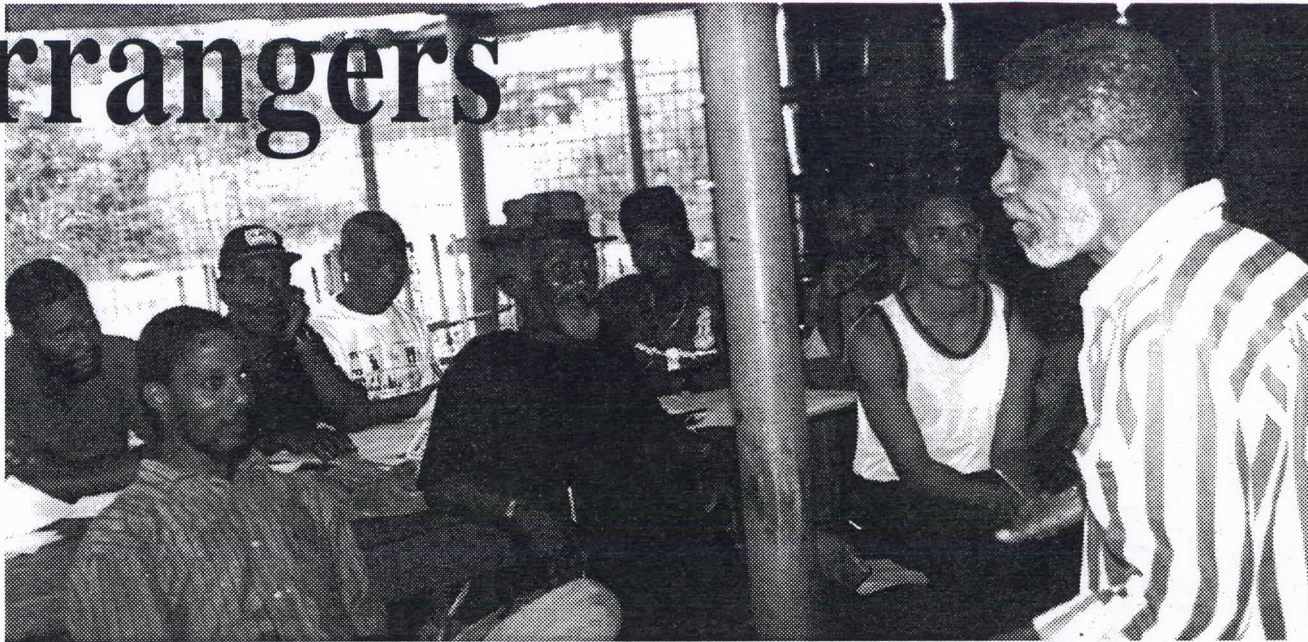
Arrangers representing Hatters Steel Orchestra, the Mt Moriah Pan Movement, Sforzata Steel Orchestra, Southern Marines, the Naparima Girls Steel Band Project, Mod Sec Pan

Pioneers and San City were among the students.

This year's course, which was completed on June 23, was a follow up exercise to a similar workshop held in November 1995. An evaluation was conducted and certificates handed out to graduating students.

Officials of San City told the *Express* that the programmes were embarked upon to stem a perceived negative growth of the steelband movement and declining standards of the music.

San City plans to mount a programme later this year on the administrative aspects of steelband leadership, called "An Introduction to Steelband Management" (Terry Joseph)



CLIVE BRADLEY explains some of the finer points of the art of arranging for the steelband.