

Polka bands set benefit



CHET DRAGON

Chet Dragon is the Massachusetts chairman of the American Cancer Society Polka Fund. Five polka bands, three groups of dancers, and two radio personalities are all contributing their talents and services to make the Polka Party one of the outstanding features of the 1975 Cancer Crusade.

The Hatfield Barn with a capacity for 1200 guests is donating its facilities May 14, from 7 p.m. until midnight. Local community leaders are being invited, and tickets will be available at the door and in several of the local stores. Food will be sold to help reach a goal of \$25,000 set by the National Polka Group.

The groups and individuals involved in this event are the Chet Dragon Orchestra, the New Brass, the Victor Kraz Orchestra, Heavy Chicago, the Jolly Polkateers, the Sugar and Spice Dancers, the White Eagle Dancers, the Happy Children Dancers, Frank Knight from Channal 40 and Tracy Cole from WREB in Holyoke.

Their aim, according to a spokesman, is to fill the Hatfield Barn and give every one a good time; and thereby lead "polka patients" to better health.