

State School Open House Program Set

The annual Willowbrook State School open house, held in connection with the 17th National Mental Health Week, will be starting Wednesday at 1 p.m.

Beginning in the auditorium of Building 3 with greetings by the institution's director, Dr. Jack Hammond, the program will consist of a film, "Not Without Hope." the presentation of two awards — the psychiatric aide award given by the New York State Association for Mental Health and the outstanding employee of the year award given by the State Association of Retarded Children — tours and entertainment by the children of Willowbrook.

Booths will be set up in the auditorium to acquaint guests with the functions of nine departments and services of the school.

The exhibits include the academic school department, the benevolent society for Retarded Children, the clinical laboratory, the nursing service, the occupational therapy division, the recreation department, the research department, the school of practical nursing and volunteer services.

The theme of the open house is "Not Without Hope."