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Hurry, hurry—get your bike out of the basement and get ready to ride with David and the PF for the first annual *Partridge Family*—American Cancer Society Bike-A-Thon on Saturday and Sunday, October 28 and 29! Sponsors of the bike riders will donate money for each mile completed on the ride. If YOU want to ride along with David and the PF, contact your local chapter of the American Cancer Society for further information.



Yup! The Osmonds have gone and done it again—they received their eleventh gold record in less than one year for their fine Phase III album. That's Mike Curb, President of MGM Records, shaking Donny's hand.



That handsome happy group, the Chi-lites (left), cleaned up in the *Record World* 1972 R&B (Rhythm and Blues) awards. First off, they were awarded Top Record of the year for their hit Brunswick single *Have You Seen Her*, plus which they took first place in the top Male Vocal Group category! Congratulate (l to r) Marshall Thompson, Robert Lester, Creadel Jones and Eugene Record (kneeling)—the creative genius who not only writes all those chart-topping windy city sounds but also produces the group! Second place in the single Top Record category was taken by the *I'll Take You There* Staple Singers on the Stax label. They also were named number one group in the Top R&B Vocal Combination category, and walked away with yet another blue ribbon in the Top Vocal LP category. Here's a cute pic of this together family (l to r) sisters Yvonne, Cleo, Mavis and pipe-smoking Pop Staple in the middle. Don't think the Jackson 5 were left out of these awards —Mike Jackson took honors for his Motown single *Got To Be There*, was cited as one of the finest New Male Vocalists and the 5 themselves were right up there with the best of them in the Top Male Vocal Group competition!

