

Parents' rally brings end to school strike

by Rosemary Tirio

What umpteen negotiation sessions with federal and state mediators could not achieve, vocal intervention by nearly 1,000 frustrated Niles Township parents did achieve: an end to the 11-day strike by the 311 teachers and 141-member support staff of the two high schools in District 219.

Teachers union president Frank Mayfield acknowledged in a Chicago Tribune article that the union would not have settled without the parental push.

The parents assembled in the auditorium of Niles North High School Sunday where the grassroots parent group, the Independent Parents Committee, formed by Michael Lorge in response to the strike, organized them into the chanting and demanding pressure group that demonstrated outside District 219 headquarters, 7700 Grosse Point Road, Skokie, where negotiations between the school board and the teachers union were in progress.

In less than 10 hours, at 3:30 a.m. Monday, Nov. 4, officials emerged from the marathon session to announce that a tentative agreement had, at last, been reached.

In the four-year compromise package teachers will receive a 1.1 percent salary increase for the next two years in addition to the

1.6 percent step increase they normally receive annually for seniority.

In years three and four of the contract teacher pay raises will be tied to the tax cap, which is now 2.5 percent and cannot legally exceed 5 percent.

One board member, Joe Weiss, a 1987 Niles North graduate, said in a Tribune article that he would vote against the settlement saying that District 219 wages are too high and calling for teacher salaries to be frozen.

The average salary for District 219 teachers is now \$64,440, currently the ninth highest in the state. Deerfield District 113 salaries average \$68,975, and Winnetka and Lake Forest teachers also earn more than Niles teachers.

Nonetheless, Sam Borek, board president, said in a District 219 press release that "the Board of Education is elated. This agreement respects our excellent teachers and is also highly responsible to our students, parents and community."

Teachers union vice president and Niles North High School English teacher Jim Sweeney was equally pleased with the settlement. He praised the salary settlement crediting the teachers' union.

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District 207 students mirror decline in skills

"We may well be part of the statewide downturn in IGAP scores today," said Superintendent Steve Snider about reading scores in the Illinois Goals Assessment Program (IGAP) for District 207 which showed a significant decline mirroring the state-wide trend. "However, our mission, our strategic plan and our effort will mean improved learning that will be reflected in a learning curve superior to state trends for tomorrow."

The average district reading score went from 279 last year to 243 this year. The average reading score at East went from 283 to 234; at South from 299 to 258; and at West from 250 to 234. The percent of students who do not meet state goals increased from 17 percent to 26 percent across the district. At East the percent who do not meet state goals increased from 17 percent to 31 percent; at South from 10 percent to 22 percent; and at West from 25 percent to 26 percent.

The average district writing score decreased significantly from 28.7 to 27.7 because of significant decreases at East and West.

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Niles Library Board to fill 3 vacancies

As part of the Consolidated Election on April 1, 1997, three Trustees will be elected to the Board of the Niles Public Library District. Available are two six-year terms and one two-year term. To be eligible for this election, a citizen must be a resident of the library district and a registered voter.

Information about the election may be obtained at the library's Administrative Office. Please call 967-8554 and ask for Library Administrator Cary Czarniecki. The deadline for filing petitions for these offices is January 21, 1997.

Clinton, Durbin, Devine, Yates, Capparelli run strong in Niles & Maine Townships despite record low voter turnout

Democrats win in area elections

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Despite mild weather and the fact that polls were open from 6 a.m. to 7 p.m. Tuesday, the voter turnout of 61 percent in Chicago and less than 70 percent in suburban Cook County was the lowest in history.

Chicago Board of Commissioners reported that a 61 percent turnout was nearly 10 points lower than the record low of 71.5 percent set in 1988, and 13.5 percentage points lower than the 1992 figure of 74.5 percent.

7th District Illinois Senate

By a narrow margin of only 800 votes in Maine Township, incumbent Walter Dudycyz narrowly defeated his Democratic challenger Robert Martwick 7,400 to 6,608.

Dudycyz, a veteran Chicago police officer, relied on his record of tax-cap bill sponsorship claiming credit for keeping down some property tax increases.

13th Illinois House District

Another incumbent, State Rep.

Ralph Capparelli, who garnered 7,481 Maine Township votes to Republican challenger Peter Callaghan's 4,901, will retain his

House seat. Capparelli proposed channeling new state revenues into the

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Police to conduct road check in Niles

As the winter driving season fast approaches and the holiday season is upon us, a joint venture will be undertaken by the Cook County Sheriff, Niles, Park Ridge, and Des Plaines Police Departments to make the roads in our communities safer. In a cooperative effort these four police departments will conduct a Roadside Safety Check. This check will take place on November 8, on Dempster Street between Potter Road and Greenwood Avenue.

Vehicles will be checked for safety, equipment, and/or insurance violations. Drivers will be checked for drivers licenses, safety belts violations. Observations will also be made of children in vehicles and the proper restraint of those children.

"We wish to promote safety of those using the public highways and deter the unsafe operation of motor vehicles upon the streets of our communities," said Sgt. Roger Wilson, Niles Public Information Officer. "We do it to keep people aware of what's going on on the highways and byways. People are still being killed by drunks."

Election Results

November 5, 1996
Maine & Niles Township

Cook County	1996 Presidential Vote Totals	Maine Township 85% REPORTING	Niles Township 85% REPORTING
States Attorney	Bill Clinton (DEM)	19,297	20,269
	Bob Dole (REP)	16,823	8,684
	Ross Perot (IND)	2,149	1,234
1996 U.S. Senate Vote Totals	Maine Township 85% REPORTING	Niles Township 85% REPORTING	
Dick Durbin (DEM)	20,615	20,726	
Al Salvi (REP)	18,071	8,837	
1996 9th Dist. U.S. Congress	Maine Township 85% REPORTING	Niles Township 85% REPORTING	
Sidney Yates (DEM)	3,969	17,379	
Joe Walsh (REP)	4,311	12,274	

Cook County	Maine Twnp: 13,369 votes	Niles Twnp: 15,324 votes
Jack O'Malley (REP)	Maine Twnp: 29,665 votes	Niles Twnp: 12,624 votes

RTA Reduced Fare Program registration offered

Registration for the RTA Reduced Fare Program for seniors, aged 65 and older, will be held on Tuesday, December 3, at 10 a.m. at Council for Jewish Elderly, 3003 W. Touhy, Chicago. Participants must bring one of the following forms of identification: a driver's license, passport, alien registration card, or State of IL ID card. Photos will be taken to be affixed to the reduced fare card.

For further information, call Council for Jewish Elderly at (312)-508-1050.

S.I.J. 55 Plus Club enjoys activities

Our Halloween Party was super. The committee of Bernice Zirko, Ann Adinolfi, Dottie Sansone, and Rose Mortello did a splendid job. The food was delicious catered by Sarnecki Bros. Our photographer Gill Kaitis did a great job of taking pictures.

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in the fun by getting up and doing "The Macarena".

The winners of the costumes were: Josephine Brown, Marie Argyrakis, and Irving Eisenstein. Our photographer Gill Kaitis did a great job of taking pictures.

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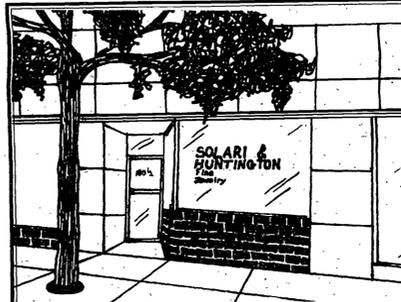
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NILES SENIOR CENTER REGISTRATION

The Niles Senior Center is open to residents of the Village of Niles age 62 and over, and their younger spouses. Niles seniors interested in obtaining additional senior center information should call or visit the center and be placed on the mailing list. The center is located at 8060 Oakton Street.

YARN NEEDED

The Senior Center is requesting any left-over yarn or scraps of material (8"x 8" or bigger). Lap robes and shawls are made for veterans at Hines Hospital. Volunteer knitters and crocheters are needed. If interested, contact Mary Vandenplas.

CARBON MONOXIDE VOLUNTEERS NEEDED

The Village of Niles Carbon Monoxide FREE screening program needs volunteers to call seniors in Niles to schedule appointments for carbon monoxide inspections. The program runs from November to May and only 2 hours a week is requested. If you are interested, contact Kelly Mickle.

KITCHEN BAND

A kitchen band interest list is being formed. If you would like to be part of a kitchen band, contact the center.

INCOME TAX COUNSELORS NEEDED

The Niles Senior Center with the cooperation of AARP is currently seeking individuals who would like to assist seniors with their income tax forms. A commitment of only 4 hours per week from February through April, along with the capability of completing simple tax forms is all that is needed. Training is provided. If interested, contact Mary Oleky.

SAFE AT HOME PRESENTATION

Safe at Home is a free video presentation on Friday, Nov. 15 at 2 p.m. that is about annual home maintenance that keeps you safe. You will learn all about carbon monoxide poisoning and its causes and prevention; how to take good care of your heating and venting systems to prevent problems. George Nowak from Code Enforcement and Kelly Mickle, Program Coordinator, will discuss the Carbon Monoxide Program that the Village of Niles provides. Registration required.

MEN'S CLUB REGULAR MEETING AND SHOOT-OUT

The Men's Club regular meeting and shoot-out will be held on Monday, Nov. 18 at 10 a.m. Tickets will be on sale for Drury Lane Oak Brook Outing on January 23.

WOMEN'S CLUB

HOLIDAY DECORATION MEETING

Holiday decorations for the Botanic Gardens will be prepared by the Women's Club on Monday, Nov. 18 at 1:30 p.m. Mark your calendar, as the date of this event has been changed. The Women's Club meeting will take place on November 25 at 12 noon.

HANDLING HOLIDAY STRESS THROUGH MASSAGE THERAPY

Handling holiday stress through massage therapy is a free class given by students from the Chicago School of Massage Therapy. Free shoulder and neck massages will be given. Learn how massage can be used to handle stress and pain on Friday, Dec. 6 at 2 p.m. Registration required.

WOMEN'S CLUB BOTANIC GARDENS TRIP

A Botanic Gardens trip sponsored by the Women's Club is scheduled for Wednesday, Dec. 11 from 11 a.m. until 5:30 p.m. Lunch will be at the Orrington Hotel in Evanston followed by a tour of the holiday displays at the Botanic Gardens. Price per person is \$23. Call for ticket availability.

Regency celebrates National Home Care Month

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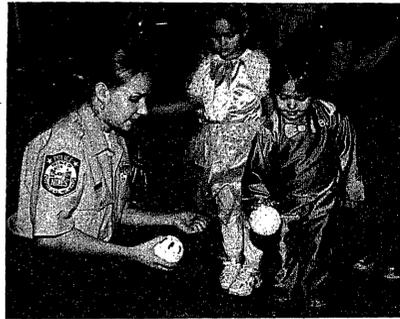


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Niles Explorer Post 53 volunteer Gwen Zoldan assists Alexandra Piekarczyk 3, of Niles with one of the many games and events at the 13th annual village Halloween party held at Notre Dame High School. Some 2,200 trick or treaters attended the fulfilled evening which is sponsored by Mayor Blase, the police dept. and the Village of Niles.

Morton Grove Parks receive grant

Governor Jim Edgar announced on Friday, Oct. 25, 1996, that the Morton Grove Park District would be one of the 81 projects in communities of all sizes that will be funded through the Illinois Department of Natural Resources Open Space and Land Acquisition Development/OSLAD Funds. The money is earmarked for parks and outdoor recreation projects throughout the State of Illinois. Maximum grants are \$200,000 for development. To qualify for a grant the agency must show a need for its project and the ability to carry it through to completion. Other factors include the agency's record in maintaining its other facilities, the amount of local planning involved and the projects ability to address regional and statewide outdoor recreation priorities.

The Morton Grove Park District Board of Commissioners approved a grant application in June after holding neighborhood meetings with local residents in the winter of 1996. Included in the plans are a new playground, an in-line skating area, sand volleyball, basketball, walking path, tree planting and extensive improvements to the baseball and soccer fields. The project will also include a small shelter which will be used for day camp and neighborhood picnics. The project is estimated to cost \$400,000; of which 50 percent would be covered by the State Grant and the other 50 percent will be funded by the Park District's Capital Improvement Project Funds which includes limited tax bonds and Corporate Fund surplus. Park Board Commissioner Betty Ferguson presented this project to the Illinois Department of Natural Resources Grant Advisory Board on Tuesday, Sept. 24. In the upcoming months, the Park Board will decide exactly when this project will be implemented at National Park. Work is tentatively set to begin in the Fall of 1997 and could be completed in the Spring of 1998.

The Park District is currently renovating Austin Park which was funded in part by a grant from the Illinois Department of Natural Resources received in February of 1996. That project is budgeted to cost \$198,000; \$99,000 is being funded through the grant. Renovations underway include: new walkways, sand volleyball court, drinking fountains, basketball resurfacing, new trees and landscape improvements. A "Bike Tech" safety area which is a unique play area for preschool age children is being equipped with one-way streets, railroad crossing and stop signs. Children can climb a train, fire engine and police car playground equipment featured in the area.

Illinois Department of Natural Resources OSLAD Grants have assisted in the renovation of Harrier Park, Oriole Park, Prairie View Park and Mansfield Park.

Michala M. Smith

Navy Cmdr. Michala M. Smith, whose husband, Douglas, is the son of Florence J. Smith of Glenview, recently assumed command of Atlantic Fleet Headquarters Support Activity, Norfolk, Va.

She joined the Navy in October 1977.

Morton Grove Legion Parade

To commemorate Veteran's Day, the Morton Grove American Legion Post #134 will hold their traditional ceremony and parade to honor veterans of all wars on Sunday, Nov. 10th.

A parade will step off from the Legion Memorial Home, 6140 Dempster, at 1 p.m. led by the Legion Rifle Squad.

Included will be the Navy Band, a police dept. band, the Post's Aux. Unit and village dignitaries as well as scout groups. The parade will progress south on

Georgiana to Caputina, then east to School St. and south to Lincoln.

The ceremonies to take place at the Morton Grove Library include a welcome by Post Sr. Vice Cmdr. Joe Hedrick and speeches by Morton Grove's Mayor, Post Commander Ken Fligelman and 7th Dist. American Legion Sr. Vice Cmdr. Ron Daum, a past commander of the Morton Grove Post.

After a musical interlude, the parade will re-form and return to

David M. Ivezic

Navy Lt. David M. Ivezic, a 1987 graduate of Niles West High School of Skokie, recently reported for duty with Patrol Squadron 40, Naval Air Station Whidbey Island, Oak Harbor, Wash.

He joined the Navy in July 1988.

the Legion Home via Georgiana. Short ceremonies and a salute to the deceased as well as a musical selection will be featured. Light refreshments will be served to the youngsters and participants inside the Legion Home following the patriotic services.

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St. John Brebeuf's Golden-Agers

The time has come to stop hobnobbing with the hobgoblins and to pack up the black-and-orange decorations, put away the tricks and polish off all the delicious treats. The Golden-Agers of St. John Brebeuf are getting ready to trot to the tune of the turkey brigade.

Chester Bonk presided at the club's business meeting. All reports were given by the club's other officers.

Anniversaries for the month included: Harry and Virginia Brekke, 44 years; Lorenz and

Financial planning for seniors

Council for Jewish Elderly will hold a free financial planning seminar for older adults on Wednesday, Nov. 13 at 2 p.m. at 3003 W. Touhy, Chicago. A certified financial planner will talk about smart investments and how to increase spendable income to make it last. For further information, contact CJE at (773) 508-1050.

Magdalena Doser, 58 years; Adrian and Leona Galassi, 51 years; John and Sophie Keopke, 58 years; Frank and Ann Knapp, 59 years; Gus and Millie Miller, 62 years; Leonard and Lottie Rospenda, 54 years; Bob and Shirley Zieliński, 39 years.

Congratulations to all the happy couples! And congratulations to all the October birthday celebrants, too!

Carl Ferina held a discussion on securing buses for the club's trips. He also has planned a 12-day trip to Nevada by Mayflower in April.

Bob Bianchi, Henry Piontek and Mike Provenzano will hold a meeting for the revision of the club's bylaws.

Matt Araszewski thanked the members for their donations of books to the library of the U.S. Medical Center in North Chicago.

George and Margaret Roth recently spend five fun-filled days in Branson, Missouri.

Lorraine Micek recently enjoyed a visit from her daughter Pat and son-in-law Steven Skokal

and grandson Brian, from North Carolina, who were in town for a week. They enjoyed horse races, Navy Pier and a Tour of Chicago.

Because All Saints and All Souls Day are coming very soon, all members should take time to remember their dear family members, club friends and all the acquaintances who passed away this year. Helen Willer recently lost two of her very closest and oldest friends, Harold and Lorraine Daehler. Lorraine and Helen attended school together from the first grade on. Helen knew Lorraine for 74 years. To these dear friends and to all of the club's departed let us say "You are not forgotten, nor will you ever be, as long as life and memory last. We will remember thee."

ART CLASS
Seniors are invited to the November, "Take Time For Thursdays" program on November 7 at 1 p.m. in the Prairie View Community Center. Get ready for the gift-giving season with some good ideas for a great gift basket by Charlene Ratskoff of Baskets of Fancies. Also, Kathleen St. Michele of Michaels will demonstrate how to make a professional looking bow for gift packages or other decorations. Bring a four foot spool of ribbon to practice her techniques. This program is free, but reservations are limited. Call Catherine Dean at 965-1200 to save a space for this program.

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On Thursday, Nov. 14, the Prairie View Travel Club will attend the matinee performance of "Oklahoma" at Drury Lane in Oakbrook. This romantic tale of the prairies includes many favorite songs like "People Will Say We're In Love," and of course, "Oklahoma." For a delicious luncheon of either Chicken Breast Marsala or Boston Scrod and a wonderful Rodgers & Hammerstein Production, this will be a great afternoon. The bus will leave the Prairie View Community Center at 11 a.m. and return at 5 p.m. The cost is \$34 for residents and \$37.50 for non-residents. Call Catherine Dean at 965-1200 for reservation availability.

NORTHWEST SYMPHONY ORCHESTRA AND RACHEL BARTON
The Northwest Symphony Orchestra will celebrate its 45th anniversary season with a very special series of concerts. The season opens at 3:30 p.m. on Sunday, Nov. 17 in the Matine West High School Theatre with an "all Brahms" concert featuring noted Chicago violinist Rachel Barton. For ticket information about this performance and the upcoming season, call (847) 317-9343.

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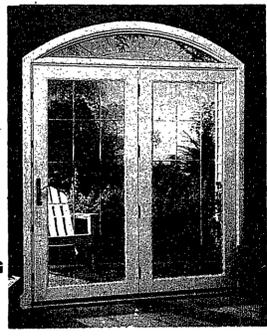
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The Senior Nutrition Site will honor Veterans with a program at 10:30 a.m. on Monday, Nov. 11 in the Flickinger Senior Center. Bring in a service photo and/or come in uniform. Call nutrition site manager, Gus Habighurst at 967-6876 for more information.

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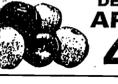
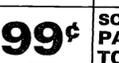
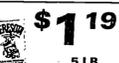
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Selecting the 1996 Nobel Prize for Literature

Oakton Community College English Professor Beverly Friend, Ph.D., will discuss Selecting the 1996 Nobel Prize for Literature at 1 p.m., Nov. 12 as part of Passages, the weekly series sponsored by Oakton's Emeritus Program. Lectures are held in Room A151 at the Ray Hartstein Campus, 7701 N. Lincoln Ave., Skokie.

Discuss the variety of critical opinion that exists regarding the merits of the individual winners. Examine Alfred Nobel's criteria for selecting the award winner. The admission fee is \$1. For information on this and other programs sponsored by the Emeritus Program for older adults, call (847) 635-1414.

The Gentle Touch of Massage Therapy

The therapeutic art of massage therapy will be offered to the community one day a month at Glenview Terrace Nursing Center. Every second Tuesday, from 1 to 4 pm, students from the Chicago School of Massage Therapy will offer this form of muscle relaxation and stress relief. Kathy Gerken, Nationally Cer-

tified in Therapeutic Massage and Bodywork, and who works in the Business Office of Glenview Terrace, says that massage therapy is particularly beneficial for those people who use a wheelchair or walker and are especially prone to tight shoulder and neck muscles.

Massage therapy also helps ease emotional stress, enhances morale and lifts spirits. The touch of a massage therapist is soothing, gentle and reassuring. Many elderly experience touch deprivation and physical isolation.

The free massage therapy sessions will be 15 to 20 minutes with the next session being on Tuesday, November 12; reservations are requested. To make a reservation, call Kathy Gerken at (847) 729-9090. Glenview Terrace Nursing Center is located at 1511 Greenwood Road in Glenview.

Free eye screening for Seniors

Illinois Department on Aging Director Maralee I. Lindley and Illinois Association of Ophthalmology President John P. Hanlon, MD announced today that the list of participating ophthalmologists for the November 11-22, 1996 free eye screening project for senior citizens is complete and available for distribution.

The two-week event will allow seniors the opportunity and flexibility to receive a free eye screening. Ophthalmologists will screen for glaucoma, cataracts, macular degeneration and other eye diseases common to the aging eye.

Seniors wishing to be screened should call the Illinois Association of Ophthalmology toll-free at 1-888-842-3937, to receive the list of participating ophthalmologists. Seniors can then call the local participating ophthalmologist office in their area directly to schedule an appointment.

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Senior News

Senior citizens offered low-cost wills

Eligible senior citizens are offered low-cost will preparation services through the Senior Citizens Will Program on Wednesday, November 13, at the Skokie Office of Human Services. Advance appointments are required and will be scheduled between 9:30 am and noon.

Attorneys from The Chicago Bar Association's Lawyer Referral Service will provide free consultations about wills to seniors who register for the service. At a client's request, an attorney will also prepare a simple will for a reduced fee. The cost for drawing up a will is not more than \$50 for an individual (\$75 for a couple).

Durable Power of Attorney and Living Will forms are available free of charge. A Durable Power of Attorney allows a senior to designate another person to make property or health care decisions in the event the senior becomes physically or mentally unable to do so. A Living Will allows an individual with a terminal health condition to express his or her desire to have death-

delaying procedures withheld or withdrawn.

Seniors may complete the Durable Power of Attorney and Living Will forms themselves, or they may hire the attorney to help fill them out and to explain the various options available on the forms. The fee for the attorney to provide legal advice about a Durable Power of Attorney is \$75 maximum for an individual (\$125 for a couple). The charge for a Living Will is no more than \$50 for an individual (\$75 for a couple).

To be eligible for the Senior Citizens Will Program, a client must be age 60 or over, annual income must not exceed \$15,000 (\$20,000 for a couple), and assets, excluding a home and personal car, should be worth no more than \$30,000.

The Senior Citizens Will Program is sponsored by The Chicago Bar Association Lawyer Referral Service, the Suburban Area Agency on Aging and the Cook County Legal Assistance Foundation.

Now where did I put my keys?

On Wednesday, Nov. 13 at 2 p.m., Norwood Park Home, 6016 N. Nina Ave., will host a seminar on memory presented by Margaret Joyce, B.S., R.N. from Our Lady of the Resurrection Medical Center.

Have you ever put something down in your house and a minute later forgotten where you placed the item? This has happened to all of us but for some people it happens regularly. This seminar will

review how one remembers things. Ms. Joyce will also discuss how to cope with minor memory loss and exercises which will assist people in identifying ways to improve one's memory.

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Church and Temple News

OBITUARIES

MAE M. GABINSKI
Mae M. Gabinski, 82, of Morton Grove, died on October 6 at Bethany Terrace Nursing Home. She was born on August 5, 1914 in Chicago. She was the wife of the late Leo Gabinski and the late Zygmunt Pawell. She was survived by 3 sons, 7 grandchildren, and 4 great-grandchildren. Sister of Edward (Esta) Mikulski, Florence (late Walter) Hytry, and late Henry (late Helen) Mikulski. Funeral services were held October 8 at St. John Brebeuf Church, Niles. Arrangements handled by Skaja Terrace Funeral Home. Interment was in St. Adalbert Cemetery, Niles.

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ELSIE M. KLEY
Elsie M. Kley, 88, of Niles, died on October 7 at Lee Manor Nursing Home. She was born on September 16, 1908 in Romania. She was the wife of the late Henry Kley. Mother of Catherine (Walter) Chmielowski. Grandmother of 4 and the great-grandmother of 6. Funeral services were held October 12 at St. John Brebeuf Church, Niles. Arrangements handled by Skaja Terrace Funeral Home. Interment was in Montrose Crematory/St. Joseph, Chicago/River Grove.

ROXANNE LAPPA
Roxanne Lappa (nee Pohl), 44, of Skokie, died October 12 at Rush North Shore Medical Center, Skokie. Wife of William. Mother of Matthew and Jason. Daughter of Thomas and Elizabeth. Sister of Tim and Christopher. Funeral services were held October 15 at St. Peter Church, Skokie. Arrangements handled by Haben Funeral Home. Interment was in St. Paul Cemetery, Skokie. Memorial contributions may be made to the American Cancer Society.

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JUANITA L. VAN ATTA
Juanita L. Van Atta (nee Dietze), 90, of Glenview is the late wife of Floyd Van Atta. She was born on July 13, 1906 in Los Angeles. Mother of Dorothy (Bruce) Wierman, Mary (Erwin) Gaa, and the late James (Virginia) Van Atta. Grandmother of Paige and Kurt Wierman, Kayla (Terry) Terpstra, Christine (Scott) Johnson and Jamie Gaa. Great-grandmother of Hannah Terpstra, Sister of Dorothy Ten Eyck and the late Lillian Duncan. Arrangements handled by Colonial-Wojciechowski Funeral Home. In lieu of flowers, memorial contributions may be made to Hospice of the Great Lakes, 3130 Commercial Ave., Northbrook, IL 60062.

MICHAEL T. PEGORARO
Michael T. Pegoraro, 35, of Morton Grove, died on October 10 at Lutheran General Hospital, Park Ridge. He was the son of Bob and Barbara Faustick. Brother of Jim Pegoraro, Scott Pegoraro, and Derek Faustick. Funeral services were held October 14 at St. Martha Church. Arrangements handled by Simkins Funeral Home. Interment was in All Saints Cemetery.

GERTRUDE F. CAMPION
Gertrude F. Campion (nee Fisher), 86, of Niles, died on October 11 at Rush North Shore Medical Center, Skokie. She was preceded in death by her husband, Daniel. She is survived by her daughters, Patricia, Mary and Trudy (Sam) Anderson, eight grandchildren, and sisters Harriet Gruchmann and Betty Kowalke. Funeral services were held October 14 at St. Peter Church, Skokie. Arrangements handled by Haben Funeral Home. Interment was in All Saints Cemetery, Des Plaines.

RONALD GLENN PUGSLEY
Ronald Glenn Pugsley, 29, of Streamwood (formerly Niles), died on October 7. He was born on February 6, 1967 in Chicago. Husband of Claire (Owens) Pugsley. Son of Ronald Gene Pugsley and JoAnn (Bour) Venturini. Father of Ronald James Pugsley, Rebecca Janette Pugsley and Jessica Nicole Pugsley. Step-brother of Marty Venturini, Sandi Slider, Debby Vivirito and Robert Venturini. Nephew of Thelma Pugsley and Mary Pugsley. Funeral services were held October 11 at Our Lady of Ransom Church, Niles. Arrangements handled by Skaja Terrace Funeral Home. Interment was in Maryhill Cemetery, Niles.

TERESITA LLORENTE
Teresita Lorente (nee Osorio), of Skokie, died on October 8 at St. Francis Hospital, Evanston. Wife of Jose Luis. Mother of Maruja, Jose Luis, Jr., Rafael, Jowelle and Teresa. Daughter of Marina Osorio. Also survived by grandchildren, brothers, sisters and nieces and nephews. Funeral services were held October 12 at St. Lambert Church, Skokie. Arrangements handled by Haben Funeral Home. Interment was in Pateros, Metro Manila, Philippines.

JOHN KARIWIEC
John Kariwicz, 49, of Niles, died on October 4. He was born March 17, 1947 in Germany. Son of Mary (Walter) Luszczyk. Brother of Stephen (Loretta) Kariwicz, Henry Luszczyk, Wally (Barbara) Luszczyk. Uncle of six. Funeral services were held October 10 at St. John Brebeuf Church, Niles. Arrangements handled by Skaja Terrace Funeral Home. Interment was in Maryhill Cemetery, Niles.

Church and Temple News

EPLC Preschool openings available

Edison Park Lutheran Church Preschool has three openings available in its afternoon class. EPLC Preschool is for 4 year olds and the afternoon class meets from 12:45 to 3:15 pm on Tuesdays, Wednesdays, and Fridays. Registration information

NSCJ services

Northwest Suburban Jewish Congregation, 7800 W. Lyons, Morton Grove, will hold Sabbath Services on Friday, November 8 at 8:15 pm at which time Ashley Iglow, daughter of Robin and David Iglow, will celebrate her Bat Mitzvah. Saturday Morning Services begin at 9:30 am. Rabbi Daniel M. Zucker will conduct all Services. Everyone Welcome! Sunday Evening, November 10 at 7 pm, the synagogue will present, Ella Naroditskaya and her Orchestra. Selah in concert, Jewish, Yiddish, Russian and Broadway show tunes. A wonderful evening! For further information, call 965-0900.

St. John Brebeuf "Turkey Shoot"

The annual "Turkey Shoot" sponsored by the Holy Name Society of St. John Brebeuf Parish will take place on Monday, Nov. 11, at 7:30 p.m. in the school hall, 8301 North Harlem, Niles. Games including dart throwing, shooting marksmanship and balloon-popping will be featured. Turkeys and wine will be given as prizes. Complimentary refreshments will be served. Beverages will be available. For further information, call Mel Koenigs, 966-2293.

A musical evening at NSJC

Northwest Suburban Jewish Congregation presents a musical evening of Yiddish, Russian and Broadway show tunes featuring accomplished singer, musician, teacher and rebbitzen of Beth Hillel, Ella Naroditskaya and her orchestra. Selah. The program will be on Sunday, Nov. 10 at 7 p.m. at NSJC, 7800 W. Lyons, Morton Grove. General admission is \$15 in advance or \$18 at the door.

For reservations or other information, call (847) 965-0900.

Norwood Park Episcopal Church Pancake Breakfast

Everyone is invited to a Pancake Breakfast at St. Alban's Episcopal Church, 6240 N. Avondale, Chicago on Sunday, November 17 from 8 a.m. to 10 a.m. Call (312) 763-8845 for more information.

NSJC Bazaar

Northwest Suburban Jewish Congregation Sisterhood, 7800 W. Lyons, Morton Grove, will hold its Annual Chanukah Bazaar, Sunday, Nov. 17 from 10 a.m. to 3 p.m. Something for everyone: gifts, Judaica, gift wrap, handicrafts, jewelry, books and toys. Food and drink to be served. Everyone welcome. For purchases over \$25, MasterCard and Visa cards are acceptable. Call Stenka Jaffe, 965-4314 for further information.

Spaghetti dinner at St. John Brebeuf

North American Martyrs Council 4338, Knights of Columbus, invites everyone to their special spaghetti dinner at St. John Brebeuf School's Flanagan Hall, 8301 N. Harlem Ave., Saturday, Nov. 9. Their special dinner, with all proceeds going to the vacations fund, begins at 7 p.m. and includes all the delicious trim-

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Health News

Hospice: Preferred option in the end-of-life debate

Recent court decisions and the activity of Michigan's Dr. Jack Kevorkian have placed the issue of physician assisted suicide squarely on the national agenda. Rainbow Hospice, Inc. and the National Hospice Organization (NHO) urge the public during November, National Hospice Month to think through the matter rationally and thoroughly and to recognize hospice as part of the continuum of end-of-life care. NHO is the nation's largest advocacy organization for terminally ill patients and their families. Jay Mahoney, president of NHO, issued the following statement: "To date, court decisions and the resulting media cover-

age have reflected only the extremes of this debate. Terminally ill patients are presented with two bleak choices: aggressive treatment to the bitter end, or asking a doctor to purposefully end their lives. However, there is a middle ground in the form of hospice care. While hard to summarize in a brief statement, hospice meet the needs of more than 390,000 patients and their families each year. Although framed as an issue of 'choice,' the current debate on assisted suicide omits the most rational option for people faced with a terminal illness."

One such program providing this option is Rainbow Hospice,

Inc. in Park Ridge, serving the terminally ill and their families in northwest Chicagoland and surrounding northwest suburbs. Like the 2,800 hospice programs across the country, Rainbow Hospice offers a special kind of care designed to provide sensitivity and support for people in the final phases of a terminal illness. Hospice care seeks to enable patients to carry on an alert, pain-free life and to manage their emotional and spiritual needs so their last days may be spent with dignity and quality at home or in a home-like setting. Hospice services are available to persons who can no longer benefit from curative treatment; the typical hospice patient has a life expectancy of six months or less. Most receive care

at home where a team of trained professional-physicians, nurses, counselors, therapists, aides, and volunteers—provide medical care and support services not only to the patients but the entire family.

Patients are usually referred to hospice by their physician. However, referrals can also be made by family members, friends, clergy, or health professionals. Rainbow Hospice, Inc. has been serving the northwest Chicagoland area since 1986. Last year, Rainbow Hospice provided care for nearly 800 patients and families. To learn more about hospice, or about how to become a hospice volunteer, contact Rainbow Hospice at (847) 699-2000.

Safety tips for going outside in cold weather

As another harsh Chicago winter approaches, it is important to know how to protect yourself from the elements. Victims in severe weather situations can be in danger in a matter of moments.

The American Red Cross recommends the following tips for winter weather safety when enjoying outdoor activities, when driving or when at home:

Dress warmly in loose-fitting, layered, lightweight wool clothing. Wearing several light layers will trap more body heat.

Keep clothing dry. Change socks and all other wet clothing as quickly as possible to prevent loss of body heat.

Avoid alcoholic beverages. Alcohol causes the body to lose its heat more rapidly because it dilates surface blood vessels.

Watch for frostbite and other symptoms of cold weather exposure, which include changes in skin color and numbness. Be alert to warning signs of hypothermia, such as violent shivering.

A winter storm emergency kit containing the following should be kept in your car trunk:

Battery jumper cables, tires chains, and bag of sand

Tools (shovel, pliers, screwdriver, adjustable wrench)

Sleeping bags or blankets, and winter clothing (caps, mittens and boots)

Food supply of high calorie, non-perishable food (canned nuts, candy etc.)

First aid kit and pocket knife with lots of extra batteries

For more information about cold weather safety or for a free brochure, contact your local Red Cross chapter or call (312) 440-2021.

Movement and Mobility Center at Ballard

The Movement and Mobility Center at Ballard in Des Plaines, is a premiere, outpatient specialty program serving people suffering from movement and mobility problems caused by muscle tone disorders. Muscle tone disorders may arise from such conditions as stroke, multiple sclerosis, brain injury, cerebral palsy and dystonia.

The consequences of muscle tone disorders or spasticity can be severe. Deforming muscle contractions may develop, along with chronic, disabling pain. Quality of life is significantly affected; spasms and spasticity interfere with mobility, sleep, and daily functioning.

The goals of the Center are to improve the mobility of limbs affected by spasticity, reduce spasm frequency and pain, and assist in increasing independence. Managing spasticity, or muscle tone disorders, requires a multidisciplinary approach. The Center is staffed with neurologists, physical medicine specialists, therapists and rehabilitation nurses. The team also includes the patient's primary care physician.

A new treatment option exists for spasticity - local injections of BOTOX. The Movement and Mobility Center has the clinical expertise in the management and administration of BOTOX treatment. This treatment, supplemented with rehabilitation therapy, has produced successful outcomes for many patients.

Transportation services to and from appointments are available through the Movement and Mobility Center. Located at 9300 Ballard Road in Des Plaines, the Movement and Mobility Center is wheelchair accessible and in close proximity to major roads and expressways.

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Health & Fitness

Parkinson's Support Group meeting at Regency

Regency Nursing Centre's Parkinson's Disease Support Group will be held on Sunday, November 10 at 2 p.m. on the first floor dining room of the nursing centre.

This self-help support group is being offered for caregivers and Parkinsonian's. The program is designed to teach individuals about Parkinson's Disease and to provide a sense of mutual aid and support.

The support group is free and open to the public and will take

place at Regency Nursing Centre at 6631 N. Milwaukee Avenue in Niles. For additional information please call Regency Nursing Centre at (847) 647-7444 and ask for Karen Gallo, Support Group Coordinator.

Next month's Support Group Meeting will be held on December 8, at the same time and location. Dr. Hermanowicz of the Evanston-Glenbrook Specialist Group will be leading the group discussing "Movement Disorders."

Regency hosts 'Aging: Sacred Work for the Future'

Regency Nursing Centre will be hosting a seminar, "Aging: Sacred Work for the Future" on Tuesday, November 12, from 9 a.m. until 12 p.m.

The presentation is aimed at professionals in the aging field and includes a look at alternative ways of viewing life and its progression. This program will focus on understanding what the task of elderhood is and how to help older adults continue their emotional, psychological and spiritual growth. It will challenge you to rethink the current model of aging and show you how to participate in making changes to promote a second adulthood instead of a second childhood in both yourself and those you serve. The presentation will examine the value of using attitude changes, meditation, visualization and dream work to resolve the issues of life. This program will weave together new findings from the medical field with old traditions from the great spiritual traditions. There will be an experiential facet in which participants will be led in meditation and taught visualization techniques.

The seminar will be presented by Nancy Judd, M.S. Health professionals are welcome to attend. Registration and a continental breakfast will begin at 8:30 a.m. 3.0 CEU's will be offered to licensed Social Workers. Regency Nursing Centre is located at 6631 N. Milwaukee Avenue in Niles. For more information and to register, call (847) 647-1116 and ask for Tracy Guehthoff at ext. 247. Limited seating is available.

Center of Concern calendar of events

The Center of Concern has announced the following calendar for the month of November:

- Monday, Nov. 11, 18 and 25: Weight Loss Support Group - 10 a.m.; Employment Counseling - by appointment only.
- Tuesday, Nov. 12, 19 and 26: Employment and Medicare Counseling by appointment only.
- Thursday, Nov. 7, 14 and 21: Grief and Loss Support Group, 2 p.m.
- Saturday, Nov. 9, 16 and 23: Legal Counseling - by appointment only.
- Saturday, Nov. 23: Blood Pressure Testing and Blood Sugar Screening, 10 a.m. to noon. Appointment not necessary.

The office will be closed the Thanksgiving weekend, Nov. 28, 29 and 30.

All of the above are held at 1580 N. Northwest Hwy., Park Ridge, Suite 310, unless otherwise noted. Personal Counselors are available each Thursday and other times by appointment. To make a reservation for those services which require one, please call (847) 823-0453.

Our monthly Wills program is held with the cooperation of the Chicago Bar Association on the first Wednesday of each month. All of these services are available by a call to The Center of Concern, (847) 823-0453.

Harlem Irving Plaza hosts Walking Clinic

Harlem Irving Plaza's next Walking in Style Clinic takes place Wednesday, November 13, at 9 a.m. in the Food Court area of the South Mall. Triton College's Mel Zaloudek will conduct a presentation entitled "England's Historical Countryside in Springtime." Harlem Irving Plaza is located at the intersection of Harlem Avenue, Irving Park Road and Forest Preserve Drive in Chicago.

The Walking in Style Club is sponsored by Harlem Irving Plaza along with Resurrection Medical Center and Our Lady of the Resurrection Hospital. The club is available to the public at no charge and offers clinics on exercise, fitness, and health testing and guidelines. Members also receive special discounts at participating HIP stores. Anyone wishing to join may sign up during mall hours at the Plaza's Information Center located near Lerner New York.

Pediatrician's at-home tips for the cold season

- Track your children's symptoms to determine the best treatment.
- Teach your children to wash their hands often.
- Provide your family with a well-balanced diet all year long.
- Teach your children to cover their mouths when they cough and sneeze.
- Throw used tissues in the trash.
- Don't let your children share food or drink with others.
- Make sure your children get plenty of rest.
- Don't let your children play with a sick child.
- Ask your children how they feel to better identify if they are getting sick.
- Give your children vitamin C regularly.
- Don't smoke around children.
- Use a humidifier and keep it clean.
- Wash all toys when they change hands.
- Keep children who seem tired home to rest.
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This information is from the "House Calls: Pediatrician's Hot Tips for the Cold Season" survey of 200 pediatricians who are parents, sponsored by the Triaminc Parents Club.

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Family Birthplace Anniversary at Res

Three special events will take place in November to celebrate the fifth anniversary of the Family Birthplace at Resurrection Medical Center, 7435 West Talcott Ave.

Future parents can get a firsthand look at the Family Birthplace during its open house on Nov. 17 from 2 to 4 p.m. The open house will include a presentation entitled "Evolution of Childbirth: What's Hot and What's Not," by Pat Bielecki, R.N., M.S.N., Maternal and Child Clinical Nurse Specialist at Resurrection. There will also be tours and refreshments, and staff from the Family Birthplace will be on hand to answer questions.

On Nov. 18, a program focusing on infertility issues will take place from 6:30 to 8 p.m. The

program will be led by Michael Zinaman, M.D., an infertility specialist at the Center for Reproductive Medicine at Resurrection Medical Center.

The celebration concludes on Nov. 24 with a "Res Baby Reunion" from 2 to 4 p.m. for children born at the Family Birthplace since November 1991.

To attend or learn more about the Family Birthplace anniversary events, call 773-RES-INFO (737-4636).



Family Counseling Service merges with Metropolitan Family Services

The merger of Family Counseling Service of Evanston/Skokie Valley (FCS) into Metropolitan Family Services was announced today in Evanston. Effective October 1, Family Counseling Service will operate under the new name Metropolitan Family Services of Evanston/Skokie Valley, offering services to families in Evanston, Skokie, Lincolnwood, Morton Grove, Golf and Niles.

"The changing times make it difficult for a small, free standing organization like FCS to compete for funding and deliver cost-effective services," explained Lauretta Burke, president of Family Counseling Service's Board of Directors.

Family Counseling Service was founded by Evanston Mayor Joseph Paden in 1910 out of his

commitment to families and his understanding of the important role stable families play in the life of a healthy community. Today, FCS maintains this same commitment by providing important family support services including Child Abuse Prevention and Treatment, Senior Services, a Family, Couple and Individual Counseling Program and Consumer Credit Counseling Service. Service centers are located at 1114 Church Street in Evanston and 5210 Maine Street in Skokie.

Metropolitan Family Services shares the mission of helping families at a regional level. "Since 1857 we have operated under the belief that strong families are the foundation of strong communities," explained Edward M. Liddy, chairman of Metropolitan Family Services Board of Di-

rectors and president and COO of Allstate Insurance Company. "The similarity of vision between these two agencies and the related program and service capabilities, makes this combination ideal."

Metropolitan Family Services -- a new name for United Charities -- is the oldest and largest non-sectarian social service organization in metropolitan Chicago. At 25 locations throughout the city and suburbs, social workers, attorneys, youth workers, senior specialists, case managers, community advocates, and consumer credit counselors provide professional resources that support families in helping themselves.

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Women's News

"Aging Gracefully: The Costs"

"Aging Gracefully: The Costs", a free seminar sponsored by the Women's Health Program of Rush North Shore Medical Center, will be held at the Evanston Public Library, 1703 Orrington Avenue, on Tuesday, November 12 at 7:30 pm.

Barbara Susin, a financial investment expert who specializes in helping women reach economic stability for retirement, will be the featured speaker. She is the only licensed instructor in the State of Illinois to represent Long Island University's National Center for Women and Retirement Research, a not-for-profit research and educational organization.

Susin will talk about 76 million "Baby Boomers" who start turning 50 starting this year. The "Boomers" have well-established spending and financial habits and a high expectation for physical comfort. They have expectations of entitlements from the government.

Using a variety of materials, Susin will help the audience to better understand the social and economic trends that will impact aging. She will explain how women can comprehend the terms of investment and financial language and how they can choose investments for retirement.

Susin is a frequent speaker on retirement planning for business and professional organizations. She has been featured in Who's Who in American Women and has been the focus of numerous newspaper and magazine articles.

The National Center was established 10 years ago under a grant from the Department of Health and Human Services. Its PREP program (Pre-Retirement Education Planning) presents seminars and publications on various topics to help provide women with the information and tools to make knowledgeable decisions, to secure a healthy and productive future.

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Lincolnwood woman awarded academic scholarship

Sheena Ninan of Lincolnwood was recently awarded an academic scholarship of \$14,000 over four years by North Park College of Chicago. Ninan, a first year student planning to major in physical therapy, was selected as a Dean's Scholar because of her academic record. To be eligible for the award, applicants must have an ACT composite score of 26-27 or SAT composite of 1170 and be in the top 20 percent of their graduating high school class. Ninan is the daughter of Parappattu and Mary Ninan of Lincolnwood.

Business and Professional Women's Club

"How I Started My Business and Why" will be the topic of the November 26 meeting of the North Glen Business and Professional Women's Organization. The meeting will be held at Northbrook Hilton Allgauer's Fireside Restaurant, 2855 N. Milwaukee Ave., Northbrook. Networking begins at 6 p.m., followed by dinner and the program.

The speakers will include North Glen members Merritt Croom, Marsha Gordon, Bernie Molnar and Charlene Ratskoff who will share their entrepreneurial experiences as owners of their own businesses. Their products and services include chocolate, gift baskets, using the Internet and dispensing safety materials.

All working women are invited to attend the meeting. The deadline for reservations is noon, Nov. 22. Those wishing to attend should send a check for \$22, payable to North Glen BPW, to 612 Huber Ln., Glenview, 60025. More information is available by calling Shirley Riley, (847) 724-7772 or (800) 869-8884.

Liponi Foundation presents check to M-NASR



Stella Liponi, Liponi Foundation Treasurer (left), Amy Przybylo, Liponi Foundation V.P. (center) give Gary Balling, Morton Grove Park District Administrative Manager and M-NASR Board President (right), a check for \$23,000.

The Liponi Foundation For Special Recreation presented a check for \$23,000 to the Main-Niles Association of Special Recreation (M-NASR). The money was raised through Liponi Foundation special events such as the Adventure Golf Outing and the Liponi Foundation Dinner Dance and Silent Auction.

The Liponi Foundation supports the efforts of M-NASR to offer quality recreation and leisure activities to the physically and mentally challenged population of Maine and Niles Townships. Once again, through the

wonderful efforts of the Liponi Foundation, M-NASR will be able to purchase a new transportation vehicle for programming. A purchase of this nature would not be possible if it were not for the many individuals who attend and support Liponi Foundation fundraising events.

The 1997 Liponi Foundation Dinner Dance and Silent Auction will be held at the White Eagle Restaurant and Banquette Facility in Niles on March 1, 1997. Everyone is invited to attend. Contact Stella at (847) 966-5522 for more information.

Do's and Don'ts for Treating Kids' Colds

- DO'S**
- Track your child's symptoms.
 - Treat only the symptoms your child suffers from.
 - Take your child to the doctor if symptoms persist.
 - Use over-the-counter medicine.
 - Increase fluid intake.
 - Allow your children time to rest and recover.

- DON'TS**
- Ignore your child's cold symptoms. Early detection helps avoid spreading germs and allows you to alleviate symptoms more quickly.
 - Give all-in-one medicines unless the child suffers from all the symptoms. Give children only the medicine they need for the symptoms they have to avoid over-medicating.
 - Insist on an antibiotic. They are not effective against the cold virus.
 - Give your child aspirin, adult medication or someone else's medication. They can be very harmful to your child.

- Give your child dairy products. Dairy products are hard to digest and the stomach of a child with a cold may already be prone or upset.
- Send your children to school or daycare if they have a cold or fever. They are contagious and other children can become sick.
- This information is from the "House Calls" Pediatrician's Hot Tips for the Cold Season" survey of 200 pediatricians who are parents, sponsored by The Triamnic Parents Club.

Jennifer Hehn

Air Force Airman 1st Class Jennifer A. Hehn has arrived for duty at Hill Air Force Base, Ogden, Utah. Hehn, a munitions systems apprentice, is the daughter of Steve and Carol Hehn of Des Plaines. The airman is a 1994 graduate of Maine East High School, Park Ridge.

EXERCISE

Women's News

Skokie's ORT to sell Entertainment Books



Merle Salzman of the Crescent Chapter of Women's American ORT accepts the first copy of the 1997 edition of the Entertainment discount book from Scott Mortensen, regional manager of Entertainment Publications, at the company's Deerfield regional offices.

Members of the Crescent Chapter of Women's American ORT in Skokie, Morton Grove and Lincolnwood have begun selling the newly published edition of "Entertainment '97," the dining, shopping and entertainment discount book. They are using the books to raise funds to support the organization's vocational training and educational programs.

The 1997 edition of the Chicago Entertainment book is being sold by the group for \$35; call 847-679-1746 for further information. All offers in the book are effective immediately and are valid until November 1, 1997.

With a total value of over \$15,000 in coupons, two-for-one offers and other savings, the Entertainment book more than pays for itself after the first few uses. Its money-saving values include area stores, restaurants, movies and plays, sporting events, video rentals and car washes, and even airlines, hotels and rental cars.

Hundreds of charitable, school and community organizations throughout the city and suburbs support their programs through the annual sale of Entertainment books. These local groups raised over \$1.25 million this past year based on their sales of the 1996 editions.

Morton Grove Woman's Club

Morton Grove Woman's Club meets on Thursday, Nov. 14 at noon at Fireside Restaurant, 9101 Waukegan Rd., Morton Grove. After a short business meeting, luncheon costs \$11.25 for reservations, call 966-5801.

lis Olsen will introduce the program for the day, Dick Anderson in "The Wit and Wisdom of Mark Twain." Luncheon costs \$11.25 for reservations, call 966-5801.

Don't shake your baby

Shaking a baby, even one time, can delay normal development, result in brain damage, spinal injury, retardation, or even death. Shaken Baby Syndrome is a medical term used to describe the shaking and resultant injuries sustained when infants are violently shaken.

Every year thousands of babies are injured and some die from being shaken as part of a pattern of abuse or simply because an adult has momentarily succumbed to the frustration of responding to a crying baby.

The IOF Foresters, a fraternal benefit society that offers family prevention and better parenting causes, suggest the following tips if your baby cries a lot:

- * Feed the baby slowly; burp the baby often.
 - * Offer the baby a pacifier.
 - * Hold the baby against your chest and walk or rock him/her.
 - * Take the baby for a ride in a stroller or car or put him/her in a baby swing.
 - * Take a break. Have someone else take care of the baby for a while if possible.
 - * Never Shake Your Baby!
- The IOF Foresters will help sponsor the first national conference on Shaken Baby Syndrome November 10-12, 1996, in Salt Lake City, Utah. The conference will unite national child abuse experts and explore the medical, legal and prevention challenges of Shaken Baby Syndrome. For more information call 801-399-8430.

Child abuse is the number one killer of children under the age of four in America, with estimates of 2,000 to 5,000 deaths per year and more than 140,000 serious injuries. Head trauma, including suspected Shaken Baby Syndrome, is the leading cause.

Women's News

Twenty-first Star Chapter meets

The Twenty-first Star Chapter Daughters of the American Revolution will meet Wednesday, Nov. 13, at the Park Ridge Country Club, 636 N. Prospect Ave. The luncheon will be held at 11:30 a.m., with the program commencing at 1 p.m. Hostesses for the day are Dorothy Reinger, Lois Stenstrom, Janet Holson and Katherine Rapp, Chairperson.

The program entitled "Do You Know What's Going On?" will be presented by the Executive Board and the Directors, each giving a brief description of their job. The Executive Board members are Regent Karen Barba, Vice-Regent and Program Chairperson Millie Anderson, 2nd vice Regent and Membership Chairperson Philippa Grover, Chaplain Dot Southerington, Recording Secretary Mary K. Redmann, Corresponding Secretary Shirley Jane Papuga, Treasurer Shirley Fish, Registrar Sue Fritzler, Historian Laurie Hominick, Librarian Lois Stenstrom and Parliamentarian Georgia Brockhouse. The Directors are, Americanism, Barrie Shinn who is also State Corresponding Secretary; DAR Good Citizens, Mary Ellen Skawinski; DAR School, Elizabeth Nedwed; DAR Service for Veterans-Patients Bonnie Weinman; National Defense Janet Holson

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Sat., Nov. 9 ARTS & CRAFTS FAIR
The Arts & Crafts Fair is held at Resurrection High School, 7500 W. Talcott Ave., Chicago, and runs from 10 a.m. until 4 p.m. Admission is only \$1 (\$5.00 for seniors) with kids 12 and under free. For more information and/or applications, call Jan Flynn in the Resurrection High School development office at (312) 775-6616, ext. 25.

CRAFTS
St. Pascal School, located at 6143 on Irving Park Rd. in Chicago, is holding its Annual Craft Fair on Saturday, Nov. 9 from 9 a.m. to 5 p.m. Some spaces are still available. For an application call Joyce McDevitt at (312) 777-2575.

Bazaars

Fri., Nov. 8 Bethany Bazaar
Bethany Terrace Nursing Center, 8425 N. Waukegan Morton Grove, will host their Fall Festival and Bazaar on Nov. 8 from 10 a.m. to 4 p.m. Luncheon served from 11 a.m. to 1:30 p.m. Vendors welcomed, contact Lorrie Lantz or Margarite Vaughn at (847) 965-8100. Admission is free.

Fri. Nov 8 Christmas Gifts
A Christmas craft sale will be held on November 8 from 7 a.m. to 4 p.m. in the Sister Gregory Room on the ground floor of Resurrection Medical Center, 7435 West Talcott Avenue.

Proceeds from the craft sale go toward renovations on the Pediatric Unit at Resurrection Medical Center. For more information, call the Auxiliary office at (773) 792-9933.

Sat Nov 9 ST. MARTHA BOUTIQUE
St. Martha School at 8535 Georgiana, Morton Grove, will host its annual Holiday Boutique on November 9 from 9 a.m. until 3 p.m. Lunch is available in the Candy Cane Cafe. At 2 p.m., the winning tickets for the Elg Bonanza Raffle will be drawn. Prizes are \$10,000, \$2,500, \$1,000. Only 600 tickets at \$20 a piece will be sold. Admission to the Boutique is \$1.50 and entitles the shopper to a chance at the Crafters Raffle. For information call Rosemarie Rice at 847-967-7246.

Nov 9-10 Open House and Gift Boutique
An Open House and Holiday Gift Boutique will be held on Saturday, November 9 and Sunday, November 10 from 10 a.m. to 4 p.m. each day at Harmony House, 3809 N. Kedzie. Proceeds from the Gift Boutique will benefit the cats and kittens sheltered there.

For more information about the Holiday Open House and Gift Boutique or about adopting a cat or kitten call (773) 463-6667.

Independence to be performed in Studio One



Pictured from l. to r. Amber Seligman of Des Plaines, and Jessica Arnold of Glenview, rehearse a scene from the play, *Independence* to be performed in Studio One of Oakton Community College's Performing Arts Center at the Des Plaines campus, 1600 E. Golf Road. Performances are: Thursday, Nov. 14, 8 p.m. (\$3 preview), Friday, Nov. 15 and 22, 8 p.m. Saturday, Nov. 16 and 23, 8 p.m. Sunday, Nov. 17 and 24, 2 p.m. Tuesday, Nov. 19, 2 p.m. (\$2 matinee). Tickets are \$7 for general admission and \$5 for students, faculty, staff and seniors. Please call the Oakton Box Office at (847) 635-1900 for further information or to place an order for tickets by credit card. For group sales information, call (847) 635-1901.

Sun Nov 17 NSJC Bazaar
The Sisterhood of Northwest Suburban Jewish Congregation will hold their Annual Hanukkah Bazaar and Boutique on Sunday, November 17 from 10 a.m. to 3 p.m. The Synagogue is located at 7800 W. Lyons, Morton Grove. Everyone welcome! For further information, call 965-0900.

BUSINESS
Thursdays Real Estate #101
The Real Estate Institute will offer "Real Estate Transactions #101", the course needed before being able to take the Illinois Real Estate Salesperson Licensing Examination. Classes will be held on Thursdays from 7-10 p.m., beginning November 14, at the Bank of Lincolnwood Building, 4433 W. Touhy Avenue, Suite 514; Lincolnwood. The course runs 10 weeks. Tuition for the course is \$140, which includes registration and books. Course also offered in a self-study format includes audio cassettes. Self-study tuition is \$175. For information or to register, call (847) 329-1700.

CHILDREN

Nov + Dec Children's Theatre
Performance times for "Rat Dog, Princess Toad & the Peal" are Sundays only at 11 a.m. through January 12, 1996. Beginning November 16, 1996, "Rat Dog & Princess Toad's Holiday Musicals Revue Extravaganza Magnifique" performances (no brunch) are Saturdays only at 1 p.m. through December 21, 1996. Tickets prices are \$7 for show only and \$15 with brunch (Sundays only). Group discounts, birthday parties and overnight packages are also available. Ideal for school, church, scout and youth groups, special weekday performances may be arranged for groups of 75 or

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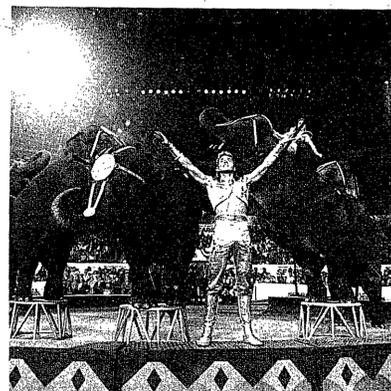
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ENTERTAINMENT

November

The Duchess of Malfi
The Theater/Music department of Columbia College Chicago will present John Webster's *The Duchess of Malfi*, directed by Kathleen Perkins at Geiz Theater of Columbia College Chicago, 72 East 11th Street November 8, 9, 15, 16 at 7:30 p.m., November 7 at 4 p.m., November 14 at 8 p.m., November 13 at 2 p.m., November 17 at 3 p.m. Admission: \$5 - \$14, information: (312) 663-1600 ext. 6126.

Nov. 8, 9, 10 The Pleasure of Platters
Midwest Clay Guild's 24th Annual Holiday Exhibit and Sale, 1236 Sherman Ave. Evanston, November 8 6 p.m. to 9 p.m. - Opening Reception. November 9 11 a.m. to 6 p.m. November 10 Noon to 5 p.m. Admission Free.

Fri Nov 8 Friendship Concert
Multi-style, folk/pop musicians Kraig Kenning & Company and Pop/Swing Chicago favorite The Susan Smentek Band will perform at the Friendship Concert Series. The show will be held Friday, November 8th, at 8 p.m. at the Friendship Concert Hall at Kolpin and Algonquin Roads in Des Plaines. Tickets are \$8 in advance, \$10 at the door. Call (847) 255-5380 for additional information.

Sun Nov 10 Roy Ayers Concert
The Kenneth L. Van Doren II Scholarship Foundation will present its First Annual "Crime

Sat., Nov. 16

MAYA ANGELOU
"An Evening With Maya Angelou," begins at 8 p.m. November 16 at Rosary College's Lund Auditorium, 7900 W. Division St., River Forest. Tickets are \$40 per person or \$60 per person. The \$60 ticket includes a reception after the program. For tickets, call (708) 524-6942. For information concerning the event, call Mary Ann Smith at the CAST Lab, (708) 524-7848 or Peggy Goodman, (708) 524-6515.

Sun Nov 17

DOLL FAIR
November 17, Sunday 8:30-4 Kane County Fairgrounds, St. Charles, Illinois. Largest holiday doll and bear fair in the USA. G.I. Joes, toys, early holiday tool. Antiques, collectibles, new, old, supplies, clothes, anything pertaining to childhood. Admission \$4, under 12 free; spacious parking free, country breakfast served. Info: Audrey Willman (630) 264-0004.

Sun Nov 24

NSO Features Violinist
The November 24th concert by the Northbrook Symphony Orchestra will spotlight the remarkable violinist, 24-year-old Corey Cerovsek. The NSO is continuing to present the Pre-

vention! Fundraiser on Sunday, November 10, 1996. The evening, including dinner, will begin at 7 p.m. at The Crystal Palace, 5600 W. Fullerton. Your donation of \$50 will allow the foundation to continue its mission for the sake of all young people. For additional information call: 312-955-0184.

Mon., Nov. 11 CHICAGO CHAMBER MUSICIANS
A live performance by the Chicago Chamber Musicians (CCM) will be broadcast on WFMT-FM (98.7) as part of its "Live from Studio One" program hosted by Dennis Moore on Monday, Nov. 11 at 8 p.m. For further information, call (312) DIAL-CCM or (312) 342-5226.

Fri., Nov. 15 RACHEL BARTON TO PLAY
Violinist Rachel Barton will perform November 15 at a gala dinner and fashion show to benefit a program for the special medical needs of performing artists. Tickets are \$45 and may be obtained by calling (630) 663-9997 or sending a check to September Surprise, c/o Shirley Jones, 2S762 Avenue Orleans, Oak Brook, 60521.

Sun Nov 17 Lakeside Flutes
Lakeside Flutes - A Chicago-area amateur flute choir and not-for-profit organization Sunday, November 17 3 p.m. at Skokie Public Library 5215 Oakton Street, Skokie. Free admission. For information call Betty Gardiner (312) 407-0006 day, (773) 868-0459 eve.

Concert Discussion Series at 2:30 p.m. (just prior to the concert). This presentation is free to concert ticket holders. Concerts are held at the Sheely Center for the Performing Arts (Glenbrook North High School), 2300 Shermer Road, Northbrook. Concerts begin at 4 p.m. Ticket prices range from \$21 on the main floor to \$18 and \$13 in the balcony or \$5 for children and students in the balcony. Phone (847) 272-0755.

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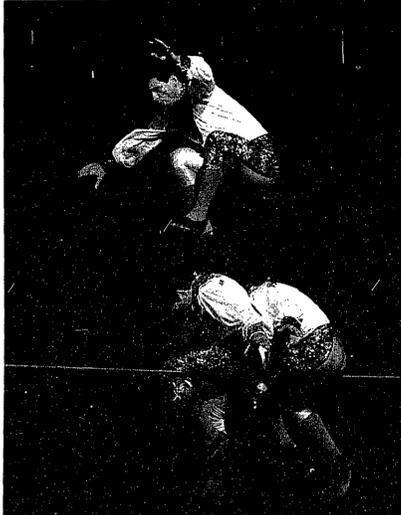
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Foot assessments
The Lutheran General Diabetes Care Center will provide free foot assessments for persons with diabetes throughout the month of November. The assessments will be performed by certified diabetes educators at Lutheran General Hospital, 1775 W. Dempster St., Park Ridge. Appointments are required and can be made by calling (847) 723-8282.

Wed Nov 10
Parkinson's Support Group
The November Parkinson's Support Group meetings will be held at Regency Nursing Centre, 6631 N. Milwaukee Avenue in Niles on Sunday, November 10 at 2 p.m. For more information call (847) 647-7444 and ask for Karen Gallo.

Mon., Nov. 11
MENTAL HEALTH
Barbara Butz, from the Office of Health and Human Services, will discuss her work in the fields of mental health, addictions, and the art of assessing programs on Monday, November 11, 7:30 p.m., at Devon Bank, 6445 N. Western Ave., Chicago. Free. (312) 774-5100.

Mon Nov 11
Holiday Grief Workshop
Rainbow Hospice, Inc. will be presenting a "Grief and the Holidays" Workshop Monday, November 11, from 7 to 9 pm at The Park Ridge Community Church, 100 Courtland Avenue, Park Ridge. The focus of this workshop will be to explore positive alternatives for coping with memories and feelings associated with the holiday season. There is no fee but registration is required. Please call (847) 689-3604.

Free diabetes meeting
The Maine Township Chapter of the American Diabetes Association (ADA) will hold an education meeting at 7:30 p.m. Wednesday, November 13, in Room 1041W at Lutheran General Hospital, 1775 W. Dempster St., Park Ridge. Attendance is limited for the meeting and reservations are required. To sign up, call Linda Fairman at Lutheran General Hospital's Diabetes Helpline, 847-723-8282.

High wire artist Angel Quiros from Madrid, Spain, leapfrogs over two of his compariots to a precarious landing on the slender silver strand high above the arena floor in the newest edition of Ringling Bros. and Barnum & Bailey, opening November 6-17 at the Rosemont Horizon, then moving to Chicago's United Center, November 19 - December 1.

COMMUNITY DINING GUIDE

SPECIALS GOOD FROM... Thursday, November 7, 1996 to Wednesday, November 13, 1996

RESTAURANT	TYPE	LOCATION	THIS WEEKS SPECIALS
Chi Tung	Mandarin/Cantonese	8105 N. Milwaukee Avenue Niles, Illinois 60714 (847) 966-1145	Lunch Buffet (Monday - Friday) 11 A.M. - 2 P.M. - \$4.88 Weekend Buffet (Friday - Sunday) 5 P.M. - 8 P.M. - \$6.88
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Community Calendar

HEALTH

Sun., Dec. 8
LEUKEMIA MEETING
The Lincolnwood-based Leukemia Research Foundation will sponsor its 3rd annual Town Hall Meeting, "Understanding and Coping with Leukemia," Sunday, Dec. 8, 1 to 4 p.m. at the Executive Plaza Hotel, 71 E. Wacker Dr., Chicago (Cloud 39 Penthouse). The Town Hall Meeting is free and open to the public. For more information call the Leukemia Research Foundation at (847) 982-1480.

Wed., Nov. 13
CHRONIC PAIN MANAGEMENT
Join a luncheon discussion lecture entitled, "New Developments in Chronic Pain Management," on Wednesday, Nov. 13, Noon to 1 p.m. in the Sharfstein Academic Center at Rush North Shore Medical Center. This program is free. For information or to make a reservation, call the Rush North Shore Referral Line at (847) 933-6000.

Rachel Barton performs at Maine West

The Northwest Symphony Orchestra will celebrate its 45th Anniversary Season with a very special series of concerts. The season opens on November 17, at 3:30 p.m. in the Maine West High School Theatre with a performance by noted Chicago violinist, Rachel Barton. The "all Brahms" concert features Ms. Barton performing the Violin Concerto, and The Symphony No. 1. "We believe that Rachel Barton performing Brahms will be a very dramatic opening to our 45th season," says Music Director, Paul Vermeil.

The 45th season includes three additional Sunday afternoon concerts; on January 12, March 9, and May 18. "In planning the season, we wanted to create a sense of joy and celebration," notes orchestra board president, Linda Wardell. The January concert features Sherry Kujala, Flute, and Joy Biernacki-Thomas, Harp, performing the beautiful Mozart Concerto for Flute and Harp. In March, the orchestra will be joined by the Oak Park

Tempo Players announce auditions

The Tempo Players will hold auditions for its upcoming play The Musical Comedy Murders of 1940 on Monday, Nov. 18 at 7 p.m. and on Tuesday, Nov. 19 at 7 p.m. Call backs will be held on Wednesday, Nov. 20 at 7 p.m. Directed by Marge Uhlarik, rehearsals will take place on Tuesday and Thursday evenings and Saturday or Sunday afternoons. There are no planned rehearsals over the Christmas/New Year weeks. Performance dates are February 7, 8, 14, 15, 16, 21 and 22. Auditions, rehearsals and performances will take place at The Tempo Players Theatre located in the Sacred Heart Monastery at the corner of Maple and Yackley in Lisle. Please prepare or read a comic monologue no longer than two minutes. Callbacks will consist of readings from the script.

For more information, please call the Tempo Players' hotline at (630) 495-1120.

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LECTURES

Sat., Nov. 9
BENEDICTINE LECTURE
Dr. Denise Rousseau, a professor at Carnegie-Mellon University, will be the next speaker for the Contemporary Trends in Change Management Lecture Series. Rousseau will present her lecture, "Innovation and Trends for the Workplace of Tomorrow," on Saturday, November 9, from 9 a.m. to 4 p.m. in the Krasa Student Center on the Lisle campus. For information, contact the Department of Management and Organizational Behavior at (630) 829-6220.

Sat Nov 16
ARCHITECTURE SEMINAR
A seminar entitled "Inside and Outside: Architecture for Those with Special Needs" will be held Saturday, November 16, from 11 a.m. to 4 p.m. at the Rehabilitation Institute of Chicago (RIC), 345 E. Superior.
The seminar is free, space is limited, interested persons are asked to register by November 6 by calling Judy Panko Reis, 312/908-7997 (TDD 312/908-8523).

November Genealogy meeting

"Searching for Land Titles in Cook County" is the topic of the November 21 meeting of the Northwest Suburban Council of Genealogists. Speaker Carmen Aquino is a certified paralegal and has been a title searcher for 12 years.

For the past six years, Ms. Aquino, a former employee of Commonwealth Land Title Co., has been free lancing in the areas of real estate and domestic law.

Thursday's meeting begins at 7:30 pm in Room 124-C at John Hersey High School, 1900 E. Thomas, Arlington Heights. Visitors and prospective members are welcome to attend. Parking is available at the west end of the school. For more information, please call (847) 398-1884 or (847) 255-0039.

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WOMEN

Wed., Nov. 20
MORTON GROVE HADASSAH
The Morton Grove Group of Hadassah will have its Luncheon Meeting on Wednesday, Nov. 20 at 11:30 a.m. Northwest Suburban Jewish Congregation, 7800 Lyons St., Morton Grove. Reservations a must. Prepaid - \$6.50. Not prepaid - \$7.50. Call (847) 965-3064.

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Party Packages start as low as \$99. Dinner and overnight packages are available. Packages go on sale November 1 at 10 a.m. Let Pheasant Run make your New Year's Eve unforgettable.

For tickets, call the Pheasant Run Box Office at (630) 584-MEGA (6342) or TicketMaster at (312) 902-1500. For overnight packages, call Pheasant Run at (630) 584-6300 or 1-800-4-PHEASANT.

Independence to be performed at Oakton

Theater lovers should plan to attend the production of Lee Blessing's play, **Independence** in Studio One of Oakton Community College's Performing Arts Center at the Des Plaines campus, 1600 E. Golf Road.

Performances are: Thursday, Nov. 14, 8 pm (\$3 preview), Friday, Nov. 15 and 22, 8 pm Saturday, Nov. 17 and 24, 2 pm Tuesday, Nov. 19, 2 pm (\$2 matinee).

A powerful study of a family divided against itself, the play, directed by Patti Terrante revolves around a disturbed mother and her three daughters each of whom is dealing with her own emotional problems.

Tickets are \$7 for general admission and \$5 for students, faculty, staff and seniors. Please call the Oakton Box Office at (847) 635-1900 for further information or to place an order for tickets by credit card. For group sales information, call (847) 635-1901.

Theatre Guild is 'Broadway Bound'

With the second show of its 51st season, DPTG is pleased to return to the words of Neil Simon and his autobiographical trilogy. Marge Uhlarik (Oak Oak Oak) (Blithe Spirit, Bus Stop and A Streetcar Named Desire,) who staged the first of the trio, Brighton Beach Memoirs, several years ago for the Guild, is once again in the director's chair, this time with the third show of the trilogy, **Broadway Bound**.

As in Brighton Beach Memoirs, **Broadway Bound** once again follows the travails of Eugene Jerome (Trevor Murphy, Lemon), only this time as an actor entering the world of radio comedy, struggling to bring his career and family together.

Broadway Bound is being produced by Andrea Tropea and Mike Yehl, and assistant directed by Jim Gill. Set design is by Perry Georgopoulos.

Broadway Bound will be presented Fridays, Saturdays and Sundays, for four weekends, beginning November 8th thru December 1st.

Tickets to Des Plaines Theatre Guild performances are \$12, with \$10 tickets available to students under 18 and seniors over 65 on Fridays and Sundays only.

All DPTG productions are staged at the Prairie Lakes Community Center, just west of the intersection of Wolf Road and Thacker Street.

For ticket reservations, as well as information about auditions, upcoming productions, etc., call the Des Plaines Theatre Guild 24-hour box office at (847) 391-5720.

Loyola's 25th radio conference

"Democracy, Diversity and Debate: Radio and the Public Sphere" is the theme for Loyola University Chicago's 25th annual radio conference, Nov. 8-9, Lake Shore Campus, Piper Hall, 6525 N. Sheridan Rd. In recognition of Loyola's communication department's achievement, May 1995, Richard M. Daley has proclaimed the weekend of Nov. 8-9 as "Loyola University Chicago Radio Conference Weekend."

As part of the radio conference, the communication department will present the Marconi College Radio Awards at a special ceremony, Friday, Nov. 8, at 7:30 p.m. The Marconi awards are presented to the best college radio broadcasters in news, sports, investigative reporting, public affairs and other programming in the Midwest region. This year's conference will feature four new categories: radio writing, community programming, radio communication for social change, and research in radio communication.

In keeping with its 25 year tradition, Loyola's radio conference will feature skills and idea workshops, panels with programmers, radio hosts, field experts, forums with special hands-on training at Loyola's WLWU-AM studios and other special sessions in student broadcasting.

Both radio personalities and behind-the-scenes personnel are involved in this year's conference as participants and moderators. Panelists and speakers at the conference will include radio celebrities, plus media and cultural critics from the National Federation of Community Broadcasters, Fairness and Accuracy in Reporting, nationally recognized communication departments and special representatives from Jesuit-run community radio in El Salvador and Guatemala.

Maine East Club fund raiser

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School News

Rosary College hosts Language Fest

Rosary College, 7900 West Division St., is hosting the third annual Language Fest for high school juniors and seniors on Tuesday, Nov. 19. The event will begin at 9 a.m. in Lewis Hall Lounge.

Students will learn about careers that use foreign languages and about Rosary's study abroad programs in Salamanca, Milan, Heidelberg, Strasbourg, Florence and London. Rosary students currently enrolled in the foreign language department will talk about their experiences at Rosary. Students may also use Rosary's modern language lab. Additionally, students will tour the 30-acre campus and eat lunch in the dining hall.

This event is co-sponsored by the Modern Foreign Languages Department and the Undergraduate Admissions Office. Field trips are welcome. Registration

is required. For more information, call the Office of Admissions at (708) 524-6800.

Getting to know trees

A group of fourth graders at Nelson School did an art project on trees in conjunction with their study of life science.

Each child studied about an individual tree found in the Midwest - the silver maple, the American ash, the pin oak, etc. Along with learning where to find the tree and its characteristics, each student drew a picture of the tree's leaf and bud. The children learned of the tree's value and use to man.

Along with gaining knowledge about the different trees of the Midwest, each child gained an appreciation of the tree's beauty and what trees in general mean to mankind.

SIUC to hold open house

Southern Illinois University's Carbondale campus will hold an open house for high school seniors on Saturday, Nov. 9.

A half-day of activities for students and their families begins at 8:30 a.m. in the Student Center's International Lounge. Throughout the morning, guests can view departmental exhibits, apply for admission, receive on-the-spot admission evaluations, receive information on financial aid and student housing, and take tours of the campus.

Transfer students from community colleges are also invited to attend.

Open house guests are welcome to use the sports and fitness facilities free from 10 a.m. to 8 p.m. at the Student Recreation Center. (Each guest is required to post a \$2 refundable deposit for the entry pass).

No appointment is necessary to attend. For additional information, call SIUC's New Student Admission Services, (618) 536-4405.

Jacob Piechnik

Jacob Piechnik, son of Eva and Gregory Bulava of Niles, has been recognized for his literary accomplishments. His work, "Portrait Poem" has been published in the 1996 edition of *Anthology of Poetry by Young Americans*.

Jacob, age 9, is a student at Science and Arts Academy, a school for gifted children located in Des Plaines. In addition to writing, Jacob enjoys art, piano, basketball, soccer, and tennis.

Regina Dominican hosts Leadership Workshop



Pictured left to right: Megan Madigan, Jackie Corrado, Jennifer Stavros, Amy Donahue, Megan Staff, Kristin Heitman, Caroline Yohanian, Kerri McNulty, Mary Thoresdale, Sarah Trevino, Katie Maloney. Front: Kristin Soriano.



Junior High students arriving for conference.

Regina Dominican High School hosted a Junior High Leadership Conference on Oct. 10 for 160 junior high school leaders. Regina Dominican Student Council members led the day's program. The 160 students and 30 adults took part in the workshops. Through small and large group sessions, role playing and games, student leaders examined the roles and responsibilities of various leadership positions. Communication, organization and meeting skills were discussed and demonstrated.

Regina Dominican's technology coordinator, Leslie Baker, gave the adult participants a brief overview of the Internet and its educational applications. Both Baker and librarian, John Stieper, introduced Regina Dominican's library reference services: the North Suburban Library System (NSLS), Social Issues Resource Service (SIRS), and Magazine Articles Summaries (MAS).

Regina Dominican presents Anything Goes

Regina Dominican High School presents the musical, *Anything Goes*, a play about a cruise-ship romance with a touch of intrigue, on Friday, November 22nd and Saturday, November 23rd at 8 p.m., and Sunday, November 24th at 2 p.m. in the O'Shaughnessy Theatre. Tickets are \$7. A special matinee performance for grade school classes will be offered Thursday November 21st at 10 a.m. To purchase tickets prior to these shows or to reserve space for the Thursday performance, please contact Judith Speer at (847) 256-7660.

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School News

District 71 news

I.G.A.P. Report Cards
District 71 has copies of its 1996 School Report Card available for interested community residents. The Illinois Goal Assessment Program (I.G.A.P.) compares the district's demographics and test scores to the average of those of other districts across the state. In March of each year, all eligible Illinois public school students in grades 3, 6, 8 and 10 take reading, writing, and mathematics assessments. Eligible students in grades 4, 7 and 11 take science and social science assessments. If you would like a copy of District 71's 1996 School Report Card, call 647-9752.

Children & Divorce: A Program for Parents/Guardians
On Monday, Nov. 18 from 7 to 8:30 p.m. at South School, District 71 and Niles Family Services will be co-sponsoring a free program, entitled "Children and Divorce."

Over one million marriages end in divorce each year, and one out of every six children lives in a one-parent family. Research has shown that when parents divorce, children often experience increased difficulties with school work and relationships.

This workshop will help parents/guardians to better understand how divorce affects their

children. To register for child care or for more information, call Marguerite Adelman, District 71's Family and Community Involvement Coordinator, 647-9752.

Girls' Basketball
The Girls' Junior Varsity Basketball team will play an away game on Thursday, Nov. 7 at 4 p.m. at Parkview School and again on Tuesday, Nov. 12 at 4 p.m. at McCracken School. They will play a home game on Thursday, Nov. 14 at 4 p.m. against Old Orchard School.

On Wednesday, Nov. 13, the Girls' Varsity Basketball team will play an away game at 4 p.m. at Lincoln Hall.

Family Geography Night
District 71 and the Niles Elementary Schools PTA are offering their first Family Geography Night on Friday, Nov. 8 from 7 to 9 p.m. at South School. The evening will begin at 7 p.m. with a family version of The Great American Challenge, a "Geo-feud" game show for kids and adults. Following the game show, children and adults will break out into grade level activities for preschoolers, kindergartners, first graders, second graders, and third to eighth graders. At the end of the evening, everyone will reconvene for refresh-

ments and door prizes. For more information, call Marguerite Adelman, Family and Community Involvement Coordinator, at 647-9752.

PTA Holiday Craft Bazaar
The Niles Elementary Schools PTA will hold a Holiday Craft Bazaar and Book Fair on Saturday, Nov. 23 from 10 a.m. to 4 p.m. at South School, 6935 W. Touhy Ave. Come and select from a large number of craft items from American Girls doll clothes to holiday wreaths and decorations. There will also be a bake sale and a raffle, which will feature a number of hand crafted items as well as a 10 inch color television.

Back by Popular Demand:
Detective J.J. Bittenbinder School Districts 71 and 219, the Niles Elementary Schools PTA, the Niles Human Services Department, and the Niles Police Department are once again hosting a Street Smarts presentation, featuring Detective J.J. Bittenbinder. The program will be held at 7 p.m. on Monday, Nov. 25 at Niles Elementary School South, 6935 W. Touhy Ave. in Niles. The program is free, and babysitting will be provided for children from 3 to 9 years of age. To register for child care, please call 647-9752.

Outstanding teacher awarded



William Alenson, director of advertising, United Airlines and member of Oakton's Educational Foundation, congratulates Evanston resident Luther Dowdy, professor of student development, who was named the 1996 recipient of the Ray Hartstein Award for Academic Excellence at Oakton Community College in Des Plaines. Named for the founding chairman of the Oakton Board of Trustees, Ray Hartstein, this \$1,000 award is given annually to a full time and a part time faculty member who demonstrate outstanding teaching performance and rapport with both students and peers. Kalyani Banerjee, adjunct chemistry instructor and Evanston resident, received the award for part-time faculty.

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Sports/Parks & Library News

OCC Cross Country Team

The Running Raiders from Oakland Community College led the way at the annual Park Ridge Charity Classic 5K last Saturday morning.

Eric DeWitt ran a minute faster than he ran last year to place 4th in his age division. Saied Jabbari and Monouses Lionikis ran their best times of the season.

Tara Messerschmidt won her age division for the 2nd week in a row while also improving her time from the previous week. Ginger Belter again placed 2nd in her age division but also ran much faster than the previous week at the Condell Classic.

Oakton will be competing in the College Of Lake County Cross Country Invitational this coming Saturday.

Niles West students named Scholar Athletes

38 fall athletes from Niles West High School have been named Scholar Athletes by the Central Suburban League (CSL), and 9 of those students also qualified for the Scholar Athlete Award from the National Interscholastic Athletic Administrators Association (NIAAA). Students receive the CSL honor if they have maintained a minimum 3.0 average on a 4.0 scale for academic work for at least six semesters. In addition, each Scholar Athlete has played the sport for at least two years. The NIAAA requires a minimum 3.5 grade point average.

Niles West's NIAAA Scholar Athletes, who also receive the CSL award, are Andres Alver of Skokie in Soccer, Nicole Corri-

gan of Skokie in girl's tennis, Raphael Kiam of Skokie in soccer, Carol Kim of Lincolnwood in girl's tennis, Joanna Klinciewicz of Lincolnwood in girl's swimming. Since Kopsombut of Skokie in girl's swimming, Simone Kung of Skokie in girl's tennis, Christi Policht of Morton Grove in girls' cross country and Brian Varghese of Lincolnwood in boy's cross country. These individuals also earned the Illinois High School Association honor of Scholastic Achievement by meeting the criteria of one season of varsity competition and a cumulative grade point average of 3.5 weighted or better.

Additional winners of the CSL Scholar Athlete Award include Jason Abbey of Skokie in football, Rachel Bradley of Morton Grove in girl's swimming, Cicily Castillo of Morton Grove in girl's swimming, Ji Yong Cho of Skokie in girl's swimming, Rosalie Chwal of Morton Grove in girl's swimming, Isaac Feder of Lincolnwood in soccer, Maxim Grebenshikov of Lincolnwood in soccer, Danny Ha of Morton Grove in soccer, Daniel Hwang of Skokie in soccer, Amir Jacob of Skokie in boy's cross country, Renjan Karottu of Skokie in soccer, Kara Kezios of Skokie in girl's cross country, Jennifer Landis of Morton Grove in girl's cross country, Judith Leavitt of Morton Grove in girl's cross country, Eileen Lee of Lincolnwood in girl's tennis, John Lee of Skokie in football, Ticha Malegrai of Lincolnwood in volleyball, Julia Medwin of Niles in girl's tennis, Timothy Moy of Lincolnwood in golf, Daniel Nitoi of Skokie in soccer, Tracy Peterson of Skokie in girl's cross country, Andrew Podosenov of Niles in boy's cross country, Kimberly Richards of Skokie in volleyball, Andrew Strauch of Lincolnwood in golf, Christopher Swanson of Lincolnwood in boy's cross country, Leanne Vollmann of Skokie in girl's swimming, Zheng Xiang of Skokie in soccer, Chong Yoo of Morton Grove in soccer and Gina Zimmer of Morton Grove in girl's swimming.

LCN to air "Crossroads Cafe"

"Crossroads Cafe" is airing on PBS affiliate channels throughout Illinois. LCN is the only Chicago-area channel to air the series. LCN is broadcasting each episode numerous times during the week in order to accommodate as wide an audience as possible. Episodes are seen on LCN on Saturdays and Sundays at 7 and 7:30 a.m., 5 and 5:30 p.m. and 8 and 8:30 p.m. and on Tuesdays and Thursdays at 2 and 2:30 p.m. and 10 and 10:30 p.m.

Additionally, each participating library has the videotapes and workbooks available in the circulating collection.

For further information about the producing agency of "Crossroads Cafe" or purchasing tapes, contact Alexis Sarkisian at (312) 787-4103. For information about the LCN broadcasts, contact Lydia Stux at (847) 673-7774 or Dave Evans at (847) 506-2662.

Men's 16" Softball Final Standings

TEAM	WINS	LOSSES
1. Sharks	9	2
2. Liverwurst	8	3
3. Showboats	8	3
4. Knob Boys	8	3
5. Shooters	7	4
6. Six Pack	7	4
7. Stars	5	6
8. Bad Apples	5	6
9. War Pigs	4	7
10. Good Fellas	4	7
11. Vermin	2	9
12. Cyclones	0	11

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Introduction to Wordperfect 6.1 for Windows

Learn how to use the most widely used word processing program in the world. The Niles Park District is offering this class which covers basic functions such as editing, saving and retrieving documents, copying and moving blocks of text. Also covered is page and line formatting, working with tabs and indents, spell-checking and fonts, all in the Windows environment.

A prerequisite of "Introduction to Windows" is needed. This class is available for adults and is held at the Ballard Leisure Center. It meets two consecutive Tuesdays, Nov. 12 and Nov. 19, from 7 to 10 p.m. The class fee is \$120. For more information, call (847) 824-8860.

Basketball Tournament announced

The Maine-Niles Association of Special Recreation (M-NASR) announced their "Great Turkey Shoot-out" Basketball Tournament today to be fully sponsored by the First National Bank of Morton Grove and Champs Sports Bar & Grill. All money collected from team entrance fees goes directly towards the advancement of recreational programming for individuals with physical and mental challenges living inside area communities.

M-NASR is expecting 32 teams to participate (16 men/16 women teams, for this 3 on 3 tournament with an entrance fee of \$75 per team (no more than 4 players on a team). The Great Turkey Shoot-out will take place on November 30, at the Prairie View Community Center in Morton Grove from 9 - 5. All Teams will be guaranteed a minimum of 2 games and will receive T-shirts for participating. Winning teams will take home first place trophies.

If you would be interested in registering for the Great Turkey Shoot-out, contact TJ at (847) 966-5522.

Book discussion at Lincolnwood Library

Sheila Whalen Nolan will discuss "Jane and the Unpleasantness at Scargrave Manor" - Being the First Jane Austen Mystery - by Stephanie Barron on Saturday, Nov. 9 at the Lincolnwood Public Library at 2 p.m. In this far-fetched but lighthearted ruse, Barron claims in the preface that she has found a number of manuscripts authored by Jane Austen detailing her detective adventures. The book, the first title of a planned series, has been called "stylish entertainment."

The program marks the conclusion for the year of the library's Saturday in Review series. The Lincolnwood Library is located at 4000 W. Pratt Ave. Phone (847) 677-5277.

Men's 30 & Over Softball League Standings

TEAM	WINS	LOSSES
Untouchables	6	2
Hot Shots	5	3
Good Guys	4	4
Playboys	3	5
Rascals	1	7

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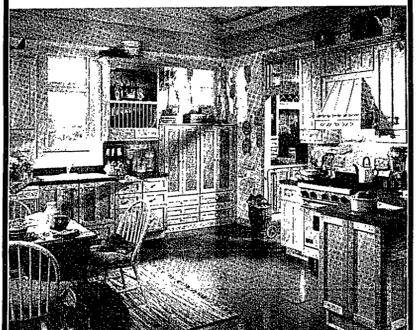
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Business News

Other Taxable Income

by Robert W. Brock
IRS District Director

Income is considered taxable unless the law states otherwise. You may receive income in the form of money, property or services.

You should report most miscellaneous taxable income on the "Other Income" line on Form 1040, U.S. Individual Income Tax Return. Enter the amount of income and write a brief description of what it is on the dotted line.

Examples of miscellaneous income include not-for-profit activities, fees for services, court awards or damages, prizes and awards, and bartering.

You must include on your tax return income from an activity that is not for profit. An example would be a hobby or a farm you operate mostly for recreation and pleasure. Deductions for expenses related to the activity are limited. They cannot total more than the income you report, and can be taken only if you itemize deductions on Schedule A. See Not-for-Profit Activities in Publication 535, Business Expenses, for additional information on whether an activity is considered a hobby or business.

Include all fees for your services in your income. Examples are amounts you are paid as a corporate director, an executor or administrator of an estate, a notary public, or an election precinct official.

Pay you receive for jury duty must also be included in your income. If you are required to give it to your employer because they continue to pay your salary while you serve on the jury, you can deduct the amount you turn over as an adjustment to your income. Show the amount to repay on the

"Total Adjustments" line on Form 1040.

To determine if court awards or damages should be included in your income, you must consider the item that the settlement replaces. Generally, you would include the following as ordinary income:

- 1) Interest on any award.
- 2) Compensation for lost wages or lost profits.
- 3) Punitive damages awarded in cases not involving physical injury or sickness.
- 4) Amounts received in settlement of pension rights (if you did not contribute to the plan).
- 5) Damage for patent or copyright infringement, breach of contract, or interference with business operations.
- 6) Any recovery under the Age Discrimination in Employment Act.

If you win a prize in a lucky-number drawing, TV or radio quiz program, or other event you must include it in your income. Cash awards or bonuses given by your employer for good work or suggestions generally must be included in your income. Prizes and awards in goods or services must be included at their fair market value. If you refuse to accept a prize, you don't have to include its value in your income.

Bartering is an exchange of property or services. You must include in your income, at the time of the exchange, the fair market value of the property or services you receive. If you exchange services with another person and you both have agreed ahead of time to the value of the services, that value will be accepted as fair market value unless the value can be shown to be otherwise.

Bartering income is reported on Schedule C or Schedule C-EZ (Form 1040).

If you exchanged property or services through a barter exchange, you should receive Form 1099-B, Proceeds From Broker and Barter Exchange Transactions, or a similar statement. You should receive the statement by January 31, 1997, and it will generally show the value of cash, property, services, credits or scrip you received from the exchange during the year. The IRS will also get a copy of your Form 1099-B.

Publication 17, Your Federal Income Tax, has additional information on "Other Income." Call 1 (800) 829-3676 to have one sent to your home.

Offices close for Veterans Day

All Secretary of State offices and facilities will be closed for Veterans Day, Secretary of State George H. Ryan announced. The only exception is the Ford City facility, which is open seven days a week in the Ford City Mall. The holiday is observed by all state agencies.

Driver Services facilities outside Cook County and the Chicago West, Midlothian and Niles facilities in Cook County, which normally are open Tuesday through Saturday, will be closed Saturday, Nov. 9, for Veterans' Day, and will reopen Tuesday, Nov. 12.

All offices that normally are open Monday through Friday will be closed Monday, Nov. 11, for Veterans' Day, and will resume business Tuesday, Nov. 12.

Tax identification numbers for aliens

The Internal Revenue Service has announced that certain aliens, who cannot obtain social security numbers (SSNs), are now required to get IRS-issued individual taxpayer identification numbers (ITINs).

In the past, the IRS has issued temporary numbers to process returns from taxpayers who couldn't get SSNs. Starting January 1, 1997, the IRS will suspend its processing of such returns until taxpayers provide valid identification numbers. The IRS began taking applications for ITINs in July and has issued a new Form W-7, Application for IRS Taxpayer Identification Number, for this purpose.

Effective January 1, 1997, an alien who is required to file a tax return with the IRS and who is not eligible to receive an SSN must apply for an individual tax identification number. Examples of who must apply include:

A nonresident alien who is required to file a U.S. tax return or who is filing a U.S. tax return only to claim a refund;

Individuals claimed as dependent on a U.S. tax return and who are not eligible to obtain an SSN;

Individuals being claimed as spouses (husband or wives) for exemptions on a U.S. tax return and who are not eligible to obtain an SSN;

Individuals who have applied for and been denied an SSN will also be eligible for an ITIN. Form W-7 is available at all IRS offices or by calling 1-800-829-3676. Forms can also be obtained from the Internal Revenue Information System (IRIS) at (703) 321-8020. On the Internet, you can also telnet to irs.

telnet.gov, or file transfer protocol services, connect to ftp.irs.ustreas.gov. Form W-7 is also on the World Wide Web at <http://www.irs.ustreas.gov>.

After completing the W-7, you can apply either by mail or in person. If applying by mail, send the application with original and certified copies of the documentation to: Internal Revenue Service, Philadelphia Service Center, ITIN Unit, P.O. Box 447, Bensalem, PA 19020. Original documentation must also be presented when applying in person. An application should be accompanied by at least two types of supporting documentation. Preferably, one of the supporting documents should contain a recent photograph of the individual. For example, a passport or drivers license.

The ITIN is not available for U.S. citizens or persons legally permitted to reside permanently or work in the U.S. These taxpayers qualify for SSNs and should obtain them by filing Form SS-5, Application for a Social Security Card, with the Social Security Administration. The ITIN is for tax processing purposes only-it does not entitle the holder to social security benefits or change the holder's employment or immigration status under U.S. law.

For additional information on ITINs, call toll-free, 1-800-829-3676, and have Publication 1915, Understanding Your IRS Individual Taxpayer Identification Number, sent directly to your home.

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Business News

Youth Peer Jury Program



Front, far right: Cook County Circuit Court Clerk Aurelia Pucinski meets with Park Ridge Police Department officials to discuss the "Youth Peer Jury Program". This program, initiated by the Clerk's office, allows first-time, nonviolent juvenile offenders to forgo the court system, plead guilty and face a jury of teenage volunteers.

(Pictured with Pucinski, front left: Deputy Chief Jeff Caudill; Public Safety Director Robert Colangelo; Pucinski; Back Left: Investigators Division Commander William Hominick; Juvenile Investigator Bob Kristie; Juvenile Investigator Matthew Jones; Deputy Chief Larry Herzog; Youth Peer Jury Coordinator for the Clerk's office Myrna Goldsmith.)

Getting Ready to File

by Robert W. Brock
IRS District Director

In addition to a new year, January also signifies the beginning of another tax season. This month, I offer a few tips that will make filing your return a little easier.

By now you should have received your 1996 tax package. (If you used a paid preparer last year, you may not get a tax package.) Take a few moments to check that your name, address and social security number are shown correctly on the label. If there is an error, carefully make the change directly on the label itself. Use this label when you file your return. It will speed up the processing time.

It's also a good idea to take some time to read your tax package. It contains the answers to many of your questions. If you were married or divorced during 1996 and changed your name, correct your records with the Social Security Administration. This will prevent a mismatch when you file your return and avoid a possible delay of your refund.

Make sure you have the records you need to complete your tax return. Monthly statements from banks, savings and loans, brokerage, etc. provide information on interest and dividends earned (or paid), mortgage payments and other tax items. You should also keep your pay statements and a list of your employers from the past year.

Did you move during 1996? If

so, make sure your employer and financial institutions have your new address so you will receive your W-2s and 1099s.

Now is also the time to check and make sure you have all the forms you'll need to prepare your return.

If you need forms or publications, you have several options. Tax forms and publications can be accessed via computer and modem on the FedWorld bulletin board or on the Internet. (Access FedWorld at 703-321-8020). Access the Internet via Telnet at irs.irs.ustreas.gov; via FTP at ftp.irs.ustreas.gov; via the World Wide Web at <http://www.irs.ustreas.gov>.

Forms are also available by fax (use voice unit) 24 hours a day, 7 days a week by calling 703-487-4160. Or, you can have forms sent directly to your home by calling 1-800-829-3676. They will be mailed to you in about 10 working days. Operators are available Monday through Friday, 7:30 a.m. to 5 p.m. The best time to call is early in the morning or late in the afternoon on Wednesday, Thursday or Friday.

Finally, you may be able to get the most common forms at your local post office or library. Participating libraries have a package of reproducible tax forms and are usually open evenings and weekends.

If you decide to use a profes-

sional tax preparer this year, make sure he or she has a good reputation in your community. Never go to a preparer who guarantees a refund or whose fee is based on the size of the refund. A paid preparer must sign the tax return in the space provided on the lower right-hand corner of the back page of the return. Also, you should make sure your preparer gives you a copy of the completed tax return. Put it with your tax records - it's a good starting point for preparing next year's return.

This year, you should also consider using one of the alternative methods for filing your return. Most people can take advantage of electronic filing. If you prepare your return on a computer, the 1040PC form at will decrease the amount of paper you use and give you the "file now, pay later" option you get with electronic filing. If you received a special TeleFile tax booklet in the mail, you can file your return by telephone.

I hope these tips help make filing your 1996 tax return easier.

Marcin Krauz

Army Pvt. Marcin Krauz has entered basic military training at Fort Jackson, Columbia, S.C. Krauz is the son of Zuzanna and Stanislaw Krauz of Des Plaines. He is a 1996 graduate of Waino East High School, Park Ridge.

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Business News

CPA Society offers annual Tax Conference

The Illinois CPA Society will conduct its 42nd annual Tax Conference on both Thursday and Friday, November 14-15, at the Rosemont Convention Center (9301 West Bryn Mawr, Rosemont, 847/692-2220). As in previous years, the two-day event will feature the Midwest's most sought-after speakers and broad coverage of individual, partnership and corporate taxation—including Professor Richard Kaplan's double keynote on current tax developments.

The Illinois CPA Society has also added several new sessions to its Tax Conference covering such hot topics as Internet use, the Taxpayers Bill of Rights 2, IRS collection issues, personal financial planning, the Small Business Jobs Protection Act of 1996, post-election tax legislation, independent contractor vs. employee, and international issues. Other topics on the conference agenda range from divorce taxation to estate planning to state and local tax issues. Addi-

tionally, the Tax Conference will include morning breakout sessions and afternoon workshops.

The Illinois CPA Society's Tax Conference will run from 8:30 a.m. until 5:00 p.m. on both days, with check-in beginning at 7:30 a.m. and a brief welcome at 8:25 a.m. on Thursday, November 14. Participants will receive 16 continuing professional education credits for attending the two-day conference, and the registration fee is \$380 for Illinois CPA Society members and \$420 for non-members. There is a \$15 administration fee for individuals who register on-site.

For more information on the Tax Conference, or to register, please contact the Society at (312) 993-0393 (800/993-0393—in Illinois only), or fax (312) 993-9432. For information on additional Illinois CPA Society program, events, products and services, individuals can visit its Web site at <http://www.icpas.org>.

Michael Naelgas

Marine Pfc. Michael A. Naelgas, son of Juanito A. and Aurora A. Naelgas of Skokie, recently reported for duty with Marine Wing Support Squadron 372, 3rd Marine Aircraft Wing, Marine Corps Air Station, Camp Pendleton, Calif. The 1995 graduate of Niles North High School joined the Marine Corps in November 1995.

Gerald Swinkle

Marine 2nd Lt. Gerald J. Swinkle, son of Gerald J. and Odilia B. Swinkle of Chicago, recently graduated from The Basic School at Marine Corps Combat Development Command, Quantico, Va. The 1991 graduate of Loyola Academy High School of Wilmette, joined the Marine Corps in January 1996. Swinkle is a 1995 graduate of Illinois Wesleyan University, Bloomington, IL., with a BA degree.

Leases completed in Niles, Morton Grove

S. L. van der Zanden, Vice President of The Rose Group, has announced the completion of twelve leases in properties managed by the firm in various Chicago suburbs.

North Coast Enterprises, Inc. signed a lease at Howard Plaza, 5699 West Howard Street in Niles, for 5,048 square feet. Steve Livaditis of Frain Camins & Swarthchild represented the tenant and Greg Mast of The Rose Group represented the owner.

In north suburban Morton Grove, Terminix International Company, LP, signed a lease at North Grove Corporate Park, 6245 Park Avenue. Ownership was represented by Mast of The Rose Group.

The Rose Group's Mast also represented ownership in a lease to European Imports & Gifts, Inc. for 3,820 square feet of office and storage space located at 6364 Oakton Street, Morton Grove. Karen Laird of Laird & Associates represented the tenant.

Four lease renewals and/or expansions handled by Mast include Mayfair Games, which increased their space by 5,341 square feet. The manufacturer and distributor of board games is

located at 5641-45 W. Howard Street in Niles. Viking Ski expanded by 4,095 square feet at 1056 National Parkway in Schaumburg for the remainder of their lease. In north suburban Morton Grove, Metro Chemical renewed a lease of 3,041 square feet at 6352 Oakton Street. John Chao, Inc. extended their lease of 3,802 square feet at 5703 W. Howard in Niles.

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Business News

Illinois CPA Society to award scholarships

The Illinois CPA Society will award eleven scholarships of \$1,000 to students pursuing careers in accounting as part of the Illinois CPA Society's Scholarship Program. The program strives to defray tuition costs for college students who show outstanding effort in the study of accounting.

To be eligible for a scholarship, an applicant must be: 1) an Illinois resident, 2) a full-time student attending an Illinois community college or four-year college or university and 3) an accounting major who has completed a minimum of six semester or nine quarter hours of college accounting. Community college appli-

cants must intend to transfer to a four year institution as an accounting major in the fall of 1997.

Each of the Society's eleven chapters will select and notify the recipients in the spring or early summer of 1997. Completed applications must be received by

Feb. 17, 1997.

For more information on the Illinois CPA Society's scholarships, or to request an application, contact Junette Puryear/Student Outreach Coordinator at the Illinois CPA Society at (312) or (800) 993-0407 ext 255. For information on additional Illinois

CPA Society programs, events, products and services, individuals can visit the Society's Web site at <http://www.icpas.org>

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Ryan joins Senate Leaders on crime package



Attorney General Jim Ryan (left) and Assistant Senate Majority Leader Walter Dudyzy (R-7th, Chicago) discuss a new anti-crime package that targets sex offenders. Announced at a press conference Oct. 22 in Chicago, the proposed legislation requires a sentence of natural life imprisonment in the Department of Corrections for any person twice convicted of sex crimes; requires mentally ill sex offenders to serve time in prison then receive mental health care; creates the crime of harassment via the Internet; and allows evidence of prior sex crimes to be used in court.

Illinois CPA Society hosts conference

The Illinois CPA Society will offer its popular, annual Common Interest Realty Associations (CIRA) Conference on Tuesday, Nov. 19, at the Chicago Hilton & Towers (720 South Michigan Ave., Chicago, (312) 922-4400). The half-day conference will provide participants with the latest changes and developments to common interest realty associations legislation, taxation and operational issues.

The half-day Common Interest Realty Associations Conference will run from 8:25 a.m. until noon, with check-in beginning at 7:30 a.m. Participants will receive 4 continuing professional education credits for attending, and the registration fee is \$110 for Illinois CPA Society members and \$150 for non-members.

For more information on the Illinois CPA Society's Common Interest Realty Associations Conference, please contact the Society at (312) 993-0393 (800) 993-0393 --- in Illinois only), or fax (312) 993-9432. For information on additional Il-

linois CPA Society programs, events, products and services, individuals can visit the Society's Web site at <http://www.icpas.org>

Skokie resident wins Little Lotto

Tobias Lewkowicz of Skokie has come forward to claim a First Prize of \$35,832 from the Aug. 14 Little Lotto drawing. Lewkowicz correctly matched all five numbers and will receive the amount in a one-time cash payment.

The First Prize jackpot of \$179,160 was split among five winners. Lewkowicz's winning ticket was purchased at Royal Gas Mart, located at 3057 N. Kedzie in Chicago. For selling the winning ticket, the business will receive a 1 percent bonus of \$1791.

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Turning fun and frolic into gain and loss

Do you enjoy raising cats, collecting coins, or taking photographs? Would you like to earn valuable tax breaks for doing something you find pleasurable? Then try turning your avocation into a sideline business, recommends the Illinois CPA Society. You'll be able to generate some additional income, as well as realize some significant tax breaks. Here's how you may be affected by some of the hobby rules.

Traveling to a coin show or planning to attend a conference for stamp collectors? Typically, when you travel on business in connection with a hobby, you won't get much help from Uncle Sam. Although you must claim the full amount of income you earn from your hobby, hobby-related expenses are generally deductible only to the extent of income produced by the activity. So if you don't generate any income from your hobby, you can't claim any deductions. What's more, even those hobby expenses which can be deducted are subject to an additional limitation: they are considered miscellaneous itemized deductions, which are deductible only to the extent

that they exceed two percent of your adjusted gross income. In contrast, if your activity can be classified as a bona fide business, you may be able to deduct the full amount of your expenses for such things as travel and meetings (and 50 percent of the cost of business meal and entertainment expenses) on Schedule C of your tax return.

Having trouble locating buyers for the Olympics memorabilia you brought? Don't count on getting a break from Uncle Sam for losses you incur if this is a hobby of yours. A hobby loss won't cut your overall tax bill because the tax law stipulates that you can't use a hobby loss to offset other income. In contrast, converting your hobby into a bona fide business means you can deduct a net loss from other income you earn, such as salary. The ability to deduct losses is one of the major tax advantages of running a business over pursuing a hobby.

Need to purchase a new enlarger for your photography room or storage cases for your collection of Egyptian artifacts? Again, unless you have hobby in-

come, Internal Revenue Service (IRS) rules prohibit you from deducting these hobby costs. However, such depreciable expenses are deductible from your business income. In addition, if you need to make large equipment purchases, you may be entitled to an expensing deduction which allows you to deduct up to \$17,500 worth of business equipment in one year. Other tax-wise reasons to convert your hobby into a business include the possibility of qualifying for the home office deduction and making deductible contributions to a Keogh or SEP plan.

How does the IRS determine whether your activity is a hobby or a for-profit business? The primary determinant is your ability to make a profit at what you are doing. If your efforts result in a profit in three out of five consecutive years, your activity is presumed not to be a hobby by the IRS. Also, if you breed, train, race or show horse and you realize profit in two out of the last seven consecutive years, your activity is presumed not to be a hobby.

If you don't meet the three-out-

of-five years profile rule, is all lost? Not necessarily. You can request that the IRS hold off on making its determination until you have been in business five years. You'll need to file Form 5213, Election to Postpone Determination As to Whether the Presumption That Activity Engaged In Is For Profit.

If you can prove to the IRS's satisfaction that you have made a genuine effort to earn a profit and that the reason you were not successful was related to special circumstances, the IRS may agree to take a closer look at your case. Some of the factors the IRS will consider include: the extent to which you carry on the activity in a businesslike manner; the amount of time and effort you put into the activity; your expertise and that of others involved in your activity; your success in carrying out similar activities; the

amount of occasional profits your activity realizes; and your financial status.

To increase your chance of gaining the IRS's recognition of your business, CPAs recommend that you run your activity in a professional, businesslike manner. Have business cards and stationery printed, maintain a separate business checking account and telephone number, keep accurate records of the time you put in, and carefully document all business-related expenses.

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Elected to Roosevelt Board of Trustees

Seymour J. Abrams, chairman of SYSCO Financial Corporation, has been elected to the Roosevelt University Board of Trustees.

Abrams is also chairman and president of Brickyard Bank of Lincolnwood, chairman of S.J. Abrams & Company Insurance Agency, and general partner of ABSCO Investments. A graduate of Roosevelt, Abrams earned his bachelor's degree in commerce in 1948.

His many board affiliations include the University of Osteopathic Medicine and Health Sciences, the Simon Wiesenthal Center for Holocaust Studies, Yeshiva University at Los Angeles, Disabled American Veterans, Hebrew Theological College, Associated Talmud Torahs of Chicago and the Jewish National Fund. He is vice president and treasurer of the governing board of the Northwest Home for the Aged.

Abrams is a resident of north suburban Lincolnwood.

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Notice is hereby given, pursuant to "An Act in relation to the use of an Assumed Business Name in the conduct or transaction of Business in the State," as amended, that a certification was filed by the undersigned with the County Clerk of Cook County, File No. D038291 on Oct. 23, 1996, under the Assumed Name of i 4 design, with the business located at 1307 West Eddy, Chicago, IL 60657. The true name (s) and residence address of owner(s) is: Carol Elaine Freer, 1335 W. Addison, Chicago, IL 60613 & Beth O'Connell Wangman, 1307 West Eddy, Chicago, IL 60657.

Barry J. Carroll, chairman of Carroll International Corporation in Des Plaines, Illinois, has been elected to the Roosevelt University Board of Trustees.

Carroll is also director of Katy Industries, president of E.D. Pehrson Associates Real Estate Development and vice president of Internal Metals and Machines, also in Des Plaines. A graduate of Harvard Graduate School, Carroll is director of the Bank of Illinois of DuPage County and the DM Group of Des Plaines.

Carroll's civic activities include service on the boards of Bar-rat College, the Lake Forest Symphony Association, the American Ireland Fund, the Shimer College Foundation for Liberal Arts Education, the Carroll Foundation, the Chicago Crime Commission and the Lake County Regional School Board.

Carroll is a Des Plaines resident.

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Business News

IRS seeks volunteers

Do you like to help people? If so, the Internal Revenue Service has a program to match your skills with the needs of many Illinois residents.

The IRS is looking for both individuals and organizations to volunteer for the Volunteer Income Tax Assistance Program (VITA) during the 1997 tax filing season.

VITA volunteers help people who are unable to prepare their own simple tax returns or cannot pay for professional tax assistance. Volunteers also provide assistance with TeleFile returns (file by telephone) and some VITA sites even offer electronic filing.

New volunteers are trained by IRS tax specialists. The three-to-five day training course on tax laws for individuals is usually taught in January. Day, evening or weekend classes can be arranged. After completing the class, volunteers are asked to spend at least two hours a week preparing returns for a local organization sponsoring VITA.

Volunteer organizations find locations for a VITA site, schedule volunteers and do publicity. If you'd like to participate in VITA or simply have questions about the program, call IRS VITA Coordinators Beverly Lewis in Chicago at (312) 886-4609 or Sonya Jacobs in Springfield at (217) 527-6366.

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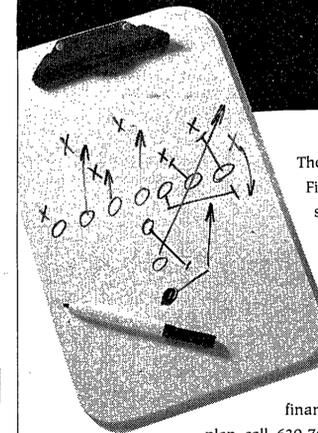
ing house would be payable in the year of the sale.

If you are part of a group that shares a prize (cash or noncash), you must all fill out and sign Form 5754, Statement by Person (s) Receiving Gambling Wages. The form includes the percent of the prize each person receives.

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Police News

Leaving the scene of accident

A 48-year-old Niles man living in the 7800 block of Nordica Avenue was charged with driving under the influence of alcohol, failure to reduce speed to avoid an accident, improper lane usage, and leaving the scene of a vehicle damage accident around 8:25 p.m. Oct. 28.

Police were dispatched to an accident at Golf Road and Milwaukee Avenue. No vehicles were observed at the intersection, but police heard a report that the Cook County Police had stopped a subject in the 9200 block of Golf Road because he was driving erratically swerving into the center lane and then back into the curb lane.

Both police departments attempted to stop the offender, but he refused and finally struck the curb, blowing out the passenger side front tire of his vehicle.

The subject was sleeping in the driver's seat, unaware of what had occurred. Police smelled a strong odor of an alcoholic beverage on

the offender's breath, and the subject could not stand up without police assistance. Police could not administer a field sobriety test because the arrestee kept falling asleep. The subject was placed under arrest.

Police later found the victim of the accident whom the arrestee struck at the intersection of Golf and Greenwood. The victim drove to the Niles Police Department to file an accident report. He told police he was stopped at a red light when the arrestee, driving westbound on Golf at Milwaukee, swerved into the left lane and struck his vehicle from behind and sideswiping it.

When the victim exited his vehicle and asked the subject for his driver's license, the offender refused to exit his vehicle and drove off while the victim called police.

The offender drove westbound on Golf where he was later stopped by Cook County police.

The offender was transported to the Niles Police Department.

His vehicle was towed to Skokie Auto. The subject could not stay awake or sit upright. He was released to the care of his wife after bond was set at \$1,000 and a Nov. 15 court date assigned.

Theft from auto

A 50-year-old Des Plaines man reported that he parked his 1996 Lexus in front of the ice cream store he owns in the 8900 block of Greenwood around 6 p.m. Oct. 29 and when he returned around 1 a.m. Oct. 30, a Compaq computer valued at \$3,000 and a black leather jacket valued at \$1,800, had been removed from the car.

Damage to auto

A 49-year-old electronic technician reported that the roof, left door and hood of his 1993 Hyundai Excel were damaged when a tree fell on the vehicle while it was parked in the parking lot in the rear of his place of work in the 8000 block of Milwaukee Ave. The damage was discovered around 6:30 p.m. Oct. 29.

A 65-year-old retired Niles man reported Oct. 28 that the rear window of his 1995 Chevrolet pick-up truck was smashed while it was parked near 297 in the Golf Mill Center parking lot between 8 p.m. and 9 p.m. Oct. 26.

A 35-year-old bartender reported that a 48-year-old Des Plaines woman approached her while she was sitting in her 1989 Pontiac Firebird while it was parked in a lot in the 8700 block of Dempster Street around 11:50 p.m. Oct. 30.

The offender took a key out of her pocket and began to scratch the right rear fender of the victim's vehicle, creating a 2 ft. long gash in the finish.

The offender told police the only reason she scratched the victim's car was because she was having a bad day and had a lot of problems in life. The victim said she will sign a complaint, and the offender was arrested and transported to the Niles Police Department where she was processed and charged. Bond was set at \$1,000 and a Nov. 15 court date was scheduled.

A 45-year-old self-employed man reported that all four tires of his 1994 Chevrolet Blazer were punctured by unknown offenders while it was parked in a driveway in the 9200 block of Courtland Drive between 7 p.m. Nov. 2 and 6:30 a.m. Nov. 3. The cost to replace the tires is estimated at \$850.

A 49-year-old professor reported that all four tires of her 1991 Chrysler LeBaron convertible were punctured by unknown offenders while it was parked in a driveway in the 9200 block of Courtland Drive sometime between 8 p.m. Nov. 2 and 7 a.m. Nov. 3.

The victim said the incident may be the result of an ongoing conflict between her daughter and two classmates at the Park Ridge high school she attends. The victim suspects that the suspects might also be responsible for the criminal damage to the auto of another victim of the same address whose vehicle was parked next to the woman victim's vehicle.

Criminal damage to property

A 40-year-old maintenance man living in the 9900 block of Huber Lane reported that unknown offender(s) used a croquet ball to shatter three glass panes valued at \$300.

A 46-year-old airline mechanic reported that unknown offender(s) used a blunt object to break two windows on the front of the victim's home in the 9800 block of Glendale Court around 9:10 p.m. Oct. 31. Damage was estimated at \$300.

Aggravated assault

Two Niles youths, ages 18 and 15, and a 16-year-old Glenview youth were walking eastbound on Crain Street from Milwaukee Avenue around 7:15 p.m. Oct. 31 when three males wearing black leather jackets and "old people" rubber masks jumped out of some bushes displaying knives and yelling insults as they ran toward the victims.

The three victims ran to Notre Dame High School to contact Niles Police. They were unable to identify the offenders and made the report as a matter of record.

Potato chip thieves can't stop stealing 'em

by Rosemary Tirio

Those snack-savoring thieves apparently haven't stopped eating 'em yet.

Two more white GMC step van trucks owned by Jays Foods, 6969 Austin, were entered sometime between Oct. 25 and 6:06 a.m. Oct. 28. Cases of snacks worth \$949 were removed from one van and an unknown amount of snacks was taken from the other. The trucks were parked in the lot on the north side of the building.

Mike Renkosiak, 35, senior sales manager of the firm, reported the theft, a repeat performance of the heist of 24 cases of snack products valued at \$244, from a similar van parked in the same lot during the overnight hours of Oct. 11-12.

Renkosiak said the value of the merchandise taken this week was around \$1,100, bringing the total loss to close to 1,400. The company is not amused.

The offenders apparently entered the rear lot by climbing a fence on the north side of the building. Police theorize that the offenders opened the rear door locks of both trucks with a master key.

Renkosiak said that all the delivery vans of the type used by Jays have similar keys, and "there's a lot of keys out there." The firm's internal controls auditor is investigating the matter and has not ruled out the possibility of an "inside job" being perpetrated by employees, especially since no damage has been done to the trucks.

Renkosiak said he thinks at least two offenders are involved because of the quantity of merchandise that has been stolen. "It would take a lot of trips over the fence to remove that much product," he said.

Jays officials are on the lookout for additional bags of products that show up on store shelves, especially in neighborhood-type stores. Renkosiak theorizes that smaller stores, possibly in the inner city, might purchase the stolen goods at a reduced price, but so far, nothing has surfaced.

The thieves are also selective, Renkosiak said. They took only items that sell for under \$1, reinforcing the theory that they will probably be fenced in smaller inner-city outlets.

Renkosiak said he has worked for Jays for about 14 years and never had a problem like this one.

Jays is a Chicago-based firm and conducts business in Michigan, Indiana, Wisconsin and Iowa as well as Illinois.

"They [the stolen products] have to go somewhere," Renkosiak said, "and sooner or later, they'll become evident. We'll find them on the racks."



Police News

Ryan, Spangler unveil new D.A.R.E. plate

Secretary of State, George H. Ryan joined state Rep. Stephen A. Spangler, R-Newark, in announcing a new license plate that will raise funds for a highly effective anti-drug abuse program aimed at young people.

Proceeds from the new plate, which will be available after Jan. 1, 1997, will be divided equally among Drug Abuse Resistance Education (D.A.R.E.) programs operated by state, county and local law enforcement groups.

"The people who buy this new license plate will be making a contribution to one of the best anti-drug education programs in our state," Ryan said during a news conference at Nettle Creek Grade School, which was the first Grundy County school to participate in the D.A.R.E. program.

"But even more important, these new plates will remind anyone who sees them that we all need to do our part to help

Sheriff's "Swap Crews" cleaning up Des Plaines

Labor crews from the Sheriff's Work Alternative Program (SWAP) will be working in Des Plaines on Nov. 14 and 15, as a public service to the taxpayers of Cook County, according to the Office of Sheriff Michael F. Sheahan.

The SWAP Program is made up of non-violent offenders charged with DUI and other misdemeanor crimes who "swap" jail time for a community service sentence. Under the supervision of specially trained sheriff's deputies, the crews work throughout the county on a variety of public works projects such as cleaning parks, viaducts and streets.

"The SWAP Program serves our county well because it saves taxpayers millions of dollars," said Sheriff Sheahan.

"SWAP provides our communities with a free labor source and it helps to combat jail crowding and the costs associated with that problem. It also provides tough yet meaningful rehabilitation to the offenders by allowing them to pay their debt to society in a productive fashion."

For further information about SWAP call (708)865-4960.

Matthew Barton

Marine Lance Cp. Matthew R. Barton, son of Richard L. and Kathleen A. Barton of Park Ridge, recently completed the Basic Disbursing Course. The 1989 graduate of Maine South Township High School joined the Marine Corps in January 1996.

young people grow up drug-free."

Spangler, who was a student at Nettle Cree, pushed for the D.A.R.E. plate last spring with Ryan's support to provide additional funding for the 9-year-old anti-drug program.

Initiated in 1987 with 30 po-

lice and 8,600 students, the D.A.R.E. program now involves more than 1,200 officers in the education of 140,000 Illinois school children.

"Unfortunately, more and more young people are making the wrong choice about using drugs, and they're risking every-

thing," Ryan said.

"With the extra money from this license plate, we're going to be able to get the facts about drug abuse to more students."

The red-black-and-silver D.A.R.E. plate sells for \$93 the first year, with \$30 being divided equally among state, county,

and local D.A.R.E. programs. Renewing the plate each year costs \$77, with \$27 being split among the programs.

Anyone wishing additional information about the plate can call the secretary of state toll-free hotline at 1-800-252-8980.

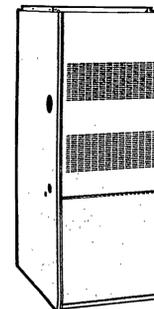
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Area News

Des Plaines Camera Club

The DES PLAINES CAMERA CLUB is co-sponsoring the Chicago Area Photographic School (CAPS) on Sunday, November 17, at Elmhurst College, located at 190 Prospect Avenue in Elmhurst. This is a one day school of How-To Programs for beginning and advanced photographers featuring instruction on exposure, composition, basic print making, and digital imaging techniques. Other classes cover close-ups, nature images, finding a market for your photographs, how to photograph weddings, how to creatively modify your images, advanced print controls and other topics.

Students may choose five classes from the 25 offered, plus a Glamour Model Shoot. Tuition for the full day of classes is \$45, plus \$5 for the Model Shot.

For a registration form and course descriptions, contact CAPS Registrar Jim Cody at 977 Roslyn Road, Glen Ellyn, Ill. 60137, or phone him at (630) 469-8647, or send e-mail: cody@mcs.anl.gov.

For more information about the DES PLAINES CAMERA CLUB, please contact Mr. Norb Wrobel, President, at (847) 699-2837.

Nelson's third grade Apple Gram

Nelson School's Totally Terrific Team 3 spent a spectacular October exploring the wonderful world of apples.

Apples were weighed and measured and we predicted what would happen after several weeks. We discovered that apples are made of lots of water and used our gram units and non-standard units of measure. We tallied the number of apples and classified them according to many different features on our floor graphs, picture graphs, and tally graphs. Team 3 continued our scientific inquiry by observing grapes turn into raisins. Super October produced some Sensational Scientific Stars.

Regency celebrates National Home Care Month

Americans are living longer, healthier lives, and the number of elderly who need help at home continues to rise.

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Monarch Ball kickoff held

The 1997 Monarch Ball to benefit Resurrection Health Care was launched at a pre-event gathering October 2 at the North Shore Country Club in Glenview. The Ball is set for March 1, 1997, at the Chicago Hilton and Towers.

Dr. and Mrs. Tassos P. Nassos of Northbrook, Ball chairman, presided over a gala dinner of Monarch Ball committee members. Among the celebrities present were former Cubs announcer Jack Brickhouse and his wife Pat.

Georgia Photopolos, the triumphant survivor of many cancer-related surgeries who celebrates life and brings hope and inspiration to others facing life-threatening illnesses, was announced as the honoree for the 1997 Monarch Ball.

A nationally recognized speaker who has appeared on many television programs, Georgia's pioneering of emotional support systems for cancer patients and her many other accomplishments have won her honors across the country.

She created an award-winning 24-hour cancer support hotline, the first of its kind in the nation, in 1973 for the American Cancer Society.

Georgia co-authored with her husband Bud, a reporter-producer for ABC Network News, the book, of Tears and Triumphs, which was on the best seller list for three weeks. It chronicles the family's inspirational survival in the face of cancer.

Previous honorees include Jo-

seph Cardinal Bernardin and Dr. Howard Lieberman.

Monarch Ball underwriters include Chicago Corporation, Power Construction, Columbia National Bank and McCarroll Marketing. Early ticket sale indicate that the ball, for the third consecutive year, will be a sell out. The overwhelming support for The Monarch Ball has made it one of the premier social events of the year in Chicago.

Included among the guests at the dinner were Joseph F. Toomey, Resurrection Health Care President and CEO, of Burr Ridge.

Resurrection Health Care is a comprehensive health care system that includes Resurrection Medical Center, Our Lady of the Resurrection Medical Center, Resurrection Nursing and Rehabilitation Center, Resurrection Retirement Community, one of the state's largest home health companies, two nursing homes in New York and dozens of outpatient facilities and services. Sponsored by the Sisters of the Resurrection, Resurrection Health Care is one of the largest Catholic health care systems in Chicago.

The proceeds of the 1997 Monarch Ball will benefit the Hope Cancer Care Network.

Tickets are \$225 per person. For more information call (773) 729-9964.

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Area News

Des Plaines Camera Club Meeting

The Des Plaines Camera Club will meet on Monday, Nov. 11 beginning at 7:30 p.m. at the Des Plaines Public Library in the Friends' room. The Library is located on the corner of Graceland and Thacker in Des Plaines.

After a brief business meeting, Mr. John Korth will present his program and slide presentation on Close-Ups of Flowers. Mr. Korth is a former member of the Club.

The Des Plaines Camera Club meets twice monthly on the second and fourth Monday of each month, September through May. Field trips, fun social events,

newsletters, contest information, monthly inter-club competitions, interesting and informative programs and speakers, and making new friends are all a part of the Club's outreach to bring good photography to the greater Des Plaines area.

If you are interested in meeting people with the same hobby, you are encouraged to attend and learn more about photography. Guests are always welcome. For additional information about the Club and its activities, please call (847) 699-2837 or (847) 824-5926.

EJG Aplastic Anemia Foundation Entertainment Books

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We have North books, South books, Northwest Books and West Books. To order your Entertainment Book, contact Jay Piell of the Earl J. Goldberg Aplastic Anemia Foundation at (847) 559-0688.

David A. Burns

Marine Pfc. David A. Burns, son of Richard A. and Sandra J. Burns of Morton Grove, recently completed basic training at Marine Corps Recruit Depot, San Diego. He is a 1992 graduate of Loyola Academy Prep High School of Wilmette.

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Taking the Thanksgiving Turkey on the road

If you're traveling "over the river and through the woods to grandmother's house," or to another city or state with the holiday turkey, take a few safety precautions. Transporting the Thanksgiving turkey safely takes some planning and preparation, according to Donna Falconnier, University of Illinois Extension educator, nutrition and wellness.

The holiday bird can be cooked ahead of time before leaving for your destination. But for safety's sake, you won't be able to travel with the whole bird intact. Check to make sure the turkey has been cooked to an internal temperature of 180 degrees F.

Falconnier advised cooking the stuffing later, when you reach your destination. If you prefer to stuff the bird, however, place the stuffing in the turkey just before baking. Remove stuffing immediately after cooking and store in shallow containers in the refrigerator.

Carve all the meat from the turkey, leaving legs, thighs and wings intact, if desired. Divide the carved meat into small containers or packages to allow the meat to cook quickly.

Refrigerate the meat within two hours of cooking. If you don't plan to use the meat within two to three days, freeze it.

Pack the turkey in an insulating cooler with ice or frozen gel packs. Immediately upon reach-

ing your destination, refrigerate the turkey meat until you are ready to reheat it. Be sure to reheat until the meat reaches 165 degrees F.

If you plan to take a raw turkey on your travels, take it out of the refrigerator and place it in a cooler just before leaving. Place the cooler in the coldest area of the car. Upon arrival, immediately refrigerate the raw turkey. Don't leave the bird out of the refrigerator for more than two hours.

Don't try to partially cook a turkey before leaving to transport a bird to someone's home. Cooking must be done in one continuous operation to ensure that illness-causing bacteria is destroyed, Falconnier said. It is safe, however, to partially cook turkey in a microwave oven, then immediately transferring it to a preheated conventional oven to finish cooking.

The best decision may be to give up the idea of taking the turkey with you for the holiday feast. Explore other options, such as carry-out meals, to ensure that your Thanksgiving dinner is safe.

The Cooperative Extension Service of University of Illinois provides educational programs and unbiased research-based information to help Illinois residents improve their quality of life, develop skills and solve problems, by "helping you put knowledge to work."

Merrill Lynch 'Shoot Out' a success

Although a few pledges are still expected, \$15,000 was raised by the Merrill Lynch, "SHOOT-OUT". To learn more about Bear Necessities, to volunteer, contribute or to discuss your fundraising ideas, call (847) 516-4081.

Flag Corps performance

Maine East's Homecoming Saturday, Oct. 19, was the final performance for the '96 Flag Corps, which performs with the marching bands at all home football games. The varsity demons beat the Niles West Indians 21-0 for Homecoming '96.

Flag Corps members are seniors Cathlene Hyun of Glenview, Barbara Getzoff of Niles, and Lisa Weiland of Des Plaines as well as juniors Faiza Altaf of Niles, Michelle Kuber of Niles, Erica Lansu of Morton Grove, and Jenny Zalatoris of Niles.

The seven members of Flag Corps will now return to Concert Band playing either flute or clarinet.

Marine hero remembered on Veterans Day

Outward appearances often deceive, and that certainly is the case for one grave at All Saints Cemetery where John Joseph Kelly is buried. Passing the grave site, no one would guess that Kelly distinguished himself as a Marine during the bloody battles of World War I, where twice he earned our nation's highest military award: the Medal of Honor.

Marines in the Chicago area alerted to this obscurity by an article in the September issue of *Leatnerneck Magazine* will honor Kelly's memory at 2 pm Nov. 11 with full military honors at his grave site. The public is invited.

The Greeks erected herculean monuments to their heroes, but no one really knows why Kelly's grave doesn't reflect the heroism he displayed time and again on the battlefields of France, where the Chicago-born Marine earned

four Silver Stars, the French Medaille Militaire, two awards of the Croix de Guerre and other foreign decorations in addition to his two Medals of Honor.

Kelly's exploits are well documented in history books, which describe his bravery as extraordinary and mark him as one of the most highly decorated of America's fighting men -- even more extraordinary considering he spent less than eight months in combat.

Kelly returned a hero after the war, and following his death in 1957 he was buried in a family plot in Section 2 of All Saints Cemetery on River Road in Des Plaines, where the Veterans Day ceremony will be conducted. For more information contact Colonel John Shine, USMCR (Ret) at (847) 724-0217.

Chicagoland Singles

The Chicagoland Singles Association and The Aware Singles Group will sponsor a dance at 8 p.m. on Friday, November 8, at the Nordic Hill Resort, Nordic Road at Route 53, Itasca.

Music will be provided by Music Makers. Admission is \$6. For more information call (312) 545-1515. The Chicagoland Singles Association is a non-profit organization.

Mother Teresa praises Chicago attorney

Mother Teresa has reached half-way across the world to acknowledge approval of the work Chicagoan Jeffrey M. Leving is doing. Leving is not "just" a divorce lawyer; he's a Father's Rights Advocate. His work might not always save a marriage, but Mother Teresa is aware that his efforts definitely save children of the broken marriage from losing both parents, by stressing the importance fathers have in young lives.

While praising Leving for his rare contribution, she also advised him to help people learn to forgive each other.

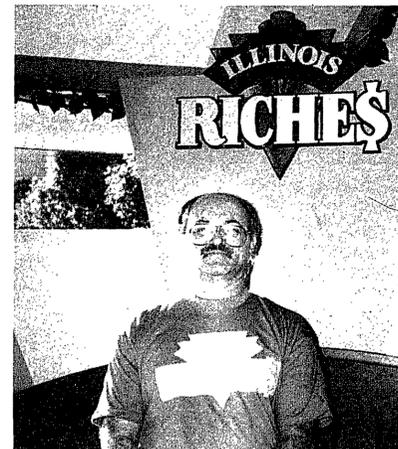
Aware Singles Dance

The Aware Singles Group and the Chicagoland Singles Association invite all singles to a dance at 8 p.m. on Friday, Nov. 8, at the Nordic Hills Resort, Route 53 and Nordic Rd., Itasca. Music will be provided by Music Makers. Admission is \$6. For more information, call Aware at (847) 632-9600.

The Aware Singles Group is a not-for-profit organization concerned with the needs of single, divorced, and widowed people and is a member of the Chicagoland Association of Singles Clubs (CLAS).

Singles Scene

Skokie resident joins "Winner Circle"



Fred Ellyin, standing in for wife Irene Ellyin, of Skokie, won \$100,000 at a special taping of the "Illinois Instant Riches" game show at Arlington International Racecourse. Ellyin appeared on the October 12 show which was aired on WGN-TV. Ellyin recently purchased a winning "Illinois Instant Riches" ticket at Dollar House Plus, 4632 Oakton in Skokie, and as a result became eligible to be a potential contestant on the Jonathan Goodson Production-created show.

Three out of 15 contestants seated in the studio audience are randomly chosen to play one of three "Main Games" during the 30-minute show and have the chance to win over \$200,000.

Jewish Singles 39+

"Bagels and More" is an informal group meeting monthly for Sunday morning brunch and conversation, and brainstorming about future 39+ events following brunch. Please join us. The cost for this event is \$4 for members and \$6 for non-members. Please R.S.V.P. by November 16 to Barbara at (847) 724-9472 or Renee at (847) 433-8781.

For more information about 39+ and how to join, please call (312) 327-8637.

To: All singles event editors Re: Jewish singles 39+ Event: Dinner and dancing at Eugene's Fireside Inn, 9101 Waukegan Road, Morton Grove, on Saturday, November 9, 7:30 p.m. Cost is the price of your dinner. Please RSVP to Valerie at (847) 253-5303.

Jewish Singles Israel tour

Hadassah Vanguard Singles, ages 23-39, offers an exciting winter vacation: a fascinating trip to Israel from Dec. 22 to Jan. 1. The group itinerary covers everything from unforgettable historic and archeological sites to today's clubs and athletic activities.

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Area News

Grant writing workshop on tap at "Trees"

A two-day workshop on how to write grant applications for projects related to environmental education will be held at Trees For Tomorrow Natural Resources Education Center in Eagle River this December 3 and 4, according to workshop coordinator Gail Gilson-Pierce, "Trees" Assistant Director.

"This workshop is primarily for school districts and organizations which are interested in applying for some of the \$200,000 available every year from the Wisconsin Environmental Education Grants Program," Gilson-Pierce said. "However, the skills learned at the workshop will certainly benefit anyone who is seeking environmentally grants from any public or private source."

The early December workshop will be conducted by David Engleson, an environmental education consultant retired from the state Department of Public Instruction.

During the workshop, participants will collectively develop a sample proposal, and then will start to draft a specific grant application which their own school or organization can actually submit for funding, according to Gilson-Pierce.

She said the fee for the Tuesday, Dec. 3 and Wednesday, Dec. 4 workshop is \$99 which includes four meals, lodging and instruction. She urged those interested in the workshop to call 1 (800) 838-9472 for a brochure and registration information.

"The information provided by our workshop will definitely give a competitive edge to those who occasionally need to write grant proposals for their school, business, organization or agency," Gilson-Pierce concluded. "This is

especially true if the school or organization has a good, sound project idea."

"Trees For Tomorrow is a private, nonprofit, natural resources specialty school operating in Eagle River, WI since 1944. The facility specializes in science workshops for middle and high school students. The workshops are taught in the field and are designed to familiarize students and their teachers with the northern forest ecosystem, as well as emphasize the need for conservation and sensible resource management and use. "Trees" also sponsors specialty workshops like Writing Environmental Education Proposals.

Damian J. Martinez

Damian J. Martinez has joined the United States Army under the Delayed Enlistment Program at the U.S. Army Recruiting Station, Mt. Prospect.

He is the son of Romiro and Mary J. Martinez of Des Plaines.

Alternatives to leaf burning encouraged

Citing the serious health threat that leaf burning may pose in many communities, the American Lung Association of Metropolitan Chicago (ALAMC) urges residents to "Spurn the Burn."

"Smoke from burning leaves and landscape waste can trigger asthma attacks and allergic reactions," says Ron Burke, director of environmental health for ALAMC. "Children, the elderly and people who already suffer from conditions such as asthma, bronchitis, emphysema and allergies are especially vulnerable."

"Although leaf burning is banned in several Chicago area communities, far too many communities still allow this dangerous practice. We encourage all municipalities to ban leaf burning in non-rural areas."

Burke notes that physicians sometimes see large increases in asthma attacks and other respiratory problems during or shortly after peak leaf burning weekends. In recent years, leaf burning has even been linked to at least two deadly asthma attacks in the Chicago area.

"At least 15 percent of the population is especially sensitive to smoke from leaf burning," says Burke. "We urge residents to protect themselves and their neighbors by using alternatives to leaf burning."

According to ALAMC, there are a number of alternatives to leaf burning that require little-to-no extra time or money. They include the following:

- Mulch leaves with mower and leave them on the lawn to breakdown over the winter. However, leaves should not accumulate to more than half the depth of the grass.

- Mulch leaves with mower and spread around trees, shrubs, and in flower beds.

- Bury leaves in garden bed.

- Add leaves to an active compost bed. The compost can later be used to nourish lawns and gardens.

- If allowed in your community, dispose of leaves in specified yard waste bags.

International Reading Honor Roll

A 6th grade student at Mark Twain Elementary School, Anna Chubchenko, has been inducted into the Accelerated Reader International Reading Honor Roll for the 1995-96 school year. The International Reading Honor Roll recognizes students who are their school's top reader in the Accelerated Reader computerized reading management program.

Anna won induction into the International Reading Honor Roll by earning the most points in the Accelerated Reader Program at Mark Twain School. These points are earned based on the reading level and difficulty of the books read and the number of questions answered correctly on computerized book tests.

Past generations helping future generations

Morton Grove District 70, Park View, Borg and Grove Elementary schools will host, the first ever, all schools' reunion for graduates and attendees prior to 1987. The reunion will be held on Friday, Feb. 7 at Park View Elementary School, 6200 W. Lake St., Morton Grove. Admission fee is \$15 for pre-registered guests and \$20 after January 24. Funds raised will help support and further enhance current student programs. For additional information contact Alyse or Paula, (847) 329-0111.

Skokie professor publishes music history

Brass Music of Black Composers, is the fourth in a series of instrument-specific bibliographies recently compiled by Dr. Aaron Horne, professor of music at Northeastern Illinois University, and published by Greenwood Press. Horne provides an alphabetical listing of composers of African ancestry with a biographical sketch, a listings of the composer's works, and the sources used.

Horne joined NEIU in 1977 as

professor of music and was the director of jazz studies and chair of the wind and percussion division. From 1989 to 1990, he was a Board of Governors Universities (BGU) Administrative Fellow at Western Illinois University, and from 1990 to 1995 he was Assistant Vice Chancellor for Academic and Student affairs, and Director of BGU Administrative Fellow.

Dr. Horne is a resident of Skokie.

Skokie resident wins Little Lotto

Izidor Abraham of Skokie has come forward to claim a First Prize of \$46,517 from the Aug. 2 Little Lotto drawing. Abraham correctly matched all five numbers and will receive the amount in a one-time cash payment.

The First Prize jackpot of \$186,068 was split among four winners. Abraham's winning ticket was purchased at 7-Eleven, located at 4834 Church in Skokie. For selling the winning ticket, the business will receive a 1 percent bonus of \$1860.

UIC Graduates

More than 100 academically talented Illinois students launched a promising new program this fall as the first group of students to enroll in the University of Illinois at Chicago's Guaranteed Professional Programs Admissions initiative.

The program is one of few in the country that guarantees qualified high school seniors advance admission to graduate and professional programs such as medicine, dentistry and engineering. Because admission is promised upon college entry, students are free to explore educational inter-

ests outside of their chosen specialties. Area students are: Xavier Montenegro Des Plaines, Soojong Hong Glenview, Eugene Jo Morton Grove, Jeffrey Kochikaran Morton Grove, Shefali Patel Morton Grove, Roshan Ahad Skokie, Andrey Lev Skokie, Romas Petrelis Skokie, George Scaria Skokie, Razvan Scobereca Skokie, Elizabeth Suh Skokie.

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Letters To The Editor

To be involved or not to be involved

Dear Editor:
Recently, Morton Grove Trustee Brenner stated in a letter to the editor that Morton Grove citizen Bob Hanrahan has "attempted to take most of the credit for mitigating any problems caused by the Deep Tunnel Project" here in Morton Grove. Please allow me to try to set the record straight.

I, citizen Hanrahan, have made no such claim in any article or interview. The only two times which the tunnel project was dealt with by me in the past month or so occurred once in a telephone interview with a reporter and once in a letter to retiring Village Official Richard Hohs.

In the letter to former Mayor Hohs, I, citizen Hanrahan, did write that I often looked back to the period of the beginning of the Deep Tunnel controversy with some regret. It was mentioned that it did indeed seem unfortunate that such pressure was perceived necessary in order to help force the Water Reclamation District to modify poorly formulated construction and haul route plans. Mention was also made of the fact that village officials and many of its citizens were eventually successful in obtaining changes which turned a potentially bad situation into a tolerable one. It was my intention that he not leave off thinking that this one problem made citizen Hanrahan believe that he had not tried to do a good job as a village official over the years he had served

the village. Former Mayor Hohs was offered my best wishes and a God Bless in the future.

Now, concerning the interview with the reporter. It seemed rather short and simple. He asked how I felt about the progress of the Deep Tunnel project here in Morton Grove.

I told him that I was delighted to discover that the system really works if we try to make it do so. Initially, as already mentioned, he was told that some Morton Grove citizens had discovered significant flaws in the Deep Tunnel Construction Plans that could have and would have caused great problems for many Morton Grove citizens during this lengthy project.

I, like many of my fellow citizens, attended numerous meetings, and spent many hours trying to offer help, suggestions, and recommendations to aid our village officials, county officials, and construction company officials realize that significant changes were necessary.

My hat goes off to Village Manager Arfi who was willing to accept the fact that the plans were indeed flawed and needed significant modification. He helped keep the village efforts on track and tried to coordinate a more unified effort, once a citizen/board consensus and agreement had finally been reached.

Now, how about my involvement. Don't we often hear that people just don't seem to care, or want to get involved? During the

course of this effort it became very apparent that many people in Morton Grove do care and are willing to get involved. Citizen Hanrahan was a very small part of a significant community effort. He takes no special credit and should be given none. He was, meaningful and very special; however, frustrating it might have seemed at times.

Perhaps this project has taught many of us who were involved some valuable lessons? Maybe, we have learned something about the importance of being properly informed, something about the value of vigilance and diligence when dealing with our government, and something about the true value of community involvement. We can make a difference, we did make a difference!

Unfortunately, some are still worrying about who should get the credit for what was accomplished. Who Cares? I don't! I do know that Morton Grove is a better community because many of its citizens have demonstrated that they do care and do get involved.

May we all care and continue to care and get involved. To be criticized by an elected official because of involvement as a citizen in the process of government does seem inappropriate to this observer. Perhaps the trustee should consider apathy the enemy—not citizen involvement.

Respectfully submitted
Robert P. Hanrahan
Morton Grove Citizen

AT&T tower will give us competitive cable rates

The following letter was forwarded to the FCC in Washington DC by a Niles resident:

Gentlemen:

I live in the Village of Niles, Illinois, a suburb outside of Chicago. Our local phone company is Ameritech and our cable company is Continental Cablevision which has signed a contract with the Village. We have no choice as to which cable company we would prefer...it's Continental Cable or nothing.

I call your attention to the attached article which appeared in The Bugle newspaper, October 17, 1996. Isn't it strange that two weeks prior to an AT&T representative submitting a proposal to build a tele-communication antenna in our village, an ordinance is passed in this village which requires all types of documentation to be submitted. Documentation which has heretofore never been required of others coming into our community.

In addition to this new law being passed in Niles, a new position has also been established. (See attached article) All disputes regarding Niles Code Ordinances will now be heard by what is being called the Village of Niles Administration Adjudicator. This AT&T communication antenna proposal might then have to occur with some Niles Code Ordinances and ultimately fall under the jurisdiction of the newly appointed adjudicator.

Thank you for your consideration.

The adjudicator happens to be a former prosecutor for the Village of Niles and he will hear all village code disputes. If each article is viewed separately one might overlook the intent here. The Niles Planning Commission and Zoning Board rejected the AT&T proposal and stated that they could not hear anything else on the matter until December. At this time, code disputes are heard in the Housing Court at the Second District Municipal Court house in Skokie. Once this new law is in place, disputes will be heard in the Niles Village Hall. Now that may be o.k. for a code violation where someone didn't cut their grass, but matters of more importance demand that they be handled in a more honest and professional manner.

Furthermore, since hearings will only be held one afternoon a month, it can take inordinate amount of time for the matter to even get on the agenda. And when the matter does come up, one person is judge and jury, and who is looking over his shoulder but the very board that enacted the new laws and appointed him.

Since the Village of Niles does not have to account to anyone for these new laws, I appeal to you to represent the residents of Niles and do whatever is possible to see that a legitimate company like AT&T is allowed to build a tele-communication antenna in our community and give us access to competitive rates.

Name withheld by request

No Park benefits for tax paying businesses

Dear Editor:
One of my clients, a manufacturer in a depressed industry, owns property in Niles. After a successful appeal of their assessed valuation, they still paid \$6,500 in taxes this year to the Niles Park District, thanks to the now infamous clerical error. In return, the company receives no benefit, since none of the employees live in Niles or have the opportunity to utilize the facilities. One of them, an avid golfer, feels that the Tam O'Shanter golf course green fees are overpriced compared to other courses in the area and refuses to play there.

We are therefore outraged about the operating loss of \$120,000 sustained by O'Shanter's Food and Spirits during its first year of operations, which will now be funded by the tax increase. Ms. Welker's statement that this is "pretty standard when you start up a new restaurant" shows that she has very little experience in the hospitality industry, or in the private sector. With more than twenty years of public accounting experience, and clients ranging from sole proprietors to the Fortune 500, I can

assure you that none of them would start a business of any kind, especially in the restaurant industry with its high competition and low profit margins, with the expectation of losing this much money the first year. No one in their right mind would risk that much personal capital, and no sound lender would even consider making a loan based on this kind of business plan.

I'm not sure what an "administrative coordinator" is, but it appears that Ms. Welker is taking the heat for the incompetence of management and the Park District Board. The Board must immediately obtain professional management for this enterprise, and seriously consider privatizing the operations, so that it at least operates at break-even.

In addition, the Park District must begin allowing all employees of businesses which own property in the Village of Niles to enjoy the same privileges and discounts given to residents, many of whom pay considerably less in taxes.

Sincerely,
Steven H. Kasper

Taxpayer enraged over Dist. 219 teacher demands

Dear Editor:
I have never written an editorial to a newspaper before, but the recent teacher's strike at Niles West and North High Schools has me so enraged that I feel this is one way of venting my anger.

I definitely feel the time has come for the taxpayers to stand up and say enough is enough. I am a resident of Lincolnwood for the past 35 years and have seen the teacher's salaries and demands escalate beyond control. They use their students as bargaining hostages and with the support of their union arrogantly issue forth their demands. Do they realize that they are one of the highest paid school districts? Do they realize that their year only contains 9 months instead of the 12 months the rest of us work? Do they honestly believe the students they are teaching now are better educated than the students were years ago? Is teaching a matter of dollars only to them or is it in seeing that their students get the best education they can?

I think the time has come to give the teachers an ultimatum. Either you return to the classroom

and do what you were hired to do - teach, or we will replace you with teachers who would be more than willing to earn what you earn and who would enjoy teaching in a suburban school.

I can no longer support the teacher's demands.

Marlene F. Gross

Mobile Health Clinic to visit Skokie

Niles Township Supervisor Thomas McElligott announced today that the Cook County Department of Public Health's Mobile Health Clinic, the Wellness on Wheels (WOW) van, is scheduled to visit the Niles Township Administration Building, 5255 Main St., Skokie, on Friday, Nov. 15.

Eligible suburban Cook County residents can receive physical examinations and health screenings. Appointments can be made by calling the Cook County Department of Public Health at (847) 818-2860, 8:45 a.m. to 4:15 p.m. Monday-Friday.

Greg R. Gusinde

Navy Lt. J.G. Greg R. Gusinde, son of Frank A. and Elinor M. Gusinde of Glenview, is currently halfway through a six-month deployment to the Mediterranean, Adriatic and Red seas serving with Strike Fighter Squadron 81, embarked on board the aircraft carrier USS Enterprise.

The 1985 graduate of Loyola Academy of Wilmette, joined the Navy in August 1992.

THE READERS WRITE

The Bugle urges all its readers to submit Letters to the Editor pertaining to local issues or in response to editorials appearing in the paper. All letters must be signed and contain the name, address and telephone number of the writer. No letter will be printed in The Bugle unless this information is furnished. Of course, this information will not be printed if the writer requests same to be withheld. Also, no pre-written form letters of any kind will be published.

Area News

District 64 Community-Based Committee



Members of the Long-Term Needs Advisory Committee include: (Back Row) Peg Morrisroe, Facility Planning Committee Chair; Mike Rozovics, Park Ridge Park District Commissioner; Steve Huening, Park Ridge Alderperson; Bill Scharringhausen, Park Ridge business owner; John Pierce, District 64 School Board member; Maureen Block, Park Ridge Park District Commissioner; Cathy Santoro, St. Paul of the Cross School Board member; Del Hardacre, Park Ridge Senior Center representative; Chuck Baldacchino, parent and independent business owner; Harry O'Brien, Park Ridge Chamber of Commerce Executive Director; Mickey Gaza, retired District 64 teacher; Frank DePaul, Park Ridge Alderperson; Sandi Osborne, District 64 employee; Otto Kohler, retired District 207 teacher; Sue Olzeski, Facility Planning Committee.

(Front row) Dick Hayden, Facility Planning Committee; Jane Curry, District 64 School Board member; Tom Johnson, citizen-at-large; Robert Ryan, Long-Term Needs Committee Chair and District 64 School Board member; Debbie Brandt, District 64 teacher and President of the Park Ridge Education Association; Steve Lieber, District 64 School Board member; Dr. Fred Schroeder, District 64 Superintendent of Schools; Vicki Mogil, Assistant Principal, Lincoln Middle School; John Farrell, District 64 School Board member.

Not pictured are: Joseph Alexander, parent; Rich Batten, Ministerial Association; Donna Bergen, Our Lady of Ransom School Board member; Donald Crampton, Library Trustee; Cheryl DeYoung, School Community Relations Committee Chairperson; Irene Jinks, District 64 School Board member; Maureen Buckley Jones, District 64 Community Information Specialist; Marty Joyce, District 64 School Board President; Patricia Livensparger, Mary Seat of Wisdom School Board member; Jackie Lloyd, St. Andrews School Board member; Patricia McGuire, District 64 Controller; Lynn Metzger, District 64 teacher; Steve Meyer, Park Ridge Recreation and Park District Superintendent; Louella Preston, Niles Village Trustee; Ron Wietecha, Mayor of Park Ridge; Jack Wojteczko, Financial Resources Committee Chairperson; Gary Zimmerman, citizen-at-large.

Since 1987 Elementary School District 64 has faced an enrollment increase of more than 40 percent. This year alone 173 more students are enrolled in the District than at this time last year. With the help of much community input, the District is currently examining its educational and facility needs to address these en-

rollment increases. Two Town Meetings have been held with a combined attendance of nearly 900 people. Twenty-three presentations have been made to community, church, school and civic groups over the last few months to gather suggestions for long-term options. In addition, in March, a Long-Term Needs Ad-

visory Committee was formed, consisting of 40 representatives from a variety of community groups. The committee, which meets monthly, continues to examine the comments received from the community as it helps to narrow down the available options.

Maine Township Community Center

Maine Township Community concerts include Little Eagles of Siberia, a children's chorus of 28 singers ranging in ages from 9 to 17 on Nov. 24; Harvi Griffin, a skilled harpist/singer on March 16; and the London Piano Duo of David Nettle and Richard Markham on April 27. For information regarding membership or questions regarding the Carl Peterson concert, phone Tillie Ripley at 824-0405, Irene Ginger at 825-2982, or Anne Evans at 824-2591.

Membership in the Maine Township Community Concerts

and culture to the northwest suburbs. Association includes four additional concerts sponsored by the Arlington Heights Community Concerts and include the Glen Miller Orchestra; Stephen and Carol Kechulius, Baritone and Piano; Khenany, Latin American Folk Singers with Instruments; and Dale Gonyea, Humorist with Piano.

Maine Township Community Concert Association, in its 49th consecutive year, is a not-for-profit organization administered by a volunteer board and membership team devoted to bringing affordable, live entertainment

to the northwest suburbs.

Luke P. Grimelli

Luke P. Grimelli has joined the United States Army under the Delayed Enlistment Program at the U.S. Army Recruiting Station, Schaumburg.

He is the son of Jane Grimelli-Baxter and Gary M. Baxter of Palatine.

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Boston University Glenview graduates

Boston University awarded academic degrees to area students this fall. Receiving degrees were Glenview residents Dayna M. Beegun, BS in Bilingual Education, magna cum laude; Elizabeth Class, BS in Early Childhood Education, magna cum laude; Joyce K. Park, BA in Political Science, cum laude.

Beth Hillel sells Entertainment Books

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School strike... Dist. 207...

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 willingness to accept the board's 1.1 percent salary increase for the first two years of the contract with "breaking up the logjam" in negotiations that kept schools closed for 11 days.

In the second two years of the contract teachers will receive raises equal to the tax cap, which should be at least above 2 percent and could be as high as 5 percent, the legal limit. The present tax cap is 2.5 percent with a 2.7 percent tax cap anticipated for next year. Sweeney pointed out that the contract could be as high as 6.6 percent including the 1.6 percent annual seniority raises.

"Retirement was considerably enhanced," Sweeney said, adding that "Niles Township has always put a premium on education, and we're part of the price tag. These salaries attract the very best teachers. The competition is fierce to get a job here."

"It was a very bitter strike, but it was a necessary strike. We're happy. The teachers are pleased. We'll ratify it [the contract] tomorrow [Thursday] night," Sweeney concluded.

As students filed back into classes bright and early Tuesday morning, Niles North Principal Dr. Dave Schusteff said, "It's like nothing happened. The kids are smiling, the teachers are smiling. There's a sense of relief and [we're] glad to be back."

Democrats win.

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 education fund until the state is shouldering its full 50 percent share of the school bill, as required by state law. Capprelli favors increasing the casino tax to achieve full educational funding. 9th Congressional District

Veteran Sidney Yates, 86, defeated Joe Walsh in his bid for a record 24th term as Congressman of the 9th Congressional District. Yates defeated Walsh by more than 5,000 votes in Niles Township but was actually defeated by the first-time candidate by 342 votes in Maine Township. Race for Simon's Senate seat

Democrat Dick Durbin, who painted his opponent as too extreme on gun control, medicare and other issues, got 58 percent of the vote statewide to Republican Al Salvi's 42 percent. Locally, in Niles Township, the vote was Durbin 20,726 to Salvi's 8,837, and in Maine Township, the vote was Durbin 20,615, Salvi 18,071.

Salvi, who upset Lt. Gov. Bob Kustra in the spring primary, said that despite his defeat he was glad to get his pro life views across.



South where the scores went from 28.5 to 27.3 at East and 29.6 to 28.2 at South. The average writing score at Maine West remained stable going from 27.9 to 27.5. The percent of students who do not meet state goals increased from 15 percent to 25 percent across the district. At East the percent who do not meet state goals increased from 14 percent to 31 percent; at South from seven percent to 20 percent; and at West from 24 percent to 25 percent.

The average district mathematics score which went from 309 showed no significant change. Scores at South and West remained stable with South going from 324 to 323 and West going from 289 to 291. However, the score at East declined significantly going from 310 to 297. The percent of students who do not meet state goals has increased from seven percent to nine percent across the district. At South and West, the percent of students who do not meet state goals remained stable going from four percent to five percent at South and ten percent to nine percent at West. However, at East the percent who do not meet state goals increased from six percent to 13 percent.

The average district science score which went from 295 to 290 showed no significant change. The scores at all three schools showed no significant change as well with East going from 293 to 285, South going from 309 to 302, and West going from 278 to 279. The percent of students who do not meet state goals remained stable at 12 percent across the district. At East the percent of students who do not meet state goals went from 12 percent to 11 percent, at South from eight percent to ten percent at West from 17

percent to 15 percent. The average district social science score which went from 277 to 266 showed a significant decrease, largely due to fewer students falling into the exceeds category on the test. The average scores at East and West showed no significant change with East going from 256 to 248 and West going from 267 to 266. However, the average score at South declined significantly going from 302 to 287. At East the percent of students who do not meet state goals went from 12 percent to ten percent. At South and West the percent who do not meet state goals remained stable with four percent at South and six percent at West.

Sophomores were tested in reading, writing, and math. Juniors were tested in science and social science. Scores in reading, math, science, and social science were reported on a scale of 0 to 500. Writing scores are reported on a scale of 6 to 32 which is directly linked to the raw scores used in scoring.

A committee of teachers from across the state determined what students should know and be able to do by subject area and also the numeric cut-offs for the designations of does not meet, "meets," or "exceeds state goals." In addition to reporting average scores, the state also reports the percentage of students whose scores meet state goals. All three schools met state goals in all areas.

The district continues to review curriculum with the goal of exceeding state standards in all areas," said Millies, who added that departments are making certain that curriculum includes the material that is covered in the state goals for learning in order to improve student performance.

Des Plaines Historical Society bus trip

Spend a delightful day this holiday season enjoying the Cuneo Mansion decorated in all its holiday splendor and a fun and delicious Nutcracker Tea in Long Grove on Saturday, Nov. 30. The bus will leave from the Historical Museum, located at 789 Pearson St. in Des Plaines, at 11:30 am and will return at 5:30 pm. The first stop is in Vernon Hills at the Wonderful Cuneo Mansion. Built in 1914, it is nestled on 75 acres of beautiful countryside. In all, the house has over 30 rooms, but the real attraction is the fabulous art collection obtained by the late John Cuneo, Sr. The home is wonderful to see anytime of the year, but during the holiday season it is glorious! Then a short drive to the Seasons Restaurant in Long Grove for a holiday-themed Nutcracker Tea. Afterwards, you will have time to explore the many fantastic boutiques and get your Christmas shopping done. The price is \$47 for Society

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Keeping your home safe and secure

With summer here, school out and the kids running in and out of the house, safety and security is on the minds of many homeowners. While you cannot avoid every accident in your home, there are precautions that you can take to create a safer environment. Most common home risks can be minimized by taking a few simple steps to ensure safety.

Of course for the larger home safety jobs, you'll want to hire a union carpenter, trained to the safety and building codes. "Every time a union carpenter picks up one of his tools, he thinks about the safety of the family who will be living in the home he is working on," said Earl Oliver, District Council President. There are, however, some preventative measures that homeowners can take to make their home safe all year round.

How can I protect against fire?
 • Install smoke detectors. This is your number one priority when guarding against fires.
 • Union carpenters install smoke detectors using only the highest quality materials.
 • Detectors should be placed outside every sleeping room, on all levels of the home, and one near the garage.
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Several months ago the Village of Niles began installing a new telephone system which necessitated changes in many official phone telephone numbers. One number that changed was the Drug Hot Line number. The new telephone number for the drug hot line number is (847) 588-6533. This number should be used by any citizen to report any illegal drug activity. The calls are completely anonymous and all reported incidents will be investigated by Niles Police officers, according to an official press release issued by Sgt. Roger Wilson, Public Information Officer.

Niles North to present 'Marvin's Room'

The weightiest and dearest issues of life-love, family and caring for one another when the going gets tough-are the topics covered in the Niles North Theatre Department presentation of the play "Marvin's Room" on Thursday, Friday, Saturday and Sunday, November 7, 8, 9 and 10 at 7 pm, and matinees on Saturday and Sunday, November 9 and 10, at 2 pm. All shows will be held in the Studio Theatre (room D-100) at Niles North High School, 9800 N. Lawler Ave. in Skokie and tickets to all performances are \$5. For further information please contact the Niles North Theatre Department at (847) 673-0051.

Gerald D. Mundy

Marine Pvt. Gerald D. Mundy, son of Gerald D. Mundy Sr. of 323 W. 107th Place, Chicago, recently completed basic training at Marine Corps Recruit Depot, San Diego.

Families offered hospitality from Rush

Holiday hospitality at a trying time will again be offered by the Howard Johnson Hotel, in Skokie, as they provide complimentary accommodations for the families of hospitalized patients at the Rush North Shore Medical Center, Skokie, during the holiday season. This special program will be in effect from Monday, December 16, through Monday, December 30, and will include rooms, breakfast, and transportation for this holiday period. This program has been planned by Edward N. Copeland, Vice-President/General Manager of the Howard Johnson Hotel located at 9333 Skokie Blvd, Skokie.

Morton Grove Art Guild

The Morton Grove Art Guild will hold its monthly meeting at 7:30 pm on November 13 at the Manfield Park Fieldhouse at 5830 Church St. Morton Grove. The evening will feature artist Dorothy Hraback who will do an oil demonstration. She teaches in Barrington. She also has a free lance business doing private commissions for various galleries. She has also worked as a commercial illustrator.

David M. Ivezic

Navy Lt. David M. Ivezic, a 1987 graduate of Niles West High School of Skokie, recently reported for duty with Patrol Squadron 40, Naval Air Station Whidbey Island, Oak Harbor, Washington. He joined the Navy in July, 1988.

Willows Academy Open House in new facility

The Willows Academy will host its first Open House in its new facility at 1012 Thacker St., beginning at 7:30 pm., Friday, Nov. 8 for families interested learning more about the school. In doing so, the school is encouraging residents of Des Plaines and nearby communities to visit and tour the school. The Open House will include brief presentations by the Academy's Director, Barbara Sunko; faculty and students. Building tours and refreshments also will be provided. The Willows Academy, an independent college preparatory school for girls in grades 6 through 12, moved to the new facility this past summer to provide more space for students. The Willows was located in a leased 20,000 square foot facility in Niles for more than a decade. The new 40,000 square-foot facility in Des Plaines, formerly known as the West School, doubles the amount of space available.

"The larger site is wonderful," said Sunko. "It will allow us to have two sections of each grade even as we maintain the quality of our current program." In fact, the larger building will enable the Willows to double its current student population of 150 students to 300 students. The Willows' brother school, Northridge Preparatory School for Boys in Niles, also seeks a bigger facility to accommodate its growing enrollment. "We're thrilled to be able to capitalize on this unique opportunity to provide a quality, stable and permanent location for the school," said Mark Culhane, executive director of the Willows and Northridge. "This is exactly what so many of our families have been urging us to do."

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Obituary

NORBERT H. SCHAEFGES
Funeral services were held Wednesday, Nov. 6 for Norbert H. Schaeffges, 69, formerly of Niles, now a resident of Hawthorn Woods. Schaeffges was co-owner of Norbert Pools in Niles and a member of Builder Uppers and Northwest Builders. He passed away in Mesa, Arizona on Nov. 1.

He was the beloved husband of Florence Lorraine (nee Peterson); father of Jane (Toby) Gilbert, John, Julie (Daniel) Dowswell and Jim. Grandfather of 6. Dear son of the late Joseph and the late Ann; brother of Eugene (Marilyn), Robert, Joseph (Kay) and Joanne. Uncle of many nieces and nephews.

Funeral Mass was celebrated at St. Francis deSales Church, Lake Zurich. Interment was in All Saints Cemetery. Memorials requested to the American Heart Fund.

LEGAL NOTICE

VILLAGE OF NILES
The Village of Niles has the following used fleet vehicles available for sale at this time:
One 1988 White Oldsmobile Delta 88
One 1990 White Oldsmobile Delta 88
Both vehicles are 3.8 liter, V6, Automatic, Power windows, locks and seats.
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- 1986 - 2 Bedroom, 1 Bath, 14 x 52 Shamrock.....\$12,000.00
- 1986 - 2 Bedroom, 1 Bath, 14 x 48 Shamrock.....\$16,500.00
- 1989 - 2 Bedroom, 1 Bath, 14 x 60 Commodore...\$17,000.00
- 1990 - 1 Bedroom, 1 Bath, 14 x 42 Sabre.....\$16,000.00
- 1991 - 1 Bedroom, 1 Bath, 14 x 44 Sabre.....\$15,500.00
- 1995 - 2 Bedroom, 1 Bath, 14 x 56 Skyline.....\$25,000.00

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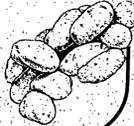


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