

MG trustees rezone Abt parking lot to commercial

Despite the vociferous complaints of angry residents, Morton Grove Village Board members voted 5-1 to approve Abt Electronics' request to rezone the west 140 feet of its parking lot from residential to commercial.

Trustee Teresa Hoffman Liston was the single dissenting vote.

Residents living near the electronic retail giant attended the meeting to repeat their complaints of intolerable noise from idling trucks and the loading and unloading of products in the parking lot.

Trustee Don Snyder led the meeting in the absence of Mayor

Dan Scanlon and expressed the view that the noise complaint would be better addressed through the village noise ordinance rather than through the zoning board. Other officials concurred that the noise complaints should be a separate issue from the zoning decision.

The Morton Grove Plan Commission and Zoning Board of Appeals had previously recommended approval of Abt's zoning request.

One resident, Marlene Weiss, who lives directly behind the Abt property accused village officials of overlooking the con-

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Fire victim upgraded to serious condition

by Rosemary Tirio

Andrew Milissis, 50, who was in critical condition at the Loyola Hospital Burn Unit in Maywood after a flash fire swept through the enclosed breezeway den in his Morton Grove home around 6:08 p.m. Jan. 9, has been upgraded to serious condition according to Kathy Setaro, a hospital spokesperson.

Nicholas Milissis, 23, remains in serious condition. Andrew Milissis was admitted to the burn unit suffering from smoke inhalation and flash burns over 50 percent of his body. Nicholas Milis-

sis had flash burns over 30 percent of his body when he was admitted.

Fire officials said that the men were apparently using a small amount of gasoline from a two and one half gallon can found at the scene to enhance the fire in the family room fireplace. Fumes or vapor from the gasoline apparently trailed back to the gasoline can, causing it to explode and spew forth the flames that injured the two men, according to Chief Ralph Czerwinski.

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Free Bus Committee seeks new members

The Village of Niles Free Bus Committee is seeking new members from the community to attend the next committee meeting on Thursday, January 29 at 2 p.m. in the Niles Administration Building, Conference Room 218.

The focus of the upcoming meeting will focus on recent bus statistics, a review of the Free Bus Questionnaire that was sent to all Village residents, and marketing ideas for the upcoming

year. "This is a great chance for residents of Niles to get involved with the operations of one of the Village's most popular services," stated Ghida S. Martorano, Assistant to the Village Manager. "Every resident is being given a chance to bring their ideas and perspectives to the committee of how to better market the Free Bus to the community," further stated

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48 year-old resident of Skokie hospital struck, killed while walking on tracks, says train engineer

Woman killed by train at Touhy

by Rosemary Tirio

A 48-year-old Skokie woman, Loraloo M. Santi, was struck and killed by a southbound Metra train as she walked along the tracks near the intersection of Lehigh and Touhy avenues in Niles shortly before 6:24 a.m. Tuesday.

Santi, who was on her way to work, was identified by police as a resident of the Turning Point Behavioral Health Care Center, formerly known as the Orchard Mental Health Care Center that runs a group facility for the mentally disabled in the 7600 block of Marmora Avenue near the accident scene.

Niles Fire Department paramedics picked up the victim at the scene and transported her to Lutheran General Hospital where she was pronounced dead on arrival.

A witness said that he saw the woman walking along the tracks every morning. Officials of the

health care center declined to comment about their policy regarding the residents' unsupervised travel on public transportation.

Niles police action averts serious accident

by Rosemary Tirio

An alert and courageous Niles police officer averted a potential multi-car accident when he pulled his squad car in front of a runaway van traveling in the northbound lanes of Milwaukee Avenue around 9:40 a.m. Jan. 9.

Officer Lee Elsinger put his own safety in peril to stop the van and prevent it from entering the southbound lanes, where it could have caused a major accident.

The van's driver, Stanislaw Sokolowski, 45, of Chicago was

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The Metra engineer told police that he saw the woman walking

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Evanston, Skokie police join forces in drug raid

Evanston and Skokie police combined forces to apprehend a 22-year-old Skokie man whom they had been trailing for some time.

The arrest of Maurice Ruff took place Jan. 6 at his home in the 4800 block of Elm where police recovered nine guns, 162 grams of cocaine and \$4,100.

Ruff was charged with unlawful use of a weapon and possession of a controlled substance with intent to deliver, according to Evanston police officials.

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Niles honors Village employees



The Village of Niles recently recognized employees who have reached milestones in their careers with the Village. Employees with between 5 and 30 years of service were honored. Each of the following pictures includes Mayor Blase and Trustee Robert Callero in addition to the honorees.

Honored with 30 year awards were the following employees, left to right: Trustee Robert Callero, Donald Leavitt, Jerry Doczekalski, Kenneth Pivko, Florence Wichlac, Thomas Sweeney, and Mayor Blase. Not pictured are Chuck Giovannelli and Calvin Radway.

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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 also. If interested, contact Mary Vandeplass.

MEN'S EXERCISE INSTRUCTOR NEEDED

The Senior Center is looking for a part-time men's exercise instructor. Interested persons should contact Mary Oleksy at the Senior Center.

S.H.I.P. APPOINTMENTS AVAILABLE

Senior Health Insurance Program appointments are available. Call and make an appointment if you need help with hospital or doctor bills or information on supplemental insurance.

CARBON MONOXIDE PROGRAM

The carbon monoxide program offers free residential inspections for carbon monoxide emissions and natural gas leaks. Appointments may be made by calling the Senior Center.

TICKET SALES

Ticket sales is on Friday, Feb. 6 at 9 a.m. On sale: *February Lite Lunch and Movie* on Friday, Feb. 27 at noon. Sloppy Joe sandwiches will be served followed by the movie *My Best Friend's Wedding*. Price: \$2.00. *Forever Plaid and Como Inn Trip* is on Wednesday, March 18 from 11 a.m. to 5 p.m. Enjoy choice of Ravioli (meat or cheese) or Pollo alla Parmigiana (breast of chicken smothered in tomato sauce & mozzarella cheese). The enjoy the musical hit *Forever Plaid*. Price is \$42. *Phantom of the Opera* trip is on Wednesday, April 8 from 10:30 to 6 p.m. We start at the Golden Ox restaurant where you can choose from Wiener Schnitzel or Pot Roast. Then enjoy main floor seating for *The Phantom of the Opera*. Price is \$65.

COMPUTER CLASSES OFFERED

There are openings in the following computer classes being offered by the Niles Senior Center in cooperation with Notre Dame High School: INTRODUCTION TO COMPUTERS on Mondays, Feb. 2 through Mar. 30, 1:30 to 3:30 p.m.; WORD PROCESSING CLASS on Thursdays, Feb. 5 through Mar. 12 from 1:30 to 3:30 p.m.; SPREADSHEET CLASS on Wednesdays, Feb. 3 through Mar. 11 from 1:30 to 3:30 p.m. All classes

es are at Notre Dame High School and cost \$25 each. Register soon at the Senior Center.

THINK SMART - BE SAFE

The program, Think Smart - Be Safe, will be on Thursday, Jan. 29 at 2 p.m. It is designed to minimize your potential for becoming a crime victim and is presented by the Secretary of State's Office. Registration is required.

PINOCHLE TOURNAMENT

A pinochle tournament is on Friday, Jan. 30 at 1 p.m. with arrival no later than 12:45 p.m. All card players are encouraged to participate in this three handed tournament. Seating will be randomly selected. Price of \$3.50 includes refreshments and prize money. Registration is required.

BOOK REVIEW

Book Review is on Friday, Feb. 6 at 10 a.m. The featured book is *Map of The World* by Jane Hamilton. Price of \$1 includes refreshments.

MEN'S CLUB MEETING

The Men's Club general meeting is on Monday, Feb. 9 at 10:30 a.m. Tickets will be on sale for the Fireside Theatre trip featuring *Camelot* on Wednesday, April 22 from 8:30 a.m. to 6:30 p.m. Price is \$45. Tickets will be available to all senior registrant starting February 17. The program, "Men's Concern Regarding Prostate Cancer" presented by Mary Pryka of the Hope Cancer Care Network, will follow the meeting.

CULTURAL CHICAGO TRIP

The Cultural Chicago trip is on Tuesday, Feb. 10 from 9 a.m. until 5 p.m. We will first stop at the Adler Planetarium (including the sky show). Then we'll enjoy a Greek style lunch at the Parthenon. Our last stop is the Museum of Science and Industry where we will spend 2-1/2 hours. Visit the new coal mine or the Omnimax Theatre on your own. Price is \$28.

MONTHLY MAILING

Monthly mailing is on Tuesday, Feb. 10 at 12:30 p.m. Volunteers are welcome.

BLOOD PRESSURE SCREENING

Blood pressure screening will be on Wednesday, Feb. 11 from 1 p.m. to 4 p.m. No appointment is needed.

MUSICAL VALENTINE LUNCHEON

A Musical Valentine Luncheon is on Friday, Feb. 13 at noon. The DiBella Duo will present a musical interlude following a luncheon catered by Jade East. Price is \$6.

FANCY FREE TOUR PREVIEW

The Fancy Free Tour Preview is on Friday, Feb. 20 at 11 a.m. The preview will feature Festival of Flowers, The Hidden Peninsula of Michigan and Summer Fun. Registration is required.

CHOLESTEROL SCREENING

A cholesterol screening is on Friday, Feb. 20 from 7 a.m. to 10 a.m. There will be a blood draw for cholesterol, HDL, LDL, triglyceride and glucose. Fast 12 hours and hold all medications that must be taken with food. Water is permitted. Cost is \$10. Registration is required.

Specialized care available at CJE

The CJE Helen and Norman Asher Alzheimer's Care Program is an adult day-care program which provides clients with sensory-related activities including baking cookies and planting flowers.

"Activities promoting touch, taste and smell bring back familiar memories," says Hedy Ciccio, nurse & Director of the Alzheimer's Program. "We focus on religious or ethnic traditions such as saying the Kiddush (a Jewish blessing for wine) or making a challah (bread) or drinking green non-alcoholic beverages on St. Patrick's Day. These types of activities bring comfort to our clients."

According to Ciccio, family participation is critical when dealing with elderly clients. "It's usually more difficult for family members to make the transition than the client. When a client says 'I want to go home,' that usually refers to a time in the past. That's when caregivers need to revisit their loved ones' long-term memories and focus on past events."

For more information about LSN or for a free copy of "The Choice is Yours," LSN's consumer guide outlining available housing, healthcare and service options, call 630/325-6170; (Springfield) 217/789-1677 or write to LSN at 911 N. Elm St., Suite 228, Hinsdale, IL 60521.

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Edward Jones: Financial Resolutions for the New Year

Out with the old, and in with the new. It's a familiar phrase at this time of year.

As you think about the resolutions you'd like to make for 1998, don't forget about your financial needs. With that in mind, following are some habits to consider ringing in for the new year.

1. Have a plan. Have you ever really taken the time to map out your financial goals and objectives? Many people simply take things as they come, with no definite plans for the future. But to build financial wealth, the very first step is to have a plan. Think about your long-term goals, and be specific. Do you want to send your child to Harvard, have \$1 million by the age of 60, or buy a condo on a Florida golf course? Once you envision your goals, it's easier to devise a specific plan

for reaching them.

2. Buy quality. Have you fallen prey to glamorous promises in the past, only to find they have no substance? Resolve to avoid gimmicks. Buy high-quality investments such as government securities and common stocks of companies with long histories of growth and performance.

3. Think long term. If this year's skyrocketing stock market had you checking your investment values daily, it's time to change your thinking. The fact is, short-term fluctuations are a part of stock investing. But the ultimate value of your investments is determined by their long-term performance and growth. Remember, it's time in the market, not timing the market, that counts.

4. Diversify. When you find an investment you like, it's tempting to stick with it and nothing else. But too much of anything can be bad. Check your portfolio to see if it's over-concentrated in one company or industry. If so, now is the time to move things around. In fact, today's lower capital gains tax rate make it even easier to reposition assets into a more well-rounded portfolio.

5. Take your time. Have you rushed into investment decisions in the past? Make a decision to be more thorough this year. Investment decisions should not be rushed, by you or anyone else. If you have questions, ask them, and don't make a decision until you fully understand an investment, including its benefits and risks.

6. Once you've made a decision, act. Procrastination is a bad habit. When it comes to making high-quality investments, the sooner the better. Time is your greatest ally.

7. Review your plan. Are you still investing as you were 5 or 10 years ago? As your life changes, so do your financial objectives—and so should your plan for reaching them. Take time to review your investments soon. Many professionals offer free portfolio reviews. In fact, your investment plan should be reviewed once a year to ensure that it continues to meet your needs.

8. Seek professional advice. In good markets, it's easy to be a do-it-yourself investor—but not so easy when the markets turn bad. Unless you have the time

and expertise to continuously study the markets, the economy and a host of other factors, you're probably better off using an investment professional. In fact, a recent study found that typical investors achieve better results when using a full-service professional. Investment professionals offer knowledge, resources, and the discipline to help you stay on course through rough waters.

Incorporating these resolutions into your investing will take time, but the rewards can last a lifetime. Don't put it off until next year. The sooner you begin following these investment guidelines, the sooner you can begin enjoying a better life.

Jeffrey Cardella can be reached at Edward Jones, 8141 N. Milwaukee, Niles, 470-8953.

Niles area host families needed for international students

Foreign high school students are scheduled to arrive soon for academic semester homestays, and the sponsoring organization needs a few more local host families.

According to Pacific Intercultural Exchange (P.I.E.) Executive Director, John Doty, the students are all between the ages of 15 and 18 years, are English-speaking, have their own spending money, carry accident and health insurance, and are anxious to share their cultural experiences with their new American families. P.I.E. currently has programs to match almost every family's needs, ranging in length from a semester to a full academic year, where the students attend local high schools.

P.I.E. area representatives match students with host families by finding common interests and lifestyles through an informal in-home meeting. Prospective host families are able to review student applications and select the perfect match. As there are no "typical" host families, P.I.E. can fit a student into just about any situation, whether it be a single parent, a childless couple, a retired couple or a large family.

Families who host for P.I.E. are also eligible to claim a \$50 per month charitable contribution de-

duction on their itemized tax returns for each month they host a sponsored student.

For the upcoming programs, P.I.E. has students from Spain, Germany, Poland, Russia, Finland, Argentina, Brazil, Colombia, Paraguay, Australia, New Zealand, Yugoslavia, Belgium, China, Ghana and many other countries. P.I.E. has also been invited to participate in a special government-funded program to bring scholarship students from the Newly Independent States of the former Soviet Union to the United States. P.I.E. is a non-profit educational organization that has sponsored more than 18,000 students from 40 countries since its founding in 1975. The organization is designated by the United States Information Agency and is listed by the Council on Standards for International Educational Travel (CSIET), certifying that the organization complies with the standards set forth in CSIET's Standards for International Educational Travel Programs.

Doty encourages families to contact the program immediately, as it will allow the proper time for the students and hosts to get to know one another before they actually meet for the first time.

Niles area families interested

The Garden Club of Morton Grove meeting

The Garden Club of Morton Grove will hold its monthly meeting at the Austin Park Field House, 8336 Marmora on Tuesday, January 27 at 7:30 p.m.

Our program "My Favorite Palette of Perennials" will be given by Pam Duthie. Pam is a founding member of the Landscape Design Association and

currently editor of its newsletter. She is best known under her business name, The Gifted Gardener. She is also an instructor at Chicago Botanic Garden.

The public is invited. Admission is free. Refreshments will be served. For further information, call 966-4264.

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A 50th wedding anniversary party was held on Saturday, December 13 at the Fireside in Morton Grove by the children of Mr. and Mrs. Lawrence Glines. A good time was had by all.

District 207 Choral Concert January 28

It's nothing but harmony among the 230 plus choir students from Maine East, Maine South and Maine West who will perform in a district-wide Choral Festival on Wednesday, January 28 at 7:30 p.m. The sound of music will fill the Auditorium of Maine East—host of the 1998 concert—and it's free to the public.

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Reverse Mortgage Specialist at Cole Taylor

Cole Taylor Bank announced that Robert S. Canino, 61, has joined the bank as a Reverse Mortgage Specialist. With nearly five years of experience in reverse mortgage products, he will be responsible for marketing the Federally insured and Fannie Mae insured reverse mortgage products to the senior market.

"Until recently, many senior citizens faced with financial difficulties may have had to sell their homes or rely on family members in order to satisfy their financial concerns," notes Canino. "Senior homeowners now have another solution to this dilemma, a reverse mortgage which is available from Cole Taylor Bank."

A reverse mortgage allows senior homeowners, ages 62 or older, to convert some of their home equity into fixed monthly income payments, a lump sum advance or into a cash reserve account to be used as needed in the future.

What's most important to Ca-

nino is that, "Cole Taylor Bank is sensitive to the ever changing needs of our senior population and is committed to educating and marketing reverse mortgage products to senior consumers."

Canino is a past registered investment advisor and SEC registered representative. He also holds a real estate broker license and is an insurance broker.

As Chicagoland's largest private bank, Cole Taylor has earned a reputation in its nearly 70 years for delivering high quality, personalized service. With \$1.9 billion in assets, the bank operates an 11 branch network throughout Chicagoland which includes locations at 4801 W. Golf Road and 4400 W. Oakton in Skokie.

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Medications for older adults

Memory lapses, arthritis, poor eyesight and other conditions can make it difficult for some older adults to take their medications as directed. Many older adults take more than one prescription medication, which can complicate the process. Studies show that between 40 to 75 percent of older people don't take their medications at the right time or in the right amount. As a result, nearly a quarter of nursing home admissions are due, at least in part, to the inability to take medications correctly.

It is important for older adults to make the task easier by coming up with strategies that can help. For example, adults with arthritis can use oversized, easy-to-open bottles. When taking more than one prescription, they can devise a plan for taking pills as directed. Some people use meal times or bedtime as a cue to take pills. Other reminders might include a calendar or pill box.

Source: FDA Consumer magazine of the U.S. Food and Drug Administration.

Morton Grove Senior Citizens 470-5223

FLOWER ARRANGING
Dominick's Finer Foods is providing floral department manager, Jean Ciangi and the flowers, for a floral arranging workshop on Thursday, Jan. 22 at 1 p.m. Jean will describe and demonstrate how to make a special flower arrangement. The demonstration and supplies are free, but reservations are limited, so call Catherine Dean at the Morton Grove Park District, 965-1200, to assure a space for this creative workshop.

MALL TRIPS
Seniors wishing to join shoppers on a trip to Golf Mill Mall on Tuesday, Jan. 27 should call today to reserve a seat on the bus. Home pick-ups begin at 10 a.m. with arrival at Golf Mill around 11 a.m. Shop and browse for three hours until the bus returns shoppers home at 2 p.m. Mall trips are scheduled on the last Tuesday of every month at no cost. Call the Morton Grove Senior Hot Line at 470-5223 to make a reservation.

DIABETES SCREENING
Non-insulin-dependent diabetes is gradual in onset and usually occurs in adults over age 40. Some of the warning signs are: blurred or any change in vision, tingling or itchy skin, slow healing of cuts and bruises, and drowsiness. Free diabetes screenings are available from 9 to 10 a.m. on Tuesday, Jan. 27 in the Flickinger Senior Center. People coming in for the screening should fast from the evening meal of the night before.

FOLLIES
Join the Prairie View Travel Club for an afternoon dinner/theatre at Drury Lane in Oakbrook on Thursday, Jan. 29 to enjoy seven-time Tony winner, "Follies". A party is held in an old Ziegfeld-like theatre for former performers and show girls. Grand old ladies and gents, full of spunk and deprecate, cross paths and gossip among the ruins, review their old routines, rekindle old loves and hatreds. Some of the 22 songs to be performed are "Beautiful Girls," "Love Will See Us Through," "One More Kiss," and "Could I Leave You?" The bus will leave the Prairie View Community Center at 11 a.m. and return at approximately 5 p.m. The fee is \$38 for residents, and \$42 for non-residents. Call Morton Grove Park District, senior adult supervisor, Catherine Dean at 965-1200 for details.

MEMORIES AND DREAMS
Relive the golden days of radio with a venture to the Museum of Broadcast Communications on Wednesday, Feb. 4. One of the many displays to be visited is 79 Wistful Vista where visitors can open Fibber McGee's hall closet, greet Edgar Bergen's Charlie McCarthy, and step inside Jack Benny's vault. Four lucky participants will have a chance to anchor the news in the Kraft Television Center. The next stop is the Jewelry Center for lunch on the seventh floor while observing how a piece of jewelry is made from mold to final setting. Time for browsing will end this special day. The bus will leave the Prairie View Community Center at 9:15 a.m. and return at 5 p.m. The fee is \$41 for residents, and \$45 for non-residents. Registration deadline is January 21 at Prairie View, or call the Morton Grove Park District, senior adult supervisor, Catherine Dean at 965-1200.

WASHINGTON D.C. AND WILLIAMSBURG
The Prairie View Travel Club is planning an exciting trip to Washington D.C. and Williamsburg from May 22 to 28. There will be a special preview of the excursion on February 11 at 12 noon in the Prairie View Community Center. A seven-day motorcoach tour will include Baltimore's Famous Inner Harbor area, National Aquarium, evening lights tour of Washington D.C., narrated tour of famous Washington sites, Smithsonian Institute, colonial Williamsburg, a dinner cruise in Pittsburgh and much, much more. For more information, call senior adult supervisor, Catherine Dean at the Morton Grove Park District, 965-1200.

ARE YOU O.K.?
The "Are You O.K.?" telephone reassurance program is a free service for senior citizens or disabled individuals who are living independently in Morton Grove. The program is a telephone system that will make daily calls to a subscriber's home at the same time each day. The subscriber chooses the time of day for the call. If the subscriber is okay, he/she simply hangs up the telephone after hearing a pre-recorded message. If the subscriber does not answer, or if the telephone line is busy, three more attempts will be made before the system activates an alert report. At that point, police dispatchers will contact either a neighbor who has previously agreed to assist, or police personnel. For further information, contact the Morton Grove Crime Prevention Unit at 470-5200.

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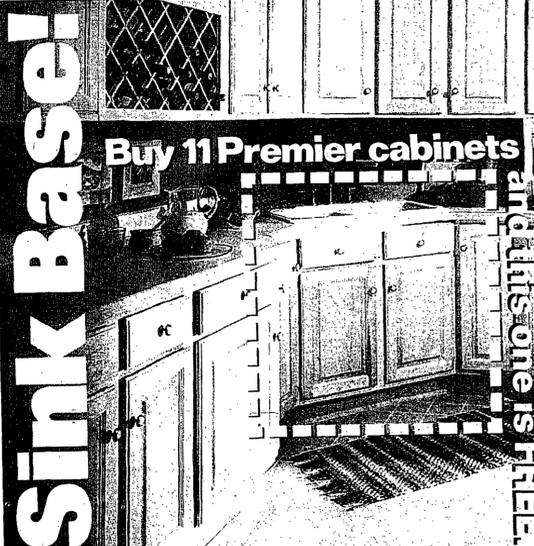
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Church and Temple News

Congregation completes new membership brochure

B'nai Jehoshua Beth Elohim (BJBE), Glenview, recently completed a new membership brochure, which includes photographs of the remodeled synagogue, profiles of the professional staff, and detailed information about programs. This brochure is designed as a reference tool for community members seeking to affiliate with a Reform Jewish Congregation.

To obtain a membership brochure, or for other information about the congregation, contact Shari Bauer (847) 729-7575 or on-line at: <http://www.shamash.org/reform/uahc/congs/1/1010>.

SJB Super Bowl Party

One of the most popular events at St. John Brebeuf is the annual Super Bowl Party sponsored by the Holy Name Society. Everyone over 21 years of age is welcome to attend this year's party in the parish hall, 8301 N. Harlem, Niles, on January 25. Doors will open at 2 p.m. Activities will continue throughout the afternoon and evening.

The football game will be viewed on a 10 ft. diagonal digital television screen. A raffle will be held which includes a color television as first prize.

The ticket price is \$12 and includes admission, chicken dinner, hot dogs, chili, soda and beer. For information, call Mel Koenigs, 966-2293, or Andy Beierwaltes, Jr., 966-6961.

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The OLPH PHOENIX SUPPORT GROUP

The OLPH PHOENIX SUPPORT GROUP invites all separated, divorced, and widowed persons to meet at Our Lady of Perpetual Help's McDonnell Hall on Friday, February 6, 1998 at 8 p.m. for a General Meeting featuring guest speaker, Geri D. Charley. Her talk is entitled, "He Says, She Says". Ms. Charley is a psychotherapist, social worker, faculty member of Harper and Oakton Colleges. She has a private practice in Inverness, coun-

seling persons on creating healthier and improved relationships. She produced and hosted "Insights," a radio talk show in the Northwest suburban area for nine years.

A small group gathering will begin at 7 p.m. for those working through the grieving process. The OLPH Church is located at 1127 Church Street in Glenview. A \$4 donation is requested. Direct inquiries to (847) 673-3411.

Res celebrates Catholic Schools Week

Resurrection High School will join the nation in celebrating Catholic Schools Week January 25 - January 31, 1998 with a series of events. The theme this year is "Restoring Faith in Education".

Tuesday morning, January 27, Resurrection will be hosting a breakfast for area pastors and principals. Tours will be provided.

Thursday, January 29, students will be enjoying the Student Council Variety Show.

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OBITUARIES

MELVIN ORMAN
Melvin Orman, 75, of Skokie, died Monday, January 13. He was born in Worcester, MA. Beloved husband of Ruth. Beloved father of Lynn Orman Weiss. Grandfather of 4. Brother of Estee Joseph and Arnie Orman. He joined the U.S. Navy at age 15 and reached the highest rank of Chief Petty Officer after 35 years of Naval Service. He served in the Korean War. He became a Recruiting Officer at Glenview Naval Air Station. He was a musician and wrote songs. He was the Membership Chairman of Uptown Lions Club. Past President and Membership Chairman of the Valley Garden B'nai B'rith. Services were held Wednesday, January 14. Arrangements handled by Piser Weinstein Menorah Chappels. Interment was in Shalom Memorial Park, Arlington Heights.

RICHARD J. WARDEN
Richard J. Warden, 64, of Morton Grove, died January 12 at Hospice of the North Shore, Evanston. Beloved husband of Leona. Beloved father of Richard (Donna), Jody (Dieter) Pesold and Jeff (Diane). Grandfather of 3. Brother of Lillian Papuga, Daniel, Frances Valenziano, Bernadine Banti, Robert, Barbara, Patrick, Gerald, Loretta Singleton, Patricia Bolte, John, Joseph, Carl, Carol Sosnowski and Kathleen Coules. Services were held Thursday, January 15. Arrangements handled by Simkins Funeral Home. Interment was in St. Adalbert Cemetery, Niles.

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Letters to the Editor

Meeting at town hall "an amazing performance"

Dear Editor:
I cannot remember if it was Will Rogers or Mark Twain who said, "You don't ever want to see them make sausage-or make laws."
What I saw last week wasn't exactly making laws, but a lot of people who make laws for a living were speaking at the Maine Township Republican Organization, and I can see the wisdom in the old saying!

The town hall was packed, standing room only. It was a chaotic scene with statewide and county candidates having to move in and out according to the conflicts in their schedules. Con-

fusion in the order of candidates' speeches made it difficult for audience members to compare the candidates who were running against each other, but some of the candidates helped us by comparing their own credentials with those of their opponents.

If we are going to have good government, we need to listen to the speeches of the incumbents and also pay careful attention to the vision of the contenders. But that, unfortunately, wasn't the mood at the party meeting. To be frank, the incumbents were treated like royalty, and their challengers were treated like dirt.

Some, however, rose to the occasion. Bob Lowen, a police officer with a distinguished, 25-year career on the Park Ridge force, offered excellent thoughts on how he would approach crime control, education and business. He offers a solid alternative to the more liberal incumbent, Rep. Carolyn Krause in the 56th District.

Jim Curley, a former alderman in Des Plaines, came out swinging in his analysis of Rep. Rosemary Mulligan's voting record and her displeased attitude toward his offering 55th District Republicans a choice in March.

He made me proud to be his supporter when he came out strongly for family values and favors strengthening Illinois' business climate. He not only will sign a "no expansion of gambling" pledge—he is a leader in our area for stopping the spread of casinos. And he rightly criticized Rep. Mulligan for refusing to sign the anti-gambling pledge.

For her part, Rep. Mulligan brought chuckles to the crowd by

introducing herself as "Xena Warrior Princess." I am sure I will conjure that mental image every time I see her from now on. I was also rather startled to hear her quote Rosemont's mayor Donald Stephens in calling her "that feisty tomato from the 55th." It was an amazing performance. A little like making sausage.

Sincerely,
George Johnson
Park Ridge

The ID Policy: It's About Prevention and Protection

Dear Editor:
Media coverage of the ongoing discussion within District 207 about the wearing of student identification cards has been plentiful. The press has fairly reported the conflicting views on the issue. We give high marks to newspaper reporting which has also included review of our successful Pre-High School Academy, strategic planning to improve student achievement, the District's Academic Standards Commission as well as our national merit scholars and IGAP scores. With this abundant and recent coverage of student identification cards in our schools, however, one might be inclined to ask: "Why all the discussion about student I.D.'s? What are the issues?"

Student I.D.'s were never seen as the cure for the common cold. Nor were they seen as the remedy for all societal ills that find their way into schools. The intent of an 18-month broad-based study by students, parents, teachers and administrators -- the Student Standards Team -- was to secure our school environment and "to raise the bar of expectations" for student attendance, student participation in school and community activities, and for student behavior. Our thanks are due to this dedicated team of individuals.

Our School Board approved the Student Standards Team's recommendations resulting in changes to the District attendance policy, provision of increased clubs and organizations, and authorization of a "Class Act" program to build upon the positive relationships within our schools. As an outgrowth of their study, the Student Standards Team undertook a thorough review of the school environment. The specific focus was upon safe schools. It was through the safe schools review that the notion about wearing student name tags evolved as a measure to improve safety. One of the ideas behind sensible

school governance is to anticipate bad situations which might or are even likely to occur in our future and to take steps for their prevention. This seems more prudent than action after a serious incident.

Maine Township High School District 207 students have possessed identification cards for many years. The thinking of the Team was that the wearing of I.D.'s would readily identify outsiders, thereby securing the school environment. And, it would promote name recognition with a sense of community where everyone knows everyone else, prepare students for the workplace where name tags are common, and encourage responsibility for one's actions with a reduction of anonymity. As the school year has evolved, some students have made it clear that they do not want to wear the I.D.'s. In a recent commentary before the Board of Education one student called the idea "ridiculous". Another noted that he had "not heard one person say they are good." Others have noted an increase in confrontations with faculty and staff who are monitoring compliance. While many individuals applauded the effort, quite clearly, our I.D. decision has not been a complete success story.

The desire to provide safe and secure school environments is a noble and a continuing effort. Some elements of our nearby world pose threats for our students. We know that law enforcement officials advise us that even small impediments for entry into our homes will often deter an intruder. The wearing of name tags has the same intent of creating an impediment for those who do not belong in a Maine High School. But, some students don't like to wear the name tags.

In the months ahead the Board, administration, teachers and students will continue in partnership with parents to review the ID pol-

icy, to review the specific objectives and to assess our success in achieving these objectives. Additional ideas to secure our schools and achieve the full measure of goals as envisioned by the Student Standards Team will be reviewed.

C. Steven Snider
Superintendent,
Maine Township High School
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Health News

A look at St. Jude Children's Research Hospital

More than thirty years ago, Danny Thomas had a dream of saving children with cancer and other deadly diseases. Today, St. Jude Children's Research Hospital is known worldwide as the only childhood cancer research center designated by the National Cancer Institute.

Often referred to as a "hospital without walls," patients from all walks of life, from every socio-

economic class and from all over the world are seen at St. Jude. Because of St. Jude's commitment to share its scientific findings freely, one child saved at St. Jude means thousands of children saved everywhere.

Since St. Jude opened in 1962, it has treated more than 14,500 children from across the United States and 60 foreign countries. They treat approximately 150 pa-

tients every day, mostly on an outpatient basis. St. Jude pioneered a combination of chemotherapy, radiation and, where necessary, surgery to treat childhood cancers. Now the hospital is exploring bone marrow transplants and gene therapy as new treatments.

To help raise the necessary funds to cover the hospital's current and future needs, the American Lebanese Syrian Associated Charities (ALSAC) was incorporated in 1957. Out of every dollar received at ALSAC, 87 percent goes to current or future needs of St. Jude Hospital—with about 9.7 percent used to raise additional dollars and 3.5 percent used for administration costs. The hospital's daily operating costs—about \$410,000—are covered primarily through funds raised by ALSAC.

To give you an idea on what it costs to treat a patient, let's take the case of a child with standard-risk Acute Lymphocytic Leukemia (ALL). The treatment for this ALL patient requires a 2-1/2 year protocol. The first year of treatment costs about \$60,000. The second year of treatment averages around \$40,000 with the third year estimated at \$20,000.

The progress St. Jude has made over the past several decades is incredible.

St. Jude patients must be referred by a physician, have a disease that is currently under study at the hospital, and not have received extensive prior treatment. Normal cut-off age for admittance is 18 years old. Specific research studies may include patients who have been treated elsewhere.

For more information about St. Jude, contact the St. Jude Children's Research Hospital direct at (901) 495-3300 or contact the Midwest Affiliate Office in Peoria at (309) 672-4900.

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Appointed to medical staff at Resurrection

Thomas Gynn, M.D., has been appointed to the medical staff at Resurrection Medical Center, 7435 W. Talcott Ave. Dr. Gynn is a board-certified specialist in internal medicine, medical oncology and hematology. He also is board certified in geriatrics and critical care medicine.



Thomas Gynn, M.D.

800 Austin St. in Evanston. Appointments can be made by calling (847) 328-9221.

Watch for "preemie" teeth

Even though they do not have any teeth yet, prematurely born babies can expect to have dental complications as they grow older, reports the Academy of General Dentistry, an organization of general dentists dedicated to continuing dental education.

About six percent of babies are born before their due date and below 7.2 pounds, and of these, up to 70 percent will have enamel hypoplasia when their teeth erupt, according to a recent dental study. Enamel hypoplasia will cause teeth to look brownish, be softer, less smooth, or more prone to decay or chipping.

"You won't discover this until your child is about six months old because that's about the time when the baby's first tooth would erupt," says Henry Finger, DDS, FAGD, past president and spokesperson of the Academy of

General Dentistry. "Prematurely born children should definitely see a dentist when their first tooth erupts to avoid any dental complications."

Children with the lowest birth weight and shortest gestational ages have the lowest rates of dental development, particularly before six years of age, according to the study. Children who were born prematurely can have delays in the eruption of their baby teeth and even their permanent teeth. When the teeth do erupt, they can look stained and brownish.

The front teeth are the first to erupt at six to eight months, and the back teeth erupt between 18 and 24 months. Prematurely born children should be brought to the dentist regularly, even at this early stage, because they are more likely to be candidates for cavities than children born at term.

Make diabetes less taxing...help fund a cure

For the first time ever, taxpayers have the opportunity to fund vital research to prevent and cure diabetes by making a voluntary contribution to the American Diabetes Association on their 1997 Illinois Income Tax Return.

The American Diabetes Association encourages taxpayers to make diabetes less taxing and help fund a cure for this serious disease. Any donation made to the Association can be deducted from or added to the taxpayer's 1997 Illinois Income Tax Return. More than 16 million Americans, including 832,000 Illinois residents, have diabetes, the fourth-leading cause of death by disease. Diabetes is a leading

cause of blindness, kidney disease, amputations, heart disease, and stroke. Currently, there is no cure for diabetes. The funds raised through the Illinois Tax Check-Off will benefit the American Diabetes Association's research programs to improve diabetes treatment and ultimately prevent and cure the disease.

For more information about the American Diabetes Association's Illinois Tax Check-Off or the Association's programs and services, please call 1-888-DIABETES (1-888-342-2383).

USE THE BUGLE

Health News

Regency Nursing Centre announces upcoming group meetings

Regency Nursing Centre in affiliation with the Greater Chicago Alzheimer's Association will host an Alzheimer's Support Group Meeting on Wednesday, January 28 at 7 p.m.

Regency offers these meetings as a community service for sufferers of Alzheimer's Disease as well as their caregivers, family and friends. The main purpose of the group is to aid in understanding the stage of Alzheimer's Disease and to provide support. The trials and tribulations of dealing with Alzheimer's Disease on a day-to-day basis are shared as well as personal histories.

Regency Nursing Centre's February Parkinson's Support Group Meeting will be held on Sunday, February 8 at 2 p.m. The support group is free and open to the public. Parkinsonian's, their loved ones, caregivers, friends and family are welcome to attend.

Participants are encouraged to share their personal histories of coping with this disease as well as present questions.

Regency Nursing Centre is located at 6631 N. Milwaukee Ave. in Niles. Regency is a 300-bed skilled nursing facility. Regency's Alzheimer's Unit has been named as One of Only 17 Units in the State of Illinois to receive Joint Commission Accreditation.

Among the many services that Regency offers are a specialized Alzheimer's Unit and Parkinson's Unit, ongoing support groups and education seminars which are free and open to the public.

For information about Regency's Alzheimer's Support Group Meeting call Kathleen Clyde at (847) 647-7444. For information about Regency's Parkinson's Support Group Meeting call Karen Gallo at (847) 647-7444.

First baby of 1998 born at LGH



Child safety experts Leslie and Larry Stone (from right) visit Francisco Javier Wills, the first baby of 1998 born at Lutheran General Hospital in Park Ridge. The Stones, authors of *The Safe 'N' Sound Child*, spoke with Francisco's mother, Clara, about child safety and presented her with a \$230 gift certificate for childproofing of the Wills' Skokie home by Safe 'N' Sound Childproofers, Inc. The childproofing includes: a walk-through of the home to identify potential hazards; installation of safety devices, such as outlet covers, toilet locks and stairway banister guards; and the Stones' book.

Colds, the flu and antibiotics

'Tis the season...to be ill. With cold weather forcing people to spend more time indoors, colds, the flu and other viral infections spread quickly, affecting more people than in warmer seasons. Every year, according to some estimates, people in the U.S. suffer a combined total of one billion colds, making the common cold one of the leading causes of work and school absenteeism. Is there any relief for these ailments?

Many medications and other remedies can help control cold and flu symptoms. To best understand how these treatments work, it is important to know the nature of these pesky viruses.

What's the difference between the "common cold" and the flu?

The "common cold" and the flu have many of the same symptoms, but the flu is typically more severe. Both can cause a stuffy nose, sneezing, sore throat and cough. The flu, however, is usually accompanied by a high fever (102-104°F), extreme exhaustion and severe body aches. Someone who has had the flu may feel tired and weak for two to three weeks after the other symptoms have passed.

Viruses

Both influenza and the "common cold" are caused by viruses. A virus is a tiny organism that can only grow inside living cells. More than 200 viruses have been found to cause disease in humans, most of which are harmless, but a few of which are serious. Viruses enter the body through breaks in the skin, by being breathed in through the lungs, or by entering the stomach with food. Over 100 different viruses can cause a cold. The flu, on the other hand, is caused by just a few viruses,

which can take on a new form every few years.

Prevention

Despite popular belief, catching a cold has nothing to do with cold weather. Cold and flu viruses are spread through direct contact or inhaling infectious secretions. In fact, most colds are spread from hand to hand. Frequent hand washing with soap and water and covering your mouth when you cough or sneeze decreases the risk of spreading the virus.

Because only a few new flu virus strains appear each year, scientists are able to create a vaccine to attack the virus, preventing infection. A new vaccine is needed each time a new flu virus strain appears. Therefore, it is essential to be vaccinated each year.

ANAD meeting to be held

National Association of Anorexia Nervosa and Associated Disorders - ANAD will hold a group meeting for anorexics, bulimics, parents, and families at 8 p.m., Tuesday, January 27, 1998 at Highland Park Hospital, 718 Glenview Avenue, Highland Park. The meeting is free. Those interested are invited to attend. ANAD groups now hold regular meetings in numerous North Shore communities and other sections of greater Chicago. For additional information call 847/831-3438.

Anorexia nervosa and bulimia are dangerous eating disorders characterized by extreme loss of weight and/or binge eating and purging.

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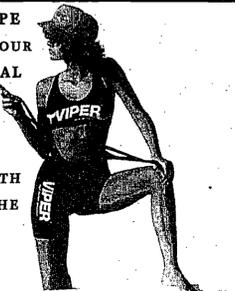
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Women urged to unite in fight against heart disease and stroke

Heart attack is commonly believed to be a "man's problem." And yet, the latest statistics tell another story. Coronary heart disease is the No. 1 killer of females in America today. Stroke is the third leading cause of death for females, behind heart disease and cancer, and the leading cause of serious, long-term disability. More than one in five females have some form of cardiovascular disease. Since 1984 the number of cardiovascular disease deaths for females has exceeded those for males. All cardiovascular diseases combined claim more than 505,000 female lives every year - more than the next 16 causes of death combined and almost twice the number of deaths caused by all forms of cancer.

Each February, during American Heart Month, the American Heart Association launches a nationwide educational campaign relating to cardiovascular diseases. This February, the American Heart Association continues its National Women's Heart Disease and Stroke Campaign, which was launched last September as a major public awareness campaign about women and cardiovascular disease. The theme for American Heart Month, "Each One, Reach One!," urges women to become knowledgeable about their risk of heart disease and stroke and to share information with other women.

The main difference between the sexes is not whether women are likely to get heart disease, but when. Coronary heart disease takes almost a decade longer to show up in women. Although more men have heart attacks than women do and men have them earlier in life, women have lower chances of surviving them. The rate of having a second attack within a few years is also higher for women than for men.

About 20,000 females under age 65 die each year of coronary heart disease; over 31 percent of them are under age 55.

Among African-American females, the situation is worse than among white females. The death rate for coronary heart disease is 35 percent higher for black females than for white females. Black females also have a death rate from stroke that is 71 percent higher than the rate for white females.

"Cardiovascular disease is the leading health problem and cause of death for women. It is an epidemic in women as well as men," said Mary Ann Malloy, M.D., chairman of the Women and Heart Disease Committee of the American Heart Association.

Metropolitan Chicago and a member of the national AHA's Take Wellness to Heart task force.

"It is time for women to take charge of their cardiovascular health by becoming more knowledgeable about these diseases and taking action to reduce their risks. Cardiovascular disease is not just a man's problem. It is an equal opportunity killer," Malloy said.

Women can reduce their risks of heart disease as well as stroke by not smoking, controlling their cholesterol levels, controlling high blood pressure, being physically active, maintaining a healthy weight, drinking alcohol only in moderation and controlling other chronic conditions such as diabetes.

For more information about local American Heart Month activities or to learn more about the prevention of heart attack and stroke, call 312-346-4675 or 1-800-AHA-USA.

Here are some of the activities planned for 1998 American Heart Month in metropolitan Chicago:

- During HeartScore '98, which takes place from February 23-27, the AHA will launch HeartSteps, a free walking clinic designed to show individuals how to begin -- and maintain -- a walking program. The 45-minute clinics will be held in 14 community locations throughout metropolitan Chicago. For location information, contact Heather Earls at 312-346-4675.
- The American Heart Association, with 4.2 million volunteers, is dedicated to reducing disability and death from cardiovascular disease and stroke. Since 1963, February has been designated as American Heart Month by a presidential proclamation to recognize the continuing fight against heart disease and stroke and the need for all Americans to take part.

NA'AMAT USA announces series

NA'AMAT USA presents a unique, exciting program series titled, "Stepping Up: Women in the 90's". This series will have 3 programs featuring subjects of interest to women. Series programs are scheduled on 2/18/98, 3/18/98, and 4/22/98. Each will take place at the NA'AMAT USA Office at 5050 W. Church, Skokie. Times will vary with each session. The series charge is \$15 or \$5 per session. Reservations are required at least 2 days before each session.

The NA'AMAT, "Stepping Up: Women in the 90's" series will begin with "Empowering Women in Healthcare" by C. Margaret McClaskey, Director of Pastoral Care and Ethics Consultation at Rush Northshore Medical Center. It will take place on Wednesday, February 18, 1998, from 10 a.m. to 11:30 a.m. Ms. McClaskey developed the ethics consultation service at the hospital and provides leadership in areas related to patient rights.

The second session, "Israel Today - A Woman's View," will be presented by Tzipora Rimon, Consul General of Israel to the Midwest. This program is scheduled for Wednesday, March 18, 1998, from 10 a.m. to 11:30 a.m. Consul General Rimon has been a member of the Ministry of Foreign Affairs since 1975. She has served in various capacities including political, information and cultural affairs.

The third session "Moving Up the Economic Ladder" will be presented by a panel of distinguished women. First Phyllis Appelbaum, President and founder of Arrow Messenger Service will relay her experiences and achievements. Jean Pogge, Women's Self Employment Project Board Member and Senior Vice President Corporate Services, South Shore Bank will discuss programs and available sources for women hoping to establish their own entrepreneurship. Closing comments will be made by Phyllis Sutker, National Board member, NA'AMAT-USA including an update of NA'AMAT's work in this area in Israel. This program will take place on Wednesday, April 22, 1998 at 7:30 p.m. to 9 p.m.

NA'AMAT USA has scheduled its Spring Program Series as a part of its commitment to support creative educational programs, to advance knowledge of our heritage and to bring to the forefront our 75 year commitment to women's rights.

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Registration fee is \$30 and include handouts.

For more information or to register, call the Women's Business Development Center at (312) 853-3477. Registration and prepayment are recommended to guarantee space in the workshop.

Women's News

Estrogen and hormone replacement therapy: benefits and risks

Scientists believe that the hormone estrogen, produced by a woman's body, offers some protection against heart disease and stroke. The production of estrogen is highest during the child-bearing years and declines with menopause. As menopause approaches, a woman's risk of heart attack begins to rise and keeps rising as she ages. If menopause is caused by surgery to remove the uterus and ovaries, the risk of heart attack rises sharply. If menopause occurs naturally, the risk increases more slowly. Several population studies have shown that loss of estrogen is a significant contributor to the development of coronary heart disease in women after menopause. Other studies show a similar connection to stroke.

For decades millions of women have used estrogen replacement therapy (ERT) and, more recently, hormone replacement therapy (HRT) to help relieve symptoms of menopause and protect against the crippling-bone disease osteoporosis. HRT is estrogen therapy combined with the natural hormone progesterone or with its synthetic form, progestin, to help counteract the increased risk of endometrial cancer linked to taking estrogen alone. (Women who have had a hysterectomy do not need progestins and can take ERT alone.)

Research has shown that ERT and HRT may reduce the risk of heart attack for women after menopause by as much as 50 percent, compared with women not taking estrogen. Many studies show a similar decrease in the risk of stroke.

If you have had a natural or surgical menopause, you may be considering estrogen or hormone therapy. To help you and your doctor determine whether ERT or HRT is appropriate, you need to understand the benefits and risks.

Benefits of ERT and HRT

- Research has shown that ERT and HRT may reduce the risk of heart attack for women after menopause by as much as 50 percent, compared with women not taking estrogen. Many studies show a similar decrease in the risk of stroke.
- The Postmenopausal Estrogen/Progestin Interventions Trial found that ERT and HRT produce increases in HDL. It also found that HRT lowers LDL and fibrinogen, a blood-clotting factor that is a predictor of heart attack and stroke.
- In the long-term Nurses' Health Study, ERT and HRT reduced the risk of death from cardiovascular disease, as well as risk of death from all major diseases including cancer. This benefit persisted even after 10 years of hormone treatment, though at a decreased level.
- Other research has shown that estrogen therapy helps blood vessels relax and respond to exercise and stress, by keeping arteries from narrowing and by increasing blood flow.
- ERT and HRT help relieve menopausal symptoms, protect against the bone disease osteoporosis and help prevent fractures.
- Early clinical data have shown that the loss of estrogen in women

may be linked to risk of Alzheimer's disease. The disease may be less likely to strike women who take estrogen after menopause.

Risks of ERT and HRT

- High doses of ET (estrogen alone) raise the risk of endometrial or uterine cancer and conditions that lead to cancer in the lining of the uterus. There is not enough information about the lower doses of estrogen currently used. However, HRT (combining estrogen and progestin) reduces the risk of endometrial cancer and may help protect against it.
- ERT may increase a woman's triglyceride levels. Research also suggests an increased risk of blood clots in women taking estrogen.
- Researchers don't agree on whether hormone therapy increases breast cancer risk, due to the remarkable inconsistency between studies. Women on ERT or HRT in the Postmenopausal Estrogen/Progestin Interventions Trial had no increase in breast cancer over three years. Women in the Nurses' Health Study who used hormones for 10 or more years did have an increase in breast cancer.
- The three-year Postmenopausal Estrogen/Progestin Interventions (PEPI) Trial is the only randomized clinical trial done to date of ERT and HRT in women. All the other benefits and risks discussed here derive from observational studies, and are therefore less well defined. We should learn more about the benefits and risks of hormone use from results of the Women's Health Initiative, an ongoing National Institutes of Health study.
- Keep in mind that women after menopause are at far greater risk of heart disease and stroke than cancer. Talk to your doctor about how this information relates to your personal and family health history, and what you can do to reduce your risk.

Artists, craftspeople and exhibitors wanted

Evanston's 26th Annual Custer's Last Stand Festival of the Arts will be held on Saturday and Sunday, June 20 & 21. Exhibitor applications are now being accepted in the following categories: Artists & Craftspeople in all media, Antique dealers, Food vendors and a limited number of commercial businesses. There are 450 Art & Craft exhibits from across America and 30 Antiques dealers. Thirty restaurants are featured at the Custer FoodFest.

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For information, call John Szostek, Fair Director, at (847) 328-2204 or fax at (847) 328-2295. Write to: Custer Street Fair, Inc., P.O. Box 6013, Evanston, IL 60204-6013.

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CHILDREN

**January 1998
Open Gym I.D.**
Starting in January, 1998, youths wishing to participate in Lincolnwood Open Gym Programs must bring a new I.D. being issued by the Recreation Department. These I.D.s will be issued on Jan. 23, 24 and 30 at the Open Gym programs. First card is free, however a replacement card will cost \$3. For more information, call (847) 677-9740.

**Beginning Jan. 23
Computer Tots Class**
Lincolnwood Parks and Recreation Department will be running a Computer Tots class on Friday mornings for 3-5 year olds at Lincolnwood Village

Hall beginning January 23. For more information, call (847) 677-9740.

**Beginning Jan. 26
Science Program**
Lincolnwood Parks and Recreation Department will be running a "hands on" science program on Monday afternoons for 6-8 year olds, 2:30-3:45 p.m. at Todd Hall School beginning January 26. For more information, call (847) 677-9740.

**Beginning Jan. 27
Drawing Class**
Lincolnwood Parks and Recreation Department will be running a drawing class for 3-5 year olds on Tuesday mornings, 11:30 a.m. to 12:15 p.m. at the Lincolnwood Village Hall beginning January 27. For more information, call (847) 677-9740.

**Beginning Jan. 28
Craft Class**
Lincolnwood Parks and Recreation Department will be running a Razzle Dazzle Craft class for youths in Grades 3-5 on Wednesday afternoons, 3:15-4:30 p.m. at Rutledge Hall beginning January 28. For more information, call (847) 677-9740.

**Beginning Jan. 30
Craft Class**
Lincolnwood Parks and Recreation Department will be running a Designs by Me craft class for 6-8 year olds on Friday afternoons, 2:30-3:45 p.m. at Todd Hall in Room 108 beginning January 30. For more information, call (847) 677-9740.

COMPUTER CLASS

**Jan. 29 & Feb. 5
Computer Class**
Lincolnwood Parks and Recreation Department will be running an Introduction to Microsoft Word 7.0 for Windows '95 Computer Class on Thursday, Jan. 29 and Feb. 5, 7-10 p.m. for adults. Resident rates are \$120 (non-residents \$180). For more information, call (847) 677-9740.

ENTERTAINMENT

**Sun., Jan. 25
TRAIN SHOW**
Great Train Escape, Chicago's friendliest and most convenient Toy and Model Train Swap Show, steams into the Northwest Suburbs on Sunday, Jan. 25, at our station in Streamwood's VFW Hall, located on Bartlett Rd., 3/4 mi. north of Irving Park Rd. in Streamwood. Open to the public from 9 a.m. to 1:30 p.m. Tables are still available. More information: (847) 398-5809. Admission: \$2.

ARS VIVA!
For over two decades the name "Heatherington" has been synonymous with the finest string music in Chicago. The large-scale chamber works presented on the second subscription concert of the Ars Viva 1997-98 season will delight and captivate listeners. Sunday, January 25, 1998 at 7:30 p.m. at the North Shore Center for the Performing Arts, 9501 Skokie Blvd., Skokie. Tickets are \$16-\$35 and may be purchased in advance by calling The North Shore Center for the Performing Arts at 847-673-6300.

**January 28-March 22
Elmer Gantry**
Kary M. Walker, Executive Producer of the award-winning Marriott's Lincolnshire Theatre, is proud to present the Chicago premiere of a major new musical, Elmer Gantry, Wednesday, January 28 through Sunday, March 22. Tickets are now on

sale. The performance schedule for Elmer Gantry is as follows: Wednesdays at 2 & 8 p.m.; Thursdays at 8 p.m.; Fridays at 8 p.m.; Saturdays at 5 & 8:30 p.m.; and Sundays at 2:30 and 7 p.m. Tickets to all performances are \$33; senior citizens and students receive a \$5 discount off the regular ticket price for performances on Wednesdays at 2 & 8 p.m., Thursdays at 8 p.m. and Sundays at 2:30 and 7 p.m. Children under 6 years of age are not admitted. Reservations with a major credit card can be made by calling the Marriott's Lincolnshire Theatre box office at (847) 634-0200. Marriott's Lincolnshire Theatre is located at 10 Marriott Drive, Lincolnshire.

**Jan. 30-Apr. 4
Gandhi and King**
A Season for Nonviolence, a sixty-four day worldwide commemoration from Jan. 30 through April 4, kicks off with a day of workshops at Northeastern Illinois University (NEIU), 5500 N. St. Louis Ave. (near Bryn Mawr and Central Park), Chicago. Registration for the workshops is between 9-10 a.m. Workshops run from 9:30 a.m. through 5:30 p.m. in the university's Commuter Center. The evening program will be held from 7:30-9:30 p.m. in NEIU's Alumni Hall. The cost for the daytime event is \$25 including lunch. Admission is free to the evening program. For more information, call Physical Education Professor Daniel Creely at (773) 794-2982.

**Jan. 30 & 31
THE RUTH PAGE DANCE SERIES**
The Ruth Page Dance Series, honoring and celebrating the life of the legendary dancer, kicks off its seventh season at Northeastern Illinois University (NEIU) with "A World of Dance Premieres in a Single Evening," the first of three showcase weekends, on Friday and Saturday, January 30 and 31. Among the companies featuring a multitude of dance styles are: The Moose Project; Same Planet Different World; Especially Tap Chicago; and Tango 21. All performances are at 8 p.m. in NEIU's auditorium, 5500 North St. Louis Avenue, Chicago (near Bryn Mawr and Central Park). Free parking is available in Lot "D". Tickets are \$15, general admission, and \$10, students and senior citizens. Subscriptions and group rates are available. For tickets, call 773/794-2538. For more information, contact Rachel Burton at 773/794-6138.

**Jan. 31 - Mar. 1
KISS OF THE SPIDER WOMAN**
Apple Tree Theatre is proud to present the musical, Kiss of the Spider Woman, with book by Terrence McNally and lyrics by Fred Ebb and music by John Kander, based on the novel by Manuel Puig. The production will open on Saturday, January

31 at 8 p.m. with previews beginning January 28 and a run scheduled through March 1, 1998. The production is scheduled through March 1. Performance schedule: Wednesdays at 7:30, Fridays at 8, Saturdays at 4:30 and 8, Sundays at 3 and 7. Preview ticket prices are \$18. Ticket prices for the regular run are: Wednesdays and Saturdays-\$25, Fridays and Sundays-\$28. Group, student, and senior discounts are available. Call the box office for information at (847) 432-4335. Apple Tree Theatre is located at 595 Elm Place, Suite 210, Highland Park, IL 60035. Apple Tree Theatre is wheelchair accessible. Free parking is available at the corner of Elm Place and Second Street.

**Sat., Jan. 31
Touring Company to perform**
For more than 35 years, The Second City National Touring Company has been delighting audiences all over the world with The Best of Second City, a compilation of sketches, songs and improvised scenes. On Saturday, Jan. 31, The Second City National Touring Company brings its act to the Paramount Arts Centre in Aurora. Tickets for the 8 p.m. show are \$13.75 and are available at the Paramount box office, located at 23 E. Galena Blvd., in Aurora or by calling (630) 896-6666. Tickets are also available at any Ticket-Master outlet.

**Sun., Feb. 1
BILL KURTIS**
The Norris Theatre will present Bill Kurtis at 3 p.m. Kurtis will present a behind-the-scenes look at his award-winning shows on the A&E network: *The New Explorers with Bill Kurtis*, *Investigative Reports*, and *American Justice*. Prices are \$10 per ticket with reserved seating. This special appearance is sponsored by WFXW AM 1480, ValleyKids Parent News, and Peter and Irma Orum. For tickets or more information, please call the Norris Theatre Box Office at (630) 584-7200 ext. 10.

**Mon., Feb. 2
Terrapin Theatre**
Terrapin Theatre's third annual benefit: Terrapin Hats, Ties and Tales presents...The Twilight Show with Terrapin Theatre, will be held on Mon., Feb. 2, at the Apollo Theater, 2540 N. Lincoln, Chicago. The festivities will begin at 6:30 p.m. with dinner and a silent auction featuring autographed hats, ties and books or scripts ("tales") by local and national celebrities. Ticket prices are \$37.50 per ticket or \$70 for two. All tickets purchased at the door will be \$40. Parking is available next door to the theater. For reservations and additional information, contact Terrapin Theatre at (773) 989-1006.

Community Calendar

PARKS

**Beginning Jan. 27
Drawing Class**
Lincolnwood Parks and Recreation Department will be running a drawing class for 7-13 year olds on Tuesday afternoons, 3:30-4:15 p.m. at Rutledge Hall School beginning Jan. 27. For more information, call (847) 677-9740.

**Beginning Feb. 3
Parent/Tot Fun Class**
Lincolnwood Parks and Recreation Department will be running a Parent/Tot Fun class on Tuesday mornings, 10:15-11:15 a.m. at the Lincolnwood Library beginning February 3. For more information, call (847) 677-9740.

SEMINAR

**Tue., Feb. 3
Roth & Education IRA's**
A free one hour seminar on the new Roth and Education IRA's (Individual Retirement Accounts) is being offered by Bank of Lincolnwood and the accounting firm of Frost, Ruttenberg, and Rothblatt. The seminar will take place on Tuesday, February 3, from 5:30-6:30 p.m. at the Lincolnwood Radisson Hotel. For information on the Roth and Education IRA's, please call Bank of Lincolnwood at 1-847-675-2800 and press 2. To make reservations for the seminar, please call 1-847-676-6024 and leave your name, phone number, and how many people will attend.

The Ruth Page Dance Series announces 1998 season



The Ruth Page Dance Series, now in its seventh year, unites many of Chicago's most dynamic dance companies in performance showcases featuring ballet, modern, jazz, tap and ethnic dance. Performances are Weekend I: January 30, 31, 1998 at 8 p.m. Weekend II: February 20, 21, 1998 at 8 p.m. Weekend III: March 27, 28, 1998 at 8 p.m. All performances are at the Northeastern Illinois University Auditorium, 5500 North St. Louis Avenue in Chicago; FREE parking available in Lot "D" at Central Park and Bryn Mawr. Tickets: \$15/general admission, \$10/students and seniors. Subscriptions and Group rates available. For tickets: 773/794-2538. For information on master classes and lecture demonstrations contact: Rachel Burton at 773/794-6138.

HEALTH

**Wed., Jan. 28
General Nutrition**
On Wednesday, January 28, at 7 p.m., Independent Consultants for Body Wise International are offering a free seminar on General Nutrition to be held at the Advance Rehabilitation Clinics, Inc., 533 West North Ave., Elmhurst. Please contact Rose Carr for more information at (630) 871-8225.

STRESS MANAGEMENT

Dr. Ken Celiano, Psy.D., a licensed clinical psychologist, will discuss ways to manage stress in his talk, "Mind, Body, Spirit - A Journey Into Wisdom," at 2 p.m., at the Norwood Park Home, 6016 N. Nina Ave., Chicago. The public is invited to attend this enlightening free presentation followed by questions and answers. Refreshments will be served. For more information, call the Norwood Park Home, at (773) 631-4856.

LECTURE

**Tues., Jan. 27
Basics of Spec. Ed.**
Understanding the Basics of the Special Education Process. Speaker: Jim McGovern, Designs for Change. Bring your questions and concerns! Tuesday, January 27, 1998, 6:30 p.m. Centex Life Solutions, Village Crossing Shopping Center, 5507 W. Touhy Ave., Skokie.

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SINGLES

Fri., Jan. 23
NORTH SUBURBAN SHABBAT
The North Suburban Shabbat Singles (ages 35+) will meet at Temple Jeremiah, 937 Happ Road, Northfield at 8 p.m. followed by an Oneg Shabbat. For information call (773) 761-6862.

Fri., Jan. 23 & Sat., Jan. 24
St. Peter's Singles Dances
All singles over 45 invited to the following dances. Friday, Jan. 23, Francesco, 8465 W. Grand, River Grove and Saturday, Jan. 24, Franklin Park American Legion Hall, 9757 Pacific. Both dances start at 8:45 p.m. Both dances cost \$6. Live bands. Coat and tie required.

Sat., Jan. 24
Combined Club Singles Dance
All singles are invited to a Combined Club singles dance at 8 p.m. on Sat., Jan. 24, at

the Radisson Schaumburg, 1725 E. Algonquin Rd., Schaumburg. DJ music will be provided. Admission will be \$7. The event is co-sponsored by the Northwest Singles Association, Young Suburban Singles, and Singles & Company. For more information, call (708) 209-2066. All of the sponsoring groups are non-profit organizations.

TWENTY PLUS SINGLES
Twenty Plus Singles Connection, Humphrey Bogart Film Festival, The Adventure of Sierra Madres, Gurnee Cinema, Gurnee Mills, Gurnee, IL. Meet at Entrance J at 6:15 p.m. Cost: \$10. (847) 296-0004 or (847) 360-8910.

Sun., Jan. 25
Northwest Suburban Singles
The Northwest Suburban Singles invite all singles to a dance and Super Bowl Party at 5 p.m. on Sunday, January 25, at the Radisson Schaumburg, 1725 E. Algonquin Rd.,

Schaumburg. Admission is \$7. For more information, call (708) 786-8688. The Northwest Suburban Singles is a non-profit organization.

Jewish Social Singles
Come join us for our annual Super Bowl Party! This year we'll be at Champs Sports Bar and Grill, Waukegan Rd., Morton Grove, @ 4 p.m. \$7JSS Cover Charge...cost of food, etc...will be split equally. For further information, please call Howard @ (847) 699-1181 or Mark @ (847) 776-5206.

Fri., Jan. 30
CHICAGO LAND SINGLES DANCE
The Chicagoland Singles Association and The Aware Singles Group invite all singles to a Super Dance at 8 p.m. at the Sheraton Gateway Suites O'Hare, 6501 North Mannheim Road, Rosemont. DJ music will be provided. Admission is \$7. For more information call 773-545-1515. The Chicagoland Singles Association is a non-profit organization.

for youths in Grades 3-5 on Tuesday afternoons, 3:15-4:30 p.m. at Rutledge Hall School beginning January 27. For more information, call (847) 677-9740.

Beginning Jan. 28
Sport Shorts Class
Lincolnwood Parks and Recreation Department will be running a variety of sports for youths in Grades 3-5 on Wednesday afternoons, 3:15-4:30 p.m. at Rutledge Hall School beginning January 28. For more information, call (847) 677-9740.

Beginning Jan. 29
Girls Basketball
Lincolnwood Parks and Recreation Department will be running a Girls Basketball class for youths in Grades 3-5 on Thursday afternoons, 3:15-4:30 p.m. at Rutledge Hall School beginning January 29. For more information, call (847) 677-9740.

Leisure Center in Skokie. Fee is \$5. (Must show school I.D.) For more information, call (847) 677-9740.

Disney is top winter destination

Mickey Mouse has a large circle of friends in the United States, and his Walt Disney World home in Orlando, Fla. is the nation's top winter travel destination, according to AAA-Chicago Motor Club.

AAA Travel Agency managers from AAA-affiliated clubs across the country recently identified the most popular places to vacation this winter, and similar to past years, warm climates dominate both the domestic and international destination lists. With expectations for continued economic growth, mild weather, lower gas prices and growing AAA membership, auto travel managers expect an 8 percent increase in all modes of travel for 1998.

In addition to Orlando and Las Vegas as top U.S. winter destinations for air travelers, Hawaii, Los Angeles and Colorado ski locations round out the top five. As for international destinations, Cancun, Mexico is the most popular, followed by the Caribbean, London, Aruba and Nassau.

Beach-going is the most popular activity for air travelers, followed by going to theme parks; visiting friends and family; sightseeing; gambling; participating in sports activities such as hiking and skiing; shopping; cultural activities; and attending sports events.

This winter's most popular driving destinations after Orlando are Colorado ski locations, Myrtle Beach, S.C., Las Vegas, Nev. and Anaheim, Calif. - the home of Disneyland.

For both air and auto travel, shorter trips remain the preference, the most popular length being three to five days, followed by weekend trips for auto travelers, and six to ten days for air travelers.

Chicago Motor Club's AAA Travel Agency is a full-service agency serving both the general public and AAA-CMC members throughout Illinois and Northern Indiana. In addition to auto travel services, AAA Travel Agency organizes both domestic and international group tours, pre-packaged tours, cruises and independent travel.

SPORTS

Beginning Jan. 27
Boys Basketball
Lincolnwood Parks and Recreation Department will be running a Boys Basketball class

TEENS

Fri., Jan. 23
Teen Dance
On Friday, January 23, a teen dance will be held for Lincolnwood and Skokie students from 7-9:50 p.m. at the Weber

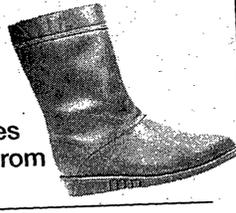
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Super Bowl Party at White Eagle

Maine Township Regular Democratic Organization is hosting the 4th annual Super Bowl Party on Sunday, January 25, at the White Eagle Restaurant and Banquet, located at 6839 N. Milwaukee Ave., Niles. The pre-game kick-off begins at 4 p.m. The ticket price includes a Super food buffet, soft drinks, open bar, door prizes and lots of fun watch-

ing the game on a large projection TV and several monitors. The cost is \$25 for adults and \$5 for children, 3-16 (when accompanied by an adult).

Get your friends together, or come alone and meet new ones. For more information or to reserve tickets, call (847) 803-5456.

Nikolai Gogol's The Overcoat

Lifeline Theatre MainStage is proud to present an original adaptation of Nikolai Gogol's comic masterpiece. The Overcoat, directed by Ann Boyd and adapted by Karen Tarjan. The team has taken a very physical approach to the tale of a lowly clerk who dreams of a beautiful new coat to protect him from the biting winter wind. Vividly re-told through movement, puppetry, dance and acrobatics, this will be an evening of fantasy, invention and laughter, perfect to fight the winter blues. The show will run through March 15. To order tickets or for more information, call the Lifeline Theatre at (773) 761-4477. Lifeline Theatre is located at 6912 North Glenwood, Chicago. Previews: Fri., Jan. 30 @ 8 p.m.; Sat., Jan. 31 @ 8 p.m.; Sun.,

Feb. 1 @ 3:30 p.m.; Tues., Feb. 3 @ 7:30 p.m. Tickets are \$10.

Regular Schedule: Fri. @ 8 p.m.; Sat. @ 8 p.m.; Sun. @ 3:30 p.m.; Ticket prices are \$16.50 for adults, \$10.50 for Students and Seniors, \$8.50 for children 12 and under.

For tickets, call the Lifeline Box Office at (773) 761-4477.

Groups: Group tickets are \$10. For information call (773) 761-1772.

Lifeline Theatre is located at 6912 North Glenwood, Chicago. Free parking is available three blocks north of the theatre in the Trilogy lot at Glenwood and Estes. There is also street parking available. The theatre is located one block from the Morse el stop. Lifeline is wheelchair accessible.

The Park Ridge Chorale to begin rehearsals

The Park Ridge Chorale (formerly The Maine Township Chorale) under the direction of Edward Zelnic will continue their 14th season with their first rehearsal for the spring term on January 26, 1998. We welcome all interested singers of any vocal range to audition at our first rehearsal at Maine South High School at the intersection of Dee and Talcott Rds., in Park Ridge, Room PA-105 at the end of the second westbound hallway. Rehearsal begins at 7:30 and ends 9:30 p.m.

To audition prepare a selection of music and bring a copy for the accompanist.

Our spring concert will be performed Sunday, April 26, 1998, 3 p.m. at St. Luke's Lutheran Church in Park Ridge. We will be performing works written for the British Stage including the works of Gilbert and Sullivan, Noel Coward and Andrew Lloyd Webber.

For more information call Dave Dadabou at (847) 827-4613.

Local student awarded scholarship

Yasir Bahrani, of Des Plaines, was recently awarded a \$1,000 Aileen S. Andrew Foundation Scholarship from The Associated Colleges of Illinois (ACI). Bahrani is a junior at Dominican University, 7900 W. Division Street, River Forest, where he is majoring in biology/chemistry. Bahrani has been named on the Dean's List at Dominican for three semesters. He is a graduate of Maine Township East High School.

Motorcycle Racing hits the ice

On February 7 and 8, motorcycles and their riders will hit the ice on a one-third mile oval race track on Lambs Lake. Witness speeds of 70 to 90 miles per hour as the fastest riders in the Midwest compete. And, with racers ranging in age from 7 years to 50 years, this year's racing promises to be faster, more competitive and more exciting than ever before. On February 7, visitors will be treated to a full race program. On February 8, come see the Midwest Ice Racing Championships. On both days, registration starts at 9 a.m., practice runs from 10 a.m. to 11:30 a.m., and the racing begins at noon. This is the perfect answer to finding something to do in the winter and admission and parking are free.

Motorcycle ice racing is a sport

that is unique to the frozen lakes and winters of the upper United States and Canada. The sport has made many advances, and the lighter, faster, more responsible bikes mean the racing is more competitive yet is safer than it was 10 years ago. The Chicago and Midwest area have traditionally been known to produce some of the best and fastest ice racers in the country. This will be your chance to see the best live and in action.

Lambs Farm will be helping spectators and racers stay warm with a variety of hot food and drinks including mouth-watering chili, barbecued pork sandwiches and non-alcoholic and spiked hot chocolate, apple cider and coffee. Remember, no picnic baskets or coolers please. Lambs Farm is a

nonprofit community which provides vocational, residential, recreational and social support services to more than 250 adults with mental disabilities. Revenue from concession sales provides vital support for the men and women who live and work at Lambs Farm.

Racer or spectator, everyone will enjoy a great day of excitement at Lambs Farm. For more information, call the Lambs Farm hotline at (847) 362-6774.

Ten free flowering trees from Arbor Day Foundation

Ten free flowering trees will be given to each person who joins The National Arbor Day Foundation during January, 1998.

The free trees are part of the nonprofit Foundation's Trees for America campaign.

The ten trees are 2 White Flowering Dogwoods, 2 Flowering Crabapples, 2 Golden Rain-trees, 2 Washington Hawthorns, and 2 American Redbuds.

"These compact trees were selected for planting in large or small spaces," John Rosenow, the Foundation's president said. "They will give your home the beauty of lovely pink, white, and yellow flowers - and also provide winter berries and nesting sites for songbirds."

The trees will be shipped post-paid at the right time for planting between February 1 and May 31 with enclosed planting instructions. The six to twelve inch trees are guaranteed to grow or they will be replaced free of charge.

Members also receive a subscription to the Foundation's bi-monthly publication, Arbor Day.

and The Tree Book with information about tree planting and care.

To become a member of the Foundation and to receive the free trees, send a \$10 contribution to Ten Free Flowering Trees, National Arbor Day Foundation, 100 Arbor Ave., Nebraska City, NE 68410, by January 31.

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General News

Oakton

Advertising Workshop course

Oakton's Marketing Management Department is offering a new course, Advertising Workshop (MKT 280), to help students develop creative advertising strategies and learn how to assemble examples of their work in a professional portfolio. The class meets on Thursday evenings from 6:30-9:20 p.m. starting Jan. 23, at the Des Plaines campus, 1600 E. Golf Road.

In this class, students will design ads with computer software packages including QuarkExpress, Adobe Illustrator and PhotoShop.

Students who have applications on file at Oakton since spring 1995 may use the Touch-Tone Registration system Monday through Thursday from 8:30 a.m.-8 p.m., Friday from 8:30 a.m.-5 p.m. and Saturday from 9 a.m.-noon. To register by phone, call (847) 635-1616 and remember to use the computer ID number listed by the course title in Oakton's Spring Credit Class Schedule.

For more information, call Sue Cisco, chairperson, Marketing Program, at (847) 635-1872.

What you need to know if you are thinking of divorce

The Lilac Tree presents an informative two-hour workshop titled, "The Divorce Process: What to Expect and How to Prepare Yourself," on Tuesday January 27, 1998, at the YWCA Evanston/North Shore. Led by Karen Bloomberg, Ph.D., psychotherapist and divorce mediator and Audrey Gaynor, J.D., divorce lawyer, the program presents an overview of the divorce process including how to find an attorney and/or mediator, and what you need to know about the divorce process - negotiations, discovery, depositions, settlement, etc.

Issues which will be addressed at the workshop include your rights in a divorce, possible child support, maintenance and property settlements; and how to choose the right attorney/mediator/financial planner. Program attendees should bring their specific questions to this evening of information, understanding and support.

Evanston-based, The Lilac Tree is a non profit organization which assists women in the process of divorce or newly divorced to adjust successfully to single life. Through support groups, educational programs, and counsel-

ing, its clients have the opportunity to move ahead with the legal, emotional and financial aspects of their lives and take responsibility for the future.

"The Divorce Process..." is the first of 12 workshops being presented by The Lilac Tree from January through May 1998. Each program features leading speakers who will address divorce-related topics such as parenting, financial planning, the divorce process, stress, starting over, the selection and the role of the divorce lawyer, the divorce settlement, etc. The program fee, per workshop, is \$25, and pre-registration is strongly recommended. To register and/or to receive a complete listing of the upcoming workshops, contact The Lilac Tree at (847) 328-0313.

How to Battle Stress in the '90s

Timothy Schening, a chiropractor who is an expert in stress management and natural healing, discusses How to Battle Stress in the '90s on Tuesday, Jan. 27, from 1-2:30 p.m., as part of the Passages Lecture Series sponsored by Oakton's Emeritus Program. All lectures are held in Room A151 at the Ray Hartstein campus, 7701 N. Lincoln Ave., Skokie.

In this lecture, Schening will discuss the different types of stress and teach participants how to manage their lives during hectic times.

Admission is \$2 at the door. Seating is limited; only 50 tickets are available. For more information, call the Emeritus Office at (847) 635-1414.

Ramsey Lewis to help Leukemia Research Foundation

Legendary jazz musician Ramsey Lewis has accepted the position of Honorary Chairman for the first African American Chapter of the Lincolnwood-based Leukemia Research Foundation.

Lewis, who earned Grammy Awards for such songs as "The In Crowd" and "Hang on Sloopy," fills the honorary chairmanship position for the Charles A. Crosby Chapter, established in memory of Charles A. Crosby, a Dolton resident who lost his battle to leukemia in August, 1996, at the age of 20.

"Charles was an avid fan of Ramsey's music and we know that he would be overwhelmed to know that his favorite jazz performer is now a part of the Chapter," said Crosby's mother, Jacqueline Garrett. Lewis met and spoke with Charles just prior to his death.

As a child, Charles Crosby sur-

vived cancer in his left foot and was disease free until diagnosed with acute Myeloid Leukemia (AML). After an unsuccessful search for a marrow donor, Charles underwent a (umbilical cord) stem cell transplant.

The Charles A. Crosby Memorial Chapter is one of 18 local chapters which make up the Leukemia Research Foundation. LRF is comprised of more than 1,000 volunteers who have joined together to conquer leukemia by funding research into its causes and cures, and to enrich the quality of life of those touched by the disease.

For information on the Charles A. Crosby Memorial Chapter, call Rev. and Mrs. Thomas A. Garrett at (708) 849-8206, the Leukemia Research Foundation at (847) 982-1480, or click on the world wide web at www.leukemia-research.org.

Start the new year touching someone's life

The YES program, a non profit educational organization that fosters goodwill and friendship between Americans and peoples of other nations through the enriching experience of intercultural exchange, is looking for families who will open their homes and hearts to an international student. Host homes are needed so that students can be suitably matched with families and schools for second semester or one school year (98).

Host families greatly benefit from the cultural exchange by sharing customs, ideas, experiences and love.

It is the hope of the Youth Exchange Service, an organization that since 1974 has brought thousands of students together with

their host families throughout the nation, that world peace will be enhanced through its efforts.

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In addition to being an emotionally satisfying experience, hosting students has a tax deductible benefit of \$50 per month. Interested families may call YES at (800) 848-2121 ext. 115. "Make a difference in a world of differences." Please say yes to YES today.

Sweet Adelines special guest information night

CitySide Harmony Chorus of Sweet Adelines International is hosting a special information and guest night on Tuesday, January 27 at 7:30 p.m. The chorus rehearses every Tuesday evening at the northeast corner of Palatine and Rohlwing Roads in Palatine. CitySide Harmony is seeking to bring the joy of 4-part harmony, sung in the barbershop style, to women who live in the Northwest suburbs and who love to sing. The chorus sings a variety of music from Broadway and movies, to patriotic and good old-fashioned barbershop.

For information on singing with CitySide Harmony, or for entertainment at your organization's next function, call (847) 604-0583.

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School News

St. John Brebeuf announces new marketing theme

"Catholic Schools: Restoring Faith in Education" is the new theme of St. John Brebeuf's 1997-1998 marketing campaign.

According to Mrs. Margaret Whitman, principal, "Our message clearly underscores the Catholic foundation of our school, from which all else flows - a curriculum infused with values, high academic standards and discipline."

The marketing theme features a colorful logo with students poised on an open book as they reach upward to a bright cross in the heavens.

St. John Brebeuf is part of a national marketing effort jointly sponsored by the National Catholic Educational Association (NCEA) and the United States Catholic Conference (USCC).

Monsignor Thomas McDade, USCC secretary for education, said the committee for the campaign considered several possible

options but believes "restoring faith" captures the spirit of our times.

"Virtues and values are of increasing concern to parents in our technology-driven, fast-paced world," said Msgr. McDade. "A faith-filled academic environment is a gift to children which will pay dividends all their lives."

St. John Brebeuf School is located at 8301 N. Harlem Avenue in Niles. The school has programs for 3 and 4 year old preschool children, full and half day Kindergarten, and grades one through eight. The school offers an excellent education as well as before and after school care in its Extended Day Program, Computer, Gym and Music classes during school hours, and extracurricular programs for Band, Choir, Scouting and Athletics.

For more information, call (847) 966-3266.

District #63 Foundation offers food, prizes and entertainment at spaghetti dinner

Chase away the winter blahs this January at the District #63 Education Foundation Spaghetti Dinner scheduled in the Gemini Junior High School cafeteria from 5:30-7:30 p.m. on January 30. Families, friends and community residents can enjoy a hot meal and have a chance of winning a variety of gifts through raffles and door prizes. The nationally renowned Gemini Jazz Band will entertain the crowd in two sessions beginning at 6 p.m.

Advance tickets for the Spaghetti Dinner can be purchased at any of the six district schools: Apollo School, 10100 Dee Rd., Des Plaines, 827-6231; Gemini Jr. High, 8955 Greenwood, Niles, 827-1181; Melzer School, 9400 N. Oriole, Morton Grove, 965-7474; Nelson School, 8901 Ozanam Ave., Morton Grove, 965-0050; Mark Twain School, 9401 Hamlin St., Niles, 296-5341; and

Washington School, 2710 Golf Rd., Glenview, 965-4780.

Advance tickets are \$6 for adults and \$4 for children. Tickets are also available at the door for \$8 for adults and \$5 for children. Children age 5 or under are admitted free.

The District #63 Foundation is a not-for-profit tax-exempt or-

ganization that collects monies to donate to the East Maine District #63 Board of Education for educational materials, technology and educational programs. This year the Foundation aims to collect and donate \$30,000 to the Board of Education for the purchase of instructional computers for school libraries.

Resurrection Writing Contest Winners

The English Department of Resurrection High School is proud to announce the winners of the "Young Women's Writing Festival" recently held at Resurrection in which 23 students represented 13 grammar schools.

Receiving first place and a \$100 U.S. Savings Bond and medal was Becky Bishop, St. John Brebeuf School. In second place, receiving a \$25 Bookstore Gift Certificate and medal was Tricia Diduch, St. Paul of the Cross School and in third place, receiving a pen and medal was Dana Kalinsky, St. Mary of the Woods School.

Receiving Honorable Mention medals were Gina Gagliano, St. Mary of the Woods School; Alex-

andra Lemoines, Newberry Math and Science Academy; Melissa Woo, Edison Regional Gifted Center.

Business Open House
Resurrection High School, in cooperation with the Edison Park, Gladstone Park and Norwood Park Chambers of Commerce, will host its annual Business Open House on Wednesday, January 28 from 4-6 p.m.

As part of Resurrection's Catholic Schools Week celebration, area business people are invite to the school located at 7500 West Talcott Avenue in Chicago for tours of the recently completed \$11 million construction and renovation project. Refreshments will be served.

For more information, please contact Tim Turner, Director of Development, at (773) 775-6616, ext. 28.

District 71 News

PTA Reflections Art Contest

The following District 71 students entered the Illinois PTA Reflections Art Contest: Felicia Adeox, Zunara Ahmad, Catherine Balingit, Aleksey Balotskiy, Susan Borkowski, Kimberly Chung, Joshua Dessent, Zachary Dessent, Kelly Gremley, Nick Gremley, Jaclyn Gremley, Matthew Kerns, Megan Kerns, Kevin McAuiliffe, Emily McGuinn, Danika Meheux, Abbi Pazik, Roshani Sheth, Silvia Varga, Cory Zielke, and Ian Zielke. Entries included art work, music, and literature.

Willows Academy

Seven grads named AP Scholars

Seven 1997 Willows Academy graduates have been named Advanced Placement (AP) Scholars by the College Board in recognition of their exceptional achievements on the college-level AP Examinations.

Family Heritage Night

On Friday, January 30 from 6 to 9 p.m. at South School (6935 W. Touhy Avenue in Niles), District 71 and the Niles Elementary Schools PTA will be holding a Family Heritage Night Celebration. The evening will commence with an international potluck dinner. At 7 p.m., the world stage in the school's gym will showcase Mexican dancers, a Korean Tae Kwon Do demonstration, Serbian dancing, Indian dancing, and more. At 8 p.m., attendees will be invited to visit cultural exhibits and to learn more about the many ethnic groups that are part of the District 71 community. For more information, call Marguerite Adelman at 647-9752.

Opera-in-the-Classroom

Once again, District 71 has been selected to participate in the Lyric Opera's Opera-in-the-Classroom program. South

School 4th graders, as part of their general music classes with Mrs. Christine Dworak, will participate in a four-session unit on opera that will be taught by volunteers from Chicago's Lyric Opera. This year, the opera that will be featured for study and enactment is La Boheme. Class sessions are scheduled for January 22, 23, and 29, and February 5.

College scholarship awarded

Willows Academy graduate Jaime Madison '97, daughter of Larry and Diane Madison of Park Ridge, recently received a Deep Path Leadership Scholarship to Lake Forest College. For more information about The Willows, contact Admissions Director Gemma Cremer at (847) 824-6900.

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Sports/Parks & Library News

Teens venture slopes with park district

A day on the slopes. A night in the club. What better way to spend your winter? Join the Skokie Park District this season as they venture the slopes.

Wilmot Mountain. Those ages 11-17 are invited to ski the trails of Wilmot Mountain, Friday through Saturday, February 20-21. Ski by day and dance by night as the DJ spins out the latest tunes. Also enjoy refreshments in this resort dance club. This trip is planned jointly with the Morton Grove, Park Ridge and Lincolnwood Park Districts. The fee is

\$35-45.

Grand Geneva. Ski your boots off on your day off! Join the Skokie Park District on Monday, January 19 - Martin Luther King Day - as they ski the slopes of Wisconsin's Grand Geneva Resort. The bus departs from Prairie View Community Center, 6834 Dempster, Morton Grove, at 8 a.m. and returns at 6:30 p.m. the same day. This trip for teens ages 10 and up costs \$45-55.

For more information about these trips contact the park district, (847) 674-1500, ext. 3.

The Niles Park District Cinderella Ball is coming

Time to dust off those dance shoes - the Cinderella Ball is coming. Girls grab your favorite dance partner and bring him to the Niles Park District on February 13, for this annual event. The Cinderella Ball, formally known as "Daddy/Daughter Date Night", is an evening for dads, grandpa's and uncles to celebrate Valentines day with their little sweetheart(s). Each couple will receive an instant photo and a flower. The evening also includes games, prizes and refreshments.

The dates for this event have been combined into one night, Friday, February 13 from 7-9 p.m. at the Howard Leisure Center, 6676 W. Howard St. Girls in Kindergarten through 6th grade are invited to participate.

Fee is \$16 per couple for Niles Park District residents and \$18 for those living outside Niles. The fee for each additional child is \$4. Register at the Howard Leisure Center or call for more details, (847) 967-6633.

Indoor soccer league helps kick winter blues

Looking for a way to kick those winter blues? Want something fun and exciting to do? The Skokie Park District invites children in grades 3-8 to get a kick out of winter at its indoor soccer league, Sundays, through March 8 at the Weber Leisure Center, 9300 Weber Park Place, Skokie.

This instructional and skill developing league will give kids some great indoor soccer experience, team building skills and most importantly, the ability to play soccer during the winter months.

The \$50 resident fee (\$60 for non-residents) includes a tee shirt, qualified instruction, coaching tips and plenty of playing time.

For more information, contact the park district, (847) 674-1500, ext. 0.

Des Plaines Camera Club holds competition

The DES PLAINES CAMERA CLUB will hold its inter-club Monthly Slide and Print Competition on Monday, January 26th at 7:30 p.m. The Club meets at the PRAIRIE LAKES COMMUNITY CENTER in the Prairie Room. The Center is located at 515 Thacker in Des Plaines.

The DES PLAINES CAMERA CLUB meets twice monthly on the second and fourth Monday, September through May at 7:30 p.m. Refreshments are served between the business meeting and competition.

Guests are always welcome. Whatever your level of interest in photography, you are cordially invited to attend a meeting. For additional information regarding the Club, you are encouraged to call (847) 699-2837 or (847) 824-5926.

Eugene P. Leonard

Navy Chief Petty Officer Eugene P. Leonard, a 1969 graduate of Notre Dame High School of Niles, is currently halfway through a six-month deployment to the Western Pacific Ocean aboard the guided missile cruiser USS Port Royal.

He joined the Navy in September 1978. Leonard is a graduate of the University of Dayton, OH, with a BA degree.

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Park District responds to Nilesite

In regards to "I'm sure that this also makes the IceLand Managers happy. Less people-less work!" As stated earlier, we would like, and encourage as many people as possible to participate and enjoy our programs at IceLand. If it were not for our patrons, IceLand would not exist. And with that, we thank you.

IceLand is willing to put forth the hard work to provide everyone who walks through the doors, the best service as possible. We try to accommodate to everyone's needs. We apologize if we have offended anyone, we had no intentions of such an act. Changing the hours of public skate at IceLand was something new. We tried it. Change is often viewed as good, however we understand that some things are better left alone.

Once again, we apologize for any inconvenience. We would like and encourage all to give us your comments. We need your input to know what works for you, our patrons. Please fill out the bottom of this letter and return it to the Howard Leisure Center, 6676 W. Howard, attention Diana Skrypek.

We work for you. Also, feel free to call me, Erich Held at (847) 297-8010. Thank you for your time, and the chance to respond.

Sincerely,
Erich Held,
Niles Park District
IceLand Manager

Dear Editor:

This is in response to a letter that was written to the Editor and printed in the Thursday, November 27, 1997 issue. The letter was entitled "Nilesite seeks weekend evenings open skating."

My first comment is in response to why public skating times were moved from late evening, to late afternoons. After discussing the issue of public skate hours with the Niles Park District IceLand staff, it was agreed that late afternoon would be more convenient for our patrons. The late afternoon times allow more younger children and their families to attend, whereas evening hours were inconvenient.

Over the past year, many people (mainly those with younger children) complained that the public skate hours were too late, and felt unsafe attending at such hours. The Park District's reasoning for moving the hours was merely to make the public skating sessions safer, more enjoyable as well as convenient for as many people as possible.

My second response is to the comment, "...the management's attempt is to eliminate or at least lower the number of teenagers who can participate..." The Niles Park District encourages everyone to participate at IceLand. We have programs for all ages: public skating, youth and adult hockey, figure skating, and instructional classes. We enjoy your patronage, and would do anything to continue your support.

IceLand Public Skate Hours

Should stay as they are: YES NO	Should go back to what they were: YES NO
Monday 12:45-2:00 p.m.	Monday 12:30-1:45 p.m.
Tuesday	Tuesday
Wednesday 12:45-2:00 p.m.	Wednesday 12:30-1:45 p.m.
Thursday 4:10-5:35 p.m.	Thursday
Friday	Friday 8:00-9:30 p.m.
Saturday 2:10-3:40 p.m.	Saturday 8:00-9:30 p.m.
Sunday 1:00-2:30 p.m.	Sunday 1:00-2:30 p.m.

(Times may vary due to special events)

Other Comments:

Please clip this survey and return it to the Niles Park District Howard Leisure Center, attention Diana Skrypek - Administrative Coordinator, so we can make any necessary changes. Your input is important to us!

Thank you, The Niles Park District

Fairy tales come true

When was the last time you indulged in quality family time? For the first time ever, the Skokie Park District is excited to present a series of Family Theatre shows for early 1998. These shows include: Peter Pan on Sunday, Jan. 25, 2 p.m.; Three Little Pigs, Snow, White and the Seven Dwarfs, Little Red Riding Hood on Sunday, Feb. 21 and 22, 2

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Police News

Sheriff launches Canine Unit



Cook County Sheriff Michael F. Sheahan (far right, center) inspects members of the Sheriff's new canine unit.

The Cook County Sheriff's Police Department is enhancing its service to suburban communities and citizens with the addition of a Canine Unit that will be utilized to help find missing persons and locate narcotics among other jobs, Sheriff Michael F. Sheahan announced recently.

Eight Sheriff's Police Officers were paired with a canine partner to form the department's first

ever Canine Unit. The officers and their German Shepherd partners work regular patrol shifts and are on 24-hour call for special details. The dogs will be used for foot patrol, crowd control and are available as needed for narcotics searches and other special assignments.

"These specially trained dogs are a tremendous asset to our officers and our department and they

are available to assist any suburban police agency that requests our service," Sheahan said. "The dogs assist officers in dangerous situations and they are already proving to be effective in tracking offenders and searching for drugs."

Since beginning work in mid-November, the Canine Unit has helped to recover narcotics, including the discovery of more than 30 kilos of cocaine hidden in a remote storage area. One of the dogs also helped apprehend and identify an individual who attempted to flee on foot after the stolen vehicle he was driving was involved in an accident.

The police officers were chosen for the new unit from within the Sheriff's Police Department. The dogs and their officer handlers underwent nine weeks of intensive training at a specialized school where they learned obedience, attack training, area and building searches and narcotics searches.

Sheahan noted that startup costs for the unit, including the dogs, the training and related equipment, was funded with money recovered by police in various narcotics raids and operations.

Unlawful use of credit card

Police were called to a department store at 400 Golf Mill Center around 7:37 p.m. Jan. 15 when a 36-year-old man and a 28-year-old woman, both from Maywood, were apprehended making purchases on a fraudulent credit card that had been opened that day at the Oakbrook branch of the same store. The account was opened at 3:14 p.m., and purchases totaling \$457 were made at that time. Purchases of \$1,476.14, \$44.33, and \$500 were made at the Niles store around 7:30 p.m. Stereo equipment, video accessories and gift certificates were purchased on the fraudulent account.

The two suspects were transported to the Niles Police Department where they were processed and placed in the lock-up.

Forgery

A 23-year-old loss prevention agent of a department store in the 5600 block of Touhy Avenue reported that he observed a 24-year-old Chicago woman enter the electronics department, select a camcorder and a television totaling \$1,298.98. She then produced a credit approval slip and signed the charge slip, which the clerk and the complainant observed. She was told to pick up the items at the store pick-up counter and the complainant phoned the person whose name appeared on the credit approval slip. That person told police she was the victim of a robbery near her home in Chicago on Dec. 31, 1997, and that her purse and credit cards had been stolen at that time.

The subject was taken into custody and the signed charge slip and credit approval slip were placed into inventory. The subject was transported to the Niles Police Department where police recovered the robbery victim's driver's license and Social Security card from the suspect's purse.

Burglary

The 50-year-old executive vice president of a recycling company in the 7800 block of Merrimac reported Jan. 15 at 11:05 p.m. that a 29-year-old Evanston man employed by the company was sent to a scrap dealer in Chicago to drop off aluminum valued at approximately \$680. He was then to pick up 500 pounds of gold berrings circuit boards valued at \$2,500 from a Lombard firm and drive it back to the recycling company in Niles by 3 p.m.

The complainant noticed at 3 p.m. that the offender had not returned with the truck and the circuit boards. He spoke with the suspect via cellular phone at that time, and the offender explained that he'd had a flat tire on the truck and that unknown person(s) had taken some of the circuit boards from the truck and that he had made a police report of the incident.

The suspect told the complainant that he was driving back to Niles. At approximately 7:30 p.m. the truck was dropped off at

the firm, but the suspect was not present. The truck was left locked with keys missing. The complainant entered the truck with spare keys and found an envelope containing \$64. The circuit boards were missing. The complainant could not verify whether the suspect had dropped off the aluminum or picked up the circuit boards and told police he would verify those facts before signing complaints.

At 6:15 a.m. Jan. 16, the 43-year-old owner of the recycling firm reported that the suspect had stolen the 1994 Chevrolet pickup truck after he entered the building by forcing open an overhead door on the west side of the building. The complainant did not notice anything else missing.

Theft

A 33-year-old Mt. Prospect woman reported that she was unloading the family van and carrying balloons into a restaurant in the 8500 block of Golf Road known male offender between the ages of 25 and 30 who was about 6'2" tall and was wearing a black leather jacket and glasses exited through the same restaurant door and walked toward the victim's van.

The offender reached into the van and removed the woman's burgundy wallet containing credit cards, her driver's license, miscellaneous identification cards and \$650 cash from her open purse on the car seat.

A search of the area for the offender proved negative after the ran eastbound across the parking lot toward a bank.

Burglary to auto

A 36-year-old Franklin Park sheet metal worker reported that unknown offenders pried open the rear window of his 1996 Chevrolet pick up truck sometime between 10 a.m. and 2 p.m. Jan. 17 while it was parked in the lot of a baking company in the 7700 block of Caldwell Avenue. Stolen from the truck were a briefcase tool box valued at \$110, a cordless drill valued at \$150, sheet metal tools valued at \$150, socket wrenches valued at \$150, and screwdrivers valued at \$150. No suspects were observed in the parking lot.

Bridgette M. Richard

Army Reserve Pvt. Bridgette M. Richard has graduated from basic military training at Fort Leonard Wood, Waynesville, MO.

Richard is the daughter of Betty P. Richard of Mount Prospect, and John B. Bridgetforth of Des Plaines.

She is a 1997 graduate of Maine East High School, Park Ridge.

Gas prices continue to plummet

In Illinois and Northern Indiana, the average cost of all grades of self-serve unleaded gasoline has reached its lowest level in nearly four years, according to the AAA-Chicago Motor Club's January Fuel Gauge survey. In Northern Indiana, the average price has dipped close to \$1 per gallon.

The average gallon of gas is selling for nearly a quarter less than in January, 1997.

In Chicago and Cook County, a gallon of self-serve unleaded regular currently averages \$1.223. This is down 4.6 cents from last month and down 23.9 cents from the 1997 price. The

last time gas prices were lower in this area was in May, 1994, when self-serve unleaded regular was selling for \$1.190 per gallon.

A gallon of self-serve unleaded regular in Illinois outside of Cook County averages \$1.131 per gallon, down 4.4 cents from December, and 23.5 cents lower than last year. In May, 1994, the same gallon cost \$1.089.

Factors contributing to the recent price slide include an extremely low demand for gasoline and a significant drop in the wholesale price of crude oil. The result has been an increased supply of gasoline on reserve, resulting in what could be the lowest prices of the year.

Since beginning work in mid-November, the Canine Unit has helped to recover narcotics, including the discovery of more than 30 kilos of cocaine hidden in a remote storage area. One of the dogs also helped apprehend and identify an individual who attempted to flee on foot after the stolen vehicle he was driving was involved in an accident.

The police officers were chosen for the new unit from within the Sheriff's Police Department. The dogs and their officer handlers underwent nine weeks of intensive training at a specialized school where they learned obedience, attack training, area and building searches and narcotics searches.

Sheahan noted that startup costs for the unit, including the dogs, the training and related equipment, was funded with money recovered by police in various narcotics raids and operations.

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For those over age 65, Medicare will pay limited benefits for skilled nursing care following a hospital stay. Medicaid is available for those with financial hardship and very limited assets. Cur-

rently most people rely on savings to cover nursing home costs. However, many are considering long term care insurance as another alternative.

Shop around before you buy. Get basic information about the company's financial strength, licensing status, and experience in the long term care field. Ask specific questions such as: 1) What is the daily benefit amount? 2) How many days must pass before the plan starts paying? 3) How long will the benefits continue? 4) Is an inflation rider included that increases benefits to match rising health care costs? 5) Are skilled, intermediate, custodial, and

home health care benefits provided? 6) Is the policy guaranteed renewable? 7) Is there a pre-existing condition waiting period?

Two excellent resources are "A Shopper's Guide to Long-Term Care Insurance," prepared by the NAIC and "Insurance Companies Offering Long Term Care Insurance," prepared by Illinois Department of Insurance. Call the Hotline for more information.

Q: Sub-zero temperatures caused the pipes to freeze and burst in our bathroom. Will our homeowners policy pay for the damages?

A: If you have an HO-2 or HO-3 there should be coverage for this loss. Make temporary repairs to reduce the amount of damage. Save the receipts because your insurance company will include these bills in your loss settlement. The insurance company adjuster will prepare a loss estimate after examining the damages. If your home is insured with proper coverage limits, your loss will be settled on a replacement cost basis. Your deductible will be subtracted from the total settlement amount.

The Illinois Insurance Hotline has a brochure that highlights tips for preparing for the winter cold-weather season. To receive a free copy, call the Hotline.

Illinois Insurance Hotline is a monthly column based on typical questions asked of the Illinois Insurance Hotline 1-800-444-3338, a toll-free consumer program funded by many insurance companies doing business in Illinois, and operated by the Illinois Insurance Information Service, a not-for-profit organization of major Illinois insurers. If you have insurance questions, or want to know more, call the Hotline, between 9 a.m. and 4 p.m. Monday through Friday.

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New ATM at Village Hall has safety, convenience



Morton Grove Village Mayor Dan Scanlon and First National Bank of Morton Grove's William Hansen unveil the bank's newest ATM, located in the police station lobby.

With consumer demand for automated teller machines (ATMs) at an all-time high, it's not surprising that new ATMs are going online at a frantic pace. But often these ATMs are tucked in out-of-the-way places.

First National Bank of Morton Grove, in partnership with the Village of Morton Grove, is giving area residents a safe option. The bank recently unveiled a new cash-dispensing-only ATM in the village's most secure location, the police station. The ATM is now available at 6101 Capulina in the police station lobby.

William Hansen, senior vice president, First National Bank of Morton Grove, said the new ATM fulfills a real need in the community. "We hope people will become more aware of ATM safety issues, not just at the police station but anywhere they make financial transactions," said Hansen. "It's always important to be

aware of your surroundings and to protect sensitive information, like your Personal Identification Number (PIN)."

Spiro Hountalas, director of finance for the village, is confident people will take advantage of the new ATM. He said, "An ATM in the village police station is an invaluable convenience for our residents, employees and visitors. We're pleased to provide a safe place for people to access their funds, 24 hours a day, seven days a week."

First National's new ATM is a cash-dispensing-only unit. It will not accept deposits or be available for balance inquiries.

First National Bank of Morton Grove is a member of the Mid-City Financial Corporation, a \$1.5 billion-asset bank holding company with headquarters in Chicago. Other member banks include The Mid-City National Bank, Chicago, IL; First National Bank of Elmhurst, Elmhurst, IL; Union Bank and Trust Company, Oklahoma City, OK; and Abrams Centre National Bank, Dallas TX.

DesPlaines Chamber of Commerce installation banquet

The DesPlaines Chamber of Commerce & Industry will hold its fifty-third annual Installation Dinner/Dance, Saturday, January 24 at Cafe LaCave, 2777 Mannheim Road in DesPlaines. The seventh annual Silent Auction will also be held in conjunction with the evening's festivities. Open Bar & Silent Auction Preview will begin at 6 p.m. and dinner and program at 7 p.m. For ticket and reservation information call the Chamber office at 824-4200.

Business News

E-file with the Internal Revenue Service

This year, why not pick an alternative way to file your tax return. There are several electronic filing (IRS e-file) options available to individual taxpayers. IRS e-file is a proven product—over 19 million taxpayers chose an e-file option last year.

There are many advantages to IRS e-file: you receive an acknowledgment from the IRS when your return is received and accepted; it eliminates human errors that normally occur when information from a paper tax return is input into the computer; missing information is immediately identified and requested; your refund can be directly deposited into your bank account; and because there are fewer errors with e-file, you'll have fewer contacts with the IRS.

You can e-file your federal tax return through an approved electronic filer. Look for the "Authorized IRS e-file Provider" sign. The completed return is transmitted (usually for a charge) over telephone lines directly to the IRS computers.

You can have a professional prepare and e-file your return, or you can prepare your own return and have a professional e-file it.

Illinois residents can e-file their state and federal income tax returns in one transmission to the IRS. We act as an "electronic post office" for the state of Illinois. The Illinois Department of Revenue will retrieve the information it needs and process your state return electronically.

Some on-line computer service providers offer electronic filing from your personal computer for a small fee. If you subscribe to one of these services, check to see if they offer this benefit. You can get all of the advantages of e-file from the comfort of your home.

You'll need a personal computer, a modem and IRS-accepted tax software. Look for the e-file (or on-line) feature when you buy your tax preparation software.

You transmit your return to the on-line service. They convert the information to a format acceptable to the IRS computer and transmit the return to us. We'll notify you, through the on-line service, whether or not your return has been accepted. If it's not accepted, you'll be told which items must be corrected. You can file on-line 24 hours a day, 7 days a week.

If you receive the special TeleFile tax package this year, you can file your tax return with a 10-minute phone call. Don't lose your TeleFile package. It contains the special customer service number you'll need when you file—and you can't get a replacement package from the IRS.

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Don't lose your Telefile tax package

The key to filing your federal tax return by telephone could be in your mailbox. Nationwide, about 25 million taxpayers will receive the TeleFile tax package in the mail by early January. If you receive the TeleFile tax package, hold on to it—even if it's too early to start thinking about your taxes. It contains the special customer service number you will need to file by phone using the Internal Revenue Service TeleFile system. If you lose your package, it can't be replaced and you won't be able to TeleFile.

TeleFile is the system that lets people file simple tax returns by phone. It's free, easy and available 24 hours a day/seven days a week. The system does all the computations and files your return over the telephone in about 10 minutes. And, you get your re-

fund in about three weeks.

Last year, over 4.5 million people nationwide took advantage of this accurate and quick option and filed their federal tax returns by phone using TeleFile. Remember, hold on to your TeleFile tax package when it arrives so that you too can file by phone.

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Tax assistance for seniors
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LEGAL NOTICE
Sealed bids will be received until 11:00 a.m. on Tuesday, February 10, 1998, at Niles Elementary School District 71, 6935 W. Touhy Avenue, Niles, Illinois 60714 which bids will be opened at 11:00 a.m. on Tuesday, February 10, 1998, at Niles Elementary Schools District Number 71, 6935 W. Touhy Avenue, Niles, Illinois 60714 for:
Purchase of Food and Cafeteria Supplies for the Months of March, April, May, and June, 1998.

LEGAL NOTICE
Request for Bid
Notice is hereby given that the Board of Park Commissioners of the Skokie Park District will receive and open bids on February 10, 1998 at 10am for:
Tree Pruning
Specifications are on file for prospective bidders at the Park District Offices located at 9300 Weber Park Place, Skokie, Illinois.

Clifford Drexler
Secretary of Board
Niles Education
Eugene H. Zaleski
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New anti-gagging device eases dental visits
If your gag reflex kicks in during routine dental visits to the dental office, ask your dentist to recommend ways to avoid it, or about the latest dental technology that uses mild electrical impulses to eliminate the problem, advises the Academy of General Dentistry, an organization of general dentists dedicated to continuing dental education.

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Record number of students
The Willows Academy, 1012 Thacker St., started the 1997-98 school year with a record enrollment of 166 students. The school drew 50 new students from 19 surrounding communities, including Park Ridge, Glenview, Arlington Heights, Des Plaines and the northwestern part of Chicago. Significantly more students enrolled in both the eighth grade and freshmen classes led school leaders to add extra sections for both grades.

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<p>TELEMARKETERS For New Insurance Agency for Major Insurance Company. Work 3 eves/wk. Base wage plus bonuses. Advancement opportunities. Will train. Park Ridge location. Call (847) 384-9050</p>		<p>DISPATCH PERSONNEL Airline Service Company At O'Hare Is Seeking Dispatch Personnel. Drug Free Workplace. 10 Year Background Check. Compensation Varies With Qualification And Experience. (847) 298-6140 EOE M/F/D/V</p>	<p>HOUSEKEEPING Work PT hours in your area at your convenience. Catholic Charities seeks caring, reliable people to assist the elderly in their own homes with lite house-keeping chores. Car preferred though not required. \$6/hour + \$2/per client visit towards transportation. Individuals interested in an appointment should call: (312) 655-7178 and leave name, address and phone number. Speak clearly and spell.</p>	
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