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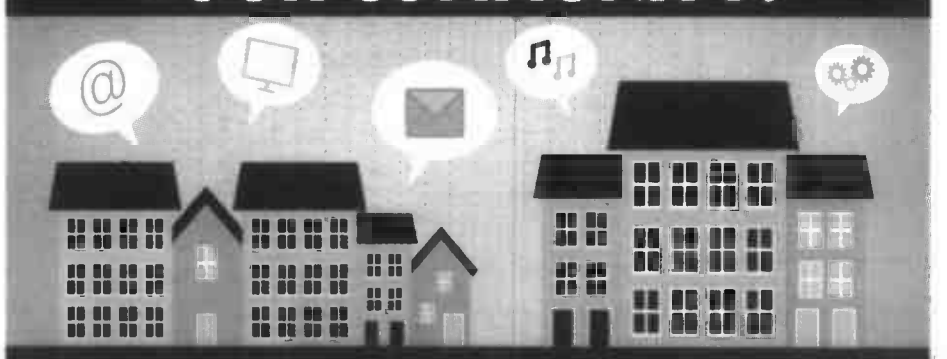

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BELOW: The Jewel Osco along Golf Road in Niles Is one of three that will be closed down. | **CURTIS LEHMKUHL**-*Sun-Times Media*

Jewel closing Niles store

BY TRACY GRUEN | Contributor

Leo Wallack, of Niles, was busy loading bags of groceries into his vehicle at the Jewel-Osco at Four Flags Shopping Center on Friday afternoon.

Wallack, a senior citizen, said that he shops at that Jewel-Osco all the time because it is so convenient. But the days he'll be able to shop there are numbered.

"I live right here," said Wallack, who said that it was "terrible" news to hear that the store, which has been serving customers for 39 years, is closing its doors.

"I'll probably go to Produce World or Walmart," said Wallack, thinking about where he could shop instead of his favorite store.

The store announced on Feb. 6 that it will be closing the Niles store, located at 8203 W. Golf Rd. on April 5, as well as a store at 3940 E. 106th St. in Chicago. An Aurora store will close on Feb. 15.

Karen May, a spokeswoman for Jewel-Osco, explained in an email that "the closures are a business decision made by company leaders who opted not to renew the leases on the stores." May said that the store leases have not yet expired, but all three are up this year. May stated that Supervalu, which owns Jewel-Osco, does not publicly break down the revenue of individual stores.

Niles Finance Director Scot Neukirch said the village can't share specific store revenue information, due to a reciprocal agreement with the State of Illinois. However, he did say that the revenue generated at the Niles store that is closing was the lowest of the four Jewel stores in Niles.

Bill Schuman was also very disappointed to hear the news that the Jewel was closing up on Apr. 5

"It's the only place we shop," shared Schuman. "Where else will I go?"

Schuman said that he shops at the Jewel-Osco at the Four Flags Shopping Center every other day, and has his medical prescriptions with the store.

Fred Weinshenk, of Des Plaines, shared Schuman's distaste.

"It kind of sucks that it's closing," Weinshenk said.

"My mom has been coming here for years and years," said Weinshenk, who said he used to go to the store all the time when he lived closer. He said he still enjoyed shopping at that Jewel for certain items.

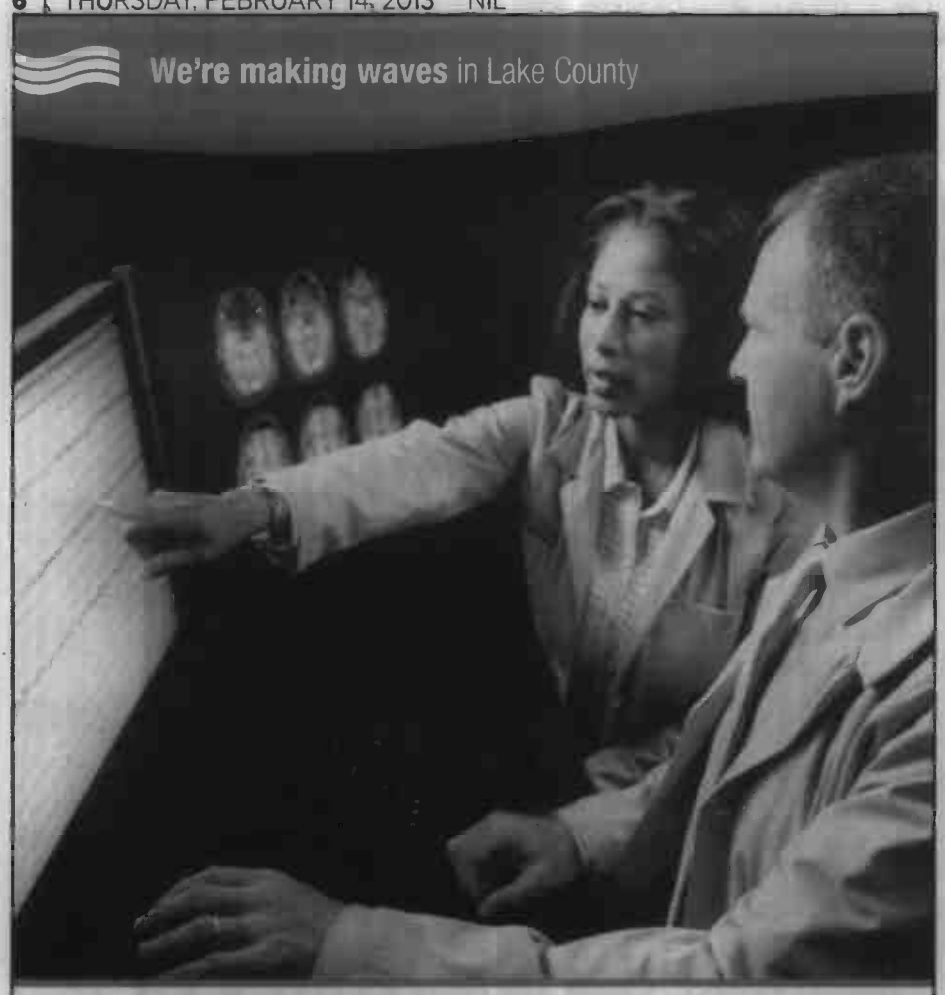
About 300 employees will be affected by closures at the three stores, but they will have the opportunity to transfer to other Jewel stores. The Niles store at Four Flags employed 102 workers.

The other Jewel stores in Niles are located at Dempster Street and Greenwood Avenue, Oakton Street and Milwaukee Avenue, and on Touhy Avenue in Village Crossing.

"The decision to close any store is difficult, because of the impact on the community," a press release from Jewel-Osco explained. "However, given the competitive climate and today's challenging economic environment, it is essential that Jewel-Osco carefully evaluate its business operations. During that process, the retailer may occasionally find it necessary to close stores that are not meeting company goals or do not fit Jewel-Osco's current business strategy."

Although the Jewel at Four Flags was one of the mall's largest anchors, Village of Niles Director of Community Development Chuck Ostman said he's not too concerned about the future of the mall.

"In our opinion, that mall has been very successful," said Ostman. "We have other major anchors like Old Navy, Marshalls and Ashley Furniture. The center itself is pretty secure in regards to decent sized anchors." ■



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Man, 73, charged with robbing Niles bank

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An elderly South Carolina man with a prior bank robbery conviction was arrested Sunday afternoon, the day after he allegedly showed a gun to a Niles bank teller and fled with more than $4,000.

The FBI and Niles police arrested 73-year-old Walter Unbehaun outside a North Chicago motel after receiving tips from individuals who had seen media coverage of the robbery, according to a statement from the FBI.

A surveillance image provided by the Chicago FBI shows a man, now identified as Walter Unbehaun, 73, robbing a Niles bank on Feb. 9.

Unbehaun was charged with one count of bank robbery for the Feb. 9 incident at the BMO Harris Bank branch, 7077 W. Dempster St. in Niles.

Unbehaun, of Rock Hill, S.C., drove to the bank, entered carrying a cane, and handed a teller a note written on a Harris Bank transaction slip announcing a robbery and demanding money, the FBI said.

A criminal complaint filed Monday claims Unbehaun also verbally demanded money and told the teller, "This is a hold up. I have nothing to lose. Give me the money in the drawer." He then opened his jacket to show a handgun in the waistband of his pants, the FBI said.

He then told the teller, "I only have six months to live and have nothing to lose. I don't want to hurt you," the complaint said.

Unbehaun took $4,178 in cash from the teller, divided it into two piles and put the money in separate pockets, the complaint said. Then he fled.

According to the criminal complaint, this was not Unbehaun's first bank robbery. In 1998, he was arrested on bank robbery charges in Illinois, and two years later was sentenced to 188 months in prison and three years of supervised release, court documents show.

The FBI said one of the individuals who recognized Unbehaun in a surveillance video image of the Feb. 9 Niles robbery was a probation officer who has supervised Unbehaun following his release from prison in 2011.

Unbehaun's supervision was transferred to South Carolina, but on Feb. 7, just two days before the Niles bank robbery, it was learned that Unbehaun had fled South Carolina and was in violation of his supervised release, the FBI's criminal complaint said.

When apprehended Sunday, authorities said Unbehaun admitted to robbing the BMO Harris Bank and made statements indicating he wanted to go back to prison because he had spent most of his adult life behind bars and "felt more comfortable" there.

Police located a loaded a .32 caliber revolver that had been hidden in a black purse in Unbehaun's motel room, as well as $3,467 in cash, according to the complaint. Unbehaun admitted to using the gun in the robbery, authorities said.

U.S. Magistrate Judge Geraldine Soat Brown ordered Unbehaun held until his next court appearance, the FBI said. If convicted, Unbehaun faces up to 20 years in prison. ■

Asking outsiders to shape Niles' future

BY IGOR STUDENKOV | Contributor

Most of the listings on Village of Niles' offic ial bids page are quite ordinary - a contract for website redesign, new equipment, etc. But there is one item that stands out — a request for someone to write a new zoning ordinance.

Normally, the Niles Board of Trustees would write all the legislation by itself. But last year, it decided to contact an outside consultant to update the village's Zoning and Sub-division Ordinance. The board is looking for an ordinance that would encourage eco-friendly, innovative, mixed-use development while keeping the language clear and easy to understand. And while it's more expensive than rewriting the legislation in-house, the board thinks the changes it wants to make are complex enough to require outside expertise.

The current zoning ordinance dates back to 1965. Bruce Sylvester, the Village of Niles' Senior Planner, said that while it served the village well over the last few decades, it doesn't fit modern development needs.

"Development has changed a lot," he said. "In the '50s and '60s, the buildings tended to have very distinct uses. You had just commercial, just residential, and so on. In the last 10 years, mixed-use housing became more common, and the current zoning makes it hard to encourage mixed-use development."

The board is looking to update the zoning ordinance in other ways. The document spelling out what the village is looking for calls for an ordinance that would encourage transit-oriented development, sustainability, housing diversity and pedestrian-friendly features. It would set standards for green zoning, condominium conversion and in-fill development. The new ordinance would need to coordinate with building codes and other building-related ordinances.

The RFP calls for "neighborhood protection measures" to be included in the ordinance. Sylvester explained that the board wanted to make sure the development fit the character and the needs of the surrounding neighborhood. A development that's good for one neighborhood may not work well in another.

"The goal is to protect and enhance the good parts of Niles," said Sylvester. "At the same time, we want to encourage new development in areas where development might be desirable."

One of the major goals of the new ordinances is a clearer language.

"We want it to be user-friendly," explained Sylvester "We want to get away from the technical jargon and make it comprehensible."

The bids are due on Feb. 15. According to the village, the consultant will be selected some time in May 2013, and the board expects to adapt the final resolution in the summer of 2014. ■

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Salon bandit charged in 15 robberies

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A north suburban man being held without bond for 11 hair salon robberies in Chicago and surrounding Cook County suburbs has now been charged with robbing four DuPage County businesses, including three salons and a tobacco store.

Jason Logsdon

Jason Logsdon, 41, of the 900 block of Chicago Avenue in Evanston, was charged Friday with four counts of armed robbery, each a Class X felony, according to the DuPage County State's Attorney's office.

Prosecutors allege he robbed the Sport Clips in Lombard on Dec. 27; the Hair Cuttery in Lombard on Jan. 2; and the Great Clips in Glen Ellyn on Jan. 3.

Logsdon was charged last week with 11 armed robberies of hair salons in and around Chicago from Dec. 26 through Feb. 4. He allegedly told authorities he committed the robberies to feed his crack cocaine habit, and picked chain hair salons because there wouldn't be many men there, authorities in Cook County said.

But in a change of scenarios, he also robbed the Smokers Best tobacco shop in Bensenville on Dec. 26, according to prosecutors.

Last Wednesday in Skokie, Cook County Judge Marcia Orr ordered Langdon held without bond on 10 of the 11 charges, citing his crack habit, the number of charges and the short time frame in which he committed the crimes. And last Thursday in Maywood, Judge Stanley Hill denied bond for the 11th robbery, which took place in Broadview, Cook County State's Attorney's office spokeswoman Tandra Simonton said.

DuPage County prosecutors will eventually have him appear for a bond hearing on the charges there, but no date has been set, spokesman Paul Darrah said.

Logsdon allegedly used a BB gun in most of the robberies, and stole between $100 and $800 in each incident, authorities said.

A witness to the last robbery, Monday in Wicker Park, caught the license plate number of the car in which he drove away. When Skokie police looked up the plate in their system, they learned they had pulled the car over twice in the past for minor violations. Once they received word that Logsdon had been identified, they arrested him.

Authorities said the car was not Logsdon's, and the owner did not know for what it was being used.

Of the 11 Cook County robberies for which he is charged, five took place in Chicago, two in Skokie, two in Niles, one in Morton Grove and one in Broadview. ■

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After 60 years, each day is Valentine's Day

BY TRACY GRUEN | Contributor

For Celine and Walter Tymczuk of Niles, Valentine's Day is not something they celebrate just once a year.

Celine (left) and Walter Tymczuk pose for a portrait at the Niles Senior Center. The couple has been married for 60 years and enjoy hanging out at the center. | CURTIS LEHMKUHL-*Sun-Times Media*

The couple, at 81 and 92 years old, remains very active. They have been married happily for 60 years and lived in Niles for 42 years. One of their favorite things to do together is watching a movie at the Niles Senior Center.

Q: What are some tips for a long and happy marriage?

A: You have to have respect for one another. If you have your own views, you listen to what the other person has to say. You try to work things out to agree on what should be done.

Q: Where did you guys first meet?

A: We first met in Chicago. He lived in another apartment building. We met in the neighborhood. I was in high school and he was working.

Q: Do you do anything special on Valentine's Day?

A: No. Every day is Valentine's Day for us.

Q: What qualities do you like the best about your husband?

A: He's a quiet person and very helpful and thoughtful. He can do a lot of manual labor.

Q: Do you have any children?

A: No. We have probably about 180 nieces and nephews. We babysat a lot.

Q: What do you guys enjoy doing together?

A: We like to travel. We've been to all the 50 states and Mexico. We've had a couple trips to Europe and we had a lovely trip in the Alps. We camped for about 15 years in our van. Traveling is very educational. He was the pilot and I was the navigator. We've done many things I wanted to do all my life.

Q: What other hobbies do you have in common?

A: We're great admirers of the Niles Senior Center. We did some volunteer work until we were not able to do it. We enjoy the movies and socializing with people there. We started a fishing club. We have 40 signed up for fishing.

Q: Any advice for newlyweds?

A: You have to compromise and work things out. ■

Yoga instructor Sophia Hui leads a class at the Morton Grove Park District's Prairie View Community Center in Morton Grove. | **JAMES C. SVEHLA**-*for Sun-Times Media*

Park district adding new workout space

BY NICK KATZ | nkatz@pioneerlocal.com

Fans of high-intensity training will have their own space to work out at the Prairie View Community Center beginning Saturday.

This week, the Morton Grove Park District is converting one of two remaining racquetball courts into the what they're calling the High-Intensity Training, or H.I.T., Zone, an

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Yoga class at the Morton Grove Park District's Prairie View Community Center in Morton Grove on Dec. 27, 2012. | **JAMES C. SVEHLA**-*for Sun-Times Media*

area adjacent to Club Fitness that will be dedicated to the current trend in fitness.

The fundamental principles of High Intensity Training are that exercise should be brief, infrequent and intense. Exercises are performed with fewer but more intense repetitions.

Kelly Smith, the park district's facility and recreation manager, said that currently people using the fitness club for high-intensity training are pretty much left to find some space between other activities and equipment.

The new 800-square-foot area, set to open Saturday, will have a rubberized floor and a small amount of equipment with open space that will allow users to work out without having to hunt for space.

Equipment will include basic items such as weights and dumbbells, Smith said.

"This is an extra benefit for our members," Smith said. "It's kind of huge right now."

Smith compared high-intensity training to the popular commercial program, P90x.

The park district has scheduled a grand opening Saturday for the new area at the center, 6834 Dempster St., beginning at 10 a.m. with a ribbon cutting. That day, Club Fitness will be free to the public until 6 p.m. so that visitors can check out the new area.

In addition, the park district will be offering giveaways, special promotions and raffle drawings throughout the day.

At one time, the Prairie View Community Center had 10 racquetball courts, Smith noted. Over the years, as the popularity of the sport has declined, the park district has converted eight of them for other uses.

With the renovation of one of the remaining courts for the H.I.T. Zone, the one remaining court will still be available for racquetball.

"It's an aging population that's using it," Smith said. "In its heyday we had 10 courts and several groups playing several times a week."

Smith said that was the only way the park district could provide space for the new workout program.

"Our floor plan is really pretty tight," she said. "We try to pack in as much as we can in the space we have."

"This will be an added benefit for our members," Smith said.

The conversion, being done this week, will include installation of a rubberized floor over the wooden racquetball court floor.

Smith said the space will be flexible, so that it can be used for something else if high-intensity training looses its popularity.

"We've designed it as a flexible space," she said. "A year from now, if the trend has changed, we can reuse the space." ■

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The following incidents were listed in the reports of the Niles Police Department. Readers are reminded that an arrest does not constitute a finding of guilt. Only a court of law can make that determination.

PROPERTY DAMAGE

Norman Kazmierski, 71, whose last known address was 7021 W. Touhy Ave., Niles, was charged with four counts of felony criminal damage to property on Jan. 29. Police said Kazmierski was observed on surveillance video leaving scratches on four vehicles parked in the condominium complex where he had formerly resided. He has a Feb. 19 court date.

BATTERY

Kamil Jarzabek, 23, of 6552 W. Devon Ave., Chicago, was charged with battery on Feb. 4 after he was accused of punching a 22-year-old acquaintance on the 7300 block of School Street during an alleged dispute over money. He has a March 18 court date.

THEFT

Jose Velazquez, 41, of 8924 Kenneth, unincorporated Maine Township, was charged with retail theft on Feb. 2 after he allegedly underpaid for several items using a self check-out station at a store on the 8500 block of Golf Road. According to police the items, which included a coffee maker, DVDs and tampons, were valued at over $140, but Velazquez paid just $17.48 for them and failed to pay anything for a $50 tablet computer case. He has a Feb. 17 court date.

SUSPICIOUS ACTIVITY

A 93-year-old Niles woman told police that a man came to her home on Jan. 29, claiming he was with the "water department" and needed to check the temperature of her hot water because her neighbor had been having water problems. The woman told the man to bring her neighbor over, but the man left the area. The woman later contacted her neighbor who reported not having any water problems, police said.

THEFT

On Jan. 31 employees at Golf Mill Ford, 9401 N. Milwaukee Ave., discovered 16 spare tires had been stolen from pickup trucks within the last two days. The tires were valued at $5,000.

A 2001 Suzuki SUV was stolen between 8 p.m., Feb. 2 and 9:52 a.m., Feb. 3 from a parking lot on the 8400 block of Dempster Street.

A 25-year-old man told police that his $400 iPod was stolen Feb. 3 after he gave it to a stranger he met in the food court at Golf Mill Shopping Center. The victim told police that the man claimed he could fix the broken screen and said he would bring the iPod back within two hours, but he never returned.

DISPUTE

A 42-year-old man contacted police on Feb. 4 at 4:15 a.m. after he claimed he paid his $54 food bill with a $100 bill and was not given change back at a restaurant on the 9000 block of Golf Road. The owner of the establishment told police she was told to keep the change, which the man allegedly denied. He was given his change and left the business, police said. ■

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Festival celebrates international food

BY TRACY GRUEN | Contributor

ABOVE: Members of WAWEL, a Polish song and dance group, perform at the International Celebration at St. John Brebeuf church in Niles Friday evening. | **KEVIN TANAKA**-*for Sun-Times*

RIGHT: Maria Oliva, of Mt. Prospect, laughs while eating someone else's food at the International Celebration held at St. John Brebeuf Church in Niles Friday evening. | **KEVIN TANAKA**-*for Sun-Times Media.*

Escargot (snails) were one of the specialty items for sale at the French table Friday evening. | **KEVIN TANAKA**-*for Sun-Times Media.*

Gianna Oliva, of Mt. Prospect, enjoys her noodles at the International Celebration held at St. John Brebeuf Church in Niles Friday evening. | **KEVIN TANAKA**-*for Sun-Times Media.*

Standing in front of a vibrant picture of a Filipino flag, Rose Ladao was busy serving homemade food from the Philippines, such as pancit and chicken adobo to guests at the St. John Brebeuf International Celebration on Friday, Feb. 8.

"It shows the diversity in the community," said Ladao.

The International Celebration, which has been taking place for 17 years, featured food from eight different countries; France, Poland, Ireland, Italy, America, Germany, India and the Philippines.

Ladao, of Morton Grove, said a number of people from the parish get together each year and make homemade Filipino food for the event. She feels it's a great way to have community members try new ethnic foods.

Other ethnic foods served throughout the evening, included escargot, German potato salad and bratwurst, samosas with chutney, corned beef, lasagna, pierogis, sausage and sauerkraut and hot dogs and macaroni and cheese.

This year's lineup for the entertainment portion of the event included Wawel, a Polish song and dance group, an American pride choir, traditional Indian dance and an anti-violence drill team from the South Side of Chicago.

"We have something for everybody," said Sheila Ryan, one of the organizers of the event. "It's a lot of fun."

Ryan said that each year the fest attracts about 250 to 300 people.

Children were dancing along to the Indian dancers as they performed on the stage, and adults were singing along to the American choir singing songs such as "You're a Grand Old Flag" and "It's a Small World." Audience members cheered as members of the World Performance Team threw up their rifles and quickly twirled them during their unique performance with an anti-gang message.

The event is put together by the Catholic Women's Club and the proceeds from the event will benefit various groups, such as the Girl Scouts.

This year's event featured donations from local businesses, such as Amici, Chambers restaurant, Graziano's Brick Oven Pizza, Lone Tree Inn, Minelli Brothers, Produce World, Jewel, Bacik Deli, Dominick's and more.

"It's very appreciated and heartwarming," said Ryan, about the donations that the local businesses make to support St. John Brebeuf.

The food items are reasonably priced, at only 50 cents a food ticket. Many items were only one to four tickets.

Lucky winners who participated in a raffle took home a wide variety of gift baskets, filled with items including jewelry, wine, toys, food items and much more. ■

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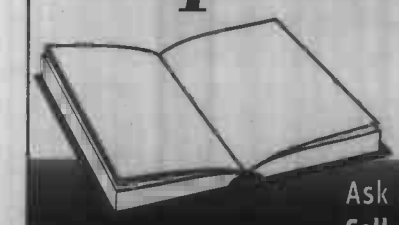

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A Park Ridge resident of 46 years, passed away on February 8, 2013 with his loving family beside him. Beloved husband of Judith (nee Lewis); devoted father of Brigid (Chris) Smith, Carrie Kennedy, Charles (Julie) Kennedy, and Meghan (Jim) Malooly; loving grandfather of Connor and Alexa Smith, Charlie and Grayson Kennedy, and Liam Malooly; dear brother of Helen Jean (Robert) Westerman.

Dr. Kennedy received his M.D. from the University of Oklahoma College of Medicine and completed his residency in neurosurgery at the Mayo Clinic in Rochester, MN. He served in the United States Air Force as a neurosurgeon before entering private practice in Chicago and Arlington Heights, Illinois. He was a founder of Surgical Neurology Associates in Arlington Heights and served as President of the Medical Staff at Northwest Community Hospital. Dr. Kennedy was a tireless, compassionate leader in his profession and in the community. He served as a hospital board member for three years and as a Cook County delegate to the Illinois State Medical Society.

When he retired from surgery he worked at the University of Illinois at Chicago in the Neurosurgery Clinic for three years. He was also very active in the American Medical Association, the American Association of Neurological Surgeons, the American College of Surgeons, and was elected President of the the Illinois State Neurosurgical Society. He also served as President of the Park Lane Condominium Association and President of the Galena Territory Homeowner's Association.

Visitation was held Wednesday, February 13 at RYAN-PARKE FUNERAL HOME, Park Ridge. Funeral mass will be held today, Thursday, 10 a.m., at Mary, Seat of Wisdom Church, 920 W. Granville Ave., Park Ridge. Entombment will follow in All Saints Mausoleum. In lieu of flowers, memorials to the Mary, Seat of Wisdom Church Building Fund, Northwest Community Hospital Foundation or charity of your choice.

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Novak, Ruth Elaine

(nee Ryan) born on December 28, 1930, died of natural causes on February 3, 2013. She was predeceased by her husband, Phil, of 30 years, and survived by her three children, Frank, Phil, and Mary, their spouses, and fourteen grandchildren.

Ruth and her twin sister Rita were the seventh and eighth out of ten children born to Bill and Mattie Ryan. When Ruth was a child, the entire Ryan family lived on a farm in Mitchell, South Dakota. As adults, the Ryans mostly moved to different parts of the country, but remained tightly knit. They held regular family reunions, met with each other during holidays, attended the graduations and weddings of the nieces and nephews. They supported each other during difficult times. When they became empty nesters, they enjoyed vacations together, including several trips to Ireland.

Those who knew Ruth admired her kindness, her patience, and tireless desire to help others. She stood by her husband during two serious and extended health issues, including the cancer that took his life in 1984. She especially enjoyed helping babies and children. When her daughter and daughters-in-law were having babies, Ruth made prolonged trips to help their families.

During the latter 15 years of her life, she experienced a gradual decline due to Alzheimers' disease. However, although her mind was slipping, her blue eyes still sparkled and she brought warmth to the room by smiling and singing.

Visitation Friday 5:00–8:00PM at **Friedrich's Funeral Home**, 320 W. Central Rd., at Northwest Hwy., Mt. Prospect. Funeral Saturday 10:00AM. Interment All Saints. In lieu of flowers, memorials to Catholic Charities, 721 N. LaSalle Street, Chicago, IL 60654 or www.catholiccharities.net. Funeral info 847-255-7800 or **www.friedrichsfh.com**

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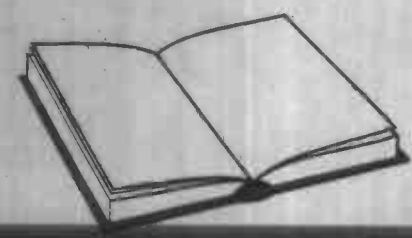

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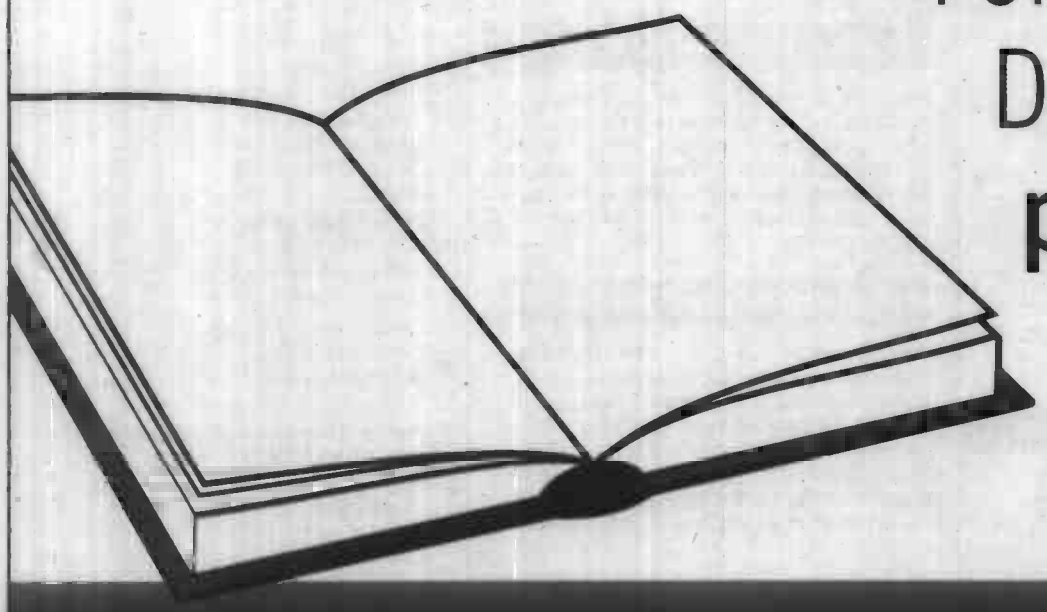

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Keeping Tabs

How Illinois lawmakers voted in Congress for the week ending Feb. 8, 2013

Major roll call votes in the Senate

FILIBUSTER CHANGES

Senators adopted, 86-9, a rule for the 113th Congress that keeps the 60-vote threshold for ending filibusters but takes marginal steps to make filibusters slightly less of an obstacle to the flow of legislation and nominations on the Senate floor. A "yes" vote was to adopt Senate Res. 16. **Sen. Richard Durbin: Yes; Sen. Mark Kirk: Yes**

VIOLENCE AGAINST WOMEN

Senators voted, 85-8, to debate a bill to renew the Violence Against Women Act through fiscal 2016. A 'yes' vote was to take up a bill (S 47) that adds protections for gay partners and spouses and gives tribal courts more power to protect Native American women.
Sen. Richard Durbin: Yes; Sen. Mark Kirk: Yes

GOP ANTI-VIOLENCE BILL

Senators voted, 34-65, to defeat a GOP substitute for S 47 (above) that differed, in part, by denying expanded jurisdiction for tribal courts, providing fewer protections for illegal immigrants, setting mandatory minimum sentences and imposing tighter fiscal controls.
Sen. Richard Durbin: No; Sen. Mark Kirk: No

Major roll call votes in the House

1. GOP BUDGET DEMAND

Members voted, 253-167, for a GOP bill demanding that President Barack Obama, in his soon-to-be-released budget for fiscal 2014 and later years, specifies when he will balance the federal budget and his policies for doing so. A 'yes' vote was to send HR 444 to the Senate.

2. DEMOCRAT'S BUDGET PLAN

Members voted, 194-229, to defeat a Democratic bid to replace HR 444 (above) with a plan to avert deep across-the-board cuts in military and domestic spending due to occur between 2013-2021 in the process known as "sequestration." A 'yes' vote was to lower annual deficits by means of revenue hikes that spare the middle class and targeted spending cuts.

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Bobby Rush, D-1st	N	Y
Vacant, 2nd	X	X
Dan Lipinski, D-3rd	Y	Y
Luis Gutierrez, D-4th	N	Y
Mike Quigley, D-5th	N	Y
Peter Roskam, R-6th	Y	N
Danny Davis, D-7th	N	Y
Tammy Duckworth, D-8th	N	Y
Jan Schakowsky, D-9th	N	Y
Brad Schneider, D-10th	N	Y
Bill Foster, D-11th	N	Y
Bill Enyart, D-12th	N	Y
Rodney Davis, R-13th	Y	N
Randy Hultgren, R-14th	Y	N
John Shimkus, R-15th	Y	N
Adam Kinzinger, R-16th	Y	N
Cheri Bustos, D-17th	Y	Y
Aaron Schock, R-18th	Y	N

Key votes ahead

The House is scheduled to take up a bill to continue an existing pay freeze for members of Congress and civil servants. The Senate will resume debate on renewing Violence Against Women Act.

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If you have any anti-freeze around your house make sure it is completely inaccessible to your dog. Typical anti-freeze can have a sweet taste. This is why it can attract dogs and other animals.

If it is very cold outside, your dog can also succumb to frostbite. This is when a part of the body actually freezes. On your dog, their tail, ears, and feet usually become involved.

When a dog is exposed to extreme cold they can also suffer from Hypothermia, which is a drop in body temperature. Shivering is a sign that your dog needs help. In extreme cases, you dog can also suffer from cardiac arrest.

Please take some simple precautions to assure that you and your dog can enjoy the winter months safely.

Personally, I believe that in very cold weather, if it is too cold for you to be outside, it just might be too cold for your dog.

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CHICAGO

City bolsters job, recreation programs to fight gang violence

Seeking an end to the gang violence that claimed the life of 15-year-old Hadiya Pendleton, Mayor Rahm Emanuel pumped another $4.5 million into summer jobs, counseling and recreation programs to give 2,000 more "at-risk" teenagers a constructive alternative.

Nearly half the money will go to "Becoming A Man - A Sports Edition," a program that uses a mix of counseling and Olympic sports to improve school attendance and arrests for violent crime.

With corporate funding and private fund-raising, Emanuel plans to triple support for B.A.M. The initiative was jointly developed by counselors from Youth Guidance and World Sport Chicago, the legacy organization that evolved from Chicago's losing bid to host the 2016 Summer Olympic Games.

The remaining $2.5 million will go to Greencorps Chicago to create 600 summer jobs for at-risk students attending 15 Chicago Public high schools.

Emanuel responded to Pendleton's death by shifting 200 Chicago Police officers from desk jobs to street duty and assigning them to teams focused on gang violence.

The surge of funding for jobs, counseling and recreational programs is another piece of a complicated puzzle that Chicago mayors have been trying to solve for decades. ■

— Chicago Sun-Times

SPRINGFIELD

Speaker Madigan proposes road funds, child-welfare money

Illinois House Speaker Michael Madigan is proposing more money for state programs in a plan that takes advantage of new road building funds, shifts money saved from prison closures to child-welfare services that could also spare up to 1,900 jobs.

The Chicago Democrat's legislation includes a $675 million boost to transit construction highly prized by businesses and labor unions. The plan is part of an annual exercise aimed at shoring up parts of state government that are running short of money halfway through the fiscal year.

Also part of the plan is $25 million that Democratic Gov. Pat Quinn expects to save from closing correctional facilities. Quinn wants the money shifted to the Department of Children and Family Services. The agency will use the money to add child-abuse investigators and other employees to recruit foster parents and more quickly reunite children with their birth families.

The bill also includes $12 million for community mental health grants, $83 million for workers' compensation claims, $25 million for rental housing assistance, $5.7 million for job-training programs, and $5 million for construction of a 200-bed veterans' home. ■

— The Associated Press

WASHINGTON

White House outlines deep, automatic cuts on the way

President Obama's White House is trying to ratchet up pressure on Congress by putting out details of federal spending cuts it says will take place if a scheduled March 1 deadline for deep automatic, government-wide spending cuts cannot be averted.

In a fact sheet, the White House cites what it calls "large and arbitrary" cuts to federal programs on education, small business, food safety, law enforcement and emergency management.

Current law calls for $1.2 trillion of additional spending cuts over the next 10 years, including about $85 billion this year.

Obama has called for a small package of cuts closing of tax loopholes to put off the cuts. But Republicans have so far said no. ■

USPS lost $1.3 billion over quarter

The U.S. Postal Service says it lost $1.3 billion in the first quarter of the new budget year, following record losses last year.

Officials say that in the three months ended December 31 there was continued growth in the agency's revenue from package delivery, including during a busy holiday season. And there was growth in political ad mailings due to the November elections. ■

— The Associated Press

Opinion

VIEWPOINT | Pioneer Press

How to dump incompetent judges

It's too hard to get rid of incompetent judges in Cook County.

Two constitutional amendments are in the works in Springfield to fix that. Neither is perfect, but legislators should fine-tune them to find the best answer for our broken system.

Judges run for retention every six years. In Cook County, voters are presented with page after page of names. Not surprisingly, even judges deemed incompetent by the bar associations get the 60 percent of votes they need.

One plan would create special commissions in each judicial circuit to determine which judges are doing their jobs properly, and those judges wouldn't have to run for retention.

A separate amendment would raise the percentage of yes votes needed for retention to two-thirds, plus the support of at least five members of the seven-member Attorney Registration and Disciplinary Commission.

Either plan will create discussion among lawmakers, which is needed to get the job done. ■

1,000 WORDS | Jack Higgins

Stopping to think on a snowy eve

Winter returned last week, and I was glad for it.

RANDY BLASER

For the last few months, I had been been given the false idea that I hated winter. It was cold and wet, with little one could do outdoors to enjoy weather.

For a while, I began to accept our cold, snow-less and boring winter as the new norm.

I thought, so this is global warming locally: Illinois politics with Kentucky weather.

Yuck!

But winter came back with 10 inches of snow on my block.

I was ready for it, but then again I wasn't.

I've always taken good care of my snow thrower. Take care of the snow thrower and it will take care of you, is one of those "old-man sayings" I'm handing down to my kids.

I only used the machine once last year, and was convinced it would sit in the garage undisturbed all season this winter. But last week I poured the last bit of old gasoline into it, threw the choke to wide open, pumped the primer and pulled the cord.

And got nothing. Again and again and again, I followed that routine.

After about 15 minutes of me pulling and the engine coughing, blue-white smoke belched out of the machine. I was in business and so was my driveway.

Earlier I got stuck in a driveway. I just couldn't get through the snow while trying to back out. I was like that Sisyphus guy in mythology who has to push the stone up the steep hill, only to have it roll down when he gets to the top. I'd just slip to the top of the driveway, and that was it. Luckily, I was able to turn around and plow through going forward.

Those winter blues were short-lived, however. I soon remembered winter in its beauty.

Like everyone else in town, I opened the back door and snapped a few pictures of the scene to post on Facebook. Winter had finally come.

People were stopping to help each other in the snow. Kids were making snow forts and snowmen (and I saw some snow women, too). After we shoveled the driveway and the walk, the kids had a snowball fight. I hadn't seen them play with each other and laugh in months, at least since summer.

When night came, I looked outside every so often to see if it was still snowing, always hoping it was. The big flakes, suddenly illuminated by the streetlights, falling easily to the ground and piling up in my yard, offered a sight of beauty I thought I would miss this year.

Stopping to admire falling snow is not so unusual. We all do it. It reminds us, as the poet says, that we have promises to keep, and miles to go ...

You know the rest.

Thankfully, winter returned. ■

No, Virginia, there's no Saturday delivery

I reached out to Fred Gailey for comment.

PAUL SASSONE

(By the way, "reached out" is one of the new loaded phrases TV reporters use. They say they reached out to Person X, but that Person X did not respond. This makes it seem as if the reporter was doing Person X a favor by reaching out to him. But Person X knows that the reporter was "reaching out" to ask him about allegations he did something sleazy and/or illegal.)

Anyway, my reach exceeded my grasp. I couldn't get hold of Fred Gailey. Probably because he never existed.

Gailey was the attorney in "Miracle on 34th Street" who proved at a sanity hearing that Kris Kringle was "the one and only Santa Claus" by citing the authority of the U.S. Post Office. The post office sent all the letters it had addressed only to Santa Claus to Kris Kringle. Therefore, Gailey reasoned, the post office, an official arm of the U.S. Government, recognized Kris Kringle as the one and only Santa Claus.

Ah, those were heady days for the post office.

Now, the U.S. Postal Service has fallen on hard times. It lost $16 billion last year. More people are communicating electronically. And the postal service has huge pension cost problems.

Hence, there will be cuts, the most noticeable of which will be an end to Saturday first-class mail delivery starting Aug. 1.

Of course, this cut won't hurt those who are fully armed with the latest electronic gizmos. Hurt will be people who can't afford the gizmos, or who for one reason or another are unable to use them.

And, I imagine, postal workers will be hurt, also. So far, there hasn't been talk of layoffs. But whenever an employer makes service cuts, worker cuts are not far behind. How else will the postal service save the $2 billion a year it wants to save?

That makes me sad. For 10 years or so I was a postal worker, sometimes a clerk, sometimes a truck driver, sometimes a letter carrier.

You can make all the postal worker jokes you want, but being a letter carrier is one hard job. You get up before dawn, sort mail by address for a couple of hours and then walk for five or six hours in skin-blistering heat or razor blade cold, up stairs and down stairs. Do this five days a week for 20 years or more. See what you feel like.

Ah, where is Fred Gailey when we need him? ■

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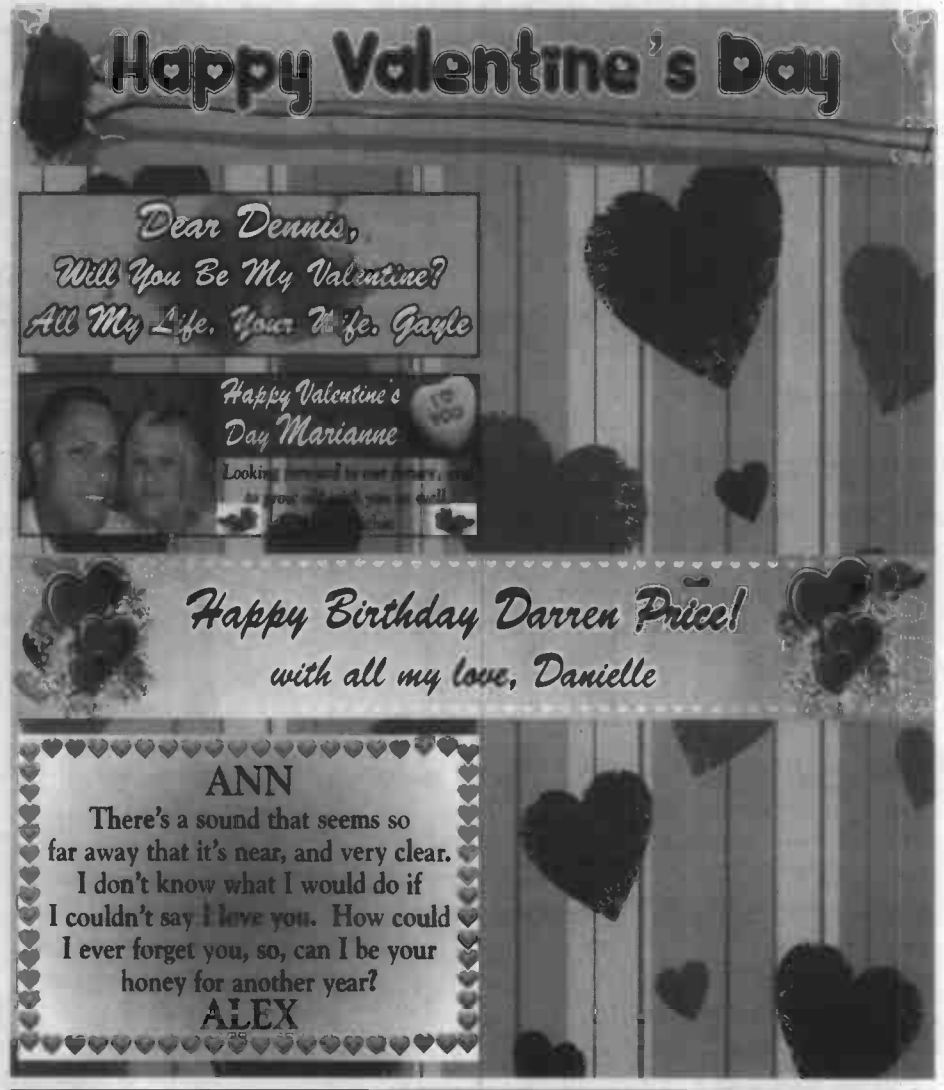

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Looking for fun? Check out our Top Five picks for the weekend's best bets.

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Question of the Week

Q "What are your plans for Valentine's Day?"

A **Laura Liedtke**
Mt. Prospect

"I'm going to make a heart-shaped meatloaf for my husband." ■

A **Rachel Shaykin**
Skokie

"I'll be with a box of chocolates, all by myself." ■

A **Sabina Merka**
Skokie

"I'm going to see the movie, Safe Haven, with my best friend and then we are going to Maggiano's." ■

A **Tom Levy**
Highland Park

"I'm taking my wife to see the new Bruce Willis movie, Its a Good Day to Die Hard." ■

People Poll

LAST WEEK'S QUESTION

"What milestone most means winter is coming to an end?"

RESPONSES

1) Groundhog Day: 8%

2) Spring training: 56%

3) March Madness: 36%

THIS WEEK'S QUESTION

"What draws you to watch the State of the Union?"

RESPONSES

1) The policy.

2) The pageantry.

3) The patriotism.

4) I don't watch.

To respond to this week's People Poll question, visit **niles.suntimes.com**

School

Education in Focus

District 67 officials are taking a restrained approach to referendum

BY NICK KATZ | nkatz@pioneerlocal.com

Officials in Golf Elementary School District 67 are taking a restrained approach to this month's tax hike referendum, relying on information they provided during two previous failed votes to get supporters to the polls.

The referendum, which would allow the district to increase the property tax levy beyond what is permitted by the Cook County Tax Cap, will appear on the Feb. 26 primary ballot. The only other measure on the ballot that day is a primary race for the Action Party candidate for mayor of Morton Grove.

An identical request was defeated in November, and last March voters turned down a more traditional referendum seeking an increase in the maximum tax rate in the District 67 education fund.

All of the measures would increase property tax revenue by about $1.14 million a year.

The issue on the primary ballot will give the district the authority to increase the levy by 16.3 percent, 13.3 percent more than is permitted under the tax cap. The cap limits the levy increase without referendum approval to the Consumer Price Index or 5 percent, whichever is less.

The district recently sent out an issue of "Chalkboard," its newsletter, with information about the referendum.

But unlike the previous two attempts, there are no public meetings or open house events scheduled to provide information on the measure to district residents.

District 67 School Board President Meryl Gale said the district held several informational meetings before both of the previous two votes, and nothing has really changed since then.

"I think that we provided so much information and had so many meetings and the other elections were so close," Gale said. "We did have many, many, many informational meetings."

Superintendent Jamie Reilly noted that only a handful of people showed up at the last open house sessions the district held prior to the November vote.

"We've held multiple open house and informational sessions over the past two years," Reilly said. "Our attendance at the last session was no more than three people. We feel we had reached everyone we could."

A parents group that was active promoting the referendum prior to the November vote, Kids 67, has also been quiet prior to the February vote.

A spokesman for the group could not be reached for comment, but the group's website has not been updated since the November referendum and makes no mention of the February vote.

Glenview resident Debbie Berg casts her ballot while daughter, Carolyn, looks over her shoulder at Golf Middle School in Morton Grove on Nov. 6, 2012. | **KEVIN TANAKA**-*for Sun-Times Media*

One thing that is different this time is the interest of Chicago-based Taxpayers United of America, which sent out a press release Feb. 7 encouraging residents to vote against the referendum.

The release quotes Taxpayers United president Jim Tobin saying "This is the only property tax increase referendum on the February ballot in the entire State of Illinois. Homeowners in District 67 twice before defeated such a referendum at the ballot box, but these greedy District 67 government teachers and bureaucrats are back for a third try."

The release contends that the money from a tax hike will go toward teacher and administrator salaries. During the past couple of years administrators have had their salaries frozen, and teachers have made contract concessions including a salary freeze because of the district's financial problems.

The Taxpayers United release says that the increased revenue from a tax hike will go toward those salaries, but the district says they plan to use the money to restore programs cut in an effort to reduce expenses such as such as all-day kindergarten.

The release also cites the pensions of former Superintendent Harry Trumfio, who left District 67 in 1992, and Linda Marks, who retired in 2007.

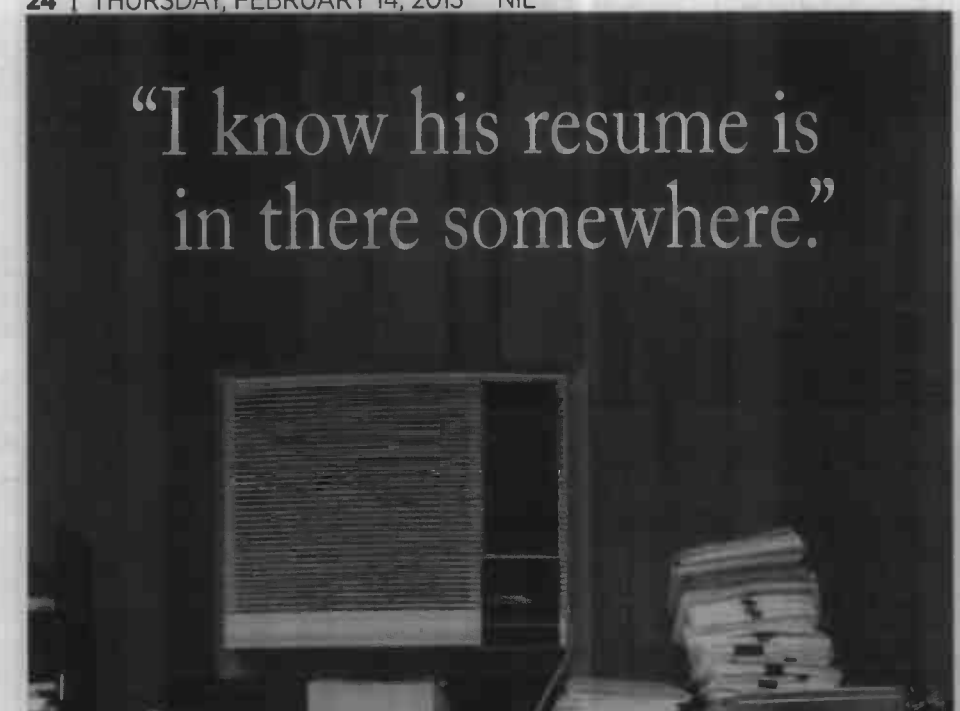
Despite the assertions in the release of "greedy" teachers and administrators, Reilly noted that District 67 has the lowest salaries in Niles Township and the second-lowest in Cook County.

Reilly said she is not overly concerned about the interest of TUA in the District 67 race since the district has already gotten out a large amount of information. She said this is also the first time the group has gotten involved in the recent District 67 referendums.

"I guess I would be concerned it if was factual," she said.

Reilly and Gale said they are unsure whether having the measure on a ballot with just one other race will improve or reduce the odds of passage. ■

"I know his resume is in there somewhere."



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Niles West Principal Kaine Osburn, pictured here in August 2012, is leaving for a deputy superintendent post in Naperville. | **CURTIS LEHMKUHL**-*Sun-Times Media*

Niles West principal leaving for Naperville

BY NATALIE HAYES | Contributor

Niles West's principal Kaine Osburn is leaving District 219 and heading to Naperville, he announced on Tuesday.

Osburn is leaving at the end of the current school year to take a promotion with Naperville Community Unit District 203 as deputy superintendent.

Osburn started his 14-year career at District 219 as an English teacher at Niles West in 1998 and moved up the ranks. He became assistant principal of operations in 2006, and was named principal of Niles West in 2007.

Osburn will replace District 203's deputy superintendent Robert Hawkins, who was hired in short-term capacity this year. Osburn will begin his new position with Naperville in July, where he'll serve immediately under superintendent Dan Bridges and will be responsible for oversight of the district's two assistant superintendents, Kitty Ryan and Bob Ross.

"While we're sad to see Kaine leave, we wish him all the best in his new position," said District 219 superintendent Nanciann Gatta in a press release.

As principal of Niles West, Osburn is making is $176,389 in base pay this school year. He'll take a pay cut in Naperville, where his base salary with District 203 will be $166,000.

District 203 is considerably larger than District 219. The K-12 district is the eighth-largest school system in Illinois and serves more than 17,000 students in 22 schools.

Osburn made his announcement Tuesday morning at a staff meeting, and said in a press release, "Leaving Niles West and District 219 is not without great pain. I have dedicated the last 14 years of my life to the students, parents and teachers here."

No word on when District 219 administrators plan to hire a new principal. ■

Maine school buses get cameras, GPS

BY NATASHA WASINSKI | Contributor

East Maine School District 63 is equipping its buses with on-board cameras and GPS units next year to better ensure the safety of students and drivers.

The decision to add the devices came one week after an out-of-control school bus careened down a 1.3-mile stretch of Oakton Street in Park Ridge and Niles.

The district's contract discussions with transportation contractor Septran, Inc., however, predated the Jan. 29 accident involving bus driver Elaine C. Delaney, 77, of Wheeling.

Delaney suffered a medical emergency behind the wheel and crashed into several vehicles while en route to a District 63 school in Des Plaines.

Students were not on the bus at the time, though Delaney and five other motorists were transported to the hospital with non-life threatening injuries.

Septran provided the bus involved in the accident.

"Thank God no one, especially children, was extremely hurt," said Bob Hach, the private bus company's president, at a District 63 Board of Education meeting Feb. 6.

He described Delaney, a 15-year Septran employee with a flawless driving record, as "a very good woman" qualified for the job. She was released from the hospital Feb. 1.

Hach said representatives of the Illinois Department of Transportation visited the company's facility the day after the accident and determined the vehicle was well maintained. The Secretary of State also conducted a review of the driver's and company's files.

"From a company standpoint, I'm happy to report to you we're in good shape both mechanically and in recording-keeping," Hach said.

He chalked up the incident to uncontrollable circumstances, to which several board members agreed.

"You can't predict something like that," Walter Gluzkin said.

The district's newly-extended contact with Septran for one year includes installing state-of-the-art cameras and vehicle tracking systems to enhance safety and security on board school vehicles.

Beginning next school year, digital cameras will be placed in the rear and front end of buses facing toward the seats. Hach said another camera projecting toward the road may appear intrusive to some drivers, though the footage ultimately provides an invaluable view of other motorists' actions.

"In many instances they can actually help the driver," he said.

Regular education transportation for District 63 students is budgeted this year at just over $1 million, according to David Bein, executive director of business services.

School officials renewed the bus contract with a two-percent increase, amounting to an additional $20,120. ■

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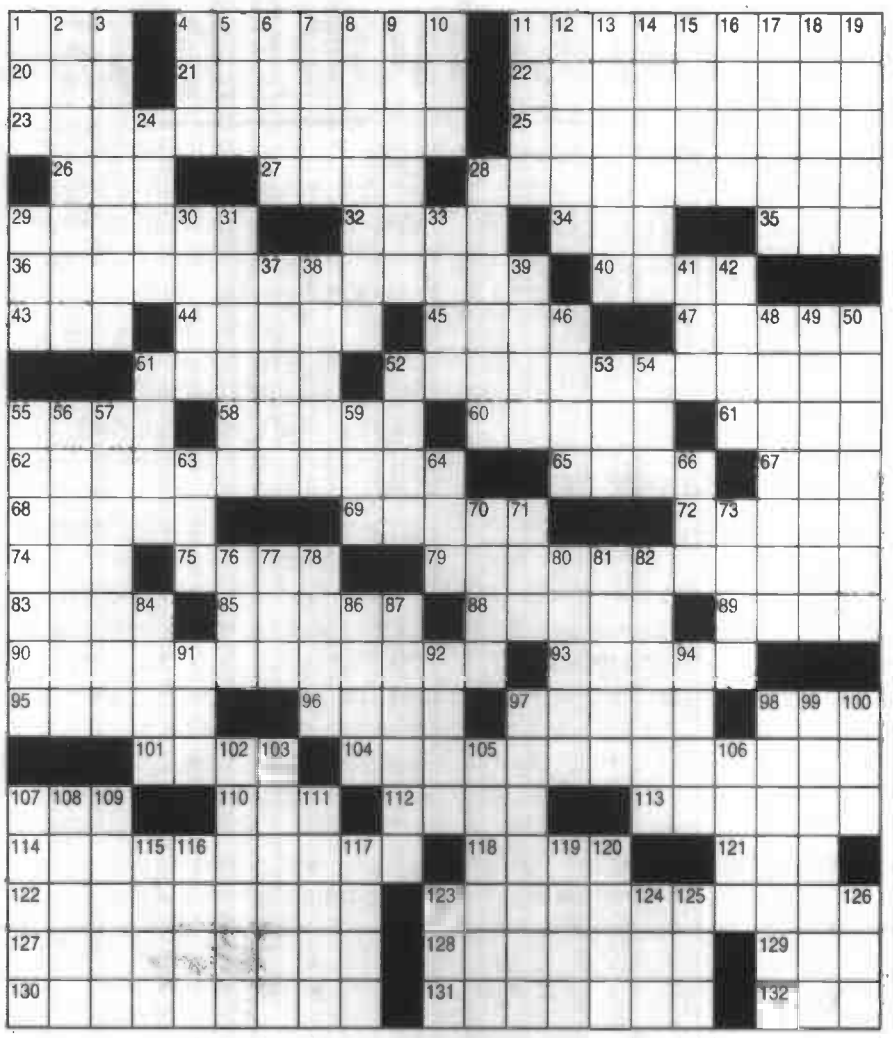

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BY LINDA THISTLE

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(★: Moderate; ★★: Challenging; ★★★: HOO BOY!)

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HOROSCOPES

For the week of February 20 to February 26

ARIES (March 21 to April 19)
Congratulations, Lamb. The end of the month brings good news in the workplace, thanks to all the efforts you've made to get your projects off the ground and running.

TAURUS (April 20 to May 20)
Don't let yourself be cowed into thinking you're not up to the challenge you've taken on. Keep reinforcing your self-confidence, and no one and nothing can stop you.

GEMINI (May 21 to June 20)
Positive responses to a recent workplace move should give you added assurance that you're on the right track. Celebrate the good news with family and/or friends.

CANCER (June 21 to July 22)
There's still a little emotional fuzziness you have to work through before you can feel really certain about your recent decisions. But you're on the right track. Stay with it.

LEO (July 23 to August 22)
You're tempted by an offer that seems close to what you've been looking for. But before you pounce on it, see if you can coax out some added perks to sweeten the deal.

VIRGO (August 23 to September 22)
Your efforts to settle a volatile situation should prove successful. Now could be a good time to analyze what might have created the problem in the first place.

LIBRA (September 23 to October 22)
A once-close associate re-emerges with news that could cause you to reconsider a recent decision. But don't make a move before consulting a trusted adviser.

SCORPIO (October 23 to November 21)
You might feel pressured to reveal a colleague's secret. But you can rely on your strong Scorpion sense of rectitude to help you continue to do the right thing.

SAGITTARIUS (November 22 to December 21)
That pesky situation is still creating problems. But you are moving ahead with it, and soon it should be successfully resolved in your favor.

CAPRICORN (December 22 to January 19)
A spate of indecision leaves you susceptible to doubt. But you'll soon regain your emotional sure-footedness and be back leading the way, as usual.

AQUARIUS (January 20 to February 18)
Love rules the week with new romances favored for single Aquarians looking for partners. Cupid also targets renewed commitment for wedded Water Bearers.

PISCES (February 19 to March 20)
A surge of creativity keeps you happily busy through the week. But leave some quiet time to share with loved ones. Some long-awaited news finally comes through.

BORN THIS WEEK:
People rely on you whenever they need someone they can trust to be caring, considerate and also discreet.

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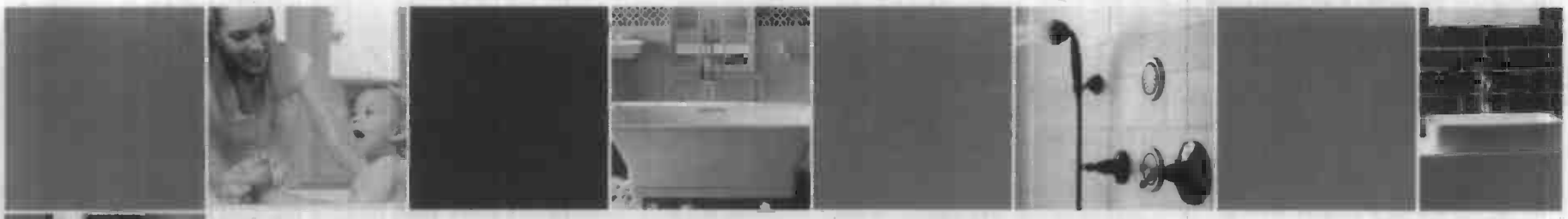

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Calendar

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CENTER OF CONCERN

Schedule

65+

The Center of Concern: 1580 N. Northwest Hwy., Suite 310, Park Ridge, (847) 823-0453, calendar of events includes:

Tuesdays, Thursdays, Saturdays – Low-cost income tax preparation (by appointment only).

Mondays, Feb. 25 – Employment counseling, by appointment.

Tuesday, Feb. 19 – Medicare counseling, by appointment (sponsored by the federally-funded Senior Health Insurance Program).

Wednesday, Feb. 27 – Grief and loss support group (call first).

Saturday, Feb. 23 – Legal counseling, by appointment.

Saturday, Feb. 23 – Blood pressure and blood sugar testing, 10 a.m.-noon (no appointment needed).

Note: Center is closed Feb. 18, Presidents' Day.

Assistance with forms

65+

Low-cost income tax preparation is available by appointment at the Center of Concern in Park Ridge on Tuesday, Thursday, and Saturday mornings. Adults of all ages with annual income under $40,000 (excluding Social Security benefits) are eligible. The suggested donation for basic federal and state returns, including schedules A, B, and D and forms for the earned income tax credit, is $40. More complex returns cost up to $60. The Center's offices are at 1580 N. Northwest Highway, Suite #310, in Park Ridge. Call (847) 823-0453 for an appointment. Homebound residents may ask to have a tax preparer come to their home.

Center counselors also are available to help eligible residents apply for Illinois Circuit Breaker property tax relief grants and license plate discounts, Illinois Cares Rx (prescription drug assistance), the senior citizen real estate tax exemption and deferral, the senior citizen tax assessment freeze, and the long-time occupant homeowner property tax exemption.

FUNDRAISERS

Indoor Block Party

18+ 65+

Resurrection College Prep High School, 7500 W. Talcott Ave., Chicago, invites neighbors, alumnae and community members to Res Fest 2013 Indoor Block Party, hosted by Chicago Radio Legend Dick Biondi, from 6 p.m.-midnight Feb. 16. The evening will feature music, food tents, beer and wine, silent auctions, raffles, Baggo and carnival games. Come early for a chance to meet Dick Biondi before he takes the stage at 8 p.m. for a sock hop in the gym with dancing to the music from the '50s to the '80s. Advance registration is $20 per person; admission at the door will be $25. Res Fest food/drink/game tickets are available for $1 each. Online raffle prizes include an Apple iPad mini or cash; winners need not be present. Registration, online raffles and Res Fest tickets are available at www.reshs.org or cmarchetti@reshs.org or (773) 775-6616, Ext. 112. This is a 21-and-older fundraising event in support of the school.

Young Widows

18+

The Chicagoland Young Widowed Connection will host Valentine & Wine from 6-8 p.m. Feb. 16 at WineStyles, 1517 Waukegan Road, Glenview. The event is a fundraiser geared toward young widowed men and women under 55. CYWC provides referrals for sources of support, seminars and workshops on the practical issues of widowhood, regular social activities and connections to the community through outreach. Tickets for Valentine & Wine are $25 each and a portion of the proceeds will help fund CYWC's 501(c)(3) filing fees and the outreach project. Tickets can be purchased at info@chicagolandwidowed.org.

HEALTH

Monthly health programs

18+ 65+

Feat of Fitness, a monthly health seminar which takes place at the Center Court of Golf Mill Shopping Center from 9-10:15 a.m. every second Wednesday of the month, January through October, has added new sponsors and events. Feats of Fitness Health Seminars are free programs open to registered members; become a member by completing an application at the Golf Mill Shopping Center Customer Service Center. Each month a new speaker and topic is featured. The program includes free bingo after the health seminar, where winners receive instant prizes, beginning at 9:45 for members only. Coffee and a light breakfast is another perk.

HISTORICAL SOCIETY

Fun program

FAM

The Niles Historical Society will host the Rev. Britto Berchmans in a one-man show, "You Ain't Heard Nothin' Yet," on Feb. 24 in the Niles Historical Museum, 8970 Milwaukee Ave. Doors open at 1 p.m., short business meeting at 2 p.m. followed by the program, refreshments and socializing. All programs are family-oriented and open to all ages (residents and nonresidents). Free parking and refreshments; donations are accepted. Call (847) 390-0160.

Hours for the public

FAM 65+ 18+

Niles Historical Museum: 8970 N. Milwaukee Ave., is open to the public 10:30 a.m.-3 p.m. Mondays, Wednesdays and Fridays. Drop in, make arrangements for a tour, drop off artifacts and collections, or just come to visit. The new magnetic elevator makes the auditorium easily accessible. Call (847) 390-0160.

LIBRARY

Niles Public Library: 6960 W. Oakton St., (847) 663-1234 or online at www.nileslibrary.org. Registration is required for most programs unless indicated otherwise.

Reading with Rover

4-12

Children can build confidence when reading out loud with the library's friendly dogs as listeners from 7-8:30 p.m. Feb. 14 and 28; sign up for a 20-minute slot; for kids in kindergarten and older. Call (847) 663-6622.

ESL Club

18+ 65+

New English speakers are invited to join this conversation club to practice speaking English from 3-4;30 p.m. Feb. 14.

Valentine's Day

events

18+

Singer Diva Montell will perform at 6:30 p.m. Feb. 14. Dessert and beverages will be served.

The Ed and Gene Duo will perform classic love songs and romantic standards from 10:30-11:30 a.m. Feb. 19. Refreshments will be served.

Yu-Gi-Oh tournament

4-12 13+

Join other enthusiasts in fifth through 12th grades from 1-4:30 p.m. Feb. 17. Bring your own deck. Prizes and refreshments.

Film

18+ 65+

See "Moonrise Kingdom" from 2-3:45 p.m. Feb. 21.

Shakespeare Project

FAM

See "Twelfth Night" from 7-9;30 p.m. Feb. 22.

Open crafting

4-12 13+

Kids, kindergartners to eighth-graders can create their own masterpiece from 1-3 p.m. Feb. 18.

Yoga for kids

4-12 13+

Learn poses and breathing techniques at 4 p.m. Feb. 18; for kindergartners to eighth-graders.

Family movie

FAM

Is at 2 p.m. Feb. 25.

Lego Club

4-12 13+

Join in from 4-5 p.m. on the fourth Monday of each month to create Lego masterpieces in the Lego Club. For kids in kindergarten to eighth grade.

Parties

FAM

DJ Miss Cate brings her popular Niles Library preschool dance party to the Golf Mill Shopping Center with stories and tunes at noon Feb. 14. Enjoy snacks and refreshments along with Frisbees for kids.

Storytimes

0-3 4-12

Listen to stories and songs in Polish from 10-11 a.m. Feb. 15; craft and snack included; for kids ages 2 and older.

RELIGION

Purim celebration

FAM

Takes place Feb. 24 at Temple Judea Mizpah, 8610 Niles Center Road, Skokie - 10 a.m., Purim service with Megillah reading and Shpiel (play); 11:15 a.m., Carnival with moonwalk, basketball and other games, prizes, and hot dog lunch. $10/person or $36/family (free for children under 5) includes all games, prizes, and lunch. No one turned away for inability to pay. Contact Marla Topp or Rabbi Amy L. Memis-Foler at (847) 676-1566.

NILES SENIOR CENTER

The center offers membership to Niles residents age 55 and older and their spouses. Drop by the **Niles Senior Center, 999 Civic Center Drive, Niles,** or call (847) 588-8420 for an application. Visit www.vniles.com, click on Departments and then Senior. Registration required for most programs.

'Sunset Boulevard'

65+

See this production Feb. 21 at Drury Lane Theatre, 10 a.m.-5:15 p.m. Before the show, dine on soup, bread, veggies plus potato and choice of fettuccini Alfredo and sweet peas or chicken breast marsala. Cost is $64, members; $69, nonmembers.

Dinner and Movie

65+

See "Trouble with the Curve" starring Clint Eastwood and Amy Adams at 5 p.m. Feb. 19. Dinner includes a hot dog, chips and dessert. Cost is $2, members; $3, nonmembers.

Celebrating Chopin

65+

Jim Kendros provides selections from the youthful piano concertos of Chopin from 1:30-2:30 p.m. Feb. 20; $6, members; $9, nonmembers.

Lunch

65+

Enjoy "Songs by the Fireside" at the center from 12:15-2:15 p.m. Feb. 27. Lunch will include salad, baked chicken, potato and dessert. Cost is $8, members; $12, nonmembers.

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Business $

Spotlight

Emotional high at Golf Mill

BY TRACY GRUEN | Contributor

Carmen Seja makes a flower arrangement Feb. 7 at Emotional Bonding, a flower and gift shop at Golf Mill Shopping Center in Niles | **ROB HART**-*Sun-Times Media*

NILES

During the run-up to Valentine's Day, employees of Emotional Bonding at Golf Mill can easily be found working 16-hour days.

"It's one of our busiest holidays," said Carmen Seja, the manager of Emotional Bonding, a store that sells flowers, chocolates, gift baskets, cookie baskets, fruit baskets and more.

For Valentine's Day, shoppers come in to find the perfect box of chocolates or purchase a special arrangement of flowers for that special someone. The store offers a popular "sweetheart bouquet," which features roses and burgundy miniature carnations.

"We do all the arrangements ourselves," said Seja.

Although Valentine's Day and other special holidays are a very busy time at their store, she said seeing the customers satisfied makes all the hard work well worth it.

"The most rewarding thing for me is getting the customers' feedback, saying how much they enjoyed it or how beautiful it was," said Seja.

Emotional Bonding has been located at Golf Mill for about a year and a half. They previously operated out of a kiosk, but in December moved to a storefront next to Target and Kohl's.

The store provides a one-stop shop for various gifts, including stuffed animals that range in size from tiny to large and greeting cards.

"We celebrate life and love in all stages," said Seja.

Seja explained that customers come in to buy flowers for newborn babies, graduations, weddings holidays, funerals and other special occasions. As expressed in the name of the store, it aims to provide an outlet of expression for people during a special time in their lives or just a regular day.

Seja said that although it's sad to make flower arrangements for someone's funeral, it's nice knowing that they brought something beautiful to the funeral.

Other popular items include Super Sweet baskets that feature a variety of classic chocolate candies, Harry London chocolates, Godiva chocolates and much more.

Seja said another best-seller is a colored container with flowers that resembles a paint can. The arrangements have names, such as "color your day with tranquility" or "color your day with happiness," and each arrangement has a different color scheme to match the paint can.

In addition to Valentine's Day, Seja said they cater to other holidays as well.

"We do all different types of flowers, whether you're looking for a birthday, just because, or Mother's Day," said Seja.

"Most of our business is Internet-based," said Seja.

Some of the top sellers for Valentine's Day, according to the company's website, include arrangements titled, "lasting romance bouquet," "expressions of love" and "precious heart bouquet." Many of the arrangements include red and pink roses, rainbow-colored roses and heart shaped vases.

The owner is Shrinawas Kabra and employees at the store consist of the owner, Seja and a driver. ■

Farmers market to accept Link, credit cards

Holders of Illinois Link cards as well as shoppers who want to use credit or debit cards will be accommodated next summer at the Morton Grove Farmers Market.

On top of that, Link card users will be able to obtain vouchers that allow them to obtain up to $25 a week in extra groceries at the market.

Morton Grove Farmers Market vendor Brandon Lueck helps a customer at the River Valley Ranch Mushroom Medley stand in June 2012. Starting this summer, the market will accept food stamps and credit cards. | **TAMARA BELL**-*Sun Times Media*

The new services will be made possible through a grant from NorthShore University Health Systems and assistance from BMO Harris Bank in Niles.

NorthShore has contributed $5,000 toward the program, which matches up to $25 in additional groceries to match weekly spending at the market by Link cardholders.

The bank is providing staff and a booth to process the Link cards as well as debit and credit cards, said Market Manager Kristina Otte.

"This is huge," Otte said. "We're very excited."

The new food vouchers and services will be available when the market opens for the summer on June 8. It will be held from 8 a.m. to noon, adjacent to the Morton Grove American Legion Memorial Civic Center, 6140 Dempster St.

The grant and participation of the bank were announced at the Morton Grove Chamber of Commerce and Industry installation dinner last week.

Otte said that in order for the market to accept the Link cards, which are the modern equivalent of food stamps, it was necessary to obtain approval of both the U.S. Department of Agriculture and the Illinois Department of Human Services.

Otte said Link card users will be able to obtain vouchers that will double the value of the card up to $25 for food they buy at the market.

The idea, she said, is to give them access to fresh and healthy food despite the somewhat higher prices at the market.

"We really want everyone to have access to fresh local foods," she said. "That's the main reason we did it, to make sure everybody has access to healthy food."

Otte said participation by the bank, which also donated $1,000 to the market, will make it possible for the first time to use debit and credit cards. Users will be able to obtain vouchers at whatever value they want at the bank booth and then use those to pay for items from market vendors,

Otte said the vendors will then trade the vouchers in for cash at the end of the day.

Otte noted that the Morton Grove Farmers Market, which will be having its fourth season next summer, was mentioned at a recent meeting held for market managers and was recognized for its new programs.

"They said 'look at what Morton Grove is doing,'" Otte said. "It's been a dream of ours since we started the market." ■

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Financial fitness: How to get (and stay) debt-free

Get financially fit in 2013 with these tips.

BETH ENGELMAN
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TRACK IT

One of the best ways to get financially fit is to start tracking where your money goes. Try keeping a record of your receipts and expenses for a year, which will help you gain a better understanding of your spending habits and a clearer sense of how much money you actually need for everyday necessities. If tracking your spending for an entire year sounds too daunting, try tracking for just a month, which should give you a fairly accurate snapshot.

CREATE A 'DOABLE BUDGET'

When it comes to budgeting, set yourself up for success. Make sure you create a budget that reflects you as a person, which means prioritizing line items that matter most to you and your family. For example, if taking a family trip each year is a top priority, find other areas where you can cut, such as expensive dinners or sporting events.

You also want to work in some padding so you have wiggle room in case a special opportunity arises.

ESTABLISH AN EMERGENCY FUND

Saving a little each month can make a big difference, especially when it comes to unexpected household emergencies such as broken appliances, leaky roofs, etc. A good rule of thumb is to keep 10 percent of your net worth liquid, so you can access it at any time. If that's impossible, try putting away as much as possible each month. Talk to your employer about direct deposit options, which may include designating your paycheck to multiple accounts (savings and checking). Another savings trick is to take out an extra $20 each time you go to the debit machine, which you can then funnel into a separate savings account or piggy bank. ■

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How I became debt-free

Life coach and mom of two, Antonette Taylor shares how shouting at the sky and changing her attitude about money helped her become debt-free.

"A couple years ago while camping with my family, I decided to test the theory behind the laws of attraction. Feeling silly, I shouted to the sky, 'I am going to become debt-free and live my passion.' To my surprise, I came home to find a damaging hailstorm had created an opportunity for me to receive an unexpected lump sum of money. I couldn't help but wonder if the universe was sending me a message. Remembering the promise I had made, I took that money and paid off as much debt as I could. I also enrolled in a debt management program through www.CredAbility.org. Soon I was paying off my credit cards one by one and becoming stronger and more motivated in the process. I also learned that I needed to change my attitude about money, specifically the way I spoke about my debt. Instead of saying things such as 'I'm broke,' or 'I can't afford that,' I learned to empower myself and focus on all the things I was doing to become financially healthy. It wasn't easy, but my new attitude and determination eventually paid off and I am proud to say that I'm now 100 percent debt-free." ■

For more information about Taylor and her life coach practice, visit www.thegiftwithin.com.

Antonette Taylor, a personal empowerment coach | **RYAN PAGELOW**-*Sun-Times Media*

Romantic recipes will shine at For the Love of Chocolate

Tiffany Schuler, owner of Sweet Whimsy in Long Grove, holds a tray of Chocolate Orange Crémeux with Buttermilk Panna Cotta and Passion Fruit Gelée. | BUZZ ORR-*Sun-Times Media*

BY VERONICA HINKE | Contributor

A new venue and fresh recipes will change up the French Pastry School's annual For the Love of Chocolate Scholarship Foundation gala this year.

The Feb. 23 event will take place in the Union League Club of Chicago and new chefs will participate. But one aspect of the occasion will remain: plenty of romantic foods.

First-time participant Tiffany Schuler, new owner of Sweet Whimsy, a bakery in Long Grove, will make a decadent Chocolate Orange Crémeux with Buttermilk Panna Cotta and Passion Fruit Gelée. The dessert is as loaded with flavors as textures.

"It's chocolate, tangy buttermilk and bright passion fruit," she says. "The buttermilk panna cotta gives a nice color contrast and the passion fruit gelée brings a pop of freshness."

Schuler, a 2008 graduate of the French Pastry School, warns not to cook the eggs too long when making the crémeux.

"If the eggs boil for too long, you will end up with scrambled eggs," she says. "Once the eggs are added back into the cream, you just want to bring the cream to a light boil. Right when it starts to bubble around the sides, it's ready to be poured over the chocolate."

For the Love of Chocolate will feature plenty of pastry chefs showcasing their latest sweets, but savory recipes will also star in a five-course dinner option. Paul Virant, chef/owner of Michelin-starred Vie Restaurant in Western Springs and Perennial Virant in Chicago, will contribute the first course of the dinner. Virant will make Smoked Rushing Waters Trout with Crème Fraîche, Pickled Sweet Pepper Terrine and Tasso (spicy, smoked pork) Vinaigrette.

"This dish should be a nice opener, perfect with bubbles or beer," Virant says. "The vinaigrette will be spicy hot from the tasso rub, which could be a nice segue into a spicy evening."

Like Virant, a Culinary Institute of America alum, chefs involved in the fundraising event share a common devotion to culinary students.

"Everyone who will participate is passionate about what they do and dedicated to supporting the pursuit of excellence by aspiring pastry chefs," says Jacquy Pfeiffer, the French Pastry School's academic dean for student affairs. "Pastry is not just about making cookies: It's about dedicating your life to being the best you can be at something you love to do." ■

For more information on the event, see www.fortheloveofchocolatefoundation.org.

Chocolate Orange Crémeux with Buttermilk Panna Cotta and Passion Fruit Gelée

(From Tiffany Schuler, Sweet Whimsy)

ORANGE CRÉMEUX
½ cup heavy cream
1 cup whole milk
1 orange, zested
3 egg yolks
½ cup sugar
¾ cup good quality dark chocolate

Bring heavy cream, milk, orange zest and half of the sugar to a boil in saucepan. Meanwhile, whisk the other half of the sugar into egg yolks.
Pour ¼ cup of boiling milk into egg yolk mixture and whisk quickly.
Return milk to heat and slowly add in milk and yolk mixture and bring to a low boil while whisking constantly.
Pour milk mixture over chocolate and whisk until smooth.
Pour into cups and chill until set.

BUTTERMILK PANNA COTTA
2 tablespoons water
1½ teaspoons gelatin
1 cup heavy cream
½ cup sugar
2 cups buttermilk
1 teaspoon vanilla bean paste (scrape the inside of a vanilla pod)

Soften gelatin in bowl with water.
In saucepan, dissolve sugar into heavy cream, and then bring to a boil.
Remove from heat and stir in gelatin until dissolved.
Add buttermilk and vanilla bean paste.
Let sit until slightly cooled, then pour over the crémeux. Chill in refrigerator until set.

PASSION FRUIT GELÉE
2 teaspoons gelatin
¼ cup water
2 cups passion fruit juice
1 lemon, juiced

In saucepan, melt gelatin into water until fully dissolved.
Turn off heat and slowly whisk in passion fruit juice and lemon juice.
Chill until gelée is the consistency of raw eggs.
Spoon gelée on top of panna cotta, and chill until gelée is set.

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TECHNOLOGY GAINING GROUND at Improv Playhouse's camps

Lights; camera; action: Improv Playhouse's most technologically involved camp trains filmmakers. After shooting footage, campers edit a five- to 15-minute movie using Mac computers and software such as Adobe Premiere of Final Cut Pro. | SUPPLIED PHOTO

BY KIMBERLY ELSHAM

For Sun-Times Media

Technology has greatly improved how businesses run their operations. Summer camp is no different.

Improv Playhouse, a performing arts training center based in Libertyville, runs several day camps during the summer that encompass several performing arts aspects including music theatre, play production, improvisation, filmmaking and fashion.

Technology in its camps, geared toward first-graders and older, plays a significant role in administrative capacities.

David Stuart, owner and executive producer, said his staff communicates mainly through Google Groups emails and text messaging.

"The staff is trained 'You keep your cell phone on you and on.' We want you for ac-

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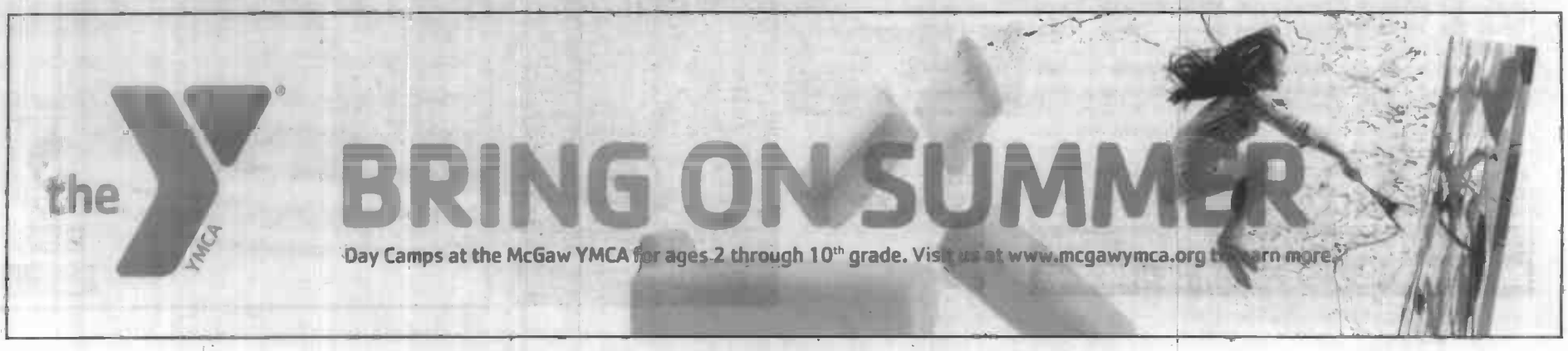

Connecting with your audience: Improv Playhouse operates two Facebook pages: one for the Playhouse itself and one for the performing arts camps. | SUPPLIED PHOTO

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countability," he said.

Improv Playhouse runs its camps out a few facilities between its Libertyville and Highland Park locations, so campers and staff move among them on a regular basis. Thus, having real-time access to his staff for communication is key.

He added that his camp uses Google Groups, a Web-based group discussion service, for both staff and campers. He said that the service is the primary resource for notes and meeting announcements. Messages posted to the group are sent via email to staffers.

"Whether our staff has Gmail when they start here, they'll have it once they get here," he said.

Social media also plays a role in communicating with campers, both past and prospective.

"On Facebook, we do weekly postings. It's our primary touch-point with pictures and updates," Stuart said.

Improv Playhouse operates two Facebook pages: one for the Playhouse itself and one for the performing arts camps.

It also operates a Twitter account (@ImprovPlayhouse), which updates registration and events information a few times a month.

Stuart said dedicated members of his staff are responsible for updating social media accounts, and during summer sessions, more staff members will gain access to post updates or photos day-to-day. Additionally, young campers may request to "friend" the Playhouse on Facebook, but Stuart's staff exercises care when deciding to approve them and only does "if we sense that the kid has parental permission."

Among the camps themselves, the most technologically involved is the filmmaking camp. After shooting footage, campers edit a five- to 15-minute movie using Mac computers and software such as Adobe Premiere or Final Cut Pro. Stuart noted that because of the breadth of technology available to the public today, many campers arrive already having a good handle on video editing.

In light of some new tech tools the camp incorporates, the website still serves as the main resource for prospective campers and their families. He added that the website used to allow for online registration, but that the utilization of the service was "about 50-50." After the company that originally designed the online registration tool closed, Stuart said he decided to revert to manual registration, which parents still seem to prefer.

The key thing about incorporating new technology, he said, is being able to ask: "Is it good for the organization? Does it work well?"

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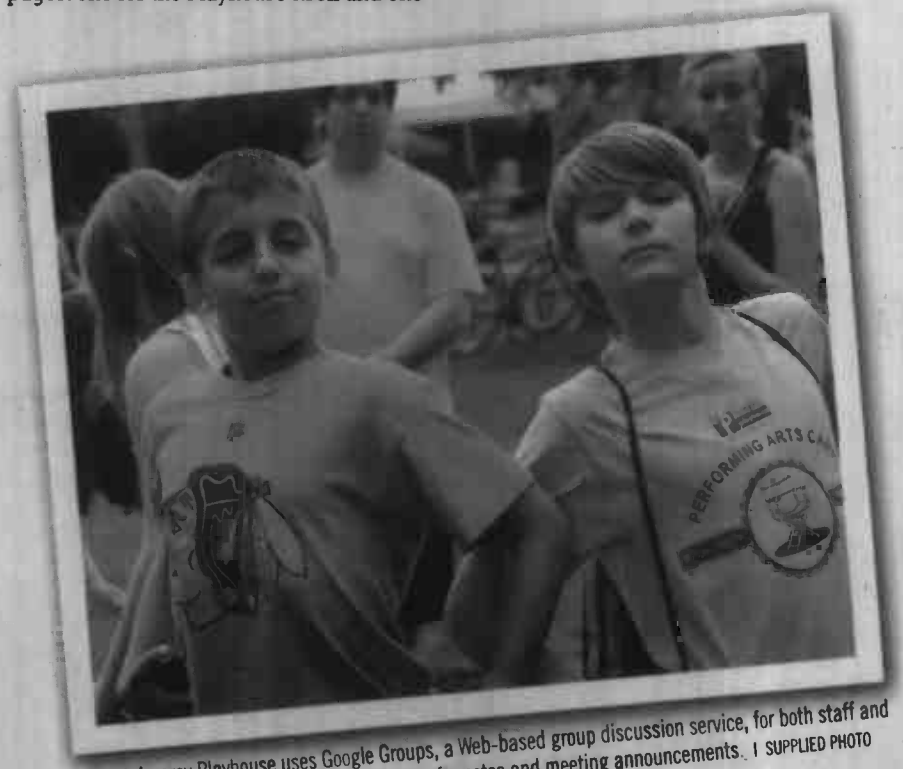

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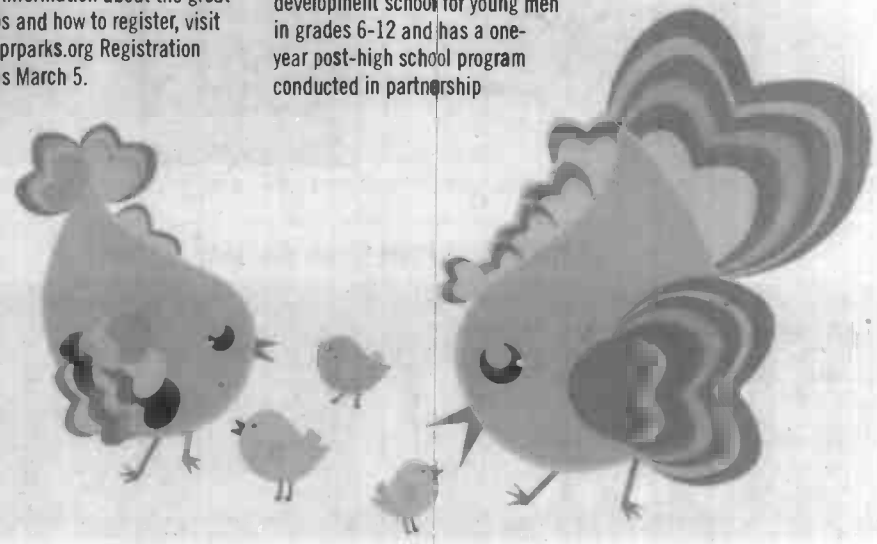

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Financial aid tames summer camp costs

Western day: Decoma Day Camp offers programs, such as interest-free payment plans, to help interested families send their children to our camp. | SUPPLIED PHOTO

Open arms: "We work to ensure that no family that needs our support and our services is turned away because of an inability to pay," said Juliet Garrard, marketing director at McGaw YMCA. | SUPPLIED PHOTO

BY MARCY MARRO
For Sun-Times Media

Summer will be here before you know it, and the kids will be looking forward to sun-filled and school-less days. While everyone knows that sending the kids to camp can be expensive, many camp programs offer financial assistance.

At McGaw YMCA in Evanston, Juliet Garrard, marketing director, said the Y works to keep basic membership and camp fees affordable for families. To receive assistance with camp fees, the family or campers must be members at McGaw. Garrard said the Y's basic membership, which is on a sliding scale, takes into consideration both family income and family size. Garrard added that, "the Y gives away approximately $1.34 million each year to make membership and programs, including camp, affordable."

"The goal of the Y is that everyone who wants to participate can," Garrard said. "This is made possible by the generous people and organizations who donate to the Y. Membership fees, while an impor-

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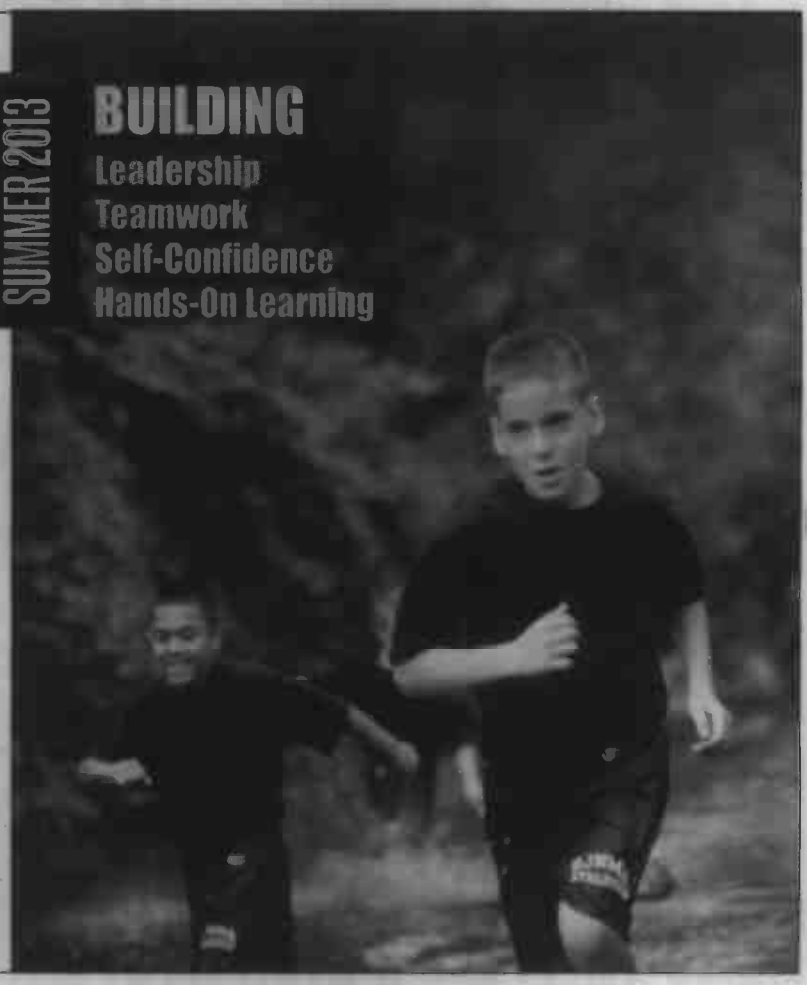


tant contribution, do not cover the fee assistance and scholarships we give out for membership, camp and all our other programs. Progressively, our members are starting to contribute over and above their fees because they see the benefit that kids and others in the community receive from the Y, and we are very grateful and appreciative of their support. Together, we work to ensure that no family that needs our support and our services is turned away because of an inability to pay."

Gary Deutsch, camp director at Decoma Day Camp in Northbrook said they are very willing to work with parents on an individual basis who have various financial situations.

"Decoma offers several options, such as interest free payment plans, to help interested families send their children to our camp," he said.

The Park District of Oak Park offers scholarship funds to assist low-income individuals and families wanting to participate in the park district's programs. Scholarship funds can be used for all park district programs and passes.

"We have revamped our scholarship program for this year to make the application process easier," said Diane Stank, manager of communications at the Park District of Oak Park. "It is aligned with school district 97's reduced and free lunch program's eligibility requirements."

When looking into camps, be sure to ask about scholarships and financial assistance if you are concerned about the costs. Many programs are willing to work with parents to make sure children get the chance to have the summer camp experience.

Digging for gold: The McGaw YMCA gives away approximately $1.34 million each year to make membership and programs, including camp, affordable. | SUPPLIED PHOTO

Different strokes for different folks: McGaw YMCA's basic membership, which is on a sliding scale, takes into consideration both family income and family size. | SUPPLIED PHOTO

Learning for life at camp

Confident camper: The American Camp Association (ACA) identifies the four Cs of the camp community: compassion, contribution, commitment and character. The pleasure that comes from days spent outdoors engaging in active play and team building fosters these personal competencies. | SUPPLIED PHOTO

BY NIKI PAPAK
Banner Day Camp

As parents, the greatest investment we can make is in our children. We work hard to ensure that they have all that they need as we prepare them for a healthy and successful future. The window to make this investment is fleeting and we must act with deliberation and swiftness to give our children all the skills necessary for their journey into adulthood.

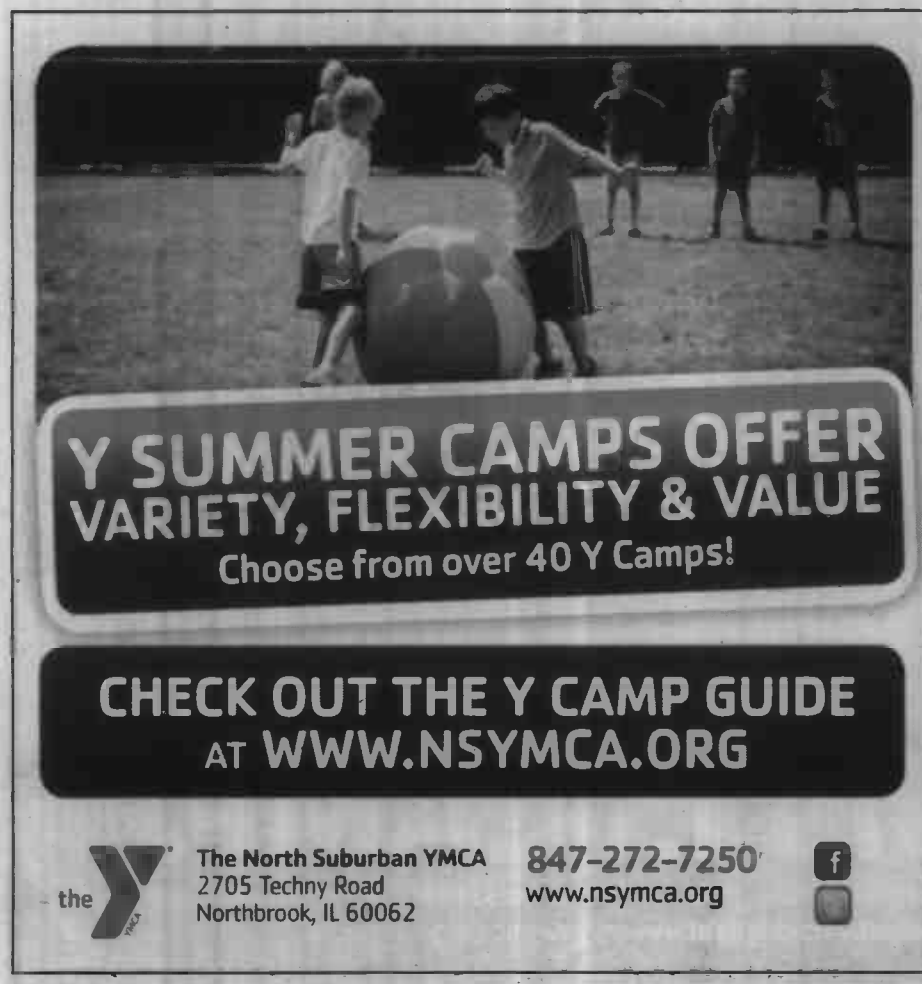
Academic preparation is certainly a crucial part of what we want our children to obtain. Hobbies and interests such as sports skills and musical ability are also important elements to further our children's development. Yet, even if our children are completely prepared in the areas of reading, writing, mathematics, athletics and the arts, they are still missing crucial components that we, as parents, must ensure they receive. As we prepare to send them into the future, we have an obligation to develop their spirit, their character, their resiliency and their independence, so they can utilize each piece of knowledge to live a life of fulfillment and integrity.

A great camp provides a unique opportunity for children to develop these crucial life skills. Because camp is a natural environment created entirely with the needs of children in mind, it is a completely safe setting, both emotionally and physically. The best camps are filled with caring and passionate counselors, specialists and adult leaders who make sure that campers feel accepted, loved, included and capable. In this supportive setting, children can stretch beyond their comfort zone and take healthy risks in a place where they are set up to be successful.

Participating in a well-organized camp program gives children an exceptional chance to widen their horizons, create new and lasting friendships and discover their strengths. Along with teaching valuable skills like how to swim or hit a baseball, the real heart of what camp teaches is how to be a fully developed person. When children attend camp, they learn how to make friends and how to be a friend. They build their responsibility, self-esteem and resilience and they develop an appreciation for the natural environment.

The social and emotional benefits of camp are significant and lasting. Parents who send their children to camp report that they come home transformed: filled with joy and overflowing with confidence. The American Camp Association (ACA) identifies the four Cs of the camp community: compassion, contribution, commitment and character. The fun and pleasure that comes from days spent outdoors engaging in active play and team building fosters these personal competencies that stay with campers throughout their lives.

We all want to give our children the world. What we really should focus on giving them are the tools needed to venture successfully into that world. We must take the utmost care and consideration in preparing them for the future. By making a strong investment in our children, we can give them the skills and experiences that create a fully realized person and set them on course for an amazing journey into adulthood.



A MODEL CAMPER

On choosing the right camp

BY MIRINDA LEA JAMES
Special Columnist

Summer camp is a wonderful opportunity for your child to explore his or her innate aptitudes and talents. The diversity of summer camps range from artistic camps to ignite your child's creativity and imagination, educational camps, such as science and technology camps, to nurture your child's intellect and curiosity, and also sports and recreation camps to foster your child's athletic and team working skills. Having an open discussion with your child regarding the type of summer camp he or she would like to attend this summer will maximize your child's interest and enthusiasm for attending camp and also put your mind at ease knowing that your child is having the best experience possible. Remember that it should be just as much your child's decision on where he wants to go to summer camp as it is yours as a parent. Sending your child to a camp far away may not be the best choice if he is prone to homesickness. Similarly, sending him to basketball camp when he is fervently passionate about art wouldn't be the best utilization of your child's precious few days of childhood, the time when an individual grows and develops at an exponentially accelerated rate compared to any other period in a person's life. Parents should view summer camp as a prime opportunity for their child to explore their inherent strengths, interests and passions.

Another essential factor to consider when choosing the perfect summer camp for your child is safety. When deciding upon which camp to send your child, be sure to investigate the camp and familiarize yourself with the safety rules and regulations to ensure that your child is receiving the best possible care. Feel free to familiarize your child with the rules even before he leaves home, and tell him you expect the rules to be followed. In addition to this, have a discussion with your child about using common sense to avoid jeopardizing their well being. Instruct your child to never wander off alone, stay with the group, and always have a buddy with them at all times. Explain to them that following the camp rules will prevent accidents and injuries so they will have more time for fun. Call the camp, ask who will be taking care of your child, and make certain that the camp performs background checks on all the counselors and staff members who will be taking care of your children. Check to see if the individuals the camp hires are trained in CPR and certified in First Aid and communicate to your child to be respectful of the other children and listen to the counselors and instructors, especially concerning camp safety rules.

Many resources are available online to assist parents in making knowledgeable choices on where to send their child to camp. For a list of American Camp Association accredited summer camps, visit www.acacamps.org. ACA was established more than 100 years ago and is headed by a community of children's and teen camp professionals. ACA is the most trusted name in the summer camp industry and endorse exceptional programs nationwide.

Financial freedom: When looking into camps, ask about scholarships and financial assistance if you are concerned about the costs. Many programs, such as the McGaw YMCA, are willing to work with families. | SUPPLIED PHOTO

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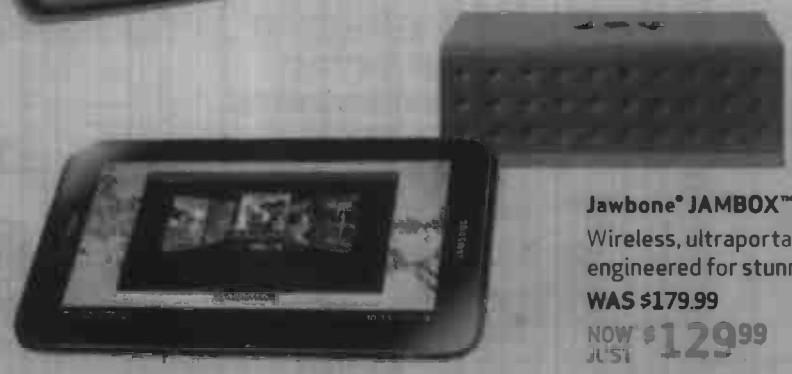

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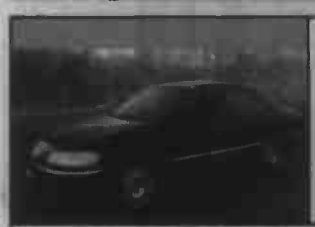

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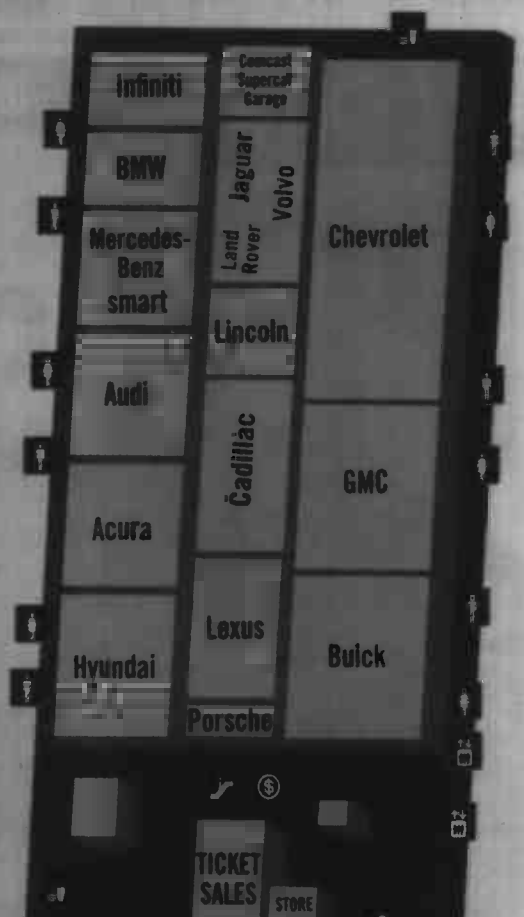

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Auto Show stars align

Buzzworthy trucks battle superheroes for floor space

BY JEFF TAYLOR
For Sun-Times Media

Kia Superman Optima Hybrid

Each year at the Chicago Auto Show there are clear-cut favorites that generate the most buzz, packing the displays with visitors eager to see, snap a picture, or sit inside a new vehicle.

As the largest annual public auto show in the nation, manufacturers keep a watchful eye on the reactions of visitors and note which vehicles draw the biggest crowds, and which vehicles receive the most inquiries.

While every display has something to offer, the following are the vehicles garnering the most attention at the show this year:

Corvette

By far the biggest draw of the show is the stunning, seventh generation 2014 Chevrolet Corvette coupe. Corvette's 6.2-liter small block V8 produces 450 horsepower, which can propel the two-seater to 60 mph in less than four seconds.

Corvette is available with a six-speed automatic or seven-speed manual transmission. A sleek, new lightweight body and engine management technologies will improve Environmental Protection Agency mileage figures. Better design, better materials and reconfigurable gauge display make the interior acceptable for a car in the $60,000 price range.

New pickups

The Chicago Auto Show is considered a truck/SUV show by many manufacturers and visitors have their choice of not one, but three new pickups to check out this year. Visitors are taking advantage of the "under one roof" displays to compare these all-new trucks head-to-head.

Toyota's all-new third generation 2014 Tundra full-sized half ton pickup made its worldwide debut at the show. Tundra was last revised for the 2007 model year. The new truck features a new exterior design, new cargo management solutions, and more technology while continuing to offer V-8 power, but with improved MPG, according to Toyota.

Tundra follows the introduction of General Motors' 2014 Chevrolet Silverado and GMC Sierra twins.

Chrysler counters with its Motor Trend Truck of the Year and North American Truck of the Year winning Ram pickup. Ram received some exterior styling upgrades and powertrain changes including a new seven-speed automatic with twist knob gear selection, along with an interior refreshing and more cargo storage solutions. The heavy-duty diesel pickups and robust chassis cutaways are also part of the display.

Ford is showcasing its beefy Atlas concept truck that provides strong indications of the direction the exterior styling of the next generation F-150 will take.

Superhero-like appeal

Kia Motors America has a whole superhero line of concept cars based on iconic DC Entertainment's World's Greatest Super-Heroes. These flashy recognizable concepts are drawing young and old fans to its display. Kia and DC's Justice League theme cars include Batman, Wonder Woman, Green Lantern, The Flash, Aquaman, Cyborg, and a new Superman theme car introduced at the show.

Jaguar F-Type

WHAT'S OLD IS NEW: Tuner specialists upgrade looks, performance

BY REX ROY
For Sun-Times Media

The average car in the U.S. is approximately 11 years old. Many Chicagoans are walking the aisles of McCormick Place this week looking to replace their current ride.

But what if you seek something a bit better than a "regular" new vehicle?

Or, more likely, what if you can't yet afford to replace your car, but still want to benefit from today's newest technologies for a fraction of the cost of something new?

Better than new

Specialty automotive tuners fill the unique vehicle void left unserved by major manufacturers. Lingenfelter Performance Engineering, from Decatur, Ind., makes new Chevrolet Camaro and Corvettes better than new. Three decades of experience have earned Lingenfelter Performance Engineering a stellar reputation for high quality modifications, so owning a fully customized vehicle doesn't mean driving without warranty protection.

At McCormick Place, Lingenfelter is showing their new Signature Series Chevrolet Camaro packages. These deliver performance and aesthetic upgrades for Camaro coupes and convertibles. There are two vehicle packages to suit enthusiasts' specific tastes, including power-boosting superchargers. More information can be found at www.Lingenfelter.com.

If you're a Ford person, look to Steeda Autosport, another tuner with a great history and reputation. The Steeda StreetFighter packages for the Mustang put 25 years of tuning history into a potent package with more style and power (up to 525 horsepower), an adjustable suspension and more, all backed by a warranty. Find out details at www.Steeda.com.

New technology for not-new vehicles

Today's new vehicles offer built-in Bluetooth connectivity for hands-free cell-phone usage, added safety capabilities, and some crafty technology to make a social media community out of speeders.

Advanced safety

Many new vehicles offer fully integrated radar- or camera-based collision warning and lane-keeping systems. These systems alert drivers that they're driving toward a potential accident or drifting out of their lane.

Brave new world

Carrying on: Ford's new high-mileage engine is small enough to fit into a suitcase.

Technology pushes auto industry forward

BY REX ROY

For Sun-Times Media

Superior-minded pundits have stated that cars haven't fundamentally changed in over a century. They still have internal-combustion engines and four wheels.

Listen not to such ignorant blather.

While antique and modern cars do have gas-burning engines and the same number of wheels, technological evolution has changed everything else about vehicles in the last 100 years. And the change continues.

The new vehicles displayed at the Chicago Auto Show illustrate the progress automotive manufacturers continue to make in the critical areas of fuel efficiency, performance, safety and functionality.

More from less

Smaller engines use less fuel than larger engines. Because fuel remains expensive, today's newest vehicles are powered by downsized engines.

Thanks to major advances in fuel injection and ignition technologies, smaller engines produce big-engine power. For example, the current 1.8-liter four-cylinder engine used in many smaller Chevrolet models produces 138 horsepower, matching the power of 30 percent larger four-cylinders circa 2003 and V-6 engines from the 1990s. Of course, the new Chevy engine delivers superior fuel economy.

Turbocharging helps modern engines be even smaller. How small? How about one-liter? For old-timers, that's just 64 cubic inches, one-third of the size of the smallest engine Chrysler offered in the mid-1960s.

Ford Motor Company offers a 123-horsepower turbocharged 1.0-liter three-cylinder engine that is small enough to fit into an airplane's overhead compartment.

More gears

While downsizing engines and adding fuel-saving technologies like turbos are effective ways to boost miles per gallon, engineers are also radically changing transmissions. Having more gears allows engines to run at their most efficient speed (RPM), saving fuel.

Gear counts go even higher in modern automatic transmissions. Six gears is the new standard, with many manufacturers offering seven or eight. Chrysler is leading the gear wars with their new nine-speed automatic that's optional on several 2013 models.

Adding safety

Remember when front driver-side airbags became standard equipment? It was 1989.

This single bag helped prevent the driver from smashing into the steering wheel during a crash, protecting him by spreading impact forces across a larger area of the body, easing deceleration forces. Airbags are now standard on all passenger vehicles.

Today, in addition to front airbags, there are side airbags (front and rear), side-curtain airbags, front knee airbags, and even inflatable rear safety belts.

While airbags have succeeded in saving lives, they only work once an accident has commenced.

To help prevent accidents, manufacturers utilize electronic driving aids, and continue to expand stability system functionality.

Volkswagen Beetle Convertible

Drop-top demand

BY ANDY MIKONIS

For Sun-Times Media

Those who were paying attention to cars back in the 1970s will recall the dark days for the convertible. Precious few models were on sale and it looked like the drop-top would become a thing of the past.

Not so today, as the Chicago Auto Show enjoys huge crowds, and spotlights a number of choices available for the driver who wants to feel the wind in their hair.

Advancements in automotive engineering must take credit for the resurgence in convertible popularity. Driving the convertibles of yore often represented making some sacrifices. They were noisy, they leaked, and the bodies quaked over every bump.

Convertibles are an engineering challenge, as the roof makes up a significant part of a car's structure. Contemporary convertible bodies are skillfully reinforced to deliver a refined ride. Top materials and structures have evolved as well, offering weather-tight cocoons when desired, and making convertibles completely viable for year-round driving. Here are some of the hottest new convertibles on the market today:

Volkswagen Beetle

One of the most recognizable shapes on the road, the inevitable convertible version joins the longer, lower, and wider all-new Beetle introduced last year. Three powertrains are available, a 2.5-liter five-cylinder that comes standard with an automatic transmission, a 2.0-liter turbocharged four-cylinder for a sportier edge, and a 2.0-liter TDI Clean Diesel rated at 41 miles per gallon on the highway. While the styling gives a few clever nods to the original, the driving experience is thoroughly modern. Base price: $24,995.

Audi S5 Cabriolet (RIGHT)

A new supercharged 3.0-liter V-6 with 333 horsepower and 325 pound-feet of torque replaces the 4.2-liter V-8. It does 0 to 60 miles per hour in the same 4.9 seconds as the V-8, while getting better fuel mileage and reducing emissions. Standard on the S5 Cabriolet is a seven-speed dual-clutch transmission and Audi's legendary quattro all-wheel drive. New design features include a new hood and bumpers, new headlights, new fog lights, a reworked grille and new LED taillights. The instrument cluster has been revised, and new color choices are available. Base price: $59,300.

Chevrolet Camaro ZL1

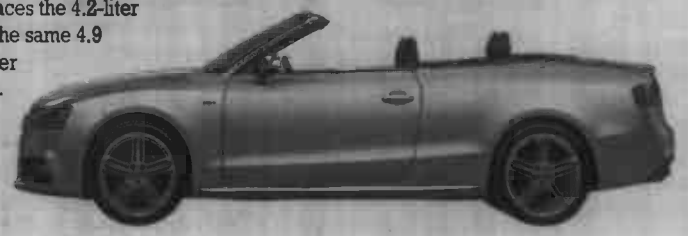
Distinguished by functional aerodynamic enhancements, the Camaro ZL1 is a performance package featuring a supercharged 6.2-liter V-8 with 580 horsepower and a choice of six-speed manual or automatic transmissions. It achieves 60 mph in four seconds, while the standard Performance Traction Management's five settings adjust the stability and traction control for various track conditions and skill levels. Also standard is GM's Magnetic Ride suspension, which constantly evaluates the road surface and recalibrates its settings. Base price: $61,745.

BMW M6

The fastest convertible BMW has produced gets to 60 mph in 4.2 seconds courtesy of a 560 horsepower twin-turbo 4.4-liter V-8. Valvetronic variable valve timing increases fuel mileage along with BMW's stop/start technology, which automatically shuts off the engine at a stop to reduce emissions, and restarts it when you take your foot off the brake pedal. The 650i convertible's already rigid body was reinforced for high performance driving, and suspension components are upgraded. Base price: $113,995.

Bentley GT Speed Convertible

The U.S. market continues to be Bentley's largest, and Bentley cites some great performance figures. A 616-horsepower twin-turbo W-12 engine propels it to 60 miles per hour in 4.1 seconds and top speed of 202 mph. Power is delivered to the ground through an eight-speed automatic transmission and all-wheel drive. Base price: TBA.



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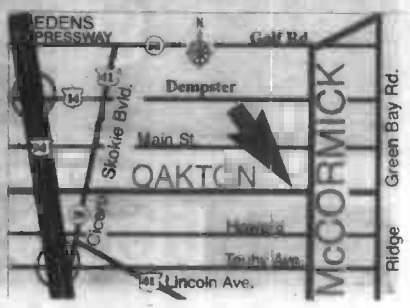

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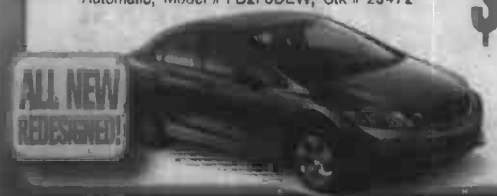

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National best: Toll Brothers' sales event offers a rare opportunity to take advantage of national manufacturer incentives. Pictured is the family room of the Harvard home. | SUPPLIED PHOTO

Toll Brothers, the nation's leading builder of luxury homes, is hosting a "National Sales Event" now through Feb. 24, offering substantial savings and incentive packages at its communities in South Barrington, Elgin and Morton Grove.

Home buyers will be able to customize their dream homes for less and get even more for their investment.

"The National Sales Event offers the perfect alignment of elements to make this a tremendous home-buying opportunity," said Kira Sterling, chief marketing officer. "This is a special chance to get so much more for your money and customize your home to your heart's content."

Buyers can choose from different savings packages which vary by community. Plus, manufacturers such as Kohler, Whirlpool, Yorktowne, Progress and Shaw are offering incentives that give buyers the opportunity to personalize their homes with upgraded carpet, hardwood flooring, cabinetry, appliances, faucets and more.

Toll Brothers has seen a significant increase in interest recently.

"The once-in-a-lifetime mortgage rates and incredible prices are driving buyers to see first-hand what they can afford," said Nicolle Gardiner, senior sales manager for Toll Brothers. "It's exciting to show them how much more they will get if they buy today."

Toll Brothers offers communities across greater Chicagoland.

"We invite everyone to come out to our communities and take a tour," said Ms. Gardiner. "We will provide details on this spectacular savings opportunity and walk you through a range of home designs so that you can see our quality and all the customizing possibilities you have when you build a Toll Brothers home."

In Morton Grove, buyers can take advantage of the final opportunity to own one of the stunning rowhomes at The Crossings at Morton Grove. These stylish residences are located just steps from the Metra and start in the mid-$300,000s offering three levels of living space plus a rooftop deck and a basement. Quick occupancy is available.

In Elgin, enjoy country club living at Bowes Creek Country Club, a premier golf club community surrounding the award-winning Rick Jacobson-designed public golf course. Buyers can choose from spacious townhomes or single-family homes with prices starting at $199,995. The newest collection of single-family homes, The Fairways, offers buyers an amazing value with 2,400- to 3,400-plus square-foot homes starting in the upper $200,000s.

Newest new home: This new home design, the Henley, is offered at The Woods of South Barrington. | SUPPLIED PHOTO

Buyers age 50 and older will want to find out more about Regency at Bowes Creek Country Club, a gated enclave of ranch and two-story single-family homes and townhomes within the Bowes Creek community. Residents of Regency enjoy access to a private clubhouse which features a pool, fitness center, tennis and bocce courts, a putting green, and a billiard room. Prices start at $199,995.

In South Barrington, Toll Brothers is offering luxury single-family homes from the $700,000s at The Woods of South Barrington. The Woods of South Barrington offers the largest home sites Toll Brothers offers anywhere in Chicagoland, providing the opportunity to expand a home with side additions, such as the first-floor guest suite or spacious sun room.

Regency at The Woods of South Barrington is the only age-50-plus community in South Barrington. Regency features a private gated entry and a well-appointed clubhouse affording residents the luxury of an on-site gym with scheduled classes, tennis, bocce, and shuffle board courts, a heated pool, and social rooms for banquets, billiards, or cards. Low-maintenance single-family ranch and two-story homes offer up to 3,400 square feet of living space and begin in the low $500,000s. A new section of home sites on a cul-de-sac street have just been released and are already selling quickly.

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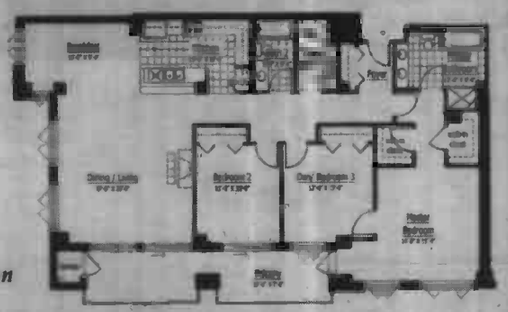

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Blended beauty: Choice of paint and furnishing style can create a new look in the bath, and modular units provide the storage you need without making it obvious. | SUPPLIED PHOTO

Home decor, design trends heat up

The top home decor trends for 2013 are already emerging, and homeowners seeking a fresh look will find a lot to love.

Not only can these looks be accomplished in minimal time. They're budget friendly and easy enough for DIYers to finish in a weekend or less.

Giving your home an updated feel doesn't require a full-scale renovation. Instead, focus on simple updates for the most frequently used rooms in your house. When you're ready to get started on your home's new look, let these trends of the year be your design guide.

In the kitchen

Kitchens need to be functional, but in this hub of the home style is just as important. Upholding practicality while adding visual interest is a top trend this season. Two-toned upper and lower cabinet colors are rapidly growing in popularity as a way to let homeowners customize their kitchen spaces and express their personalities.

- Maple is the style frontrunner when it comes to wooden cabinets, but painted cabinets in white, black and gray tones are also on the rise. Whether you opt to replace your cabinet fronts or paint them, your efforts will give you impressive and fast results.
- On the functionality front, innovative hands-free faucets simplify cooking and cleaning tasks while requiring minimal effort to install.
- Open shelving is seeing a boost in popularity. Both glass-fronted cabinets and simple open shelves capture this trend, allowing you to put your style on display while creating a sleek, updated look.

In the bath

A luxurious-feeling bath doesn't need to make big demands on your wallet. By making a few on-trend updates, you'll give your room designer appeal guaranteed to make an impression.

- Updating the vanity, often the focal point in a bathroom, provides immediate results. Customizable modular options let you create a storage-savvy vanity that fits virtually any bathroom while also adding functional drawer and countertop space.
- Tiling provides the perfect solution to add extra personality to your bath. Right now, trends offer two different but equally chic directions: large-scale tile and small-scale mosaics. Tiles with wood-like appearances are also gaining popularity; they create a warm, inviting look, but offer the wet-space practicality of tile. If it's your first time tiling, home improvement experts at stores like Lowe's can provide guidance to get startedwith your tile flooring.

Throughout the home

When it comes to low-effort, big-impact changes, it's hard to beat a fresh coat of paint. For walls that feel drab, boring or outdated, new paint makes a color statement and draws attention to architectural details. Follow these paint tips to make an instant, dramatic impression.

- Alter the dimensions of a space by painting ceilings a slightly lighter color than the walls.

Create patterns and shapes using painter's tape. Stripes, chevrons and ombre effects are perfectly on-trend.

- Highlight architectural details by painting interior doors and trim in a colorful hue instead of traditional white.

In one weekend or less, these simple changes will make your home feel like an entirely new space. So when the seasonal urge to renovate sets in, don't resist. Reinvigorate your home with these ideas.

— *Brandpoint*

Boost your productivity with home office upgrades

Not everyone has a home office that inspires productivity.

But if you work from home at all — and the Bureau of Labor Statistics says 24 percent of people employed outside the home do at least some of their work at home — having a comfortable, organized and appealing home office can make your job easier.

Home Business Magazine says there are around 38 million home-based businesses in the U.S., and 34.3 million to 36.6 million households with active home offices. That's a lot of home offices ... and a lot of ugly desks, dim lighting and clutter, too.

Many home offices are less the product of careful planning than something that evolves from a spare bedroom, bonus room or an extra corner in the basement. Even if your home office is more of an after-thought, it's possible to make some simple improvements that will enhance its appeal, and your productivity.

Here are four improvement and design choices that can help make your home office a hub of good business.

Begin with basics

Renovating any room should start with the simplest investment that also provides a big payoff: paint. Repainting is one of the cheapest, easiest ways to completely change the look of a room. A fresh coat of paint, no matter what color, imparts a sense of freshness and energy to a room. It has just the kind of effect that can enhance your productivity.

When choosing a color for your home office, keep in mind that the hue should serve as a backdrop, not a distraction. Red may be your favorite color, and one you love in your bedroom, but home workers often spend eight hours a day or more in their home offices. Will the color you choose hold up to that kind of intense togetherness?

Invest in storage

Clutter in your home can range from simply annoying to downright depressing. In your home office, it can spell disaster in the form of lost paperwork, missing projects and even lost business.

Plenty of storage and an organizational system that makes the most of it are essential for your home office. Whether you opt for open shelving, locking file cabinets, a desk with ample drawers or a combination of storage types, it's important to find solutions that work for you and fit your home office space.

Light, naturally

Of course you're aware of the importance of good lighting in an office setting, but did you know that ample natural lighting can boost your productivity?

The mood-boosting effects of natural light are well documented, with many studies showing that office workers exposed to daylight throughout their work day are happier, healthier and more productive than those who function only under artificial light.

In your home office, ample natural light from sources such as a skylight can help reduce Seasonal Affective Disorder (SAD), eyestrain and stress. These are all ailments that stand in the way of productivity.

"Adding a skylight to your home office can be a cost-effective way to ensure you get plenty of natural light during office hours," said Ross Vandermark of VELUX America, makers of Energy Star-qualified skylights. "What's more, a properly installed, energy-efficient skylight can help you control heating, cooling and lighting costs in your home office. If you opt for a fresh air skylight, it can also help enhance the air quality in your work space."

Even if your office is on the ground floor, you may be able to add a skylight. An option is "tunnel tubular skylights," which allow you to bring natural light to virtually anywhere in your home.

Still not sure of the benefit in a home office setting? Add the latest solar powered fresh air skylight and an energy-efficient solar powered blind to your home office and the products, as well as the installation, will be eligible for a 30 percent federal tax credit as a green home improvement.

Sound it out

Noise can be a huge distraction, whether you're on deadline for a major project or on a conference call with a new client. Simple soundproofing steps can help you reduce noise in your home office, without costing you a mint.

Start with a good quality, thick carpet, which will help dampen sound. Next, add thick drapes and fabric surfaces such as an upholstered chair. Fabrics help reduce the movement of sound waves.

With more Americans working from home, creating an inviting, inspiring office space is more important than ever.

— Brandpoint

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Stronger market equals better deals at Millbrook Pointe

With the housing market trending up and mortgage rates at an all time low, now is the perfect time to buy a home, according to Gary Levitas, president of Northfield Group.

The influx of more buyers into the market is driving prices up. That's why Levitas encourages potential buyers looking for a luxury townhome to visit Millbrook Pointe and tour his elegant three and four bedroom townhomes priced affordably from $289,900 in a premier Wheeling location.

An abundance of choices in home style and location are available this spring and summer now that Phase II construction on four buildings is under way. Another benefit to the consumer is $10,000 worth of incentives that include upgrades such as a finished basement, hardwood floors, high-end appliances and elegant kitchen cabinets, plus much more.

Many owners have praised Northfield Group's policy of total customization within the footprint of their floor plans.

"We address our buyer's expectations and offer many choices to help them transform their home into a true reflection of their lifestyle," said Levitas.

"We will enlarge a bedroom or relocate a bathroom and help select the most stylish finishes. Our goal is to provide our customers with value and quality. I want them to love their new home and recognize that they got a great buy that will appreciate in years to come."

Recent buyers, Ellen and David Kay, customized their home to their heart's content.

"We selected different cabinets, hardware, backsplash, light fixtures and ceiling fans and then Gary installed all the products we purchased. Dealing with Gary was like working with a custom builder but at production builder pricing," said Ellen.

Levitas reconfigured the kitchen by adding an additional row of cabinets over and under the existing counter for extra storage. In the master bath, the couple wanted a larger walk-in shower with a shower seat, so Gary reconfigured the entire bathroom to accommodate their request. In the powder room he substituted a vanity in lieu of the standard pedestal sink so the Kays could have additional counter space.

Special offers: Incentives valued at $10,000 include hardwood floors, high-end stainless steel appliances, upgraded wood cabinets, and a finished basement. | SUPPLIED PHOTO

Buyers are delighted with their high quality products such as Pella wood windows, solid core six-panel wood doors, stainless steel appliances, granite countertops, site stained wood floors, recessed lighting throughout, 3¼-inch base moldings and casings around the windows and doors, large back deck, and two-car garage.

The Kays think that their 2,400-square-foot rowhome feels like a single family home without the work. The spacious family room boasts a floor-to-ceiling bay window that brings in lots of natural light and overlooks a gazebo and fountain.

Customers are impressed by the innovative floor plans and excited about all the new features and improvements to existing townhome designs at Millbrook Pointe. Premium lots are available and construction can be completed in as little as four months, giving buyers enough time to make their finish selections and customize their homes.

You can choose from two upscale townhome plans. One offers four bedrooms and 3½ baths with a first-floor master suite. The other is a three-bedroom, 2½-bath traditional layout. Features include separate living room, two-story great room, spacious kitchen with granite countertops and a center island, vaulted ceilings, outdoor deck, and 9-foot basement.

If you like the way a rowhome looks and flows, check out a charming three-story rowhome design featuring two or three bedrooms and 2½ baths. Two plans showcase a family room that can be converted to a guest suite, an open kitchen, separate living room and dining room, master bedroom with private balcony, and another large balcony or terrace.

In addition to Millbrook Pointe, Northfield Group is building scattered site single family homes in the northern suburbs and Chicago.

To visit Millbrook Pointe, from Interstate 294 North, exit Lake Cook Road, go west to 516 N. Milwaukee Ave. The sales office is open daily from 11 a.m. to 5 p.m. Call (847) 347-2300 or visit millbrookpointe.com.

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Fox Lake

2120 Mickey Ln: Jurczak, Daniel & Danuta; $384,000

4126 Miller Dr: Malik, Khalid & Leaguedi, Sophia; $520,000

1477 Monterey Dr: Finkel, Linda & Noah; $1,425,000

600 Naples Ct 302: Alunkal, Isaac; $100,000

43 Parkview Rd: Kepka, James B; $354,500

1233 Pfingsten Rd: Becker, Christopher & Heather; $345,000

633 Quincy Bridge Ln 301: Kucharska, Maria J; $72,500

3091 Valcour Dr: Klein, Samuel & Yana; $537,000

3093 Valcour Dr: Huh, Grace K & Richard L; $474,500

3153 Valcour Dr: Stesin, Yuriy; $433,000

702 Waukegan Rd 302: Modica, Sharon; $165,000

Grayslake

33321 N Gagewood Ln: Strohman, Brian & Christina; $163,000

Kenilworth

531 Essex Rd: Wejman, James & Janet; $3,700,000

Lake Forest

1142 Pine Oaks Cir: Tanaka, David F & Deirdre M; $598,000

1560 S Ridge Rd: Cut, Charles H & Carley R; $1,600,000

644 Timber Ln: Johnson, Daphne D; $745,000

Libertyville

1551 Rudd Ct: Parsons, Amy & Robert A; $417,500

1605 S Falcon Dr: Soto, Germaine & Valdez, Carlos; $332,500

Lincolnshire

15200 W Apple Orchard Ln: Malaca, Tomasz Jarek & Regula, Monika K; $212,000

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1742 Natures Way: Murphy, Larry E; $242,000

3050 Trail Crest Ln: Dehenr, Bryan K & Vanessa F; $446,500

Morton Grove

7345 Arcadia St: Lambert, Patrice; $215,000

8440 Callie Ave 201: Cho, Andrew; $116,000

5700 Carol Ave: Levin, Daniel E; $258,000

5501 Lincoln Ave 211: Kania, Artur; $66,500

7823 Luna Ave: Basue, Ronza & Malko H; $355,000

8912 Marmora Ave: Rehman, Salman & Avichal, Rakesh; $176,000

8634 Narragansett Ave: McFadden, William & Karen L; $352,500

Mundelein

3453 Epstein Cir: Warlin, Joan L; $245,000

832 Handley Ct: Becharas, George; $95,000

213 N California Ave: Cordova, Humberto; $115,000

64 N Lincoln Ave: Subgrunski Ii, Ronald A & Dover, Karianne R; $135,000

19539 W University Dr: Gomez, Maria; $125,500

Niles

8322 N Octavia Ave: Vasquez, Adolfo F & Martha; $184,000

9280 N Woodland Dr: Ismail, Joseph; $152,000

6911 W Howard St: Janish, David & Conklin, Keith; $202,000

7407 W Main St: Kupresak, Dragisa & Mirela; $215,000

7117 W Niles Ave: Nikola, Adwar; $135,500

5339 W Oakton St: Bicaldo, Rizaldy; $198,500

8224 W Park Ave: Mietus, Krzysztof & Bronisla W; $88,500

Northbrook

814 Colonnades Dr: Velasco, Elmer & Gorelik, Julia; $224,500

3950 Crestwood Dr: Milvihill, David J & Memmos, Elni; $440,000

4301 Exeter Ln: Bortnik, Yadviga & Karina; $440,000

449 Lee Rd: Abramson, David & Leslie; $700,000

1671 Mission Hills Rd 508: Hackney, Clay J & Gude, Aimee G; $177,500

2735 Prince St: Eitz, Eric; $620,000

1657 Silver Pine Dr: Arons, Andrew D & Melanie J; $500,000

3415 Tamarind Dr: Hwan, Tae & Hee, Sook; $199,000

1136 Voltz Rd: Elsen, Jennifer K; $487,000

2121 Walters Ave: Samson, Matthew B & Sarah A; $480,000

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16636 Thoroughbred Dr: Kephart III, Wilbur; $510,000

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13784 Duffy Ln: Gavrilov, Karina Lyon; $430,000

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Skokie

8108 Crawford Ave: Jazo, Rosa & Jesus; $160,000

9201 Drake Ave 105S: Leib, Arleen; $67,500

4900 Foster St 405: Lim, Edward; $75,000

9560 Gross Point Rd B 205: Wishner, Robert M & Eileen K; $118,500

9801 Gross Point Rd 309: Theodoropoulos, Thomas C; $97,500

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4261 Lee St: Superstein, David & Judith; $429,000

9421 Lorel Ave: Davila, Elmer A; $205,000

9224 Lowell Ave: Azeem, Ali S; $320,000

8714 Niles Center Rd: Poulis, Riadh A Masih; $105,000

4443 Oakton St: Nagapetov, Yana; $304,000

8342 Ridgeway Ave: Lettner, Martha & James; $115,000

9104 Samoset Trl: Gill, Parveen S; $232,000

9715 Woods Dr 1805: Zhukovsky, Irina; $180,000

9715 Woods Dr 505: Yoon, Eounju; $200,000

4819 Wright Ter: Varda, Anoosh; $209,500

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575 Central Park Pl: Thakkar, Mayank & Jani Thakkar, Deepa; $395,000

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1019 N Lewis Ave: Will, Sara M; $89,000

Wilmette

1234 Glendenning Rd: Badovinac, Peter & Kathleen M; $1,205,000

339 Greenleaf Ave D: Strening, Colleen C; $345,000

2539 Lake Ave: Fondell, Joel D & Macpherson, Joan E; $310,000

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3303 Wilmette Ave: Lichtfuss, Christina; $341,000

Winnetka

812 Oak St 201: Stadheim, Rolf & Kathy; $430,000

500 Sheridan Rd: Morgan, Brian J & Amanda M; $775,000

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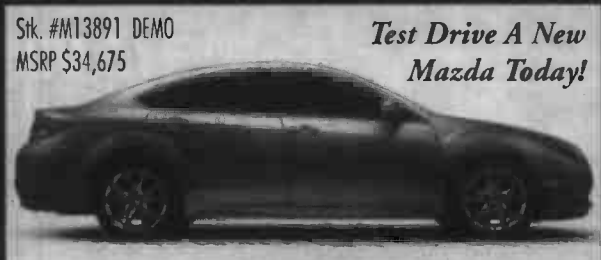

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Feisty females build vibrant lives in 'Little Women'

The cast of "Little Women — the Musical" are (clockwise, from left), Christine Morgan as Beth, Johanna Moffitt as Meg, Mary Margaret Roberts as Amy, and Molly Kral as Jo.

BY MYRNA PETLICKI | Contributor

Corey Mills feels a special connection to "Little Women — The Musical."

"It's a story that's pretty close to my heart," the director said. "It features strong women and I was raised by my mother and grandmother who, like Jo, went out and did whatever they needed to for the people that they love."

Mills is directing the story of Jo March, her three sisters and their mother for the James Downing Theatre. The musical by Allen Knee (book), Mindi Dickstein (lyrics) and Jason Howland (music) is an adaptation of Louisa May Alcott's classic novel, which is partially based on her life. It tells how the March women fend for themselves while their father and husband is fighting in the Civil War.

The director noted that the five women at the center of the story are "standouts" for their time.

"They do go after what they want," said Mills. "They don't let obstacles get in their way of pursuing what they want to do."

Molly Kral plays aspiring writer Jo, based on author Alcott. Although Kral hadn't read the novel before accepting the lead role, she is a longtime fan of the movie and the musical.

Kral joked that Jo is the right role for her because, "I'm a little feisty. I'm a redhead, so that adds to it."

On a more serious note, she added, "I think Jo has some pretty valuable moments where she speaks her mind because she needs to and that's something that I admire in people."

Skokie resident Regina Webster plays two small roles — Jo's Aunt March and also Mrs. Kirk, Jo's Irish landlady when she moves to New York.

Webster said that she sees Aunt March as an old school person.

"She's moneyed but very much stuck in the old ways. I think the show is about the edge between the old and the new. Even Jo wants to keep thing the way they were, with all the girls being together and pledging to be one family. But as we grow, we have to change. We fall in love and other things happen. Aunt March is the symbol of trying to stay in the old ways. She's sort of an anachronism."

The performer has a chance to exercise her vocal skills in "Could You?," Aunt March's duet with Jo. In that number, Aunt March is trying to cajole Jo into changing her ways so she can take her to Europe because she sees something in Jo.

"Jo is really feisty and Aunt March is really feisty. She wants Jo to kind of carry on her legacy," Webster said.

The actor is particularly pleased that she is also cast as Mrs. Kirk, even though the landlady only appears in one scene. "I get to play two completely different characters," she noted. "So I'm having a great old time." ■

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Supernatural interference

Maybe it's a curse, or one of them is a vampire, but there's something otherworldly keeping this couple apart. Best Pick: *The Time Traveler's Wife.*

Smart choice

One half of the potential duo might have, gasp! glasses, but the smart, straightforward plain Jane (or Joe) triumphs in the end. Best Pick: *Jane Eyre.*

The inconvenient fiance

Everybody knows the one they're with isn't who they really love, but baby steps. Best Pick: *Gone with the Wind.*

Forced separation

War, pestilence or perhaps just a cross-country job move, threatens to keep lovebirds apart. Best Pick: *The Odyssey.*

Movies

Before: "The Amazing Spider-Man" prior to using Katana to add details of background, color and lighting.

And after: A post-Katana Spider-Man worthy to be called "Amazing."

Skokie native wins Oscar for visual effects

BY BRUCE INGRAM | Contributor

These days, when you see an animated film or a live-action film with animated visual effects, there's a good chance it was created with the assistance of a relatively new piece of computer graphics software called Katana.

Which explains why Skokie native Jeremy Selan will soon be receiving an Academy Award for technical achievement. Selan, along

with two other software developers at Sony Imageworks — the special-effects wing of Sony Pictures — are the folks who created Katana.

Though it began as a program meant to replace a clunky piece of image-compositing software (for mixing live-action footage and visual effects together via the green-screen process) at Imageworks, it soon became clear that Katana had much more wide-ranging potential.

Once up and running, Katana was used to simplify and streamline the work flow involved in Sony animated films, such as 2007's "Surf's Up." Then in 2009, a commercial partner was brought on to sell the technology to other studios and special-effects companies such as Industrial Light and Magic. As a result, Katana has now been used in dozens of major productions such as "The Amazing Spider-Man," Tim Burton's "Alice in Wonderland," "Men in Black 3," "Cloudy with a Chance of Meatballs" and the upcoming "Oz the Great and Powerful."

"I think we're getting the award this year, because the Academy recognizes our influence on the industry," said the 1997 Niles North grad, who had envisioned a career in computer-chip design before taking a course in computer graphics his senior year at Cornell. "That's when I fell in love with moviemaking and computer graphics. I thought, this is going to be a million times more fun."

So, what does Katana do, precisely?

Selan puts it this way:

"When they're watching 'The Amazing Spider-Man,' people assume that the Spider-Man they see swinging through New York City is a fake — that he was created in the computer," he explained. "But the entire city in those shots are also computer-generated. They may not realize that, because there's so much complexity there. There are people walking on the street, cars moving, etc.

And the Academy Award goes to ... Skokie native Jeremy Selan.

— all the complexity you get in the real world.

"Just imagine the challenge involved in creating lighting effects for the city of New York, with 10,000 windows and light sources, where you have to create headlights for every car moving on the streets."

Katana, he added, allows artists to work with that complexity in an easy way, mainly by letting them divide the background into segments — a single building for example, or a section of the sky and embellish it with new elements or color and lighting effects. Then save those changes and move on.

Though Katana is now "part of the standard set of tools everybody uses to do this work," Selan mentioned that they are already working on improvements.

"Software is never done," he said. "There are always things you want to make better. That's what we're doing now, working on the next version, which we hope will blow the previous one away." ■

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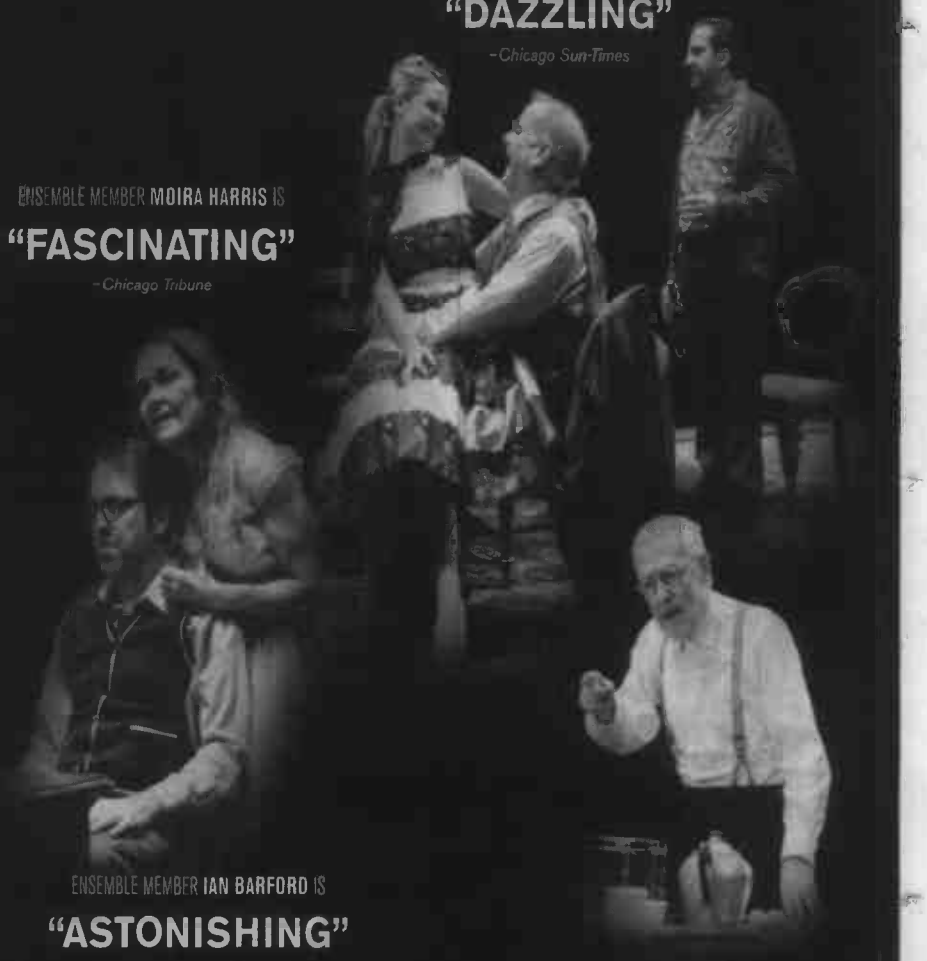

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Local stars shine for autism on Oscar night

BY VERONICA HINKE | Contributor

"I want people to feel like they're actually at the Oscars," said Teri Steinberg.

The Highland Park mom is co-founder of "An Evening with the Stars," set for Feb. 24 at the InterContinental Chicago O'Hare in Rosemont.

So, the stars — celebrity hosts Mark Nilsson, Ted Brunson and Patti Vasquez — will come out, and "fashion reporters" will, in true Hollywood Oscar night style, interview guests about their clothing as they walk a red carpet into a theater.

Some 300 attendees will view televised Oscar coverage on multiple giant screens. "It feels like you're right there in California, celebrating," said Steinberg.

"An Evening with the Stars" is the fifth annual toast to the 85th annual Academy Awards. But it's also a fundraiser for autism, sponsored by the Chicagoland chapter of Autism Speaks. Last year, the

"Evening with the Stars" co-founder Teri Steinberg with husband Mo, son Billy and comedian Aaron Freeman at 2012's "Evening with the Stars." | PHOTO BY SHERYL THOMAS

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event raised $150,000.

"This year, I'm sure we'll raise even more," said Laura Ashman, an event organizer.

Ashman has done her part to make that happen. For months, she's been drumming up auction items. She's especially excited about a donated basketball signed by Chicago Bull Derrick Rose. And her Riverwoods neighbor, pastry chef Gale Gand, will donate a cooking lesson at Elawa Farm in Lake Forest. Gand will also donate signed items, including an apron and her cookbook, *Gale Gand's Brunch* (Crown Publishing Group, 2009).

Steinberg, a Highland Park mom who has experienced living with autism first-hand through her son Billy, also hopes that guests learn more about autism through the event. The hosts will announce facts and information about autism during commercial breaks from the awards show.

"The audience is there for the Academy Awards, but they're also really receptive to learning about what the event is about," Vasquez said. "Last year, we ran informational videos that later became TV advertisements."

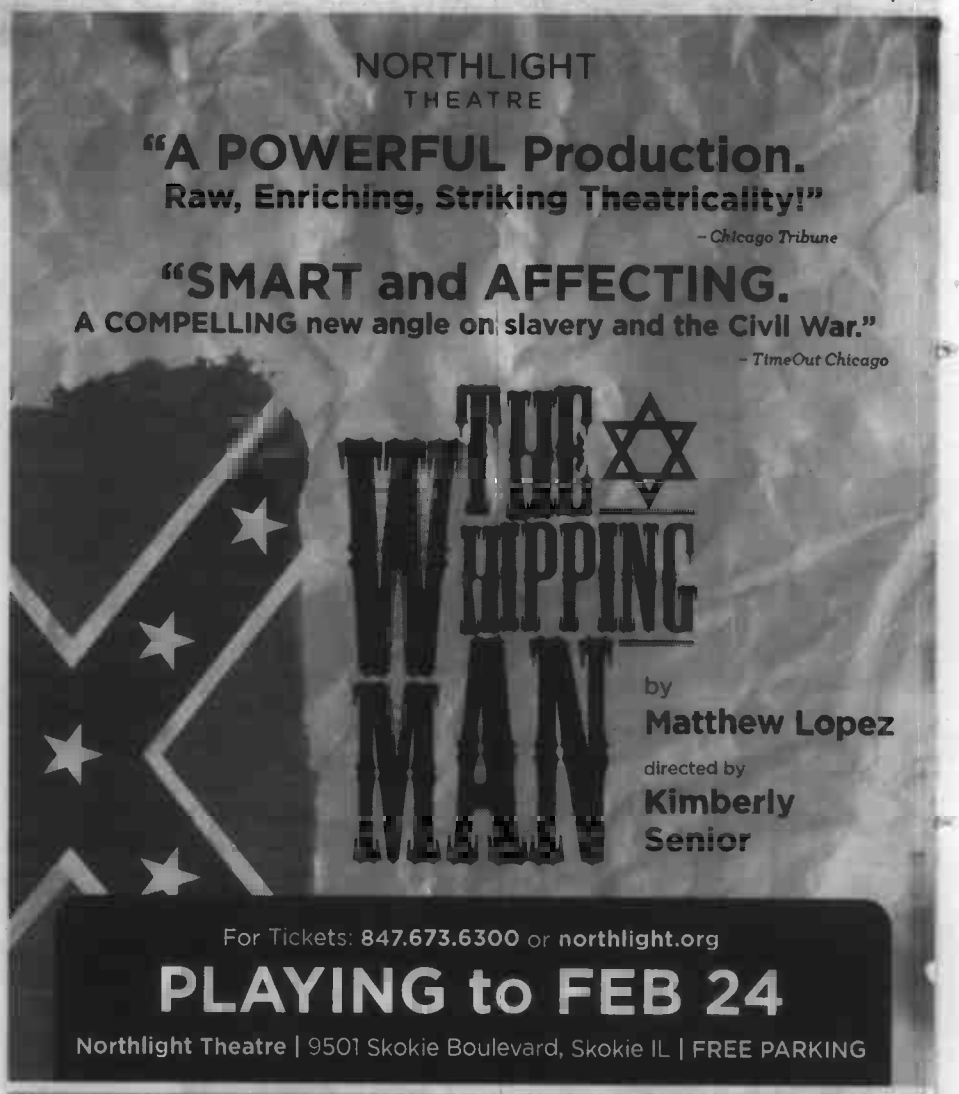
Vasquez, comedian and Chicago mom, will share the story of her life, including experiences with her seven-year-old son with special needs, Declan, through a new reality show on the Oprah Winfrey Network, "My Life is a Joke."

But as Vasquez will explain at the event, the statistics on autism are sobering. Autism Speaks reports that one in 88 children is diagnosed with autism, which is a general term used to describe a group of complex developmental brain disorders. The disorder, which is caused by a combination of genes and environmental influences, is characterized by varying degrees of communication difficulties, social and behavioral challenges, and repetitive behaviors.

The event is as much about education as about entertainment.

Ashman has learned a lot about autism through her son, Sander. "If you were to ask me, like some do, I would tell you that I would not change a thing about my experience with autism, or my fabulous son, Sander, she said. "He has no pretense, no ego.

"You get a sense that everyone in the room is there for the same reason. It's about helping out kids," Ashman said. "It's really a beautiful thing." ■



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Living in harmony suits Ars Viva couples

BY DOROTHY ANDRIES | Contributor

Did music bring them together? Does music keep them together? People do marry the people they meet at work, so it's no surprise that musicians marry musicians.

Still, the Ars Viva Symphony Orchestra, which plays at the North Shore Center in Skokie, has an especially large number of married couples, either as regulars or frequent substitutes.

Francis Lynch and Mary Jo Deysach | PHOTO BY GAYLE HEATHERINGTON

Gayle Heatherington, executive director and board member of Ars Viva, founded and conducted by her husband Alan Heatheringon, did the math and found 16 players, eight couples. "That's about 30 percent of the orchestra," she marveled. "I think that's probably quite unusual. Plus we have two board members who are also married, Mary Jo Deysach and Francis Lynch."

Deysach and Lynch met in November of 1997 after the last of three outreach concerts Ars Viva had contracted the Chicago Master Singers, which Heatherington also conducts. Lynch is a tenor in the ensemble.

"A group of 12 or so went to Gulliver's to celebrate Alan's birthday," Deysach recalled. "Francis and I started talking about the music of Gerald Finzi and Wordsworth's 'Great Ode' and the rest is history." They married in the fall of 2000 and live in Evanston.

Michael Buckwalter, principal horn in Ars Viva, had a good long time to get to know his future wife, Elizabeth Anderson, a member of the orchestra's cello section. "We met during a 17-week run of 'Carousel' playing in Marriott's ensemble," he said. "Marrying her was the best thing I ever did."

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Violinists Ilya and Olga Kaler

Trumpeters Barbara Butler and Charles Geyer

Charles Geyer are married and live in Lincolnshire. Butler points out advantages of playing together in an ensemble: "camaraderie, empathy, sharing of social circle, carpooling. Playing the same instrument we have so much in common, shared knowledge, shared library," she added.

"Working together is 99 percent wonderful, one percent challenging," she admitted. "In performances we are instantly simpatico ... but making musical decisions during rehearsals can be amusing. One of our colleagues listening to us debate how a phrase should go, likened it to two lion cubs swatting at each other before settling down to the feast."

Violinists Ilya Kaler and Olga Kaler, who live in Wilmette, also play the same instrument. Initially, however, Olga was a star-struck 16-year old from Odessa in Ukraine, who was in the audience for the 1986 Tchaikovsky competition in Moscow. It was the third major international competition in which then 23-year old Ilya won first prize. They spoke after the concert, but it took a number of years and several other passing encounters until they really spoke, following a concert in 1994. As he walked off the stage he stopped in front of Olga and said, in Russian, "I couldn't forget your face. Where have I seen you before?"

"This time he remembered me well," she added, with obvious pleasure. "We were married in 1997."

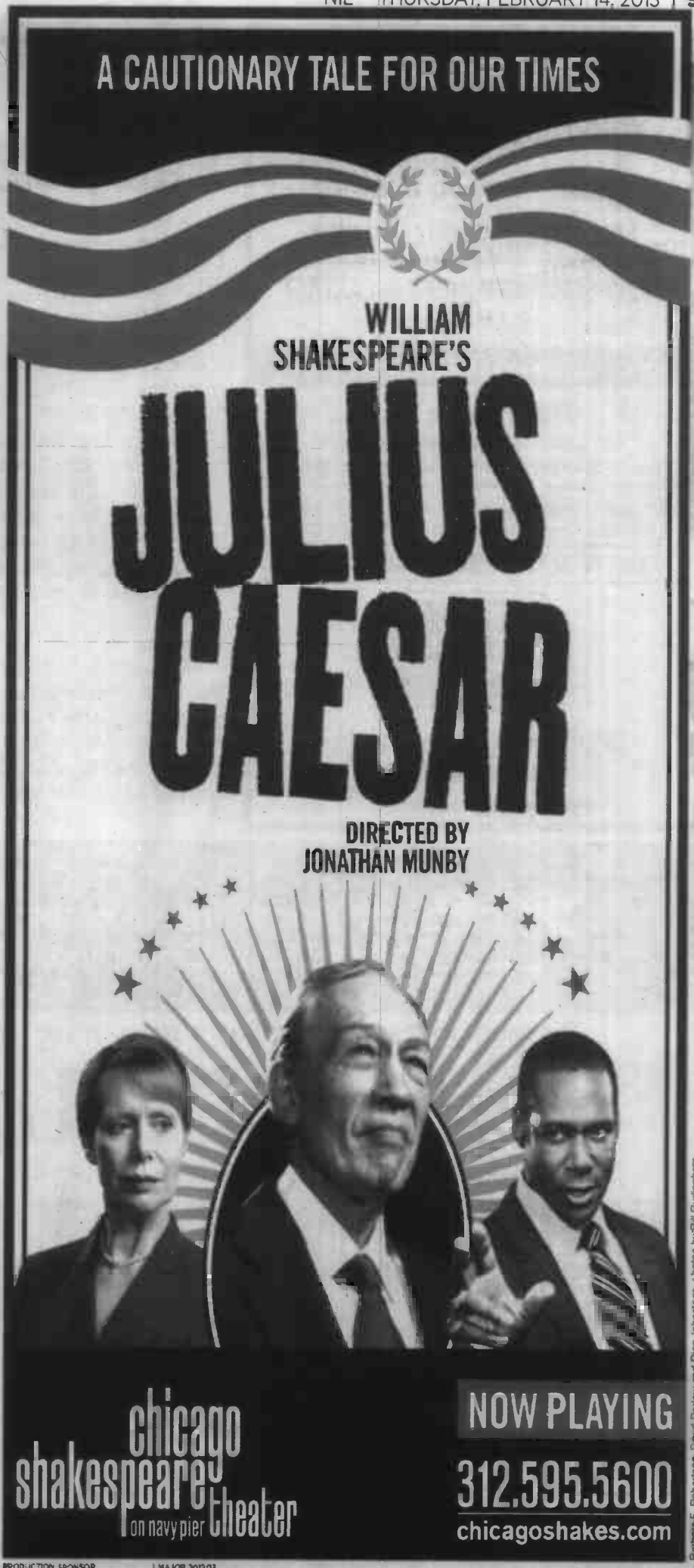
The couple performs together not only in Ars Viva, but also share a stand in the Lake Forest Symphony, where Ilya is concertmaster and she is principal associate concertmaster.

London-born Roger Chase and his wife Yukiko Ogura, who was born in Nara, Japan, are both violists. Ogura, a member of the Chicago Symphony Orchestra, met Chase at a Thanksgiving dinner at the home of a mutual friend. "Afterwards we rode the same train homeward," Chase explained, "and talked about the music we heard as kids."

In addition to Ars Viva, the two play in chamber groups in Chicago. "We actually love playing together," Chase said. "We have a small pile of duos which we play in friends' houses or in pubs in England and Japan."

As for the Heatheringtons, who will be married 19 years in March, they each have their own office in their Libertyville home. "Alan studies scores almost every day," Gayle said. "I'm working more and more as a graphic designer, but my main occupation is executive director of Ars Viva. He conducts the Chicago Master Singers and I'm a member of the first alto section, plus I serve on the board. We've been known to email each other from our separate offices!"

Explaining their harmonious relationship, Gayle observes, "We love all the same things and love each other. What else can I say ..." ■



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Fairy tales get a reality TV twist

BY MYRNA PETLICKI | Contributor

Snow White has her pick of dwarves on "The Bachelorette." The house of the Wicked Witch from "The Wizard of Oz" gets an "Extreme Makeover."

Those are a couple of the creative twists that the 10 writer/actors, ages 10-14, are putting on fairy tales in "Twice Upon a Time." The sketch comedy revue runs at 4 p.m. Saturday, Feb. 16 and Sundays, Feb. 17 and 24, at Gorilla Tango's Skokie Theatre, 7924 Lincoln Ave.

"Some of the sketches are in the public domain but most of it was written by the cast," reported director/producer Victoria Montalbano. The tale of Cinderella pops up a couple of times in the show, Montalbano noted. "We have something from the stepsisters' point of view and from the prince's point of view."

Two 16-year-old assistant directors "helped a lot with the writing process," Montalbano said.

Tickets are $12

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Film Clips

BY BRUCE INGRAM | Film Critic

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BEAUTIFUL CREATURES

★★½
Rated
PG-13 for violence, scary images and some sexual material
Stars
Alden Ehrenreich, Alice Englert, Jeremy Irons, Emma Thompson
A small-town high school boy (Ehrenreich) falls in love with a teenage witch (Englert), with the fate of the world is at stake. Richard LaGravenes ("Freedom Writers") wrote and directed the supernatural romance, based on a best-selling series of books.

ESCAPE FROM PLANET EARTH

Rated
PG for action and some mild rude humor
Stars
Brendan Fraser, Sarah Jessica Parker, Jessica Alba, Ricky Gervais
Astronaut Scorch Supernova (Fraser) finds himself trapped after responding to an SOS on a dangerous planet. Cal Brunker makes his feature directorial debut.

A GOOD DAY TO DIE HARD

Rated
R for violence and language
Stars
Bruce Willis, Jai Courtney, Sebastian Koch
During a trip to Russia, Det. John McClane (Willis) learns that his son (Courtney) is actually a CIA agent tracking a deadly terrorist — and decides to get involved in his patented manner.

Bruce Willis stars in "A Good Day to Die Hard."

SAFE HAVEN

Rated
PG-13 for thematic material involving threatening behavior, and for violence and sexuality
Stars
Julianne Hough, Josh Duhamel
A young woman (Hough) with a mysterious past forms a bond with a widower (Duhamel) that forces her to confront a dark secret. Lasse Hallstrom ("Salmon Fishing in the Yemen") directed the romance, based on a novel by Nicholas Sparks.

STILL PLAYING

IDENTITY THIEF

★★½
Rated
R for sexual content and language
Stars
Jason Bateman, Melissa McCarthy
If you can get past the fact that the plot is preposterous and one of the characters is a violent, amoral lunatic and all you're expecting is a few decent laughs, "Identity Thief" isn't bad, really. It's better than a throat punch from McCarthy, in any case, who doles them out frequently as loveable sociopath con-artist Diana, who steals the identity of mild-mannered businessman Sandy (Bateman). To save his credit rating, his reputation and his job, Sandy decides to track Diana down personally, leading to all manner of action-comedy craziness involving a long road trip from Florida to Chicago, with homicidal drug dealers and a bad-guy bounty hunter in hot pursuit. Nothing about it makes sense, but the comedy does deliver on the humorous side, thanks to nice comic chemistry between wild-woman McCarthy and straight-man-par-excellence Bateman. It's just a shame the script doesn't give them much to work with.

SIDE EFFECTS

★★★
Rated
R for sexuality, nudity, violence and language
Stars
Jude Law, Rooney Mara, Channing Tatum
It's possible that the cool, cerebral "Side Effects" might be too clever for its own good, but how long has it been — in this era of generic, formulaic fare — since you last saw a movie that kept you guessing? Apparently the final theatrical feature by director Steven Soderbergh ("Magic Mike") before switching to TV, "Side Effects" is a narrative chameleon that shifts through four or five different genres, beginning as a domestic/medical drama. When her husband (Tatum), comes home from prison, loyal wife Emily (Mara) slips into a suicidal depression. Then she winds up in the care of nice-guy psychiatrist Dr. Banks (Law), who prescribes a drug that ultimately leads Emily to commit a shocking act that sends her to prison. Or so it seems.

STAND UP GUYS

★★½
Rated
R for language, sexual content, violence and brief drug use
Stars
Christopher Walken, Alan Arkin, Al Pacino, Julianna Margulies
The best thing about "Stand Up Guys" is Al Pacino, Christopher Walken and Alan Arkin (together for the first time) as retirement-age tough guys out for one last hurrah. Doc (Walken) is living a quiet life of painting sunsets until his best friend Val (Pacino) is released from prison — where he's spent 28 years because he refused to implicate anyone in an armed-robbery shootout. Doc treats Val to an evening of hookers and hardcore partying, but there's a problem. A vengeful mob boss has ordered Doc to kill his friend or die with him. The three Oscar winners make it all work fine, though, despite the extremely improbable places the script takes them, lending far more substance to their characters than this otherwise ho-hum tragic-comic crime drama deserves.

WARM BODIES

★★★
Rated
PG-13 for zombie violence and some language
Stars
Nicholas Hoult, Teresa Palmer, Rob Corddry, John Malkovich
Falling in love can be complicated, even if you're not dead. Fortunately, though, in writer/director Jonathan Levine's horror-comedy romance "Warm Bodies," angst-ridden young zombie R (Hoult) isn't going to let a little thing like lifelessness stop him. And the result is the first unexpected charmer of the new year. As charming as a brain-eating zombie movie can be, that is. R falls for Julie (Palmer) after eating the brain of her boyfriend, as his awakened heart slowly restores his humanity in general — along with the rest of the zombie community. That's a game changer for the post-apocalyptic world, where the surviving humans are losing their battle with the zombies and the bonies — a meaner breed of the living dead. ■

Movie Review

Love casts an adolescent spell in 'Beautiful Creatures'

BY BRUCE INGRAM | Film Critic

'Beautiful Creatures'

★★½

This so-so supernatural teen romance is sort of like "Twilight," basically, except it's about witches instead of vampires and the perpetually menaced mortal is a boy.

Alden Ehrenreich and Alice Englert star in "Beautiful Creatures."

Who doesn't flex his shirtless muscles even once, if memory serves.

Based on a best-selling series of books by Kami Garcia and Margaret Stohl, "Beautiful Creatures" is equally concerned with the struggle between good and evil on a cosmic scale and the exquisite agonies of young love. With the satisfaction of sticking it to the popular kids in school thrown in at no extra charge.

All of this gets under way quickly when 15-year-old Lena Duchannes (Alice Englert) shows up in tiny little Gatlin, S.C. and moves into the forbidding gothic mansion of her semi-evil-warlock uncle Macon (Jeremy Irons).

Seventeen-year-old Ethan Wate (Alden Ehrenreich) immediately takes notice, partially because Lena looks a lot like the girl in a recurring dream he's been having (in which he's always struck by lightning; dude, take a hint) and partially because she immediately disses the local mean/popular girls, who accuse her of devil worship and dressing weirdly. And then have hysterical hissy fits when all the windows in their classroom mysteriously implode.

Despite the fact that Lena is a disdainful sort who insults him continuously, Ethan is convinced they are soul mates and, in fact, as fellow social outliers, they do eventually bond over a fondness for banned books and the poetry of Charles Bukowski.

But there's still one little problem that needs to be addressed, namely, the fact that Lena is a young witch with exceedingly mind-boggling powers who will be claimed by either the forces of light or darkness on her 16th birthday. If it turns out she's born to be bad, the entirely evil Sarafine (Emma Thompson) has plans to use her to rule the world.

There are plenty of magical subplots to keep things needlessly complicated, including Ethan and Lena's connection to another ill-advised mortal/witch romance during the Civil War, plus a Duchannes-family curse that can only be broken by Ethan's untimely death. And there's just enough spell-casting action to keep the scenario from becoming too lethargic. Yet, as in "Twilight," the only thing that really matters is whether or not the young paramours are joined in love's sweet song.

Which is to be expected, of course, though it's also a little suspect, considering dark witch Sarafine's forcefully expressed views on the subject — and the impressionable age of the young ladies being targeted by the tale.

"Love's just a trick of the mind," she says. "It's a spell, invented by mortal men, to give women something to play with instead of power."

Pay no attention, though; she's the bad guy.

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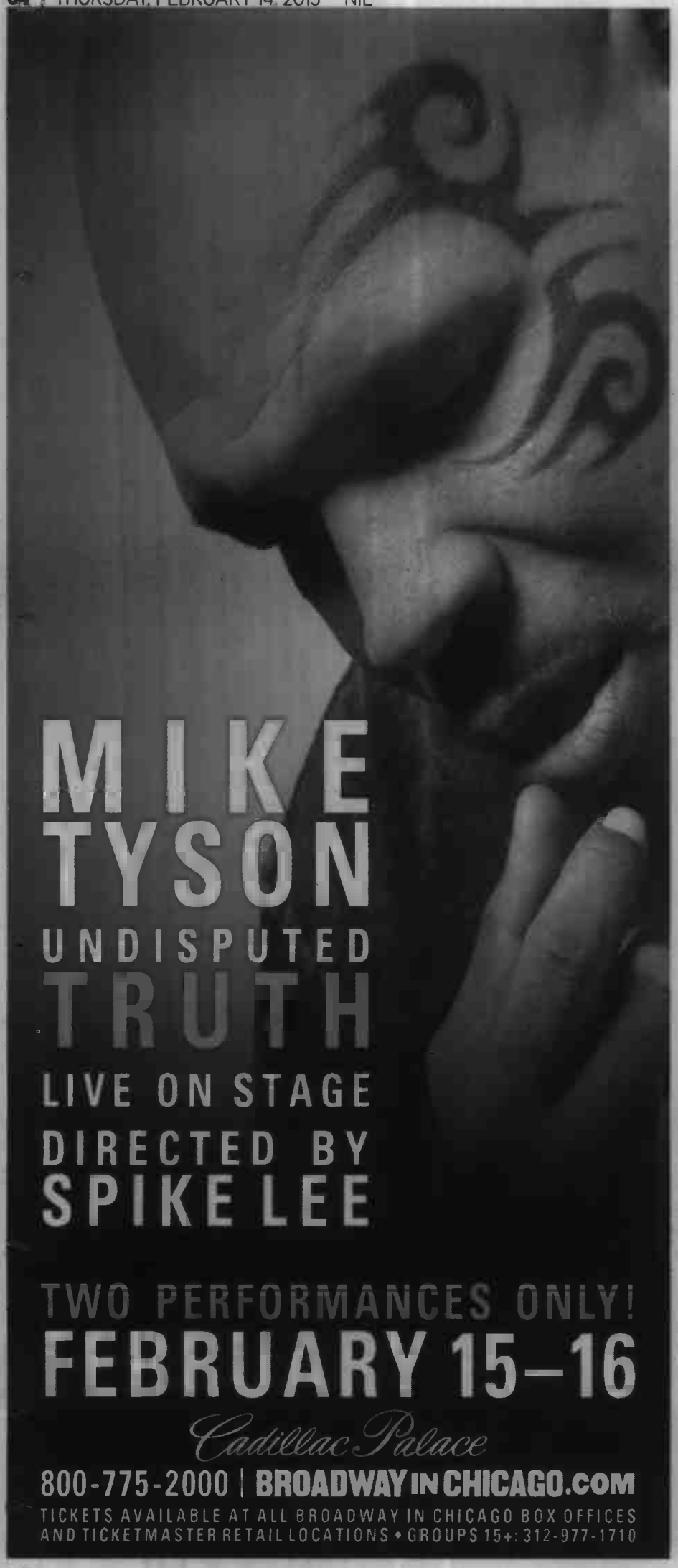

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Equity actors from the Shakespeare Project of Chicago present a theatrical reading of Shakespeare's comedy at 7 p.m. **Feb. 22** at the Niles Public Library, 6960 Oakton St., Niles. Visit www.nileslibrary.org/shakespeare.

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18+

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CLASSICAL

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18+

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18+

Presenting "The Water Music — and More," 7:30 p.m. **Feb. 24** at the North Shore Center for the Performing Arts, 9501 Skokie Blvd., Skokie. The program includes works by Handel and Haydn. $25-$75. Visit www.baroque.org.

Music Institute of Chicago

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Nichols Concert Hall, 1490 Chicago Ave., Evanston. www.musicinst.org. **Feb. 16,** 7:30 p.m.: Pacifica Quartet performs works by Smetana and Beethoven. $30; $20 seniors; $10 students.

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18+

5400 N. River Road, Rosemont. Tickets available at www.ticketmaster.com or (800) 745-3000. **Feb. 17,** 5 p.m.: Nam Jin (world music). $50-$100. **March 8,** 8 p.m.: One Night of Queen. $30-$45.

Allstate Arena

18+

6920 N. Mannheim Road, Rosemont. Tickets at www.ticketmaster.com or (800) 745-3000. For information, visit www.allstatearena.com. Parking is $20, cash only. **March 28,** 7:30 p.m.: Green Day with Best Coast. $27.50, $52.

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18+

7574 N. Lincoln Ave. (at Howard), Skokie. (847) 677-3334. **Feb. 17,** 7:30 p.m.: "Be My Lincoln!", a jazz cafe featuring vocalist Marnie Glaser, pianist Kelly Brand and bassist Kelly Sill. $10.

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Montrose Room, 5300 N. River Road, Rosemont. www.montroseroom.com. **Feb. 16,** 7 p.m.: Guitarist and vocalist Nick Colionne performs jazz, R&B, blues and soul. $49-$69. **Feb. 23,** 8 p.m.: Folk rock singer Michael McDermott. $15; $20 VIP.

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4000 W. Pratt Ave. www.lincolnwoodlibrary.org. **Feb. 17,** 2 p.m.: The In Full Swing jazz orchestra plays big band favorites.

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9501 Skokie Blvd., Skokie. www.northshorecenter.org. **Feb. 26,** 8 p.m.: The Pink Floyd Experience. $48, $56, $62. **March 1,** 8 p.m.: The Irish Rovers. $48, $58. **March 7,** 8 p.m.: Indigo Girls with The Shadowboxers. $52, $62. **March 14,** 8 p.m.: Janis Ian with Livingston Taylor. $42-$50.

S.P.A.C.E.

18+

1245 Chicago Ave., Evanston. www.evanstonspace.com. (847) 492-8860. **Feb. 14,** 7:30 p.m.: The Del Moroccos (rockabilly/R&B). $12/$15. **Feb. 15,** 7 p.m.: James Lee Stanely in The Studios at SPACE (folk). $20. **Feb. 15,** 8 p.m.: Ben Sollee with Jonathan Allen Guerra (folk/R&B). $15/$18. **Feb. 16,** 7 p.m.: Singer/songwriter Trina Hamlin in The Studios at SPACE. $30. **Feb. 16,** 8 p.m.: Andy McKee, $22-$42. **Feb. 17,** 2 p.m.: Emily Hurd introduces Stone Blind Valentine (bluegrass/rock). $12-$22. **Feb. 17,** 7:30 p.m.: An Acoustic Evening with Martin Sexton, $32-$68. **Feb. 20,** 7:30 p.m.: Lake Street Dive (jazz/swing). $12/$15. **Feb. 21,** 7:30 p.m.: New Orleans Suspects (rock/funk/blues). $18/$20.

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ART GALLERIES

Oakton Community College

18+ 65+

Koehnline Museum of Art, 1600 E. Golf Road, Des Plaines. (847)

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635-2633. www.oakton.edu/museum. Gallery hours: 10 a.m.-6 p.m. Monday-Friday; 11 a.m.-4 p.m. Saturdays. **Through March 22:** "Farewell Show: Ceramics by Peter Hessemer and Paintings by James Krauss."

AUDITIONS & OPPORTUNITIES

Big Noise Theatre Company

18+

Holding auditions for "Dirty Rotten Scoundrels," 6-9:30 p.m. **Feb. 17** at the Winnetka Community House, 620 Lincoln Ave., Winnetka. Appointments suggested. Prepare 32 bars of a song in the style of the show or from the show, and bring sheet music in the proper key. Accompanist provided. Come prepared to dance; picture and resume requested. Production dates April 26-May 12 at the Prairie Lakes Theater, Des Plaines. Call Daiva Paulis, (312) 371-9945, or visit www.bignoisetheatre.org.

CHILD'S PLAY

Niles Public Library

0-3 4-12

6960 Oakton St., Niles. (847) 663-6405. www.nileslibrary.org. **Feb. 23,** 2 p.m.: Family Movie — "Chimpanzee."

"Snow White and the 7 Dwarfs"

4-12

Presented by Chicago Kids Company Theatre for Children **through Feb. 27** at the Stahl Family Theater, located inside St. Patrick's High School, 5900 W. Belmont Ave., Chicago. $12. Visit www.chicagokidscompany.com.

COMEDY

Gorilla Tango's Skokie Theatre

18+

7924 Lincoln Ave. Skokie. www.gorillatango.com. (773) 598-4549. **Through March 23,** 7:30 p.m. Saturdays: "Breaking Belding." Someone is attacking the kids of "Saved by the Bell!" $20. **Feb. 16, 17 and 24,** 4 p.m.: "Twice Upon a Time," a sketch comedy revue created by a youth ensemble. $12. **Ongoing,** 9 p.m. Saturdays: "Holy Bouncing Boobies! A Batman Burlesque." 18 and over. $35.

Zanies Comedy Club

18+

5437 Park Place, Rosemont. http://rosemont.zanies.com. **Feb. 16:** Heather McDonald. **Feb. 20-23:** Mike Lukas. **Feb. 27-28:** Landry.

DANCE

Akoo Theatre at Rosemont

13+ 18+

5400 N. River Road, Rosemont. Tickets available at www.ticketmaster.com or (800) 745-3000. **March 2,** 2 p.m. and 7 p.m.: Lord of the Dance. $24.50-$59.50.

North Shore Center for the Performing Arts

13+ 18+

9501 Skokie Blvd., Skokie. www.northshorecenter.org. **Feb. 16,** 8 p.m.: Thodos Dance Chicago. $36, $46. **March 16,** 8 p.m.: River North Dance Chicago. $36, $46.

Young at Heart

18+ 65+

Ballroom dancing for all ages at 8 p.m. **Fridays** at the American Legion, 9757 Pacific Ave., Franklin Park. $10; $8 members. Call (773) 961-7525 or visit www.ballroomchicago.com/youngatheartclub.htm.

FILM

Lincolnwood Public Library

18+

4000 W. Pratt Ave. www.lincolnwoodlibrary.org. **Feb. 15,** 1 p.m.: "Won't Back Down." **Feb. 21,** 10:30 a.m.: "Game Change." **Feb. 21,** 1 p.m.: Cinematic Classics features "The Adventures of Robin Hood." **Feb. 22,** 1 p.m.: "Robot & Frank." **Feb. 28,** 10:30 a.m.: "The Perks of Being a Wallflower." **Feb. 28,** 1 p.m.: Cinematic Classics features "The Browning Version." **Coming Together in Skokie film festival,** promoting literacy and celebrating the culture of Greece, at 6:30 p.m. Tuesdays — **Feb. 20:** "The Moon Spinners." **Feb. 27:** "My Life in Ruins."

Niles Public Library

18+

6960 Oakton St., Niles. (847) 663-6405. www.nileslibrary.org. **Feb. 15,** 7 p.m.: Shakespeare After Hours Film Discussion features "Much Ado About Nothing." **Feb. 21,** 2 p.m.: Closed captioned screening of "Moonrise Kingdom."

Northwest Chicago Film Society

18+ 65+

Classic Film Series is held at 7:30 p.m. Mondays and Wednesdays, unless otherwise noted, at the Portage Theater, 4050 N. Milwaukee Ave., Chicago. Admission is $5. Visit www.northwestchicagofilmsociety.org. **Feb. 18:** "Bring Me the Head of Alfredo Garcia" (1974). **Feb. 20:** "The Third Degree" (1926). **Feb. 27:** "Hold Back the Dawn" (1941).

Portage Theater

13+ 18+

4050 N. Milwaukee Ave., Chicago. www.portagetheater.org. **Feb. 23,** 6:30 p.m.: 35mm Kung Fu action triple feature with "The 36th Chamber of the Shaolin," "The Kid With the Golden Arm" and "Cold Steel." $10 in advance; $13 at the door.

ORGANIZATIONS

International Brotherhood of Magicians Ring 43

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Skokie Photographic Society

18+

Meetings are held at 7:30 p.m. **the third Thursday** of each month at the Village Hall, 5127 Oakton St., Skokie. All levels of photographic skill are welcome. Call (847) 677-8324 for information.

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Brazilian Carnaval

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Presented by Evanston Escola de Samba, 10 a.m.-noon **Feb. 16** at Nichols Concert Hall, 1490 Chicago Ave., Evanston, with samba music and dance, crafts, face painting and more. $10; $5 for children; $30 maximum per family. Visit www.evanstonescola.org.

Iannelli Studios Heritage Center

18+

255 N. Northwest Highway, Park Ridge. Events are scheduled during the month of February to celebrate the 125th birthday of artist and designer Alfonso Iannelli — **Feb. 16**, 11:30 a.m.-1:30 p.m.: Pizza tasting fest, presented by Park Ridge restaurants and caterers in honor of Iannelli, who often shared meals with people who came to see him at work in his studio. Donations will be accepted. **Feb. 17**, 2 p.m.: Chicago historian Tim Samuelson will discuss the Orpheum Theatre posters created by Alfonso and Margaret Spaulding Iannelli. $10 donation. **Feb. 21**, 7 p.m.: "Tracing Your Geneology: A Case Study of Alfonso Iannelli," presented by Margie LaCerra of the Polish Genealogical Society. $5. **Feb. 28**, 7 p.m.: Horizon Brass Quintet will perform a program of classics. $20. Visit www.kalofoundation.org or call (847) 261-4595.

MUSEUMS

Illinois Holocaust Museum & Education Center

13+ 18+ 65+

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Celebrations

Kiefer - Bloomer
Engagement

Michael and Christine Kiefer of Norridge, IL are delighted to announce the engagement of their daughter, Tracey to Casey Bloomer, son of Lloyd (Kim) and Rose Bloomer of Kalamazoo, MI. The bride-to-be is a 1991 graduate of Maine South High School, a 1995 graduate of Western Illinois University and a member of Alpha Sigma Alpha sorority. She is a Program Manager at Takeda Pharmaceuticals U.S.A, Inc. in Deerfield, IL and is an active member of the Woman's Club of Evanston. The future groom graduated from Albion College and is a member of Sigma Nu fraternity. He is a Lead Customer Service Representative for Fifth Third Bank in Glenview, IL and is currently pursuing an MBA in Finance and Operations Management at Loyola University in Chicago, IL. The couple currently resides in Evanston, IL and will exchange vows this August in Rockton, IL.

Magnuszewski – Karountzos
Wedding

Dariusz and Boguslawa Magnuszewski are happy to announce the marriage of their daughter, Kamila, to Christos Karountzos, son of George and Elyben Karountzos of Norridge, IL.

Kamila studied at the University of Ecology in Sosnowiec Poland and is currently employed at T-Mobile as an authorized sales representative.

Christos graduated from DeVry University in 2005 with a degree in Electronic Computer Technology and in Technical Management and is currently employed at WMS Gaming as a Jurisdictional Engineer.

Christos and Kamila Karountzos were married January 4, 2013, at the City Hall of Maywood, IL. A church wedding is planned and will be held at a Greek Orthodox Church in Chicago or in Velo, Greece, on August, 2013.

The couple plans to reside in Norridge after their honeymoon in the Greek Islands.

Mallory Page – Joshua Iverson
Engagement

Steve and Marty Page of Fox River Grove, IL and Jerome and Kay Iverson of Crystal Lake, IL are happy to announce the engagement of their children Mallory Page and Joshua Iverson. Mallory, a 2006 graduate of Barrington High School received a bachelor's degree in nursing from North Park University. She is currently employed at Advocate Condell Hospital and is pursuing a master's degree in Advanced Practice Nursing. Joshua, a 2004 graduate of Prairie Ridge High School received a bachelor's degree in Mathematics and Secondary Education from North Central College. He is currently employed as a technical support specialist with a dental software company, Revenue Well Inc. A June 2013 wedding is planned in Lake Geneva, WI where the couple got engaged.

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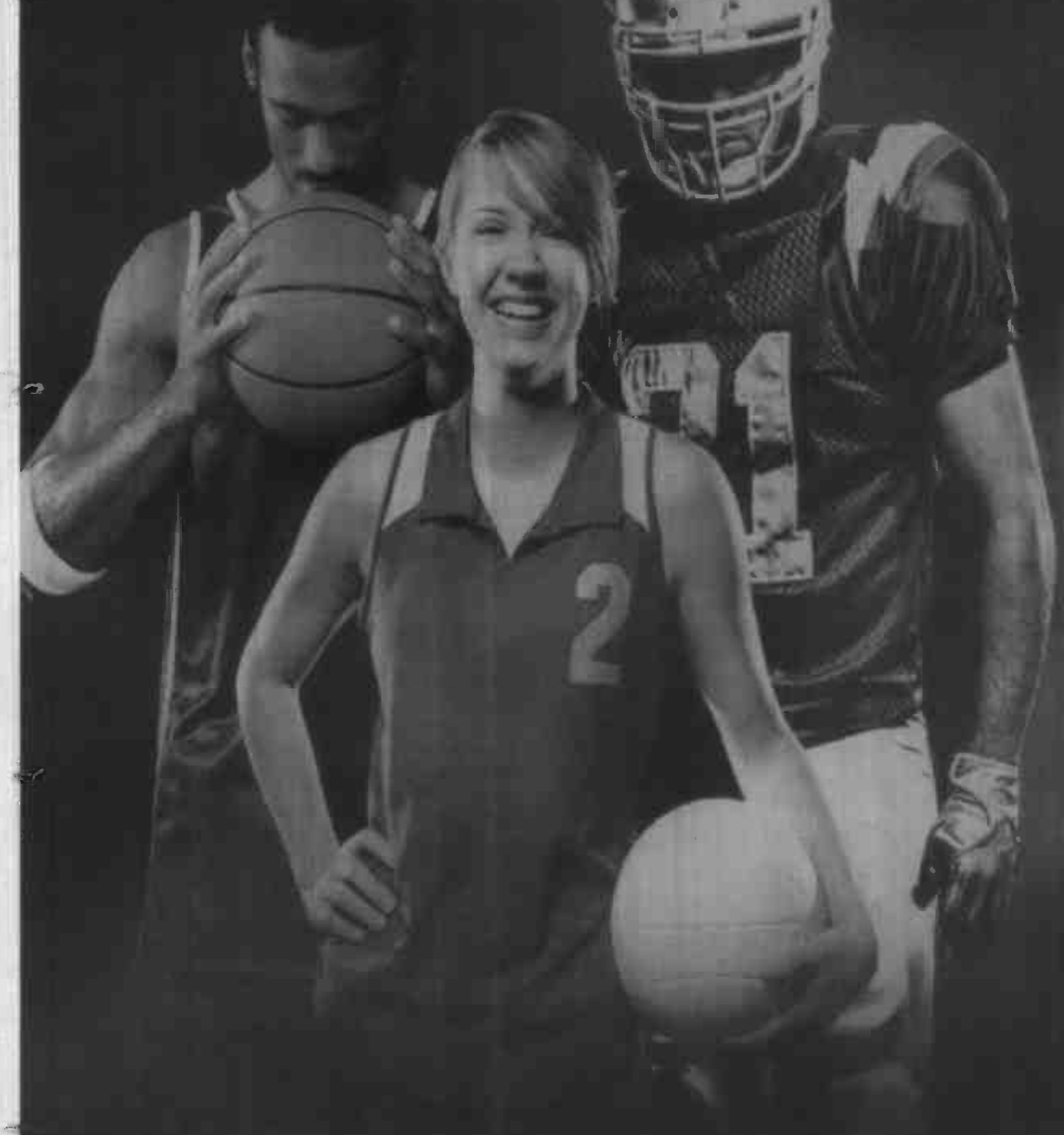

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Hire a Veteran to Fight the Battle of Business Uncertainty

By: Mike Thompson, author of The Anywhere Leader: How to Lead and Succeed in Any Business

We owe veterans a debt of gratitude for their service to America, but that's not why we should hire a veteran. We should hire them because they have what it takes to lead in an ever-changing, ever-disruptive global economy.

Frankly, it's disturbing to feel the need to make that point. But the facts are even more disturbing.

The unemployment rate for vets who served since 2001 is 2.6 percent higher than the general population, according to a report in September from the Bureau of Labor Statistics. That's about 235,000 veterans who want a job but don't have a job.

We say nice things when we pass military personnel in the airport – "Thanks for your service ... Sure do appreciate you ..."– but then we dismiss them when they drop a job application on our desk – "Sorry, your skills don't translate ... You're just not qualified." They are losing out on opportunities to feed their families, but it's corporate America that's really losing out.

In *The Anywhere Leader,* I make the case that the one thing we can count on in business is uncertainty. Most of us, however, aren't trained to lead through uncertainty.

But the military teaches it – and it teaches it extremely well. There's never been a greater need for leaders who are capable of leading through the unknown, and I'll argue that no group brings more experience or is more prepared to lead through uncertainty than veterans. They are Anywhere Leaders.

Anywhere Leaders are Driven for Progress, Sensationally Curious and Vastly Resourceful. Which of those traits do you not value in your employees? Today's veterans bring all these job skills to the workplace – here's how.

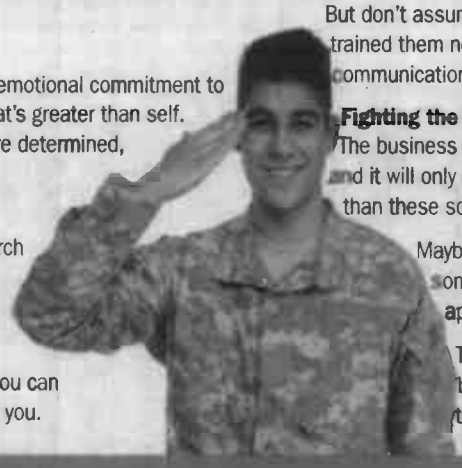
Veterans: Driven for Progress

Veterans didn't join the military just to earn a paycheck; they've got an emotional commitment to a country that they love. They are dedicated to a purpose or mission that's greater than self. So they are daring (but discerning) in the name of progress. And they are determined, especially in the face of adversity. That's what I call Driven for Progress.

Veterans: Sensationally Curious

You might not think of veterans as Sensationally Curious. But my research and my own experience as a veteran taught me that it's the behaviors associated with curiosity that make the difference.

If you are curious, you are reflective, receptive and perceptive. Those behaviors allow you to relate well with others, even foreigners, so that you can build strong teams internally and with those who are very different from you.



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Veterans: Vastly Resourceful

They're also Vastly Resourceful. That's always been the case in the military. They are trained to make do with whatever resources are available. Today's veterans come from a pretty well-equipped military, but war is the great disrupter of shiny, new equipment.

The enemy is trying to kill them, and they constantly and quickly have to counter that enemy's tactics. So they figure out on their own how to reinforce the armor on the bottom of a Humvee or make a replacement engine pulley from a Meals Ready to Eat (MRE) box and some Duct tape.

This resourcefulness, curiosity and drive for progress give veterans the traits needed to figure out the skills they might be missing for most jobs; these traits make them great leaders.

But don't assume they don't have skills. Veterans have played a number of roles in a military that's trained them not just to fire weapons, but with specific, transferable skills in technology, media, communications, medicine, logistics, management, leadership and countless other areas.

Fighting the Battle of Uncertainty

The business case for hiring veterans is simple: You battle uncertainty every day in your business and it will only get more intense and extreme. There's nobody who has battled uncertainty more than these soldiers.

Maybe you don't have bullets flying by your ear at your office, but don't you want somebody who's been under that kind of pressure and shown a resolve, commitment, aptitude and skill to succeed?

The victories, small and huge, in Iraq and Afghanistan are amazing, and the sacrifices by the men and women fighting there are enormous. We can, and should, thank them when we see them – with words and with jobs.

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MORTON GROVE
IN THE CIRCUIT COURT OF COOK COUNTY, ILLINOIS COUNTY DEPARTMENT - CHANCERY DIVISION JPMORGAN CHASE BANK, NATIONAL ASSOCIATION
Plaintiff,
-v.-
STOJAN PANKOVSKI
Defendants
09 CH 011855
8411 AUSTIN AVENUE MORTON GROVE, IL 60053
NOTICE OF SALE PUBLIC NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that pursuant to a Judgment of Foreclosure and Sale entered in the above cause on December 22, 2009, an agent of The Judicial Sales Corporation, will at 10:30 AM on March 8, 2013, at the The Judicial Sales Corporation, One South Wacker Drive - 24th Floor, CHICAGO, IL, 60606, sell at public auction to the highest bidder, as set forth below, the following described real estate: Commonly known as 8411 AUSTIN AVENUE, MORTON GROVE, IL 60053 Property Index No. 10-20-227-041. The real estate is improved with a residence. Sale terms: 25% down of the highest bid by certified funds at the close of the auction; The balance, including the Judicial sale fee for Abandoned Residential Property Municipality Relief Fund, which is calculated on residential real estate at the rate of $1 for each $1,000 or fraction thereof of the amount paid by the purchaser not to exceed $300, in certified funds/or wire transfer, is due within twenty-four (24) hours. No fee shall be paid by the mortgagee acquiring the residential real estate pursuant to its credit bid at the sale or by any mortgagee, judgment creditor, or other lienor acquiring the residential real estate whose rights in and to the residential real estate arose prior to the sale. The subject property is subject to general real estate taxes, special assessments, or special taxes levied against said real estate and is offered for sale without any representation as to quality or quantity of title and without recourse to Plaintiff and in "AS IS" condition. The sale is further subject to confirmation by the court. If the sale is set aside for any reason, the Purchaser at the sale shall be entitled only to a return of the deposit paid. The Purchaser shall have no further recourse against the Mortgagor, the Mortgagee or the Mortgagee's attorney. Upon payment in full of the amount bid, the purchaser will receive a Certificate of Sale that will entitle the purchaser to a deed to the real estate after confirmation of the sale. The property will NOT be open for inspection and plaintiff makes no representation as to the condition of the property. Prospective bidders are admonished to check the court file to verify all information. If this property is a condominium unit, the purchaser of the unit at the foreclosure sale, other than a mortgagee shall pay the assessments and the legal fees required by The Condominium Property Act, 765 ILCS 605/9(g)(1) and (g)(4). If this property is a condominium unit which is part of a common interest community, the purchaser of the unit at the foreclosure sale other than a mortgagee shall pay the assessments required by The Condominium Property Act, 765 ILCS 605/18.5(g-1). IF YOU ARE THE MORTGAGOR (HOMEOWNER), YOU HAVE THE RIGHT TO REMAIN IN POSSESSION FOR 30 DAYS AFTER ENTRY OF AN ORDER OF POSSESSION, IN ACCORDANCE WITH SECTION 15-1701(C) OF THE ILLINOIS MORTGAGE FORECLOSURE LAW. For information, examine the court file or contact Plaintiff's attorney: CODILIS & ASSOCIATES, P.C., 15W030 NORTH FRONTAGE ROAD, SUITE 100, BURR RIDGE, IL 60527, (630) 794-9876. Please refer to file number 14-09-08542. THE JUDICIAL SALES CORPORATION One South Wacker Drive, 24th Floor, Chicago, IL 60606-4650 (312) 236-SALE You can also visit The Judicial Sales Corporation at www.tjsc.com for a 7 day status report of pending sales. CODILIS & ASSOCIATES, P.C. 15W030 NORTH FRONTAGE ROAD, SUITE 100 BURR RIDGE, IL 60527 (630) 794-5300 Attorney File No. 14-09-08542 Attorney ARDC No. 00468002 Attorney Code. 21762 Case Number: 09 CH 011855 NOTE: Pursuant to the Fair Debt Collection Practices Act, you are advised that Plaintiff's attorney is deemed to be a debt collector attempting to collect a debt and any information obtained will be used for that purpose.
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SKOKIE
Ref. No. 09-6196 N
IN THE CIRCUIT COURT OF COOK COUNTY, ILLINOIS COUNTY DEPARTMENT - CHANCERY DIVISION
DEUTSCHE BANK NATIONAL TRUST COMPANY AS INDENTURE TRUSTEE FOR AMERICAN HOME MORTGAGE INVESTMENT TRUST 2005-2, MORTGAGE-BACKED NOTES, SERIES 2005-2, ASSIGNEE OF MORTGAGE ELECTRONIC REGISTRATION SYSTEMS, INC., AS NOMINEE FOR AMERICAN HOME MORTGAGE ACCEPTANCE, INC.,
Plaintiff,
vs.
MIRCEA BALOG, IRINA FARCAS,
Defendants,
09 CH 50668
NOTICE OF SALE
PUBLIC NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that pursuant to a Judgment of Foreclosure and Sale entered in the above entitled cause on December 19, 2012 Intercounty Judicial Sales Corporation will on Wednesday, March 20, 2013 at the hour of 11 a.m. in their office at 120 West Madison Street, Suite 718A, Chicago, Illinois, sell at public auction to the highest bidder for cash, as set forth below, the following described mortgaged real estate:
P.I.N. 10-23-302-047.
Commonly known as 8321 Springfield Avenue, Skokie, IL 60076.
The mortgaged real estate is improved with a single family residence. If the subject mortgaged real estate is a unit of a common interest community, the purchaser of the unit other than a mortgagee shall pay the assessments required by subsection (g-1) of Section 18.5 of the Condominium Property Act.
Sale terms: 10% down by certified funds, balance, by certified funds, within 24 hours. No refunds. The property will NOT be open for inspection.
For information call Sales Clerk at Law Offices of Ira T. Nevel, 175 North Franklin Street, Chicago, Illinois 60606. (312) 357-1125. Ref. No. 09-6196 N
INTERCOUNTY JUDICIAL SALES CORPORATION
Selling Officer, (312) 444-1122
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condition of the property. Prospective bidders are admonished to check the court file to verify all information. If this property is a condominium unit, the purchaser of the unit at the foreclosure sale, other than a mortgagee, shall pay the assessments and the legal fees required by The Condominium Property Act, 765 ILCS 605/9(g)(1) and (g)(4). If this property is a condominium unit which is part of a common interest community, the purchaser of the unit at the foreclosure sale other than a mortgagee shall pay the assessments required by The Condominium Property Act, 765 ILCS 605/18.5(g-1). IF YOU ARE THE MORTGAGOR (HOMEOWNER), YOU HAVE THE RIGHT TO REMAIN IN POSSESSION FOR 30 DAYS AFTER ENTRY OF AN ORDER OF POSSESSION, IN ACCORDANCE WITH SECTION 15-1701(C) OF THE ILLINOIS MORTGAGE FORECLOSURE LAW. For information, examine the court file or contact Plaintiff's attorney: CODILIS & ASSOCIATES, P.C., 15W030 NORTH FRONTAGE ROAD, SUITE 100, BURR RIDGE, IL 60606-4650 (312) 236-SALE You can also visit The Judicial Sales Corporation at www.tjsc.com for a 7 day status report of pending sales. CODILIS & ASSOCIATES, P.C. 15W030 NORTH FRONTAGE ROAD, SUITE 100 BURR RIDGE, IL 60527 (630) 794-5300 Attorney File No. 14-09-08542 Attorney ARDC No. 00468002 Attorney Code. 21762 Case Number: 09 CH 011855 NOTE: Pursuant to the Fair Debt Collection Practices Act, you are advised that Plaintiff's attorney is deemed to be a debt collector attempting to collect a debt and any information obtained will be used for that purpose.
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SKOKIE
Ref. No. 09-6196 N
IN THE CIRCUIT COURT OF COOK COUNTY, ILLINOIS COUNTY DEPARTMENT - CHANCERY DIVISION
DEUTSCHE BANK NATIONAL TRUST COMPANY AS INDENTURE TRUSTEE FOR AMERICAN HOME MORTGAGE INVESTMENT TRUST 2005-2, MORTGAGE-BACKED NOTES, SERIES 2005-2, ASSIGNEE OF MORTGAGE ELECTRONIC REGISTRATION SYSTEMS, INC., AS NOMINEE FOR AMERICAN HOME MORTGAGE ACCEPTANCE, INC.,
Plaintiff,
vs.
MIRCEA BALOG, IRINA FARCAS,
Defendants,
09 CH 50668
NOTICE OF SALE
PUBLIC NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that pursuant to a Judgment of Foreclosure and Sale entered in the above entitled cause on December 19, 2012 Intercounty Judicial Sales Corporation will on Wednesday, March 20, 2013 at the hour of 11 a.m. in their office at 120 West Madison Street, Suite 718A, Chicago, Illinois, sell at public auction to the highest bidder for cash, as set forth below, the following described mortgaged real estate:
P.I.N. 10-23-302-047.
Commonly known as 8321 Springfield Avenue, Skokie, IL 60076.
The mortgaged real estate is improved with a single family residence. If the subject mortgaged real estate is a unit of a common interest community, the purchaser of the unit other than a mortgagee shall pay the assessments required by subsection (g-1) of Section 18.5 of the Condominium Property Act.
Sale terms: 10% down by certified funds, balance, by certified funds, within 24 hours. No refunds. The property will NOT be open for inspection.
For information call Sales Clerk at Law Offices of Ira T. Nevel, 175 North Franklin Street, Chicago, Illinois 60606. (312) 357-1125. Ref. No. 09-6196 N
INTERCOUNTY JUDICIAL SALES CORPORATION
Selling Officer, (312) 444-1122
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MORTON GROVE
Pierce & Associates File Number # 0805625
IN THE CIRCUIT COURT OF COOK COUNTY, ILLINOIS COUNTY DEPARTMENT - CHANCERY DIVISION
U.S. BANK NATIONAL ASSOCIATION, AS TRUSTEE FOR J.P. MORGAN MORTGAGE ACQUISITION TRUST 2006-WMC4, ASSET BACKED PASS-THROUGH CERTIFICATES, SERIES 2006-WMC4 Plaintiff,
vs.
ABDEL MAGID; DENISE MAGID; MORTGAGE ELECTRONIC REGISTRATION SYSTEMS, INC., AS NOMINEE FOR WMC MORTGAGE CORP; UNKNOWN HEIRS AND LEGATEES OF ABDEL MAGID, IF ANY; UNKNOWN OWNERS AND NON RECORD CLAIMANTS; Defendants,
09 CH 19727
NOTICE OF SALE PURSUANT TO JUDGMENT OF FORECLOSURE UNDER ILLINOIS MORTGAGE FORECLOSURE LAW
PUBLIC NOTICE is hereby given that pursuant to a Judgment of Foreclosure entered in the above entitled cause on December 18, 2012, Intercounty Judicial Sales Corporation will on Wednesday, March 20, 2013, at the hour of 11 a.m. in their office at 120 West Madison Street, Suite 718A, Chicago, Illinois, sell to the highest bidder for cash, the following described property:
P.I.N. 09-13-213-024.
Commonly known as 7504 Emerson Street, Morton Grove, IL 60053.
The mortgaged real estate is improved with a single family residence. If the subject mortgaged real estate is a unit of a common interest community, the purchaser of the unit other than a mortgagee shall pay the assessments required by subsection (g-1) of Section 18.5 of the Condominium Property Act.
Sale terms: 25% down by certified funds, balance within 24 hours, by certified funds. No refunds. The property will NOT be open for inspection. Upon payment in full of the amount bid, the purchaser will receive a Certificate of Sale which will entitle the purchaser to a Deed to the premises after confirmation of the sale.
For information: Visit our website at http://service.atty-pierce.com. Between 3 p.m. and 5 p.m. only. Pierce & Associates, Plaintiff's Attorneys, 1 North Dearborn Street, Chicago, Illinois 60602. Tel.No. (312) 476-5500. Refer to File Number 0805625.
INTERCOUNTY JUDICIAL SALES CORPORATION
Selling Officer, (312) 444-1122
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2/14, 2/21, 2/28/13 #502333

LINCOLNWOOD
IN THE CIRCUIT COURT OF COOK COUNTY, ILLINOIS COUNTY DEPARTMENT - CHANCERY DIVISION
DEUTSCHE BANK NATIONAL TRUST COMPANY, AS TRUSTEE FOR WAMU SERIES 2007-HE1 TRUST
Plaintiff,
-v.-
BENJAMIN MIHULET, ANGELA MIHULET
Defendants
09 CH 37506
4433 W. ESTES AVE. Lincolnwood, IL 60712
NOTICE OF SALE PUBLIC NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that pursuant to a Judgment of Foreclosure and Sale entered in the above cause on March 11, 2010, an agent of The Judicial Sales Corporation, will at 10:30 AM on March 7, 2013, at the The Judicial Sales Corporation, One South Wacker Drive - 24th Floor, CHICAGO, IL, 60606, sell at public auction to the highest bidder, as set forth below, the following described real estate:
Commonly known as 4433 W. ESTES AVE., Lincolnwood, IL 60712
Property Index No. 10-34-127-009-0000.
The real estate is improved with a single family residence. The judgment amount was $991,559.07. Sale terms: The bid amount, including the Judicial sale fee for Abandoned Residential Property Municipality Relief Fund, which is calculated on residential real estate at the rate of $1 for each $1,000 or fraction thereof of the amount paid by the purchaser not to exceed $300, shall be paid in certified funds immediately by the highest and best bidder at the conclusion of the sale. No fee shall be paid by the mortgagee acquiring the residential real estate pursuant to its credit bid at the sale or by any mortgagee, judgment creditor, or other lienor acquiring the residential real estate whose rights in and to the residential real estate arose prior to the sale. The subject property is subject to general real estate taxes, special assessments, or special taxes levied against said real estate and is offered for sale without any representation as to quality or quantity of title and without recourse to Plaintiff and in "AS IS" condition. The sale is further subject to confirmation by the court. Upon payment in full of the amount bid, the purchaser will receive a Certificate of Sale that will entitle the purchaser to a deed to the real estate after confirmation of the sale. The property will NOT be open for inspection and plaintiff makes no representation as to the condition of the property. Prospective bidders are admonished to check the court file to verify all information. If this property is a condominium unit, the purchaser of the unit at the foreclosure sale, other than a mortgagee, shall pay the assessments and the legal fees required by The Condominium Property Act, 765 ILCS 605/9(g)(1) and (g)(4). If this property is a condominium unit which is part of a common interest community, the purchaser of the unit at the foreclosure sale other than a mortgagee shall pay the assessments required by The Condominium Property Act, 765 ILCS 605/18.5(g-1). IF YOU ARE THE MORTGAGOR (HOMEOWNER), YOU HAVE THE RIGHT TO REMAIN IN POSSESSION FOR 30 DAYS AFTER ENTRY OF AN ORDER OF POSSESSION, IN ACCORDANCE WITH SECTION 15-1701(C) OF THE ILLINOIS MORTGAGE FORECLOSURE LAW. For information, contact Plaintiff's attorney: HEAVNER, SCOTT, BEYERS & MIHLAR, LLC, 111 East Main Street, DECATUR, IL 62523, (217) 422-1719. THE JUDICIAL SALES CORPORATION One South Wacker Drive, 24th Floor, Chicago, IL 60606-4650 (312) 236-SALE You can also visit The Judicial Sales Corporation at www.tjsc.com for a 7 day status report of pending sales. HEAVNER, SCOTT, BEYERS & MIHLAR, LLC 111 East Main Street DECATUR, IL 62523 (217) 422-1719 Attorney Code. 40387 Case Number: 09 CH 37506 NOTE: Pursuant to the Fair Debt Collection Practices Act, you are advised that Plaintiff's attorney is deemed to be a debt collector attempting to collect a debt and any information obtained will be used for that purpose.
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LINCOLNWOOD
IN THE CIRCUIT COURT OF COOK COUNTY, ILLINOIS COUNTY DEPARTMENT, CHANCERY DIVISION
JPMORGAN CHASE BANK, NATIONAL ASSOCIATION,
Plaintiff
V.
MICHAEL R. SANTUCCI A/K/A MICHAEL ROBERT SANTUCCI,
Defendant
09 CH 39579
PROPERTY ADDRESS: 7346 NORTH KOLMAR AVE. LINCOLNWOOD, IL 60712
NOTICE OF FORECLOSURE SALE
Fisher and Shapiro file # 09-027999
(It is advised that Interested parties consult with their
own attorneys before bidding at mortgage foreclosure sales.)
PUBLIC NOTICE is hereby given that pursuant to a Judgment of Foreclosure entered on December 13, 2012, Kallen Realty Services, Inc., as Selling Official will at 12:30 p.m. on March 14, 2013, at 205 W. Randolph Street, Suite 1020, Chicago, Illinois, sell at public auction to the highest bidder for cash, as set forth below, the following described real property:
Commonly known as 7346 North Kolmar Avenue, Lincolnwood, IL 60712
Permanent Index No.: 10-27-312-025
The mortgaged real estate is improved with a dwelling. The property will NOT be open for inspection.
The judgment amount was $ 302,098.96. Sale terms for nonparties: 10% of successful bid immediately at conclusion of auction, balance by 12:30 p.m. the next business day, both by cashier's checks; and no refunds. The sale shall be subject to general real estate taxes, special taxes, special assessments, special taxes levied, and superior liens, if any. The property is offered "as is," with no express or implied warranties and without any representation as to the quality of title or recourse to Plaintiff. Prospective bidders are admonished to review the court file to verify all information.
For information: Sale Clerk, Fisher and Shapiro, Attorney # 42168, 2121 Waukegan Road, Suite 301, Bannockburn, Illinois 60015, (847) 498-9990, between 1:00 p.m. and 3:00 p.m. weekdays only.
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SKOKIE
IN THE CIRCUIT COURT OF COOK COUNTY, ILLINOIS COUNTY DEPARTMENT - CHANCERY DIVISION
BANK OF AMERICA, N.A., SUCCESSOR BY MERGER TO BAC HOME LOANS SERVICING, LP FKA COUNTRYWIDE HOME LOANS SERVICING LP
Plaintiff,
-v.-
JOHN HERNANDEZ, MARGARET
Defendants
09 CH 19811
8113 ELMWOOD STREET SKOKIE, IL 60077
NOTICE OF SALE PUBLIC NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that pursuant to a Judgment of Foreclosure and Sale entered in the above cause on December 3, 2012, an agent of The Judicial Sales Corporation, will at 10:30 AM on March 5, 2013, at the The Judicial Sales Corporation, One South Wacker Drive - 24th Floor, CHICAGO, IL, 60606, sell at public auction to the highest bidder, as set forth below, the following described real estate: Commonly known as 8113 ELMWOOD STREET, SKOKIE, IL 60077 Property Index No. 10-21-411-004-0000. The real estate is improved with a two-story, single-family house with white vinyl siding and a detached garage. Sale terms: 25% down of the highest bid by certified funds at the close of the auction; The balance, including the Judicial sale fee for Abandoned Residential Property Municipality Relief Fund, which is calculated on residential real estate at the rate of $1 for each $1,000 or fraction thereof of the amount paid by the purchaser not to exceed $300, in certified funds/or wire transfer, is due within twenty-four (24) hours. No fee shall be paid by the mortgagee acquiring the residential real estate pursuant to its credit bid at the sale or by any mortgagee, judgment creditor, or other lienor acquiring the residential real estate whose rights in and to the residential real estate arose prior to the sale. The subject property is subject to general real estate taxes, special assessments, or special taxes levied against said real estate and is offered for sale without any representation as to quality or quantity of title and without recourse to Plaintiff and in "AS IS" condition. The sale is further subject to confirmation by the court. Upon payment in full of the amount bid, the purchaser will receive a Certificate of Sale that will entitle the purchaser to a deed to the real estate after confirmation of the sale. The property will NOT be open for inspection and plaintiff makes no representation as to the condition of the property. Prospective bidders are admonished to check the court file to verify all information. If this property is a condominium unit, the purchaser of the unit at the foreclosure sale, other than a mortgagee, shall pay the assessments and the legal fees required by The Condominium Property Act, 765 ILCS 605/9(g)(1) and (g)(4). If this property is a condominium unit which is part of a common interest community, the purchaser of the unit at the foreclosure sale other than a mortgagee shall pay the assessments required by The Condominium Property Act, 765 ILCS 605/18.5(g-1). IF YOU ARE THE MORTGAGOR (HOMEOWNER), YOU HAVE THE RIGHT TO REMAIN IN POSSESSION FOR 30 DAYS AFTER ENTRY OF AN ORDER OF POSSESSION, IN ACCORDANCE WITH SECTION 15-1701(C) OF THE ILLINOIS MORTGAGE FORECLOSURE LAW. For information: Visit our website at service.atty-pierce.com. between the hours of 3 and 5 pm. PIERCE & ASSOCIATES, Plaintiff's Attorneys, One North Dearborn Street Suite 1300, CHICAGO, IL 60602. Tel No. (312) 476-5500. Please refer to file number PA0908345. THE JUDICIAL SALES CORPORATION One South Wacker Drive, 24th Floor, Chicago, IL 60606-4650 (312) 236-SALE You can also visit The Judicial Sales Corporation at www.tjsc.com for a 7 day status report of pending sales. PIERCE & ASSOCIATES One North Dearborn Street Suite 1300 CHICAGO, IL 60602(312) 476-5500 Attorney File No.: PA0908345 Attorney Code. 91220 Case # 09 CH 19811
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LINCOLNWOOD
IN THE CIRCUIT COURT OF COOK COUNTY, ILLINOIS COUNTY DEPARTMENT, CHANCERY DIVISION
THE BANK OF NEW YORK AS TRUSTEE FOR THE NOTE HOLDERS CWABS, INC. MORTGAGE-BACKED NOTES, SERIES 2005-HYB9,
Plaintiff
V.
ALEX AVAKIAN; SUNDUS AVAKIAN; PREMIER BANK; VILLAGE OF SKOKIE, AN ILLINOIS MUNICIPAL CORPORATION,
Defendants
09 CH 9392
Property Address: 7355 NORTH LAMON AVENUE LINCOLNWOOD, IL 60712
NOTICE OF FORECLOSURE SALE
Fisher and Shapiro file # 09-017010
(It is advised that interested parties consult with their
own attorneys before bidding at mortgage foreclosure sales.)
PUBLIC NOTICE is hereby given that pursuant to a Judgment of Foreclosure entered on July 12, 2012, Kallen Realty Services, Inc., as Selling Official will at 12:30 p.m. on March 6, 2013, at 205 W. Randolph Street, Suite 1020, Chicago, Illinois, sell at public auction to the highest bidder for cash, as set forth below, the following described real property:
Commonly known as 7355 North Lamon Avenue, Lincolnwood, IL 60712
Permanent Index No.: 10-28-420-001
The mortgaged real estate is improved with a dwelling. The property will NOT be open for inspection.
The judgment amount was $821,757.38. Sale terms for nonparties: 10% of successful bid immediately at conclusion of auction, balance by 12:30 p.m. the next business day, both by cashier's checks; and no refunds. The sale shall be subject to general real estate taxes, special taxes, special assessments, special taxes levied, and superior liens, if any. The property is offered "as is," with no express or implied warranties and without any representation as to the quality of title or recourse to Plaintiff. Prospective bidders are admonished to review the court file to verify all information.
For information: Sale Clerk, Fisher and Shapiro, Attorney # 42168, 2121 Waukegan Road, Suite 301, Bannockburn, Illinois 60015, (847) 498-9990, between 1:00 p.m. and 3:00 p.m. weekdays only.
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SKOKIE
Pierce & Associates File Number # 1031649
IN THE CIRCUIT COURT OF COOK COUNTY, ILLINOIS COUNTY DEPARTMENT - CHANCERY DIVISION
BANK OF AMERICA, N.A.
Plaintiff,
vs.
TIMOTHY HATTON AKA TIMOTHY A. HATTON AKA TIMOTHY ALLEN HATTON; JENNIFER HATTON AKA JENNIFER R. HATTON AKA JENNIFER RUSSEL HATTON
PNC BANK, N.A.; SBM NATIONAL CITY BANK;
KENTON PARK CONDOMINIUM ASSOCIATION; UNKNOWN OWNERS AND NON RECORD CLAIMANTS; Defendants,
10 CH 46666
NOTICE OF SALE PURSUANT TO JUDGMENT OF FORECLOSURE UNDER ILLINOIS MORTGAGE FORECLOSURE LAW
PUBLIC NOTICE is hereby given that pursuant to a Judgment of Foreclosure entered in the above entitled cause on December 18, 2012, Intercounty Judicial Sales Corporation will on Wednesday, March 20, 2013, at the hour of 11 a.m. in their office at 120 West Madison Street, Suite 718A, Chicago, Illinois, sell to the highest bidder for cash, the following described property:
P.I.N. 10-15-110-055-1018, 10-15-110-055-1067, 10-15-110-055-1066.
Commonly known as 9445 NORTH KENTON AVENUE UNIT 207, SKOKIE, IL 60076.
The mortgaged real estate is improved with a condominium residence. The purchaser of the unit other than a mortgagee shall pay the assessments and the legal fees required by subdivisions (g)(1) and (g)(4) of Section 9 of the Condominium Property Act Sale terms: 25% down by certified funds, balance within 24 hours, by certified funds. No refunds. The property will NOT be open for inspection. Upon payment in full of the amount bid, the purchaser will receive a Certificate of Sale which will entitle the purchaser to a Deed to the premises after confirmation of the sale.
For information: Visit our website at http://service.atty-pierce.com. Between 3 p.m. and 5 p.m. only. Pierce & Associates, Plaintiff's Attorneys, 1 North Dearborn Street, Chicago, Illinois 60602 Tel.No. (312) 476-5500. Refer to File Number 1031649.
INTERCOUNTY JUDICIAL SALES CORPORATION
Selling Officer, (312) 444-1122
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2/14, 2/21, 2/28/13 #502350

SKOKIE
Pierce & Associates File Number # 1004420
IN THE CIRCUIT COURT OF COOK COUNTY, ILLINOIS COUNTY DEPARTMENT - CHANCERY DIVISION
BANK OF AMERICA, N.A., SUCCESSOR BY MERGER TO BAC HOME LOANS SERVICING, LP FKA COUNTRYWIDE HOME LOANS SERVICING LP
Plaintiff,
vs.
HANI YOUKHANA; NAJAT BERNADOZ; 8440-8460 NORTH SKOKIE BOULEVARD CONDOMINIUM ASSOCIATION; CITIBANK, NA S/B/M TO CITIBANK FSB; MORTGAGE ELECTRONIC REGISTRATION SYSTEMS, INC., AS NOMINEE FOR COUNTRYWIDE BANK, A DIVISION OF TREASURY BANK, N.A.; UNKNOWN OWNERS AND NON RECORD CLAIMANTS; Defendants,
10 CH 19896
NOTICE OF SALE PURSUANT TO JUDGMENT OF FORECLOSURE UNDER ILLINOIS MORTGAGE FORECLOSURE LAW
PUBLIC NOTICE is hereby given that pursuant to a Judgment of Foreclosure entered in the above entitled cause on December 18, 2012, Intercounty Judicial Sales Corporation will on Wednesday, March 20, 2013, at the hour of 11 a.m. in their office at 120 West Madison Street, Suite 718A, Chicago, Illinois, sell to the highest bidder for cash, the following described property:
P.I.N. 10-21-223-041-1023.
Commonly known as 8460 SKOKIE BOULEVARD APARTMENT 211, SKOKIE, IL 60077.
The mortgaged real estate is improved with a condominium residence. The purchaser of the unit other than a mortgagee shall pay the assessments and the legal fees required by subdivisions (g)(1) and (g)(4) of Section 9 of the Condominium Property Act Sale terms: 25% down by certified funds, balance within 24 hours, by certified funds. No refunds. The property will NOT be open for inspection. Upon payment in full of the amount bid, the purchaser will receive a Certificate of Sale which will entitle the purchaser to a Deed to the premises after confirmation of the sale.
For information: Visit our website at http://service.atty-pierce.com. Between 3 p.m. and 5 p.m. only. Pierce & Associates, Plaintiff's Attorneys, 1 North Dearborn Street, Chicago, Illinois 60602 Tel.No. (312) 476-5500. Refer to File Number 1004420.
INTERCOUNTY JUDICIAL SALES CORPORATION
Selling Officer, (312) 444-1122
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2/14, 2/21, 2/28/13 #502348

MORTON GROVE
IN THE CIRCUIT COURT OF COOK COUNTY, ILLINOIS COUNTY DEPARTMENT - CHANCERY DIVISION JPMORGAN CHASE BANK, NATIONAL ASSOCIATION
Plaintiff,
-v.-
GRIGORE BOTA, JPMORGAN CHASE BANK, NA, AS PURCHASER OF THE LOANS AND OTHER ASSETS OF WASHINGTON MUTUAL BANK, F/K/A WASHINGTON MUTUAL BANK, FA FROM THE FDIC, ACTING AS RECEIVER FOR THE SAVINGS BANK AND PURSUANT TO THE FEDERAL DEPOSIT INSURANCE ACT, IRINA BOTA, MIHAI M. MAN, CRISTINA MAN, UNKNOWN OWNERS AND NONRECORD CLAIMANTS
Defendants
10 CH 014802
9009 LUNA AVENUE MORTON GROVE, IL 60053
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2/7, 2/14, 2/21/13 #496759

NORRIDGE
IN THE CIRCUIT COURT OF COOK COUNTY, ILLINOIS COUNTY DEPARTMENT - CHANCERY DIVISION
BANK OF AMERICA, N.A. S/B/M TO BAC LOANS SERVICING, LP FKA COUNTRYWIDE HOME LOANS SERVICING LP
Plaintiff,
vs.
ROMAN BUYAK; MARIYA BUYAK; UNKNOWN OWNERS AND NON RECORD CLAIMANTS; Defendants,
10 CH 39428
PUBLIC NOTICE is hereby given that pursuant to a Judgment of Foreclosure entered in the above entitled cause on November 7, 2012, Intercounty Judicial Sales Corporation will on Tuesday, March 12, 2013, at the hour of 11 a.m. in their office at 120 West Madison Street, Suite 718A, Chicago, Illinois, sell to the highest bidder for cash, the following described property:
P.I.N. 12-13-115-011-0000.
Commonly known as 7720 WEST GIDDINGS STREET, NORRIDGE, IL 60706.
The mortgaged real estate is im-

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proved with a single family residence. If the subject mortgaged real estate is a unit of a common interest community, the purchaser of the unit other than a mortgagee shall pay the assessments required by subsection (g-1) of Section 18.5 of the Condominium Property Act. Sale terms: 25% down by certified funds, balance within 24 hours, by certified funds. No refunds. The property will NOT be open for inspection. Upon payment in full of the amount bid, the purchaser will receive a Certificate of Sale which will entitle the purchaser to a Deed to the premises after confirmation of the sale.
For information: Visit our website at http://service.atty-pierce.com. Between 3 p.m. and 5 p.m. only. Pierce & Associates, Plaintiff's Attorneys, 1 North Dearborn Street, Chicago, Illinois 60602. Tel.No. (312) 476-5500. Refer to File Number 1020896.
INTERCOUNTY JUDICIAL SALES CORPORATION
Selling Officer, (312) 444-1122
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NORRIDGE
IN THE CIRCUIT COURT OF COOK COUNTY, ILLINOIS COUNTY DEPARTMENT - CHANCERY DIVISION JPMORGAN CHASE BANK, NATIONAL ASSOCIATION, AS SUCCESSOR BY MERGER TO CHASE HOME FINANCE, LLC
Plaintiff,
-v.-
ANA M. CURRUCHICHE A/K/A ANA MARIA CURUCHICE, JPMORGAN CHASE BANK, NA
Defendants
10 CH 034527
4225 N. OZARK AVENUE NORRIDGE, IL 60706
NOTICE OF SALE PUBLIC NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that pursuant to a Judgment of Foreclosure and Sale entered in the above cause on December 11, 2012, an agent of The Judicial Sales Corporation, will at 10:30 AM on March 13, 2013, at the The Judicial Sales Corporation, One South Wacker Drive - 24th Floor, CHICAGO, IL, 60606, sell at public auction to the highest bidder, as set forth below, the following described real estate: Commonly known as 4225 N. OZARK AVENUE, NORRIDGE, IL 60706 Property Index No. 12-13-306-011. The real estate is improved with a single family residence. Sale terms: 25% down of the highest bid by certified funds at the close of the auction; The balance, including the Judicial sale fee for Abandoned Residential Property Municipality Relief Fund, which is calculated on residential real estate at the rate of $1 for each $1,000 or fraction thereof of the amount paid by the purchaser not to exceed $300, in certified funds/or wire transfer, is due within twenty-four (24) hours. No fee shall be paid by the mortgagee acquiring the residential real estate pursuant to its credit bid at the sale or by any mortgagee, judgment creditor, or other lienor acquiring the residential real estate whose rights in and to the residential real estate arose prior to the sale. The subject property is subject to general real estate taxes, special assessments, or special taxes levied against said real estate and is offered for sale without any representation as to quality or quantity of title and without recourse to Plaintiff and in "AS IS" condition. The sale is further subject to confirmation by the court. If the sale is set aside for any reason, the Purchaser at the sale shall be entitled only to a return of the deposit paid. The Purchaser shall have no further recourse against the Mortgagor, the Mortgagee or the Mortgagee's attorney. Upon payment in full of the amount bid, the purchaser will receive a Certificate of Sale that will entitle the purchaser to a deed to the real estate after confirmation of the sale. The property will NOT be open for inspection and plaintiff makes no representation as to the condition of the property. Prospective bidders are admonished to check the court file to verify all information. If this property is a condominium unit, the purchaser of the unit at the foreclosure sale, other than a mortgagee, shall pay the assessments and the legal fees required by The Condominium Property Act, 765 ILCS 605/9(g)(1) and (g)(4). If this property is a condominium unit which is part of a common interest community, the purchaser of the unit at the foreclosure sale other than a mortgagee shall pay the assessments required by The Condominium Property Act, 765 ILCS 605/18.5(g-1). IF YOU ARE THE MORTGAGOR (HOMEOWNER), YOU HAVE THE RIGHT TO REMAIN IN POSSESSION FOR 30 DAYS AFTER ENTRY OF AN ORDER OF POSSESSION, IN ACCORDANCE WITH SECTION 15-1701(C) OF THE ILLINOIS MORTGAGE FORECLOSURE LAW. For information, examine the court file or contact Plaintiff's attorney: CODILIS & ASSOCIATES, P.C., 15W030 NORTH FRONTAGE ROAD, SUITE 100, BURR RIDGE, IL 60527, (630) 794-9876. Please refer to file number 14-10-10309. THE JUDICIAL SALES CORPORATION One South Wacker Drive, 24th Floor, Chicago, IL 60606-4650 (312) 236-SALE You can also visit The Judicial Sales Corporation at www.tjsc.com for a 7 day status report of pending sales. CODILIS & ASSOCIATES, P.C. 15W030 NORTH FRONTAGE ROAD, SUITE 100 BURR RIDGE, IL 60527 (630) 794-5300 Attorney File No. 14-10-10309 Attorney ARDC No. 00468002 Attorney Code. 21762 Case Number: 10 CH 034527
NOTE: Pursuant to the Fair Debt Collection Practices Act, you are advised that Plaintiff's attorney is deemed to be a debt collector attempting to collect a debt and any information obtained will be used for that purpose.
I505360
2/7, 2/14, 2/21/13 #496618

SKOKIE
IN THE CIRCUIT COURT OF COOK COUNTY, ILLINOIS COUNTY DEPARTMENT - CHANCERY DIVISION
CITIMORTGAGE, INC.
Plaintiff,
-v.-
IRENE GALUZO, RENATO GALUZO, MORTGAGE ELECTRONIC REGISTRATION SYSTEMS, INC., CHICAGO BANCORP, INC.
Defendants
10 CH 027027
9301 LOREL AVENUE SKOKIE, IL 60077
NOTICE OF SALE PUBLIC NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that pursuant to a Judgment of Foreclosure and Sale entered in the above cause on December 4, 2012, an agent of The Judicial Sales Corporation, One South Wacker Drive - 24th Floor, CHICAGO, IL, 60606, sell at public auction to the highest bidder, as set forth below, the following described real estate: Commonly known as 9301 LOREL AVENUE, SKOKIE, IL 60077 Property Index No. 10-16-118-049. The real estate is improved with a single family residence. Sale terms: 25% down of the highest bid by certified funds at the close of the auction; The balance, including the Judicial sale fee for Abandoned Residential Property Municipality Relief Fund, which is calculated on residential real estate at the rate of $1 for each $1,000 or fraction thereof of the amount paid by the purchaser not to exceed $300, in certified funds/or wire transfer, is due within twenty-four (24) hours. No fee shall be paid by the mortgagee acquiring the residential real estate pursuant to its credit bid at the sale or by any mortgagee, judgment creditor, or other lienor acquiring the residential real estate whose rights in and to the residential real estate arose prior to the sale. The subject property is subject to general real estate taxes, special assessments, or special taxes levied against said real estate and is offered for sale without any representation as to quality or quantity of title and without recourse to Plaintiff and in "AS IS" condition. The sale is further subject to confirmation by the court. If the sale is set aside for any reason, the Purchaser at the sale shall be entitled only to a return of the deposit paid. The Purchaser shall have no further recourse against the Mortgagor, the Mortgagee or the Mortgagee's attorney. Upon payment in full of the amount bid, the purchaser will receive a Certificate of Sale that will entitle the purchaser to a deed to the real estate after confirmation of the sale. The property will NOT be open for inspection and plaintiff makes no representation as to the condition of the property. Prospective bidders are admonished to check the court file to verify all information. If this property is a condominium unit, the purchaser of the unit at the foreclosure sale, other than a mortgagee, shall pay the assessments and the legal fees required by The Condominium Property Act, 765 ILCS 605/9(g)(1) and (g)(4). If this property is a condominium unit which is part of a common interest community, the purchaser of the unit at the foreclosure sale other than a mortgagee shall pay the assessments required by The Condominium Property Act, 765 ILCS 605/18.5(g-1). IF YOU ARE THE MORTGAGOR (HOMEOWNER), YOU HAVE THE RIGHT TO REMAIN IN POSSESSION FOR 30 DAYS AFTER ENTRY OF AN ORDER OF POSSESSION, IN ACCORDANCE WITH SECTION 15-1701(C) OF THE ILLINOIS MORTGAGE FORECLOSURE LAW. For information, examine the court file or contact Plaintiff's attorney: CODILIS & ASSOCIATES, P.C., 15W030 NORTH FRONTAGE ROAD, SUITE 100, BURR RIDGE, IL 60527, (630) 794-9876. Please refer to file number 14-10-20419. THE JUDICIAL SALES CORPORATION One South Wacker Drive, 24th Floor, Chicago, IL 60606-4650 (312) 236-SALE You can also visit The Judicial Sales Corporation at www.tjsc.com for a 7 day status report of pending sales. CODILIS & ASSOCIATES, P.C. 15W030 NORTH FRONTAGE ROAD, SUITE 100 BURR RIDGE, IL 60527 (630) 794-5300 Attorney File No. 14-10-20419 Attorney ARDC No. 00468002 Attorney Code. 21762 Case Number: 10 CH 027027
NOTE: Pursuant to the Fair Debt Collection Practices Act, you are advised that Plaintiff's attorney is deemed to be a debt collector attempting to collect a debt and any information obtained will be used for that purpose.
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2/7, 2/14, 2/21/13 #496541

SKOKIE
IN THE CIRCUIT COURT OF COOK COUNTY, ILLINOIS COUNTY DEPARTMENT - CHANCERY DIVISION NATIONSTAR MORTGAGE LLC
Plaintiff,
-v.-
SHARREL TITLEBAUM
Defendants
10 CH 042869
8437 N. CENTRAL PARK AVENUE SKOKIE, IL 60076
NOTICE OF SALE PUBLIC NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that pursuant to a Judgment of Foreclosure and Sale entered in the above cause on December 4, 2012, an agent of The Judicial Sales Corporation, will at 10:30 AM on March 7, 2013, at the The Judicial Sales Corporation, One South Wacker Drive - 24th Floor, CHICAGO, IL, 60606, sell at public auction to the highest bidder, as set forth below, the following described real estate: Commonly known as 8437 N. CENTRAL PARK AVENUE, SKOKIE, IL 60076 Property Index No. 10-23-219-007, 10-23-219-008. The real estate is improved with a single family residence. Sale terms: 25% down of the highest bid by certified funds at the close of the auction; The balance, including the Judicial sale fee for Abandoned Residential Property Municipality Relief Fund, which is calculated on residential real estate at the rate of $1 for each $1,000 or fraction thereof of the amount paid by the purchaser not to exceed $300, in certified funds/or wire transfer, is due within twenty-four (24) hours. No fee shall be paid by the mortgagee acquiring the residential real estate pursuant to its credit bid at the sale or by any mortgagee, judgment creditor, or other lienor acquiring the residential real estate whose rights in and to the residential real estate arose prior to the sale. The subject property is subject to general real estate taxes, special assessments, or special taxes levied against said real estate and is offered for sale without any representation as to quality or quantity of title and without recourse to Plaintiff and in "AS IS" condition. The sale is further subject to confirmation by the court. If the sale is set aside for any reason, the Purchaser at the sale shall be entitled only to a return of the deposit paid. The Purchaser shall have no further recourse against the Mortgagor, the Mortgagee or the Mortgagee's attorney. Upon payment in full of the amount bid, the purchaser will receive a Certificate of Sale that will entitle the purchaser to a deed to the real estate after confirmation of the sale. The property will NOT be open for inspection and plaintiff makes no representation as to the condition of the property. Prospective bidders are admonished to check the court file to verify all information. If this property is a condominium unit, the purchaser of the unit at the foreclosure sale, other than a mortgagee, shall pay the assessments and the legal fees required by The Condominium Property Act, 765 ILCS 605/9(g)(1) and (g)(4). If this property is a condominium unit which is part of a common interest community, the purchaser of the unit at the foreclosure sale other than a mortgagee shall pay the assessments required by The Condominium Property Act, 765 ILCS 605/18.5(g-1). IF YOU ARE THE MORTGAGOR (HOMEOWNER), YOU HAVE THE RIGHT TO REMAIN IN POSSESSION FOR 30 DAYS AFTER ENTRY OF AN ORDER OF POSSESSION, IN ACCORDANCE WITH SECTION 15-1701(C) OF THE ILLINOIS MORTGAGE FORECLOSURE LAW. For information, examine the court file or contact Plaintiff's attorney: CODILIS & ASSOCIATES, P.C., 15W030 NORTH FRONTAGE ROAD, SUITE 100, BURR RIDGE, IL 60527, (630) 794-9876. Please refer to file number 14-10-31365. THE JUDICIAL SALES CORPORATION One South Wacker Drive, 24th Floor, Chicago, IL 60606-4650 (312) 236-SALE You can also visit The Judicial Sales Corporation at www.tjsc.com for a 7 day status report of pending sales. CODILIS & ASSOCIATES, P.C. 15W030 NORTH FRONTAGE ROAD, SUITE 100 BURR RIDGE, IL 60527 (630) 794-5300 Attorney File No. 14-10-31365 Attorney ARDC No. 00468002 Attorney Code. 21762 Case Number: 10 CH 042869
NOTE: Pursuant to the Fair Debt Collection Practices Act, you are advised that Plaintiff's attorney is deemed to be a debt collector attempting to collect a debt and any information obtained will be used for that purpose.
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2/7, 2/14, 2/21/13 #496536

SKOKIE
IN THE CIRCUIT COURT OF COOK COUNTY, ILLINOIS COUNTY DEPARTMENT, CHANCERY DIVISION
JPMORGAN CHASE BANK, NATIONAL ASSOCIATION,
Plaintiff
V.
VADIM OKOROKOV A/K/A V. OKOROKOV; CHICAGO TITLE LAND TRUST COMPANY, AS TRUSTEE UNDER A TRUST AGREEMENT DATED OCTOBER 19, 2007 AND KNOWN AS TRUST NUMBER 8002349611; SIENA AT OLD ORCHARD CONDOMINIUM ASSOCIATION; UNKNOWN OWNERS AND NON-RECORD CLAIMANTS,
Defendants
10 CH 37641
Property Address: 9360 SKOKIE BOULEVARD UNIT 618 SKOKIE, IL 60077
NOTICE OF FORECLOSURE SALE - CONDOMINIUM
Fisher and Shapiro file # 10-042316
(It is advised that interested parties consult with their
own attorneys before bidding at mortgage foreclosure sales.)
PUBLIC NOTICE is hereby given that pursuant to a Judgment of Foreclosure entered on
December 13, 2012, Kallen Realty Services, Inc., as Selling Official will at 12:30 p.m. on March 14, 2013, at 205 W. Randolph Street, Suite 1020, Chicago, Illinois, sell at public auction to the highest bidder for cash, as set forth below, the following described real property:
Commonly known as 9360 Skokie Boulevard, Unit 618, Skokie, IL 60077
Permanent Index No.: 10-26-222-036-1106
The mortgaged real estate is improved with a dwelling. The property will NOT be open for inspection. The purchaser of the unit other than a mortgagee shall pay the assessments and the legal fees required by 765 ILCS 605/9(g)(1) and (g)(4). The judgment amount was $482,462.58. Sale terms for non-parties: 10% of successful bid immediately at conclusion of auction, balance by 12:30 p.m. the next business day, both by cashier's checks; and no refunds. The sale shall be subject to general real estate taxes, special taxes, special assessments, special taxes levied, and superior liens, if any. The property is offered "as is," with no express or implied warranties and without any representation as to the quality of title or recourse to Plaintiff. Prospective bidders are admonished to review the court file to

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2/7, 2/14, 2/21/13 #496478

LINCOLNWOOD
IN THE CIRCUIT COURT OF COOK COUNTY, ILLINOIS COUNTY DEPARTMENT - CHANCERY DIVISION
WELLS FARGO BANK, N.A.
Plaintiff,
-v.-
TASKIN A. HAYAT AKA TASKIN HAYAT,
UNKNOWN HEIRS AND LEGATEES OF TASKIN A. HAYAT, IF ANY,
UNKNOWN OWNERS AND NON-RECORD CLAIMANTS Defendants
10 CH 50035
7304 NORTH KOSTNER AVENUE LINCOLNWOOD, IL 60712
NOTICE OF SALE PUBLIC NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that pursuant to a Judgment of Foreclosure and Sale entered in the above cause on November 30, 2012, an agent of The Judicial Sales Corporation, will at 10:30 AM on March 5, 2013, at the The Judicial Sales Corporation, One South Wacker Drive - 24th Floor, CHICAGO, IL, 60606, sell at public auction to the highest bidder, as set forth below, the following described real estate:
Commonly known as 7304 NORTH KOSTNER AVENUE, LINCOLNWOOD, IL 60712
Property Index No. 10-27-323-023-0000.
The real estate is improved with a brick single family home; detached garage. Sale terms: 25% down of the highest bid by certified funds at the close of the auction; The balance, including the Judicial sale fee for Abandoned Residential Property Municipality Relief Fund, which is calculated on residential real estate at the rate of $1 for each $1,000 or fraction thereof of the amount paid by the purchaser not to exceed $300, in certified funds/or wire transfer, is due within twenty-four (24) hours. No fee shall be paid by the mortgagee acquiring the residential real estate pursuant to its credit bid at the sale or by any mortgagee, judgment creditor, or other lienor acquiring the residential real estate whose rights in and to the residential real estate arose prior to the sale. The subject property is subject to general real estate taxes, special assessments, or special taxes levied against said real estate and is offered for sale without any representation as to quality or quantity of title and without recourse to Plaintiff and in "AS IS" condition. The sale is further subject to confirmation by the court. Upon payment in full of the amount bid, the purchaser will receive a Certificate of Sale that will entitle the purchaser to a deed to the real estate after confirmation of the sale. The property will NOT be open for inspection and plaintiff makes no representation as to the condition of the property. Prospective bidders are admonished to check the court file to verify all information. If this property is a condominium unit, the purchaser of the unit at the foreclosure sale, other than a mortgagee, shall pay the assessments and the legal fees required by The Condominium Property Act, 765 ILCS 605/9(g)(1) and (g)(4). If this property is a condominium unit which is part of a common interest community, the purchaser of the unit at the foreclosure sale other than a mortgagee shall pay the assessments required by The Condominium Property Act, 765 ILCS 605/18.5(g-1). IF YOU ARE THE MORTGAGOR (HOMEOWNER), YOU HAVE THE RIGHT TO REMAIN IN POSSESSION FOR 30 DAYS AFTER ENTRY OF AN ORDER OF POSSESSION, IN ACCORDANCE WITH SECTION 15-1701(C) OF THE ILLINOIS MORTGAGE FORECLOSURE LAW. For information, examine the court file or contact Plaintiff's attorney: CODILIS & ASSOCIATES, P.C., 15W030 NORTH FRONTAGE ROAD, SUITE 100, BURR RIDGE, IL 60527, (630) 794-9876. Please refer to file number 14-10-14457. THE JUDICIAL SALES CORPORATION One South Wacker Drive, 24th Floor, Chicago, IL 60606-4650 (312) 236-SALE You can also visit The Judicial Sales Corporation at www.tjsc.com for a 7 day status report of pending sales. CODILIS & ASSOCIATES, P.C. 15W030 NORTH FRONTAGE ROAD, SUITE 100 BURR RIDGE, IL 60527(630) 794-9876 Attorney File No.: 14-10-14457 ARDC# 00468002 Attorney Code. 21762 Case # 10 CH 018203 NOTE: Pursuant to the Fair Debt Collection Practices Act, you are advised that Plaintiff's attorney is deemed to be a debt collector attempting to collect a debt and any information obtained will be used for that purpose.
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1/31, 2/7, 2/14/13 #491369

MORTON GROVE
IN THE CIRCUIT COURT OF COOK COUNTY, ILLINOIS COUNTY DEPARTMENT - CHANCERY DIVISION
BAC HOME LOANS SERVICING, L.P. FKA COUNTRYWIDE HOME LOANS SERVICING, L.P.
Plaintiff,
-v.-
MARCEL V. SABIO A/K/A MARCEL SABIO
Defendants
10 CH 018203
8725 AUSTIN AVENUE MORTON GROVE, IL 60053
NOTICE OF SALE PUBLIC NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that pursuant to a Judgment of Foreclosure and Sale entered in the above cause on August 25, 2010, an agent of The Judicial Sales Corporation, will at 10:30 AM on February 21, 2013, at the The Judicial Sales Corporation, One South Wacker Drive - 24th Floor, CHICAGO, IL, 60606, sell at public auction to the highest bidder, as set forth below, the following described real estate:Commonly known as 8725 AUSTIN AVENUE, MORTON GROVE, IL 60053 Property Index No. 10-20-200-021. The real estate is improved with a residence. Sale terms: 25% down of the highest bid by certified funds at the close of the auction; The balance, including the Judicial sale fee for Abandoned Residential Property Municipality Relief Fund, which is calculated on residential real estate at the rate of $1 for each $1,000 or fraction thereof of the amount paid by the purchaser not to exceed $300, in certified funds/or wire transfer, is due within twenty-four (24) hours. No fee shall be paid by the mortgagee acquiring the residential real estate pursuant to its credit bid at the sale or by any mortgagee, judgment creditor, or other lienor acquiring the residential real estate whose rights in and to the residential real estate arose prior to the sale. The subject property is subject to general real estate taxes, special assessments, or special taxes levied against said real estate and is offered for sale without any representation as to quality or quantity of title and without recourse to Plaintiff and in "AS IS" condition. The sale is further subject to confirmation by the court. If the sale is set aside for any reason, the Purchaser at the sale shall be entitled only to a return of the deposit paid. The Purchaser shall have no further recourse against the Mortgagor, the Mortgagee or the Mortgagee's attorney. Upon payment in full of the amount bid, the purchaser will receive a Certificate of Sale that will entitle the purchaser to a deed to the real estate after confirmation of the sale. The property will NOT be open for inspection and plaintiff makes no representation as to the condition of the property. Prospective bidders are admonished to check the court file to verify all information. If this property is a condominium unit, the purchaser of the unit at the foreclosure sale, other than a mortgagee, shall pay the assessments and the legal fees required by The Condominium Property Act, 765 ILCS 605/9(g)(1) and (g)(4). If this property is a condominium unit which is part of a common interest community, the purchaser of the unit at the foreclosure sale other than a mortgagee shall pay the assessments required by The Condominium Property Act, 765 ILCS 605/18.5(g-1). IF YOU ARE THE MORTGAGOR (HOMEOWNER), YOU HAVE THE RIGHT TO REMAIN IN POSSESSION FOR 30 DAYS AFTER ENTRY OF AN ORDER OF POSSESSION, IN ACCORDANCE WITH SECTION 15-1701(C) OF THE ILLINOIS MORTGAGE FORECLOSURE LAW. For information, examine the court file or contact Plaintiff's attorney: CODILIS & ASSOCIATES, P.C., 15W030 NORTH FRONTAGE ROAD, SUITE 100, BURR RIDGE, IL 60527, (630) 794-9876. Please refer to file number 14-10-09828. THE JUDICIAL SALES CORPORATION One South Wacker Drive, 24th Floor, Chicago, IL 60606-4650 (312) 236-SALE You can also visit The Judicial Sales Corporation at www.tjsc.com for a 7 day status report of pending sales. CODILIS & ASSOCIATES, P.C. 15W030 NORTH FRONTAGE ROAD, SUITE 100 BURR RIDGE, IL 60527 (630) 794-9876 Attorney File No.: 14-10-09828 ARDC# 00468002 Attorney Code. 21762 Case # 10 CH 014484 NOTE: Pursuant to the Fair Debt Collection Practices Act, you are advised that Plaintiff's attorney is deemed to be a debt collector attempting to collect a debt and any information obtained will be used for that purpose.
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1/31, 2/7, 2/14/13 #491183

SKOKIE
IN THE CIRCUIT COURT OF COOK COUNTY, ILLINOIS COUNTY DEPARTMENT - CHANCERY DIVISION NATIONSTAR MORTGAGE, LLC
Plaintiff,
-v.-
ORIEL ATKINS, OSNAT ATKINS, MORTGAGE ELECTRONIC REGISTRATION SYSTEMS, INC., GREENPOINT MORTGAGE FUNDING, INC., CARLYLE COURT HOMEOWNERS ASSOCIATION
Defendants
10 CH 014484
9646 LARAMIE AVENUE SKOKIE, IL 60077
NOTICE OF SALE PUBLIC NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that pursuant to a Judgment of Foreclosure and Sale entered in the above cause on November 27, 2012, an agent of The Judicial Sales Corporation, will at 10:30 AM on March 1, 2013, at the The Judicial Sales Corporation, One South Wacker Drive - 24th Floor, CHICAGO, IL, 60606, sell at public auction to the highest bidder, as set forth below, the following described real estate: Commonly known as 9646 LARAMIE AVENUE, SKOKIE, IL 60077 Property Index No. 10-09-312-020. The real estate is improved with a residence. Sale terms: 25% down of the highest bid by certified funds at the close of the auction; The balance, including the Judicial sale fee for Abandoned Residential Property Municipality Relief Fund, which is calculated on residential real estate at the rate of $1 for each $1,000 or fraction thereof of the amount paid by the purchaser not to exceed $300, in certified funds/or wire transfer, is due within twenty-four (24) hours. No fee shall be paid by the mortgagee acquiring the residential real estate pursuant to its credit bid at the sale or by any mortgagee, judgment creditor, or other lienor acquiring the residential real estate whose rights in and to the residential real estate arose prior to the sale. The subject property is subject to general real estate taxes, special assessments, or special taxes levied against said real estate and is offered for sale without any representation as to quality or quantity of title and without recourse to Plaintiff and in "AS IS" condition. The sale is further subject to confirmation by the court. If the sale is set aside for any reason, the Purchaser at the sale shall be entitled only to a return of the deposit paid. The Purchaser shall have no further recourse against the Mortgagor, the Mortgagee or the Mortgagee's attorney. Upon payment in full of the amount bid, the purchaser will receive a Certificate of Sale that will entitle the purchaser to a deed to the real estate after confirmation of the sale. The property will NOT be open for inspection and plaintiff makes no representation as to the condition of the property. Prospective bidders are admonished to check the court file to verify all information. If this property is a condominium unit, the purchaser of the unit at the foreclosure sale, other than a mortgagee, shall pay the assessments and the legal fees required by The Condominium Property Act, 765 ILCS 605/9(g)(1) and (g)(4). If this property is a condominium unit which is part of a common interest community, the purchaser of the unit at the foreclosure sale other than a mortgagee shall pay the assessments required by The Condominium Property Act, 765 ILCS 605/18.5(g-1). IF YOU ARE THE MORTGAGOR (HOMEOWNER), YOU HAVE THE RIGHT TO REMAIN IN POSSESSION FOR 30 DAYS AFTER ENTRY OF AN ORDER OF POSSESSION, IN ACCORDANCE WITH SECTION 15-1701(C) OF THE ILLINOIS MORTGAGE FORECLOSURE LAW. For information, examine the court file or contact Plaintiff's attorney: CODILIS & ASSOCIATES, P.C., 15W030 NORTH FRONTAGE ROAD, SUITE 100, BURR RIDGE, IL 60527, (630) 794-9876. Please refer to file number 14-10-09828. THE JUDICIAL SALES CORPORATION One South Wacker Drive, 24th Floor, Chicago, IL 60606-4650 (312) 236-SALE You can also visit The Judicial Sales Corporation at www.tjsc.com for a 7 day status report of pending sales. CODILIS & ASSOCIATES, P.C. 15W030 NORTH FRONTAGE ROAD, SUITE 100 BURR RIDGE, IL 60527 (630) 794-9876 Attorney File No.: 14-10-09828 ARDC# 00468002 Attorney Code. 21762 Case # 10 CH 014484 NOTE: Pursuant to the Fair Debt Collection Practices Act, you are advised that Plaintiff's attorney is deemed to be a debt collector attempting to collect a debt and any information obtained will be used for that purpose.
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1/31, 2/7, 2/14/13 #491136

SKOKIE
IN THE CIRCUIT COURT OF COOK COUNTY, ILLINOIS COUNTY DEPARTMENT - CHANCERY DIVISION
THE BANK OF NEW YORK MELLON FKA THE BANK OF NEW YORK, AS TRUSTEE FOR THE CERTIFICATEHOLDERS CWALT, INC., ALTERNATIVE LOAN TRUST 2006-20CB MORTGAGE PASS-THROUGH CERTIFICATES, SERIES 2006-20CB
Plaintiff,
-v.-
RIZWAN MUNAWAR KHAN, MORTGAGE ELECTRONIC REGISTRATION SYSTEMS, INC. AS NOMINEE FOR AMERICA'S WHOLESALE LENDER, UNITED STATES OF AMERICA, 8440-8460 NORTH SKOKIE BOULEVARD CONDOMINIUM ASSOCIATION
Defendants
11 CH 21062
8440 SKOKIE BOULEVARD UNIT 202 SKOKIE, IL 60077
NOTICE OF SALE PUBLIC NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that pursuant to a Judgment of Foreclosure and Sale entered in the above cause on October 2, 2012, an agent of The Judicial Sales Corporation, will at 10:30 AM on March 7, 2013, at the The Judicial Sales Corporation, One South Wacker Drive - 24th Floor, CHICAGO, IL, 60606, sell at public auction to the highest bidder, as set forth below, the following described real estate: Commonly known as 8440 SKOKIE BOULEVARD UNIT 202, SKOKIE, IL 60077 Property Index No. 10-21-223-041-1014. The real estate is improved with a multi-unit condominium building. Sale terms: 25% down of the highest bid by certified funds at the close of the auction; The balance, including the Judicial sale fee for Abandoned Residential Property Municipality Relief Fund, which is calculated on residential real estate at the rate of $1 for each $1,000 or fraction thereof of the amount paid by the purchaser not to exceed $300, in certified funds/or wire transfer, is due within twenty-four (24) hours. No fee shall be paid by the mortgagee acquiring the residential real estate pursuant to its credit bid at the sale or by any mortgagee, judgment creditor, or other lienor acquiring the residential real estate whose rights in and to the residential real estate arose prior to the sale. The subject property is subject to general real estate taxes, special assessments, or special taxes levied against said real estate and is offered for sale without any representation as to quality or quantity of title and without recourse to Plaintiff and in "AS IS" condition. The sale is further subject to confirmation by the court. If the sale is set aside for any reason, the Purchaser at the sale shall be entitled only to a return of the deposit paid. The Purchaser shall have no further recourse against the Mortgagor, the Mortgagee or the Mortgagee's attorney. Upon payment in full of the amount bid, the purchaser will receive a Certificate of Sale that will entitle the purchaser to a deed to the real estate after confirmation of the sale. The property will NOT be open for inspection and plaintiff makes no representation as to the condition of the property. Prospective bidders are admonished to check the court file to verify all information. If this property is a condominium unit, the purchaser of the unit at the foreclosure sale, other than a mortgagee, shall pay the assessments and the legal fees required by The Condominium Property Act, 765 ILCS 605/9(g)(1) and (g)(4). If this property is a condominium unit which is part of a common interest community, the purchaser of the unit at the foreclosure sale other than a mortgagee shall pay the assessments required by The Condominium Property Act, 765 ILCS 605/18.5(g-1). IF YOU ARE THE MORTGAGOR (HOMEOWNER), YOU HAVE THE RIGHT TO REMAIN IN POSSESSION FOR 30 DAYS AFTER ENTRY OF AN ORDER OF POSSESSION, IN ACCORDANCE WITH SECTION 15-1701(C) OF THE ILLINOIS MORTGAGE FORECLOSURE LAW. For information: Visit our website at service.atty-pierce.com. between the hours of 3 and 5 pm. PIERCE & ASSOCIATES, Plaintiff's Attorneys, One North Dearborn Street Suite 1300, CHICAGO, IL 60602. Tel No. (312) 476-5500. Please refer to file number PA1108908. THE JUDICIAL SALES CORPORATION One South Wacker Drive, 24th Floor, Chicago, IL 60606-4650 (312) 236-SALE You can also visit The Judicial Sales Corporation at www.tjsc.com for a 7 day status report of pending sales. CODILIS & ASSOCIATES, P.C. 15W030 NORTH FRONTAGE ROAD, SUITE 100 BURR RIDGE, IL 60527 (630) 794-9876 Attorney File No.: 14-10-09828 ARDC# 00468002 Attorney Code. 21762 Case Number: 11 CH 21062 NOTE: Pursuant to the Fair Debt Collection Practices Act, you are advised that Plaintiff's attorney is deemed to be a debt collector attempting to collect a debt and any information obtained will be used for that purpose.
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2/14, 2/21, 2/28/13 #502448

SKOKIE
IN THE CIRCUIT COURT OF COOK COUNTY, ILLINOIS COUNTY DEPARTMENT - CHANCERY DIVISION WELLS FARGO BANK, NA D/B/A AMERICAS SERVICING COMPANY
Plaintiff,
-v.-
DONALD R. NILLES, JANET NILLES, CITIBANK, N.A. SUCCESSOR BY MERGER TO CITIBANK, FSB Defendants
11 CH 043216
7852 E. PRAIRIE ROAD SKOKIE, IL 60076
NOTICE OF SALE PUBLIC NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that pursuant to a Judgment of Foreclosure and Sale entered in the above cause on December 17, 2012, an agent of The Judicial Sales Corporation, will at 10:30 AM on March 19, 2013, at the The Judicial Sales Corporation, One South Wacker Drive - 24th Floor, CHICAGO, IL, 60606, sell at public auction to the highest bidder, as set forth below, the following described real estate:Commonly known as 7852 E. PRAIRIE ROAD, SKOKIE, IL 60076 Property Index No. 10-26-105-041. The real estate is improved with a residence. Sale terms: 25% down of the highest bid by certified funds at the close of the auction; The balance, including the Judicial sale fee for Abandoned Residential Property Municipality Relief Fund, which is calculated on residential real estate at the rate of $1 for each $1,000 or fraction thereof of the amount paid by the purchaser not to exceed $300, in certified funds/or wire transfer, is due within twenty-four (24) hours. No fee shall be paid by the mortgagee acquiring the residential real estate pursuant to its credit bid at the sale or by any mortgagee, judgment creditor, or other lienor acquiring the residential real estate whose rights in and to the residential real estate arose prior to the sale. The subject property is subject to general real estate taxes, special assessments, or special taxes levied against said real estate and is offered for sale without any representation as to quality or quantity of title and without recourse to Plaintiff and in "AS IS" condition. The sale is further subject to confirmation by the court. If the sale is set aside for any reason, the Purchaser at the sale shall be entitled only to a return of the deposit paid. The Purchaser shall have no further recourse against the Mortgagor, the Mortgagee or the Mortgagee's attorney. Upon payment in full of the amount bid, the purchaser will receive a Certificate of Sale that will entitle the purchaser to a deed to the real estate after confirmation of the sale. The property will NOT be open for inspection and plaintiff makes no representation as to the condition of the property. Prospective bidders are admonished to check the court file to verify all information. If this property is a condominium unit, the purchaser of the unit at the foreclosure sale, other than a mortgagee, shall pay the assessments and the legal fees required by The Condominium Property Act, 765 ILCS 605/9(g)(1) and (g)(4). If this property is a condominium unit which is part of a common interest community, the purchaser of the unit at the foreclosure sale other than a mortgagee shall pay the assessments required by The Condominium Property Act, 765 ILCS 605/18.5(g-1). IF YOU ARE THE MORTGAGOR (HOMEOWNER), YOU HAVE THE RIGHT TO REMAIN IN POSSESSION FOR 30 DAYS AFTER ENTRY OF AN ORDER OF POSSESSION, IN ACCORDANCE WITH SECTION 15-1701(C) OF THE ILLINOIS MORTGAGE FORECLOSURE LAW. For information: Visit our website at service.atty-pierce.com. between the hours of 3 and 5 pm. PIERCE & ASSOCIATES, Plaintiff's Attorneys, One North Dearborn Street Suite 1300, CHICAGO, IL 60602. Tel No. (312) 476-5500. Please refer to file number PA1108908. THE JUDICIAL SALES CORPORATION One South Wacker Drive, 24th Floor, Chicago, IL 60606-4650 (312) 236-SALE You can also visit The Judicial Sales Corporation at www.tjsc.com for a 7 day status report of pending sales. CODILIS & ASSOCIATES, P.C. 15W030 NORTH FRONTAGE ROAD, SUITE 100 BURR RIDGE, IL 60527 (630) 794-5300 Attorney File No. 14-11-35366 Attorney ARDC No. 00468002 Attorney Code. 21762 Case Number: 11 CH 043216 NOTE: Pursuant to the Fair Debt Collection Practices Act, you are advised that Plaintiff's attorney is deemed to be a debt collector attempting to collect a debt and any information obtained will be used for that purpose.
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2/14, 2/21, 2/28/13 #502418

SKOKIE
IN THE CIRCUIT COURT OF COOK COUNTY, ILLINOIS COUNTY DEPARTMENT - CHANCERY DIVISION
BANK OF AMERICA, N.A., S/B/M TO BAC HOME LOANS SERVICING, LP FKA COUNTRYWIDE HOMELOANS SERVICING LP
Plaintiff,
-v.-
DIANA PEERA, MARIANA SARGIS, ADAM PEERA
Defendants
11 CH 4972
8319 KIMBALL AVENUE SKOKIE, IL 60076
NOTICE OF SALE PUBLIC NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that pursuant to a Judgment of Foreclosure and Sale entered in the above cause on December 13, 2012, an agent of The Judicial Sales Corporation, will at 10:30 AM on March 15, 2013, at the The Judicial Sales Corporation, One South Wacker Drive - 24th Floor, CHICAGO, IL, 60606, sell at public auction to the highest bidder, as set forth below, the following described real estate:Commonly known as 8319 KIMBALL AVENUE, SKOKIE, IL 60076 Property Index No. 10-23-404-072-0000. The real estate is improved with a brick single family house; detached 1 car garage. Sale terms: 25% down of the highest bid by certified funds at the close of the auction; The balance, including the Judicial sale fee for Abandoned Residential Property Municipality Relief Fund, which is calculated on residential real estate at the rate of $1 for each $1,000 or fraction thereof of the amount paid by the purchaser not to exceed $300, in certified funds/or wire transfer, is due within twenty-four (24) hours. No fee shall be paid by the mortgagee acquiring the residential real estate pursuant to its credit bid at the sale or by any mortgagee, judgment creditor, or other lienor acquiring the residential real estate whose rights in and to the residential real estate arose prior to the sale. The subject property is subject to general real estate taxes, special assessments, or special taxes levied against said real estate and is offered for sale without any representation as to quality or quantity of title and without recourse to Plaintiff and in "AS IS" condition. The sale is further subject to confirmation by the court. Upon payment in full of the amount bid, the purchaser will receive a Certificate of Sale that will entitle the purchaser to a deed to the real estate after confirmation of the sale. The property will NOT be open for inspection and plaintiff makes no representation as to the condition of the property. Prospective bidders are admonished to check the court file to verify all information. If this property is a condominium unit, the purchaser of the unit at the foreclosure sale, other than a mortgagee, shall pay the assessments and the legal fees required by The Condominium Property Act, 765 ILCS 605/9(g)(1) and (g)(4). If this property is a condominium unit which is part of a common interest community, the purchaser of the unit at the foreclosure sale other than a mortgagee shall pay the assessments required by The Condominium Property Act, 765 ILCS 605/18.5(g-1). IF YOU ARE THE MORTGAGOR (HOMEOWNER), YOU HAVE THE RIGHT TO REMAIN IN POSSESSION FOR 30 DAYS AFTER ENTRY OF AN ORDER OF POSSESSION, IN ACCORDANCE WITH SECTION 15-1701(C) OF THE ILLINOIS MORTGAGE FORECLOSURE LAW. For information: Visit our website at service.atty-pierce.com. between the hours of 3 and 5 pm. PIERCE & ASSOCIATES, Plaintiff's Attorneys, One North Dearborn Street Suite 1300, CHICAGO, IL 60602. Tel No. (312) 476-5500. Please refer to file number PA1037675. THE JUDICIAL SALES CORPORATION One South Wacker Drive, 24th Floor, Chicago, IL 60606-4650 (312) 236-SALE You can also visit The Judicial Sales Corporation at www.tjsc.com for a 7 day status report of pending sales. PIERCE & ASSOCIATES One North Dearborn Street Suite 1300 CHICAGO,. IL 60602 (312) 476-5500 Attorney File No. PA1037675 Attorney Code. 91220 Case Number: 11 CH 4972
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NORRIDGE
Pierce & Associates File Number # 1037489
IN THE CIRCUIT COURT OF COOK COUNTY, ILLINOIS COUNTY DEPARTMENT - CHANCERY DIVISION
BANK OF AMERICA, N.A.
Plaintiff,
vs.
BORKA NJEGOMIROVIC; BORISLAV NJEGOMIROVIC; CAMELOT TOWNHOUSES-NORRIDGE HOMEOWNERS ASSOCIATION; UNKNOWN HEIRS AND LEGATEES OF BORKA NJEGOMIROVIC, IF ANY; UNKNOWN OWNERS
UNKNOWN OWNERS AND NON RECORD CLAIMANTS;
Defendants,
11 CH 12909
NOTICE OF SALE PURSUANT TO JUDGMENT OF FORECLOSURE UNDER ILLINOIS MORTGAGE FORECLOSURE LAW
PUBLIC NOTICE is hereby given that pursuant to a Judgment of Foreclosure entered in the above entitled cause on December 18, 2012, Intercounty Judicial Sales Corporation will on Wednesday, March 20, 2013, at the hour of 11 a.m. in their office at 120 West Madison Street, Suite 718A, Chicago, Illinois, sell to the highest bidder for cash, the following described property:
P.I.N. 12-12-307-107-0000, 12-12-307-165-0000.
Commonly known as 7856 WEST LAWRENCE AVENUE UNIT A, NORRIDGE, IL 60706.
The mortgaged real estate is improved with a condominium residence. The purchaser of the unit other than a mortgagee shall pay the assessments and the legal fees required by subdivisions (g)(1) and (g)(4) of Section 9 of the Condominium Property Act Sale terms: 25% down by certified funds, balance within 24 hours, by certified funds. No refunds. The property will NOT be open for inspection. Upon payment in full of the amount bid, the purchaser will receive a Certificate of Sale which will entitle the purchaser to a Deed to the premises after confirmation of the sale.
For information: Visit our website at http://service.atty-pierce.com. Between 3 p.m. and 5 p.m. only. Pierce & Associates, Plaintiff's Attorneys, 1 North Dearborn Street, Chicago, Illinois 60602. Tel.No. (312) 476-5500. Refer to File Number 1037489.
INTERCOUNTY JUDICIAL SALES CORPORATION
Selling Officer, (312) 444-1122
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2/14, 2/21, 2/28/13 #502365

NORRIDGE
IN THE CIRCUIT COURT OF COOK COUNTY, ILLINOIS COUNTY DEPARTMENT - CHANCERY DIVISION
THE BANK OF NEW YORK MELLON
F/K/A THE BANK OF NEW YORK, AS TRUSTEE FOR THE CERTIFICATEHOLDERS OF CWABS, INC., ASSET-BACKED CERTIFICATES, SERIES 2007-13
Plaintiff,
-v.-
ENRICO GLASSO, ROSEMARIE GLASSO,
UNITED STATES OF AMERICA, STATE OF ILLINOIS
Defendants
11 CH 039976
5036 N. DENAL STREET NORRIDGE, IL 60706
NOTICE OF SALE PUBLIC NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that pursuant to a Judgment of Foreclosure and Sale entered in the above cause on March 27, 2012, an agent of The Judicial Sales Corporation, will at 10:30 AM on March 7, 2013, at the The Judicial Sales Corporation, One South Wacker Drive - 24th Floor, CHICAGO, IL, 60606, sell at public auction to the highest bidder, as set forth below, the following described real estate:
Commonly known as 5036 N. DENAL STREET, NORRIDGE, IL 60706
Property Index No. 12-11-323-013.
The real estate is improved with a single family residence. Sale terms: 25% down of the highest bid by certified funds at the close of the auction; The balance, including the Judicial sale fee for Abandoned Residential Property Municipality Relief Fund, which is calculated on residential real estate at the rate of $1 for each $1,000 or fraction thereof of the amount paid by the purchaser not to exceed $300, in certified funds/or wire transfer, is due within twenty-four (24) hours. No fee shall be paid by the mortgagee acquiring the residential real estate pursuant to its credit bid at the sale or by any mortgagee, judgment creditor, or other lienor acquiring the residential real estate whose rights in and to the residential real estate arose prior to the sale. The subject property is subject to general real estate taxes, special assessments, or special taxes levied against said real estate and is offered for sale without any representation as to quality or quantity of title and without recourse to Plaintiff and in "AS IS" condition. The sale is further subject to confirmation by the court. If the sale is set aside for any reason, the Purchaser at the sale shall be entitled only to a return of the deposit paid. The Purchaser shall have no further recourse against the Mortgagor, the Mortgagee or the Mortgagee's attorney. Upon payment in full of the amount bid, the purchaser will receive a Certificate of Sale that will entitle the purchaser to a deed to the real estate after confirmation of the sale. The property will NOT be open for inspection and plaintiff makes no representation as to the condition of the property. Prospective bidders are admonished to check the court file to verify all information. If this property is a condominium unit, the purchaser of the unit at the foreclosure sale, other than a mortgagee, shall pay the assessments and the legal fees required by The Condominium Property Act, 765 ILCS 605/9(g)(1) and (g)(4). If this property is a condominium unit which is part of a common interest community, the purchaser of the unit at the foreclosure sale other than a mortgagee shall pay the assessments required by The Condominium Property Act, 765 ILCS 605/18.5(g-1). IF YOU ARE THE MORTGAGOR (HOMEOWNER), YOU HAVE THE RIGHT TO REMAIN IN POSSESSION FOR 30 DAYS AFTER ENTRY OF AN ORDER OF POSSESSION, IN ACCORDANCE WITH SECTION 15-1701(C) OF THE ILLINOIS MORTGAGE FORECLOSURE LAW. For information: Visit our website at service.atty-pierce.com. between the hours of 3 and 5 pm. PIERCE & ASSOCIATES, Plaintiff's Attorneys, One North Dearborn Street Suite 1300, CHICAGO, IL 60602. Tel No. (312) 476-5500. Please refer to file number PA1037675. THE JUDICIAL SALES CORPORATION One South Wacker Drive, 24th Floor, Chicago, IL 60606-4650 (312) 236-SALE You can also visit The Judicial Sales Corporation at www.tjsc.com for a 7 day status report of pending sales. CODILIS & ASSOCIATES, P.C. 15W030 NORTH FRONTAGE ROAD, SUITE 100 BURR RIDGE, IL 60527 (630) 794-5300 Attorney File No. 14-11-36278 Attorney ARDC No 00468002 Attorney Code. 21762 Case Number: 11 CH 039976 NOTE: Pursuant to the Fair Debt Collection Practices Act, you are advised that Plaintiff's attorney is deemed to be a debt collector attempting to collect a debt and any information obtained will be used for that purpose.
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2/14, 2/21, 2/28/13 #502288

NORRIDGE
IN THE CIRCUIT COURT OF COOK COUNTY, ILLINOIS COUNTY DEPARTMENT - CHANCERY DIVISION
WELLS FARGO BANK, N.A
Plaintiff,
-v.-
EVANGELINA LUVIANO AKA EVANGELINA A LUVIANO
Defendants
11 CH 09644
7849 WEST LAWRENCE AVENUE NORRIDGE, IL 60706
NOTICE OF SALE PUBLIC NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that pursuant to a Judgment of Foreclosure and Sale entered in the above cause on December 11, 2012, an agent of The Judicial Sales Corporation, will at 10:30 AM on March 13, 2013, at the The Judicial Sales Corporation, One South Wacker Drive - 24th Floor, CHICAGO, IL, 60606, sell at public auction to the highest bidder, as set forth below, the following described real estate:
Commonly known as 7849 WEST LAWRENCE AVENUE, NORRIDGE, IL 60706
Property Index No. 12-13-100-071-0000.
The real estate is improved with a brown brick two story single family home with a two car detached garage. Sale terms: 25% down of the highest bid by certified funds at the close of the auction; The balance, including the Judicial sale fee for Abandoned Residential Property Municipality Relief Fund, which is calculated on residential real estate at the rate of $1 for each $1,000 or fraction thereof of the amount paid by the purchaser not to exceed $300, in certified funds/or wire transfer, is due within twenty-four (24) hours. No fee shall be paid by the mortgagee acquiring the residential real estate pursuant to its credit bid at the sale or by any mortgagee, judgment creditor, or other lienor acquiring the residential real estate whose rights in and to the residential real estate arose prior to the sale. The subject property is subject to general real estate tax-

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es, special assessments, or special taxes levied against said real estate and is offered for sale without any representation as to quality or quantity of title and without recourse to Plaintiff and in "AS IS" condition. The sale is further subject to confirmation by the court. Upon payment in full of the amount bid, the purchaser will receive a Certificate of Sale that will entitle the purchaser to a deed to the real estate after confirmation of the sale. The property will NOT be open for inspection and plaintiff makes no representation as to the condition of the property. Prospective bidders are admonished to check the court file to verify all information. If this property is a condominium unit, the purchaser of the unit at the foreclosure sale, other than a mortgagee, shall pay the assessments and the legal fees required by The Condominium Property Act, 765 ILCS 605/9(g)(1) and (g)(4). If this property is a condominium unit which is part of a common interest community, the purchaser of the unit at the foreclosure sale other than a mortgagee shall pay the assessments required by The Condominium Property Act, 765 ILCS 605/18.5(g-1). IF YOU ARE THE MORTGAGOR (HOMEOWNER), YOU HAVE THE RIGHT TO REMAIN IN POSSESSION FOR 30 DAYS AFTER ENTRY OF AN ORDER OF POSSESSION, IN ACCORDANCE WITH SECTION 15-1701(C) OF THE ILLINOIS MORTGAGE FORECLOSURE LAW. For information: Visit our website at service.atty-pierce.com. between the hours of 3 and 5 pm. PIERCE & ASSOCIATES, Plaintiff's Attorneys, One North Dearborn Street Suite 1300, CHICAGO, IL 60602. Tel No. (312) 476-5500. Please refer to file number PA1038833. THE JUDICIAL SALES CORPORATION One South Wacker Drive, 24th Floor, Chicago, IL 60606-4650 (312) 236-SALE You can also visit The Judicial Sales Corporation at www.tjsc.com for a 7 day status report of pending sales. PIERCE & ASSOCIATES One North Dearborn Street Suite 1300 CHICAGO, IL 60602 (312) 476-5500 Attorney File No. PA1038833 Attorney Code. 91220 Case Number: 11 CH 09644

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2/14, 2/21, 2/28/13 #502269

HARWOOD HEIGHTS
IN THE CIRCUIT COURT OF COOK COUNTY, ILLINOIS
COUNTY DEPARTMENT - CHANCERY DIVISION
BANK OF AMERICA, N.A., SUCCESSOR BY MERGER TO BAC HOME LOANS SERVICING, LP FKA COUNTRYWIDE HOME LOANS SERVICING LP
Plaintiff,
vs.
MAREK SAK; DOROTA SAK; UNITED STATES OF AMERICA; UNKNOWN OWNERS AND NON RECORD CLAIMANTS; Defendants,
11 CH 16597
PUBLIC NOTICE is hereby given that pursuant to a Judgment of Foreclosure entered in the above entitled cause on December 12, 2012, Intercounty Judicial Sales Corporation will on Thursday, March 14, 2013, at the hour of 11 a.m. in their office at 120 West Madison Street, Suite 718A, Chicago, Illinois, sell to the highest bidder for cash, the following described property:
P.I.N. 12-12-416-014-0000.
Commonly known as 7444 WEST ARGYLE STREET, HARWOOD HEIGHTS, IL 60706.
The mortgaged real estate is improved with a single family residence. If the subject mortgaged real estate is a unit of a common interest community, the purchaser of the unit other than a mortgagee shall pay the assessments required by subsection (g-1) of Section 18.5 of the Condominium Property Act. Sale terms: 25% down by certified funds, balance within 24 hours. by certified funds. No refunds. The property will NOT be open for inspection. Upon payment in full of the amount bid, the purchaser will receive a Certificate of Sale which will entitle the purchaser to a Deed to the premises after confirmation of the sale.
For information: Visit our website at http://service.atty-pierce.com. Between 3 p.m. and 5 p.m. only. Pierce & Associates, Plaintiff's Attorneys, 1 North Dearborn Street, Chicago, Illinois 60602. Tel.No. (312) 476-5500. Refer to File Number 1105463.
INTERCOUNTY JUDICIAL SALES CORPORATION
Selling Officer, (312) 444-1122
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SKOKIE
IN THE CIRCUIT COURT OF COOK COUNTY, ILLINOIS
COUNTY DEPARTMENT - CHANCERY DIVISION
THE BANK OF NEW YORK MELLON FKA THE BANK OF NEW YORK, AS TRUSTEE FOR THE CERTIFICATEHOLDERS OF THE CWABS, INC., ASSET-BACKED CERTIFICATES, SERIES 2006-24;
Plaintiff,
vs.
SAEID KASAHCHI; MARLA KASAHCHI; MOHAMMAD ALI ZAHEDI; PATRICIA S. ZAHEDI; RIDGESTONE BANK; UNKNOWN HEIRS AND LEGATEES OF SAEID KASAHCHI, IF ANY; UNKNOWN HEIRS AND LEGATEES OF MARLA KASAHCHI, IF ANY; UNKNOWN OWNERS AND NON RECORD CLAIMANTS;
Defendants,
11 CH 33970
NOTICE OF SALE
PUBLIC NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that pursuant to a Judgment of Foreclosure and Sale entered in the above entitled cause on December 12, 2012 Intercounty Judicial Sales Corporation will on Wednesday, March 13, 2013 at the hour of 11 a.m. in their office at 120 West Madison Street, Suite 718A, Chicago, Illinois, sell at public auction to the highest bidder for cash, as set forth below, the following described mortgaged real estate:
P.I.N. 10-16-201-022-0000; 10-16-201-023-0000.
Commonly known as 9509 Leamington Street, Skokie, IL 60077.
The mortgaged real estate is improved with a single family residence. If the subject mortgaged real estate is a unit of a common interest community, the purchaser of the unit other than a mortgagee shall pay the assessments required by subsection (g-1) of Section 18.5 of the Condominium Property Act.
Sale terms: 10% down by certified funds, balance, by certified funds, within 24 hours. No refunds. The property will NOT be open for inspection
For information call the Sales Clerk at Plaintiff's Attorney, The Wirbicki Law Group, 33 West Monroe Street, Chicago, Illinois 60603. (312) 360-9455 W10-3788.
INTERCOUNTY JUDICIAL SALES CORPORATION
Selling Officer, (312) 444-1122
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2/7, 2/14, 2/21/13 #496692

LINCOLNWOOD
IN THE CIRCUIT COURT OF COOK COUNTY, ILLINOIS COUNTY DEPARTMENT - CHANCERY DIVISION CITIMORTGAGE, INC.
Plaintiff,
-v.-
VICTORIA FERKER, GERMAN LIBERMAN, REGAL COURT CONDOMINIUM ASSOCIATION
Defendants
11 CH 012685
6400 N. CICERO AVENUE UNIT #213 LINCOLNWOOD, IL 60712
NOTICE OF SALE PUBLIC NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that pursuant to a Judgment of Foreclosure and Sale entered in the above cause on September 21, 2012, an agent of The Judicial Sales Corporation, will at 10:30 AM on February 25, 2013, at the The Judicial Sales Corporation, One South Wacker Drive - 24th Floor, CHICAGO, IL, 60606, sell at public auction to the highest bidder, as set forth below, the following described real estate: Commonly known as 6400 N. CICERO AVENUE UNIT #213, LINCOLNWOOD, IL 60712 Property Index No. 10-33-432-040-1013. The real estate is improved with a multi-family residence. Sale terms: 25% down of the highest bid by certified funds at the close of the auction; The balance, including the Judicial sale fee for Abandoned Residential Property Municipality Relief Fund, which is calculated on residential real estate at the rate of $1 for each $1,000 or fraction thereof of the amount paid by the purchaser not to exceed $300, in certified funds/or wire transfer, is due within twenty-four (24) hours. No fee shall be paid by the mortgagee acquiring the residential real estate pursuant to its credit bid at the sale or by any mortgagee, judgment creditor, or other lienor acquiring the residential real estate whose rights in and to the residential real estate arose prior to the sale. The subject property is subject to general real estate taxes, special assessments, or special taxes levied against said real estate and is offered for sale without any representation as to quality or quantity of title and without recourse to Plaintiff and in "AS IS" condition. The sale is further subject to confirmation by the court. If the sale is set aside for any reason, the Purchaser at the sale shall be entitled only to a return of the deposit paid. The Purchaser shall have no further recourse against the Mortgagor, the Mortgagee or the Mortgagee's attorney. Upon payment in full of the amount bid, the purchaser will receive a Certificate of Sale that will entitle the purchaser to a deed to the real estate after confirmation of the sale. The property will NOT be open for inspection and plaintiff makes no representation as to the condition of the property. Prospective bidders are admonished to check the court file to verify all information. If this property is a condominium unit, the purchaser of the unit at the foreclosure sale, other than a mortgagee, shall pay the assessments and the legal fees required by The Condominium Property Act, 765 ILCS 605/9(g)(1) and (g)(4). If this property is a condominium unit which is part of a common interest community, the purchaser of the unit at the foreclosure sale other than a mortgagee shall pay the assessments required by The Condominium Property Act, 765 ILCS 605/18.5(g-1). IF YOU ARE THE MORTGAGOR (HOMEOWNER), YOU HAVE THE RIGHT TO REMAIN IN POSSESSION FOR 30 DAYS AFTER ENTRY OF AN ORDER OF POSSESSION, IN ACCORDANCE WITH SECTION 15-1701(C) OF THE ILLINOIS MORTGAGE FORECLOSURE LAW. For information, examine the court file or contact Plaintiff's attorney: CODILIS & ASSOCIATES, P.C., 15W030 NORTH FRONTAGE ROAD, SUITE 100, BURR RIDGE, IL 60527, (630) 794-9876. Please refer to file number 14-11-04906. THE JUDICIAL SALES CORPORATION One South Wacker Drive, 24th Floor, Chicago, IL 60606-4650 (312) 236-SALE You can also visit The Judicial Sales Corporation at www.tjsc.com for a 7 day status report of pending sales. CODILIS & ASSOCIATES, P.C. 15W030 NORTH FRONTAGE ROAD, SUITE 100 BURR RIDGE, IL 60527 (630) 794-5300 Attorney File No. 14-11-04906 Attorney ARDC No. 00468002 Attorney Code. 21762 Case Number: 11 CH 012685 NOTE: Pursuant to the Fair Debt Collection Practices Act, you are advised that Plaintiff's attorney is deemed to be a debt collector attempting to collect a debt and any information obtained will be used for that purpose.

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MORTON GROVE
IN THE CIRCUIT COURT OF COOK COUNTY, ILLINOIS COUNTY DEPARTMENT - CHANCERY DIVISION
BMO HARRIS BANK N.A., FORMERLY KNOWN AS HARRIS N.A.
Plaintiff,
-v.-
NAJIMA GODIL, ABDUL B. GODIL, JPMORGAN CHASE BANK N.A., UNKNOWN OWNERS AND NON-RECORD CLAIMANTS
Defendants
11 CH 31054
9032 LINDER AVENUE Morton Grove, IL 60053
NOTICE OF SALE PUBLIC NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that pursuant to a Judgment of Foreclosure and Sale entered in the above cause on November 14, 2012, an agent of The Judicial Sales Corporation, will at 10:30 AM on February 21, 2013, at the The Judicial Sales Corporation, One South Wacker Drive - 24th Floor, CHICAGO, IL, 60606, sell at public auction to the highest bidder, as set forth below, the following described real estate:Commonly known as 9032 LINDER AVENUE, Morton Grove, IL 60053 Property Index No. 10-16-310-067-0000. The real estate is improved with a single family residence. The judgment amount was $612,371.13. Sale terms: 10% down of the highest bid by certified funds at the close of the auction; The balance, including the Judicial sale fee for Abandoned Residential Property Municipality Relief Fund, which is calculated on residential real estate at the rate of $1 for each $1,000 or fraction thereof of the amount paid by the purchaser not to exceed $300, in certified funds/or wire transfer, is due within twenty-four (24) hours. No fee shall be paid by the mortgagee acquiring the residential real estate pursuant to its credit bid at the sale or by any mortgagee, judgment creditor, or other lienor acquiring the residential real estate whose rights in and to the residential real estate arose prior to the sale. The subject property is subject to general real estate taxes, special assessments, or special taxes levied against said real estate and is offered for sale without any representation as to quality or quantity of title and without recourse to Plaintiff and in "AS IS" condition. The sale is further subject to confirmation by the court. Upon payment in full of the amount bid, the purchaser will receive a Certificate of Sale that will entitle the purchaser to a deed to the real estate after confirmation of the sale. The property will NOT be open for inspection and plaintiff makes no representation as to the condition of the property. Prospective bidders are admonished to check the court file to verify all information. If this property is a condominium unit, the purchaser of the unit at the foreclosure sale, other than a mortgagee, shall pay the assessments and the legal fees required by The Condominium Property Act, 765 ILCS 605/9(g)(1) and (g)(4). If this property is a condominium unit which is part of a common interest community, the purchaser of the unit at the foreclosure sale other than a mortgagee shall pay the assessments required by The Condominium Property Act, 765 ILCS 605/18.5(g-1). IF YOU ARE THE MORTGAGOR (HOMEOWNER), YOU HAVE THE RIGHT TO REMAIN IN POSSESSION FOR 30 DAYS AFTER ENTRY OF AN ORDER OF POSSESSION, IN ACCORDANCE WITH SECTION 15-1701(C) OF THE ILLINOIS MORTGAGE FORECLOSURE LAW. For information, examine the court file or contact Plaintiff's attorney: CODILIS & ASSOCIATES, P.C., 15W030 NORTH FRONTAGE ROAD, SUITE 100, BURR RIDGE, IL 60527, (630) 794-9876. Please refer to file number 14-11-04906. THE JUDICIAL SALES CORPORATION One South Wacker Drive, 24th Floor, Chicago, IL 60606-4650 (312) 236-SALE You can also visit The Judicial Sales Corporation at www.tjsc.com for a 7 day status report of pending sales. CODILIS & ASSOCIATES, P.C. 15W030 NORTH FRONTAGE ROAD, SUITE 100 BURR RIDGE, IL 60527 (630) 794-5300 Attorney File No. 14-11-04906 Attorney ARDC No. 00468002 Attorney Code. 21762 Case Number: 11 CH 012685 NOTE: Pursuant to the Fair Debt Collection Practices Act, you are advised that Plaintiff's attorney is deemed to be a debt collector attempting to collect a debt and any information obtained will be used for that purpose.

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in full of the amount bid, the purchaser will receive a Certificate of Sale that will entitle the purchaser to a deed to the real estate after confirmation of the sale. The property will NOT be open for inspection and plaintiff makes no representation as to the condition of the property. Prospective bidders are admonished to check the court file to verify all information. If this property is a condominium unit, the purchaser of the unit at the foreclosure sale, other than a mortgagee, shall pay the assessments and the legal fees required by The Condominium Property Act, 765 ILCS 605/9(g)(1) and (g)(4). If this property is a condominium unit which is part of a common interest community, the purchaser of the unit at the foreclosure sale other than a mortgagee shall pay the assessments required by The Condominium Property Act, 765 ILCS 605/18.5(g-1). IF YOU ARE THE MORTGAGOR (HOMEOWNER), YOU HAVE THE RIGHT TO REMAIN IN POSSESSION FOR 30 DAYS AFTER ENTRY OF AN ORDER OF POSSESSION, IN ACCORDANCE WITH SECTION 15-1701(C) OF THE ILLINOIS MORTGAGE FORECLOSURE LAW. For information, contact Plaintiff's attorney: HOWARD AND HOWARD ATTORNEYS, PLLC, 200 S. MICHIGAN AVE., SUITE 1100, Chicago, IL 60604, (312) 372-4000. THE JUDICIAL SALES CORPORATION One South Wacker Drive, 24th Floor, Chicago, IL 60606-4650 (312) 236-SALE You can also visit The Judicial Sales Corporation at www.tjsc.com for a 7 day status report of pending sales. HOWARD AND HOWARD ATTORNEYS, PLLC 200 S. MICHIGAN AVE., SUITE 1100 Chicago, IL 60604(312) 372-4000 Attorney Code. 46359 Case # 11 CH 31054 NOTE: Pursuant to the Fair Debt Collection Practices Act, you are advised that Plaintiff's attorney is deemed to be a debt collector attempting to collect a debt and any information obtained will be used for that purpose.

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1/31, 2/7, 2/14/13 #491206

SKOKIE
IN THE CIRCUIT COURT OF COOK COUNTY, ILLINOIS
COUNTY DEPARTMENT - CHANCERY DIVISION
DEUTSCHE BANK NATIONAL TRUST COMPANY, AS TRUSTEE FOR AMERICAN HOME MORTGAGE ASSETS TRUST 2007-1, MORTGAGE BACKED PASS-THROUGH CERTIFICATES SERIES 2007-1;
Plaintiff,
vs.
SAM ODISHO AKA SAM M. ODISHO AKA MUNASSAR ODISHO, CURRENT SPOUSE OR CIVIL UNION PARTNER, IF ANY, OF SAM ODISHO AKA SAM M. ODISHO AKA MUNASSAR ODISHO, UNKNOWN OWNER, GENERALLY, AND NON RECORD CLAIMANTS;
Defendants.
11 CH 35754
NOTICE OF SALE
PUBLIC NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that pursuant to a Judgment of Foreclosure and Sale entered in the above entitled cause on December 7, 2012 Intercounty Judicial Sales Corporation will on Friday, March 8, 2013 at the hour of 11 a.m. in their office at 120 West Madison Street, Suite 718A, Chicago, Illinois, sell at public auction to the highest bidder for cash, as set forth below, the following described mortgaged real estate:
P.I.N. 10-15-217-026-0000
Commonly known as 9333 Kildare Avenue, Skokie, IL 60076
The mortgaged real estate is improved with a single family residence. If the subject mortgaged real estate is a unit of a common interest community, the purchaser of the unit other than a mortgagee shall pay the assessments required by subsection (g-1) of Section 18.5 of the Condominium Property Act.
Sale terms: 10% down by certified funds, balance, by certified funds, within 24 hours. No refunds. The property will NOT be open for inspection
For information call Mr. David C. Kluever at Plaintiff's Attorney, Kluever & Platt, LLC., 65 East Wacker Place, Chicago, Illinois 60601. (312) 236-0077.
INTERCOUNTY JUDICIAL SALES CORPORATION
Selling Officer, (312) 444-1122
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1/31, 2/7, 2/14/13 #491122

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MORTON GROVE
IN THE CIRCUIT COURT OF COOK COUNTY, ILLINOIS
COUNTY DEPARTMENT - CHANCERY DIVISION
FIFTH THIRD MORTGAGE COMPANY;
Plaintiff,
vs.
ROGELIO QUINTERO; KIMBERLY QUINTERO; PNC BANK NA SBM TO NATIONAL CITY BANK; UNKNOWN OWNERS AND NONRECORD CLAIMANTS;
Defendants,
11 CH 24164
NOTICE OF SALE PURSUANT TO JUDGMENT OF FORECLOSURE UNDER ILLINOIS MORTGAGE FORECLOSURE LAW
PUBLIC NOTICE is hereby given that pursuant to a Judgment of Foreclosure entered in the above entitled cause on December 3, 2012, Intercounty Judicial Sales Corporation will on Wednesday, March 6, 2013, at the hour of 11 a.m. in their office at 120 West Madison Street, Suite 718A, Chicago, Illinois, sell to the highest bidder for cash, the following described property:
P.I.N. 10-18-214-026-0000
Commonly known as 6508 PALMA LANE, MORTON GROVE, IL 60053
The mortgaged real estate is improved with a single family residence. If the subject mortgaged real estate is a unit of a common interest community, the purchaser of the unit other than a mortgagee shall pay the assessments required by subsection (g-1) of Section 18.5 of the Condominium Property Act.
Sale terms: 25% down by certified funds, balance within 24 hours, by certified funds. No refunds. The property will NOT be open for inspection. Upon payment in full of the amount bid, the purchaser will receive a Certificate of Sale which will entitle the purchaser to a Deed to the premises after confirmation of the sale.
For information: Visit our website at http://service.atty-pierce.com. Between 3 p.m. and 5 p.m. only. Pierce & Associates, Plaintiff's Attorneys, 1 North Dearborn Street, Chicago, Illinois 60602. Tel.No. (312) 476-5500. Refer to File Number 1111930.
INTERCOUNTY JUDICIAL SALES CORPORATION
Selling Officer, (312) 444-1122
I501598
1/31, 2/7, 2/14/13 #491108

SKOKIE
IN THE CIRCUIT COURT OF COOK COUNTY, ILLINOIS
COUNTY DEPARTMENT - CHANCERY DIVISION
SUNTRUST MORTGAGE, INC.;
Plaintiff,
vs.
EVGENIA GALUSTIAN; RUBEN GALUSTIAN; DIANA GALUSTIAN; ARMINE POGOSIAN; NILES CENTER-GROSS POINT ROAD TOWNHOUSE ASSOCIATION; UNKNOWN HEIRS AND LEGATEES OF EVGENIA GALUSTIAN, IF ANY; UNKNOWN HEIRS AND LEGATEES OF DIANA GALUSTIAN, IF ANY; UNKNOWN HEIRS AND LEGATES OF ARMINE POGOSIAN, IF ANY; UNKNOWN OWNERS AND NONRECORD CLAIMANTS; Defendants,
11 CH 11306
PUBLIC NOTICE is hereby given that pursuant to a Judgment of Foreclosure entered in the above entitled cause on November 30, 2012, Intercounty Judicial Sales Corporation will on Wednesday, March 6, 2013, at the hour of 11 a.m. in their office at 120 West Madison Street, Suite 718A, Chicago, Illinois, sell to the highest bidder for cash, the following described property:
P.I.N. 10-15-110-044-0000.
Commonly known as 9463 NILES CENTER ROAD UNIT C, SKOKIE, IL 60076.
The mortgaged real estate is improved with a townhouse residence. The purchaser of the unit other than a mortgagee shall pay the assessments and the legal fees required by subdivisions (g)(1) and (g)(4) of Section 9 of the Condominium Property Act Sale terms: 25% down by certified funds, balance within 24 hours, by certified funds. No refunds. The property will NOT be open for inspection. Upon payment in full of the amount bid, the purchaser will receive a Certificate of Sale which will entitle the purchaser to a Deed to the premises after confirmation of the sale.
For information: Visit our website at http://service.atty-pierce.com. Between 3 p.m. and 5 p.m. only. Pierce & Associates, Plaintiff's Attorneys, 1 North Dearborn Street,

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Chicago, Illinois 60602. Tel.No. (312) 476-5500. Refer to File Number 1100436.
INTERCOUNTY JUDICIAL SALES CORPORATION
Selling Officer, (312) 444-1122
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1/31, 2/7, 2/14/13 #491104

MORTON GROVE
IN THE CIRCUIT COURT OF COOK COUNTY, ILLINOIS COUNTY DEPARTMENT - CHANCERY DIVISION WELLS FARGO BANK, NA
Plaintiff,
-v.-
MICHAEL ROSS AKA MICHAEL A ROSS, CHRISTINE BENSA A/K/A CHRISTINE E BENSA
Defendants
12 CH 21572
7330 CHURCH STREET MORTON GROVE, IL 60053
NOTICE OF SALE PUBLIC NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that pursuant to a Judgment of Foreclosure and Sale entered in the above cause on December 17, 2012, an agent of The Judicial Sales Corporation, will at 10:30 AM on March 19, 2013, at the The Judicial Sales Corporation, One South Wacker Drive - 24th Floor, CHICAGO, IL, 60606, sell at public auction to the highest bidder, as set forth below, the following described real estate: Commonly known as 7330 CHURCH STREET, MORTON GROVE, IL 60053 Property Index No. 09-13-202-076-0000. The real estate is improved with a single family home with an attached 2 car garage. Sale terms: 25% down of the highest bid by certified funds at the close of the auction; The balance, including the Judicial sale fee for Abandoned Residential Property Municipality Relief Fund, which is calculated on residential real estate at the rate of $1 for each $1,000 or fraction thereof of the amount paid by the purchaser not to exceed $300, in certified funds/or wire transfer, is due within twenty-four (24) hours. No fee shall be paid by the mortgagee acquiring the residential real estate pursuant to its credit bid at the sale or by any mortgagee, judgment creditor, or other lienor acquiring the residential real estate whose rights in and to the residential real estate arose prior to the sale. The subject property is subject to general real estate taxes, special assessments, or special taxes levied against said real estate and is offered for sale without any representation as to quality or quantity of title and without recourse to Plaintiff and in "AS IS" condition. The sale is further subject to confirmation by the court. Upon payment in full of the amount bid, the purchaser will receive a Certificate of Sale that will entitle the purchaser to a deed to the real estate after confirmation of the sale. The property will NOT be open for inspection and plaintiff makes no representation as to the condition of the property. Prospective bidders are admonished to check the court file to verify all information. If this property is a condominium unit, the purchaser of the unit at the foreclosure sale, other than a mortgagee, shall pay the assessments and the legal fees required by The Condominium Property Act, 765 ILCS 605/9(g)(1) and (g)(4). If this property is a condominium unit which is part of a common interest community, the purchaser of the unit at the foreclosure sale other than a mortgagee shall pay the assessments required by The Condominium Property Act, 765 ILCS 605/18.5(g-1). IF YOU ARE THE MORTGAGOR (HOMEOWNER), YOU HAVE THE RIGHT TO REMAIN IN POSSESSION FOR 30 DAYS AFTER ENTRY OF AN ORDER OF POSSESSION, IN ACCORDANCE WITH SECTION 15-1701(C) OF THE ILLINOIS MORTGAGE FORECLOSURE LAW. For information: Visit our website at service.atty-pierce.com. between the hours of 3 and 5 pm. PIERCE & ASSOCIATES, Plaintiff's Attorneys, One North Dearborn Street Suite 1300, CHICAGO, IL 60602. Tel No. (312) 476-5500. Please refer to file number PA1211158. THE JUDICIAL SALES CORPORATION One South Wacker Drive, 24th Floor, Chicago, IL 60606-4650 (312) 236-SALE You can also visit The Judicial Sales Corporation at www.tjsc.com for a 7 day status report of pending sales. PIERCE & ASSOCIATES One North Dearborn Street Suite 1300 CHICAGO, IL 60602 (312) 476-5500 Attorney File No. PA1211158 Attorney Code. 91220 Case Number: 12 CH 21572

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HARWOOD HEIGHTS
IN THE CIRCUIT COURT OF COOK COUNTY, ILLINOIS COUNTY DEPARTMENT - CHANCERY DIVISION ONEWEST BANK, FSB (D/B/A FINANCIAL FREEDOM, A DIVISION OF ONEWEST BANK, FSB)
Plaintiff,
-v.-
UNKNOWN BENEFICIARIES OF THE TRUST U/T/A DATED 9/30/98 A/K/A TRUST NO 4728, UNITED STATES OF AMERICA - SECRETARY OF HOUSING AND URBAN DEVELOPMENT, UNKNOWN SUCCESSOR TRUSTEE OF THE TRUST U/T/A DATED 9/30/98 A/K/A TRUST NO 4728, UNKNOWN OWNERS AND NONRECORD CLAIMANTS, JOHN CLAUSON AS INDEPENDENT EXECUTOR OF THE ESTATE OF JUNE M. JOHNSON, DECEASED
Defendants
12 CH 001472
4728 N. OCONTO AVENUE HARWOOD HEIGHTS, IL 60656
NOTICE OF SALE PUBLIC NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that pursuant to a Judgment of Foreclosure and Sale entered in the above cause on December 19, 2012, an agent of The Judicial Sales Corporation, will at 10:30 AM on March 19, 2013, at the The Judicial Sales Corporation, One South Wacker Drive - 24th Floor, CHICAGO, IL, 60606, sell at public auction to the highest bidder, as set forth below, the following described real estate: Commonly known as 4728 N. OCONTO AVENUE, HARWOOD HEIGHTS, IL 60656 Property Index No. 12-13-206-041. The real estate is improved with a residence. Sale terms: 25% down of the highest bid by certified funds at the close of the auction; The balance, including the Judicial sale fee for Abandoned Residential Property Municipality Relief Fund, which is calculated on residential real estate at the rate of $1 for each $1,000 or fraction thereof of the amount paid by the purchaser not to exceed $300, in certified funds/or wire transfer, is due within twenty-four (24) hours. No fee shall be paid by the mortgagee acquiring the residential real estate pursuant to its credit bid at the sale or by any mortgagee, judgment creditor, or other lienor acquiring the residential real estate whose rights in and to the residential real estate arose prior to the sale. The subject property is subject to general real estate taxes, special assessments, or special taxes levied against said real estate and is offered for sale without any representation as to quality or quantity of title and without recourse to Plaintiff and in "AS IS" condition. The sale is further subject to confirmation by the court. If the sale is set aside for any reason, the Purchaser at the sale shall be entitled only to a return of the deposit paid. The Purchaser shall have no further recourse against the Mortgagor, the Mortgagee or the Mortgagee's attorney. Upon payment in full of the amount bid, the purchaser will receive a Certificate of Sale that will entitle the purchaser to a deed to the real estate after confirmation of the sale. The property will NOT be open for inspection and plaintiff makes no representation as to the condition of the property. Prospective bidders are admonished to check the court file to verify all information. If this property is a condominium unit, the purchaser of the unit at the foreclosure sale, other than a mortgagee, shall pay the assessments and the legal fees required by The Condominium Property Act, 765 ILCS 605/9(g)(1) and (g)(4). If this property is a condominium unit which is part of a common interest community, the purchaser of the unit at the foreclosure sale other than a mortgagee shall pay the assessments required by The Condominium Property Act, 765 ILCS 605/18.5(g-1). IF YOU ARE THE MORTGAGOR (HOMEOWNER), YOU HAVE THE RIGHT TO REMAIN IN POSSESSION FOR 30 DAYS AFTER ENTRY OF AN ORDER OF POSSESSION, IN ACCORDANCE WITH SECTION 15-1701(C) OF THE ILLINOIS MORTGAGE FORECLOSURE LAW. For information, examine the court file or contact Plaintiff's attorney: CODILIS & ASSOCIATES, P.C., 15W030 NORTH FRONTAGE ROAD, SUITE 100, BURR RIDGE, IL 60527, (630) 794-9876. Please refer to file number 14-11-39308. THE JUDICIAL SALES CORPORATION One South Wacker Drive, 24th Floor, Chicago, IL 60606-4650 (312) 236-SALE You can also visit The Judicial Sales Corporation at www.tjsc.com for a 7 day status report of pending sales. CODILIS & ASSOCIATES, P.C. 15W030 NORTH FRONTAGE ROAD, SUITE 100 BURR RIDGE, IL 60527 (630) 794-5300 Attorney File No. 14-11-39308 Attorney ARDC No. 00468002 Attorney Code. 21762 Case Number: 12 CH 001472 NOTE: Pursuant to the Fair Debt Collection Practices Act, you are advised that Plaintiff's attorney is deemed to be a debt collector attempting to collect a debt and any information obtained will be used for that purpose.

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2/14, 2/21, 2/28/13 #502441

MORTON GROVE
IN THE CIRCUIT COURT OF COOK COUNTY, ILLINOIS COUNTY DEPARTMENT - CHANCERY DIVISION DEUTSCHE BANK NATIONAL TRUST COMPANY, AS INDENTURE TRUSTEE FOR AMERICAN HOME MORTGAGE INVESTMENT TRUST 2007-2
Plaintiff,
-v.-
ABDUL BEGAWALA, MORTGAGE ELECTRONIC REGISTRATION SYSTEMS, INC.
Defendants
12 CH 012089
5822 S. PARK AVENUE MORTON GROVE, IL 60053
NOTICE OF SALE PUBLIC NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that pursuant to a Judgment of Foreclosure and Sale entered in the above cause on December 19, 2012, an agent of The Judicial Sales Corporation, will at 10:30 AM on March 21, 2013, at the The Judicial Sales Corporation, One South Wacker Drive - 24th Floor, CHICAGO, IL, 60606, sell at public auction to the highest bidder, as set forth below, the following described real estate: Commonly known as 5822 S. PARK AVENUE, MORTON GROVE, IL 60053 Property Index No. 10-20-215-029, Property Index No. 10-20-215-030. The real estate is improved with a residence. Sale terms: 25% down of the highest bid by certified funds at the close of the auction; The balance, including the Judicial sale fee for Abandoned Residential Property Municipality Relief Fund, which is calculated on residential real estate at the rate of $1 for each $1,000 or fraction thereof of the amount paid by the purchaser not to exceed $300, in certified funds/or wire transfer, is due within twenty-four (24) hours. No fee shall be paid by the mortgagee acquiring the residential real estate pursuant to its credit bid at the sale or by any mortgagee, judgment creditor, or other lienor acquiring the residential real estate whose rights in and to the residential real estate arose prior to the sale. The subject property is subject to general real estate taxes, special assessments, or special taxes levied against said real estate and is offered for sale without any representation as to quality or quantity of title and without recourse to Plaintiff and in "AS IS" condition. The sale is further subject to confirmation by the court. If the sale is set aside for any reason, the Purchaser at the sale shall be entitled only to a return of the deposit paid. The Purchaser shall have no further recourse against the Mortgagor, the Mortgagee or the Mortgagee's attorney. Upon payment in full of the amount bid, the purchaser will receive a Certificate of Sale that will entitle the purchaser to a deed to the real estate after confirmation of the sale. The property will NOT be open for inspection and plaintiff makes no representation as to the condition of the property. Prospective bidders are admonished to check the court file to verify all information. If this property is a condominium unit, the purchaser of the unit at the foreclosure sale, other than a mortgagee, shall pay the assessments and the legal fees required by The Condominium Property Act, 765 ILCS 605/9(g)(1) and (g)(4). If this property is a condominium unit which is part of a common interest community, the purchaser of the unit at the foreclosure sale other than a mortgagee shall pay the assessments required by The Condominium Property Act, 765 ILCS 605/18.5(g-1). IF YOU ARE THE MORTGAGOR (HOMEOWNER), YOU HAVE THE RIGHT TO REMAIN IN POSSESSION FOR 30 DAYS AFTER ENTRY OF AN ORDER OF POSSESSION, IN ACCORDANCE WITH SECTION 15-1701(C) OF THE ILLINOIS MORTGAGE FORECLOSURE LAW. For information, examine the court file or contact Plaintiff's attorney: CODILIS & ASSOCIATES, P.C., 15W030 NORTH FRONTAGE ROAD, SUITE 100, BURR RIDGE, IL 60527, (630) 794-9876. Please refer to file number 14-12-05462. THE JUDICIAL SALES CORPORATION One South Wacker Drive, 24th Floor, Chicago, IL 60606-4650 (312) 236-SALE You can also visit The Judicial Sales Corporation at www.tjsc.com for a 7 day status report of pending sales. CODILIS & ASSOCIATES, P.C. 15W030 NORTH FRONTAGE ROAD,

SUITE 100 BURR RIDGE, IL 60527 (630) 794-5300 Attorney File No. 14-12-05462 Attorney ARDC No. 00468002 Attorney Code. 21762 Case Number: 12 CH 012089 NOTE: Pursuant to the Fair Debt Collection Practices Act, you are advised that Plaintiff's attorney is deemed to be a debt collector attempting to collect a debt and any information obtained will be used for that purpose.
I507823
2/14, 2/21, 2/28/13 #502428

HARWOOD HEIGHTS
IN THE CIRCUIT COURT OF COOK COUNTY, ILLINOIS COUNTY DEPARTMENT - CHANCERY DIVISION WELLS FARGO BANK, NA
Plaintiff,
-v.-
ANDREW SCHMIDT A/K/A ANDREW W. SCHMIDT, CYNTHIA SCHMIDT A/K/A CYNTHIA A. SCHMIDT CYNTHIA BOCKHOLD-SCHMIDT A/K/A CYNTHIA A. BOCKHOLD-SCHMIDT, ALBANY BANK AND TRUST COMPANY, N.A.
Defendants
12 CH 02202
4741 NORTH OKETO AVENUE HARWOOD HEIGHTS, IL 60706
NOTICE OF SALE PUBLIC NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that pursuant to a Judgment of Foreclosure and Sale entered in the above cause on September 14, 2012, an agent of The Judicial Sales Corporation, will at 10:30 AM on March 21, 2013, at the The Judicial Sales Corporation, One South Wacker Drive - 24th Floor, CHICAGO, IL, 60606, sell at public auction to the highest bidder, as set forth below, the following described real estate: Commonly known as 4741 NORTH OKETO AVENUE, HARWOOD HEIGHTS, IL 60706 Property Index No. 12-13-204-041-0000. The real estate is improved with a single family 1 story home with a detached 2 car garage. Sale terms: 25% down of the highest bid by certified funds at the close of the auction; The balance, including the Judicial sale fee for Abandoned Residential Property Municipality Relief Fund, which is calculated on residential real estate at the rate of $1 for each $1,000 or fraction thereof of the amount paid by the purchaser not to exceed $300, in certified funds/or wire transfer, is due within twenty-four (24) hours. No fee shall be paid by the mortgagee acquiring the residential real estate pursuant to its credit bid at the sale or by any mortgagee, judgment creditor, or other lienor acquiring the residential real estate whose rights in and to the residential real estate arose prior to the sale. The subject property is subject to general real estate taxes, special assessments, or special taxes levied against said real estate and is offered for sale without any representation as to quality or quantity of title and without recourse to Plaintiff and in "AS IS" condition. The sale is further subject to confirmation by the court. Upon payment in full of the amount bid, the purchaser will receive a Certificate of Sale that will entitle the purchaser to a deed to the real estate after confirmation of the sale. The property will NOT be open for inspection and plaintiff makes no representation as to the condition of the property. Prospective bidders are admonished to check the court file to verify all information. If this property is a condominium unit, the purchaser of the unit at the foreclosure sale, other than a mortgagee, shall pay the assessments and the legal fees required by The Condominium Property Act, 765 ILCS 605/9(g)(1) and (g)(4). If this property is a condominium unit which is part of a common interest community, the purchaser of the unit at the foreclosure sale other than a mortgagee shall pay the assessments required by The Condominium Property Act, 765 ILCS 605/18.5(g-1). IF YOU ARE THE MORTGAGOR (HOMEOWNER), YOU HAVE THE RIGHT TO REMAIN IN POSSESSION FOR 30 DAYS AFTER ENTRY OF AN ORDER OF POSSESSION, IN ACCORDANCE WITH SECTION 15-1701(C) OF THE ILLINOIS MORTGAGE FORECLOSURE LAW. For information: Visit our website at service.atty-pierce.com. between the hours of 3 and 5 pm. PIERCE & ASSOCIATES, Plaintiff's Attorneys, One North Dearborn Street Suite 1300, CHICAGO, IL 60602. Tel No. (312) 476-5500. Please refer to file number PA1124387. THE JUDICIAL SALES CORPORATION One South Wacker Drive, 24th Floor, Chicago, IL 60606-4650 (312) 236-SALE You can also visit The Judicial Sales Corporation at www.tjsc.com for a 7 day status report of pending sales. PIERCE & ASSOCIATES One North Dearborn Street Suite 1300 CHICAGO, IL 60602 (312) 476-5500 Attorney File No. PA1124387 Attorney Code. 91220 Case Number: 12 CH 02202
I507822
2/14, 2/21, 2/28/13 #502421

MORTON GROVE
IN THE CIRCUIT COURT OF COOK COUNTY, ILLINOIS COUNTY DEPARTMENT - CHANCERY DIVISION
DEUTSCHE BANK NATIONAL TRUST COMPANY,
AS INDENTURE TRUSTEE FOR AMERICAN HOME MORTGAGE INVESTMENT TRUST 2005-1
Plaintiff,
-v.-
LISA STRAM, ANTHONY M. STRAM AKA ANTHONY STRAM, MERILL LYNCH CREDIT CORPORATION,
NEW CENTURY MORTGAGE CORPORATION,
EQUABLE ASCENT FINANCIAL LLC
Defendants
12 CH 13130
8902 MANSFIELD AVE. Morton Grove, IL 60053
NOTICE OF SALE PUBLIC NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that pursuant to a Judgment of Foreclosure and Sale entered in the above cause on October 25, 2012, an agent of The Judicial Sales Corporation, will at 10:30 AM on March 7, 2013, at the The Judicial Sales Corporation, One South Wacker Drive - 24th Floor, CHICAGO, IL, 60606, sell at public auction to the highest bidder, as set forth below, the following described real estate:
Commonly known as 8902 MANSFIELD AVE., Morton Grove, IL 60053
Property Index No. 10-17-418-038.
The real estate is improved with a single family residence. The judgment amount was $285,586.70. Sale terms: The bid amount, including the Judicial sale fee for Abandoned Residential Property Municipality Relief Fund, which is calculated on residential real estate at the rate of $1 for each $1,000 or fraction thereof of the amount paid by the purchaser not to exceed $300, shall be paid in certified funds immediately by the highest and best bidder at the conclusion of the sale. No fee shall be paid by the mortgagee acquiring the residential real estate pursuant to its credit bid at the sale or by any mortgagee, judgment creditor, or other lienor acquiring the residential real estate whose rights in and to the residential real estate arose prior to the sale. The subject property is subject to general real estate taxes, special assessments, or special taxes levied against said real estate and is offered for sale without any representation as to quality or quantity of title and without recourse to Plaintiff and in "AS IS" condition. The sale is further subject to confirmation by the court. Upon payment in full of the amount bid, the purchaser will receive a Certificate of Sale that will entitle the purchaser to a deed to the real estate after confirmation of the sale. The property will NOT be open for inspection and plaintiff makes no representation as to the condition of the property. Prospective bidders are admonished to check the court file to verify all information. If this property is a condominium unit, the purchaser of the unit at the foreclosure sale, other than a mortgagee, shall pay the assessments and the legal fees required by The Condominium Property Act, 765 ILCS 605/9(g)(1) and (g)(4). If this property is a condominium unit which is part of a common interest community, the purchaser of the unit at the foreclosure sale other than a mortgagee shall pay the assessments required by The Condominium Property Act, 765 ILCS 605/18.5(g-1). IF YOU ARE THE MORTGAGOR (HOMEOWNER), YOU HAVE THE RIGHT TO REMAIN IN POSSESSION FOR 30 DAYS AFTER ENTRY OF AN ORDER OF POSSESSION, IN ACCORDANCE WITH SECTION 15-1701(C) OF THE ILLINOIS MORTGAGE FORECLOSURE LAW. For information, contact Plaintiff's attorney: HEAVNER, SCOTT, BEYERS & MIHLAR, LLC, 111 East Main Street, DECATUR, IL 62523, (217) 422-1719. THE JUDICIAL SALES CORPORATION One South Wacker Drive, 24th Floor, Chicago, IL 60606-4650 (312) 236-SALE You can also visit The Judicial Sales Corporation at www.tjsc.com for a 7 day status report of pending sales. HEAVNER, SCOTT, BEYERS & MIHLAR, LLC 111 East Main Street DECATUR, IL 62523 (217) 422-1719 Attorney Code. 40387 Case Number: 12 CH 13130 NOTE: Pursuant to the Fair Debt Collection Practices Act, you are advised that Plaintiff's attorney is deemed to be a debt collector attempting to collect a debt and any information obtained will be used for that purpose.
I506367
2/14, 2/21, 2/28/13 #502255

SKOKIE
IN THE CIRCUIT COURT OF COOK COUNTY, ILLINOIS COUNTY DEPARTMENT - CHANCERY DIVISION JPMORGAN CHASE BANK, NATIONAL ASSOCIATION SUCCESSOR BY MERGER TO CHASE HOME FINANCE LLC
Plaintiff,
-v.-
JOACHIM J. NEUBERGER, LINCOLN COURT CONDOMINIUM ASSOCIATION
Defendants
12 CH 018763
5040 WARREN STREET 306 SKOKIE, IL 60076
NOTICE OF SALE PUBLIC NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that pursuant to a Judgment of Foreclosure and Sale entered in the above cause on December 12, 2012, an agent of The Judicial Sales Corporation, will at 10:30 AM on March 14, 2013, at the The Judicial Sales Corporation, One South Wacker Drive - 24th Floor, CHICAGO, IL, 60606, sell at public auction to the highest bidder, as set forth below, the following described real estate: Commonly known as 5040 WARREN STREET 306, SKOKIE, IL 60076 Property Index No. 10-21-410-031-1016. The real estate is improved with a condo/townhouse. Sale terms: 25% down of the highest bid by certified funds at the close of the auction; The balance, including the Judicial sale fee for Abandoned Residential Property Municipality Relief Fund, which is calculated on residential real estate at the rate of $1 for each $1,000 or fraction thereof of the amount paid by the purchaser not to exceed $300, in certified funds/or wire transfer, is due within twenty-four (24) hours. No fee shall be paid by the mortgagee acquiring the residential real estate pursuant to its credit bid at the sale or by any mortgagee, judgment creditor, or other lienor acquiring the residential real estate whose rights in and to the residential real estate arose prior to the sale. The subject property is subject to general real estate taxes, special assessments, or special taxes levied against said real estate and is offered for sale without any representation as to quality or quantity of title and without recourse to Plaintiff and in "AS IS" condition. The sale is further subject to confirmation by the court. If the sale is set aside for any reason, the Purchaser at the sale shall be entitled only to a return of the deposit paid. The Purchaser shall have no further recourse against the Mortgagor, the Mortgagee or the Mortgagee's attorney. Upon payment in full of the amount bid, the purchaser will receive a Certificate of Sale that will entitle the purchaser to a deed to the real estate after confirmation of the sale. The property will NOT be open for inspection and plaintiff makes no representation as to the condition of the property. Prospective bidders are admonished to check the court file to verify all information. If this property is a condominium unit, the purchaser of the unit at the foreclosure sale, other than a mortgagee, shall pay the assessments and the legal fees required by The Condominium Property Act, 765 ILCS 605/9(g)(1) and (g)(4). If this property is a condominium unit which is part of a common interest community, the purchaser of the unit at the foreclosure sale other than a mortgagee shall pay the assessments required by The Condominium Property Act, 765 ILCS 605/18.5(g-1). IF YOU ARE THE MORTGAGOR (HOMEOWNER), YOU HAVE THE RIGHT TO REMAIN IN POSSESSION FOR 30 DAYS AFTER ENTRY OF AN ORDER OF POSSESSION, IN ACCORDANCE WITH SECTION 15-1701(C) OF THE ILLINOIS MORTGAGE FORECLOSURE LAW. For information, examine the court file or contact Plaintiff's attorney: CODILIS & ASSOCIATES, P.C., 15W030 NORTH FRONTAGE ROAD, SUITE 100, BURR RIDGE, IL 60527, (630) 794-9876. Please refer to file number 14-11-37338. THE JUDICIAL SALES CORPORATION One South Wacker Drive, 24th Floor, Chicago, IL 60606-4650 (312) 236-SALE You can also visit The Judicial Sales Corporation at www.tjsc.com for a 7 day status report of pending sales. CODILIS & ASSOCIATES, P.C. 15W030 NORTH FRONTAGE ROAD, SUITE 100 BURR RIDGE, IL 60527 (630) 794-5300 Attorney File No. 14-11-37338 Attorney ARDC No. 00468002 Attorney Code. 21762 Case Number: 12 CH 018763 NOTE: Pursuant to the Fair Debt Collection Practices Act, you are advised that Plaintiff's attorney is deemed to be a debt collector attempting to collect a debt and any information obtained will be used for that purpose.
I506067
2/14, 2/21, 2/28/13 #502250

LINCOLNWOOD
IN THE CIRCUIT COURT OF COOK COUNTY, ILLINOIS COUNTY DEPARTMENT - CHANCERY DIVISION
WELLS FARGO BANK, NA
Plaintiff,
vs.
HADI H. ALSAIMARY; ZAINAB A AL JENABI;
HAMPTON PLACE CONDOMINIUM ASSOCIATION:
UNKNOWN OWNERS AND NON-RECORD CLAIMANTS;
Defendants,
12 CH 5464
NOTICE OF SALE
PUBLIC NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that pursuant to a Judgment of Foreclosure and Sale entered in the above entitled cause on December 12, 2012 Intercounty Judicial Sales Corporation will on Wednesday, March 13, 2013 at the hour of 11 a.m. in their office at 120 West Madison Street, Suite 718A, Chicago, Illinois, sell at public auction to the highest bidder for cash, as set forth below, the following described mortgaged real estate:
P.I.N. 10-27-321-002-1003.
Commonly known as 7201 North Lincoln Avenue, Unit 203, Lincolnwood, Il 60712.
The mortgaged real estate is improved with a condominium residence. The purchaser of the unit other than a mortgagee shall pay the assessments and the legal fees required by subdivisions (g)(1) and (g)(4) of Section 9 of the Condominium Property Act
Sale terms: 10% down by certified funds, balance, by certified funds, within 24 hours. No refunds. The property will NOT be open for inspection
For information call Mr. Anthony Porto at Plaintiff's Attorney, Freedman Anselmo Lindberg LLC, 1807 West Diehl Road, Naperville, Illinois 60563-1890. (630) 983-0770. For Bidding instructions call (630) 453-6713 24 hours prior to sale.
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INTERCOUNTY JUDICIAL SALES CORPORATION
Selling Officer, (312) 444-1122
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2/7, 2/14, 2/21/13 #496729

SKOKIE
IN THE CIRCUIT COURT OF COOK COUNTY, ILLINOIS COUNTY DEPARTMENT - CHANCERY DIVISION OCWEN LOAN SERVICING, LLC
Plaintiff,
-v.-
ELWALIED ELNOUR A/K/A ELWALIED M. ELNOUR, IMITHAAL ALI A/K/A IMITHAAL M. ALI, MORTGAGE ELECTRONIC REGISTRATION SYSTEMS, INC.
Defendants
12 CH 002908
3833 W. BIRCHWOOD AVENUE SKOKIE, IL 60076
NOTICE OF SALE PUBLIC NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that pursuant to a Judgment of Foreclosure and Sale entered in the above cause on December 11, 2012, an agent of The Judicial Sales Corporation, will at 10:30 AM on March 13, 2013, at the The Judicial Sales Corporation, One South Wacker Drive - 24th Floor, CHICAGO, IL, 60606, sell at public auction to the highest bidder, as set forth below, the following described real estate: Commonly known as 3833 W. BIRCHWOOD AVENUE, SKOKIE, IL 60076 Property Index No. 10-26-320-009. The real estate is improved with a single family residence. Sale terms: 25% down of the highest bid by certified funds at the close of the auction; The balance, including the Judicial sale fee for Abandoned Residential Property Municipality Relief Fund, which is calculated on residential real estate at the rate of $1 for each $1,000 or fraction thereof of the amount paid by the purchaser not to exceed $300, in certified funds/or wire transfer, is due within twenty-four (24) hours. No fee shall be paid by the mortgagee acquiring the residential real estate pursuant to its credit bid at the sale or by any mortgagee, judgment creditor, or other lienor acquiring the residential real estate whose rights in and to the residential real estate arose prior to the sale. The subject property is subject to general real estate taxes, special assessments, or special taxes levied against said real estate and is offered for sale without any representation as to quality or quantity of title and without recourse to Plaintiff and in "AS IS" condition. The sale is further subject to confirmation by the court. If the sale is set aside for any reason, the Purchaser at the sale shall be entitled only to a return of the deposit paid. The Purchaser shall have no further recourse against the Mortgagor, the Mortgagee or the Mortgagee's attorney. Upon payment in full of the amount bid, the purchaser will receive a Certificate of Sale that will entitle the purchaser to a deed to the real estate after confirmation of the sale. The property will NOT be open for inspection and plaintiff makes no representation as to the condition of the property. Prospective bidders are admonished to check the court file to verify all information. If this property is a condominium unit, the purchaser of the unit at the foreclosure sale, other than a mortgagee, shall pay the assessments and the legal fees required by The Condominium Property Act, 765 ILCS 605/9(g)(1) and (g)(4). If this property is a condominium unit which is part of a common interest community, the purchaser of the unit at the foreclosure sale other than a mortgagee shall pay the assessments required by The Condominium Property Act, 765 ILCS 605/18.5(g-1). IF YOU ARE THE MORTGAGOR (HOMEOWNER), YOU HAVE THE RIGHT TO REMAIN IN POSSESSION FOR 30 DAYS AFTER ENTRY OF AN ORDER OF POSSESSION, IN ACCORDANCE WITH SECTION 15-1701(C) OF THE ILLINOIS MORTGAGE FORECLOSURE LAW. For information, examine the court file or contact Plaintiff's attorney: CODILIS & ASSOCIATES, P.C., 15W030 NORTH FRONTAGE ROAD, SUITE 100, BURR RIDGE, IL 60527, (630) 794-9876. Please refer to file number 14-11-40007. THE JUDICIAL SALES CORPORATION One South Wacker Drive, 24th Floor, Chicago, IL 60606-4650 (312) 236-SALE You can also visit The Judicial Sales Corporation at www.tjsc.com for a 7 day status report of pending sales. CODILIS & ASSOCIATES, P.C. 15W030 NORTH FRONTAGE ROAD, SUITE 100 BURR RIDGE, IL 60527 (630) 794-5300 Attorney File No. 14-11-40007 Attorney ARDC No. 00468002 Attorney Code. 21762 Case Number: 12 CH 002908 NOTE: Pursuant to the Fair Debt Collection Practices Act, you are advised that Plaintiff's attorney is deemed to be a debt collector attempting to collect a debt and any information obtained will be used for that purpose.
I505345
2/7, 2/14, 2/21/13 #496609

SKOKIE
IN THE CIRCUIT COURT OF COOK COUNTY, ILLINOIS COUNTY DEPARTMENT - CHANCERY DIVISION GREEN TREE SERVICING LLC,
Plaintiff,
-v.-
YOUSSEF YOUNAN, CAPITAL ONE BANK (USA), N.A., 4922 W. KIRK CONDOMINIUM ASSOCIATION Defendants
12 CH 027254
4922 KIRK STREET, UNIT 102 Skokie, IL 60077
NOTICE OF SALE PUBLIC NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that pursuant to a Judgment of Foreclosure and Sale entered in the above cause on December 6, 2012, an agent of The Judicial Sales Corporation, will at 10:30 AM on March 8, 2013, at the The Judicial Sales Corporation, One South Wacker Drive - 24th Floor, CHICAGO, IL, 60606, sell at public auction to the highest bidder, as set forth below, the following described real estate:Commonly known as 4922 KIRK STREET, UNIT 102, Skokie, IL 60077 Property Index No. 10-28-208-026-1002 VOL. 0126. The real estate is improved with a condominium. The judgment amount was $146,409.99. Sale terms: 25% down of the highest bid by certified funds at the close of the auction; The balance, including the Judicial sale fee for Abandoned Residential Property Municipality Relief Fund, which is calculated on residential real estate at the rate of $1 for each $1,000 or fraction thereof of the amount paid by the purchaser not to exceed $300, in certified funds/or wire transfer, is due within twenty-four (24) hours. No fee shall be paid by the mortgagee acquiring the residential real estate pursuant to its credit bid at the sale or by any mortgagee, judgment creditor, or other lienor acquiring the residential real estate whose rights in and to the residential real estate arose prior to the sale. The subject property is subject to general real estate taxes, special assessments, or special taxes levied against said real estate and is offered for sale without any representation as to quality or quantity of title and without recourse to Plaintiff and in "AS IS" condition. The sale is further subject to confirmation by the court. Upon payment in full of the amount bid, the purchaser will receive a Certificate of Sale that will entitle the purchaser to a deed to the real estate after confirmation of the sale. The property will NOT be open for inspection and plaintiff makes no representation as to the condition of the property. Prospective bidders are admonished to check the court file to verify all information. If this property is a condominium unit, the purchaser of the unit at the foreclosure sale, other than a mortgagee, shall pay the assessments and the legal fees required by The Condominium Property Act, 765 ILCS 605/9(g)(1) and (g)(4). If this property is a condominium unit which is part of a common interest community, the purchaser of the unit at the foreclosure sale other than a mortgagee shall pay the assessments required by The Condominium Property Act, 765 ILCS 605/18.5(g-1). IF YOU ARE THE MORTGAGOR (HOMEOWNER), YOU HAVE THE RIGHT TO REMAIN IN POSSESSION FOR 30 DAYS AFTER ENTRY OF AN ORDER OF POSSESSION, IN ACCORDANCE WITH SECTION 15-1701(C) OF THE ILLINOIS MORTGAGE FORECLOSURE LAW. For information, contact Plaintiff's attorney: JOHNSON, BLUMBERG & ASSOCIATES, LLC, 230 W. Monroe Street, Suite #1125, Chicago, IL 60606, (312) 541-9710. Please refer to file number 12-2074. THE JUDICIAL SALES CORPORATION One South Wacker Drive, 24th Floor, Chicago, IL 60606-4650 (312) 236-SALE You can also visit The Judicial Sales Corporation at www.tjsc.com for a 7 day status report of pending sales. JOHNSON, BLUMBERG & ASSOCIATES, LLC 230 W. Monroe Street, Suite #1125 Chicago, IL 60606 (312) 541-9710 Attorney File No. 12-2074 Attorney Code. Case Number: 12 CH 027254 NOTE: Pursuant to the Fair Debt Collection Practices Act, you are advised that Plaintiff's attorney is deemed to be a debt collector attempting to collect a debt and any information obtained will be used for that purpose.
I504899
2/7, 2/14, 2/21/13 #496596

MORTON GROVE
IN THE CIRCUIT COURT OF COOK COUNTY, ILLINOIS COUNTY DEPARTMENT - CHANCERY DIVISION DEUTSCHE BANK NATIONAL TRUST COMPANY, AS TRUSTEE FOR NEW CENTURY HOME EQUITY LOAN TRUST, SERIES 2003-5 ASSET BACKED PASS-THROUGH CERTIFICATES
Plaintiff,
-v.-
ASHOUR SHIMON, JACQUELINE SHIMON, CHARTER ONE BANK, N.A.
Defendants
12 CH 21348.
5812 OAKTON STREET Morton Grove, IL 60053
NOTICE OF SALE PUBLIC NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that pursuant to a Judgment of Foreclosure and Sale entered in the above cause on December 6, 2012, an agent of The Judicial Sales Corporation, will at 10:30 AM on March 8, 2013, at the The Judicial Sales Corporation, One South Wacker Drive - 24th Floor, CHICAGO, IL, 60606, sell at public auction to the highest bidder, as set forth below, the following described real estate: Commonly known as 5812 OAKTON STREET, Morton Grove, IL 60053 Property Index No. 10204210360000. The real estate is improved with a single family residence. The judgment amount was $262,480.60. Sale terms: 25% down of the highest bid by certified funds at the close of the auction; The balance, including the Judicial sale fee for Abandoned Residential Property Municipality Relief Fund, which is calculated on residential real estate at the rate of $1 for each $1,000 or fraction thereof of the amount paid by the purchaser not to exceed $300, in certified funds/or wire transfer, is due within twenty-four (24) hours. No fee shall be paid by the mortgagee acquiring the residential real estate pursuant to its credit bid at the sale or by any mortgagee, judgment creditor, or other lienor acquiring the residential real estate whose rights in and to the residential real estate arose prior to the sale. The subject property is subject to general real estate taxes, special assessments, or special taxes levied against said real estate and is offered for sale without any representation as to quality or quantity of title and without recourse to Plaintiff and in "AS IS" condition. The sale is further subject to confirmation by the court. Upon payment in full of the amount bid, the purchaser will receive a Certificate of Sale that will entitle the purchaser to a deed to the real estate after confirmation of the sale. The property will NOT be open for inspection and plaintiff makes no representation as to the condition of the property. Prospective bidders are admonished to check the court file to verify all information. If this property is a condominium unit, the purchaser of the unit at the foreclosure sale, other than a mortgagee, shall pay the assessments and the legal fees required by The Condominium Property Act, 765 ILCS 605/9(g)(1) and (g)(4). If this property is a condominium unit which is part of a common interest community, the purchaser of the unit at the foreclosure sale other than a mortgagee shall pay the assessments required by The Condominium Property Act, 765 ILCS 605/18.5(g-1). IF YOU ARE THE MORTGAGOR (HOMEOWNER), YOU HAVE THE RIGHT TO REMAIN IN POSSESSION FOR 30 DAYS AFTER ENTRY OF AN ORDER OF POSSESSION, IN ACCORDANCE WITH SECTION 15-1701(C) OF THE ILLINOIS MORTGAGE FORECLOSURE LAW. For information, contact Plaintiff's attorney: RANDALL S. MILLER & ASSOCIATES, 120 N. LASALLE STREET, SUITE 1140, Chicago, IL 60602, (312) 239-3432. Please refer to file number 12IL00733-1. THE JUDICIAL SALES CORPORATION One South Wacker Drive, 24th Floor, Chicago, IL 60606-4650 (312) 236-SALE You can also visit The Judicial Sales Corporation at www.tjsc.com for a 7 day status report of pending sales. RANDALL S. MILLER & ASSOCIATES 120 N. LASALLE STREET, SUITE 1140 Chicago, IL 60602 (312) 239-3432 Attorney File No. 12IL00733-1 Attorney Code. 46689 Case Number: 12 CH 21348 NOTE: Pursuant to the Fair Debt Collection Practices Act, you are advised that Plaintiff's attorney is deemed to be a debt collector attempting to collect a debt and any information obtained will be used for that purpose.
I504882
2/7, 2/14, 2/21/13 #496591

SKOKIE
IN THE CIRCUIT COURT OF COOK COUNTY, ILLINOIS COUNTY DEPARTMENT - CHANCERY DIVISION WELLS FARGO BANK, N.A.
Plaintiff,
-v.-
SAMAN DAVOOD, NADIA DAVOOD
Defendants
12 CH 025134
8308 LOWELL AVENUE SKOKIE, IL 60076
NOTICE OF SALE PUBLIC NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that pursuant to a Judgment of Foreclosure and Sale entered in the above cause on December 7, 2012, an agent of The Judicial Sales Corporation, will at 10:30 AM on March 11, 2013, at the The Judicial Sales Corporation, One South Wacker Drive - 24th Floor, CHICAGO, IL, 60606, sell at public auction to the highest bidder, as set forth below, the following described real estate:Commonly known as 8308 LOWELL AVENUE, SKOKIE, IL 60076 Property Index No. 10-22-400-034. The real estate is improved with a single family residence. Sale terms: 25% down of the highest bid by certified funds at the close of the auction; The balance, including the Judicial sale fee for Abandoned Residential Property Municipality Relief Fund, which is calculated on residential real estate at the rate of $1 for each $1,000 or fraction thereof of the amount paid by the purchaser not to exceed $300, in certified funds/or wire transfer, is due within twenty-four (24) hours. No fee shall be paid by the mortgagee acquiring the residential real estate pursuant to its credit bid at the sale or by any mortgagee, judgment creditor, or other lienor acquiring the residential real estate whose rights in and to the residential real estate arose prior to the sale. The subject property is subject to general real estate taxes, special assessments, or special taxes levied against said real estate and is offered for sale without any representation as to quality or quantity of title and without recourse to Plaintiff and in "AS IS" condition. The sale is further subject to confirmation by the court. If the sale is set aside for any reason, the Purchaser at the sale shall be entitled only to a return of the deposit paid. The Purchaser shall have no further recourse against the Mortgagor, the Mortgagee or the Mortgagee's attorney. Upon payment in full of the amount bid, the purchaser will receive a Certificate of Sale that will entitle the purchaser to a deed to the real estate after confirmation of the sale. The property will NOT be open for inspection and plaintiff makes no representation as to the condition of the property. Prospective bidders are admonished to check the court file to verify all information. If this property is a condominium unit, the purchaser of the unit at the foreclosure sale, other than a mortgagee, shall pay the assessments and the legal fees required by The Condominium Property Act, 765 ILCS 605/9(g)(1) and (g)(4). If this property is a condominium unit which is part of a common interest community, the purchaser of the unit at the foreclosure sale other than a mortgagee shall pay the assessments required by The Condominium Property Act, 765 ILCS 605/18.5(g-1). IF YOU ARE THE MORTGAGOR (HOMEOWNER), YOU HAVE THE RIGHT TO REMAIN IN POSSESSION FOR 30 DAYS AFTER ENTRY OF AN ORDER OF POSSESSION, IN ACCORDANCE WITH SECTION 15-1701(C) OF THE ILLINOIS MORTGAGE FORECLOSURE LAW. For information, examine the court file or contact Plaintiff's attorney: CODILIS & ASSOCIATES, P.C., 15W030 NORTH FRONTAGE ROAD, SUITE 100, BURR RIDGE, IL 60527, (630) 794-9876. Please refer to file number 14-11-27804. THE JUDICIAL SALES CORPORATION One South Wacker Drive, 24th Floor, Chicago, IL 60606-4650 (312) 236-SALE You can also visit The Judicial Sales Corporation at www.tjsc.com for a 7 day status report of pending sales. CODILIS & ASSOCIATES, P.C. 15W030 NORTH FRONTAGE ROAD, SUITE 100 BURR RIDGE, IL 60527 (630) 794-5300 Attorney File No. 14-11-27804 Attorney ARDC No. 00468002 Attorney Code. 21762 Case Number: 12 CH 025134 NOTE: Pursuant to the Fair Debt Collection Practices Act, you are advised that Plaintiff's attorney is deemed to be a debt collector attempting to collect a debt and any information obtained will be used for that purpose.
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2/7, 2/14, 2/21/13 #496581

MORTON GROVE
IN THE CIRCUIT COURT OF COOK COUNTY, ILLINOIS COUNTY DEPARTMENT - CHANCERY DIVISION
U.S. BANK NATIONAL ASSOCIATION, AS TRUSTEE FOR THE HOLDERS OF THE SAMI II INC., BEAR STEARNS ARM TRUST, MORTGAGE PASS-THROUGH CERTIFICATES, SERIES 2005-12
Plaintiff,
-v.-
IMRAN A. AZIZ, SAMINA IMRAN, DELAINE FARM CONDOMINIUM ASSOCIATION, MORTGAGE ELECTRONIC REGISTRATION SYSTEMS, INC.
Defendants
12 CH 016962
9233 NAGLE AVENUE UNIT #9233 MORTON GROVE, IL 60053
NOTICE OF SALE PUBLIC NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that pursuant to a Judgment of Foreclosure and Sale entered in the above cause on August 30, 2012, an agent of The Judicial Sales Corporation, will at 10:30 AM on March 11, 2013, at the The Judicial Sales Corporation, One South Wacker Drive - 24th Floor, CHICAGO, IL, 60606, sell at public auction to the highest bidder, as set forth below, the following described real estate: Commonly known as 9233 NAGLE AVENUE UNIT #9233, MORTON GROVE, IL 60053 Property Index No. 10-18-219-020-1021. The real estate is improved with a condo/townhouse. Sale terms: 25% down of the highest bid by certified funds at the close of the auction; The balance, including the Judicial sale fee for Abandoned Residential Property Municipality Relief Fund, which is calculated on residential real estate at the rate of $1 for each $1,000 or fraction thereof of the amount paid by the purchaser not to exceed $300, in certified funds/or wire transfer, is due within twenty-four (24) hours. No fee shall be paid by the mortgagee acquiring the residential real estate pursuant to its credit bid at the sale or by any mortgagee, judgment creditor, or other lienor acquiring the residential real estate whose rights in and to the residential real estate arose prior to the sale. The subject property is subject to general real estate taxes, special assessments, or special taxes levied against said real estate and is offered for sale without any representation as to quality or quantity of title and without recourse to Plaintiff and in "AS IS" condition. The sale is further subject to confirmation by the court. If the sale is set aside for any reason, the Purchaser at the sale shall be entitled only to a return of the deposit paid. The Purchaser shall have no further recourse against the Mortgagor, the Mortgagee or the Mortgagee's attorney. Upon payment in full of the amount bid, the purchaser will receive a Certificate of Sale that will entitle the purchaser to a deed to the real estate after confirmation of the sale. The property will NOT be open for inspection and plaintiff makes no representation as to the condition of the property. Prospective bidders are admonished to check the court file to verify all infor-

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mation. If this property is a condominium unit, the purchaser of the unit at the foreclosure sale, other than a mortgagee, shall pay the assessments and the legal fees required by The Condominium Property Act, 765 ILCS 605/9(g)(1) and (g)(4). If this property is a condominium unit which is part of a common interest community, the purchaser of the unit at the foreclosure sale other than a mortgagee shall pay the assessments required by The Condominium Property Act, 765 ILCS 605/18.5(g-1). IF YOU ARE THE MORTGAGOR (HOMEOWNER), YOU HAVE THE RIGHT TO REMAIN IN POSSESSION FOR 30 DAYS AFTER ENTRY OF AN ORDER OF POSSESSION, IN ACCORDANCE WITH SECTION 15-1701(C) OF THE ILLINOIS MORTGAGE FORECLOSURE LAW. For information, examine the court file or contact Plaintiff's attorney: CODILIS & ASSOCIATES, P.C., 15W030 NORTH FRONTAGE ROAD, SUITE 100, BURR RIDGE, IL 60527, (630) 794-9876. Please refer to file number 14-12-04725. THE JUDICIAL SALES CORPORATION One South Wacker Drive, 24th Floor, Chicago, IL 60606-4650 (312) 236-SALE You can also visit The Judicial Sales Corporation at www.tjsc.com for a 7 day status report of pending sales. CODILIS & ASSOCIATES, P.C. 15W030 NORTH FRONTAGE ROAD, SUITE 100 BURR RIDGE, IL 60527 (630) 794-5300 Attorney File No. 14-12-04725 Attorney ARDC No. 00468002 Attorney Code. 21762 Case Number: 12 CH 016962 NOTE: Pursuant to the Fair Debt Collection Practices Act, you are advised that Plaintiff's attorney is deemed to be a debt collector attempting to collect a debt and any information obtained will be used for that purpose.
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2/7, 2/14, 2/21/13 #496561

NORRIDGE
IN THE CIRCUIT COURT OF COOK COUNTY, ILLINOIS COUNTY DEPARTMENT - CHANCERY DIVISION
ONEWEST BANK, FSB
Plaintiff,
-v.-
SIMONA BEKTESHI
Defendants
12 CH 027984
4840 N. OZARK AVENUE NORRIDGE, IL 60706
NOTICE OF SALE PUBLIC NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that pursuant to a Judgment of Foreclosure and Sale entered in the above cause on November 27, 2012, an agent of The Judicial Sales Corporation. will at 10:30 AM on March 5, 2013, at the The Judicial Sales Corporation, One South Wacker Drive - 24th Floor, CHICAGO, IL, 60606, sell at public auction to the highest bidder, as set forth below, the following described real estate:
Commonly known as 4840 N. OZARK AVENUE, NORRIDGE, IL 60706
Property Index No. 12-12-324-042.
The real estate is improved with a residence. Sale terms: 25% down of the highest bid by certified funds at the close of the auction; The balance, including the Judicial sale fee for Abandoned Residential Property Municipality Relief Fund, which is calculated on residential real estate at the rate of $1 for each $1,000 or fraction thereof of the amount paid by the purchaser not to exceed $300, in certified funds/or wire transfer, is due within twenty-four (24) hours. No fee shall be paid by the mortgagee acquiring the residential real estate pursuant to its credit bid at the sale or by any mortgagee, judgment creditor, or other lienor acquiring the residential real estate whose rights in and to the residential real estate arose prior to the sale. The subject property is subject to general real estate taxes, special assessments, or special taxes levied against said real estate and is offered for sale without any representation as to quality or quantity of title and without recourse to Plaintiff and in "AS IS" condition. The sale is further subject to confirmation by the court. If the sale is set aside for any reason, the Purchaser at the sale shall be entitled only to a return of the deposit paid. The Purchaser shall have no further recourse against the Mortgagor, the Mortgagee or the Mortgagee's attorney. Upon payment in full of the amount bid, the purchaser will receive a Certificate of Sale that will entitle the purchaser to a deed to the real estate after confirmation of the sale. The property will NOT be open for inspection and plaintiff makes no representation as to the condition of the property. Prospective bidders are admonished to check the court file to verify all information. If this property is a condominium unit, the purchaser of the unit at the foreclosure sale, other

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than a mortgagee, shall pay the assessments and the legal fees required by The Condominium Property Act, 765 ILCS 605/9(g)(1) and (g)(4). If this property is a condominium unit which is part of a common interest community, the purchaser of the unit at the foreclosure sale other than a mortgagee shall pay the assessments required by The Condominium Property Act, 765 ILCS 605/18.5(g-1). IF YOU ARE THE MORTGAGOR (HOMEOWNER), YOU HAVE THE RIGHT TO REMAIN IN POSSESSION FOR 30 DAYS AFTER ENTRY OF AN ORDER OF POSSESSION, IN ACCORDANCE WITH SECTION 15-1701(C) OF THE ILLINOIS MORTGAGE FORECLOSURE LAW. For information, examine the court file or contact Plaintiff's attorney: CODILIS & ASSOCIATES, P.C., 15W030 NORTH FRONTAGE ROAD, SUITE 100, BURR RIDGE, IL 60527, (630) 794-9876. Please refer to file number 14-12-17762. THE JUDICIAL SALES CORPORATION One South Wacker Drive, 24th Floor, Chicago, IL 60606-4650 (312) 236-SALE You can also visit The Judicial Sales Corporation at www.tjsc.com for a 7 day status report of pending sales. CODILIS & ASSOCIATES, P.C. 15W030 NORTH FRONTAGE ROAD, SUITE 100 BURR RIDGE, IL 60527(630) 794-9876 Attorney File No.: 14-12-17762 ARDC# 00468002 Attorney Code. 21762 Case # 12 CH 027984 NOTE: Pursuant to the Fair Debt Collection Practices Act, you are advised that Plaintiff's attorney is deemed to be a debt collector attempting to collect a debt and any information obtained will be used for that purpose.
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1/31, 2/7, 2/14/13 #491342

SKOKIE
IN THE CIRCUIT COURT OF COOK COUNTY, ILLINOIS COUNTY DEPARTMENT - CHANCERY DIVISION WELLS FARGO BANK, N.A.
Plaintiff,
-v.-
JAMES NGUYEN, PHUONG THI NGUYEN, CAPITAL ONE BANK (USA), N.A. F/K/A CAPITAL ONE BANK Defendants
12 CH 027831
4901 W. ESTES AVENUE SKOKIE, IL 60077
NOTICE OF SALE PUBLIC NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that pursuant to a Judgment of Foreclosure and Sale entered in the above cause on November 29, 2012, an agent of The Judicial Sales Corporation, will at 10:30 AM on March 6, 2013, at the The Judicial Sales Corporation, One South Wacker Drive - 24th Floor, CHICAGO, IL, 60606, sell at public auction to the highest bidder, as set forth below, the following described real estate: Commonly known as 4901 W. ESTES AVENUE, SKOKIE, IL 60077 Property Index No. 10-33-210-018. The real estate is improved with a single family residence. Sale terms: 25% down of the highest bid by certified funds at the close of the auction; The balance, including the Judicial sale fee for Abandoned Residential Property Municipality Relief Fund, which is calculated on residential real estate at the rate of $1 for each $1,000 or fraction thereof of the amount paid by the purchaser not to exceed $300, in certified funds/or wire transfer, is due within twenty-four (24) hours. No fee shall be paid by the mortgagee acquiring the residential real estate pursuant to its credit bid at the sale or by any mortgagee, judgment creditor, or other lienor acquiring the residential real estate whose rights in and to the residential real estate arose prior to the sale. The subject property is subject to general real estate taxes, special assessments, or special taxes levied against said real estate and is offered for sale without any representation as to quality or quantity of title and without recourse to Plaintiff and in "AS IS" condition. The sale is further subject to confirmation by the court. If the sale is set aside for any reason, the Purchaser at the sale shall be entitled only to a return of the deposit paid. The Purchaser shall have no further recourse against the Mortgagor, the Mortgagee or the Mortgagee's attorney. Upon payment in full of the amount bid, the purchaser will receive a Certificate of Sale that will entitle the purchaser to a deed to the real estate after confirmation of the sale. The property will NOT be open for inspection and plaintiff makes no representation as to the condition of the property. Prospective bidders are admonished to check the court file to verify all information. If this property is a condo-

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minium unit which is part of a common interest community, the purchaser of the unit at the foreclosure sale other than a mortgagee shall pay the assessments required by The Condominium Property Act, 765 ILCS 605/18.5(g-1). IF YOU ARE THE MORTGAGOR (HOMEOWNER), YOU HAVE THE RIGHT TO REMAIN IN POSSESSION FOR 30 DAYS AFTER ENTRY OF AN ORDER OF POSSESSION, IN ACCORDANCE WITH SECTION 15-1701(C) OF THE ILLINOIS MORTGAGE FORECLOSURE LAW. For information, examine the court file or contact Plaintiff's attorney: CODILIS & ASSOCIATES, P.C., 15W030 NORTH FRONTAGE ROAD, SUITE 100, BURR RIDGE, IL 60527, (630) 794-9876. Please refer to file number 14-12-16760. THE JUDICIAL SALES CORPORATION One South Wacker Drive, 24th Floor, Chicago, IL 60606-4650 (312) 236-SALE You can also visit The Judicial Sales Corporation at www.tjsc.com for a 7 day status report of pending sales. CODILIS & ASSOCIATES, P.C. 15W030 NORTH FRONTAGE ROAD, SUITE 100 BURR RIDGE, IL 60527(630) 794-9876 Attorney File No.: 14-12-16760 ARDC# 00468002 Attorney Code. 21762 Case # 12 CH 027831 NOTE: Pursuant to the Fair Debt Collection Practices Act, you are advised that Plaintiff's attorney is deemed to be a debt collector attempting to collect a debt and any information obtained will be used for that purpose.
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1/31, 2/7, 2/14/13 #491328

SKOKIE
IN THE CIRCUIT COURT OF COOK COUNTY, ILLINOIS COUNTY DEPARTMENT - CHANCERY DIVISION GREEN TREE SERVICING LLC
Plaintiff,
-v.-
LORNA GENESE A/K/A LORNA M. GENESE, ROGELIO GENESE A/K/A ROGELIO V. GENESE, MORTGAGE ELECTRONIC REGISTRATION SYSTEMS, INC., AS NOMINEE FOR AEGIS WHOLESALE CORPORATION Defendants
12 CH 12637
9305 LATROBE AVENUE SKOKIE, IL 60077
NOTICE OF SALE PUBLIC NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that pursuant to a Judgment of Foreclosure and Sale entered in the above cause on July 24, 2012, an agent of The Judicial Sales Corporation, will at 10:30 AM on February 22, 2013, at the The Judicial Sales Corporation, One South Wacker Drive - 24th Floor, CHICAGO, IL, 60606, sell at public auction to the highest bidder, as set forth below, the following described real estate: Commonly known as 9305 LATROBE AVENUE, SKOKIE, IL 60077 Property Index No. 10-18-120-016-0000. The real estate is improved with a tan brick one story single family home with a one car detached garage. Sale terms: 25% down of the highest bid by certified funds at the close of the auction; The balance, including the Judicial sale fee for Abandoned Residential Property Municipality Relief Fund, which is calculated on residential real estate at the rate of $1 for each $1,000 or fraction thereof of the amount paid by the purchaser not to exceed $300, in certified funds/or wire transfer, is due within twenty-four (24) hours. No fee shall be paid by the mortgagee acquiring the residential real estate pursuant to its credit bid at the sale or by any mortgagee, judgment creditor, or other lienor acquiring the residential real estate whose rights in and to the residential real estate arose prior to the sale. The subject property is subject to general real estate taxes, special assessments, or special taxes levied against said real estate and is offered for sale without any representation as to quality or quantity of title and without recourse to Plaintiff and in "AS IS" condition. The sale is further subject to confirmation by the court. Upon payment in full of the amount bid, the purchaser will receive a Certificate of Sale that will entitle the purchaser to a deed to the real estate after confirmation of the sale. The property will NOT be open for inspection and plaintiff makes no representation as to the condition of the property. Prospective bidders are admonished to check the court file to verify all information. If this property is a condominium unit, the purchaser of the unit at the foreclosure sale, other than a mortgagee, shall pay the assessments and the legal fees required by The Condominium Property Act, 765 ILCS 605/9(g)(1) and (g)(4). If this property is a condominium unit which is part of a common interest community, the purchaser of the unit at the foreclosure sale other than a mortgagee shall pay the assessments required

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by The Condominium Property Act, 765 ILCS 605/18.5(g-1). IF YOU ARE THE MORTGAGOR (HOMEOWNER), YOU HAVE THE RIGHT TO REMAIN IN POSSESSION FOR 30 DAYS AFTER ENTRY OF AN ORDER OF POSSESSION, IN ACCORDANCE WITH SECTION 15-1701(C) OF THE ILLINOIS MORTGAGE FORECLOSURE LAW. For information: Visit our website at service.atty-pierce.com. between the hours of 3 and 5 pm. PIERCE & ASSOCIATES, Plaintiff's Attorneys, One North Dearborn Street Suite 1300, CHICAGO, IL 60602. Tel No. (312) 476-5500. Please refer to file number PA1203674. THE JUDICIAL SALES CORPORATION One South Wacker Drive, 24th Floor, Chicago, IL 60606-4650 (312) 236-SALE You can also visit The Judicial Sales Corporation at www.tjsc.com for a 7 day status report of pending sales. PIERCE & ASSOCIATES One North Dearborn Street Suite 1300 CHICAGO, IL 60602(312) 476-5500 Attorney File No.: PA1203674 Attorney Code. 91220 Case # 12 CH 12637
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1/31, 2/7, 2/14/13 #491313

SKOKIE
IN THE CIRCUIT COURT OF COOK COUNTY, ILLINOIS COUNTY DEPARTMENT - CHANCERY DIVISION WELLS FARGO BANK, N.A.
Plaintiff,
-v.-
BRIAN BUTLER, 8440-8460 NORTH SKOKIE BOULEVARD CONDOMINIUM ASSOCIATION, MIDLAND FUNDING LLC
Defendants
12 CH 026949
8450 SKOKIE BLVD. UNIT #106 SKOKIE, IL 60077
NOTICE OF SALE PUBLIC NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that pursuant to a Judgment of Foreclosure and Sale entered in the above cause on November 28, 2012, an agent of The Judicial Sales Corporation, will at 10:30 AM on March 5, 2013, at the The Judicial Sales Corporation, One South Wacker Drive - 24th Floor, CHICAGO, IL, 60606, sell at public auction to the highest bidder, as set forth below, the following described real estate: Commonly known as 8450 SKOKIE BLVD. UNIT #106, SKOKIE, IL 60077 Property Index No. 10-21-223-041-1006. The real estate is improved with a residence. Sale terms: 25% down of the highest bid by certified funds at the close of the auction; The balance, including the Judicial sale fee for Abandoned Residential Property Municipality Relief Fund, which is calculated on residential real estate at the rate of $1 for each $1,000 or fraction thereof of the amount paid by the purchaser not to exceed $300, in certified funds/or wire transfer, is due within twenty-four (24) hours. No fee shall be paid by the mortgagee acquiring the residential real estate pursuant to its credit bid at the sale or by any mortgagee, judgment creditor, or other lienor acquiring the residential real estate whose rights in and to the residential real estate arose prior to the sale. The subject property is subject to general real estate taxes, special assessments, or special taxes levied against said real estate and is offered for sale without any representation as to quality or quantity of title and without recourse to Plaintiff and in "AS IS" condition. The sale is further subject to confirmation by the court. If the sale is set aside for any reason, the Purchaser at the sale shall be entitled only to a return of the deposit paid. The Purchaser shall have no further recourse against the Mortgagor, the Mortgagee or the Mortgagee's attorney. Upon payment in full of the amount bid, the purchaser will receive a Certificate of Sale that will entitle the purchaser to a deed to the real estate after confirmation of the sale. The property will NOT be open for inspection and plaintiff makes no representation as to the condition of the property. Prospective bidders are admonished to check the court file to verify all information. If this property is a condominium unit, the purchaser of the unit at the foreclosure sale, other than a mortgagee, shall pay the assessments and the legal fees required by The Condominium Property Act, 765 ILCS 605/9(g)(1) and (g)(4). If this property is a condominium unit which is part of a common interest community, the purchaser of the unit at the foreclosure sale other than a mortgagee shall pay the assessments required by The Condominium Property Act, 765 ILCS 605/18.5(g-1). IF YOU ARE THE MORTGAGOR (HOMEOWNER), YOU HAVE THE RIGHT TO REMAIN IN POSSESSION FOR 30 DAYS AFTER ENTRY OF AN ORDER OF POSSESSION, IN ACCORDANCE WITH SECTION

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15-1701(C) OF THE ILLINOIS MORTGAGE FORECLOSURE LAW. For information, examine the court file or contact Plaintiff's attorney: CODILIS & ASSOCIATES, P.C., 15W030 NORTH FRONTAGE ROAD, SUITE 100, BURR RIDGE, IL 60527, (630) 794-9876. Please refer to file number 14-12-20668. THE JUDICIAL SALES CORPORATION One South Wacker Drive, 24th Floor, Chicago, IL 60606-4650 (312) 236-SALE You can also visit The Judicial Sales Corporation at www.tjsc.com for a 7 day status report of pending sales. CODILIS & ASSOCIATES, P.C. 15W030 NORTH FRONTAGE ROAD, SUITE 100 BURR RIDGE, IL 60527(630) 794-9876 Attorney File No.: 14-12-20668 ARDC# 00468002 Attorney Code. 21762 Case # 12 CH 026949 NOTE: Pursuant to the Fair Debt Collection Practices Act, you are advised that Plaintiff's attorney is deemed to be a debt collector attempting to collect a debt and any information obtained will be used for that purpose.
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1/31, 2/7, 2/14/13 #491285

MORTON GROVE
IN THE CIRCUIT COURT OF COOK COUNTY, ILLINOIS COUNTY DEPARTMENT - CHANCERY DIVISION FEDERAL NATIONAL MORTGAGE ASSOCIATION
Plaintiff,
-v.-
HAI H NGUYEN A/K/A HAI NGUYEN, THUY T TRAN A/K/A THUY TRAN
Defendants
12 CH 02206
7001 CHURCH STREET MORTON GROVE, IL 60053
NOTICE OF SALE PUBLIC NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that pursuant to a Judgment of Foreclosure and Sale entered in the above cause on November 30, 2012, an agent of The Judicial Sales Corporation, will at 10:30 AM on March 5, 2013, at the The Judicial Sales Corporation, One South Wacker Drive - 24th Floor, CHICAGO, IL, 60606, sell at public auction to the highest bidder, as set forth below, the following described real estate:Commonly known as 7001 CHURCH STREET, MORTON GROVE, IL 60053 Property Index No. 10-18-303-011-0000, 10-18-303-012-0000. The real estate is improved with a single family home with a detached 1 car garage. Sale terms: 25% down of the highest bid by certified funds at the close of the auction; The balance, including the Judicial sale fee for Abandoned Residential Property Municipality Relief Fund, which is calculated on residential real estate at the rate of $1 for each $1,000 or fraction thereof of the amount paid by the purchaser not to exceed $300, in certified funds/or wire transfer, is due within twenty-four (24) hours. No fee shall be paid by the mortgagee acquiring the residential real estate pursuant to its credit bid at the sale or by any mortgagee, judgment creditor, or other lienor acquiring the residential real estate whose rights in and to the residential real estate arose prior to the sale. The subject property is subject to general real estate taxes, special assessments, or special taxes levied against said real estate and is offered for sale without any representation as to quality or quantity of title and without recourse to Plaintiff and in "AS IS" condition. The sale is further subject to confirmation by the court. Upon payment in full of the amount bid, the purchaser will receive a Certificate of Sale that will entitle the purchaser to a deed to the real estate after confirmation of the sale. The property will NOT be open for inspection and plaintiff makes no representation as to the condition of the property. Prospective bidders are admonished to check the court file to verify all information. If this property is a condominium unit, the purchaser of the unit at the foreclosure sale, other than a mortgagee, shall pay the assessments and the legal fees required by The Condominium Property Act, 765 ILCS 605/9(g)(1) and (g)(4). If this property is a condominium unit which is part of a common interest community, the purchaser of the unit at the foreclosure sale other than a mortgagee shall pay the assessments required by The Condominium Property Act, 765 ILCS 605/18.5(g-1). IF YOU ARE THE MORTGAGOR (HOMEOWNER), YOU HAVE THE RIGHT TO REMAIN IN POSSESSION FOR 30 DAYS AFTER ENTRY OF AN ORDER OF POSSESSION, IN ACCORDANCE WITH SECTION 15-1701(C) OF THE ILLINOIS MORTGAGE FORECLOSURE LAW. For information: Visit our website at service.atty-pierce.com. between the hours of 3 and 5 pm. PIERCE & ASSOCIATES, Plaintiff's Attorneys, One North Dearborn Street Suite 1300, CHICAGO, IL 60602. Tel No. (312) 476-5500.

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Please refer to file number PA1200159. THE JUDICIAL SALES CORPORATION One South Wacker Drive, 24th Floor, Chicago, IL 60606-4650 (312) 236-SALE You can also visit The Judicial Sales Corporation at www.tjsc.com for a 7 day status report of pending sales. PIERCE & ASSOCIATES One North Dearborn Street Suite 1300 CHICAGO, IL 60602(312) 476-5500 Attorney File No.: PA1200159 Attorney Code. 91220 Case # 12 CH 02206
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1/31, 2/7, 2/14/13 #491229

LINCOLNWOOD
IN THE CIRCUIT COURT OF COOK COUNTY, ILLINOIS COUNTY DEPARTMENT - CHANCERY DIVISION
PNC BANK, NATIONAL ASSOCIATION
Plaintiff,
-v.-
MARK BLOOM A/K/A MARK F. BLOOM, BARBARA BLOOM A/K/A BARBARA W. BLOOM
Defendants
12 CH 18965
7006 N KEELER AVENUE LINCOLNWOOD, IL 60712
NOTICE OF SALE PUBLIC NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that pursuant to a Judgment of Foreclosure and Sale entered in the above cause on November 27, 2012, an agent of The Judicial Sales Corporation, will at 10:30 AM on March 1, 2013, at the The Judicial Sales Corporation, One South Wacker Drive - 24th Floor, CHICAGO, IL, 60606, sell at public auction to the highest bidder, as set forth below, the following described real estate: Commonly known as 7006 N KEELER AVENUE, LINCOLNWOOD, IL 60712 Property Index No. 10-34-210-035-0000. The real estate is improved with a one story single family home; one car attached garage. Sale terms: 25% down of the highest bid by certified funds at the close of the auction; The balance, including the Judicial sale fee for Abandoned Residential Property Municipality Relief Fund, which is calculated on residential real estate at the rate of $1 for each $1,000 or fraction thereof of the amount paid by the purchaser not to exceed $300, in certified funds/or wire transfer, is due within twenty-four (24) hours. No fee shall be paid by the mortgagee acquiring the residential real estate pursuant to its credit bid at the sale or by any mortgagee, judgment creditor, or other lienor acquiring the residential real estate whose rights in and to the residential real estate arose prior to the sale. The subject property is subject to general real estate taxes, special assessments, or special taxes levied against said real estate and is offered for sale without any representation as to quality or quantity of title and without recourse to Plaintiff and in "AS IS" condition. The sale is further subject to confirmation by the court. Upon payment in full of the amount bid, the purchaser will receive a Certificate of Sale that will entitle the purchaser to a deed to the real estate after confirmation of the sale. The property will NOT be open for inspection and plaintiff makes no representation as to the condition of the property. Prospective bidders are admonished to check the court file to verify all information. If this property is a condominium unit, the purchaser of the unit at the foreclosure sale, other than a mortgagee, shall pay the assessments and the legal fees required by The Condominium Property Act, 765 ILCS 605/9(g)(1) and (g)(4). If this property is a condominium unit which is part of a common interest community, the purchaser of the unit at the foreclosure sale other than a mortgagee shall pay the assessments required by The Condominium Property Act, 765 ILCS 605/18.5(g-1). IF YOU ARE THE MORTGAGOR (HOMEOWNER), YOU HAVE THE RIGHT TO REMAIN IN POSSESSION FOR 30 DAYS AFTER ENTRY OF AN ORDER OF POSSESSION, IN ACCORDANCE WITH SECTION 15-1701(C) OF THE ILLINOIS MORTGAGE FORECLOSURE LAW. For information, examine the court file or contact Plaintiff's attorney: CODILIS & ASSOCIATES, P.C., 15W030 NORTH FRONTAGE ROAD, SUITE 100, BURR RIDGE, IL 60527, (630) 794-9876. Please refer to file number 14-12-02763. THE JUDICIAL SALES CORPORATION One South Wacker Drive, 24th Floor, Chicago, IL 60606-4650 (312) 236-SALE You can also visit The Judicial Sales Corporation at www.tjsc.com for a 7 day status re-

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Corporation at www.tjsc.com for a 7 day status report of pending sales. PIERCE & ASSOCIATES One North Dearborn Street Suite 1300 CHICAGO, IL 60602(312) 476-5500 Attorney File No.: PA1210241 Attorney Code. 91220 Case # 12 CH 18965
I503007
1/31, 2/7, 2/14/13 #491224

SKOKIE
IN THE CIRCUIT COURT OF COOK COUNTY, ILLINOIS COUNTY DEPARTMENT - CHANCERY DIVISION DEUTSCHE BANK NATIONAL TRUST COMPANY, AS TRUSTEE FOR ARGENT SECURITIES INC., ASSET-BACKED PASS-THROUGH CERTIFICATES, SERIES 2006-M2
Plaintiff,
-v.-
KALED MUJTABA, UNKNOWN OWNERS AND NONRECORD CLAIMANTS
Defendants
12 CH 006110
10027 FRONTAGE ROAD UNIT F SKOKIE, IL
NOTICE OF SALE PUBLIC NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that pursuant to a Judgment of Foreclosure and Sale entered in the above cause on September 5, 2012, an agent of The Judicial Sales Corporation, will at 10:30 AM on March 1, 2013, at the The Judicial Sales Corporation, One South Wacker Drive - 24th Floor, CHICAGO, IL, 60606, sell at public auction to the highest bidder, as set forth below, the following described real estate: Commonly known as 10027 FRONTAGE ROAD UNIT F, SKOKIE, IL 60077 Property Index No. 10-09-200-101. The real estate is improved with a condo/townhouse. Sale terms: 25% down of the highest bid by certified funds at the close of the auction; The balance, including the Judicial sale fee for Abandoned Residential Property Municipality Relief Fund, which is calculated on residential real estate at the rate of $1 for each $1,000 or fraction thereof of the amount paid by the purchaser not to exceed $300, in certified funds/or wire transfer, is due within twenty-four (24) hours. No fee shall be paid by the mortgagee acquiring the residential real estate pursuant to its credit bid at the sale or by any mortgagee, judgment creditor, or other lienor acquiring the residential real estate whose rights in and to the residential real estate arose prior to the sale. The subject property is subject to general real estate taxes, special assessments, or special taxes levied against said real estate and is offered for sale without any representation as to quality or quantity of title and without recourse to Plaintiff and in "AS IS" condition. The sale is further subject to confirmation by the court. If the sale is set aside for any reason, the Purchaser at the sale shall be entitled only to a return of the deposit paid. The Purchaser shall have no further recourse against the Mortgagor, the Mortgagee or the Mortgagee's attorney. Upon payment in full of the amount bid, the purchaser will receive a Certificate of Sale that will entitle the purchaser to a deed to the real estate after confirmation of the sale. The property will NOT be open for inspection and plaintiff makes no representation as to the condition of the property. Prospective bidders are admonished to check the court file to verify all information. If this property is a condominium unit, the purchaser of the unit at the foreclosure sale, other than a mortgagee, shall pay the assessments and the legal fees required by The Condominium Property Act, 765 ILCS 605/9(g)(1) and (g)(4). If this property is a condominium unit which is part of a common interest community, the purchaser of the unit at the foreclosure sale other than a mortgagee shall pay the assessments required by The Condominium Property Act, 765 ILCS 605/18.5(g-1). IF YOU ARE THE MORTGAGOR (HOMEOWNER), YOU HAVE THE RIGHT TO REMAIN IN POSSESSION FOR 30 DAYS AFTER ENTRY OF AN ORDER OF POSSESSION, IN ACCORDANCE WITH SECTION 15-1701(C) OF THE ILLINOIS MORTGAGE FORECLOSURE LAW. For information, examine the court file or contact Plaintiff's attorney: CODILIS & ASSOCIATES, P.C., 15W030 NORTH FRONTAGE ROAD, SUITE 100, BURR RIDGE, IL 60527, (630) 794-9876. Please refer to file number 14-12-09730. THE JUDICIAL SALES CORPORATION One South Wacker Drive, 24th Floor, Chicago, IL 60606-4650 (312) 236-SALE You can also visit The Judicial Sales Corporation at www.tjsc.com for a 7 day status re-

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port of pending sales. CODILIS & ASSOCIATES, P.C. 15W030 NORTH FRONTAGE ROAD, SUITE 100 BURR RIDGE, IL 60527 (630) 794-9876 Attorney File No.: 14-12-09730 ARDC# 00468002 Attorney Code. 21762 Case # 12 CH 022319
I502376
1/31, 2/7, 2/14/13 #491144

HARWOOD HEIGHTS
IN THE CIRCUIT COURT OF COOK COUNTY, ILLINOIS COUNTY DEPARTMENT - CHANCERY DIVISION CITIMORTGAGE, INC.
Plaintiff,
-v.-
ROBERT E. KLEVIN, COURTYARD OF HARWOOD HEIGHTS CONDOMINIUMS ASSOCIATION, BANK OF AMERICA, NA
Defendants
12 CH 028442
7400 W. LAWRENCE AVENUE UNIT #205 HARWOOD HEIGHTS, IL 60706
NOTICE OF SALE PUBLIC NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that pursuant to a Judgment of Foreclosure and Sale entered in the above cause on October 30, 2012, an agent of The Judicial Sales Corporation, will at 10:30 AM on March 1, 2013, at the The Judicial Sales Corporation, One South Wacker Drive - 24th Floor, CHICAGO, IL, 60606, sell at public auction to the highest bidder, as set forth below, the following described real estate: Commonly known as 7400 W. LAWRENCE AVENUE UNIT #205, HARWOOD HEIGHTS, IL 60706 Property Index No. 12-12-423-025-1017, Property Index No. (12-12-423-020 underlying). The real estate is improved with a condo/townhouse. Sale terms: 25% down of the highest bid by certified funds at the close of the auction; The balance, including the Judicial sale fee for Abandoned Residential Property Municipality Relief Fund, which is calculated on residential real estate at the rate of $1 for each $1,000 or fraction thereof of the amount paid by the purchaser not to exceed $300, in certified funds/or wire transfer, is due within twenty-four (24) hours. No fee shall be paid by the mortgagee acquiring the residential real estate pursuant to its credit, bid at the sale or by any mortgagee, judgment creditor, or other lienor acquiring the residential real estate whose rights in and to the residential real estate arose prior to the sale. The subject property is subject to general real estate taxes, special assessments, or special taxes levied against said real estate and is offered for sale without any representation as to quality or quantity of title and without recourse to Plaintiff and in "AS IS" condition. The sale is further subject to confirmation by the court. If the sale is set aside for any reason, the Purchaser at the sale shall be entitled only to a return of the deposit paid. The Purchaser shall have no further recourse against the Mortgagor, the Mortgagee or the Mortgagee's attorney. Upon payment in full of the amount bid, the purchaser will receive a Certificate of Sale that will entitle the purchaser to a deed to the real estate after confirmation of the sale. The property will NOT be open for inspection and plaintiff makes no representation as to the condition of the property. Prospective bidders are admonished to check the court file to verify all information. If this property is a condominium unit, the purchaser of the unit at the foreclosure sale, other than a mortgagee, shall pay the assessments and the legal fees required by The Condominium Property Act, 765 ILCS 605/9(g)(1) and (g)(4). If this property is a condominium unit which is part of a common interest community, the purchaser of the unit at the foreclosure sale other than a mortgagee shall pay the assessments required by The Condominium Property Act, 765 ILCS 605/18.5(g-1). IF YOU ARE THE MORTGAGOR (HOMEOWNER), YOU HAVE THE RIGHT TO REMAIN IN POSSESSION FOR 30 DAYS AFTER ENTRY OF AN ORDER OF POSSESSION, IN ACCORDANCE WITH SECTION 15-1701(C) OF THE ILLINOIS MORTGAGE FORECLOSURE LAW. For information, examine the court file or contact Plaintiff's attorney: CODILIS & ASSOCIATES, P.C., 15W030 NORTH FRONTAGE ROAD, SUITE 100, BURR RIDGE, IL 60527, (630) 794-9876. Please refer to file number 14-12-21815. THE JUDICIAL SALES CORPORATION One South Wacker Drive, 24th Floor, Chicago, IL 60606-4650 (312) 236-SALE You can also visit The Judicial Sales Corporation at www.tjsc.com for a 7 day status report of pending sales. CODILIS & ASSOCIATES, P.C. 15W030 NORTH FRONTAGE ROAD, SUITE 100 BURR RIDGE, IL 60527 (630) 794-9876 Attorney File No.: 14-12-21815 ARDC# 00468002 Attorney Code. 21762 Case # 12 CH 028442 NOTE: Pursuant to the Fair Debt Collection Practices Act, you are advised that Plaintiff's attorney is deemed to be a debt collector attempting to collect a debt and any information obtained will be used for that purpose.
I502016
1/31, 2/7, 2/14/13 #491133

SKOKIE
IN THE CIRCUIT COURT OF COOK COUNTY, ILLINOIS COUNTY DEPARTMENT - CHANCERY DIVISION THE BANK OF NEW YORK MELLON FKA THE BANK OF NEW YORK AS TRUSTEE FOR THE CERTIFICATEHOLDERS OF CWALT, INC., ALTERNATIVE LOAN TRUST 2005-80CB, MORTGAGE PASS-THROUGH CERTIFICATES, SERIES 2005-80CB;
Plaintiff,
vs.
DIMITAR KANDALDZHIEV AKA DIMITAR A. KANDALDZHIEV, GERGINA KANDALDZHIEV; 5220 OAKTON CONDOMINIUM ASSOCIATION; UNKNOWN HEIRS AND LEGATEES OF DIMITAR KANDALDZHIEV, IF ANY; UNKNOWN HEIRS AND LEGATEES OF GERGINA KANDALDZHIEV, IN ANY; UNKNOWN OWNERS AND RECORD CLAIMANTS;
Defendants,
12 CH 24099
NOTICE OF SALE
PUBLIC NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that pursuant to a Judgment of Foreclosure and Sale entered in the above entitled cause on December 5, 2012 Intercounty Judicial Sales Corporation will on Friday, March 8, 2013 at the hour of 11 a.m. in their office at 120 West Madison Street, Suite 718A, Chicago, Illinois, sell at public auction to the highest bidder for cash, as set forth below, the following described mortgaged real estate:
P.I.N. 10-21-330-035-1007
Commonly known as 5220 Oakton Street, Suite 201, Skokie, IL 60077
The mortgaged real estate is improved with a condominium residence. The purchaser of the unit other than a mortgagee shall pay the assessments and the legal fees required by subdivisions (g)(1) and (g)(4) of Section 9 of the Condominium Property Act
Sale terms: 10% down by certified funds, balance, by certified funds, within 24 hours. No refunds. The property will NOT be open for inspection
For information call the Sales Clerk at Plaintiff's Attorney. The Wirbicki Law Group, 33 West Monroe Street, Chicago, Illinois 60603. (312) 360-9455 W12-2993.
INTERCOUNTY JUDICIAL SALES CORPORATION
Selling Officer, (312) 444-1122
I501776
1/31, 2/7, 2/14/13 #491130

NORRIDGE
IN THE CIRCUIT COURT OF COOK COUNTY, ILLINOIS COUNTY DEPARTMENT - CHANCERY DIVISION US BANK NATIONAL ASSOCIATION AS TRUSTEE FOR TBW MORTGAGE BACKED TRUST MORTGAGE PASS. THROUGH CERTIFICATES SERIES 2006-3;
Plaintiff,
vs.
DAVID J. SPIKINGS; MICHELE SPIKINGS; PHH MORTGAGE CORPORATION; UNKNOWN OWNERS, GENERALLY AND NONRECORD CLAIMANTS;
Defendants,
12 CH 32087
NOTICE OF SALE
PUBLIC NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that pursuant to a Judgment of Foreclosure and Sale entered in the above entitled cause on December 3, 2012 Intercounty Judicial Sales Corporation will on Tuesday, March 5, 2013 at the hour of 11 a.m. in their office at 120 West Madison Street, Suite 718A, Chicago, Illinois, sell at public auction to the highest bidder for cash, as set forth below, the following described mortgaged real estate:
P.I.N. 12-13-109-041-0000.
Commonly known as 4449 North Orange Avenue, Norridge, IL 60706.
The mortgaged real estate is improved with a single family residence. If the subject mortgaged real estate is a unit of a common interest community, the purchaser of the unit other than a mortgagee shall pay the assessments required by subsection (g-1) of Section 18.5 of the Condominium Property Act.
Sale terms: 10% down by certified funds, balance, by certified funds, within 24 hours. No refunds. The property will NOT be open for inspection
For information call Mr. David C. Kluever at Plaintiff's Attorney, Kluever & Platt, LLC., 65 East Wacker Place, Chicago, Illinois 60601. (312) 236-0077.
INTERCOUNTY JUDICIAL SALES CORPORATION
Selling Officer, (312) 444-1122
I501560
1/31, 2/7, 2/14/13 #491101

SKOKIE
IN THE CIRCUIT COURT OF COOK COUNTY, ILLINOIS COUNTY DEPARTMENT - CHANCERY DIVISION CENLAR FSB
Plaintiff,
vs.
GREGORY TSOY; BARCELONA CONDOMINIUM ASSOCIATION #3; UNKNOWN OWNERS AND NON RECORD CLAIMANTS;
Defendants,
12 CH 5637
PUBLIC NOTICE is hereby given that pursuant to a Judgment of Foreclosure entered in the above entitled cause on November 29, 2012, Intercounty Judicial Sales Corporation will on Tuesday, March 5, 2013, at the hour of 11 a.m. in their office at 120 West Madison Street, Suite 718A, Chicago, Illinois, sell to the highest bidder for cash, the following described property:
P.I.N. 10-16-204-019-1025. Commonly known as 9529 BRONX AVENUE UNIT 205, SKOKIE, IL 60076.
The mortgaged real estate is improved with a condominium residence. The purchaser of the unit other than a mortgagee shall pay the assessments and the legal fees required by subdivisions (g)(1) and (g)(4) of Section 9 of the Condominium Property Act Sale terms: 25% down by certified funds, balance within 24 hours, by certified funds. No refunds. The property will NOT be open for inspection. Upon payment in full of the amount bid, the purchaser will receive a Certificate of Sale which will entitle the purchaser to a Deed to the premises after confirmation of the sale.
For information: Visit our website at http://service.atty-pierce.com. Between 3 p.m. and 5 p.m. only. Pierce & Associates, Plaintiff's Attorneys, 1 North Dearborn Street, Chicago, Illinois 60602. Tel.No. (312) 476-5500. Refer to File Number 1124915.
INTERCOUNTY JUDICIAL SALES CORPORATION
Selling Officer, (312) 444-1122
I501121
1/31, 2/7, 2/14/13 #491098

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Assumed Name

ASSUMED NAME
Notice is hereby given, pursuant to "An Act in relation to the use of an Assumed Business Name in the conduct or transaction of Business in the State," as amended, that a certification was filed by the undersigned with the County Clerk of Cook County. File No.D13133061 on January 23, 2013. Under the Assumed Name of
Personal Wellness & Fitness
with the business located at 1817 W. Berwyn, Chicago, IL. 60640. The true name(s) and residence address of the owner(s) is Patrick F. Carpel, at 1817 W. Berwyn, Chicago, IL. 60640.
Pub: 2/7, 2/14, 2/21 495074

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Assumed Name

ASSUMED NAME
Notice is hereby given, pursuant to "An Act in relation to the use of an Assumed Business Name in the conduct or transaction of Business in the State," as amended, that a certification was filed by the undersigned with the County Clerk of Cook County. File No. D13133211 on February 1, 2013. Under the Assumed Name of
The Euclid Group
at 2200 E. Devon Ave., Suite 282, Des Plaines, IL 60018. The true name(s) and residence address of the owner(s) is: Paul S. Detlefs, 2688 Independence Ave., Glenview, IL 60026, Bruce J. Caris, 1844 Forest Ave., Wilmette, IL 60091.
2/7, 2/14, 2/21/13 #497975

Notice is hereby given, pursuant to "An Act in relation to the use of an Assumed Business Name in the conduct or transaction of Business in the State," as amended, that a certificate was filed by the undersigned with the County Clerk of Cook County.
File No. D13133239 on the 4th day of February 2013 under the Assumed Name of **Financial** Solutions Group with the business located at 1908 W Armitage Ave #1E, Chicago, IL 60622. The true name(s) and residence address of the owner(s) is: Robert J. Bettermann, 1908 W. Armitage Avenue #1E, Chicago, Illinois 60622
502888 Pub: 2/14, 21, 28/2013

Bid Notice

LEGAL NOTICE
INVITATION FOR BIDS
2013-2016 FORESTRY CONTRACT
FOR TREE REMOVAL
PW-13-01
The City of Park Ridge will accept sealed bids for furnishing and delivering services as the City may require for tree and stump removal, emergency tree work including brush pickup, storm damage repair and other miscellaneous tasks as assigned, all in accordance with the specifications and bid documents now available:
Specification No. PW-13-01 for Forestry Contract for Tree Removal, for period 5/01/13 to 4/30/16.
Specifications and bidding documents may be obtained at Park Ridge City Hall, 1st Floor, Cashier's Desk, 505 Butler Place, Park Ridge, Illinois. A deposit for the documents is not required.
Bids will be accepted at the Cashier's Desk, 505 Butler Place, Park Ridge, Illinois, 60068, until 10:00 AM on Monday, February 18, 2013, at which time all bids will be publicly opened and read.
A bid deposit may be required which must be in the form of a bid bond, or certified cashier's check payable to the City of Park Ridge. The successful bidder may be required to furnish a Performance and Payment Bond(s) for the full amount of the contract and a Certificate of Insurance.
The City of Park Ridge reserves the right to reject any and all bids.
Tony Gliot
City Forester
Pub:2-7,2/14 497561

Bid Notice

Notice is hereby given that Golf School District 67 is accepting sealed bids for: Hynes Elementary Addition and Renovations/ Golf Middle School Renovations. Such proposals as herein concerned shall be for the following as described:
BID GROUP NO. 1 BID PACKAGE(S) #01 #02
Bid Package #01 - Golf Middle School Moving & Storage
Bid Package #02 - Hynes Elementary School Moving & Storage
SEALED BIDS will be received by Golf School District 67 c/o Gina Ciupinski at 9401 Waukegan Road, Morton Grove, IL 60053 at the date and time stated below:
PLACE: Golf School District 67 Office c/o Gina Ciupinski
9401 Waukegan Road
Morton Grove, IL 60053
DUE DATE:Monday, March 4, 2013
TIME: 4:00 PM (CST) (as Date/Time stamped by Wight & Co Receptionist)
The Bid Form for each school must be put into a separate envelope with accompanying Bid Bond. Bid envelope must specify which school you are bidding.
Any bid received after the time and date stated above will be returned unopened to Bidder.
Bids will be publicly opened and read at 4:00 PM (CST) on the bid due dates noted above at Golf School District 67 Board Room, 9401 Waukegan Road, Morton Grove, IL 60053.
A MANDATORY Pre-Bid Meeting will take place at each school on the following date and time starting with:
Golf Middle School
9401 Waukegan Road
Morton Grove, IL 60053
Wednesday, February 20, 2013
4:00 PM (CST)
The meeting will then move to Hynes Elementary School.
The Construction Manager for this project is Wight Construction, Inc. All questions concerning this project or those concerning bidding requirements should be directed to:
Mark Winger at 630-969-7000 ext. 6538. Questions must be received in writing, or via fax (fax #630-823-2191), until 1:00 PM, Wednesday, February 27th, 2013.
To ensure bidders are added to the official plan holder's list and receive all addenda or project related correspondences, it is highly recommended that plans and specifications be ordered through Digital Imaging Resources, Inc. This project is available at a refundable cost upon receipt of a valid bid.
Drawings will be available through DIR after 12pm on Monday, February 18th. To order or view this project online, please visit their website at: www.dirinc.com - ENTER PLANROOM - PUBLIC PLANROOM - Hynes Elementary Addition and Renovations/ Golf Middle School Renovations or contact DIR directly at: Digital Imaging Resources - 650 West Lake Street, Suite 120, Chicago, IL 60661, email - orders@dirinc.com
This invitation is issued in the name of Golf School District 67.
Pub: 2/14/2013 503372

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Bid Notice

PARK RIDGE RECREATION AND PARK DISTRICT
LEGAL NOTICE
Sealed bids will be received by the Park Ridge Recreation and Park District, 2701 West Sibley Street, Park Ridge, Illinois, telephone 847. 692.3482, for purchase and delivery of a Jacobsen HR 9016 Mower, until Thursday, February 28, 2013 at 11:00 a.m., at which time such bids will be publicly opened and announced in the Board Room at the Administrative Offices of the building located at 2701 West Sibley Street, Park Ridge, Illinois.
Dealer, Contractor and all Subcontractors shall pay the applicable prevailing wages for all classes of laborers, mechanics and workmen used on the project.
Bidding Documents are available at no charge by contacting Maryanne Lucarz of the Park Ridge Park District, by phone at 847.692.3482 or by e-mail at mlucarz@prparks.org . E-mail requests for Bidding Documents shall include name of bidding firm, contact person, mailing address (no PO Boxes), telephone number, and e-mail address.
Board of Park Commissioners
Rick Biagi, President
Pub:2/14/2013 502860

Village of Skokie
Notice to Bidders
The Village of Skokie is now accepting sealed REQUEST FOR PROPOSALS for
Single Family Dwelling Recycling Services
Notice is hereby given that the Village of Skokie will receive PROPOSALS at
5127 Oakton Street, Skokie, Illinois 60077 Attention: Michael Aleksic,
Purchasing Agent until 3:00 p.m. local time on Tuesday, February 26, 2013.
A copy of the PROPOSAL can be obtained by visiting www.skokie.org. Click on Village Departments, Purchasing, Bids & RFP's to download a copy. Proposals can also be obtained from the Village of Skokie Purchasing Office at the address shown above.
Any bid or proposal submitted unsealed, unsigned, fax transmissions or received subsequent to the aforementioned date and time will be disqualified and returned to the bidder. The Village of Skokie reserves the right to reject any and all bids or parts thereof, to waive any irregularities or informalities in bidding procedures and to award the contract in a manner best serving the interest of the Village.
Skokie Village Hall is a fully accessible building. Persons requiring assistance should contract the Purchasing Office at 847-933-8240 or TTY 673-9330
Michael Aleksic
Purchasing Agent
Village of Skokie
503339 Pub: 2/14/2013

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Bid Notice

LEGAL NOTICE
INVITATION FOR PROPOSALS
TOWING SERVICES
The City of Park Ridge will accept sealed proposals for Police Towing Services for the City Park Ridge, IL (PD-13-01) in accordance with the specifications and contract documents now available. Services will be for an initial period of two (2) years.
Specifications and proposal documents may be obtained at the Park Ridge Police Department, 200 S. Vine Avenue Park Ridge, Illinois. A deposit for the documents is not required.
Proposals will be accepted at the police desk, Park Ridge Police Department 200 S. Vine Avenue Park Ridge, Illinois, 60068 until 11 :00 AM on Friday, February 22, 2013 at which time all proposals will be publicly opened and read.
A bid deposit will not be required. The City of Park Ridge reserves the right to reject any and all proposals.
Frank Kaminski
Chief of Police
497942 Pub: 2/7 & 2/14/2013

PARK RIDGE RECREATION AND PARK DISTRICT
LEGAL NOTICE
Sealed bids will be received by the Park Ridge Recreation and Park District, 2701 West Sibley Street, Park Ridge, Illinois, telephone 847. 692.3482, for purchase, delivery and installation of an Skyspan Wavecrest Shade Structure at the Oakton Driving Range (located at 2800 W. Oakton Street in Park Ridge, Illinois), until Thursday, February 28, 2013 at 11:30 a.m., at which time such bids will be publicly opened and announced in the Board Room at the Administrative Offices of the building located at 2701 West Sibley Street, Park Ridge, Illinois.
Dealer, Contractor and all Subcontractors shall pay the applicable prevailing wages for all classes of laborers, mechanics and workmen used on the project.
Bidding Documents are available at no charge by contacting Maryanne Lucarz of the Park Ridge Park District, by phone at 847.692.3482 or by e-mail at mlucarz@prparks.org . E-mail requests for Bidding Documents shall include name of bidding firm, contact person, mailing address (no PO Boxes), telephone number, and e-mail address.
Board of Park Commissioners
Rick Biagi, President
Pub:2/14/2013 503412

Mechanics Liens

PUBLIC LIEN SALE
Notice is hereby given that on **March 7, 2013,** a sale will be held at: Mr. D's Towing & Auto Sales, 300 E. 69th St., CHICAGO, IL 60637 to sell the following articles to enforce a lien existing under the laws of the State of Illinois against such articles for labor, services, skill or material expended upon a storage furnished for such articles at the request of the following designated persons, unless such articles are redeemed within thirty (30) days of the publication of this notice.
Name of Person: Jeanette Harris & Westlake Financial Service
Vehicles: 2004 **Lexus RX330**
VIN #JTJHA31V740029484
Amount of Lien: $4,000
2/7, 2/14, 2/21/13 #497895

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Probate

State of Illinois
In The Circuit Court of Cook County, Illinois
Probate Division
In the matter of the estate of Wladislaw Sieczka
(Deceased)
Case No. 2012 P 001802
PUBLICATION NOTICE
Notice is hereby given of the death of Wladislaw Sieczka of IL. Letters of office were issued on January 10, 2013 to Jerzy Kurzatkowski, whose attorney is Eugene Klein, 5440 N. Cumberland Ave., Ste 150, Chicago, IL 60656. (773)714-1648.
Claims against the estate may be filed in the office of the Clerk of the Circuit Court in Room 1202, Richard J Daley Center, Chicago, Illinois 60602 or with the representative, or both, on or before August 14, 2013, which date is not less than 6 months from the date of the first publication of this notice and any claim not filed within that period is barred. Copies of this claim filed with the Clerk must be mailed or delivered to the representative and to the attorney within 10 days after it has been filed.
/s/ Eugene E. Klein
Attorney
Pub:2/14, 21, 28/13 500537

STATE OF ILLINOIS
IN THE CIRCUIT COURT OF COOK COUNTY, ILLINOIS
PROBATE DIVISION
In the matter of the estate of Dorothy J. Biro, Deceased
Case No. 2012 P 6738
NOTICE
Notice is given of the death of Dorothy J. Biro of Palatine, Illinois. Letters of office were issued on January 31, 2013 to John Biro, 11884 Coquille Drive, Frankfort, IL 60423, whose attorney is Robert J. Ross, Atty. Code 50254, 1622 W. Colonial Parkway, Suite 201, Inverness, Illinois 60067. 847-358-5757
Claims against the estate may be filed in the office of the Clerk of the Circuit Court in Room 1202, Richard J. Daley Center, Chicago, Illinois 60602 or with the representative, or both, on or before August 14, 2013 which date is not less than 6 months from the date of the first publication of this notice and any claim not filed within that period is barred. Copies of this claim filed with the Clerk must be mailed or delivered to the representative and to the attorney within 10 days after it has been filed.
/s/John Biro, Executor
/s/Robert J. Ross, Attorney
501254 Pub: 2/14, 21, 28/2013

State of Illinois
In The Circuit Court of Cook County, Illinois
Probate Division
In the matter of the estate of Frank A. Zarcone (Deceased)
Case No. 2012 P 007307
Publication Notice
Notice is hereby given of the death of Frank A. Zarcone of Park Ridge, IL. Letters of office were issued on January 22, 2013 to Karen Turk, 7940 E. Pepper Tree LN., Scottsdale, AZ 85250, whose attorney is Karl H. Magnus, 121 S Wilke Rd, #201 Arlington Heights, IL 60005. 847-368-0000.
Claims against the estate may be filed in the office of the Clerk of the Circuit Court in Room 1202, Richard J. Daley Center, Chicago, Illinois 60602 or with the representative, or both, on or before July 31, 2013, which date is not less than 6 months from the date of the first publication of this notice and any claim not filed within that period is barred. Copies of any claim filed with the Clerk must be mailed or delivered to the representative and to the attorney within 10 days after it has been filed.
/s/Karl H. Magnus
Attorney
Pub:1/31, 2/7, 14/2013 491622

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Public Hearings

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The Board of Education, Norridge School District 80, Administrative Office, 8151 West Lawrence Avenue, Norridge, Illinois 60706, will receive sealed bids for:
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The Bid Opening will be on February 28, 2013 at 2:00 p.m. at the Norridge School District 80, Administrative Office, 8151 West Lawrence Avenue, Norridge, Illinois 60706. At this time the Bids will be publicly opened and read. A Performance and Payment Bond in the full amount of the contract will be required. A Bid Security of 10% of the Bid is required with the proposal. The Contractor must pay the Prevailing Wage Rates for all work per Illinois law.
The Owner reserves the right to reject any and all Bids, to waive irregularities in the bidding procedure, or accept the Bid that in its opinion will serve its best interest. Any such decision shall be considered final. The Owner reserves the right to set aside a Bid from a Contractor who, in the Owner's opinion, does not exhibit past experience equal to the size and scope of this project.
A Mandatory Pre-Bid Meeting will be held at the following location and time:
February 21, 2013 at 10:00 a.m.
John V. Leigh School
8151 West Lawrence Avenue
Norridge, Illinois 60706
Interested bidders are encouraged to attend this meeting.
The bidder shall have a written sexual harassment policy in place in full compliance with Section 2-105 of the Illinois Human Rights Act.
The bidder is aware of the provisions in 105 ILCS 5/10-219 and that in bidding agrees to comply with all the requirements contained within.
Obtain Bidding Documents (maximum 3 sets) after February 4, 2013 at:
CONCEPT 3 Architects, P.C.
101 E. St. Charles Road, Suite 204
Villa Park, Illinois 60181
(630)833-6090
A refundable deposit for the drawings and specifications of $50.00 per set is required. Checks should be made payable to: CONCEPT 3 Architects, P.C. (NOTE: Contractor must submit a bid in order to receive his deposit).
500444 Pub: 2/14/2013

LEGAL NOTICE
NOTICE is hereby given that a public hearing will be held by the Zoning Board of Appeals on Monday, 04 March 2013, at 7:30 p.m. at the Village Hall, 4000 North Olcott Avenue, in the Village of Norridge, to consider a petition requesting a Special Use under the requirements of Article X, Section 5 - Special Uses of the Zoning Ordinance of the Village of Norridge - 1962 for the purpose of operating a Spa with Massage Therapy at the following described property:
LOT 1 (EXCEPT THE NORTH 526 FEET THEREOF AND EXCEPT THE SOUTH 150 FEET THEREOF AND EXCEPT THAT PART FALLING WITHIN THE EAST 50 FEET OF THE SOUTHWEST ¼ OF SECTION 11, TOWNSHIP 40 NORTH, RANGE 12 EAST OF THE THIRD PRINCIPAL MERIDIAN IN COOK COUNTY, ILLINOIS), IN GERHARD H. FRANZEN ESTATE DIVISION OF THE NORTHEAST ¼ OF THE SOUTHWEST ¼ OF SECTION11, TOWNSHIP 40 NORTH, RANGE 12 EAST OF THE THIRD PRINCIPAL MERIDIAN IN COOK COUNTY, ILLINOIS.
The property is commonly known as 5050 N. Cumberland Avenue, Suite 15P-16Q, in Norridge, Illinois.
All interested persons should attend and will be given an opportunity to be heard.
ZONING BOARD OF APPEALS
VILLAGE OF NORRIDGE
By:Paul J. Szczurek,
Chairman
PUBLISHED by me this 14th day of February 2013 in the Pioneer Press/Norridge and Harwood Heights News.
Judith Dunne Bernardi,
Village Clerk
2/14/13 #499377

PUBLIC NOTICE
PUBLIC NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN, pursuant to Section 17.56.170(E)(2) of the Harwood Heights Code of Ordinances, that the Village of Harwood Heights Plan Commission will be conducting a public hearing on February 27, 2013, at 7:00 PM at the Village of Harwood Heights Village Hall, 7300 West Wilson Avenue, Harwood Heights, IL 60706, to consider the application of Got Qi, Inc. ("Applicant") for a special use permit to operate a martial arts and dance academy at 4633 N. Olcott Avenue, Harwood Heights ("the Property"). 4633 N. Olcott Avenue bears tax identification number 12-13-209-023-0000. Anthony and Karen Ong are the contract purchasers of the Property and are the principal corporate officers of Got Qi, Inc. In order to use the existing structure on the Property for a martial arts and dance academy, Applicant is seeking, pursuant to Section 17.56.210 of the Village Code, a special use permit. The Property is zoned M2 - Manufacturing. The permitted and specially permitted uses in the M2 zoning district are set forth in Table 17.20.030.1 of the Village Code. Specially permitted uses in the M2 zoning district include commercial or trade schools and engineering or sales training centers. Applicant asserts that its intended use is eligible for a special use permit as a training center.
All interested persons are invited to attend, be heard and question those presenting testimony at the hearing. All inquiries regarding this public hearing can be directed to Natalie Mendel at the Village of Harwood Heights Village Hall.
A copy of the application for a special use permit and all associated documents is available for review at Village Hall during regular business hours, Monday through Friday, 9 a.m. to 5 p.m. and Saturdays from 9 a.m. to 12 noon.
Respectfully submitted,
Marcia Pollowy
Village Clerk
Pub:2/14/13 501271

Storage - Legal

NOTICE OF PUBLIC SALE TO BE HELD AT: The Lock up Storage Centers, 1930 N. Clybourn Chicago, IL. 60614 773-755-1900
DATE: February 22, 2013 BEGINS AT 12:30 PM
CONDITIONS: All units will be sold to the highest bidder. Bids taken only for each unit in its entirety. Payments must be made by cash, credit card, or certified funds. No personal checks accepted. All goods must be removed from the unit within 24 hours. Payment due immediately upon acceptance of bid. Unit availability subject to prior settlement of account.
Unit 122 Tenant Deanne Benos
Unit 133 Tenant Barton Faist
Unit 701 Tenant Colleen Burke
Unit 3212 Tenant Renee O'Donnell
2/7, 2/14/13 #498936

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NOTICE OF PUBLIC SALE TO BE HELD AT: THE LOCK UP SELF STORAGE 3366 N. Kedzie, Chicago, IL 60618 773-539-3366
DATE: February 22, 2013 BEGINS AT: 11:30am
CONDITIONS: All units will be sold to the highest bidder. Bids taken only for each unit in its entirety. Payment must be made by cash, credit card, or certified funds. No personal checks accepted. All goods must be removed from the unit within 24 hours. Payment due immediately upon acceptance of bid. Unit availability subject to prior settlement of account.
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Tenant: Melanie Mercado___
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Tenant : Adam Mcclain_____
Unit 2342_____
Tenant : Sandra Vazquez____
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Tenant : John Lamar Jr_____
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Tenant : Miguel Medina
2/7, 2/14/13 #498857

NOTICE OF PUBLIC SALE TO BE HELD AT: THE LOCK UP SELF STORAGE 5250 Golf Rd. Skokie, IL 60077 847-677-8080
DATE:February 28, 2013
BEGINS AT: 11:30am
CONDITIONS: All units will be sold to the highest bidder. Bids taken only for each unit in its entirety. Payment must be made by cash, credit card, or certified funds. No personal checks accepted. All goods must be removed from the unit within 24 hours. Payment due immediately upon acceptance of bid. Unit availability subject to prior settlement of account.
Units Tenant
3427 Elaine Hale
Pub:2/7,2/14 496875

NOTICE OF PUBLIC SALE TO BE HELD AT: THE LOCK UP STORAGE 350 W. Kinzie Chicago, IL 60654 P-312-464-1900 fax 312-329-1362 DATE: 2-22-13 BEGINS AT: 3:00 P.M.
CONDITIONS: All units will be sold to the highest bidder. Bids taken only for each unit in its entirety. Payment must be made by certified check or money order only. No personal checks or cash accepted. All goods must be removed from the unit within 24 hours. Payments due immediately upon acceptance of bid. Unit availability subject to prior settlement of account.
Unit 5006 C&C Capital
Unit 5014 C&C Capital
Unit 5015 C&C Capital
Unit 5032 Stacey Rokicki
Unit 4216 Guy Dunn
Unit 3027 Larry Carter
Unit 3028 Lisa Chizever
Unit 3216 Marquesha Elrod
Unit 1546 Chris Michlels
Unit 2504 Manuel Narvaez
Pub:2/7, 2/14 498384

NOTICE OF PUBLIC SALE TO BE HELD AT: THE LOCK UP SELF STORAGE 3850 West Devon Ave, Lincolnwood, IL, 60712 DATE: 2/28/2013 BEGINS AT: 10:00 AM
CONDITIONS: All units will be sold to the highest bidder. Bids taken only for each unit in its entirety. Payment must be made by CASH OR CREDIT CARD. No personal checks accepted. All goods must be removed from the unit within 24 hours. Payment due immediately upon acceptance of bid. Unit availability subject to prior settlement of account.
Unit# 216 Mehdi Raza
Unit# 409 Christian A. Carini
Unit# 428 Latasha Day
Unit# 3126 Deborah Mostyn
Unit# 3322 Deborah Mostyn
Unit# 3341 Pat Peters
Unit# 3370 Teodoro Apantenco
Unit# 4231 Mavin Enterprises
Unit# 4296 Rey Nonato
Unit# 4330 Abdouh Alkuhshi
Pub:2-7,2-14 4872

NOTICE OF PUBLIC SALE OF PERSONAL PROPERTY
Notice is hereby given that pursuant to Section 4 of the Self-Service Storage Facility Act, State of Illinois, the undersigned will sell at a public sale by competitive bidding on:Date & Time 3-8-13 at 3 pm
Units to be auctioned:
#217Jim Lynch Furniture , Boxes Personal Items
#128 Trumaine Hardy, boxes personal items.
#602 Steve Kmetko, tables chairs boxes.
#815 Christopher McCabe, boxes and personal items.
#668 Cross Garreth personal items and boxes.
Pub: 2/14, 2/21 503607

NOTICE OF PUBLIC SALE TO BE HELD AT: THE LOCK UP SELF STORAGE 2525 West Armitage Ave, Chicago, IL 60647 DATE:Friday February 22, 2013 BEGINS AT: 2:00PM
CONDITIONS: All units will be sold to the highest bidder. Bids taken only for each unit in its entirety. Payment must be made by cash, credit card, or certified funds. No personal checks accepted. All goods must be removed from the unit within 24 hours. Payment due immediately upon acceptance of bid. Unit availability subject to prior settlement of account.
Unit 2019 Cristina Carvalho Gaskin
Unit 2326 Wanda Quesada
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Public Notices

LEGAL NOTICE
NOTICE OF HEARING ON ROAD & BRIDGE FUND
TENTATIVE BUDGET AND APPROPRIATION ORDINANCE
NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that a Public Hearing on the Tentative Budget and Appropriation Ordinance for the TOWN OF NORWOOD PARK, in the County of Cook, State of Illinois, for the fiscal year beginning April 1, 2013, and ending March 31, 2014, will be held at the Town Hall, 7833 West Lawrence Avenue, Norridge, Illinois for the Road and Bridge Fund.
This Public Hearing will be held on Tuesday, March 12, 2013, in accordance with the following:
7:10 P.M - public Hearing on Road and Bridge Fund
Final action will be taken on the aforementioned Budget and Appropriation Ordinance after the Public Hearing on Tuesday, March 12, 2013.
Citizens attending this hearing have the right to provide written and oral comments and to ask questions regarding the Tentative Budget.
NOTICE IS FURTHER GIVEN hereby that said Tentative Budget and Appropriation Ordinance will be on file and conveniently available to public inspection at 7833 W. Lawrence Avenue, Norridge, Illinois, from and after 10:00 o'clock A.M. Thursday, February 14, 2013.
Following is a Tentative Budget Summary of the Road and Bridge Fund for said fiscal year.
Estimated Receipts

Cash in bank beginning of Fiscal Year	$ 180,000.00
Taxes to be received during Fiscal Year	$ 95,000.00
Interest on invested funds	$ 350.00
TOTAL FUNDS	$ 275,350.00

ESTIMATED APPROPRIATION AND EXPENDITURES
$185,335.00
DATED THIS February 14, 2013
THOMAS E. LUPO, SUPERVISOR
Rocco Secco, Town Clerk
Pub:2-14-13 496730

LEGAL NOTICE
NOTICE OF PUBLIC HEARING ON GENERAL TOWN FUND, GENERAL ASSISTANCE FUND, NORWOOD PARK SPECIAL POLICE DISTRICT TENTATIVE BUDGET AND APPROPRIATION ORDINANCES
NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that a Public Hearing on the Tentative Budget and Appropriation Ordinance for the TOWN OF NORWOOD PARK, in the County of Cook, State of Illinois, for the fiscal year beginning April 1, 2013, and ending March 31, 2014, will be held at the Town Hall, 7833 West Lawrence Avenue, Norridge, Illinois for the General Town Fund, the General Assistance Fund, and the Norwood Park Township Special Police District for the Unincorporated Area of Norwood Park Township.
This Public Hearing will be held on Tuesday, March 12, 2013,in accordance with the following:
6:40 p.m. - Public Hearing on General Town Fund
6:50 p.m. - Public Hearing on General Assistance Fund
7:00 p.m. - Public Hearing on Special Police District for Unincorporated Area
Final action will be taken on the aforementioned Budget and Appropriation Ordinances after the Public Hearing on Tuesday, March 12, 2013.
Citizens attending this hearing have the right to provide written and oral comments and to ask questions regarding the Tentative Budgets.
NOTICE IS FURTHER GIVEN hereby that said Tentative Budget and Appropriation Ordinances will be on file and conveniently available to public inspection at 7833 W. Lawrence Avenue, Norridge, Illinois from and after 10:00 a.m. February 14, 2013.
Following is a Tentative Budget Summary of all funds for said fiscal year:
Estimated Receipts

	GENERAL ASSISTANCE TOWN FUND	SPECIAL FUND	POLICE DISTRICT
CASH IN BANK BEGINNING OF FISCAL YEAR	$800,000.00	$115,000.00	-0-
TAXES TO BE RECEIVED DURING FISCAL YEAR	$490,000.00	5,000.00	-0-
INTEREST ON INVESTED FUNDS	$ 500.00	$ 300.00	-0-
TOTAL	$1,290,500.00	$120,300.00	-0-

Estimated Appropriations and Expenditures

TOWN FUND	$554,650.00	
GENERAL ASSISTANCE FUND		$ 89,400.00
SPECIAL POLICE DISTRICT		-0-

DATED THIS February 14, 2013
THOMAS LUPO, SUPERVISOR
Rocco Secco, Town Clerk
Pub:2-14-13 496717

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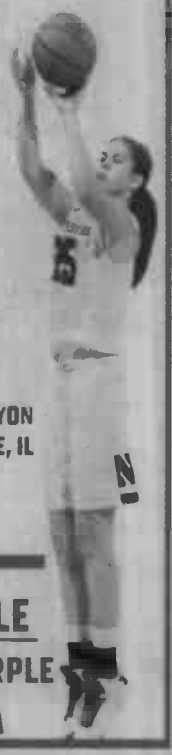

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No surprise to college basketball fans that early in the 2012-13 season, Duke once again assumed the top spot in the national rankings. It became official in mid-December and lasted at least into early 2013. Incredibly, at that point in Mike Krzyzewski's 33rd year as coach, the Blue Devils had played only 141 games as an unranked team, against more than 209 and counting as the No. 1 team – the only men's coach ever with that many more games as the top-ranked team in the nation than as a team not ranked at all.

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The NHL lockout of 2012-13 is history, but if the previous lockout of 2004-05 is any indication, the impact on the players will be at least as devastating as it was on fans and businesses. Get this: more than 240 players who took the ice during the 2003-04 season never skated another shift in the NHL after the next season lockout – almost one-third of all the players in the league. One factor that might soften the blow is that this time around an entire season wasn't lost, as was the case with the 2004-05 lockout by the owners.

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The Dallas Mavericks have long been known as one of the NBA's best shooting teams when it comes to three-pointers. Here's just one piece of evidence. In December of 2012, the Mavericks finally failed to connect on a three-point shot in 13 attempts against the Toronto Raptors. That ended their streak of sinking at least one three-pointer at an amazing 1,108 consecutive games, longest in league history. Ironically, Toronto was second with 986 straight games.

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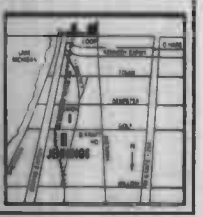

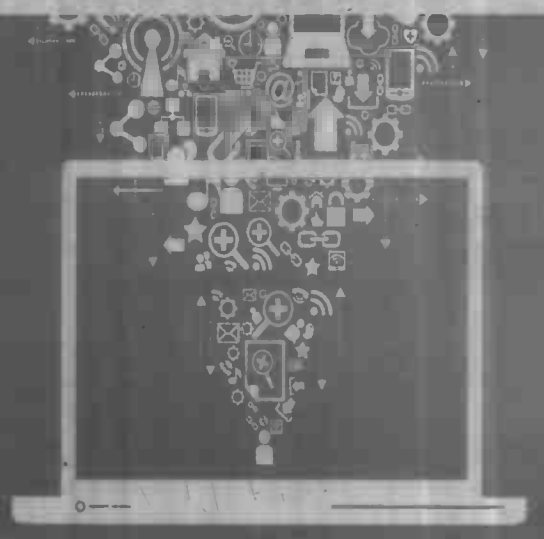

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College Roundup

Fenwick graduate Corvino tops career high

BY NICK BULLOCK | Contributor | @Pioneer_Press

Washington and Lee's Paige Corvino (right) drives past a defender during a game this season. Corvino is a graduate of Fenwick. | WASHINGTON AND LEE UNIVERSITY

Fenwick alumna **Paige Corvino**, a freshman on the Washington and Lee women's basketball team, scored a career-high 15 points in her team's 58-55 loss to Virginia Wesleyan Feb. 2 in Lexington, Va. The Clarendon Hills native shot 4-for-6 from the field, including 3-for-4 from behind the 3-point line.

Corvino has started every game for the Generals at guard and is averaging 6.2 points, four rebounds and 1.4 steals per game through the team's first 20 games.

Maggie Cullather, a Highland Park graduate and diver for the Rensselaer Polytechnic Institute women's swimming and diving team, has had an impressive freshman season for the Engineers. The Highland Park native took first place in the 1-meter dive and second place in the 3-meter dive in a team win against Roger Williams in October. Cullather also took second place in the 1- and 3-meter dives in the Liberty League Championships in December.

Vernon Hills alumna **Jihee Choi** and the Mount Olive women's lacrosse team were picked seventh in the Conference Carolinas Preseason Coaches Poll. Choi, a freshman from Vernon Hills, joins Mount Olive's new lacrosse program after twice being selected as a high school all-conference and all-area player.

Loyola alumna **Mallory Remick**, a freshman swimmer for the Princeton women's team, was part of the team that took second place (3 minutes, 27.23 seconds) in the 400-yard freestyle relay at the Harvard-Princeton-Yale Double-Dual Feb. 1-2. The Inverness native also swam in the 100 breaststroke, 50 free and 100 free. Princeton lost 199-99 to Harvard, but beat Yale 197-103.

Despite a goal and an assist from Evanston native **Tommy Wingels**, the San Jose Sharks fell 5-3 to the Chicago Blackhawks Feb. 5 in Chicago. After scoring just nine points in 33 games for the Sharks last season, Wingels, in his third year in the NHL, is off to a hot start in 2013. The center has tallied four points through nine games for the 7-2-1 Sharks, who lead the Pacific Division.

Career performances from Illinois gymnast **Sarah Fiedler,** a Lake Zurich alumna, helped her squad top Michigan State 196.125-195.1 on Jan. 26 in Champaign. The junior from Lake Zurich tied her career high on the beam with a score of 9.85. She then set a new career high on the floor with a score of 9.825.

Have a suggestion for the College Roundup? Email Nick Bullock at bullockpioneerpress@gmail.com. ■

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A chance journey home

Northridge boys basketball coach Will Rey (center) shakes hands with U-High coach Chad Stewart (left) before Friday's game in Niles. Visit niles.suntimes.com/sports to view a photo gallery of Rey coaching. | BRIAN O'MAHONEY-*for Sun-Times Media*

Northridge's Will Rey didn't expect to be coaching where he is today

BY JOHN P. BORNEMAN | jborneman@pioneerlocal.com | @Pioneer_JPB

NILES

Will Rey was never supposed to end up at Northridge.

In fact, Rey didn't even know the man wearing the coat with "Northridge" stitched on it when Rey approached and introduced himself on a sunny spring day in Valparaiso, Ind. It was 2004, and Rey was the men's basketball coach at Division III Wilmington (Ohio) College. He had spent the previous 19 years coaching at the college level — the highlight being a five-year stint as the coach at Division I Loyola from 1989-94 — but he had come to a religious retreat at Shellbourne Conference Center to collect his thoughts.

Rey was in his first year at Wilmington after six seasons as an assistant at Division I Wright State, but he was considering a return to his home state of Illinois and to high school coaching. He struck up a conversation with John Kestler, a combination math teacher/basketball and cross country coach at tiny Northridge in Niles. As it turned out, the men had grown up just three blocks from one another in Chicago's Lincoln Park neighborhood near the DePaul campus. They had never met, but they became fast friends, bonding over the memories of their old neighborhood.

"I said, 'Will, I must've brushed shoulders with you 100 times!'" said Kestler, who is now the headmaster at Northridge. "And I never knew it."

Rey told Kestler that he was looking for a change, and that he was considering an offer to be a guidance counselor and varsity basketball coach at a Class 4A high school in Illinois' North Suburban Conference. It was just a coincidence that Northridge was looking for a new basketball coach and athletic director to replace Richard Knar, now the coach and dean of students at Mundelein. Kestler and Rey talked strategy, faith — the Valparaiso retreat was directed by Opus Dei, the same Catholic institution that directs the religious education at Northridge — and Chicago, and Kestler came away from the conversation believing that Rey embodied the Northridge ideal of blending life lessons with athletic growth. He called then-headmaster Luke Ferris and told him about the chance encounter.

"I said, 'Luke, the man's name is Will Rey,'" Kestler said. "'If you don't call him tonight, you're insane.'"

When Rey returned to Ohio after the three-day retreat, he received a call from Ferris. Was he still looking to relocate to Illinois? He was. Did he have a school lined up? He did. Had he signed anything yet? Well, no. He hadn't.

Rey recalled, "He (Ferris) said, 'Well, would you mind stopping by and talking to us?'"

Rey's rise up the coaching ranks was a rapid one.

He started as an assistant at Gordon Tech in 1977 under Bob Ociepka — now an assistant coach with the Los Angeles Clippers and godfather to Rey's son, Robert — before taking the head job at Crete-Monee in 1980 and serving as the coach at Fenwick from 1982-85. In the spring of 1985, he took his first job in Division I, joining Jim Crews' staff at Evansville.

"What caught my eye was you could see Will was a very sincere person," said Crews, who is now the interim men's basketball coach at Saint Louis. "It was interesting, because he was a high school coach. ... Everyone was telling me to hire someone with recruiting experience. My philosophy was, 'If a guy really cares about kids, then he's a good teacher and he'll be a good recruiter.' "

Rey learned about the recruiting process through his experiences with his own high school athletes. That's how he met Duke coach and Chicago native Mike Krzyzewksi. The

friends were introduced while Rey was an assistant at Gordon Tech and Krzyzewski was at West Point. When Rey was at Crete-Monee, standout forward Weldon Williams signed with Krzyzewski, who was by then coaching at Duke.

"I don't think I've taken a coaching job since I first met him (Krzyzewski) without talking with him about it first, including this job here at Northridge," Rey said. "I wrote him a letter and told him all about it."

And what did Coach K say about the Northridge job?

"Good luck," Rey joked.

Rey caught his break in 1989 when, after helping guide Evansville to the second round of the NCAA Tournament as a No. 11 seed, he earned the top job at Loyola. But despite the Ramblers' strong history — including an NCAA championship in 1963 — Rey faced a difficult task. The school's high academic standards made recruiting tricky, and in 1989, there were fewer than 100 season ticket holders, Rey said. Complicating the issue was the fact that Loyola didn't have its own gym on campus. The Ramblers practiced at Alumni Gym, but because the building seated fewer than 2,000 fans, the Midwestern Collegiate Conference wouldn't let Loyola hold its home games there.

Instead, Rey's teams traveled 45 minutes — or more — to play at the Rosemont Horizon (now Allstate Arena). One winter, there was a snowstorm on the day of a non-conference game against Bradley. When the Ramblers finally made it to the arena, the Braves were already well into their warmup session.

"I thought to myself, 'OK, wait a minute,' " Rey said.

At Loyola, Rey competed against conference rivals like Marquette, Xavier, Saint Louis and Butler, and he beat programs like Notre Dame, Purdue and Wisconsin. But he was cut loose in 1994 after five years and a 45-96 record. At the time, Loyola athletic director Chuck Schwarz told the Chicago Tribune, "There were recruiting mistakes. There weren't as many W's as we'd like. Usually a coach gets three years to turn things around. Will went into his fourth and fifth years."

Will Rey's men's basketball teams at Loyola posted records of 7-22, 10-19, 13-16, 7-20 and 8-19 during his run as coach from 1989-94. | LOYOLA UNIVERSITY CHICAGO ATHLETICS

Rey then took the head job at Division III St. Mary's University of Minnesota before moving on to Wright State in 1997. But, Rey said, he had started to do some "soul searching." He recommitted himself to his Catholic faith, and had come to realize that, as he said, "sometimes the quantitative aspect of coaching at the college level overrides the qualitative." He was reconsidering why he got into coaching, and it started with the end of his time at Loyola.

"That was a 2x4 that kind of hit me over the head here, and that caused me to really take a step back and evaluate a lot of things," Rey said. "Sometimes you find yourself climbing a professional ladder, and you get close to the top, and you find out the ladder is up against the wrong building."

Rey arrived in Illinois in April of 2004 with a packed itinerary.

He got in on a Wednesday. He was scheduled to meet with a realtor at 9 a.m. Thursday, and he had an 11 a.m. appointment to sign a contract with the district office of the NSC school. But first, Rey took his wife, Diane, and Robert (then a seventh-grader) to Northridge.

Rey went through the interview process, and Diane and Robert toured the school. When they reconvened on the walk back to the car, Rey noticed a change in his wife's demeanor.

"I went through this interview process with really no serious intention of taking the position," Rey said. "There was kind of a very uncomfortable silence on her part. I said, 'Is everything OK?' She said, 'Well, I don't know where you're going to work, but I know where your son's going to school.' "

Rey kept his appointments with the realtor and the school district the next day, but he asked for more time to make his decision. Northridge was a Class 1A school with only about 150 students, but Rey was intrigued by the people he met during his brief interview.

"I was in absolute turmoil," said Rey, who returned to Dayton to have what he called a "family powwow" with his two older daughters, Christina and Jacqueline.

On Monday, he called the NSC school and apologized profusely. He gave Northridge better news.

"My wife saw it before I did, which is usually the case," Rey said. "Of course I was looking at the biggest gyms, the tallest players, the biggest student body, the highest level of competition — all these things. In the end, she intuitively saw beyond that."

Some of his colleagues weren't so sure.

"My closest friends in the profession were surprised," Rey said, "and couldn't understand what I was doing."

It didn't help that when Rey first arrived, he had some fun with a few friends who came by for a visit. Northridge built a 11,000-square-foot gymnasium during a $3.5 million renovation 2002, but Rey skipped over it when he gave a tour of the school. Instead, he showed his buddies the original gym, a throwback to the building's days as an elementary school. When he opened the doors to reveal the miniature court, creaky wooden floors and sidelines with just enough room to fit one row of folding chairs for spectators, his colleagues couldn't hide their reactions.

"Their jaws dropped," Rey

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said with a laugh. "They said, 'Rey has lost it.' "

Forget Northridge. Rey was never supposed to end up in America

Rey was born in Havana in 1953. He was 6 years old by the end of the Cuban Revolution, and 7 years old when his father, an administrator at a local university, heard rumors that the government was going to start taking young children out of their homes to place them in training camps. Cuba's airports had been shut down, but when they reopened in January of 1960, Rey and his mother escaped to Miami. Several months later, the rest of Rey's family came to the United States.

"There were a lot of Cubans that were not able to leave, unfortunately," Rey said. "We were very lucky to leave when we did, before the situation became very drastic and desperate there."

The family relocated to Chicago, where Rey's aunt was already living. It was there that Rey, whose first love was baseball, developed a passion for a new sport. A self-described "journeyman," Rey roamed the DePaul area playing in pickup basketball games. He went on to play a few years in high school, also running track.

Rey said many schools in Cuba spent half the time teaching in Spanish and the other half in English — he jokes that he knew the English basics like "cat," "dog" and "hamburger" — so he was able to transition into his Lincoln Park neighborhood without much trouble. The family spoke Spanish at home, but at the urging of Rey's father, who is now 91 years old, they immersed themselves in American culture.

"When we were young, he said, 'You are a Cuban-American, and you are always going to respect your ethnicity. But when you walk out this door, you're an American,' " said Rey, adding that his entire family are naturalized citizens. "He taught me to love this country and to be thankful for the opportunity that we have here."

If it wasn't for the revolution, Rey might never have needed that opportunity.

"I'd probably be selling sugar or selling cigars in Cuba," he said. "I don't know what I'd be doing. Hopefully coaching basketball."

Rey was exactly where he's supposed to be Friday night.

Dressed sharply in crisp black dress pants with cuffs, a maroon sweater vest pulled over his bright white dress shirt, the 59-year-old Rey patrolled the sideline as Northridge played host to U-High for the Independent School League championship. There was no sweat on his brow, no hair out of place in the ring of white around his head. He's seen crowds of 20,000 people, he can handle a fourth-quarter deficit against the Maroons.

In this Dec. 3, 2011, photo, Northridge boys basketball coach Will Rey yells to his players from the sideline during a game in Niles. | SHAUNA BITTLE-for Sun-Times Media

"I'm just as intense and ready to coach now as I ever was," said Rey, who uses the Twitter feed @coach4character to distribute motivational slogans and basketball tips. "For some, they're motivated by (the fact that) there's 20,000 people in the stands. That's never been my motivation. Walking into a gym with 20,000 people, that's great. Walking into a gym with 300 people, that's great, too."

Northridge senior Jesus Zermeno is an example of Rey's motivation. The 5-foot-8 guard is one of the Knights' stars, but he was being frustrated Friday. U-High employed a box-and-one defense at times, keeping a defender on Zermeno everywhere he went. He spent long stretches of the first and second halves on the bench, and made little impact on the score sheet when he entered the game.

When Zermeno was a freshman, he was impatient. Rey pulled him into his office.

"He talked to me about that," Zermeno said. "A one-on-one talk. He talked to me about not being stubborn with him, because he's a little bit stubborn, too."

All of a sudden there was Zermeno, late in the fourth quarter, forcing a steal at midcourt and taking it in for an and-one layup that helped drive Northridge to a come-from-behind 49-40 win — and the ISL title — in overtime.

"I got into coaching because I wanted to use my passion and love for sports — especially basketball — to help young people," Rey said. "When you get caught in the merry-go-round and the roller-coaster ride of college athletics, sometimes you lose focus of that."

Rey hasn't ruled out a return to that roller coaster — "I've learned not to predict what's going to happen tomorrow," he said — and, according to Kestler, he's had his opportunities. But for now, Rey's priorities are a little different. He still tells the story of a trip ordered by Crews in 1986 that required Rey to drive more than 5 hours from Evansville to Maria Stein, Ohio, watch a kid play for 45 minutes (he wasn't good enough) and drive home. (Crews, for his part, said "If I only sent him on one of those things, I was too soft.") Now he's free to spend time with his family. He's had plenty of success with the Knights, compiling a 160-92 record and winning three consecutive Class 2A regional championships from 2008-2010.

Will Rey became the men's basketball coach at Loyola in 1989 after serving as an assistant coach on the Evansville squad that reached the second round of the NCAA Tournament earlier that same year. | LOYOLA UNIVERSITY CHICAGO

He'll be looking for another when No. 1-seeded Northridge opens the playoffs at home Tuesday.

"I've been here nine years, this is my 40th year in coaching, and these have been the nine most fulfilling years of my professional career," Rey said. "And it's amazing, because it's happened in the least likely of places." ■

Niles West

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Don't Miss

Today
Wrestling: Niles West's Vaughn Monreal-Berner **at Class 3A state tournament, 6:30 p.m.**
The senior came up just short of qualifying for state as a sophomore and a junior, but he overcame that hurdle at the Maine East Sectional on Saturday.

Saturday
Diving: Niles West at Glenbrook South Sectional, 9 a.m.
Niles West's best chance at qualifying somebody for state appears to be diver David Heller, a senior. Heller finished second (351.20 points) in diving at the CSL South meet Saturday. As a team, the Wolves finished fifth (126 points) at the CSL South meet.

CSL SOUTH BOYS SWIMMING & DIVING CHAMPIONSHIP NOTEBOOK

Glenbrook South relays excel at CSL meet

BY MATT HARNESS | mharness@pioneerlocal.com | @harnesspreps

SKOKIE

Glenbrook South took second place to conference powerhouse New Trier, the state's two-time defending champion, at the CSL South swim meet.

The Titans didn't win an event Saturday at Niles West, but they were the runners-up in all three relays to total 277 points and outdistance Evanston (210 points).

Senior Bob Meyer, junior Jake Nelson, sophomore Jon Salomon and freshman Salganik were second in the 200 medley relay (1 minute, 40.73 seconds). Senior Tommy Cahill, junior Seamus Heneghan, Meyer and Salomon were second in the 200 free relay (1:29.68) and senior Ethan Spalding, junior Kevin Benson, Heneghan and Salganik were second in the 400 free relay (3:20.96).

Salganik swam strong on his own at his first varsity league meet, finishing fourth in the 100 butterfly (56.44). Freshman Tommy Hagerty also earned the praise of coach Keith MacDonald by taking third in the 500 free (4:53.85).

Salomon, a standout in his second season with the Titans, took second in the 200 individual medley (1:57.32) and fourth in the 100 breaststroke (1:00.54).

Niles West's Sergei Lemesh competes in the 200-yard individual medley during the CSL South championship swim meet Saturday in Skokie. Visit skokie.suntimes.com/sports to view a photo gallery from the meet. | **DAVID BANKS**-*Sun-Times Media*

STRONG ON THE BOARD

Senior diver David Heller scored the most points for Niles West at its home pool when he finished as the runner-up to New Trier junior Reiker Seiffe.

Heller totaled 351.20 points to Seiffe's 383.95. Niles West sophomore Jeremy Sands was sixth in the diving session with 332 points.

Senior Drake Nickell also had a good day in the water, finishing fourth in the 100 free (49.66) and fifth in the 50 free (22.90) as the Wolves were fifth as a team with 126 points. ■

This Week
Niles West

BOYS BASKETBALL
Friday
Hosts Waukegan, 6 p.m.
Tuesday
At Maine West, 6 p.m.

GIRLS BASKETBALL
Today
At Evanston Regional, 7:30 p.m.
Tuesday
At Loyola Sect., 6 p.m.
Thursday (2/21)
At Loyola Sect., 7:30 p.m.

BOYS SWIM/DIVE
Saturday
At Glenbrook South Sectional - Dive 9 a.m.; Swim 1 p.m.

BOYS TRACK
Friday
Hosts TBA, 5 p.m.

GIRLS TRACK
Wednesday
Hosts TBA, 4:30 p.m.

WRESTLING
Today
At State Ind. Finals at Champaign (Assembly Hall)
Friday
At State Ind. Finals at Champaign (Assembly Hall)
Saturday
At State Ind. Finals at Champaign (Assembly Hall)

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Maine East

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Don't Miss

Friday
Boys basketball: Glenbrook North at Maine East, 7:30 p.m.
The Blue Demons' final CSL North game of the season doubles as their seniors' final home game. Maine East hopes playing in Park Ridge results in a better offensive outing against Glenbrook North, which beat the Blue Demons 60-17 on Jan. 11.

Saturday
Boys diving: Maine East at Glenbrook North Sectional, 9 a.m.
Jeremy Rohrman qualified for state last season, and he represents the Blue Demons' best chance at qualifying this year. The senior recorded an 11-dive score of 398.25 at the CSL North meet, which was held at Maine East, to finish third Saturday.

Jeremy Rohrman of Maine East competes during the CSL North championship diving meet Saturday. Rohrman finished third overall. | **VINCENT D. JOHNSON**-*for Sun-Times Media*

A season lost

BY ERIC VAN DRIL | Contributor | @EricVanDril

PARK RIDGE

At this time a year ago, Maine East's Danny Sieghart was preparing for sectionals.

On Saturday, the senior will attend the Glenbrook North Sectional, but he'll be there strictly to support classmate Jeremy Rohrman. Sieghart's season ended after having back surgery on Dec. 26.

"I still come to cheer Jeremy," said Sieghart, who finished 16th at last year's state meet. "I know he needs it. I know he still likes me being here; we dove together for almost four years, basically every day. I still come to support him. (Not being able to dive) is rough, but I got through it."

Sieghart spent the summer and early fall preparing for his senior diving season, practicing his technique at Glenbrook Aquatics. But in October, Sieghart suffered a back spasm that never went away.

Sieghart was diagnosed with spondylolysis. Sieghart developed stress fractures in his lower back as a result, and his back pain occurred because the fractures were irritating his muscles.

The surgery — the doctors "masked over where I had my fractures and put two screws in and a hook to clamp it all together," Sieghart said — robbed him of his final high school season and the chance to earn a four-year scholarship to college.

A ROW OF '13S

Niles North's senior class has already established itself as the best collection of swimmers in school history, but its goal for this season's final two meets is to leave overwhelming evidence of that in the record book.

"We already know that the goal is, basically when we're done, that for every (Niles North swimming) record to say '13, '13, '13, all the way down," Niles North senior Ian Crane said. "We want to break just about all of them."

The Vikings' class of 2013 currently holds all but five of the school's varsity swimming and diving records. The diving records won't be broken — both were set by 2010 graduate Arsen Sarkisian — and Andy Peterson's 100-yard backstroke record (53.31 seconds) figures to be safe. But the school's records in the 100 breaststroke and 500 freestyle will be threatened in the next two weeks.

This Week
Maine East

BOYS BASKETBALL
Friday
Hosts Glenbrook N., 7:30 p.m.
Tuesday
At New Trier (Winnetka), 6:30 p.m.

GIRLS BASKETBALL
Today
At Evanston Regional, 7:30 p.m.
Tuesday
At Loyola Sect., 6 p.m.

BOYS ICE HOCKEY
Today
At Twin Rinks vs. LFA (Playoffs), 7:30 p.m.
Saturday
At Centennial Ice Arena vs. LFA is needed, 8:40 p.m.
Sunday
At Iceland vs. TBD, 8:10 p.m.

BOYS SWIM/DIVE
Saturday
At Glenbrook North Sectional - Dive 9 a.m.; Swim 1 p.m.

BOYS TRACK
Wednesday
At York Invite, 4:30 p.m.

GIRLS TRACK
Saturday
At Rolling Meadows Invite, 10 a.m.
Wednesday
Hosts Invite, 4:30 p.m.

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Visit parkridge.suntimes.com/sports to view a video from Saturday's CSL North diving championship as well as a photo gallery from the conference swimming and diving meet.

Chris Riordan has been pursuing Will Ikeda's school record (58.00) in the breaststroke all season. Riordan swam a 1:00.82 at the CSL North meet on Saturday and figures to drop additional time this week.

Crane is currently chasing Richard Gomez's record (4:45.19) in the 500 free. Crane swam a 4:53.84 at the CSL North meet, and said he is confident he can break it either at Saturday's Glenbrook South Sectional or at state.

READY TO FIGHT

Glenbrook North junior Victor Qiao swam in four events at the CSL North meet and finished second to Niles North senior Karol Mlynarski, or a relay led by Mlynarski, in each race.

Although Mlynarski is an all-state swimmer, Qiao approached racing the Cornell University recruit with a fearless attitude.

"I'm not going to be scared, and I'm not going to back down," said Qiao after the CSL North meet. "It's like in a fight; you're not just going to stand there and say, 'Here, punch me again.' You're going to get into the fight. Even if I know he's going to beat me, I'm going to race him and see what he can do and what I can do."

Qiao and the Spartans will swim at the Glenbrook North Sectional on Feb. 16. ■

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Notre Dame

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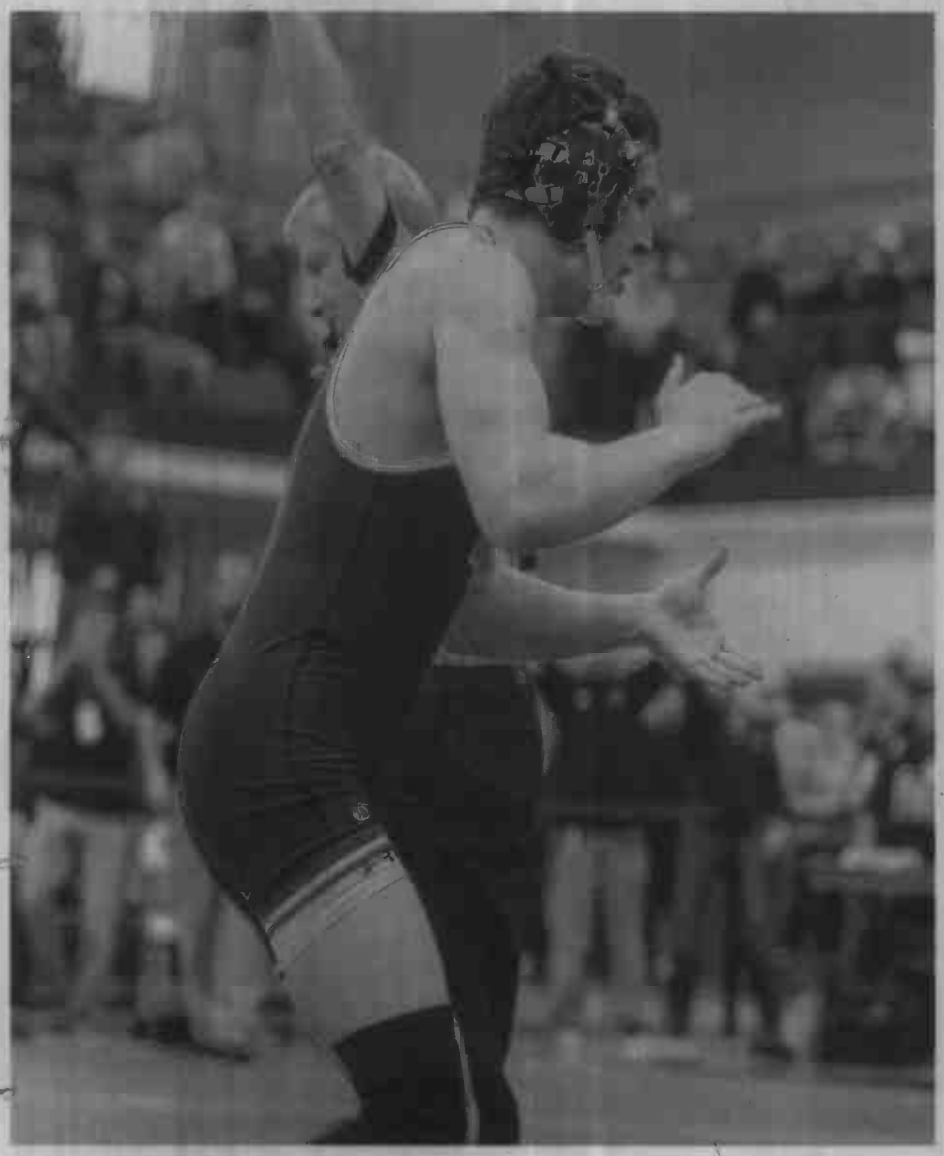
Don't Miss

Friday
Boys basketball: Notre Dame at Marian Catholic, 7:30 p.m.
Over the course of the season, it seemed as if the Dons were the sure-fire No. 1 seed in the Glenbrook North Sectional. But Notre Dame was announced as the No. 2 seed in its sectional last week — Maine South is No. 1.

Tuesday
Wrestling: Notre Dame vs. Glenbard North at Lake Park Dual Team Sectional, 6 p.m.
Jimmy Gallardo (113 pounds), Sean Heneghan (152) and Gino Orlandi (285) will all wrestle at the individual state meet, which begins today in Champaign. The trio will then lead the Dons into their match against Glenbard North. The winner advances to the dual team state tourney.

STATE WRESTLING PREVIEW NOTEBOOK

High praise for training partner



Notre Dame's Sean Heneghan celebrates after beating Maine South's Thomas Brewster at 152 pounds at the Class 3A Maine East Sectional on Saturday. Visit parkridge.suntimes.com/sports to view a photo gallery from the sectional. | **STEVE JOHNSTON** *for Sun-Times Media*

BY DAN SHALIN | Contributor | @danshalin

PARK RIDGE

Notre Dame wrestling coach Augie Genovesi has brought much of his varsity team to watch state the last few years.

However, he's decided to leave most of his wrestlers home this time in order to focus on training for Tuesday's Class 3A Logan Park Dual Team Sectional against Glenbard North at 6 p.m.

One non-qualifier who will make the trip is freshman Jake Barzowski (120 pounds), who will go downstate as sophomore Jimmy Gallardo's training partner. Gallardo, who is 33-4 and finished third at the Class 3A Maine East Sectional in the 113-pound division Saturday, said Barzowski has been instrumental in his success.

"(Barzowski) knows how to keep up the tempo, he goes hard and always pushes me in practice, which is something I need," said Gallardo, a second-time qualifier.

Gallardo, whom Genovesi calls a future captain and state placer, said his performance at last year's state meet (he lost in the Class 2A preliminaries at 106 pounds) may have been hampered because his former training partner missed a few of the workouts leading up to the big event.

LIKE FATHER, LIKE SON

Notre Dame senior Sean Heneghan, who finished fourth at 152 Saturday, qualified for state in his final opportunity after near misses as a freshman and sophomore and an injury-hit junior campaign.

Heneghan's father, Kevin, is a former standout Notre Dame wrestler, and the pair became the second father/son combo to qualify for state under Genovesi, who has been coaching at the school for 35 years. The first father/son qualifiers were the Wallenbergs, Ken and Jim. The latter was a 2011 graduate.

Kevin Heneghan went to state in 1980 and 1981, reaching the quarterfinals as a 138-pounder on his second trip. Watching from the balcony at Saturday's sectional, he was beaming with pride.

"(Sean) has been working real hard since he's been a little kid. This was his final shot. His mother (Karen) and I are real proud of him. It's unbelievable to watch," Kevin Heneghan said. "It's going to be great to watch my son (down at state). It's going to be an awesome experience to see how

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This Week
Notre Dame

BOYS BASKETBALL
Friday
At Marian Cath., 7:30 p.m.
Sunday
At Gordon Tech vs. St. Charles N., 3:30 p.m.
Tuesday
Hosts Lincoln Park, 7:30 p.m.

HOCKEY
Sunday
At Niles-Ballard vs. Maine, 6:30 p.m.

SWIM/DIVE
Saturday
At Glenbrook North Sectional - Dive 9 a.m.; Swim 1 p.m.

WRESTLING
Today
At State Ind. Finals at Champaign (Assembly Hall)
Friday
At State Ind. Finals at Champaign (Assembly Hall)
Saturday
At State Ind. Finals at Champaign (Assembly Hall)
Tuesday
At Class 3A Lake Park Dual Team Sectional vs. Glenbard N., 6 p.m.

Evanston's Brandon Vamarasi (right) wrestles St. Patrick's Joe Urso at 220 pounds at the Maine East Sectional on Saturday. | **STEVE JOHNSTON**-*for Sun-Times Media*

he does."

Said Sean Heneghan: "It's pretty cool that I can say I went downstate like my dad. He's always giving me advice. He's been my coach since kindergarten, always telling me what I can do better. He's been a great help for 14 years."

Sean Heneghan, who is 31-9, qualified for state with a 5-4 win over Maine South's Thomas Brewster in the consolation semifinal. Brewster had won the matchup between the two at the previous week's regional.

OUT OF NOWHERE

A year ago, few would have had Notre Dame senior heavyweight Gino Orlandi pegged as a qualifier for the state tournament.

But Orlandi (32-10) will be one of three Dons competing at this weekend's event, which will be held today through Saturday at Assembly Hall in Champaign.

Orlandi was Notre Dame's only wrestler to reach the finals at Saturday's sectional, where he was edged out 2-1 by Leyden's Javier Rhoades.

"He's a tremendous overachiever," Genovesi said of Orlandi. "He was two wins under .500 last year. But he stuck around and did what he was supposed to do in the offseason. He dedicated himself. He's got a great work ethic and a great sense of humor. He's a great kid."

EXPERIENCE COULD HELP

For a third straight year, Maine South senior Terry Calkins qualified for state out of the sectional's back draw. Calkins (31-4) finished third at 126 pounds on Saturday, and said he expects experience to be a key to his performance this weekend.

"I feel these other kids who are at state for the first time could be scared. It's scary in Assembly Hall. It's a big place," said Calkins, who has lost his only two matches at state. "I've been there twice already and know what it feels like. I've gotten the butterflies out and I'm ready to go."

WORKING HARD

After losing 8-2 in a grueling sectional final to Oak Park-River Forest's Joe Ariola (undefeated and ranked No. 1), Niles West 182-pounder Vaughn Monreal-Berner promptly went to a corner of the gym and did an extensive workout of pushups and sprints.

Wolves coach Anthony Genovesi said that kind of effort is common for Monreal-Berner, a senior who is 33-7 and heading to state for the first time.

"He's been our hardest worker over the years," Genovesi said. "He's the captain for football and wrestling and has pushed himself to get to where he's at."

Monreal-Berner said he may walk on at a Division I wrestling program or join the Marines.

TOUGH BREAK

Evanston senior Brandon Vamarasi (220) was forced to prepare for state this week without his usual drill partner, Evanston assistant coach Thomas Ingram.

Three days before the sectional, Vamarasi broke Ingram's ankle in what the wrestler referred to as a freak accident.

Ingram, a 2005 Evanston grad who has been on the coaching staff for four years, was on crutches as Vamarasi took third at the sectional. But Ingram didn't have any hard feelings toward Vamarasi.

"We were wrestling live at (practice) and Brandon did exactly what I told him to do when somebody throws a leg in," he said. "I coached him well and he listened to me well and broke my ankle."

Vamarasi, who is 35-10 and will compete at state for the first time, said Ingram has pushed him to new heights.

"(Ingram) has helped me out, lifting me all season long," Vamarasi said. "It's too bad we can't wrestle together for (state). But he'll still be in my ear all the time." ■

Power Rankings

Pioneer Press Basketball Power Rankings

As voted on by the Pioneer Press sports staff. First place votes are worth 10 points, second place 9, etc.

BOYS
1. Notre Dame 40 (4)
2 (t). Niles North 32
2 (t). Stevenson 32
4. New Trier 23
5. Loyola 21
6 (t). Hinsdale Central 10
6 (t). Lake Forest 10
8. Oak Park-River Forest 5
9 (t). Fenwick 4
9 (t). Mundelein 4
9 (t). St. Joseph 4

Others receiving votes: Northridge 3; Carmel 1.

GIRLS
1. Trinity 40 (4)
2. Evanston 34
3. Maine South 32
4 (t). Fenwick 26
4 (t). Vernon Hills 26
6. Loyola 19
7. Glenbrook South 18
8. Hinsdale Central 7
9. Hinsdale South 6
10. Barrington 4

Others receiving votes: Stevenson 3; Carmel 2; Regina 2; New Trier 1.

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BOYS BASKETBALL

Friday
Lyons vs. Proviso West
7:30 p.m.

Lake Zurich at Lake Forest
7:30 p.m.

Notre Dame at Marian Catholic
7:30 p.m.

Glenbrook North vs. Maine East
7:30 p.m.

Libertyville at Warren
7:30 p.m.

Tuesday
North Chicago at Lake Forest
7 p.m.

Wednesday
Nazareth at Benet
7:30 p.m.

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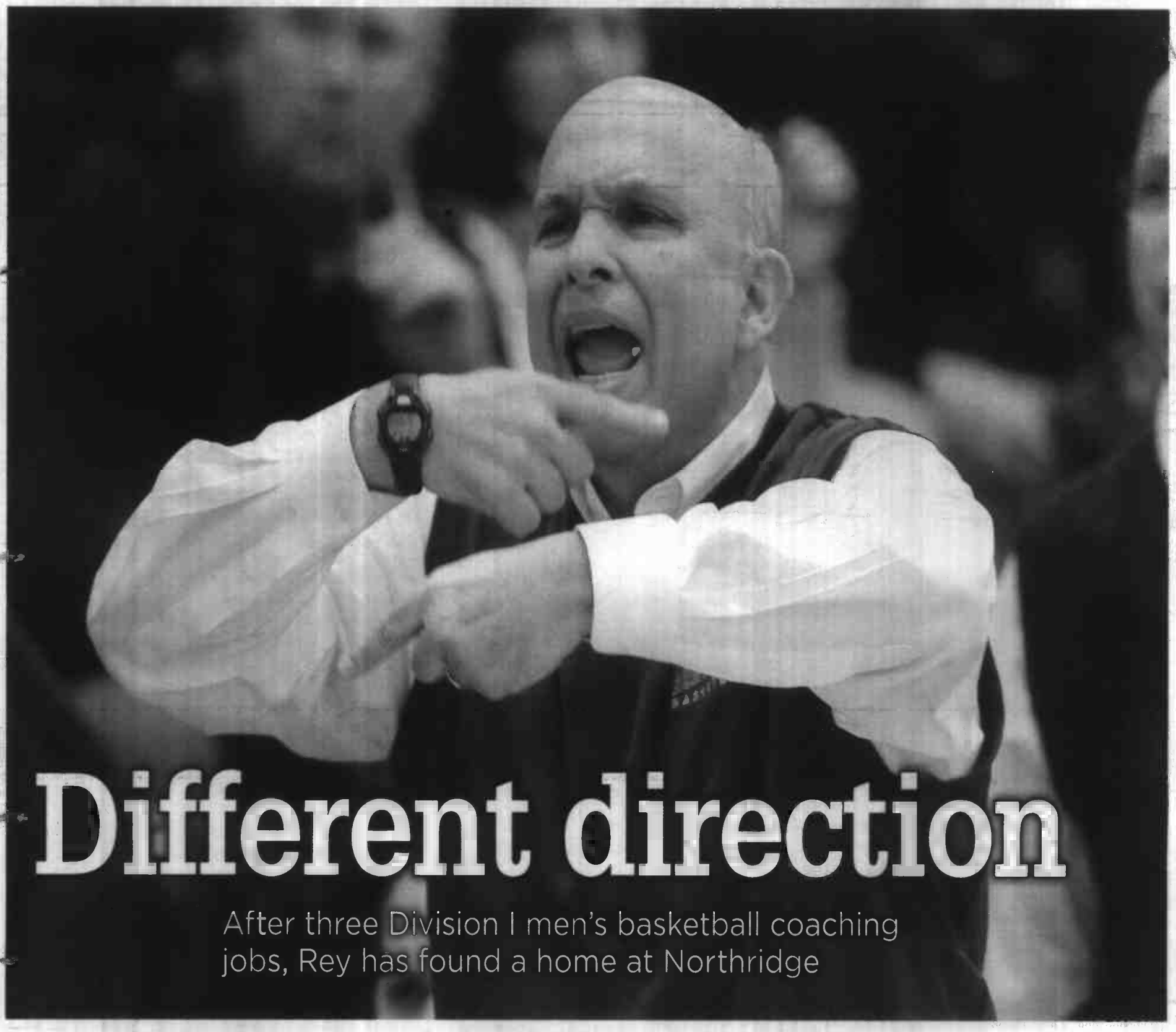

Different direction

After three Division I men's basketball coaching jobs, Rey has found a home at Northridge

Northridge's Will Rey coaches his boys basketball team during Friday's game against U-High in Niles. | **BRIAN O'MAHONEY-** *for Sun-Times Media*

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