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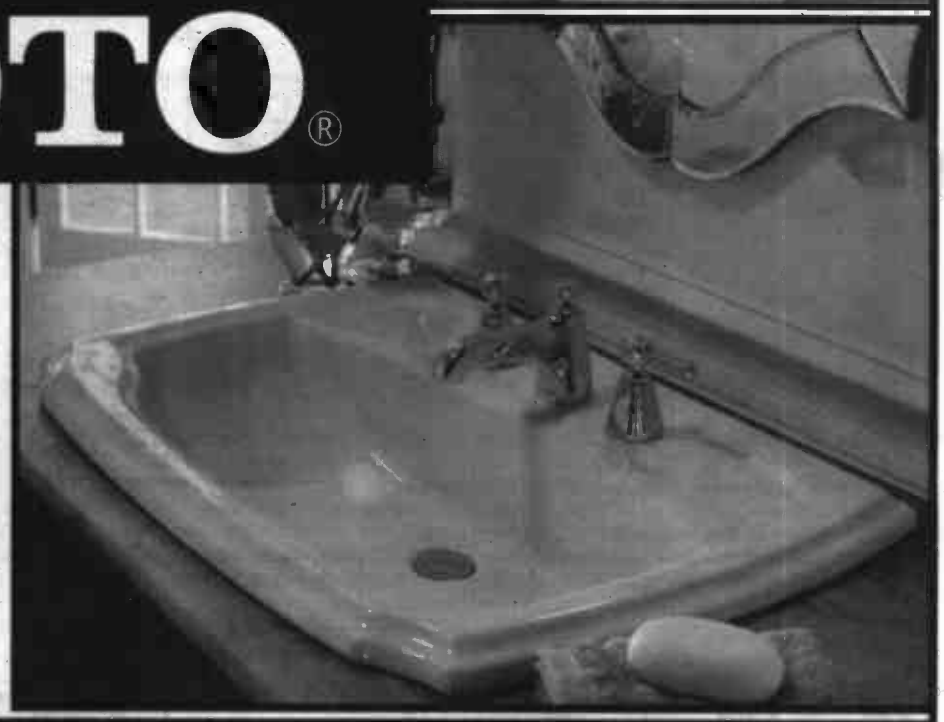

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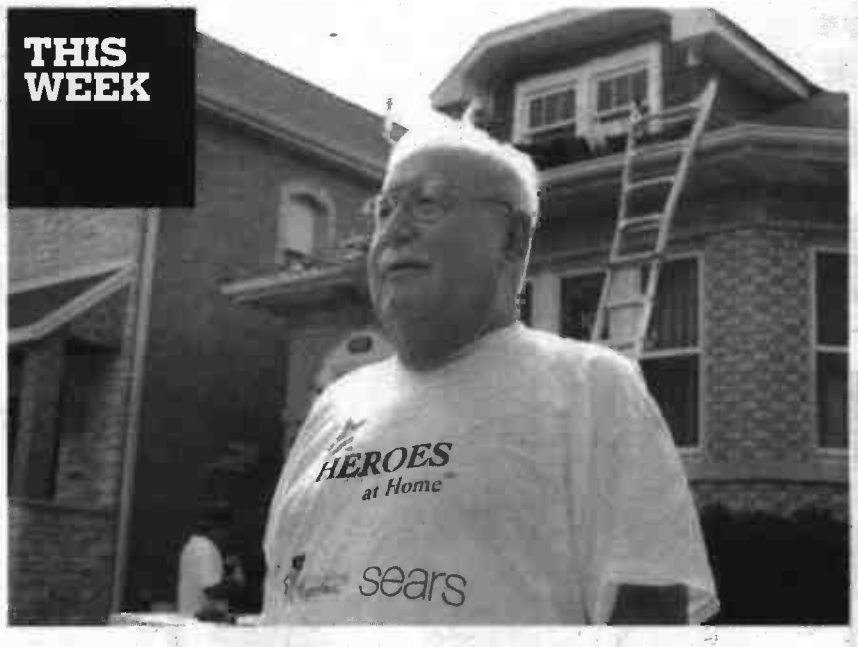

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New roof to the rescue for local vet

A Vietnam veteran's roof was crumbling, but he didn't have the money to fix it. Fortunately, a team of local and national helpers came along to help him out. **Page 10**

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O'HARE AIRPORT

Maine South football team pulls plane to victory

Niles cops take fundraising crown at Special Olympics fundraiser

BY JENNIFER JOHNSON
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Maine South football players celebrate their win in the public division of the Sept. 21 Plane Pull for Special Olympics Illinois. | JENNIFER JOHNSON/SUN-TIMES MEDIA

The Park Ridge Police Department team plays a game of tug-of-war with a 90-ton airbus during the fifth annual Plane Pull benefitting Special Olympics Illinois on Sept. 21. | JENNIFER JOHNSON/SUN-TIMES MEDIA

"They expect us to pull that thing?" came a voice from the back of the shuttle bus as the airplane came into view.

The 90-ton UPS Airbus A300 loomed large over the pavement and everything else in sight outside the Lynxs Cargo Building at O'Hare Airport. It shouldn't have come as too much of a surprise — the members of the Park Ridge and Niles Police Departments knew what they were getting into when they signed up to pull an actual airplane in a contest benefitting Illinois Special Olympics.

And yet....

"We thought it was going to be a lot smaller than this," admitted Niles police Officer Vince Genualdi, captain of the Niles team, his eyes lingering on the airbus parked on the other side of a series of concrete barriers. "It's very intimidating."

In the end, it was the plane that got the better of the Park Ridge Police Department team (thanks to apparent problems with the aircraft's positioning), while the Niles Police Department and a team of Maine South football players each took home special accolades in Saturday's fifth Annual Law Enforcement Torch Run Plane Pull, which raised over $120,000 for Special Olympics Illinois.

With a goal of pulling the 90-ton aircraft 12 feet in as short amount of time as possible, the 20-member Maine South team placed first in the event's open division, accomplishing the feat in just 9.81 seconds.

"It's a great honor because it's for Special Olympics, so it's about donating money and support," said Maine South football coach David Inserra. "The event has grown tremendously. We did it four years ago and there were probably 25 teams. This year there were a little over 60 teams."

To join the competition, the Maine South football players were required to raise at least $1,000, which they did. As winners of the open division, they were presented with a trophy and a chance to take on the winner of the public safety division — the Chicago Police Department team — in the day's final pull. In that competition, it was the police who took home the grand championship with their own time of 9.81 seconds to Maine South's 10.06 seconds.

Niles, meanwhile, ranked first among the 70 participating teams when it came to fundraising, collecting $10,447, all of which will be donated to Illinois Special Olympics.

"I'm ecstatic," said Niles Police Chief Dean Strzelecki of the money raised, explaining that members received a great deal of support from friends, family and local organizations, and used social media to help promote their efforts.

For raising the most money, the Niles team was awarded 20 tickets to Blackhawks exhibition games, which Vince Genualdi said would be donated to a local organization that assists people with special needs.

As the first team to hit the pavement and pick up the rope, the Park Ridge Police Department team encountered a plane that would barely budge.

When it was discovered that the aircraft was on a slight incline, presenting a disadvantage to the team, they were given a second opportunity — but that didn't go much better.

"I felt like I was pulling forever and it just didn't move," sighed Officer Julie Genualdi, wife of Vince and captain of the Park Ridge team.

"It was like moving a mountain," added Sgt. Bob Kampwirth.

The Niles Police Department experienced a similarly stubborn plane, but on the second try cheers erupted when the team managed to pull the airbus 13.22 feet in the 12 seconds that was allotted.

"We're elated that we got it moving," said Niles Deputy Chief Dennis McEnerney. "Once we got it going it was pretty smooth. For something that is 90 tons, we got it moving pretty easily."

Park Ridge, which raised $3,000 for Special Olympics, was given a third opportunity to pull the plane once the kinks in the setup were fixed, but members, some of them with other commitments, declined.

"We don't have a third pull in us, that's for sure," Genualdi said. "At least we turned out and did it. And at least we know it was broken," she added with a laugh.

Other members of the department also took the snafu in stride.

"It was a great experience. We're here more for the cause of Special Olympics than how we do," said Park Ridge Police Officer Daniel Kearns. "It's not a disappointment as long as we help out the kids."

Just having Park Ridge police officers participate in the Plane Pull became an issue that was raised at an August City Council meeting when Mayor David Schmidt questioned if the city would be open to workers' compensation claims if an officer was hurt. A legal opinion determined the city would not be liable since the officers participate on their own time, but Chief Frank Kaminski had said there were no plans for officers to take part.

Julie Genualdi explained that in past years, members of the Maine South football team largely made up the team, but this year the players formed their own team, allowing members of the police department and three non-employees to pull as a group.

The Plane Pull is one of four events that are part of the yearly Law Enforcement Torch Run. Police officers around the state also participate in a Polar Plunge, climb up on the rooftops of Dunkin' Donuts stores and carry the torch in a community run, all benefitting Special Olympics Illinois.

NILES

Residents with water bill explosions can seek reprieve

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Not all may be lost for Niles residents surprised by increased water bills.

Under new procedures adopted by the Village Board last month, eligible consumers can recoup up to $500 for higher-than-average charges for water due to leaks.

Homeowners, nonprofits and taxing bodies may request a hearing for a lowered payment if the water reading on their quarterly statement exceeds the average amount of water used in the past two years by 75 percent.

Applicants must also demonstrate that a leak was the culprit and make repairs. Before issuing a refund, finance staff would monitor the property's water usage to verify consumption had returned to normal levels.

Commercial, industrial and rental properties are ineligible for the utility payment deduction, and residents may only apply for relief once in a three-year period.

The new protocol also puts the village's Finance Committee in charge of billing disputes.

Previously, an appeals board comprised of an appointed trustee, the village manager, finance director, director of code enforcement and assistant finance director was charged with addressing complaints, despite the village not offering water payment relief for leakage.

Most consumers' appeals, however, are related to leak situations, staff reported. The village receives between 10 and 20 inquiries a year regarding charges for excessive losses of water.

Finance Director Scot Neukirch said the water appeals board had not convened in a few years since staff successfully handled all other billing inquiries.

He recommended the existing Finance Committee take over reviewing appeals since members met on a more regular basis than the defunct board.

The Village Board approved the transfer of duties, withstanding a bid by Trustee Chris Hanusiak to keep an appeals board intact to maintain a "separation of powers" between committees.

Hanusiak cast the sole "no" vote for the ordinance change.

Leaks or not, all Niles households and businesses have been paying more for water since June, when a new municipal rate went into effect.

Officials approved the 10 percent bump in cost per 1,000 gallons ₇ from $6.06 to $6.67 ₇ following Chicago's plans to charge more for its water supply over the next three years.

Water rates in Niles have gone up every year since 1995.

Men charged with stealing bar and street signs in Niles

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Two men stand accused of stealing a signs from a Niles sports bar and along the side of a nearby road.

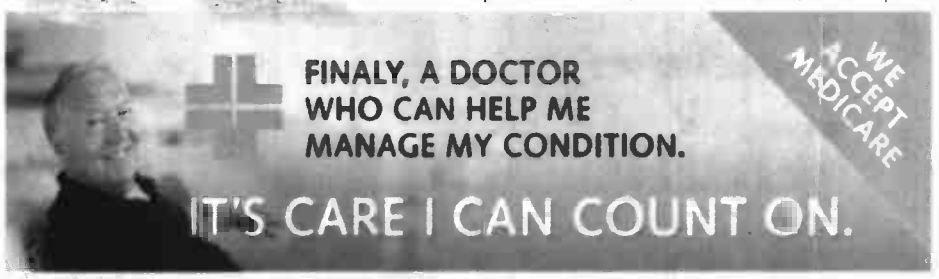
Daniel Knapik, 37, of 131 S. Elm St., Northlake; and Michal Sciog, 37, of 4331 N. Mason, Chicago, were each charged with theft Sept. 15 after Niles police responded to a call of a man carrying a "Do Not Enter" sign that had been allegedly stolen from Playbook Sports Bar, 6913 N. Milwaukee Ave.

Police said the anonymous caller also saw the men walking east on Harts Road and removing an Illinois Department of Transportation bicycle sign at 3:40 a.m.

When police arrived, an officer reportedly observed the men dropping both signs behind a guard rail on the south side of the 6800 block of Harts Road. According to police, it was Sciog who admitted to taking the sign from the sports bar and that he and Knapik removed the IDOT sign on Harts Road.

The sign belonging to Playbook was returned to the establishment and management opted not to sign complaints against Knapik and Sciog, police said.

Both men were released on bond and have an Oct. 22 court date.



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MORTON GROVE

Vietnam vet's crumbling roof repaired

Morton Grove, Rebuilding Together and Sears work together to fix home

BY RICK KAMBIC
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Morton Grove resident John O'Neill couldn't afford a new roof and was facing a hefty village fine until Sears agreed to pay for the replacement because he's a veteran on a small budget. | RICK KAMBIC/SUN-TIMES MEDIA

John O'Neill has needed a new roof for several years, but he's on a fixed income and medical problems have taken higher financial priority.

The 65-year-old Vietnam veteran drove dump trucks for most of his life until being laid off four years ago. After traveling the country driving various types of trucks, O'Neill moved back to Morton Grove in 1977 and spent most of his modest income paying off his mortgage and going fishing.

In 2012, O'Neill was given a ticket for having a hazardous and unsightly roof. The fine compounded for a year because O'Neill survives on $1,300 per month from the United States Department of Veterans Affairs and he couldn't afford an $8,500 new roof.

With a fine nearly as pricy as a new roof, a number of charities and social services worked together this summer to give O'Neill a legal, safe roof for the house his parents bought in 1929.

The rescue began in May, when a concerned Morton Grove employee contacted village social worker Mary Senn. By June, Senn helped O'Neill file an application for financial help with nonprofit organization Rebuilding Together.

The group works with needy residents of north suburban Chicago by sending volunteers to do small projects like sink replacements, clutter removal and lawn care problems.

"Our greatest goal is to make a homeowner feel cared about, respected and empowered," said Sharon Riley, administrative director of Rebuilding Together. "We want them to remain independent in their homes, both safely and with dignity."

Though the labor is volunteered, the projects range only as far as their volunteers' expertise and the cost of materials.

An $8,500 overhaul was too expensive and complicated for even the nonprofit. However, Rebuilding Together has ties to Sears' $1 million annual "Heroes at Home" charity program and submitted a request on behalf of O'Neill.

By that point, the situation was really eating away at O'Neill.

"A friend invited me to go fishing and barbecue with him on July 4, but I wouldn't leave the house because I was too worried about the roof," O'Neill said. "There are no leaks in the roof and no immediate (structural) problems, but my post-traumatic stress disorder gets me overwhelmed very easily."

O'Neill visits the Captain James A. Lovell Federal Health Care Center in North Chicago twice a week for his PTSD and chronic obstructive pulmonary disease, a progressive lung illness that forces O'Neill to use an oxygen tank and inhalers for six to eight months at a time.

"I have some friends at the VA who wouldn't leave their basements for four years until joining our sessions," O'Neill said. "I don't like the small groups because there's too much focus, but I go to big groups where I can hear other people and not feel so alone, and then talk when I feel it's right."

Donald Trieschmann, of Winnetka, is a member of Rebuilding Together's board of directors and specializes in working with Sears on potential "Heroes at Homes" projects.

"We've been fortunate to get 15 projects approved in five years," Trieschmann said. "John (O'Neill) is very qualified and deserving of this help. He left the safety of his home to serve our country and came back with more than we could ever imagine. A new roof is the least we can do for him."

O'Neill's application was approved last month and Rebuilding Together oversaw the Sept. 23 construction on behalf of Sears. O'Hara and Son Roofing Company of Rolling Meadows was contracted after its owner Les O'Hara offer a $1,500 discount.

"I didn't think I was going to survive this," O'Neill said. "I don't have any family and I wasn't about to ask my friends for money. I'm so grateful for this gift."

During the Sept. 23 replacement, excited neighbor Kerry Eischen brought cupcakes for O'Neill and his roofers.

"My son Matthew and daughter Molly love John," Eischen said. "When they see him outside, they rush out the door to tell him their important news, like a lost tooth or the score of a baseball game."

O'Neill has a large side yard and Eischen's kids will often have cartwheel competitions or Nerf gun battles in the open grass.

"He hides the PTSD real well," Eischen said. "He always greets us with a smile. Over time he's shared some stories, and I think he would have earned a few more military awards had he tooted his horn a little. Those awards are given to soldiers who fill out paperwork, but John is much too humble to nominate himself."

During his two-year tour as a Marine, O'Neill was awarded the National Defense Service Medal, Vietnam Campaign Medal with device, RVN Cross of Gallantry with palm, Vietnam Service Medal with one star, Combat Action Ribbon and a Rifle Marksmanship Badge.

Sears expects to help 60 retired servicemen in 29 communities nationwide by the end of 2013. The Heroes at Home program is funded by company contributions and donation boxes in Sears and Kmart stores. Approximately $17 million has gone toward veteran-oriented projects over the past 20 years.

"It is our collective honor to assist America's veterans and their families, who have given so much to protect our freedom, by providing the resources necessary so that they can improve their living conditions," said Ron Boire, an executive vice president at Sears Holdings Corporation.

As for O'Neill's hefty fine, Village Attorney Terry Liston said it will probably be waived, because Morton Grove understands the veteran's extenuating circumstances and the government only wants homes in the village to be kept up well. She said local law allows the village administrator to exercise leeway in such situations.

"He does it fairly but rarely," Liston said of Village Administrator Ryan Horne. "This is a success story all around, starting with our social worker Mary Senn. She helped us create a safe neighborhood while also using her connections to help a resident in need."

MORTON GROVE

Library workers under 17 won't show movies

BY RICK KAMBIC
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The Morton Grove Library now requires its employees to be at least 17-years-old in order to screen movies.

Library Director Pam Leffler announced the policy change on Sept. 19, when library trustees met for their monthly meeting. She also told trustees that the 16-year-old projectionist who was the center of controversy this summer is no longer working at the library, but declined to elaborate further for privacy reasons.

Afterward, Leffler said trustees want the library to abide by Motion Picture Association of America (MPAA) guidelines, even though they're not law.

Furthermore, the board will not pursue charges of ethics and Open Meetings Act violations against individual trustees.

The controversy began on June 25, when Library Trustee Cathy Peters witnessed the teenager showing "The Adventures of Prescilla, Queen of the Desert," an R-rated movie about two drag queens and a transvestite touring the Australian outback.

Peters said she reached out to Leffler with concerns, but after not reaching a solution, Peters reached out to fellow trustees on an individual basis and claimed to have gotten a majority of the board to agree the girl should not have been screening the films.

Peters visited the library when another R-rated movie was shown and found the teen working. Peters asked the girl to wait in the library's office area, and then she approached Acting Director Kevin Justie about finding a different employee to show the film.

Peters claimed her intervention was an emergency situation because the library was not functioning in the best interest of its taxpayers. The standoff lasted for several weeks, and Peters or another trustee visited other R-rated movie screenings to make sure adult employees were in charge of the Baxter Auditorium.

Library Attorney Frank Tennant scolded trustees during their Aug. 18 board meeting, expressing concerns about a potential Open Meetings Act violation and other ethical issues.

After the Sept. 19 board meeting, both Albers and Tennant said there will be no consequences stemming from the standoff.

MORTON GROVE

Library officials still unhappy with building

BY RICK KAMBIC
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Two years after a controversial expansion plan caused an upheaval on the Morton Grove Library Board, officials are again griping about the state of the building.

To get state funding, library trustees and administrators are required to create a strategic plan and mention certain desires within the application. Board President Mark Albers supported the requirement and said a plan should have been started anyway.

During a Sept. 19 meeting, both employees and trustee discussed the library's strengths, weaknesses, threats and opportunities. The most common item among all surveyed was the library's physical condition, both in size and asbestos-related restrictions.

"There is a group of people who love this building and say 'I love how this feels' when they come in, but it's a drawback when people want small study space or computer labs," Library Director Pam Leffler said. "But we don't have $25 million just laying around, and we're fighting for a small piece of the tax base with the village, Park District and schools."

Library Trustee Arthur Goldstein was part of a former board that advocated for a new library and had potential land and designs picked out before the political group B-PAC swept the 2011 election and put a stop to the plans.

"In the past we talked about having a satellite campus, because we don't serve a lot of the residents west of Waukegan and Washington. That's about half the village's population."

B-PAC was an acronym consisting of Paul Berg, Cathy Peters, Albers and David Calimag's last names. Though Calimag was absent from the meeting, trustees Berg and Peters sat quietly when employee comments and other trustees talked about the library's physical restraints.

In recent months, the library invested more than $60,000 in repairs and the replacement of three furnaces, $31,000 in replacing carpet on the library's lower level and $3,000 in patching portions of the roof.

Albers said the library's strength is community support, and diverse backgrounds on the board of trustees, but its weakness includes an aging building and lack of electrical outlets.

Earlier this summer, Albers went public with a long-term idea that entails the library, park district and village governments jointly building one government complex at Dempster Street and Waukegan Road.

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POLICE BLOTTER

The following incidents were listed in the official bulletin 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.

DISORDERLY CONDUCT

Richard Fico, 55, of 603 N. Washington Ave., Park Ridge, was charged with disorderly conduct and criminal trespass on Sept. 13 after police responded to a complaint of a man refusing to leave property on the 8000 block of Lyons Street. The resident told police that her relationship with Fico had recently ended and she had repeatedly told him not to return to her home. According to police, Fico was found hiding behind an electrical box in the 8000 block of Foster Lane when he was taken into custody at 10:15 a.m. He has an Oct. 19 court date.

RETAIL THEFT

Waldemar Bajorski, 57, of 3103 N. Dryden Place, Arlington Heights, was charged with retail theft on Sept. 13. Police said Bajorski created barcodes at his home and placed them on merchandise inside a store on the 900 block of Civic Center Drive. He allegedly paid just $11.10 for three items that police said were worth $138.94. According to police, Bajorski was in possession of 19 additional barcodes similar to the ones used in the alleged theft. He has an Oct. 9 court date.

Rameshbhai Patel, 52, of 2215 Ottawa Ave., Des Plaines, was charged with retail theft and contributing to the delinquency of a minor on Sept. 14. According to police, security at a store on the 900 block of Civic Center Drive saw Patel select a household air filter valued at $4.97 and hand it to his 13-year-old daughter along with a paper receipt. The girl then reportedly exited the store with the unpaid item. Police said the receipt actually contained a date of May 27, 2013. The teen was not charged. Patel has an Oct. 9 court date.

DUI

Carmel Epstein, 26, of 2530 Queens Way, Northbrook, was charged with driving under the influence, driving without a valid license and speeding on the morning of Sept. 13. He was taken into custody on the 9000 block of Milwaukee Avenue at 2:25 a.m. He has an Oct. 31 court date.

CRIME BRIEFS

PROPERTY DAMAGE

Three reports of graffiti were made on the morning of Sept. 16 in the area of Washington Avenue and Foster Street.

BURGLARY

A lawnmower and grass edger were stolen between Sept. 12 and Sept. 13 from an unlocked garage on the 800 block of Oketo Avenue.

Someone forced open a shed outside an apartment building on the 9400 block of Washington Avenue between Sept. 12 and Sept. 13. Several copper and galvanized pipes were stolen, as well as two tool boxes containing various plumbing tools.

THEFT

On the afternoon of Sept. 13 a man allegedly stole two power tool kits valued at $400 each from a store inside the Golf Mill Shopping Center. The man was seen running out of the mall and getting into an SUV that had an unknown company logo on the side. Police said earlier in the afternoon, the Home Depot at 8650 Dempster St. reported that a similar vehicle had been used in retail thefts at that location as well.

An attempted theft of a catalytic converter was reported on Sept. 16 on the 7300 block of Nora Avenue. According to police, a saw was used in an attempt to cut the catalytic converter on the vehicle and the cost of the repair was $50. On the same date, another catalytic converter was stolen from a vehicle parked on the 7600 block of Osceola Avenue, police said.

On the afternoon of Sept. 16, a man reportedly stole a $600 cell phone from a display inside a store on the 9400 block of Milwaukee Avenue.

EDUCATION

NOTRE DAME COLLEGE PREP

iPads debut for students at Notre Dame College Prep

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For Sun-Times Media | @natwaz

Want help perfecting an Italian accent? Need to collect peer input on a presentation?

For students at Notre Dame College Prep, there are iPads for that.

The all-male, Catholic high school joined a growing number of schools implementing one-to-one computer programs by requiring this year's freshmen, sophomores and juniors to purchase the Apple tablets. Half the senior class is also voluntarily toting around mobile devices.

Principal Daniel Tully said the administration came to the conclusion last year that a number of factors made the initiative not only possible, but also beneficial.

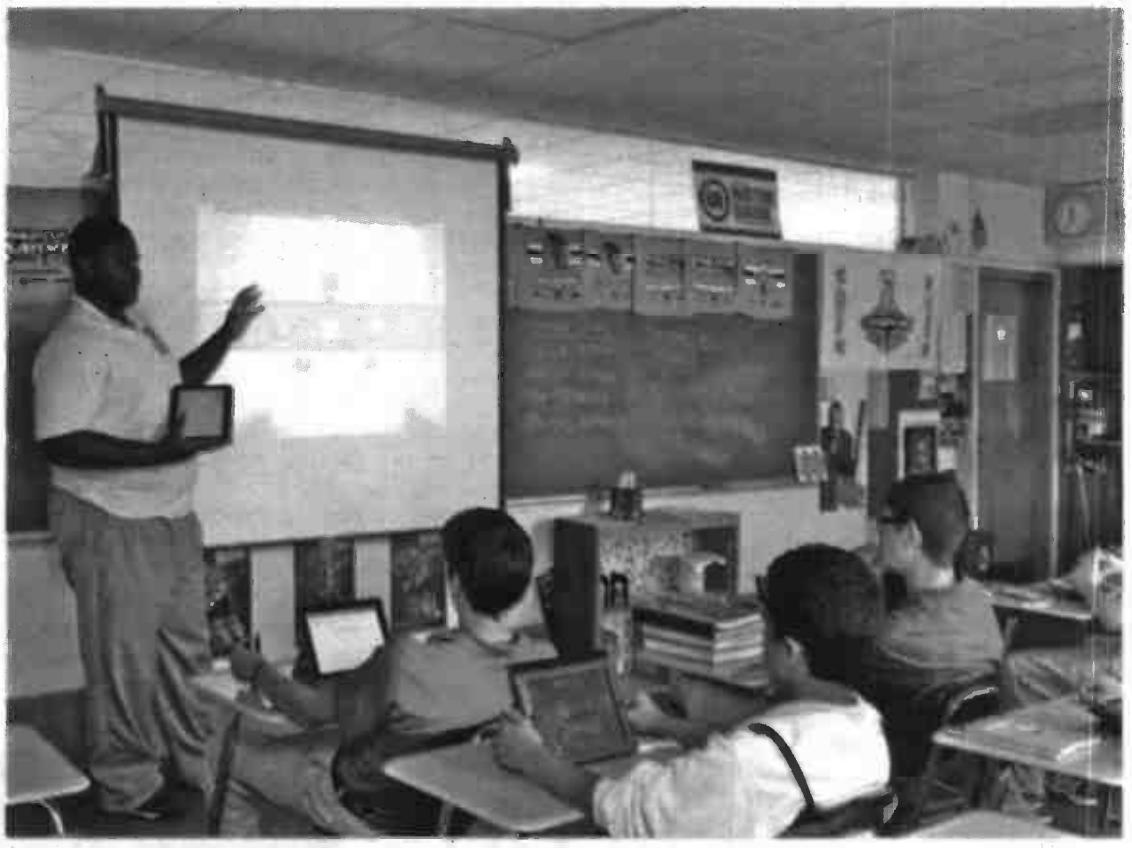
Mobile technology preserves instructional time. Parents, over time, will save on school-supply costs with the $400 devices. Most of the digital textbooks Notre Dame is using this year cost between $7 and $20.

"Then, of course, the real great thing is anything that is searchable, is available," Tully said. "It's all at their hands."

That's not to say the teens can see everything on the web. Schools, by law, are required to filter online content and prohibit access to websites deemed inappropriate for children.

Director of Educational Technology Deanna Herman met with students the first week of classes to remind them of the footprints they leave online and the "power of the pause."

Deanna Herman, the new director of educational technology for Notre Dame College Prep, overhauled the school's wireless network this summer to support over 800 wireless devices. | NATASHA WASINSKI/FOR SUN-TIMES MEDIA



Classrooms at Notre Dame College Prep are now equipped with Apple TVs to better sync with students' iPads. Freshman Juan Harris, of Chicago, stands at the front of the class. | NATASHA WASINSKI/FOR SUN-TIMES MEDIA

Notre Dame won't monitor how teens use or personalize their iPads unless it learns of problems.

The only real requirement students have now is to keep protective covers on the devices.

"My line is, 'With comes great power, comes great responsibility,'" Herman said, borrowing the words of Spider-Man.

The tablets are self-purchased and belong to students, meaning they're theirs to keep after graduation.

Staff is also adjusting to the addition of more in-class technology.

To prepare for the program's rollout this August, Note Dame rebuilt its wireless network and increased its Internet bandwidth tenfold to support 800-plus mobile devices simultaneously.

The school has a 10-person team of teachers and counselors who serve as iPad experts and train other staff. Teachers began ongoing professional development and training last November.

For some, it's changed the physical layout of their rooms as they walk around a bit more and teach behind, instead of at, students in desks.

For the first time classrooms are equipped with Apple TVs to allow students and teachers to broadcast wirelessly to a projector from their computers.

"Everything is so much more interactive and student-centered," Tully said. "It's not just the teacher delivering content."

Michael Galeno, chair of the English department, has embraced the changes by trying to keep his room as paperless as possible.

He's also making sure students know the iPad is only a tool. Discussion still serves as the primary vehicle for teaching and learning, especially in a literature-based class, he said.

"We, the teachers and students, will continue to drive this room," Galeno said.

Not surprisingly, the teenagers have been on board with the initiative.

"I think it's really cool," said sophomore Liam Mulcrone, 15. "I get a lot of things done better with it. It's lots of fun."

He said not having to scribble notes on paper has saved him the trouble of deciphering his poor penmanship.

Joe Hilger, a junior, also likes lugging around fewer things.

"It's nice not to have notebooks," the 16-year-old said.

He's found the multimedia capabilities of e-textbooks to be particularly useful when learning verb tenses in Spanish.

Accessibility of the Internet has another advantage, too.

"I haven't forgotten my homework yet, so I'm excited about that," Hilger said.

AFFORDABLE HOUSING

Near north suburbs wrestle with affordable housing vouchers

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When the amendment to the Cook County Human Rights Ordinance went into effect on August 8, landlords faced a significant change. Whereas before, they could refuse to rent to tenants who are part of Section 8 Housing Choice Voucher program, they now had to give them the same consideration.

Two days before the amendment took effect, the Village of Glenview passed an ordinance that allowed landlords to keep refusing to rent to voucher-holders. But closer to Chicago, the response has been muted.

Park Ridge and Morton Grove already had laws on that mirrored the amended county ordinance, and their governments show no intention to change it. The change didn't cause any particular concern in Niles and Lincolnwood. Even Skokie, which has seem some controversy over voucher-holders, doesn't intend to make any changes.

The Housing Choice Voucher program is a federal program that provides rental assistance to low-income individuals. Voucher-holders pay 30 percent of the rent and utility costs, with the Department of Housing and Urban Development covering the rest.

Voucher-holders fall under Cook County Human Rights Ordinance's protection against discrimination based on the source of income. Originally, the ordinance didn't apply to voucher-holders' ability to rent. But on May 8, the County Board voted to take that exception away.

In its current form, the ordinance doesn't require landlords to automatically accept voucher-holders. They could still reject the application for the same reason as they would reject any other tenant ? lack of good references, bad credit card history, etc. But landlords can't consider the voucher status when making a decision, nor can they reject all voucher-holders out of hand.

According to 2010 US Census and October 2012 Cook County Housing Authority data, Morton Grove has a 625 rental units and 25 voucher-holders. Even before county vote, the village's Unlawful Housing Practices ordinance decreed that, so long as rental payments don't come from an illegal source, landlords can't give preference based on payment method.

According to Teresa Liston, the village's Corporation Counsel, Morton Grove plans to keep it that way.

"This ordinance was adopted ten years ago, and the village has no plans to change it," she said.

Park Ridge has 1,761 rental units and only 15 voucher-holders. That hasn't stopped the city from adopting an ordinance similar to Morton Grove's. However, their ordinance has a loophole. When a voucher holder applies for an apartment, Housing and Urban Development must expect the unit before the lease is signed. The ordinance allows the landlord to lease the unit to another, a non-voucher-holding applicant before the inspection is complete.

Lincolnwood has 458 rental units and four voucher-holders. According to Village Manager Tim Wiberg, the amended county ordinance isn't a concern in Lincolnwood.

"[It isn't] much of an issue here, since we have very few rental units in the village," he said.

Niles has 2,435 rental units and 90 voucher-holders. While there has been some concern about crime in rental buildings, the village has seen little-voucher related controversy. According to Village Manager Steven Vinezeano, the Board of Trustees has no plans to respond to the amendment.

The response may bode well for Open Communities, a Winnetka-based affordable housing advocacy group. It has been working to persuade Glenview to reverse its decision. Gail Schechter, the organization's Executive Director, remains weary that other municipalities may still follow Glenview's lead.

"I don't know if it will happen," she said. "I know that there's a lot of misunderstanding about vouchers and the people who use them."

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BRIEFS

NILES

Bike rider dies of heart attack after being hit by car

A bicyclist who was involved in a "minor" traffic crash Monday died of a heart attack, according to the Cook County Medical Examiner's Office.

Stanley Lorkiewicz, 72, of the 7500 block of Octavia Avenue, Chicago, was riding along Milwaukee Avenue at Jonquil Terrace just before 8 a.m., Sept. 23, when he said he was struck by a beige vehicle that was headed east on Jonquil, said Niles Deputy Police Chief Dennis McEnerney.

Niles police and paramedics were called to the scene, but Lorkiewicz signed a release declining treatment, police said.

"I don't think he was hit real hard, because there was no damage to the bike itself and there was no noticeable injury to the victim, either," McEnerney said.

Deputy Police Chief Joseph Penze described the collision between Lorkiewicz and the vehicle as "minor."

It was after paramedics had left the scene that Lorkiewicz suddenly collapsed, according to police. McEnerney said the police officers who were still present discovered Lorkiewicz did not have a pulse and used a portable defibrillator to shock his heart until paramedics returned and transported him to Advocate Lutheran General Hospital in Park Ridge. He was pronounced dead a short time later.

A spokesman for the Medical Examiner's Office stated that an autopsy determined Lorkiewicz had died of acute coronary thrombosis.

McEnerney said Lorkiewicz was found to be intoxicated when police arrived after the accident, and a portable breathalyzer recorded his blood-alcohol level at .13, above the legal limit for operating a vehicle.

PARK RIDGE

Maine South alumni sought to hop on homecoming parade route

Maine South High School's Homecoming Committee is looking for alumni interested in taking part in this year's parade which will mark the school's 50th anniversary year.

The parade kicks off at Maine South, 1111 S. Dee Rd. in Park Ridge, at 10 a.m. on Saturday, Sept. 28. This year's theme is Back to the Future: 50 Years of Maine South Excellence.

Any past graduates of Maine South who would like to participate in the parade should contact Student Council sponsors Eve Muir-Wilson or Jose Arguello at (847) 692-8166 or by e-mail at emuirwilson@maine207.org and jarguello@maine207.org.

PARK RIDGE

Maine South welcomes home alumni with anniversary barbecue

Maine South High School alumni looking to actually return "home" this homecoming weekend are invited to an open house and backyard barbecue at their former stomping grounds.

In celebration of the school's upcoming 50th anniversary, a barbecue will be held this Saturday, Sept. 28, from 12:30 to 3:30 p.m. in the courtyard behind the Maine South cafeteria at 1111 S. Dee Rd.

The afternoon will feature food and ice cream available for purchase, games, live music and a chance to tour the school and visit the new memorabilia display.

Performing will be the rock band Celtic Bikini, consisting of Maine South teachers Jason Dutmers and Francisco Barbas, and Maine West teachers Al Matan and Phil Sumida.

Maine South has also put out a call to any bands who played together while attending school there and are looking to have a reunion.

MORTON GROVE

Local youth groups attend program at Disneyland

Individuals from the Octopi International, of Morton Grove, recently traveled to Disney California Adventure at Disneyland Resort to take part in the Disney Youth Education Series Program(s) (Y.E.S.) "Designing a Disney Story."

Each year, individuals and groups from around the world travel to Disneyland Resort to take part in one of several Disney Y.E.S. programs. Most of the programs take place in and behind the scenes of the Resort's world-famous Theme Parks.

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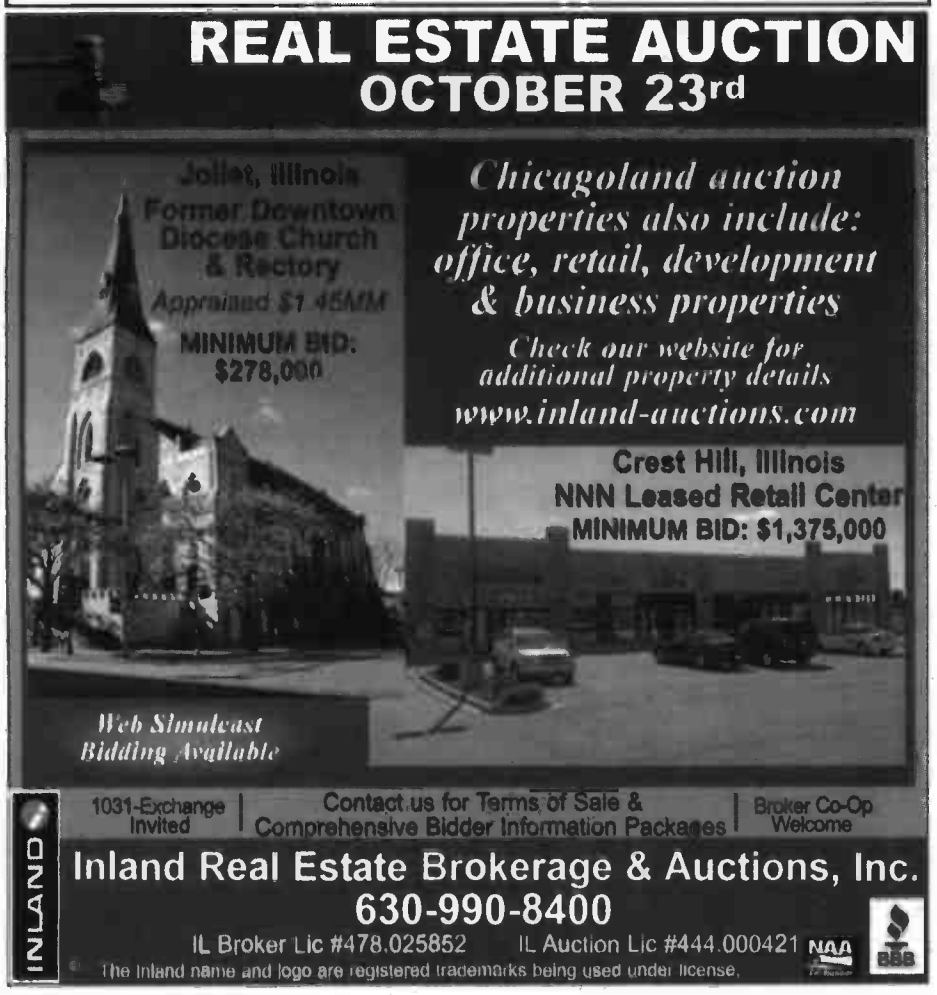

HELP SQUAD

Foot spa ordeal ends in refund

HELP SQUAD
BY
JACKIE PILOSSOPH

Being a single mom with two young kids, working as a part-time journalist and owning a business leaves Kim Treger with very little free time.

When she does get a couple hours alone, one thing she enjoys is treating herself to a foot spa massage, particularly at Lux Salon & Spa in Glenview.

"A lot of these foot spa places have been popping up, and this is the best one," said Treger, who owns The Laughing Academy, her Glenview-based kids improv instruction company.

"I cannot say enough incredible things about it. They have private, candlelit rooms, and it's just so therapeutic and relaxing."

Unfortunately, what was supposed to bring her enjoyment and serenity turned into frustration and headaches.

It started when she purchased six coupons for Lux Salon & Spa at $15 each (valued at $30 each) through the daily deal site, WeDeal.

Treger and her mom used two of the coupons each, but when Treger returned to the salon last month to use the fifth coupon, she found out that Lux had changed ownership, and the new owners would not honor the deal.

Instead, they told Treger she should try to get her money back from WeDeal.

Treger sent an email to customer service at WeDeal with the header, "I am irate that Lux Foot Spa is not honoring my WeDeal coupons!"

"Please call me ASAP," she wrote. "I just left there and I am furious!"

Three days later, when she didn't hear back, she sent another email.

"Please call me. ... She claims it is a new owner and I need to get my refund from you."

Two hours later, she sent another email to the company.

"I have reached out several times. ... I would like a refund and cannot imagine why you will not respond to these emails."

No response.

Twelve days later, Treger sent her fourth email to WeDeal. Still, no answer.

Enter Help Squad

I decided to take on this project for Treger. Keep in mind, this is my first case for Help Squad.

Also, I wrote a business spotlight article last month for the Deerfield Review, highlighting WeDeal's story. Started in 2010 by two entrepreneurs, the business focuses on North Shore customers through a database of 80,000 subscribers.

I reached out to WeDeal owner and operator Brad Pielet and told him the reason for my call. His response was ideal.

Pielet, who has owned the three-year-old company since last year, acknowledged there is a problem with WeDeal's response to customer service emails.

"We would never blatantly not answer emails from our customers," he said.

Pielet promised two things: One, he would issue Treger a $30 refund for her two coupons, and two, he would create an online customer service form for issues like this in the future.

A few days later, right before I published this column, there was not yet a customer service form on the site.

However, Treger can finally relax — not by having her feet soaked in hot water and massaged, but by knowing that WeDeal issued a $30 credit plus $30 extra.

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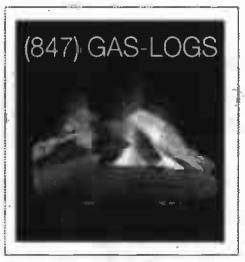

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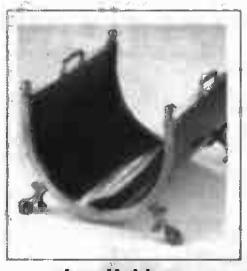
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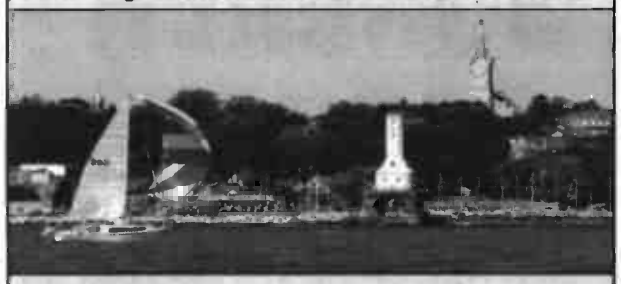

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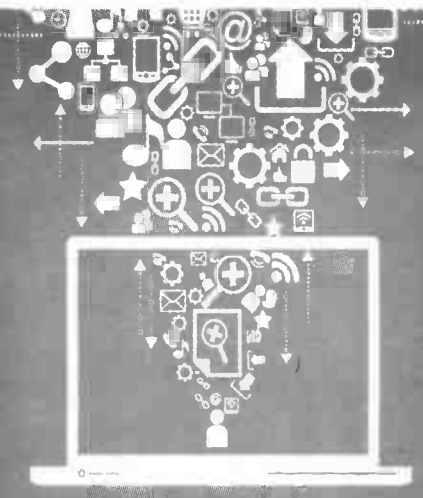

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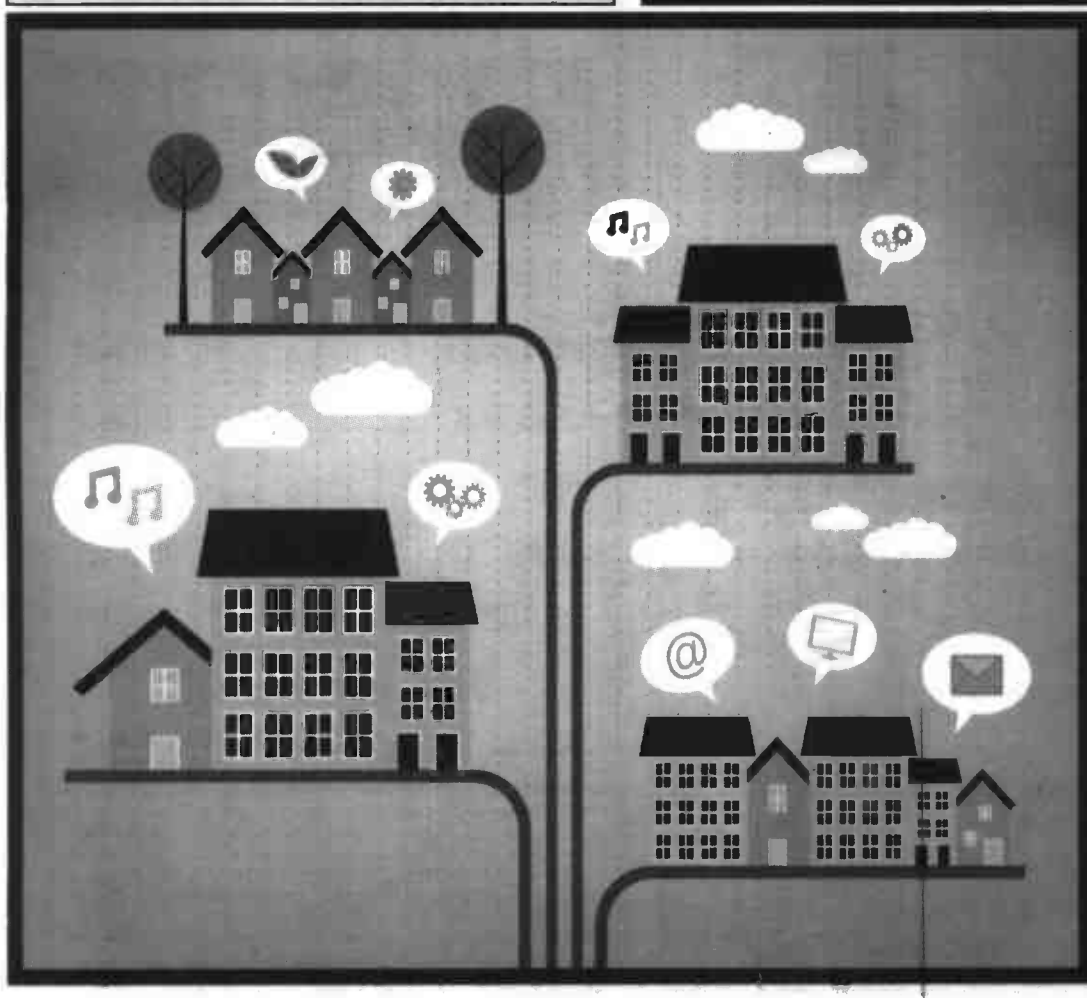

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OPINION

LETTERS

Questioning Sassone's taste — literally

Paul Sassone has always been a brilliant observer of all things absurd and outlandish.

As an example, he scored a direct hit on pretzel rolls in last week's column (a gutsy move but one that needed to be done) and then he turns around and writes, "Fruits and nuts are the only complementary ice cream ingredients."

Has the man suddenly gone daft? Have his taste buds sustained serious permanent injury? The very ingredients he dismisses as being alien additives to ice cream — Oreos and Heath bars — are what raise ice cream to new and delicious heights.

Next he'll be saying that ice cream should be served au natural, without fudge sauce or a cherry. Though knowing his fondness for fruit in ice cream, he probably would accept, begrudgingly a cherry — a small one, no pit. Fudge sauce he would no doubt say only goes with bacon and pretzel rolls.

Perversity, thy name is Sassone.

I only hope that his put-down was a momentary lapse, and that he will be sufficiently himself next week. I have known and worked with Paul on many occasions at Pioneer over the years, so I'm sure he knows I am just kidding. If he doesn't, I hope he wakes up tomorrow to find bacon in his prune juice.

Wayne Reed
Deerfield

Why do we get red-faced about team names?

BY RANDY BLASER

Do we really think we can get off that easily?

As football fans have heard, there is a movement afoot to stop calling the National Football League club in Washington, D.C., by their team name, the Washington Redskins.

This is just the latest move to wipe out what some feel are degrading and insensitive nicknames that are an insult to the native peoples of North America.

Many high schools and colleges have already changed their team names — Stanford going from Indians to Cardinal in 1972 being one of the first. Some have been forced to get rid of their mascots — witness the demise of Chief Illiniwek at the University of Illinois.

But other names are OK. Florida State University teams are the Seminoles, but for some reason, that name is fine.

There are always complaints abut the Atlanta Braves and their old-time screaming Indian head logo, and Chief Wahoo, the laughing face which graces the hat of the Cleveland Indians.

President Clinton refused to wear the Chief Wahoo hat and wore the big "C" hat when throwing out the first pitch in Cleveland one baseball season.

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Sports columnist Rick Reilly took on the proponents of deep-sixing the Redskins name in a column last week. He claimed that the native peoples still remaining just aren't offended by it. He cited high schools in the west of mostly native student enrollments who were proud of their Redskins team names.

Besides, native languages are descriptive and redskins is a descriptive term to distinguish native people from the invading whites, or the "palefaces," if you prefer.

That logic reminded me of when the kids were little and my daughter described her new friend next door as the black girl. Awash in white guilt, I asked Oak Park's diversity director, who was black, if I should talk to my daughter about describing her new friend that way.

"Heck no," she told me. Kids are descriptive. It's natural for them to take a distinguishing feature to describe someone. It's only a problem when the descriptive is used to denigrate or belittle people. Don't make a big deal out of it.

The issue wasn't how a 6-year-old described her new playmate. The issue was how I felt about whites relating to black people.

It was my problem.

And so it is with this whole team names debate.

The issue isn't what we call the Washington, D.C., football team, or that my high school is the Lane Tech Indians.

The issue is how majority whites relate to native people. And no matter how you look at it, that's a real big problem. It was honestly debated during the Grant Administration, when President Ulysses S. Grant put forward a peace policy aimed at sheltering Indians on a reservation and eventually assimilating them. The other position was extermination, a term we haven't heard since World War II.

If you recall, the Grant policy sort of won out, but not before a whole lot of extermination.

So if we really want to confront how whites relate to native people, a team name is the teeny tiniest of issues possible.

I don't think we can get off that easily.

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1,000 WORDS BY JACK HIGGINS

Turn-signal shirkers a local menace

Come on, folks. It's not rocket science.

It's just turn signals.

You know, that little lever on the left of your car's steering column.

Depress the lever, the left-turn signal starts flashing.

Lift up the lever, the right-turn signal flashes.

It's such a simple thing to do. And yet so many drivers either don't signal at all, or signal in such a way that the act of signaling is irrelevant.

You now what I mean. The driver in front of you signals only as he or she begins to actually turn. Or, you are stopped behind a driver at a red light. Only when the light turns green does the driver signal a turn.

There is no warning that the driver in front is turning. And warning other drivers so they can go around, or in some other way modify what they do, is the purpose of turn signals.

Research by the Society of Automotive Engineers shows that drivers don't signal a turn or a change of lanes 48 percent of the time.

This is equal to two billion times a day U.S. drivers don't use turn signals, or 750 billion times a year.

And not using turn signals is no laughing matter.

Two million accidents a year are caused by drivers not using turn signals, the Society of Automotive Engineers found. This is more than twice the number of accidents caused by distracted drivers.

The real mystery in all this is why drivers don't use, or properly use, turn signals.

It's such a simple thing to do.

Nobody seems to have an answer to this question.

Is it rudeness, laziness, the chance to get back at the world in a small way by making life a little more difficult for other drivers?

Maybe it's a macho thing, that using turn signals is dorky.

It can't be ignorance.

Everyone who has a drivers license had to know when and how to use turn signals.

The Illinois Motor Vehicle Code requires drivers in the kind of areas we live to signal a turn 100 feet before turning. How much is 100 feet? Ninety feet is the distance between home plate and first base, so it's a little longer than that.

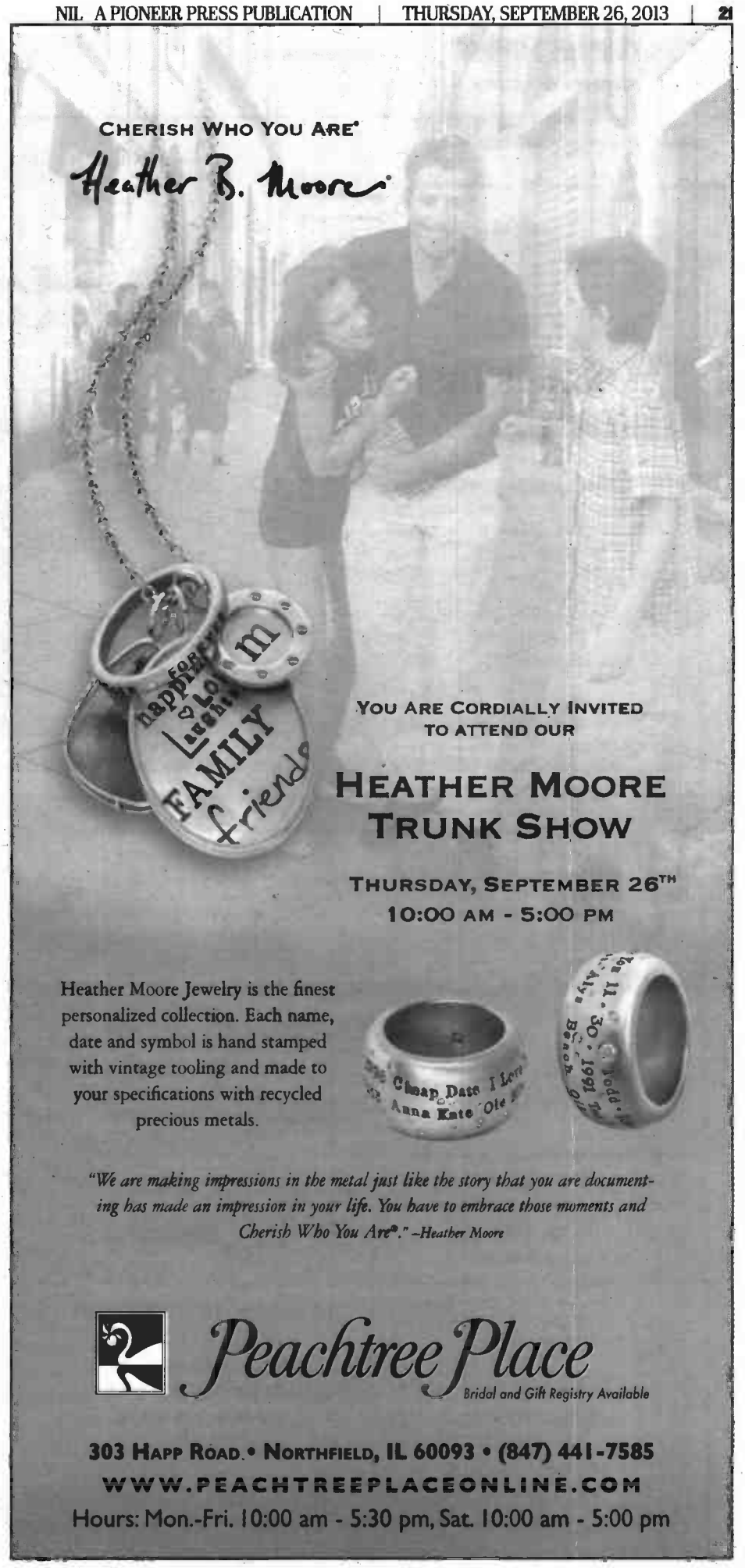
Outside of business or residential areas the distance at which a turn must be signaled is 200 feet.

Simple. Safe. Helpful.

And it's the law.

Then why don't so many of us do it?

It's a mystery, a dangerous mystery.



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Lot size: 6,250 square feet

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$435,000 loan amount

30 yr jumbo	4.77%	$2,274.41

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7935 N Oketo Ave: Ascensive LLC to Senad Mangafic and Almina Mangafic for $232,000 on Aug. 5

6801 W Seward St: Herbert M Roberts to Hoa Quoc Chau and Nghi T Quach for $250,500 on Aug. 7

8101 W Courte Drive, #503: Adriana Ionita to Helen H Hwang for $113,500 on Aug. 9

Morton Grove

8605 Grove St: Naveen Divakaruni and Anupama Divakaruni to Alok Akolkar and Nikita Akolkar for $295,000 on Aug. 6

7220 Church St: Roy Inocentes Angelio and Nenita C Angelio to Samuel Big for $185,000 on Aug. 9

7504 Emerson St: Intercounty Judicial Sales Corp and Magid to Ih2 Property Il LP for $163,000 on Aug. 9

Park Ridge

528 N Merrill St: David D Swartling and Barbara A Swartling to Julie M Vanderpoel and H Michael Vanderpoel for $725,000 on Aug. 9

400 S Northwest Highway, #303: Paul E Rewers and Jacquelyn R Rewers to Robert Ladewig and Tina Ladewig for $307,500 on Aug. 7

120 N Northwest Highway, #120: Patrick Garvey and Sharon Garvey to Kenneth J Tripi for $325,000 on Aug. 5

8 E Devon Ave: Szhsh LLC Series 4 to Chadi Adas and Mustafa Adas for $490,000 on Aug. 9

1307 Parkside Drive: Robyn C Huber to Robert V Gilfert and Erin M Gilfert for $425,000 on Aug. 7

1108 E Devon Ave: Leonardo Riccardi and Rosa Riccardi to Marguarite L Riccardi, Nicolas Riccardi and Rocklyn M Riccardi for $150,000 on Aug. 7

1905 Parkside Drive, #2: Robert L Rappel Jr to Daphne Melanis for $95,000 on Aug. 9

1101 Glenlake Ave: Deborah Kaminsky to Nicholas A Breisch for $310,000 on Aug. 7

2050 Parkside Drive, #1a: Nancy J Crenshaw to Rudy Schlosser and Stephanie Lane for $101,000 on Aug. 6

606 Wesley Drive: Restoration Remedies LLC to James Eichelberg and Inna Burdein for $514,000 on Aug. 8

Harwood Heights

7413 W Argyle St: Jozef Jarog and Arkadiusz Jarog to Jenna L Scott for $242,000 on Aug. 9

Glenview

2141 Cedar Court: Pawel Lis and Beata Lis to Monika Scheffler for $345,000 on Aug. 9

630 York Road: Bonnie M Deger Trust, Bonnie M Deger Trust and M Deger Bonnie Trust to Ryan S Willits and Christa Willits for $1,055,000 on Aug. 8

635 Raleigh Road: Patricia M Manley to Kieran Conlon and Gretchen Conlon for $1,125,000 on Aug. 9

424 Sheryl Lane: Hung Y Chiu and Ann Y Chang to Christopher J Clay and Gayla A Clay for $450,000 on Aug. 9

916 Harlem Ave, #916: Angelo Lambos to Yi Chi, Seung Jung and Seung Young Jung for $415,000 on Aug. 7

1134 Vernon Drive: Thomas W James to Michael E Vienot and Audrey A Vienot for $300,000 on Aug. 6

Skokie

5113 Fairview Lane: Mircea Tiran to Annabel Lee for $323,000 on Aug. 7

5036 Fairview Lane: Bernard J Kaplan Trust, Bernard J Kaplan Trust, J Kaplan Bernard Trust, Ann Gerber Trust and Gerber Ann Trust to Susan A Tayeh and Linda Tayeh Klinsky for $300,000 on Aug. 6

8232 Niles Center Road, #402: Jaghik Arzoumanian to Khalid Raza and Bassam R Ali for $70,000 on Aug. 7

4654 Keeney St, #2n: Angelita C Bautista and Edwin Edrozo Bautista to Nirari Barm for $62,000 on Aug. 5

8147 Kilpatrick Ave: Shirley Fay Mankoff Trust, Fay Mankoff Shirley Trust and Shirley Fay Mankoff Trust to Arsalan Alisiddiqui for $235,000 on Aug. 6

9306 Latrobe Ave: Orchard Terrace Est LLC to Carlos Zarate and Leriza Zarate for $160,000 on Aug. 8

9531 Terminal Ave: Right Residential LLC-Series I to Chirag C Patel for $284,000 on Aug. 5

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8118 Keeler Ave: Compass Real Estate Services LLC to Marlex LLC for $210,000 on Aug. 6

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6970 N Crawford Ave: 6970 N Crawford LLC to Abhilash B Shah for $365,000 on Aug. 9

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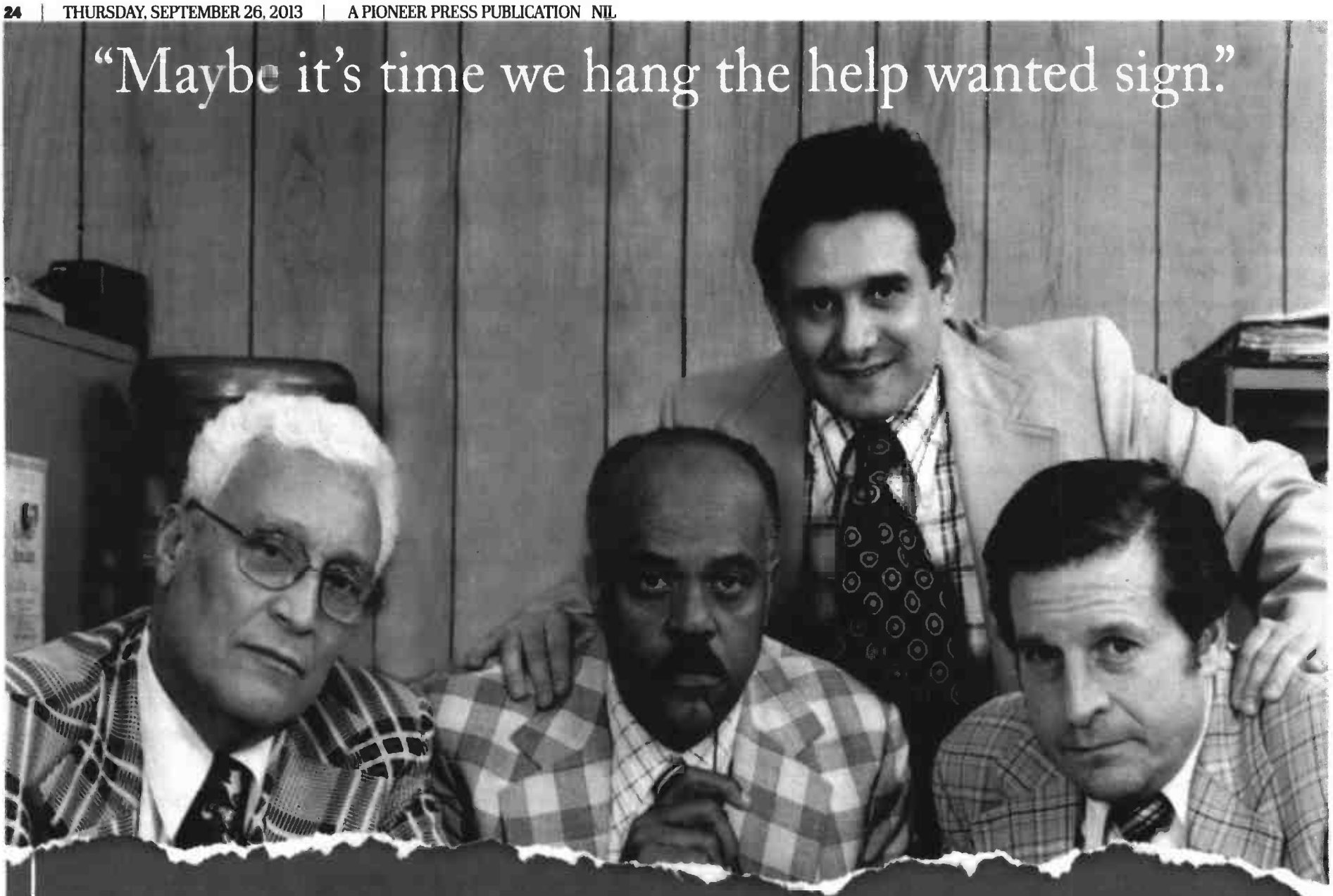

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NILES

SATURDAY, SEPT. 28

Practice ACT
Noon: College Nannies & Tutors of Glenview will proctor a free practice test that includes science, math, reading comprehension and English. Bring a pencil and calculator. Niles Public Library District, 6960 W. Oakton St., Niles. Call 847-663-1234.

SUNDAY, SEPT. 29

Golf Outing
8 a.m.: Resurrection College High School Men's Club sponsors this best ball scramble golf outing. Check-in starts at 7 a.m. Stay after golf to watch the Detroit Lions play the Chicago Bears. Prizes will be awarded for the longest drive, closet to the pin and other contests. Register online, www.reshs.org. Tam O'Shanter Golf Course, 6700 Howard St., Niles. Call 773-775-6616, ext. 136. $50 for 9 holes.

MONDAY, SEPT. 30

SCRAM: Identity Theft
10 a.m.: In the first SCRAM session, learn how to recognize and avoid identity theft. Niles Senior Center, 999 Civic Center Drive, Niles. For more information, call 269-683-9380.

THURSDAY, OCT. 3

Issues in the News
9:30 a.m.: The open discussion group covers a range of topics, from local to global. Niles Senior Center, 999 Civic Center Drive, Niles. For more information, call 269-683-9380.

SATURDAY, OCT. 5

Health & Fitness Expo
9 a.m.: Free health screenings, information and flu shots given by Meijer. No appointments needed. Niles Senior Center, 999 Civic Center Drive, Niles. Call 269-683-9380.

MONDAY, OCT. 7

Rules of the Road
1 p.m.: Take a refresher course to prepare for the driving test. Niles Senior Center, 999 Civic Center Drive, Niles. Call 269-683-9380.

WEDNESDAY, OCT. 9

Blood Pressure Screening
9 a.m.: Walk-ins welcome. Niles Senior Center, 999 Civic Center Drive, Niles. For more information, call 269-683-9380.

Computer Interest Group
1:30 p.m.: Share your passion for computers. Niles Senior Center, 999 Civic Center Drive, Niles. Call 269-683-9380.

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THURSDAY, SEPT. 26

Gaining Financial Control of Your Divorce
7 a.m.: Certified Divorce Financial Analyst Graham Craig will teach you how to prevent financial mistakes during the divorce process. Park Ridge Public Library, 20 S. Prospect Ave., Park Ridge. Call 847-825-3123.

Meet with Rep. from State Senator Kotowski's Office
9:30 a.m.: A representative from Illinois Sate Senator Dan Kotowski's office will meet with residents to answer questions. Park Ridge Public Library, 20 S. Prospect Ave., Park Ridge. Call 847-825-3123.

Job Seeker Workshop
9:30 a.m.: Conducted by volunteers from Illinois WorkNet, this workshop will include job search techniques, resume/cover letter guidance and mock interviewing. Registration required. Morton Grove Public Library, 6140 Lincoln Ave., Morton Grove. Call 847-965-4220. Free.

Thursday Morning Book Discussion
10 a.m.: The group will discuss "The Sense of an Ending" by Julian Barnes which explores the struggles of a middle aged retiree as he comes to terms with his past and his memories. Park Ridge Public Library, 20 S. Prospect Ave., Park Ridge. Call 847-825-3123.

Little Tykes Playgroup
11 a.m.: Free play for ages 2-4 with a parent or caregiver. Park Ridge Public Library, 20 S. Prospect Ave., Park Ridge. Call 847-825-3123.

Last Chance for Korean War Exhibit
Noon: This exhibit commemorating the 60th Anniversary of the Korean War Armistice ends on Thursday, Sept. 26. The exhibit is presented in conjunction with the Korean Keumsil Cultural Society and features a variety of images and memorabilia, including items from the private collection of Mr. Jin Lee. The museum is open until 4 p.m. Skokie Heritage Museum, 8031 Floral Ave., Skokie. Call 847-674-1500, ext. 3000.

Travel Film: 'Secret Caribbean'
2 p.m.: Discover the incredible extremes of the Caribbean. Park Ridge Public Library, 20 S. Prospect Ave., Park Ridge. Call 847-825-3123.

iPad: Tips and Tricks
2 p.m.: Learn about basic settings, how to access the Internet and how to find, download and organize apps. Bring any personal iPads, along with Apple IDs and passwords. Registration is limited to five; Morton Grove residents have priority. Morton Grove Public Library, 6140 Lincoln Ave., Morton Grove. Call 847-965-4220.

Teen Creative Writers Club
6:30 p.m.: Get inspired and refine creative writing skills with other teens. Bring a notebook and pencil. Morton Grove Public Library, 6140 Lincoln Ave., Morton Grove. Call 847-965-4220.

Family Education Workshop: Alzheimer's Disease and other Dementias
6:30 p.m.: This workshop will help attendees learn about what causes Alzheimer's disease or other dementias, recognize the symptoms and learn more about the challenging behaviors, discover techniques to help handle these behaviors and various techniques to encourage your loved one to engage in sharing their memories and participating in activities. Morton Grove Civic Center, 6140 Dempster St., Morton Grove. For more information, call 847-673-1250.

'Funny Old Broads'
7:30 p.m.: Caryn Bark's comedy "Funny Old Broads" has been extended due to popular demand. Featuring The Boomer Babes, Robin Riebman and musical director Beckie Menzies. Gorilla Tango Skokie, 7924 Lincoln Ave., Skokie. Call 847-677-7761. $24.

FRIDAY, SEPT. 27

Healing Our Losses
10 a.m.: A support group for adults who have lost a spouse, partner or significant other within the past year. Registration required. American Legion Memorial Civic Center, 6140 W. Dempster St., Morton Grove. Call 847-663-3072.

MGPL Kids Flicks: 'Epic'
4 p.m.: A teenager finds herself transported to a deep forest setting where a battle between the forces of good and the forces of evil is taking place. 102 minutes. Morton Grove Public Library, 6140 Lincoln Ave., Morton Grove. For more information, call 847-965-4220.

Gamer's Paradise
5 p.m.: Play with the library's extensive collection of games for Nintendo Wii, Xbox 360 and Playstation 3. Pizza and pop is included, but registration is required. Glenview Public Library, 1930 Glenview Road, Glenview. For more information, call 847-729-7500, ext. 7600.

MGPL After Dark: Echoes of Spain Concert
7 p.m.: Celebrate the end of the week with a musical performance at the library. Norman Ruiz and Jeffrey Warren, two virtuoso guitar players, are Echoes of Spain and will present a concert of classical guitar. Morton Grove Public Library, 6140 Lincoln Ave., Morton Grove.

'Damien'
7:30 p.m.: The play tells the story of Father Damien, canonized by Pope Benedict XVI in 2009, who devoted his life and ministry to more than 8,000 lepers on the island of Molokai in Hawaii in the late 1800s. It is a story of one man's heroic life of great deeds and unselfish service to others. Wayne Messmer's portrayal of Father Damien has received critical acclaim throughout the Chicago area. Saint Mary of the Woods, 7033 N. Moselle Ave., Chicago. For more information, call 773-763-0279. $15.

SATURDAY, SEPT. 28

Morton Grove Farmers Market
8 a.m.: All items are home-grown, handmade or vendor-created from locally-owned operations. Market Grounds, 6210 Dempster St., Morton Grove. Call 847-750-6436.

Microsoft Excel 2007 Basics
10 a.m.: Learn how to make lists, enter data and keep records with the spreadsheet program. Park Ridge Public Library, 20 S. Prospect Ave., Park Ridge. For more information, call 847-825-3123.

Fund 69
11 a.m.: Stop by or call in to order from the Village Inn Pizzeria Sports Bar and Grill and say Fund 69 to donate 20 percent of your check to Skokie School District 69. The Village Inn Pizzeria, 8050 Lincoln Ave., Skokie.

Free Blood Pressure/ Blood Sugar Testing
Noon: Stop by for a free blood pressure and blood sugar test Sept. 28-29. The Center of Concern,

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CALENDAR

1580 N. Northwest Highway, Suite 310, Park Ridge. Call 847-823-0453.

SUNDAY, SEPT. 29

Skokie Farmers Market
7:30 a.m.: Vendors from Illinois, Indiana, Wisconsin and Michigan converge upon Skokie for this weekly market, held through October. Closes around 12:45 p.m. Village Green Park, 5201 Oakton St., Skokie. Call 847-933-8223.

'The Banks of Europe: Are They Ready for Reform?'
10:30 a.m.: Hugo Bänziger, an officer of the Deutsche Bank and a member of the Liikanen panel to reform Europe's banking system, will discuss the panel's recommendations, which include separating investment banks from savings banks. Ethical Humanist Society, 7574 Lincoln Ave., Skokie. Call 847-677-3334.

'Meet and Greet' With Placing Paws of Illinois
Noon: Join Room & Board as they host a "Meet and Greet" event with the dogs and cats of Placing Paws, a nonprofit organization that saves animals from high risk situations. All of the animals at this event have been in the care of the organization receiving proper veterinary treatment and a loving foster home while they wait to be placed in their new "forever homes." www.placingpawsrescue.org. Room & Board, 10071 Skokie Road, Skokie.

Meet and Greet with Placing Paws of Illinois
Noon: Come meet the adoptable animals of Placing Paws of Illinois, a nonprofit organization that saves animals from high-risk situations. All of the animals at this event have been in the care of the organization receiving proper veterinary treatment and a loving foster parent. Kids activities will be available. Room & Board, 10071 Skokie Road, Skokie.

Babi Yar and the Holocaust in the East
1:30 p.m.: Join Chicago's Russian Jewish community for an observance of the 70th anniversary of the liquidation of Ghetto Minsk. Reservations required. Illinois Holocaust Museum, 9603 Woods Drive, Skokie.

'Broadcast from the Blitz:' How Edward R. Murrow Led America in War
2 p.m.: Discussion of Edward R. Murrow's role of establishing news radio as a tool for information sharing and political propaganda, through the themes presented in Philip Seib's book, "Broadcast from the Blitz." Reservations required. Illinois Holocaust Museum, 9603 Woods Drive, Skokie.

MONDAY, SEPT. 30

Author Michael Hainey
7 a.m.: Park Ridge native and GQ Editor Michael Hainey will discuss his bestselling memoir "After Visiting Friends". Books available for purchase. Park Ridge Public Library, 20 S. Prospect Ave., Park Ridge. Call 847-825-3123.

MGPL Kids: Sing Along & Dance
10:30 a.m.: Special guest musician Wendy Morgan uses puppets, instruments, scarves, group dances, and singalongs to work out kids' minds and bodies. Morton Grove Public Library, 6140 Lincoln Ave., Morton Grove. Call 847-929-5102. Free.

An Overview of the Affordable Care Act
11 a.m.: A representative for Blue Cross Blue Shield of Illinois will provide an overview of the Affordable Care Act and its affect on seniors. Norwood Park Senior Center, 5801 N. Natoma Ave., Chicago. Call 773-775-4790.

TUESDAY, OCT. 1

An Evening with Hoosier Mama Pie Company
7 a.m.: The chef and owner of Hoosier Mama Pie Company, Paula Haney, will demonstrate how to make her perfect pie crust and speak about her new cookbook. Delicious pie samples will be provided. Books will be available for purchase. Park Ridge Public Library, 20 S. Prospect Ave., Park Ridge. Call 847-825-3123.

Baby Bounce
9:15 a.m.: Special stories, song, rhymes and play time just for babies birth-12 months. Park Ridge Public Library, 20 S. Prospect Ave., Park Ridge. Call 847-825-3123.

Health Care Reform for 2014, Medicare and Medicare Part D
11:30 a.m.: Learn about the Affordable Care Act, Medicare and Medicare Part D (prescription plans) from Resource Specialist and Illinois Senior Health Insurance Program Counselor Kathy Gaeding from CJE Senior Life. Morton Grove Public Library, 6140 Lincoln Ave., Morton Grove. Call 847-965-4220. Free.

Genealogy Boot Camp: Part I
7 p.m.: This course is the first in a four-week Genealogy Boot Camp in which attendees will learn how to start researching their family history. Registration required. Morton Grove Public Library, 6140 Lincoln Ave., Morton Grove. Call 847-965-4220.

WEDNESDAY, OCT. 2

Meet with Member from Rep. Moylan's Office
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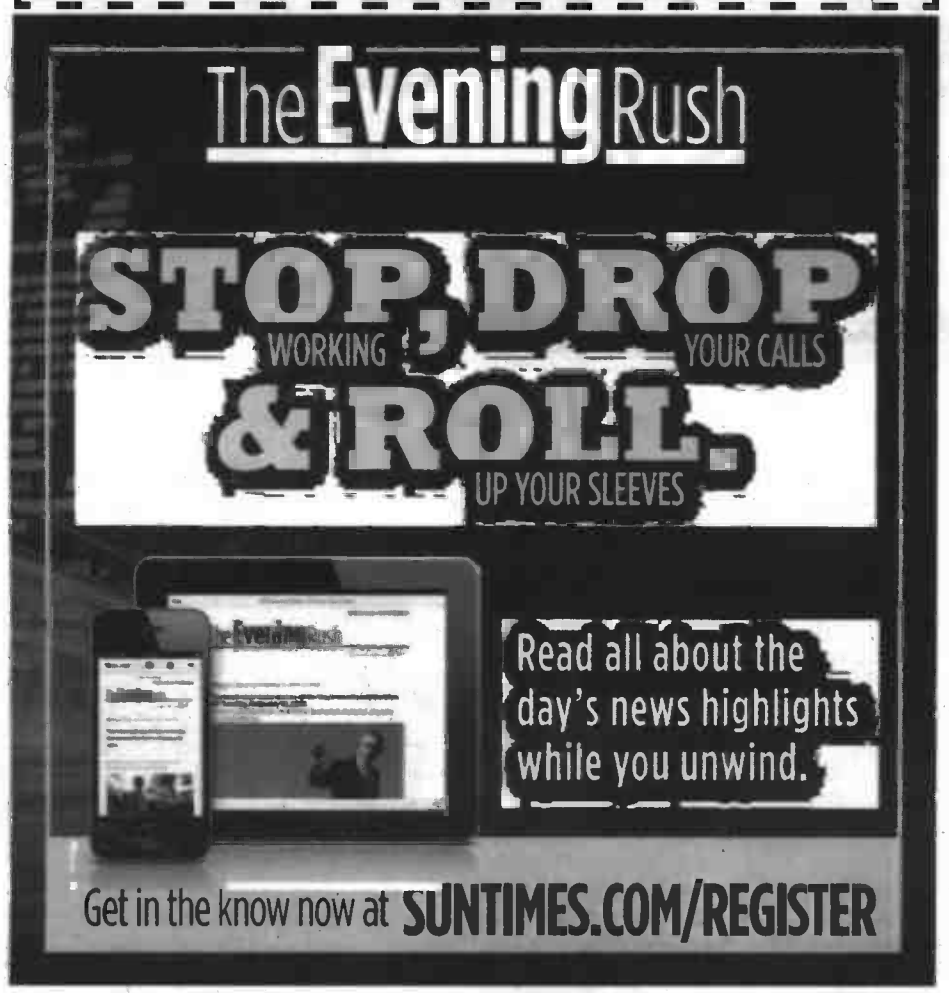

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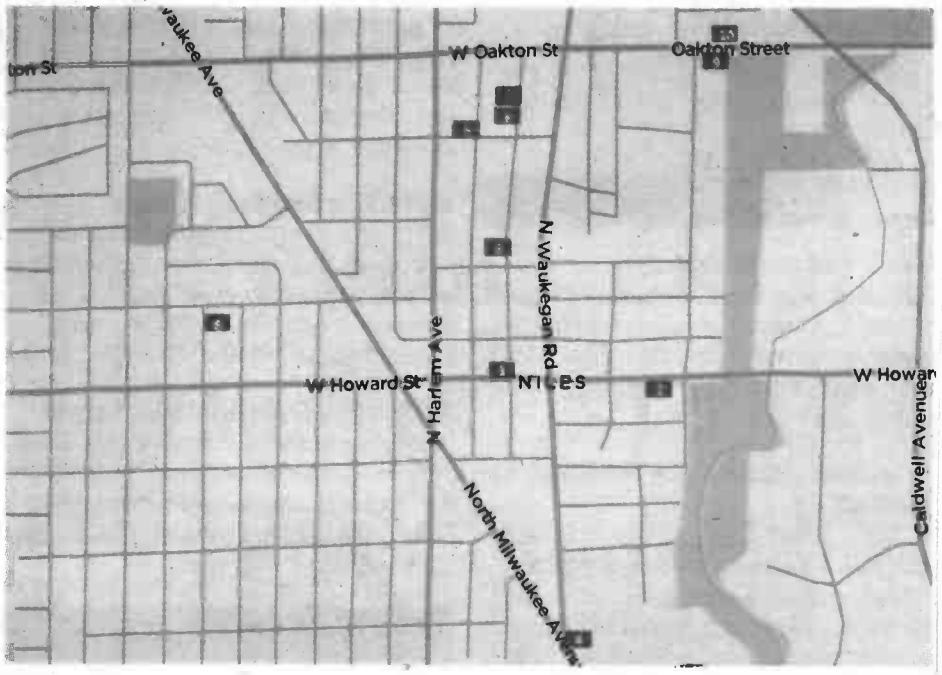
BY WRAPPORTS NEWS SERVICE



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Issue date: June 12
Permit cost: $340
Construction cost: $2,950

2 Deck
Address: 6923 W. Howard St., Niles
Issue date: June 12
Permit cost: $110
Construction cost: $6,000

3 Driveway
Address: 7740 N. Neva Ave., Niles
Issue date: June 12
Permit cost: $175
Construction cost: $15,000

4 Sign — electrical/nonelectric
Address: 7247 N. Waukegan Road, Niles
Issue date: June 13
Permit cost: $110
Construction cost: $2,694

5 Fence
Address: 7902 N. Nora Ave., Niles
Issue date: June 14
Permit cost: $25
Construction cost: $2,190

6 Garage — new
Address: 7912 N. Neva Ave., Niles
Issue date: June 10
Permit cost: $418
Construction cost: $24,820

7 Garage — new
Address: 7912 N. Neva Ave., Niles
Issue date: June 10
Permit cost: $40
Construction cost: $40

8 Service walk
Address: 7649 N. Olcott Ave., Niles
Issue date: June 11
Permit cost: $80
Construction cost: $3,400

9 Electrical (commercial and residential structure)
Address: 6839 W. Oakton St., Niles
Issue date: June 11
Permit cost: $625
Construction cost: $20,000

10 Fence
Address: 6826 W. Oakton St., Niles
Issue date: June 14
Permit cost: $25
Construction cost: $800

BUSINESS

MORTON GROVE

Lights, camera, dinner: Reality show focuses on Kappy's Restaurant

BY RICK KAMBIC
rkambic@pioneerlocal.com | @rick_kambic

Camera crews for prominent television journalist Bill Kurtis have been seen following George Alpogianis to collect footage for a potential profile on his family or pilot reality TV show.

Alpogianis is a Niles village trustee and co-owner of Kappy's Restaurant & Pancake House, in Morton Grove. The cameras were led by producer Tania Lindsay, in conjunction with Kurtis's side company, Kurtis Productions.

Lindsay produced the 2009 TV series "The Entrepreneurs (Toms Shoes and Frontera Foods)", as well as the 2010 TV movie documentary "The Abduction of Jaycee Dugard" and 2010 TV movie "The American Tax Cheat."

The crew was on hand Sept. 15 when Kappy's closed for renovation, and family members said cameras have filmed them at home and on errands too.

Lindsay emphasized that her visits are experimental, and she's unsure what angle her team would take if a documentary or pilot TV show were pursued.

Gus Alpogianis and his sons George and Manolis all share a stake in the restaurant, and the trio believes Kurtis Productions will profile the family or do a pilot reality TV show on how decisions are made at family-owned businesses.

"We usually talk business and make decisions every Sunday before having a big family dinner together at the old house," George Alpogianis said. "My brother (Manolis) usually critiques how things operate and are executed.

Kappy's Co-owner George Alpogianis is interviewed by a camera crew from Kurtis Productions for a potential documentary or reality TV show. | RICK KAMBIC/SUN-TIMES MEDIA

He says I'm too personal and I need to be more down-to-business."

Manolis Alpogianis agreed with that assessment.

"He's a chef. He should worry about the quality and presentation of the food, not be everyone's best friend," Manolis Alpogianis said.

The two brothers have a key phrase for when conversations get heated, like when they debated how to revise the menu for when the restaurant reopens.

"When one of us says 'I feel strongly about this,' the other knows to back off their point," Manolis Alpogianis said. "It's our safety net to keep us from forgetting we're family."

Gus, who first started the restaurant, doesn't often make his presence known at the restaurant, but reportedly has heavy oversight.

"He's the ultimate authority," Manolis Alpogianis said. "Every major decision has to run by him, and he doesn't play favorites."

Kappy's co-owner Gus Alpogianis waits for an order from the kitchen while being filmed for a potential documentary or reality TV show. | RICK KAMBIC/SUN-TIMES MEDIA

Kappy's was originally known as Tops Big Boy until Gus Alpogianis and two business associates bought the restaurant 1979 and renamed it using an abbreviation of their last names.

Both sons started working in the restaurant as teenagers, beginning as dishwashers and busboys. George Alpogianis became a cook at age 17 and continued for three years until enrolling in culinary school at Kendall College of Chicago.

After graduating in 1989, George Alpogianis cooked at various Chicago restaurants until landing at Rosebud Restaurant in Chicago's Little Italy neighborhood.

Manolis Alpogianis went another route, studying business. He says he helped open the original Maggiano's restaurant and got the California Pizza Kitchen into the Water Tower building.

"I like to be hands-on and my experience is at the back of the house; he's the Ralph Lauren of restaurants, a mastermind and delegator at the front of the house," George Alpogianis said.

In 2000, George became manager of Kappy's after he and Manolis bought out their father's partners.

The trio was running Kappy's together in front of cameras on Sept. 15 and did their best to be cheerful and play up a few outbursts, but they did pull waiters aside at times to calm tempers or reassign blame on a different Alpogianis.

During personal, one-on-one interviews with Lindsay, all three talked of family tradition and the thrill of fast-paced service.

Kurtis Productions and the Alpogianis family were reportedly connected through mutual friends.

TREND

Misericordia festivities kick-start building program

SOCIAL STUDIES
BY LEE LITAS

The event: The 31-acre Chicago campus of Misericordia/Heart of Mercy, home to more than 600 children and adults with developmental and physical disabilities, extended its hospitality to another 12,000 visitors on Sept. 8 for the 33rd annual Family Fest.

Cause célèbre: "This wonderful place cares for all these children and adults," said parent and volunteer, Gregg Hartemayer of Winnetka, whose son Kirk has been a resident of Misericordia for more than five years. Hartemayer spent the day volunteering for the Quinlan Terrace booth, a new initiative of Misericordia to build homes for the aging population.

"We already have a continuum of care," explained Sister Rosemary Connelly, executive director of Misericordia. "But now we will have more people who will fall into this category and therefore we will need more space."

Immediately following the festival, Misericordia will be breaking ground on four houses to be built on their Chicago campus. The complete initiative involves nine houses out in the neighborhoods of Chicago and a total of 20 houses on the Misericordia campus. "This festival is helping us to have it all materialize," said Connelly.

The event was manned by more than 2500 volunteers in food and entertainment booths. Some, like Bernadette and Edmund Boyle of Park Ridge, whose son Joseph has been a resident of Misericordia for 11 years, have been volunteering for nearly 30 years.

"The need is so great to help the people who have handicaps (and) who cannot help themselves," said Patrick Mahoney, chairman of the board. "And this wonderful place is run by so many good employees and volunteers who treat them nice and love them."

Bottom line: The Family Fest raised more than $1 million for Misericordia's initiatives, and their 600 children and adult residents with developmental and physical disabilities.

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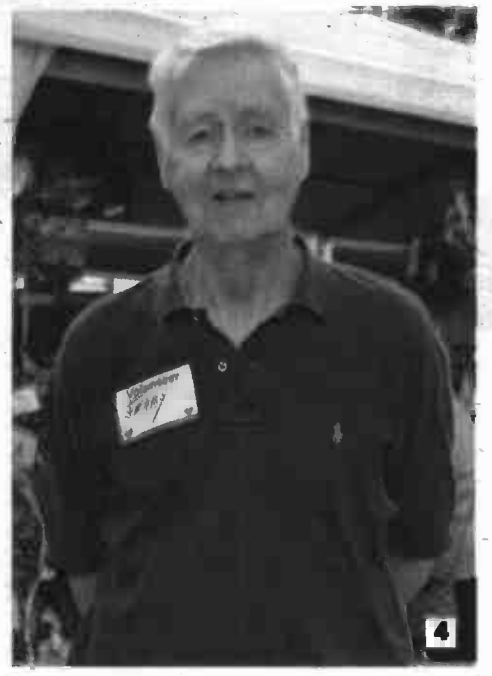

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1. Parents of Misericordia resident and 29-year volunteers Bernadette and Edmund Boyle of Park Ridge. 2. Volunteer and parent Ann Parsons of Lake Forest. 3. Volunteer and parent Kay Lunkes of Wilmette. 4. Volunteer and parent Jerry Becker of Deerfield. 5. Parent and volunteer, Gregg Hartemayer of Winnetka whose son, Kirk lives at Misericordia. | LEE A. LITAS/FOR SUN-TIMES MEDIA

FASHION

Summer styles that work for fall

BY LYNN TAYLOR SCHWAAB
For Sun-Times Media

Each year when fall begins, I look in my closet to see what summer items I can continue wearing.

Definite pack-aways? Start by boxing up those straw summer hats and bright flowery, floaty scarves. Summer sandals and flip flops? They go right along with the hats There's really no way to wear flip flops with fall fleece that fashion — or Chicago's chilly weather — condones. Bring on the boots or booties instead.

But there are always a few key pieces that will work perfectly, no matter the temperature. And shops like Notice in Barrington and Evanston (notice-this.com), Peruvian Connection in Chicago (peruvianconnection.com), and Bett's in Highland Park (bettsboutique.com), are treasure troves of such clothes.

Transitioning from summer to fall is all about layers. Conveniently, that's still a trend this season. So add one more piece — for warmth and style — and your outfit becomes appropriate for cooler weather. It's best to avoid those summer brights or prints, and don't mix those gauzy summer fabrics with fall-weight wools and blends.

And good news — your maxi dress makes the seasonal cut. Give it a fall look by adding a jean jacket, leather motorcycle jacket or a cardigan.

Do the same with your maxi skirt or your fun printed pants. Grab that jacket or cardigan again to pull over that favorite summer tank. Or try along sleeve denim shirt tied it at the waist, and you've got a new go to outfit.

More good news: the white cotton tunic you wore over the summer is a wardrobe staple. Plan to wear it for all seasons.

Your summer look was tunic alone if it's long enough, otherwise with cropped light pants or Bermuda shorts. For fall pair it with dark color jeans, then add a collarless jacket or an oversized cardigan, finishing with a great scarf.

R&D black leather shorts, $34, Snug leggings, $34, Snug purple cami, $30 and Red Haute papa grey cardigan $98 | PHOTO BY NOTICE, BARRINGTON AND EVANSTON

Heather maxi dress, $198, Tracy Reese perforated leather jacket, $198 | PHOTO BY NOTICE, BARRINGTON AND EVANSTON

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Sticking to old Italian romantic traditions

Mary Habschmidt and Matt Englert

BY JILL FAILLA
Contributing writer

Mary Habschmidt, originally from Park Ridge, shared her first kiss with her husband, Matt Englert, formerly of Bartlett, in front of St. Paul of the Cross Church in Park Ridge. It was the same church where she had her baptism, first communion, confirmation, and attended preschool through eighth grade. She knew it had to be the place where she walked down the aisle as well. Mary and Matt married June 1 at the church, seven years to the day of the their first kiss.

"Isn't that cute?" Mary said, laughing when she told their story. Mary met Matt through a mutual friend right before she graduated from Loyola Academy in Wilmette. Matt attended Northridge Preparatory School in Niles, where he works as the director of admissions. Mary is a dietitian at Cancer Treatment Centers of America in Zion.

Mary and Matt — both of whom are Italian — planned a romantic wedding with all the old country trappings, from a traditional Catholic Mass to an evening of dinner and dancing at the Spiaggia restaurant, a fine-dining Italian restaurant on Michigan Avenue in Chicago.

"We go to Oak Street Beach all the time (and) we always saw that restaurant," Mary said. It was the first venue the couple visited. When they walked out, they said to each other, "This is where we're having it."

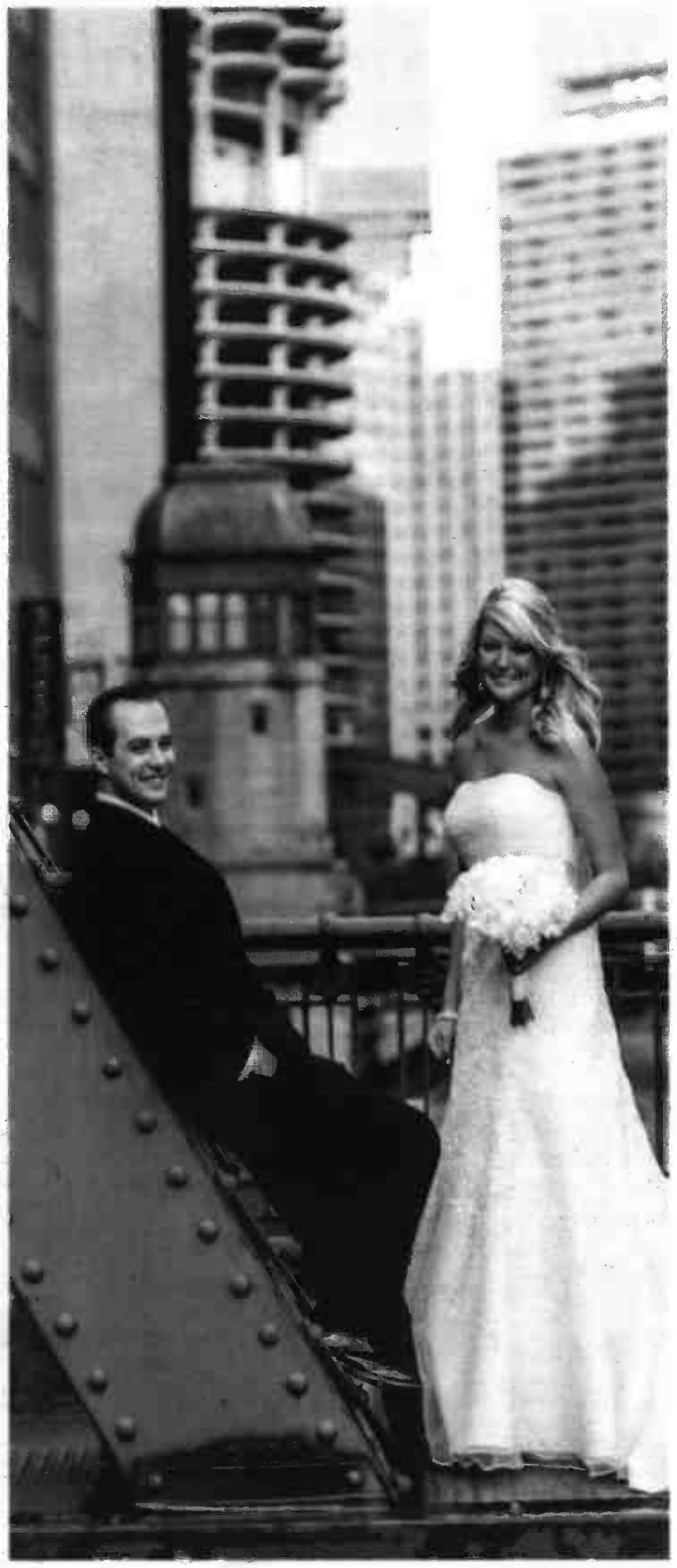
From the classic green and red Chicago trolley the wedding party traveled in on on their way downtown, to the glamorous newlywed shots atop the LaSalle Street Bridge, the wedding was set in an old, elegant fashion.

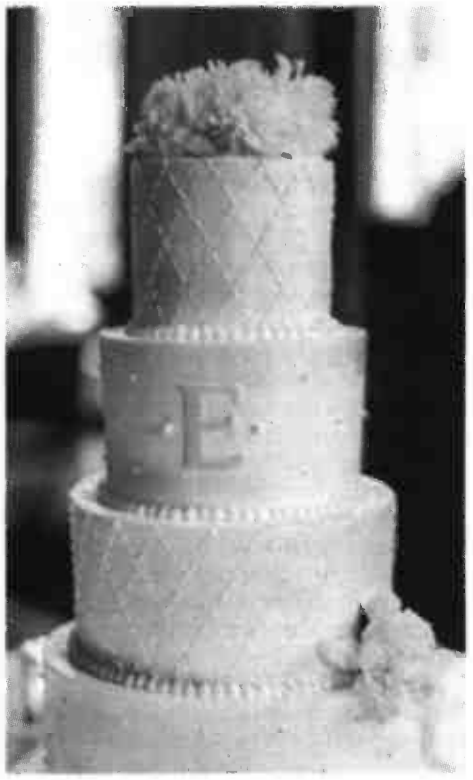
The bridesmaids, dressed in light organza, full-length champagne-colored dresses, and the groomsmen, sporting black tuxedos with white vests, performed an entire tarantella Southern Italian folk dance to welcome the bride and groom into the Spiaggia ballroom. During dinner, DJ Roberto Monastero played hits by Dean Martin, Frank Sinatra and Louis Prima.

"It was just so much fun," Mary said.

She was grateful when she and her husband stole a moment for themselves during the long dinner. "We were able to sneak out, just him and I, in between the reception," the bride said. "We were able to be on Michigan Avenue and that was fun."

The couple live in Highwood, in a location nestled comfortably between their two jobs. For now, Mary said, it feels perfect.





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Floral arrangements: Kiko's Flowers, Park Ridge
Cake: Flour Cake and Pastry, Chicago
Transportation: Chicago Trolley Co., Chicago
Disc jockey: Roberto Monastero, Chicago area
Dress: Allure Bridals
Groom's attire: Vera Wang Black

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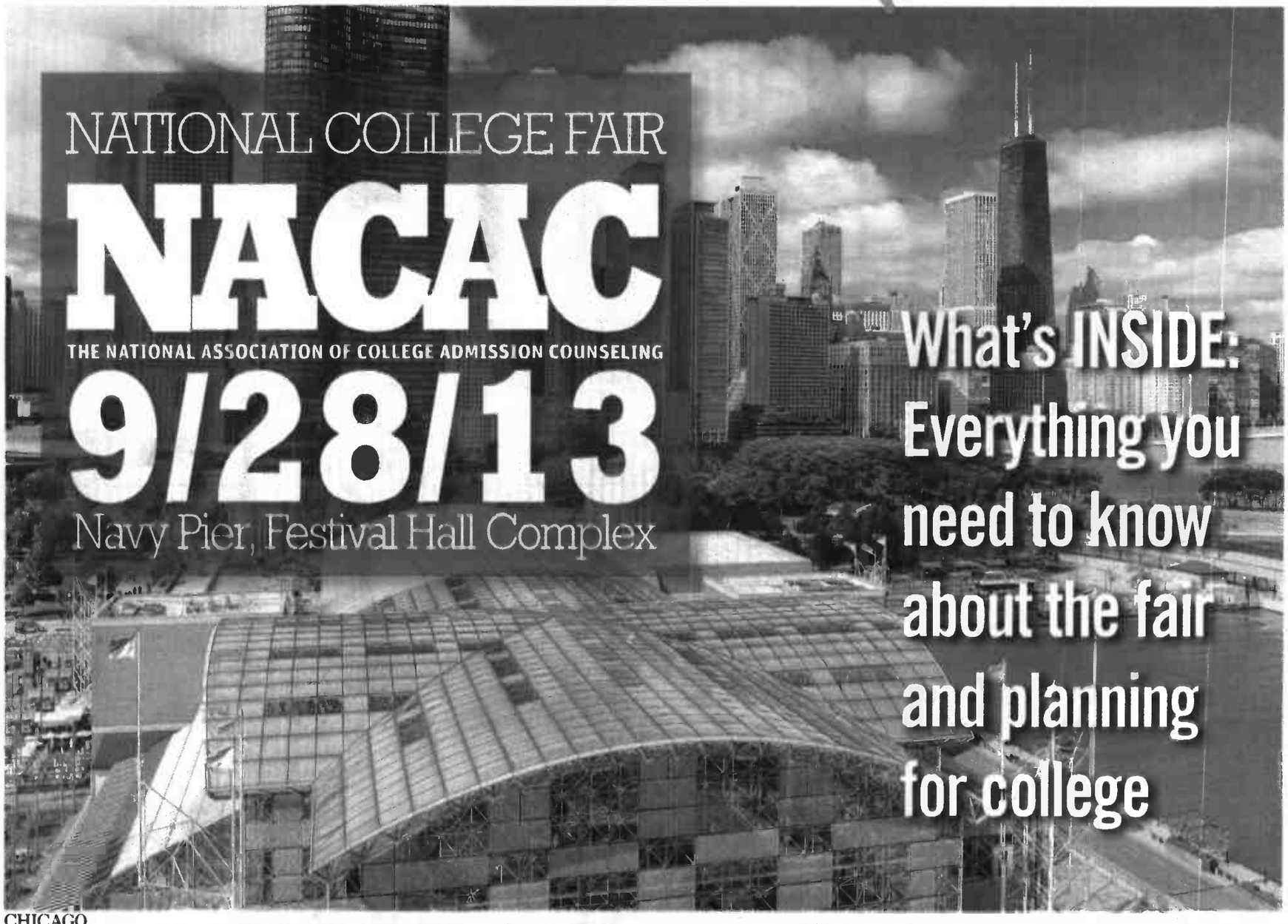

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One of the simplest and most effective steps is preregistering for the fair online, according to Oscar Rodriguez, director of Recruitment and Outreach at the University of Illinois at Chicago.

The name badge generated through the registration process saves a student from the tedious task of giving his or her name and contact information to college reps multiple times. Prospective students may visit www.gotomyncf.com/registration and select Chicago. The form collects student contact information as well as academic interests. The colleges just scan the students' badges and then are ready to start talking.

Rodriguez urges high school and transfer students to "have as many conversations as they can" at the fair.

"There will be a lot of schools you have never heard of," he said. "Sometimes families from a city as large as Chicago, with many colleges and universities, tend to forget there are schools west of the Mississippi River."

The fair gives those colleges that aren't household names a chance to form an impression on a student.

"You never know when a relationship with that school might take root. The school that's a little farther away may be just the right fit," Rodriguez said.

While it's unrealistic to visit even the majority of booths, Rodriguez said it's good to have a list of four to eight schools that are must-visits. After that, he recommends stopping by at least 20 tables to get a feel for the differences among schools and the types of students they want to attract.

Students also need to develop their own elevator speech about their goals for college and beyond.

"Although the term 'elevator speech' is popular among job seekers, it fits the prospective college student as well," Rodriguez said.

The prepared student might have three majors in mind and ask the college rep if his college offers those. On the flip side, if a student is undecided about areas of study, he might inquire about how a college helps those students apply their interests and natural talents to a major. An undecided student may want to look for schools with a large number of degree-granting programs.

Fair attendees should also be thinking beyond academic majors. Some students are drawn to smaller, liberal arts colleges where the emphasis may be on "studying what it means to be human and living in a democracy," he said.

Other questions that may prompt good conversations also revolve around how undergraduate classes are taught: whether by full professors or graduate assistants. Some universities are also giving undergraduates more opportunities to participate in research.

"Or does the school lean more toward the consumption of knowledge," Rodriguez said.

Today, the elephant in the room is the cost of college. When a student is at a fair, no school should be bypassed because of its sticker price, Rodriguez said. He said all schools have some form of financial aid available and that can be touched on with a representative.

"But it's up to the school to come up with the financial aid package, and that doesn't occur until later in the process," he said.

Award letters aren't issued until a student is accepted.

"When you pick up literature from the schools, take the information about tuition, fees and room and board," Rodriguez said. "Then, later, make sure you are comparing apples to apples because schools may list those categories separately or total them. It can make a big difference."

Overall, Rodriguez recommends that students be open to new experiences at the fair.

"It should be a fun to tap into a place that fits your personality," he said.

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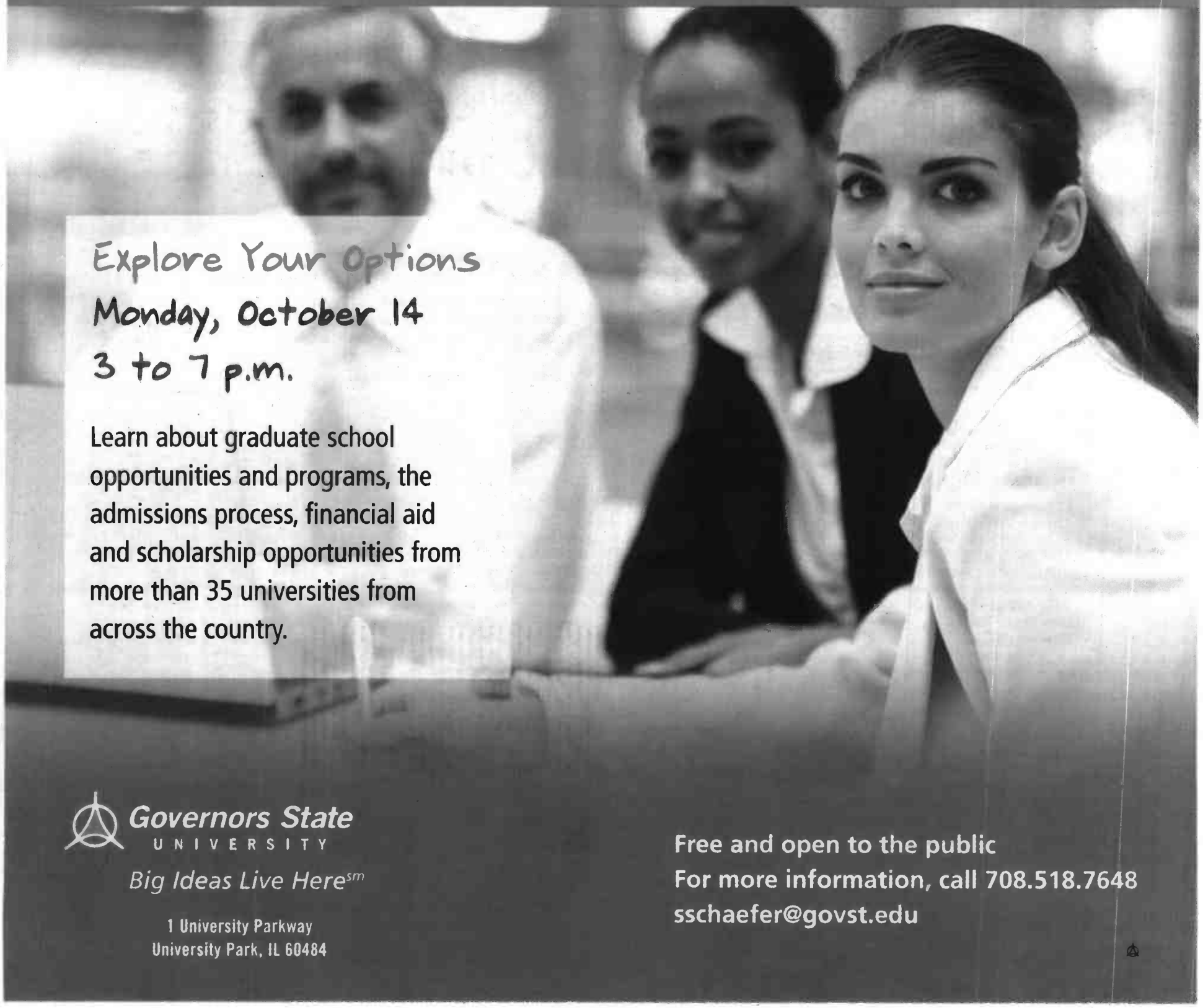

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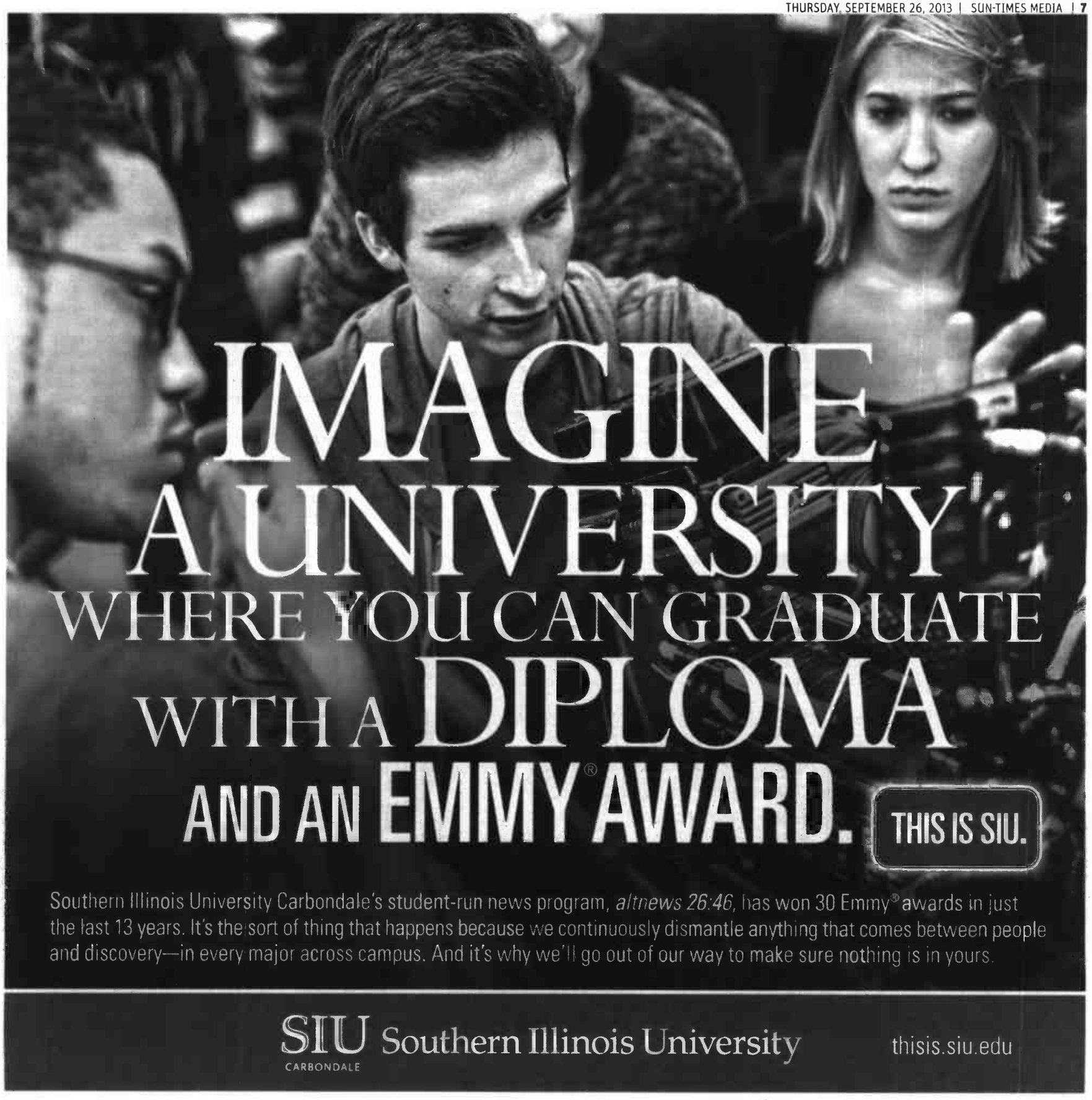
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Crash course: Today's college students may lean on their parents for advice as they attempt to choose a college major that will help them improve their job prospects after college. I SUPPLIED PHOTO

How to select a field of study

A major decision

Picking a college major is a big step for young students. Though some adults find themselves working in fields that have little to do with their college majors, many more spend their entire careers in the same field they chose to major in way back in their college days.

Choosing a major is a decision that ultimately rests on the shoulders of the students who must consider a host of factors before committing to a specific field of study. However, parents can still help their children, whether those kids are already enrolled in college or college-bound, as they make such an important decision that could very well affect the rest of their lives.

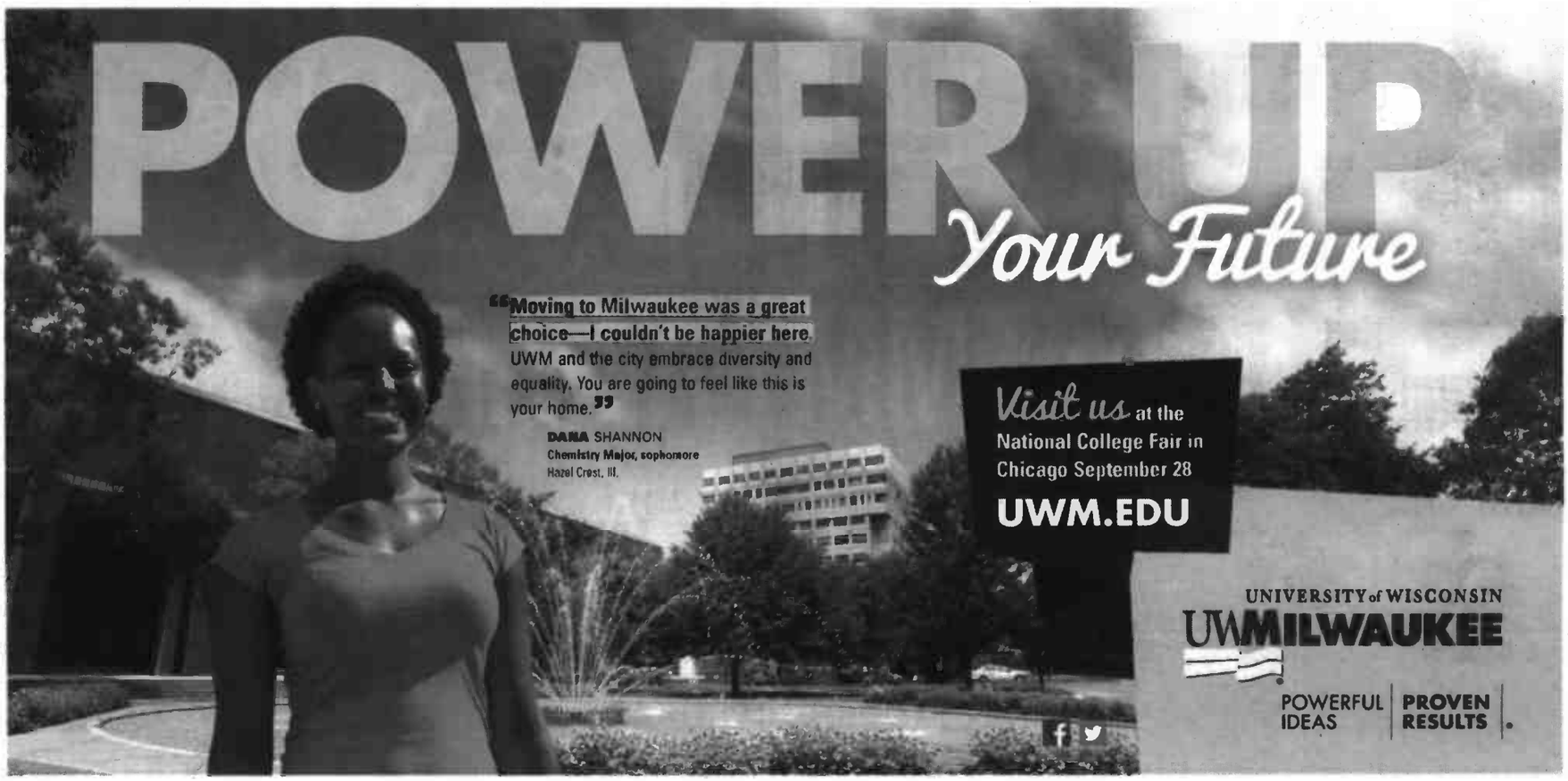
* Encourage patience. Today's college students and college-bound youngsters are living in a world that's significantly different from the one their parents or older siblings might have encountered. Global and domestic unemployment rates remain high, and technology is changing the way industries conduct business. However, students trying to pick a major should avoid picking one too quickly. Just because a certain field is experiencing job growth does not mean that field is ideal for all students. Encourage kids to be patient when choosing a major so they can find the field that's right for them, and not just the major they feel will produce the best job prospects.

* Suggest a double major. Many of today's students are fully aware of the difficult job market and the cost of a college education. As a result, such students want to choose a major they feel will put them in the best position to land a well-paying job after college. That's a smart strategy, but it overlooks the joy of studying the subject of your passion. Parents can simultaneously encourage kids to be smart about their job prospects and pursue their passions by suggesting a double major. For example, if your child has a love of art but understands the difficulty in earning a living as an artist, suggest a double major in art and graphic design. This way he or she has more career options upon graduation but still has the chance to pursue a subject he or she is passionate about while in school.

* Encourage students to apply for internships. An internship is another great way parents can help kids as they decide on a college major. Internships are rarely easy to get, but some firms hire interns who are still in high school. Parents should encourage kids to pursue internships as early as possible. Internships can provide young students with some real-world experience and give them an accurate glimpse into what their professional lives might be like if they choose a particular field of study. Some kids might be encouraged by an internship, while others might realize a given field is not really for them. Either way, the internship can help narrow down the field of prospective majors for young students.

* Let kids know a major isn't the same thing as a career. The pressure to choose the right major can be overwhelming for some young students. But parents should let kids know that a major is not the same thing as a career, and many graduates end up working in fields that had little or nothing to do with their majors. For instance, just because a student earns a degree in finance does not mean he or she will end up working on Wall Street. While parents should emphasize the importance of choosing the right major when speaking to their children, they should also let kids know that nothing is ever set in stone. That can help take some of the pressure off students as they make such an important decision.

Today's college students have more to consider when choosing a college major than many of their predecessors. However, parents can still take steps to help kids choose the right major without succumbing to the stress that comes with making such a significant decision. Courtesy of Metro Creative



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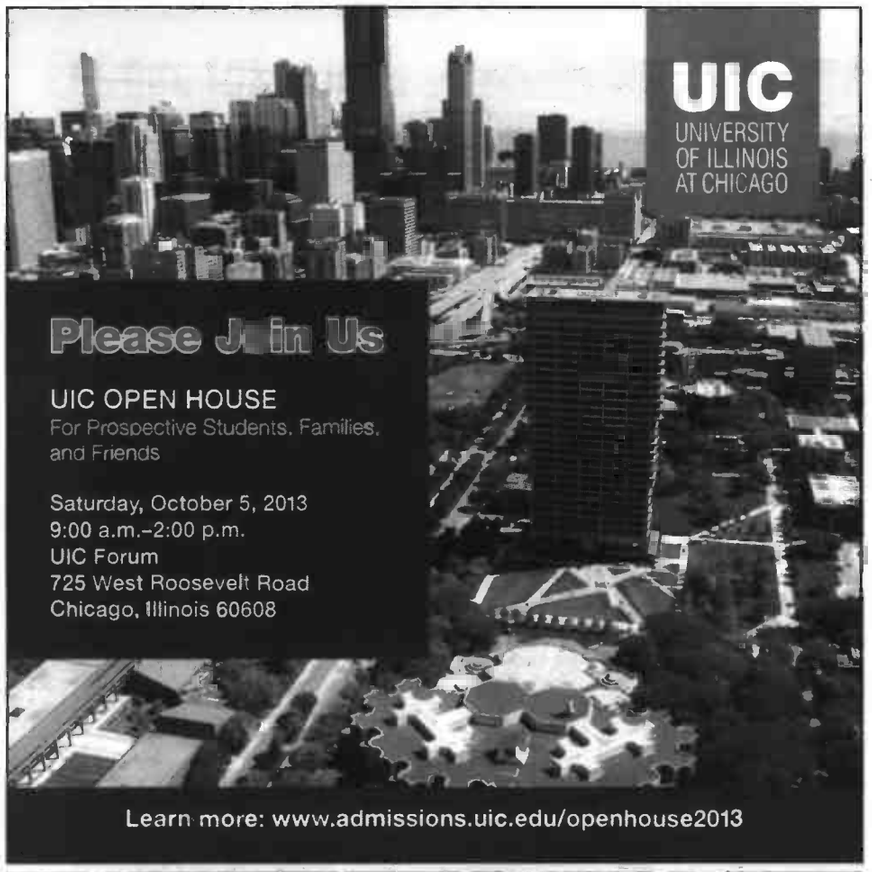

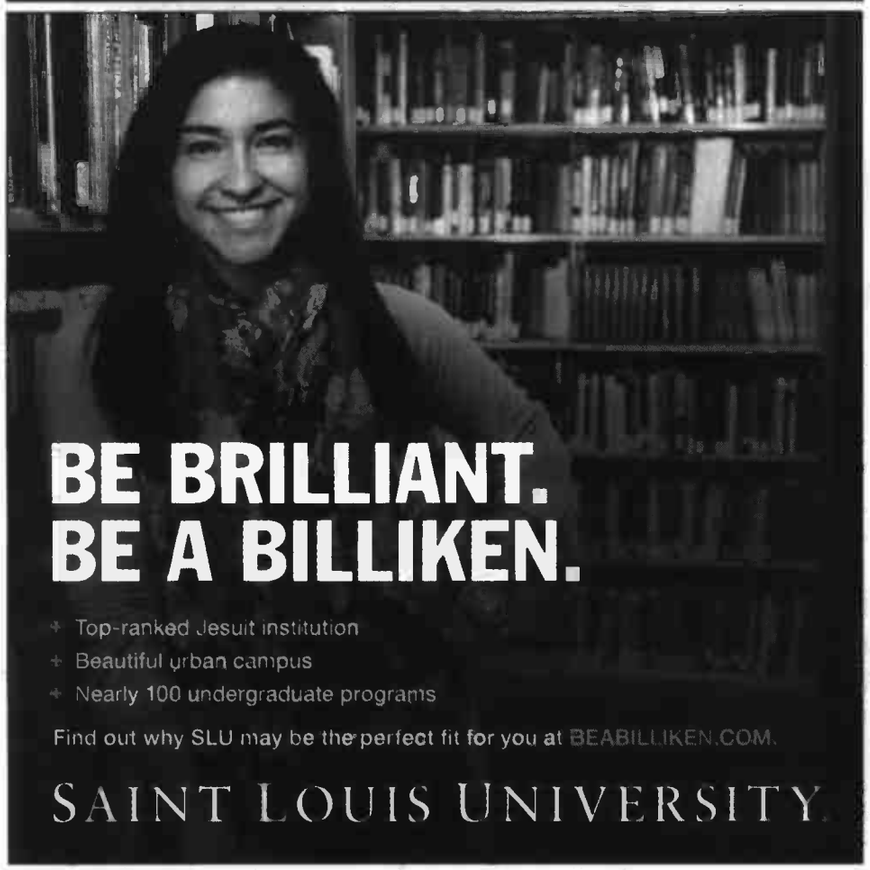

Taming the cost of textbooks

In an era when digital books can be downloaded to an e-reader for a few dollars, students may feel it foolish to shell out several hundred dollars for a hardcover textbook that will only be used once. Many college students are shocked at the cost of their textbooks. In fact, many students do not consider textbook costs when budgeting for school, only to have their jaws drop at the checkout counter of their campus bookstore.

The cost of textbooks has been an issue on college campuses for years. Many elementary and high school students do not have to pay directly for their textbooks, but college students must pay for their books.

There are a number of ways to curtail costs. One of the reasons behind the high sticker price for college textbooks is the copyright fees that publishers of large anthologies must pay to every author who contributed to a book. Such costs can quickly add up. When there isn't a large demand for the books, publishers will not make much money if they don't charge more for the books.

Another reason for the high cost is that online companion resources accompany some. The publishers build the price of these resources into the cost of the book.

An additional contributing factor to students' high textbook tabs could be the faculty at their college or university. Some professors are not sensitive to the cost of books, selecting books they like or even ones they authored themselves without considering the price of such texts.

Supply and demand may also influence the cost of textbooks. When too many textbooks are in circulation, there is no longer a high demand. So publishers make money by continually issuing new volumes with an item or two changed to justify the purchase of a new book.

However, as costly as textbooks can be, students can employ various methods to trim their textbook tabs.

* Purchase used textbooks whenever possible. Used textbooks may cost half as much as brand new texts. They may be highlighted or have notes in the margins, but if you can overlook these things, you can save money.

* Sell back textbooks. Keep textbooks in good condition and attempt to sell them back to either the campus bookstore or one near to the school. If the edition will be used again, you may be able to recoup a significant amount of the money you spent on the book.

* Shop around. Jot down the ISBN number for the particular textbook and then go online and price it out. Thanks to the Internet, you may find the book elsewhere for a significant discount over the in-store price on campus.

* Look for alternative formats. With that ISBN number in hand, find out if there are digital or soft-cover versions of the textbook available. These formats may be more affordable and easier to lug around as well.

* Compare the old edition to the new. The new edition may have different page numbers or minor changes, but not enough to negate the value of the old edition. You can save a lot of money on an old edition.

* Share the book with a classmate. Make friends with someone in your class and share the costs and use of the book. Set up study and homework sessions to work together or make copies of particular chapters if you need to work solo.

* Consult with your financial aid counselor. Sometimes financial aid can offset the cost of textbooks. You might be eligible for aid to cover the cost of your textbooks throughout the school year.

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Choosing a college? Consider this.

When choosing a college, students often look for the best academic institutions. While it's hard to argue with that approach, high school students facing the decision of where to spend the next four years of their lives should know that the right university is not necessarily the one with the best academic reputation.

Hosts of factors come into play when finding the right match between student and university. Academics should always carry the most weight, but students should consider a host of other factors before ultimately deciding where to continue their academic careers.

COST

In a perfect world, students would not have to worry about financing their college educations. However, that's not a world in which students live. The cost of a college education is something nearly every college-bound student must consider before making his or her decision. According to the College Board, the average overall cost to attend in-state public college for the 2012-13 academic year for students who did not receive financial aid was $22,261, a nearly 4 percent increase from the previous school year. That sticker price includes the cost of living in a dorm, food, books and the additional expenses college students typically have. The College Board notes that, despite the cost increase, financial aid budgets stayed the same as the year before, meaning even those students who received financial aid paid more money.

While cost should not dictate where high school students ultimately go to college, students should know that eventually student loans would have to be repaid with interest. Therefore, those who do not want to bury themselves in student loan debt after graduation would be wise to choose a university that's more affordable or one that's offering a more attractive scholarship and grant package. Unlike student loans, scholarships and grants do not have to be repaid.

DISTANCE FROM HOME

While many high school students may think a school far away from their folks is ideal, the reality of being far away from home is a struggle for many college students who attend college outside of their home states. Homesickness is a very real thing for college students who are away from home and on their own for the first time.

In addition to homesickness, college-bound students should consider the cost of travel before enrolling in a college or university that's far from home. Mom and Dad might not be able to afford to fly their college students home several times per year for the holidays and other breaks in the school year, and the burden of financing that travel can fall on students. If you are not planning to work during the school year, then financing trips home may prove very difficult.

ENVIRONMENT

Both the academic and social environments merit consideration when students are deciding where to continue their educations. Some students thrive in a competitive academic environment, while others tend to fare better in a more casual setting. Students should assess which environment is best for them and choose a university that best suits them as a student.

A college or university's social environment is another factor for students to consider. Larger schools tend to rely heavily on Greek life, while smaller schools may be more intimate and less exclusive. Students who hope to join a sorority or fraternity might benefit from a school with a thriving Greek life, while those who want a more intimate social environment might prefer a smaller school where all of the students seem to know one another.

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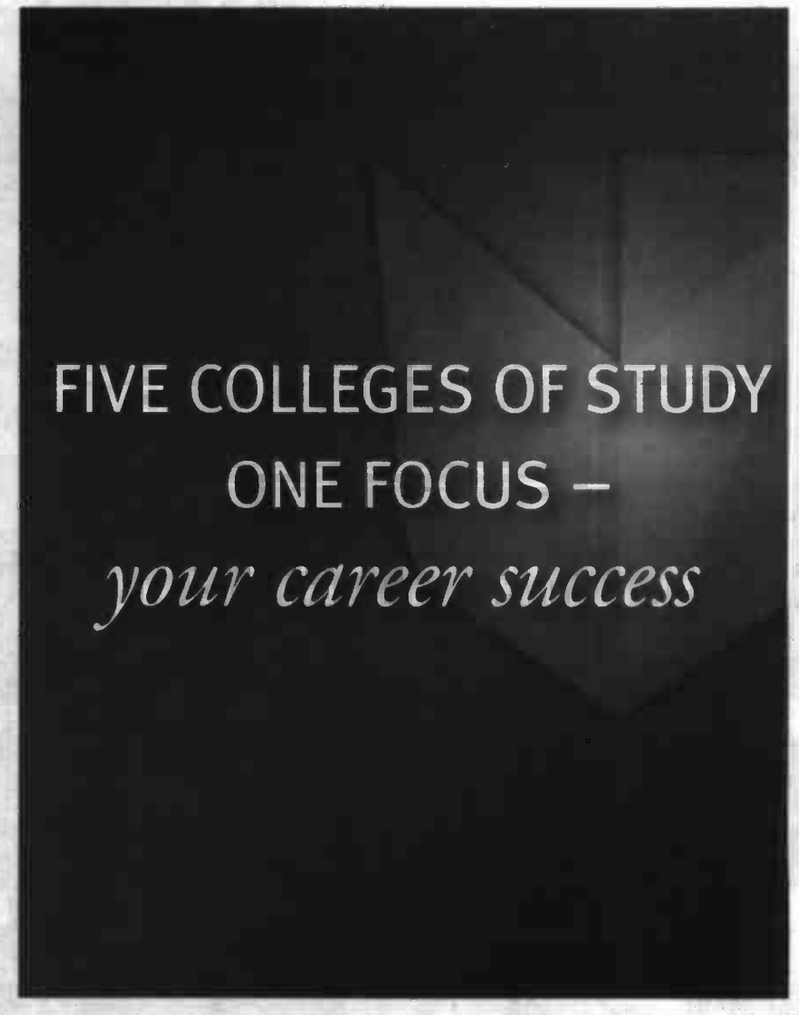

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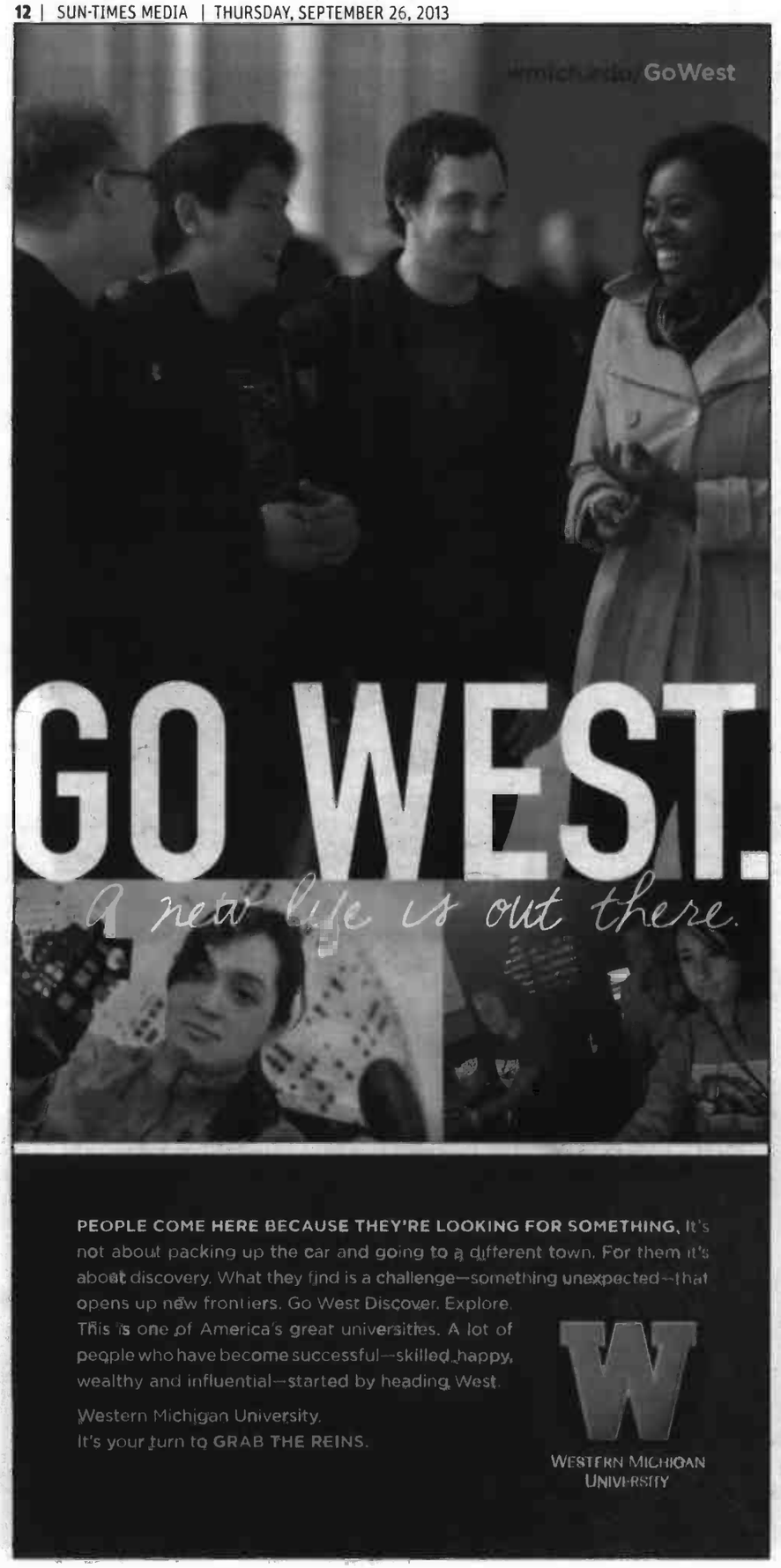

New majors sprout as job markets evolve

Thanks in large part to rapidly changing technology, domestic and international job markets continue to evolve. That's created a bevy of new college majors aimed at students who want to secure their place in the work force. New majors that might have been unheard of as recently as 20 years ago include: computer game design, which allows those with a passion for software engineering to combine that passion with their love of a gaming industry that continues to grow, and health information management, a major that figures to be in demand as many nations cope with aging populations and doctor shortages.

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Think about your priorities for the college experience

College representatives enjoy talking to prospective students. And their answers to thoughtful questions can help a student make a good college match. Following are selected suggestions from The College Board.

1. How would you characterize the majority of students?
2. What do students like most about your college?
3. What are some of the more popular extracurricular activities?
4. Is binge drinking an issue, and if so, how is the college handling it?
5. What sets this school apart academically?
6. How would you characterize the academic pressure and workload?
7. What is the most popular major on campus and why?
8. Are faculty members accessible to students outside of class?
9. What should I know about student housing options?
10. Is there a health care facility on or near campus?

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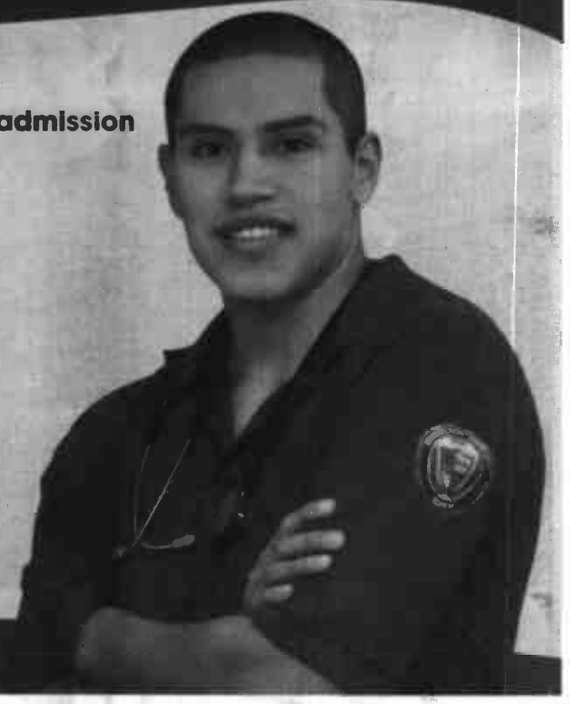

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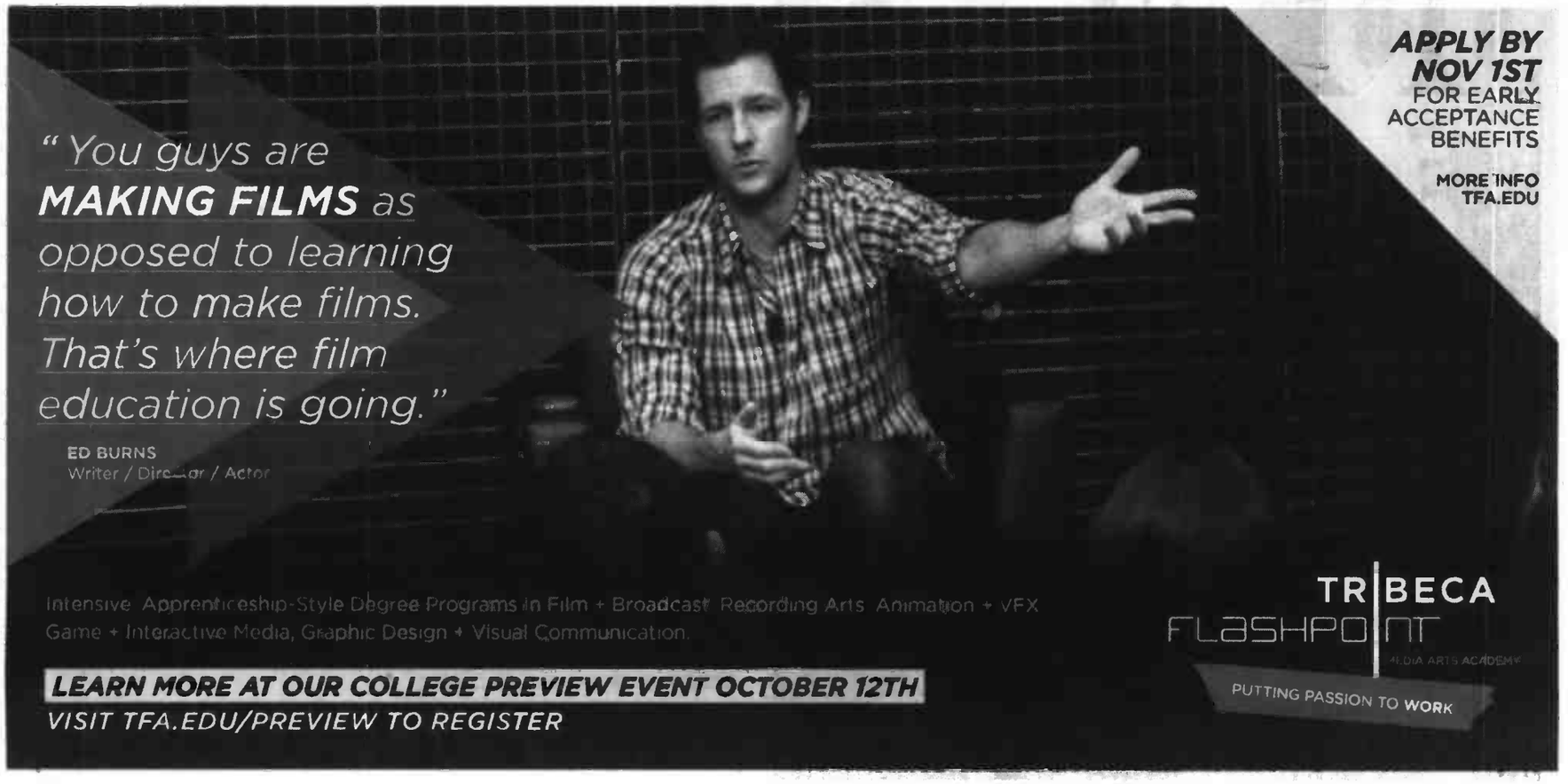

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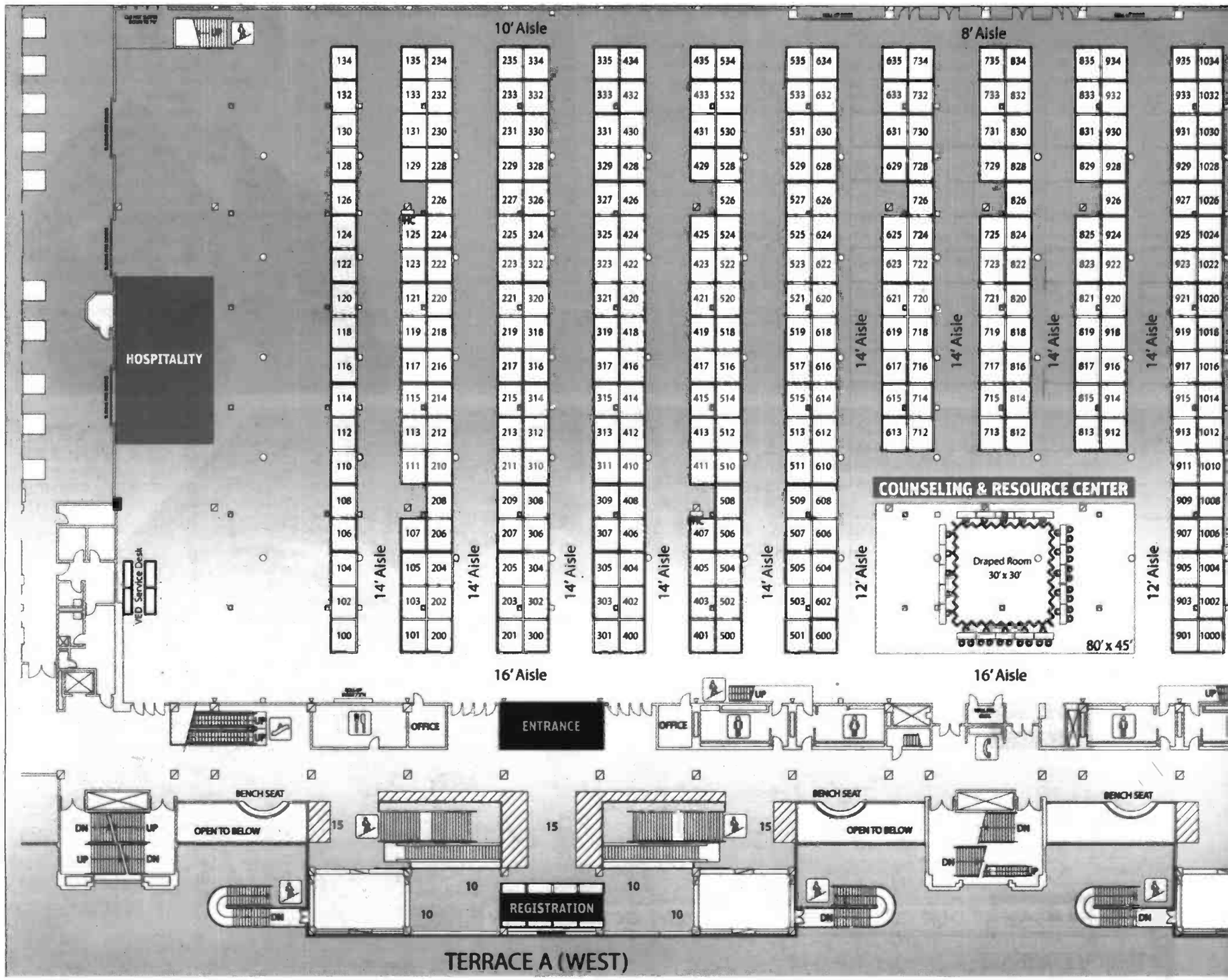
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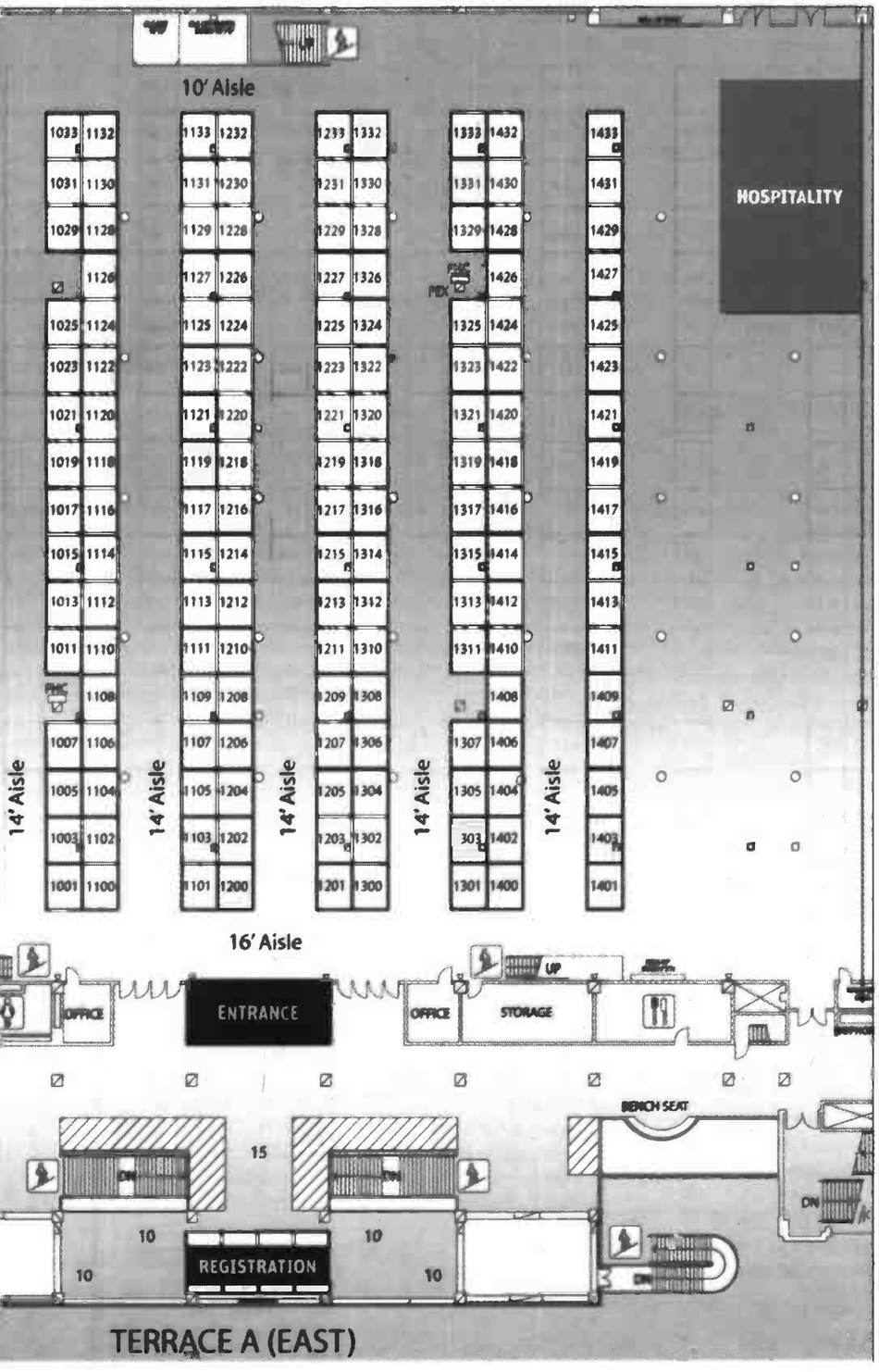

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How commuter students can assimilate into campus culture

Many commuter students find it difficult to assimilate when arriving on a college campus. Living off-campus, be it in their own apartment or at home with their parents, can make it difficult for commuter students to make friends with classmates who live in the dorms, where they already have a built-in social network.

However, while it's often easier for students living on campus to assimilate into campus culture, commuter students can still become an integral part of their colleges and universities. The following are a few tips that might help commuter students more easily assimilate into campus culture.

* Form a study group. The classroom is where many commuter students are introduced to their fellow students, so it's a great place for commuters to make new friends. A study group outside the classroom can be a bonding experience for commuter students and their classmates, and such groups can be a great way for commuters to improve their grades while learning about social gatherings on campus.

* Join student organizations. Student organizations, whether it's student government, the campus radio station or a school-based charity, are great opportunities to get the most out of a college or university. They're also great places to meet new people and expand your social circle. Commuter students can still be actively involved in campus life even if they don't live on campus, and student organizations are a great way to do just that.

* Get a job on campus. Many commuter students work in an effort to offset the rising costs of tuition. When looking for work, such students can look for an on-campus job where they can meet more of their fellow students. This is a great way to put some money in your pocket while further involving yourself in campus life.

* Play sports. Intramural sports are wildly popular on many college campuses, and you need not be a great athlete to take advantage of these opportunities. Ask friends or acquaintances from class if they have a spot on their teams, or organize a team of your fellow commuter students. Intramural sports can be a great, pressure-free way to make new friends on campus while getting a little exercise to boot.

* Make lunch dates. Many college students, especially those living in dorm rooms that aren't equipped with kitchens, have their meals with friends and fellow students. Commuters can do the same, booking lunch or dinner dates with classmates and friends. This keeps you on campus longer, which allows you more time to make friends and assimilate into the campus culture.

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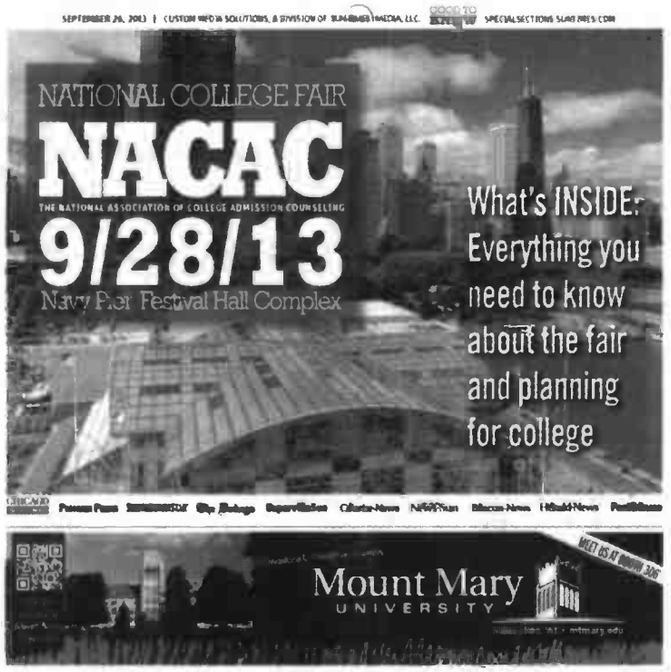

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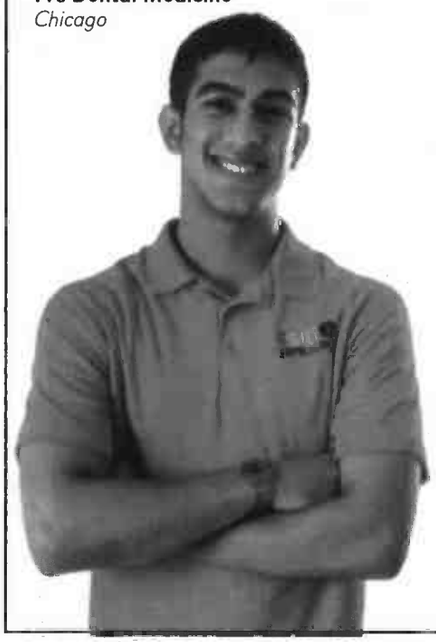

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- offer financial aid opportunities to reduce the total cost

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These colleges and universities:

- receive a large part of funding from state or local taxes. Some funding comes from tuition and endowments
- follow performance standards set by the state
- Most are state-run which lowers the tuition for in-state students
- typically categorized as two-year, four-year, research, comprehensive, or community colleges

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- receive up to 90 percent of their revenue from federal student aid
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Admission test dates

College admissions tests — the ACT and SAT — are a huge part of the college application process for high school students. School counselors typically provide students with the lowdown on when to take these all-important tests. In addition, most public high schools offer the ACT on a school day. Following is a brief guide about how to register for the Saturday tests and the test dates for the fall and winter.

ACT Sign up online (actstudent.org/regist/) or use the packet provided by your high school counselor or found in your school's college guidance office. The cost is $36.50 for the test without a writing portion and $52.50 for the exam with the writing test. Fees include the option of sending scores to four colleges of your choice for free; the fee for additional schools is $11 per school.

Saturday test dates will be Oct. 26 (Sept. 27 registration); Dec. 14 (Nov. 8 registration); and Feb. 8, 2014 (Jan. 10, 2014 registration). For more information about ACT registration, call (319) 337-1270.

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Saint Louis University: Special visit days are held on many Saturdays, and individual weekday visits can be arranged by registering at slu.edu/x23885.xml or calling 800-758-3678.

Chicago State University: Campus tours are held Fridays at 10 a.m. for groups and at 2 p.m. individuals. Call 773-995-2000 or go to csu.edu/gateway/visitors.htm or call 773-995-2513.

Eastern Illinois University: Student-led tours of the Charleston campus are offered Monday – Friday at 11 a.m. and 2 p.m. and select Saturdays at 10:30 and 11:30 a.m. A special Open House will be held on Columbus Day, Oct. 14, when classes will be in session. Call 877-581-2348 or register at eiu.edu/admissions/discover.php#visit

Indiana University Northwest: Regularly scheduled walking tours of the Gary campus take place on Tuesdays at 10 a.m., Wednesdays at 2:30 p.m., and Fridays at 11 a.m. Call (888) 968-7486 or email admit@iun.edu to schedule a personal tour.

Robert Morris College: With campuses throughout Chicago and in several suburbs, tours are available at each location. Call 800-762-5960 or go to robertmorris.edu/visit/ to schedule an appointment.

Southern Illinois University: Prospective students should schedule individual visits at the Carbondale campus at least a week ahead by calling 618-453-7141 or emailing visitsiu@siu.edu. Tours are available weekdays and select Saturdays. Open House dates include Oct. 5 and 26, and Nov. 8.

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Lawrence Technical University: Located outside Detroit, the school invites prospective students and their parents for designated tour days Sept. 27, Oct. 11, Oct. 25, Nov. 8, Nov. 22 and Dec. 13. Call 800-225-5588 and press 1 or go to ltu.edu/futurestudents/freshman/freshman_upcomingevents.asp

West Virginia University College of Creative Arts: Tours conducted by student ambassadors are available by appointment Monday through Friday by calling 304-293-4339. The College of Creative Arts is located on the Evansdale Campus of the university, which is in Morgantown. For more details, go to http://ccarts.wvu.edu/

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Concordia University Chicago: Special fall visit days are planned Oct. 14 and Nov. 9 on the campus at 7400 Augusta St., River Forest. Register at cuchicago.edu/admission-financial-aid/undergraduate/visiting/ Or call 708-771-8300 to arrange a tour.

Southern Illinois University-Edwardsville: Two-hour campus tours are offered most weekdays, and select Saturdays. In addition, special preview days will be offered on high school holidays Oct. 14 and Nov. 11. Call 618-650-3705 or register at siue.edu/admissions/visit/index.shtml

Western Michigan University: Full-day Open Houses will be held Oct. 11, Nov. 1, Nov. 15 and Dec. 6 on the campus in Kalamazoo. Register for these at wmich.edu/admissions/openhouse/ or call 269-387-2289 or visit wmich.edu/admissions/freshmen/visit/form/ to arrange a visit on another date.

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Purdue University-Calumet: The campus in Hammond, Ind., will host a special View Day on Nov. 16. Register at webs.purduecal.edu/viewpurdue/rsvp/ Scheduled tours are also available Wednesday-Friday; to register go to webs.purduecal.edu/visit/tour-request/ Or call a tour representative at 219-989-3126.

Indiana State University: The school in Terre Haute offers a variety of opportunities for campus visits. Go to indstate.edu/admissions/personal-visits.htm to find the schedule or call 800-468-6478. Sycamore Preview Days on Oct. 14, Nov. 11, Jan. 28, Feb. 17 and April 12 include a variety of information sessions as well as a tour.

University of Illinois-Chicago: A drop-in Open House for prospective students and their parents is set for Oct. 5 from 9 a.m. to 2 p.m. Registration is available at admissions.uic.edu/openhouse2013. Other tours are available throughout the year. The campus is headquartered at 2035 W. Taylor St.; 312-996-4350.

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University of Wisconsin System: Each of the 13 four-year campuses provides its own tours and preview programs. Tours are generally guided and include a meeting with an admissions representative. Go to www.uwhelp.wisconsin.edu/preparing/campustours.aspx to check for information on individual campuses.

Governors State University: Student-led individual campus tours are offered by appointment on Tuesdays and Thursdays and last about an hour. Group tours are also available. Contact nheidelberg@govst.edu or call 708-534-5000 two weeks before your preferred date. The university is at 1 University Parkway in University Park.

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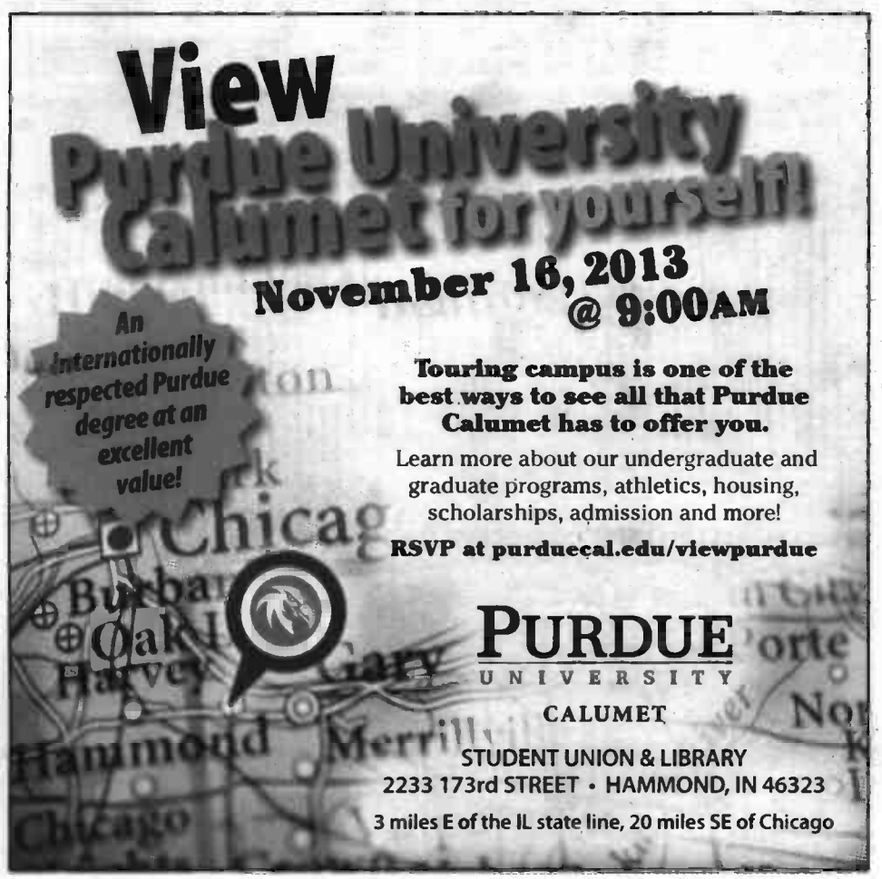

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South Suburban College: More than 100 years ago, community colleges were created as publicly funded institutions of higher education at community based facilities. They began a policy of welcoming all who wished to learn, regardless of wealth or previous academic experience.

Today, there are more than 1,100 community colleges in the United States, most of which share common goals of quality, convenience and affordability with a commitment to lifelong learning. Community colleges allow students to positively impact their lives with nearby locations, smaller class sizes, flexible class schedules and affordable tuition.

Established in 1927, South Suburban College (SSC) is a fully accredited, comprehensive community college with locations in South Holland and Oak Forest. SSC offers over 50 career education and transfer programs awarding Associate Degrees, professional certifications and transferable credits. SSC also has numerous community outreach programs including Adult Basic Education (ABE), General Education Development (GED), English as a Second Language (ESL), Continuing Education and a Business & Career Institute.

SSC's tuition rate is considerably lower than public or private universities. Full-time students can attend for around $4,000 a year while saving thousands of dollars in additional room and board expenses. For more information, to schedule a tour, or to get your college education started, please visit www.ssc.edu or contact the SSC Admissions Office at (708) 210-5718.

Eastern Illinois University: At Eastern Illinois University, students are more than faces in the crowd. Here, students belong to a vital university community.

The university maintains a 15:1 student to faculty member ratio, so students can be sure they will get the attention and hands-on experience they deserve. What's more, Eastern offers 46 different undergraduate majors with an average class size of just 18 students – classes taught by experienced faculty members, each of whom is passionate about his or her field.

Eastern Illinois University blends the best of one-on-one learning experience with facilities and opportunities students might expect at a much larger institution. Eastern takes pride in having some of the very best programs – rigorous enough to challenge the best students, but with great support and encouragement to help ensure success.

College students from the region won't find a better value. Eastern's tuition rates are low and they're available to both residents of Illinois and residents of neighboring states. The university's textbook rental service is a great addition – which saves the average student nearly $1,000 a year.

The university has a variety of financial aid opportunities including merit scholarships for strong academic performers. Prospective students can even check out a personalized merit scholarship instantly with an online calculator.

The beautiful 320-acre campus is home to a vibrant student life with more than 230 registered student organizations, 30 fraternities and sororities and 21 NCAA Division 1 intercollegiate sports.

W. Virginia University College of Creative Arts: Creative development in art, music, theatre and dance is the focus of the College of Creative Arts at West Virginia University. A distinguished faculty of studio and performing artists and academicians bring a commitment to the creative process of artistic growth, which is shared with each student. Here, in a rich environment of art exhibits, concerts, and plays, students are offered the knowledge, skills, and inspiration necessary for professional success.

The Creative Arts Center is home to the WVU College of Creative Arts. It is a modern, well-equipped facility devoted to creative development through instruction, performance and exhibition in Art, Music, and Theatre and Dance. The center features a 1,400-seat concert theatre, and three smaller theaters. For technical support and training, there is a full range of shops.

The Creative Arts Center also boasts large ceramics, printmaking, drawing, painting, sculpture, photographic and computer studios for instruction in the visual arts. The Mesaros Art Galleries provide exhibition space and the new Art Museum of WVU is currently being constructed.

College of Creative Arts alumni have successful careers as professional artists, teachers, or arts administrators, working in studios, theater companies, film, television, publishing and graphic arts companies, design studios, colleges and universities, and more. All of our programs are nationally accredited.

For more information about the College of Creative Arts, please contact: Amy.LaSota@mail.wvu.edu

Governors State University: Governors State University will host its first annual Graduate & Professional Fair, on Oct. 14. The southland community is invited to GSU's campus to meet more than 30 university representatives from across the nation. This will introduce prospective and current graduate students to a range of masters and doctoral programs offered at GSU as well as programs at peer institutions from across the country. We invite current college students, families, adults, and more to join us to meet and share information with colleagues and partners interested in pursuing an advanced degree. The GSU fair is an excellent opportunity to meet with students and alumni from many different schools and degree programs. For more information, call Stephanie Schafer at 708-518-7648 or e-mail: sschaefer@govst.edu. The fair will be from 3 to 7 p.m., in the Hall of Governors at Governors State University. To RSVP for this free event click: http://www.eventbrite.com/event/8251477391/eivtefrnd.

Purdue University Calumet: Purdue University Calumet in nearby Hammond, Ind., offers the opportunity to earn an internationally respected Purdue degree at an excellent value. Purdue Calumet is a great place to make the most of your academic talents, offering 50 undergraduate and graduate programs.

Purdue Calumet is a na-

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tionally recognized leader in Experiential Learning, giving you hands-on experiences to apply what you learn. As an undergraduate, you will have many opportunities to challenge yourself with research; gain practical work experience through internships, cooperative education and design projects; and build your portfolio.

Our faculty members are respected worldwide in such fields as steel manufacturing technologies, high energy physics, water quality and international media, and offer the highest level of personal attention to students.

Purdue Calumet students enjoy a vibrant campus with more than 80 academic and social organizations; fun and engaging entertainment; a fitness and recreation center; a thriving 12-sport intercollegiate athletics program; a full schedule of intramural activities; and more. The neighborhood campus is located minutes from Chicago and the scenic Indiana Dunes-Lake Michigan shoreline. The University Village provides apartment style housing.

See how Purdue University Calumet fits into your plans for success. To learn more, call 1-800-HI-PURDUE or visit www.purduecal.edu/admissions. If you would like to visit the campus, schedule a tour at www.purduecal.edu/visit.

University of Missouri–St. Louis: Three years ago, the University of Missouri–St. Louis began using its trademarked positioning statement: "Serious education. Serious value." That statement has resonated well with prospective students and its validity has received another national endorsement.

UMSL made Washington Monthly magazine's 2013 exclusive list of "Best Bang for Your Buck" colleges and universities. Only 349 colleges and universities rated "Best Bang for Your Buck" status out of 1,572 schools in the magazine's broader rankings. UMSL ranked 56 among national universities and was one of only three Missouri universities to make the list.

The magazine said the list addresses the question most students should be asking: What colleges will charge people like me the least and give me the highest chance of graduating with a degree that means something in the marketplace?

"Washington Monthly confirms what we've learned through our alumni surveys and marketing research," said Senior Associate Vice Chancellor Ron Gossen. "UMSL prepares students well for their chosen careers at a reasonable and manageable cost. UMSL graduates are work-ready."

Founded in 1963, UMSL today is composed of nearly 17,000 students, 1,500 faculty, 1,200 staff and 86,000 alumni. Several programs have attained national recognition for their quality, including: biology, criminology, education, information systems, international business, nursing, optometry, psychology, public policy and tropical ecology.

Kendall College: Chicago is a world-class city that's home to 33 Fortune 500 companies, nearly 7,500 restaurants, more than 200 theaters and 700 hotels. Nearly 40 million people visit Chicago annually.

It's no wonder that Kendall College in Chicago is the perfect place to earn a degree in business, culinary arts or hospitality management.

Chicago's leading hotels rank Kendall College the number one Chicago program for preparing students for hospitality management careers. And Kendall's Culinary Arts program has also been rated number one by Chicago MICHELIN Guide Restaurants for preparing students for careers in the exciting field of culinary arts.

Kendall understands the needs of students who may be balancing work or family commitments. Advisers work with each student to develop a plan that fits their schedule. Business students can choose to take classes entirely online, or choose on a class-by-class basis.

Kendall College is accredited by the Higher Learning Commission and is a member of the North Central Association of Colleges and Schools (NCA).

Kendall College offers bachelor's degree programs in business, culinary arts, education and hospitality management. The College will be hosting its next campus open house on Saturday, Nov. 9. To learn more or to reserve a space, visit kendall.edu or call 888-905-3632.

DeVry University: Good is not enough for many employers today. J.T. O'Donnell, career strategist and author of "CAREEREALISM: The Smart Approach to a Satisfying Career," suggests that candidates need to learn how to G.L.O.W. in order to close the employer-candidate disconnect and shine in the job market. Here's how to G.L.O.W.:

G – Gain Perspective: Assess your situation. "No two people are alike," says O'Donnell. "You have to figure out what's important in your life and career. Evaluating your values, preferences and interests will provide you a customized plan and increase your ability to achieve success."

L – Luminate your Goal: To "light up" your career goal, break down your preferred position into a list of "must haves," "nice to haves," and "don't wants." Let these criteria act as a compass to guide you toward your destination.

O – Own your Actions: Be ready to put forth the effort to make change happen. "Some requirements will seem more daunting than others, like going back to school for the right education and career-oriented skills set," says O'Donnell. "However, there are excellent options like DeVry University, which provides flexible onsite and online scheduling so you can maintain current responsibilities while pursuing your dream career."

W – Work it Daily: Take steps every day to get closer to your goals. Display your goal and ask yourself at least five times a day, "Is what I'm doing right now helping me achieve my goals?"

For more information about flexible education options, visit DeVry.edu. To learn more about the G.L.O.W. Method, visit Careerealism.com.

University of Wisconsin System: The University of Wisconsin System is one of the largest systems of public higher education in the country, serving approximately 181,000 students each year and employing more than 39,000 faculty and staff statewide.

The UW System is made up of 13 four-year universities, 13 freshman-sophomore UW Colleges campuses, and statewide UW-Extension. Together, these institutions are a tremendous academic, cultural, and economic resource for Wisconsin, the nation, and the world. View the system at www.wisconsin.edu/about/UofWSystem_CherboPublishingGroup.pdf

Southeast Missouri State University: Founded in 1873, Southeast Missouri State University has a proud history of excellence in education. First founded as a teacher's college, the institution has grown into a comprehensive University with more than 150 academic programs in five colleges. With more than 150 social and special interest organizations, NCAA Division 1 Athletics, 10 national fraternities and eight national sororities, you are sure to find ways to spend your free time in Cape Girardeau.

Robert Morris University: Robert Morris University is an independent, not-for-profit, multi-location institution offering associate, baccalaureate, and graduate degree programs that focus on integrating theory and applications. Robert Morris University prepares students to be practitioners in their chosen fields, socially responsible to their communities, and a foundation for their families. The university has a total of 10 campus locations in the Chicago area.

Southern Illinois University: From its humble beginnings as the state's second teachers college - founded in 1869 with a dozen academic departments and an inaugural class of 143 - Southern Illinois University Carbondale now ranks among Illinois' most comprehensive public universities. Each year, we welcome students from all 50 states and more than 100 countries who take advantage of outstanding academic programs as they pursue associate, bachelor's, master's, doctoral and professional degrees in law and medicine.

Bradley University: Founded by Lydia Moss Bradley in 1897, Bradley University is a private, independent university offering undergraduate, graduate, and continuing education programs in the liberal and fine arts, the sciences, business administration, communications, education, engineering, technology and the health sciences. A residential campus of 5,700 students, Bradley is known for its excellent teaching and commitment to student success. Bradley University links academic excellence, experiential learning and leadership development with an entrepreneurial spirit for a world-class education.

Barry University: Named one of "America's Top Colleges" by Forbes magazine, Barry University in Miami Shores, Fla., offers exciting learning opportunities and so much more. You work with professors who not only know your name, but will also help you explore your field of interest, whether it's pre-med, business, communication, or any of the more than 75 majors and specializations on campus. You live on a 122-acre main campus just minutes from world-famous beaches and the city of Miami. You learn in small classes. You gain hands-on experience, no matter what your major, and prepare to compete in the global economy. You make a tangible difference in the local community. You apply what you've learned in the classroom to a rapidly changing world.

When you're not in class, you hang out by the pool. You live in one of 10 residence halls on campus. You make lifelong friendships with students from around the world. You express yourself and develop valuable leadership skills – after all, there are more than 60 student organizations on campus. You also cheer on – or compete on – Barry's title-winning teams. Barry is a member of the NCAA

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Division II Sunshine State Conference. The Buccaneers have won 11 NCAA national championships.

With all that is has to offer, Barry University strives to provide the resources you need to reduce your costs. The university offers a scholarship program and participates in a full array of federal and state financial aid programs.

Ready to live a Barry life? Visit www.barry.edu/chicago.

Concordia University: As a distinctive, comprehensive university of The Lutheran Church–Missouri Synod, centered in the Gospel of Jesus Christ, and based in the liberal arts, Concordia University Chicago equips men and women to serve and lead with integrity, creativity, competence and compassion in a diverse, interconnected and increasingly urbanized church and world. Concordia University Chicago is the university of choice for those seeking a Christian institution in the Midwest that provides a broad, liberal arts based undergraduate education, as well as graduate and professional programs in areas of demonstrated competence, which serve a particular need of society and advance the mission of the Church.

Southern Illinois-Edwardsville: Southern Illinois University Edwardsville is a public comprehensive university dedicated to the communication, expansion and integration of knowledge through excellent undergraduate education as its first priority and complementary excellent graduate and professional academic programs; through the scholarly, creative and research activity of its faculty, staff and students; and through public service and cultural and arts programming in its region. It is located about 20 miles northeast of St. Louis.

Indiana State University: Indiana State University combines a tradition of strong undergraduate and graduate education with a focus on community and public service. We integrate teaching, research, and creative activity in an engaging, challenging, and supportive learning environment to prepare productive citizens for Indiana and the world. Inspired by a shared commitment to improving our communities, Indiana State University will be known nationally for academic, cultural, and research opportunities designed to ensure the success of its people and their work. The university is located in Terre Haute.

Leeds College of Music: Leeds College of Music is a leading British conservatory, offering students an intensive education experience tailored to individual needs, talents and aspirations. In parallel with the music industry today, we encourage the integration of different disciplines, genres and styles to create amazing, groundbreaking work.

The college is renowned for combining rigor and focus with a personal approach. It is a member of both Conservatoires UK and the Association Européenne des Conservatoires. As an Apple Authorized Training Center and the only English conservatoire to hold the coveted All-Steinway School status, we demonstrate a commitment to excellence by providing our students with the best equipment possible for the study of music.

Our students perform nationally at venues such as London's Jazz Café, 606 Club and Steinway Hall, and at the Edinburgh Fringe Festival. Our recent alumni include Chantel McGregor, who has won Guitarist and Vocalist of the Year at the British Blues Awards; Dan McDougall, who signed a publishing deal with BMG Chrysalis; and Benji Boko, who performed at the launch of Robin Thicke's new album in New York as well as at the opening of the Toronto Film Festival. Other alumni include Rusko who is currently touring the United States; John Newman whose debut single Love me again reached the top 10 in nine countries and No. 1 in the U.K. charts; and Aamir Yaqub who has worked with big names such as Rihanna, Alicia Keys and will.i.am.

Indiana University Northwest: It was a root canal gone awry that served as the catalyst for Chris Sicinski of Munster to launch a collection drive for dental supplies. Early next year, the senior chemistry and pre-dental student at Indiana University Northwest plans to distribute the supplies, along with some oral health education, to those in need in Northwest Indiana.

If a pre-dental student with good oral health habits could suffer what he did, Sicinski thought, what about those without adequate access to care and supplies?

"Seventy-five percent of Americans suffer from some sort of oral health issue and that is because many of them can't afford the supplies or afford going to a dentist," Sicinski said. "I've grown from my health experience and I care a lot about the patient. The first thing I can do is help underprivileged communities.

"My mission," said Sicinski, "is to collect toothbrushes and toothpaste, dental floss, mouth wash, dental plaque tablets and other dental supplies for children and families in need, and to distribute them through local schools and clinics that serve the underprivileged. Children and families will be instructed and shown how to effectively use these supplies."

Friends, family, neighbors, fellow students and faculty have all rallied to help. Still, more donations are needed, Sicinski said, in order to meet his goals.

Sicinski will continue to collect supplies until Dec. 20. Supporters may send supplies to: Indiana University Northwest, c/o Ernest Talarico, Jr., Ph.D., Dunes Medical/Education Building, Room 3028A, 3400 Broadway, Ind. 46408. For more information, call 219-981-4356.

Robert Morris University: Through its College of Adult Continuing Studies, Robert Morris offers a practical option to working adults seeking to begin or complete a degree.

The U.S. Bureau of Labor Statistics reported in July 2013 that the unemployment rate for people 25 to 34 has declined to 7.6 percent. Most importantly, the unemployment rate for those with a bachelor's degree is much less (4.5 percent) than the overall rate and even less for those with a master's degree (3.5 percent).

With 10 different colleges offering 17 fields of study, the university's extensive list of accelerated degree programs include traditional business, paralegal, law enforcement management, networking, accounting & culinary. A dual-degree partnership with John Marshall Law School offers students the ability to earn both a Bachelor's Degree/JD Degree.

RMU's accelerated, career focused degree programs prepare students for the most demanding careers in fast growing fields. RMU's supportive faculty members provide individual attention from the first day of class until graduation. Ninety eight percent of RMU specialized faculty have worked outside academia in their fields.

"Adults may be looking at their careers and thinking, 'There must be something more, but do I have time?' You absolutely do!" explained Provost Mablene Krueger. "I look at it as a new but unwritten chapter in anyone's life who is ready for change and is now ready to say yes to a college degree."

For information call 888-298-6202 or visit www.robertmorris.edu/adult

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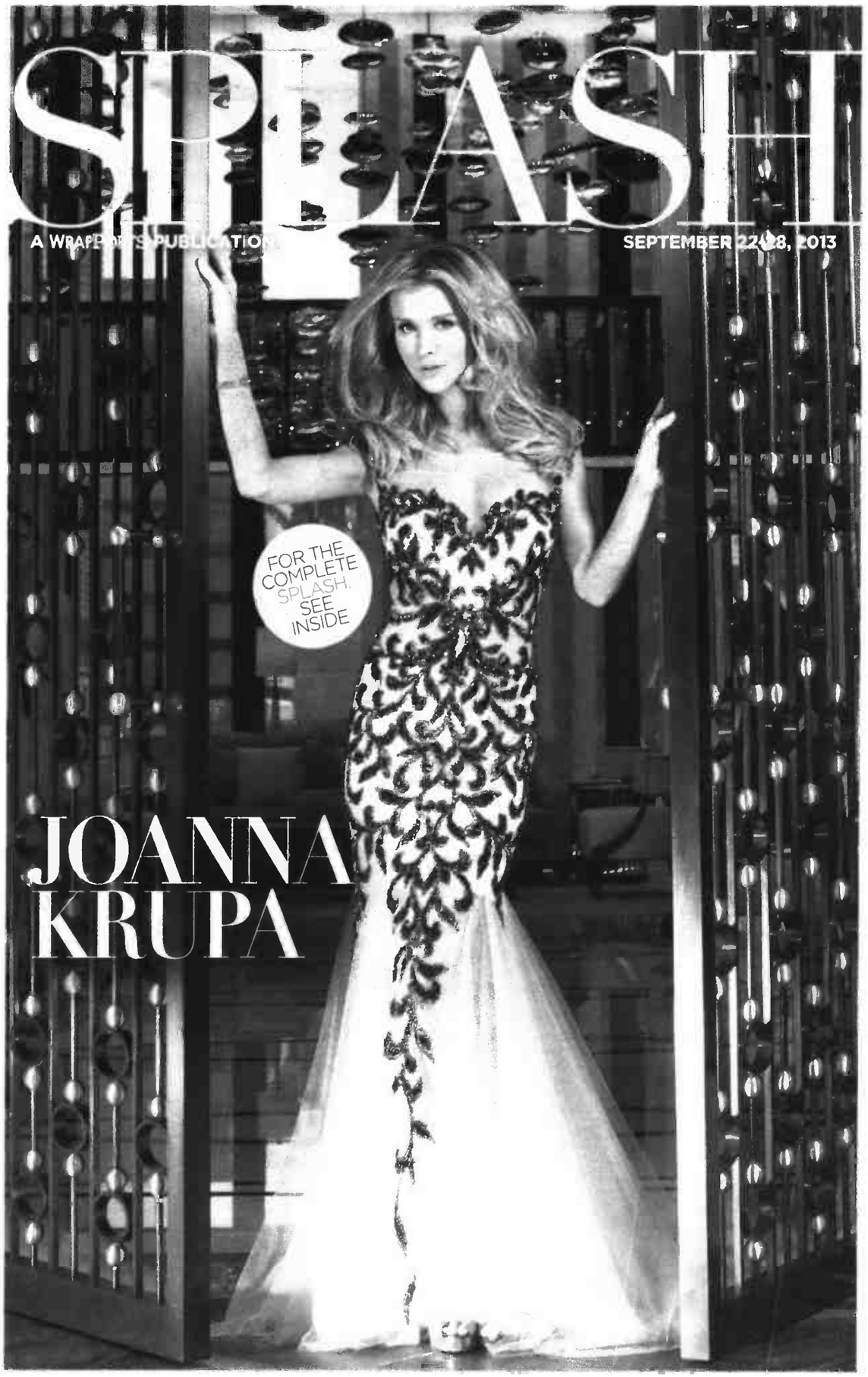

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THINGS WE LOVE THIS WEEK

< Catherine Malandrino for Kohl's

On Sept. 27 the celebrated designer joins the ranks of peers such as Derek Lam and Narciso Rodriguez with the arrival of her collection for Kohl's Design-Nation initiative. Shop dresses, tops, pants and outwear, all bearing Malandrino's Parisian-inspired style. Starting at $36, 2140 N. Elston; *Kohls.com*

Graziela gems

For big-day baubles, look no further than Chicago-based Graziela gems, a line of jewelry made with vibrant gemstones. Designed by **Graziela Kaufman,** the pieces are favored by celebs such as Emma Watson, Zoe Saldana and Jessica Alba. Starting at $280, Elements, 741 N. Wells; *Elementschicago.com*

Ada St. brunch

Launched last weekend, Ada St.'s new brunch menu, served Sundays from 11 a.m. to 2 p.m., offers dishes such as pretzel bread pudding with maple whipped cream ($9) and a BLT with a fried green tomato, fried egg and avocado crema (above, $10). 1664 N. Ada; *Adastreetchicago.com*

Antonio Lopez for MAC Cosmetics

MAC has teamed up with the legendary fashion illustrator for a limited edition collection of eye, lip and face palettes. The vibrant colors are rivaled by the packaging, which displays the faces of his past subjects. Starting at $27.50, until supplies last, Macy's, 111 N. State; *Maccosmetics.com*

AT THE PHOTO SHOOT

Joanna Krupa joined our team at the newly opened Langham Hotel Chicago (330 N. Wabash) and spent the afternoon modeling contemporary bridal wear. Throughout the shoot, Krupa paused to take in the view from the hotel's Presidential Suite, which she shared with her fans via Instagram. For all of the photos, **see pages 14-17.**

ON THE COVERS

Joanna in the doorway:

Jovani: gown, $795, Neiman Marcus, 737 N. Michigan; *Jovani.com*

Jimmy Choo: Crown glittered peep-toe platform pump, $695, Neiman Marcus, 737 N. Michigan; *Jimmychoo.com*

Vintage: sterling silver bracelet, $275, Lulu's on the Avenue, 900 N. Michigan; *Lulusbellekay.com*

Joanna surrounded by flowers:

Amsale: gown, $4,400, Belle Vie, 34 E. Oak; *Amsale.com*

Van Cleef & Arpels: Folie des Pres bracelet, $94,000 and Two Butterfly between the finger ring, $25,300, 933 N. Michigan; *Vancleef-arpels.com*

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WHAT IS THE COOLEST WEDDING VENUE YOU'VE BEEN TO?

"Columbia Yacht Club, the docked ship down at Randolph and Lake Michigan. Beautiful, historic and completely unique."

"My friends recently got married at a camp in Wisconsin. We all stayed in cabins and spent most of the day on boats — it was so low-key and fun."

"All of my brothers and sisters have gotten married in an old hunting lodge on top of a hill in Dune Acres, Ind. It's small, but really beautiful."

"RM Champagne Salon in the West Loop. The grooms transported everyone there by rickshaw. It was such a fun surprise!"

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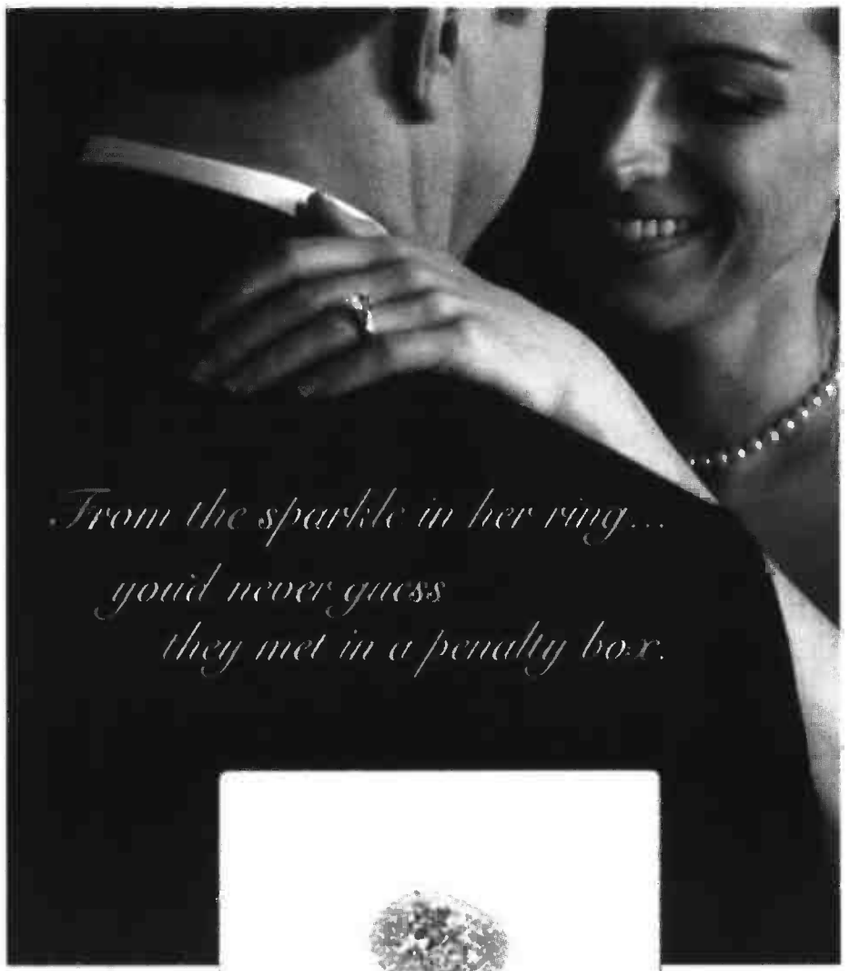

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this week

Chef Stephanie Izard cooks at Chicago Gourmet in 2012.

September 27-29

●● CHICAGO GOURMET

From the Hamburger Hop to the top-drawer Grand Cru wine tasting to every delicious morsel in between, this is the culinary event of the year, boasting master classes, live demos and tons of food and wine from celeb chefs from across the country — including **Hubert Keller** — as well as hometown heroes such as **Carrie Nahabedian, Homaro Cantu, Art Smith** and dozens more.

Time: Friday night Hamburger Hop 6 p.m., Saturday noon to 6 p.m., Sunday noon to 5 p.m.

Place: Friday night Harris Theater rooftop, 205 E. Randolph; Saturday-Sunday Millennium Park, 201 E. Randolph

Cost: Hamburger Hop $115; festival general admission one-day pass $159; weekend pass, $265. For tickets, visit *Chicagogourmet.org*.

September 25

● FIVE CHEFS FOR WOMEN

Kick off the Chicago Gourmet weekend with a five-course meal at Vermilion prepared by some of the best female chefs in the industry, including Vermilion owner **Rohini Dey, Mindy Segal** (Hot Chocolate), **Ina Pinkney** (Ina's), **Carrie Nahabedian** (Naha, Brindille) and special guest chef **Svetlana Riscova,** visiting from Latvia. Proceeds benefit the James Beard Foundation Vermilion Women in Culinary Leadership Scholarship fund.

Time: 6 p.m. to 9 p.m.

Place: 10 W. Hubbard

Cost: $70 per person, excluding tax and gratuity. To reserve a space, call (312) 527-4060.

September 27-October 27

● CHICAGO ARTISTS MONTH

"In the Neighborhood" is the theme of this annual arts appreciation celebration, featuring art walks, studio visits, performances and exhibitions. Spotlighting practitioners across the city — from Uptown to South Shore — CAM honors the creativity that makes these individuals a vital part of their communities.

Place: Various venues across the city.

Cost: Free. For more information, visit *Chicagoartistsmonth.org*.

September 28

● TUXES AND TEES BALL

This semi-formal affair helps

fund Imerman Angels' mission to enable one-on-one support among cancer fighters, survivors and caregivers. Emceed by "Windy City Live" co-host **Ryan Chiaverini** — with remarks by WGN-Channel 9's **Dina Bair** — the night includes drinks, dancing and a lively auction.

Time: 7 p.m.

Place: Roosevelt University Ballroom, 430 S. Michigan

Cost: $150. For tickets, visit *Imermana.ejoinme.org*.

September 28

AIDS RUN & WALK

Whether you stroll, jog or sprint, get the lead out at this annual fundraiser for the AIDS Foundation of Chicago. Post-race, cool down with a performance by soulful recording artist, **CeCe Peniston.**

Time: 8 a.m.

Place: Soldier Field, Waldron and Museum Campus

Cost: $35 to walk, $45 to run. For more information, visit *Aidsrunwalk.org*.

next week

September 28

BRIGHT PINK'S NIGHT BRIGHT

Sport your best pink apparel to this fashion-centric event, featuring a runway show with looks from Westfield Old Orchard retailers and a performance by dance-pop quintet **G.R.L. Giuliana Rancic** will be on hand to grant the wishes of two local ladies through her Fab-U-Wish initiative, which provides women undergoing treatment for breast and ovarian cancer the opportunity to spend a day feeling fabulous.

Time: 6 p.m.

Place: Westfield Old Orchard, Skokie and Old Orchard

Cost: Free. For more information, visit *Westfield.com*.

September 30

AFTER SCHOOL MATTERS GALA

Since 1991, After School Matters has helped more than 100,000 teens from underserved communities through afternoon programs ranging from dance to culinary arts. ASM students demonstrate their talents at this major fundraiser, hosted by board chair **Mellody Hobson** and husband **George Lucas,** an ASM committee member.

Time: 5:30 p.m.

Place: Navy Pier, 600 E. Grand

Cost: $1,500. For tickets, visit *Afterschoolmatters.org/gala*.

The 2012 Couture & Cocktails event featured dresses by Pamella Roland.

October 2

COMMON THREADS COOK-OFF

The heat is on as top toques and master mixologists vie for foodie favorite, whipping up dishes to be served in a glass or on a bun, shell or stick. The appetizing evening supports Common Thread's community-empowering culinary programs.

Time: 6:30 p.m.

Place: Fulton's on the River, 315 N. LaSalle

Cost: $75. For tickets, visit *Commonthreads.org*.

October 3

LYNN SAGE CANCER RESEARCH FOUNDATION'S 28TH ANNUAL FALL BENEFIT

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Diane Keaton

Time: 11 a.m.

Place: Hilton Chicago, 720 S. Michigan

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October 4

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The Joffrey Ballet kicks off its season with this fashionable fête, cochaired by **Kathleen Henson** and **Sonya Jackson.** Enjoy a runway show that blends top trends, courtesy of Neiman Marcus, with classic costumes from such Joffrey productions as "The Nutcracker."

Time: 7 p.m.

Place: Park West, 322 W. Armitage

Cost: $300, $550 and $1,500. For tickets, visit *Joffrey.org/couture*.

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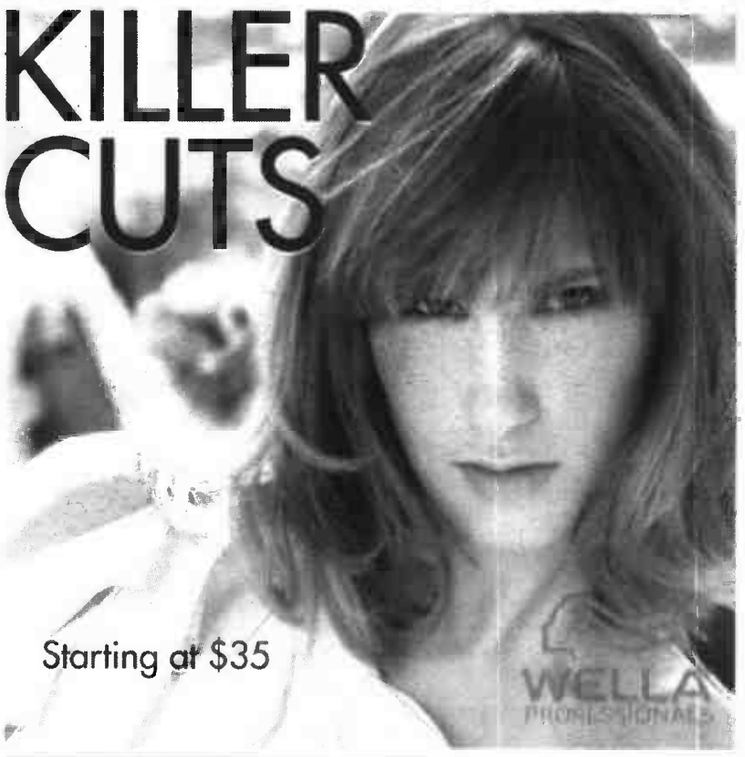

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For more on Krupa, check out our cover story on page 14.

NEIMAN MARCUS SHOE SALON ON TWO PARTY

PUMP IT UP

Dr. Julius Few and Julie Darling

Right: Wendy Krimins and Joanna Krupa. Below: Christa Hibbs and Monica Canellis look at shoes.

A model displays a Saint Laurent shoe.

STORY BY KATERINA BIZIOS | PHOTOS BY RAMZI DREESSEN

While in town for her Splash cover shoot, Chicago native and "The Real Housewives of Miami" star **Joanna Krupa** joined 300 guests at Neiman Marcus Michigan Avenue (737 N. Michigan) for the unveiling of the luxury retailer's new Shoe Salon on Two. While sipping Smirnoff Sorbet Light cocktails and snacking on hors d'oeuvres at the Splash-sponsored party, attendees perused shoes by Tom Ford, Chanel, Christian Louboutin, Charlotte Olympia, Saint Laurent and more. Throughout the night, Krupa stopped for photos and shopped with fans, showing off some of her favorite heels.

ELITSA BIZIOS in Diane von Furstenberg at A. Finkl & Sons | **KATHLEEN HENSON** in BCBG at Harris Theater | **JENN SAUER** in Monique Lhuillier at Neiman Marcus Michigan Avenue | **JOVANNE SMITH** in Akira at Vertigo Sky Lounge | **MERRIE O'RAHILLY** in Nanette Lepore at Harris Theater | **MARY LAUSCH** in Diane von Furstenberg at Harris Theater

LACE EFFECT

A perennial style staple and the ultimate expression of femininity, lace is never far from the catwalks. But this year's crop is weaving a different story. Instead of simple lace dresses, labels like Alexander McQueen have taken to lace panels, sleeves and overlays, adding a new dimensions to a classic. There's no wrong way to lace your look, but whether you go with a bold color or elegant black, remember to limit accessories (too many will clash with the intricate pattern). Oscar de la Renta and Dolce & Gabbana nailed the trend with the sophisticated and sexy evening gowns in their Fall 2013 collections. 'Tis the season to embrace the lace.

JELLYFISH ONE-YEAR ANNIVERSARY PARTY

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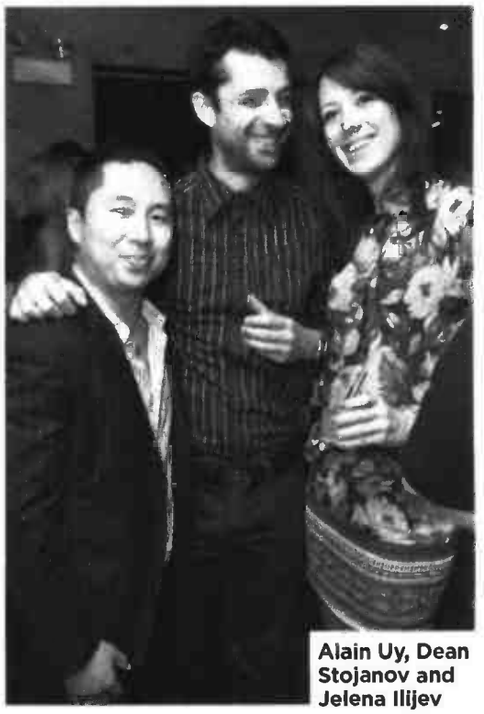
Guests were treated to Jellyfish's El Sol roll

Akbar Mustafa and Jennifer Wicks



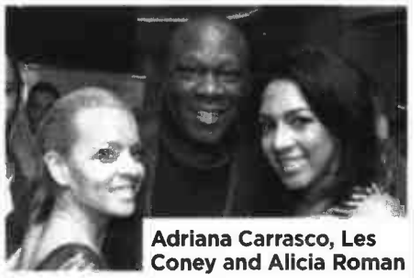
Alain Uy, Dean Stojanov and Jelena Ilijev

STORIES BY KATERINA BIZIOS

Nearly 500 guests packed into Gold Coast Pan-Asian restaurant and lounge Jellyfish (1009 N. Rush) Sept. 18 to help managing partners **Joseph De Vito** and **Josh Carl** celebrate one year in business. Partygoers like Bulls player **Jimmy Butler** and former Chicago Bears defender **Gary Fencik** chowed down on braised beef short ribs and spicy tuna rolls, prepared by chefs **Jason Im** and **Puje Dorlig,** while sipping the evening's signature blue cocktail, a blend of Curaçao liqueur, lemongrass syrup and fresh lychee. DJs **Jesse De La Pena** and **Jimmy Munoz** kept the Splash-sponsored bash rocking late into the night.

PHOTOS BY RAMZI DREESSEN

Josh Carl and Joseph De Vito



Adriana Carrasco, Les Coney and Alicia Roman

Monika Dixon and Jeffrey Weller

David Eigenberg, Jason Vincent, Katie Rich, Robert Falls and Elysabeth Alfano | CHUCK OSGOOD

THE DINNER PARTY

TABLE TALK

Nightwood chef **Jason Vincent** cooked up a storm Sept. 16 at City Winery (1200 W. Randolph) for the season premiere of "The Dinner Party," a monthly meal hosted by **Elysabeth Alfano** that brings together a variety of Chicagoans for dinner and lively conversation (broadcast live on *Chicagosplash.com).* "Chicago Fire" star **David Eigenberg,** Goodman Theatre Artistic Director **Robert Falls** and Second City comedian **Katie Rich** indulged in Vincent's corn soup and spit-roasted chicken, wine from City Winery, Vosges chocolate and VOSS artesian water while keeping the audience laughing with impromptu performances and unscripted conversation.

The Sun-Times was the media sponsor of this event.

GALA OF THE ARTS

ART AND SOUL

Michael Boland with Michael and Carol Bilder | JOHN REILLY PHOTOGRAPHY

STORY BY KATERINA BIZIOS

More than 400 guests celebrated the arts at Navy Pier's Grand Ballroom (600 E. Grand) Sept. 6 for Catholic Charities of the Archdiocese of Chicago's 12th annual gala. An art show and sale kicked off the evening, showcasing works by sketch artist **Rosemary Fanti,** glass artist **James Wilbat** and photographs taken by Catholic Charities program members. **The Buckinghams** performed hits from the '60s during dinner, and later, WMAQ-Channel 5's **Allison Rosati** took the stage and presented the 2013 Gala of the Art Mandatum Award to **Michael** and **Carol Bilder.** Proceeds from the event benefited the Catholic Charities' Emergency Assistance programs, which provide individuals and families in crisis with food, clothing and financial assistance.

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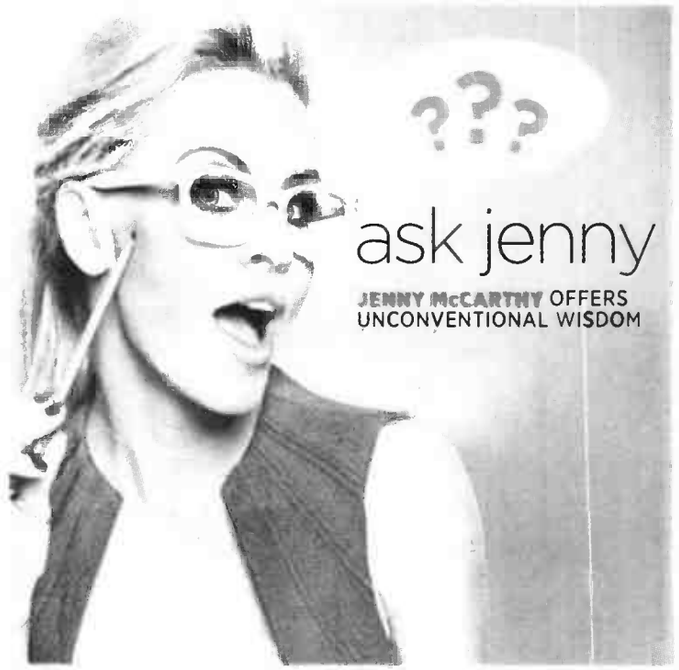
Bill and Jeanne Hardy with Bill Jovan and Mary Alice Jovan

WMAQ-Channel 5's Allison Rosati

Jeff and Gloria Schwartz



THE AGE-OLD QUESTION

Should you date someone much younger or older?

Dear Jenny,

I hit on this hot waiter at a restaurant and gave him my number. He texted me to go on a date, then I found out he's 20. I'm 31! What do I do? Should I pursue it despite the age difference?

—*Anonymous*

Jenny says: Girl, I like to go with the saying "age is only a number." I have met numerous people who are happily dating despite a large age difference, and I myself was in a five-year relationship with someone who was 11 years older than me. It might feel more awkward for you because you are the girl in the relationship, and guys are usually the ones that are older. But who cares? Right now it would just be a date. So don't create a story of a future that doesn't even exist yet. Just take it moment by moment.

The only age-gap problem I ever noticed would happen when we were driving together and we would fight about which radio station we wanted to listen to. Other than that, enjoy the perks that come with it — of which there are many. And don't forget to have fun!

Send questions to *Askjenny @suntimes.com*

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Tropic of Thistle

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Tropical storm

It's always sunny at new River North tiki bar Three Dots and a Dash

BY RACHEL HANDLER

Tiki is alive and well in Chicago. Need convincing? Just follow the line of torches down the alley behind Bub City and descend the blue-lit, cavern-like stairs into new River North watering hole Three Dots and a Dash, where bartenders clad in Hawaiian shirts top tropical drinks with swizzle sticks, and where bamboo, hanging lanterns and carved totem poles abound.

"Tiki is all about escapism," explains owner and bartender **Paul McGee** (inset), who co-founded the spot with R.J. Jerrod and Molly Melman of Lettuce Entertain You and names tiki trailblazers like Trader Vic and Don the Beachcomber as his inspirations. "It's fun, it's cheeky, it's over-the-top. When I'm here, [it feels like] I'm at a resort."

Equally exotic are the drinks, which range from traditional tiki cocktails like the Mai Tai ($13) to McGee's own concoctions, such as the Amaro-drenched Tropic of Thistle ($13). "It's an herbal, bitter drink," he explains. "It's probably the least expected thing at a tiki bar." Be careful, though — as the menu warns, the drinks are of "impressive strength," so down more than two and you may find yourself three sheets to the (distinctly tropical) wind. Here's what else to expect at Three Dots and a Dash:

Bartender stats: McGee began his career bartending in Las Vegas spots like the Venetian, and later served as corporate mixologist for the Wolfgang Puck Fine Dining Group. In 2008, he moved to Chicago, where he opened The Whistler in Logan Square.

The vibe: A campy throwback to a 1940s hotel bar, but slightly more upscale. Waitresses tend to tables in floor-length floral dresses, and McGee culled much of the whimsical decor from the original (now-shuttered) Trader Vics, such as tiki totems and 70-pound clamshells. "The craft cocktail movement went from being really serious and precious to really casual," he says. "We're having more fun, creating a communal experience."

Must-try drink: McGee fell in love with the bar's namesake Three Dots and a Dash cocktail ($13) several years ago while throwing tiki-themed bashes at The Whistler. "It was made by Don the Beachcomber, who I look up to immensely as far as his drink creations go," says McGee of the concoction, made with rum, honey, allspice and cinnamon clove. "So it's an important cocktail." Its name is equally weighty: The symbols signify the letter "V" in morse code, which stood for "victory" during World War II.

Food for thought: "[The food] is here to soak up the rum," laughs McGee. The Polynesian-inspired menu includes crab rangoon ($11), crispy coconut shrimp ($13) and beef negamaki, topped with a soy glaze ($14).

Banish cold-weather woes: "I think this will be a great wintertime hangout," says McGee. "When it gets dark at 4:30, you'll want to be tricking yourself that you're someplace warm." Until then, sip the vanilla and ginger-filled Christmas in July, one of four cocktails that come in a sharable punchbowl ($50, serves 3-4).

435 N. Clark, (312) 610-4220; Threedotschicago.com

THE 'GOOD' LIFE

'The Good Wife' star **Josh Charles** makes the case for his perfect day in Chicago

BY ZAK STEMER

Josh Charles' legions of fans would agree that the actor has a *je ne sais quoi*, a certain swagger, that — when combined with his tousled hair and roguish pout — makes him hard to resist. That indescribable air of cool is one of the reasons that Charles is so believable in his Emmy-nominated role as Will Gardner, the bad-boy name partner at a prestigious Chicago law firm on CBS' "The Good Wife."

With the show's fifth season premiering Sept. 29, Charles is eager to tease fans with some details. "There's going to be a civil war where they left the story line. It sets the stage for intense conflict and drama," he says. But as for the show's love triangle — a battle royal between Charles and Chris Noth over Julianna Margulies' lead character — Charles is mum. "That's on ice for the moment," he says.

This season will also see the multitalented Charles (known for his roles in 1989's "Dead Poets Society" and the late '90s TV show "Sports Night") step behind the camera to direct two episodes. "[I have] everything I need right now to challenge me in new ways," he says. "It's great to get the opportunity to do this in an environment that's so tight-knit."

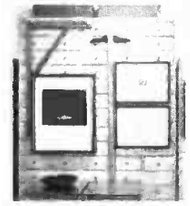
Though the Chicago-set series is filmed in New York, Charles fell hard for our fair city while acting in Steppenwolf's 2005 run of "A Well-Appointed Room." "I love the city so much," says the actor, who visited twice this past summer. "I'd love to do another play there. I was talking to Kerry Wood during his [Woody's Wiffle Ball Classic event] and I realized that it's the people, it's the food, it's the architecture, the theater, the arts community. There's always something new to do. Chicago is my kind of town, like Frank said."

When Charles isn't on the set of "The Good Wife," he's at home, enjoying his latest role as the good husband. The actor wed longtime love and *Bunheads* author Sophie Flack on Sept. 6 in an intimate Manhattan ceremony. He's also gearing up to promote "Bird People," a film by "Lady Chatterley" director Pascale Ferran that's nearing completion. In it, Charles plays a computer programmer passing through Paris as things go awry. "[Ferran] was a fascinating filmmaker," he says. "It was an intense but rewarding experience."

With his new bride, hit series and burgeoning movie career, Charles is on top of the world. But even with all of his success, he's managed to maintain his cool — as is true to character.

Watch "The Good Wife" at 8 p.m. Sundays on WBBM-Ch. 2.

10 A.M.
Charles heads to the Bongo Room (5022 N. Clark) for a plate of rich pancakes.



NOON
He stops by one of his favorite stores, Scout Vintage (5221 N. Clark), to check out the home decor selection.

2:20 P.M.
It's not an ideal afternoon without a trip to Wrigley Field (1060 W. Addison) for hot dogs and a Cubs game.

6 P.M.
Dinner at Balena (1633 N. Halsted). "I'm a sucker for Italian food," he says. "And the atmosphere there is great."

7:30 P.M.
Charles heads back to his old stomping grounds to take in a show at Steppenwolf (1650 N. Halsted). Currently on stage: "The Wheel."

10 P.M.
An admitted blues junkie, Charles finishes the night listening to music at Kingston Mines (2548 N. Halsted) or Rosa's Lounge (3420 W. Armitage).

SOMETHING BLUE

"When we signed up to do the show, we wanted the audience to know us through the bad and the good. I don't think it's fair to do a reality show and pick and choose what you want to do. It's not fair for the audience."

Nina Ricci: gown, $7,350, Ikram, 15 E. Huron; *Ninaricci.com*

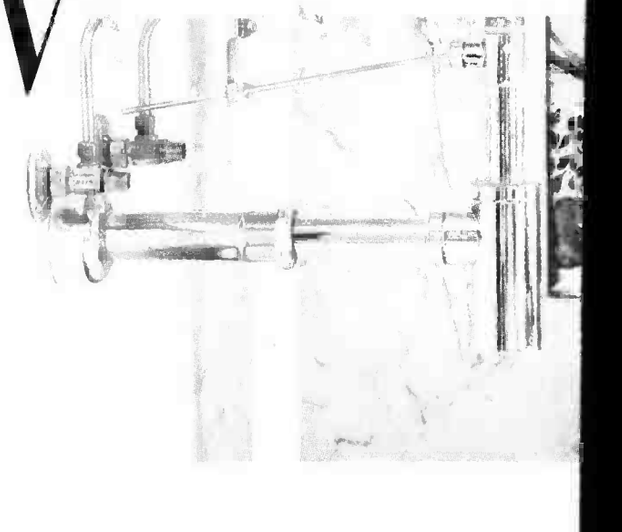
Van Cleef and Arpels: Perlée clover bracelet, $29,400, 933 N. Michigan; *Vancleefarpels.com*

Prada: Spazzolato pointy T-strap pump, $750, Neiman Marcus; 737 N. Michigan; *Neimanmarcus.com*

A MODEL OCCASION

From classic cuts to unconventional hues, newlywed *JOANNA KRUPA* showcases the best in bridal fashion

STORY BY MOLLY EACH | PHOTOGRAPHED BY MARIA PONCE



Stylist: **Favia** at Ford Artists

Hair and makeup: **Tony Yates**

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Shoot Coordinator: **Katerina Bizios**

Shoot Assistant: **Alexandra Bizios**

Location: **The Langham Chicago,** 330 N. Wabash; *Chicagolangham hotels.com*

She has posed for more than 120 magazine covers worldwide, appeared on "Dancing with the Stars," co-hosts "Poland's Next Top Model" and currently stars on "The Real Housewives of Miami." But later this fall, the Poland-born, Chicago-raised Joanna Krupa will put one of her most intimate moments yet on camera: She's airing her wedding on the reality show's season finale.

"I wanted a fairy-tale feeling, very light and lush," says Krupa of her recent nuptials to love of six years Romain Zago. The couple tied the knot June 13 in front of 120 close friends and family members in Carlsbad, Calif., surrounded by 20,000 flowers — and it was all put together in just three months.

"It was stressful and definitely a challenge, but I had amazing wedding planners," Krupa says. "It was magical. We waited over six years, but it was definitely worth the wait."

Followers of "The Real Housewives of Miami" know the Krupa/Zago relationship has been far from perfect, but Krupa says that televising these difficult moments proved cathartic. "We almost fell apart. But filming the show and dealing with some situations on camera saved our relationship. We realized, 'Oh my god, we really do take each other for granted.' You learn a lot from seeing yourself on TV, especially with your significant other. You want to become a better person when you watch yourself."

One of the couple's major issues was a lack of intimacy, in part because of Zago's low libido, and this season has featured the pair visiting a sex therapist. It's this issue that has garnered the most support for Krupa; she finds it's opened up a new dialogue with her female fans. "It's crazy how many people can relate," she says. And she applauds her new husband for tackling the issue publicly. "I was surprised that he agreed to do it. Not only to see a sex therapist, but to do it in front of millions of people," she says. "I really give him a lot of credit."

WHITE WEDDING

"It's real," Krupa says of the show. "Sometimes they put you in situations or make you go to events where the other girls will be there, so they trick us that way. But otherwise, it's whatever happens."

Jenny Packham: Daphne gown, $5,290, Ultimate Bride, 106 E. Oak; *Jennypackham.com*

Van Cleef & Arpels: Perlée clover bracelet, $29,400, Cosmos earclips small model, $35,700, 933 N. Michigan; *Vancleefarpels.com*

Now that they're married, they'll continue to split time between Miami, where Zago runs the popular Mynt Lounge, and LA, where between modeling gigs, Krupa is working on a swimsuit line, a skincare line and helming Angels for Animal Rescue, the nonprofit animal rescue she founded with her friend, Gabriela Gutierrez.

Though the wedding day has passed, Krupa is looking forward to experiencing it all over again when the episode airs. "It was the most amazing time, but it's like a blur for me," she says. "I can't wait to relive it with my friends and family." But she teases that there's plenty more in store before "I do's" are exchanged. "My bachelorette was a riot, and there's a lot of drama between the girls. It's crazy," she says. "But if you watch the wedding, the best is saved for last."

"The Real Housewives of Miami" airs Monday nights at 8 p.m. on Bravo

THE REAL SCOOP

This season of "Miami" is moving toward a multiple-wedding conclusion: Both Krupa and her nemesis, Adriana De Moura, will have their nuptials televised, and the dual plot lines are even thicker considering their contentious relationship — De Moura famously slapped Krupa during a heated argument last season. So where do the enemies stand? "We've made peace," Krupa reveals. "We're at the point where we see each other and we'll say hi and be nice." But she's not completely letting her guard down just yet. "I don't trust her fully with everything that has happened. I'm just waiting for the next time."

MORE ONLINE

For a behind-the-scenes video of our photo shoot with Joanna Krupa go to *Chicagosplash.com*.

BLUSHING BRIDE

"It's always such a joy to come to Chicago. I feel right at home and I can catch up with family and old friends. It makes you humble. You think, 'Wow, this is where I came from.' "

Nina Ricci gown, $3,450, Ikram, 15 E. Huron; *Ninaricci.com*

Van Cleef & Arpels Perlee clover bracelet, $29,400, 933 N. Michigan; *Vancleef arpels.com*

Tabula Tua

OUTSIDE THE (BIG) BOX

Unique boutiques make it easy to stack your registry with gifts tailored to your relationship BY KATE STAHL

Sure, every newlywed home needs a new set of pots and pans or the hottest high-tech blender. But when saying "I do," it's also fun to get wedding gifts that are unique to you as a couple. From gift certificates to cooking classes to quirky serveware, we tracked down five local registry alternatives that offer everything newlyweds need to feather their nests with style.

Poladora

Chicago-based website Poladora (a combination of the Greek words "Pola" and "Dora," which together mean "many gifts") lets brides and grooms register for gifts from multiple Chicago retailers in one spot. Started by Chicago local Stephanie Pirishis — who was frustrated by her own wedding registry process — Poladora lets you register for everything from conventional pieces like plates and home decor items to nontraditional gifts, including cooking and yoga classes. Another cool perk for those who often experience buyer's remorse: After gifts are purchased from your list, you can choose to either have them shipped to you, or you can keep the value of the item to use as a credit toward any retailer in Poladora's partner network, which includes Provenance Food & Wine, TipsyCake, Yogaview and Crosell & Co. *Poladora.com*

Material Possessions consultant Jen DeMarie (left) works with bride-to-be Tara Deitz.

Material Possessions

This Chicago shopping staple has offered a wedding registry program for more than 30 years, and partners brides and grooms with a wedding consultant to help them create a registry full of traditional and contemporary home accessories and tabletop items, including the shop's signature pieces created by American and international artists. Friends and family can purchase items online, by phone and in store, and if you don't want to wait for UPS, Material Possessions will hold your gifts until you pick them up at the Chicago or Winnetka locations. 704 N. Wabash, (312) 280-4885; 954 Green Bay, Winnetka, (847) 446-8840; *Materialpossessions.com*

Kneen & Co.

If luxury is your thing, then a trip to this by-appointment-only shop is a must for your registry. "People are attracted to Kneen & Co. because of our selection of hard-to-find and custom items," says owner Mary Jeanne Kneen. Lobmeyr crystal, Nymphenburg porcelain and Cristofle Collections silver are just some of the upscale labels carried at the shop, but if there's a luxury item that a bride wants, Kneen & Co. will get it, even if it's not a brand they currently sell. While the shop's offerings are definitely on the pricey side, Kneen says they also offer brides the option of creating a monetary registry, so guests can contribute any amount of money to high-ticket items. 399 W. Fullerton, (773) 880-8424; *Kneenandco.com*

Tabula Tua

Lincoln Park shop Tabula Tua is known for stocking one-of-a-kind pieces, often handcrafted and painted individually by artisans from around the world — but don't be intimidated by the impeccable artistry. The staff at Tabula Tua aims to help couples create a household filled with contemporary, eclectic and traditional pieces suitable for everyday use, mixed with special items that will add a wow factor to your next dinner or cocktail party. 1015 W. Armitage, (773) 525-3500; *Tabulatua.com*

Jonathan Adler

Always-chic home decor store Jonathan Adler stocks everything from glassware, dinnerware and tabletop accessories to furniture, wall decor, rugs and bedding. If you have the basics, but want to style your home with colorful, quirky and statement-making pieces, Jonathan Adler is the place to do it. The registry allows guests to purchase gifts online or in store; the company has 26 locations across the U.S. 676 N. Wabash, (312) 274-9920; *Jonathanadler.com*

Jonathan Adler medium leaf bowl, $98

Marissa Gillman & Nicholas Schaefer

BY KATERINA BIZIOS

When **Nicholas Schaefer** joined *Match.com* in 2011, he didn't expect to find love right away. But after the CRC Insurance Services, Inc. broker stumbled across Lanvin Assistant Store Director **Marissa Gillman's** profile, he knew he'd found his future wife. For Gillman, the spark was just as instantaneous. "It's what he didn't have on his profile that caught my attention," she laughs. "There were no shirtless pictures, and he didn't take himself too seriously." The duo's senses of humor helped them forge a lasting connection, and they tied the knot Aug. 31 at Saddle & Cycle Club (900 W. Foster) in front of 180 friends and family members. They exchanged vows in a nontraditional Jewish ceremony where Gillman promised to always give Schaefer credit for piecing together his outfits, including his attire for the night, which was head-to-toe Lanvin. Also dressed to impress was the bride, clad in a gown by Israeli designer Inbal Dror, and the bridal party, who donned Jenny Yoo bridesmaid dresses and Zara groomsman suits with Lanvin ties. But the evening didn't stay formal for long. A 15-piece band kept guests dancing all night. "They served the first course, and everyone said they were soaking wet from dancing," says Schaefer.

MORE ONLINE
For more of their wedding photos, visit *Chicagosplash.com*

Rings: Groom's from Holtzmann's Jewelry, 2304 N. Clark, *Holtzmanns.net*; Bride's wedding band, Niletti Creations Fine Jewelry & Diamond, 560 5th, New York City, *Nilettic-reations.com*; Engagement ring, Hoffman Jewelers, 209 Skokie, Highland Park; *Hoffmanjewelers.com*

Florist: Abby Flowers Design, 421 E. Irving Park, Wood Dale; *Abbyflowersdesign.com*

Photographer: Steven Gross, Real Life Weddings; *Reallifeweddings.com*

Hair: Carla at Charles Ifergan, 106 E. Oak; *Charlesifergan.com*

Makeup: Mireille Hamon, owner of Mireille's Studio, 49 E. Oak; *Mireillesstudio.com*

Cake: Alliance Bakery, 1736 W. Division; *Alliance-bakery.com*

Band/DJ: Ron Bedal Orchestra; *Ronbedalorchestra.com*

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CHEERS!

Brittany Gasparaitis with Ted and Danae Maglaris

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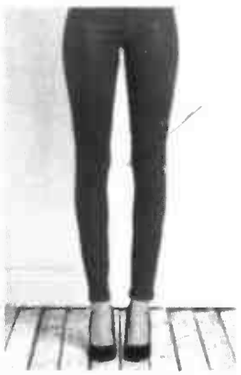

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Through Dec. 21, Sullivan Galleries at the School of the Art Institute, 33 S. State, 7th floor; *Saic.edu*

<< The artists' film "El Fin del Mundo" anchors the exhibit.

'News from Nowhere: Chicago Laboratory' envisions a time when we'll all be living on the edge

BY THOMAS CONNORS

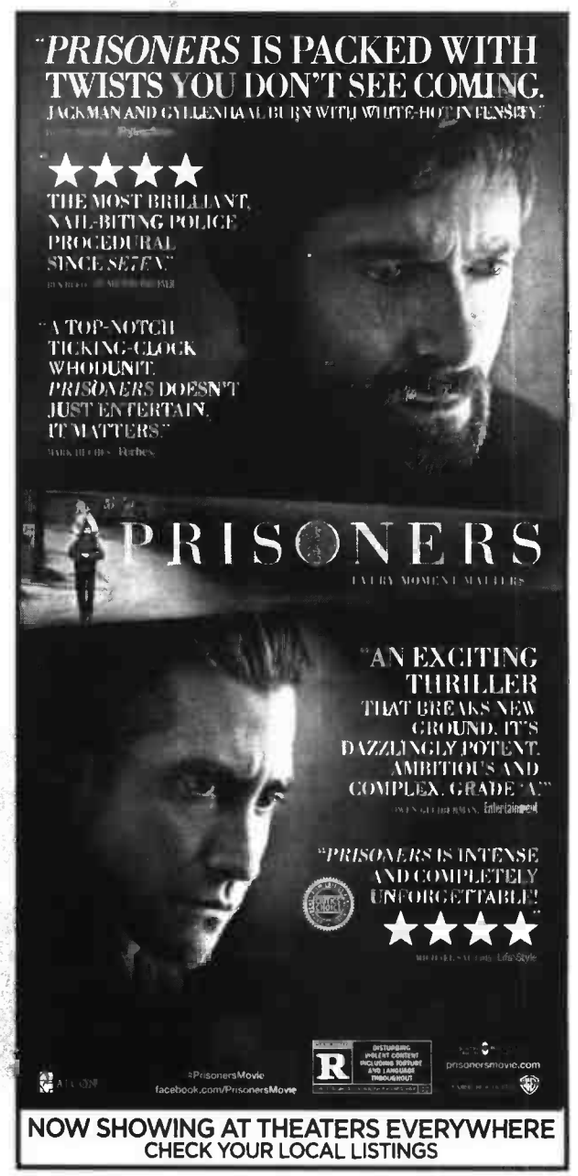
Imagining a frightening future has long been the bailiwick of science fiction writers and dystopia-driven filmmakers. Now, the School of the Art Institute of Chicago ponders that less-than-pretty road with "News from Nowhere: Chicago Laboratory," the first U.S. exhibition devoted to the work of noted Korean artists Moon Kyungwon and Jeon Joonho.

Inspired by 19th-century British designer William Morris' novel, "News from Nowhere" tackles topics ranging from engineering to philosophy as it conjures a time when the species has been forced to start over. The show — anchored by the artists' film "El Fin del Mundo" — is a collaborative project that includes Pritzker Prize-winning architect Toyo Ito, Rotterdam design collaborative MVRDV and fashion designer Kosuke Tsumura.

Initially presented last fall at dOCUMENTA, a survey of cutting-edge art that takes place in Germany every five years, the visionary exhibit wowed Mary Jane Jacob, the exhibition's organizer and SAIC's executive director of exhibitions and exhibition studies. "We have seen many end-of-the-world sci-fi movies, but this was a vision we hadn't seen before," she says. "Then [there] was more — a scientific display, architectural models, futuristic clothing."

With its curious objects, plans and texts, "News from Nowhere" is a brainy musing on the art of survival. There are prototypes for artificial organs that recycle water within the human body, biodegradable "bubbles" fit for humans to live in and schemes for new foods. And the two-screen "El Fin del Mundo" depicts one artist living in a world on the edge of catastrophe, and another negotiating a post-apocalyptic future.

"The thing I find so remarkable about Moon and Jeon's practice as artists, and something which propelled me to bring their work to Chicago and which made the School of the Art Institute the right place for it, is that their artistic method is to bring together creative people for an open, respectful and deep exchange," says Jacob. "On the one hand, the conversation is about art — the role of the artist, the importance of beauty to humanity — things that have always concerned artists. But on the other hand, their subjects have relevance to our everyday circumstances, like how will we have clean water in the near future, and even now, for some populations?"



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IN CHARACTER WITH ...

Justina Machado

The Chicago native stars in NBC's 'Welcome to the Family'

BY LIZ CROKIN

Above: Machado with (from left) Ricardo Chavira, Mary McCormack and Mike O'Malley in "Welcome to the Family"

Justina Machado has come a long way from her days as a struggling teenage actor in Chicago. "As much as [I loved] Chicago, and Chicago has amazing actors, I wanted bigger things to happen," says the Lane Tech grad, who worked at Victory Gardens Theater and performed at the now-defunct Latino Chicago Theater before moving to New York City.

There, Machado found roles almost immediately in both TV and film, starring alongside Halle Berry in "The Call" and as Vanessa Diaz in "Six Feet Under." Now, she's playing Lisette Hernandez in "Welcome to the Family," a new NBC comedy set to premiere Oct. 3. "It's great to have a steady job," she says. "You get to build a family, and I love everyone I'm working with."

Humble beginnings: "I had a friend who was an agent in Chicago and involved in this theater company called the Latino Theater Company. She sent me on an audition and I got a part when I was 18. Unfortunately, there was a fire there, and the theater company dissolved. The move for me was New York, not LA — I'm a city girl. I was only there for five or six months, and then I got a job."

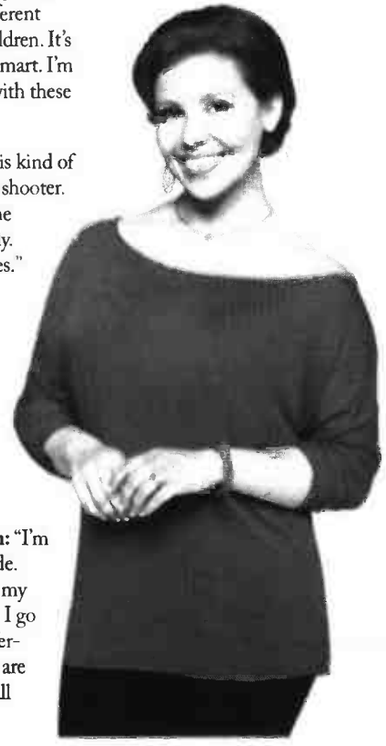
Family affair: "['Welcome to the Family'] is a comedy about a bunch of different couples. It's about philosophies and personalities colliding and different ideas of how to rear children. It's really funny and really smart. I'm excited to be working with these actors and producers."

Role call: "[Lisette] is kind of no-nonsense, a straight shooter. She's really loving — she loves her kids and family. She'll have lots of phases."

Playing house: "I went in and did a read with Ricardo Chavira, who plays my husband. We just clicked. We had chemistry. He's such a nice person, and funny too."

Chicago connection: "I'm from the Northwest Side. Logan Square is where my parents live. Every time I go back, Chicago is so different, the neighborhoods are so different. There are all these new restaurants. I'm always going to a new spot."

"Welcome to the Family" premieres at 7:30 p.m. Oct. 3 on NBC.



The best for less

Snag a smaller house on a high-end street in big-ticket Winnetka

BY LISA SKOLNIK

You have to open your wallet pretty wide to buy a home in Winnetka, where recent data compiled by *Homefinder.com* shows that 78 percent of single-family homes cost more than $1 million. In fact, the average price for the 103 for-sale Winnetka listings analyzed by the site is $2.42 million — a whopping number that makes the town one of the top 10 luxury suburbs in America and the only one in the Midwest to make the list.

So what do you get for the price? The average Winnetka house on the market today has 5.5 bedrooms, 6.1 bathrooms and 5,864 square feet. But if you can live with a little less, there are some prize properties to be had. One such charmer is a three-bedroom, two-bathroom 1928 home, built by a local artist to resemble a Mediterranean villa (the address is only given to serious buyers), for $699,000. It boasts 14-inch-thick brick walls and Spanish-style metal-framed windows; its original tile roof and dramatic 'Widow's Walk' are still intact. It's also been fastidiously updated with everything from new mechanicals and structural details (including two new balconies) to a gourmet kitchen with handsome cabinets and granite countertops. But best of all, notes Coldwell Banker broker **Debra Kruger** (inset, call 847-302-0550), is the lot, at 50 feet by 188 feet, in a prime Winnetka location: right near the town's vibrant downtown and award-winning Crowe Island Elementary School. "It's so large," notes Kruger, "that village code will allow you to add an additional 1,540 square feet to the house if you want to expand it." In other words, you get a big, beautiful house for way under $2.42 million.

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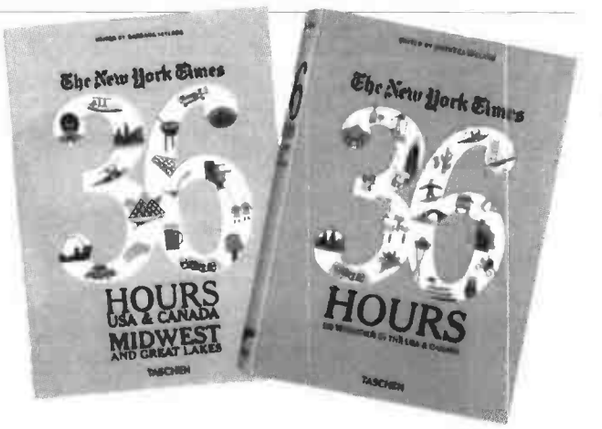

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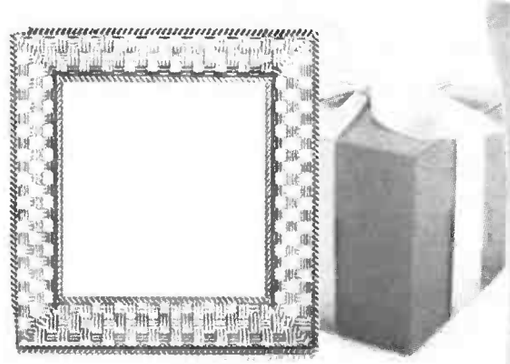

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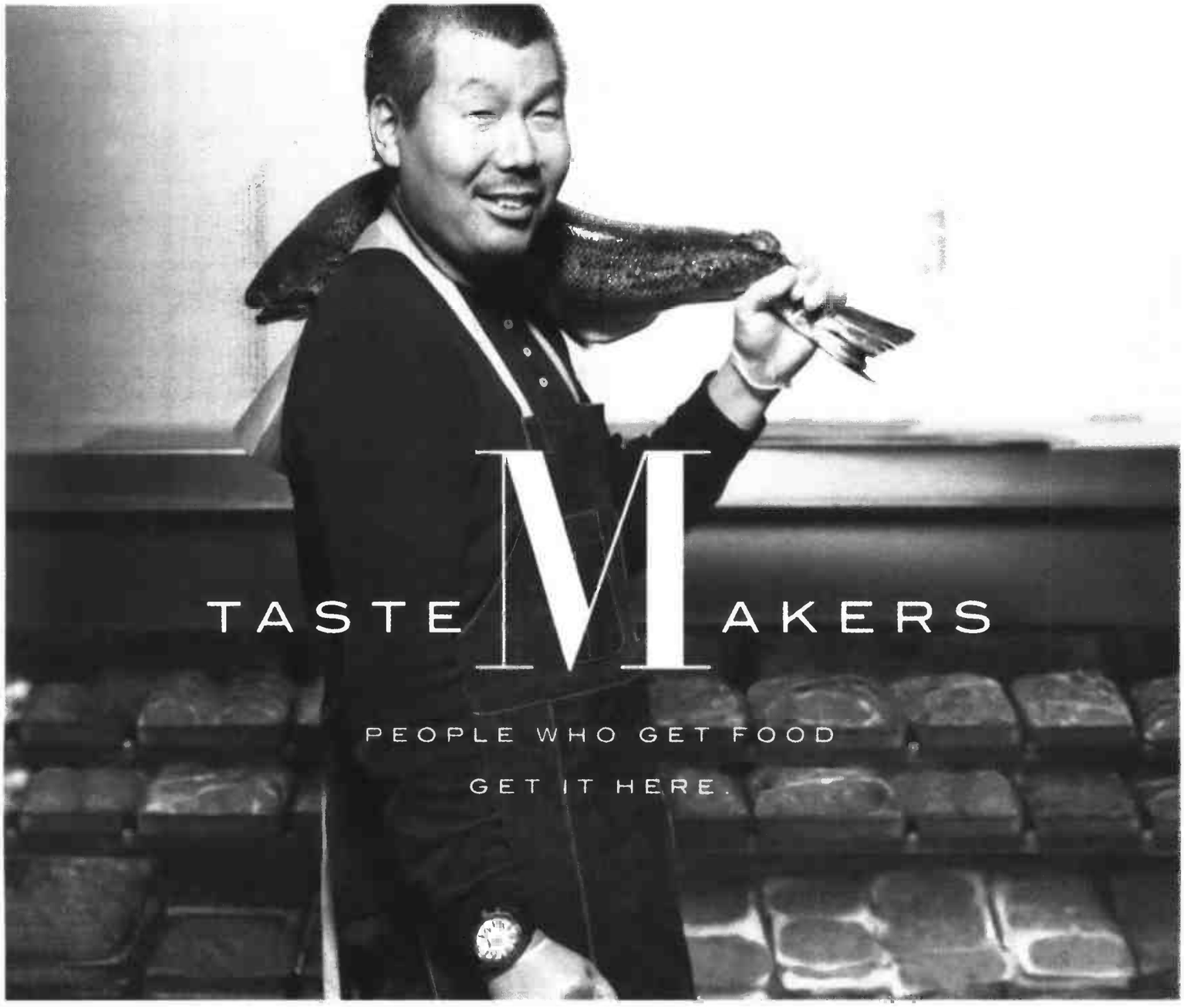

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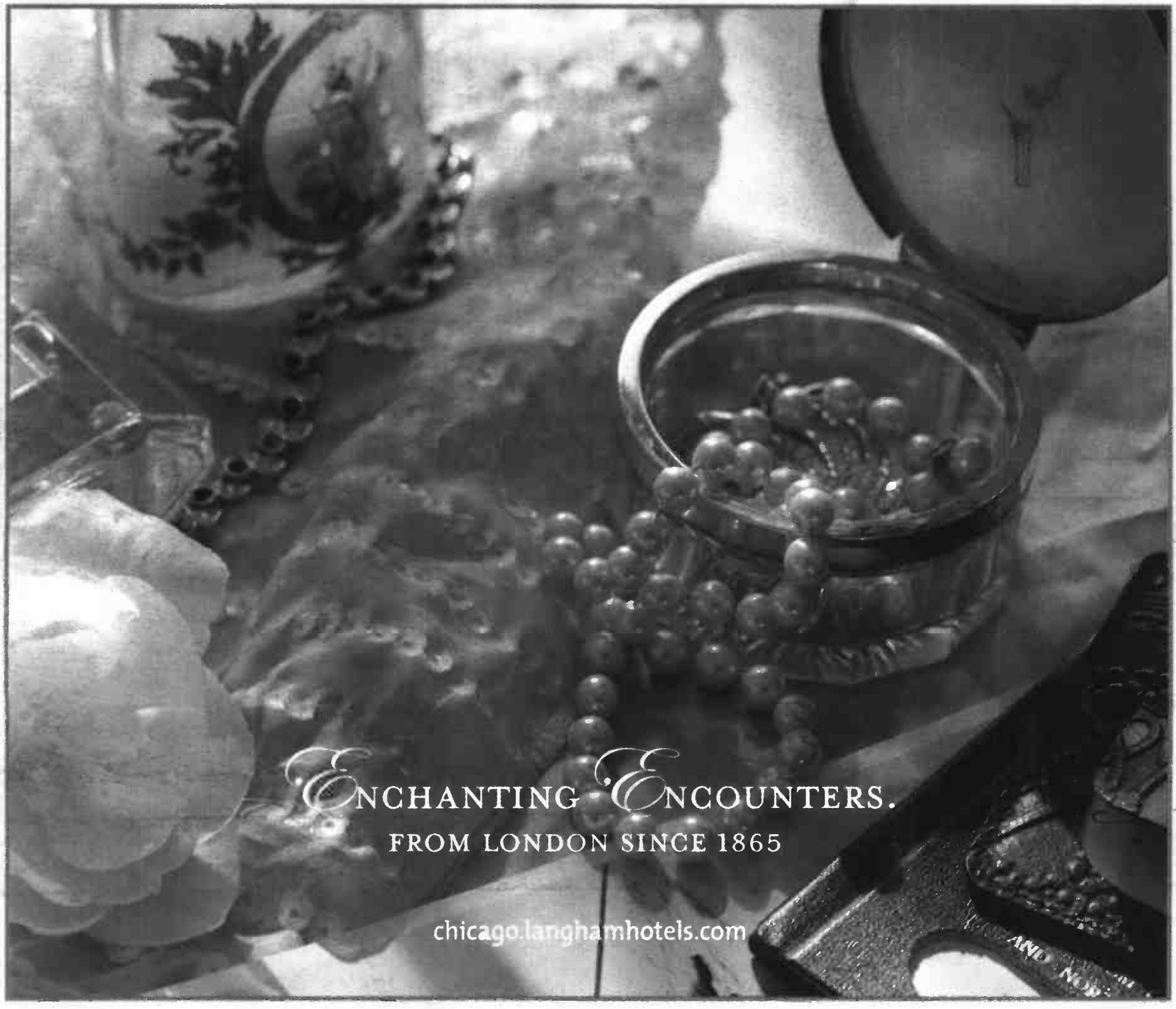

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CX-5 could be the segment leader

BY JEFF TAYLOR
For Sun-Times Media

For 2014 the Mazda CX-7 is gone, leaving the CX-9 and the smaller CX-5. The CX-5 is offered in Sport trim with a 2.0-liter four-cylinder standard while Touring and Grand Touring models get a larger 2.5-liter four-cylinder. If you want a manual you have to go with a front-wheel-drive Sport model. My test vehicle was an AWD Grand Touring edition which came with the SkyActiv Drive six-speed automatic and a 2,000-pound towing capacity.

Like the "zoomy" Mazda6 and new Mazda3, the CX-5 has rich bodylines that look like they belong on a more expensive vehicle. The wheel arches are large and house P255/55 R19 tires, and the bodyline is high pinching the windows. The nose adapts the new trapezoidal grille shape and headlight design.

The CX-5 maintains the "zoom, zoom" branding with good performance and handling. Acceleration is slightly above average. The six-speed automatic transmission is geared very well to the engine with well-timed up/downshifts, and it really works to squeeze every bit of mileage. Also helping the handling is a 3,532-pound curb weight to which Mazda bolts on 19-inch tires. Slicing up some curves and low-speed maneuverability is where this vehicle shines. The electric steering could use a bit more road feel, but braking was very strong with minimal fade after some around-town stop-and-go and hard braking.

Inside, the no-nonsense design features intuitive, easy-to-read screens and frequently-used controls within reach. The front seats look as if they were lifted from the Miata. The instrument cluster had bright, well-lit gauges that were easy to read, day or night. The three-spoke racing-inspired steering wheel also appeared taken from the Miata.

There is seating for five with a child in the rear center. Rear entry is a little tight but this is true for most compacts.

Rear legroom is also decent, and headroom is good for average-size adults.

Rear cargo volume offers 34.1 cubic feet behind the second-row seats. Fold down the second row 40/20/40-split seats and storage capacity expands to 65.4 cubic feet in the Grand Touring models.

Top-of-the-line Grand Touring models like my test car come equipped with all the luxuries of Touring models and add the Moonroof/Bose Package. The 17-inch aluminum wheels are replaced with larger 19-inch units.

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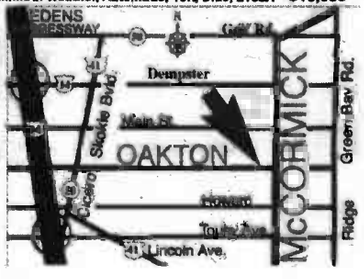

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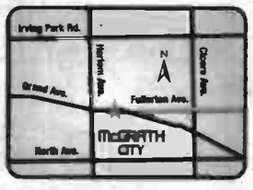

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Extended living: Patios and courtyards are offered at a number of Wilcox communities in Illinois and Indiana as a way for homeowners to add living space outside the walls of their new homes. | SUPPLIED PHOTOS

Patio pleasures

Wilcox adds beauty, function, value to outdoor living

A home's square footage is no longer confined to its four walls. Today's trends are favoring private outdoor areas, like patios and courtyards, which extend a home's living space to the yard.

These outside living rooms become a homeowner's outdoor oasis. When designed correctly they can add viable living space to the home, as well as scenic beauty, privacy and the perfect arena for backyard entertainment.

Patios and courtyards are extremely popular with new homebuyers and are considered one of the favorite features available in the single-family ranch and villa floor plans constructed by Wilcox Communities.

Wilcox is building at the Villas at Fox Run in Plainfield and Maples at the Sonatas in Woodstock in Illinois, and the Courtyards at Pepper Creek and the Villas at Vale Park in Valparaiso in Indiana.

"We believe that a properly designed outdoor area becomes a natural extension of a homeowner's indoor living space. By adding features like a fire pit, water features, furniture and landscaping to a courtyard or patio, it's easy to achieve indoor comforts outdoors for relaxation and entertaining," said Leigh Nevers, vice president of Sales and Marketing.

Depending on a homeowner's budget and space, options for outfitting a patio or courtyard are virtually endless. For those who enjoy entertaining, an outdoor kitchen, fireplace, grilling area or bar are great additions. Or, to achieve an outdoor retreat for momentarily escaping life's responsibilities, consider calming elements like water features, gardens and seat walls that blend seamlessly with the home's landscaping to create a peaceful outdoor sanctuary.

Wilcox Communities has vast experience designing attractive and versatile outdoor patios and courtyards that complement its beautiful ranch and villa style floor plans. Landscaped patios are an option available in Wilcox's Cathedral Series homes. Private courtyards come standard in their Courtyard Series homes with optional features available including covered or screened porches, as well as a variety of landscaping packages. Courtyards and patios provide customers welcomed privacy and extra comforts to their maintenance free homes.

"Buyers want an outdoor area where they could entertain family and friends. These beautiful outdoor rooms are easily one of the most utilized spaces in the homes. Whether it's hosting a barbecue with friends or simply relaxing after a long day at the office, they create a warm, inviting feel for residents," said Nevers.\

The private patios and courtyards are intended to support the carefree lifestyle that is the hallmark of every Wilcox community. The builder constructs communities that are perfect for active lifestyles, and within every thoughtfully designed development, daily hassles like yard work and exterior upkeep are taken care of so residents have more time to enjoy simple pleasures in life. From first time purchasers and career professionals to homebuyers looking to downsize, there is a Wilcox community and floor plan that suits every lifestyle.

Founded in 2002, Wilcox Communities is a regional, family-owned residential builder and developer, and the largest partner-builder of Epcon Communities. Wilcox exclusively builds lifestyle-rich, maintenance-free homes and have communities located in in seven syayes, including Illinois and Indiana. To learn more about Wilcox Communities and their maintenance-free communities, visit www.wilcoxcommunities.com.

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Here's a sampling of what homowners say about their personal experience at Lake Chapin Shores, an on-going success story in Southwest Michigan.

Barb and Ken advise finding a location that lives comfortably and you can share with family and friends. Their choice was a hilltop location with expansive views of woods and the lake, a lot of windows and wrap-around deck.

Carol and Gary enjoy views on three levels with enough indoor and outdoor space that allows for their large family and to entertain comfortably.

Betsy and Paul said they wanted privacy, surrounded by mature trees, and a community where they can socalize with neighbors or take a walk down to the lake or pool. we can readily socialize with other couples, other families, just by walking down the road to the lake or pool.

Cheryl and Gary chose a homsite perched atop a hill above the lake and the pool, with several levels and steps down to a gazebo and a private dock. They have "busy business lives," so their is their family getaway. It "gives us a chance to exhale and take in the breath-taking beauty of the lake while our small children are happy playing at the pool."

Homes at Lake Chapin Shores are built to accommodate any size family, ranging from 1,300 to 3,200 square feet of contemporary living space (not including decks and porches). Homeowners enjoy boating and water sports, as well as the convenience of community services, including year-round maintenance of a heated pool, docks and roadways, common area landscaping and a concierge option to prepare the home and/or boat for each visit or special event.

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Recruitment Strategies: Virtual Recruitment Tools and Tactics

By: Melanie Berkowitz, Esq.

Do you remember the Jetsons -- the futuristic cartoon that featured flying cars, beds that made themselves and, with a touch of a button, long-distance "face to face" conversations? One episode even depicted a robot in charge of recruiting and hiring.

Technology has certainly become an integral part of today's hiring process. In fact, it's now feasible for a job applicant to not visit the worksite or even shake hands with his or her future boss until right before -- or even after -- receiving a job offer. In fact, virtual recruiting has the potential to save time and money in an age when recruiters and companies are often inundated with hundreds -- or even thousands -- of resumes for review. Yet it also raises legal and practical considerations.

Employers who follow a few best practices with their virtual recruitment strategy will have the most success -- and fewest missteps -- when it comes to using technology with new recruiting strategies.

How to Conduct a Legal Interview – Virtually

In some ways, virtual interviews raise the same legal issues as traditional recruitment strategies. Whether the interview process is conducted by a recruiter, a prospective supervisor, or an on-line "pre-screen" computer program, interview questions must not violate EEOC guidelines to maintain a legal hiring process. Also, interview questions cannot discriminate on the basis of a candidate's protected characteristics, including race, color, religion, sex (including pregnancy), national origin, age (40 or older), disability or genetic information.

Because virtual interviewing provides employers with the opportunity to ask each candidate the same question in the exact same way, helping to reduce the chance of a misstep on the part of the interviewee. By the same token, however, an improperly worded interview question or unlawful subject matter that's included in the virtual interview could create widespread problems.

Reaching a Wider Selection of Candidates

For companies that are concerned about reaching a diverse applicant pool or demonstrating that they are an "equal opportunity employer," virtual technology can actually help employers to recruit across a much wider area.

For example, Job Search Television Network allows companies to create a "virtual open house" for interested job applicants. "With a virtual open house, employers can easily market themselves to potential employees all over the country without having to spend the time and money attending in-person job fairs," explains Lindsay Stanton, Senior Vice President of Sales and Strategy. "Candidates simply log in and are connected with a recruiter for a real-time, "face to face" discussion about the company at issue."

Using tools such as the virtual open house allow employers to target job candidates from faraway places, helping to diversify the applicant pool. It can also help level the playing field between those applicants who have the opportunity to speak to a recruiter and those who would otherwise have to submit a resume without any personal contact. "When a recruiter has a plethora of resumes to review, having "met" a candidate at a virtual job fair helps make a connection that wouldn't be there otherwise," says Stanton.

Get Appropriate Waivers and Releases

Just as you would in other situations, you'll want to find a reputable vendor "if you want to use video interviewing or online pre-screening to find top talent," says Kevin Grossman, founder and principal of Marcom HRsay. "The company should provide consent forms and disclosures that inform candidates as to what exactly is being recorded, whether it is voice-only, voice and image, or simply the answers to questions they type into the computer." Grossman adds that a proper disclosure will also explain how the recording will be used by the prospective employer.

Also, be aware that some virtual recruiting tools may implicate the Fair Credit Reporting Act. If an employer uses an outside company to pre-screen applicants, the vendor may be considered a "consumer reporting agency", in which case both vendor and employer are required to meet a number of legal requirements which include having candidates sign a release.

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If your company is new to virtual recruiting, the multitude of available products and tools can be daunting. Employers who have built their reputation on personal relationships may worry that automation will be at odds with their culture-based recruiting strategy.

Experts agree that virtual recruiting will never completely replace the in-person interview, but that when used appropriately for targeted purposes and positions, it can add value to every hire.

"Virtual recruiting is particularly useful -- even for a smaller company -- at the screening stage," explains Grossman. "Using an online screening product, where an applicant logs in and answers a series of "gatekeeping" questions, helps narrow the field to qualified applicants without using a lot of man-hours."

Dianne Michels, CEO and founder of Serendipity HR, agrees. "Online screens are a useful tool for getting a large amount of consistent information from a number of candidates, so you can decide who to take to the next level."

Michels cautions employers to be more selective, however, when using virtual interviewing products. "For some jobs and some organizations, you can only assess the intangible "fit" of a candidate with an in-person meeting," she explains. "And remember, you may need to sell your company to the candidate too, and it's hard to communicate culture and environment over a video screen."

To combat that concern, Grossman suggests using virtual interviews to hire for positions that will utilize video technology on a regular basis. "'Face-to-face' with a customer means something different in today's business," he explains. "Customer service, sales, marketing and business development roles already conduct a lot of business "virtually." Grossman says that companies will want to hire employees who are comfortable with the medium for these types of positions.

The Importance of Onboarding in Virtual Recruitment

Once hired, employees who have been "virtually" recruited may have a more difficult time feeling connected to their employer, particularly if they have never visited the workplace. It is up to the employer to make certain that these employees are taken through an onboarding process to ease their transition.

"It's important to make all new employees feel like they are an integrated part of the workplace, says Michels. "But when you are talking about someone who might not have visited the office before being hired, a well-planned onboarding process can mean the difference between a successful employee and redoing the job search next year."

Even with these challenges, Grossman sees virtual recruiting as an efficient and effective way for employers to create a 'short list' of candidates to meet face-to-face before making a final decision, adding, "This combination of automation and individuality gives companies the most opportunities to find top talent that fits their workplace and culture."

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HARWOOD HEIGHTS
IN THE CIRCUIT COURT OF COOK COUNTY, ILLINOIS COUNTY DEPARTMENT - CHANCERY DIVISION
BAC HOME LOANS SERVICING, LP FKA
COUNTRYWIDE HOME LOANS SERVICING LP
Plaintiff,
vs.
VITALLY KRYZHEVSKYKH; MARIYA KRYZHEVSKYKH; MORTGAGE ELECTRONIC REGISTRATION SYSTEMS
INC AS NOMINEE FOR COUNTRYWIDE BANK, NA;
UNKNOWN OWNERS AND NON RECORD CLAIMANTS;
Defendants,
09 CH 26211
PUBLIC NOTICE is hereby given that pursuant to a Judgment of Foreclosure entered in the above entitled cause on March 4, 2010, Intercounty Judicial Sales Corporation will on Monday, October 28, 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. 12-12-417-042-0000.
Commonly known as 4933 NORTH ORIOLE AVENUE, 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.
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INTERCOUNTY JUDICIAL SALES CORPORATION
Selling Officer, (312) 444-1122
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9/26, 10/3, 10/10/13 #648890

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Judicial Sales-Real Est.

HARWOOD HEIGHTS
IN THE CIRCUIT COURT OF COOK COUNTY, ILLINOIS COUNTY DEPARTMENT - CHANCERY DIVISION WELLS FARGO BANK, N.A.
Plaintiff,
-V.-
TOMASZ SKIBA. DANUTA KURUC
Defendants
12 CH 27371
7534 WEST GUNNISON STREET 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 June 3, 2013, an agent for The Judicial Sales Corporation, will at 10:30 AM on November 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 7534 WEST GUNNISON STREET, HARWOOD HEIGHTS, IL 60706 Property Index No. 12-12-422-029-0000. The real estate is improved with a raised ranch single family home; two car detached garage. Sale terms: 25% down of the highest bid by certified funds at the close of the sale payable to The Judicial Sales Corporation. No third party checks will be accepted. 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 PA1202754. 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. AUCTION.COM LLC For Additional Information regarding Auction.com, please visit www.Auction.com or call (800-280-2832) PIERCE & ASSOCIATES One North Dearborn Street Suite 1300 CHICAGO, IL 60602 (312) 476-5500 Attorney File No. PA1202754 Attorney Code. 91220 Case Number: 12 CH 27371 TJSC#: 33-18932 **I561892**
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GARAGE SALES

Garage Sales

Bannockburn. SATURDAY, SEPTEMBER 28, 2013, 9 AM-3 PM 1760 SUNSET LANE, BANNOCKBURN, IL Furniture (Pottery Barn couch, Display case), Electronics, Clothes, , Kitchen,Yard and Garden items, Umbrella, Art -

Don't Miss This Sale

BARRINGTON - 25633 W. Drake. (2 blks S. of 59 & 22). Thurs, Fri. Sat 9am-5pm. HUGE! 1000+ items! Antiques, art, sterl slvr, jwlry, crystal, china, linens, Lladro, Murano, Waterford, new items/gifts, home decor, otc, elec,, computers, juke box, collctbls, hshld & much more!

CHICAGO GARAGE SALE!
4908 N. Sayre Ave.
Friday 9/27 & Saturday 9/28, 8:30am-4pm.

CHICAGO 6835 W. Ardmore Ave, vicinity of Harlem Talcott, Fri 9/27, Sat 9/28 9-6pm & Sun 9/29, 9-3pm. Tools, jewelry, juke box, baby items & much more.

Multi-Family!

CHICAGO 7252 W. Chase. Fri and Sat, 9am-5pm. Holiday decor, misc household goods, clothes, books, electronics, collectibles and many misc items! Too Much to List!

Chicago. FRONT YARD SALE in EDISON PARK with tons of quality women's, men's clothing and girl's clothing and toys. Barely used furniture and home decor will also be sold for very low prices! ONLY THIS SATURDAY, SEPT. 21st from 9AM - 2PM!!6826 N. Osceola Ave.Chicago, IL 60631Don't miss out - everything must go!

Chicago - Huge Collectors Sale! 5631 N. Fairview. **(Bryn Mawr/ Cumberland area)** Thur 9/26, Fri 9/27 10-7pm. Collectibles, old stuff, toys, models, auto items, etc...

Don't Miss This Sale

CLARENDON HILLS 3 Blodgett. 9/27 & 9/28, 9-2. Many vintage and collectible items incl xmas, art & kids books, toys. A/C, golf clubs, fish & tools, baby pram, much more!

Deerfield. A+ Garage Sale. Friday September 27th Saturday the 28th.1460 Country Lane Deerfield, IL. Nice furniture, toys, lamps, unique china and collectables, art items,Electronics, Big screen TVs.

Deerfield. Antiques and Collectables...Vintage crystal, china, silver , kitchen and decorative items. Have fun browsing our treasures! Friday Saturday, September 27th and 28th. 850 Warwick Road, Deerfield, IL. (Just East of Waukegan Road)

Don't Miss This Sale

DEERFIELD, HUGE SALE! 1146 Osterman, dead end, turn right, ranch house facing creek. Fri 9/27 & Sat 9/28, 8:30a-5p. A wide variety of hshld/personal items!!!

ELMWOOD PARK GARAGE SALE Friday and Saturday. September 27th and 28th. 9am-3pm. 7116 W Armitage. Clothes, books, kitchen set, desk and miscellaneous.

Garage Sales

Evanston, 3100 Block of Hartzell Street, neighborhood sale, Saturday, 9/28, 9 am to 2 pm, household items, books, artwork, photo studio gear and more!

EVANSTON
CHARITY YARD/GARAGE SALE!
703 Sheridan Rd. Saturday Sept 28th 8am-2pm. Items for A to Z. Rain Date: Sun Sept 29th

Franklin Park- Huge Yard Sale ! 2913 Ernst, Thurs Sept 26th- Sun Sept 29th, 9am-5pm. Antique furn, clothes, purses, housewares and lots of other items.

Gargage Sale: 9/26-9/28 9-4pm 5733 W Reba, Morton Grove 60053 Furniture, baby items, home decor items, artwork, board games, books, and more

MOVINGSALE

Glenview, 240 Fernwood Lane, Saturay 9/28, 8am-1pm. Lamps, vacuums, hshld goods, books, patio furniture, BR, LR, DR & much more! Everything must go!

Glenview Huge Multi-Family Sale, 2755 Charlie Ct (off Willow Rd, between Pfingsten and Landwehr). Sat 9/28 and Sun 9/29, 11am-4pm. Something for Everyone!

Grayslake. ONE DAY ONLY Garage Sale! Saturday Sept. 28th, 8:00-5:00.18631 W Meander Dr. Grayslake (Oakwood Subdivision). Crib, Rocking Chair, Baby Swing, Baby Girl Clothes, Baby Boy clothes, Women's and Men's Clothing/Shoes, household items. LOTS of toys- all ages.

Don't Miss This Sale

GURNEE MOVING SALE. 18236 W. Old Pine Ct. Loc in Delaware Crossing Sub Div at Washington & Old Walnut. Nr Park. Fri 9/27 & Sat 9/28, 9-4. Clothes, furn, household goods, yard tools and equip, art & collectibles, sm appls, and more!

Hainesville Multi-Family Garage Sale-Oak kitchen table with four chairs, teacup collection, Longaberger, puzzles, games, Party lite, housewares, glassware, a lot of holiday decor, Stampin Up, men's, women's, and teen clothing, crafts, linens, and tons more. 126 E. Littleton. 9/26 Thurs- 9/28Sat. 9-4

Highland Park.451 Hillside Drive Multi-Family Garage Sale 9/27 & 9/28. 930-3pm Baby & kid clothes, toys, books, train table, strollers, bikes, women's clothes. All priced to sell!

Hinsdale. GARAGE SALE - m/w clothing, b/g kid clothing: 0-2YR. Toys, FURNITURE. HH goods. Sat ONLY 8am - 3PM. AD: 637 W. 58th Street, Hinsdale, IL 60521.

Hinsdale RESALE Union Church of Hinsdale, 3rd and Garfield, 2 blocks south of Metra. Friday, 9/27 5 pm to 8:30 pm. Saturday 9/28, 9 am to noon. Clothing including French Room, housewares, furniture, collectibles, jewelry, children's items, books and more. Proceeds benefit multiple charities. For more info: www.uchinsdale.org/resale, 630-323-4303.

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LA GRANGE PARK - 501 N Edgewood. Fri 9/27 & Sat 9/28 8-1pm. Furniture, household goods, decorative items, art, children's clothes, toys & books

Garage Sales

Don't Miss This Sale

Lake Forest 1094 Timber Lane. 9/27 and 9/28, 8am-5pm. Appliances, dishes, clothes etc. Big Values, Wide Variety, Don't Miss!

Lake Forest, 160 E Onwentsia Rd Fri 9/27, 9-5pm. Sat 9/28, 9a-3p. Outdoor lights, hockey gear, household, garden, antiques, books & more!

Lake Forest,303 Butler dr, September 27th/28th,Fri-Sat 9am-5pm. Huge garage sale. Books,furniture,kitchen /household stuff, LP/CD clothes. And much more.

Multi-Family!

LAKE FOREST - 680, 685 & 690 Eaton Ct, 695 Windsor & 645 Buckingham Courts. (Conway Farms Subd) Fri 9/27 & Sat 9/28 8-2pm. 5 houses. Moving Sales!

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Lake Forest, 791 E. Gardner Ln. Fri 9/27 & Sat 9/28, 9a-3p. Toys, winter coats, furniture, lamps, Beanie Babies, bedding, clothes, small appls & cameras.

Lake Forest, BIG GARAGE SALE! 735 S. Green Bay Rd., Friday 9/27 & Saturday 9/28, 9am-5pm. Ladies petite clothing & holiday sweaters, tables, Christmas articles, misc. curios & other items.

Lake Forest
RUMMAGE SALE
SAT. Sept 28th
8 AM - 3 PM
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Lake Forest, IL
Furniture, Clothing, Toys, Holiday, Sports, "French Room" Appliances, Linens, and more!
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LAKE VILLA 780 Meadowview Court. (Savannah Springs SD) 8:30am-3pm. Furn, clothing, Boys Bears Collect. Country items, antiques, tools, & more!

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Multi-Family!

Lincolnshire- 49 Berkshire, 9/27 9-5p and 9/28, 9-2p, furn, sofa, rugs, lamps, clothes, toys, books, gifts, pictures, antiques & lots more.

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Lots of household goods, tools, toys, etc.

Garage Sales

NILES - 7122 W. Monroe St., Friday 9/27 & Saturday 9/28, 9am-5pm. Sunday 9/29, 10am-2pm. Toys, games, housewares, boys clothes, TV & record player.

Norridge. Huge Moving Saletoys, adult/child's clothes, books, outdoor step2 equipment, shoes,furniture, bounce house, seasonal items,household items.8624 West Carmen Ave Norridge, Il 60706 September 28th and 29th Saturday and Sunday 9-3

NORTHBROOK - 2043 Mallard Drive. Friday 10/4 and Saturday 10/5, 9a-3p. Furniture, hshld, appliances, books, electrical, clothing, gardening, tools, & more!

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NORTHBROOK Moving Sale! 2169 Post Rd. Near Sanders and Techny. Fri 9/27 and Sat 9/28, 10am-4pm. Furniture, collectibles, ping pong table and more!

Northbrook. Northbrook United Methodist Church. 1190 Western Ave (corner of Cherry/Western); Saturday 9-3, furniture, clothes, housewares, French room, books, toys, sports, more!

Multi-Family!

Northbrook - Years of accumulation! Appliances, hshld, tools, lots of new items. No early birds, cash. 2015 Oakwood Rd. Fri 10-4 & Sat 9-4.

NORWOOD PARK TOWNSHIP (5 mins from Norridge) 7994 West Bryn Mawr Ave. MULTI FAM SALE! Fri 9/27, Sat. 9/28, & Sun 9/29, 8am-6pm. Rain Date Oct 4, 5, 6. Maytag 30" Gas Stove & 24" Dishwasher, NEVER USED! Bikes, table w/4 chairs, TVs, new toys, kitchen, clothes & shoes, garden, books, misc & lots of freebies!

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Park City. Having a garage sale on Sat 9/21 8:00 - noonish, need to get rid of all of this furniture! You haul away. Couches, bookshelves, cabinets and MUCH MORE! 3255 Meadow Dr Park City

Park Ridge, 1932 South Ashland. Just North of Higgins. Fri 9/27. Sat 9/28. 8-3pm. Multi Family Sale. Something for everyone!

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Garage Sales

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PARK RIDGE Fri. 9/27 and Sat. 9/28, 9-4pm. 516 S. Courtland. (Sale in back of house in alley) Brand name clothes, housewares, books, games, and much more.

PARK RIDGE Main Twp. 1700 Ballard Rd. 9/28 from 9am-3pm. 90 family garage sale 847-297-2510

Park Ridge Sale 9 North Greenwood Park Ridge Fnday 09/27 8:00 - ?Mainly Antiques collectibles Schwinn Bike Antique sign from China glassware artwork

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River Forest Multi Family Garage Sale! Furniture, kitchenware, clothing & more! Sat only, 10am-2pm. NO EARLY BIRDS! 743 Thatcher Ave., River Forest.

Skokie. 4 FAMILY GARAGE SALE 8019 Kildare Skokie, IL 9/27, 9/28 and 9/29 from 10 am to 3 pm High End Merchandise. Not Junk! Priced to go.

WAUCONDA - 26238 N Route 59 Church of the Holy Apostles RUMMAGE SALE! Friday 9/27, 10am-6pm & Saturday 9/28, 8am-3pm.

LOOK

Waukegan - 2201 Marshall Parkway, Thursday Sept 26th-Sat Sept 28th, 9a-4p. Electronics, fixtures, rugs, kitchen/ household items, clothing, furn, and more.

Waukegan.Yard Sale - Saturday, 9/21 - 9-4 household items, books, clothing, knickknacks. 36921 N. Blvd. View, west of Green Bay,south of Blanchard

Don't Miss This Sale

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Wilmette. Wilmette, 2326 Greenwood Ave., Sat. 9/28, 9 AM - 3 PMSmall furniture, kids, misc. housewares, Hunter Douglass window shades, linens, bike, books, DVDs, Madame Alex. doll, Gucci, Coach.

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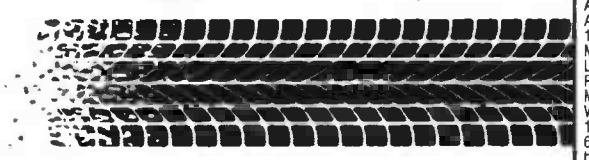

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Judicial Sales-Real Est.

HARWOOD HEIGHTS
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, CWALT, INC., ALTERNATIVE LOAN TRUST 2006-26CB, MORTGAGE PASS-THROUGH CERTIFICATES,
Plaintiff,
-v.-
JAROSLAW MILEWSKI, MORTGAGE ELECTRONIC REGISTRATION SYSTEMS AS NOMINEE FOR COUNTRYWIDE BANK N.A., UNKNOWN OWNERS-TENANTS AND NON-RECORD CLAIMANTS
Defendants
10 CH 21514
4520 NORTH OAK PARK AVE.
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 for The Judicial Sales Corporation, will at 10:30 AM on October 18, 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 4520 NORTH OAK PARK AVE., Harwood Heights, IL 60706 Property Index No. 13-18-111-034-0000. The real estate is improved with a single family residence. The judgment amount was $357,916.76. Sale terms: 25% down of the highest bid by certified funds at the close of the sale payable to The Judicial Sales Corporation. No third party checks will be accepted. 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: KOZENY & McCUBBIN ILLINOIS, LLC, 105 WEST ADAMS STREET, SUITE 1850, Chicago, IL 60603, (312) 605-3500. Please refer to file number 10-0289. 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. AUCTION.COM LLC For Additional Information regarding Auction.com, please visit www.Auction.com or call (800-280-2832) KOZENY & McCUBBIN ILLINOIS, LLC 105 WEST ADAMS STREET, SUITE 1850 Chicago, IL 60603 (312) 605-3500 Attorney File No. 10-0289 Attorney Code. Case Number: 10 CH 21514 TJSC#: 33-20522 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. **I561886**
9/26, 10/3, 10/10/13 #648864

HARWOOD HEIGHTS
IN THE CIRCUIT COURT OF COOK COUNTY, ILLINOIS COUNTY DEPARTMENT - CHANCERY DIVISION NATIONSTAR MORTGAGE, LLC
Plaintiff,
-v.-
WALID OWAYNAT A/K/A WALID M. OWAYNAT, MORTGAGE ELECTRONIC REGISTRATION SYSTEMS, INC., CAPITAL ONE BANK (USA), N.A, FORD MOTOR CREDIT COMPANY LLC, CITIBANK (SOUTH DAKOTA), N.A.
Defendants
11 CH 022133
4341 N. NEW ENGLAND 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 March 29, 2013, an agent for The Judicial Sales Corporation, will at 10:30 AM on October 16, 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 4341 N. NEW ENGLAND AVENUE, HARWOOD HEIGHTS, IL 60706 Property Index No. 13-18-306-011. The real estate is improved with a residence. Sale terms: 25% down of the highest bid by certified funds at the close of the sale payable to The Judicial Sales Corporation. No third party checks will be accepted. 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 14-10-46434. 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. 14-10-46434 Attorney ARDC No. 00468002 Attorney Code. 21762 Case Number: 11 CH 022133 TJSC#: 33-20129 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. **I561475**
9/19, 9/26, 10/3/13 #645953

HARWOOD HEIGHTS
IN THE CIRCUIT COURT OF COOK COUNTY, ILLINOIS COUNTY DEPARTMENT - CHANCERY DIVISION WELLS FARGO BANK, NA AS TRUSTEE FOR FREDDIE MAC SECURITIES REMIC TRUST 2005-S001
Plaintiff,
-v.-
MIROSLAW FRONCZAK
Defendants
12 CH 005663
4428 N NEWCASTLE 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 July 29, 2013, an agent for The Judicial Sales Corporation, will at 10:30 AM on October 31, 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 4428 N NEWCASTLE AVENUE, HARWOOD HEIGHTS, IL 60706 Property Index No. 13-18-118-025. 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 sale payable to The Judicial Sales Corporation. No third party checks will be accepted. 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: NOONAN & LIEBERMAN, 105 W. ADAMS ST., SUITE 1800, Chicago, IL 60603, (312) 431-1455. Please refer to file number 1817-23. 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. NOONAN & LIEBERMAN 105 W. ADAMS ST., SUITE 1800 Chicago, IL 60603 (312) 431-1455 Attorney File No. 1817-23 Attorney Code. 38245 Case Number: 12 CH 27656 TJSC#: 33-18080 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. **I556914**
9/19, 9/26, 10/3/13 #644285

HARWOOD HEIGHTS
IN THE CIRCUIT COURT OF COOK COUNTY, ILLINOIS COUNTY DEPARTMENT - CHANCERY DIVISION
CF IL LLC
Plaintiff,
-v.-
TANER KAPAN, NANCY KAPAN, GOKSEL, INC., A DISSOLVED ILLINOIS CORPORATION, SHAREHOLDERS OF GOKSEL, INC., A DISSOLVED ILLINOIS CORPORATION, FERNANDO GOMEZ, CITY OF CHICAGO, STATE OF ILLINOIS, CAPITAL ONE BANK (USA), TARGET NATIONAL BANK, UNKNOWN OWNERS-TENANTS AND NON-RECORD CLAIMANTS
Defendants
12 CH 27656
6939 W. MONTROSE 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 July 29, 2013, an agent for The Judicial Sales Corporation, will at 10:30 AM on October 28, 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 6939 W. MONTROSE AVENUE, Harwood Heights, IL 60706 Property Index No. 13-18-304-010-0000. The real estate is improved with a single family residence. The judgment amount was $4,342,653.99. Sale terms: 25% down of the highest bid by certified funds at the close of the sale payable to The Judicial Sales Corporation. No third party checks will be accepted. 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: CODILIS & ASSOCIATES, P.C., 15W030 NORTH FRONTAGE ROAD, SUITE 100, BURR RIDGE, IL 60527, (630) 794-9876. Please refer to file number 14-10-45816. 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. 14-10-45816 Attorney ARDC No. 00468002 Attorney Code. 21762 Case Number: 10 CH 054568 TJSC#: 33-19968 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.
I561522
9/26, 10/3, 10/10/13 #648844

LINCOLNWOOD
IN THE CIRCUIT COURT OF COOK COUNTY, ILLINOIS COUNTY DEPARTMENT - CHANCERY DIVISION
U.S. BANK, NATIONAL ASSOCIATION
Plaintiff,
-v.-
MARIA MAN, HARRIS, NA
Defendants
10 CH 054568
6950 N. KNOX 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 February 16, 2012, an agent for The Judicial Sales Corporation, will at 10:30 AM on October 17, 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 6950 N. KNOX AVENUE, LINCOLNWOOD, IL 60712 Property Index No. 10-34-113-003. The real estate is improved with a residence. Sale terms: 25% down of the highest bid by certified funds at the close of the sale payable to The Judicial Sales Corporation. No third party checks will be accepted. 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 14-10-45816. 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. 14-10-45816 Attorney ARDC No. 00468002 Attorney Code. 21762 Case Number: 10 CH 054568 TJSC#: 33-19968 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 LIBERTY BANK FOR SAVINGS
Plaintiff,
-v.-
SYED MOHIUDDIN, ELM LIMITED, LLC, FNA CARDINAL 09, LLC, UNKNOWN OWNERS AND NONRECORD CLAIMANTS
Defendants
12 CH 01412
6540 N. KEATING 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 October 16, 2012, an agent for The Judicial Sales Corporation, will at 10:30 AM on October 4, 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 6540 N. KEATING AVENUE, Lincolnwood, IL 60712 Property Index No. 10-34-314-053-0000. The real estate is improved with a single family residence. The judgment amount was $294,424.64. Sale terms: 25% down of the highest bid by certified funds at the close of the sale payable to The Judicial Sales Corporation. No third party checks will be accepted. 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: DYKEMA GOSSETT PLLC, 10 SOUTH WACKER DRIVE, SUITE 2300, Chicago, IL 60606, (312) 876-1700. 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. DYKEMA GOSSETT PLLC 10 SOUTH WACKER DRIVE, SUITE 2300 Chicago, IL 60606 (312) 876-1700 Attorney Code. 42297 Case Number: 12 CH 01412 TJSC#: 33-19445 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. I559702
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LINCOLNWOOD
IN THE CIRCUIT COURT OF COOK COUNTY, ILLINOIS COUNTY DEPARTMENT - CHANCERY DIVISION LASALLE BANK NA AS TRUSTEE FOR WASHINGTON MUTUAL MORTGAGE PASS-THROUGH CERTIFICATES SERIES 2007-OA1 TRUST
Plaintiff,
-v.-
DANUT BALINT, ANA BALINT A/K/A ANNA BALINT A/K/A ANA M. BALINT, JPMORGAN CHASE BANK, NATIONAL ASSOCIATION, AS PURCHASER OF THE LOANS AND OTHER ASSETS OF WASHINGTON MUTUAL BANK, FORMERLY KNOWN AS WASHINGTON MUTUAL BANK, FA FROM THE FEDERAL DEPOSIT INSURANCE CORPORATION, ACTING AS RECEIVER FOR THE SAVINGS BANK AND PURSUANT TO ITS AUTHORITY UNDER THE FEDERAL DEPOSIT INSURANCE ACT.
Defendants
09 CH 000226
7320 N. KILDARE 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 October 22, 2009, an agent for The Judicial Sales Corporation, will at 10:30 AM on October 4, 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 7320 N. KILDARE AVENUE, LINCOLNWOOD, IL 60712 Property Index No. 10-27-417-037. The real estate is improved with a residence. Sale terms: 25% down of the highest bid by certified funds at the close of the sale payable to The Judicial Sales Corporation. No third party checks will be accepted. 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 14-08-35216. 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. 14-08-35216 Attorney ARDC No. 00468002 Attorney Code. 21762 Case Number: 09 CH 000226 TJSC#: 33-19417 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. I559323
9/12, 9/19, 9/26/13 #640187

LINCOLNWOOD
IN THE CIRCUIT COURT OF COOK COUNTY, ILLINOIS
COUNTY DEPARTMENT, CHANCERY DIVISION
BANK OF AMERICA, N.A.,
Plaintiff
V.
SAMI N. JADO; SAMEERA L. JADO; RBS CITIZENS, N.A. S/I/I TO CHARTER ONE BANK, N.A.; LINCOLNWOOD SUITES CONDOMINIUM ASSOCIATION; CITY OF EVANSTON, AN ILLINOIS MUNICIPAL CORPORATION,
Defendants
11 CH 22820
Property Address: 4601 WEST TOUHY AVENUE UNIT 505 LINCOLNWOOD, IL 60712
NOTICE OF FORECLOSURE SALE - CONDOMINIUM
Fisher and Shapiro file # 10-043629
(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 April 25, 2013, Kallen Realty Services, Inc., as Selling Official will at 12:30 p.m. on October 10, 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 4601 West Touhy Avenue, Unit 505, Lincolnwood, IL 60712
Permanent Index No.: 10-34-102-022-1047
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 $185,738.52. 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 verify all information and to view auction rules at www.kallenrs.com.
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.
I556147
9/12, 9/19, 9/26/13 #640143

MORTON GROVE
IN THE CIRCUIT COURT OF COOK COUNTY, ILLINOIS COUNTY DEPARTMENT - CHANCERY DIVISION
BANK OF AMERICA, N.A.
Plaintiff,
-v.-
RICHARD BEHA, ELIZABETH BEHA, PARKWAY BANK AND TRUST COMPANY, AS TRUSTEE U/T/A DATED 01/30/2003 A/K/A TRUST NO. 13489, UNKNOWN BENEFICIARIES OF PARKWAY BANK AND TRUST COMPANY, U/T/A DATED 01/30/2003 A/K/A TRUST NO. 13489, UNKNOWN OWNERS AND NONRECORD CLAIMANTS
Defendants
10 CH 039175
7428 ARCADIA 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 October 19, 2012, an agent for The Judicial Sales Corporation, will at 10:30 AM on October 17, 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 7428 ARCADIA STREET, MORTON GROVE, IL 60053 Property Index No. 09-13-411-038. 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 sale payable to The Judicial Sales Corporation. No third party checks will be accepted. 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 14-10-31223. 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. AUCTION.COM LLC For Additional Information regarding Auction.com, please visit www.Auction.com or call (800-280-2832) CODILIS & ASSOCIATES, P.C. 15W030 NORTH FRONTAGE ROAD, SUITE 100 BURR RIDGE, IL 60527 (630) 794-5300 Attorney File No. 14-10-31223 Attorney ARDC No. 00468002 Attorney Code. 21762 Case Number: 10 CH 039175 TJSC#: 33-20404 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. I561869
9/26, 10/3, 10/10/13 #648858

MORTON GROVE
IN THE CIRCUIT COURT OF COOK COUNTY, ILLINOIS COUNTY DEPARTMENT - CHANCERY DIVISION
US BANK NATIONAL ASSOCIATION, AS TRUSTEE FOR BANC OF AMERICA FUNDING CORPORATION2006-G Plaintiff,
-v.-
NOAM ADANI, CARMIT ADANI, WELLS FARGO BANK, N.A.
Defendants
10 CH 37893
7941 LAKE 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 January 10, 2013, an agent for The Judicial Sales Corporation, will at 10:30 AM on October 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 7941 LAKE STREET, MORTON GROVE, IL 60053 Property Index No. 09-13-312-002-0000. The real estate is improved with a brick house; attached 2 car garage. Sale terms: 25% down of the highest bid by certified funds at the close of the sale payable to The Judicial Sales Corporation. No third party checks will be accepted. 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 PA1022573. 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. PA1022573 Attorney Code. 91220 Case Number: 10 CH 37893 TJSC#: 33-20005 I560788
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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 ASSIGNEE OF AMERICAN BROKERS CONDUIT,
Plaintiff,
vs.
SUSAN D. JURENCI, SUBURBAN BANK OF BARRINGTON
Defendants,
10 CH 49688
NOTICE OF SALE
PUBLIC NOTICE is hereby given that pursuant to a Judgment of Foreclosure entered in the above entitled cause on October 25, 2011, Intercounty Judicial Sales Corporation will on Monday, October 21, 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 mortgaged real estate:
Commonly known as 7929 Linder, Morton Grove, IL 60053
P.I.N. 10-28-102-045
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 within 24 hours, by certified funds. No refunds. The judgment amount was $273,533.42. The property will NOT be open for inspection.
For information call Mr. Ira T. Nevel at Plaintiff's Attorney, Law Offices of Ira T. Nevel, 175 North Franklin Street, Chicago, Illinois 60606. (312) 357-1125. Ref. No. 10-00162
INTERCOUNTY JUDICIAL SALES CORPORATION
Selling Officer, (312) 444-1122
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9/19, 9/26, 10/3/13 #644537

MORTON GROVE
IN THE CIRCUIT COURT OF COOK COUNTY, ILLINOIS COUNTY DEPARTMENT - CHANCERY DIVISION GREEN TREE SERVICING LLC,
Plaintiff,
-v.-
LYANA MATIYASH, IGOR MATIYASH, LOTUS CONDOMINIUM ASSOCIATION
Defendants
13 CH 06940
5500 N. LINCOLN AVENUE, UNIT 404 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 July 24, 2013, an agent for The Judicial Sales Corporation, will at 10:30 AM on October 28, 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 5500 N. LINCOLN AVENUE, UNIT 404, Morton Grove, IL 60053 Property Index No. 10-21-119-115-1064 VOL. 0119. The real estate is improved with a condominium. The judgment amount was $135,194.69. Sale terms: 25% down of the highest bid by certified funds at the close of the sale payable to The Judicial Sales Corporation. No third party checks will be accepted. 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 12-6091. 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. 12-6091 Attorney Code. 40342 Case Number: 13 CH 06940 TJSC#: 33-17758 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.
I557197
9/19, 9/26, 10/3/13 #644362

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MORTON GROVE
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 F/K/A COUNTRYWIDE HOME LOANS SERVICING LP,
Plaintiff,
-v.-
ALONZO RUZANO, MORTGAGE ELECTRONIC REGISTRATION SYSTEMS, INC., AS NOMINEE FOR COUNTRYWIDE HOME LOANS, INC.
Defendants
12 CH 03765
5707 EMERSON 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 September 10, 2012, an agent for The Judicial Sales Corporation, will at 10:30 AM on October 10, 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 5707 EMERSON STREET, Morton Grove, IL 60053 Property Index No. 10-17-220-008-0000 VOL. 0115. The real estate is improved with a single family residence. The judgment amount was $439,005.10. Sale terms: 25% down of the highest bid by certified funds at the close of the sale payable to The Judicial Sales Corporation. No third party checks will be accepted. 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 12-0902. 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. 12-0902 Attorney Code. 40342 Case Number: 12 CH 03765 TJSC#: 33-19043 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.
I558763
9/12, 9/19, 9/26/13 #640181

MORTON GROVE
IN THE CIRCUIT COURT OF COOK COUNTY, ILLINOIS COUNTY DEPARTMENT - CHANCERY DIVISION
FREEDOM MORTGAGE CORPORATION
Plaintiff,
-v.-
VLADIMIR BARSKY, TATYANA BARSKY
Defendants
10 CH 40207
9212 OAK 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 July 17, 2013, an agent for The Judicial Sales Corporation, will at 10:30 AM on October 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 9212 OAK PARK AVENUE, MORTON GROVE, IL 60053 Property Index No. 10-18-109-023-0000. The real estate is improved with a brown brick one story single family home with a one car attached garage. Sale terms: 25% down of the highest bid by certified funds at the close of the sale payable to The Judicial Sales Corporation. No third party checks will be accepted. 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 PA1026113. 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. PA1026113 Attorney Code. 91220 Case Number: 10 CH 40207 TJSC#: 33-16439 I555694
9/12, 9/19, 9/26/13 #640005

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MORTON GROVE
IN THE CIRCUIT COURT OF COOK COUNTY, ILLINOIS COUNTY DEPARTMENT - CHANCERY DIVISION
BANK OF AMERICA, N.A.,
Plaintiff,
-v.-
JOVITA A. ALCARAZ A/K/A JOVITA ALCARAZ, OSCAR ALCARAZ A/K/A OSCAR V. ALCAREZ, FIFTH THIRD BANK
Defendants
12 CH 22807
5604 CHURCH ST 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 July 19, 2013, an agent for The Judicial Sales Corporation, will at 10:30 AM on October 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 5604 CHURCH ST, Morton Grove, IL 60053 Property Index No. 10-17-214-057-0000. The real estate is improved with a single family residence. The judgment amount was $208,415.45. Sale terms: 25% down of the highest bid by certified funds at the close of the sale payable to The Judicial Sales Corporation. No third party checks will be accepted. 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: KOZENY & McCUBBIN ILLINOIS, LLC, 105 WEST ADAMS STREET, SUITE 1850, Chicago, IL 60603, (312) 605-3500. Please refer to file number 12-0244. 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. KOZENY & McCUBBIN ILLINOIS, LLC 105 WEST ADAMS STREET, SUITE 1850 Chicago, IL 60603 (312) 605-3500 Attorney File No. 12-0244 Attorney Code. Case Number: 12 CH 22807 TJSC#: 33-17039 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.
I554622
9/12, 9/19, 9/26/13 #639980

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Judicial Sales-Real Est.

MORTON GROVE
IN THE CIRCUIT COURT OF COOK COUNTY, ILLINOIS COUNTY DEPARTMENT - CHANCERY DIVISION JPMORGAN CHASE BANK, NATIONAL ASSOCIATION
Plaintiff,
-v.-
ERNEST DIAZ, ANGELINA DIAZ, PACIFIC GLOBAL BANK, UNKNOWN OWNERS AND NONRECORD CLAIMANTS
Defendants
10 CH 045294
8951 HARMS ROAD 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 July 18, 2013, an agent for The Judicial Sales Corporation, will at 10:30 AM on October 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 8951 HARMS ROAD, MORTON GROVE, IL 60053 Property Index No. 10-16-318-033. 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 sale payable to The Judicial Sales Corporation. No third party checks will be accepted. 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 14-10-36244. 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. 14-10-36244 Attorney ARDC No. 00468002 Attorney Code. 21762 Case Number: 10 CH 045294 TJSC#: 33-16705 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. **I554621**
9/12, 9/19, 9/26/13 #639977

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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.
UNKNOWN HEIRS AND LEGATEES OF CHRISTIE L. RAINERO A/K/A CHRISTEE L. RAINERO A/K/A CHRISTIE RAINERO A/K/A CHRISTEE LEE RAINERO, DECEASED; HARRIS, N.A. F/K/A HARRIS TRUST AND SAVINGS BANK; NORTH WEST HOUSING PARTNERSHIP; LORRIE RAINERO; KENNETH W. RAINERO A/K/A KENNETH RAINERO; UNKNOWN OWNERS AND NON-RECORD CLAIMANTS,
Defendants
10 CH 28408
Property Address: 8320 MAJOR AVENUE MORTON GROVE, IL 60053
NOTICE OF FORECLOSURE SALE
Fisher and Shapiro file # 10-041351
(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 9, 2013, Kallen Realty Services, Inc., as Selling Official will at 12:30 p.m. on October 10, 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 8320 Major Avenue, Morton Grove, IL 60053
Permanent Index No.: 10-20-403-054
The mortgaged real estate is improved with a dwelling. The property will NOT be open for inspection.
The judgment amount was $128,610.71. 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 verify all information and to view auction rules at www.kallenrs.com.
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. **I552486**
9/12, 9/19, 9/26/13 #639959

NORRIDGE
IN THE CIRCUIT COURT OF COOK COUNTY, ILLINOIS COUNTY DEPARTMENT - CHANCERY DIVISION FIRST SECURITY TRUST AND SAVINGS BANK, AN ILLINOIS BANKING CORPORATION
Plaintiff,
-v.-
CHRISTINA MARVIN, ALEXANDRA CONDOMINIUM ASSOCIATION, UNKNOWN OWNERS AND NON-RECORD CLAIMANTS
Defendants
11 CH 39642
4930 N. LEONARD, UNIT 1B
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 July 9, 2013, an agent for The Judicial Sales Corporation, will at 10:30 AM on October 10, 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 4930 N. LEONARD, UNIT 1B, Norridge, IL 60706 Property Index No. 12-11-311-017-1038. The real estate is improved with a condominium. The judgment amount was $159,536.31. Sale terms: 25% down of the highest bid by certified funds at the close of the sale payable to The Judicial Sales Corporation. No third party checks will be accepted. 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 14-10-22595. 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. 14-10-22595 Attorney ARDC No. 00468002 Attorney Code. 21762 Case Number: 10 CH 036050 TJSC#: 33-20513 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. **I561295**
9/19, 9/26, 10/3/13 #645948

SKOKIE
IN THE CIRCUIT COURT OF COOK COUNTY, ILLINOIS COUNTY DEPARTMENT - CHANCERY DIVISION JPMORGAN CHASE BANK N.A.
Plaintiff,
-v.-
BRIAN CHOI A/K/A NAM CHOI, JENNIFER KO, LINCOLN RIDGE NORTH CONDOMINIUM ASSOCIATION, UNKNOWN OWNERS AND NONRECORD CLAIMANTS
Defendants
10 CH 036050
7450 N. LINCOLN AVENUE UNIT #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 February 15, 2013, an agent for The Judicial Sales Corporation, will at 10:30 AM on October 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 7450 N. LINCOLN AVENUE UNIT #306, SKOKIE, IL 60076 Property Index No. 10-27-307-129-1018. The real estate is improved with a residence. Sale terms: 25% down of the highest bid by certified funds at the close of the sale payable to The Judicial Sales Corporation. No third party checks will be accepted. 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: WILLIAM M. SMITH & ASSOCIATES, 8102 W. 119TH STREET - SUITE 150, Palos Park, IL 60464, (708) 923-0007. 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. WILLIAM M. SMITH & ASSOCIATES 8102 W. 119TH STREET - SUITE 150 Palos Park, IL 60464 (708) 923-0007 Attorney Code. 50013 Case Number: 11 CH 39642 TJSC#: 33-18258 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. **I561295**
9/19, 9/26, 10/3/13 #645948

SKOKIE
IN THE CIRCUIT COURT OF COOK COUNTY, ILLINOIS COUNTY DEPARTMENT - CHANCERY DIVISION CITIMORTGAGE, INC.,
Plaintiff,
-v.-
CYNTHIA B. GAWAT A/K/A CYNTHIA R. GAWAT, UNKNOWN OWNERS AND NON-RECORD CLAIMANTS
Defendants
11 CH 18464
8139 LOWELL 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 January 23, 2013, an agent for The Judicial Sales Corporation, will at 10:30 AM on October 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 8139 LOWELL, Skokie, IL 60076 Property Index No. 10-22-417-042-0000. The real estate is improved with a single family residence. The judgment amount was $248,572.79. Sale terms: 25% down of the highest bid by certified funds at the close of the sale payable to The Judicial Sales Corporation. No third party checks will be accepted. 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: HAUSELMAN, RAPPIN & OLSWANG, LTD., 39 South LaSalle Street - Suite 1105, CHICAGO, IL 60603, (312) 372-2020. Please refer to file number 11-2222-17587. 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. AUCTION.COM LLC For Additional Information regarding Auction.com, please visit www.Auction.com or call (800-280-2832) HAUSELMAN, RAPPIN & OLSWANG, LTD. 39 South LaSalle Street - Suite 1105 CHICAGO, IL 60603 (312) 372-2020 Attorney File No. 11-2222-17587 Attorney Code. 4452 Case Number: 11 CH 18464 TJSC#: 33-20721 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. **I562988**
9/26, 10/3, 10/10/13 #650485

SKOKIE
IN THE CIRCUIT COURT OF COOK COUNTY, ILLINOIS COUNTY DEPARTMENT - CHANCERY DIVISION
WELLS FARGO BANK, N.A.
Plaintiff,
vs.
PAUL SABEL AKA PAUL C SABEL; OPTIMA OLD ORCHARD WOODS COMMUNITY ASSOCIATION; OPTIMA OLD ORCHARD WOODS ELM CONDOMINIUM ASSOCIATION UNKNOWN OWNERS AND NON RECORD CLAIMANTS;
Defendants,
12 CH 42076
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 July 30, 2013, Intercounty Judicial Sales Corporation will on Friday, November 1, 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. 10-09-304-035-1191, 10-09-304-035-1412.
Commonly known as 9715 WOODS DRIVE UNIT 1603, SKOKIE, IL 60077-4438
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 1223579.
INTERCOUNTY JUDICIAL SALES CORPORATION
Selling Officer, (312) 444-1122
I562379
9/26, 10/3, 10/10/13 #648916

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SKOKIE
IN THE CIRCUIT COURT OF COOK COUNTY, ILLINOIS COUNTY DEPARTMENT - CHANCERY DIVISION
NATIONSTAR MORTGAGE LLC;
Plaintiff,
vs.
PETRU BRETAN; RAHELA BRETAN;
Defendants,
11 CH 18635
NOTICE OF SALE
PUBLIC NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that pursuant to a Judgment of Foreclosure and Sale entered in the above entitled cause on July 30, 2013 Intercounty Judicial Sales Corporation will on Friday, November 1, 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. 10-28-210-035-0000.
Commonly known as 7832 Babb Avenue, 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 William E. Dutton, Jr. at Plaintiff's Attorney, DUTTON & DUTTON, P.C., 10325 West Lincoln Highway, Frankfort, Illinois 60423. (815) 806-8200.
INTERCOUNTY JUDICIAL SALES CORPORATION
Selling Officer, (312) 444-1122
I562349
9/26, 10/3, 10/10/13 #648909

SKOKIE
IN THE CIRCUIT COURT OF COOK COUNTY, ILLINOIS COUNTY DEPARTMENT - CHANCERY DIVISION FEDERAL NATIONAL MORTGAGE ASSOCIATION,
Plaintiff,
-v.-
IMTIYAZ PATEL, COLE TAYLOR BANK, ENVIROTECH CENTRAL, L.L.C.
Defendants
13 CH 08388
9035 LA CROSSE AVE. 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 22, 2013, an agent for The Judicial Sales Corporation, will at 10:30 AM on November 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 9035 LA CROSSE AVE., Skokie, IL 60077 Property Index No. 10-16-415-071-0000 VOL. 0114. The real estate is improved with a multi-family residence. The judgment amount was $375,780.10. Sale terms: 25% down of the highest bid by certified funds at the close of the sale payable to The Judicial Sales Corporation. No third party checks will be accepted. 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 13-6779. 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. AUCTION.COM LLC For Additional Information regarding Auction.com, please visit www.Auction.com or call (800-280-2832) JOHNSON, BLUMBERG & ASSOCIATES, LLC 230 W. Monroe Street, Suite #1125 Chicago, IL 60606 (312) 541-9710 Attorney File No. 13-6779 Attorney Code. 40342 Case Number: 13 CH 08388 TJSC#: 33-17767 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. **I561697**
9/26, 10/3, 10/10/13 #648849

SKOKIE
IN THE CIRCUIT COURT OF COOK COUNTY, ILLINOIS COUNTY DEPARTMENT - CHANCERY DIVISION DEUTSCHE BANK NATIONAL TRUST COMPANY, AS TRUSTEE FOR IXIS REAL ESTATE CAPITAL TRUST 2006-HE-2 MORTGAGE PASS THROUGH CERTIFICATES, SERIES 2006-HE2
Plaintiff,
-v.-
ANAND PATEL, NIRANJANA PATEL, AMERICAN MORTGAGE AND REAL ESTATE SERVICES, INC., UNKNOWN OWNERS AND NON-RECORD CLAIMANTS
Defendants
12 CH 23329
9334 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 June 25, 2013, an agent for The Judicial Sales Corporation, will at 10:30 AM on October 10, 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 9334 LOREL AVENUE, Skokie, IL 60077 Property Index No. 10-16-117-049-0000. The real estate is improved with a single family residence. The judgment amount was $279,745.11. Sale terms: 25% down of the highest bid by certified funds at the close of the sale payable to The Judicial Sales Corporation. No third party checks will be accepted. 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

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SKOKIE
IN THE CIRCUIT COURT OF COOK COUNTY, ILLINOIS COUNTY DEPARTMENT - CHANCERY DIVISION
PNC BANK, NATIONAL ASSOCIATION
Plaintiff,
-v.-
ZENAIDA JOSON, ALLIANT CREDIT UNION, UNKNOWN HEIRS AND LEGATEES OF ZENAIDA JOSON, IF ANY, UNKNOWN OWNERS AND NON-RECORD CLAIMANTS
Defendants
10 CH 30731
5011 FARWELL 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 January 7, 2013, an agent for The Judicial Sales Corporation, will at 10:30 AM on October 24, 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 5011 FARWELL AVENUE, SKOKIE, IL 60077 Property Index No. 10-33-229-066-0000. The real estate is improved with a orange brick home with a one car attached garage. Sale terms: 25% down of the highest bid by certified funds at the close of the sale payable to The Judicial Sales Corporation. No third party checks will be accepted. 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 pnor 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 PA1020691. 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. PA1020691 Attorney Code. 91220 Case Number: 10 CH 30731 TJSC#: 33-19737 **I561077**
9/19, 9/26, 10/3/13 #644544

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SKOKIE
IN THE CIRCUIT COURT OF COOK COUNTY, ILLINOIS COUNTY DEPARTMENT - CHANCERY DIVISION
BANK OF AMERICA, N.A.;
Plaintiff,
vs.
ROBERTO DE LA CRUZ AKA ROBERT DELACRUZ AKA ROBERTO D. MONTECALMA; BANK OF AMERICA, N.A.
UNKNOWN HEIRS AND LEGATEES OF ROBERTO DE LA CRUZ, IF ANY; UNKNOWN OWNERS AND NON RECORD CLAIMANTS; Defendants.
12 CH 19741
NOTICE OF SALE
PUBLIC NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that pursuant to a Judgment of Foreclosure and Sale entered in the above entitled cause on April 29, 2013 Intercounty Judicial Sales Corporation will on Monday, October 14, 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. 10-28-414-045-0000.
Commonly known as 5037 Fargo Avenue, 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 W12-1010.
INTERCOUNTY JUDICIAL SALES CORPORATION
Selling Officer, (312) 444-1122
I559587
9/19, 9/26, 10/3/13 #644474

SKOKIE
IN THE CIRCUIT COURT OF COOK COUNTY, ILLINOIS COUNTY DEPARTMENT - CHANCERY DIVISION WELLS FARGO BANK, N.A. SUCCESSOR BY MERGER TO WELLS FARGO HOME MORTGAGE, INC.
Plaintiff,
-v.-
ABBY A. REBECCHI A/K/A ABBY ANN REBECCHI, VILLAGE OF SKOKIE, 8324-8326 NORTH CHRISTIANA CONDOMINIUM ASSOCIATION
Defendants
13 CH 004830
8326 CHRISTIANA AVENUE UNIT #2W 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 July 25, 2013, an agent for The Judicial Sales Corporation, will at 10:30 AM on October 28, 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 8326 CHRISTIANA AVENUE UNIT #2W, SKOKIE, IL 60076 Property Index No. 10-23-404-084-1004. The real estate is improved with a residence. Sale terms: 25% down of the highest bid by certified funds at the close of the sale payable to The Judicial Sales Corporation. No third party checks will be accepted. 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 pnor 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 PA1020691 Attorney Code. 91220 Case Number: 10 CH 30731 TJSC#: 33-19737 **I561077**
9/19, 9/26, 10/3/13 #644544

SKOKIE
IN THE CIRCUIT COURT OF COOK COUNTY, ILLINOIS COUNTY DEPARTMENT - CHANCERY DIVISION
BANK OF AMERICA, N.A.
Plaintiff,
-v.-
NIKOLAY TERZIEV, MARTA HRISTOVA AKA MARTA PETROVA HRISTOVA AKA M. HRISTOVA
Defendants
12 CH 14218
3808 JARVIS AVE. 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 February 28, 2013, an agent for The Judicial Sales Corporation, will at 10:30 AM on October 18, 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 3808 JARVIS AVE., Skokie, IL 60076
Property Index No. 10-26-322-032-0000.
The real estate is improved with a single family residence. The judgment amount was $337,075.17. 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 pnor 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. 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. 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 14218 TJSC#: 33-18876 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. **I558518**
9/12, 9/19, 9/26/13 #640174

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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.
JUAN C. TORRES A/K/A JUAN CARLOS TORRES; GLORIA A. TORRES; ORLANDO YEPES; AMERICAN AMBASSADOR CASUALTY COMPANY A/S/O PHILLIP AMATO AND PHILLIP F. FLORO; PALISADES COLLECTION LLC; TOWN OF CICERO, AN ILLINOIS MUNICIPAL CORPORATION; STATE OF ILLINOIS; UNITED STATES OF AMERICA; GROSS POINT TOWERS CONDOMINIUM ASSOCIATION; DISCOVER BANK; UNKNOWN OWNERS AND NON-RECORD CLAIMANTS; UNKNOWN OCCUPANTS,
Defendants
11 CH 32558
Property Address: 9242 GROSS POINT ROAD UNIT 405 SKOKIE, IL 60077
NOTICE OF FORECLOSURE SALE - CONDOMINIUM
Fisher and Shapiro file # 10-047855
(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 May 15, 2013, Kallen Realty Services, Inc., as Selling Official will at 12:30 p.m. on October 9, 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 9242 Gross Point Road, Unit 405, Skokie, IL 60077
Permanent Index No.: 10-16-204-033-1041
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 $111,667.51. 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 verify all information and to view auction rules at www.kallenrs.com. 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. **I558952**
9/12, 9/19, 9/26/13 #640184

SKOKIE
IN THE CIRCUIT COURT OF COOK COUNTY, ILLINOIS COUNTY DEPARTMENT - CHANCERY DIVISION
BANK OF AMERICA, N.A.
Plaintiff,
-v.-
NIKOLAY TERZIEV, MARTA HRISTOVA AKA MARTA PETROVA HRISTOVA AKA M. HRISTOVA
Defendants
12 CH 14218
3808 JARVIS AVE. 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 February 28, 2013, an agent for The Judicial Sales Corporation, will at 10:30 AM on October 18, 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 3808 JARVIS AVE., Skokie, IL 60076
Property Index No. 10-26-322-032-0000.
The real estate is improved with a single family residence. The judgment amount was $337,075.17. 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 pnor 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. 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. 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 14218 TJSC#: 33-18876 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. **I558518**
9/12, 9/19, 9/26/13 #640174

SKOKIE
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 SUCCESSOR TO JPMORGAN CHASE BANK, N.A., AS TRUSTEE FOR THE CERTIFICATE HOLDERS OF BEAR STEARNS ALT-A TRUST 2005-2,
Plaintiff
V.
MOHAMMED SHAREEF A/K/A MOHAMMED R. SHAREED; VILLAGE OF SKOKE, AN ILLINOIS MUNICIPAL CORPORATION; LMP ASSOCIATES, LLC; UNKNOWN OWNERS AND NON-RECORD CLAIMANTS,
Defendants
11 CH 24097
Property Address: 4716 WASHINGTON STREET UNIT D SKOKIE, IL 60076
NOTICE OF FORECLOSURE SALE - CONDOMINIUM
Fisher and Shapiro file # 09-025698
(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 April 25, 2013, Kallen Realty Services, Inc., as Selling Official will at 12:30 p.m. on October 7, 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 4716 Washington Street, Unit D, Skokie, IL 60076 Permanent Index No.: 10-22-300-051
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 $211,698.65. 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 verify all information and to view auction rules at www.kallenrs.com. 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. **I558336**
9/12, 9/19, 9/26/13 #640162

SKOKIE
IN THE CIRCUIT COURT OF COOK COUNTY, ILLINOIS COUNTY DEPARTMENT - CHANCERY DIVISION BENEFICIAL FINANCIAL I INC. SUCCESSOR BY MERGER TO BENEFICIAL ILLINOIS INC. D/B/A BENEFICIAL MORTGAGE CO. OF ILLINOIS,
Plaintiff,
-v.-
JENNIFER BALADAD-WIDD A/K/A JENNIFER E. BALADAD-WIDD, MICHELLE LYNN BALADAD N/K/A MICHELLE LYNN BALADAD-WIDD
Defendants
12 CH 38848
5222 WRIGHT TER. 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 22, 2013, an agent for The Judicial Sales Corporation, will at 10:30 AM on October 24, 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 5222 WRIGHT TER., Skokie, IL 60077 Property Index No. 10-21-121-043-0000 VOL. 0119. The real estate is improved with a single family residence. The judgment amount was $332,721.09. Sale terms: 25% down of the highest bid by certified funds at the close of the sale payable to The Judicial Sales Corporation. No third party checks will be accepted. 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 12-3571. 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. 12-3571 Attorney Code. 40342 Case Number: 12 CH 38848 TJSC#: 33-17756 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.
I557194
9/12, 9/19, 9/26/13 #640149

SKOKIE
IN THE CIRCUIT COURT OF COOK COUNTY, ILLINOIS COUNTY DEPARTMENT - CHANCERY DIVISION
CENLAR FSB
Plaintiff,
-v.-
PANAGIOTIS FLOROS, NORA PANAGIOTIS A/K/A NORA N. PANAGIOTIS A/K/A NORMA FLORES A/K/A NORA N. FLOROS A/K/A NORA FLOROS, UNKNOWN OWNERS AND NON-RECORD CLAIMANTS
Defendants
13 CH 05531
8835 NORTH KEELER 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 July 2, 2013, an agent for The Judicial Sales Corporation, will at 10:30 AM on October 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 8835 NORTH KEELER AVENUE, SKOKIE, IL 60076 Property Index No. 10-15-424-040-0000. The real estate is improved with a one story single family home with a two car attached garage. Sale terms: 25% down of the highest bid by certified funds at the close of the sale payable to The Judicial Sales Corporation. No third party checks will be accepted. 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 PA1225723. 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. PA1225723 Attorney Code. 91220 Case Number: 13 CH 05531 TJSC#: 33-15627 **I554545**
9/12, 9/19, 9/26/13 #639973

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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. D13135646 on September 16, 2013. Under the Assumed Name of
AZ EXPRESS
with the business located at 4926 N Lester Ave., 1W, Chicago, IL 60630. The true names(s) and residence address of the owner(s) is: Azamat Akhun Uulu, 4926 N Lester Ave., 1W, Chicago, IL 60630.
9/26, 10/3, 10/10/13 #651117

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. D13135645 on September 16, 2013. Under the Assumed Name of
POSITIVE SERVICE
with the business located at 4926 N Lester Ave., #1W, Chicago, IL 60630. The true names(s) and residence address of the owner(s) is: Ilias Nazaraliev, 4926 N Lester Ave., #1W, Chicago, IL 60630.
9/26, 10/3, 10/10/13 #651113

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. D13135531 on September 10, 2013. Under the Assumed Name of
New Horizon Inspection
with the business located at 8130 W Dempster St., Niles, IL 60714. The true names(s) and residence address of the owner(s) is: Wilson Georges, 8130 W Dempster St., Niles, IL 60714.
9/19, 9/26, 10/3/13 #647321

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. D13135591 on September 10, 2013. Under the Assumed Name of
KG EXPRESS
with the business located at 5803 N Maplewood Ave., Apt 2N, Chicago, IL 60659. The true names(s) and residence address of the owner(s) is: Iskander Uraiymov, 5803 N Maplewood Ave., Apt 2N, Chicago, IL 60659.
9/19, 9/26, 10/3/13 #645781

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. D13135532 on September 10, 2013. Under the Assumed Name of
ALLAN EXPRESS
with the business located at 5461 N. East River Rd., Apt 403, Chicago, IL 60656. The true names(s) and residence address of the owner(s) is: Adylbek Kozubaev, 5461 N. East River Rd., Apt 403, Chicago, IL 60656.
9/19, 9/26, 10/3/13 #645776

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. D13135567 on September 9, 2013. Under the Assumed Name of
NOOKAT EXPRESS
with the business located at 5803 N Maplewood Ave., Apt 1N, Chicago, IL 60659. The true names(s) and residence address of the owner(s) is: Makhamatkalyl Mamytov, 5803 N Maplewood Ave., Apt 1N, Chicago, IL 60659.
9/19, 9/26, 10/3/13 #645769

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. D13135548 on September 5, 2013. Under the Assumed Name of
N J Sales Group
at 6201 W Howard Street, Suite 212, Niles, IL 60714. The true name(s) and residence address of the owner(s) is: Ninos Lazar, 9098 Barberry Lane, Des Plaines, IL 60016.
9/19, 9/26, 10/3/13 #644245

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. D13135547 on September 5, 2013. Under the Assumed Name of
Select Dental Studio
at 6201 W Howard Street, Suite 212, Niles, IL 60714. The true name(s) and residence address of the owner(s) is: Ninos Lazar, 9098 Barberry Lane, Des Plaines, IL 60016.
9/19, 9/26, 10/3/13 #644239

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. D13135553 on September 6, 2013. Under the Assumed Name of
HYMNS FOR HIM
at 8822 S. Euclid Ave., Chicago, IL 60617, 11923 S. Western Ave., Chicago, IL 60406. The true name(s) and residence address of the owner(s) is: Kelvin McLin, 8822 S. Euclid Ave., Chicago, IL 60617.
9/12, 9/19, 9/26/13 #642647

Bid Notice

BID NOTICE
Skokie School District 73½seeks bids for Fencing and Bollards at McCracken Middle School. Bid Specifications will be available on Thursday, September 26, 2013 at 8000 East Prairie Road, Skokie, IL 60076 or by calling Steve Ruelli at 847.676.8227. There will be a site inspection on Thursday, October 3, 2013 at 3:30pm at McCracken Middle School, 8000 East Prairie Road, Skokie, IL, 60076. Sealed bids must be submitted by 10:00am on Tuesday, October 15, 2013 at Skokie School District 73.5, 8000 East Prairie Road, Skokie, IL, 60076.
9/26/13 #647503

LEGAL NOTICE
INVITATION FOR BIDS
FURNISHING AND DELIVERING FIRE HYDRANTS
The City of Park Ridge will accept sealed bids for furnishing and delivering FIRE HYDRANTS, PW-13-05, in accordance with the specifications and contract documents now available:
Specifications and bidding documents may be obtained at Park Ridge City Hall, 1st Floor, Cashier's Desk, 505 Butler Place, Park Ridge, Illinois.
Prospective bidders are advised to carefully review the General and Special Conditions and Detailed Specifications of these documents
Bids will be accepted at the Cashier's Desk, 505 Butler Place, Park Ridge, Illinois, 60068, until 10:00 AM on Tuesday, October 8, 2013, at which time all bids will be publicly opened and read. A bid deposit will be required.
The City of Park Ridge reserves the right to reject any and all bids.
Brian Wiebe
Superintendent of Public Works
9/26/13 #648705

Niles Township High Schools, District 219, will receive sealed bids for the purchase of Marching Band Uniforms for Niles North High School up to 2:00 p.m. on Thursday, October 10, 2013 at the Business Office of District 219, 7700 Gross Point Road, Skokie, IL 60077.
Bids will thereafter be publicly opened and read aloud. Specifications of items to be supplied may be obtained from the Business Office at the above address.
For further information contact:
Jean Hedstrom,
Purchasing Agent
District 219 - Business Office
847-626-3978
9/26/13 #651525

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Bid Notice

VILLAGE OF SKOKIE PURCHASING DIVISION
NOTICE OF BID LETTING - SALE OF REAL ESTATE
8350 Laramie Ave & 5231 Lincoln Ave, Skokie, Illinois (1.07 acres or 46,623 sf)
Property Description/Location: Former Skokie Police Station
8350 Laramie Avenue (Parking Lot - 5231 Lincoln Avenue)
Skokie, Cook County, IL 60077
PINs:10-21-304-005-000
and 10-21-303-085-000
Bid Opening Time and Place: 11:00 A.M., Tuesday, October 8, 2013
Village Hall Council Chambers
5127 Oakton St., Skokie, IL 60077
For more information (including minimum asking price), please visit www.skokie.org. Click on Village Departments, Purchasing, Bids & RFP's to download a copy of Specification and Contract Document Number: 2014-07-02.
9/12, 9/19, 9/26/13 #641910

Bid Notice

LEGAL NOTICE
REQUEST FOR PROPOSALS
Phases II & III Police Renovation
The City of Park Ridge Police Department will accept sealed proposals from qualified architectural firms for Phases II & III of the police renovation project in accordance with the specifications outlined in the Request for Proposal. (RFP # 13-1 – Police).
Specifications and proposal documents may be obtained at the Park Ridge Police Department, 200 South Vine, Park Ridge, Illinois 60068, Monday – Friday from 8:00 a.m. – 4:30 p.m. at the Chief's office. A deposit for the documents is not required.
A mandatory facility walk-through will be held at 9:00 a.m. local time on October 9, 2013 in the City Council Chambers, 505 Butler Place, Park Ridge, Illinois 60068.
Proposals must be submitted, in a sealed envelope, marked as stated in RFP #13-1, to Chief Frank Kaminski, Park Ridge Police Department, 200 S. Vine Avenue, Park Ridge, Illinois 60068 on or before October 24, 2013 at 9:00 a.m., local time.
The public opening of the proposals will occur on October 24, 2013 at 9:15 a.m. in the City Hall Council Chamber, 505 Butler Place, Park Ridge, IL 60068.
The City reserves the right to reject any and all proposals.
Frank Kaminski
Chief of Police
9/26/13 #650354

Divorce

State of Illinois
In The Circuit Court of Cook County, Illinois
Domestic Relations Division
In the matter of Gabriela Ruiz (Petitioner) And Camilo Hernanez (Respondent)
Case No. 13 D 4020
Publication Notice
The requisite affidavit for publication having been filed, notice is hereby give to you, the above named respondent, a petition has been filed in the Circuit Court of Cook County, Illinois by the petitioner, for a Dissolution of Marriage and for other relief, and that said suit is now pending.
Now, therefore, unless you, the said respondent, file your response to said petition or otherwise make your appearance herein, in the Office of the Clerk of the Circuit Court of Cook County, Illinois, Richard J. Daley Center, 50 W. Washington, Rm. 802, Chicago, IL on or before November 1, 2013, default may be entered against you at any time after that day and a judgment for Dissolution of Marriage entered in accordance with the prayer of said petition.
Chicago Family Law Group, LLC
161 N. Clark, #3200
Chicago, IL 60601
312-893-5888
9/19, 9/26, 10/3/13 #645310

TO PLACE YOUR GARAGE SALE AD, CALL 847-998-3400

Foreclosures

State of Wisconsin Circuit Court - Milwaukee County Publication Summons - Case No. 13-CV-006771 - The Honorable Daniel A. Noonan - Case Code 30404 (Foreclosure of Mortgage) - The amount claimed exceeds $10,000.00 - JPMorgan Chase Bank, . National Association, Successor by Merger to Chase Home Finance, LLC, 3415 Vision Dr., Columbus, OH 43219, Plaintiff vs. Jennifer M. Scott & Michael C. Scott, 3763 E. Munkwitz Ave., Cudahy, WI 53110-1710; Meridian Development LLC, 2904 W. Wisconsin Ave., Apt. 2, Milwaukee, WI 53208; Americredit Financial Services, c/o CSC Lawyers Inc. Service Co., Registered Agent, 8040 Excelsior Dr., Ste. 400, Madison, WI 53717; Advanced Healthcare SC, 750 W. Virginia St., Milwaukee, WI 53204; State of Wisconsin Department of Revenue, State of Wisconsin c/o Attorney General, 114 East State Capitol, Madison, WI 53703; Arrow Financial Services LLC, c/o CT Corp. System, Registered Agent, 208 S. La Salle St., Chicago, IL 60604-1000 and Thomas A. Wright, 12545 W. Burleigh Rd., Ste. 10, Brookfield, WI 53005, Defendants - The State of Wisconsin - To each person named above as a defendant: You are hereby notified that the plaintiff named above has filed a lawsuit or other legal action against you. Within 40 days after 9/19/13 you must respond with a written demand for a copy of the complaint. The demand must be sent or delivered to the court, whose address is 901 N. 9th St., Milwaukee, WI 53233 and to Gray & Assoc., L.L.P., plaintiff's attorney, whose address is 16345 W. Glendale Dr., New Berlin, WI 53151. You may have an attorney help or represent you. If you do not demand a copy of the complaint within 40 days, the court may grant judgment against you for the award of money or other legal action requested in the complaint, and you may lose your right to object to anything that is or may be incorrect in the complaint. A judgment may be enforced as provided by law. A judgment awarding money may become a lien against any real estate you own now or in the future, and may also be enforced by garnishment or seizure of property. Dated 9/16/13, William N. Foshag, State Bar No. 1020417, Gray & Assoc., L.L.P., Attys. for Plaintiff, 16345 W. Glendale Dr., New Berlin, WI 53151, (414) 224-1987. Gray & Assoc., L.L.P. is attempting to collect a debt and any information obtained will be used for that purpose. If you have previously received a discharge in a chapter 7 bankruptcy case, this communication should not be construed as an attempt to hold you personally liable for the debt.
9/19, 9/26, 10/3/13 #646752

Mechanics Liens

Notice is hereby given that on OCTOBER 12, 2013, a sale will be held at:
P & S AUTO SERVICE AND AUTO BODY
2753 S. ARCHER AVE.
CHICAGO, IL 60608
312-225-8484
To sell the following article to enforce a lien existing under the laws of the State of Illinois against such article for repairs and storage furnished for such article at the request of the following designated persons, unless such articles are redeemed prior to the designated sale date:
OWNER(S): MICHAEL L. HACKNEY
12700 S. ABERDEEN 2C
CALUMET PARK, IL 60827
LIEN HOLDER: NONE
Vehicles: 1997 BMW
VIN # WBADD6329VBW00093
Amount of Lien: $5603.00
9/12, 9/19, 9/26/13 #639073

Mechanics Liens

Notice is hereby given that on OCTOBER 28, 2013, a sale will be held at:
DEB'S AUTO REPAIR
2929 N. CICERO AVE.
CHICAGO, IL 60641
773-286-6515
To sell the following article to enforce a lien existing under the laws of the State of Illinois against such article for repairs and storage furnished for such article at the request of the following designated persons, unless such articles are redeemed prior to the designated sale date:
OWNER(S): LEE W. HOLMES
642 N. PINE AVE.
CHICAGO, IL 60644
LIEN HOLDER: CAPITOL ONE AUTO FINANCE
P.O. BOX 660068
SACRAMENTO, CA 95866
Vehicles: 2012 JEEP PATRIOT LATITUDE
VIN # 1C4NJPFB5CD605410
Amount of Lien: $14850.00
9/26, 10/3, 10/10/13 #647571

That on 11/4/2013, a sale will be held at 3:00 p.m. at:
Grand Auto Center
1401 W. Grand Avenue
Chicago, IL 60645
All bids to be in writing, to sell the following articles to enforce a lien existing under the laws of the State of Illinois against such articles for labor, services, skills or material expended upon or storage furnished for such articles at the request of the following designated person(s), unless such articles are redeemed within thirty (30) days of the publication of this notice.
NAME OF PERSON(S)
Petronila Diaz
Auto Finance
DESCRIPTION OF ARTICLE
2008 Hyundai Sonata
5NPET46C88H310823
AMOUNT: $11,639.77
9/19, 9/26, 10/3/13 #645328

That on 11/4/2013, a sale will be held at 3:00 p.m. at:
Phillips Towing
1168 N. Halsted
Chicago, IL 60622
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Probate

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COUNTY DEPARTMENT, PROBATE DIVISION
ESTATE OF
PATRICIA K. BIRD, Deceased.
NO: 13 P 5001
PUBLICATION NOTICE
Notice is given of the death of PATRICIA K. BIRD, of 314 North Elmhurst Avenue, Mount Prospect, Cook County, Illinois. Letters of Office were issued on September 11, 2013 to DAVID S. BIRD, as Independent Executor, whose mailing address is North Elmhurst Avenue, Mount Prospect, Cook County, Illinois, and whose attorney is Michael J. Moran, 121 S. Wilke Road, Suite 201, Arlington Heights, IL 60005, 847-577-8556, Atty# 25946.
Claims must be filed on or before March 26, 2014, and any claim not filed on or before that date is barred. Every claim filed must be in writing and state sufficient information to notify the representative of the nature of the claim or other relief sought. Claims must be filed with the representative of the Estate or in the Office of the Circuit Clerk of this Court, 50 West Washington Street, Chicago, Illinois 60602. If filed with the Court, the claimant within ten (10) days after filing his claim with the Court: (1) shall cause a copy of the claim to be mailed or delivered to the representative and to his Attorney of record, unless the representative of his Attorney has in writing, either consented to the allowance of the claim or waived mailing or delivery of copies in writing, and (2) shall file with the Court proof of any required mailing or delivery of copies.
DATED: September 13, 2013
/s/ Michael J. Moran, Attorney
for The Estate of Patricia K. Bird
9/19, 9/26, 10/3/13 #645930

Public Notices

SUMMONS
IN THE SUPERIOR COURT OF THE VIRGIN ISLANDS
DIVISION
OF ST. THOMAS AND ST. JOHN
Captain's Command at Blue-beard's Beach Club Owner's Association, Inc.
Plaintiff
vs.
Duane L. Archer, Karen E. Archer, et al.
Defendants
CIVIL NO. 343/2011
TO: John Guzaldo, Defendant, 6735 N. Kenton Ave., Lincolnwood, IL 60712
Within the time limited by law you are hereby required to appear before this Court and answer to a complaint filed against you in this action and in case of your failure to appear or answer, judgment by default will be taken against you as demanded in the complaint, for DEBT AND FORECLOSURE OF LIENS.
Witness my hand and the Seal of this Court this 9th day of September, 2013.
VENETIA HARVEY-VELASQUEZ
Clerk of the Court
Carol A. Rich, Esq.
DUDLEY RICH DAVIS LLP
Attorney for Plaintiff
5194 Dronningens Gade
Suite 3 (at Hibiscus Alley)
St. Thomas, U.S. Virgin Islands 00802
Tel: 340-776-7474
Fax: 340-776-8044
crich@dudleylaw.com
NOTE: If served by publication the defendant is required to file his/her answer or other defense with the Clerk of this Court, and to serve a copy thereof upon the attorney for the plaintiff within thirty (30) days after the completion of the period of publication or personal service outside of the jurisdiction.
9/19,9/26,10/3,10/10 #642982

Public Hearings

PLEASE TAKE NOTICE - THE MORTON GROVE ZONING BOARD OF APPEALS will hold a public hearing on Monday, October 21, 2013 at 7:30 p.m. in the Board of Trustees Chambers, Richard T. Flickinger Municipal Center, 6101 Capulina Avenue, Morton Grove, Illinois to consider the following cases:
CASE ZBA 13-08
Requesting variations from Section 12-3-5 of Ordinance 07-07 (Village of Morton Grove Unified Development Code) to allow for waivers to fence requirements to place an 8' high perimeter fence around the proposed outdoor pool facility-regulations permit a 6' fence height maximum, and to place a portion of the fence in the designated front yard, regulations prohibit front yard fences.
The parcel is located in the R1 "Single-Family Residence District" and is commonly known as 9201 Oriole. The applicant is Morton Grove Park District.
9/26/13 #650246

PLEASE TAKE NOTICE - THE MORTON GROVE PLAN COMMISSION will hold a public hearing on Monday, October 21, 2013 at 7:30 p.m. in the Board of Trustees Chambers, Richard T. Flickinger Municipal Center, 6101 Capulina Avenue, Morton Grove, Illinois to consider the following cases:
CASE PC 13-08
Requesting Text Amendments to Title 12, of Ordinance 07-07 (Village of Morton Grove Unified Development Code) regarding "Offices-business, contractor, professional and public" and "Medical and dental offices/clinics (first floor)" uses in the C/R (Commercial Residential) District. Plan Commission will also review parking regulations for the above uses for potential adjustment.
The applicant is Village of Morton Grove, 6101 Capulina, Morton Grove, IL 60053.
CASE PC 13-10
Requesting Text Amendments to Title 12, of Ordinance 07-07 (Village of Morton Grove Unified Development Code) to establish a zoning definition for "Archery and Shooting Ranges" and to determine appropriate zoning district(s) to be allowed.
The applicant is Village of Morton Grove, 6101 Capulina, Morton Grove, IL 60053.
CASE PC 13-11
Requesting Text Amendments to Title 12 Chapter 6, of Ordinance 07-07 (Village of Morton Grove Unified Development Code) regarding Planned Unit Developments.
The applicant is Village of Morton Grove, 6101 Capulina, Morton Grove, IL 60053.
9/26/13 #650244

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Foster Ravenswood Self Storage
1800 W Foster Ave
Chicago IL, 60640
Auction Date 10-11-13 At 3pm
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:
Richard Shunick #236, full of antique furnitures.
Mlraki Mohammed #41,, boxes.
9/26, 10/3/13 #619996

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Storage - Legal

Life Storage Centers of State Street will hold a public sale to enforce a lien imposed on said property, as described below, pursuant to the Illinois Self-Service Storage Facility Act, Illinois Code 770 ILCS 95/1 to 95/7, on Tuesday, October 8, 2013 at Life Storage Centers of the State Street, 2361 S. State St. Chicago, IL 60616.
Management reserves the right to withdraw any unit from sale. Registered or motor vehicles are sold "As Is / Parts Only," no titles or registration.

Tenant Name	Unit #
Wendell Smoot	144
Elizabeth M. Beardsley	2008
Wanda Lewis	2065
Debbie Patterson	2153
Hessler Worldwide	2209
Brandi Williams	3039
Gwendolyn Vann	3180
David Gardner	4019
Tischa Thomas	4048
Josephus Robinson	5070
Waunlece Cole	5080
Tracey Adams	5081
Tiara Crump	4018
Kenneth Fisher	2091
Katondria McCarter	2098
Courtney Avery	4088
Toccarra Wilson	4089
William Harris	5084
Bradley Gibson	3105
Tiffany Baker	3040
Degobe Felton	3056

9/26, 10/3/13 #649238

LifeStorage of Montclare will hold a Public Sale to enforce a lien imposed on said property, as described below, pursuant to the Illinois Self-Service Storage Facility Act. Illinois Code 770-ILCS 95/7 on Wednesday, October 9,2013. Location: LifeStorage of Montclare, at 6603 W Diversey Ave. Chicago, Illinois 60707 (773)237-3030.
Management reserves the right to withdraw any unit from the sale. The contents of the below spaces will be sold at a public sale for cash or credit card. If there is no market value or no bids received, the goods will be disposed.
Registered or Motor Vehicles are sold "AS IS / Parts Only" no titles or registration.

Tenant Name	Unit Number
Lora Nystrom	A0002
Zbigniew Napieralski	A1140
Abedallah Zoubeidi	A1152
Andrzey Giemza	A2131
Sylvia Jackson	A2160
Akeya J.Williams	C1176
Robert Duling	C2112
Micheal A.Munoz	D2106
Thomasina Wilkins	D2126

9/19, 9/26/13 #646599

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LifeStorage of Humboldt Park will hold a public sale to enforce a lien imposed on said property, as described below, pursuant to the Illinois Self -Service Storage Facility Act, Illinois Code 770 ILCS 95/1 to 95/7, on Tuesday, October 8, 2013 at LifeStorage of Humboldt Park, 4014 W. Grand Avenue, Chicago, Illinois, 60651. Phone number is 1-773-235-2800
Management reserves the right to withdraw any unit from sale. Registered or motor vehicles are sold "As Is/Parts Only," no titles or registration.

Name	Unit
Gregory R Baran	209 & 597
Sharon Bennett	269
Lee Blossom	22
Janice M Blue	230
Rafael A Boria Jr	197
Chiquita M Carroll	550
Jessica Castro	343
Ed Drzazinski	175
Marco Garcia	674
Karl D Goodloe	868
Brian T Haley	663
Jon H Hooper	641
Juvanna N Johnson	82
Christopher LeBeau	954
Latonya McIntyre	181
Daniel Meza	14
Shamane Miller	716
Rebecca Morris	291
Jordan Mulero	601
Piya Newton	8
Cynthia M Oliphant	704
Cellar L Parker	765
Dennean J Paul	619 & 666
Laverne Paul	516
Claretha Pendleton	886
Richard A Perry	346
Joana Rodriguez-Sanches	112
Joaquin Serrano	361
Terrance L Sheppard	686
Janice Simmons	531
Brian Totty	273
Evangeline Washington	397
Damita Watt	491
Russell D Williams	564
Zulnavia Williams	940
Eugene Wolf	648

9/26, 10/3/13 #646592

Life Storage of Wrigleyville will hold a public sale to enforce a lien imposed on said property, as described below, pursuant to the Illinois Self-Service Storage Facility Act, Illinois Code 770 ILCS 95/1 to 95/7, on Wednesday, October 9, 2013, at Life Storage of Wrigleyville, 3323 West Addison Street, Chicago, Illinois, 60618.
Management reserves the right to withdraw any unit from sale. Registered or motor vehicles are sold "As Is / Parts Only," no titles or registration.

Tenant Name	Unit #
Brenda Hernandez	1005
Victoria Bauer	1294
Meosha Langston	2195
Brian Ruby	3038
Robert R Liebich	3152
Humberto Rodriguez	3175

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9/19, 9/26/13 #646582

Life Storage Centers of the Southwest Loop will hold a public sale to enforce a lien imposed on said property, as described below, pursuant to the Illinois Self-Service Storage Facility Act, Illinois Code 770 ILCS 95/1 to 95/7, on Tuesday, October 8, 2013, at Life Storage Centers of the Southwest Loop, 601 W. Harrison St., Chicago, IL, 60607 (312) -360-1153
Management reserves the right to withdraw any unit from sale. Registered or motor vehicles are sold "As Is / Parts Only," no titles or registration.

Tenant Name	Unit #
Diane McWilliams	115
Rogelio Guerra	434
Ruth Charles	440
Mary Moran	609
Kim Johnson	664
Betty Davis	681

9/26, 10/3/13 #644929

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Storage - Legal

LifeStorage of Rogers Park will hold a public sale to enforce a lien imposed on said property, as described below, pursuant to the Illinois Self-Service Storage Facility Act, Illinois Code 770 ILCS 95/1 to 95/7, on Wednesday October 9th , 2013, at LifeStorage of Rogers Park, 7524 N. Paulina St. Chicago, Illinois, 60626. (773) 381-1417
Management reserves the right to withdraw any unit from sale. Registered or motor vehicles are sold "As Is / Parts Only," no titles or registration.

Tenant Name:	Unit #
Vashti Watson	973
Letta Watson	967
Edwin Coleman	958
Adedayo Kadri	926
Blenda Ballentine-Burnley	923
Sheanee Page	917
Krystal Woodmore	907
Christopher Lawson	892
Kingwa Leung	881
Dale Forbes	823
James Robinson	726
Anthony Wolfe	666
Marie Ferguson	586
Danyel Cecil Martin	540
Jesse A Dismukes	523
Eddie Wordlaw	473
Eric Chavez	442
Edward Deane	387
Patricia Smith	355
Leisa Hardwick	314
Gary Fort-Clark	273
Jose Francisco Chavez	Almaraz-261
Eunice Echols	232
Debra L Crestoni	224
Kenae Martin	142
Stephanie Wynn	127
Christine D. Sanders	113

9/19, 9/26/13 #643997

Life Storage Centers of Hermosa will hold a public sale to enforce a lien imposed on said property, as described below, pursuant to the Illinois Self-Service Storage Facility Act, Illinois Code 770 ILCS 95/1 to 95/7, on October 8, 2013 at Life Storage Centers of Hermosa, 4500 W. Grand Ave. Chicago, IL 60639. Phone number is 773-235-8452
Management reserves the right to withdraw any unit from sale. Registered or motor vehicles are sold "As Is/Parts Only" no titles or registration.

Unit	Tenant Name
495	Luis A. Roman
585	Amanda Hoffman
355	Rolanda Lowe
471	Ismail Muhammad
401	Harold Lattimore
555	Donnie Taylor
256	David mckinnie
587	Tiffany Williams
537	Austin People Action Center
619	Julian Zavala
503	Felicia Nesbitt
742	Chiniec Morris
538	Cheryl Martin
246	Patrick Wandick
550	Cheryl Martin
425	Iwona Wisiewska
173	Myron M Byrd
688	George Jones
244	Edith Cardenas
058	Trenton Guine

9/26, 10/3/13 #643360

LifeStorage of Lincoln Park will hold a public sale to enforce a lien imposed on said property, as described below, pursuant to the Illinois Self-Service Storage Facility Act, Illinois Code 770 ILCS 95/1 to 95/7, on Wednesday October 8th , 2013, at LifeStorage of Lincoln Park 1030 W. North Ave. Chicago IL 60642. (312) 397-1074
Management reserves the right to withdraw any unit from sale. Registered or motor vehicles are sold "As Is / Parts Only," no titles or registration.

Tenant Name:	Unit #
Kanisha Rowry	1072

9/19, 9/26/13 #642388

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Storage - Legal

Notice is hereby given that pursuant to Illinois Self-Storage Facilities Act, a sale will be held on October 9th, 2013, at LifeStorage of Portage Park, 6500 West Dakin Street, Chicago, IL 60634 (773) 282-2400. The contents of the below spaces will be sold at a public sale for cash, credit card or certified funds. If there is no market value or no bids received, the goods will be otherwise disposed of.
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NOTICE OF AUCTION

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Tenant Name	Unit
Clodia Osipo	1318
Global Medical Equipment of America	1146
Jackie Slingluff	1146
Jeffery Ortman	1231
Jeffery Ortman	1237
William Lowrance	1272
Richard Spandiary	1724
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Felicia Prindle & Jake Pancratz

Felicia and Jake grew up in Hoffman Estates and attended Schaumburg High School together. They met in 2005 when Felicia was a senior in high school and Jake was a junior. They married Aug. 3 at Rockefeller Chapel and had their reception at Germania Place, both in Chicago. Felicia teaches Spanish at Wauconda High School and coaches varsity cheerleading. Jake is an analyst with J.P. Morgan in Chicago. They honeymooned in Punta Cana, Dominican Republic, and live in the West Loop.

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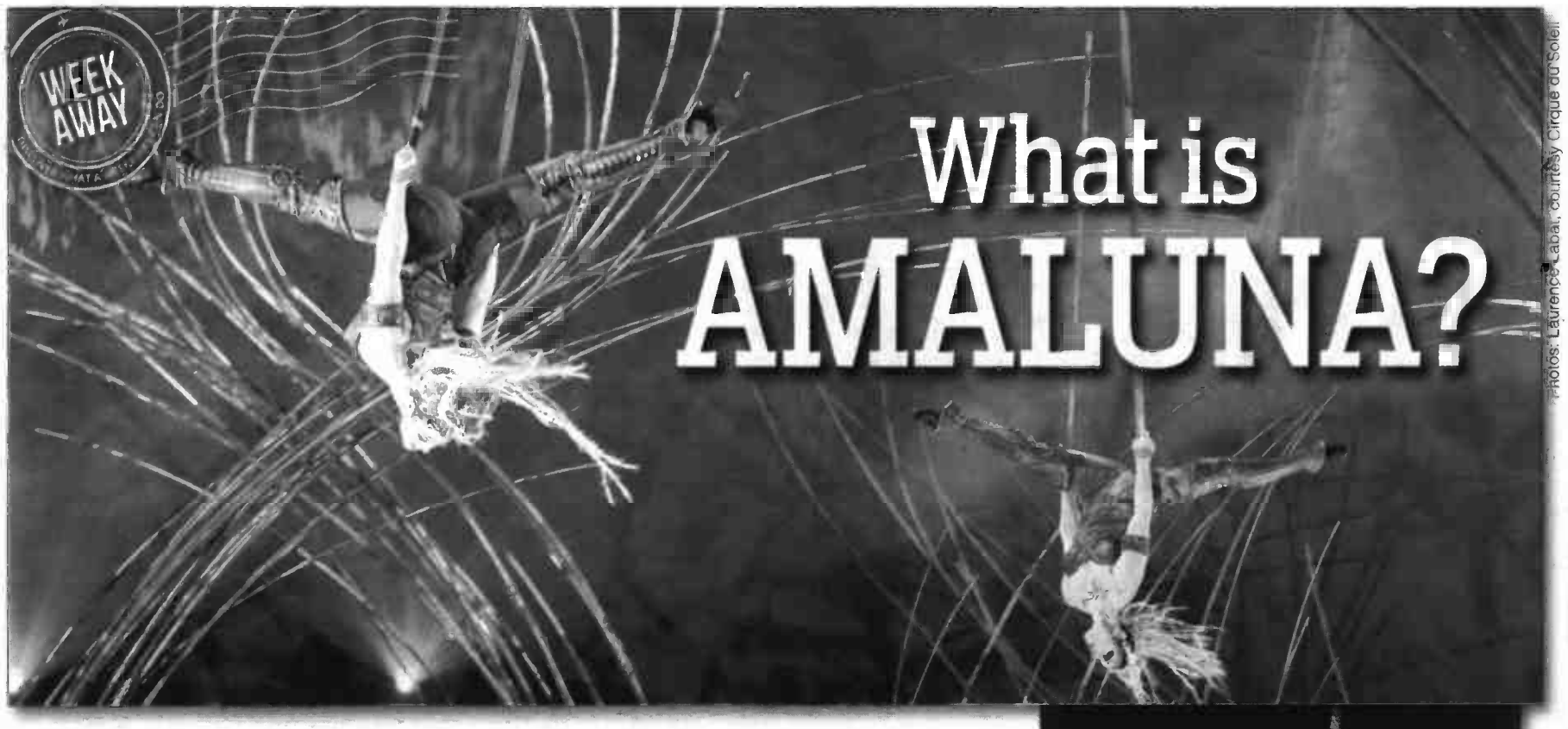

What is AMALUNA?

Photos: Laurence Labat, courtesy Cirque du Soleil

By Matthew Villanueva

From Sept. 26 to Oct. 20, Cirque du Soleil's latest breathtaking spectacle Amaluna will set up its Big Top on the north parking lot of the Mall of America in Bloomington, Minnesota. This production highlights the athletic dancing, beautiful music, dreamlike sets and fanciful costumes that have made Cirque du Soleil famous throughout the world. For the first time in Cirque du Soleil history, the band features an all-female ensemble of musicians and nearly three out of four performers are women.

Here is a closer look at Amaluna:

Setting

Amaluna takes place on a hidden island whose rhythms are attuned to the cycles of the moon and controlled by a council of goddesses led by queen Prospera. The show chronicles the story of the budding love between Prospera's daughter and a young man who finds himself shipwrecked on the island after one of Prospera's epic magical storms.

Costumes

The performers' costumes in Amaluna feature designs based on historic clothing with a 21st century twist. Deconstructed designs from the Italian renaissance feature fiberglass, metallic paper and denim, while voluminous robes features prints of images from nature and deep space. Though some of the garments are long and flowing, none impede the performers' athletic movements.

Sets

For the duration of the show, the area below the big top is transformed into the fanciful wooded island of Amaluna. Artificial trees circle the stage, while bamboo-like branches and limbs stretch up towards the canopy above. A water bowl at the center of the stage changes colors and provides a visual vortex where performers accomplish breathtaking acrobatic feats.

If you want to see this amazing production while it's in Bloomington, reserve your tickets now. You can find out more about your dining, lodging and shopping options in the third-largest town in the Twin Cities area by calling the Bloomington CVB at 800-346-4289.

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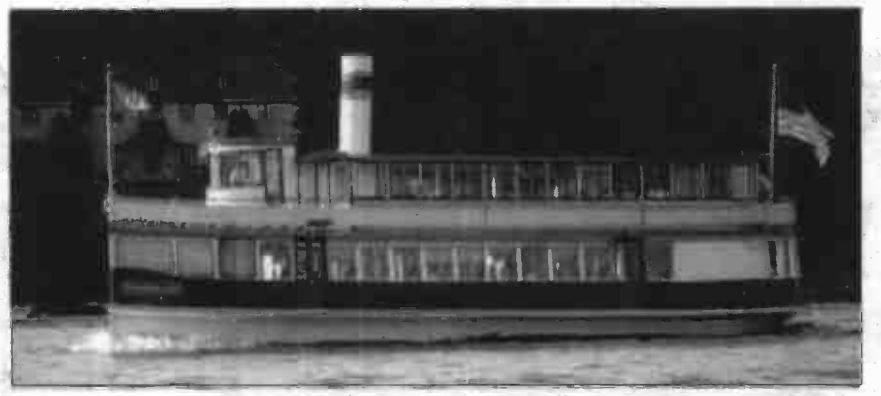

Geneva Lakes Antique and Classic Boat Show

The Abbey Resort

Fontana, Wis. • Sept. 27-29

The annual Geneva Lakes Boat Show is an opportunity to admire classic and vintage boats from all over the country and for free! Presented by the Blackhawk Chapter of the Antique and Classic Boat Society, the show is held in the Abbey Resort's harbor.

Boat Show events kick off Friday with the estate tour and lunch. Take the estate tour and visit three of the finest estates on Geneva Lake, while cruising along the lake in one of the featured boats. Lunch is provided at the Lake Geneva Country Club, one of the oldest 18-hole golf courses in the Midwest. Later in the evening, you can mix and mingle while enjoying an opening reception with cocktails and dinner.

The boat showings begin Saturday and are on display during the day Saturday and Sunday with a boat parade scheduled Saturday. Boats range in all kinds of styles and sizes, with 2013 boat show entries including antique runabouts, canoes, classic cruisers, classic runabouts, classic utilities and Streblows.

Weko Beach Brewers Festival

Bridgman, Mich. • Sept. 28

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Relax on the beach and drink award-winning Michigan beers at the Weko Beach Brewers Festival. "Toast the coast" on a Saturday afternoon this fall under a "Big-Top Tent" overlooking the beautiful Weko Beach. Located in Bridgman, Mich., Weko Beach is only about a hour and a half drive from Chicago!

You can sample locally-produced craft beers from Michigan, either by having a sample taste or a whole mug. There will be live music to dance to and tasty cuisine from local restaurants to enjoy. The Weko Beach Brewers Festival will be right along Weko Beach, allowing you to enjoy scenic views and a dazzling sunset.

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route66fest.com

Lake Geneva, Wis.
Geneva Lakes Boat Show
Sept. 27-29
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Galena, Ill.
Fall Harvest & Art Festival
Saturday, Sept. 28
www.galenacellars.com/art-festival

Moline, Ill.
Quad Cities Hot Air Balloon Fest
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quadcitiesballoonfestival.com

Quincy, Ill.
Great Rivers Grape Escape
Sept. 28-29
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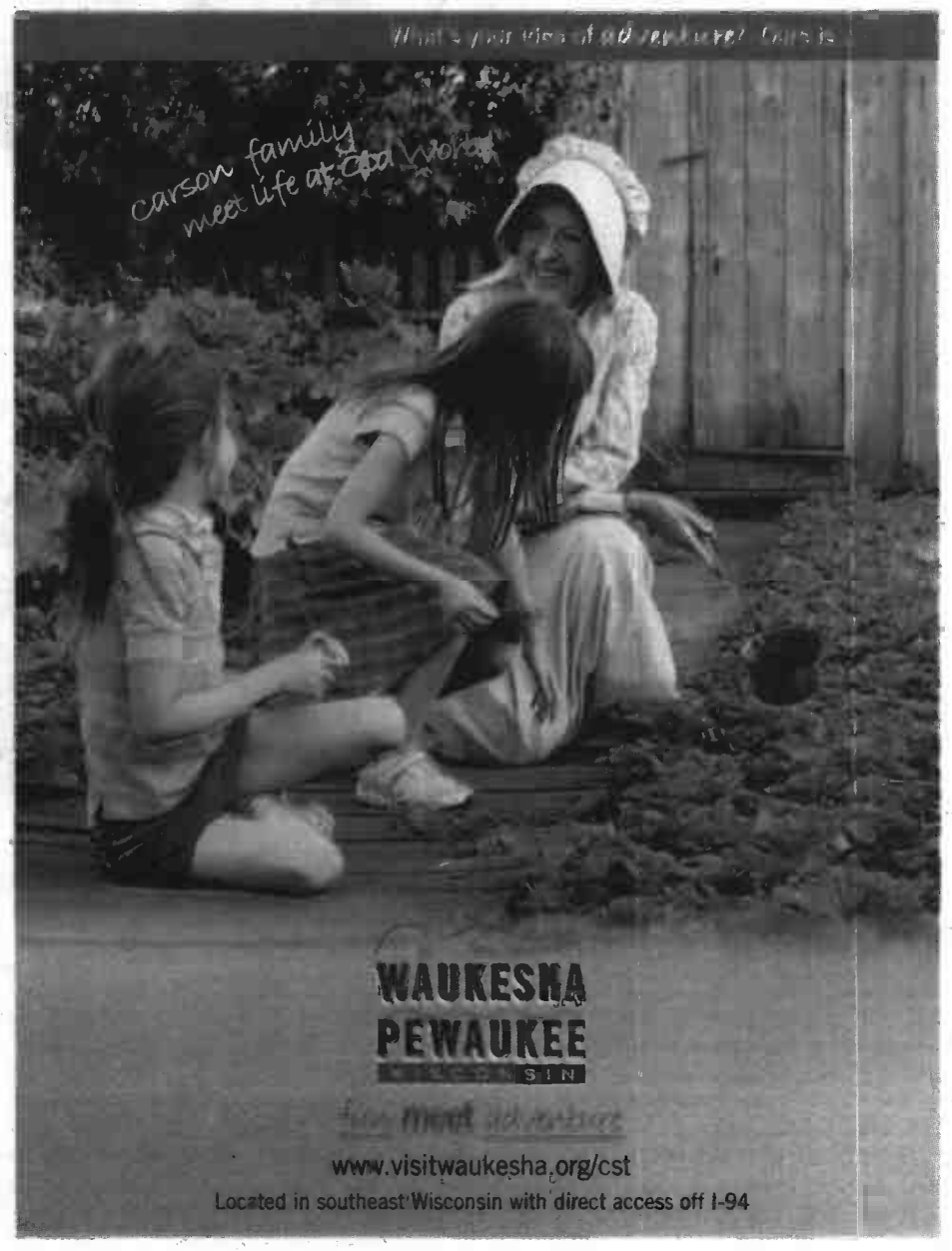

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'Days of Our Lives' book airs secrets for good lives

BY BRUCE INGRAM
For Sun-Times Media

While touring three years ago with the cast of "Days of Our Lives" to promote a book celebrating the soap opera's 45th anniversary, executive producer Greg Meng noticed one question being asked over and over, city after city.

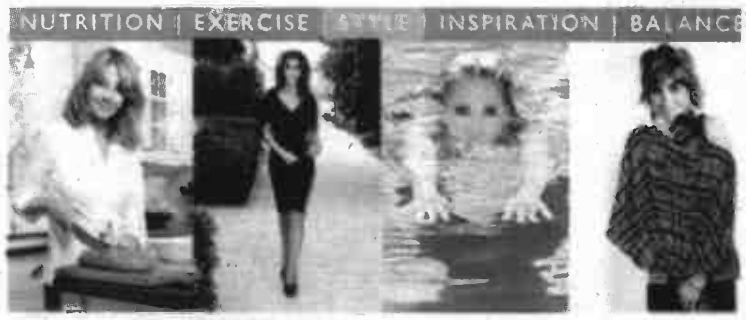
How did the cast members, who range in age from 18 to 85, manage to keep themselves looking so attractive, healthy and fit?

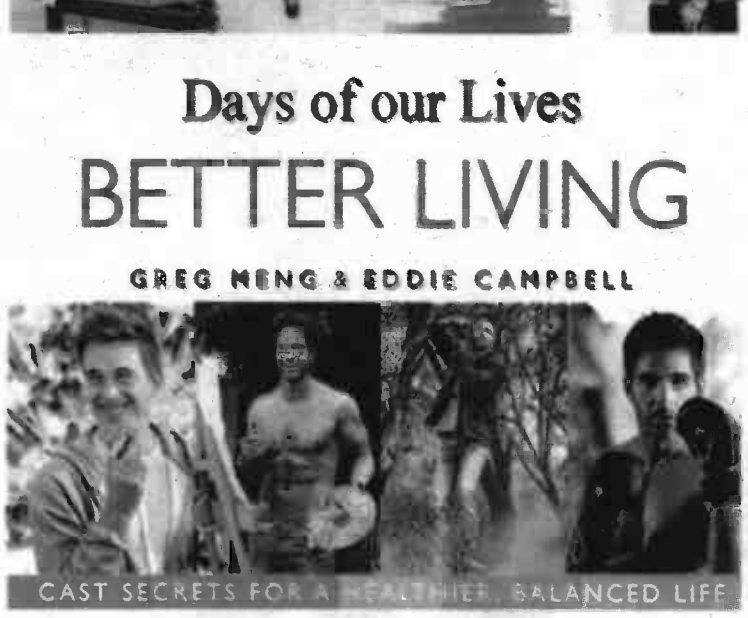
The answer to that question is revealed in the show's new recent book, *"Days of Our Lives" Better Living: Cast Secrets for a Healthier Balanced Life.* And cast members past and present are back on the road to support it, including stops Sept. 27 at Barnes & Noble in Skokie and Sept. 28 at Anderson's Bookshop in Naperville.

"I've always wanted to do a lifestyle-type book with the cast," said Meng, adding that he was as interested as the fans were in the topic. "I wanted to know their secrets and I found out that it kind of boiled down to five basic elements, namely nutrition, exercise, style, inspiration and balance."

As a result, Meng, who co-authored *"Days of Our Lives" Better Living*, decided to devote one section of the book to each of those elements, featuring different cast members in each section. Those include Alison Sweeney, Deidre Hall, Kristian Alfonso, Lisa Rinna, James Scott and Galen Gering, among others.

"I also realized that any of us could follow the same routines they do," Meng said. "None of them have any weird practices. They all just had a balance of those basic areas and a constant awareness of maintaining that balance."





He also noted that the cast's health and well-being practices seemed to contribute to their personal happiness "and a genuine sense of fulfillment. They all had other interests that balance their lives, whether it was another business or another creative outlet. And they also had a sense of cause — some sort of giving back or some spiritual element."

Best of all, he added, he learned that the actors don't necessarily work harder than the average person at their fitness routines — they just keep it.

"They constantly maintain it," he said. "It's part of their daily lives. They've found a way to be the best they can be and they keep at it. And that's something that's attainable for all of us."

Greg Meng

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'Ruthless!' offers laughs with a side of revenge

BY MYRNA PETLICKI
For Sun-Times Media

Competition is fierce for the role of Pippi Longstocking in a school musical. Eight-year-old Tina Denmark knows she was destined to play that role, but when instead a child with connections is cast, Tina plots her revenge in "Ruthless! The Musical."

Abby Merrill plays that murderous would-be star in Big Noise Theatre Company's production of the Joe Paley (book and lyrics) and Marvin Laird (music) camp musical, Sept. 27-Oct. 13.

Although the 12-year-old seventh-grader wouldn't kill for a role, like Tina, she is convinced, "I was born to entertain." Abby loves performing so much that she comes all the way from Iowa City, Iowa, each week for the show, staying in Elk Grove Village.

"It's a really fun role," declared Abby, who reported that she has seen "The Bad Seed" and "Gypsy," two shows that "Ruthless!" mocks.

Abby giggled as she described Tina as a sociopath. "She's very complex. She doesn't really feel emotion or guilty when she does something. She doesn't feel empathy. She wants to be the star of everything."

Abby has taken dancing lessons since she was three and vocal lessons for four years, and spent a month last summer studying acting at the American Academy of Dramatic Arts in Los Angeles. She likes the fact that this role makes use of all her talents.

But playing Tina can be a challenge, she admitted. "There are moments when you don't really know when she is being real or when she's just putting on an act."

Tina's mom, Judy Denmark, and her alter ego, Ginger Del Marco, are played by actor Elizabeth Morgan, who has performed with Circle, Quest and BoHo Theaters, among others.

"It's almost like two characters in one," Morgan explained. "She's the same person but she goes through a major transformation in-between act one and act two. In the first act, she is the quintessential perfect housewife but almost bordering on weird. And then, she finds out some things about her history and ends up transitioning into this big, flashy Broadway star-type in act two."

Morgan described playing Denmark/Del Marco as "a blast. If I had known about this show earlier, it would have been on my list of dream roles for years."

The score includes such playful tunes as "I Hate Musicals" and "Unkie's Muncle." Morgan's favorite is, "It Will Never Be That Way Again," which she described as having "a Norma Desmond feel to it."

Morgan has high praise for the book, which she called, "genuinely funny. There's never a dull moment." She also praised the cast, declaring, "Everybody in it is hysterical."

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TABLEHOPPING

Christopher Barron, executive chef of Prasino, offers lighter, "greener" fare at his new Rosemont location. | LEE A. LITAS/FOR SUN-TIMES MEDIA

Lean, green ethic and true flavors rule at Prasino

BY LEE A. LITAS
Dining Columnist

PRASINO
5220 Fashion Outlet Way, Rosemont
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(847) 979-9900 or see prasino.com

Living up to one's name can either be a daunting task or a lofty aspiration. In the case of Prasino, which means "green" in Greek, the process has evolved into a philosophy.

In partnering with farmers, ranchers, vintners and brewers who produce their products in a way that is sustainable and humane to animals, and in using chemical and pesticide-free meats, the folks at Prasino take their mission as stewards of the environment to heart.

Prasino now has four locations — La Grange, Wicker Park/Bucktown, St. Charles, Mo., and the newest, Prasino Rosemont — that launched in September.

At its helm, executive chef Christopher Barron guides his staff to create dishes that are "Leaner, greener, and which do not maximize our carbon footprint."

Barron, who has cooked everything from 3-star Chinese food to American Bistro, to French and Italian, calls Prasino's cuisine "global."

Like the chorizo tacos created with an eye towards individual tastes. The dish is actually vegetarian, made with chorizo seitan instead of meat. The seitan, made of wheat gluten, is made aromatic with Mexican spices, sautéed and served on freshly-made, soft, corn tortillas with pico de gallo sauce and guacamole ($10).

The crunchy veggies in the vegan sushi roll may be prone to rolling around a bit but they are just making room for each flavor to come forward as the roll presents itself in your mouth. Fresh asparagus, earthy mushrooms and crunchy carrots come with a sesame-ginger sauce for dipping. The strength of this (also gluten-free) roll is its simplicity ($12).

"We try to let the true flavors of our products shine through. Less is more," explained Barron.

The signature dish is the Lobster Avocado small plate. And though you may be loathe breaking into the carefully-constructed tower of claw, knuckle and lobster body meat topped with a spicy butter sauce and mango salsa; you'll be glad you did. The mélange of fresh flavors play well together, providing the perfect balance of texture and spice ($16).

And the chef is not doing a hard-sell when he says, "You'll be hard-pressed to find a better roasted chicken anywhere." After a 24-hour brining, it's served with roasted potatoes in a lemon, garlic, parsley and wine reduction. Just knowing the meat comes from Amish Fieldale Farms, is antibiotic-free, organic and free-range, will help some sleep better at night ($18).

"There is really something for everybody on this menu all the way from gluten-free, to vegan to vegetarian. You don't have to look too hard — except to find the restaurant in the mall," said Barron.

FAMILY FRIENDLY

Ellie Elephant stars in dramatic reading

BY MYRNA PETLICKI
For Sun-Times Media

A mystery will be solved when author Elana Ashley presents a dramatic reading of *Splunkunio Splunkey Detective and Peacemaker — Case One: The Missing Friendship Bracelet* at 1 p.m. Sunday, Sept. 29, at Rhythm & Beyond, 8746 N. Shermer Road, Niles. The book is designed for ages 5-8.

"I'll take on the voices of the characters," Ashley said. Those are an alien named Splunkey, Ellie Elephant, her best friend Eli, and a narrator. Afterwards, kids will meet the Ellie Elephant puppet.

"We're going to be talking about some of the important ideas in the book," Ashley reported. "They include friendship, teamwork, not only solving problems but resolving conflicts. I focus on strategies. Probably, Ellie and I will close with a song."

Every child will receive a Splunkey bookmark and kids who answer questions about the book will get a Splunkey poster.

Copies of the book, in both English and English/Spanish, will be sold at a discount.

For details, call (847) 322-4260 or go to www.rhythmandbeyond.com.

Elana Ashley and Ellie Elephant teach valuable lessons about friendship and teamwork.

FACE IT

Kids are getting a little homework from the Park Ridge Public Library, 20 S. Prospect Ave. Bring them to the Children's Department anytime on Tuesday, Oct. 1, to pick up materials so they can create a Favorite Character Jack-O-Lantern. After they're finished, bring the jack-o-lantern back to the library to be displayed until Nov. 5.

For details, call (847) 825-3123 or go to www.parkridgelibrary.org.

DISH THE DIRT

Your family will have fun making Mud Pies and More, 1-2:30 p.m. Saturday, Sept. 28, at Emily Oaks Nature Center, 4650 Brummel St., Skokie. You will also go on a scavenger hunt and enjoy other nature-based play. The event is free.

For details, call (847) 674-1500, ext. 2500, or go to www.skokieparks.org/emily-oaks-nature-center.

MARY IS POPPIN' IN

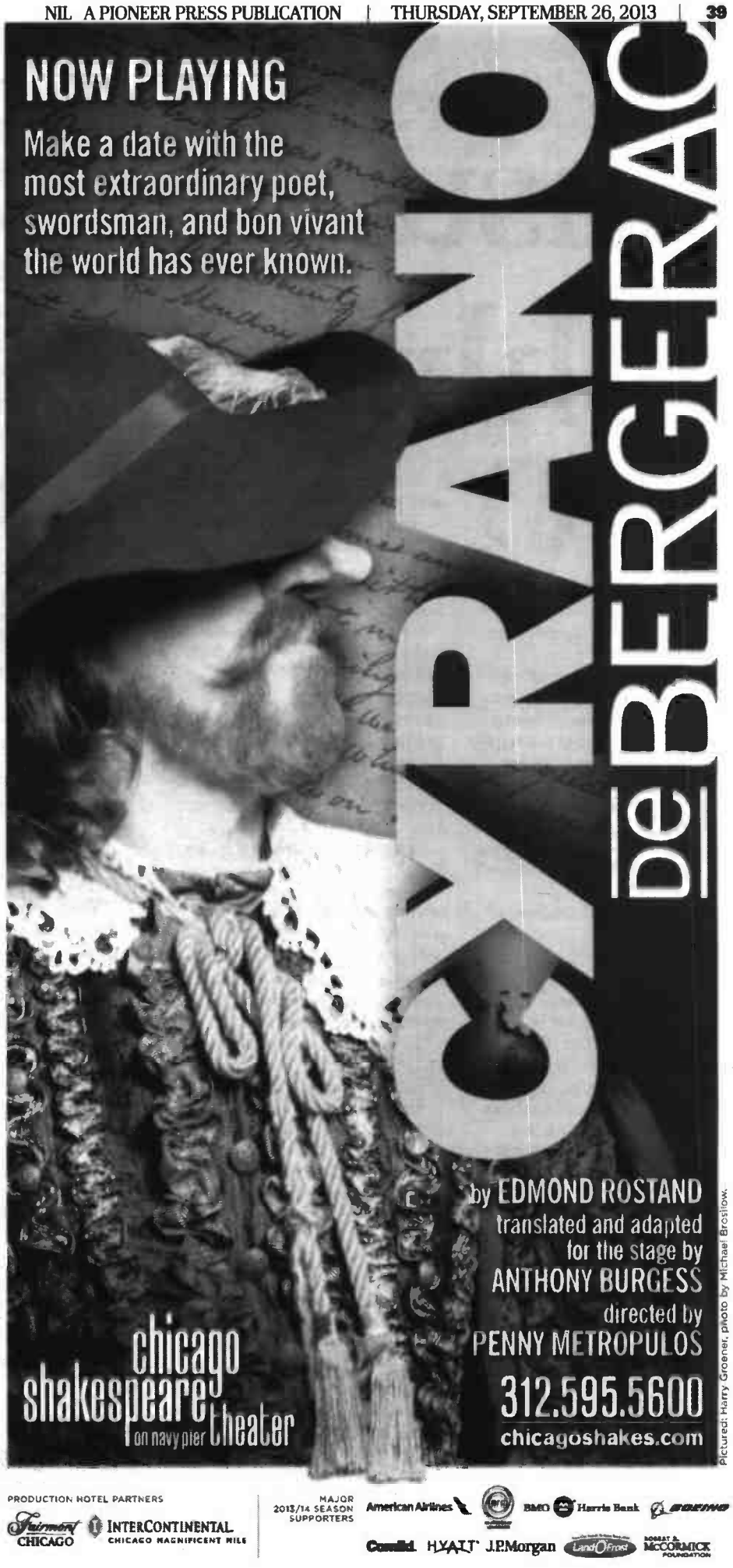
A magical, umbrella-carrying nanny is bringing some of her friends to the Skokie Public Library, 5215 Oakton St. From 1:30-2:30 p.m. Sunday, Oct. 6, cast members from Marriott Lincolnshire's upcoming production of "Mary Poppins" will present scenes from the musical. Registration is required.

For details, call (847) 673-7774 or go to www.skokielibrary.info.

MOVING WITH MORGAN

Plan to get a workout with your preschoolers at Sing Along & Dance Featuring Wendy Morgan, 10:30-11:30 a.m. Monday, Sept. 30, at Morton Grove Public Library, 6140 Lincoln Ave. The popular family entertainer will use puppets, instruments, scarves, group dances and sing-alongs to keep everyone engaged.

For details, call (847) 965-4220 or go to www.mgpl.org.



FOOD

Unsung kohlrabi

BY MELISSA ELSMO
OUT OF MEL'S KITCHEN

As fall draws near, cooks everywhere clamor to conjure up a batch of cider-braised Brussels sprouts or a homemade sweet potato pie. Autumn's abundance of seasonal produce means that bushels full of savory winter squash, rotund pumpkins and frilly cabbages will arrive at markets everywhere in the coming weeks. Familiar comfort foods feature so many of these festive fall vegetables that it's no wonder quirky kohlrabi gets a little lost in the late harvest shuffle.

Like its more popular holiday worthy companions, green and purple kohlrabi varieties reach peak season in late September and early October. Frequently employed in a myriad of Hungarian, German and Asian dishes, this member of the cabbage family has the distinction of being largely unfamiliar to most American cooks.

"Unfamiliar vegetables like kohlrabi probably never caught on as an 'American' vegetable," said Oak Park resident and registered dietitian and nutritionist Maria Delis, "and ultimately fell out of favor to newer, easier-to-cook-with vegetables."

Delis is quick to point out, however, that disregarding kohlrabi is a missed opportunity to add a nutrient-dense vegetable to your ingredient arsenal. "Did you know that kohlrabi has more vitamin C than an orange?" asked Delis. "In fact, one cup of cooked kohlrabi provides us with more than a day's worth of vitamin C to help keep our immune system working properly."

In addition, this unusual vegetable is an excellent source of potassium, a good source of calcium, and offers three grams of protein per serving. This unsung hero of the produce stand also offers cooks maximum versatility, as everything from its bulb to the greens are edible and can be served cooked or raw.

"Mixing kohlrabi into a soup allows families to experiment with new ingredients in the context of a familiar recipe," Delis said. "Approaching new foods in this way makes trying new things easy and fun."

Long cooking times and an unfussy ingredient list let the sweet kohlrabi stand out in this velvety pureed soup without becoming overbearing. Caraway seeds, carrots and a few blanched kohlrabi leaves give the soup an elegant flair without compromising old world cooking techniques.

Raw kohlrabi tastes subtly of cucumber and packs a powerful crunch. Delis suggests adding raw kohlrabi to bountiful vegetable platters as a means to introduce it to younger children. Larger kohlrabi should be peeled for raw preparations like the salad I've created to honor this seasonal vegetable, but the ones I used were just 2 inches in diameter, making peeling unnecessary. Pairing thinly sliced kohlrabi with fennel and brightly flavored apple allows the textures in this healthy side dish salad to shine. Rounding out the dish with homemade lemon poppy seed vinaigrette and a few pecans makes it ideal to serve alongside grilled chicken or poached fish on warm Indian summer evenings.

So break out of your autumn produce patterns and embrace the versatility of kohlrabi this fall.

Cream of Kohlrabi Soup with Carrots and Caraway | PHOTO BY MELISSA ELSMO

If there is a chill in the air:

CREAM OF KOHLRABI SOUP WITH CARROTS AND CARAWAY

(Serves 8)

INGREDIENTS:

1 tablespoon unsalted butter
1 tablespoon olive oil
1 sweet onion, chopped
Salt and pepper
3 small bulbs kohlrabi, diced
3 celery stalks, sliced
2 garlic cloves, minced
1 cup white wine
3 thyme sprigs
2 bay leaves
6 cups chicken stock
2 cups whole milk
Blanched kohlrabi leaves*, steamed carrots and caraway seeds for garnish.

METHOD:

1. Heat the butter and olive oil over medium heat in a soup pot until melted and bubbly. Add the onion and season with salt and pepper. Cook, stirring frequently, until onions are tender and lightly browned (about 10 minutes).

2. Add the kohlrabi and celery and continue cooking for an additional 10 minutes. Add the garlic, season with salt and pepper, and sauté just until fragrant (about 30 seconds).

3. Deglaze the pot with the wine and stir to scrape up the browned bits. Bring wine and vegetables to a boil and add the thyme sprigs and bay leaves to the pot. Add the chicken stock and bring to a boil.

4. Reduce heat to a simmer and cook the soup for 1 hour or until liquid is reduced by 1/3 and vegetables are very tender. Add the milk to the soup and adjust seasoning.

5. Transfer the soup in batches to a blender and puree until very smooth. Add more stock if soup is too thick. Strain the mixture through a fine mesh sieve, pressing with the back of a spoon until all liquid is extracted. Discard the solids and adjust the seasoning of the finished soup.

6. Serve the soup hot in small bowls garnished with blanched and chopped kohlrabi greens, steamed carrots and sprinkling of caraway seeds.

*To blanch the kohlrabi leaves, simply remove the stems and place the whole leaves into boiling water. When the leaves are bright green and tender, transfer them to an ice bath. Roll the cooled leaves up and chop or cut into ribbons.

If it feels a little warm outside:

RAW KOHLRABI SALAD WITH APPLES, FENNEL AND PECANS

(Serves 4-6 as a side dish)

INGREDIENTS:

For the dressing:
1 tablespoon sugar
2 teaspoons Dijon mustard
½ teaspoon lemon zest
1 teaspoon fennel fronds, chopped
1 teaspoon poppy seeds
¼ cup lemon juice
½ cup olive oil
For the salad:
1 cup watercress sprigs
1 small kohlrabi bulb, halved and thinly sliced
1 Granny Smith apple, halved and thinly sliced
1 fennel bulb, halved and thinly sliced
¼ cup pecan halves

METHOD:

1. To make the dressing, whisk together the sugar, mustard, zest, fronds, poppy seeds and lemon juice. Season with salt and pepper. Gradually whisk in the olive oil in a thin stream until dressing is emulsified. Adjust seasoning and set aside.

2. Place the watercress on a serving platter. Arrange the sliced kohlrabi, apple and fennel on top of the watercress and sprinkle with the pecans.

3. Drizzle the salad with the prepared dressing and sprinkle with additional fennel fronds and poppy seeds if desired.

GO CALENDAR

BY WRAPPORTS NEWS SERVICE

THURSDAY, SEPT. 26

Thursday Morning Book Discussion
10 a.m.: The group will discuss "The Sense of an Ending" by Julian Barnes, which explores the struggles of a middle aged retiree as he comes to terms with his past and his memories. Park Ridge Public Library, 20 S. Prospect Ave., Park Ridge. Call 847-825-3123.

Last Chance for Korean War Exhibit
Noon: This exhibit commemorating the 60th anniversary of the Korean War Armistice ends Sept. 26. The exhibit is presented in conjunction with the Korean Keumsil Cultural Society and features a variety of images and memorabilia, including items from the private collection of Mr. Jin Lee. The museum is open until 4 p.m. Skokie Heritage Museum, 8031 Floral Ave., Skokie. Call 847-674-1500, ext. 3000.

Travel Film: 'Secret Caribbean'
2 p.m.: Discover the incredible extremes of the Caribbean. Park Ridge Public Library, 20 S. Prospect Ave., Park Ridge. Call 847-825-3123.

Drop-in Big Kids Storytime
5:30 p.m.: Children should be between kindergarten and second grade. Eisenhower Public Library, 4613 N. Oketo Ave., Harwood Heights. Call 708-867-2298.

FRIDAY, SEPT. 27

Drop-in Junior Storytime
10 a.m.: Children should be between 3 and 5 years to participate. Eisenhower Public Library, 4613 N. Oketo Ave., Harwood Heights. Call 708-867-2298.

MGPL Kids Flicks: 'Epic'
4 p.m.: A teenager finds herself transported to a deep forest setting where a battle between the forces of good and the forces of evil is taking place. 102 minutes. Morton Grove Public Library, 6140 Lincoln Ave., Morton Grove. Call 847-965-4220.

Movie on the Mounds: 'Monsters University'
5:30 p.m.: This 2013 animated film tells the story of two collegiate monsters who become friends. Starring Billy Crystal, John Goodman and Steve Buscemi. 104 minutes. Free raffles and popcorn are included. Triton College, 2000 5th Ave., River Grove. Call 708-456-0300.

'Art Hop'
6 p.m.: More than 12 local organizations are joining together to give Evanston what it wants and deserves: a homegrown high-quality arts and culture scene. This DIY event will feature open studios, gallery exhibitions, a wide variety of demos, an open mic and a live jazz jam. This "Art Hop" will also feature tastings by Temperance Beer Company, a new local brewer. Evanston's West Village, 1402 Greenleaf St., Evanston.

MGPL After Dark: Echoes of Spain Concert
7 p.m.: Celebrate the end of the week with a musical performance at the library. Norman Ruiz and Jeffrey Warren, two virtuoso guitar players, are Echoes of Spain and will present a concert of classical guitar. Morton Grove Public Library, 6140 Lincoln Ave., Morton Grove.

Wavelength Rock Band
7 p.m.: The group of seventh graders performs classic rock songs, including hits from The Beatles, The Rolling Stones and The Who. Registration required. Glenview Public Library, 1930 Glenview Road, Glenview. Call 847-729-7500.

SATURDAY, SEPT. 28

Build Your Own Scarecrow
Noon: Learn how to build your own scarecrow, using some old clothes around your house, a pumpkin and straw. Charge of $5 for supplies. Wagner Farm, 1510 Wagner Road, Glenview. Call 847-657-1506.

Blarney Bash
12:30 p.m.: Celebrate Irish heritage with crafts, dancing, music, vendors and more followed by a corned beef sandwich dinner with a performance by Celtic Thunder. Those 21 and older can enjoy Irish Pub Night presented by the Food Network's Big City Chefs. Reduced prices for children 11 and under. Niles Senior Center, 999 Civic Center Drive, Niles. Call 269-683-9380. $25-$32.

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Rogers Park Harvest Fest
1 p.m.: A fun family festival sponsored by the Rogers Park Business Alliance that features hayrides, a pumpkin patch and fun family games. Willye B. White Park, 1610 W. Howard St., Chicago. Call 773-262-5051.

Rondell Sheridan
7 p.m.: Sheridan has performed on multiple late night shows, but is perhaps best known for his role as Chef Victor on The Disney Channel's "That's So Raven." Performances at 7 p.m. and 9:30 p.m. Zanies Comedy Night Club Rosemont, 5437 Park Place, Rosemont. Call 847-813-0484. $25; two-drink minimum.

Phoenix
7:30 p.m.: Aragon Ballroom, 1106 W. Lawrence, Chicago. $45.

Sarah Brightman
8 p.m.: Rosemont Theatre, 5400 N. River Road, Rosemont. $63.50-$155.

Doug James & The Pocket
9 p.m.: Vocalist and keyboardist Doug James leads The Pocket, a band of veteran Chicago musicians, as the group performs blues rock, swamp funk and R&B. 27 Live, 1012 Church St., Evanston. Call 855-927-5483. $7-$10.

SUNDAY, SEPT. 29

Bike the Ridge
9 a.m.: Ridge Avenue will be closed to all traffic for one day. So come out and enjoy and non-competitive, city-sponsored day of bike riding. Intersection, Ridge Ave. at Howard St., Evanston. Call 847-448-4311.

Justin Roberts & The Not Ready for Naptime Players
11 a.m.: The Chicago-based children's band performs music and onstage theatrics. Evanston SPACE, 1245 Chicago Ave., Evanston. Call 847-492-8860. $15.

Oktoberfest
11 a.m.: One of Chicago's oldest churches celebrates its German roots with food, drink and music in its 13th annual festival. Children will enjoy the afternoon Kinderfest. Group leaves from Terrace Centre. Fee includes admission, transportation and parking. St. Alphonsus Catholic Church, 1429 W. Wellington Ave., Chicago. Call 708-448-7080. $25.

Ars Viva Symphony Orchestra
3 p.m.: The orchestra will perform classic Hungarian folk tunes, including Bartók's "Hungarian Sketches," Brahms' Tragic Overture, Op. 81 and Bruckner's "Symphony No. 6 in A." North Shore Center for the Performing Arts in Skokie, 9501 Skokie Blvd., Skokie. $16-$55.

Backstage Evanston
3 p.m.: View short performances in theater, dance and music produced by organizations throughout Evanston. Participating organizations will also offer discounts to their new season's performances. Northwestern University - Ethel M. Barber Theatre, 1979 S. Campus Drive, Evanston. Call 847-448-4311. $20-$25.

Italian Carnevale
3 p.m.: The Rembrandt Chamber Players will perform music from Rossini, Stravinsky and Saint-Saens/Labella. Music Institute of Chicago - Nichols Concert Hall, 1490 Chicago Ave., Evanston. $10-$35.

Free Inspirational Concert
4 p.m.: Stephen Huff, lead pastor at Safe House Church and platinum hit music producer, will celebrate his birthday with an inspirational concert for the community. There will be live performances by Timothy C. Butler, Eleanor Hampton, June McClain, Carlis Moody Jr., Henry Petty & Creative Input and Seth "Golden Child" Watson. Grand Ballroom at the Hilton Orrington, 1710 Orrington Ave., Evanston. Call 847-881-6261.

Andrea Gibson With Anna Vogelzang
7:30 p.m.: The decorated slam poet and performs original work imbued with messages about gender, social reform and politics. Evanston SPACE, 1245 Chicago Ave., Evanston. Call 847-492-8860. $13-$22.

MONDAY, SEPT. 30

MGPL Kids: Sing Along & Dance
10:30 a.m.: Special guest musician Wendy Morgan uses puppets, instruments, scarves, group dances and singalongs to work out kids' minds and bodies. Morton Grove Public Library, 6140 Lincoln Ave., Morton Grove. Call 847-929-5102.

TUESDAY, OCT. 1

An Evening with Hoosier Mama Pie Company
7 a.m.: The chef and owner of Hoosier Mama Pie Company, Paula Haney, will demonstrate how to make her perfect pie crust and speak about her new cookbook. Delicious pie samples will be provided. Books will be available for purchase. Park Ridge Public Library, 20 S. Prospect Ave., Park Ridge. Call 847-825-3123.

Favorite Character Jack-O'-Lanterns
9 a.m.: Get a head start on Halloween by creating a jack-o'-lantern that looks like your favorite character from a children's book. All ages are invited. Materials are supplied. Park Ridge Public Library, 20 S. Prospect Ave., Park Ridge. For more information, call 847-825-3123.

Dave Holland and Kevin Eubanks in Prism
7 p.m.: Holland, the English jazz double bassist, and Eubanks, the jazz musician and former leader of The Tonight Show Band from 1995 to 2010, perform. Featuring Craig Taborn and Eric Harland. Evanston SPACE, 1245 Chicago Ave., Evanston. Call 847-492-8860. $20-$45.

WEDNESDAY, OCT. 2

93XRT Welcomes Nick Lowe with Paul Cebar
8 p.m.: The English singer-songwriter and musician behind "Cruel to be Kind"

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CALENDAR

performs with Paul Cebar. Evanston SPACE, 1245 Chicago Ave., Evanston. For more information, call 847-492-8860. $30-$50.

THURSDAY, OCT. 3

Travel Film: Japan and Singapore

2 p.m.: Journey through the exotic cultures and foods of East Asia today. Park Ridge Public Library, 20 S. Prospect Ave., Park Ridge. For more information, call 847-825-3123.

Billy Cobham's 'Spectrum 40'

6:30 p.m.: The jazz fusion drummer, composer and bandleader, who came to prominence with Mahavishnu Orchestra, performs. Evanston SPACE, 1245 Chicago Ave., Evanston. For more information, please call 847-492-8860. $25-$45.

Documentary Film: Brooklyn Castle

7 p.m.: Filmmaker Katie Dellamaggiore tell the story of a public-school junior high chess competition. 90 minutes. Park Ridge Public Library, 20 S. Prospect Ave., Park Ridge. Call 847-825-3123.

FRIDAY, OCT. 4

New Gary Burton Quartet

7 p.m.: Burton, a jazz fusion trailblazer and Grammy-winning artist, performs with his latest band. Evanston SPACE, 1245 Chicago Ave., Evanston. Call 847-492-8860. $20-$50.

SATURDAY, OCT. 5

Film: 'Psycho'

2 p.m.: An unsuspecting victim (Janet Leigh) visits the Bates Motel and falls prey to one of cinema's most notorious psychopaths, Norman Bates. 110 minutes. Morton Grove Public Library, 6140 Lincoln Ave., Morton Grove. Call 847-965-4220.

Luke and Andrea Bartolomeo: Piano Duo

7:30 p.m.: The program will include George Gershwin's "Rhapsody in Blue," as well as works by Brahms, Dvorak and others. Saint Paul of the Cross Church, 320 S. Washington St., Park Ridge. Free.

SUNDAY, OCT. 6

John Pizzarelli Quartet

6 p.m.: The world-renowned jazz guitarist and singer performs with his band. Evanston SPACE, 1245 Chicago Ave., Evanston. Call 847-492-8860. $22-$48.

TUESDAY, OCT. 8

Film: 'Robot and Frank'

11:30 a.m.: This 2012 film stars Frank Langella, Susan Sarandon and Peter Sarsgaard in the story of an aging jewel thief whose son buys him a domestic robot. 89 minutes. Morton Grove Public Library, 6140 Lincoln Ave., Morton Grove. Call 847-965-4220.

THURSDAY, OCT. 10

Classic Movie Thursday: 'On the Town'

2 p.m.: This Oscar-winning musical-comedy tells the story of three sailors who find adventure, fun and romance during their day of shore leave in New York City. Starring Gene Kelly, Frank Sinatra and Ann Miller. 98 minutes. Niles Senior Center, 999 Civic Center Drive, Niles. Call 269-683-9380.

SATURDAY, OCT. 12

Jane Austen Festival

10 a.m.: In celebration of the 200th anniversary of Austen's Pride and Prejudice, MGPL is sponsoring a Jane Austen Festival with events throughout September and October. Spend a day full of Jane Austen on Oct. 12 with a Make a Jane Austen Shawl activity at 10 a.m., a screening of the 1995 film "Persuasion" at noon and a screening of the 1996 film "Emma" at 2 p.m. Morton Grove Public Library, 6140 Lincoln Ave., Morton Grove. Call 847-965-4220.

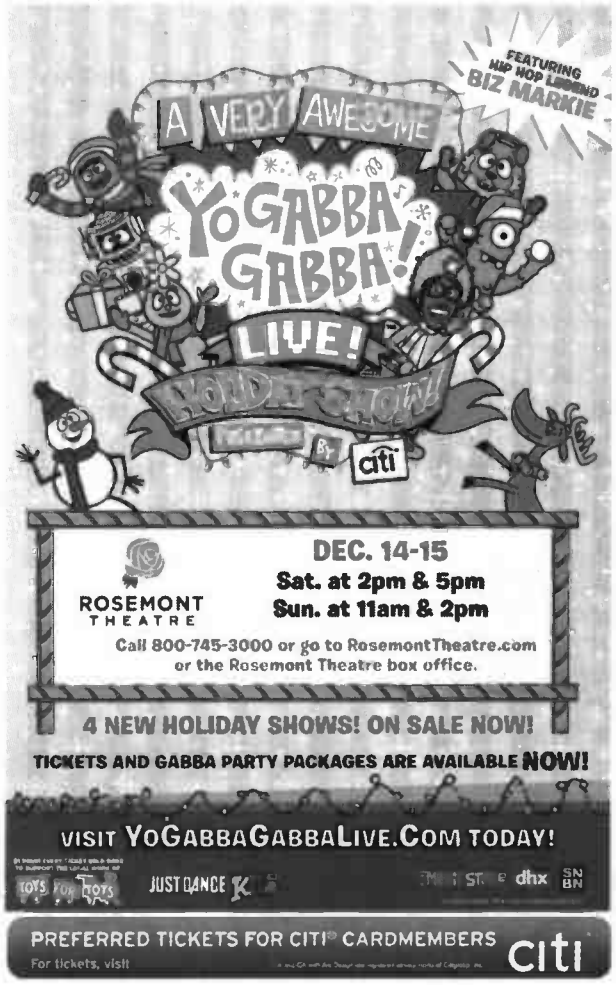
SUNDAY, OCT. 13

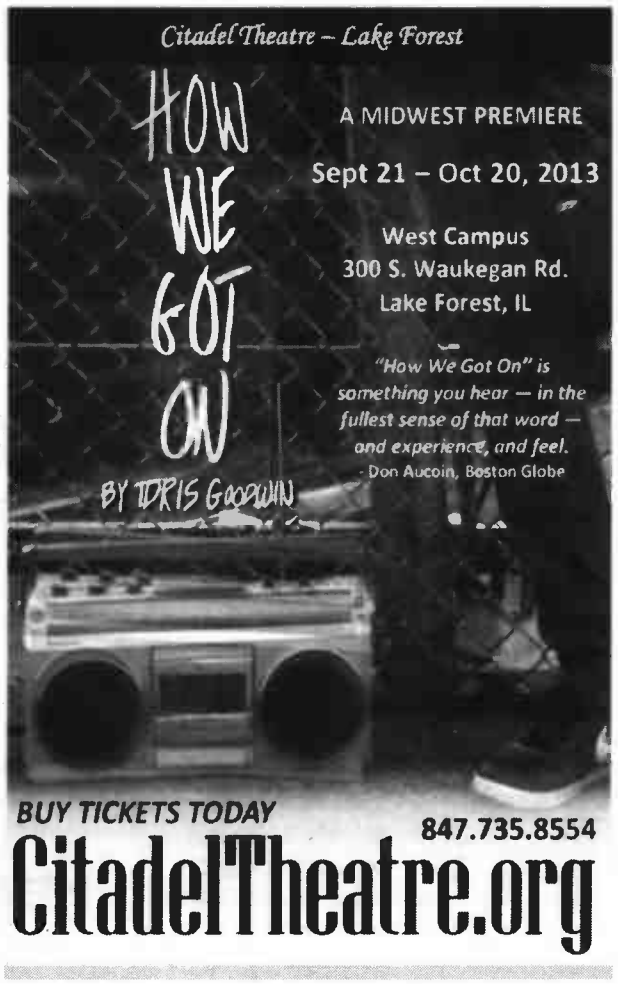
'Skokie: Invaded, But Not Conquered'

2 p.m.: Screening of Todd Whitman's original documentary, which explores the impact of the attempted neo-Nazi March of the late 1970s. Reservations required. Additional screenings will take place Nov. 17 and Dec. 15 at 2.pm. Illinois Holocaust Museum, 9603 Woods Drive, Skokie.

MGPL 75th Anniversary Jubilee Concert

2 p.m.: Celebrating the library's 75th anniversary with the Shamrock Ragsters, who will perform Dixieland, bluegrass, Irish and Celtic tunes on fiddle, bass, guitar, trumpet, Irish flute, Irish whistle, harmonica, banjo and mandolin. Cake and coffee will be served after the concert. Morton Grove Public Library, 6140 Lincoln Ave., Morton Grove. For more information, call 847-965-4220.





FILM CLIPS

BY BRUCE INGRAM
Film Critic

OPENING FRIDAY

BAGGAGE CLAIM

Rated PG-13 for sexual content and some language

Stars: Paula Patton, Taye Diggs, Jill Scott

Determined not to be the only woman in her family not to marry, a flight attendant (Patton) logs 30,000 miles in 30 days to check out ex-boyfriends as prospects. David E. Talbert ("A Fool and His Money") wrote and directed the comedy.

CLOUDY WITH A CHANCE OF MEATBALLS 2

Rated PG for mild rude humor

Stars: Bill Hader, Anna Faris, Will Forte, Andy Samberg

The young inventor (Hader) who made it rain meatballs in the 2009 original returns to his hometown when he learns his food machine is now producing menacing food-animal hybrids. Cody Cameron ("Open Season 3") and Kris Pearn co-directed the animated family comedy.

DON JON

Rated R for strong graphic sexual material and dialogue throughout, nudity, language and some drug use

Stars: Joseph Gordon-Levitt, Scarlett Johansson, Julianne Moore

A young New Jersey ladies' man (Gordon-Levitt) finds that unrealistic expectations from pornography are standing in the way of happiness with his true love (Johansson). Gordon-Levitt also wrote and directed the comedy-drama.

HAUTE CUISINE

Rated PG-13 for brief strong language

Stars: Catherine Frot, Arthur Dupont, Jean d'Ormesson

The story of Daniele Delpeuch (Frot), an unknown regional cook who became the personal chef of French President Francois Mitterand — and the first woman ever to hold that post. Christian Vincent ("The Children") directed the drama.

RUSH
★★1/2

Rated R for sexual content, nudity, language, some disturbing images and brief drug use

Stars: Chris Hemsworth, Daniel Brühl, Olivia Wilde

Director Ron Howard's great strength has always been his ability to orchestrate emotions while telling involving stories, but he's stripped those narrative gears somewhat with this disappointing racetrack saga. The legendary rivalry between 1970s Formula 1 racers James Hunt (Hemsworth) and Niki Lauda (Brühl) was tailor-made for the movies, concluding as it did with a neck-and-neck showdown for the world championship. Yet there's a strange quality of emotional detachment to "Rush," combined with occasional confusion as the story jumps back and forth over time from race to nearly identical race, that prevents it from crossing the finish line in the expected blaze of glory. It doesn't help that both of the main characters are hard to warm to, despite strong performances. All in all, Howard's previous pedal-to-the-metal movie, his 1977 debut with "Grand Theft Auto," was a lot more fun.

Back for seconds: "Cloudy with a Chance of Meatballs 2."

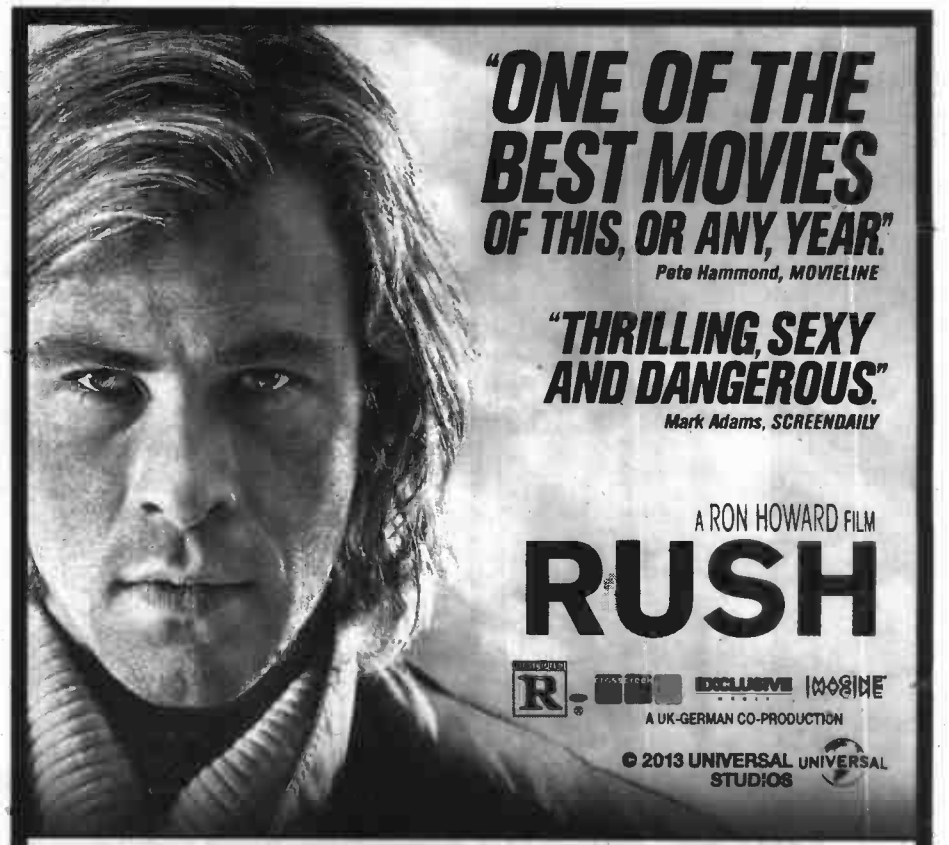
STILL PLAYING

PRISONERS
★★★1/2

Rated R for disturbing violent content including torture, and language throughout

Stars: Hugh Jackman, Jake Gyllenhaal, Maria Bello, Viola Davis, Terrence Howard

This grim, unnervingly suspenseful thriller wastes no time getting to its central moral dilemma. After his little girl is abducted and the initial suspect (Paul Dano as a vacant-eyed young man with the IQ of a 10-year-old) is released by police for lack of evidence, an enraged father (Jackman in a career-best performance) kidnaps him and subjects him to tortures straight out of Abu Ghraib. Director Denis Villeneuve (Oscar-nominated for 2010's "Incendies") delivers a complex, well-executed mystery and character study of the increasingly conflicted father (a devout Christian) and of the misleadingly mild-mannered detective assigned to the case (Gyllenhaal, also excellent), with issues of his own. Most of all, though, "Prisoners" raises some of the same questions posed by "Zero Dark Thirty" about whether or not extreme means are justified by a crucially important end.



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Baggage Claim (PG-13)

Fri 10:10-12:40-3:10-5:40-8:10-10:40

Cloudy with a Chance of Meatballs 2 (PG)

Fri 10-12:30-2-3-5:30-7-8-10:30

Cloudy with a Chance of Meatballs 2 in 3-D (PG)

Fri 11:30-4:30-9:30

Rush (R)

Fri 10:45-1:45-4:45-7:45-10:45

The Wizard of Oz in IMAX 3-D (PG)

Fri 11:45 a.m.

Don Jon (R)

Fri 10:05-12:25-2:55-5:25-7:55-10:25

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The Family (R)

Fri-Sun 2:15-4:30-7-9:15; Mon-Thu 4:30-7

Prisoners (R)

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Fri, Sat 12:15-2:45-5:15-7:45-10:20-12:45; Sun-Wed 12:15-2:45-5:15-7:45-10:20; Thu 12:15-2:45-5:15-7:45

Cloudy with a Chance of Meatballs 2 (PG)

Fri, Sat 12:10-2:40-5:10-7:40-10:10-12:35; Sun-Thu 12:10-2:40-5:10-7:40-10:10

Cloudy with a Chance of Meatballs 2 in 3-D (PG)

Fri-Thu 12:50-3:20-5:45-8:15-10:45

Don Jon (R)

Fri, Sat 11-12-1:20-2:25-3:40-4:50-6-7:15-8:20-9:40-10:40-12:30-1; Sun 11-12-1:20-2:25-3:40-4:50-6-7:15-8:20-9:40-10:40; Mon 12-1:20-2:25-3:40-4:50-6-7:15-8:20-9:40-10:40; Wed 12-1:20-2:25-3:40-4:50-6-8:20-9:40-10:40; Thu 12-1:20-2:25-3:40-4:50-6-8:20-10:40

Rush (R)

Fri, Sat 1-4-7-10-12:55; Sun-Wed 1-4-7-10; Thu 1-4-7

Rush in D-Box (R)

Fri, Sat 1-4-7-10-12:55; Sun-Wed 1-4-7-10; Thu 1-4-7

Rush in MuviXL (R)

Fri-Sun 11-2-5-8-11; Mon-Wed 1:30-4:30-7:30-10:30; Thu 12:30-3:30-6:30

The Secret Lives of Dorks (PG-13) Fri 7 p.m.

Battle of the Year (PG-13)

Fri, Sat 1:25-4:10-6:55-9:45-12:25; Sun-Thu 1:25-4:10-6:55-9:45

Battle of the Year in 3-D (PG-13)

Fri, Sat 11:15-1:55-4:45-7:30-10:25; Sun 11:15-1:55-4:45-7:30; Mon-Thu 1:55-4:45-7:30-10:25

Prisoners (R)

Fri-Sun 12:20-3:45-7:20-10:50; Mon-Thu 11:45-3:10-6:40-10:10

Insidious: Chapter 2 (PG-13)

Fri, Sat 11:35-2:15-4:55-7:35-10:15-12:50; Sun 11:35-2:15-4:55-7:35-10:15; Mon-Thu 2:15-4:55-7:35-10:15

The Family (R)

Fri, Sat 1:30-4:20-7:10-10-12:40; Sun-Thu 1:30-4:20-7:10-10

Riddick (R)

Fri, Sat 1:10-4:05-7:05-9:55-12:40; Sun-Thu 1:10-4:05-7:05-9:55

Riddick in D-Box (R)

Fri, Sat 1:10-4:05-7:05-9:55-12:40; Sun-Thu 1:10-4:05-7:05-9:55

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Fri 12:40-3:35-9:45-12:35; Sat 12:40-3:35-6:50-9:45-12:35; Sun-Thu 12:40-3:35-6:50-9:45

We're the Millers (R)

Fri, Sat 11:10-1:50-4:40-7:25-10:05-12:45; Sun 11:10-1:50-4:40-7:25-10:05; Mon-Thu 1:50-4:40-7:25-10:05

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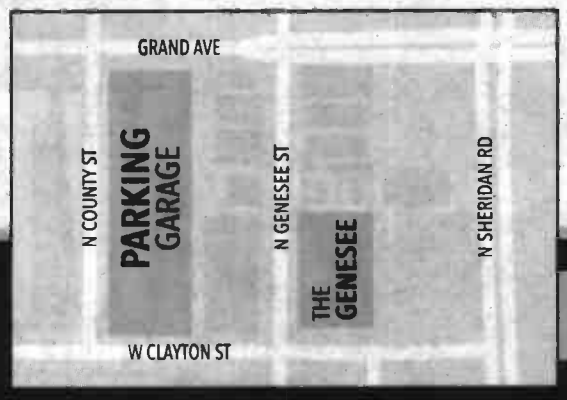

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Sunday Worship 9:15 & 10:30 a.m.
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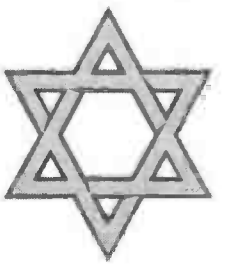

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Sunday Worship
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Daily Mass: M-F: 7 & 8:45 AM
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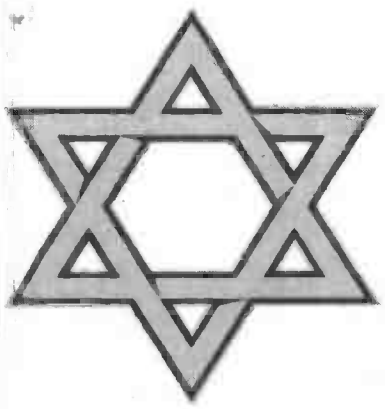

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10:00 AM The Holy Eucharist, Rite II
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Wednesday Noon – The Holy Eucharist
Friday 9:00 AM – Morning Prayer
www.gracehinsdale.org

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Sun. Service & School 10 AM
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www.UCHinsdale.org
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Sunday School: 9:00 AM,
Nursery: 8:45 AM
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St. Cletus Catholic Church
600 West 55th St., (708)352-6209
Weekend Mass Schedule
Saturday: 5:00 PM
Sunday: 7:00 AM, 8:00 AM, 9:30 AM,
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Weekdays:
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Sunday Worship Service
Traditional 9:30 AM,
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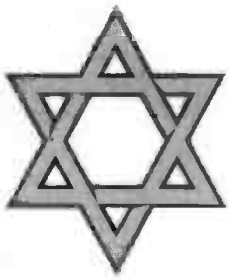

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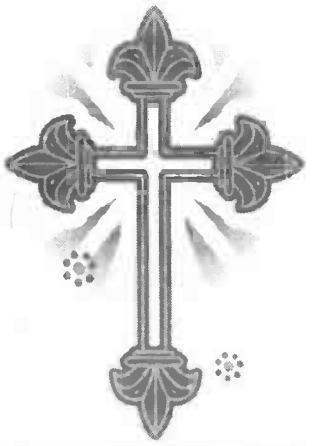

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Gnaster, Dorothy Marie

(nee Lang) Beloved wife of Kenneth; loving mother of Thomas and James; devoted grandmother of Kelly and Kevin.

Visitation was held at the **Skaja Terrace Funeral Home** 7812 N. Milwaukee Avenue, Niles Friday, September 13, 2013, from 3:00 PM to 9:00 PM. Funeral was Saturday, September 14, at 8:45 AM to St. Paul of the Cross Church for mass 9:30 AM. Entombment All Saints Mausoleum. In lieu of flowers, contributions to St. Paul of the Cross Church 320 S. Washington Street, Park Ridge, IL appreciated. 847-966-7302 or **skajafuneralhomes.com**

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Death Notices

Simpson, Elizabeth M. "Betty"

89, of Morton Grove, formerly of Aurora, passed away on September 16, 2013. She was born on April 22, 1924 in Aurora, IL the daughter of Chester and Nellie Shogren. Betty was a longtime member of First Christian Church in Aurora. She enjoyed swimming and canoeing and was a member of The Illini Downstreamers.

She is survived by her children, James Simpson, Susan (David) Lurty, Victoria Wolworth and Steve Simpson, grandchildren, Wynne Lurty and Claudia and Henry Simpson. She is preceded in death by her parents, her husband William C. Simpson and son-in-law Robert L. Wolworth.

Family will be receiving guests on Friday, September 20, 2013 from 4:00 to 8:00 PM at **Dieterle Memorial Home**, 1120 S. Broadway Ave., Montgomery, IL. Funeral will be on Saturday, September 21, 2013 at 10:00 AM at the Memorial Home. Interment will follow at River Hills Memorial Park, Batavia, IL.

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Virginia attended Senn High School and North Park College, while usually working full time for her father's business. Ever since she was a little girl, she always loved flowers. While married and raising her four children, she became a noted, award winning gardener as well as a Master Flower Show Judge. She was a very active member and past president of the Skokie Garden Club and also served as Horticulture Chairperson for the Garden Clubs of Illinois. She served on the Beautification and Improvement Commission for the town of Skokie for many years and became a garden consultant and a landscape design critic. Virginia especially loved orchids which she grew in her greenhouse and was a member of the Illinois Orchid Society.

Virginia was honored by having an annual award named for her, the Virginia Stauber Horticulture Program Award, which is awarded to a garden club member in the state for outstanding personal effort and service promoting horticulture.

She loved to travel and visited famous gardens all over the world, including Asia, Europe, South America and North America. To celebrate her 80th birthday, she went on a garden tour of South Africa and visited Zimbabwe to see Victoria Falls.

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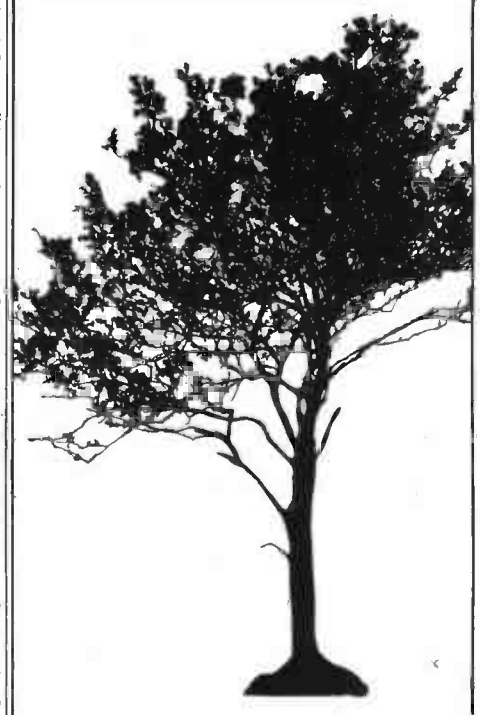

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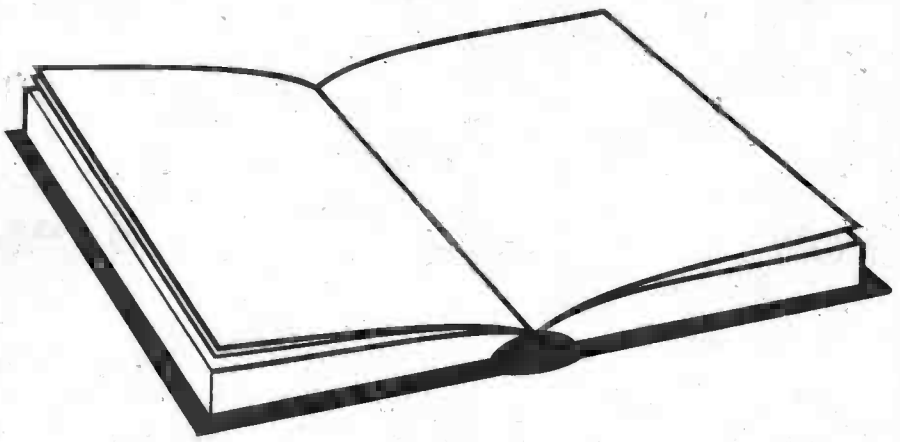

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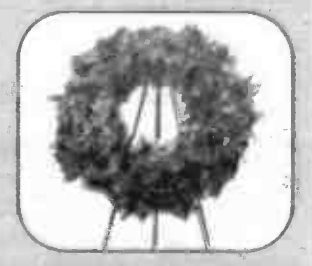

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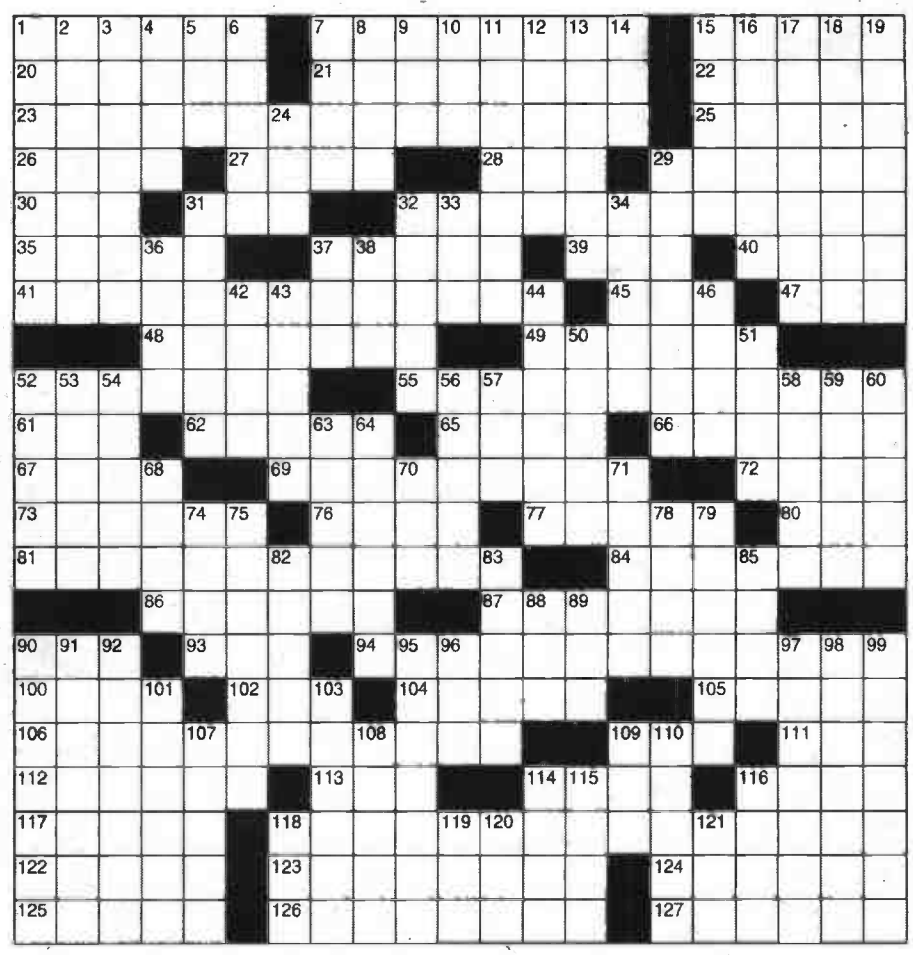

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HOROSCOPES: OCTOBER 2 — OCTOBER 8

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ARIES (March 21 to April 19) Your Aries charm helps persuade others to listen to your proposal. But it's still a long way from acceptance, unless you can stand up to the tough questions.

TAURUS (April 20 to May 20) Plan to share a weekend getaway from all the pressures of your hectic workaday world with a very special someone. You could be pleasantly surprised.

GEMINI (May 21 to June 20) Keen insight once again helps you handle a challenging situation with a clearer perception of what it's really all about. What you learn helps you make a difficult decision.

CANCER (June 21 to July 22) If you want to steer clear of getting involved in a new family dispute, say so. Your stand might cause hurt feelings for some, but overall, you'll be respected.

LEO (July 23 to August 22) Expect recognition for your efforts in getting a project into operation. Besides the more practical rewards, your Lion's heart will be warmed by the admiration.

VIRGO (August 23 to September 22) Set aside time to rid yourself of clutter that might well be drawing down your creative energies. Consider asking someone to help you decide what stays.

LIBRA (September 23 to October 22) A colleague could make a request that might place you in an awkward position with co-workers. Share your concerns with an associate you can trust.

SCORPIO (October 23 to November 21) Energy levels are way up, allowing you to take on the added challenges. Expect this move to lead to an important opportunity.

SAGITTARIUS (November 22 to December 21) Your continuing sense of confidence in what you've set out to do gives encouragement to others. Expect more people asking to add their efforts.

CAPRICORN (December 22 to January 19) You might think it would be best to reject a suggestion others insist would be unworkable. Might be surprised by what you find if you give it a chance.

AQUARIUS (January 20 to February 18) Changing a decision might disappoint some people, the important thing is to be honest with yourself. Don't go ahead with anything you have doubts.

PISCES (February 19 to March 20) There could be some fallout from an emotional confrontation that you really should deal with before moving on. Best to start fresh with a clean, clear slate.

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Vern Luebke's 1951 Ford custom sedan

By Kevin Griffin - kevin.griffin@wrapports.com

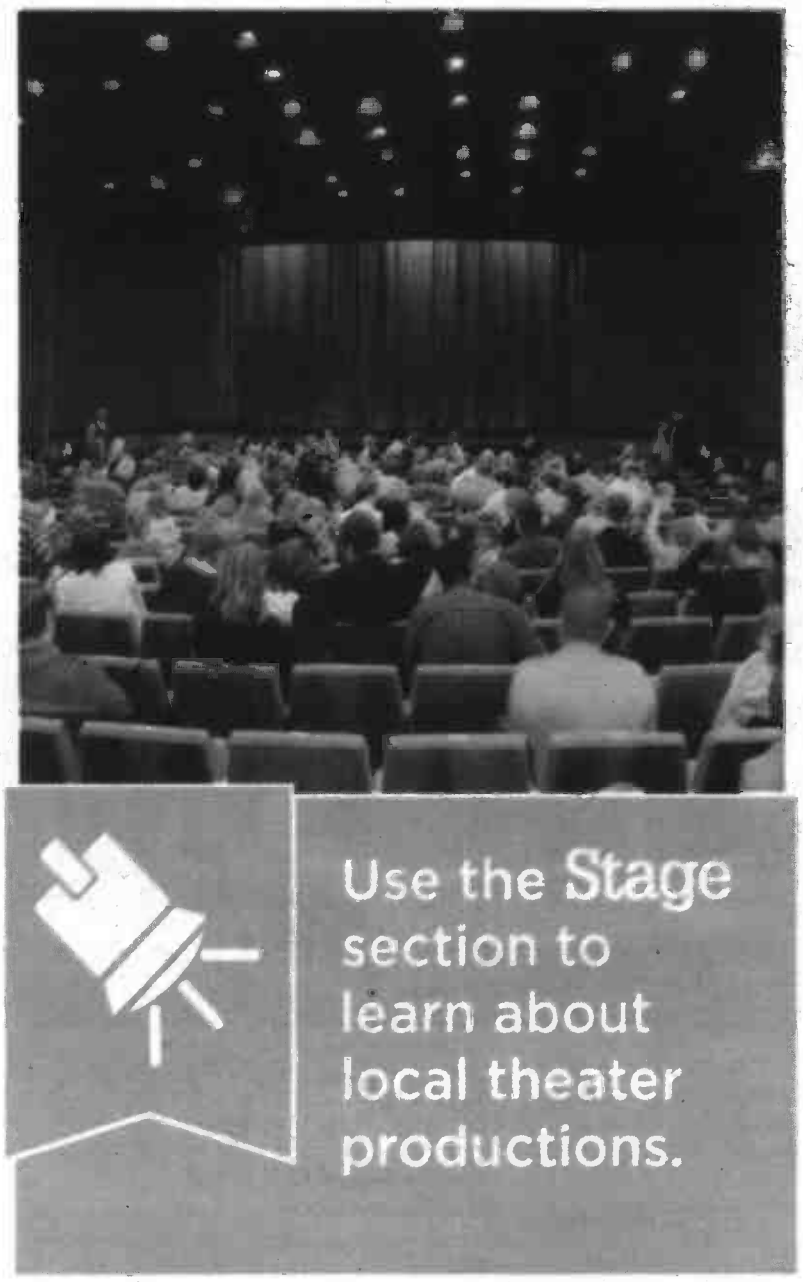
Vern Luebke's 1951 Ford two-door custom sedan has come a long way from where it was more than 30 years ago. Luebke called it a bird sanctuary. Abandoned from its previous owner, the Ford sat in a field for 25 years, untouched by anything but nature.

The car, at that point useless, was then sold to the owner previous to Luebke. Almost everything needed to be fixed, except Luebke says, the paint job, which is yet to collect one spot of rust.

Today, Luebke's Ford often finds itself at the center of all the attention at local car shows. It's true classic look and top condition is what makes it a favorite. The farthest trip the car has taken since Luebke has owned it was to Ontario, Canada, to take home a first place trophy in a classic car show.

Luebke has had the car for six years. He has done a lot to it including installing hardened valves and more modern engine parts. In it's original version, the car wasn't built to take unleaded gasoline. The valve and engine improvements were made so that the car could take today's unleaded gasoline.

Luebke is planning on holding onto his Ford for now. After enjoying as much success as he has had at car shows, he figures, "why not?"



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Used cars make up 64 percent of sales

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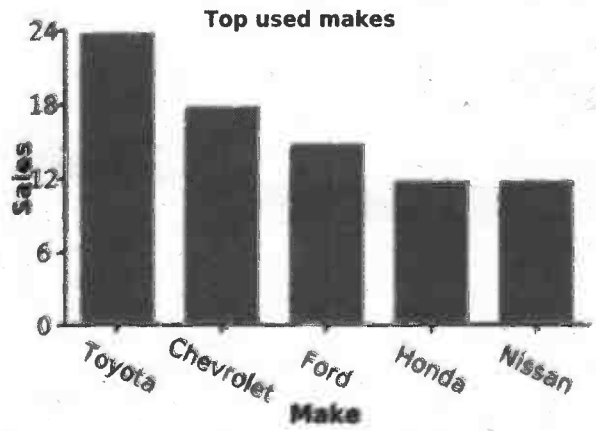

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In the month of June, Niles residents chose Nissan more often than any other make when purchasing new vehicles and opted for Toyota over all other makes when buying used.

All told, new car sales accounted for 36 percent of overall auto sales to residents of Niles, totaling 82 of the 229 overall auto sales in the month. Toyota and Chevrolet followed Nissan to round out the list of the top three auto brands bought new by residents in June. Residents purchased a total of 13 new Nissan vehicles, 12 new Toyota cars, and nine new Chevrolet vehicles in the month.

Used car sales brought in 64 percent of overall auto sales, bringing in 147 of the 229 overall car sales. Toyota led the way as the most popular used auto brand, totaling 24 sales. Chevrolet and Ford also made a good showing in the used car sales category, with 18 and 15 sales, respectively.

Over the course of June, 62 percent of purchases by Niles residents came through a local dealer, while 38 percent were private party transactions. The 62 percent originating from auto dealerships translated to 142 total dealer sales in the month.

Golf Mill Ford (seven sales) sold more used cars to Niles residents in June than any other dealer, followed by Carmax Auto Superstores (six) and Star Nissan (three). The top three auto dealerships selling new cars to Niles residents in the month were Golf Mill Ford with nine sales, Bredemann Toyota (seven sales) and Jennings Chevrolet (five).

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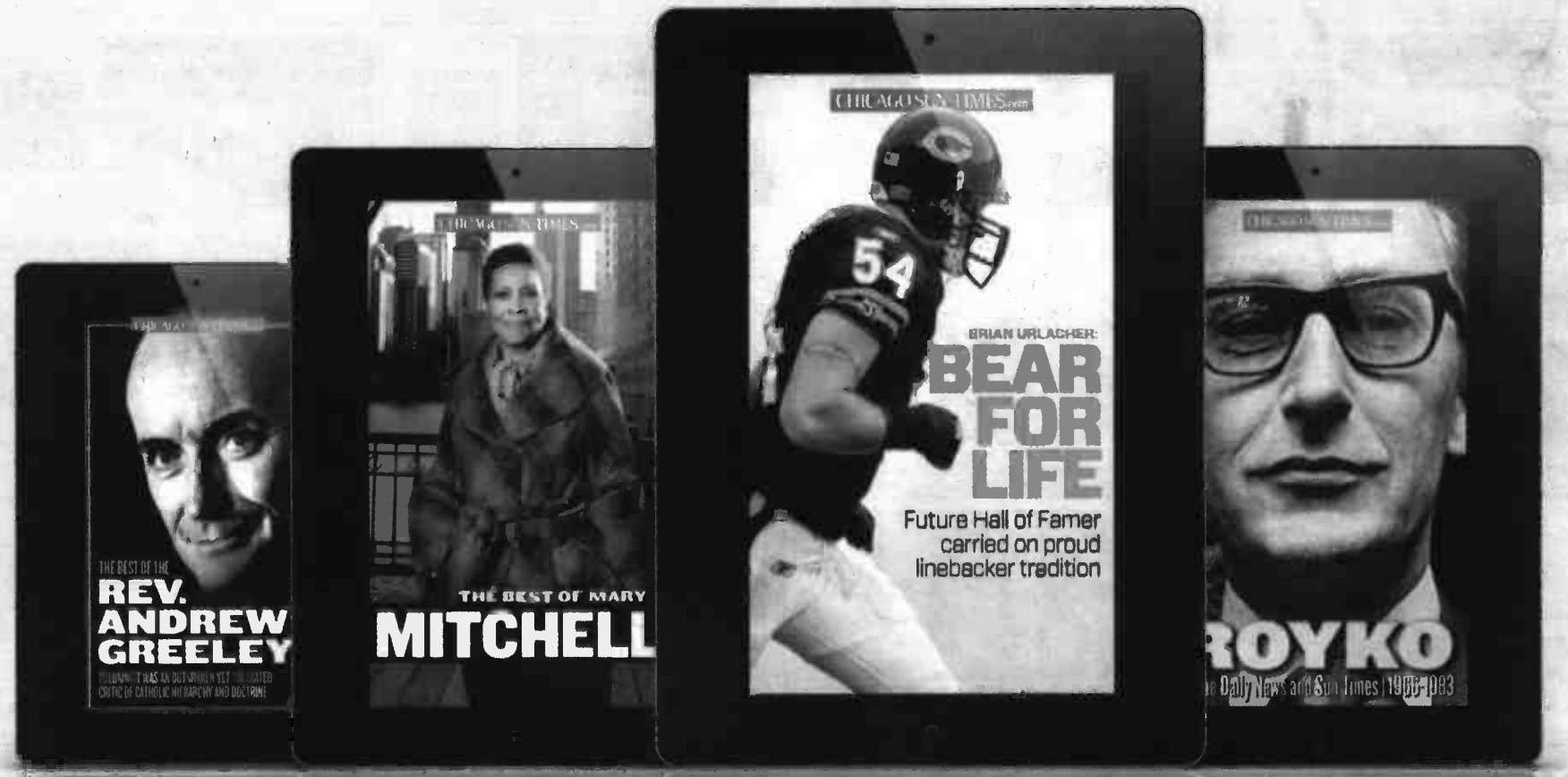

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Notre Dame quarterback Ryan Greene fights his way through the Marian Catholic defense during their game Friday evening in Niles. | MICHAEL R. SCHMIDT/FOR SUN-TIMES MEDIA

NOTRE DAME

Greene scorching defenses set on stopping RB James

Senior threw for four touchdowns in victory over Marian Catholic

BY RYAN NEIMAN
For Sun-Times Media, @HSCNewsNorth

NILES — Given the hype surrounding Notre Dame star running back Chris James following his breakout junior season, some opposing defenses have viewed the Dons as a one-dimensional offense at the start of 2013.

Notre Dame senior quarterback Ryan Greene might just be making defensive coordinators think twice about how they try to slow the Dons.

Greene's talents were on full display in Friday night's 35-0 victory over Marian Catholic: He threw for 204 yards and four touchdowns. Greene, who played sparingly as a junior, has 755 passing yards and 10 touchdowns on the season.

"He's matured. He has a lot of poise and he understands the offense," Notre Dame coach Mike Hennessey said. "He can exploit things that are there for him to thrive in."

James ran for 97 yards and a touchdown against Marian Catholic, while Greene threw the ball with precision and did not turn it over. However, Greene was quick to give his teammates credit.

"I had some playmakers that made some exceptional plays," Greene said. "They were some good speed guys who ran good routes all night."

Greene connected with senior wide receiver Pat Cravens for a pair of touchdowns, including a 53-yard strike.

Cravens, who has become a favorite target of Greene's this season, believes his quarterback brings a different dynamic to Notre Dame's offense.

"It's an element of surprise for us. Most teams are not looking for us to launch it down the field," Cravens said. "Greene brings our offense to a whole other level."

However, it is not the statistics or the in-game achievements that drive Greene.

"We are 4-0, but we have to keep it going," Greene said. "First win in conference means the world, but the ultimate goal is to win it all and to keep it going."

Notre Dame plays Friday at St. Viator.

NILES WEST

Spillman's kick returns give Wolves a boost

Junior studied Jordan, now follows in his footsteps

BY DAN SHALIN
For Sun-Times Media, @danshalin

SKOKIE — At halftime of Niles West's 31-23 win over Glenbrook North, Wolves coach Scott Baum caught junior wide receiver/kick returner Quran Spillman hanging his head in the locker room.

In the first half Friday, Spillman lost a fumble near the goal line after catching a 50-yard pass from junior quarterback Tommy Galanopoulos. Spillman later admitted he also was disappointed the ball had not been thrown his way more often.

"At halftime, he's in there looking down and I said 'Quran, you're our guy, we don't have that many guys. You have to do this!' " said Baum, whose team improved to 4-0.

Spillman delivered an electrifying kickoff return for a touchdown on the final play of the third quarter. It was his third kick return for a touchdown this season.

"We always say, 'Change the momentum with kickoff returns,' " said Spillman, who caught two balls for 31 yards in the second half and finished with six grabs for 72 yards. "If we execute our blocks, I know we can take it to the house the majority of the time, if we all do our job."

The score came just after Glenbrook North (1-3) had closed the gap to 24-23 on a touchdown run by quarterback AJ Spitz. Niles West junior Jeremy Pignato blocked the would-be tying extra point.

"The kid is just shot out of a cannon," Galanopoulos said of Spillman. "Any time he gets the ball, something can happen. (The return) was really huge for our team, especially after I threw a pick (on the previous Niles West series). He comes and runs 90-something yards for a huge play. That totally changed the game around and helped us get to the end."

Niles West, which plays host Saturday to Evanston in the CSL South opener for both teams, has had its share of talented kick returners/receivers in recent years. Jeremiah Jordan was a key member of last year's squad that ended an eight-year postseason drought. Before him, Chris Wright thrilled Wolves fans during the 2007 and '08 seasons before going on to star at Eastern Illinois.

Galanopoulos said Spillman, a first-year varsity player, reminds him of Jordan. Though the 5-foot-11, 155-pound Spillman is a bit smaller than his 6-foot, 175-pound predecessor.

"It's cool to have a guy like that one-on-one, who can just go up and get the ball over a lot of people," Galanopoulos said. "He's not as big (as Jordan), but he's definitely more elusive and a lot quicker."

Spillman said he studied Jordan's game closely.

"After playing the sophomore games last season, I always would go directly and watch him returning kicks and playing wide receiver," he said.

Spillman said he realizes he needs to bulk up a little more for football and said he was contemplating skipping basketball this winter in order to concentrate on improving his strength and speed. Spillman also said he plans to join the Niles West track team in the spring.

Baum said Spillman mixes raw talent with a good work ethic, and said he looks forward to seeing Spillman play after he's added more muscle.

"He's a fun kid to watch. He reminds me of Jeremiah," Baum said. "(Spillman) is just so smooth out there. It doesn't look like he's moving (that fast), and all of a sudden, he's gone. He works hard. Some of the success he's having is because of hard work, it's not a fluke."

Baum added: "(Spillman) is not big. He's only going to get bigger. He's a young kid and he's going to grow and it's going to be fun this year and next year."

Niles North senior Camille Paskind hits a backhand during practice on Aug. 19. "I think that when a girl plays her, they never want to play her again." Niles North coach John Amaro said. | BRIAN O'MAHONEY/FOR SUN-TIMES MEDIA

NILES NORTH

Seniors enjoying strong final seasons

Six of the Vikings' seven seniors have a winning record

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SKOKIE — Niles North started the season 7-4, and the core of the team, a septet of seniors, is thriving.

Six of the seven seniors on the roster have a winning record. Camille Paskind is tops among seniors with a 12-5 mark. (All the records are through Saturday.) She typically plays No. 2 singles.

Niles North coach John Amaro praised Paskind for her motor.

"When Camille plays tennis, she plays the right way and plays with a tenacity and drive that is really rare," Amaro said. "I love her game, I love her patience, I love her fierceness on the court. I think that when a girl plays her, they never want to play her again."

Emily Moy and Irene Cho play No. 2 doubles as a tandem and are 9-5 this season. The two have a close bond on the court, but the relationship goes past that.

"We've actually been best friends (since) before we started playing tennis together," Cho said. "We're really close, and I see her every day, like every hour."

Dana Maglaque, who plays mostly doubles, is 7-5 for the Vikings, and Hanjee Na, also a doubles player, is 4-2. Singles player Megan Whitehouse is 6-2, and her doubles-playing twin sister Hailee is a shade under .500 at 3-4.

The group has worked to create a team atmosphere. Not only are all the seniors familiar with each other after years of high school tennis, but they've welcomed in freshman Sabrina Palavra, the No. 1 singles player who boasts an 11-3 record.

"We've helped her get accustomed to the team and she's become a really good team player," Paskind said of Palavra. "We've befriended her and she's become a really good asset to our team."

Palavra could be around for a while, but most of the team will be graduating in June.

"It will be unrealistic of me to think that the seniors and their leadership can be replaced," Amaro said.

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MAINE EAST

Demons show promise despite results

Three sophomores help Maine East finish sixth at its own tournament

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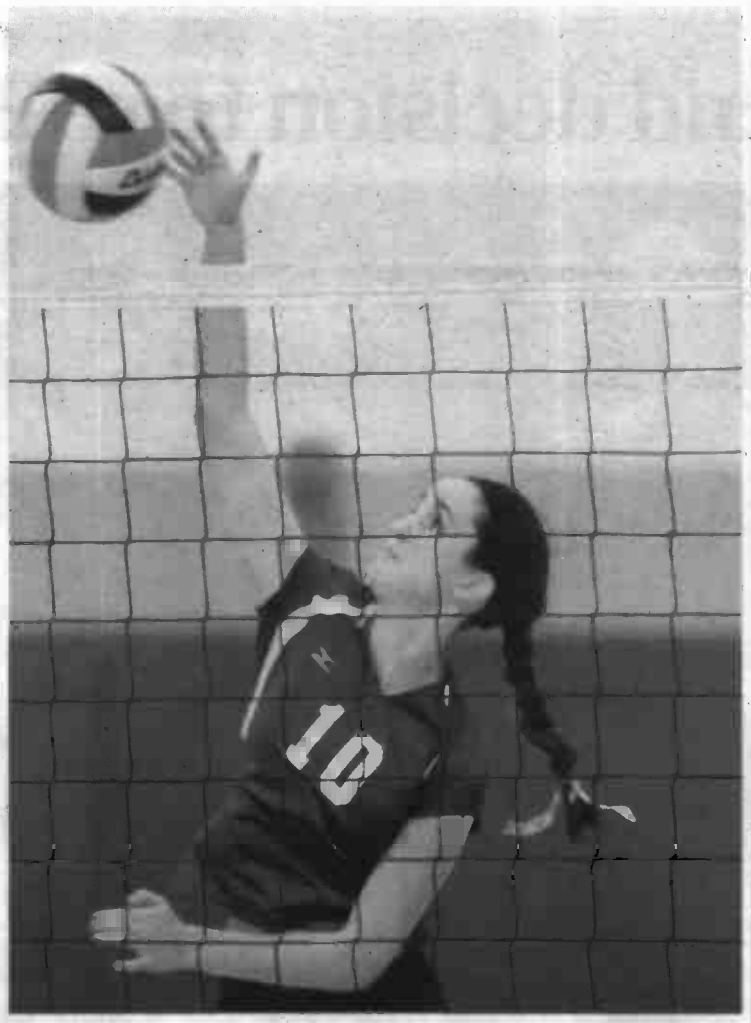

Maine East's Maggie Chwieralski attacks the ball during Saturday's tournament at Maine East in Park Ridge. | NIC SUMMERS/FOR SUN-TIMES MEDIA

PARK RIDGE — Maine East's young volleyball team has demonstrated plenty of energy on the court — with a few mistakes along the way.

The Blue Demons relied heavily on the Class of 2016 at the 2013 Maine East Blue Demon girls volleyball invitational. Middle hitter Niki Ahlstrand, libero Miranda Duro and outside hitter Maggie Chwieralski — all sophomores — played pivotal roles for Maine East this past weekend.

"We're young, and we have some ups and downs here and there mentally," coach Anne Bezek said. "But overall for as young as we are, the composure that especially the three sophomores show for the roles I'm asking them to take on, they're doing an amazing job of stepping in on their first year of varsity."

Their promise was demonstrated in Maine East's stunning victory over Trinity, in which the Blue Demons rallied from a 21-17 third-set deficit by scoring eight of the match's last nine points.

Their youth was more visible in their fifth-place match against Maine South, when a series of net violations and double touches allowed the Hawks to pull away.

"It's going to happen in every game," Chwieralski said. "Every ref is going to call stuff. We just need to get together as a team and side out, ignore it and play on."

Junior setter Sarah Hua-Pham had a hard time avoiding double touches.

"Trying to side out, it was a little bit difficult because I got called on it a couple of times, but I tried my best," Hua-Pham said. "As much as I could, I tried to show the ref that I'm not doing doubles or anything else."

Hua-Pham has generally been "amazing," according to Bezek, as the junior takes over setting duties for the first time.

"It was strange because my setter hasn't been called like that this whole season," Bezek said. "This is the first time. She had maybe one or two here and there a match like most setters, but that was kind of a strange run there and I think mentally it kind of took something out of us. The net violations, too. Normally, we're better and under better control."

Even with the sloppiness that occasionally got in Maine East's way on Saturday, the team can build on the way it rallied past a tough Trinity team and then, trailing 23-12 in the second set against Maine South, scored five straight points to put a little scare into the Hawks.

"The girls are really good about fighting no matter how tough it is, no matter how late in the game it is," Bezek said. "They just keep battling and they just always believe they can get back in it."

NILES NORTH

Wade emerges as an offensive threat

Sophomore running back rushes for 80 yards, touchdown against Titans

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Niles North's Barrington Wade runs past a Glenbrook South defender during Friday's game in Glenview. Wade ran for 56 yards in the first quarter. | JOE CYGANOWSKI/FOR SUN-TIMES MEDIA

GLENVIEW — A 46-7 loss to Glenbrook South capped a tough week for the Niles North football team, but there was one bright spot among the struggles.

The Vikings (1-3) entered Friday's game against the Titans without junior starting quarterback Tony Granato and junior starting running back Julian Garrett.

Both players are likely done for the year, Vikings coach Mark Egofske said. Granato is sidelined with a left rotator cuff tear and Garrett has a meniscus tear in his right knee.

Niles North senior Charles Long started under center and sophomore teammate Barrington Wade started at running back against Glenbrook South. It didn't change Niles North's fortunes. The Vikings lost their third straight and struggled offensively for a second game in a row after losing 52-0 to New Trier the previous week.

The Vikings, who open conference play at Maine West on Friday, have something to be excited about, though.

Niles North rode Wade heavily in the first half against the Titans, and the sophomore rose to the occasion.

After he fumbled on his first carry, Wade recovered the ball and then he ran 12 yards on the next play. He continued to be a bright spot for the Vikings from there, finishing the first half with 73 yards and one touchdown on 20 carries. He ran for 56 yards in the first quarter alone.

His 5-yard touchdown run in the first quarter briefly gave the Vikings the lead. Wade would finish with 80 yards rushing after Niles North went to the air more in the second half and struggled to move the ball.

Despite the loss, Egofske spoke effusively about Wade's debut.

"We knew he was special," Egofske said. "He's been working his rear end off since the day he walked in our school as a freshman. He's someone special. What he did in a short period of time ... is amazing."

With the Vikings down two critical starters on offense, Niles North may be relying heavily on Wade the rest of the season, pushing the sophomore into the spotlight earlier than expected.

Egofske is excited to see what Wade can do the rest of the season.

"He still doesn't have all our plays down yet and he doesn't have a feel for that," Egofske said. "But the more he runs the ball the better he's going to be and the better we'll be."

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MAINE EAST

Corey, Schanz defend decision to rest starters

Blue Demons coach expects to have all but two of his players back against Spartans

BY ERIC VAN DRIL
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PARK RIDGE — Maine East football coach Gabe Corey breaks his team's season into two categories.

Corey said he uses the regular season's first four contests to prepare the Blue Demons for the five-game CSL North stretch at the back half of the regular season. Corey treats those first four contests like a preseason, he said.

Corey rested the vast majority of his starters to try to get his team healthy for CSL North play, which Maine East begins Friday night against Glenbrook North.

As a result, Corey had what he called "a JV group" playing against a team that hasn't lost a CSL South game in 12 years.

"Could we have played some of them? Yeah, with the risk of making (the injury situation) worse," said Corey, after Maine South trounced the Blue Demons 49-0 Friday. "Injuries are going to happen. It just seems like right now, we needed to stop that chain of events and I just felt like tonight, if we played some of those kids, it was going to retweak some of those (injuries).

"I just felt like we needed to get healthy right now. I think, next week, we're going to have a healthy team. We're going to have a good shot in our first conference game with GBN."

Maine East, a team with 30 players listed on its varsity roster, had been beset by injuries during the first three weeks of its season.

It lost five players in its first game of those season, Corey said. Then, against Niles West on Sept. 12, junior left tackle Nick Pavlovic, senior fullback Javed Lukovic and senior wide receiver Andrew Wint were injured.

The Blue Demons' staff elected to sit those three players and several others. Among them were junior running back Munkhaldar Bayar; sophomore wide receiver, defensive back and quarterback Woody Corey; senior running back and defensive back Christian Lopez; and senior Julian Brummitt and junior George Corey — both start on Maine East's offensive line and also play defense.

Gabe Corey said all of Maine East's players, excluding senior quarterback Alex Corey (knee) and junior backup quarterback Steve Youel (shoulder), should be able to play against the Spartans. Woody Corey, Alex Corey and George Corey are Gabe Corey's sons.

The Hawks, in a display of good sportsmanship, pulled off the throttle very early against Maine East (2-2). Coach Dave Inserra removed his starters once Maine South led 14-0, and he removed many of his second-stringers after the Hawks took a 28-0 lead with 37 seconds remaining in the first quarter.

Only one Maine East player — junior quarterback Justin Ethakattu (ribs) — left the game due to an injury.

"I wasn't happy with (Maine East's decision)," Maine South coach Dave Inserra said after the game.

He added: "I can't comment and say it the right way, so I'll just say Coach Inserra has no comment on that issue."

Inserra was then asked another question and, after answering it, he added that, "It just shouldn't have been handled that way (by Maine East)."

Blue Demons athletic director Steve Schanz said forfeiting the contest was discussed in the week leading up to the game, but he considers forfeiting to be a last-ditch measure taken when there are no other options. Schanz said part of the reason Maine East decided against forfeiting was it didn't want to mess up Maine South's Hall of Fame ceremony and Maine South's ability to make money by hosting the game.

Schanz said on Monday that no one from Maine East had complained to him. Schanz stood by his coaches, saying that Gabe Corey and his staff made "Herculean efforts" to prepare a depleted Blue Demons squad to play against one of the best teams in the state.

Gabe Corey "had concern about going against a very good team like Maine South with a patchwork varsity crew, but as I told him, 'You don't have a choice,' " Schanz said. "You've got to go in and, even though a lot of these sophomore boys that you brought up are certainly not ready for varsity ball yet — especially against a team like Maine South — I thought he did a tremendous job getting them ready for that game."

ABOVE: Maine East's Woody Corey (7), who is pictured during pregame warmups, was one of several Blue Demons who didn't play in Friday's game against Maine South. The hope was that if Maine East rested its starters, the Blue Demons would be healthy for this week's CSL North opener against Glenbrook North. | TIM BOYLE/FOR SUN-TIMES MEDIA

RIGHT: Maine East quarterback Justin Ethakattu runs the ball during Friday's game at Maine South. Ethakattu was hurt on the carry. | TIM BOYLE/FOR SUN-TIMES MEDIA

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Greene, Cravens connect on pair of touchdowns in Dons' win

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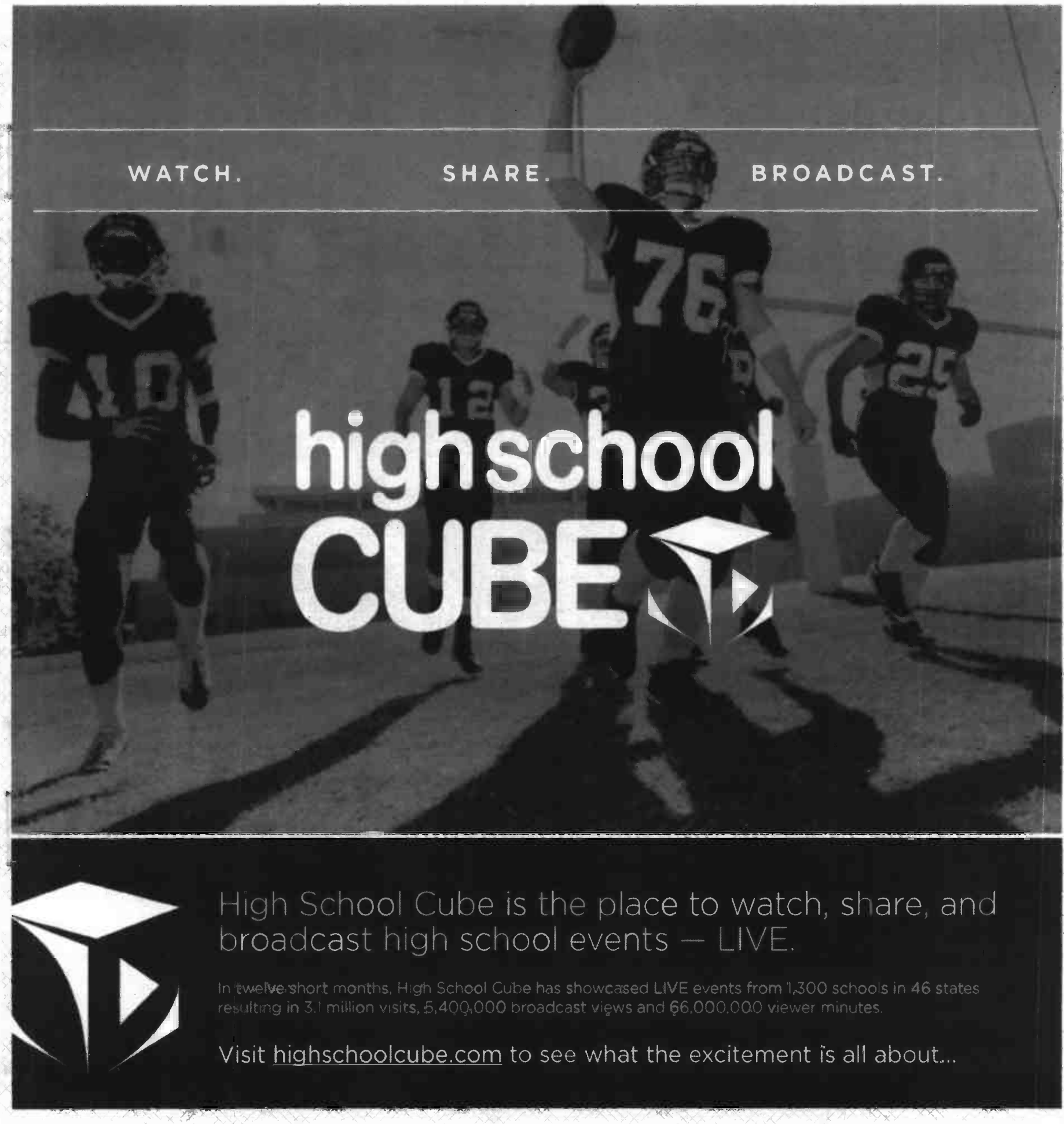
Notre Dame's Pat Cravens stiff-arms Marian Catholic's Louis Longo en route to a touchdown during Friday's game in Niles. | MICHAEL R. SCHMIDT/FOR SUN-TIMES MEDIA



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