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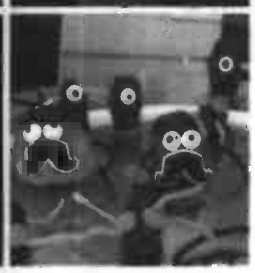

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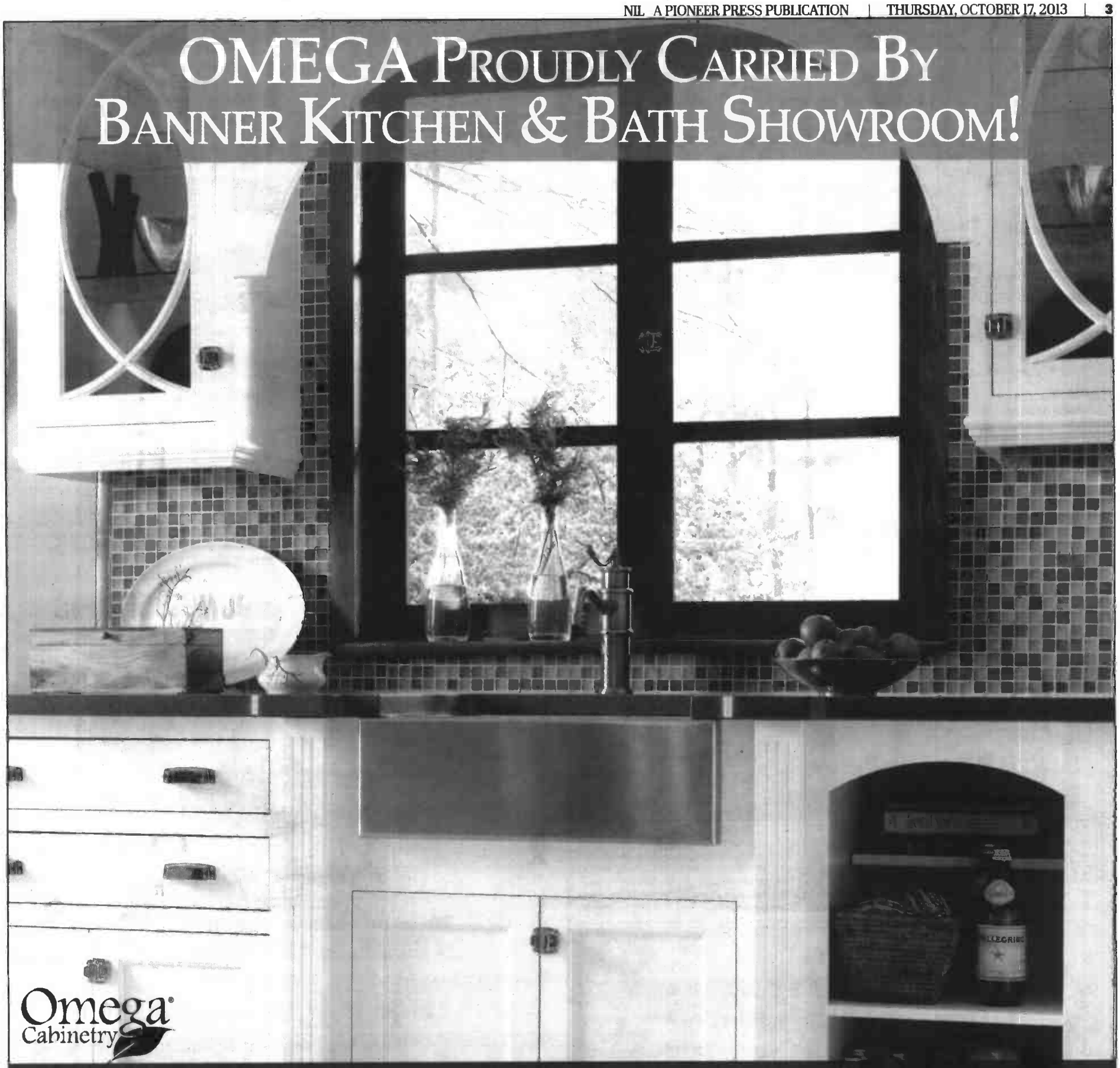

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Museum explores British home front during World War II

Holocaust Museum takes different look at war

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If the latest traveling exhibition at the Illinois Holocaust Museum & Education Center feels a bit different than others, that's by design.

Design, in fact, is an operative word for "Keep Calm and Carry On: Textiles on the Home Front in WWII Britain" ₇ design of period clothing, beautifully-stitched patriotic scarves, home furnishings and more.

While the idea of bringing this exhibit to the museum initially raised eyebrows — some wondered whether it was the right fit for the museum — don't make the mistake of casting "Keep Calm" as a mere fashion show or furniture display.

Tucked within the show's aesthetics of vibrant dresses and furniture, tablecloths and fashion magazines is an important chapter in World War II history.

Without Britain's home front effort, without the country withstanding Germany's devastating assault from above, World War II could have ended differently, Museum Chief Curator of Collections and Exhibitions Arielle Weininger said.

"Churchill in his speeches was very clear about the fact that if Britain would have fallen, all of Europe would have fallen," she said. "If Britain had fallen, there would have been no place for us to lead the D-Day invasions into France. And there might not have been the liberation of Europe."

But there is another distinguishing reason the spaciously-laid-out exhibition, which runs through Jan. 26, belongs here. The museum's focus has always been much wider in scope than the almost incomprehensible details of World War II genocide, although it has always captured historic monumental inhumanity powerfully.

Weininger emphasized that not every traveling exhibition can or should be about atrocities against Eastern European Jews; indeed, the museum's basement space over the last four-and-a-half years has been host to an eclectic array of programming that consistently educates and elucidates about responses to oppression and brutality.

"People are surprised that this exhibit is here at the Illinois Holocaust Museum," Weininger said. "I do not find it surprising. I'm actually very happy that it's here. This is the first exhibition where we have specifically looked at Britain during the war time."

British Consul General of Chicago Stephen Bridges, who attended Sunday's opening, is also happy it's here.

"I don't think we should just get pigeon-holed about one specific time in history no matter how powerful or however significant it is to the modern world," he said. "It is about the pain that humans can inflict on each other, and I think exhibitions like this can show the strength of people."

"Stay Calm" is also the first "fine arts" exhibition of sorts in this space. It qualifies as that because three sets of scarves, meticulously detailed and representing different British home front periods, are exquisitely rendered as are the dresses and other fabrics on display.

This exhibition has a different look and feel to it as well. More opened up in the tradition of art exhibitions, it takes viewers from Britain's pre-war period through the war and to post-war victory.

It is peppered along the way with videos — including a huge "video cube" reflecting four-sided propaganda footage from the United Kingdom's Ministry of Information, as well as blown-up photos of Prime Minister Winston Churchill to Queen Elizabeth and King George walking over rubble after a German blitz.

How Britain responded and survived such devastating years — before the United States joined forces — is really the heart and soul of the museum's new exhibition. It aims to capture a seminal point in World War II history, not on the battlefield or in concentration camps, but in Britain's own home.

Doses of British humor and the iron-willed spirit of the British people at such a pivotal time for the world are palpable throughout the exhibition.

"Without the sacrifices being made by the British people, Britain wouldn't have survived for the years it was being bombarded by Germany and would not have held out," Weininger said. As she noted, the Americans did not enter the war until two years after the Battle of Britain.

These sacrifices are remembered in the exhibition through the artistry and spirit of the Brits, but also through the inspirational words of their eloquent leader.

"We shall go on to the end," Churchill famously said, which is reprinted as part of the exhibition. "We shall fight in France, we shall fight on the seas and oceans, we shall fight...in the air, we shall defend our island, whatever the cost may be.

"We shall fight on the beaches, we shall fight on the landing grounds, we shall fight in the fields and in the streets, we shall fight in the hills; we shall never surrender..."

A small old-fashioned radio from that era with Churchill speeches seemingly coming from it sits just outside the beginning of the exhibition, casting just the right mood for visitors.

Bridges, from Plymouth in the United Kingdom, was a boy walking by a church damaged in World War II years after the war. He asked his father why the church wasn't fixed, he recalled, and the answer he got could have been the very same one as to why "Stay Calm" is ideal for the museum's newest exhibition.

"Because we need to remember," Bridges' father told him.

The Illinois Holocaust Museum's new exhibit, "Keep Calm and Carry On: Textiles on the Home Front in WWII Britain," includes clothing, scarves, home decor, film footage and music from Britain in the World War II era. | BRIAN O'MAHONEY/FOR SUN-TIMES MEDIA

KEEP CALM AND CARRY ON

What: The Illinois Holocaust Museum's new exhibition looking at the British home front during World War II

When: The exhibition will be on display in the basement of the museum through Jan. 26.

Who: The exhibition was organized by the Museum of Fine Arts in Boston with support from Jean S. and Frederic A. Sharf. The Golder Family Foundation is lead sponsor all museum special exhibitions. Additional local support was provided by Rotarians for Peace. An Illinois Arts Council Agency grant partially supported the exhibition.

Where: The museum is located at 9603 Woods Drive, Skokie.

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Greg Burns (left) and author Philip Sieb, director of the Center of Public Diplomacy at the University of Southern California, discuss Seib's book about journalist Edward R. Murrow during World War II in Britain. | MIKE ISAACS/ SUN-TIMES MEDIA

Murrow helped lead America to Britain's aid

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Had there never been a broadcast journalist named Edward R. Murrow or his "This is London" radio broadcasts during World War II, would the United States have come to Britain's aid when it did?

Why this is an interesting question is because of how strong of an isolationist mood there was in the country when war broke out, author and scholar Philip Seib reminded his audience Sunday at the Illinois Holocaust Museum,

"It's very important to remember that when the war began in September 1939 and when the blitz began in September 1940, there was tremendous resistance in the United States," Seib said about involvement overseas.

That's why Murrow, broadcasting on radio from London rooftops under attack ₇ and decades before Viet Nam would be credited as the first war to be brought into American living rooms — was so instrumental to U.S. involvement in the war.

Seib wrote the book "Broadcasts Beyond the Blitz" about Murrow's role in establishing news radio as an effective informational tool and the political propaganda of the time.

He and Chicago Tribune Editorial Board Member Greg Burns discussed Murrow in a kick-off event Sunday to the museum's new exhibition. Called "Keep Calm and Carry On: Textiles on the Home Front in WWII Britain," it captures the United Kingdom's indomitable spirit during World War II and its ability to have survived Germany's relentless attack on the country.

An audience of well over 100 people Sunday heard the discussion about Murrow, which was an ideal compliment to the exhibition.

Both presenters emphasized that Murrow "took sides" as a journalist, but not as a criticism. The great broadcaster felt no need for "objectivity," especially when it came to reporting about the Nazis.

Long before many, he saw Hitler for what he was, Burns said. "He didn't see the need for any particular balance."

"He took sides and we don't hold that against him, because he was on the side of the angels," Seib said.

It was Murrow's willingness to report from London, while the city was under attack and when no one else did, that helped turn national sentiment around, they said.

"He led the way, and if it weren't for him, I don't know if America would have joined the fight against the Nazis when they did." Burns said.

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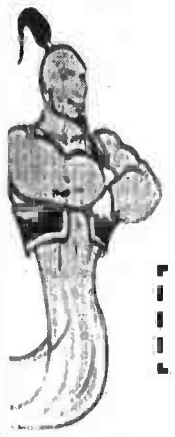

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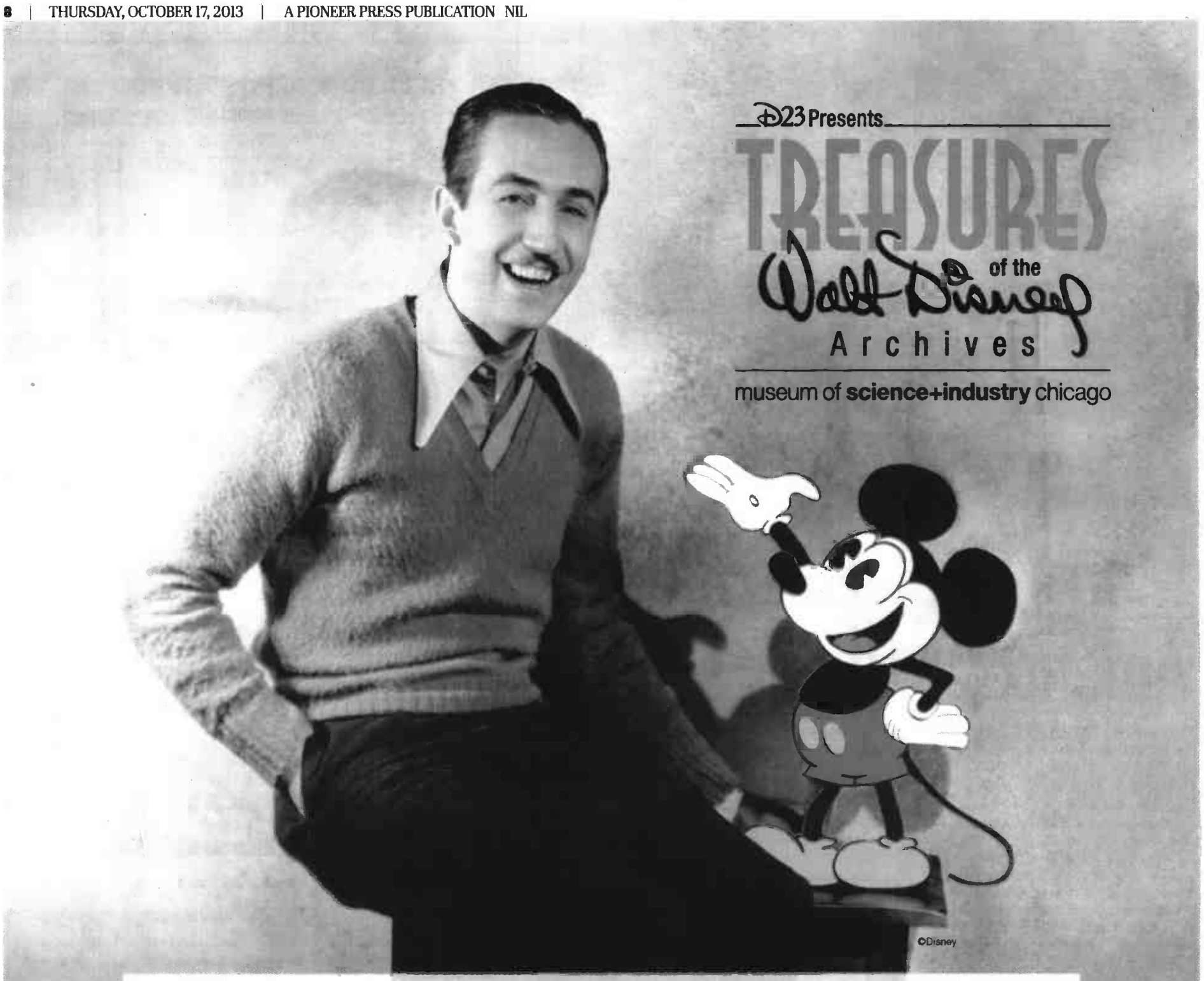

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SKOKIE

Lawsuit: Cop threw woman face-first into concrete bench

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A Chicago woman charged with drunk driving in March filed a civil rights lawsuit in federal court last week accusing a Skokie police officer of using excessive force to seriously injure her.

Her lawyer said the village of Skokie, which was named in the suit with Officer Michael Hart, would likely be served this week.

A video from cameras at the Skokie Police station shows an officer, identified as Hart, forcefully pushing a woman into a holding cell where she banged her face against a concrete bench.

The lawyer for Cassandra Feuerstein, 47, of West Rogers Park, said last week that her client broke bones in her face, and needed reconstructive facial surgery.

Lawyer Torri Hamilton released the surveillance video clip of the incident filmed from inside the cell March 10 after it was subpoenaed for the criminal court case.

According to the lawsuit, Feuerstein weighs about 110 pounds and is 5-feet 6-inches tall.

"At the door of the open jail cell, defendant Hart gave plaintiff a violent shove in the back, using both of his hands," the lawsuit says. "Defendant Hart used so much force in doing this that plaintiff was flung across the cell head first into a cement bench at the far side of the cell."

Feuerstein's face "split open,"

Cassandra Feuerstein is suing Skokie Police and Village for injuries she claims happened in police custody. The lawsuit states she was shoved by a Skokie Police Officer into a concrete bench in the jail holding cell. | COURTESY CASSANDRA FEURERSTEIN

according to the suit, and she began to bleed profusely, which the video seems to corroborate. She broke several bones in her face, her lawyer said.

The lawsuit further says that Hart made false statements to others at the Skokie Police Department, erroneously accusing her of resisting efforts to be escorted into a holding cell.

"He whips her through the door and into the cell," Hamilton said. "There was no threat to any of the police officers. It's clear on the video that the (behavior) was indefensible."

POLICE VIDEO
• For police video of the push that injured Cassandra Feuerstein, visit mortongrove.suntimes.com

Village Manager Al Rigoni said that Hart, a 19-year veteran on the force, has been assigned to station duty and has no contact with the public.

An internal investigation and one by the Cook County State's Attorney's office are underway, he said.

In a statement Rigoni released Oct. 10, he said the village "expresses deep concerns" over the injuries that occurred at the station.

"The Village of Skokie values the Skokie Police Department's high professional standards and reputation and is deeply concerned about this isolated incident," Rigoni said. "When the investigations have concluded, they will be released to the public and further steps will be taken as necessary."

Early morning arrest

Feuerstein was initially arrested about 6 a.m. March 10 on the 3900 block of Howard Street. She was found in the middle of the intersection at Howard and East Prairie Road slumped over with her foot on the right pedal, police said.

Hamilton said her client had pulled over, knowing she was in no condition to drive.

In addition to driving under the influence, she was charged with resisting a peace officer, improper parking on the roadway and not having valid proof of insurance. Court records show she pleaded guilty to the DUI and was sentenced to one year supervision and a fine of roughly $1,600. The resisting arrest charge and other citations were dropped.

The Skokie Review obtained the original police report regarding the arrest. It was not written by Hart, but the lawsuit claims that Hart's inaccurate statements "caused his fellow officers to write false police reports and other documents pertaining to this incident."

According to the original police report, Feuerstein's front passenger side tire was flat with a deep tear through it, and the rim was damaged.

Officers had to repeatedly bang on the window to wake her up, police said. She failed three sobriety tests on the scene, according to the report.

Feuerstein told police she had only two drinks. The report lists her Breathalyzer results at .173, more than double the legal limit of .08, the report said.

"She began to cry hysterically and tried pulling her arms away from me as I was attempting to place the handcuffs on her wrist," the report said.

According to the report, she refused to leave the squad car and locked her feet under the passenger seat and laid down across the rear seat. Police said they had to remove her from the vehicle.

At Skokie Hospital, where she was taken after her injuries, she yelled loudly and threw a bucket and an ice pack across the room, police said.

The police report also said she was uncooperative during the booking process leading up to her injuries.

The village did not release video footage of Feuerstein's processing, but it agreed to screen the full video for the Review without making comment.

Police on video appear to repeatedly try to book Feuerstein and send her on her way. That included a Breathalyzer test, which was completed, a mug shot and fingerprinting.

More than an hour after she first entered the booking area, where four police officers were unsuccessful in getting her to complete processing, she was taken to the holding cell, according

to the video from police station cameras.

Officers are seen giving her opportunities to comply, but she appears resistant. At other times, she quietly sits or lays on a bench before she is vocal again with police. Officers tell her she will be able to leave after she is processed, pays $100 for bond and someone picks her up.

Feuerstein on the video asks loudly to be taken to the bathroom several times and later complains that police are refusing. The video, however, shows her being taken away twice after making her requests.

"I asked to use the bathroom and I was refused, and I am still being refused," she yells.

Feuerstein also repeatedly yells on the video that her rights were not read to her immediately. She grabs a sheet out of a female officer's hands when a female officer is talking to her, the video shows.

Officers in the video are seen explaining the booking process and other details to Feuerstein. She appears agitated, and at one point when left alone, she falls from the bench onto the floor.

"You're processing me like a criminal," she yells on the video.

After completing a Breathalyzer, Feuerstein is asked to cooperate for a mug shot, but she appears not to follow instructions. She initially walks away from the camera without putting her feet in the yellow outlines as instructed.

Once she does, she appears not to look at the camera despite being requested to do so several times.

Hart on the video is heard saying that she should be taken to a cell if she doesn't want to cooperate. Several times, she seems to agree to cooperate and then doesn't follow through, which appears to escalate the officer's frustration.

Hart on video tells her that police would rather not lock her up, but will have to do so if she continues to refuse to cooperate.

Feuerstein is sent briefly to a holding cell a first time before she returns again to booking to have her mug shot taken, the video shows. She lines up for a photo, and when she resists looking at the camera again, Hart seems to grow angry, saying, "We're done."

The video then shows Hart quickly grabbing Feuerstein by the arm and leading her presumably to the holding cell.

Village action taken

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POLICE BLOTTER

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MORTON GROVE

DUI
Alex J. Will, 26, of Des Plaines, was charged Oct. 10 with driving under the influence and possession of marijuana. He is scheduled in court Nov. 21.

TRESPASSING
Richard J. Kunz, 56, of Burbank, was charged Oct. 9 with criminal trespass after being found at Menards, 6301 Oakton Street, when he was told to stay away during previous arrests. He is scheduled in court Oct. 22.

THEFT
Mak Sampson, 33, of Skokie, was charged Oct. 4 with retail theft after allegedly taking drill bits and an HDMI cable from Menards, 6301 Oakton Street, without paying for the items. He is scheduled in court Oct. 18.

NILES

DUI
Micah Sallach, 26, of 802 S. Boulevard St., Evanston, was charged with driving under the influence and resisting arrest on the night of Oct. 4. Sallach was reportedly stopped for speeding on the 7400 block of Dempster Street at 11:53 p.m. Police said he refused to exit the vehicle, perform sobriety tests or submit to a Breathalyzer test. After he was told he was under arrest, Sallach allegedly remained inside the vehicle and had to be removed by a group of officers. He has a Nov. 5 court date.

John Mazur, 52, of 1921 N. Kimball Ave., Chicago, was charged with driving under the influence on the night of Oct. 5. Police said Mazur was accused of failing to yield to a squad car after he pulled in front of the vehicle in order to make a left turn from northbound Harlem Avenue to westbound Greenleaf Street at 11:40 p.m. He has a Nov. 5 court date.

Robert Balogh, 37, of 3847 W. North Ave., Chicago, was charged with DUI on Oct. 5 following a traffic stop on the 6900 block of Touhy Ave at 11:36 p.m. Police said a witness reported seeing Balogh's vehicle driving "all over the road" while southbound on Milwaukee Ave. No court information was available.

William Jacoub, 24, of 2614 W. Oakton St., Park Ridge, was charged with driving under the influence and driving with a suspended license on the morning of Oct. 5. According to police, Jacoub's vehicle was stopped on Oakton Street near Ottawa Avenue after the officer notified the front driver's side tire was flat and shredded. He has a Nov. 15 court date.

BATTERY
Damir Radisic, 44, of 8853 Washington St., Niles, was charged with domestic battery on Oct. 5 after he allegedly grabbed a 39-year-old woman by her jaw during an argument. No court information was available.

RETAIL THEFT
Oluwatobi Ejiofor, 19, of 7206 Emerson St., Morton Grove, was charged with retail theft on Oct. 7 after she allegedly stole $82 worth of merchandise from a store inside Golf Mill Shopping Center. She has a Nov. 13 court date.

CRIME BRIEFS

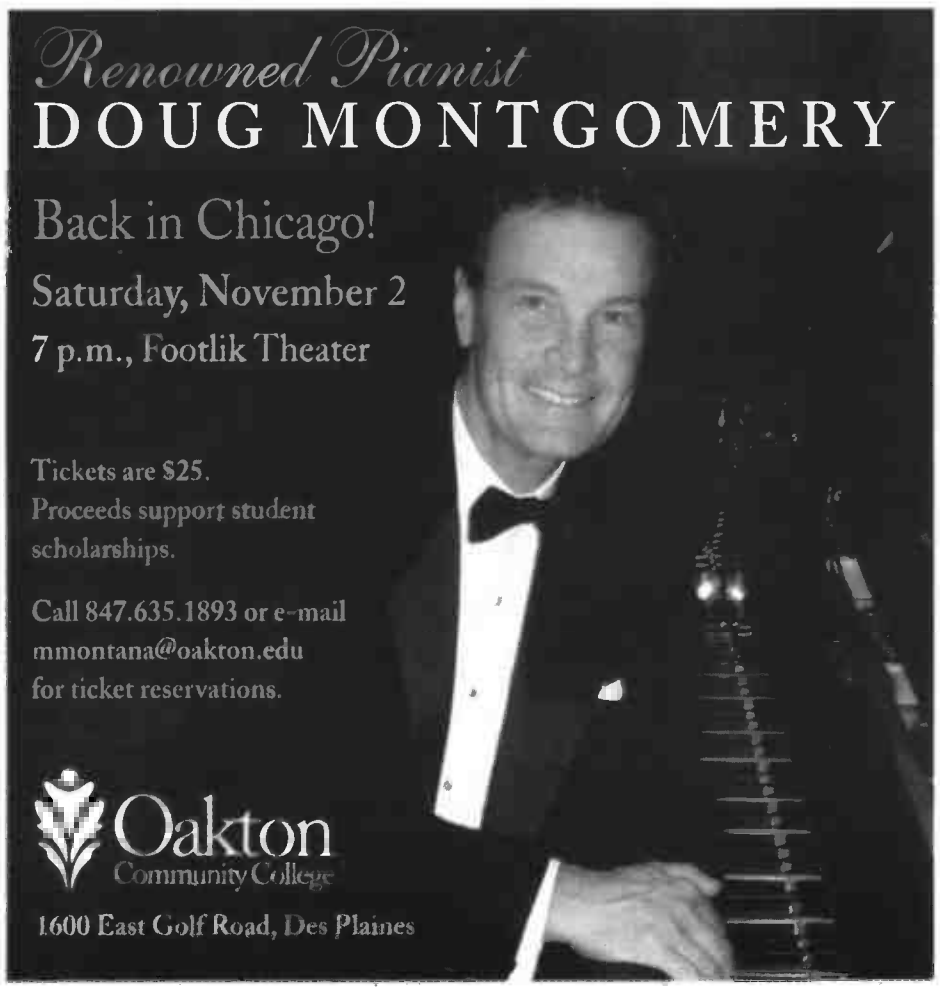
NILES

THEFT
A man who test-drove a Ford Mustang Shelby GT500 on Oct. 4 is believed to have stolen the vehicle from the lot of Golf Mill Ford, 9400 Milwaukee Ave., police said. An employee told police that the man was allowed to take the ignition key for the vehicle with him when he went to the restroom after the test drive and it is believed he switched the key with another Ford key before leaving the dealership. Police said the suspect then returned after the business was closed and drove the Mustang off the lot.

A wallet was reported stolen on the evening of Oct. 6 from a man's locker at XSport Fitness, 9210 N. Milwaukee Ave.

DISPUTE
Police responded to the intersection of Maynard Avenue and Kay Street at 12:30 a.m. on Oct. 5 for a report of an argument between a couple in the middle of the street. Both individuals denied the argument became physical and they agreed to separate for the evening, police said.

A 43-year-old woman allegedly admitted to spraying pepper spray out her front door on the 7100 block of Greenleaf Avenue on the morning of Oct. 6 in an attempt to get her 19-year-old daughter to leave the premises. Her daughter told police she had come to get some belongings from her mother's house, but her mother refused to let her inside. While police were present, the daughter was allowed to collect some belongings and the family was referred to Niles Social Services.



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EDUCATION

OAKTON COMMUNITY COLLEGE

Shantytown helps students understand issues homeless face

Skokie campus becomes Shantytown

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For most people, Monday's weather of clear skies and mild temperatures made for an awfully nice early October day and night.

For Marvin Bornschlegl, the day was just a bit too nice.

Oakton Community College's club adviser for the school's Habitat for Humanity chapter would have taken it a little colder, a little cloudier, even a little rainier so that he and his students would feel the difficulty of living outdoors even more.

For the third consecutive year, members of Oakton's Habitat For Humanity chapter built cardboard shelters — this year on the Skokie campus — and lived in them overnight. While the nighttime temperature was about 20 degrees warmer than last year, when Oakton's "Shantytown" was set up on the Des Plaines campus, this was hardly a visit to a luxury hotel.

Sleeping on the hard ground with only cardboard to protect them against the elements — low temperatures at about 45 degrees — students got a first-hand taste of what not having a home means.

Norm Petroski, vice president of Habitat for Humanity's Oakton chapter, spent his second year in the Shantytown, and he acknowledged the difference.

"You're going to wake up tomorrow and you're not going to be as uncomfortable," he said. "When you're that cold like last year, your body goes into that survival mode where you're just trying to keep yourself warm and trying to get some rest. That won't be as big of a challenge this year."

But he also knew the temperature on this early October night would be chilly enough for the message to take hold.

Oakton Community College's Habitat For Humanity club adviser Marvin Bornschlegl is set with his shelter Oct. 7 for the long night ahead. | MIKE ISAACS/SUN-TIMES MEDIA

"You're still going to have to be prepared and make sure that you keep warm," he said.

Petroski, 52, who works at Wheels, Inc. and is pursuing a degree in management and supervision, knew he wanted to become involved in Habitat For Humanity as soon as he came to Oakton.

"I wanted to help others and to give back to the communities," he said. "The most important part of an event like this is to make people aware that there are homeless people around you every day whether you realize it or not, and there's different levels of it."

The first two Oakton Shantytowns were held later in the year closer to Thanksgiving. This one was moved up — in part to coincide with National Habitat For Humanity Day and also because the school had some concerns about the cold overnight weather last year.

Bornschlegl admits he has always thought of the rougher weather as a teachable moment. The event was originally conceived for Thanksgiving Eve, he said, but even in milder weather it still serves its purpose.

"At Thanksgiving, I can only imagine the conversations that will be taking place around the dinner table for the people who are out here tonight," he said. "The idea is still strong."

This year's Oakton over-nighters were supposed to set up their shanties on Saturday, but the weather forecast called for an ugly storm to touch down in and around Chicago. Building day was moved back to Sunday.

"There was a part of me that said let's let them build on Saturday because a lot of them didn't look at the weather and there would be a downpour that would destroy half of the village," Bornschlegl said.

"If you're homeless, you may have something constructed, but when you get there, it's not there anymore," he said.

When the students finally built their shelters Sunday, one asked whether they were having too much fun. Another student suggested that it's possible for homeless people to feel happy because they have found shelter for the night.

Oakton Community College freshman Nicole Heiam of Northbrook gets set to live in a box the night of Oct. 7 on the Skokie campus as part of an event to raise awareness on homelessness. | MIKE ISAACS/SUN-TIMES MEDIA

Oakton Community College's Habitat For Humanity club sponsored an event to raise awareness about homelessness. Members spent the night of Oct. 7 living in cardboard shelters. | MIKE ISAACS/SUN-TIMES MEDIA.

The exchange was music to Bornschlegl's ears. Students were engaged in thinking about how homeless people think and feel, which is the point of the exercise, he said.

There were fewer shanties this year than last — 11 compared to 18. But most of the participants were newcomers. Each of the box homes had containers for donations and people were invited to visit during the night.

The event was streamlined a bit compared to last year — no soup kitchen or apple cider or hot chocolate. Just the starkness of living outdoors.

Sophomore Andrew Duback of Glenview also was sleeping outside on the Oakton campus for the first time.

"I think I could do with it being a little bit colder tonight," Duback said. "I dressed warm and I have extra sweats in my car."

Freshman Nicole Heiam of Northbrook joined Habitat For Humanity to build and paint, but then she became excited to learn about the overnight event. And she was ready for it.

"I've camped out with my dad before and it's gone down to insane temperatures," she said. "I'll be just fine. By tomorrow morning, though, I think everyone will get the message of what this is all about."

NILES

Men accused of beating, carjacking woman in Niles parking lot

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Edward Gonzalez

Eduardo Medina

Two men have been charged with vehicular hijacking after they allegedly beat and forced a woman out of her car outside a Niles fast food restaurant last week.

Niles police said the 25-year-old woman had just exited the drive-thru at McDonald's, 8460 W. Dempster St., at 1:40 a.m., Oct. 11, and drove to the parking lot's exit when she was approached by two men. One of the men, later identified as Edward Gonzalez, 20, of 9656 N. Park Lane, unincorporated Maine Township, reportedly opened the passenger side door and ordered the woman out of the vehicle before allegedly punching her repeatedly in the head. The second man, identified as Eduardo Medina, 19, of 8820 Root St., Niles, opened the driver's side door and attempted to pull the woman out of the car, police said.

After pressing the seat belt release, the men removed the woman from her car and threw her to the ground, police said. They then allegedly jumped in the car, a 2009 Mitsubishi, and fled the area.

Officers from the Morton Grove Police Department located the vehicle minutes later in the area of Shermer Road and Madison Street. The occupants exited the car at that time, but were apprehended by police.

Both have been charged with felony vehicular hijacking and remain in Cook County Jail.

Niles Police Sgt. Robert Tornabene said Gonzalez is a known gang member, but the carjacking incident is not considered gang-related.

The female victim was taken to Advocate Lutheran General Hospital where she was treated for a head injury and an injury to her right arm.

The woman did not know her attackers, Tornavene said.

"There is nothing that indicated there was any interaction between the victim and the offenders — other than the fact that they wanted the car," he added.

Niles police: man found with loaded gun, drugs during traffic stop

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Brandon M. Lee

An Evanston man is in Cook County Jail after he was allegedly found in possession of drugs and a gun during a traffic stop in Niles.

Niles police said Brandon M. Lee, 23, of 1836 Brown Ave., had a loaded semi-automatic handgun in his jacket pocket, as well as bags containing suspected marijuana and crack cocaine in his shirt during the Oct. 7 traffic stop.

Lee was a backseat passenger in a vehicle stopped by police at Washington Street and Wilson Terrace in Morton Grove just after 12 p.m., Niles police said. The vehicle was identified as one that had left the 8000 block of Lyons Street in Niles where a woman claimed two men had been fighting. The fight was later determined to have been unfounded, police said.

The other occupants of the vehicle were identified as a 43-year-old female driver from Des Plaines, a 25-year-old man from Des Plaines, and a 12-year-old girl. All were released without charges.

Lee was charged with felony possession of a controlled substance, felony unlawful use of a weapon and possession of marijuana. He is being held in Cook County Jail without bond. His next court appearance is Oct. 29.

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NILES

Village Board approves Niles inspector general

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Chris Cohen's appointment as the Village of Niles Inspector General was officially approved by the Board of Trustees at the special meeting that took place on Oct 7 — but not without controversy.

During the course of the meeting, trustees Chris Hanusiak and Rosemary Palicki raised a number of questions about the appointment process and how Cohen would be paid. While Mayor Andrew Przybylo emphasized his qualifications, the dissenting trustees continued to argue that the appointment process went over the board's heads.

As the discussion got underway, the mayor acknowledged the controversy over the way he handled the Cohen's appointment on Sept. 24.

"I failed to call the vote," said Przybylo. "It simply got away with from me. But it was brought to my attention, and I apologize."

Hanusiak responded by arguing that there were more issues with the appointment than that.

"We have not discussed the contract, pay and where it's budgeted, the hourly rate and out of which budget item it's coming," he said.

Przybylo explained that the pay was coming out of the administration's legal services budget. The money that was previously used to pay the Board of Ethics' outside attorney. Village Attorney Joe Annunzio argued that, because the inspector general was paid less, the village was actually saving money.

In response, Hanusiak complained about what he saw as a pattern of the mayor misleading the board about the fees. He cited the appointment of Niles liquor commissioner Linda Schain as another example, saying that she was supposed to be paid hourly, but she has been paid $3,000 since her appointment in July.

"We agreed to a $1,000 [monthly] retainer," countered Przybylo.

But Trustees Rosemary Palicki and Joe LoVerde insisted that they didn't remember agreeing to anything of the sort. Palicki in particular took issue with Schain getting paid even on months when she doesn't do any work for the village.

"So she gets paid for calling herself liquor commissioner?" she asked.

Przybylo said that Schain was well-qualified. A liquor commissioner wasn't an "assembly-line" type job, and it deserved more than hourly pay.

LoVerde said that Schain's qualifications weren't an issue.

"I think what's being questioned is the procedure," he said.

Annunzio said that Schain's pay was still being negotiated, and the board will have a chance to vote on the compensation package once negotiations are finished. But she would not be asked to give back what she already earned.

The discussion shifted back to Cohen, with Hanusiak wondering how the board could possibly be expected to approve his appointment after the confusion over Schain's payment terms.

"Those things we talked about, those nuances, we never discussed them," he said.

After some back and forth between Palicki and Przybylo over how much Cohen would be expected to work, it emerged that he would be paid similarly to Schain — a $1,000 a month and an hourly wage for every hour he works beyond $1,000 worth of hours.

"It may not have been explained fully to the finance committee," said Przybylo. "I thought it was."

The mayor defended the retainer, saying that it was a small price to pay for a person with Cohen's qualifications doing quality work.

"I'm not questioning the qualifications," Palicki responded. "I'm questioning the process, or lack thereof. To find out today that trustees didn't know that there was a retainer for the liquor commissioner ... it shows that there's something very wrong with the process."

Palicki said she wasn't comfortable voting to approve the appointment under these circumstances.

"You are not approving his compensation package," said Przybylo. "The compensation package is forthcoming."

Palicki and Hanusiak weren't convinced, but Przybylo wasn't interested in further discussion. He called the vote, and Cohen's appointment was approved 4-2, with Palicki and Hanusiak voting "no to the process."

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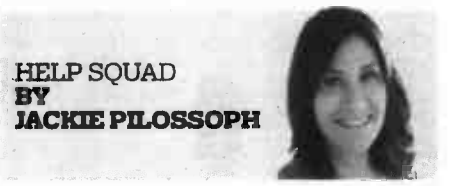

HELP SQUAD

Dear Help Squad:

I purchased a pair of glasses for approximately $300 over a year ago from Spex in Hinsdale. Since then I can't see with them. I lost count, but they have tried to remake the glasses several times and still I can't see. I even went so far as going to a specialist to see if I had a problem with my eyes, and I don't. That doctor gave me a script, Spex made it and still no luck.

I feel Spex should just refund my money since they never made a pair of glasses I can wear, but, I was told by the staff there is nothing they can do for me. I have taken my business elsewhere because I need glasses I can see out of, which means I have had to spend more money for glasses, which I shouldn't have to do.

I have been very patient with Spex, and with today's economy every penny counts. I do hope you can help me in this matter, or if not, help someone else from making a mistake by going to Spex.

Garnet Ensley, Countryside

Dear Garnet,

How frustrating, not being able to see properly for such a long time! Help Squad took a look into this (no pun intended), by contacting Spex. We spoke with Boyce Moffitt, a general manager for the 21 Spex stores, who has been an optician for 20 years.

Moffitt investigated the situation.

After looking at your records and speaking with employees at the Hinsdale location, Moffitt explained that what he found was in a nine-month time frame, you had four exams with Spex opticians and optometrists to try to correct the situation, and that Spex made you five pairs of glasses to try to meet your satisfaction. All of those services and glasses were complimentary.

Moffitt read some notes that reveal his opticians suggested numerous times that you get lenses suitable for working with computers, but that you were not interested. He also explained that Spex remade the lenses for a sixth time a year later at no charge. Therefore, Spex is unwilling to give you a refund for your original $300 pair.

The good news is, it sounds like you are happy with your new glasses, and that you can finally see.

Tips for buying glasses

While we had Moffitt on the phone, we gathered some tips to help other eyeglass wearers when it comes to purchasing prescription eyewear.

1. Think about getting progressive lenses that correct all ranges of vision — distance (meaning 10 feet and beyond), computer, and reading. Although less likely to be covered in full by insurance, they are the way of the future.

2. There are hundreds of different designs when it comes to progressive lenses, so you need to have a lengthy conversation with your optometrist about your lifestyle to determine the best customized solution.

3. If you have a career where you are constantly focused in the computer range, you might want to consider occupational progressive lenses. You might have to switch glasses when you drive or read, for example, but it might be worth it.

4. How the frame is fitting your face can be very important. The lenses might not feel right, and that could be because the frame needs an adjustment.

5. Make sure your optician trains you on how to use your lenses. He or she shouldn't just hand them to you and let you walk out the door. Also, if the glasses don't feel right, don't be concerned. There is a two-week adaptation period, meaning it takes a couple weeks just getting used to them.

Need help?

Did a utilities company overcharge you? Did a boutique deny your request for a return? Are you the victim of fraudulent business practices? Is someone just exhibiting bad business behavior?

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LETTER TO THE EDITOR

Goodbye Dominick's, hello Trader Joe's

We are a town of foodies!

Morton Grove has food from around the world, just drive down Dempster Street and you'll know. In fact it was a bunch of us food-conscious consumers who got together and started the Morton Grove Farmers' Market.

I live in the old part of Morton Grove, where we will now have to drive in order to get to a local grocery store with the newly announced Dominick's closing. Even our beloved Produce World moved a bit too far down the road to walk or bike to comfortably.

An answer to this problem is not too far off, but it is too far to shop regularly: Trader Joe's. I and many of my neighbors in Morton Grove do a monthly stock-up shopping at Trader Joe's in Glenview, Park Ridge and now Evanston. All of those places are 20-30 minutes away depending on traffic.

The corner of Waukegan and Dempster certainly has the traffic and a soon-to-be made-over mall would make a perfect home for TJ's. There are many of us foodies right here in Morton Grove who would love to be regular shoppers, buying our organics, international foods, wines and sweet indulgences from Trader Joe's just down the street.

What do you say, TJ?

Laura Frisch
Morton Grove

Riddle me this: Why so many questions?

BY RANDY BLASER

When I go to the store, I get asked questions.

Not by a clerk and not by the cashier. My grand inquisitor is the credit card scanning machine. And I'm getting a bit tired of it.

You know what I'm talking about. When you pay with a credit card or debit card, the card reader sits on a little platform near the cash register for your convenience.

You swipe your card, and the reader asks you for your code.

I'm fine with that question. I've been doing the cash machine PIN number flawlessly for decades, despite being old enough to remember lining up at the bank every Friday afternoon to get enough cash to last the weekend.

And that's the only question I want to answer.

Instead, I face a barrage of questions that only seem to get longer with every passing year.

Do you want cash back?

That's the first question the machine wants to know. Cash back was once a great convenience. I could go into the neighborhood drugstore, buy a battery and get $100 cash back. That was fantastic.

But, no more. Today, I can get $5 back, or $10 or $20. A measly $10 would barely get me two beers at the ball game.

"Finally, the machine asks if I want to make a donation to someone's favorite charity. I don't know whose favorite charity. I never do, and always feel guilty afterward. Is that the experience these stores want me to have — guilt over not giving $1 to save a little dog from meeting the giant dog in the sky?"

Is this the correct amount?

That's question No. 2. Here's where I start to get annoyed.

I just spent $250 on groceries, I've got two full carts, an envelope of coupons and the machine wants to know if the 89 cents a pound I'm paying for apples is correct. How in tarnation do I know?

Some machines ask me if I want the entire amount on this one card. What do I say?

No, I've got three others here. And give me my cash back like this: a fin, two singles, three quarters, 18 dimes, 16 nickels and 65 pennies.

Finally, the machine asks if I want to make a donation to someone's favorite charity. I don't know whose favorite charity. I never do, and always feel guilty afterward. Is that the experience these stores want me to have — guilt over not giving $1 to save a little dog from meeting the giant dog in the sky?

But just to show I'm not a complete naysayer, I have an idea on how stores can spice things up and even get more people to shop and more people to spend more money at their stores.

What if one of the questions the machine asks, say for every millionth customer, is this: "Would you like $25 today for being such a loyal customer?" Who could say no?

What if the machine asks, "Would you like 10 percent off your purchase today?"

Wouldn't you come back to that store and shop again and again and again?

How would you like to see this one day: "Thank you. Your purchase is free today!"

People would flock to this store for a chance to win. It would be like hitting the jackpot on the slots in Vegas.

Think about it. Talk about giving back. I'll be waiting for Mr. Mariano's call.

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1,000 WORDS BY JACK HIGGINS

Viral video culture shows American vanity

Yup."

"Nope."

That's the way heroes used to talk.

The American hero always has been someone who tried to stay out of the limelight, who didn't want to be the center of attention. He was someone who — because others needed help — had to take action.

But he always acted reluctantly.

And that action combined with reluctance to be in the spotlight is what made the hero heroic.

In movies — our history/mythology — the hero has been personified by such actors as Gary Cooper, John Wayne, Henry Fonda and James Stewart. Even the Lone Ranger hid his identity. And when those he helped got all mushy and started to applaud him, he'd hop on Silver and ride out of town as fast as possible.

A man's gotta do what a man's gotta do.

But never for personal gain or self-aggrandizement.

Technology has changed all this.

There has been a cosmic shift in our thinking about self-promotion, thanks to all the new communications devices we have at our fingertips.

The air is humming with all the mini-movies we make and send forth. And what is the subject of all these mini-movies?

Ourselves.

The videos are so omnipresent that many are shown on the news. Those videos are dubbed "viral" — viral used to be a bad thing.

The latest viral video I saw was of a woman who filmed herself dancing around her office as she quit her job.

Another self-centered jerk, I thought.

But, no, I was wrong.

She is the new American hero.

Her video appeared on virtually every news program I watched for two days.

And then I learned — on the news, of course — that she appeared on a talk show.

But wait. It gets better.

The host of the talk show offered the woman a job on her staff.

So, that's how you get a job in today's economy.

Tear up your resume, folks. Think of something self-centered and dumb to do, do it and make sure you make a video of it.

Who knows, vanity may get you somewhere.

Yup.

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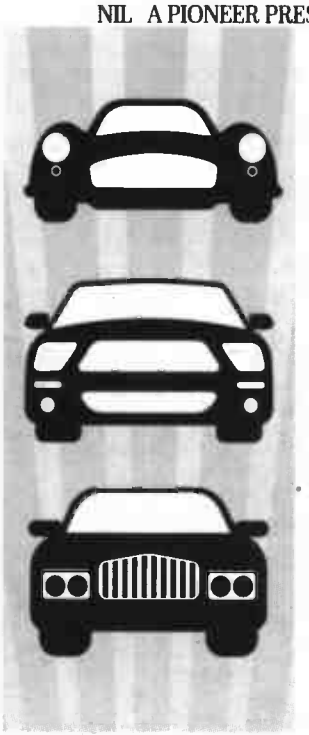

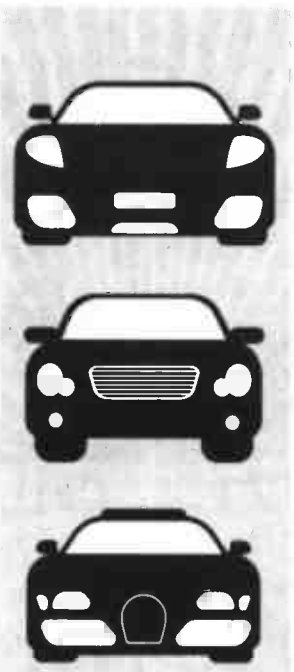

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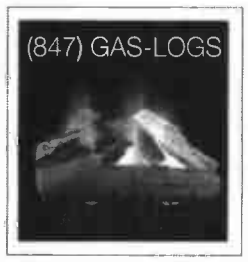

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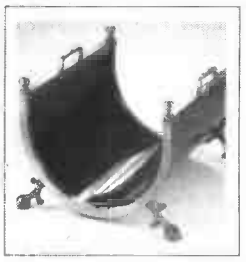
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7435 W Mulford St: Stan Pazik and Rose Pazik to Anthony N Dimaso and Caroline H Dimaso for $550,000 on Aug. 28

7035 Kedzie St: Susan Elliott Trust, Katherine M Herburger Trust and Katherine Herburger Trust to 7035 Kedzie LLC for $185,500 on Aug. 27

7349 W Greenleaf Ave: Gene A Page to Raymond Manalastas and Mercy Manalastas for $217,000 on Aug. 26

8738 N Olcott Ave: Diane Vrenios to Chicago Title Land Trust Co Trust for $130,000 on Aug. 28

8821 N Washington St: Noor Khan and Shabnam Khan to Abdul Rauf for $120,000 on Aug. 30

Morton Grove

8600 Waukegan Road, #303e: Robert N Silberman Trust, Robert N Silberman Trust, N Silberman Robert Trust, Roberta Silberman Trust, Roberta Silberman Trust and Silberman Roberta Trust to Zdzislawa Klubkowska and Krzysztof Klubkowski for $126,000 on Aug. 28

8600 Waukegan Road, #403e: Cathleen Pawlowski and Darrell Masterson to Julia Tart for $125,000 on Aug. 27

9109 Oleander Ave: Delpha R Emery Jr and Nancy E Emery to Douglas P Reichmuth and Jeannie G Lugtu for $288,000 on Aug. 27

7947 Lake St: Nicanor Munda and Tomasita Munda to Janina Majewska and Lucian Majewski for $212,000 on Aug. 29

9018 Meade Ave: Foster Bank to Wanda Robles and Leslie James Karlovits Jr for $283,500 on Aug. 27

7013 Wilson Terrace: Aleksander Matichyn, Oleksandr Matichyn and Agnieszka Matichyn to Irina Pevzner for $546,000 on Aug. 26

9219 Parkside Ave: John S Puljic and Nicole N Puljic to David Knopf and Alyssa Jaquelyn for $429,000 on Aug. 27

Park Ridge

614 S Crescent Ave: Intercounty Judicial Sales Corp and Genyk to Bt Real Estate Investments LLC for $305,000 on Aug. 28

614 S Crescent Ave: Bt Real Estate Investments LLC to George Moutidis and Eleni Zarkos for $405,000 on Aug. 28

322 S Delphia Ave: Nicholas Vanella and Valerie A Vanella to Jay McInerney and Stephanie Posch for $890,000 on Aug. 27

1980 Burton Lane: George H Hoelter and Mary F Hoelter to Amy Indriolo and Vince Indriolo III for $460,000 on Aug. 27

1021 Peterson Ave, #5: Sheridan Peterson LLC to Behnam Jafarnia for $286,000 on Aug. 28

107 Murphy Lake Road: 3fcb I LLC Holdings 9 to Sandra Castro-Urganus and Steven M Urganus for $900,000 on Aug. 30

1346 Tyrell Ave: Douglas E Marbach Trust, Walter C Marbach Trust and C Marbach Walter Trust to Marek A Madej and Marzena Madej for $345,000 on Aug. 26

1761 Pavilion Way, #1761: Reddy S Reganti and Rohini Reganti to Christopher Slupnicki and Barbara Slupnicki for $230,000 on Aug. 26

Harwood Heights

7513 W Carmen Ave: Aad Associates Inc to Adam J Sloniec and Anita Kasza for $439,000 on Aug. 29

Glenview

13 Julie Drive: Dariusz Bogdan and Anna Mikiciuk to Nicholas Marschall and Shino Takenaka for $390,000 on Aug. 26

1801 Long Valley Road: Matthew P Butcher and Angela C Butcher to James Smigiel for $340,000 on Aug. 27

2013 Linneman St: Dora Moats to Palview Investments LLC for $340,000 on Aug. 29

Skokie

5233 Jarvis Ave: Yoohee Han to Mid-Cities Partners Inc for $180,000 on Aug. 26

5125 Lunt Ave: Number 17 Lc Midwest Reo Acquisions II LLC to Reginald W Barrett Trust and W Barrett Reginald Trust for $636,000 on Aug. 26

5047 Warren St: Dale Cabreira and David Cabreira to James Iverson LLC for $212,000 on Aug. 29

5124 W Sherwin Ave: Janet A Nimietz and Janet Ann Heston to Lan Nguyen and Dan Nguyen for $228,000 on Aug. 27

8959 Bronx Ave: William S Lai and David S Lai to Naseer Mohammed and Amena Tatheer for $279,000 on Aug. 28

8150 Kedvale Ave: Leng Ly and Sue Thai to Tina L Eisman for $190,000 on Aug. 27

Lincolnwood

4521 W Pratt Ave: Sabah Shamoon and Nada Shamoon to Damian Ngo for $307,000 on Aug. 26

6864 N Lincoln Ave: Judith G Janis Trust, Beryl J Neuhause Trust and J Neuhauser Beryl Trust to Quyen D Nguyen and Thu Thanh Nguyen for $235,000 on Aug. 27

Norridge

4924 N Ozark Ave: Judicial Sales Corp and Miroslaw Bielat to Sunny Investments Inc for $331,000 on Aug. 28

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COMMUNITY CALENDAR

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NILES

THURSDAY, OCT. 17

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. Call 269-683-9380.

Lights on Afterschool
4 p.m.: This event will include an information fair of community youth organizations, program demonstrations, an open house and tour of the Teen Center, arts and crafts projects and more. Niles Teen Center, 373 Golf Mill Center, Niles. Call 847-588-8000.

The Bruno Groening Circle of Friends
7 p.m.: An open lecture titled "Help and Healing on the Spiritual Path." White Eagle Banquets & Restaurant, 6839 N. Milwaukee Ave., Niles. Call 708-839-2334. Free.

FRIDAY, OCT. 18

AA Meeting
6 p.m.: St. John Lutheran Church, 7429 N. Milwaukee Ave., Niles. For more information, call 708-366-3226.

SATURDAY, OCT. 19

Intergalactic Bead & Jewelry Show
10 a.m.: A wide array of precious and semi-precious gemstone beads, sterling silver, freshwater pearls, hand-blown glass beads, vintage beads, crystals, delicas and much more. For more information and a $2 off admission coupon visit www.beadshows.com or call 888-729-6904. Event will be held 10 a.m.-5 p.m. Oct. 19 and 20. $5 Saturday admission, $4 Sunday admission; kids under 12 free. White Eagle Banquets & Restaurant, 6839 N. Milwaukee Ave., Niles.

FRIDAY, OCT. 25

Monsters Ball
6 p.m.: Bring the whole family to celebrate Halloween with dinner, dancing and stories. Registration required. Grennan Heights, 8255 N. Oketo Ave., Niles. $15-$18.

SATURDAY, OCT. 26

Halloween Parade and Party
10:30 a.m.: Participants will celebrate Halloween with a parade and party at Grennan Heights. For kids 12 and under and their families. Oak Park, Ottawa Avenue and Lee Street, Niles. $8-$10.

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HAPPENING NEARBY

THURSDAY, OCT. 17

Financial and Legal Professionals Roundtable
7:30 a.m.: All licensed professionals in the financial, insurance, banking, legal and accounting industries are invited to discuss and share information regarding their specific field. Registration required. Oakton Park, 4701 W. Oakton St., Skokie. Call 847-673-0240.

Genealogy Help
9 a.m.: A representative from the National Society of the Daughters of the American Revolution will be at the library to answer any genealogy questions. This service will be available on the third Thursday of each month, September through May. Park Ridge Public Library, 20 S. Prospect Ave., Park Ridge. Call 847-825-3123.

Story Time for 2s
9:30 a.m.: Stories and songs for 2 year olds with an adult. A second session is held at 10 a.m. Park Ridge Public Library, 20 S. Prospect Ave., Park Ridge. Call 847-825-3123.

Book Discussion
10 a.m.: The group will discuss "The Lost Wife" by Alyson Richman. Skokie Public Library, 5215 Oakton St., Skokie. Call 847-324-3175.

Story Time for 3s
10:15 a.m.: Stories and songs for 3 year olds and an adult. 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. For more information, call 847-825-3123.

Art Class
4 p.m.: Children grades two to six are welcome to drop in for an art class taught by the staff from Brickton Art Center. Registration begins Oct. 5. Park Ridge Public Library, 20 S. Prospect Ave., Park Ridge. Call 847-825-3123.

Craft Studio: Pumpkin Painting
4:30 p.m.: Celebrate Halloween with this pumpkin-painting studio. For children in grades four through eight. Skokie Public Library, 5215 Oakton St., Skokie. Call 847-324-3419.

Behind the Scenes of Elegy
6:30 p.m.: Ron Hirsen discusses the themes presented in his play, "Elegy," which is on stage at the Victory Gardens Theater from Oct. 31 to Dec. 1. Illinois Holocaust Museum, 9603 Woods Drive, Skokie.

Discussion: 'Golden'
7 p.m.: Chicago Tribune reporters and co-authors Jeff Coen and John Chase will discuss their book "Golden," a fast-paced look at the rise and fall of former Gov. Rod Blagojevich. Books will be available for purchase. Park Ridge Public Library, 20 S. Prospect Ave., Park Ridge. Call 847-825-3123.

Kevin Luthardt
7 p.m.: The children's author will discuss his book, "When Edgar Met Cecil," about a family who moves to a an unfamiliar town. Skokie Public Library, 5215 Oakton St., Skokie. Call 847-446-8880.

Introduction to Computers and the Internet
7 p.m.: This hands-on class teaches the basics of using a mouse and logging onto a Web browser. Register online or by phone. Skokie Public Library, 5215 Oakton St., Skokie. Call 847-324-3179.

Advanced Photoshop
7 p.m.: Take your Adobe Photoshop skills to the next level. Registration is required. Skokie Public Library, 5215 Oakton St., Skokie. Call 847-673-3733.

Book Discussion
7:30 p.m.: The group will discuss "The Girl Who Fell From the Sky" by Heidi W. Durrow. Skokie Public Library, 5215 Oakton St., Skokie. Call 847-324-3175.

Skokie Photographic Society
7:30 p.m.: The group meets on the third Thursday of each month. All levels of photographic skill are welcome. Skokie Village Hall, 5127 Oakton St., Skokie. Call 847-677-8324.

FRIDAY, OCT. 18

Skokie Chamber Breakfast Club
7:30 a.m.: Moderated by Catherine Johns, these meetings offer each attendee a chance to speak about their business, network with over 40 other professional community members, and interactively learn about monthly business topics. The cost covers breakfast. Hampton Inn & Suites, 5201 Old Orchard Road, Skokie. Call 847-673-0240. $12-$15.

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.

Knitting for All Ages
3:30 p.m.: Learn the basics of knitting or crochet, or brush up on your skills. No registration required. Lincolnwood Public Library, 4000 W. Pratt Ave., Lincolnwood. Call 847-677-5277.

Teen Space
4 p.m.: Video games, snacks and space to work on homework for teens. Morton Grove Public Library, 6140 Lincoln Ave., Morton Grove. Call 847-965-5101.

Lego CodeBots Club
4:30 p.m.: Kids in ages 4 to 8 can use Lego WeGo sets to make these robots. Registration required. Skokie Public Library, 5215 Oakton St., Skokie. Call 847-324-3149.

Things That Go Bump in the Night
6:30 p.m.: A non-frightening, educational look at night animals. Includes a campfire, snack and songs. Emily Oaks Nature Center, 4650 Brummel St., Skokie. Call 847-674-1500, ext. 2500. $5.

Tony Bernard in the Lounge
7:30 p.m.: Playing in the lounge. Park Ridge VFW, 10 W. Higgins Road, Park Ridge. Call 847-825-4588.

SATURDAY, OCT. 19

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.

Electronics Recycling Event
9 a.m.: The group will collect small electronics, like phones and VCRs, as well as textiles, like shoes, boots, clothing and accessories. Fee is $5 per vehicle. Email gail.haller@parkridgechamber.org for more information. Park Ridge Public Works Service Center, 400 Busse Highway, Park Ridge.

Skokie Art Guild
9:30 a.m.: The group offers figure drawing workshops every Saturday. There are live models but no instructor. Devonshire Cultural Center, 4400 Greenwood St., Skokie. Call 847-673-4450. $20 per session; $12 for guild members.

Microsoft Excel 2007 Basics
10 a.m.: Learn how to make lists, enter data and

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keep records with the spreadsheet program. Park Ridge Public Library, 20 S. Prospect Ave., Park Ridge. Call 847-825-3123.

Skunks Have Spunk!

10 a.m.: Celebrate Sweetest Day with Cora the skunk. Participants will make crafts and read stories. For children 3 to 5 years old, accompanied by an adult. Registration required. Additional program at 11 a.m. Glenview Park Center, 2400 Chestnut Ave., Glenview. Call 847-729-7500.

Autumn Fest

10:30 a.m.: As part of the Sixth Annual Autumn Fest, the library will be celebrating the season with a costumed pet parade and scarecrow making. Please bring old clothes to create your scarecrow. Park Ridge Public Library, 20 S. Prospect Ave., Park Ridge. Call 847-825-4527.

Club Wonder: CATS Music

10:30 a.m.: In this monthly class for children with special needs, Tricia Sebastian, founder of Creating Arts Together with Songs, will lead children in singing and playing instruments. For children ages 3 to 7. Register in-person or by phone. Skokie Public Library, 5215 Oakton St., Skokie. Call 847-324-3149.

Chicago Fire Soccer Game

7:30 p.m.: The Maine-Niles Association of Special Recreation will be offering a trip to Toyota Park to watch the Chicago Fire take on the Toronto FC. Transportation will pick-up and drop-off from M-NASR. Transportation is optional. Maine-Niles Association of Special Recreation, 6820 W. Dempster St., Morton Grove. Call 847-966-5522. $65-$140.

SUNDAY, OCT. 20

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.

Coffee, Classics and Connections Car Show with the Center of Concern

9 a.m.: Get close-up to cool classic cars as owners share their cherished car memories. Check out pre-1980 muscle cars, sports cars and luxury cars at the event, which will be held in the library parking lot from 9 to 11 a.m. Sept. 15 and Oct. 20. Park Ridge Public Library, 20 S. Prospect Ave., Park Ridge.

'The Ethics of Lying'

10:30 a.m.: Gerald Dworkin, Distinguished Professor of Philosophy at the University of California, Davis, will discus the moral status of lying. Ethical Humanist Society, 7574 Lincoln Ave., Skokie. Call 847-677-3334.

River Trail Nature Center

11 a.m.: The Maine-Niles Association of Special Recreation will be offering a fun trip to the River Trail Nature Center. Enjoy the fall weather by hiking through the woods, viewing a puppet show, and learning about beekeeping. Bring your own lunch for a picnic. Transportation will pick-up and drop-off from M-NASR. Transportation is optional. Maine-Niles Association of Special Recreation, 6820 W. Dempster St., Morton Grove. Call 847-966-5522. $23-$56.

'Out of Chaos: Hidden Children Remember the Holocaust'

1:30 p.m.: This special book release features editor Elaine Saphier's reflection of the literary project, which features the stories of two dozen Chicagoland residents who survived the Holocaust as children, and readings by the survivors. A reception, exhibition and book signing will follow the discussion. Reservations required. Illinois Holocaust Museum, 9603 Woods Drive, Skokie.

Jane Austen's Heroines: Live Performance

2 p.m.: Historical actress Leslie Goddard presents a portrayal of the sparkling, witty and insightful women of Jane Austen's novels. Goddard brings these characters to life as they discuss romance, choice of a spouse and the position of women in British society. Morton Grove Public Library, 6140 Lincoln Ave., Morton Grove. Call 847-929-5101.

Zombie Tag

2 p.m.: Come save the world from zombies or risk becoming one. Players may bring their own zombie slaying Nerf weapons or use the ones provided. For ages 14 to 19. Norridge Park, 4631 N. Overhill Ave., Norridge. Call 708-457-1244. $5.

You Can Brew It: Learn to Make Your Own Beer

2 p.m.: Award-winning home brewer Scott Pointon will the equipment, ingredients, process and resources to help would-be brew masters get started with a fun and rewarding hobby. Eisenhower Public Library, 4613 N. Oketo Ave., Harwood Heights. Call 708-867-7828.

Humans Versus Zombies

2 p.m.: Kids ages 14 to 19 are invited to bring their zombie-slaying Nerf weapons (no guns or projectiles) or use the library's. Meet at the Park District Field House to save the world. Register at Eisenhower Public Library or the Park District. Eisenhower Public Library, 4613 N. Oketo Ave., Harwood Heights. Call 708-867-7828. $5.

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3 p.m.: Two professional dancers will demonstrate East Coast Swing and then lead participants

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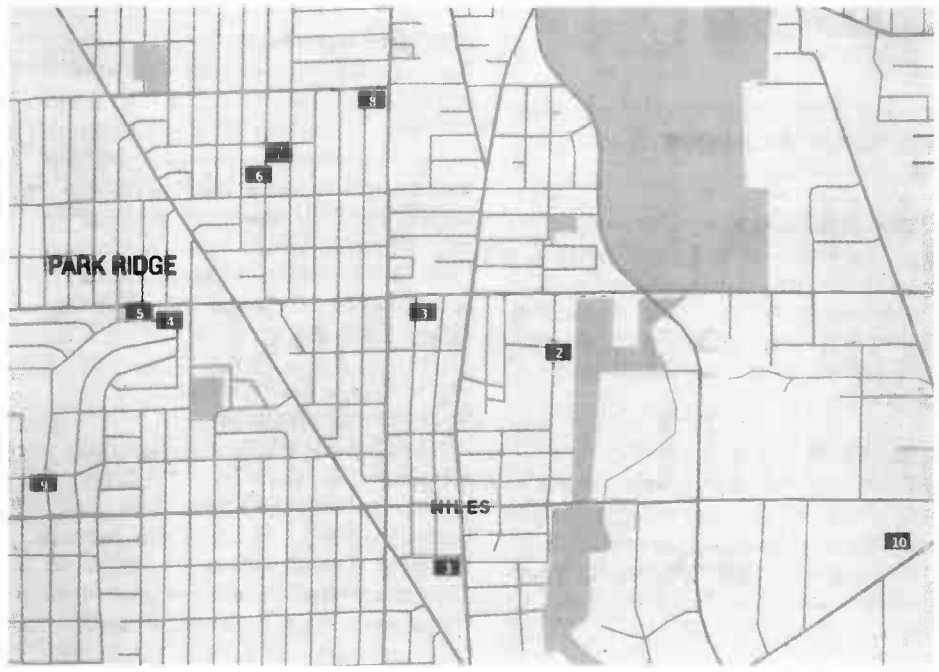

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Issue date: July 2
Permit cost: $112
Construction cost: $8,000

2 Plumbing - misc
Address: 7857 N. Nordica Ave., Niles
Issue date: July 2
Permit cost: $40
Construction cost: $3,969

3 Roof (commercial and residential)
Address: 7943 N. Nora Ave., Niles
Issue date: July 2
Permit cost: $45

4 Flood control
Address: 229 E Kathleen Drive, Park Ridge
Issue date: July 1
Permit cost: $75
Improvement value: $100

5 Furnace/boiler
Address: 174 E Kathleen Drive, Park Ridge
Issue date: July 1
Permit cost: $75
Improvement value: $4,661

6 Roof (commercial and residential)
Address: 8220 N. Osceola Ave., Niles
Issue date: July 2
Permit cost: $121

7 Fence
Address: 8222 N. Olcott Ave., Niles
Issue date: July 2
Permit cost: $25
Construction cost: $3,000

8 Fence
Address: 8353 N. Oconto Ave., Niles
Issue date: July 3
Permit cost: $25
Construction cost: $2,300

9 Single family new
Address: 628 Elmore St., Niles
Issue date: July 2
Permit cost: $8434
Improvement value: $528,000

10 Commercial - remodel
Address: 6125 W Howard St., Niles
Issue date: July 5
Permit cost: $980
Construction cost: $100,000

BUSINESS

MORTON GROVE

Lifeway Foods ranked 48th-best small business by Forbes Magazine

BY RICK KAMBIC
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A family-owned business anchored in Morton Grove has made Forbes Magazine's top 100 list of small companies.

Lifeway Foods manufactures kefir products in Morton Grove and distributes their products nationwide from a transportation center in Niles.

In 2012, Lifeway brought in $89 million in sales and profited $6 million over costs. If the company were sold, Forbes Magazine claims Lifeway would be valued at $214 million.

Using a formula that combines return on earnings growth, sales growth and return on equity over the past year and the past five years, Forbes ranked Lifeway No. 48 on it's annual list of best small businesses.

"We are extremely honored to be recognized by Forbes as one of the Best Small Companies in America," said Julie Smolyansky, CEO of Lifeway Foods, Inc. "My father and Lifeway's founder, Michael Smolyansky, was an immigrant who arrived in the U.S. with less than $100 in his pocket. The ongoing success of the company proves that the American dream does exist."

Lifeway Foods' 50,000-square-foot plant produces kefir cultured dairy products but is too small for the company's increasing sales. A new plant was bought in Wisconsin to help. | PHOTO COURTESY LIFEWAY FOODS

Julie Smolyansky, president and CEO of Lifeway Foods, says her company will be hiring more employees as it expands into Wisconsin. | PHOTO COURTESY LIFEWAY FOODS

The company began in 1986, primarily serving the fleeing Russian population that immigrated to America. Within four years, Lifeway was being sold throughout the country and was eventually picked up by natural food stores Wild Oats and Whole Foods. Traditional grocery stores began their own organic departments of late and now sell Lifeway products as well.

Julie Smolyansky and her brother Edward both worked for the company during their summers away from school and then after college while looking for other jobs. Both eventually took full-time jobs with Lifeway and then assumed executive roles when their father, Michael suddenly died in 2002. At the time, Julie was 27 and Edward, who became the chief financial officer, was 23 years old.

Lifeway was one of few companies on Forbes' list that was recognized for slowly working into the ranks and not simply being a fad.

Annie's, based in California, is another organic food company that also started in the 1980s and worked its way into the top 100 list.

Others include stamps.com, which started in the 1990s and lost $213 million in 2000 before its 2012 recovery that saw $33 million in profit, and Shutterfly, an online picture-printing company that reinvented itself into packaging user pictures onto gifted merchandise like photo albums and coffee mugs.

For Lifeway, Julie Smolyansky said one of the big gambles was in 2002, when the family needed an upgrade and was deciding on a new packaging machine that would use thin paper sleeves instead of three-by-five thick labels. The cost-cutting change also required new package designs to fit the new dimensions.

"A lot of studies show that changing your packaging design could alienate a customer base," Smolyansky said. "Also, if things didn't work out we'd have a really expensive piece of machinery on our hands."

The family finally agreed and in 2004 the company's new image was put into stores, meeting success.

Another big risk for Lifeway was in 2007, when the company unveiled ProBugs, a new organic kefir product for kids.

"It was the most expensive dairy product at the time, in a recession," Smolyansky said. "It was a big step for that economy, but we believed that parents want the best for their kids and would scale back for themselves in order to set those early habits. Our research and gut feeling was true. The item took off."

Lifeway then bought the bankrupt Golden Guernsey Dairy LLC for $7.4 million this June and is retrofitting the old 170,000-square-foot facility in Waukesha, Wis. New manufacturing is expected to begin early 2013.

Shortly thereafter, Lifeway also began selling products in the United Kingdom, and is expecting to also sell kefir in Canada sometime during 2014.

"We have continued to increase distribution in new and existing markets, and launch new products that are both delicious and wholesome for our health-conscious customers," Smolyansky said. "We expect 2013 to be another record year of sales and profitability."

TREND

Mix and match design at Art + Modernism Show

BY MEREDITH MORRIS
For Sun-Times Media

When worlds collide on the North Shore it's time for Antiques + Modernism Winnetka. The annual show fuses design periods ranging from the 17th to the mid-20th century. It will be presented Oct. 18-20 this year by the Woman's Board of the Winnetka Community House at the Community House.

Now in its fourth year, Antiques + Modernism combines the Women's Board's formerly separate Antiques and Modernism shows, both nationally recognized as among the Midwest's premiere design events, according to 2013 event chair Laura Reynolds.

Antique peacock purse, Nula Thanhauser of East Hampton, N.Y.

"People are blending and mixing these days," Reynolds said.

This year's show will welcome more than 50 dealers from across the country and one from England, showcasing fine American, British, French and Asian antiques, as well as pieces from the Arts and Crafts, Art Nouveau, Art Deco and mid-century design movements.

For Reynolds, the show's eclectic mix is a good deal of its appeal.

"There is an element of surprise," she said. "You could walk around the show and pick up a piece of Tiffany silver, and then walk into the Modernism area and head home with different pieces that make you feel like you just won the lottery. You wouldn't think, just going to an antiques show, that you could get things from such different time periods that look so great together."

One dealer attending the show for the first time, Mindy Baschnagel, of Glenview, is one of four owners of The Find, an antiques store founded in Highwood about 10 years ago and now also in Chicago.

"The shows, to me, are always fun, just the excitement of it," Baschnagel said. "It's the people, not just the people who are coming to the show but the other dealers."

The Find houses an array of furniture, "curiosities," and other items from the 1940s to 1970s but is most recognized for its decorative accessories, Baschnagel said. Items she will exhibit at Antiques + Modernism will include "quirky yet functional" pieces and natural objects, such as mounted fossils and geodes.

"I like that fact that it's all antiques and modernism," Baschnagel said. "People who come will be looking for vintage and antiques."

Show highlights include two lectures: black and white photography at 2 p.m. on Saturday, and English furniture and antiques at 1 p.m. on Sunday.

In addition, a special "Va Va Voom!" mini-exhibit and gallery talk held at 2 p.m. on Sunday will include high-style clothing and accessories from the Winnetka Historical Society.

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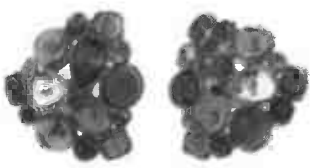
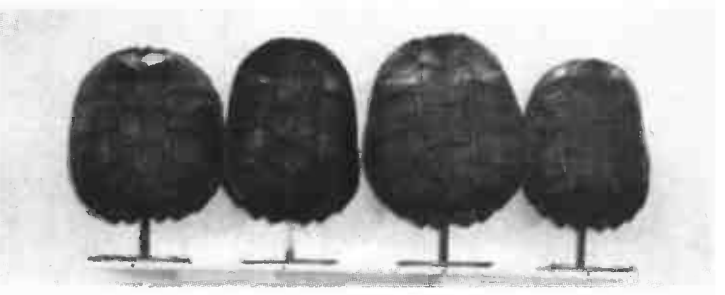
A George III black japanned bracket clock by Fladgate of London, circa 1770, William Cook of Hungerford, Berkshire, England

Cycles Humber lithograph, circa 1897, Century Guild of Chicago

Hugh Acton sofa, Comfort Upholstery of Chicago



Chanel earrings, circa 1980s, Arch. Vintage of Winnetka



Antique tortoise shells, Thistle of Barrington

Picture perfect show from North Shore artists

BY KARIE ANGELL LUC
For Sun-Times Media

Artists from all over the North Shore came out to connect with an appreciative public for the opening of the 89th Annual North Shore Art League Members' Show at Winnetka Community House on Sept. 6.

Some 200 artists and art lovers enjoyed more than 225 pieces of what Linda Nelson, League executive director, called "beautiful artwork" from member artists and NSAL faculty, ranged efficiently throughout the second floor of the venerable Winnetka Community House. "The Art League has been around here for 90 years so we've learned how to do that."

Guests were treated to music from a violin-piano duo. The violinist herself caused quite a buzz when people were told that violinist Erika Gray, 17, of Wilmette and a New Trier Township High School senior, was the subject of an original oil on display.

"I'm really happy with it, it's beautiful," Erika said.

Artist Meryl Abensohn of Northbrook. | KARIE ANGELL LUC/ SUN-TIMES MEDIA

Erika Gray, 17, of Wilmette and a New Trier Township High School senior, is the subject of a work by Wilmette artist Cathy Priest, Erika's neighbor. | KARIE ANGELL LUC/FOR SUN-TIMES MEDIA

"I'm really happy she did it," added Erika of her artist friend, Cathy Priest. "It was a complete surprise. I didn't know she was going to do that."

Artist Rochelle Niederman of Highland Park told the backstory of her exhibition piece.

Her work, called "Beat It," was a large watercolor pencil. Several horses are shown, one with its ears down, a signal to other horses to get away.

"The horse's ears are back," Niederman said. "That means he's mad. He's telling (a second horse) to get out, to beat it."

Meryl Abensohn, a Northbrook resident of 19 years, commented on the bright colors of her landscape of mountains.

"I need color," said Abensohn, who wore a magenta shirt to match the purple mountains. "I love color."

Many visitors commented on the floral interpretations of the Art-in-Bloom aspect of the show. Local garden club arrangers and florists chose certain works to complement with displays of flowers and greenery.

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Paris comes to Chicago for reception

Deanna Cascio and Ronald Durso

BY RENEE LEE
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Edison Park native Deanna Cascio has always wanted to go to Paris. She and her husband, Ron Durso, not only visited Paris and traveled around France for their honeymoon, but also celebrated their love with a Paris-themed wedding.

Ron proposed on Sept. 16, 2011. He told Deanna they were going to the Lyric Opera, which struck Deanna as odd since they're not opera-goers.

He surprised her with a ring at the place they first met, the Chicago Mercantile Exchange, just a few blocks from the opera. Deanna loves champagne, and the couple celebrated that night at the chic Pops for Champagne on State Street in Chicago.

Since Ron grew up in Indian Head Park and Deanna has family near Park Ridge, the two looked for a middle ground for their reception. They loved the outdoor area that Arrowhead Golf Club in Wheaton offered.

"It was the tenth place we went," Deanna said. "I liked certain places, he liked certain places, and we couldn't agree."

Deanna knew she wanted their Catholic Mass to be at Immaculate Conception Church on Chicago's northwest side, where she attended school and where she is now a kindergarten teacher.

Deanna's students participated in the ceremony by coming up and giving her a rose. Having 5-year-olds running around the church was a unique touch, she said.

The bride found a lot of decor inspiration from Pinterest. She included a chalk board outlining her and Ron's love story and included dates of their first date, first kiss, and of course the June 15 date of their "happily ever after."

In tune with the Paris theme, Deanna included an Eiffel Tower of empty wine bottles. Each bottle had a different number on it, signifying a future anniversary. Guests were able to write love letters to the couple that they would then read at various points in their life: some the day after the wedding, but others on their first, fifth, tenth and 25th anniversaries.

Deanna's wish of visiting Paris came true with her and Ron's two-week honeymoon to France.

The couple live together in River North.

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Reception venue: Arrowhead Golf Club, Wheaton
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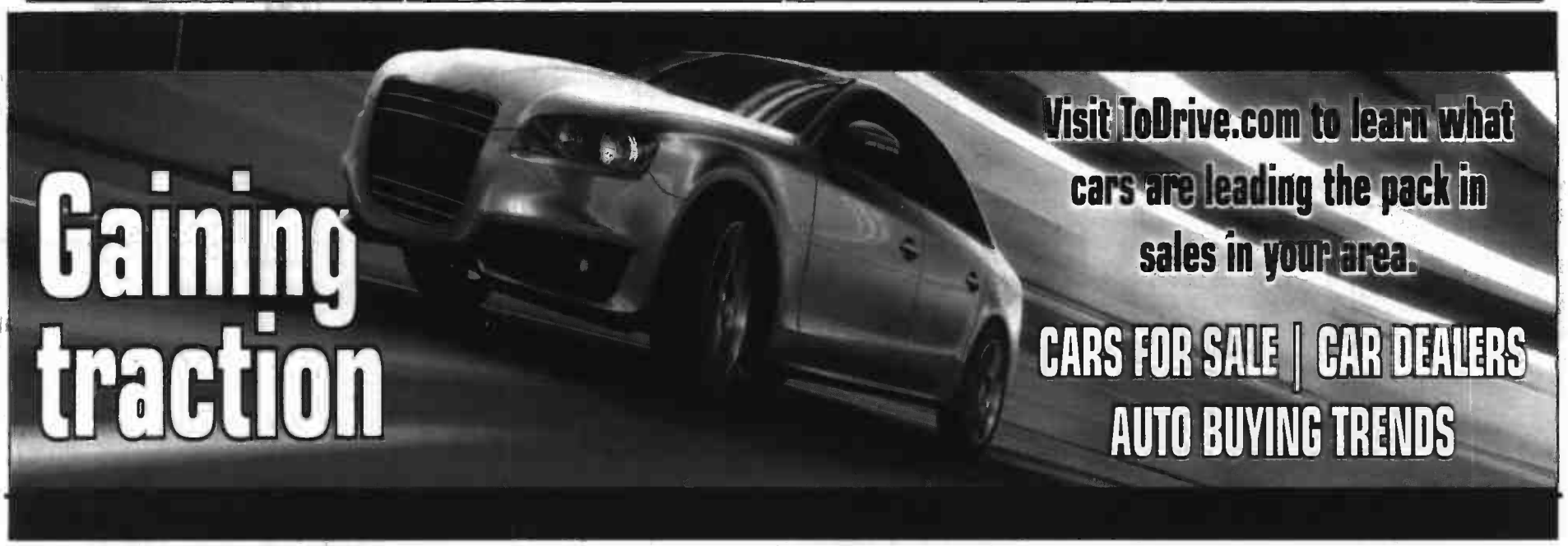

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Retaining Health Care Professionals with Education Benefits

By: Dona Dezube

HR professionals recently caught a break in their efforts to retain health care professionals as the economic downturn drove hundreds of thousands of RNs back to work, while new nursing graduates entered the workforce. Yet those same HR professionals could soon find themselves scrambling to find qualified nurses as the economy recovers.

This time around, the nursing shortage could be especially acute for hospitals seeking magnet status and improved patient safety. These requirements will drive the need for more baccalaureate-degreed registered nurses (BSNs).

Retaining Health Care Professionals

This comes at a time of rising demand for RNs overall as Baby Boomers age and health care reform expands coverage to millions of Americans.

Those changes are happening in a hiring market where the demand for bachelors of science nurses already outstrips supply. Monster's Healthcare Job Conditions Report 2011 shows 52% of nurse employers ask for a BSN in their registered nurse job description, while only 35% of job candidates possess that credential; 42% of recruiters surveyed say they plan to increase RN hiring.

Grow-Your-Own BSNs

Hiring your way out of a BSN shortage may not be an option; only a third of new nurses are BSNs; capacity for increased school enrollment is limited due to shortages in clinical sites and faculty.

HR professionals considering "grow-your-own" BSN strategies have a limited window in which to get started. "There is emerging data that a massive exodus of employees will start in three years," says Liana Orsolini-Hain, PHD, RN, a nursing instructor at City College of San Francisco, and a member of the Future of Nursing Committee at the Institute of Medicine (IOM), Bethesda, Md.

Her recipe for growing-your-own BSNs? Assess current employee attitudes, revamp company culture, develop expanded career pathways and offer financial support and learning access for BSN-seeking employees.

Assessing Current Attitudes

Every health care organization has unique talent development challenges that must be addressed in order to increase BSNs. To do so, Orsolini-Hain recommends organizing focus groups to identify the impact of work environment and any personal and workplace-related issues that hinder your AD-educated nurses from returning to school.

Be sure to include the HR department in your review and pay close attention to your health care recruiting and hiring processes. For example, if your job postings say "BSN preferred" or "Master's preferred" and your reference-checking methods focus only on ADNs, candidates might assume that your company doesn't value BSNs and higher degrees.

Tapping your data analytics will also help differentiate those benefits programs that can effectively create and retain BSNs, says Michael Bleich, PhD, dean of the School of Nursing at Oregon Health and Science University, Portland, and an IOM Future of Nursing committee member.

For example, Bleich says that you may find new nursing hires work best to complete a degree within a given time period, while mid-career nurses will be motivated by more autonomous career paths that link degrees to specific jobs.

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Physical changes in the workplace can also help support your BSN students. Is there space for on-site classrooms with video-streaming for virtual seminars? If your workplace is in a rural location, can you add computer stations for online classes that eliminate a long commute to school?

Work life balance issues are also big for RNs. If budgets allow, consider offering a once-a-week sabbatical or stipends that support time-off while in school. If budgets are tight, consider providing flexible hours and time off during finals.

Rewarding your BSNs

Can your nurses reach the highest rung on the clinical ladder without a degree? Do you only require a degree if they're promoted to management? If so, your workplace culture will continue to trump efforts to build a BSN base.

Money can be a powerful motivator. According to a study in Nursing Economics, a net benefit of more than 6.8% earnings will quadruple educational enrollment of AD-prepared nurses; they're three times as likely to pursue advanced education if the net benefit ranges from 3% to 6.8% and twice as likely if the benefit is less than 3%.

Up-front tuition costs can be a barrier for single-parent (single paycheck) employees, even when reimbursed by the employer. A tuition reimbursement policy that helps employees pay for schooling at the beginning of the semester removes that hurdle, says Orsolini-Hain.

Finally, posting a calculator widget on your company website demonstrates the value of increased pay over time with an advanced degree.

Recognize Achievement

Programs that support nurses who return to school don't have to be expensive. Including degrees and certifications on employee name tags allows the staff to better assess differences in performance between ADNs and BSNs. You can also give recognition to graduates with lunches, parties or by posting an honor roll.

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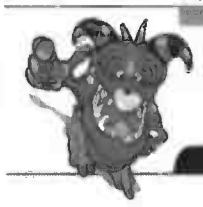

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Garage Sales

Lake Forest, The Garage/Sample Sale. 1145 Pine Oak Circle, Sat 10/19, 7-5. Pet beds; hair appl; toys; clothes; hswre items; exercise equip. All great condition!

ESTATE SALE

Lindenhurst. Estate Sale 201 Lake Shore Drive Sat/Sun Oct. 12-13 8a-3p Kitchen Stuff, Crafty items, niknaks, tools, yard stuff, appliances, Car, Poker Table, Avon, furniture, dressers, Holiday items

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Norridge- 4109 N Olcott. Fri 10/18-Sun 10/20, 9am-5pm. Lots of cute kids clothes, toys, adult clothes, shoes, and much, much more!!

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Rummage SALE

St. Mathew Center for Health. Parkridge - 1601 N. Western Ave. Friday 10/18 9am-2pm in Chapel. Many items, pastries & coffee to enjoy, funds benefit residents. Donations welcome at reception area.

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HARWOOD HEIGHTS
IN THE CIRCUIT COURT OF COOK COUNTY, ILLINOIS COUNTY DEPARTMENT - CHANCERY DIVISION HSBC BANK USA NATIONAL ASSOCIATION, AS TRUSTEE FOR ACE SECURITIES CORP. HOME EQUITY LOAN TRUST, SERIES 2005-HE4
Plaintiff,
-v.-
ARNOLDO GARCIA, CITY OF CHICAGO, ROBERT PESCE, CLAUDIO AQUINO
Defendants
11 CH 24113
4444 NORTH 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 February 28, 2013, an agent for The Judicial Sales Corporation, will at 10:30 AM on November 7, 2013, at the The Judicial Sales Corporation, One South Wacker Drive - 24th Floor, CHICAGO, IL, 60606, sell at public auction to the highest bidder, as set forth below, the following described real estate: Commonly known as 4444 NORTH NEW ENGLAND AVENUE, Harwood Heights, IL 60706 Property Index No. 13-18-117-020-0000. The real estate is improved with a single family residence. The judgment amount was $350,884.87. 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, or a 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 and the legal fees required by The Condominium Property Act, 765 ILCS 605/9(g)(1) and (g)(4). In accordance with 735 ILCS 5/15-1507(c)(1)(h-1) and (h-2), 765 ILCS 605/9(g)(5), and 765 ILCS 605/18.5(g-1), you are hereby notified that the purchaser of the property, other than a mortgagee, shall pay the assessments and legal fees required by subsections (g)(1) and (g)(4) of section 9 and the assessments required by subsection (g-1) of section 18.5 of the Illinois Condominium Property Act. 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: Anthony Porto, FREEDMAN ANSELMO LINDBERG LLC, 1807 W. DIEHL ROAD, SUITE 333, NAPERVILLE, IL 60563, (866) 402-8661 For bidding instructions, visit www.fal-illinois.com.. Please refer to file number X10100046. 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. FREEDMAN ANSELMO LINDBERG LLC 1807 W. DIEHL ROAD, SUITE 333 NAPERVILLE, IL 60563 (866) 402-8661 E-Mail: foreclosurenotice@fal-illinois.com Attorney File No. X10100046 Attorney ARDC No. 3126232 Attorney Code. 26122 Case Number: 11 CH 24113 TJSC#: 33-22058 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.
I566006
10/17, 10/24, 10/31/13 #662330

HARWOOD HEIGHTS
IN THE CIRCUIT COURT OF COOK COUNTY, ILLINOIS COUNTY DEPARTMENT - CHANCERY DIVISION FIFTH THIRD MORTGAGE COMPANY
Plaintiff,
-v.-
LORETTA A. COLORATO A/K/A LORETTA COLORATO, THE CLOCK TOWER POINTE OF HARWOOD HEIGHTS CONDOMINIUM, PNC BANK, NATIONAL ASSOCIATION SUCCESSOR BY MERGER TO NATIONAL CITY BANK Defendants
13 CH 7162
4811 NORTH OLCOTT AVENUE UNIT 408 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 August 19, 2013, an agent for The Judicial Sales Corporation, will at 10:30 AM on November 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 4811 NORTH OLCOTT AVENUE UNIT 408, Harwood Heights, IL 60706 Property Index No. 12-12-425-009-1044. The real estate is improved with a multi unit brick building with an 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 PA1303986. 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. PA1303986 Attorney Code. 91220 Case Number: 13 CH 7162 TJSC#: 33-19313
I565327
10/10, 10/17, 10/24/13 #657957

HARWOOD HEIGHTS
IN THE CIRCUIT COURT OF COOK COUNTY, ILLINOIS COUNTY DEPARTMENT, CHANCERY DIVISION
JPMORGAN CHASE BANK, NATIONAL ASSOCIATION,
Plaintiff
V.
EWA WALA; PETER WALA,
Defendants
12 CH 10643
Property Address: 6453 WEST SUNNYSIDE AVE. HARWOOD HEIGHTS, IL 60706
NOTICE OF FORECLOSURE SALE
Fisher and Shapiro file # 12-059936 (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 August 2, 2013, Kallen Realty Services, Inc., as Selling Official will at 12:30 p.m. on November 5, 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 6453 West Sunnyside Avenue, Harwood Heights, IL 60706
Permanent Index No.: 13-18-407-001-0000
The mortgaged real estate is improved with a dwelling. The property will NOT be open for inspection.
The judgment amount was $ 294,605.63. 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.
I555760
10/10, 10/17, 10/24/13 #657859

LINCOLNWOOD
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.
JENNY E. ROMERO A/K/A JENNY ROMERO; JAIME OTALORA,
Defendants
10 CH 28434
Property Address: 4628 WEST PRATT AVENUE LINCOLNWOOD, IL 60712
NOTICE OF FORECLOSURE SALE
Fisher and Shapiro file # 09-028293 (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 January 29, 2013, Kallen Realty Services, Inc., as Selling Official will at 12:30 p.m. on November 4, 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 4628 West Pratt Avenue, Lincolnwood, IL 60712
Permanent Index No.: 10-34-118-021-0000
The mortgaged real estate is improved with a dwelling. The property will NOT be open for inspection.
The judgment amount was $545,578.73. 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.
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10/10, 10/17, 10/24/13 #657863

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LINCOLNWOOD
IN THE CIRCUIT COURT OF COOK COUNTY, ILLINOIS COUNTY DEPARTMENT - CHANCERY DIVISION WELLS FARGO BANK, N.A.
Plaintiff,
-v.-
BRAHIM HAFID IDRISSI, ZAHIRA HAFFARY
Defendants
12 CH 007529
7311 N. EAST PRAIRIE ROAD 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 June 28, 2012, an agent for The Judicial Sales Corporation, will at 10:30 AM on October 25, 2013, at the The Judicial Sales Corporation, One South Wacker Drive - 24th Floor, CHICAGO, IL, 60606, sell at public auction to the highest bidder, as set forth below, the following described real estate: Commonly known as 7311 N. EAST PRAIRIE ROAD, LINCOLNWOOD, IL 60712 Property Index No. 10-26-313-043. 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 14-12-03993. 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. 14-12-03993 Attorney ARDC No. 00468002 Attorney Code. 21762 Case Number: 12 CH 007529 TJSC#: 33-21088 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.
I563509
10/3, 10/10, 10/17/13 #653521

MORTON GROVE
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, LLC
Defendants
13 CH 07215
9450 NORMANDY AVE Morton Grove, IL 60053
NOTICE OF SALE PUBLIC NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that pursuant to a Judgment of Foreclosure and Sale entered in the above cause on August 6, 2013, an agent for The Judicial Sales Corporation, will at 10:30 AM on November 13, 2013, at the The Judicial Sales Corporation, One South Wacker Drive - 24th Floor, CHICAGO, IL, 60606, sell at public auction to the highest bidder, as set forth below, the following described real estate: Commonly known as 9450 NORMANDY AVE, Morton Grove, IL 60053 Property Index No. 10-18-200-023-0000. The real estate is improved with a single family residence. The judgment amount was $326,277.36. 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 13-6542. 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. 13-6542 Attorney Code. 40342 Case Number: 13 CH 07215 TJSC#: 33-17998 NOTE: Pursuant to the Fair Debt Collection Practices Act, you are advised that Plaintiff's attorney is deemed to be a debt collector attempting to collect a debt and any information obtained will be used for that purpose.
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MORTON GROVE
IN THE CIRCUIT COURT OF COOK COUNTY, ILLINOIS COUNTY DEPARTMENT - CHANCERY DIVISION
JPMORGAN CHASE BANK, NATIONAL ASSOCIATION
Plaintiff,
-v.-
PHILLIP LULIAS A/K/A PHILLIP J. LULIAS
Defendants
12 CH 27691
9043 MANSFIELD 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 February 25, 2013, an agent for The Judicial Sales Corporation, will at 10:30 AM on November 25, 2013, at the The Judicial Sales Corporation, One South Wacker Drive - 24th Floor, CHICAGO, IL, 60606, sell at public auction to the highest bidder, as set forth below, the following described real estate:
Commonly known as 9043 MANSFIELD AVENUE, MORTON GROVE, IL 60053
Property Index No. 10-17-411-042-0000.
The real estate is improved with a two story single family home with a 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 PA1213266. 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. PA1213266 Attorney Code. 91220 Case Number: 12 CH 27691 TJSC#: 33-21634 **I566325**
10/17, 10/24, 10/31/13 #662382

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MORTON GROVE
IN THE CIRCUIT COURT OF COOK COUNTY, ILLINOIS COUNTY DEPARTMENT - CHANCERY DIVISION
NATIONSTAR MORTGAGE, LLC.
Plaintiff,
vs.
MOHAMMED KHAN A/K/A MOHAMMED A. KHAN A/K/A MOHAMMAD A. KHAN A/K/A MOHAMMED ABDUL SAMAD KHAN; SHAHENNA KHAN A/K/A SHAHEENA KHAN;
UNKNOWN OWNERS AND NON RECORD CLAIMANTS;
Defendants,
12 CH 43499
PUBLIC NOTICE is hereby given that pursuant to a Judgment of Foreclosure entered in the above entitled cause on August 7, 2013, Intercounty Judicial Sales Corporation will on Tuesday, November 12, 2013, at the hour of 11 a.m. in their office at 120 West Madison Street, Suite 718A, Chicago, Illinois, sell to the highest bidder for cash, the following described property:
P.I.N. 10-18-110-044-0000.
Commonly known as 7018 PALMA LANE, MORTON GROVE, IL 60053.
The mortgaged real estate is improved with a single family residence. If the subject mortgaged real estate is a unit of a common interest community, the purchaser of the unit other than a mortgagee shall pay the assessments required by subsection (g-1) of Section 18.5 of the Condominium Property Act. Sale terms: 25% down by certified funds, balance within 24 hours, by certified funds. No refunds. The property will NOT be open for inspection. Upon payment in full of the amount bid, the purchaser will receive a Certificate of Sale which will entitle the purchaser to a Deed to the premises after confirmation of the sale.
For information: Visit our website at http://service.atty-pierce.com. Between 3 p.m. and 5 p.m. only. Pierce & Associates, Plaintiff's Attorneys, 1 North Dearborn Street, Chicago, Illinois 60602. Tel.No. (312) 476-5500. Refer to File Number 1221233.
INTERCOUNTY JUDICIAL SALES CORPORATION
Selling Officer, (312) 444-1122
I565105
10/10, 10/17, 10/24/13 #657937

MORTON GROVE
IN THE CIRCUIT COURT OF COOK COUNTY, ILLINOIS COUNTY DEPARTMENT - CHANCERY DIVISION NATIONSTAR MORTGAGE LLC
Plaintiff,
-v.-
KI DONG PARK, YONG S. PARK A/K/A YONG SUK PARK
Defendants
12 CH 031164
7449 WILSON TERRACE MORTON GROVE, IL 60053
NOTICE OF SALE PUBLIC NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that pursuant to a Judgment of Foreclosure and Sale entered in the above cause on August 7, 2013, an agent for The Judicial Sales Corporation, will at 10:30 AM on November 12, 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 7449 WILSON TERRACE, MORTON GROVE, IL 60053 Property Index No. 09-13-213-011. The real estate is improved with a single family residence. Sale terms: 25% down of the highest bid by certified funds at the close of the 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 PA1213266. 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. 14-12-23953 Attorney ARDC No. 00468002 Attorney Code. 21762 Case Number: 12 CH 031164 TJSC#: 33-18168 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.
I563876
10/10, 10/17, 10/24/13 #657872

MORTON GROVE
IN THE CIRCUIT COURT OF COOK COUNTY, ILLINOIS COUNTY DEPARTMENT - CHANCERY DIVISION
U.S. BANK NATIONAL ASSOCIATION, AS TRUSTEE FOR THE HOLDERS OF THE SAMI II INC., BEAR STEARNS ARM TRUST, MORTGAGE PASS-THROUGH CERTIFICATES, SERIES 2005-12
Plaintiff,
-v.-
IMRAN A. AZIZ, SAMINA IMRAN, DELAINE FARM CONDOMINIUM ASSOCIATION, MORTGAGE ELECTRONIC REGISTRATION SYSTEMS, INC.
Defendants
12 CH 016962
9233 NAGLE AVENUE UNIT #9233 MORTON GROVE, IL 60053
NOTICE OF SALE PUBLIC NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that pursuant to a Judgment of Foreclosure and Sale entered in the above cause on August 30, 2012, an agent for The Judicial Sales Corporation, will at 1:00 PM on October 25, 2013, at the The Judicial Sales Corporation, One South Wacker Drive - 24th Floor, CHICAGO, IL, 60606, sell at public auction to the highest bidder, as set forth below, the following described real estate: Commonly known as 9233 NAGLE AVENUE UNIT #9233, MORTON GROVE, IL 60053 Property Index No. 10-18-219-020-1021. The real estate is improved with a condo/townhouse. Sale terms: 25% down of the highest bid by certified funds at the close of the 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 14-12-23953. 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. 14-12-04725 Attorney ARDC No. 00468002 Attorney Code. 21762 Case Number: 12 CH 016962 TJSC#: 33-21077 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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10/3, 10/10, 10/17/13 #653497

MORTON GROVE
IN THE CIRCUIT COURT OF COOK COUNTY, ILLINOIS
COUNTY DEPARTMENT, CHANCERY DIVISION
RESIDENTIAL CREDIT SOLUTIONS, INC.,
Plaintiff
V.
CHRISTINA JOUNG; CHAN H. JOUNG; THE FOSTER BANK; FW IL CIVIC CENTER PLAZA, LLC; WILLIAMS RUN TOWNHOME CONDOMINIUM ASSOCIATION; UNKNOWN OWNERS AND NONRECORD CLAIMANTS; UNKNOWN OCCUPANTS,
Defendants
12 CH 39756
Property Address: 8734 NORTH FERNALD AVE. MORTON GROVE, IL 60053
NOTICE OF FORECLOSURE SALE - CONDOMINIUM
Fisher and Shapiro file # 12-059209
(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 29, 2013, Kallen Realty Services, Inc., as Selling Official will at 12:30 p.m. on October 30, 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 8734 North Fernald Avenue, Morton Grove, IL 60053
Permanent Index No.: 10-20-103-062-1006
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 $164,587.44. 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.
I555608
10/3, 10/10, 10/17/13 #653456

NORRIDGE
IN THE CIRCUIT COURT OF COOK COUNTY, ILLINOIS
COUNTY DEPARTMENT - CHANCERY DIVISION
JPMORGAN CHASE BANK, NATIONAL ASSOCIATION Plaintiff,
-v.-
JEFFREY JACKSON A/K/A JEFFREY L. JACKSON, JULIE JACKSON A/K/A JULIE A. JACKSON
Defendants
12 CH 20
7703 WEST MONTROSE AVENUE NORRIDGE, IL 60706
NOTICE OF SALE PUBLIC NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that pursuant to a Judgment of Foreclosure and Sale entered in the above cause on August 19, 2013, an agent for The Judicial Sales Corporation, will at 10:30 AM on November 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 7703 WEST MONTROSE AVENUE, NORRIDGE, IL 60706 Property Index No. 12-13-302-076-0000. The real estate is improved with a 1 story home with a 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, examine the court file or contact Plaintiff's attorney: CODILIS & ASSOCIATES, P.C., 15W030 NORTH FRONTAGE ROAD, SUITE 100, BURR RIDGE, IL 60527, (630) 794-9876. Please refer to file number 14-12-29102. THE JUDICIAL SALES CORPORATION One South Wacker Drive, 24th Floor, Chicago, IL 60606-4650 (312) 236-SALE You can also visit The Judicial Sales Corporation at www.tjsc.com for a 7 day status report of pending sales. CODILIS & ASSOCIATES, P.C. 15W030 NORTH FRONTAGE ROAD, SUITE 100 BURR RIDGE, IL 60527 (630) 794-5300 Attorney File No. 14-12-29102 Attorney ARDC No. 00468002 Attorney Code. 21762 Case Number: 12 CH 045487 TJSC#: 33-19628 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.
I565808
10/17, 10/24, 10/31/13 #662318

SKOKIE
IN THE CIRCUIT COURT OF COOK COUNTY, ILLINOIS COUNTY DEPARTMENT - CHANCERY DIVISION JPMORGAN CHASE BANK, NATIONAL ASSOCIATION
Plaintiff,
-v.-
IRENA KALIKA, FIRST MIDWEST BANK, LACROSSE FLATS CONDOMINIUM ASSOCIATION, VILLAGE OF SKOKIE, UNKNOWN OWNERS AND NONRECORD CLAIMANTS
Defendants
12 CH 045487
8833 LACROSSE AVENUE UNIT #201 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 August 23, 2013, an agent for The Judicial Sales Corporation, will at 10:30 AM on November 25, 2013, at the The Judicial Sales Corporation, One South Wacker Drive - 24th Floor, CHICAGO, IL, 60606, sell at public auction to the highest bidder, as set forth below, the following described real estate: Commonly known as 8833 LACROSSE AVENUE UNIT #201, SKOKIE, IL 60077 Property Index No. 10-16-430-022-1002, Property Index No. (10-16-430-021 underlying). The real estate is improved with a condo/townhouse. Sale terms: 25% down of the highest bid by certified funds at the close of the 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 14-12-29102. 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. 14-12-29102 Attorney ARDC No. 00468002 Attorney Code. 21762 Case Number: 12 CH 004335 TJSC#: 33-18789 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.
I562535
10/17, 10/24, 10/31/13 #662302

SKOKIE
IN THE CIRCUIT COURT OF COOK COUNTY, ILLINOIS COUNTY DEPARTMENT - CHANCERY DIVISION
NATIONSTAR MORTGAGE LLC
Plaintiff,
vs.
SNEJANA MILOVAN; DORIN SOPOIAN; OLD ORCHARD WEST CONDOMINIUM ASSOCIATION; UNKNOWN OWNERS AND NON-RECORD CLAIMANTS;
Defendants,
13 CH 9615
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 9, 2013 Intercounty Judicial Sales Corporation will on Friday, November 15, 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. 10-10-100-028-1036.
Commonly known as 4700 Old Orchard Road 403, Skokie, Il 60076.
The mortgaged real estate is improved with a condominium residence. The purchaser of the unit other than a mortgagee shall pay the assessments and the legal fees required by subdivisions (g)(1) and (g)(4) of Section 9 of the Condominium Property Act
Sale terms: 10% down by certified funds, balance, by certified funds, within 24 hours. No refunds. The property will NOT be open for inspection
For information call Mr. Anthony Porto at Plaintiff's Attorney, Freedman Anselmo, Lindberg LLC, 1807 West Diehl Road, Naperville, Illinois 60563-1890. (866) 402-8661. For Bidding instructions visit www.fal-illinois.com 24 hours prior to sale.
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INTERCOUNTY JUDICIAL SALES CORPORATION
Selling Officer, (312) 444-1122
I565208
10/10, 10/17, 10/24/13 #657945

SKOKIE
IN THE CIRCUIT COURT OF Cook County, Illinois, County Department, Chancery Division.
JP Morgan Chase Bank National Association successor by merger with Chase Home Finance, LLC
Plaintiff,
vs.
Joseph Kifarkis; Karmel Kifarkis; Unknown Owners and Non-Record Claimants
Defendants,
10 CH 44820
Sheriff's # 130753
C10090169 CHOH
Pursuant to a Judgment made and entered by said Court in the above entitled cause, Thomas J. Dart, Sheriff of Cook County, Illinois, will on November 22, 2013, at 1pm in room LL06 of the Richard J. Daley Center, 50 West Washington Street, Chicago, Illinois, sell at public auction the following described premises and real estate mentioned in said Judgment:
Common Address: 8425 Monticello Avenue, Skokie, Illinois 60076
P.I.N: 10-23-134-006-0000
Improvements: This property consists of a Three Story Multi-Family Residence.
Sale shall be under the following terms: payment of not less than ten percent (10%) of the amount of the successful and highest bid to be paid to the Sheriff by cashier's check or certified funds at the sale; and the full remaining balance to be paid to the Sheriff by cashier's check or certified funds within twenty-four (24) hours after the sale.
Sale shall be subject to general taxes, special assessments.
Premise will NOT be open for inspection.
Firm Information: Plaintiff's Attorney FREEDMAN ANSELMO LINDBERG LLC
Anthony Porto
1807 W. DIEHL., Ste 333
Naperville, IL 60566-7228
foreclosurenotice@fal-illinois.com
866-402-8661 fax 630-428-4620
For bidding instructions, visit www.fal-illinois.com
This is an attempt to collect a debt pursuant to the Fair Debt Collection Practices Act and any information obtained will be used for that purpose.
I563945
10/10, 10/17, 10/24/13 #657877

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Judicial Sales-Real Est.

SKOKIE
IN THE CIRCUIT COURT OF COOK COUNTY, ILLINOIS
COUNTY DEPARTMENT, CHANCERY DIVISION
JPMORGAN CHASE BANK, N.A.,
Plaintiff
V.
CATHY VALA; FIRST AMERICAN BANK; NEWTON HOUSE CONDOMINIUM ASSOCIATION,
Defendants
13 CH 2544
Property Address: 10117 CHERRY PARKWAY UNIT 202 SKOKIE, IL 60076
NOTICE OF FORECLOSURE SALE - CONDOMINIUM
Fisher and Shapiro file # 13-065243
(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 August 6, 2013, Kallen Realty Services, Inc., as Selling Official will at 12:30 p.m. on November 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 10117 Cherry Parkway, Unit 202. Skokie, IL 60076
Permanent Index No.: 10-10-100-024-1022
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 $110,817.36. 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.
I555655
10/10, 10/17, 10/24/13 #657856

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 TRUSTEE FOR CWABS, INC., ASSET-BACKED CERTIFICATES, SERIES 2006-26
Plaintiff,
-v.-
UNKNOWN HEIRS AND LEGATEES OF VILMA ORTEGA, LESTER DWIGHT ORTEGA, PERSONALLY AND AS INDEPENDENT ADMINISTRATOR OF THE ESTATE OF VILMA ORTEGA, RAINER A. ORTEGA, KAREN KRISTEL ORTEGA, CELESTIAL DAWN ORTEGA, STEPHANIE MAE ORTEGA, UNKNOWN OWNERS-TENANTS AND NON-RECORD CLAIMANTS
Defendants
12 CH 00182
5236 DAVIS ST. 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 March 15, 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 5236 DAVIS ST., Skokie, IL 60077 Property Index No. 10-16-307-20-0000. The real estate is improved with a single family residence. The judgment amount was $816,504.74. 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 10-0170. 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. 10-0170 Attorney Code, Case Number: 12 CH 00182 TJSC#: 33-21114 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. **I564076**
10/3, 10/10, 10/17/13 #654097

SKOKIE
IN THE CIRCUIT COURT OF COOK COUNTY, ILLINOIS
COUNTY DEPARTMENT - CHANCERY DIVISION
DEUTSCHE BANK NATIONAL TRUST COMPANY AS INDENTURE TRUSTEE FOR AMERICAN HOME MORTGAGE INVESTMENT TRUST 2005-2, MORTGAGE-BACKED NOTES, SERIES 2005-2, ASSIGNEE OF MORTGAGE ELECTRONIC REGISTRATION SYSTEMS, INC., AS NOMINEE FOR AMERICAN HOME MORTGAGE ACCEPTANCE, INC.,
Plaintiff,
vs.
MIRCEA BALOG, IRINA FARCAS,
Defendants,
09 CH 50668
NOTICE OF SALE
PUBLIC NOTICE is hereby given that pursuant to a Judgment of Foreclosure entered in the above entitled cause on December 19, 2012, Intercounty Judicial Sales Corporation will on Wednesday, November 6, 2013, at the hour of 11 a.m. in their office at 120 West Madison Street, Suite 718A, Chicago, Illinois, sell to the highest bidder for cash, the following described mortgaged real estate:
Commonly known as 8321 Springfield Avenue, Skokie, IL 60076.
P.I.N. 10-23-302-047.
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 $339,260.72. 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. 09-6196
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INTERCOUNTY JUDICIAL SALES CORPORATION
Selling Officer, (312) 444-1122
I563661
10/3, 10/10, 10/17/13 #653533

SKOKIE
IN THE CIRCUIT COURT OF COOK COUNTY, ILLINOIS
COUNTY DEPARTMENT - CHANCERY DIVISION
HSBC BANK USA, NATIONAL ASSOCIATION, AS
TRUSTEE FOR NAAC MORTGAGE PASS-THROUGH CERTIFICATES, SERIES 2007-1
Plaintiff,
vs.
DAVID I. MICHAEL; UNKNOWN OWNERS AND NON-RECORD CLAIMANTS
Defendants,
11 CH 15616
NOTICE OF SALE
PUBLIC NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that pursuant to a Judgment of Foreclosure and Sale entered in the above entitled cause on January 17, 2013 Intercounty Judicial Sales Corporation will on Monday, November 4, 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. 10-28-218-020-0000.
Commonly known as 4832 Mulford Street, Skokie, Illinois 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 Mr. Anthony Porto at Plaintiff's Attorney, Freedman Anselmo, Lindberg LLC, 1807 West Diehl Road, Naperville, Illinois 60563-1890. (866) 402-8661. For Bidding instructions visit www.fal-illinois.com 24 hours prior to sale.
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INTERCOUNTY JUDICIAL SALES CORPORATION
Selling Officer, (312) 444-1122
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10/3, 10/10, 10/17/13 #653527

SKOKIE
IN THE CIRCUIT COURT OF COOK COUNTY, ILLINOIS COUNTY DEPARTMENT - CHANCERY DIVISION JPMORGAN CHASE BANK, NATIONAL ASSOCIATION
Plaintiff,
-v.-
KAISER DAWOD, MAYSOON DAWOD, JPMORGAN CHASE BANK, NA
Defendants
11 CH 024399
8234 LARAMIE AVENUE SKOKIE, IL 60077
NOTICE OF SALE PUBLIC NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that pursuant to a Judgment of Foreclosure and Sale entered in the above cause on May 25, 2012, 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 Dnve - 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 8234 LARAMIE AVENUE, SKOKIE, IL 60077 Property Index No. 10-21-312-055. 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 14-11-16525. 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. 14-11-16525 Attorney ARDC No. 00468002 Attorney Code. 21762 Case Number: 11 CH 024399 TJSC#: 33-20950 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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10/3, 10/10, 10/17/13 #653494

SKOKIE
IN THE CIRCUIT COURT OF COOK COUNTY, ILLINOIS COUNTY DEPARTMENT - CHANCERY DIVISION
URBAN TRUST BANK
Plaintiff,
-v.-
ESTELLE M. KRIV, ESTELLE M. KRIV, AS TRUSTEE OF
THE ESTELLE M. KRIV REVOCABLE TRUST DATED JULY 9, 2002, LINCOLN RIDGE CARRIAGE HOMES ASSOCIATION
Defendants
13 CH 08949
7430 N. Lincoln Ave. #A 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 August 12, 2013, an agent for The Judicial Sales Corporation, will at 10:30 AM on November 13, 2013, at the The Judicial Sales Corporation, One South Wacker Drive - 24th Floor, CHICAGO, IL, 60606, sell at public auction to the highest bidder, as set forth below, the following described real estate:
Commonly known as 7430 N. Lincoln Ave. #A, Skokie, IL 60076
Property Index No. 10-27-307-114-0000.
The real estate is improved with a single family residence. The judgment amount was $257,622.22. Sale terms: The bid amount, including the Judicial sale fee for Abandoned Residential Property Municipality Relief Fund, which is calculated on residential real estate at the rate of $1 for each $1,000 or fraction thereof of the amount paid by the purchaser not to exceed $300, shall be paid in certified funds immediately by the highest and best bidder at the conclusion of the sale. No fee shall be paid by the mortgagee acquiring the residential real estate pursuant to its credit bid at the sale or by any mortgagee, judgment creditor, or other lienor acquiring the residential real estate whose rights in and to the residential real estate arose prior to the sale. The subject property is subject to general real estate taxes, special assessments, or special taxes levied against said real estate and is offered for sale without any representation as to quality or quantity of title and without recourse to Plaintiff and in "AS IS" condition. The sale is further subject to confirmation by the court. Upon payment in full of the amount bid, the purchaser will receive a Certificate of Sale that will entitle the purchaser to a deed to the real estate after confirmation of the sale. The property will NOT be open for inspection and plaintiff makes no representation as to the condition of the property. Prospective bidders are admonished to check the court file to verify all information. If this property is a condominium unit, the purchaser of the unit at the foreclosure sale, other than a mortgagee, shall pay the assessments and the legal fees required by The Condominium Property Act, 765 ILCS 605/9(g)(1) and (g)(4). If this property is a condominium unit which is part of a common interest community, the purchaser of the unit at the foreclosure sale other than a mortgagee shall pay the assessments required by The Condominium Property Act, 765 ILCS 605/18.5(g-1). IF YOU ARE THE MORTGAGOR (HOMEOWNER), YOU HAVE THE RIGHT TO REMAIN IN POSSESSION FOR 30 DAYS AFTER ENTRY OF AN ORDER OF POSSESSION, IN ACCORDANCE WITH SECTION 15-1701(C) OF THE ILLINOIS MORTGAGE FORECLOSURE LAW. For information, contact Plaintiff's attorney: HEAVNER, SCOTT, BEYERS & MIHLAR, LLC, 111 East Main Street, DECATUR, IL 62523, (217) 422-1719. 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: 13 CH 08949 TJSC#: 33-19211 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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10/3, 10/10, 10/17/13 #653471

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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 registered by the undersigned with the County Clerk of Cook County. Registration Number: D13135847 on October 2, 2013. Under the Assumed Name of
LANA
with the business located at: 5214 Galitz St., Unit 406, Skokie, IL 60077. The true and real full name(s) and residence address of the owner(s)/partner(s) is: Asokan Krishnan, 5214 Galitz St., Unit 406, Skokie, IL 60077, USA.
10/10, 10/17, 10/24/13 #660352

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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. D13135768 on September 25, 2013. Under the Assumed Name of
WINDY CITY EYES
at 6560 W. Fullerton, C118, Chicago, IL 60707. The true name(s) and residence address of the owner(s) is: Adalina Kulbak, 9436 N. Karlov, Skokie, IL 60076.
10/3, 10/10, 10/17/13 #655869

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. D13135594 on September 19, 2013. Under the Assumed Name of
Travelistas Cruises & Tours
with the business located at 8229 S. Morgan Street, Chicago, IL 60620. The true names(s) and residence address of the owner(s) is: Sharon A. Miller, 8229 S. Morgan Street, Chicago, IL 60620.
10/3, 10/10, 10/17/13 #654780

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. D13135721 on September 19, 2013. Under the Assumed Name of
Preferred Coffee of Illinois
with the business located at 9321 Kolmar Ave., Skokie, Illinois 60076. The true names(s) and residence address of the owner(s) is: Michael Neikrug, 9321 Kolmar Ave., Skokie, Illinois 60076.
10/3, 10/10, 10/17/13 #652865

Bid Notice

LEGAL NOTICE
INVITATION FOR BIDS
The Morton Grove Park District, is accepting sealed bids for hardwood floor resurfacing at the below address. The scope of this project calls for complete sanding, coring, repairing, recoating and restriping hardwood floors in several areas. A site visit is recommended for this project. Specifications will be available Thursday October 17, 2013 Monday-Friday, 9:00 a.m. - 5:00 p.m. at the Morton Grove Park District, 6834 Dempster Street, Morton Grove, Il. 60053. **All sealed bids will be received until 10:00 a.m., November 1, 2013,** at the office of the Morton Grove Park District, 6834 Dempster Street, Morton Grove, Il. 60053, at which time all bids will be opened and publicly read. All bids must be received on or before that time. Any bids received after 10:00 a.m. on the specified date will be returned unopened.
10/17/13 #663334

TO PLACE A CLASSIFIED AD, CALL 847-998-3400 OR VISIT PIONEERLOCAL.COM/CLASSIFIEDS

Bid Notice

NOTICE OF CONVEYANCE OF REAL ESTATE SKOKIE SCHOOL DISTRICT 68, COOK COUNTY, ILLINOIS
Notice is hereby given that at 4:00 p.m., November 7, 2013, the Niles Township Trustees of Schools Township 41N. Range 13E., Cook County, Illinois (the "Trustees") for the benefit of the Board of Education of Skokie School District 68, Cook County, Illinois ("School District") will receive public sealed bids (the "Initial Sealed Bids") at the Office of the Superintendent of the School District, 9440 Kenton Avenue, Skokie, Illinois 60076, the real estate described as follows and hereinafter sometimes referred to as the "Real Estate":
Lot 3 in School District 68 Resubdivision of parts of the west half of the Northwest Quarter of Section 15, Township 41 North, Range 13, East of the Third Principal Meridian, in Cook County, Illinois.
After the Initial Sealed Bids are received, the School District will determine the five highest bids that are in accordance with the terms and conditions of sale and those bidders shall qualify to participate in a public auction for the purchase of the Real Estate, which auction shall take place at 10:30 a.m., November 12, 2013, at the Office of the Superintendent, 9440 Kenton Avenue, Skokie, Illinois 60076.
The Real Estate is located at 9301 Gross Point Road, Skokie, Illinois. The Real Estate consists of approximately three acres of land improved with an approximately 69,300 square foot school facility.
The award of a bid, if any, by the Trustees and the School District will be to the bidder that agrees to comply with all of the terms contained in the terms and conditions of sale on file with the Office of the School District's Superintendent and provides the bid at the auction or, if no bids are provided at the auction, provides the Initial Sealed Bid that is in the best interest of the School District. The Trustees and the School District reserve the right to reject any all bids in their sole discretion.
In submitting the Initial Sealed Bid to the Trustees and the School District, the bidder agrees to enter into a separate lease agreement with the School District that allows the School District to lease no less than 8,000 square feet of space in the facility located on the Real Estate for a minimum of six months for no more than $4.00 a square foot.
Arrangements to obtain the terms and conditions of the sale, to view the property and to examine a survey and title insurance commitment may be made through the School District Superintendent's Office, 9440 Kenton Avenue, Skokie, Illinois 60076.
September 17, 2013
Board of Education of Skokie School District 68, Cook County, Illinois
/s/ Beth L. Millard
Secretary
10/10, 10/17, 10/24/13 #659357

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Divorce

STATE OF WISCONSIN,
CIRCUIT COURT,
MILWAUKEE COUNTY
In Re: The Marriage of Petitioner: Christina Marie Venne and Respondent: Terry James Rice
Publication Summons
Divorce-40101
Case No. 13FA003162
THE STATE OF WISCONSIN, TO THE PERSON NAMED ABOVE AS RESPONDENT:
You are notified that the petitioner named above has filed a Petition for divorce or legal separation against you.
You must respond with a written demand for a copy of the Petition within 40 days from the day after the first date of publication.
The demand must be sent or delivered to the court at: Clerk of Court, Milwaukee County Courthouse, 901 N. 9th St., Milwaukee, WI 53233 and to Christina Venne, 2360 N. 45th St., Milwaukee, WI 53210
It is recommended, but not required, that you have an attorney help or represent you.
If you do not demand a copy of the Petition with 45 days, the court may grant judgment against you for the award of money or other legal action requested in the Petition, and you may lose your right to object to anything that is or may be incorrect in the Petition.
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.
You are further notified that if the parties to this action have minor children, violation of Section 948.31, Wis. Stats., (Interference with custody by parent or others) is punishable by fines and/or imprisonment:
If you and the petitioner have minor children, documents setting forth the percentage standard for child support established by the department under Section 49.22(9), Wis. Stats., and the factors that a court may consider for modification of that standard under Section 767.511(1m), Wis. Stats., are available upon your request from the Clerk of Court.
You are notified of the availability of information from the Circuit Court Commissioner as set forth in Section 767.105, Wis. Stats.
Section 767.105 Information from Circuit Court Commissioner.
(2)Upon the request of a party to an action affecting the family, including a revision of judgment or order under sec. 767.69 or 767.451:
(a)The Circuit Court Commissioner shall, with or without charge, provide the party with written information on the following, as appropriate to the action commenced:
1.The procedure for obtaining a judgment or order in the action.
2.The major issues usually addressed in such an action.
3. Community resources and family court counseling services available to assist the parties.
4.The procedure for setting, modifying, and enforcing child support awards, or modifying and enforcing legal custody or physical placement judgments or orders.
(b)The Circuit Court Commissioner shall provide a party, for inspection or purchase, with a copy of the statutory provisions in this chapter generally pertinent to the action.
/s/ Christina M. Venne
July 20, 2013
10/10, 10/17, 10/24/13 #658364

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Foreclosures

State of Wisconsin Circuit Court - Kenosha County Publication Summons - Case No. 13-CV-1188 Branch 1 - The Honorable David M. Bastianelli - Case Code 30404 (Foreclosure of Mortgage) - The amount claimed exceeds $10,000.00 - Flagstar Bank, FSB, 5151 Corporate Dr., Troy, MI 48098, Plaintiff vs. Daniel E. Rozkuszka and Jane Doe Rozkuszka, 1413 S. Fairview Ave., Park Ridge, IL 60068-5209, 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 10/3/13 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 912 56th St., Kenosha, WI 53140 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 9/25/13, 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.
10/3, 10/10, 10/17/13 #654568

Mechanics Liens

Notice is hereby given that on NOVEMBER 3, 2013, a sale will be held at:
ROGERS PARK AUTO SHOP, INC.
6828 N. CLARK ST.
CHICAGO, IL 60626
773-274-9900
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): MICHAELA THOMPSON
6609 N. ASHLAND AVE.
CHICAGO, IL 60626
LIEN HOLDER: NONE
Vehicles: 2004 LINCOLN LS
VIN # 1LNHM86S94Y679073
Amount of Lien: $2900.00
10/3, 10/10, 10/17/13 #656064

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Name Change

State of Illinois
County of Cook
In The Circuit Court For Cook County, Illinois
In The Matter of the Petition of Leslie Lawrence
For Leslie Anthony Lawrence II Change of Name
Case # 2013Conc000705
Notice of Publication
Public Notice is hereby given that on December 6, 2013, at 9:00AM being one of the return days in the Circuit Court of the County of Cook, I will file my petition in said court praying for the change of my name from Leslie Anthony Lawrence II to that of Leslie Anthony Martin, pursuant to the statute in such case made and provided.
Dated: October 10, 2013, Chicago, Illinois, 60619
/s/ Leslie Lawrence
10/17, 10/24, 10/31/13 #663002

Probate

IN THE CIRCUIT COURT OF COOK COUNTY, ILLINOIS
COUNTY DEPARTMENT, PROBATE DIVISION
ESTATE OF ALICE R. DEWALD, Deceased.
NO: 13 P 3912
PUBLICATION NOTICE
Notice is given of the death of ALICE R. DEWALD, of Morton Grove, Cook County, Illinois. Letters of Office were issued on August 9, 2013, to Donald Dewald, 1300 Huntington Drive, Mundelein, Illinois 60060, whose attorney is Vernon E. Morgan, DeSanto Morgan & Taylor, 712 Florsheim Drive, Suite 13, Libertyville, Illinois 60048 (847) 816-8100.
Claims against the estate may be filed in the Office of the Cook County Circuit Clerk, Probate Division, Richard J. Daley Center, 50 W. Washington Street, Room 1202, Chicago, Illinois 60602 or with the representative, or both, on or before March 31, 2014, which date is not less then six (6) months from the date of the first publication of this notice and any claim not filed within that period is barred. Copies of any claim filed with the Clerk must be mailed or delivered to the representative and to the attorney within ten (10) days after it is filed.
/s/ Donald Dewald
Representative
/s/ Vernon E. Morgan
Attorney
10/3, 10/10, 10/17/13 #648466

IN THE CIRCUIT COURT OF COOK COUNTY, ILLINOIS
COUNTY DEPARTMENT
PROBATE DIVISION
In the matter of the estate of George F. Weber
Deceased.
Case No.: 2013 P 5317
Publication Notice
Notice is given of the death of George F. Weber who died on March 24, 2013, a resident of Cook County, Illinois. Letters of office were issued on September 30, 2013, to Maureen W. Newman, 4305 N. Avers Avenue, Chicago, Illinois 60618, whose attorney is Bogdan Skoskiewicz, 7111 W. Higgins Avenue, Chicago, IL. 60656. 773-631-7111.
Claims against the estate may be filed on or before April 3, 2013.
Claims against the estate may be filed with the Clerk of the Circuit Court, Richard J. Daley Center, Room 1202, Chicago, Illinois 60602 or with the Representative or both. Copies of a claim filed with the Clerk must be mailed or delivered to the Representative and attorney within 10 days after it has been filed.
10/3, 10/10, 10/17/13 #656392

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Probate

State of Illinois
In The Circuit Court of Cook County, Illinois Probate Division
In the matter of the estate of Jan Ochwat, (Deceased)
Case No. 2013 P 5016
Publication Notice
Notice is hereby given of the death of Jan Ochwat of Chicago, Illinois. Letters of office were issued on October 1, 2013 to Agnieszka Ochwat, 640 Murray Lane, #305, Des Plaines, IL 60016, whose attorney is: Shari A. Shapiro 4355 Foster St., Skokie, IL 60076 847-982-9449.
Claims against the estate may be filed in the office of the Clerk of the Circuit Court in Room 1202, Richard J. Daley Center, Chicago, Illinois 60602 or with the representative, or both on or before April 14, 2014 which date is not less than 6 months from the date of the first publication of this notice and any claim not filed within that period is barred. Copies of any claim filed with the Clerk must be mailed or delivered to the representative and to the attorney within 10 days after it has been filed.
/s/ Agnieszka Ochwat
(Representative)
/s/ Shari A. Shapiro
(Attorney)
10/10, 10/17, 10/24/13 #657511

State of Illinois
In The Circuit Court of Cook County, Illinois Probate Division
In the matter of the estate of Nancy Holubovsky, (Deceased)
Case No. 2013 P 002601
Publication Notice
Notice is hereby given of the death of Nancy Holubovsky of Chicago, IL. Letters of office were issued on September 20, 2013 to Arlene Uhrik, 1166 Sticklebract Drive, Sparks, Nevada 89441, whose attorney is: Garry Novak, 1454 Miner St., Des Plaines, IL 60016 847-299-4756.
Claims against the estate may be filed in the office of the Clerk of the Circuit Court in Room 1202, Richard J. Daley Center, Chicago, Illinois 60602 or with the representative, or both on or before April 10, 2014 which date is not less than 6 months from the date of the first publication of this notice and any claim not filed within that period is barred. Copies of any claim filed with the Clerk must be mailed or delivered to the representative and to the attorney within 10 days after it has been filed.
/s/ Garry Novak
(Attorney)
10/10, 10/17, 10/24/13 #657815

Public Notices

NOTICE OF AVAILABILITY OF AUDIT REPORT OF THE SKOKIE PARK DISTRICT
The Skokie Park District hereby provides public notice that an audit of its funds for the period beginning May 1, 2012 through April 30, 2013 has been made by Miller Cooper & Co., Ltd., and that a report of such audit dated October 1, 2013 has been filed with the County Clerk of Cook, in accordance with 30 ILCS 15/0.01 et seq. The full report of the audit is available for public inspection at the Skokie Park District's Administrative Office, 9300 Weber Park Place, Skokie, IL 60077 during regular business hours which are 8:30 am through 5:00 pm Monday through Friday except for holidays.
10/17/13 #663023

STATE OF WISCONSIN
CIRCUIT COURT
GRANT COUNTY
FRANCIS C. ZIMMER
9081 SHERMAN LANE
GLEN HAVEN, WI 53810
NORMA WARD
6294 THORNCREST DRIVE
GREENDALE, WI 53129
JEANETTE SHERNIAN
303 PROSPECT STREET
BLOOMINGTON, WI 53804
JAMES C. DENEEN
2676 SOUTH COURT
MADISON, WI 53704-5425
Plaintiffs,
-vs-
EDMOND A. GLOS II
711 DEVON AVENUE
PARK RIDGE, IL 60068
JOHN DOE
JANE DOE
Defendants
Case Code - 30405
SUMMONS
THE STATE OF WISCONSIN, to each person named above as a Defendant:
You are hereby notified that the Plaintiffs named above have filed a lawsuit or other legal action against you.
Within 40 days after October 17, 2013, 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 Grant County Clerk of Court, 130 W. Maple Street, Lancaster, Wisconsin, 53813, and to Plaintiffs' attorney, John P. McNamara, McNamara, Reinicke & Vogelsberg, LLP, 118 W. Cherry Street, Lancaster, Wisconsin, 53813. 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: 10/9/13
McNAMARA, REINICKE & VOGELSBERG, LLP
Attorneys
By: John R. McNamara
State Bar Of Wis. No. 1017172
118 West Cherry Street
P.O. Box 507
Lancaster, WI 53813
Telephone: (608) 723-2185
10/17, 10/24, 10/31/13 #663223

Storage - Legal

NOTICE OF PUBLIC SALE TO BE HELD AT: THE LOCK UP SELF STORAGE 350 W. Kinzie Chicago, IL 60654 P-312-464-1900 fax 312-329-1362 DATE: 10/25/13 BEGINS AT: 3:00 P.M.
CONDITIONS: All units will be sold to the highest bidder. Bids taken only for each unit in its entirety. Payment must be made by certified check or money order only. No personal checks or cash accepted. All goods must be removed from the unit within 24 hours. Payments due immediately upon acceptance of bid. Unit availability subject to prior settlement of account.
Unit 4216 Guy Dunn
Unit 101 Elizabeth Boyle
10/10, 10/17/13 #660548

NOTICE OF PUBLIC SALE TO BE HELD AT: THE LOCK UP SELF STORAGE 1930 N. Clybourn Chicago, IL 60614 773-755-1900 DATE: 10/25/13 BEGINS AT 12:30 PM
CONDITIONS: All units will be sold to the highest bidder. Bids taken only for each unit in its entirety. Payments must be made by cash, credit card, or certified funds. No personal checks accepted. All goods must be removed from the unit within 24 hours. Payment due immediately upon acceptance of bid. Unit availability subject to prior settlement of account.
Unit 138 _ Anika Madarasz
Unit 2302 _Ellie Valentine
Unit 3224 _Jay Broddon
Unit 4042 _Terri Koerner
10/10, 10/17/2013 #660529

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Storage - Legal

NOTICE OF PUBLIC SALE TO BE HELD AT:THE LOCK UP SELF STORAGE 750 Busse Hwy., Park Ridge IL 60068 DATE: October 31st, 2013 BEGINS AT: 1.30pm
CONDITIONS: All units will be sold to the highest bidder. Bids taken only for each unit in its entirety. Payment must be made by cash, credit card, or certified funds. No personal checks accepted. All goods must be removed from the unit within 24 hours. Payment due immediately upon acceptance of bid. Unit availability subject to prior settlement of account.
Unit #2322 Kevin McKervey
Unit #3203 Crystal Heinze
10/10, 10/17/13 #659267

NOTICE OF PUBLIC SALE TO BE HELD AT:THE LOCK UP SELF STORAGE 2525 West Armitage Ave, Chicago, IL 60647 DATE: FRIDAY OCTOBER 25, 2013 BEGINS AT: 2:00PM
CONDITIONS: All units will be sold to the highest bidder. Bids taken only for each unit in its entirety. Payment must be made by cash, credit card, or certified funds. No personal checks accepted. All goods must be removed from the unit within 24 hours. Payment due immediately upon acceptance of bid. Unit availability subject to prior settlement of account.
Unit 1062 Barton Faist
Unit 2138 Wilfredo Perez
Unit 3451 Angel Ortiz
10/10, 10/17/13 #651238

NOTICE OF PUBLIC SALE TO BE HELD AT:THE LOCK UP SELF STORAGE 3366 N. Kedzie, Chicago, IL 60618 773-539-3366 DATE: October 25, 2013 BEGINS AT: 11:30am
CONDITIONS: All units will be sold to the highest bidder. Bids taken only for each unit in its entirety. Payment must be made by cash, credit card, or certified funds. No personal checks accepted. All goods must be removed from the unit within 24 hours. Payment due immediately upon acceptance of bid. Unit availability subject to prior settlement of account.
Unit: 2341
Tenant: Margaret-Rivera-Perez
Unit: 2428
Tenant: Lamar Hasbrouck
Unit: 2550
Tenant: Eli/Jonah Fontanez
Unit: 447
Tenant: Elizabeth Smolinski
10/10, 10/17/13 #650042

NOTICE OF PUBLIC SALE TO BE HELD AT: THE LOCK UP SELF STORAGE 3850 West Devon Ave, Lincolnwood, IL, 60712 DATE: 10/31/2013 BEGINS AT: 10:00 AM
CONDITIONS: All units will be sold to the highest bidder. Bids taken only for each unit in its entirety. Payment must be made by CASH OR CREDIT CARD. No personal checks accepted. All goods must be removed from the unit within 24 hours. Payment due immediately upon acceptance of bid. Unit availability subject to prior settlement of account.
Unit# 319 Daniel Rogers
Unit# 3126 Deborah Mostyn
Unit# 3322 Deborah Mostyn
10/10, 10/17/13 #648234

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Public Hearings

VILLAGE OF LINCOLNWOOD NOTICE OF PUBLIC HEARING
PUBLIC NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that on November 6, 2013, at 7:00PM, a public hearing will be held by the Plan Commission of the Village of Lincolnwood, Cook County, Illinois, in the Council Chambers Room of Lincolnwood Village Hall, 6900 North Lincoln Avenue, Lincolnwood, Illinois for the purpose of considering the following:
Applicant: Village of Lincolnwood
Nature of Request: **Text** Amendments to various sections of the Village Zoning Ordinance, including, without limitation, amendments to sections related to: (1) definitions of Fence Material, Unacceptable and (2) regulations for Fence design.
At the public hearing, the Plan Commission will accept and consider all testimony and evidence pertaining to this application, and will consider any zoning actions or relief that may be necessary or convenient related to this request. At the conclusion of the public hearing, the Plan Commission will make a recommendation to the Lincolnwood Village Board of Trustees based on the information presented. The Village Board will consider that recommendation at a subsequent public meeting. The decision of the Village Board will be the final decision of the Village regarding this application
Information concerning this application is available for inspection in the Community Development Department of the Lincolnwood Village Hall, 6900 North Lincoln Avenue, Lincolnwood, Illinois. This public hearing may be adjourned to another date by the Plan Commission of the Village without further notice, other than a notice entered upon the minutes of said meeting, fixing the time and place of its reconvening.
All persons in attendance at the hearing shall have an opportunity to be heard regarding this application. Any person who also desires to appear as an "interested party", with the right to cross-examine others at the public hearing, must file an appearance form with the Village of Lincolnwood no later than 5 p.m. on the business day prior to the commencement of the public hearing. Appearance forms are available in the Community Development Department of the Lincolnwood Village Hall, 6900 North Lincoln Avenue, Lincolnwood, Illinois.
This is not a "notice to appear." It is an invitation to all interested persons to submit oral or written comments concerning this application. Written comments must be received no later than 5 p.m. on the business day prior to the public hearing and may be sent to the attention of the Village Zoning Officer at the Lincolnwood Village Hall, 6900 North Lincoln Avenue, Lincolnwood, IL 60712. Persons having questions regarding this matter may call the Village Community Development Department at 847-673-7402
Dated: October 14, 2013
Village Clerk
Village of Lincolnwood
10/17/13 #664798

Public Hearings

NOTICE OF PUBLIC HEARING VILLAGE OF LINCOLNWOOD PLAN COMMISSION
PUBLIC NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that on November 6, 2013, at 7:00 p.m. a public hearing will be held by the Plan Commission of the Village of Lincolnwood, Cook County, Illinois, in the Council Chambers Room of Lincolnwood Village Hall, 6900 North Lincoln Avenue, Lincolnwood, Illinois for the purpose of considering the following:
Property Address: 3700 West Devon Avenue (Crown Castle)
Property P.I.N.: 10-35-330-011-0000
Applicant: Verizon Wireless
Nature of Request:
A Special Use for the replacement of existing antennas on an existing freestanding tower and the installation of new antennas on an existing freestanding tower and operation of telecommunication antennas and equipment pursuant to Article X of the Zoning Code and a variation from Section 10.04(11).a to permit antennas to exceed six feet in height.
At the public hearing, the Plan Commission will accept and consider all testimony and evidence pertaining to this application, and will consider any Zoning Ordinance actions or relief that may be necessary or convenient to allow development of the type described in this notice, or development that is less dense than the type described in this notice, including, without limitation, special use permits, variations, map or text amendments, or other special approvals. At the conclusion of the public hearing, the Plan Commission will make a recommendation to the Lincolnwood Village Board of Trustees based on the information presented. The Village Board will consider that recommendation at a subsequent public meeting. The decision of the Village Board will be the final decision of the Village regarding this application.
Information concerning this application is available for inspection in the Community Development Department of the Lincolnwood Village Hall, 6900 North Lincoln Avenue, Lincolnwood, Illinois. This public hearing may be adjourned to another date by the Plan Commission of the Village without further notice other than a notice entered upon the minutes of said meeting fixing the time and place of its reconvening.
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This is not a "notice to appear." It is an invitation to all interested persons to submit oral or written comments concerning this application. Written comments must be received no later than 5 P.M. on the business day prior to the public hearing and may be sent to the attention of Village Zoning Officer at the Lincolnwood Village Hall, 6900 North Lincoln Avenue, Lincolnwood, IL 60712. Persons having questions may call the Community Development Department at 847-673-7402.
Dated: October 14, 2011
Village Clerk
Village of Lincolnwood
10/17/13 #664805

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High School Cube News, Sun-Times Media's new high school sports website, launched this week. It's the latest evolution in Chicago area prep sports coverage. High School Cube News integrates all the highlights and live games from **HighSchoolCube.com** with the comprehensive coverage formerly provided by Season Pass.

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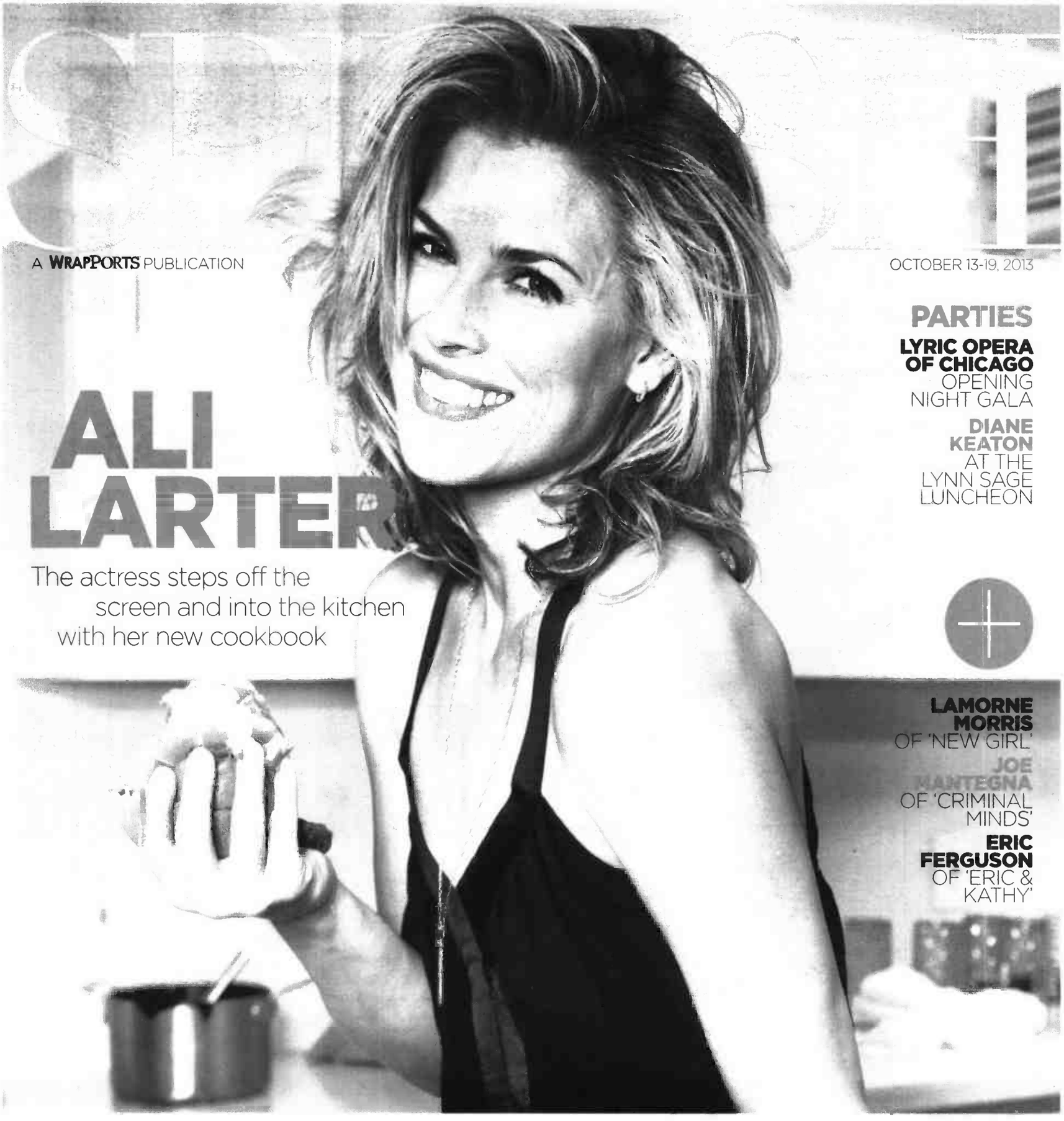

ALI LARTER

The actress steps off the screen and into the kitchen with her new cookbook

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THINGS WE LOVE THIS WEEK

Tory Burch Eau de Parfum

The fashion mogul branches into fragrances with her first scent. Accompanied by body lotions, gels and a candle, the soft, floral perfume is as chic as the designer's clothing line. Starting at $50, Bloomingdale's, 900 N. Michigan; *Bloomingdales.com*

Christina Karin Fall/ Winter 2013

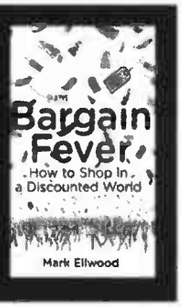
Chicago designer Christina Monley's new collection is a (literal) divide from the standard cocktail dress, focusing on tailored separates that let you mix and match to create the perfect look. We adore the Bernadette silk top (right, $179). *Christinakarin.com*

< Protein Bar's Pump-quinoa treat

Fall's finally here, and with it comes an array of pumpkin-y beverages. Our pick? This blended drink from Protein Bar, which satisfies the need for sweets while packing a healthy, protein-filled punch. $4.39, 352 N. Clark; *Proteinbar.com*

Bargain Fever

Always wondered about that insatiable need to shop? Author Mark Ellwood — who earned a masters degree at the University of Chicago — pulls back the curtain on retail stores' sales techniques and digs into why some people are natural-born bargain hunters. $16.36, Barnes & Noble, 1130 N. State; *Barnesandnoble.com.*



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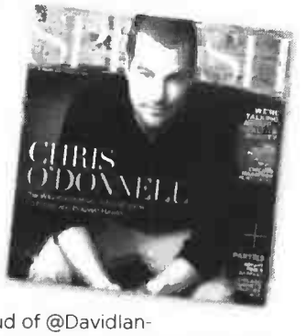

Allyson Mooney @Allysunmoonstar: @Winnetka_Talk @Suntimes_Splash Sharp pics, great in depth interview. @chrisodonnell 1 of my faves bc he is a good person, father and actor+

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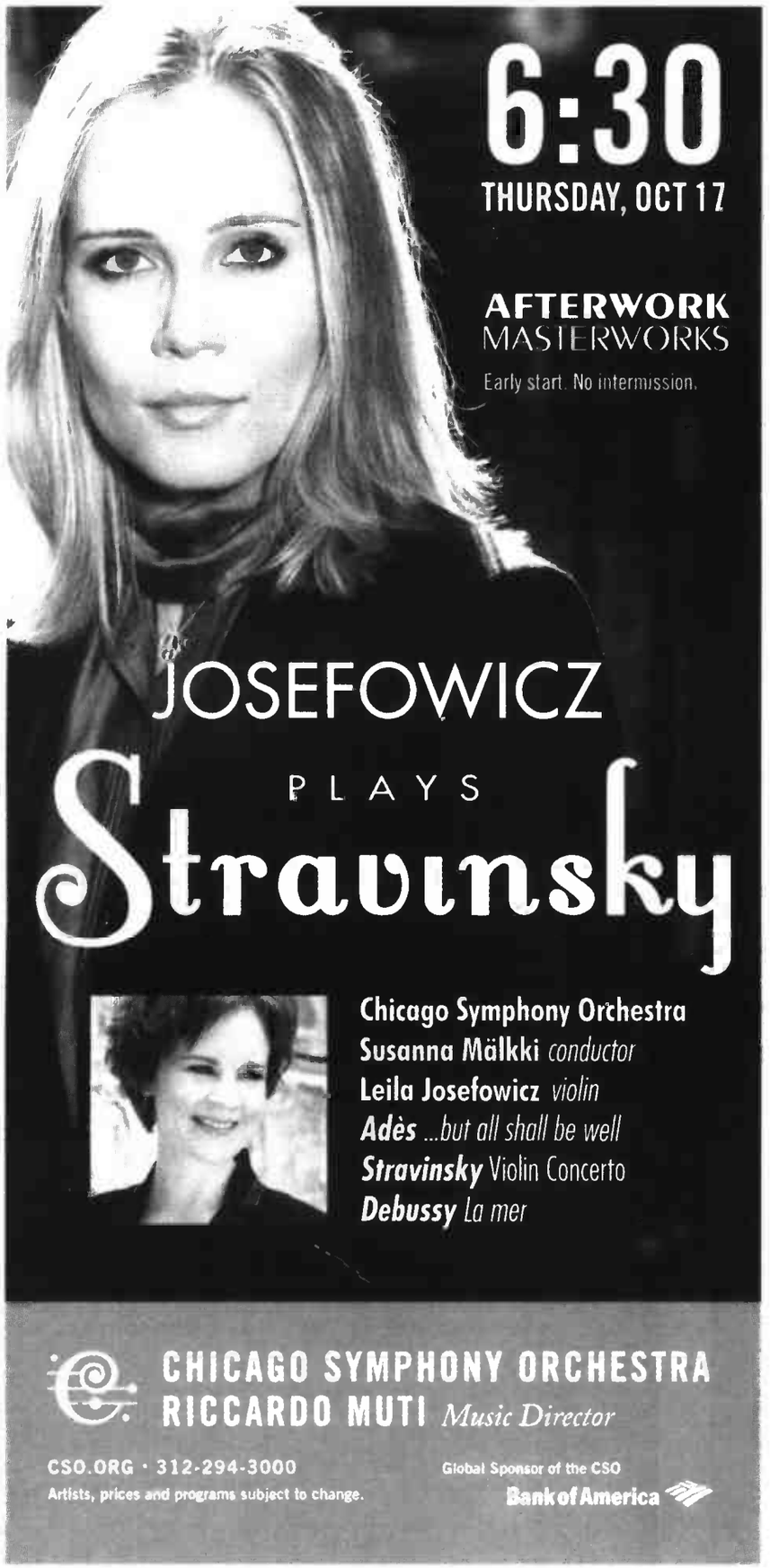

THE CALENDAR

BY THOMAS CONNORS

● ARTS & CULTURE | ● PHILANTHROPY | ● FOOD | ● FASHION

this week

October 16

●● RUSH NEUROBEHAVIORAL CENTER AWARDS DINNER

Don your best business attire for this 17th annual event, honoring **Mary Ellen Caron, David Jaffe** and **Dr. Marc Weissbluth** for their work with the RNBC. Proceeds benefit the organization's mission to provide services to youth living with brain-based academic, social and behavioral impairments.

Time: Education hour 5 p.m., reception 6 p.m., dinner 6:45 p.m.

Place: Four Seasons Hotel Chicago, 120 E. Delaware

Cost: $500. For tickets, visit *Pihchicago.com/event/rnbc.*

October 17

● DUCK, DUCK, GOOSE

James Beard-nominated chef **Paul Virant** and cookbook author **Hank Shaw** will collaborate on a fowl-fueled feast in celebration of Shaw's latest tome, *Duck, Duck, Goose.*

Time: 6:30 p.m.

Place: Vie, 4471 Lawn, Western Springs

Cost: $80. For reservations, call (708) 246-2082.

October 18

●● RED JACKET OPTIONAL

The Chicago Children's Choir — the multicultural music education organization — hosts this euphonious evening of celebration and song. Proceeds support the choir's programs, which reach more than 3,500 children each year across Chicago neighborhoods.

Time: 6 p.m.

Place: Radisson Blu Aqua Hotel, 221 N. Columbus

Cost: $500. For tickets, call (312) 849-8300.

Ald. Will Burns (4th) competes in last year's event.

October 19

22ND ANNUAL RINGSIDE FOR MERCY'S SAKE

Amateur boxers from Chicago's top financial firms step into the ring in support of Mercy Home for Boys & Girls. The black-tie gala — chaired by former mayor **Richard M. Daley, Richard Price** and **Paul Adcock** — includes nine bouts, dinner, dancing to City Lights Orchestra and high-end auctions.

Time: 6 p.m.

Place: Downtown Chicago Marriott Magnificent Mile, 540 N. Michigan

Cost: $300. For tickets, visit *Mercyhome.org/ringside.*

October 19

● NIGHT OF A THOUSAND NOOGIES

Prepare for an evening of hilarity in support of Gilda's Club Chicago. Enjoy masterful sketch comedy and improv from Second City performers, bid in a silent auction and try your luck at fabulous raffle prizes.

Time: 7 p.m.

Place: Park West, 322 W. Armitage

Cost: General admission $75; VIP $125. For tickets, call (312) 464-9900 or visit *Gildasclubchicago.org.*

next week

The 2012 Field Museum Gala, themed the Maharaja Ball

October 20

● MOVING DAY CHICAGO

Katie Couric, honorary chair of the National Parkinson Foundation's Moving Day campaign, along with the Moving Day Chicago Committee, invites folks to this fund-raising walk, which takes place in 20 cities across the country. Other activities include yoga, Pilates, Tai Chi and more, and proceeds help fund research and patient care for people with Parkinson's.

Time: 9 a.m.

Place: Lincoln Park, 1730 N. Stockton

Cost: To start a team, join a team or sign up as individual, visit *Movingdaychicago.org*.

October 21

● THE DINNER PARTY

Journalist **Elysabeth Alfano** always rounds up an intriguing group for this monthly live talk show, and this installment includes Chicago Bears GM **Phil Emery,** singer **Lynne Jordan** and poet **Kevin Coval,** co-founder of Louder than a Bomb. The menu, courtesy of Longman & Eagle chef **Jared Wentworth,** includes octopus confit and pumpkin-sage risotto.

Time: Reception 6 p.m., dinner 7:30 p.m.

Place: City Winery, 1200 W. Randolph

Cost: $40 for dinner, $65 for VIP dinner and reception. For reservations, visit *Citywinery.com/chicago/fear-no-art-presents-the-dinner-party-10-21.html*.

October 21

● REACH FOR EXCELLENCE AWARDS DINNER

The Midtown Educational Foundation — closing the achievement gap for Chicago's urban youth since 1965 — honors supporters and civic leaders **Alan** and **Connie Herbert, John G. Martin** and **Dr. John J. Tracy** at this 22nd annual event. WMAQ-Channel 5's **Dr. Sandy Goldberg** emcees the evening.

Time: 5:30 p.m.

Place: Four Seasons Hotel Chicago, 120 E. Delaware

Cost: $500. For tickets, call (312) 553-2000 or visit *Pjhchicago.com/event/mef*.

October 23

●● CARL SANDBURG LITERARY AWARDS

For the 14th annual event, the much-esteemed honors from the Chicago Public Library Foundation and the Chicago Public Library go to authors **Isabel Allende, Michael Lewis** and Chicago-based **Christine Sneed.** Produced by **Donna LaPietra,** the event is co-chaired by **Tom Ricketts** and **Marcy Carlin.**

Time: 6 p.m.

Place: The UIC Forum, 725 W. Roosevelt

Cost: $1,000 or $2,500. For reservations, call (312) 201-9830 or visit *Cplfoundation.org*.

Katie Couric is the honorary national chair of Moving Day.

October 25

● SUN-TIMES FOUNDATION HALLOWEEN BALL

Dedicated to improving the lives of Chicagoans by supporting a wide range of charities, the Sun-Times Foundation helps fund its mission with this masquerade bash, chaired by **Rita Canning** and **Jacky Ferro** (wife of Sun-Times parent company Wrapports Chairman **Michael Ferro**). Enjoy sweets from Vosges Haut Chocolate and Magnolia Bakery; fortune-tellers and other spooky entertainment; and trick-or-treat gifts from retailers like Bloomingdale's and Pomellato.

Time: 6 p.m.

Place: Chicago Cultural Center, 78 E. Washington

Cost: $1,500. For tickets, call (312) 553-2000 or visit *Pjhchicago.com/halloweenball*.

October 26

● FIELD MUSEUM GALA: A FAIR TO REMEMBER

The Field's Women's Board celebrates the new exhibition, "Opening the Vaults: Wonders of the 1893 World's Fair," at its annual black-tie gala. The museum will be transformed into an old-fashioned fairground, complete with performers and a Ferris wheel. Proceeds from the event — chaired by **Leslie McLamore** and **Julie Hughes O'Connor** — help fund the museum's scientific and educational mission.

Time: 6:30 p.m.

Place: 1400 S. Lake Shore

Cost: $800-$5,000. For tickets, call (312) 665-7135 or visit *Fieldmuseum.org/support/events/gala*.

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LYRIC OPERA OF CHICAGO'S OPENING NIGHT GALA

STORY BY KATERINA BIZIOS

PITCH PERFECT

More than 3,000 Chicagoans helped set the stage for the opening of The Lyric Opera of Chicago's 59th season. The Oct. 5 bash began with a performance of **Giuseppe Verdi's** rendition of "Otello," starring **Johan Botha, Ana María Martínez** and **Falk Struckmann,** at the Civic Opera House (20 N. Wacker). Post-show, opening night chair **Corinne Wood** and opera ball chair **Cathy Osborn** of the Women's Board of the Lyric Opera of Chicago welcomed more than 500 guests to the Hilton Chicago (720 S. Michigan) for an evening of dinner and dancing.

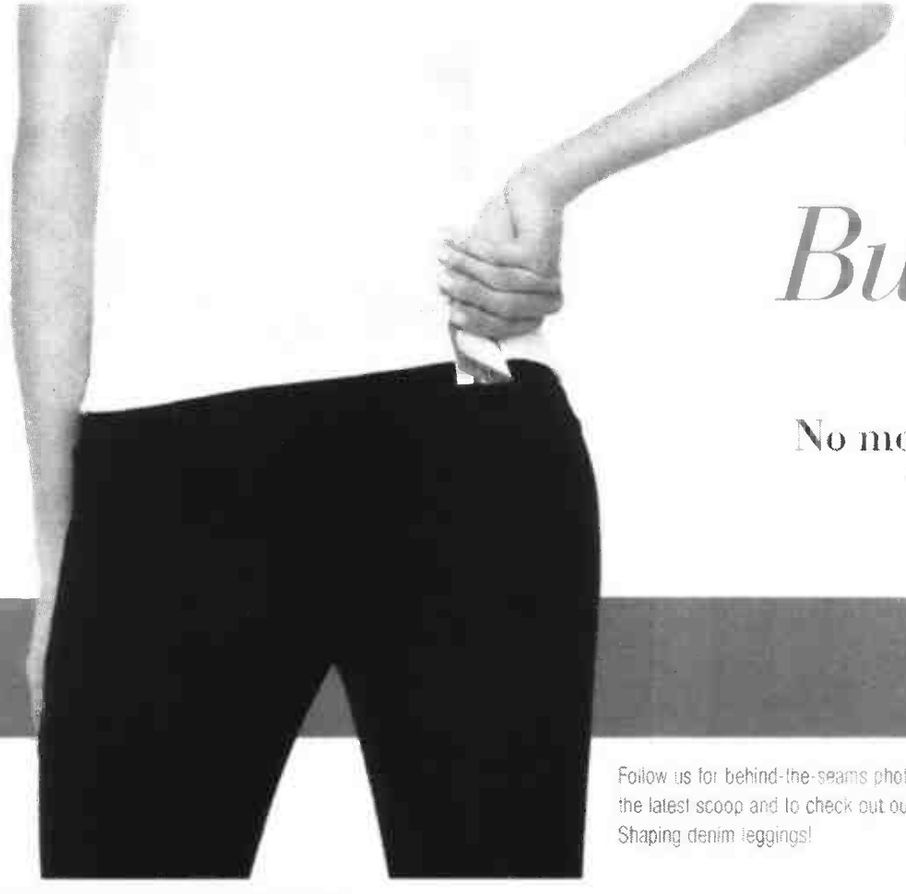
The Sun-Times was the media sponsor of this event. The Sun-Times Foundation and the Chicago Community Trust will match every dollar donated to the Lyric Opera of Chicago, up to a total of $25,000. Up to $1,000 can be matched per individual donation.

Corinne Wood, Cathy Osborn and Anne Reyes

Jo Terlato and Alexi Giannoulias

Renée Fleming and Tim Jessell

PHOTOS BY CHERI EISENBERG



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LYNN SAGE CANCER RESEARCH FOUNDATION LUNCHEON

MEETIN' KEATON

STORY BY KATERINA BIZIOS

Academy Award-winning actress **Diane Keaton** showed her support for Breast Cancer Awareness Month as the keynote speaker at Lynn Sage Cancer Research Foundation's annual fall benefit luncheon Oct. 3. More than 1,000 guests joined co-chairs **Julie Barrish** and **Nancy Resnick** at the Hilton Chicago (720 S. Michigan), perusing nearly 200 new and collectible handbags at the "Purse-sue the Cure" auction. Later, Keaton took the stage for a Q & A with Sun-Times columnist **Bill Zwecker,** discussing her family and films. Proceeds from the luncheon will benefit breast cancer research, educational programs and fellowships at Northwestern Memorial Hospital and the Robert H. Lurie Comprehensive Cancer Center of Northwestern University.

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Above: Allison Zisook Goldstein, Diane Keaton and Ashley and Lili Ann Zisook

Sherri Hoke and Sasha Adler

A Bottega Veneta bag; bidding started at $1,000.

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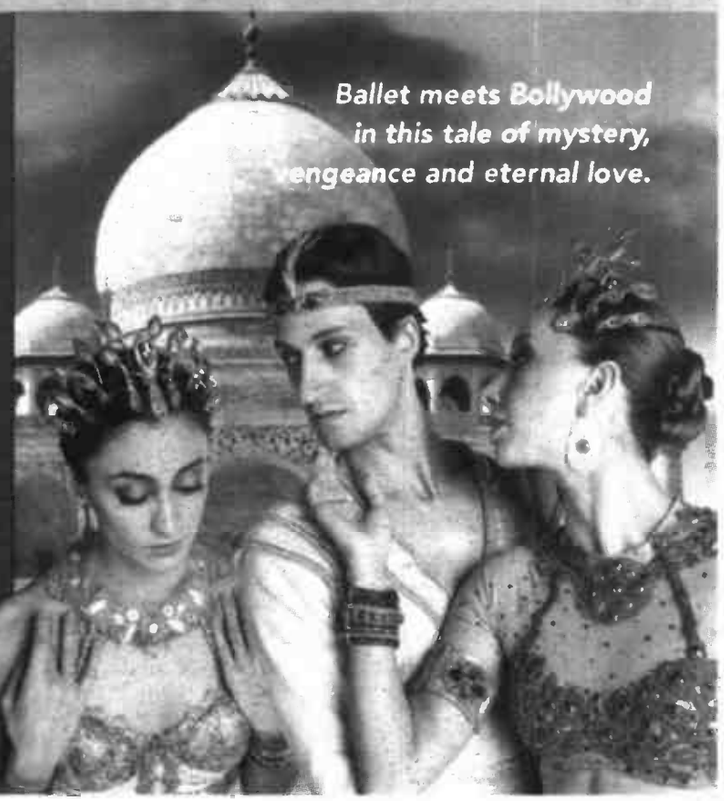

DARBY HILLS in a Martin Grant skirt at Mariano's Fresh Market

TERRI HICKEY in Ann Taylor Loft at the Dec Rooftop at the Ritz-Carlton Chicago

ELDA DE LA ROSA in her own design at the Driehaus Awards

MELISSA BABCOCK in a vintage dress at the Four Seasons Chicago

ROCHELLE TROTTER in Atelier Azza at the Peninsula Chicago

DAWN LIVINGSTON in Marchesa at the Radisson Blu Aqua

La vie en *rose*

There's no doubt that pink is October's hottest color, as it's the designated hue for Breast Cancer Awareness Month. But it strikes more than just a charitable tone: Pink is rocking the Chicago party scene, popping up in flirty cocktail dresses and embellished gowns. Diane von Furstenberg broke away from standard fall blacks and browns, peppering her ready-to-wear collection with vibrant pink suits and dresses, while Paul Smith marched out deep fuchsia tops and pants. Whether you go head-to-toe pink or just add small accents (think nails, pouts, purses and pumps), embrace the look and everything will be coming up rosy.

THE HARRIS AT 10

Two Extraordinary Concerts Not To Be Missed

Metropolitan Opera super star Stephanie Blythe with Les Violons du Roy, Bernard Labadie Artistic and Music Director

OCTOBER 17 AT 7:30PM

Performing glorious selections from Haydn's *Arianna a Naxos* and Handel's *Giulio Cesare*

G.P. Telemann	Orchestral Suite in C Major, TWV 55 :C6
F.J. Haydn	Cantata *Arianna a Naxos*, Hob XXXVIb :2
J.S. Bach	Orchestral Suite no 4 in D Major, BWV 1069
G.F. Handel	Empio, diro, tu sei, togliti (from *Giulio Cesare, HWV 17*)
G.F. Handel	L'empio, sleale, indegno (from *Giulio Cesare, HWV 17*)
G.F. Handel	Dall'ondoso perilglio – Aure, deh, per pieta (from *Giulio Cesare, HWV 17*)

Internationally acclaimed conductor Michael Tilson Thomas leads his New World Symphony, America's Orchestral Academy

OCTOBER 19 AT 7:30PM

Featuring musicians from the Music Institute of Chicago and soloists from Chicago Opera Theater Chicago debut of a Harris commissioned visual installation by Netia Jones, video artist/live video performer, in creative collaboration with Michael Tilson Thomas

Luciano Berio	Duets for Two Violins (1979-83)
Niccoló Castiglioni	*Inverno In-ver* (1973)
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< The pumpkin tarts are topped with a pastry sheet, simulating fall leaves.

Sweet Sixteen

Expect the unexpected at the Trump Hotel's sky-high restaurant

BY DAVID HAMMOND

Although Sixteen in Trump International Hotel is undeniably fine dining, boasting both a Michelin rating and Forbes Five-Star status, executive chef **Thomas Lents** is working to redefine the concept. He believes in serving upscale, high-quality food, but he eschews the idea that elegance equals stuffy; instead, Lents says he aims to "make fine dining approachable, and break down the stereotypes."

Thomas Lents

He does this by serving unexpected dishes with experiential components that encourage diners to interact with the food, the staff and each other. On the 16th-floor aerie of one of Chicago's most sophisticated buildings, diners can toast savory marshmallows on skewers over a tabletop fire and pore over whimsical leather-bound menus, replete with handwritten descriptions and archaic illustrations. "What we're really trying to do is find those common memories that tie us all together," says Lents. "Cooking over a campfire or flipping through a handcrafted book are moments that have a personal connection for all of us."

Lents is now serving autumn tasting menus at Sixteen, composed largely of new dishes, such as diver scallops with truffle and a celeriac soufflé, as well as variations on familiar favorites like rack of lamb and suckling pig. You can celebrate the harvest with tasting menus of four- ($105), eight- ($150) and 12-course ($210) dinners. Here's what else to expect at Sixteen this fall:

Chef stats: Born in Chicago, Lents was chef de cuisine at Joël Robuchon in Las Vegas when he got the call from Trump. For Lents, cooking has always been about quality, and that means making connections. "To achieve [quality], you need to have a personal relationship with producers," he says.

Appetizer board of chestnuts and lentils

Surprises: Early in the dinner, an appetizer is served that's mostly a pile of stones, interspersed with tiny seasoned chestnuts and balls of lentils. Eating this course is kind of like foraging, or hunting for treasure — not at all in line with traditional fine dining.

Vibe: Communal and fun, with the added bonus of awe-inspiring dish presentations and views of Lake Michigan and the Chicago River. Diners frequently serve themselves from large platters, family-style, because "we want people to interact," said sommelier **Dan Pilkey.** "Kind of like at a family dinner. There will be awkwardness sometimes, but that's all part of the experience."

Poetry: If there were a prize awarded for the most poetic menu descriptions, Sixteen's would be a major contender. Main courses on tasting and a la carte menus (all $50) include "The King Poisson and the Pressing of Autumn Fruit" (turbot, mushroom, cider fumet), "The Prize of the Shepherd's Return" (lamb, pepper jus, leeks) and "The Fatted Slaughter before Winter" (porchetta, confit turnips, chestnuts).

Fantasy: The tasting menu concludes with seasonally appropriate pumpkin tarts crafted by executive pastry chef **Patrick Fahy,** each topped with a pastry sheet that simulates autumn leaves. As the meal concludes, petite, colorful candies are served on a tiered platform as well as in a fanciful jewelry box — along with the check — to sweeten the deal.

401 N. Wabash, (312) 588-8030; Sixteenchicago.com

The 'new' guy

'New Girl' star and Chicago native **Lamorne Morris** plans his laugh-out-loud Sunday in the city

BY ZAK STEMER

Chicago native and "New Girl" actor Lamorne Morris wants to say something. He knows it won't make any sense (unless you're in the cast of "New Girl"), but he wants to say it anyway: "I want to tell Jake Johnson that he's real," Morris says, laughing.

That simple, completely random sentence perfectly encapsulates the relationship between Zooey Deschanel, Jake Johnson, Max Greenfield and Morris, the stars of Fox's hit series, now in its third season. On set, the gang plays roommates and best friends, and when the cameras stop rolling, not much changes. "We goof off in between every take," says Morris, who plays Winston Bishop, an unlucky-in-love emotional roller coaster and former Latvian basketball player.

The South Side native, 33, recalls a recent on-set moment with Damon Wayans Jr., who has reprised his role as Coach this season. "It's so different and funny [with Wayans on set]. There was a moment where our director of photography was giving Jake Johnson notes, and Damon reached over and started fondling [the director's] chest hair."

With so many shenanigans going on behind the scenes, it's no wonder the show's producers capitalize on the cast's chemistry. "I would say that 20 percent [of each episode] is improv," Morris says. Fans of the show have even more off-the-wall antics to look forward to. "Winston has gotten crazier and crazier," Morris teases, referencing his character's addiction to puzzles and obsession with a cat.

Morris himself is comparatively grounded. A College of DuPage alum, he bussed tables at Ed Debevic's in his early 20s before his big break. "I was good at goofing off," he remembers. "If I was late with food, at least I could make them laugh. I could insult them as much as I wanted and it'd still be appropriate."

At the same time, Morris was finding a bigger stage, performing with Second City. To this day, he counts many of his former castmates as friends. "I keep in contact with a lot of those people," he says. "I've done so many commercials or shoots where the people who hired me were Second City [alums]. It's a weird fraternity."

Though he's now based in LA, Morris maintains strong ties to the city where he grew up, returning several times a year to visit family in the 'burbs. And he credits his current success to his time spent waiting tables and honing his comedy chops in Chicago. "It was definitely the most influential thing in my career."

Here, the "New Girl" funnyman spends his perfect Sunday in his hometown.

Watch "New Girl" Tuesdays at 8 p.m. on Fox.

9:15 A.M.

Though it's early for Morris, he won't miss Sunday Mass with his mom at the Church of Christ in Colonial Village (12814 S. Lowe).

11 A.M.

Morris grabs brunch at Au Cheval (800 W. Randolph). His favorite? Scrambled eggs and foie gras ($18).

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A huge basketball fan, he heads to the United Center (1901 W. Madison) for a Bulls game. "I'm obsessed with basketball," Morris says. "Not even a joke. My TV is permanently on basketball."

6:30 P.M.

"This is going to sound so stupid," Morris says, prefacing his favorite dinner. "It's TGI Fridays' Jack Daniels chicken and shrimp [$16.40, 153 E. Erie]. I don't eat it in LA!"

8 P.M.

If he's not in the suburbs visiting family, he returns to the Second City stage (1616 N. Wells) to flex his improv muscles.

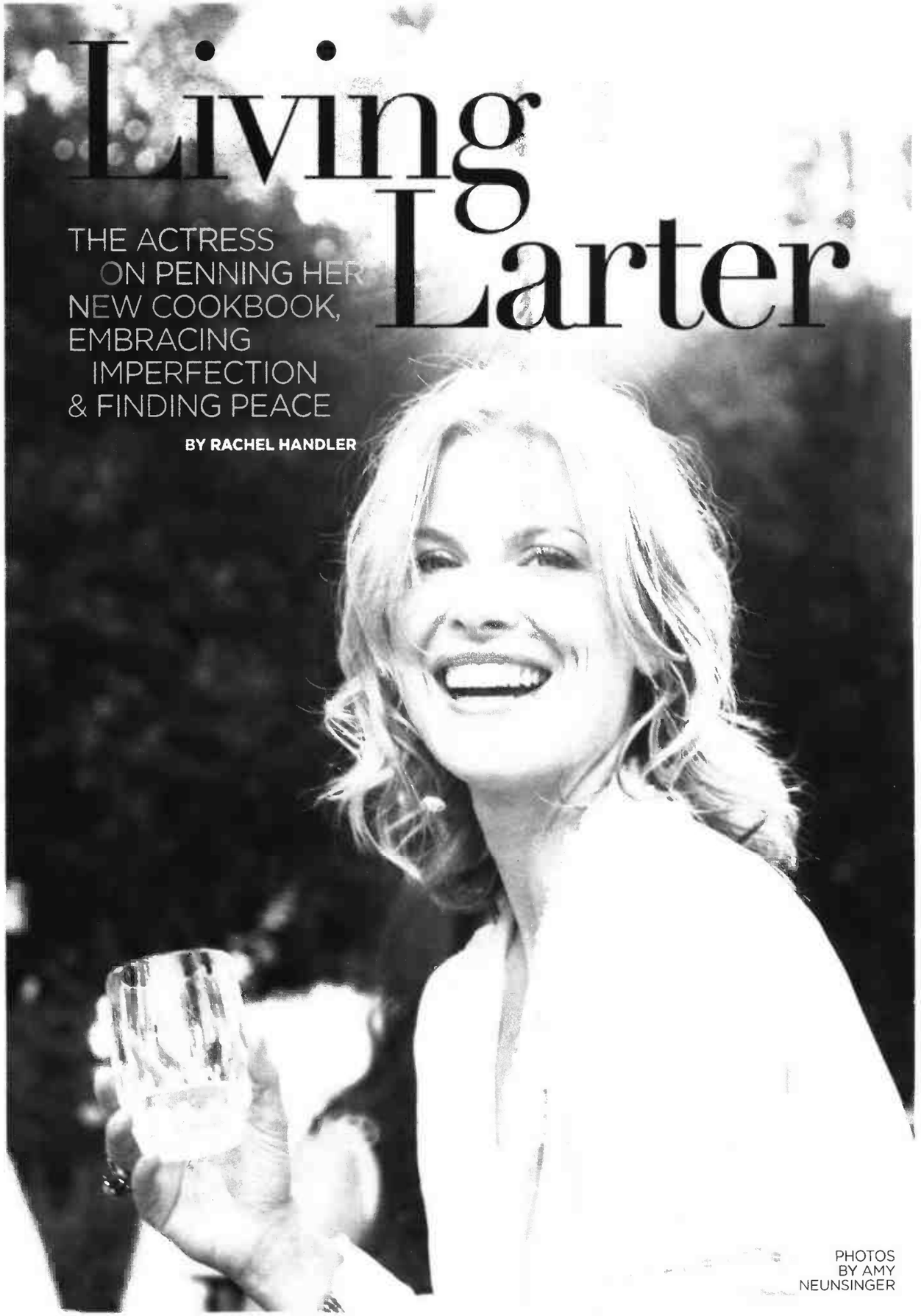
10 P.M.

The night ends at his former watering hole, Old Town Ale House (219 W. North), for a drink with friends.

Living Larter

THE ACTRESS ON PENNING HER NEW COOKBOOK, EMBRACING IMPERFECTION & FINDING PEACE

BY RACHEL HANDLER



PHOTOS BY AMY NEUNSINGER

Ali Larter cringes at the memory of her first dinner party, a disastrous affair she threw as a "young, struggling actress" in New York City. "I wanted it to be chic and I wanted everyone to relax, so I didn't start cooking until 10:30 p.m.," she recalls over lunch at Fred's at Barneys in the Gold Coast. "I wouldn't let myself sit in any conversations, and I was sweating, calling my mom and crying, never wanting to do it again."

Several years after swearing off the role of dinner-party host, Larter — now married to actor Hayes MacArthur — was charged with hosting his Chicago-based parents for their first Thanksgiving as a family. "I was terrified," Larter admits. In hopes of settling her nerves, she invited friends to a trial-run dinner a week before the holiday.

Unexpectedly, the evening turned into a raucous celebration. "It was this wild party, with red wine spilled all over the couch," she laughs. The messy, imperfect bash (which Larter now recreates yearly) led the self-proclaimed type-A personality to an epiphany that she now extends to every aspect of her life. "I realized it's you who makes the party. It's not the food, the apartment, the plates," she says. "Nothing tastes better than a great sense of humor, having fun."

That philosophy inspired Larter, 37, to write a cookbook, *Kitchen Revelry: A Year of Festive Menus From My Home to Yours,* released last month. The first-time author, who says she learned to love food at a young age while cooking with her mother and sister, worked on the book for several years, filling it with personal recipes, stories and photos. In true type-A fashion, she painstakingly organized it by month: tree-trimming cocktail party recipes for December, a February "sweetheart's soiree" and a July "Americana BBQ." But the dishes themselves are low-key and lived-in. "It's not about spending all of this money, putting all of this pressure on yourself," Larter says. "I shot the book in our home, with crumbs everywhere and lipstick on the glasses."

The carefree sensibility on display in *Kitchen Revelry* didn't come naturally to Larter. The knockout New Jersey native was discovered at the age of 13, and spent her teens traveling to modeling shoots around the globe before finding cinematic stardom in the late '90s, landing memorable roles in hit films like "Varsity Blues," "Final Destination" and "Legally Blonde." But despite her early success, Larter says she never felt good enough.

"I was questioning whether I even wanted to be an actress," she says of the several years she spent holed up in New York after finishing "Final Destination." "I didn't love the movies I was in, I didn't think I was good at acting. I was putting so much pressure on myself to be perfect. That's the

worst thing you can do as an actor, and it's not the way to approach life."

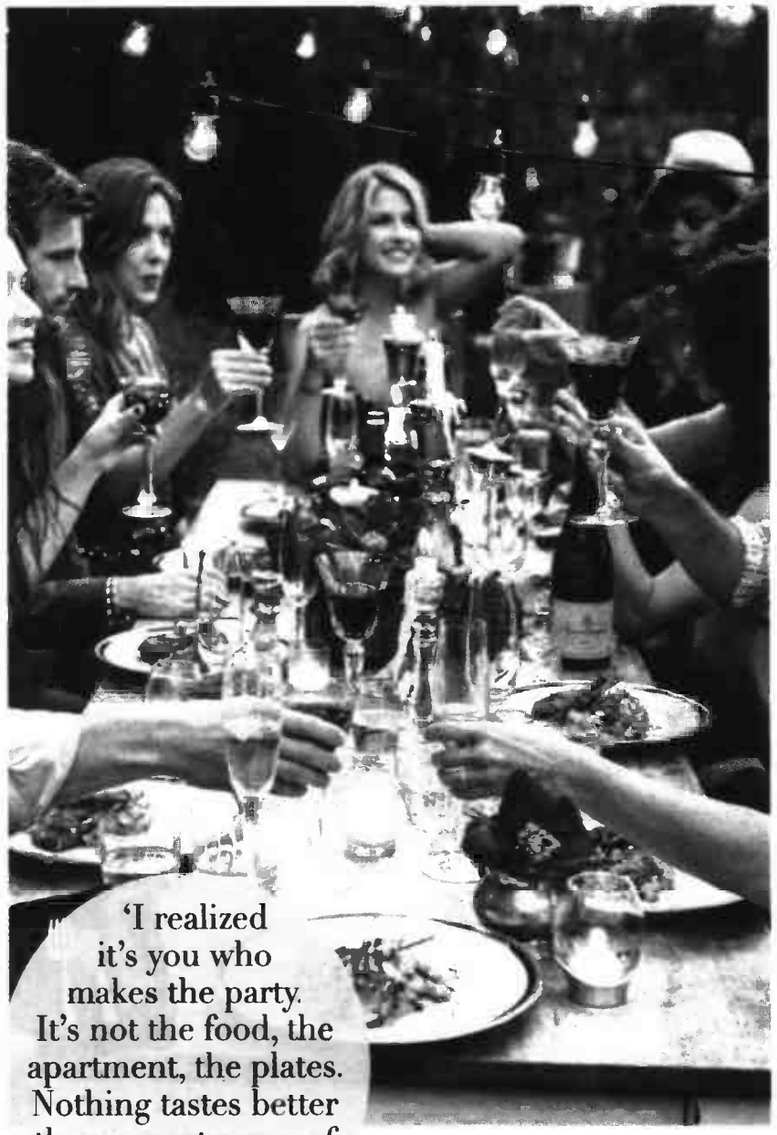
At her lowest point, Larter was ready to walk away from show business. Then she received a script for a TV series called "Heroes." "It was darkness before the light," she says, smiling. "I finally felt like I was on the right path." In 2006, Larter signed on to play the supernaturally strong Niki Sanders, and immediately became a part of a critically acclaimed global phenomenon. "Filming the first season will always be one of the best years of my life," she says. "There was excitement, there was fear — people really connected with that show."

"Heroes" not only solidified Larter's place in the zeitgeist, but also incited a philosophical shift. She explains her transformation with, appropriately, a food metaphor: "The lid was on so tight on this boiling pot — I was holding all of the pressure in. But as soon as I released it, I was able to enjoy my life rather than coming home at the end of the day crying because I wasn't good enough."

Behind the scenes, Larter was channeling her newfound peace into her relationship with MacArthur, whom she met while filming "National Lampoon's Homo Erectus" in 2007. Her mother-in-law, Shelley MacArthur Farley, laughs about a phone call she received back then from her love-struck son: "He said, 'Mom, I've met the girl I'm going to marry. Besides being beautiful, she can really cook.'" The LA-based couple wed in 2009, and had a son, Theodore (Teddy), in 2010. According to Farley, Larter and MacArthur are the real deal. "She really loves my son. We'll be standing somewhere, and she'll look at Hayes and say, 'Isn't he gorgeous?'"

The couple comes to town several times a year to catch up with the Farleys, take in a Blackhawks game (both are avid fans) and dine at Gibson's, a family favorite. "I'm really lucky to have ended up with a Midwestern man," Larter says. "He's just a really bright light. And I'm so lucky that his family is here … Chicago is full of really cool people who are enjoying their lives on a level that's different than in most cities."

Career-wise, Larter has continued to ascend post-"Heroes," acting alongside Beyonce and Idris Elba in the 2009 thriller "Obsessed," playing post-apocalyptic heroine Claire Redfield in two "Resident Evil" installments, and starring in two upcoming films, "You're Not You" and "Lovesick." Recently, she filmed the pilot episode of "Legends," a TNT drama from the producers of "Homeland" that's scheduled to premiere in the summer of 2014. The show may shoot subsequent episodes in Chicago, a prospect that thrills Larter. "I've been in LA for so long without any family, and to be close to people who can help out with Teddy would be incredible," she says.



'I realized it's you who makes the party. It's not the food, the apartment, the plates. Nothing tastes better than a great sense of humor, having fun.'

Larter could certainly use the extra support — she admits that managing her career, promoting her cookbook and playing mom can get a little stressful. "In the business I've chosen, it's not a marathon; it's sprints," she says. "There's always a lot on the line. There are so many hats to wear, and I feel overwhelmed all the time." But her lighter outlook, combined with some serious family time, helps keep her calm. "I go home, take the baby to the park, make dinner for the hub," she says. "We chill out together. That's where I get my strength." As for expanding her brood? "Later, we'll have more kids. But my son is happy and thriving, my husband is happy and working. Things are just really good right now."

Her joy is evident: Even as she gets up from the table to sprint to her next appointment, she's animatedly doling out cooking advice ("Make a homemade herb butter and do a pan-fried steak — it's not the easiest, but it'd be so fun") and detailing the parties she still regularly throws for her friends ("Last week, I hosted a football party with chicken cheesesteaks and wing dip; that was a big husband request"). Finally finding that contentment — as well as the courage to pursue her career on her own terms and embrace life's imperfections — is something that Larter doesn't take for granted. "I think of myself as juicing life," she says. "But I wouldn't have it any other way."

Role play

We ask Larter to look back at her classic roles:

'Varsity Blues,' 1999

Role: Beautiful cheerleader Darcy Sears, who, in a now-infamous scene, sports a bikini made of whipped cream

Q: What's the most common reaction you get to the 'whipped-cream bikini' scene?

A: Sometimes I see [friends] and they're like, 'Just watched it again,' and I'm like: 'You're still watching this movie? You're such a perv.' It makes people laugh, and it makes them remember a time in their life, and that's what makes what I do for a living really fun.

'Legally Blonde,' 2001

Role: Fitness instructor Brooke Taylor Windham

Q: Your character in the film confesses to liposuction. Would you ever consider plastic surgery?

A: It's not something that I'm comfortable with, but I think whatever makes a woman feel beautiful, they should do.

'Heroes,' 2006-2010

Role: Niki Sanders, a mom with superhuman strength

Q: Have you had any real-life heroic moments?

A: We were leaving the airport six months ago, and Teddy was getting into the elevator, and he ran into the doors as they were closing. I threw our bags down and was like, 'Aaaah!!!' and pulled the doors apart. He was so relaxed about it, but I was crying after because my adrenaline was pumping so hard. It made me realize that a woman could definitely lift a car [if she had to]. If I thought something was gonna happen to my son, I'd move heaven and earth.

'Final Destination,' 2000

Role: Clear Rivers, a teen who's convinced she's being stalked by Death

Q: Do you believe in the concept of destiny?

A: I believe that people have a destiny, but I also think if you stay in a room and don't open any of those doors, you won't fulfill what you're supposed to be doing on this earth. I really believe that if you honor your instincts and gut, it will lead you in the right direction. That's what I've always done.

THE BEAT GOES ON

BY ERIN OSMON

Fitz & the Tantrums, performing Nov. 22

Cyndi Lauper

Summer festival season is over, but don't put your concert-wear away just yet: There are a slew of spectacular live shows set to rip through Chicago this fall. From neo-soul to noise-pop, don't miss these must-see acts, hitting town through the end of November.

Janelle Monae

Oct. 21, 8 p.m. $31, The Vic, 3145 N. Sheffield; *Jamusa.com/events/janelle-monae*

The pompadoured queen of the tuxedo hits town to promote her futuristic, disco-laced record, "The Electric Lady."

Zola Jesus

Oct. 24, 7 p.m. $25, Garfield Park Conservatory, 300 N. Central Park; *Ticketfly.com/event/323947-zola-jesus-jg-thirwell-chicago*

If you haven't taken in a concert at the Garfield Park Conservatory, the experience is, in a word, divine. The otherworldly trill of avant-pop songbird Zola Jesus only heightens the effect.

Terakaft

Oct. 26, 8 p.m. $22 ($20 for Old Town members), Szold Hall, Old Town School of Folk Music, 4545 N. Lincoln; *Oldtownschool.org/concerts*

The international stars of the Tuareg music scene in Mali return with their "desert blues" sound, driven by intricate electric guitar work and mesmerizing melodies. There's no better way to feel worldly.

Jacco Gardner

Oct. 26, 9:30 p.m. $10, Empty Bottle, 1035 N. Western; *Emptybottle.com*

The vintage timbre of the Dutch multi-instrumentalist's baroque-pop catalog resonates with psych- and indie-rock fans alike. He plays on the heels of an excellent debut record, "Cabinet of Curiosities," released by local label Trouble in Mind.

Bettye LaVette

Oct. 28-29, 8 p.m. $38-$48, City Winery, 1200 W. Randolph; *Citywinery.com/chicago*

This sexagenarian soul singer has been wailing since

Jacco Gardner

age 16, but didn't find her place in the limelight until a 2005 release on ANTI-, the same record label that dusted off Mavis Staples.

Delorean

Oct. 31, 9 p.m. $18, Lincoln Hall, 2424 N. Lincoln; *Lincolnhallchicago.com*

"Apar," the new record from the Spanish alternative dance act, finds the quartet a bit more grown up, with richer production and a handful of guest female vocalists, including Caroline Polachek of Chairlift. However, there's no doubt that the dudes will still crank the dance party to 11.

Cyndi Lauper

Nov. 1, 8 p.m. $30-$95, Chicago Theatre, 175 N. State; *Thechicagotheatre.com*

The pop princess' iconic debut, "She's So Unusual," turns 30 this year. Concert goers will "She Bop" in style as the enigmatic vocalist cruises through her hits in this classy stage show.

Kanye West and Kendrick Lamar

Nov. 7 and 9, 7:30 p.m. $39.50-$199.50, United Center, 1901 W. Madison; *Unitedcenter.com/events*

With new record "Yeezus," his new baby North and an onslaught of social media insanity, Kanye West was inescapable this year. But we'd be lying if we said we weren't equally as excited for opener Kendrick Lamar, who ruled Lollapalooza just a few months ago.

Sleigh Bells

Nov. 10, 9 p.m. $26, Metro, 3730 N. Clark; *Metrochicago.com*

The Brooklyn duo continues to play in support of hot-off-the-presses record "Bitter Rivals," an album that highlights the "pop" portion of the band's noise-pop tag.

Chance the Rapper

Sleigh Bells

Mazzy Star

Nov. 13, 8 p.m. $35, The Vic, 3145 N. Sheffield; *Jamusa.com/the-vic*

After years of waiting for new music from the "Fade Into You" band, we couldn't have been happier with the dreamy, alternative act's new album, "Seasons of Your Day," their first studio release since 1996's "Among My Swan." Don't miss this rare live show — they could easily disappear again soon.

Fitz & the Tantrums

Nov. 22, 7 p.m. $27.50, Aragon Ballroom, 1106 W. Lawrence; *Aragon.com*

Though the neo-soul act's 2011 hit "MoneyGrabber" is still lodged in our craniums, the Los Angeles six-piece rolls through town to show off their new LP, "More Than Just a Dream."

Chance the Rapper

Nov. 27, 7:30 p.m. $21 in advance, $23 at the door, Riviera Theatre, 4746 N. Racine; *Jamusa.com/riviera-theatre*

Twenty-year-old hometown hero and on-the-rise hip-hop artist Chance returns to tear the roof off the Riv in support of his excellent 2013 joint "Acid Rap," which will no doubt make a string of "best of" lists later this year.

The mom code

How to handle it when your parenting choices are criticized

Dear Jenny,

I was recently "roasted" by people whom I thought of as close, loving family. The topic? My choices and abilities as a mother. Please understand my kids are not in harm's way, and are neither malnourished nor misbehaved. I always thought there was some sort of "mom code," which all moms secretly knew about, where you don't put your two cents in unless asked. I thought that moms weren't supposed to be hard on other moms, since we are all just doing the best we can (even if someone else doesn't agree). I guess I was wrong. How do you handle these situations?

— *Angela, Batavia, Ill.*

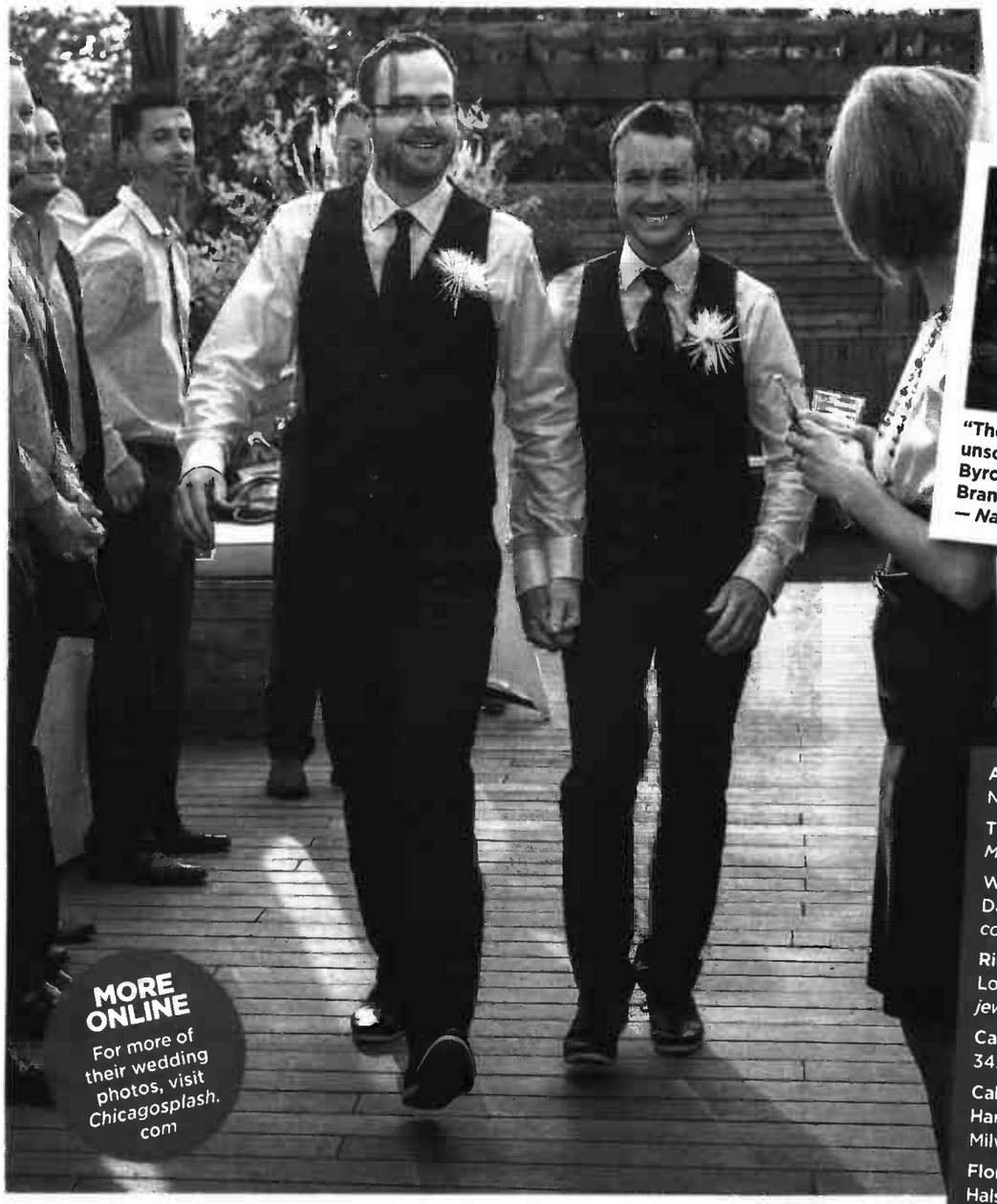
Send questions to *Askjenny @suntimes.com*

Jenny says: As you may or may not know, some of my choices for my son have been publicly scrutinized. I've had my judgment questioned, been looked down on, and flat-out challenged by mothers, grandmothers and even childless friends. Unfortunately, people do judge. Some will be quite vocal about their opinions, while others will bite their tongues. I understand it is painful dealing with critical family and friends, but in the end, you know your children best. I've learned the "eye of judgment" follows moms everywhere, and even the best parents are criticized.

Raising a child is difficult, and there are so many pressures put on mothers today. We have so many resources — from prenatal classes to thousands of child-rearing books to educational and medical websites — that we expect perfection from ourselves and everyone else. The reality is, there are so many different belief systems and upbringings that there is no possible way we will all agree on everything. But we can look at every situation through the eyes of the other parent. I agree with you, and believe most mothers are doing the best they can. I have learned criticizers project their own insecurities, negativity and fears onto others. I've also learned it's more important to do what I believe is best for me and my son, despite what other people think.

I know firsthand how difficult it is to hear hateful comments, which is why I refuse to be a hater. I listen when others have differing opinions and ask them to please share their thoughts kindly. We all have something valuable to bring to the conversation when it comes to raising children. When I'm around people who don't respectfully share their ideas with me, I walk away, or I bring the conversation to a close. Continue to foster a sense of self-awareness and positivity within yourself. Having that confidence and inner peace will help you remain happy when others try to bring you down with their negativity. Good luck and stay strong!

READ JENNY'S DAILY BLOG AT *CHICAGOSPLASH.COM*



"There was a six-minute long, unscripted dance-off between Byron and his brother/best man, Brandon. It was epic!" — *Nathan Nally*

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Byron Flitsch & Nathan Nally

BY KATERINA BIZIOS

When planning their Sept. 14 nuptials, **Byron Flitsch** and **Nathan Nally** decided not to make it all about them — instead, they were determined to celebrate their family and friends. The pair designed personalized save-the-dates (maps marked with their favorite places and relationship moments in Chicago) and passport-themed invitations (complete with photos of each guest), hand-etched champagne flutes and handmade signature-scented candles. "Our wedding was about those in our lives who helped us become the best people we could be in order to form this healthy and happy union," explains Flitsch. To make that union official, the couple chose a private rooftop in Lincoln Park with soaring skyline views. "We love Chicago, and it's where we fell in love four years ago," says Flitsch. "The city has defined us and deserved a front-row seat to the wedding ceremony." Splash Managing Editor Molly Each officiated the ceremony, telling the story of how they met and fell for each other. "We've never felt more love than in that moment," says Flitsch. To kick off the reception, the couple eschewed a traditional receiving line, instead stepping behind the bar to serve up drinks to their loved ones. "Every single person there wanted us to feel joy and pride. The love from our guests still gives me a buzz," says Nally.

CHEERS!

• We're toasting Macy's VP **Andrea Schwartz** and Northwestern Memorial Hospital's **Dr. Steven Stryker.** The pair got engaged on a recent trip to Paris, and plan on walking down the aisle in the spring of 2015.

• We're thrilled for Gold Coast Events founder, CEO and President **Danny Chaimson** and wife **Lara,** owner of Lara Chaimson Tutoring, who welcomed daughter **Portia Grace** Oct. 3.

• Cheers to Boldface Co. partner **Carolyn Pelissero** and **Nick Moretti,** owner of newly opened Wicker Park butcher/deli/bar/restaurant Chop Shop (2033 W. North) and its adjoining event space, 1st Ward, on their recent engagement.

• Congrats to **Bob Mariano,** who hosted **Mayor Rahm Emanuel** at the opening of the 12th Mariano's Fresh Market (1615 S. Clark) Oct. 5. The new South Loop location launched with a Gatsby-themed bash.

SEND US YOUR CHEERS!

If you have good news to share — or if you'd like your wedding featured — send a note to *Splash@suntimes.com.*

1658 N. Monticello

Love thy neighbor

As **Logan Square** heats up, surrounding 'hoods become cool bets

BY MADELINE NUSSER

At the start of 2013, a Redfin study named Logan Square the country's eighth hottest neighborhood; compared with the previous year, housing prices rose, inventory shrank and closings jumped a whopping 94 percent. The Northwest Side neighborhood's popularity should come as no surprise for those clamoring for a seat at its new restaurants or biking down its busy boulevards. While prices continue to climb and confidence in the housing market increases, folks angling to buy in trendy Logan might want to expand their search to nearby Humboldt Park or Avondale — both a stone's throw from the action.

"You can get more bang for your buck, big time," says Prudential Rubloff broker **Sophia Worden** (call 312-268-2723), whose 1657 N. Monticello listing sits just outside Logan Square's borders. According to Trulia, the median sales price in Humboldt Park is 72 percent lower than in Logan Square, and both offer similar housing styles and tree-lined parkways. Their vibe is similar, as well: "One of the best things about Logan and Humboldt Park is that they've been gentrified, but haven't lost their edge," Worden says. These qualities make this $445,000, 2,569-square-foot multifamily restored building — with original 12-foot-high tin ceilings, a two-car garage, backyard and access to the forthcoming Bloomingdale Trail park — a good way to get the Logan lifestyle for less.

LOVIN' LOGAN?

Those wanting to stay within the confines of hip Logan Square have a new option: Ranquist Development (whose 2012 "Flexhouse" sold before completion) will soon break ground on Flexhouse 2 at 2630-2658 N. Ridgeway. The uber-modern development by Philadelphia's ISA Architects comprises 15 row homes starting at $419,800. Each includes green and tech-savvy features, private yards, two-car garages and customizable finishes (see above for an artist's rendering). Construction begins this fall, but don't wait to buy — several houses are already under contract (call Koenig & Strey broker **Karen Ranquist** at 312-475-4542).

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Where there's smoke

Goodman Theatre's new show gives a surreal twist to family drama

BY THOMAS CONNORS

Things aren't going so well for one Michigan family. Violet is expecting twins, but the timing couldn't be worse: Her husband seems a bit lost, her daughter has gone mute and her father's memory isn't what it used to be. This family — characters in Noah Haidle's new play "Smokefall" — could well be the neighbors next door in this oft-surreal depiction of the sweet sadness of life. "Smokefall," the Goodman Theatre's newest production, is directed by Obie Award-winner Anne Kauffman and the stellar ensemble cast includes veteran actor Mike Nussbaum.

Mike Nussbaum, Katherine Keberlein and Eric Slater star in "Smokefall."

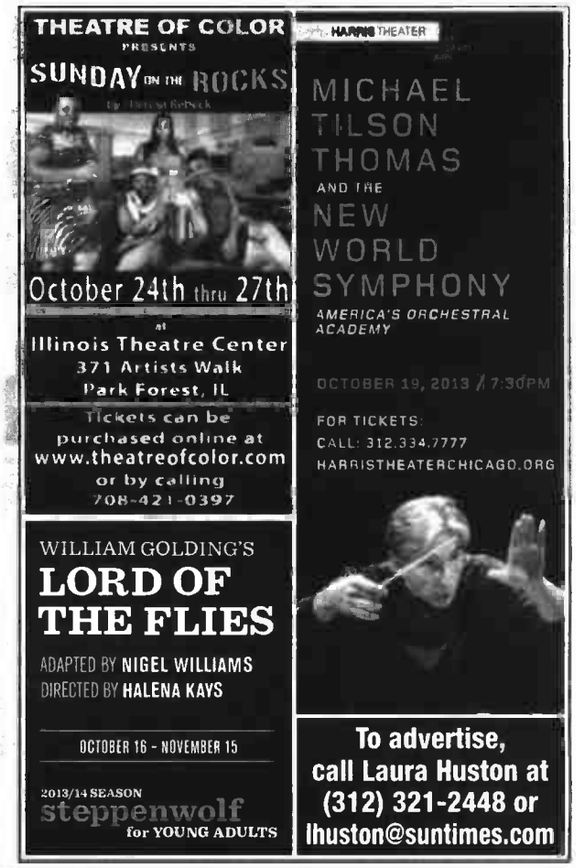
A product of Princeton and Juilliard, Haidle grew up in Grand Rapids and, after launching his career on the East Coast, returned to the Midwest, settling in Detroit. Hailed by The New Yorker as "formidably talented, with a sort of freewheeling intuitive daring," the playwright has a penchant for the unconventional (at one point in "Smokefall," the action takes place in Violet's womb).

"Non-naturalistic theater is my way to circumvent the question of, 'What does it mean to live in the world?' to get to the question that I'm obsessed by, 'What does it mean to exist?'" Haidle says. "It's a lot easier to investigate these questions — for me, anyway — when you've got two actors playing fetuses in a womb as opposed to two actors watching TV in their basement."

Though "Smokefall" has hints of the Thornton Wilder classic "Our Town," Haidle's take on family and home operates in a fashion all its own, and one more boldly peculiar. Yet his methods never overwhelm his urge to communicate a part of himself through his work. "My home, whether defined as a historographical location in time or as metaphor, has every part to play in my heart, and my heart, hopefully, beats in my work."

Kauffman, who also directed the show's debut at South Coast Repertory in Costa Mesa, Calif., says of the playwright: "He's interested in the fundamental and eternal questions, in societal tenets and paradoxes that seem to defy time. I think he's articulating the struggle we experience, the demons we encounter when life becomes unbearable and we wonder, 'Is this all worth it?' If we had a choice, would we do it all over again? I'm not sure there's a message in there, as much as an exploration of these questions."

"Smokefall" runs Oct. 5–Nov. 3 at Goodman Theatre, 170 N. Dearborn. For tickets, visit Goodmantheatre.org.



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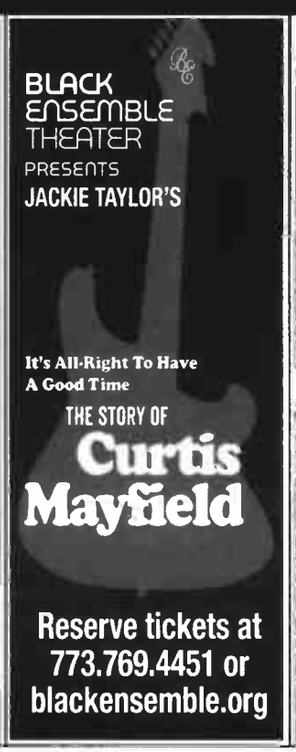

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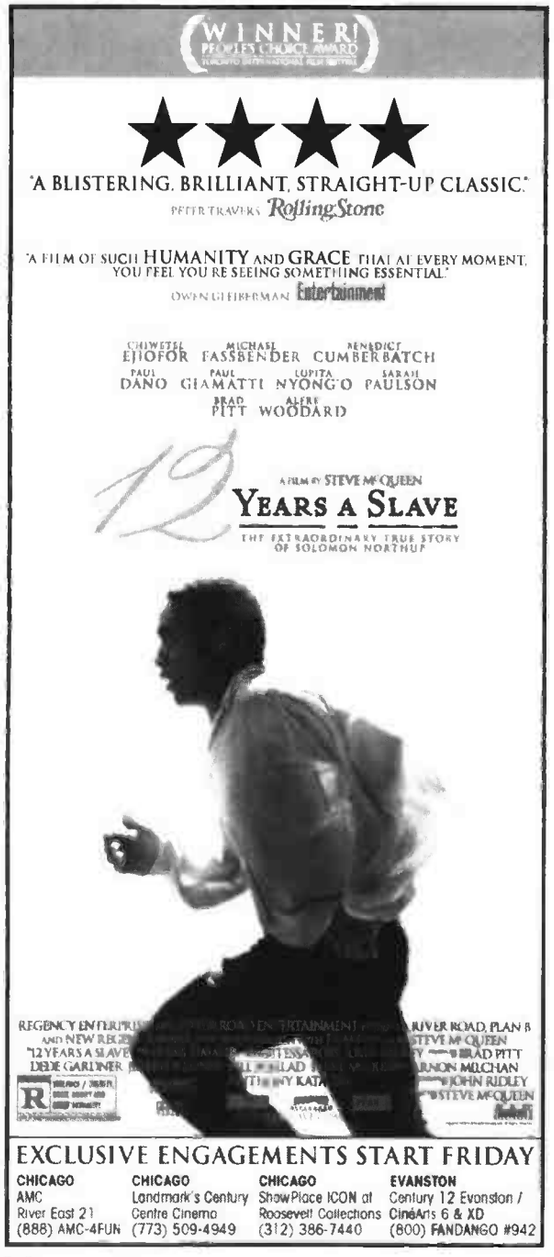
Bridal bonanza

Get hands-on help prepping for the big day at Chicago Bride magazine's 13th annual Bridal Expo & Fashion Show, held Oct. 20 at Navy Pier. Stop by from 11 a.m. to 4 p.m. to meet with wedding specialists, photographers, caterers and stylists — and leave with a swag bag. 600 E. Grand; *Chicagobridemagazine.com*

Supersonic style

Take in top fall trends at Supersonic Boom, a fashionable evening hosted by Akira Oct. 20 at Grossinger City Autoplex. Nosh on bites from Grass Fed, Black Bull, Moe's Cantina and more, and later, watch a breakdance performance from Brickheadz and indulge in mini-massages from ellehomme Holistic Med Spa. Don't miss the runway presentation, hosted by Splash cover girl Kristin Cavallari. Tickets start at $15, 1500 N. Dayton; *Shopakira.com/tickets*



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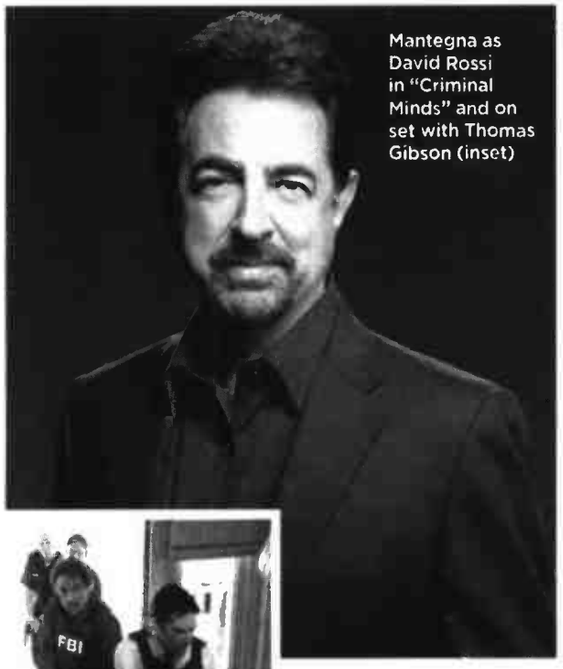
IN CHARACTER WITH ...

Joe Mantegna

The 'Criminal Minds' star on his close-knit cast and growing up in Chicago

BY LIZ CROKIN



Mantegna as David Rossi in "Criminal Minds" and on set with Thomas Gibson (inset)

Joe Mantegna, 65, still vividly remembers his West Side upbringing. "When I was a kid, the L train went right through our backyard," Mantegna says. "I'd go [out there] and wave to the conductor." Now Mantegna has a much bigger audience: He's playing FBI special agent David Rossi on the hit CBS show "Criminal Minds," currently in its ninth season. "We started strong again this year," says Mantegna, who rose to fame in the '80s and '90s starring in films like "Bugsy," "Alice" and "Searching for Bobby Fischer." "I don't see us leaving anytime soon."

According to Mantegna, the celebrated crime series is influenced by real events. "I've been to FBI headquarters ... one of the writers worked for the FBI Behavioral Analysis Unit," he says. But there's one major difference between the show and its real-life counterparts: "The FBI says, 'We wish we had that plane!'" laughs Mantegna, referring to the fictional unit's private jet. "It's become a character."

Role call: "[Rossi is] loosely based on a former author — an ex-FBI guy who became a novelist. [As Rossi] I have three former wives, was a successful writer and was one of the guys who started the unit. I don't take my pay. I just do it because I just want to be active and be in the thick of it, and it gives me material for my books."

Behind the camera: "I'm going to be directing one of the episodes [this season]. I do a lot with the military, so I wanted to do a military-themed episode. We hope to do an episode with Meshach [Taylor], who [plays a] homeless vet. I'll get him involved with a halfway house for vets called New Directions — it's a real place here in Los Angeles. So that will shoot over Thanksgiving."

Milestones: "We're combining episode 200 with our Christmas party. The entire company, crew, Teamsters — we're flying to Vegas. We care a lot for each other. There is genuine affection; for me, that was very important when I came in [during] season three, being the oldest guy in the group. I'm sure people were nervous with a new No. 1. It was my goal to make everyone as comfortable as possible."

Chicago connection: "My mother is still in Chicago, my brother is in Northbrook and my wife still has family there. All of our roots are there. [When I'm in town], I always go to Mr. Beef and any of the Rosebuds, Carmine's, too. I love the new Waldorf; I always stay there. We own a restaurant in Burbank called Taste Chicago — we serve Italian beef and deep-dish pizzas. I have Chicago jerseys on the wall: Walter Payton, Derrick Rose and Robin Ventura from the White Sox. But I'm a Cubs fan — on the show, you'll see Cubs stuff in my office."

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DON JON (R) 12:00-10:00
CLOUDY WITH A CHANCE OF MEATBALLS 2 (PG) ✗ ✗ 11:45-4:15-6:30-8:45
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BATTLE OF THE YEAR (PG13) ✗ ✗ 12:00-2:30-5:00-7:30-10:00
PRISONERS (R) 11:30-2:45-6:00-9:15
INSIDIOUS CHAPTER 2 (PG13) 1:15-3:45-6:15-8:45
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< "When you have as little hair as I do, you take all the help you can get."

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> "I don't need them. I have enough, but I can't stop myself."

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< "When I need to relax, I take a boat to the middle of a lake in Wisconsin and float. Jack Johnson must be playing."

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2. Walter E. Smithe: leather couch, $4,559, 2009 N. Clybourn; *Smithe.com*

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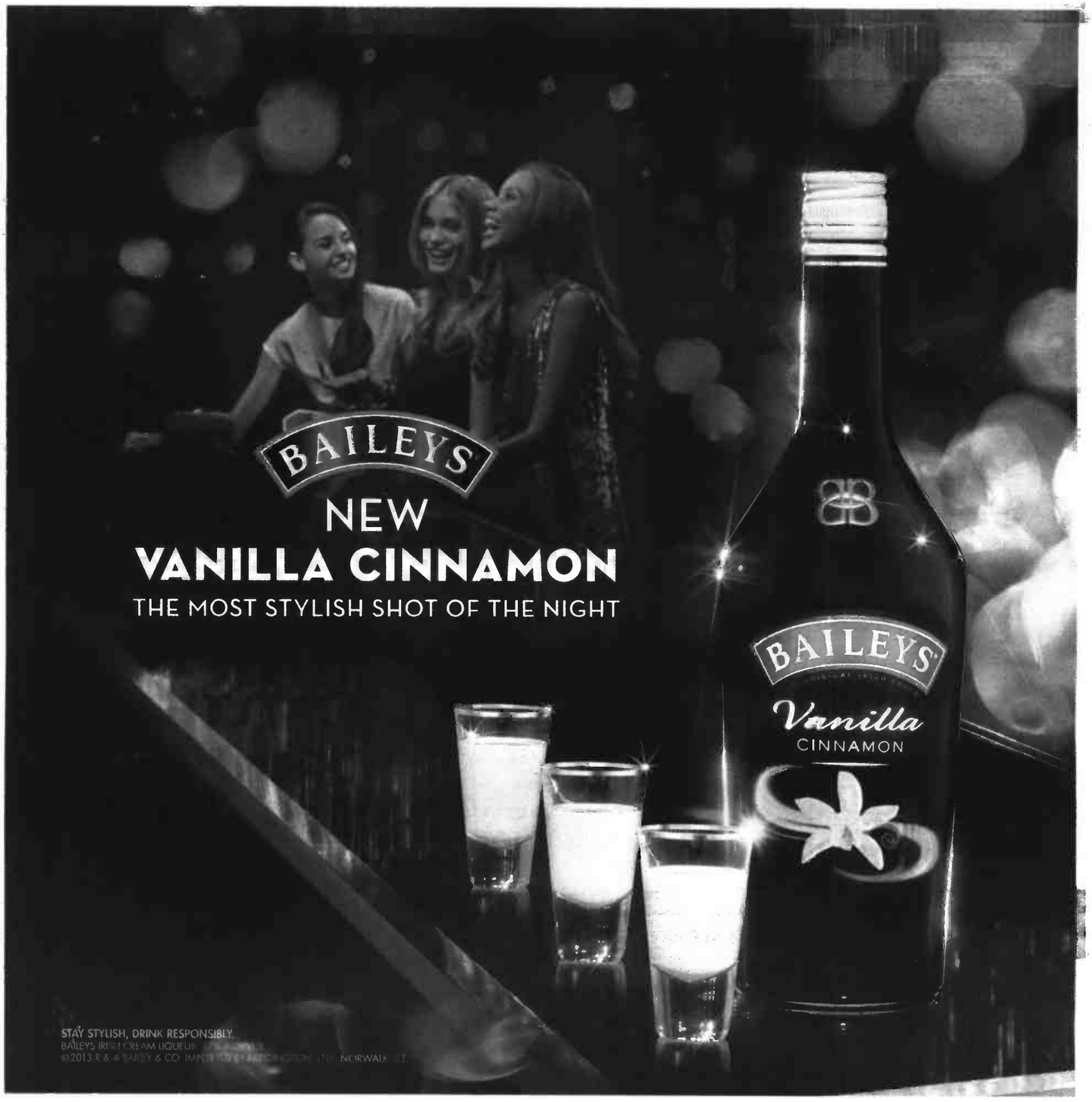
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Infiniti QX60 pushes luxury crossover limits

BY SUE MEAD
Motor Matters

Infiniti built the 2014 QX60 for families looking for three rows of seating, a spunky ride and decent fuel numbers. Formerly called the "JX35," Infiniti renamed it for 2014 to be more in line with its U. S. nomenclature.

Starting at $41,550 for the front-wheel-drive model, the 2014 Infiniti QX60 is a luxury crossover based on the underpinnings for the Altima, Maxima and Quest, and so has a more car-like feel and drive. It cuts an upscale, streamlined profile with a rear spoiler that caps the back end like a tasteful top-hat. Standard are 18-inch wheels, but it can be ordered with 20 inchers.

The interior of the QX60 is alluring with a modern art flair ... creative blending of shapes and character lines, and a center stack console that chieves a new level of classy.

The QX60 is powered by a 3.5-liter V-6 that gets 265 horsepower and 248 lb.-ft. of torque, mated to Infiniti's continuously variable transmission. The EPA fuel economy is 18 city/24 highway mpg (FWD) and 18/23 mpg (AWD).

We drove the Infiniti QX60 AWD close to 400 miles around town, but the centerpiece of our time in this family vehicle was taking my nieces, Faith, 11, Olivia, 9, on a road trip to a lake house in Vermont.

Their favorite feature was the front seat headrests with rear screens that allowed them to watch a movie. Mine was the soft ride and great audio system.

The third row seat provided extra stowage. The middle bench can slide fore and aft, and entry to the third comes from either side; the seat folds and slides forward.

Standard is a rearview monitor. Infiniti also offers a first: Around View Monitor, with four cameras that give a full 360-degree view of the vehicle's surroundings, as well as Moving Object Detection. Safety features includes Backup Collision Intervention. This system uses radar and sonar parking sensors at the back and in the rear bumper as an aid to scan for cross traffic and obstacles; it can come to a complete stop, reversing at speeds of up to 5 mph.

Infiniti offers a raft of special option packages. For example, the Premium package that includes navigation, the Around View Monitor, and Infiniti Connection telematics. A Theater package that adds a pair of 7.0-inch screens in the front headrests and two sets of wireless headphones. A Driver Assistance package includes Intelligent Brake Assist, blind-spot warning, Backup Collision Intervention, Distance Control Assist, and radar cruise control, The Deluxe Touring package upgrades to from 13-speaker to an 18-speaker Bose sound system, 20-inch wheels, and a rear roof glass panel.

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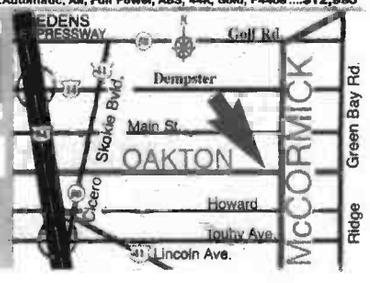

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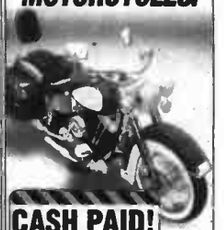

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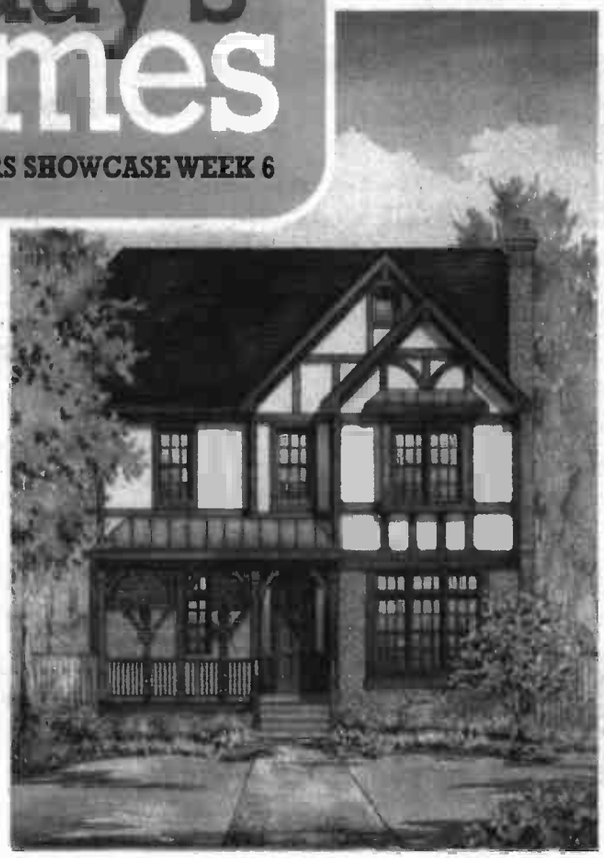

Special place: Kendall Place in Evanston wil consist of 19 single-family homes with approximately 3,000 to 6,000 square feet. The exteriors will reflect traditional architectural style while the luxurious modern interiors will more than meet the needs and lifestyles of today's homeowners. Pictured are drawings of two models. | SUPPLIED PHOTOS

Kendall Place comes to Evanston

Luxury home development nestled on choice North Shore site

North Shore Builders has announced its newest development, Kendall Place, a historically-inspired luxury home development located in northeast Evanston on the former site of Kendall College.

Comprised of 19 single-family homes with approximately 3,000 to 6,000 square feet, the exteriors will reflect traditional architectural style with luxurious modern interiors.

The community site is bordered by Sherman and Orrington avenues, and Colfax and Lincoln streets. Within walking distance of downtown Evanston, Lake Michigan, Northwestern University, parks and more, this premier location also offers easy access to public transportation, highways and a variety of entertainment and dining destinations.

"We are pleased to have this rare opportunity to build a brand new home development in the desirable location of Evanston," said Tony Meyers, vice president of North Shore Builders.

"Our team has spent months working with the Evanston Historic District to ensure that Kendall Place will fit seamlessly into the neighborhood. We are confident that we will provide both our clients and neighbors with a gorgeous new community of homes."

Of the 19 properties, 14 lots will be 45 feet wide by 165 feet deep, while an additional five lots will be 70 feet wide by 160 feet deep. All homes will include a two-car garage, full finished basement, and a manicured fenced front yard. Final pricing, luxury inclusions and floor plans have yet to be determined for each of the luxury homes.

Construction is expected to begin on the furnished model home before the holidays with initial homeowners moving in during this spring and summer of 2014.

For more information on Kendall Place, customers can call (847) 380-7316 or visit online at www.kendallplaceevanston.com.

SPECIAL ENCLAVE

Kinzie touts 'Home+Lot' at Heritage Estates

Chicago-based Kinzie Real Estate Group, a full-service real estate firm, has launched its "Home+Lot" program at the Enclave of Heritage Estates in Lake Barrington. Homesite sales at the gated, estate-style community began this summer.

Located just north of Route 22 near Gray Barn and Enclave lanes, Enclave of Heritage Estates includes 32 homesites ranging in size from 1.1 to 4 acres. They are priced from $119,900 to the mid-$200,000s. When purchased as part of Kinzie's "Home+Lot" program, prices begin at $675,900 for land as well as the completion of a semi-custom home measuring 3,200 to 4,800 square feet. The community features gently rolling topography, mature trees, preserved forest and two large ponds. Waterfront homesites are available.

"We're very excited about Enclave for many reasons, starting with the uniqueness of the property," said Jeanne Martini, director of sales and marketing for Kinzie. "The entire development has been dictated by nature, meaning the home sites have maintained the natural topography in order to fully preserve its rolling beauty."

"Then when one considers the variety of purchase options available — whether a buyer wants a home site to build their completely custom design or the convenience of the Home+Lot package — Enclave becomes an ideal option for a variety of buyers seeking space and tranquility in the desirable Barrington area," she said.

"With Home+Lot, buyers don't have to worry about securing a construction loan or about the carrying costs of the land throughout construction. That's because closing doesn't occur until the home is complete," Martini said. "And they also won't have the concern of having their custom plans approved by the village or navigating the permitting process. Kinzie handles it all."

Buyers who work with Kinzie will also have the added benefit of a personal design consultation.

"Customization options are available," Martini said. "Buyers can either choose from our selection of high-end standard finishes or work with our designers to tailor their floor plan and find the products that suit their style and vision."

Whether purchasing land or the Home+Lot package, all residents of Enclave of Heritage Estates will enjoy the prime location of the community. It is minutes from the shops and dining of downtown Barrington and the Barrington Metra station. The community is served by Barrington Community Unit District 220.

To visit Enclave of Heritages Estates, take Interstate 90 to Route 53 and head north. Turn right onto Lake Cook Road and right again onto Rand Road. Turn left onto Route 22 and right onto Kelsey Road, to Gray Barn Lane, which is the first right. Continue on Gray Barn Lane to Enclave Lane.

For more information, call (847) 315-0896 or visit www.enclaveliving.com.

Going home: Chicago-based Kinzie Real Estate Group has launched its Home+Lot program at the Enclave of Heritage Estates in Lake Barrington. Homesite sales at the gated, estate-style community began this summer. Pictured is a sketch of the XXXXXX model. | SUPPLIED PHOTO

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Where inspiration looms large

By Anne Thompson

LEGOs are the ultimate playtime accessory for a child's imagination, because they can literally bring new worlds to life with limitless possibilities for building. The famous LEGO Store at Mall of America® welcomes children and adults to a world of strange creatures built from these colorful blocks. Here is a closer look at what the LEGO Store has to offer to your family's next shopping adventure.

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Guests are welcomed to play and build from a huge pick-a-brick wall featuring 180 LEGO elements. Play tables are all around, and they can inspire your child in this colorful kid-friendly environment that you will not find anywhere else.

Larger-than-life creations

Some of the most impressive LEGO structures of all time have been assembled at the LEGO Store by expert builders who specialize in these toy structures. Currently there is a 34 foot tall LEGO robot standing over the store, but previous exhibits such as a working clock tower have stood watch over the area. There are also eight other structures—including an homage to the Teenage Mutant Ninja Turtles—that can currently be seen at the store.

Endless inspiration

The LEGO Store may be a little different every time you visit. This is because the possibilities for LEGO structures are so vast that the creative minds of professional LEGO builders are always bringing new visions to life.

To schedule your next visit to Bloomington, Minnesota's Mall of America, visit the website or call 952-883-8800 for a complete look at the mall's family-friendly activities. With 520 stores and 50 restaurants, visitors are entertained for days on end.

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Roll into October

Check out these and other great places to visit on WeekAway.com, where you can browse photo galleries, read reviews, and mark your favorite places!

Hilly Hundred Bike Tour

Bloomington, Indiana • Oct. 18-20

During the height of Indiana fall foliage, in mid-October each year, the Hilly Hundred Bike Tour takes place through the southern Indiana counties of Green, Monroe and Owen. The first Hilly Hundred took place in the summer of 1968 with 54 riders and started in Bloomington. Today, the event is sponsored by the Central Indiana Bicycling Association (CIBA).

The course goes through southern Indiana terrain, including rolling hills, so the terrain can include steep climbs and freewheeling descents. Cyclists come from over 40 states and a few foreign countries. The ride starts in the college town of Bloomington, Indiana, meanders through Morgan-Monroe State Forest, goes through the town of Spencer and ends in Ellettsville. Events are set up throughout the course to keep participants engaged in the fun. Events include live bands and free food.

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Looking for a little road trip this weekend? Check out one of these events within driving distance from Chicago.

Parke County Covered Bridge Festival

Parke County, IN • Oct 11-20

For the best in fall festivals it's hard to beat the Parke County Covered Bridge Festival. The largest festival in the state of Indiana and one of the largest in the Midwest, the 10-day, county-wide event always starts the second Friday in October and draws 1.5 million visitors each year.

Named among the 2009 Top 100 Events by the American Bus Association, and 2005 winner of Travelocity's "Big Secrets Local Finds," the festival was started 57 years ago as a three-day event to highlight the county's 31 historic covered bridges. A 3-hour drive from Chicago, the festival has expanded over the years throughout Parke County where you can visit quaint country towns, take in the colorful fall leaf colors and walk through a real covered bridge.

Harbor Village at Harbor Shores Groundbreaking

9:30 - 11:30 a.m., Fri., Oct. 18

St. Joseph, MI

Introducing a renewed vision in our long tradition of world-class hospitality on the waterfront featuring The Marina and The Inn at Harbor Shores. Please join us for a glimpse of what's soon to come. Explore the new hotel in progress and the exciting growth of Harbor Shores. Call 269-923-6690 or visit harborshoreslife.com for more information.

Highwood, IL

Pumpkin Festival
Oct. 17-20
highwoodpumpkinfest.com

Twin Cities, MN

Twin Cities Film Fest
Oct 17-26
twincitiesfilmfest.org

Mt. Vernon, IL

Fall Festival
Oct. 18-20
mtvernon.com

Metropolis, IL

Fort Massac Encampment
Oct 19-20
metropolistourism.com

Wisconsin Dells

Wisconsin Dells Autumn Harvest Festival
Oct. 19-20
dells.com

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TOP 5

Managing Editor Jennifer Thomas' picks for this week.

1. "Twelfth Night of the Living Dead," mixing Shakespeare's "Twelfth Night" and George Romero's "Night of the Living Dead," is on stage Oct. 18-26 at Gorilla Tango's Skokie Theatre, 7924 Lincoln Ave. GorillaTango.com.
2. Bonnie Raitt and Mavis Staples perform at 7:30 p.m. Oct. 20 at Rosemont Theatre, 5400 N. River Road. Tickets at Ticketmaster.com or (800) 745-3000.
3. Mystery novelist Sara Paretsky (pictured) discusses "Critical Mass" at 7 p.m. Oct. 23 at Barnes & Noble, 55 Old Orchard Center, Skokie. Visit Bn.com.

4. Theatre historian Charles Troy presents "The Creation of Wicked" at 1:30 p.m. Oct. 23 at Gorilla Tango's Skokie Theatre, 7924 Lincoln Ave. GorillaTango.com.
5. "RiffTrax Live: Night of the Living Dead" plays at participating local movie theaters, including Niles and Evanston, at 7 p.m. Oct. 24. FathomEvents.com.

Boo who?

Where to scare up some Halloween fun

Boo-tastic Bash

Brickton Art Center's second annual Halloween celebration will be held 1-4 p.m. Oct. 20 at the South Park Recreation Center, 833 Talcott Ave., Park Ridge. Tickets are $15 per child, with free admission for children under age 1 and parents. Ticket price includes a pumpkin to decorate, a commemorative photo, costume contest, goody bag and Brickton Art Center craft projects. There will also be performances by Jodi Koplin's Jigglejam Band and DJ Dave. Visit www.bricktonartcenter.org or call (847) 823-6611.

"Tricks and Treats"

Held Oct. 30, with festivities beginning in Uptown Park Ridge at 5 p.m., including wizard-themed activities at the library and Metra station. The Park Ridge Park District will offer face painting, and there will be trick-or-treating at local merchants and scary storytelling, followed by a costume parade led by Mayor Dave Schmidt at 6:30 p.m. to the Pickwick Theatre for a concert of Halloween-themed music on Pickwick's grand pipe organ and by the Park Ridge Civic Orchestra. Concert tickets are $15; $5 for children; $25 family ticket. Visit www.parkridgecivicorchestra.org or call (847) 692-7726.

"Twelfth Night of the Living Dead"

Presented 9 p.m. Fridays and Saturdays, Oct. 18-26, at Gorilla Tango's Skokie Theatre, 7924 Lincoln Ave., Skokie. The show mixes text from "Twelfth Night" and "Night of the Living Dead" in addition to original material by Bryan Renaud to present just what happens when a zombie apocalypse plagues a production of one of the bard's funniest comedies. Tickets: $15. Visit www.gorillatango.com or call (847) 677-7761.

"Ghouls and Ghosts"

An afternoon of scary stories for kids will be at 4 p.m. Saturdays and Sundays, Oct. 19-27, at Gorilla Tango's Skokie Theatre, 7924 Lincoln Ave., Skokie. Tickets: $12. Visit www.gorillatango.com or call (847) 677-7761.

Fear City Haunted House in Morton Grove

Boo! at the Zoo

The annual Halloween celebration will be held 11 a.m.-4 p.m. Oct. 19-20 and 26-27 at Brookfield Zoo, located off First Avenue between the Stevenson (I-55) and Eisenhower (I-290) expressways, Brookfield. Highlights include a corn maze, special Zoo Chats, haunted hayrides, pumpkin-carving demonstrations, and a costume parade and contest. Admission to Brookfield Zoo is $15 for adults; $10.50 for children ages 3-11 and seniors 65 and older. Parking is $10. Visit www.CZS.org/Events or call (708) 688-8000.

Sci-fi Halloween double feature

Northwest Chicago Film Society presents "The Gamma People" (1956) and "The Beginning of the End" (1957) at 7:30 p.m. Oct. 30 at the Patio Theater, 6008 W. Irving Park Road, Chicago. Admission is $5. Visit www.northwestchicagofilmsociety.org.

Scream Scene

Open 7-10 p.m. Oct. 18-19, 24-25, 26 and 31 at Oakton Park, 4701 Oakton St., Skokie. Guests will make their way through a maze of creepy rooms, featuring crazed butchers, chainsaw maniacs and ghoulish monsters. Not recommended for children under 10 years old. Admission: $9 per person; Oct. 24 Discount Day, $7 per person. "Lights On" Haunted House, 11:30 a.m.-2 p.m. Oct. 19 and 26; $3 per child, $2 adults. Visit www.screamscene.org.

Ex-Scare-Itorium

Celebrate Halloween with carnival games, prizes, crafts, balloon artists and family entertainment, 10 a.m.-noon Oct. 26 at The Exploritorium at the Oakton Community Center, 4701 Oakton St., Skokie. Costumes encouraged. Admission: $1 adults; $10-$12 children; free for children under age 2. Visit www.skokieparks.org.

Fear City Haunted House and Carnivale at Fables Studios

Open Oct. 17-20, 23-27, 30, 31 and Nov. 1-2 at 8240 N. Austin Ave., Morton Grove. Fear City Chicago shows from 7:30-11 p.m.; Carnivale at Fables Studios shows from 7:45-11 p.m.; Fridays and Saturdays both shows until midnight; Oct. 30-31, both shows until midnight. Approximately 20-30 minutes per experience; up to one hour for both haunts. Recommended for ages 12 and up. Admission: $25 for Fear City only; $15 for Fables Studios only; $35 for both haunts; $10 VIP Fast Pass Upgrade. Visit www.FearCityChicago.com.

Screams in the Park

Open through Nov. 2 at MB Financial Park at Rosemont, 5501 Park Place, Rosemont. Hours are 8 p.m.-midnight Fridays and Saturdays, 7-11 p.m. on select Wednesdays, Thursdays and Sundays. Tickets: $15-$25. Not recommended for children under age 13. Call (847) 349-5008 or visit www.ScreamsInThePark.com.

TABLEHOPPING

The 27 Live crew (from left): general manager Gary Mendelson, sous chef Joe Moore, executive chef Charles Andersson, owner John Tasiopoulos, and director of special events Charlie Athanas. | LEE A. LITAS/FOR SUN-TIMES MEDIA

27 Live kicks it up a nosh

BY LEE LITAS
Dining Columnist

27 LIVE
1012-14 Church St., Evanston
(855) 927-5483; www.27live.com

The name is as intriguing as the meaning: 27 Live is a positive spin on a gruesome statistic, standing for all the iconic musicians who died at age 27, including Jimi Hendrix, Janis Joplin, Jim Morrison, Kurt Cobain and Amy Winehouse.

"There is a total of 44 of them," said John Tasiopoulos, owner of Evanston's 27 Live. Tasiopoulos wants to celebrate the lives of these legendary figures in his 14,000-square-foot space replete with full-sized stage, party rooms, a whiskey lounge and restaurant serving upscale nosh.

The music stage opened last winter, but the restaurant and whiskey lounge just got under way Oct. 3.

The entire endeavor was a dream project for Tasiopoulos, who grew up on Led Zeppelin and Hendrix after immigrating to Chicago with his parents from Tripoli, Greece.

Already a successful restaurateur with his Old Neighborhood Grill in Evanston, Tasiopoulos was looking to do something that blended entertainment with hospitality.

So, on the cusp of his 50th birthday, the classic rock aficionado struck out with his newest baby. His dream team soon fell into place when an executive chef keen on upping the ante in the kitchen came aboard.

"I put all my love into it and then I let the food speak for itself," says chef Charles Andersson.

Tasiopoulos chose upscale American eclectic for the cuisine. "The good thing about Americana is that it allows you to change it up according to seasonal offerings, which other cultures don't," he said.

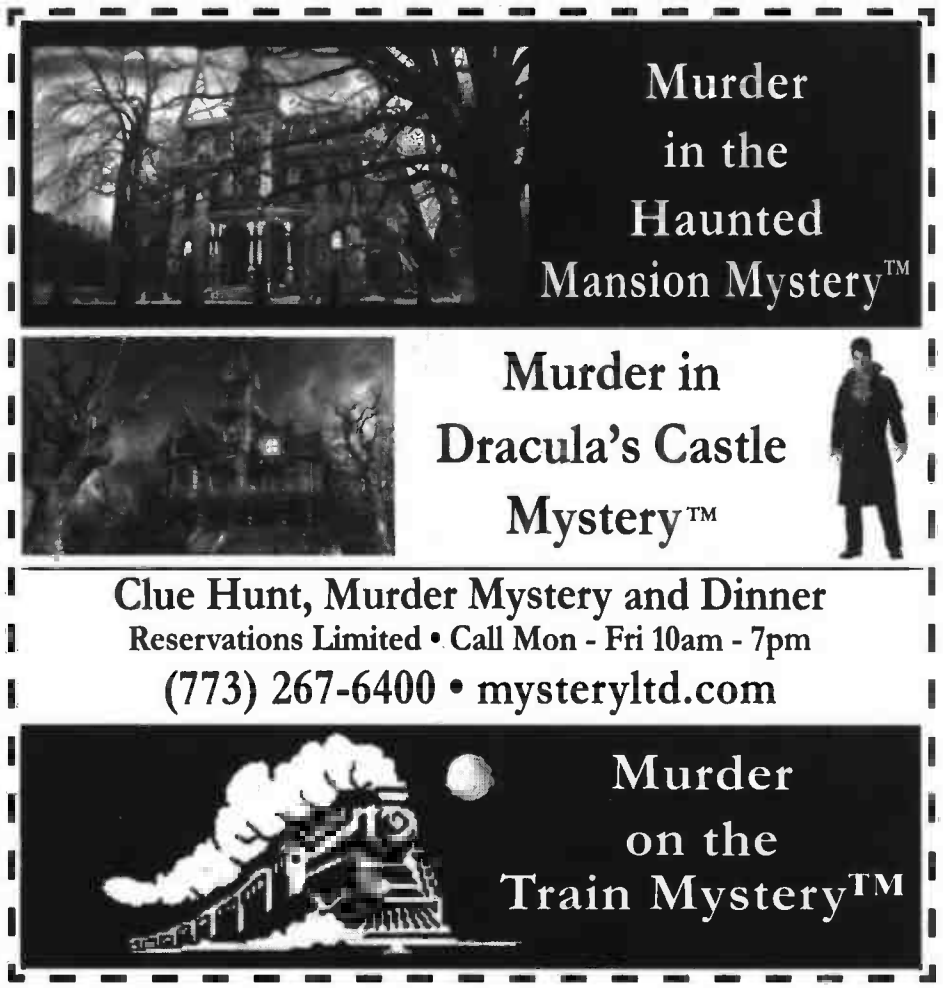
The Milanese duck egg sandwich is an inspired convergence of cultures, offering a breaded and fried soft-boiled egg atop a bed of marinated and grilled forest mushrooms and leeks on crispy brioche toast ($8). The creamy center of the yoke veritably melts over the presentation, creating its own sauce.

Simple sandwiches are rendered not-so-simple: like the salmon pinwheel which, in a play on the lox-and-bagel staple, is served atop a garlic aioli-buttered brioche roll with cucumbers, arugula, red onions and tomato ($10).

"I like using flavors that people already know and love, and then putting a little twist on them," Andersson says.

The fall vegetable pot pie offers fat Cippoline onions, butternut squash, hearty turnips and rutabaga inside delicate puff pastry ($15). And the spiced sour cherry compote sings the praises of the tender duck confit ($19).

There are plans to eventually offer a free dinner to any musician on their 28th birthday. In the meantime, "Feel free to come in, let your hair down, relax and have a great time," says Tasiopoulos.



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FAMILY FRIENDLY

Kids take to stage with spooky stories

BY MYRNA PETLICKI
For Sun-Times Media

Gorilla Tango Skokie Young Artists rehearse for "Ghouls and Ghosts."

Some kids have vivid imaginations. The Gorilla Tango Skokie Young Artists have used theirs to create "Ghouls and Ghosts," an afternoon of scary stories that they will perform at 4 p.m. Saturdays and Sundays, Oct. 19-27, at Gorilla Tango's Skokie Theatre, 7924 Lincoln Ave.

"We literally started with nothing," said director Victoria Montalbano of her writers/actors, ages 8-13. "The first day we spent brainstorming ideas. From there, we came up with an outline and then I wrote it."

One story is about a theater haunted by the ghost of an actress who died there. The kids decided to have people who are putting on a show in the theater discover the ghost.

Montalbano reported that none of the six stories is "super scary," so the show is suitable for even young children. It also helps that each of the stories is short. "The longest one will only be about 10 minutes," Montalbano said.

Tickets are $12.

For details, call (847) 677-7761 or go to www.gorillatango.com.

'TOONS AND TREATS

An old-fashioned popcorn machine will pump out snacks during Saturday Afternoon Cartoons and Comics, 1-2:30 p.m. Oct. 26 at the Niles Historical Society and Museum, 8970 N. Milwaukee Ave. In addition to viewing cartoons, kids and parents can watch a cartoonist at work. There will also be goodie bags and treats and a chance to pose for photos with animal characters.

For details, call (847) 390-0160 or go to www.vniles.com.

SIGN OF THE TIMES

Learn to communicate with your baby or preschooler in a new way at Baby Signs, 10:30-11:30 a.m. Fridays, Oct. 25-Nov. 8, at the Skokie Public Library, 5215 Oakton St. At each class different signs will be taught by American Sign Language interpreter Jamie Stevens. No registration is required.

For details, call (847) 673-7774 or go to www.skokielibrary.info.

CANINE CAPERS

You'll see more than 40 dog tricks during Amazing Woofs Gone Wild!, 2-3 p.m. Saturday, Oct. 19, at the Morton Grove Public Library, 6140 Lincoln Ave. The dogs will perform such tricks as turning on lights and jumping through hoops.

For details, call (847) 965-4220 or go to www.mgpl.org.

MORE DOGGONE FUN

A paws-on favorite comic strip pooch is the lead character in "Snoopy!!! The Musical," presented at 10 a.m. Saturdays, Oct. 19-Nov. 2, and 4 p.m. Sundays, Oct. 27 and Nov. 3, at the Wilmette Theatre, 1122 Central Ave., Wilmette. The Actors Training Center Repertory Company's production features young actors. Tickets are $15 in advance, $18 at the door.

For details, call (847) 251-7424 or go to www.wilmettetheatre.com.

Send us your holiday bazaar information

Pioneer Press will publish its annual holiday bazaar roundup in the Nov. 7 issue. To have your bazaar, craft fair or boutique in the listing, please send information about the event, including time, date, venue address and short description, to Susan Parker at sparker@pioneerlocal.com. Deadline for submissions is Oct. 25.

ART EXHIBIT

Global visions of New Zealand, Iceland

BY MYRNA PETLICKI
For Sun-Times Media

Houses appear in the most unexpected places in the unique paintings of Skokie artist Jacqueline Moses. It's what's happening around those houses that is most arresting, though. Each work delivers a message about the destruction we are causing the environment.

Moses will exhibit some of her latest work in "New Zealand-Iceland: Global Visions," Oct. 20-Nov. 14 at Spectrum Fine Art Gallery in Highwood. The works were inspired by the artist's recent trips to those two countries.

Moses began noticing that whenever she traveled, artists would take her to areas where dams and other manmade contrivances were damaging the environment. The ravages of those dams and the effects of global warming are apparent in many pieces in the current show.

While she travels, Moses takes numerous photographs. "I love doing photographs," she said. "Then I'm miserable for about two or three weeks because I'm thinking about what kind of paintings to do. Then I print all kinds of pictures and figure out what's going to work together."

"Seddenville-no dam"

Each piece begins with the artist transferring a photographic image onto a canvas — generally of a landscape. She then transfers other images, usually one or more houses that she photographed in the same country but not at the same location. She works in oils, using vivid colors.

Moses, who has been painting since childhood, earned a bachelor of fine arts degree in painting from the School of the Art Institute of Chicago evenings while teaching second and third grade in an inner city school. She also earned a master's degree in photography from Northern Illinois University.

"Coromandel Peninsula along Hauraki Bay-2020"

'NEW ZEALAND-ICELAND: GLOBAL VISIONS,' AN EXHIBIT OF WORKS BY JACQUELINE MOSES

4-8 p.m. Thursdays, 12:30 p.m.-8 p.m. Fridays and Saturdays, noon-5 p.m. Sundays and by appointment

Opening reception is 3-6 p.m. Sunday, Oct. 20

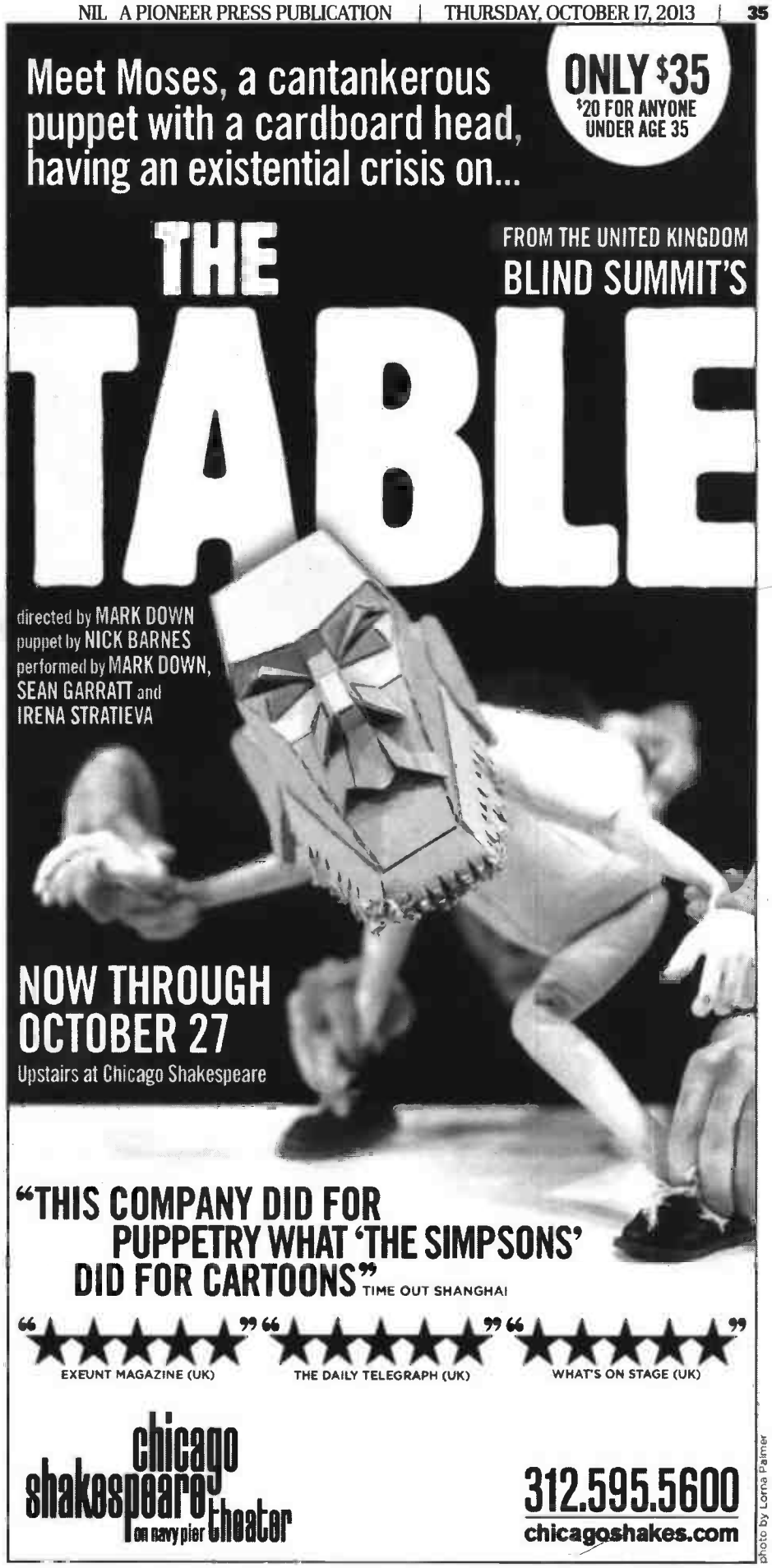
Spectrum Fine Art Gallery, 47 Highwood Ave., Highwood

(847) 926-3294; www.spectrum-fineart.com

"Hector along the coast"

Spectrum Fine Art Gallery, where Moses' exhibit is being held, features artwork by its five founders, painters Diane Nelson (Northbrook), Susan Chertkow (Wilmette), Jill Raizin (Lincolnshire) and Arlene Harris (Highland Park), and fabric artist Charlotte Kaplan (Wilmette).

"We've long admired (Moses') work and I think she's at the peak of her career now," Chertkow said. "We marvel at the way she continues to grow and evolve, and how she can tap into that rich imagination of hers and express her ideas."



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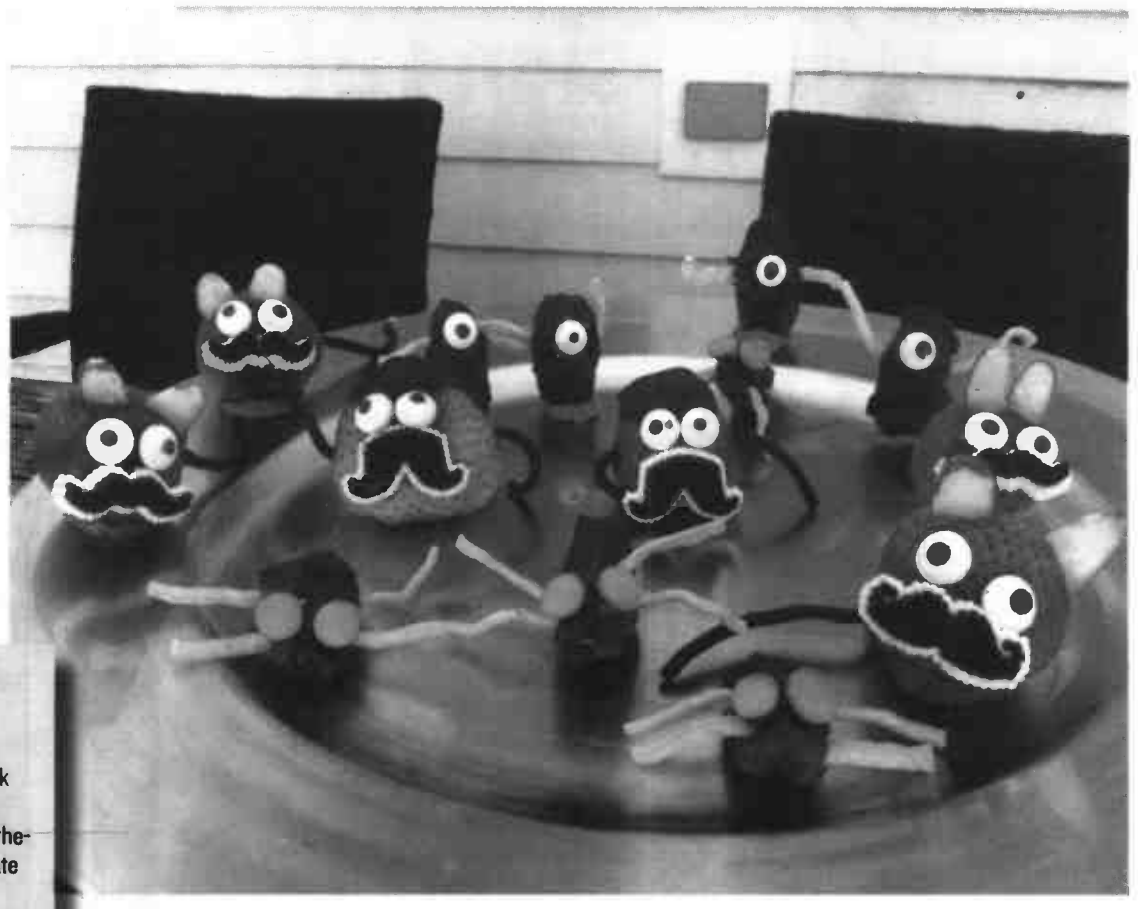
Halloween 2013: Terror-ific treats and bootiful eats

Get in the Halloween spirit with frightfully fun activities that put the eek in chic!



SWEET SUPPORT FOR THE TROOPS

Once again Operation Gratitude is organizing a Halloween Candy Buy-Back program. Visit http://opgrat.wordpress.com/2013/07/18/halloween-candy-for-the-troops/ to learn how your kids can donate their Halloween candy to our troops overseas.

DE-LIGHTFUL SLAP BAND BRACELETS

Forget diamonds, these glow-in-the-dark bracelets are a ghoul's best friend. They're easy to make, budget-friendly, and are a great activity for classroom parties.

You need:

Slap band bracelets (available at most party supply stores)

Glow-in-the-dark duct tape

Scissors

Directions:

Remove outside layer of slap band so you are left with a thin metal strip.

Measure and cut duct tape so that it's about ½ inch longer than slap band (on both ends). Lay slap band, rounded side up, on duct tape.

Wrap duct tape around bracelet, then place a second strip of duct tape on top of the bottom piece to ensure you don't have overlapping sticky edges.

Slap bracelet on wrist and enjoy.

Thank you to Kristen Stephens and Vikram Goyal at www.craftgossip.com for sharing this "bright" idea.

CREEPY CRAWLY PLATTER

I love this activity because it's open-ended, creative and incorporates healthy ingredients such as dates and strawberries.

You need:

Dates

Strawberries

Black candy melts (available at craft stores and in the baking aisle at most grocery stores)

Chow mein noodles

Candy eyes (available at craft stores and in the baking aisle at most grocery stores)

Candy mustaches (available at craft stores and in the baking aisle at most grocery stores)

Almond slivers

Licorice rope

Red hots

Cream cheese

Waxed paper

Directions:

Place candy melts in the microwave for 20-30 seconds or until melted.

Prepare Strawberry Men and Date Bugs by dipping the tops of some strawberries and dates in the melted candy and then placing them on waxed paper until cool.

Prepare Cyclops by covering the remaining dates with melted candy and placing them on waxed paper until cool.

Place cream cheese, chow mein noodles, red hots, licorice ropes, candy eyes and mustaches in separate bowls. Encourage kids to use the cream cheese as glue as they add eyes, legs, arms, ears and mustaches to the dates and strawberries. Boo-tiful!

TOP: Strawberry Men, Date Bugs and Cyclops are Halloween treats that are fun to make.
ABOVE: Halloween-themed glow-in-the-dark duct tape turns ordinary slap band bracelets into something spooktacular.
RIGHT: The Wicked Web is a great craft for small children.

WICKED WEB

Admittedly there's nothing wicked about this web other than the name. In fact, this "old school" craft is actually a fun and festive way to help little ones work on their fine motor skills and hand-eye coordination.

You need:

Paper plates

Scissors or hole punch

Yarn

Plastic spiders (optional)

Directions:

Punch holes around the perimeter of the paper plate with scissors or a hole punch.

Tie a knot at the end of a long piece of yarn.

Have kids create a web by threading the yarn through the holes of the plate. Keep going until all of the yarn is used.

If desired, add plastic spiders.

GO CALENDAR

BY WRAPPORTS NEWS SERVICE

THURSDAY, OCT. 17

Russ Williamson
8 p.m.: The comic and "Chicago Fire" actor performs. Zanies Comedy Night Club Rosemont, 5437 Park Place, Rosemont. Call 847-813-0484. $20.

FRIDAY, OCT. 18

Friday Morning Movie Club: 'Rear Window'
10 a.m.: The 1945 classic tells the suspenseful story of a photojournalist trapped in a wheelchair and his fiancee as they secretly watch a neighbor who they suspect of murder. It stars James Stewart and Grace Kelly. 112 minutes. Park Ridge Public Library, 20 S. Prospect Ave., Park Ridge. For more information, call 847-825-3123.

Drop-in Junior Story Time
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.

'Much Ado About Nothing'
1:30 p.m.: This 2012 adaptation of Shakespeare's text, from filmmaker Joss Whedon, tells the story of two pairs of lovers and their different views on romance. Starring Alexis Denisof, Amy Acker and Fran Kranz. 109 minutes. Skokie Public Library, 5215 Oakton St., Skokie. Call 847-673-7774.

Film Lover's Friday: 'A Band Called Death'
1:30 p.m.: A 2012 documentary directed by Mark Christopher Covino and Jeff Howlett. 98 minutes. Elmwood Park Public Library, 1 W. Conti Parkway, Elmwood Park. Call 708-453-7645.

'Oblivion'
6:30 p.m.: In this 2013 sci-fi thriller, a man assigned to look after Earth's remaining resources begins to question his mission. Starring Tom Cruise, Morgan Freeman and Olga Kurylenko. 124 minutes. Skokie Public Library, 5215 Oakton St., Skokie. Call 847-673-7774.

Things That Go Bump in the Night
6:30 p.m.: A non-frightening, educational look at night animals. Includes a campfire, snack and songs. Emily Oaks Nature Center, 4650 Brummel St., Skokie. For more information, call 847-674-1500, ext. 2500. $5.

Journey Unauthorized
8 p.m.: A tribute concert for the legendary rock band. Performers will pay homage to Journey by dressing up and playing their greatest hits from the '80s. Rosemont Theatre, 5400 N. River Road, Rosemont. $23-$43.

John Caparulo
8 p.m.: The regular on "Chelsea Lately" and host of CMT's "Mobile Home Disaster" performs. Zanies Comedy Night Club Rosemont, 5437 Park Place, Rosemont. Call 847-813-0484. $25.

SATURDAY, OCT. 19

'Rain or Shine' Arts and Crafts
9 a.m.: Depending on the weather, participants will either learn the art of solar painting outdoors or do a craft indoors with natural materials and paint. Morton Grove Historical Museum, 6148 W. Dempster St., Morton Grove. Call 847-965-0203.

Intergalactic Bead & Jewelry Show
10 a.m.: A wide array of precious and semi-precious gemstone beads, sterling silver, freshwater pearls, hand-blown glass beads, vintage beads, crystals, delicas and much more. For more information and a $2 off admission coupon visit www.beadshows.com or call 888-729-6904. Event will be held 10 a.m.-5 p.m. Oct. 19 and 20. $5 Saturday admission, $4 Sunday admission; kids under 12 free. White Eagle Banquets & Restaurant, 6839 N. Milwaukee Ave., Niles.

Autumn Fest
10:30 a.m.: As part of the Sixth Annual Autumn Fest, the library will be celebrating the season with a costumed pet parade and scarecrow making. Please bring old clothes to create your scarecrow. Park Ridge Public Library, 20 S. Prospect Ave., Park Ridge. For more information, call 847-825-4527.

Ghouls and Ghosts
4 p.m.: Enjoy an afternoon of original scary stories in time for Halloween. Gorilla Tango Skokie, 7924 Lincoln Ave., Skokie. Call 847-677-7761. $12.

'Broadway Our Way:' Beckie Menzie and Tom Michael
4 p.m.: The award-winning cabaret duo performs Broadway songs ranging from "Chicago" to "Wicked" to "South Pacific." Skokie Public Library, 5215 Oakton St., Skokie. Call 847-673-7774.

Matt Duke in The Studios at Space
7 p.m.: The singer-songwriter and acoustic guitarist performs. Evanston SPACE, 1245 Chicago Ave., Evanston. Call 847-492-8860. $15.

Duo Controverso
7:30 p.m.: This performance will feature a fusion of classical, ethnic and jazz styles. Enjoy the combination of clarinet, harp, violoncello and tap dance. The Musical Offering, 743 Custer Ave., Evanston. Call 847-866-6260. $15.

Easton Corbin
7:30 p.m.: Easton Corbin is a country singer from Florida. He has racked up a number of awards including American Country Awards 'Breakthrough Artist' and Billboard 2010 'Top New Country Artist.' Congress Theater, 2135 N. Milwaukee Ave., Chicago. $25.

The Rat Pack is Back!
8 p.m.: This performance will transport the audience back to 1960s Las Vegas with Frank Sinatra, Sammy Davis Jr., Joey Bishop and Dean Martin. Rosemont Theatre, 5400 N. River Road, Rosemont. $27.50-$97.

Eagles
8 p.m.: From "Hotel California" to "Take it Easy," the Eagles are behind some of the most recognizable rock hits from the '70s. Allstate Arena, 6920 Mannheim Road, Rosemont. $49-$189.

SUNDAY, OCT. 20

Bonnie Raitt
7:30 p.m.: Raitt's 19th album "Slipstream," marks her return to the studio after a 17-year absence and celebrates the launch of her own label, Redwing Records. Rosemont Theatre, 5400 N. River Road, Rosemont. $49.50-$75.

Coco Montoya
7:30 p.m.: The blues guitarist performs. Also featuring The Steepwater Band. Evanston SPACE, 1245 Chicago Ave., Evanston. For more information, call 847-492-8860. $15-$27.

MONDAY, OCT. 21

Harmonious Horizons
9:30 a.m.: Join us for singing, dancing, and playing instruments. For children ages 1 month to 5 years old with a caregiver. Class repeats at 11 a.m. Park Ridge Public Library, 20 S. Prospect Ave., Park Ridge. Call 847-825-3123.

Library Pub Quiz
7 p.m.: Test your knowledge of everything from pop to current events at trivia night. Prizes will be awarded. Houlihan's, 550 W. Touhy Ave., Park Ridge. Call 847-825-3123.

TUESDAY, OCT. 22

Film: 'A Small Act'
11:30 a.m.: When Hilde Back sponsored a young, rural Kenyan student, she thought nothing of it. She never imagined her quarterly donation of $15 would pave the way for Chris Mburu's journey to Harvard Law School. Years later, after Chris has become a United Nations human rights lawyer, he decided to seek out the stranger who transformed his life and is astonished to learn his benefactor, Hilde, is a Holocaust survivor in this 2011 documentary. Morton Grove Public Library, 6140 Lincoln Ave., Morton Grove. For more information, call 847-965-4220.

WEDNESDAY, OCT. 23

Film: 'Into the Cold'
7 p.m.: Two men embark on a dramatic expedition to the North Pole. For over two months they journey more than 400 miles on foot, facing harsh temperatures down to minus-50 degrees. Adventurer and Morton Grove resident Keith Heger, one of the film's stars, will be present to answer questions after the screening. Morton Grove Public Library, 6140 Lincoln Ave., Morton Grove. Call 847-929-5101.

Northwest Chicago Film Society: 'Thieves Like Us'
7:30 p.m.: This 1974 film tells the story of convicts who break out of prison and go on a bank-robbing spree. Starring Keith Carradine, Shelly Duvall and John Schuck. 123 minutes. Patio Theatre, 6008 W. Irving Park Road, Chicago. Call 773-850-0141. $5.

THURSDAY, OCT. 24

Film Screening 'Them!'
7 p.m.: Get in the Halloween spirit with this 1954 horror classic about an atomic test that goes wrong causing ants to mutate into giant man-eating monsters. 94 minutes. The screening will be presented by film historian Matthew C. Hoffman. Park Ridge Public Library, 20 S. Prospect Ave., Park Ridge. Call 847-825-3123.

FRIDAY, OCT. 25

Halloween Gooey Concoctions
4 p.m.: Learn about the fascinating and messy world of chemistry as you study the different states of matter. Attendees will create gooey concoctions like slime and ice cream. For ages 3 to 6. Norridge Park, 4631 N. Overhill Ave., Norridge. Call 708-457-1244. $15-$20.

YA Scary Bites
4 p.m.: Students grade six to 12 are invited to the library to make handmade scary treats. Park Ridge Public Library, 20 S. Prospect Ave., Park Ridge. Call 847-825-3123.

Halloween Potions, Elixirs and Other Magical Mixtures
6 p.m.: Fans of wizardry and witchery are invited to learn about the basic principles of chemistry. Students will use various "magical" ingredients to create their own potions. At the end of class, each student will receive a certificate of Advanced Potion Making. For ages 6 to 11. Norridge Park, 4631 N. Overhill Ave., Norridge. For more information, call 708-457-1244. $29-$34.

Monsters Ball
6 p.m.: Bring the whole family to celebrate Halloween with dinner, dancing and stories. Registration required. Grennan Heights, 8255 N. Oketo Ave., Niles. $15-$18.

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MGPL After Dark: The Haunting
7 p.m.: William Pack presents an evening of supernatural or "ghost" theater, an interactive performance of spine-tingling horror stories, eerie Chicago area history and inexplicable paranormal occurrences. Morton Grove Public Library, 6140 Lincoln Ave., Morton Grove. Free.

Hunter Hayes
7:30 p.m.: The musician will perform as part of the CMT on Tour concert series, featuring special guest Ashley Monroe. Rosemont Theatre, 5400 N. River Road, Rosemont. $35.50-$43.50.

SATURDAY, OCT. 26

Ex-Scare-Itorium
10 a.m.: Celebrate Halloween with events for the whole family, including carnival games, prizes, crafts, balloon artists and entertainment. Costumes welcome. Children under 2 enter free. Oakton Community Center, 4701 Oakton St., Skokie. $10-$12 kids, $1 adults.

Halloween Parade and Party
10:30 a.m.: Participants will celebrate Halloween with a parade and party at Grennan Heights. For kids 12 and under and their families. Oak Park, Ottawa Avenue and Lee Street, Niles. $8-$10.

Classic Horror Films Uncovered
2 p.m.: Film critic and teacher Doug Deuchler will explain the history and themes behind some of the greatest horror films, such as "The Bride of Frankenstein" and "The Wolf Man." Morton Grove Public Library, 6140 Lincoln Ave., Morton Grove. For more information, call 847-965-4220.

Rain: A Tribute to the Beatles
3 p.m.: Rain can perform the full range of the Beatles discography live onstage, including the most complex and challenging songs that the Beatles themselves recorded in the studios but never performed for an audience. Rain is a multimedia, multi-dimensional experience...a fusion of historical footage and hilarious television commercials from the 1960s lights up video screens and live cameras zoom in for close-ups. Rosemont Theatre, 5400 N. River Road, Rosemont. $24.50-$59.50.

Halloween Family Festival
3 p.m.: Children between the ages of 3 and 12 and their families will celebrate Halloween with carnival games, hayrides, crafts and entertainment. Prairie View Community Center, 6834 Dempster St., Morton Grove. Call 847-965-1200.

Halloween Party
6 p.m.: The Maine Park Leisure Center's Halloween party features ghoulish games, face painting, and a screening of "It's the Great Pumpkin, Charlie Brown." The party ends with a costume parade for families. Maine Park Leisure Center, 2701 W. Sibley St., Park Ridge. For more information, call 847-692-5127. $14 residents, $21 nonresidents.

Halloween Party and Costume Contest
9 p.m.: Stop in to the Inn and party with D.J. Mark Angel and enter a costume contest for a chance to win a two-night stay at a Las Vegas hotel with $200 in free slots play. The Village Inn Pizzeria, 8050 Lincoln Ave., Skokie.

SUNDAY, OCT. 27

Critic's Choice Cinema: 'Aliyah'
2 p.m.: A young Jewish drug dealer plans to do his Aliyah and move to Israel for the chance of a better life. His desire to move to Israel is not so much grown out of Zionism, but because nothing holds him back in France, in spite of his recent encounter with a gentile girl. 90 minutes; French with English subtitles. Morton Grove Public Library, 6140 Lincoln Ave., Morton Grove. Call 847-929-5101.

TUESDAY, OCT. 29

Halloween Spooktacular
5:30 p.m.: The whole family is invited to an evening of Halloween themed entertainment. The night will begin with a black and orange egg hunt inside a kid friendly Halloween maize. Children are welcome to wear their Halloween costumes. Remember to bring a trick-or-treat bag to collect eggs. Egg hunts will start between 5:30 p.m. and 6:30 p.m. depending on age. Advance registration is required. Norridge Park, 4631 N. Overhill Ave., Norridge. Call 708-457-1244. $4-$5.

WEDNESDAY, OCT. 30

Tricks and Treats with the Mighty Organ
5 p.m.: Park Ridge Civic Orchestra will be celebrating its 20th season opening with a night of Halloween events for the whole family. There will be games and activities, performances by Emerson and Lincoln Middle School, and a spectacular Halloween concert. Pickwick Theatre, 5 S. Prospect Ave., Park Ridge. Call 847-692-7726. $5-$15.

Wizarding Games
5 p.m.: Children of all ages are invited to stop by the library for wizard-themed games, activities and the reading of "Sorcerer's Apprentice." Afterward head over to the Pickwick Theatre for the Park Ridge Civic Orchestra's Halloween in Concert performance. Park Ridge Public Library, 20 S. Prospect Ave., Park Ridge. For more information, call 847-825-3123.

SATURDAY, NOV. 2

Holiday Bazaar
10 a.m.: Handmade holiday crafts, sweaters and afghans, baked goods, yesterday's treasures and much more will be for sale during the bazaar, which benefits the Park Ridge Senior Center. Lunch will be available for purchase. Park Ridge Senior Center, 100 S. Western Ave., Park Ridge.

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CARRIE

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Stars: Julianne Moore, Chloe Grace Moretz

A cruelly mistreated teenage girl (Moretz), who has been abused by her religiously crazed mother (Moore), wreaks vengeance using telekinetic powers.

ESCAPE PLAN

Rated R for violence and language throughout

Stars: Sylvester Stallone, Arnold Schwarzenegger, 50 Cent

After being framed, a prison designer (Stallone) attempts to break out of his most escape-proof facility. Mikael Hafstrom ("Evil") directed the thriller.

THE FIFTH ESTATE

Rated R for language and some violence

Stars: Benedict Cumberbatch, Daniel Bruhl, David Thewlis, Peter Capaldi

After exposing numerous corporate and government secrets in the interest of bringing the truth to light, the founders of Wikileaks (Cumberbatch, Bruhl) clash over how to handle a large number of particularly sensitive American intelligence documents.

12 YEARS A SLAVE

Rated R for violence/cruelty, some nudity and brief sexuality

Stars: Chiwetel Ejiofor, Michael Fassbender, Benedict Cumberbatch

During the Southern plantation era, a free black man is kidnapped and sold into slavery. Steve McQueen ("Shame") directed.

STILL PLAYING

CAPTAIN PHILLIPS

Rated PG-13 for sustained intense sequences of menace, some violence with bloody images, and for substance use

Stars: Tom Hanks, Barkhad Abdi, Barkhad Abdirahman

The captain (Hanks) of the U.S.-flagged MV Maersk Alabama contends with Somali pirates during the first hijacking of an American cargo ship in 200 years. Paul Greengrass ("The Bourne Supremacy," "United 93") directed the fact-based drama.

ROMEO & JULIET
★★

Rated PG-13 for some violence and thematic elements

Stars: Hailee Steinfeld, Stellan Skarsgard, Paul Giamatti, Douglas Booth

Prom peril: Chloe Grace Moretz in "Carrie."

It's a pity, in the age of the casual hookup, that the "Romeo & Juliet" being served up to the present generation is, for the most part, such an overly pretty and artificial bore. From the first introduction of his two young leads (Steinfeld, Oscar-nominated for "True Grit," and Booth), who stare at each other stricken with slow-motion, sparkly-eyed, love at first sight, this clichéd, excessively lavish doublet-and-hoser is a miserable chore to sit through — with the exception of a few strong supporting performances, especially Giamatti's excellent turn as Friar Laurence. Shakespeare's poetry also provides occasional compensation. This is an experience in exasperation that even seems to have affected Giamatti at one point, when he smacks the petulant Romeo on the side of the head — by far the film's most satisfying moment.

MACHETE KILLS

Rated R for strong bloody violence throughout, language and some sexual content

Stars: Danny Trejo, Alexa Vega, Mel Gibson, Charlie Sheen

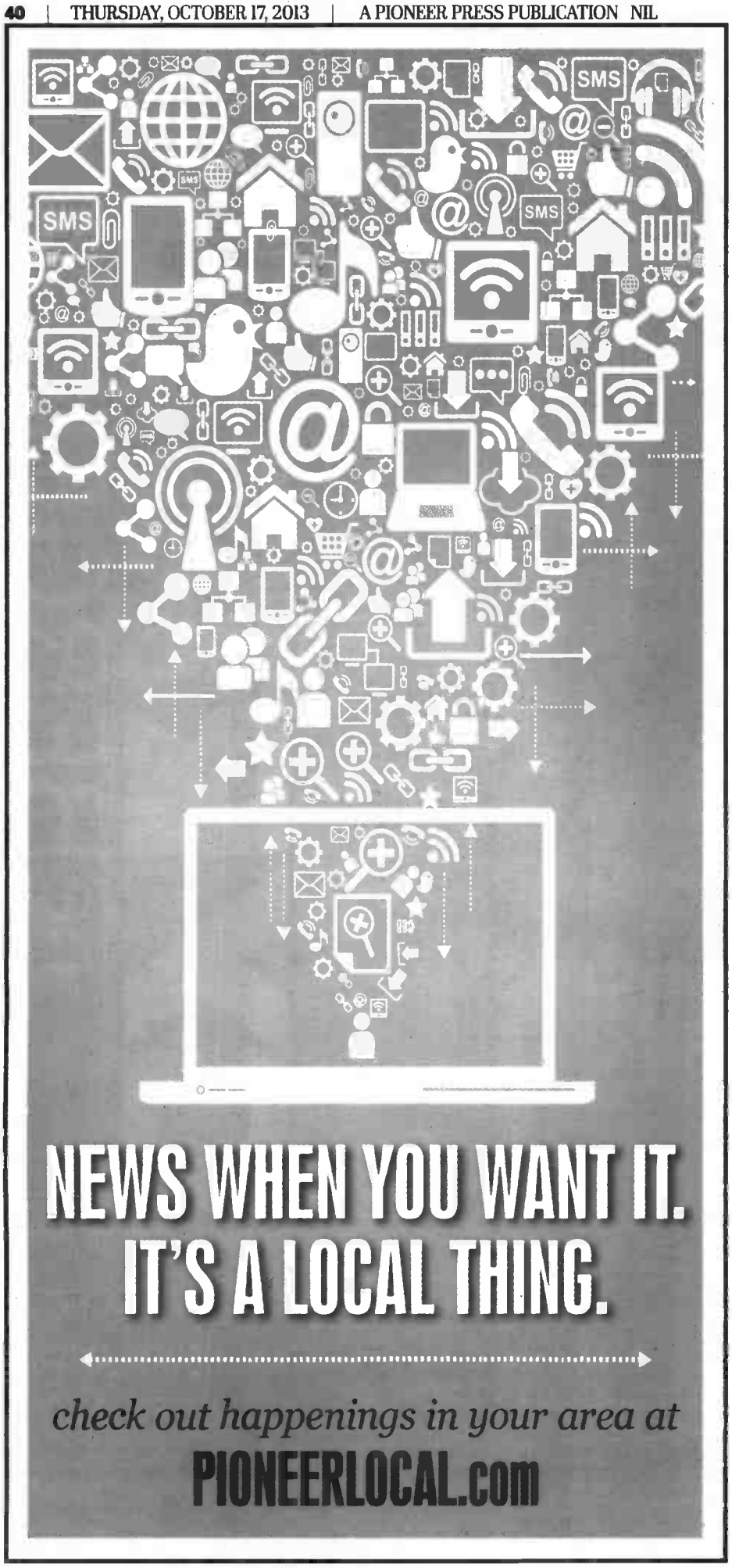
The U.S. government hires renegade Federali officer Machete (Trejo) to track down an arms dealer planning to launch a weapon into space. Robert Rodriguez ("Machete," "Planet Terror") directed the action thriller.

WHEN COMEDY WENT TO SCHOOL
★★1/2

No MPAA rating

Stars: Robert Klein, Jerry Lewis, Sid Caesar, Larry King

It was a heck of a place to be a busboy, the old Catskills resorts, if you were an aspiring comedian. Jerry Lewis, Buddy Hackett, Lenny Bruce, Sid Caesar, narrator Robert Klein and Larry King (Larry King?) all got started that way during the golden age of the Jewish resort area outside of New York. This mostly entertaining documentary works hard, sometimes too hard, to explain how and why the Catskills came to be, why it had a huge effect on American culture, and how it fit into the history of Jewish humor in general — too often meandering away from its real drawing card, reminiscences and performance clips from the likes of the above plus Alan King, Dick Shawn, Rodney Dangerfield, Joan Rivers, Woody Allen and Jackie Mason. There's no denying you'll hear some good jokes, though.



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Gravity (PG-13)

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Cloudy with a Chance of Meatballs 2 (PG)

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Carrie in MuvIXL (R)

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Escape Plan (R)

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Escape Plan in D-Box (R)

Fri, Sat 12:50-3:45-6:50-9:40-12:30; Sun-Thu 12:50-3:45-6:50-9:40

Halloween 4: The Return of Michael Myers (R)

Fri 11 p.m.

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Romeo & Juliet (PG-13)

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Cloudy with a Chance of Meatballs 2 (PG)

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Cloudy with a Chance of Meatballs 2 in 3-D (PG)

Fri-Thu 2-6:55

Don Jon (R)

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Prisoners (R)

Fri, Sat 11:50-3:15-6:40; Sun-Thu 11:50-3:15-6:40-10:10

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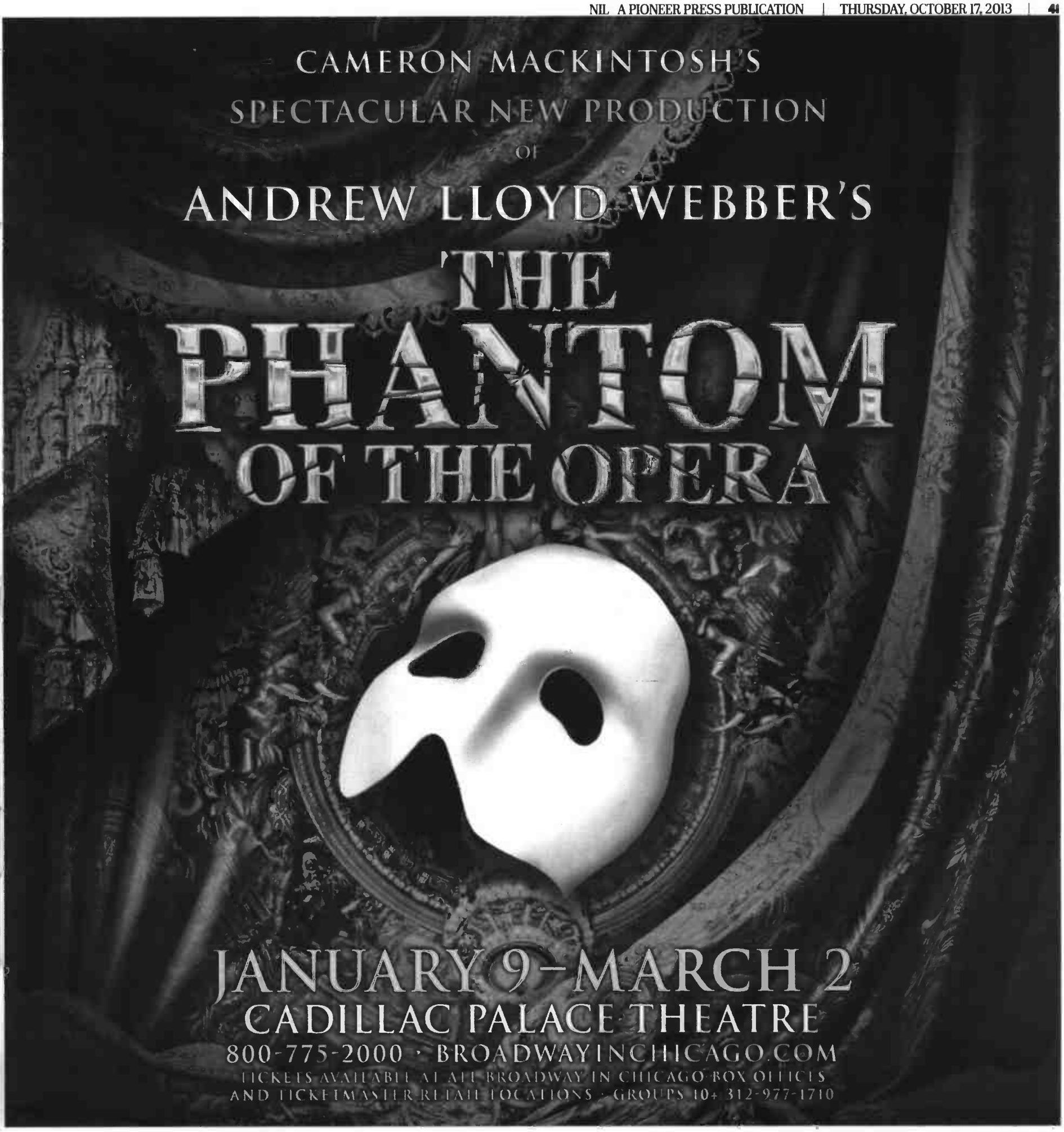
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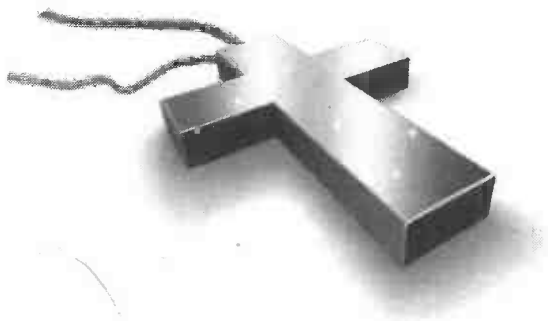

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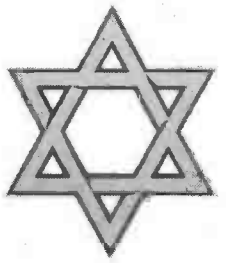

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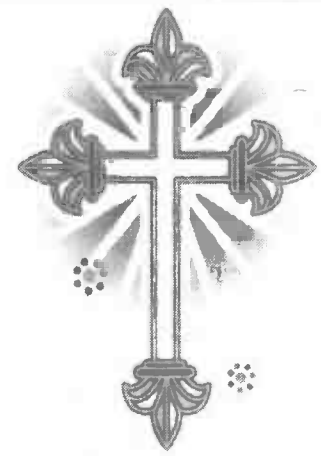

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Johnston, Alice Lucille

97, of Naples, FL, died October 3, at her residence. Formerly of Park Ridge, she was the only child of the late Willie Roberts and James Milton Gouge. She married William Grubb Johnston in 1936 and after World War II, moved to Park Ridge, where they lived for 33 years.

Bill preceded her in death in 1984. Her survivors include her only child, Harriet Hubbard; grandchildren, John (Beth), William, Lisa (Joe); great-grandchildren, David, Grace, Analise and Amanda; niece, Michelle Woodward (Frank); nephew, Tom Truex (Tamara); great-nieces and nephew, Caroline, Sarah, and Daniel.

Private services will be held. In lieu of flowers, memorials may be sent to Vitas, Innovative Hospice Care, 4980 Tamiami Trail North, Suite 102, Naples, FL 34103. Online condolences may be made at **www.fullernaples.com**

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Schaetzlein, Jean Carol

Jean Schaetzlein, age 75, of Park Ridge, passed away peacefully on October 12, 2013. She was the loving wife of Norman Schaetzlein; sister of Bill Zibell (Carolyn); mother of Mark Schaetzlein (Amy) and Sally Marano (Paul). She was thrilled to be an Oma to Mark and Amy's girls, Abby and Madeline Jean, named in honor of her grandma.

Jean was born August 2nd, 1938 in Chicago to William Zibell and Lillian (nee Sass). Jean was especially close to her father who was a past Associate Grand Guardian in the girl's Masonic youth organization of Job's Daughters.

Jean was very involved in the organization of Job's Daughters. She spent many years dedicating her time, ideas and talents to help young women grow in their Christian faith. Her happiest moments were being able to attend both of her granddaughters' ceremonies of initiation into that organization. In addition, Jean served the youth of Park Ridge as a Vice President in the Jefferson School PTO.

Jean also touched many people's lives through her involvement in her church, Park Ridge Presbyterian Church, where she served as an Elder, Clerk of Session, Moderator of the Deaconess Board and most recently, as the Communion/Liturgist scheduler. Few people could say no to Jean's charming powers of persuasion!

Jean was a dedicated partner to Norman as a wife of 52 years and also as an integral part of his business Norman Printing. Norm and Jean lived happily in Park Ridge for 48 years. The celebration they had in 2011 of their 50th wedding anniversary will be a cherished memory for many. The devotion that Norman and Jean had for one another is the kind that people strive for their entire lives to find and they found it in each other.

Jean could strike up a conversation with anyone and had an uncanny knack for remembering things most people would forget. She was loyal, loving, funny, and full of gusto. She was a devoted mother and mother-in-law as well as a caring grandma. She will be deeply missed by her family as well as the many people whose lives she has touched.

Visitation will be on Wednesday, October 16th from 3:00 p.m. to 9:00 p.m. at **Ahlgrim & Sons Funeral Home**, 330 W. Golf Road, Schaumburg. A Memorial Service will take place at Park Ridge Presbyterian Church, 1300 Crescent Ave., Park Ridge on Thursday, October 17th at 10:30 a.m. Interment Private at Ridgewood Cemetery. Funeral Info: (847)882-5580

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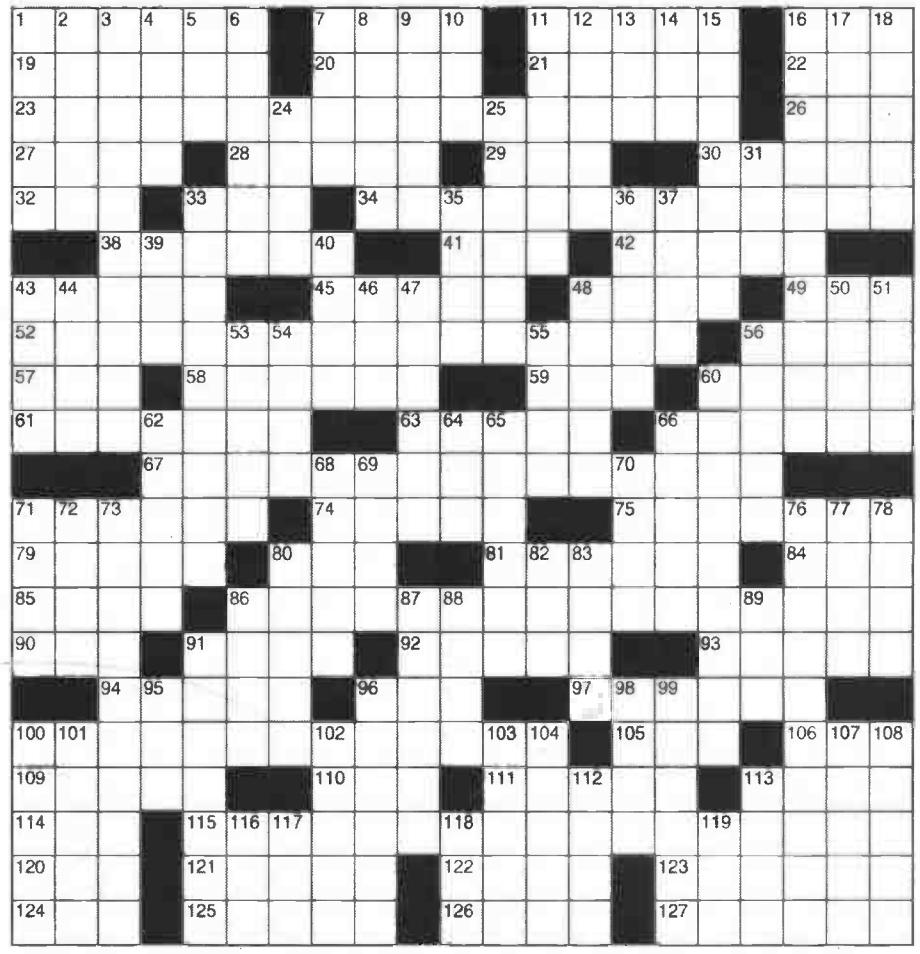

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HOROSCOPES: OCTOBER 23 – OCTOBER 29

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ARIES (March 21 to April 19) The high standards you set for yourself don't always translate into the behavior you expect of others. That relationship problem can be resolved if you're flexible.

TAURUS (April 20 to May 20) Not enough party bids to satisfy the Bovine's fun-loving side this week? Go ahead and throw one of your own. Then prepare for some serious work coming up.

GEMINI (May 21 to June 20) A new and intensely productive cycle is about to kick in. Be careful not to get too stressed out, though. Make time to restore your energies.

CANCER (June 21 to July 22) This could be a good time to share some of your plans with those closest to you. Their comments could give you some insight into how to accomplish your goals.

LEO (July 23 to August 22) An attack of self-doubt might be unsettling for the usually super-assured Feline. But it could be your inner voice telling you to hold off implementing your plans.

VIRGO (August 23 to September 22) This is a great time for you to reward yourself for all your hard work by taking a trip to somewhere you never thought you'd be going.

LIBRA (September 23 to October 22) Some misunderstandings resist being resolved. Your sincerity in wanting to soothe those hurt feelings wins the day.

SCORPIO (October 23 to November 21) A hectic job schedule begins to ease just in time to blow off all that work-generated steam on Halloween. A family situation runs into complications.

SAGITTARIUS (November 22 to December 21) A cutting remark in the workplace needs to be handled with finesse. How you respond could determine the depth of support you gain.

CAPRICORN (December 22 to January 19) That Capricornean stubborn streak sets in and could keep you from getting much-needed advice. It lifts by week's end, in time to make a decision.

AQUARIUS (January 20 to February 18) A surprise trip early in the week could lead to other unexpected offers when you return. Avoid talking too much about this until you've made some decisions.

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Mike Stevens' 1980 Chevrolet Corvette

By Kevin Griffin - kevin.griffin@wrapports.com

The first thing that sets Mike Stevens apart at car shows is that he's not afraid to admit something.

"This car is slow," he says.

Stevens owns a 1980 Chevrolet Corvette C3. He bought the black sports car in 2002 as a retirement gift to himself. He told his wife it was either a Harley or a Corvette.

"Get the car," she said.

Stevens' Corvette only tops out at about 80 mph. He hasn't done much to it in an effort to keep it all stock and in the same condition it was when it rolled off the showroom floor. He has repainted the black coat to keep it shining. He has also upgraded the seats and radio. Otherwise though, he has kept it stock.

Oddly enough, Stevens' favorite feature of the car is the center console, which he said separates the car from other ones of its kind. A previous owner had installed wood paneling to go around the interior control panel. Stevens' one criticism of Corvettes is what he calls a "drab" interior. However it was the interior on this one, that was the most sellable feature.

Currently, the car is for sale, Stevens said.

"It's time for someone else to enjoy this as much as I did."

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Lexus is top luxury brand

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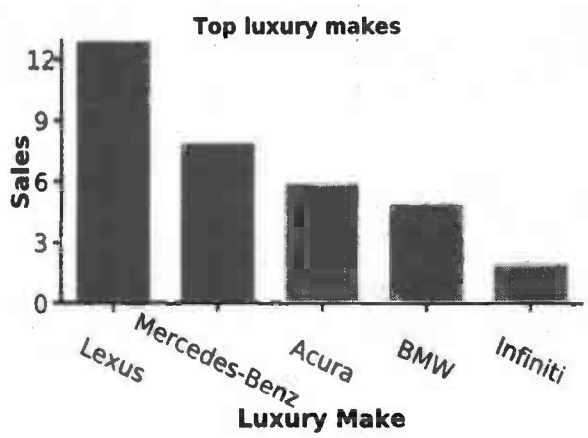
Niles residents chose Lexus more often than any other luxury auto brand when purchasing cars in July. Lexus sales accounted for 13 of the 41 total luxury vehicle sales to Niles residents. The breakdown of the 13 total Lexus sales was one new and 12 used over the course of the month.

Mercedes-Benz, which accounted for eight sales, was the second most popular luxury brand sold to Niles residents in July. A total of five pre-owned vehicles and three new vehicles comprise the overall total of eight Mercedes-Benz purchases in July. Acura took third place on the list of most popular auto brands, totaling six sales — three used and three new.

Acura was the most popular luxury auto brand bought new (three purchases), while Lexus was the most popular luxury brand bought used (12 purchases). Mercedes-Benz and BMW came in second and third, respectively, in the new luxury car sales category, with five and four sales.



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In the month, private parties accounted for 39 percent of auto sales to Niles residents, while local dealers accounted for 61 percent of overall car sales. Residents of Niles purchased 41 total luxury vehicles in July, 25 from local dealers and 16 from private parties. The top auto dealership selling luxury vehicles to Niles residents in July was Bredemann Lexus in Glenview with three total sales, followed by Steven Todd Leasing (two sales), Autohaus on Edens (two), and McGrath Imports (two).

Niles residents purchased a total of 315 vehicles (all brands) in the month of July — 174 pre-owned and 141 new. In other words, new cars accounted for 45 percent of total sales in the month.

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Miguel Cabrera led his Detroit Tigers into the 2013 playoffs after another outstanding season, following his MVP and Triple Crown-winning 2012 campaign. In fact, Cabrera became just the sixth player in major league history to collect at least 100 RBIs in 10 straight seasons. Tied at the top with 13 are Jimmie Foxx (1929-41), Lou Gehrig (1926-38) and Alex Rodriguez (1998-2010). Al Simmons did it 11 seasons in a row (1924-34), while Alex Pujols matched Cabrera with 10 (2001-2010).

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If it's college football season, it's time for unusual names. Plenty of fans have heard of Alabama's Ha Ha Clinton-Dix. But how about Auburn's Cassanova McKinzey? Or Michigan's Taco Charlton? Pharoah McKever suited up for North Carolina State in 2013, Spiffy Evans put on the pads for Boston College, and Thor Jazwiak took the field for South Florida. Cincinnati's 2013 lineup sported two memorable names – Quarterback Munchie Legaux and defensive lineman Silverberry Mouhon.

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BOYS GOLF STATE PREVIEW

Casati helps Wildkits make state

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HOMER GLEN — Jake Casati's season ended at the boys golf sectional tournament last season.

After a quadruple bogey on the par-4 ninth hole Monday at Old Oak Country Club, the Evanston senior stood at 8 over. He said he couldn't help but think back to last year at Winnetka Golf Club.

"Oh, man," he said of needing 44 strokes to tour the front nine. "It wasn't good."

But Casati said he told himself to keep grinding away because he was playing for his team, too.

Casati collected himself by the 13th hole and played the final six at 1 under to card an 81. The highlight of his round was his 6-foot birdie on the 18th green.

In the battle for third at the Marist Sectional, Evanston's 306 was one shot better than Loyola's score and the Wildkits clinched the sectional's final berth in this weekend's Class 3A state tournament at The Den at Fox Creek in Bloomington. It is the program's first trip to the state tournament since the 1959-60 school year.

"When I made my putt, everybody erupted around the green," Casati said. "I was like, 'Have you guys never seen a birdie before?' But then I realized how big that putt was.

"(Monday) was an example of how every shot matters."

Casati wasn't the only one who came through in the clutch on the final hole.

In a span of less than an hour, junior Sam Knepper made par from off the green for a 78, senior Henry Gruger chipped in for birdie to post a 76 and senior Jackson Mihevc punctuated the dramatic performance with a par-saving putt from about 10 feet to shoot 71.

"I can't explain, really," Casati said. "It means so much to me, especially being a senior and having missed out last year, but I know this means the world to (coach Jed Curtis)."

Class 3A Boys Golf State Tournament

When: Friday and Saturday

Where: The Den at Fox Creek Golf Course, Bloomington

Class 1A Boys Golf State Tournament

When: Friday and Saturday

Where: Prairie Vista Golf Course, Bloomington

Oberholtzer helps Spartans make state

Luke Oberholtzer played on Glenbrook North's varsity last season, but he rarely contributed to the team's score. That's no longer the case. The junior's 6-over 77 at Monday's sectional was a big reason why the Spartans finished first with a 293, which was eight shots better than New Trier.

"This year felt like the first time I was needed," joked Oberholtzer, who carded two birdies on his round. "It does feel good to play well at a tournament like this."

Junior Tyler Mulier, the team's No. 6 player, shot a 79 to count in the team score. Senior Nick Hardy was the medalist with a 66, while senior Brian Ohr tied for third with a 71.

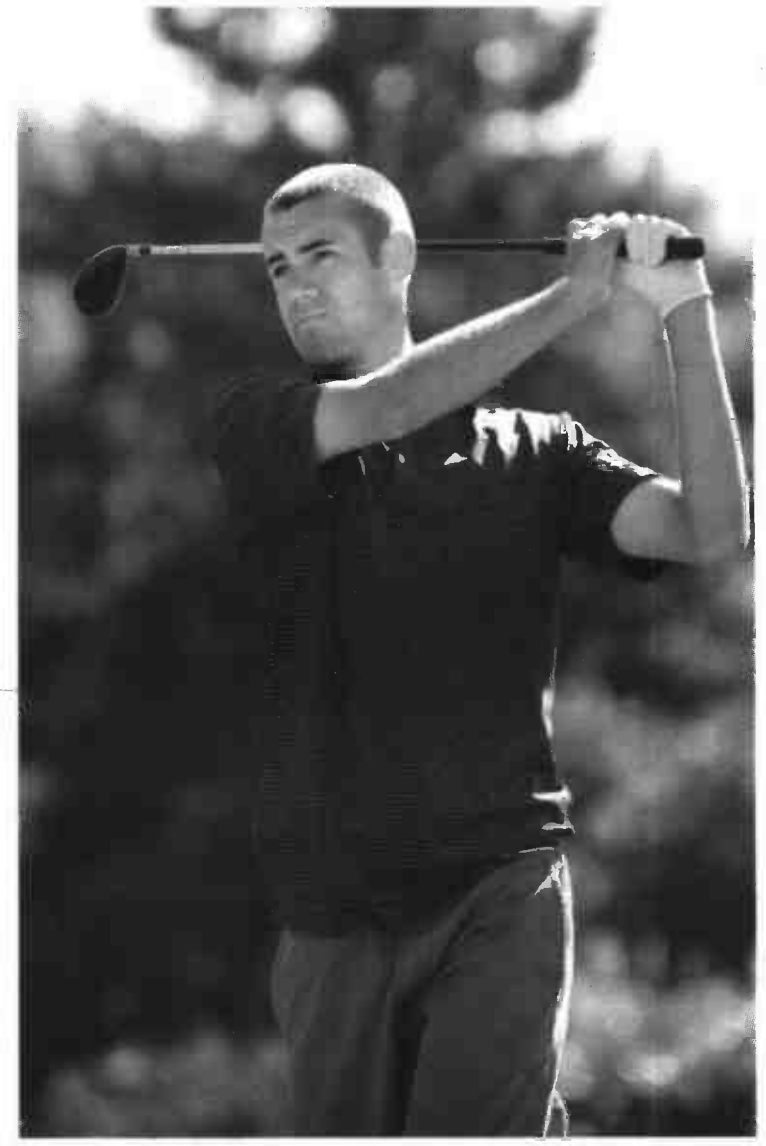
Glenbrook North coach Justin Gerbich said it's players like Oberholtzer and Mulier who make the Spartans a complete team.

"We know Nick and Brian will probably shoot under par or close to it," he said. "If we get those others guys in the 70s, we are a tough team to beat."

New Trier boasts deep team

New Trier sophomore Nick Iserloth carded a 75 at the sectional tournament, which was good for a tie for sixth place. His score also helped the Trevians return to state.

New Trier took second to Glenbrook North with a 301.



Jackson Mihevc led Evanston to a third-place finish at the Class 3A Marist Sectional on Monday in Homer Glen. | GARY MIDDENDORF/FOR SUN-TIMES MEDIA

"We have a lot of solid players on this team," Iserloth said. "We have 12 guys who can shoot 75 or better. It's that competition that makes you want to play better.

"We all push each other."

Junior Will Connelly continued to go low, leading the Trevians with a 72.

Junior Jack Junge, the co-defending state champion, contributed with a 76. Senior David Brandfonbrener rounded out the scoring with a 78.

Trying for the three-peat

North Shore Country Day will get an opportunity to win a third straight Class 1A state championship this weekend at Prairie Vista in Bloomington after winning the Byron Sectional on Monday with a 311.

Junior Andrew Blechman, one of three players back from last year's title lineup, was the medalist at Prairie View with a 74. Junior Sam Reategui and senior Will Skinner also are back.

STATE BOUND

WILL CONNELLY
New Trier junior

For the second week in a row, Connelly turned in one of the best rounds in the Chicago area. After shooting a 73 and finishing second at the regional, the unsung Connelly posted a 1-over 72 to tie for fifth at the Marist Sectional.

NICK HARDY
Glenbrook North senior

It's doubtful anybody would argue that Hardy is the favorite to capture the Class 3A state championship. He won the sectional at Old Oak Country Club by four strokes with a 5-under 66. Hardy now stands 37 under for the season. "My expectations are as high as everybody else's," he said.

JACKSON MIHEVC
Evanston senior

Most likely the fastest player around, Mihevc also is one of the best. Playing in the same group as Hardy at the Marist Sectional, Mihevc tied for third with an even-par 71.

BRIAN OHR
Glenbrook North senior

Ohr hung with Hardy for most of the sectional before falling back, tying for third with an even-par 71. "If me and Brian go low, we definitely have a shot at winning it," Hardy said. "This is our final chance."

ORION YAMAT
Maine East junior

Yamat picked the right time to shoot his best round of the season, firing a 1-under 70 at the Marist Sectional. Yamat, who made an eagle on the first hole, wasn't noticeably excited even though he advanced to the state tournament for the first time. "I just try to play my game and keep myself together," he said. "Nothing really affects me."

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NILES NORTH

Teamwork helps Vikings exceed expectations

Niles North benefits from additions at goalie, forward

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SKOKIE — After Niles North's 0-0 tie with Niles West in the Columbus Day home matinee, Vikings coach Yoon Lee made his team do extra running.

Lee was not pleased with the Vikings' performance Monday in a game his team could have lost if a Niles West attempt in the waning minutes had not gone inches wide of the post.

The game represented a step back for the Vikings (7-3-7 overall), who captured the program's first CSL North title earlier this month, and are hoping to make some noise in the postseason. The seventh-seeded Vikings begin play in the Class 3A Maine East Regional against the host Blue Demons, the No. 10 seed, on Tuesday night.

"After winning conference for the first time, emotionally speaking, it seems as though the squad has made a deep exhale and is resting on that title," Lee said. "That's not good enough. We need to stay hungry. I think this squad is capable of more. But the kids are on the same page with that."

The Vikings went 4-1 in the CSL North and wrapped up the conference title in style with a 4-0 win at Maine East on Oct. 3.

Niles North's senior co-captains, defender Carlos Santos and midfielder Sebastian Vivas, admitted their expectations had not been high entering the season.

"To me, (becoming a title-winning team) was a surprise," Santos said. "Some of it had to do with the fact that I was playing varsity (the last few seasons) and (the younger players) were coming up through the ranks. They knew (about the young talent) more than I did, so it was a surprise for me. After a few games, we showed we would have a great season."

Vivas said he was surprised during a preseason goal-writing session when senior forward Ivan Korkes wrote "conference champs."

"I didn't think it would be possible," Vivas said. "But we started believing in each other, we started winning games, we played as a team, worked hard and ran as hard as we could in practice."

Two major keys for Niles North were additions to the squad at both ends of the field. Senior goalkeeper Eddie Kim returned to the program after playing his junior year for his club team, and junior forward Benjamin Ibarra transferred from Mather.

"(Goalkeeper) was the largest hole that we had as a squad," Lee said. "(Kim's) friends on the team were able to convince him to come out and play for us. Once that hole was filled, everything else just clicked."

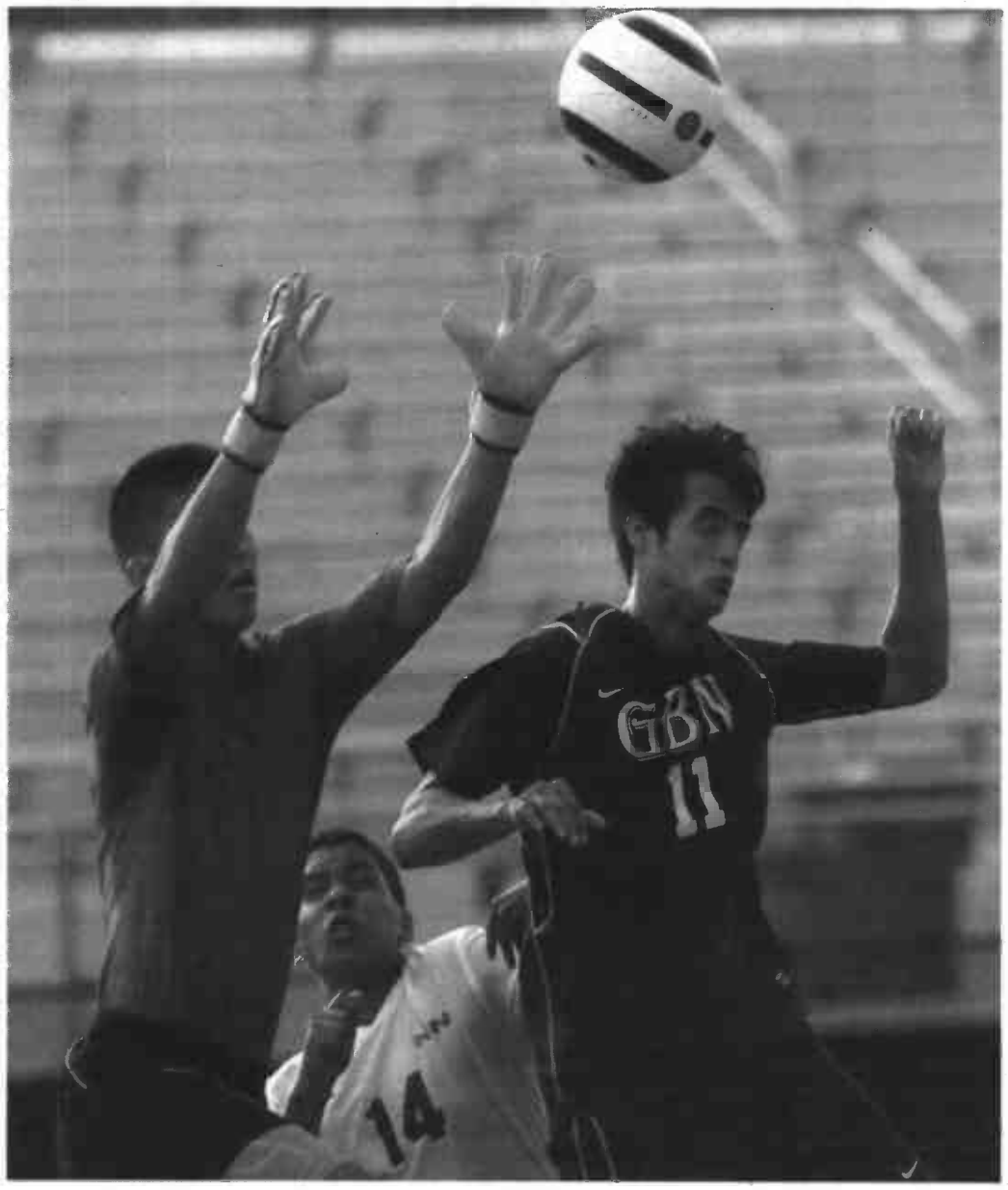
Ibarra and fellow junior forward Adrian Coardos already were club teammates and friends before they were classmates, and their partnership was instrumental in the Vikings' run to a title.

Heading into tonight's season finale at home against Taft, the lightning-quick Coardos leads the team with 11 goals.

Ibarra, also a speedster, has scored six times and set up several goals for Coardos.

Niles North often resorts to serving up long balls to its speedy forwards.

"It's not the most beautiful soccer," Lee said. "If I had a squad that could possess and move the ball around and find the perfect assist for the simplest goal, we would execute that. We're not that squad. This is what works for us. We're looking for other ways to score. So far, it's been the long ball, the rush, rush attack."



Niles North goalkeeper Eddie Kim goes up to snare the ball in front of Glenbrook North's Jake Santellano (11) during their game on Sept. 3. Kim returned to the Vikings this season after playing for his club team as a junior. | JOE CYGANOWSKI/FOR SUN-TIMES MEDIA

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NILES WEST

Confidence grows as Wolves gear up for New Trier

Niles West encouraged by play in 35-20 loss to Maine South

BY MATT HARNESS
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SKOKIE — A loss to Maine South at home on Friday night did nothing to undermine the Niles West football team's confidence. Instead, the Wolves took another step in finding out how good they can be.

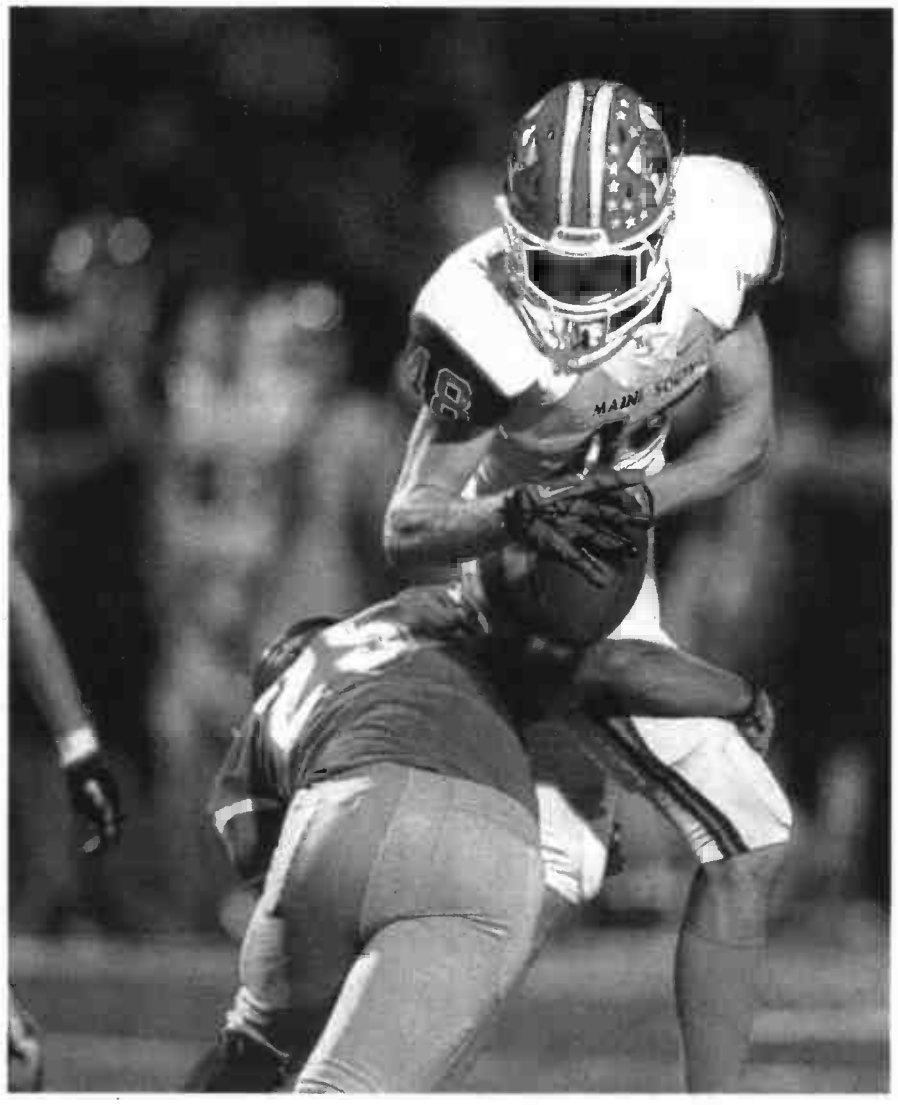
"It was a tough test for us, but we showed we can compete with one of the best teams in the state," said junior quarterback Tommy Galanopoulos, who threw two touchdown passes to senior Andrew Mihulet. "We all played hard, all played for 48 minutes."

Coach Scott Baum didn't want to talk about moral victories, but he said the 35-20 defeat wasn't a bad loss. After all, the Hawks have won 63 consecutive games in the CSL South since 2000.

"Our kids learned they are a good football team," Baum said. "We left that game in good spirits. That was good for the kids. They were excited to get back to practice. They were ready to practice that night."

Niles West (6-1 overall, 2-1 conference) goes for its seventh win — the most since 2002 — when it travels to New Trier (3-3, 1-2) on Friday. While the Wolves are guaranteed a spot in the playoffs, the Trevians need to win their final two games to become eligible.

"They are New Trier," Baum said of a program that has been to the postseason 10 seasons in a row. "They are big and physical. They were hit by the injury bug earlier this year, which could explain the record."



Niles West's Nick Johnson (25) wraps up Maine South's George Sargeant (48) during their game on Friday night in Skokie. | KEVIN TANAKA/FOR SUN-TIMES MEDIA

Baum is looking for his first win after four losses against the Trevians since he took over in 2009. He said he believes the Wolves are equipped to end that streak.

"Offensively, we have a number of guys who can make plays," he said. "That's a big difference from years past, including last year. Defensively, they are buying into the system and really flying around to the football."

Last season, the Wolves relied heavily on Jeremiah Jordan, a 2013 graduate who played receiver and defensive back. Now, Galanopoulos has as many as six players to turn to on offense.

Mihulet, senior receiver Garrett Iverson, senior running back Nick Johnson, junior running back Jeremy Pignato, junior receiver Quran Spillman and junior running back Brandon Costantino all are capable of game-breaking plays.

Mihulet led the Wolves against Maine South with six receptions for 60 yards, while Iverson also caught six balls. Spillman finished with five catches.

Defensively, Mihulet has been a star at cornerback. He had three interceptions Friday, and he owns the program record with nine in his career.

Senior linebacker Isaac Reinemann and junior linebacker Adam Pignato, Jeremy's twin brother, also have been major contributors.

"Everybody is pushing everybody else in practice," Baum said. "That's showing up in games."

Galanopoulos said the Wolves are eager to return to the field.

"Coming off a game like that, so many players thought they could have done more and played better," Galanopoulos said. "That is what will motivate us over the next two weeks."

NILES NORTH

Edmond puts in hard work for conference

Now that CSL North play has started, Vikings lineman scales back workouts

BY ERIC VAN DRIL
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SKOKIE — In order to play as many snaps as possible on Niles North's offensive and defensive lines, senior James Edmond has tapered his workouts.

Edmond has found that the best way to stay in peak physical shape throughout a season is to make all of the preseason and early-season conditioning count. Now, as the Vikings have transitioned into CSL North play, he has focused on maintaining both his body and his fitness.

"It's definitely tough, especially for a 300-pound lineman," the 5-foot-10 Edmond said of playing both sides of the ball. "You go into the season knowing it's going to be tough, and that you have to do the extra work and put the extra time in. ... During the season is kind of like maintenance — you're not trying to kill yourself so much — so basically the first couple weeks of the season, you're doing that extra work. But now, conference (play) is when you start to wind that down and trust your conditioning."

Edmond, who has been playing nose tackle and left tackle this year, said he would stay after practice to do extra wind sprints and conditioning with some of his teammates. Now he's at the point in the season where he makes sure he maintains his body by doing things like icing down the areas that hurt and making sure to always stretch well.

While Edmond is no longer running after-practice sprints, Niles North coach Mark Egofske said the three-year varsity starter still works hard to stay in shape during practice and in his Varsity Physical Education class. Egofske said Edmond and the other football players lift twice a week during VPE, as well as on Saturdays, and they do what Egofske called "a pretty heavy conditioning regimen" another two days a week in VPE.

Beyond that, Edmond said he has the mentality that every little bit counts in conditioning, and he's lived by that rule during practice.

"He pushes himself," Egofske said of Edmond. "He's not winning races, but he's always competing. He finishes (sprints) with a little bit of gusto. Every effort he gives is a pretty strong, worthwhile effort."

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NOTRE DAME

Greene runs — and plays — with his head for Dons

Notre Dame senior QB doesn't shy away from contact

BY JONAH ROSENBLUM
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NILES — Despite the importance of a quarterback's health to a football team, Notre Dame coach Mike Hennessey didn't seem worried after watching Ryan Greene relentlessly charge down the field.

"He brings it to people," Hennessey said of his senior quarterback. "If a guy's running like that, you don't worry about it."

Greene's grit cost him on a second-and-seven early in the fourth quarter Friday against Marist, when he ran through one hit before his helmet was knocked off on a second hit. He had to sit out the ensuing third-and-three as a result.

No one on the Dons' sideline seemed too bothered, however.

"He is a survivor," senior running back Chris James said. "He did all that for the team, sacrificing himself for the first down."

It wasn't the only time Greene took a risk. Though he never quite pulled a John Elway — flying through two tacklers to win his first championship in Super Bowl XXXII — he ran headfirst all night. Sliding clearly wasn't in the senior's mind.

"He's great," James said. "That's my boy. Running behind Greene, he's definitely a bruiser. There's some plays where it's like, 'Greene, don't run the ball,' and he just runs somebody over and it's like, 'Alright Greene, good job.' "

Beyond possessing the toughness to run the ball, Greene also showed off plenty of speed in Notre Dame's 45-35 victory. The quarterback finished with 59 yards on 10 carries.

"He understands now when he's got to tuck it and run," Hennessey said. "And he's a heck of a runner."

Just as important, Greene seems unfazed by pressure in the pocket, which has been particularly critical with an inexperienced offensive line protecting him.

On the Dons' second drive of the third quarter, they faced a third-and-five. Greene took a big hit but was able to find senior wide receiver Matt Galloway past the marker. He later narrowly avoided a sack on second-and-seven from the Notre Dame 40-yard line, quickly firing a pass to James. Notre Dame would take a 25-14 lead at the end of the drive.

"He's got great poise," Hennessey said. "He understands what he's doing with the offense, and he understands that he's out there to make plays and not to sit back and not make mistakes. You've got to take some challenges."

His fourth-down conversion with 2:48 remaining and the Dons up 3 was a typical demonstration of the senior's skill set. He was immediately flushed out of the pocket by two defenders, and angling backwards and to the right, Greene slung an 11-yard pass to Galloway.

"A lot of adrenaline going on that play," Greene said. "The game was riding high on that play. We ran an action pass. I had a D-I player chasing after me on that play and got rid of him and made a big pass. That was probably the biggest pass of the game right there."

Notre Dame's Ryan Greene (11) is pulled down by Nazareth's Daniel Bakovich during their game on Oct. 5 in La Grange Park. The Dons play at Joliet Catholic on Friday. | JASON GLOSNIAK/FOR SUN-TIMES MEDIA

GAME RECAP

Notre Dame 45
Marist 35

THE SKINNY

Despite seemingly not having an answer for senior quarterback Jack Donegan, junior receiver Flynn Nagel, senior receiver Nic Weishar and the Marist offense all night long, Notre Dame (6-1 overall, 3-1 ESCC) prevailed in a thriller 45-35 Friday in Niles. After a Chris James rushing touchdown, a diving catch by Weishar drew Marist (4-3, 3-2) within three with three and half minutes remaining. However, another James score and a pick by senior Pat Cravens sealed the Dons' victory.

TURNING POINT

Facing a fourth-and-three on the Marist 30-yard line with a 38-35 lead and 2:48 to go in the game, Notre Dame senior quarterback Ryan Greene had a lot of pressure on him as he rolled away from two defenders and completed an 11-yard strike to senior wide receiver Matt Galloway. James, a senior, capped the drive with his third touchdown of the quarter.

THE STAR

James rushed for 238 yards and five touchdowns on 29 carries. That included a 14-yard touchdown, a 35-yard score and then an 8-yard score in the fourth quarter to fend off the Marist rally.

BY THE NUMBERS

Twenty six of James' 29 carries, including his first 12, went for positive yardage.

QUOTABLE

"I think it's been the best game ever. Overall, the best win ever. I think it was overall just the best game." — James

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Another test awaits

After a big home win over Marist, Notre Dame travels Friday to take on Joliet Catholic

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Notre Dame's Shaun Mulcrone (15) tackles Marist's Nic Weishar (89) during Friday's game in Niles. | JASON GLOSNIAK/FOR SUN-TIMES MEDIA

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