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Council Receives Recommendations Of Elections Advisory Committee

by Al Skolnik

Establishment of a Board of Election Supervisors, limitation of voters on bond issues to those who have had 5-years residence in Greenbelt, minimum age and residence requirements for councilmen, and requirements for campaign treasurers' reports are among the recommendations of the City Elections Advisory Committee, whose report was released last month. The Committee was originally appointed in 1969 to review election procedures and qualifications, terms, and powers of elected officials. George Beauchamp chaired the committee, which consisted of Eunice Coxon, Joseph Hanyok, Harold Siegel, and Richard Alpher (who replaced Theodore Reiss).

The full flavor of the various issues that the Committee wrest-led with can be grasped from the many minority reports attached to the Committee report. These issues included

- (1) Long-term residents vs. short-term residents.
- (2) Young voters vs. old voters.
 (3) Voting rights for ex-felons and non-citizens.
- (4) Size, powers, and pay of a proposed Board of Election Supervisors.

Perhaps equally notable are the subjects the Committee considered but rejected: direct election of the mayor, councilmanic representation by wards or precincts, proportional representation, permitting of property owners only to vote on bond issues, and extension of voting rights to non-U.S. citizens in the process of becoming citizens.

In one particular, the Committee's report may already be obsolete. The Committee had recommended that voting on bond issues be limited to persons of 5-year residence. A recent Supreme Court decision indicates that residency requirements of longer than a month may be deemed impermissible. Incidentally, the Committee had voted not to change the present 6-month residence requirement for voter registration.

Board of Supervisors

The major innovation of the Committee was a proposal for the establishment of a Board of Election Supervisors that would supervise the registration of voters, conduct the election, and appoint election judges and clerks. The Board would consist of five persons appointed by council for sixyear terms and receive nominal compensation (\$240-\$300 per year). A minority felt that the Board should consist of three persons and not be paid, but the majority felt that the work involved with three polling places would warrant oth-

The powers of the proposed Board of Election Supervisors came in for much discussion. The majority felt that if the Board was to be effective it would have to have its own budget and independent powers, and protection against unwarranted interference with its judgment and rulings. It urged that the Board have the power to confiscate unfair campaign literature, levy fines, and declare forfeiture of candidacy. The grounds for such forfeiture would be the failure of a candidate to comply with the regulations and rules of the Board. Hanyok registered a strong protest against giving the Board so much power.

The majority also favored having

WHAT GOES ON

Sat., April 1, 1-4 p.m. Boys Club baseball registration, Youth Center

Monday, April 3 9 a.m. Easter Egg Hunt, Lake Park 8 p. m. City Council Meeting Municipal Building

Tues., April 5, 9:30 a.m. Arbor Day observance - Youth Center

Fri., April 7, 8:30 a.m. City-wide Paper Pick-up. court review only of the Board's rulings, thus bypassing city council. In order, however, to avoid delays and because city council had expressed a desire to be a review board, a compromise was struck whereby a citizen or candidate could appeal a Board's decision to the city council but the council could only reverse the ruling by unanimous decision. Hanyok felt this was too stringent a require-

Qualifications for Candidates

A controversial proposal concerned that of age-25 and 5-year residency requirements for candidates for city council. The majority of the Committee was fearful of a surge to younger candidates filled with enthusiasm but with little grasp of reality." At present there is no age requirement (except the age-18 requirement for yoting)

In addition to maturity, the Committee also saw a need for candidates who have roots in the community. "To really know and effectively represent a community is to live and absorb its life through some years of seasoning," the majority said. A 5-year residency requirement, the Committee felt, would limit the occasions when bright and presentable short-term residents with little knowledge of local affairs could dazzle the public with emotional issues.

Alpher took strong exception to both the age and residency requirement for councilmen and Beauchamp also opposed the residency requirement. Alpher interpreted these requirements as directed against Springhill Lake residents and against youth in general.

Alpher also took exception to the 5-year residency requirement for voting on bond issues. The majority of the Committee was of the opinion that bond issues which can financially obligate the city for many years to come should only be voted on at special elections and by persons who had five years of exposure to community affairs and who are likely to continue living in the city. Alpher disputed the contention that only term residents are interested in the future of Greenbelt or can act responsibly. He also thought the residency requirement would be unconstitutional.

Other Proposals

Over the opposition of Hanyok, the Committee voted to give exfelons who have paid their debt to society the right to vote. However, it turned down a proposal by Reiss to give persons who have filed declaration of intent to become U. S. citizens the right to vote, arguing that voting was a right of citizenship and should not be diluted, even at the municipal level.

Other proposed changes included provisions for holding a special election if two or more council vacancies occur at the same time, extending the rights of watchers and challengers, prohibiting the use of voter registration lists for commercial solicitation or other business purposes, listing names on the ballot by random selection, and prohibiting a candidate from holding two elective offices simultan-

AGENDA

REGULAR MEETING OF CITY COUNCIL

MONDAY, APRIL 3 ,1972 8:00 P.M.

- 1 ORGANIZATION
- 1 Call to Order

the Flag

- 2 Roll Call
- 3 Meditation Pledge of Allegiance to
- 4 Minutes of Regular Meeting of March 20, 1972
- 5 Additions to Agenda by Councilmen and Manager

II COMMUNICATIONS

- 6 Presentation of Beautification Award
- 7 Petitions and Requests
- a. Letter Re: Beltway Plaza Embankment
- b. Letter Re: Tennis Complex on City Parkland
- 8 Administrative Reports
- 9 Committee Reports

III OLD BUSINESS

- 10 A Resolution to Provide for the Acceptance into the City Street System of the Cherrywood Lane Four Cell Box Culvert Improvements Authorized by Ordinance Number 692 and for the Levying of Special Assessments in the Total Amount of \$184,184.03 Upon Each and Every Benefited Property - Second Reading
- the Computation of Interest on a Deed of Trust and a Promissory Note Granted by Albert H.

 Small, Theodore N. Lerner and Harold Kramer at the Rate of 7½% Per Annum Instead of 8% Due to the City Financing the Cost of Constructing Gentry Drive at a Rate of Interest not Exceeding 7½% per Annum Second Reading
- 12 Group Therapy in Senior and Junior High Schools
- 13 Indoor Pool Referendum
- 14 Bids Westway Widening
- 15 Amendment to County Mandatory Dedication Ordinance
- 16 State Income Tax

IV NEW BUSINESS

- 17 1972/73 Budget
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- V MISCELL ANDOUG

V MISCELLANEOUS

Basketball Exhibition Game at Parkdale

Members of the Washington Redskins Basketball team will take on the WPGC Radio Basket Bunglers on Sunday, April 8 at 2 p.m. at Parkdale Senior High School. There will be door prizes and refreshments. Tickets may be purchased at the Radio Shack and Sumie's at the Beltway Plaza and at the Eastover Shopping Center. For further information call 577-3751. The Mishkan Torah is sponsoring the event.

VOTING MACHINES CAUSE CHANGE OF LOCATION FOR GHI MEETING

by Elaine Skolnik

The Greenbelt Homes, Inc. annual membership meeting will have a new location this year — the Youth Center. Because of the decision to use voting machines for the board elections, it was necessary to find a site where the machines could be left undisturbed between the evening meeting and the following day.

The date set for the evening meeting is Wednesday, May 24. Voting will start that evening and continue the next day at the Youth Center.

News Review Dinner

Plans are moving ahead rapidly for the testimonial dinner honoring the Greenbelt News Review's attorney, Roger A. Clark. The affair will be held on Saturday evening, April 29, 1972, at the University of Maryland Center of Adult Education. Clark successfully defended the newspaper in a libel action which culminated in the U.S. Supreme Court decision of May 18, 1970 upholding the principle of freedom of the press.

Invitations have been sent out to those whom the News Review thought might be interested in attending the affair. If you have not yet received an invitation, and wish to attend, please call GR 4-6060, GR 4-6323, or GR 4-8795.

On Proposed Sewage Plant

The Prince George's County Council has postponed action on an amendment to the County Ten-Year Water and Sewer Plant CB-45—which would permit installation and use of the temporary treatment plant for the Greenbriar and Glen Ora tracts—until it receives an opinion on the matter from Dr. Neil Solomon, secretary, State Department of Health and Mental Hygiene (SDHMH). Council is also awaiting a report from the County Office of Law pertaining to the land-use aspects of the amendment.

In a letter to Dr. Solomon dated February 24, Chairman Winfield Kelly stated, "Looks like we are going to have the problem of the sewer moratorium and small treatment plants for many years Since by law the Department of Health has responsibility of operation and supervision of such plants, we would like for you to give us your opinion as to whether the advanced sewage treatment plants will eliminate health hazards and whether a safe plant can be built." He noted Dr. Perry Stearn's disapproval of the plant which, he said, "appears to be in conflict with other information given to you in connection with the Greenbriar facility and the Landover Mall.'

A spokesman for the SDHMH stated that there should be an answer to the County's letter in the near future. In the meantime the department's engineers have been reviewing the plant's design and have come up with some recommended revisions.

The Office of Law indicated that it will soon release a report dealing with questions that have been raised as to whether a special exception will be needed for the plant or whether some zoning other than R-30 (apartment) which the land is presently zoned, will be required.

SIXTH ANNUAL ARTS FESTIVAL

On Sunday, April 9, from 1 - 5 p.m., the City of Greenbelt will hold its Sixth Annual Arts Festival at the Braden Field Recreation Center. Demonstrations of unusual and favorite crafts, by area artists, will be included in the afternoon festivities. Visitors will also have an opportunity to purchase many of the wares. As a special added attraction, the Greenbelt Concert Band will perform at 3 p.m.

Anyone wishing to participate is encouraged to pick up an entry blank at the Greenbelt Branch County Library, Twin Pines Savings and Loan or the Braden Field Recreation Center, Greenbelt. There is no entry fee or admission. Everyone is invited to submit their works and to attend. For further information call 474-6878.

There are four 2-year terms to be filled on the 9-member board. The board members whose terms expire this year are Steve Polaschik, Katherine Keene, Thomas White, and James Smith. The last named is finishing out a term that was vacated during the year.

There are also three audit committee members to be elected for 1-year terms.

At the GHI board meeting on March 27, director Katherine Keene speculated whether voting machines might not produce waiting lines at the end of the meeting. She wondered whether this might not have the undesirable result of people leaving the meeting early to vote. She said she was inclined to keep the paper balloting for the evening meeting.

Jule Churchill, chairman of the Nominations and Elections Committee, stated that the voting machines would be in a room right near the membership meeting room (which will be the gym in the Youth Center).

Information Meeting

The board firmed up the date for the member information meeting as Monday, April 10, at the Greenbelt Library, starting at 8 p.m. Members will receive a notice of the items to be discussed in the mail.

Lights

The board approved a request for installation of a light in the parking area in 23 Ridge Court. At the same time, the maintenance and parking committees were asked to study the problems and costs involved in installing a satisfactory lighting system for courts and inner walkways.

Parking

The board adopted a recommendation of the Parking Committee which modifies the assignment procedure. In the future, any member who lives in a court which has at least one parking space per member may request management to assign a single space to him without reference to the rest of the court. The assignment will be done in accordance with management's assignment policy. The board also adopted the suggestion of the parking committee to designate assigned spaces with the house unit number.

Townhouses

The Ad-Hoc Townhouse Committee reported its recommendations for resolving the loose ends that remain in the financing of the 25 North End townhouses.

(1) The project costs turned out to be some \$17,000 in excess of the estimates. This amount was initially advanced by GHI and is now to be reimbursed through a loan from Suburban Trust, which holds the original 30-year \$450,000 mort gage. The problem that developed was that the bank would only loan the money for a 25-year period, instead of 30 years, thus increasing the monthly cost of the loan. The Ad Hoc Committee recommended that the increased cost be paid by the townhouse owners through a slight addition to their monthly payments.

(2) The project also had to absorb certain project completion costs of about \$17,500, including basement work, sidewalk completion and bathroom tile work, for which the builder had failed to pick up the tab. The Ad Hoc Committee agreed that these costs should be capitalized over the life of the first mortgage by borrowing from the bank. The amount, which comes to \$700 per unit, would be added to the original sales price, thus benefiting the townhouse owner as regards the equity in his home and the effect on the resale formula.

Before voting on the recommendations, the board decided to refer them to the Finance Committee and its solicitor.

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"No Journalistic Surprises To the Editor:

I have been very busy defending your style of reporting against the charge that it is an attempt to rewrite Greenbelt history. I have gone so far as to say that the City Council meetings have been so long that it is understandable for a reporter to cut out a few quotes here and there, and even fall asleep sometimes and miss entire statements.

Last week's account of the March 20th council meeting held no journalistic surprises. Your readers were treated to words like "spe-cious" and "fallacious" and to phrases such as "many inaccuracies" and "would have lost all credibility." Yet you reported no counterbalancing comments to show that the Council minority opinion is based upon documentation and testimony that has accumulated since last November. However, that was one of our longer meetings.

One quote, however, I would like to address. The so-called "calm reasonable approach" of my colleagues is simply another way to say that the Greenbelt Council dallied for five months over a project potentially harmful to the city, and still failed to match the high level of concern shown by County Health Officer Dr. Stearns.

I have some news for the News Review. State Deputy Secretary of Health Richard Batterton sent me a letter dated March 20, 1972, in which he says, "I find no indication that local government can, through regulation, dictate the conditions by which the State will approve sewage treatment facilities."

This would seem to corroborate the statement that I read at the last Council meeting, that we would be fooling the good people of Greenbelt into thinking that any recommendations we might make would in fact be carried out by the State. I then pointed out that if the County were to disapprove of Bill #45, the Ten-Year Water and Sewers Plan would not be amended and the State Health Department could not grant a permit for the Greenbriar-Glen Ora sewage treatment plant. This is why I argued in favor of a direct statement without conditions and qualifications asking the County Council to disapprove of the bill.

Rhea Cohen

BASEBALL SIGN UP

Boys Club baseball season begins June 1. Practice begins April 1, so all boys 13 through 15 years old who are interested can sign up at the Youth Center, Saturday, April 1, from 1 to 4.

Purposeful Obfuscation

To the Editor:

According to your report of City Council meeting on March 20, 1972, Councilman Schwan stated that the reasons pressed upon City Council to reject the sewage plant outright were specious and fallacious and the Council would have lost all credibility if it had tried to base its case on such unsubstantiated charges. This statement typifies the arrogance shown by Council toward the citizens and officials who have opposed this plant. That statement also clearly demonstrates the purposeful obfuscation by Council throughout the entire Greenbriar case.

Four members of Council embrace a State Department of Water Resources Report that contains errors and may have been issued contrary to state law. Mrs. Cohen, in the public interest, has asked that the report be withdrawn. Four members of Council choose to ignore the planning implications in the Greenbriar proposal. Mrs. Cohen has consistently stated the precedent setting effect an approved sewage treatment plant would have on future Greenbelt as well as County development. There may very well be similar sewage plant applications waiting in the wings for Greenbriar approval.

Four members of Council evidently are still not convinced that the proposal represents a health and ecological hazard - even after Dr. Stearns has pronounced that one will exist. Mrs. Cohen has consistently recognized that the proposal represents sufficient risk that under no circumstances would she approve such a plant.

Four members of Council have been sold a bill of goods from the developer's consultant. Mrs. Cohen was never impressed with the grandiose claims of the paid consultant and has consistently distinguished clearly the public interest from economic interest.

Probably the best evidence of the wrongness in the Council decisions on Greenbriar can be shown by the unfortunate hostility and arrogance displayed toward the interested and concerned citizens who testified and asked questions at the last few meetings. Such activities can only bring discredit to the Council as a

Holy Week at St. Hugh's

St. Hugh's Catholic Church has tor, Msgr. Boland, will represent St. Hugh's.

Msgr. Boland and Father Amey, will be assisted by Father Raymond Moriarty of the Archdiocese of Washington, Father Frank Nelson of the Diocese of Savannah, Georgia, Father Matthew Thekaekara, a priest-research scientist from Kerela, India, and the parish's new deacon, the Rev. Edward Lataille of Worcester, Mass.

Lutheran Church Holy Week Services

Holy Cross Lutheran Church 6905 Greenbelt Road, will hold services during Holy Week on the following dates and time: Maundy Thursday, March 30, p. m., Communion Service; Good Friday, March 31, 7 p.m., Vesper Service; Easter Sunday, April 2, 7 a.m., Sunrise Service on the church lawn. The Sunday School will conduct regular classes at 9:50, followed by the 11:15 a.m. service in the sanctuary. The public is invited to join the congregation in these worship services

The Reverend Edward H. Birner will officiate on all occasions.

Baplist Easter Services

On Easter Sunday there will be two Morning Worship Services at 8:30 and 11 o'clock - at Greenbelt Baptist Church; an Evening Worship Service at 7 o'clock. Pastor S. Jasper Morris, Jr., will bring special messages on the resurrection. The Chancel Choir will provide special music at both Morning Worship hours; the Youth Choir, at Evening Worship. The Lord's Supper will be observed at both Morning Services; the Ordinance of Baptism, at Evening Wor-

EASTER EGG HUNT

The Easter Rabbit will host Greenbelt's Annual Easter Egg Hunt at the Lake Park Monday, April 3. The hunt will start promptly at 9 a.m. when the Rabbit says go. Pre-school thru elementary children are invited to attend. Prizes Thomas X. White will be awarded in each grade.

MISHKAN TORAH

Friday Night Services - 8:30 p.m. Passover Family Service - Wed., April 5, 10:30 a.m. Passover Services - Thurs., April 6, 9:30 a.m. (Yizkor will be recited)

Ridge & Westway Rds., Greenbelt

474-4223

announced a full schedule of services for the closing days of Holy Week. Stations of the Cross will be conducted for adults in the church at 3 p.m. on Good Friday while a similar program designed by the children of the parish will be held at the same time in the parish hall. The Good Friday liturgical and communion service will begin at 7:30 p.m. The highlight of Holy Saturday programs will be the combined Mass and Easter Vigil timed for 7:30 p.m. in the church. Along with its four usual Masses on Easter morning the parish will also participate in the ecumenical Sunrise Service scheduled for Greenbelt Lake at 7 a.m. This year the pas-

Because of the many extra services this week the resident clergy,

HOLY WEEK SERVICES

Maundy Thursday Communion Good Friday Vespers

Sunday School

Morning Worship

7:30 P.M. Wednesday ___

6:00 P.M.

7:00 P.M.

EASTER

Morning Worship Services - 8:30 and 11:00 A.M.

"Seven Last Words of Christ" by Dubois presented March 31, 8 P.M.

GREENBELT BAPTIST CHURCH

Crescent & Greenhill Rds. S. Jasper Morris, Jr., Pastor _ 474-4040

8:00 p.m. 7:00 p.m.

7:00 a.m.

Training Union

Evening Worship

Midweek Service

EASTER SERVICES

The Festival of the Resurrection

Sunrise Service (conducted on the church lawn)

8:30 and 11:15 a.m. Festival Services Sunday School 9:50 a.m.

Come and worship with us

Holy Cross Lutheran Church 6905 Greenbelt Rd.

Edward H. Birner, Pastor

Miss Ann Falkenheim, Parish Worker

345-5111

9:45 A.M.

11:00 A.M.

447-9200

St. Hugh's Church

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474-4322

HOLY WEEK SERVICES

GOOD FRIDAY

Day of Fast and Abstinence to identify ourselves with the suffering of Christ

Stations of the Cross, Adults and Children, 3:00 P.M. Private Prayer before Altar of Reposition, 9:00 A.M. to 7:00 P.M. Liturgical & Communion Service, 7:30 P.M. Confessions, 11:00 A.M. to 12 noon & after Evening Service.

HOLY SATURDAY

April 1

Confessions, 11:00 A.M. to noon, 4:00 to 5:00 P.M. Easter Vigil Service & Mass, fulfills Sunday obligation, 7:30 P.M. Please note: No 6:00 P.M. Mass today.

EASTER SUNDAY

April 2

MASSES at 8:00, 9:30, 11:00 A.M., 12:30 P.M. Ecumenical Sunrise Service (No Mass) at Lake, 7:00 A.M.

The clergy and parishioners of St. Hugh's extend Easter greetings to all members of the Greenbelt community.

Rev. Msgr. Raymond J. Boland

Rev. Robert G. Amey

Rev. Raymond B. Moriarty

Rev. Mr. Edward Lataille

UNITED METHODIST CHURCH

(Mowatt Memorial) 40 Ridge Road, Greenbelt, Md. Telephone 474-9410 Rev. Clifton Cunningham, Pastor - Tel. 474-3381 Worship Service 11:00 A.M. (Nursery through Kindergarten at 11:00)

Church School (Kindergarten through adults) 9:30 A.M.

JOIN OUR CELEBRATION ON EASTER SUNDAY

Bring your children . . . they are what life is all about.

Bring your fears they will be diminished Bring your hopes . . . they will be brought to life

> Sermon: FLY A KITE Scripture: Matthew 28:1-20

GREENBELT COMMUNITY CHURCH

John 14:2-3

HILLSIDE AND CRESCENT ROADS GREENBELT

Community Easter Morning Service

Greenbelt Lake Bandstand Sunday April 2nd

7:00 a.m.

Rev. Msgr. Raymond J. Boland St. Hugh's Catholic Church

Rev. Clifton D. Cunningham Mowatt Memorial United Methodist Church

Rev. Robert L. Field Greenbelt Community Church

All Are Welcome

Good Friday Presentation By Baptist Chancel Choir

The Chancel Choir of Greenbelt Baptist Church under the direction of Henry W. Hecht will present "The Seven Last Words of Christ" by Theodore Dubois at a special worship service on Good Friday, March 31, at 8 p.m. Soloists are Deserre Hecht and Jean Dawson, sopranos; Gray Williams, tenor; Daniel Swinson, baritone. L'Rees J. Morris is pianist.

Pastor S. Jasper Morris and Greenbelt Baptist Congregation cordially invite interested friends to join in this hour of worship.

Easter Sunrise Services

At 6:30 a.m., on Easter Sunday eleven Protestant Churches known as United Christian Ministeries will present a worship service in Sweetgum Picnic Area located in Greenbelt Park at 6501 Greenbelt Road, A chorus consisting of youth from the various Churches will be led by the Reverend Sidney R. Conger, Minister of Berwyn Presbyterian Church. The sermon will be delivered by the Reverend William Schroeder, Minister of St. Paul's United Church of Christ ,Lanham.

It may be chilly, so dress warmly. Since there will be only a limited number of chairs bring your own chair or blanket. In the event of inclement weather the service will be moved to Berwyn Presbyterian Church at 6301 Greenbelt Road.

St. Hugh's Election

Parishioners of St. Hugh's Catholic Church voted last weekend in their annual election to fill seats on the Parish Advisory Council. The balloting resulted in Henrietta Haslinger, Lillian O'Brien, George Pecor, and John Yakupkovic being elected to 2 year terms on the council. The newly elected members will meet with present Council members Ruth Durantine, Hugh McEvoy, and Ernie Varda, in April to select a Council President and Vice-President for the coming year.

Grateful to Rescue Squad To the Editor:

It certainly is a comfort and satisfaction to know that the Greenbelt Rescue Squad is standing by at any time when you need them. On two occasions this past week it was necessary for me to call them. They were prompt, courteous and effi-My wife and I will always remember the service given to us by them when needed.

Alice Carneal James S. Carneal, Sr.

Cutting Thru the Smoke

Dr. Jesse L. Steinfeld, Surgeon General of the U.S. Public Health Service, is slated to keynote a panel discussion on the subject of non-smokers' rights in relation to pollution caused by smokers. in public places. The meeting is open to the public, and will take place Tuesday, April 4, 8:30 p.m., at the Greenbelt Public Library.

The sponsoring agencies, GASP, (Group Against Smokers' Pollution) and Prince George's Tuberculosis and Respiratory Disease Assn. are concerned with the problem of air pollution caused by tobacco smoke in enclosed spaces and supports measures to prohibit smoking in places where non-smokers are unavoidably exposed. GASP has also supported measures to provide separate smoking facilities on airlines and other places where "the principle of effective separation" can be reasonably implemented.

And in case any doubt remains, smokers will be asked to refrain from indulging at the April 4th meeting! Contact: W. K. Morris 927-5181.

Local Artist Exhibits

For the second year, Greenbelt artist Jacqueline Crabtree will hold an exhibition of her watercolors at the Paint Branch Unitarian Church, 3215 Powder Mill Road, Adelphi. The exhibit of her recent watercolors will be on display from April 6 to May 6.

The New Orleans Art Association recently accepted a painting of Mrs. Crabtree's for its national exhibit, and she has been asked to hold a show at Jefferson University in Missouri in the fall.

GIRL SCOUT TROOP 95

by Judy Yakupkovic The Girl Scouts of Troop 95 went to the Greenbelt Convalescent Home in December. We sang carols and gave the patients decorated gifts, which we made at our meetings. We made place mats and decorated soap.

We went to see a play entitled "Treasure Island." There were over 1,000 people there. We thought it was really good.

The Scouts went on a one-day camping trip to Greenbelt Park. It was cold. We ate spaghetti and "somemores." When we went on the nature trail hike, we had a walking salad. It was fun. We are planning on a two-day camping trip in the summer.

We have been working on different badges. Some girls finished the Roller Skating Badge.

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GHI Senior Citizens Attention Attention

GHI Fiscal Office has the County's forms, for the 1972 Senior Citizen Tax Credit. The County has requested that these forms be filed by April 15, 1972.

GHI members please call 474-6601 for information in this regard.

Dinner - Play

"You Can't Take it with You"

by Kaufman and Hart

St. Hugh's Church, Grenoble Hall

135 Crescent Road, Greenbelt, Md. Dinner 7 p.m.; Curtain 8:15 p.m.

Three Days — April 14, 15 and 16, 1972

Children 12 yrs. & Under

\$6 per person

Reservations Required

For Info. Call 474-2397 or 474-8821

Recreation Review

SPRING REGISTRATION

Registration for the Recreation Department's Spring Program will be held the first week in April. Register April 4 and 5 at the Braden Field Recreation Center from 3:30 to 5 p.m., at Springhill Lake Elementary School April 6 from 3:30 to 5 p.m. Registration must be made in person. Registration on a space available basis will be held April 7, please call the Recreation Department at 474-6878. The program will begin April 8 and end

NEW EVENING HOURS

New hours for the Braden Field Recreation Center Open Gym and lounge are 7 to 9 p.m.

ARBOR DAY CEREMONY

The City will observe Arbor Day on Wednesday, April 5 at 9:30 a.m. by conducting a tree planting ceremony at the Greenbelt Recreation Center behind the swimming pool. All interested citizens are invited

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GREENBELT RECREATION DEPARTMENT

Leisure Time Activities For Spring 1972

Register in person at the Braden Field Recreation Center April 4 and 5 from 3:30 to 5 p.m., at Springhill Lake Elementary April 6 from 3:30 to 5 p.m. Registration on a space available basis only, April 7 from 12 noon to 3 p.m. by calling the Recreation Department at 474-6878. Saturday programs begin April 8 and end June 10. Weekday programs begin April 10 and end June 9.

Location Key: (BFRC) Braden Field Recreation Center, (RRC) Ridge Road Center, (CES) Center Elementary School, (ST.H) St. Hugh's, (SHL ELE) Springhill Lake Elementary

ACTIVITY	LOCATION	DAY/TIME	FEE	
Arts and Crafts	BFRC	Grade 1&2 M4-5:30	FREE	
		Grade 3&4 W 4-5:30 Grade 5&6 F 4-5:30		
	SHI FLE	Grades 1-6 Sat 9-10:30		
Ballet - Pre-school BF	RC&SHL ELE	Sat. 9 A.M.	\$8/10	
adv. pre-school	BFRC	Sat. 10 A.M.	\$8/10	
beginner		Sat. 11 A.M.	\$8/10	
adv. beginner	BFRC	Sat. 12 noon	\$8/10	
Clay Modeling (6 yrs. up)	BFRC	Sat. 9-10:30 10:30-12 noon	\$8/10	
Creative Dramatics	BFRC	Sat. 12 noon-1	\$10/10	
Drop In	BFRC	MonFri. 3:30-5:30	FREE	
	RRC	MonFri 4-5:30 -		
Girls' Gym	BFRC	MonFri. 7-8:30 P.M.	FREE	
Greenbelt Chucks BF	RC&SHL ELE	Sat. 9-11 A.M.	FREE	
Elem. Boys, games, sports, individual activities				
Guitar	BFRC	Beginner Fri. 3:45-4:45	\$10/10	
	BFRC	Advanced Fri.4:45-5:45	\$10/10	
Introduction to Dance	SHL ELE	Sat. 10 A.M.	\$8/10	
Nature Crafts	BFRC	Sat. 2-3 P.M.	\$6/10	
Nature Study	RRC	Sat. 3-4:30 P.M.	\$8/10	
Rifle Marksmanship and Safety (BB gun provided)	RRC	Sat. 1 P.M.	\$5/10	
Roller Skating	BFRC	Mon. 4-5:15 Grade 3&4	25c rental	
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The state of the morning		Fri. 4-5:15 Grade 1&2		
Tennis Braden Field	Tennis Courts	Sat. 8:30-10 A.M.	\$5/7	
Woodshop	BFRC	Sat 9-10:30 & 10:30-12	\$8/10	
TEEN ACTIVITIES				

TEENS MAY ALSO REGISTER FOR ADULT ACTIVITIES

Fashion Modeling Techniques	BFRC	Wed. 7-8 P.M.	\$7/8
Weightlifting Club	BFRC	MonFri. 3-5:30 P.M. Sat. 9-5:30 Sun. 7-9 P.M.	\$5 yr. membership

ADULT ACTIVITIES

Auto Mechanics	BFRC	Thurs. 7:30-8:30 \$15/10	
		Thurs. 8:30-9:30 \$15/10	
Business Men's Noon Hour Exercise Club	BFRC	MWF 11-1	
Body Building Instruction (age 14 up)	BFRC	MWF 7-8 P.M. \$8 10	
Candlemaking	BFRC	Wed. 7:30-9:30 P.M. \$12/5 plus \$3 material	
Ceramics	BFRC	Beginner Tu. or Th. 10-12 A.M. \$1275 Th. 8-10 P.M plus clay and firing	
Manual States Physics		Babysitting (A.M. only) \$2/child course	
Dog Obedience	RRC	Th. 7 P.M. (First class Apr. 6) \$15/10	
Figure Fun	BFRC	Tu.&Th. 2-3 P.M. \$10/8 weeks	
Golden Age Club (55 up)	BFRC	Wed. 1-3	
Senior Citizen Social	BFRC	Mon. 11-3	
Guitar	BFRC	Parent/ChildBeginner Th. 7-8 P.M. \$12/10	

Beginner Th. 8-9 P.M. TO SHARE WAS ASSESSED. Intermediate Th. 9-10 P.M. \$10/10 Wed. 7-8 P.M

Mon. Beginner 8:30-10 P.M.

\$10/7

Modern Jazz Dancing BFRC \$8/8 \$12/5 2 hr. classes Oil Painting BFRC Tu. 8-10 P.M. \$12/7 Tennis BFRC Tennis Courts Sat. 10-11:30 A.M. RRC Mon. Intermediate 7-8:30 P.M. \$10/7 Yoga

\$950,000 Bond Issue Hailed as a Success

by Al Skolnik

In November 1968, the Greenbelt electorate approved a \$950,000 bond issue for capital improvements. This decision can be cited as one of the most successful the city has ever made, because with these funds as a base the city has been able through Federal and State grant money to expand the amounts available for capital improvements to over \$2,000,000. Thus, to quote city manager James K. Giese, "the citizens of Greenbelt will realize a return of more than 2 to 1 on the money authorized for capital improvements at the bond issue referendum.

This and other details of the bond issue are discussed in the capital improvement budget submitted to city council last week by Giese, As the accompanying box shows, the city has spent to date \$176,418 of bond issue proceeds for projects completed and expects to spend \$552,855 for projects in the pipeline. This leaves a balance of \$295,727

Projects to Come

Most of the funds are more or less committed to projects that were proposed in the bond issue but not yet undertaken. Giese has thus recommended that the city coun-

(1)Proceed with working plans for park development in accord with recommendations of the City Staff contained in the Lake Park Master Plan. These include an initial expenditure to take place for the development of the entranceplayground-picnic area of the lake park for initial development of parcel 7. The construction of tennis courts and improvements to ballfields are also desirable, Giese said. The redevelopment of the Springhill Lake golf course and the conversion of the old city landfill to a park should be given early consideration also, Giese said.

(2) Proceed with its determination of the portion of parcel 1 to be acquired. Council has already authorized the obtaining of preliminary appraisal information. The plan is to acquire a stream valley buffer park extending along the Baltimore-Washington Parkway on the west side from the northern city limits to and including the city landfill. The city is currently attempting to acquire a 13-acre tract in the north-east corner declared surplus by the Federal Cove ment. It is proposed to acquire approximately 40 additional acres.

(3) Initiate preliminary planning for an addition to the Municipal Building. The city office building was designed for a city staff and police force serving a city of 9,000 people. Glese said that it is inadequate for present needs, and future growth will bring on a crisis situation.

Incomplete Projects

A status report prepared by Giese of the various incompleted projects follows

Acquisition of Springhill Lake Golf

A HUD Open Space Grant has been awarded for this project, but a concurred-in price has not been established. A state grant has been applied for and should be approved. Negotiation for acquisition has not been undertaken pending approval of a concurred-in price.

Acquisition of Furey Property

Because this property can only be acquired if and when the owners are willing to sell, and the owners have indicated they do not desire to sell, no funds are budgeted above \$1,355 expenses already incurred. It would be very desirable, Giese said, to acquire this property for several reasons:

1. To replace below standard Ridge Road right-of-way with a new right-of-way to funnel traffic out to Kenilworth without going through Boxwood Subdivision and to provide decent access to Lakeside North.

2. To protect the city from undesirable development on its perimeter and outside its jurisdiction.

3. To acquire a portion of a green belt.

4. To provide a neighborhood recreation area. Because part of the property will be used for right-ofway, federal and state open space aid, if received, will fund less than 75% of the acquisition cost. The City's share of the cost is estimated to be about \$70,000.

While some other park land acquisitions are considered of greater value to the city, the obtaining of needed right-of-way to relocate Ridge Road is considered to be one of the most important long-range street needs of the city. This is equally true whether or not this section is ever connected to any other section of the Perimeter Road, as is now shown on the Greenbelt Master Plan. The bringing of this piece of land within the city's jurisdiction is also very im-

Springhill Lake Recreation Center

This project has been delayed because of site acquisition problems. Initially the budget for this project was \$60,000, but Council has approved upward increases, and current plans for construction are estimated to cost \$200,000. Even at this expenditure level, there is concern on the part of some because the gym will be of a minimal size.

The designated site for this facility is the ninth green of the Springhill Lake golf course. Because this area is partly within a flood plain, special approvals will be required which might be difficult to obtain. Other possible sites are: adjacent to Springhill Lake Community Center, vacant tract at corner of Edmonston Road and Springhill Drive, vacant land on east side of Edmonston Road, Junior High School property. There would be some land acquisition eosts involved with some of these parcels of land.

Reconstruct Part of Crescent Road

A preliminary engineering study was made for the elimination of the hump in the road in front of St. Hugh's, the improvement of the Northway intersection, and the construction of a permanent sidewalk between Northway and Park-This study, which does not provide for widening or the construction of curbs and gutters is the basis for the budget estimate of \$27,000. By eliminating the hump, better visibility would be obtained in an area where there is considerable pedestrian traffic and two crosswalks as well as one street intersection and several important driveway entrances, including one to the fire station.

Because it is one of the most heavily used streets in the city, Glese said, Crescent should be improved from Kenilworth Avenue to Parkway. Since future plans call for the state relocating it at Kenilworth, improvements by the city should be considered between the Lake Park entrance and Parkway. Needed is widening of travel lanes to modern standards, some widening for turn lanes at intersections, paved parking and bus lanes at intersections, paved parking and bus pullover lanes, curbs and gutters, storm drains, and permanent sidewalks. Because so much of the adjacent land is city parkland, and because the natural features alongside the street are so attractive, design considerations should give the street a "parkway" appearance to the greatest extent possible without sacrificing traffic and safety needs. There are not sufficient funds available for such a project,

Federal highway funds are not proposed, as they would require the street to be constructed as a multiple lane facility. While such a street would improve traffic flow to some extent, it would be detrimental to the surrounding environ-

SAVE ALL PAPERS FOR RECYCLING

Status of the \$950,000 Bond Issue

Following is an accounting of the proceeds of the \$950,000 bond issue voted by the electorate in November 1968 plus \$75,000 received in interest as of March 6, 1972. The expenditure figures given below are net figures after deducting Federal and State grant money and such items as reimbursement through assessments, etc.

I	Projects completed to date	\$176,418
	Bond sale expenses	5,897
	Acquisition of parcel 7	46,921
	Acquisition of parcel 8	19,915
	Acquisition of parcel 15 (2.9 acres)	31,198
	Acquisition of Lutheran Church property	58
	Greenbelt Fire Station addition	39,816
	Construction of Gentry Drive	32,613
II	Projects in process	552,855
	Acquisition of Springhill Lake golf course	26,000
	Acquisition of Furey project	1,355
	Youth Center addition	191,500
	Springhill Lake Recreation Center	200,000
	Reconstruct Southway Road	107,000
	Reconstruct part of Crescent Road	27,000
Ш	Projects not yet undertaken	288,000
	Park development	68,000
	Acquisition of part of parcel 1	120,000
	Municipal building addition	100,000
IV	Balance of funds	7,727

RECYCLE GLASS

Children's Programs At Local Library

The Greenbelt Branch Library of PGCML will feature the following special programs for children during the Easter holidays:

A special film program for children, ages 5-10, will be held in the Meeting Room, Wednesday, April 5, at 2 p.m. The films will be Elsa and Her Cubs and, In the Forest.

A Craft Program for children, ages 5-10, will be held in the Meeting Room on Thursday, April 6, at 2 p.m. Registration is required.

Registration for pre-school story programs will be held on Tuesday, April 4, at 2 p.m., in the Meeting Room. There will be two six-week series for three-year olds, Tuesday and Wednesdays at 10 a.m., beginning April 11 and 12. The multimedia programs last approximately 30 minutes and include stories, recordings, films, filmstrips and acti-

Films for children, ages 5-10, are being shown every Saturday until May 27 in the Meeting Room. The films begin at 11 a.m. and last approximately 45 minutes.

In addition a Folksong for young adults will be held on Tuesday, April 11 at 7:30 p.m., in the Meet-

Admission is free. There is no charge for any PGCML program. Call 345-5800 for more information.



Twin Pines Newsletter

TWIN PINES SAVINGS & LOAN ASSN.

GREENBELT SHOPPING CENTER GREENBELT, MD., 20770

APRIL, 1972

Membership Meeting Approves Savings Bank

The 62 members who attended the February 22nd Annual Meeting of Twin Pines Savings & Loan Association unanimously approved the idea of trying to convert our savings and loan association into a mutual savings bank. This is the resolution that was adopted:

"The Twin Pines members in their February 22, 1972 Annual Meeting approve the work the Twin Pines Board of Directors has done to date in investigating the possibility of converting our Savings and Loan Association to a Mutual Savings Bank, and hereby instruct the Board of Directors to apply for a Mutual Savings Bank charter, and deposit insurance with the Federal Deposit Insurance Corporation. Should the charter and the F.D.I.C. insurance be available, the Board of Directors is hereby instructed to conduct a Special Membership Meeting and a mail ballot to seek approval of Twin Pines Savings and Loan Association being converted to Twin Pines Savings Bank."

Our co-op home loans are more like bank loans than savings and loan association loans. Though any Maryland savings and loan association may make co-op home loans, we are the only association that does. They will lend to owners of condominium homes, but not to owners of co-op homes.

As a savings bank, we could make consumer loans in addition to real estate loans, and our members' deposits would be insured by the Federal Deposit Insurance Corporation. We would have to lower our dividend rate to 5%, but most board members feel that the deposit insurance would compensate for the lower rate.

ELECTION RESULTS

Leo Gerton and John Unger were elected at the membership meeting in February to three year terms on the Board of Directors. Peter Watters and Jack Maffay were elected to serve one year terms as alternate directors.

Gerton is Franchise Manager of the High's Store in the Greenbelt Shopping Center. Unger is a Chemical Engineer at the Goddard Space Flight Center. Watters is a Management and Planning Analyst at the Library of Congress. Maffay is a Sales Manager for Xerox Corporation.

of Directors are George Jones, Matt Vanderzon, William Lathom, Ed Karlander and John Webb. Jones is a Research Physicist at the US. Army Night Vision Laboratory, Vanderzon is a civil engineer with the District of Columbia Highway Department, Lathom is an independent Real Estate Appraiser, Karlander is Associate Professor of Plant Physiology at the University of Maryland and Webb is a Research Biologist at the Patuxent Wildlife Refuge.

The new Board of Directors reelected the same officers it had last year. Jones is President; Vanderzon is Vice President, Lathom, Secretary; and Webb, Treasurer.

Supervisory Committee

Daniel Dambrauskas and Muriel Weidenfeld were elected at the Membership Meeting to serve two year terms on the Twin Pines Supervisory Committee. Charles Tompkins and Ronald Tousignant were elected to serve as alternates for one year. The Committee elected Dambrauskas to serve as its chairman, and Jack Szafran as its secretary. Szafran was elected to the Committee in 1971.

Nominating Committee

The annual Membership Meeting elected Leonie Penney and Peg Wainscott to serve two year terms on the Nominating Committee. Henry Fisher and Vincent Caruso were elected alternate members for one year. They join Jule Churchill, Sue Lange and Charles McDonald who are already on the Committee.

Loan Committee

At the first meeting of the new Board of Directors John Webb and Francis Scott were reelected to the Loan Committee for another two year term. Other members of the Loan Committee are Bruce Bowman, Bill Fern and Harley Mann.

Education Committee

The Education Committee is being reactivated by the Board of Vernon Wertz, Ruth Directors. Wertz and Judith Johnston were elected by the Board to serve two year terms on the Committee and the Board is looking for other qualified people to serve on this com-

Carryover members of the Board mittee. According to the By-laws our Education Committee is charged with developing a program to encourage new members to join the Association, and to promote an activities program for the member-

Financial Report

Our audited financial report for 1971 has been prepared and may be reviewed by our members anytime during regular business hours. Highlights of the report are:

- During the year assets grew from \$2,537,219 to \$3,138,156.
- · At year end, members' savings. amounted to \$2,944,539 compared with \$2,387,907 at the beginning of the year.
- · During the year total of outstanding loans grew from \$2,383,013 to \$3,097,056.
- Gross income was \$151,653 of this was paid out in dividends; \$80,557 in operating expenses; \$28,490 was added to reserves, and \$2,017 was paid in federal income taxes.

Retirement Plan

The Twin Pines Employee Retirement Plan, developed by a joint board-staff committee, has been formally adopted by the Board of Directors and approved by Internal Revenue Service. It is a voluntary plan on the part of Twin Pines and the employees. All funds of the plan are to remain in Twin Pines. The plan has three trustees: Bruce Bowman representing the staff; John Webb representing the Board of Directors; and Harvey Geller, selected by the other two trustees.

51/2% Quarterly Dividends

Twin Pines is paying the regular quarterly dividend at the 512% per year rate. Dividends are posted as of April 1st and are calculated on minimum balances in the accounts between the 15th and the last day of January, February and March.

Savings Certificates maturing as of April 1st have the extra dividend posted to them, bringing their total dividend to 5%%. As of April 15th no more Savings Certificates will be sold until further notice.

Twin Pines Office will be closed at 2 p.m. Friday and all day Saturday to post dividends. Will reopen Monday, April 3.



The television debut of an award-winning documentary of the civil rights campaign of Dr. Martin Luther King, Jr. Including the Montgomery bus boycott... "I have a dream" speech... Selma march... 13 historic years. The joys. And the sorrows. This film is being presented by Pepco as part of a nation-wide tribute marking the fourth anniversary of the death of Dr. King.

Wednesday, April 5th, 8 to 11 p.m. WMALTV, Channel 7

The entire cost of sponsorship of this television special will be donated to the Martin Luther King, Jr. Special Fund.



Greenbelt Basketball Team is Victorious

by N. G. Jenkins
Last Wednesday night the two
Titans of the Prince Georges
County Boy's Club Basketball
league met to decide the 16-yearold league championship, and
Greenbelt won, by a score of 47 to
35. Greenbelt went into the game
sporting a 21 & 2 record and tied
with Green Meadows. Green Meadows had defeated Greenbelt 61 to
43 in a previous outing and Greenbelt had downed Green Meadows

44 to 35 in the last meeting.

From the beginning it could be seen that the two teams were real ly up for the game as the scrapping under the boards almost took on free-for-all proportions. However, Jeff Fountain and Tim Morris were more than equal to the task as they dominated the rebounding.

Defensively, Steve Smith stifled the hot shooting Green Meadows ace limiting him to 6 points while scoring 13 himself. Backcourt, John Jenkins' smart ball handling consistently broke Green Meadows' full court press.

Although usually difficult to select, there was no doubt that the hero of this game was Jerry Fountain. Jerry, playing for the injured Jerry Jenkins, judiciously chose this night to play his best game of the season. On four different occasions, he dribbled the length of the court, through the entire Green Meadows team, to drop in easy lay-ups. Jerry was the game's high scorer with 17 points.

The players on this fine Greenbelt team are Tom Mast, Jim Hough, Jim Cantwell, Jerry Jenkins, John Jenkins, Tim Morris, Chuck Hutchinson, Steve Smith, and the Fountain twins Jerry and Jeff. A resounding "well done" is extended to all members of the team.

Smorgasbord Dinner

Nursery school alumni and others interested in the school are invited to a smorgasbord dinner, sponsored by the Greenbelt Cooperative Nursery School, Saturday, April 15 at 7:30 p.m.

The purpose of the dinner, to be held at the Greenbelt Community Church on Crescent Road, is to raise money for the school's scholarship fund. Five dollars per couple will buy all anyone can eat. There will be, in addition, entertainment and door prizes.

Tickets available at the door, or by calling Jo Ross at 474-1275.

Greenbelt 14 Year Olds Save The Best for Last

by Dick Milloy

In post-season play, our 14 year old basketball team has done an excellent job of representing us in Prince George's County competition. While only runners up in the Silver Hill Tournament (defeating Silver Hill but losing to Bowie), they preceded to win the McNamara Tournament (defeating Forrestville and that same Bowie team) and the Hyattsville Tournament (defeating Beltsville and Hyattsville). Congratulations are in order for the team members: Phil Clark, Ed Daffron, Robert Furioso, Bob Hawk, Jeff Hough, Russ Maffay, Jim Mashburn, Ed Meier, Mike Moriarty, Ed Osborne, Ray Salamy, and Rich Skolnik. Coaches are Dick Milloy and his son Bill.

Parkdale Scores At Science Fair

Parkdale Senior High School was the biggest winner at the Prince Georges County Area Science Fair last weekend.

Grand prize winner was Rickey Chapman, whose project also won first place in physics. Greenbelt's Siniti Oneda's "Amino Acid Contest Analysis" was also a first place winner. Four other first places gave Parkdale a total of six, tops of the eleven categories.

Greenbelt Junior High took one first place and Greenbelters Nancy Weintraub, George Maeda, and Jacquiline Wells were second place winners. The latter two won additional special awards as well. Deborah Kline of Greenbelt also received special awards for her project on Rorschach testing.

A total of nearly five hundred projects were exhibited.

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The Police Blotter

Early in the morning hours of March 26, between 2 and 4 a.m., three business establishments in the Greenbelt Center were broken into. From the High's Store, approximately \$80 was stolen, from Ben Franklin's approximately \$100 was stolen, and no money was taken from the Sports Center. In all three stores, the glass was broken out of the doors. The police have some suspects, as the investigation is continuing.

Three motorcycles were stolen recently, one from Lakeside North and two from Springhill Lake. The police are investigating.

Five officers were graduated on March 23 from the 280-hour State police training course. The five, Officers Kenneth Stair, Terrance Justin, James Craze, David Fulgham, and Robert Smith all finished in the upper 10% of their class. Smith was voted the class speaker, while Fulgham received a gold plaque for having the highest average in the school. Both received letters of commendation from Mayor Richard Pilski. Chief William Lane and City Manager James Giese attended the graduation proceedings.

SOCC ELECTS WHITE

At its annual March membership meeting, the Save Our Community Committee elected Thomas White to serve as chairman, Dorothy Balluch, vice chairman, and Shirleyanne Egenreider to serve as secretary/treasurer.

The committee voted to take a group membership in the Prince Georges Environmental Coalition.

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Braden Field Recreation Center Schedule For Easter Vacation

Friday, March 31	9-10:30 a.m.	Roller Skating Grades 1, 2 & 3
	10:30-12 noon	Roller Skating Grades 4, 5 & 6
	12 noon-4 p.m.	Center Closed
	4-5:30 p.m.	Open Gym, Lounge, Arts & Crafts
	7 p.m9 pm.	Center Closed
Saturday, April 1	9 a.m5 p.m.	Open Gym & Lounge
Sunday, April 2	Center closed all day and evening	
Monday, April 3	9 a.m. SHARP	Easter Egg Hunt at Lake Park Pre-School thru 6th grades
	10:30-12 noon	Roller Skating Grades 1, 2 & 3
POST VILLIANT COM	12:30-2 p.m.	Roller Skating Grades 4, 5 & 6
	2:00-3:00 p.m.	Teen Skating
	3-5:30 p.m.	Open Gym & Lounge
	7-9 p.m.	Men's Gym
Tuesday, April 4	9-12 noon	Family Roller Skating
	12:30-2 p.m.	Open Gym & Lounge
	2-5:30 p.m.	Teen Volleyball/Basketball & Lounge
	7-9 p.m.	Open Gym
	7-10 p.m.	Girls' & Women's Gym at St. Hugh's
Wednesday, April 5	9-10:30 a.m.	Roller Skating Grades 1, 2 & 3
	10:30-12 noon	Roller Skating Grades 4, 5 & 6
	12:30-2 p.m.	Teen Skating
	2-3:30 p.m.	Scavenger Hunt
	2-5:30 p.m.	Open Gym & Lounge
	7-9 p.m.	Young Adult Men's Night
Thursday, April 6	9-12 noon	Open Gym, No Skating
	12:30 p.m.	Game Day, Relay Races, three leg races, fun, free, prizes
	2-3:30 p.m.	Free movies, Our Gang, Little Rascals, cartoons
	3:30-5:30 p.m.	Open Gym & Lounge
	7-9 p.m.	Open Gym
Friday, April 7	9 a.m2 p.m.	Roller Skating-same as Wednesday
	2-5:30 p.m.	Open Gym & Lounge
	7-9 p.m.	Open Gym

Spring Programs Begin

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SITTER will be glad to watch your children during Easter vacation. 474-5860.

WORKING MOTHER desires babysitter for infant. 474-2428.

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MOVING - must sell 5,000 BTU Air Conditioner, 6,000 BTU Air Conditioner (like new), Reclining Rocker (like new). 345-7046.

Elaine Skolnik - 474-6060

Doris and Bob Cottington, Greenway, are back after spending a glorious two weeks in Hawaii. They especially enjoyed a visit with Bob's sister and her husband, Mr. and Mrs. Merrill Jacobs of Honolulu. The islands of Maui, Kauai, and Hawaii were also on their itinerary. While Doris was away from her desk at the City Offices, Doris Elliott filled in as secretary to city manager James

Congratulations to Michael Richards, son of Mr. and Mrs. Robert Richards, 18 Maplewood, who celebrated his Bar Mitzyah last Saturday. Understand that Robert will be visiting Israel this summer.

At the big musical extravaganza benefitting the Parkdale Band last weekend, State Senator Edward T Conroy read a resolution (which he introduced and the senate adopted on March 17) that congratulated the school for "the effort it has put forth to represent the State of Maryland as one of 26 high school bands from the nation at the Vienna Music Festival in Europe during the summer of 1972." One of the highlights of the evening was reached when Greenbelter Charles Granofsky led his 53member junior high school string orchestra in a lively performance of his composition, Hoe Down No. 2. Granofsky, a Prince Georges County music teacher, was accompanied on the guitar by Robert Smith, his stepson.

Glad to hear that Chris Allen, 65-H Ridge, is progressing well after being injured in an accident. He is in Riverdale's Leland Hos-

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pital, Room 327. Mend fast Chris! Barbara Liane Lambert, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Harvey Geller, 117 Northway, was recognized for academic achievement at Valparaiso University where she is a senior majoring in elementary education.

Congratulations to David N. Fulgham of the Greenbelt Police Department who had the highest scholastic average among 35 municipal and university policemen and deputy sheriffs who graduated on March 23 at the Prince Georges County Police Academy in Forestville.

Among the seventeen Parkdale students receiving awards for their entries in the school's second creative writing contest were the following Greenbelters: Poetry winners - Ruth Katsner, second; and Pam Perazzoli, third; Essay - Kathy Smith, third; and honorable mention, Rich Calby. Short Story Rick Calby, first; and Buky Paskalides, honorable mention. First prize consisted of \$25, second prize was \$10, and third prize, \$5.

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