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24th Annual Labor Day Festival Promises Best Celebration Ever

by Sandra Barnes, President
1978 Greenbelt Labor Day Festival

The Greenbelt Labor Day Festival celebrates 24 years of tradition this weekend. Originally started to raise funds for the furnishings for the community's Youth Center, its own success and popularity allowed it to change into a showcase and fundraising event for a variety of Greenbelt organizations. Now the Festival is an annual tribute to the dedication of hundreds of community-spirited individuals and organizations who come together for this one last summer fling, keeping Greenbelters at home during a holiday weekend, with the promise of lots of hard work and lots of fun.

Many new events are scheduled this year to accompany the old favorites. A free Festival Shuttle bus (see details on the route elsewhere in the paper) will be running throughout the community, picking up passengers in the north and south ends of town, as well as in Greenbriar, Windsor Green and Springhill Lake. The bus will be sponsored by the county, the city and the Festival committee. The number of riders using it will determine whether it will be scheduled again next year. Instead of driving a car, citizens are urged to look for the big white school-type bus with the Festival sign to carry them to the Carnival area. See Schedule, page 3.

Parade Highlights

Clowns, floats, and marching units will be winding their way down Greenbelt streets for the annual Labor Day Parade Monday morning. The Parade Marshal, the 1978 Outstanding Citizen (to be announced at Opening Ceremonies Friday night) will lead the way for characters such as Twinkie the Kid, Big Boy, Mickey Mouse, the Knights of the Klown Table and the fanatical Markland Medieval Mercenary Militia in their traditional battle garb. The

College Park Moose Klown Klub will tickle the kids with their antics. (They also will be collecting along the route for the Jerry Lewis Telethon, if anyone wishes to contribute to research on cures for muscular dystrophy).

Greenbelt's own Marching Kazoo Band, as well as antique autos from a 1901 Oldsmobile to a 1915 Model T, will be on hand. The Disabled American Veterans promise a spectacular array of floats, autos and marching groups. Music will be provided by many instruments, including bagpipes, drums and bugles. The First Army Band will perform, along with majorettes and drum corps from five different groups, plus the U.S. Coast Guard Precision Drill Team and Color Guard, among other marching units.

Floats from Sligo Seventh-day Adventist Teens and the Miss Greenbelt Pageant will join political officials and candidates galore. The traditional Decorated Bikes and Trikes will again leave from Woody's Mobil Station.

Carnival Highlights

The giant slide—40 feet high and 110 feet long—promises to delight young and not so young—

and is a new addition to an array of 11 kiddie and adult rides including ferris wheel, merry-go-round, swinging gym, moonwalk and a spooky Star Wars house.

Food and game booths will abound. Last year's popular funnel cake returns, with a new sausage booth, yogurt smoothies, pizza, hot dogs, cotton candy, hamburgers, corn-on-the-cob and soft drinks to tease the palate. A Pancake Breakfast will be served, as usual, by the Lions Club, Sunday morning at the Youth Center.

Many games of chance and skill will line the midway. Those with a good aim can try their luck at dunking their favorite—or least favorite—politician or local celebrity into a tub of water.

Stage Highlights

The Festival Stage will come alive with music and song throughout the week-end. See the "Schedule of Events" elsewhere in the paper for the exact time and location of each event. There will be karate and judo demonstrations, street dancing and square dancing, Polish and Irish dancing, singers from folk and pop to barbershop, plus lots more.

Contests and Shows

Softball, tennis, running, swimming, skateboarding—plus many more events sponsored by the Recreation Department will provide a variety of tasks for a variety of skills. The Art Show and Photo Exhibit will be at the Library (in or outside, depending on weather). A special award will be given to the work which best represents the theme "Americans at Work." The Children's Pet Show on Saturday morning for See FESTIVAL, page 2

School Walls to Be Monitored for Movement But No Reason For Alarm Yet Indicated

by Leta Mach

Although Elliott Robertson, Assistant Superintendent in charge of school management and construction operations asserts there is "nothing for anybody to be alarmed about," the public school system will undertake a "tedious and expensive" process to monitor the walls of Eleanor Roosevelt Senior High for possible movement.

Greenbelt Jack Steiffer, former physical science instructor at Eleanor Roosevelt, has been concerned for two years about construction problems at the school. This summer he expressed his fears to the Maryland Occupational Safety and Health Administration (MOSHA). In a subsequent inspection of the school, Principal Staff Engineer Albert P. Backhaus found "no sign of imminent danger." However, he suggested that it might be "in the interest of all to monitor the wall behavior for a period of time through controlled procedures."

Backhaus did recommend that several problems be given "prompt attention to allay further deterioration which could aggravate the situation to create hazardous conditions and on which delay could result in costly repairs." These problems included numerous roof leaks, some erosion of mortar between bricks, dislodged bricks, and vertical cracks in some sections of the exterior walls. He also found that the walls were out of plumb, either the result of sloppy construction or some later movement. In his report, Backhaus noted that the building was constructed with expansion joints (as are all large buildings) to allow for some movement, which has occurred. He questioned whether the caulking used was the correct type to allow for this expansion and contraction.

Assurances Given

Robertson gave assurances that his staff, though limited, had been over the building carefully while trying to finish other construction jobs throughout the county before the beginning of the school year. Two individuals were sent to find any loose bricks on the building. Only one was found, and it was caught in a roof flashing and had to be removed with tools before it could be replaced. About 30% of the gymnasium floor, which was ruined when water ran under the doorsill, has been replaced. The athletic fields have also been re-worked and grass replanted.

According to Robertson, it appeared that Backhaus had not used any instruments in his examination of the school. Not trusting the "eyeball opinions" of anyone, Robertson called the wall monitoring a highly technical process which would take measurements in the 1,000th of a foot range. First, he stated, a steel monument will have to be set up as a solid reference point and then plates with fine markings will have to be set into the wall to take the measurements. Robertson emphasized that there was no danger, but that the monitoring was being done, "just to be absolutely sure." He called the vertical cracks in the exterior walls "inevitable in a building of that

size." He noted that Backhaus had found no cracks in the corridor floors of the building.

Backhaus, however, was unable to examine the gym or any classrooms because the doors were locked. Greenbelt resident Katherine Keene, a Roosevelt teacher, noted that her classroom, which has two outside walls, is extremely cold during the winter and experiences seepage through the outside walls during bad rains. On one side the floor has sunk, leaving a gap (which does not appear to extend all the way to the outside of the building) between the floor and the wall.

Steiffer seemed frustrated that nothing yet had been done, despite the time and expense he had devoted to his campaign against the building. He has brought his concerns before the Prince Georges Board of Education and one of Winfield Kelly's town meetings. He said he has rented a movie camera to film the building and has taken pictures of red clay being dug up around the school. In a last-ditch effort, he is presently mailing letters with a copy of Backhaus's MOSHA report to his former students. Steiffer

See WALLS, page 2

Labor Day Postal Schedule

The Greenbelt Post Office will be closed Labor Day, Monday, Sept. 4, according to Postmaster Emory Harman. There will be no city delivery and special delivery will be on a holiday schedule. Signs will be posted on mailboxes from which collections will be made. The 24-hour self-service unit at Beltway Plaza will remain open.

CITY COUNCIL TO DEDICATE EDGAR L. SMITH WING

On Sunday, September 3, the Greenbelt City Council will dedicate the new wing of the Greenbelt Municipal Building to the memory of the late Judge Edgar L. Smith, former City Mayor and Councilman and District Court Judge of Maryland. The public is invited to the ceremony, which begins at 3 p.m. Weather permitting, the ceremony will be held outdoors in the new parking area to the rear of the building. In case of rain, the dedication ceremony will be held at the Center School.

The new wing, which houses the city offices, was financed with a Public Works Grant of \$282,860 from the Federal Government and with city capital improvement funds. Participating in the dedication ceremonies will be Congresswoman Gladys Spellman and Ward Miller, Director of Local Public Works Programs of the U.S. Economic Development Administration. During the ceremony, Mrs. Edgar L. Smith and Sandra P. Smith will assist Mayor Richard R. Pilski in the unveiling of a plaque dedicating the new wing to the memory of Judge Smith. Also participating in the ceremony will be the Reverend Kenneth Buker, the Reverend Dallas Pulliam, Louise Tounsignat, Miss Greenbelt of 1977, the Greenbelt American Legion Post #136 Color Guard, and City Manager James K. Giese. Musical selections will be provided by the Greenbelt Concert Band of Prince Georges County under the direction of John DelHomme, with Edna White, soloist.

Edgar L. Smith was first elected to City Council in September, 1959 after being active in a variety of civic organizations. In 1961 he chose not to run for re-election but was subsequently appointed as City Solicitor, an office he held until 1963 when he again sought election to the City Council. He received the highest vote of any candidate in that election and was elected by the members of Council to be its Mayor. He was re-elected to the Council for three more terms and served for most of the time as Mayor. In July, 1971 he resigned as Mayor to accept the post of Judge of the newly created District Court of Maryland, an office he held until his untimely death on January 1, 1977.

Only ten days before Judge Smith's death the City was officially notified that it had received the grant from the U.S. Economic Development Administration under Title I, Local Public Works Development and Investment Program of the Public Works Employment Act of 1976. Congress had enacted this program in order to spur the economy, reduce the unemployment rate and provide local governments with the opportunity to complete long-standing and much needed public improvements. The Municipal Building addition, for which preliminary plans had been completed several years earlier, but whose construction had never been economically feasible, well met the

program's qualifications. When it became apparent, however, that the cost of the addition would exceed the amount of the grant, the City supplemented the Federal grant with capital improvement funds. This fund had first been established in 1969 by the City Council under the leadership of Mayor Smith when a \$900,000 bond issue was proposed and approved by the voters at a bond referendum.

Description

The Edgar L. Smith Wing consists of two stories and a basement. On the lower level are the Finance Department, the Purchasing-Personnel Office, and an employees' lounge. The upper level houses the City Council Conference Room; the offices of the City Manager, Assistant City Manager, and City Clerk; a secretarial office and a duplicating-reproduction room. The basement will provide storage space for the City Offices and Police Department, as well as space for the building's mechanical equipment. The new wing provides facilities for the handicapped, including an elevator.

The lower level of the original section of the Municipal Building will be utilized entirely by the Police Department and is to be substantially remodeled. The upper level houses the Greenbelt Cares Youth Services Bureau and the City Council Chamber. The new wing is connected to the original building by a lobby-corridor on each floor.

City Manager James K. Giese cautions that while the building is now fully occupied and the new wing is to be dedicated, the project is not totally completed. Some additional furnishings are needed for the City offices. The Police Department section and the Greenbelt Cares section are to be substantially remodeled and improved, with work scheduled to be undertaken shortly after Labor Day. Repairs to the roof of the original building are also to be undertaken this fall.

Following the dedication ceremony, interested citizens are invited to tour the Municipal Building. The City Council and members of the City staff will be present to answer questions concerning the facility and City services.

Legion Aux. Notes

Members of the Greenbelt American Legion Auxiliary 136 will participate in the Greenbelt Labor Day Parade on Monday, Sept. 4. They will assemble at 9:30 a.m. near Laurel Hill Road and Ridge Road. Senior and junior members who march will wear white dresses and white shoes.

The Auxiliary also is offering transportation to senior citizens to and from the polls on Tuesday, Sept. 12. Cars will be available from 10 a.m. until noon. Call Shirley Seadler, 794-6143, the day before the election, about pickup time. Carpools can be arranged by address.

The Mayor and Council of the City of Greenbelt

invite you to attend the

DEDICATION OF THE NEW WING

OF THE GREENBELT MUNICIPAL BUILDING

In Memory of

THE HONORABLE EDGAR L. SMITH

Judge of the District Court of Maryland

1971-1977

Mayor, Councilman, and City Solicitor of the City of Greenbelt

1959-1971

Sunday, September 3, 1978 at three o'clock in the afternoon

25 Crescent Road
Greenbelt, Maryland

Open House Following

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A Joy Forever

Since we missed comment during the first breaking out of spring beauty, perhaps now, with summer winding down, is a good time to say how much we have enjoyed the floral beauties of the Southway landscaping. Each time we have driven out of or into the city, we have been surprised all over again — like a sudden burst of melody — by the well-groomed loveliness. First there were the tulips and hyacinths, and the flowering trees. Now masses of begonias, red and white, brighten the roadway. Soon the flame-like berries of pyracantha will appear.

Full credit must go to the city of Greenbelt's Parks Department for the attractive design of this important entrance into the city, and for the consistency of its maintenance. Under the supervision of Parks Director Dennis Dornkamp, the Parks crew keep it weed-free, unlitteed, and always in bloom.

In past years Greenbelt has received county awards for the beautification of this street. But the best award must surely be our own recurring joy in this place of beauty.

SWIM TEAM NEWS

by Sue Jones

This Saturday Greenbelt hosts the Novice Meet, another annual event. Anyone who has not placed third or better in an official Prince-Mont meet this year is eligible to swim in up to three strokes of the swimmer's choice. Anyone wishing to participate should show up and swim. The meet starts at 9 a.m. Saturday; the more the merrier!

The Swim Team's annual splash party was held last Wednesday, Aug. 23, sporting the traditional food, money throw, greased watermelon and diving solo by Mr. Gillett. The diving act was, as usual, a flop — belly type. Thanks to Co-op for donating the watermelon which remained miraculously intact until eaten.

CORRECTION

In last week's News Review story "Council Highlights August 14" Councilman Thomas White's request concerning the overpass site was incorrectly reported.

The following is correct: Councilman Thomas White requested that the city staff investigate when construction could begin if the overpass site were switched to the Mandan Rd. route. Even though Council agreed that it would not change the overpass site if construction could begin substantially earlier with the Mandan route, it directed Giese to comply with White's request as long as it didn't unduly burden the staff.

Individual Preference

To the Editor:

This is a letter to those who have expressed concern about my endorsement of Ed Conroy for State Senator in the 24th legislative district. That endorsement expressed my individual preference for the Maryland Senate. Ed Conroy is my choice.

As the Local Director of the Greenbelt Jaycees, I have been involved in my community. My endorsement of Ed Conroy, however, in no way represents the endorsement of the Jaycees as a whole. In fact, it is a charter violation for the Jaycees to endorse any candidate for public office, and we certainly have not.

The advertisement that appeared in the August 24 issue of the News Review was a paid political ad by the committee working for the reelection of Ed Conroy. I did not personally write the ad, though I did acquiesce to its contents and would again be more than willing to lend my name to a similar one.

Bob Phillips

THANKS

My thanks to all of you who helped plan and carry out the Children's Carnival, and Jean and Gary Smith for the tremendous puppet show. Thanks to all of you who joined us to make the day a huge success.

Lesley Kreimer
P.G. County Bd. of Edu., Dist. 2
Candidate for re-election

(paid ad)

Auth. Doris Ann Rodgers, Treas.

'Greenbelt Lions Club'

Greenbelt Lions Club Annual Pancake Breakfast.

Youth Center, Sunday Sept. 3, 1978

9:00 a.m. to 12:30 p.m.

Juice - Coffee - Sausage - Pancakes - Milk
Adults \$3.00 - Children 5-12 \$1.50 - Under 4 Free

For tickets call Mr. Joseph Wilkinson, (474-6893) or Thomas J. Freeman, (474-6384). You may also pay at the youth center.

Tom Freeman, Joe Wilkinson.
Chairmen

HOLIDAY REFUSE SCHEDULE

Due to the upcoming Labor Day holiday on Monday, September 4th, there will be no refuse collection on that day. The regular Monday route will be picked up on Tuesday and the Tuesday route will be picked up on Wednesday. An effort will be made to pick up all paper on Thursday. Refuse collection for Friday and Saturday will follow the normal schedule.

Mary Kay Gleason

Mary Kay Gleason, a resident of 71 Court of Ridge Road until July of this summer, was killed in a car accident early last Friday morning, August 25. Injured in the accident were her husband, Dave, two of her children, Mark and Michael, and a friend who was traveling with them. All those who were injured have now been released from the hospital.

Mary Kay, a uniquely warm and wonderful human being, was actively involved in the Greenbelt Community Church and the Women's Club of the Goddard Space Flight Center. Her many friends in the community will deeply miss her.

Funeral services were held at the Community Church on Tuesday. Expressions of sympathy may be sent to Dave and the family at 12218 Rolling Lane, Bowie, 20715.

Bobbi McCarthy

THANKS

To the Editor:

Thanks, and goodbye to all my Greenbelt friends. You're beautiful people and I'll miss you when I'm in the Navy.

Paul Tousignant

AN OPEN LETTER TO 24th DISTRICT DEMOCRATS

A very important primary election is approaching and before that election, I want to share with you some thoughts on the sad state of affairs that exists in our county and in our party.

The face of Prince Georges County is a reflection of an entrenched political machine that has controlled our affairs and our fortunes for nearly eight years.

In 1970 they called themselves the "Alliance for Progress." In 1974 they tied a ribbon around their machine and called it a "Blue Ribbon Slate." This year the same crew has arrogantly taken the name of our party and labeled themselves "Democrats 78."

Thinking Democrats should ask themselves, "If they are Democrats 78, who are we?"

Their campaign literature proclaims that they have "clout." Let me share a few thoughts on the uses of "clout."

- A school safety walk is moved to a less convenient and unsafe location, presumably to accommodate the distance requirements for a restaurant's liquor license.
• Isn't it curious how the landscaping and parking requirements and the tax laws apply differently to the Capital Centre?
• A Metrorail alignment is moved away from where people live to, of all places, a racetrack.
• As you enter our county on the B-W Parkway, you now enjoy a tremendous view of an illegal water tower. The new quality explanation is that the contractor didn't know he had to check with WSSC. And WSSC didn't know the county was building it.
• Closer to home, we are all aware of the grading snafu which was visited upon the "Golden Triangle"; looks like we will be enjoying a brown triangle for some time.

I think there is a direct relationship of the sad litany I have listed above and the government of Prince Georges county in the hands of the bosses and political hacks who call themselves Democrats 78. I think our county and our party deserve better.

Exercise your own "clout" on Sept. 12 and elect independent Democratic candidates for district and county wide races.

Thomas X. White
Candidate
Democratic Central Committee
24th Legislative District
Lever 32D

Pd. Ad auth. of candidate

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fer credits his students with discovering many of the defects in the building.

Stieffer believes the problems were "caused by the fact that the building continues to shift more than they thought it would." He expressed the belief that this shifting was caused by the clay surface upon which the school is built. Such a surface, he said, would move when it became wet. His reaction to the suggestion that the school was built with the walls out of plumb was, "If it was built that way, how come?" He wondered where the standards were and found Eleanor Roosevelt "an interesting example of what we get for our taxes."

COMMUNITY CHURCH LABOR DAY LUNCHEON

Greenbelt Community Church will hold its second annual Labor Day Luncheon-on-the-lawn following the Labor Day Parade on Monday, September 4 from 12:30 to 2 p.m. Tables will be set up on the church lawn at the corner of Hillside and Crescent. Serving will be buffet style. The menu will include barbecue, hot dogs, baked beans, cole slaw, beverages, and cake. In case of rain, the luncheon will be held in the church basement.

AEROBIC DANCE AT MISHKAN TORAH

An eight week Aerobic Dance program will start at the Mishkan Torah on Monday, September 11. Classes meet on Mondays and Wednesdays from 7:30 to 8:30 p.m. Emphasis is on cardio-vascular conditioning by dancing to popular music. Monitoring of the pulse and warm-up and cool-down exercises are included. Interested persons may call Debbie Feinberg at 490-0636.

ST. JOHN'S CHURCH Episcopal

Baltimore Blvd. at Powder Mill Rd., Beltsville
8 a.m. Holy Communion
10:30 a.m. Morning Prayer (Holy Communion 1st Sunday)
10:30 a.m. Sunday School
Rev. John G. Bals, Rector
422-8057

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furred, feathered and scaly residents of Greenbelt and their young sponsors is a tradition for the young set.

A new contest—the greased watermelon for kids 14-16—will be held in the Greenbelt pool. The long-time favorite diaper derby returns, plus bubble gum blowing, jump rope, limbo walk and pie eating.

Crafts people and workers will demonstrate their skills and their jobs in the Center Mall, Monday, 2-4 p.m., in the Festival's special Salute to Americans at Work. Over 20 jobs, from chair caning to plastering, will be shown.

Bring a chair or blanket, join your neighbor, and have fun in celebrating this year's annual—the 24th annual—Greenbelt Labor Day Festival!

CANDIDATES CONVENE AT E. ROOSEVELT H.S.

Greenbelters are invited to meet Acting Governor Blair Lee III and State Senator Steny Hoyer, candidate for Governor and Lt. Governor, in the library of the Eleanor Roosevelt Senior High School on Saturday, September 9 from 12 noon to 1:30 p.m. Refreshments will be served. Those needing bus transportation may call 262-1302.

The event is sponsored by Senator Ed Conroy, Gerard Devlin, Anthony McCarthy and Charles Ryan, who are running for delegate seats on the Democrats '78 team.

ST. ANDREW'S CHURCH Episcopal

4512 College Avenue
College Park
(1 block east of Book Exchange)
8 a.m. Holy Eucharist
10 a.m. Morning Prayer (Holy Eucharist 2nd & 4th Sun.)
Rev. A. Moody Burt, Rector
864-8880

MOWATT MEMORIAL

United Methodist Church
40 Ridge Rd. 474-9410
Church School 9:30-10:30 a.m.
Morning Worship 11 a.m. (Cribbery and Nursery provided)
HOLY COMMUNION
Rev. Clifton D. Cunningham
Pastor 474-3381

"Jesus loves me, this I know,
For the Bible tells me so"

Rediscover this truth this week whether you are a child or an adult.

GREENBELT BAPTIST CHURCH

474-4212 Crescent & Greenhill Roads

Bible Study for all ages (Sun) 9:45 am
Worship services 11:00 am & 7:00 pm
Mid-week prayer service (Wed.) 8:00 pm

For bus transportation, call Church office 8:30-12:30 weekdays.

Greenbelt Community Church

(United Church of Christ)

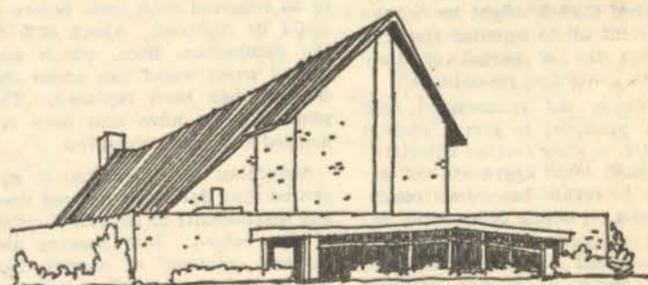
Hillside and Crescent Roads - Phone 474-6171 (mornings)

Sunday 11 a.m. - Worship Service
and Church School

Nursery provided at 2B Hillside

Luncheon on the Lawn: 12:30 - 2:00 p.m. Monday, Labor Day, after the parade. All welcome.

Rev. Sherry Taylor and Rev. Harry Taylor, co-pastors



Holy Cross Lutheran Church

6905 Greenbelt Road

Worship Services: 8:30 and 11:15 a.m.

Sunday School: 9:50 a.m.

Weekday Nursery School: 9-11:30 a.m.

Edward H. Birner, Pastor

Phone 545-5111

Anti-Littering Proposals

Prince Georges Councilman David G. Hartlove, Jr., has presented six measures aimed at some of the county's worst littering problems.

The six bills incorporate about a dozen recommendations made by the Law Review Subcommittee of the Citizens Concerned for a Cleaner County, an anti-littering coalition of citizens, government officials and business representatives that had been requested by the County Council to conduct a comprehensive review of county litter laws and regulations.

Hartlove is proposing that all construction sites be equipped with enough covered trash containers to hold their litter, which then is to be deposited at an authorized refuse disposal center.

Also, occupants of all business buildings and private homes must provide an adequate number of covered trash cans or, for the first time, face a maximum \$500 fine for each day's violation. The requirement extends to owners and operators of any vending machine.

Hartlove also seeks the annual licensing and local regulation of junkyards, which are to be inspected by three county departments to guarantee compliance with health laws, fire code, anti-littering regulations and regulations by the Water Resources Administration.

The licenses and permits department would be allowed to suspend or revoke a junkyard license or deny renewal if regulations have been ignored. A hearing would have to be held before a license could be lifted and a \$1000 civil penalty for each day's violation would be imposed.

In a related bill, nonconforming junkyards that existed before a change in the zoning law banned the particular use in a certain location will be required to be certified by the Planning Board. An expansion of an existing junkyard would have to conform to the new zoning law unless given a special exception by the District Council.

On other littering issues, Hartlove is proposing:

... a maximum of \$1000 in civil rather than criminal penalties on those violating county regulations

on operation of private trash disposal centers...

... a requirement that the animal control warden pick up and dispose of any animal carcass within 24 hours of a request.

... a one-month time limit on the open storage of an inoperable motor vehicle on residential property when the car is in disrepair. (Open storage of refrigerators, stoves, building rubbish or furniture on residential lots already is banned.)

"There are many forms of litter and often we don't think about what constitutes litter and what makes our neighborhoods unsightly," stated Hartlove. "These bills certainly address specific problems. But they also intend to put citizens on the alert that Prince Georges County is serious about its anti-littering laws and its program."

Dial 911 for Fire/Rescue

Have you ever asked yourself, "Why do I need a smoke detector?" Would you know what to do in case of a fire while you were sleeping? Can you explain the meaning of "Fire Prevention?" In order to answer some of your questions and in order to provide you with some additional information we feel may help you, the Greenbelt Volunteer Fire Department and Rescue Squad will have a Fire Prevention booth in the Labor Day Festival being held this coming weekend.

Please stop by and pick up some free handouts that we feel will be of interest to you and may possibly save your life or that of a loved one. A qualified aid-man will also be in the booth in case of any need for first aid. See you at the Festival!

Greenbelt Labor Day Festival SHUTTLE BUS

The shuttle bus (a white P.G. County bus with blue markings and a Labor Day Festival sign) will provide free transportation throughout the Festival.

The bus will depart from the Carnival area every hour on the hour from 6 p.m. to 10 p.m. Friday; noon to 10 p.m. Saturday and Sunday; and noon to 5 p.m. Monday.

SPRINGHILL LAKE (approximately 20 minutes)

1. Edmonston Road and Edmonston Court
2. Edmonston Road and Springhill Court
3. Springhill Drive and Springhill Court
4. Springhill Drive and Cherrywood Terrace
5. Cherrywood Terrace and Cherrywood Court
6. Breezewood Drive and Cherrywood Terrace
7. Breezewood Drive and Springhill Lane
8. Breezewood Drive and Breezewood Terrace

WINDSOR GREEN/GREENBRIAR (approximately 10 minutes)

9. Mandan Road and Canning Terrace
10. Mandan Road and Hanover Parkway
11. Hanover Parkway in front of Community Building in Greenbriar

OLD GREENBELT (approximately 20 minutes)

12. Lakecrest and Lakeside Drives
13. Maplewood Court and Lakeside Drive
14. Westway and Ridge Road
15. Gardenway and Ridge Road
16. Plateau Place and Ridge Road
17. Laurel Hill and Ridge Road
18. Julian Court and Lastner Lane
19. Ivy and Lastner Lanes
20. Lakeside North Apartments entrance

21. Carnival area - parking lot next to Co-op Grocery Store (The bus will wait here until the beginning of the next hour.)

Musicale In Annapolis CITY NOTES

The Prince Georges Philharmonic will present a musical program at the home of former Greenbelters Dr. and Mrs. William Weintraub, 1845 Carriage Dr., Lindamoor-on-the-Severn, Annapolis on Sun., Sept. 24 from 1 to 5 p.m. Featured will be entertainment by woodwinds, brass and strings as well as many "nautical" and "gastronomical" surprises. For information and reservations call 261-1275.

The city crew worked recently on the tennis courts, cleaning and patching gutters and streets. A path was cleared through the woods between St. Hugh's parking lot and the firehouse, and a foot-bridge now crosses the stream. The fire department has also arranged to use the church parking lot during the construction of their new addition.

RE-ELECT SENATOR ED CONROY

Conroy is the Real Performer

As an active citizen in Greenbelt, I have some pretty definite ideas about Open Government. I feel that Open Meetings, Lobbyist's Disclosure and legislative Ethics are matters of the utmost importance in our Institutions of Government. Political leaders should be especially careful to evaluate and vote on all key issues which affect open Government. The citizens' eyes and ears in Annapolis, Maryland Common Cause, recently published a pamphlet entitled Maryland Government Reform, Voting Records - '75 - '78. I recommend it to every Greenbelt resident as must reading, as it provides an excellent check-list on voting records of our Legislators on the vital issues. Of the 188 Legislators only 3 were singled out as having perfect Common Cause voting records. They are our own Senator Edward T. Conroy, Senator Julian Lapides from Baltimore City and Delegate Gerard Devlin also from our District. The fact that two of these men presently represent the 24th District and Greenbelt indicates the good judgment of Greenbelt voters in the past. I sincerely hope that Greenbelt Democrats will continue their outstanding record and re-nominate Senator Edward T. Conroy and Delegate Gerard Devlin to the Democratic ticket for 1978.

Bernie McGee

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Auth. Robert F. Dove, Treas.

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- To open meetings of public bodies to the public.

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The Real Team for Greenbelt

Auth. Carol A. Capes, Treas.

Auth. Sanford H. Cornett, Treas.

By Paul Champion, Treas.

Lieutenant Krob - Police Officer With Sense of Humor, Dedication

by Beth Wilkinson

When visitors enter Lt. John Krob's office they notice that he is a man with a sense of humor. Prominently displayed on a wall behind his desk hangs a calendar decorated with pictures of pigs dressed in all manner of police attire. The August pig was sporting a basic blue uniform complete with cap. "A friend gave it to me last Christmas," Krob grinned.

Eight years ago Krob said he saw an ad in the paper for an opening with the Greenbelt Police Department. He applied, was accepted and now he can't think of anything else he'd rather do.

A native of Chicago, Krob said he has no desire to leave Greenbelt. He wants to stay, even though a move to a larger station could mean higher pay and better benefits. "Greenbelt is one of the few true communities left in the United States," Krob said. Therefore, he said, he is able to spend the majority of his time "actually dealing with and helping people," rather than pursuing criminals. Krob estimates that he spends 10 percent of his time dealing with crimes.

He added "You still see the seamer side of life, but not enough to make you cynical. T.V. cops are cynical, real cops aren't."

There aren't many advantages to being a policeman today, Krob said. "I can't think of a riskier job — you could be shot anytime — and many people, especially young people, don't respect or appreciate the job we're trying to do."

Small communities, however, are advantageous for police. Krob reasoned that because of the small size police can get to know the residents and the normal workings of the town and therefore are immediately aware when things aren't right.

Also with a small community residents feel a kinship, closeness with the town and its people, and are reluctant to attack it. Krob said that most of the crime in Greenbelt is committed by transients. Because of its location and proximity to the District, Greenbelt has a lot of transients.

"What I enjoy most about my job is being able to be somewhat my own boss in a field which is never routine. Types of crimes may be the same, but the situations surrounding them are always different. Adjusting to these changes is challenging and exciting," Krob said.

The only time Krob said the job frustrates him is when he feels he "can't do anything to help."

Krob is proud of the fact that

the Greenbelt police are within a minute of any spot in the city. He's also proud of Greenbelt's low crime rate and the Department's very successful detective work.

Crime has never been a problem in Greenbelt. The first armed robbery in the city took place six years ago. Serious crimes are few in Greenbelt. Most of the calls the police receive are for domestic fights, drugs, and broken alarm systems.

Krob said the department has only one crime from last year which hasn't been closed. A case is not closed until the criminal is caught. Even if a detective has exhausted all his leads the case is kept open for possible future in-

formation.

Police think domestics—fighting between couples—are the most dangerous type of calls they answer. "Since emotions are involved, you never know what's going to happen," Krob said. Oftentimes when police arrest one person the other suddenly does an about face and wants them to stay. So instead of a husband vs. wife and police situation, police have to contend with a husband and wife vs. police situation.

Krob admitted that "the police image, maybe, can use a little polish." But he doesn't think people should accuse a whole department of improper action when it's the fault of only one or two officers. Very aware of the impression he gives, Krob is careful to not "come on too strong and authoritarian," especially for young people because first impressions are the ones people remember and form all future opinions from.

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By Authority: Virginia A. Fox, Treasurer

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COUNTY SCHOOLS OPEN TUESDAY

The Prince Georges County Public Schools will open on Tuesday, September 5 for the 1978-79 school year.

State law requires school attendance by every boy and girl between the ages of 6 and 16. Children who will be five years old on or before January 1, 1979 may attend kindergarten this fall.

Parents registering their children for kindergarten or to begin school in Prince Georges County for the first time should have their children's birth certificates, proof of residence (deed to home or lease to apartment) and their children's immunization records with them at the time of registration.

Projected enrollment is for 133,346 pupils, down 5,956 (4.3%) from the 1977-78 school year. Nonetheless the latest available statistics still show the Prince Georges system to be the tenth largest in the nation.

Regular lunch meal prices will remain at 50c for elementary school students and 55c for secondary students. Adult meals will remain at \$1.00. Prices for a la carte lunch items will remain the same. Milk prices will be the same as last year—10c per half pint for students, and 20c for adults. Prices of a la carte breakfast items, vegetables, desserts and other items will not change this fall.

The Prince Georges County Schools offer free and reduced-price breakfasts and lunches to youngsters whose family size and income entitles them to eligibility.

The number of facilities will be the same as last year with older buildings being closed and new ones opened. There will be 153 elementary schools, 42 junior highs, 19 senior highs, 10 special centers and 2 vocational centers.

New Science Center
A new special center opening in the Greenbelt area is the Howard B. Owens Science Center, 9601 Greenbelt Road, adjacent to DuVal senior high school. The Center, a first in the northeastern United States, includes specialized equipment and laboratories dedicated to the physical and biological sciences and the most modern planetarium in Maryland. It also will have an outdoor instrument deck and weather station, a nature trail and other facilities not ordinarily available at the individual school level.

Students from all grade levels will use the Owens Science Center, both in group visits and for individual research and project work.

NOTICE

The News Review office will be open next Monday evening, Labor Day, between 8 and 10 p.m. to accept display advertising. All such advertising, including political advertising must be submitted by 10 p.m. Monday.

Classified advertising and news items only will be accepted Tuesday evening, between 8 and 10 p.m. at the News Review office.

County teachers will receive specialized training at the Center, and Center staff will be available to them as consultants — providing information, ideas and data and acting as a liaison with the area's extensive, scientific community.

The Prince Georges County school system will operate 818 buses in the 1978-79 school year. Eighty-five of these buses will be new, replacing vehicles which were retired after ten years of use, as required by state law.

Costs
The school system's authorized spending for the coming year totals \$261,937,731 — up \$16.6 million or 6.8% from fiscal year '78 (compared to cost of living increase in the Washington area of 8%).

Higher personnel costs, rising utility bills, expanded Special Education demands and other factors made it difficult to add many improvements. Despite this a few were made, such as adding 45 teacher positions in the junior highs and funding for the new Howard B. Owens Science Center.

U. of Md. Shuttle Bus

The University of Maryland shuttle bus will run from Greenbelt to College Park on days when school is in session. A.M. buses will leave from Lot HH at: 6:58, 7:30, 8:10, 8:50, 9:30, 10:10, 10:50, coming in Greenbelt by way of Lakecrest and arriving at Crescent & Southway at 7:03, 7:43, 8:23, 9:03, 9:43, 10:23, and 11:03. It then runs along Crescent going to Edmonston Rd. and Breezewood Dr. and then running through Springhill Lake on Breezewood Dr. and on to Lot HH.

P.M. buses will be leaving Lot HH at 1:40, 2:20, 3:00, 3:45, 4:25, & 5:05 and will be at Crescent & Southway at 1:53, 2:33, 3:13, 3:58, 4:38, and 5:18.

Laurel-Greenbelt Ball Game

One of the highlights of the Greenbelt Labor Day Festival is the rematch slow-pitch game between Laurel and Greenbelt.

At the challenge game in Laurel on July 29, Mayor Pilski pitched the entire game and had a shut-out going until the sixth inning. It was his high balls, curves, screwballs and flat pitching that led Greenbelt to a 19-4 victory.

Greenbelt will be defending its title on Sat., September 2, 1 p.m. on Braden Field #2. An afternoon of fun and frivolity is in store for all players and spectators. Immediately following the game, there will be a tug-of-war at the Greenbelt Municipal Swimming Pool.

SCHOOL CHANGES, BUS SCHEDULES

by Anne Marie Charter

I would like to apologize to all children who may read this article for mentioning a bad word—school. Yes, it's that time of the year again — unwelcomed by kids but embraced with open arms by mothers.

Changes in executive positions, opening and closing times, and bus schedules are more or less presented in the next few paragraphs.

Greenbelt North End Elementary has gained a new principal, Mrs. Guinevere Anderson, who replaces Mrs. Jean Miller Colbolt. Mrs. Wiseman is the new guidance counselor. The school is open from 8:30 a.m. to 2:50 p.m.

In Greenbelt Junior High, Charles Post is replacing former principal Charles Collins, who has been appointed principal of Northwestern High School. Joe Hairston is the new vice principal, replacing Ed Wallace. The school begins at 9 a.m. and continues to 3:30 p.m.

John Carroll Buses

John Carroll Elementary School has a new bus schedule.

Route 161 a.m. — At 7:30 a.m. the bus makes its first stop near the swimming pool. It then stops at the corner of Julian and Lastner at 7:33 a.m. Its third stop is on the corner of Hedgewood and Lastner at 7:35 a.m. The fifth and last stop is on the corner of Ivy and Lastner at 7:37.

Route 161 p.m. leaves the school at 2 p.m. and uses the same stops as the 161 a.m. in the same order.

Route 384 a.m. picks up students near the swimming pool at 7:30 a.m. It leaves the school at 2 p.m., dropping the children off at the same place.

Route 381 a.m. makes its pick up at 7:30 on the first corner of Westway. It leaves the school at 2 p.m. and stops at the first driveway.

School Hours

Springhill Lake Elementary has no changes in either principals or vice principals. School hours are 8:50 a.m. to 2:50 p.m.

Eleanor Roosevelt starts at 9:30 a.m. and the school day ends at 4 p.m.

Mary McLeod Bethune Junior High has a new principal, George Anderson, who replaces Thomas Myrick. Gloria Bolts has turned over her position as vice-principal to Christine Jewers.

The Partridgeberry School, Inc. has procured Toni Foster as director. Judy Gilligan is the new lower division teacher, and Wendy Ross returns to teach the Upper Division.

Magnolia and Oakcrest schools have no changes in either principal or vice-principal. Both are open from 9:30 a.m. to 3:30 p.m.

Kent Junior High has Ronald Watson as the new principal, replacing Tipton Walker. The school

Spellman to Host Career Showcase for Students

Congresswoman Gladys Noon Spellman will host a Financial Assistance/Career Training Showcase for Prince Georges County high school students on Saturday, Sept. 16 from 10 a.m. to noon. The program will be conducted in the Cannon House Office Building on Capitol Hill (Cannon Caucus Room #345).

The Showcase will feature presentations by the Air Force, Naval, Coast Guard, Merchant Marine, and U.S. Military academies. Various ROTC scholarships, HEW loan and grant programs and financial assistance programs for college, vocational and technical school students will also be explained.

Recent Prince Georges County high school graduates, currently enrolled in the academies will be on hand to answer questions. Members of the Selection Board will discuss nomination procedures.

Since Mrs. Spellman is a member of the House of Representatives, she is entitled to nominate candidates from her district for admission to four of the five academies. She appointed the Selection Board to make the decisions. This year, 15 nominees were accepted for admission.

For more information, please call Mrs. Spellman's office at 225-4131.

starts at 8:15 a.m. and closes at 2:45 p.m.

St. Hugh's begins class at 8:30. The first week of school will be on a half-day schedule.

Oakcrest Bus Schedule

Oakcrest Elementary has a new bus schedule. Rt. 505 picks children up at Breezewood Terrace at 8:50 a.m. and at Breezewood Court at 8:52 a.m.

Rt. 502 picks up students at Springhill Court and Edmonston Terrace at 8:50 a.m.

'78-79 School Calendar Adopted by Board of Ed.

Tuesday, September 5, the day after Labor Day, will be the day students of the Prince Georges County Public Schools head back to the classrooms. June 18, 1979 will be the last day of classes.

The Board built 184 school days into its 78-79 calendar, four above the 180 required by state law. The reason? The weather. During the last school year, the Prince Georges schools used all four of the extra days included in this year's calendar, when snow and icy roads kept students at home. But the Board members told Superintendent of Schools Edward J. Feeney that if the weather is a little better next year and not all of the so-called "snow days" were used, he might want to come back to them with a recommendation for dropping the last two days planned for 1979.

Students will have a day off on Tuesday, September 12, Primary Election Day. In October, schools will be closed for teacher training on the 4th and for a state teachers' convention on the 19 and 20. November also provides a Tuesday off General Election Day on the 7th, end then a four day weekend for Thanksgiving.

The break for the Christmas and New Year holidays begins December 23, with the students coming back on January 2. February offers a three day weekend, with schools closed on Monday the 19 for Washington's Birthday.

April brings a week off, with Friday the 6 the last day of classes before the break and Tuesday the 17 the first day back. Memorial Day, May 28, will be the last holiday in the 78-79 calendar.

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Paul Tousignant, son of Mr. and Mrs. Ronald Tousignant, 3 Olive-wood Court, reported for active duty to the U.S. Navy this week. He is receiving basic training at Great Lakes Training Center in Michigan. Paul's sister Terri will graduate from Wilfred's Academy of Beauty Culture in Boston this week.

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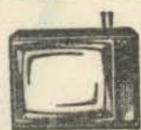
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It's a girl for Mr. and Mrs. Mark Schulstad of Springhill Lake Apartments. Christina Lynn made her debut August 5, weighing 9 lbs 7 oz. She is the first grandchild of Mr. and Mrs. William Schulstad of Greenbelt.

Vito Antonio Casarella II was born August 20. He joins a brother, Butch, who is 5. Parents are Cathy and Vito Casarella of 14-X Laurel Hill.

Camp Pine Tree's activities were wrapped up Aug. 18 with the camp's annual Indian Day celebration. All the little squaws and braves participated in an awards ceremony, a sing-a-long, and a watermelon feast. The final field trip on Aug. 14 took the campers to St. Michael's Island for a tour of the Chesapeake Bay Museum and Light House. The children's play production of "Rhymes, Riddles, and Tall, Tall Tales" received large enthusiastic audiences at the Youth Center for both presentations. During the evening performance the Seven Dwarfs candles provided the audience with light during the power loss.

YARD SALES

YARD SALE - Glassware, dishes, bric-a-brac, small furniture, etc. Sun. 10-3. 2 Lakeside Dr. 474-9346.

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A large number of Greenbelt property owners are eligible for a credit of up to \$450 on their real estate taxes but may not be aware of it, according to Del. Gerard F. Devlin.

Devlin pointed out that an estimated 66,000 Prince Georgians are eligible for the credit under the provisions of the Homeowners Tax Credit Act of 1978. This Act replaced the Circuit Breaker program whose benefits were limited to persons over 60 and the totally disabled.

The new program includes all homeowners and benefits are available under a formula which compares property tax bills with household incomes. Credits under the bill have been made possible by an appropriation of \$52 million in State funds.

Recreation Review

Youth Center Gym Closed

The annual refinishing of the Youth Center Gym floor will begin Wed., September 6. The gym will be closed Wed. thru Fri., Sept. 8, and reopen Sat., Sept. 9, at 12 noon.

Recreation Centers' Fall Hours

Beginning Tues., September 5, the SHL Rec. Center and Greenbelt Youth Center will be open during the following hours: Mon - Thurs., 3:30 p.m. - 10 p.m.; Fri., 3:30 p.m. - 11 p.m.; Sat. 9 a.m. - 11 p.m.; Sun. 1 p.m. - 10 p.m.

Attention - Swimming Lesson Participants

Red Cross cards are now available for participants in each of the four lesson sessions held this summer. They may be picked up at the cashier's desk at the Municipal Pool between now and Labor Day. After that, they will be at the Youth Center, Mon. thru Fri., 9-5 p.m.

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Police Blotter

Investigation of a reported larceny of a truck parked at the Beltway Plaza led to the apprehension of four juveniles by PFC Duprat and Officer Murray. A 15 year old from Berwyn Heights, one 16 year old from Chelsea Woods Apts., and two 16 year old residents were all charged and are awaiting Juvenile Court action.

A 22 year old former city resident was charged with breaking into the doctors' offices on Centerway.

Two subjects were apprehended after they were observed attempting to remove wheels from a 1978 Corvette parked on Hanover Parkway. A 17 year old College Park resident was charged on Juvenile petitions and is awaiting Juvenile Court action. An 18 year old Laurel resident was transported to Hyattsville and charged. Both were apprehended after fleeing the scene.

Apparently, last week was a busy week for car thieves. A '68 Plymouth was stolen from one street in Springhill Lake and later recovered on another. A motorcycle was stolen from the University Square area and is still missing. A '74 Volkswagen stolen from Ridge Road was recovered by Prince Georges County Police before the owner knew it was missing. The vehicle had been involved in an accident and the operator will be charged by County Police. A '69 Dodge stolen from Springhill Lake was recovered by Prince Georges County Police as it was being stripped in Seat Pleasant. A vehicle stolen from Gaithersburg was recovered by Cpl. Fulgham after a complaint by a citizen who observed suspicious subjects. A stolen vehicle from Laurel was recovered by Sgt. Faulconer after it was seen parked on a City parking lot without tags. Officer O'Neil recovered a '73 Corvette that had been stolen from Cheverly. One person was apprehended in the vehicle. Cpl. Miskell recovered a '75 Yamaha motorcycle that had been stolen from Laurel. Pfc Lann recovered a motorcycle that had been stolen.

from Adelphi. The vehicles have been returned to their owners.

After receiving a call of a disorderly person at the American Legion, Cpl. Craze and Officer D'Appolito escorted him from the building. As he reached the front step the person swung at Officer D'Appolito, knocking her to the ground. She received severe bruises to her left elbow because of the fall. The person was charged with assaulting an officer and incarcerated in lieu of \$200 bond.

An 18 year old male was charged with being a "peeping tom" by PFC Watkins, who responded to a complaint from a resident of Westway Road.

While responding to a call for disorderly subjects, Officer Craddock was assaulted and a 26 year old male resident was charged with assaulting an officer and disorderly intoxication.

After receiving a complaint of a suspicious vehicle parked on Ridge Rd., Officer Sappington found that the vehicle was stolen from Riverdale. It was returned to the owner.

The Springhill Lake Recreation Center was broken into on August 19. Several coin machines (candy, soft drink) were tampered with. On the same night, numerous vehicles were broken into in the Springhill Lake area. Two suspects were apprehended by Officer Ricucci and PFC Blake after they fled from a vehicle they had stolen from the area. Property from other vehicles was found in their possession. The two suspects, both juveniles, 15 and 17, are from Camp Springs. Both were charged, and are awaiting Juvenile Court action.

Cpl. Miskell, on patrol early on August 18, observed a vehicle with juvenile occupants. He found that the vehicle had been stolen from an automobile dealer in Marlow Heights. The two youths, 16 and 17, also from Camp Springs, were charged and are awaiting Juvenile Court action. In their possession also were found stolen articles from vehicles in the Springhill Lake area.

Officer Justin, while on a routine traffic stop, found the occupants

Moped Licenses Available

Maryland residents who were at least 15 years and 9 months of age by July 10, are eligible for a Maryland learner's permit. Motor Vehicle Administration will issue "moped operator's permits" to persons at least age 16 who do not have a valid driver's license.

BJner J. Johnson, MVA Administrator, pointed out that Senate Bill 244, enacted at the 1978 session of the Maryland General Assembly, lowered the minimum age required to apply for a Maryland learner's permit from 16 years to 15 years, 9 months. Johnson emphasized, however, that "a person must still be at least age 16 to be eligible for a permanent Maryland driver's license."

Applicants for the moped operator's permit will be required to pass only vision and law (also known as "written") tests, but not be required to take an actual on-the-road test. The law test will be the same as that taken by an applicant for a standard passenger vehicle license.

The license will be valid for four years and can be renewed.

— three adults and one juvenile — of a vehicle to be in possession of PCP. All were charged.

Officer D'Appolito has resigned her position with the Department effective August 26. She and her family are moving from the area.

An attempted bank robbery occurred at 12:44 p.m. on August 11 when a lone male walked up to a teller at the People's Bank on Edmonston Road and handed her a note demanding that money be placed in an envelope and returned to him. The teller complied. However, outside the bank a dye marker exploded, staining the subject with a red dye. In his haste to flee, the person dropped the money, which was recovered. A lookout for the person has been issued and the FBI is also assisting.

The preceding article reflects two weeks of Police Blotter.

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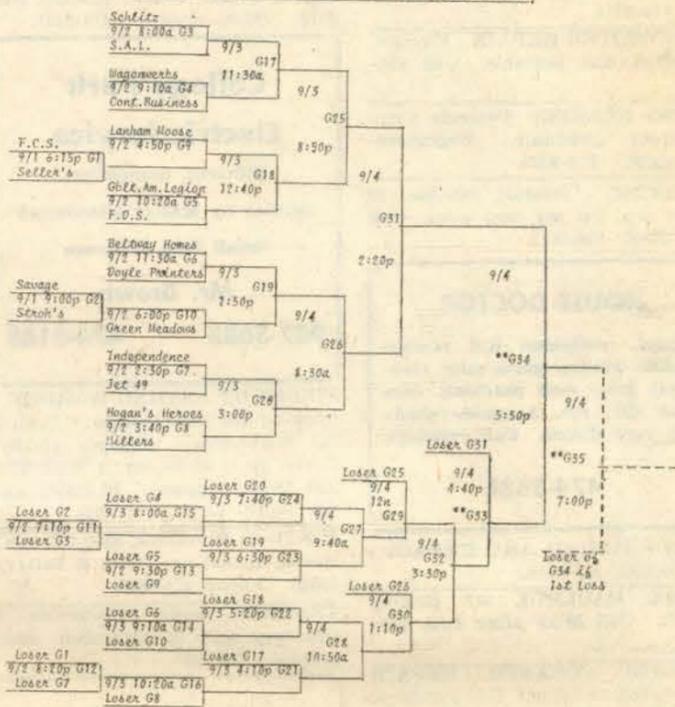
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2) Asterisks (**) denotes two (2) umpires
3) On Saturday, September 2nd at 7:00 pm, Braden Field #2, Cities Staff Game - Laurel vs Greenbelt

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Authority: Robert B. Williams, Treas.

CARES Provides Professional Services, Counseling and Programs for Juveniles

by Beth Wilkinson

When Greenbelt CARES opened its doors in 1972, it was the first mental health counseling program in Greenbelt. It operated with a zero budget, an all volunteer staff and a single program to help troubled youths and their families. Today it is still the only mental health oriented service in the city, though it has expanded to offer 5 programs, with 5 paid staff members both full and part time, more than 20 counseling volunteers, and an annual budget of \$56,645.

CARES is funded by the Juvenile Services Administration of the State Department of Health and Mental Hygiene, which provides approximately 75 percent of its budget, and the City of Greenbelt, which provides the other 25 percent. It is a Youth Services Bureau that helps divert juvenile delinquents out of the judicial process and into the community.

Not all its clients are juvenile delinquents referred to CARES by the courts or police. Many are youths with family, school or social problems. Weekly family counseling sessions using a behavioral modification approach are still CARES' principal service, but other programs have been developed during the past 6 years. Some were successful and some were not.

Preventive Programs

The trend now is towards preventive rather than corrective programs, which try to prevent youths from becoming involved with the courts in the first place. New programs currently being offered include tutoring, a job bank for youth, a Big Sibling program, community outreach and crisis intervention. Programs that have been dropped include a Youth Hotline, a clothing exchange and a bicycle repair facility.

The job bank is a referral source for odd jobs. It puts youths who want to work but cannot find a job, in touch with residents who need someone to do odd jobs. CARES also serves as a referral source for some full-time employment. The Big Sibling program is similar to the Big Brother program, but on a much smaller scale and with much less formality and "red tape" in bringing the two individuals together.

Outreach

The community outreach program involves two counselors who travel out into the community, usually to local schools or gathering spots. The counselors are available to talk to any young person. They try to develop positive, meaningful relationships, in counseling youths away from anti-social behavior. Most of the counseling is by appointment, with approximately 50 individuals attending the weekly, Wednesday evening, family sessions. CARES has formally counseled 505 family units since 1972.

Crisis intervention is for people who "drop-in" without an appointment, but need help immediately. Barbara Lawson, a CARES staff member, indicated that 327 individuals "dropped-in" between April and June 1978. Many simply needed to talk to someone.

New Directions

Another change in CARES has been in direction, a movement away from direct community involvement with the program towards a totally professional organization. Since the program began, all counseling has been, and still is, done by trained professionals. James Cassels, past president of CARES Board of Directors (now disbanded) said Dr. Leo Walder, designer of CARES' counseling model and currently a technical assistant to CARES, wanted a highly professional organization that would also serve as a training ground for people interested in the behavioral modification method. At that time, the Board of Directors, made up of volunteers from the community, wanted to stress community involvement over the counseling function. Walder's approach succeeded, Cassels said, because he had the time and interest to pursue it and the support of City Manager James Giese, who thought it involved less risk and would be easier to administer. Four years ago, the Board of Directors dissolved itself because "we were not encouraged, rather we were discouraged, from participating in the program," said Cassels.

Future Expansion

Looking to the future, Walder

said he would like to see CARES expand its present youth oriented services and also develop additional programs to meet the "pressing needs" of other community groups, such as single parents, the elderly and childless couples. Meanwhile, CARES is now in the beginning stages of designing a day care program. Marriage counseling is another service under consideration.

A major problem for today's youth, according to Walder, is a feeling of worthlessness. They don't feel important or needed, he said and are thought of as economic burdens. Most of the vandals and drop-outs are simply frustrated individuals, he added, who are unwilling to wait until they are 18 years old before they can be considered important.

CARES is creating programs to combat this problem. One such is the Cottage Industry, where youths make crafts to sell. Another is the Job Bank, where youths are able to provide needed services for community residents. CARES would also like to bring the elderly community residents and its youth together in mutually rewarding programs. A suggestion by Molly Schuchat, an evaluation consultant to CARES, was to involve the youths in a meals-on-wheels type program.

Evaluation

Every year CARES is evaluated by both the State of Maryland and by Behavior Services Consultants, Inc. (BSC) of which Walder is president. Based upon quarterly reports submitted by CARES and on-site visits, the State decides whether or not to continue funding. The city council just renewed a

New WSSC Phone System

The Washington Suburban Sanitary Commission switched over to a new direct-dial telephone system on August 28, the WSSC's Maintenance Management Office, which received customer calls on water and sewerage system emergencies, is 699-4555.

The 699-4555 number will process customer calls about water main breaks, sewer stoppages, water meter and fire hydrant leaks, storm drainage maintenance problems, and other WSSC system conditions requiring action by WSSC field personnel. In addition to handling calls during normal WSSC work hours on weekdays, the line (1) will be in service around-the-clock every day — including weekends and holidays — to receive customer emergency calls and (2) is equipped with an "automatic call sequencer," which can be connected to as many as 15 individual phone lines and will answer calls in the order they are received in WSSC's Maintenance Work Reception Office.

The new equipment also provides for the use of recorded messages in case of a general problem involving the interruption of WSSC service or other system conditions.

The Commission's Customer Services Division, which handles inquiries about water/sewer bills and meter readings, will maintain its established number, 699-5600, which operates from 8:15 a.m. to 5 p.m.

\$15,000 contract with BSC to continue its consultative and evaluative services. In a 1975 evaluation, BSC gave CARES an 88% success rate, meaning that 88% of its clients were positively affected by the counseling. An independent rater gave CARES an 85% success rate.

In 1977 the success rate dropped. BSC awarded CARES a 75% success rate, and the independent rater said only 61% of its clients were positively helped by the counseling. CARES said the drop was due to a disruption in services when it moved from Ridge Road to its present home in the Municipal Building.

Page 9 weekdays (except holidays).

Persons desiring more detailed information can obtain an up-dated "People to Call List" by writing the WSSC Public Affairs Office, 4017 Hamilton Street, Hyattsville, Md. 20781.

Greenbelt Lions Need Blood

The Red Cross Bloodmobile will be stationed at St. Hugh's Catholic Church on Sat., Sept. 23 from 9 a.m. to 1 p.m. The Greenbelt Lions are sponsoring the drive and welcome any charitable donors.

The following information was inadvertently omitted from the Labor Day Schedule:

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Everyone Welcome

"Unity Through Community Involvement", the theme of the Labor Day Festival, describes a weekend when all Greenbelters can come together, both in volunteer work and for entertainment. Founded twenty-four years ago, the Festival has traditionally given Greenbelt organizations an opportunity to earn money and show off their activities. The Festival is a non-profit organization directed by a Steering Committee elected yearly. It receives its operating expenses from donations of local businessmen and from a percentage of the profits from booths and carnival rides. All Greenbelt residents and organizations are invited to participate in the planning and activities of the Festival.

STEERING COMMITTEE AND MAJOR CHAIRMEN

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| Sandra Barnes, President | Linda Shevitz, Outstanding Citizen |
| Bob Spear, Vice President | Toni Foster, Art Show |
| Anne Meglis, Rec. Secretary | Don Volk, Photo Show |
| Bob Sonneveldt, Treasurer | Charles Brown, Donations |
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| Debbie Kirby, Miss Greenbelt Pageant | Kenny Voigt, Sound |
| Kathy Meetri, Publicity | Lynette Johnson, Scheduling |
| Brenda Cooley, Talent Show | Mike Jones, Facilities |
| Ruth Dee, Opening Ceremonies | Wilbur Dean, Maryland H.E.L.P. |

All events, unless otherwise noted, will take place at the Greenbelt Shopping Center in the parking lot behind the CO-OP Supermarket. In CASE OF RAIN, STAGE EVENTS WILL BE MOVED TO THE YOUTH CENTER behind the swimming pool. No advance registration required unless noted.
Please Note: NO ALCOHOLIC BEVERAGES WILL BE SOLD AT THE FESTIVAL. CITY ORDINANCE PROHIBITS ALCOHOLIC BEVERAGES TO BE CONSUMED IN CITY PARKS, BUILDINGS, AND IN THE FESTIVAL AREA.

FRIDAY - September 1

- 9 a.m. - 12 noon. 3rd ANNUAL LABOR DAY SKATEBOARD RALLY
Centerway Road in front of the Youth Center. Must register between 9-9:30 a.m. Events include Giant Slalom and Downhill. No fee. All competitors MUST wear helmets and safety pads. Parental permission required. Age divisions are: Junior, 9-12; Intermediate, 13-15; Senior, 16-18. Co-sponsors: G'belt Rec. Dept. and Caravan Skateboard. Coordinator: JoAnne Rowe.
- 10 a.m. - 9 p.m. NASA EXHIBIT
Full scale mock-up of the Tiros weather satellite will be at Greenbelt Library until Sept. 8.
- 1-2:30 p.m. FIRST ANNUAL BIG WHEELS ROADCROSS
Centerway Road in front of the Youth Center. Must register between 1-1:30 p.m. Events include Slalom, Downhill and Best Decorated. No fee. Age Divisions are: Tiny Tot, 2-3; Pee Wee, 4-5; Midget, 6. Sponsor: G'belt Rec. Dept. Coordinator: JoAnn Rowe.
- 1-8:15 p.m. GREENBELT MUNICIPAL SWIMMING POOL OPEN
- 2-8 p.m. TABLE TOURNAMENTS
Air Hockey and Bumper Pool (junior and intermediate divisions) and Pocket Billiard and Table Tennis (intermediate and senior divisions) held in the Youth Center and Springhill Lake Rec. Center. Free. Must register within the 1st hour of competition. Awards in each division. 2-4 p.m. Junior (9-12 years old); 4-6 p.m. Intermediate (13-15 years old); 6-8 p.m. Senior (16 & over). Sponsor: G'belt Rec. Dept. Coordinator: Ronald Ernst.

- 4-6 p.m. Art Show entries and Photography Exhibit entries received at Greenbelt Library Meeting Room.
- 6-8 p.m. Roving Clowns To Give Out Free Chances on Ride Tickets
- 6-11 p.m. CARNIVAL MIDWAY OPENS
Rosedale Amusement Co. Tickets sold by G'belt Golden Agers. Game, food, sale, and information booths organized and operated by G'belt organizations. Booths constructed and wired by G'belt Public Works Dept. Carnival area chmn.: Hamer Campbell.
- 6:15 p.m. MAYOR'S ANNUAL LABOR DAY SOFTBALL TOURNAMENT OPENING GAMES
Braden Field #2. Top area teams competing. Sponsor: G'belt Rec. Dept. Coordinator: Harry James.
- 7:30-9 p.m. HOME RUN HITTING DERBY
Braden Field #2; register before 8:00 p.m. Best of 10 swings over the fence. Guys: 275 feet; Gals: 180 feet. Awards to champions in each category. Fee: 50c. Sponsor: G'belt Rec. Dept. Coordinator: Harry James.

7 p.m. OPENING CEREMONIES
GREENBELT CONCERT BAND under direction of John DeHomme; soloist Edna White.
Introduction of city officials and Festival Steering Committee.
Presentation of OUTSTANDING CITIZEN AWARD in honor of "Pop" Cipriano.
Drawing for FREE RIDE TICKETS.
Carnival Stage. Opening Ceremonies Chmn.: Ruth Dee.

- 9 p.m. PRESENTATION OF MISS GREENBELT CONTESTANTS
Stage. Sportswear competition. Introduced by 1977 Miss Greenbelt Louise Tousignant and Chmn. Debbie Kirby.
- 9:15-12:15 p.m. STREET DANCE—MUSIC BY HIGHWAY STAR
Stage area. Music by eight piece brass band. Free, open to all ages. Co-sponsors: G'belt Rec. Dept., KAYA Teen Club and the G'belt Labor Day Festival Committee. Coordinator: George Rogala.

SATURDAY - September 2

- 8 a.m. - 8 p.m. LABOR DAY TENNIS TOURNAMENT
Braden Field Courts Nos. 1-4 and Eleanor Roosevelt Sr. High School Courts Nos. 1-4. Pre-registration required. Competition in Men's, Women's Singles, Doubles and Mixed Doubles. Awards to winners. Co-sponsors: G'belt Rec. Dept. and G'belt Tennis Assn. Coordinators: George Rogala and Bob Baker.
- 8 a.m. - 11 p.m. MAYOR'S ANNUAL LABOR DAY SOFTBALL TOURNAMENT
Braden Field #2; top area teams; first class competition. Pre-registration required. Sponsor: G'belt Rec. Dept. Coordinator: Harry James.
- 9 a.m. HORSESHOE TOURNAMENT - SINGLES
Braden Field Courts. Age limit, 16 and over. No fee. Register between 9-10 a.m. Competition begins at 10 a.m. Entrants must supply shoes. Award to winner. Sponsor: G'belt Rec. Dept. Coordinator: Terry Mangum.
- 9 a.m. - 2 p.m. SWIM TEAM NOVICE MEET
Municipal Swimming Pool. Prince-Mont League D,E,F and G Divisions. No fee. Cancelled only in the event of an electrical storm. Co-sponsors: G'belt Rec. Dept. and Aquatic Boosters. Coordinator: Mike Lundregan.
- 9 a.m. - 12 noon 5-HOLE PITCH AND PUTT GOLF TOURNAMENT
Springhill Lake Rec. Center Golf Course. No fee. Register before 10 a.m. Awards to winners. Seniors, 16 and over; Juniors, 12-15 years. Sponsor: G'belt Rec. Dept. Coordinator: Scott Powell.
- 9:30 a.m. NINTH ANNUAL CHILDREN'S PET SHOW
Center School lawn. Registration from 9:30-10 a.m. All kinds, sizes, types of pets; winners chosen in many categories; must have proof of rabies shot

when appropriate; must be leashed or in container. Adults are requested to stay outside enclosed area except when child cannot control animal. Ribbons supplied by G'belt Rec. Dept. Chmn.: Peggy Belisle, 474-9144. Cancelled in case of rain.

- 9-11 a.m. ENTER ART SHOW AND PHOTO EXHIBIT
Children and adults are welcome to enter their works. There will be judging for the children's work only starting at 12 noon. An award for the work best exemplifying the theme "Americans at Work" will also be given. Awards presented Sunday evening at the bandstand. Art Show entries and Photography Exhibit entries received in front of Center School (rain location - Library Meeting Room).
- 9-11 a.m. ROVING TV CAMERA WILL BE LOOKING FOR YOU
Festival area. See yourself on T.V. Wednesday, Sept. 27, 7:30 p.m. in the Greenbelt Library Meeting Room. Sponsor: Greenbelt Library. Coordinator: Kathy Link.
- 12 noon - 5 p.m. ART SHOW AND PHOTOGRAPHY EXHIBIT
In front of Center School (rain location - Library Meeting Room).
- 1-11 p.m. CARNIVAL MIDWAY OPEN
Prices for rides reduced 10c 1-5 p.m. Game, food sale, information booths.
- 1 p.m. GREENBELT-LAUREL CHALLENGE SOFTBALL GAME
Braden Field #2. Rematch between the City of Greenbelt and City of Laurel Council and City Staff. Laurel is demanding a rematch after their embarrassing defeat (19-4) earlier this summer. Come on down and cheer for G'belt.
- 1-2 p.m. KARATE DEMONSTRATION
Stage. School of Karate will present a demonstration on methods of self-defense. Coordinator: Cliff Brown.
- 1-3 p.m. Can YOU Stump The Librarian?
Mall area. Bring three of your hardest questions to test the G'belt librarians.
- 1-5 p.m. NASA EXHIBIT at Library

- 2-3 p.m. JUDO DEMONSTRATION by Edwin Takemori
Members of the Laurel and Tucker Road Judo Clubs will demonstrate the sport of Judo. Basic demonstration will include falling, throwing, mat techniques, and free fighting. A short contest will be held.
- 2-4 p.m. SCUBA DIVING DEMONSTRATION at Pool
- 2:30 p.m. CITIES' TUG OF WAR ACROSS POOL
G'belt's Council and City Staff vs. Laurel's. Sponsor: G'belt Rec. Dept.
- 3-8:15 p.m. MUNICIPAL POOL OPEN
- 3-4:30 p.m. FRISBEE TARGET SHOOT
Braden Field. Register before 3:30 p.m. No fee. Awards in each division. Age divisions: Juniors, 8-11 years; Intermediate, 12-15 years; Senior, 16 and over. Sponsor: G'belt Rec. Dept. Coordinator: Scott Powell.
- 3-4 p.m. MINIATURE THEATRE
Stage. Come see and hear your favorite children's stories. Sponsor: G'belt Public Library.
- 5-6 p.m. JIM REYBACK
Stage. Folk and popular music.
- 6:30-7:30 p.m. "FREE TO BE"
Stage. From Gallaudet College a musical variety act interpreted in American sign language. Coordinator: Janet Bailey.
- 7:30-7:45 p.m. CPR DEMONSTRATION
Learn the ABC's for heart arrest. Coordinator: Marilyn Fowler.
- 7:45-8:45 p.m. PRESENTATION OF MISS GREENBELT CONTESTANTS
Stage. Disco Attire Competition. M.C.'s: Debbie Kirby and Louise Tousignant.
- 9 p.m. - 12 midnight SOUND TECH DISCO
Stage area. Street dancing for all ages.

SUNDAY - September 3

- 8 a.m. - 8 p.m. LABOR DAY TENNIS TOURNAMENT
Continuation of matches. See entry for 8 a.m. Saturday.
- 8 a.m. - 11 p.m. MAYOR'S ANNUAL LABOR DAY SOFTBALL TOURNAMENT
Continuation of double elimination tournament. See entry for 8 a.m. Saturday.
- 9 a.m. HORSESHOE TOURNAMENT - DOUBLES
Braden Field Courts. Age limit is 16 and over. No fee. Register between 9-10 a.m. Competition begins at 10 a.m. Entrants must supply shoes. Awards to winners. Sponsor: G'belt Rec. Dept. Coordinator: Terry Mangum.
- 9 a.m. - 12:30 p.m. 15th ANNUAL PANCAKE BREAKFAST
Youth Center, rain or shine. All the pancakes, sausage, and coffee you can eat. Limit of one milk and one orange juice to customer. Adults \$3.00, children (4-12) \$1.75, children under 4 free. Advance tickets available from Joe Wilkinson, 474-6893 or Tom Freeman 474-6384. Sponsor: G'belt Lions Club.
- 1-11 p.m. CARNIVAL MIDWAY OPEN
Prices on rides reduced 10c 1-5 p.m. Game, food, sale, information booths.
- 1-2 p.m. MISS GREENBELT SWIM SUIT COMPETITION
Municipal pool. M.C.'s: Debbie Kirby and Louise Tousignant.
- 1-2 p.m. CHAMBER MUSIC
Youth Center. Members of the P.G. Chamber Music Assn. Coordinator: Sue Tepping.
- 1-2 p.m. JUDO DEMONSTRATION
Stage. Kenneth Tamai.

- 1-2:30 p.m. BASEBALL ACCURACY PITCH CONTEST
Braden Field #1. Must register before 1:30 p.m. Best out of 5 pitches into target. No fee. Awards in each division. Open to guys and gals. Age divisions: Junior, 8-11 years; Intermediate, 12-15 years; Senior, 16 and over. Sponsor: G'belt Rec. Dept. Coordinator: Scott Powell.
- 2-8:15 p.m. MUNICIPAL POOL OPEN
- 2:30-4:00 p.m. FOOTBALL DISTANCE AND ACCURACY THROW
Braden Field Football Field. Must register before 3 p.m. Awards in all divisions. No fee. Open to guys and girls. Age divisions: Junior, 8-11 years; Intermediate, 12-15 years; Senior, 16 and over. Sponsor: G'belt Rec. Dept. Coordinator: Scott Powell.
- 3-4 p.m. FAMILY SWIM CARNIVAL
Municipal swimming pool. Multiple relay events. Ribbons to winners. No fee. Sponsor: G'belt Rec. Dept. Coordinator: Mike Lundregan.
- 2:45 p.m. Concert Prelude to DEDICATION CEREMONY
Greenbelt Concert Band. John DeHomme conducting. Municipal Bldg.
- 3-3:30 p.m. DEDICATION OF ADDITION TO MUNICIPAL BLDG.
In memory of the Honorable Edgar L. Smith. Reception following.
- 4-5 p.m. SWEET ADELINES
Stage. Barbershop harmony. Coordinator: Linda Uram.
- 4:30-5:30 p.m. FAMILY and SENIOR CITIZEN SWIM CARNIVAL
Municipal swimming pool. Multiple relay events. Ribbons to winners.
- 5-6 p.m. IRIS LIBERMAN HIRSCH
Stage. Sings folk and pop music.
- 5:30 p.m. REGISTRATION FOR FOOT RACES
Register at Youth Center. Entry fee \$1.25; patches to all finishers; races run regardless of weather. Races begin on Braden Field near tennis courts. Sponsors: D.C. Roadrunners Club, Festival Committee, G'belt Rec. Dept. Chmn. Alexander Barnes.

- 6:30 p.m. RUN FOR YOUR LIFE
3 kilometer course around lake; open to all.
- 6:30 p.m. 15 KILOMETER FOOT RACE
9.3 mile AAU-certified course through Ag. Research Center.
- 6-7 p.m. TALENT SHOW
Stage. Youngsters 18 years and under. Prizes for all. Chmn.: Brenda Cooley.
- 8 p.m. BEST DECORATED BOOTH AWARD
Stage. M.C.: Sandra Barnes
- 8:05 p.m. 15 KILOMETER RACE TROPHIES
Stage. Awards to 1st and 2nd place winners. Chmn: Alexander Barnes.
- 8:10 p.m. ART SHOW AWARDS
Stage. Chmn.: Toni Foster.
- 8:15 p.m. 24th ANNUAL MISS GREENBELT MARYLAND PAGEANT & CROWNING
Connie Becraft, Mary Bistany, Dana Britton, Laina Crockett, Cheri Gainer, Laura Karlander, Cindy Mayer, Bobbi White, Debbie Widenmyer, Karen Zecvallos, Khris Zoellner. M.C. Debbie Kirby. Crowning by 1977 Miss Greenbelt, Louise Tousignant.
- 9:15-12 midnight RALPH CASE SQUARE DANCERS - STREET DANCE
Stage area. National champions with professional caller and band. Costumed dancers will invite all to join in square dance. Coordinator: Ralph Case.

MONDAY - Sept. 4

- 8 a.m. - 7 p.m. MAYOR'S LABOR DAY SOFTBALL FINALS
See entry for 8 a.m. on Saturday.

10 a.m. LABOR DAY PARADE

Grand Marshal: Greenbelt Outstanding Citizen of 1978. Master of Ceremonies: Pat Brown, Charles Brown, Gerry Gough.

Honored guests include Congresswoman Gladys Spellman; Compt. Louis Goldstein, State Senator Ed Conroy, State Delegates Leo Green and Gerard F. Devlin, the City Council & County Council members, Miss Greenbelt of 1978 and her court, Miss Greenbelt of 1977.

Parade highlights include the First Army Band, the Navy Ceremonial Guard, the U.S. Coast Guard Precision Drill Team, a surprise entry from last year's winner for Best of Parade, St. Hughes CYO, and Mickey Mouse



sponsored by C & P Telephone. Among the featured marching units are The Dynamics, Mt. Rainier Majestics, Berwyn Heights Bravados, G'belt Marching Kazoo Band, G'belt American Legion and D.A.V., Royal Eagles Drum and Bugle Corps. Parade coordination by Md. H.E.L.P. radio club. Chmn.: Wayne Williams.

PARADE ROUTE Assembly area at North End School. Ridge Road and Laurel Hill Road, down Ridge to Northway, Northway to Hillside, Hillside to Crescent. Reviewing stand opposite Municipal Bldg.

- 9 a.m. - 2 p.m. LABOR DAY TENNIS TOURNAMENT FINALS
Championship matches, Braden Field Courts 1-4. Singles, 9 a.m.; Doubles, 10:30 a.m.; Mixed Doubles, 12 noon. Co-sponsors: G'belt Rec. Dept. and G'belt Tennis Assn. Coordinators: George Rogala and Bob Baker.
- 9:30 a.m. DECORATED BICYCLE AND TRICYCLE CONTEST
Assemble in front of Nyman Realty. Trophies and prizes for all. Sponsor: G'belt Lions Club. Chmn: Henry Fisher.
- After Parade ANTIQUE AUTO EXHIBIT
- After Parade PARADE TROPHIES PRESENTED
Stage. M.C.: G'belt Outstanding Citizen. Chmn.: Wayne Williams.
- After Parade CARNIVAL MIDWAY OPEN
Game, food, sale, information booths.
- 1-8:15 p.m. MUNICIPAL POOL OPEN - LAST DAY OF THE SEASON
- 1-2 p.m. "IMPROVISATIONS UNLIMITED"
Stage. Movement improvisations by students from U. of Md. Dance School.
- 2-3 p.m. BOBBETTES
Stage. Musical variety act—jazz, tap & acrobatics under direction of Bobbe Reynolds.
- 3-5:30 p.m. SPECIAL CONTESTS
Grass area in front of pool. Register 10 minutes before each event. Youth Center in case of rain. Prizes awarded in each event. Chm.: Angela Morris.

TIME	EVENT	AGES
3:00	Diaper Derby	Babies who cannot walk
3:30	Jump Rope Race	4-6
4:00	Bubble Gum Blowing	7-9
4:30	Limbo Walk	4-5 feet tall
5:00	Pie Eating	10-13
5:30	Greased Watermelon in the pool	14-16

- 2-4 p.m. LABOR DAY SALUTE TO AMERICANS AT WORK
Center Mall. Demonstrations of occupations: Watkins Regional Park—animal show; Patuxent River Park—hand hewing of lumber; Community Theatre Associates—face painting; Caravan—skate board maintenance; Lynn Reese—model solar home; Diane Hutchins & Karl Ginter—computer games; Dave Lehman—wood carving; Clearwater Nature Center—spinning; Corinne Comulada—knitting; Lucky Diamond—doileimer making; Fred Schelm—round hole caneing; Willis Gault—violin making; Charlie Breen—Plasterers' Apprentice School; Marilyn Fowler—CPR demonstration; Proteus Design—bicycle repair; C&P Telephone Co.—Cable repair & splicing; Sue Taylor—potter. Chmn.: Mary Ann Baker.



- 3-4 p.m. SUNSHINE POLKA DANCERS
Stage. Contemporary and traditional Polish dancing by young dancers aged 9-17 directed by Bonnie Brinkman.
- 4:15-5 p.m. McGRATH IRISH DANCING
Stage. Traditional Irish step dancing and group figure dancing by the McGrath Academy of Irish Dance directed by Jeanne McGrath.
- 5-6 p.m. GREENBELT CHAMBER ORCHESTRA
Stage. Chamber music and chamber orchestra music by a group of string players. Coordinator: Catherine Kerst
- 6-7 p.m. GUYS AND DOLLS CLOGGERS AND SQUARE DANCERS
Stage. Coordinator: James Loveless.

P.G. County Schools Tackle Reading, Grading, Truancy

Major thrusts in the Prince Georges County Public Schools instructional program for the coming year center around continued improvement in teaching aimed at helping students master the basic skills, intensified efforts to identify students with deficiencies in some of those skills and provide them with additional help, expansion of the program for Talented and Gifted students (TAG), and a new effort to involve parents in the education of their youngsters.

The greatest of the efforts in re-focusing the teaching of basic skills has come in the area of reading. The system's instructional staff members have been developing new materials teachers can use in the classroom, stressing functional reading skills.

Last year saw the initial phase of a revamped junior high school program extending the formal teaching of reading beyond elementary school. The modifications were limited to the 7th grade during 1977-78; this year they will be carried into all of the county's 8th grade classes. And students with marked deficiencies in reading skills as they finish junior high school will find special reading courses also offered in each senior high school.

The Program for Talented and Gifted Students (TAG) will be extended to at least 30 more schools throughout the county this year. The Superintendent of Schools has directed that the TAG Program be underway in all county schools by 1980. Last year more than 1,500 students took part in the TAG Program. One of those, Michael Briggs of High Point Senior High School, won the nation's most prestigious science competition for high school students, the Westinghouse National Science Talent Search.

Grading Policy

As part of a newly-revised school system policy on grading and reporting to parents, both parents and students will have a leg up on knowing what will be expected of

youngsters in each class or course beginning this year. At the beginning of the year (or of the semester for one-semester courses) each teacher will distribute to his/her students a statement of course objectives or topics. These have been prepared by the school system's central office to reflect what is supposed to be taught in each class. In addition, each teacher will hand students a teacher-prepared statement of the factors to be used in grading in that teacher's class.

Truants will find that attendance has an impact on their grades under the revised procedures. If, because of an unexcused absence, a student misses a quiz or class exercise on which a grade is given, the student's grade for that day will be recorded as a failure, with no makeup opportunity. In addition, in grades 9-12, a student who accumulates 10 or more unexcused absences per semester or 20 or

more during the school year will receive no semester or course grade in the affected courses. In such cases no credit will be awarded. Prior to taking this step a school must contact the parents of the student involved at least three times while the unexcused absences are accumulating, to discuss the absences and assist with corrective action.

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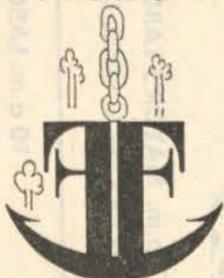
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