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Everything You Might Want to Know About the 1987 Labor Day Festival

by Leta Mach While the Labor Day Festival itself may not be 50 years old, its spirit as illustrated by the Festival's theme, "Unity through Community Involvement," is as old as the city. There is something for everyone at the 33rd annual Labor Day Festival to be held Friday, September 4 through Monday, September 7. (See de-tailed schedule in this paper). Many special events are also planned in commemoration of the city's 50th anniversary.

Opening Ceremonies

Opening Ceremonies for the Festival will begin on Friday evening with a traditional concert by the Greenbelt Concert Band of Prince Georges County. The concert will begin at 7 p.m. at the Roosevelt Center Mall in front of the mother and child statue. Under the direction of John del Homme, the band will present a program that includes Light Cavalry Overture by von Suppe. Second American Folk Rhapsody by Grundman and Parade of the Charioteers from Ben Hur by Roza. The Festival stage will come alive at 7:45 p.m. with the introduction of city officials, the announcement of Greenbelt's Outstanding Citizen of 1987 and a drawing for free ride tickets.

include athletic contests, a ping pong tournament, a softball game in the memory of David Craig, the opening of the carnival midway, and the presentation of Miss Greenbelt contestants. Beginning Friday and continuing throughout the daylight hours of the entire weekend, a library storytelling van will be open near Center School. In recognition of the city's 50th anniversary. Friday night's music by the Lazy River Dixieland Jass Band will feature selections from the 1930's to the present.

Outstanding Citizen Another special event for the

50th anniversary is a reception for past winners of the outstanding citizen award. It will be held at Center School Friday evening right after the announcement of Greenbelt's outstanding citizen for 1987. The public is invited to share in this special event. All but one of the surviving former winners have indicated their intention to attend and they will be accompanied by their families. The outstanding citizens will be introduced individually. freshments will be provided by members of the Woman's Club, the Homemakers Club, the Golden Age Club, the Fire Depart-ment Ladies' Auxiliary and a Springhill Lake women's group.

Athletic Events

Two new and interesting events are coming to the Festival this year. On Saturday and Sunday, ckets. Other events of the first day a 10 kilometer volksmarch will wind through Greenbelt. All interested individuals may follow the walking trail at their leisure. The walk is free; however, there is a charge to register for the walk. Special 50th anniversary commemorative medals will be awarded to those who register and finish the course. Registration can be done from 8 a.m. to 2 p.m. either day at the Greenbriar park picnic area.

The second new event will occur Sunday at 8 a.m., when the Potomac Pedalers Touring Club will host the Great Greenbelt Festival Bike Ride. The 65-mile ride will begin at the lower municipal parking lot and head towards the Chesapeake Bay.

The Greenbelt Recreation Department is offering a variety of athletic events this year. For those who like solving puzzles, the treasure hunt through Greenbelt in child and adult versions is an activity not to be missed. Other events are a soccer shootout; a skateboard competition; a closest to the flag golf contest; a baseball speed pitching contest; a slam dunk competition; a gymnastics exhibition; running races; the big wheels roadcross and horseshoe, golf, tennis and softball tournaments.

Midway

The Carnival Midway will be open from 6-11 p.m. on Friday, 1-11 p.m. on Saturday and Sun-day and after the Parade on Monday. Rides to excite all ages will be available each day for one set price. Discounts will be See FESTIVAL, page 11

ton in the fall of 1935 seeking a job "when the bottom had dropped out of construction." He went from office to office and was finally hired by the Resettlement Administration. He knew how to build architectural models and was offered a job on the green towns projects. He built all the models needed for the three planned communities-Greenbelt; Greenhills, Ohio; and Greendale, Wisconsin. He and another man built models of the different kinds of houses, blocks of houses, shopping centers, underpassesthe whole town. Falls and his wife moved into 2-H Eastway, among the first residents.

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Martha and Garnett Megee were married during the De-pression and came to Washington in 1936 when Garnett obtained a job with the Bureau of Engraving and Printing. They had to live in one room in Washington. When they read about Greenbelt, they applied immediately. They were accepted and moved to an apartment on Parkway. (The original allocation of houses was based on size of family.) When the size of their family increased, they moved to 2-A Southway.

Robert Howey worked on the construction of Greenbelt. He worked in First Aid, taking care of other workers who were hurt on the job. Later he helped build Greenbelt Lake. After the first residents started moving in, he became the maintenance man at the school. He and his wife, Eva, and their newborn son, Charles, were asked to portray Jesus, Mary, and Joseph in the school's

Greenbelt Is Featured

Sunday on TV Program

John Goldsmith's "Capital Edition" will feature Greenbelt's 50th anniversary in their morning television program this Sunday, Sept. 6 at 10:30 a.m. on channel 9. The Greenbelt segment, to be aired first among several, is produced by Nellie Lide. The reporter is Goldsmith. Lide and her camera crew were filming in Greenbelt a month ago - at the library, the city offices, the News Review and other spots around town. The program is usually repeated at 11:30 p.m. or 12 midnight Sunday night.

HOLIDAY REFUSE SERVICE Because of the Labor Day Holiday, there will be NO REFUSE COLLECTED ON MONDAY, SEPTEMBER 7, 1987. Monday's route will be collected on Tuesday and Tuesday's route will be collected on Wednesday. NEWSPAPERS WILL NOT BE COLLECTED ON WED-NESDAY. Thursday and Friday of that week will be on regular schedule.

50 Years Ago In Greenbelt

by Mary Moien

Where did the people come from who moved into Greenbelt 50 years ago? From a review of remembrances and oral histories, it appears that many had come to the Washington area for one reason-to find work. Some had come in the early years of the Depression and were now hoping to move into a decent home, whereas others came to town just around the time that Greenbelt was being built. A number helped build the town and then moved in. This article documents a few of these first families.

Harry Falls came to Washing- first Christmas play. Within the year they also were able to move into Greenbelt, living at 4-C Crescent Road. The last reminiscence comes

from Janet James, a current longtime resident but not a first resident. She lived in East Riverdale when Greenbelt opened and can remember driving out to see the construction. She even came to the Open House and applied to move in. She remembers applying for a home but was told that the homes were for families with children; even though she lived with her mother and father, Janet was working and was the main breadwinner in the house. She was incorrectly told that this type of family did not qualify. Years later Janet did move to town and lives in 39 Court Ridge Road.

Hearing on School Building

Projects Set for Sept. 10

A public hearing on the Superintendent's Proposed Capital Im-provement Program, 1989-1993, will be held by the Board of Education on Thursday, September 10, beginning at 6:30 p.m. at the Sasscer Administration Building, 14201 School Lane, Upper Marlboro.

Three projects are scheduled for the Greenbelt area:

Greenbelt Middle School, Greenbelt Center Elementary School and the Greenbelt Bus Garage. The Middle School needs some renovation. Center School is to be modernized, but some of the original architectural features will be retained.

Copies of the proposed CIP are available upon request from the Department of Public Affairs and Communications at 952-6000.

Individuals who wish to testify at the public hearing should register in advance by calling 952-6115. (Individual speakers will be allotted three minutes for presentations, five minutes for group representation.)

The public hearing is the first of several steps undertaken by local and state authorities in reviewing projects in Prince George's County and throughout the state.

What Goes On

Fri.-Mon., Sep. 4-7, See Schefor details of Festival.

Fri., Sept. 4, 6 p.m. Carnival Midway opens

7 p.m. Labor Day Festival **Opening Day Ceremonies**

Sun., Sep. 6, 10:30 a.m. "Cap-ital Edition," Channel 9 features Greenbelt's 50th anniversary

Mon., Sep. 7, 10 a.m. Labor Day Parade

Thurs., Sep. 10, 8 p.m. Greenbelt Homes, Inc. Board of Directors, Hamilton Place

Council Candidates Offer Their Positions On Issues Before Citizens for Greenbelt

by Mavis Fletcher

All seven candidates for the five seats on the Greenbelt city council attended the Candidates Night sponsored by the Citizens For Greenbelt on August 27. President CFG Marvin Holmes welcomed the candidates and introduced the moderator, Barry Schlesinger, who laid down the ground rules for the candidates: Each candidate got five minutes for an opening statement.

During this time, the candidate was asked to address four questions: (1) How would you evaluate the performance of the Greenbelt Connection (the intracity bus)? How would you finance it in the future? What can be done to improve the availability of transportation for people who do not drive their own cars? (2) What kinds of businesses and organizations would you like to see occupying the Roosevelt Center five years from now? How can the council bring this about and, particularly, what

would you as a council member personally do? How would you involve the citizens in this process?

(3) The city council recently approved a series of projects to be funded from the 1985 bond issue and additional sources. address the following: Please What future do you see for the North End Center? When should it be ready for use? Would you favor additional construction? If so, what specific sources of funding should be used?

(4) What additional projects, not among those recently approved, need to be funded at this time? How much would you be willing to spend on them beyond what is currently committed?

Isaacs

The first candidate to speak was incumbent council member Joseph Isaacs. (The order of seating and speaking had been determined by lot prior to the meeting.) Isaacs said that he evaluated the Greenbelt Connection as extremely positive; he noted that the city will be getting a van (equipped for handicapped riders) from the county; on funding he favored increasing the fare by 25 cents, possibly a city subsidy limited to one cent on the tax rate, and seeking grants to help pay for it.

In regard to the Roosevelt Mall. Isaacs supported "all the renovation called for in the charette." He insisted on "maintaining the center as the center" of town with the businesses there now, such as the grocery and the post office, while adding restaurents, boutiques. improved lighting, and sidewalks. He also suggested that county economic development aid could be concentrated on preserving existing commercial areas instead of limiting its aid to new development. He said he thought it might be possible to "reconstitute the center in the co-op mode," and suggested looking for state and federal grants or exploring "publicprivate partnerships with the old or perhaps new owners."

Isaacs supported the conversion of the North End School to a revenue-producing intergenerational, multipurpose center and an adult day care center. He See CANDIDATES, page 20

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REMINDER

This is to remind readers of News Review policy with respect to the printing of campaign and election material. In its last edition preceding an election the newspaper will not publish letters to the editor and similar materials that inject for the first time, highly controversial issues and charges. Last minute introduction of such material without an

opportunity for refutation is considered an unfair campaign practice. The News Review will not

print letters of endorsement. Letters to the editor and

other copy on election issues must be submitted by 9:30 p.m. Tuesday evening, so as to give the News Review editorial board sufficient time to review content.

(All display advertising copy must be submitted Monday evenings from 8 to 10 p.m.)

Horseshoe Tournaments Part of Labor Day Feast

Everyone is invited to celebrate Greenbelt's 50th by entering in Saturday's Singles tournament or Sunday's Double tournament at the horseshoe pits located east of the Greenbelt swimming pool.

In order to encourage participants of all levels of skill, the singles tournament has been revised and expanded this year to include both A and B divisions. Also, because of the two class divisions, placement qualifying willbe required. This will take place on Sat. morning at 9. All entrants will be asked to pitch 50 shoes. The score pitched will determine class placement.

The doubles tournament will take place at 10 a.m. Participants should bring a partner.

People who do not play horseshoes, are welcome to come on down anyhow. It's great on watch. For more information, please call Burt at 474-9498 or Bruce at 474-0024.

Greenbelt-LanhamChorale Begins Rehearsals Sept. 14

The Greenbelt-Lanham Chorale begin its 14th season with performances of the concert version of Menotti's "Amahl and the Night Visitors", Rutter's "Requi-, and the Christmas portion em" of Handel's "Messiah".

The Chorale welcomes all adult singers; tenors and basses especially are needed. Rehearsals begin on September 11 at Good Samaritan Lutheran Church, 10110 Greenbelt Road, Lanham, and are held every Monday evening at 7:30 p.m. Please call 459-1336 for more information.

Gray Panthers Meet

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Dr. Rodney Ellis, a specialist in Internal Medicine and Stress Related Disorders, will speak at a public Gray Panther meeting Saturday, September 12 at 1:30 p.m. at the Greenbelt Library; his topic is "Stress". Dr. Ellis, who formerly taught in California, is now in private practice and has been a clinical professor at George Washington University for 10 years. He worked at Group Health Association for 13 years and has published in several medical journals. All persons of all ages are invited to hear Dr. Ellis. There will be ample time for questions. Re-freshments will be served. For additional information. telephone 474-6890.

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King-Henson

On Saturday morning, August 29, Deborah King and Jay Henson were united in marriage in a garden wedding at their home in 11 Court of Southway. The double ring ceremony was officiated by Rev. Dan Hamlin of Greenbelt Community Church.

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King is the daughter of Dave King of Waldorf and Eve King of Fort Washington. Henson is the son of Rayetta Henson, Greenbelt and the late Carroll Henson.

The bride is employed by the Department of Transportation and the groom is a photographer for the Annapolis Capital Newspaper and staff photographer for the News Review.

A reception for their family and friends was held at the El Torito Restaurant. The couple will reside in Greenbelt.

Tennis Tourney to Benefit American Cancer Society

Capital Office Park and Springhill Lake Apartments, in cooperation with the Greenbelt Hilton and Towers, are joining the fight against cancer at their first annual Charity Tennis Classic on Sept. 19.

Preliminary matches will take place the week of Sept. 12, at Springhill Lake and Capital Office Park, and lead up to the Sept. 19 final. Categories include women's singles, men's singles, and mixed doubles.

mation and sponsor forms, call 474-4555 or 345-3334.

The Rev. Daniel Hamlin,

Pastor

Swim Team News

by Emily Sonneveldt

The divisional swim meet for Princemont Division B was held on Saturday, August 1 at Greenacres. Carolyn Drake remained undefeated. Shannon Berger and Jeanne Kepler each won two events. Jeanne bettered her team record freestyle time. Tommy Bradley placed second in the 8 and under breaststroke. Scott Luddy placed second in the 15-18 boys' butterfly. Many Greenbelt swim team members went on to the all-star meet at Cheverly on August 8. These swimmers were Carolyn Drake, Kathy Barwick, Scott Luddy, Cooper Pappas, Allison Low, Jennifer Drake, Shannon Berger, Tommy Bradley, Jeanne Kepler, Tommy Brad-ley, Jeanne Kepler, Kevin Floyd, Danielle Leas, Scott Berger, Josh Kepler and Trevor Groft. This meet is for individual swimmers and is not really a team meet. We are proud of all our swimmers, and salute those who made it into this final meet of the season.

The Greenbelt swim team had a great showing at the all-star meet. Jeanne Kepler won the 8 and under girls' backstroke, placed 3rd in freestyle and 6th in breaststroke, Carolyn Drake placed 3rd in the 15-18 girls' freestyle and backstroke and 3rd in the butterfly Jennifer Drake placed 5th in the 11-12 girls' butterfly and backstroke. Kathy Barwick placed 6th in the 15-18 girls' butterfly and 5th in the backstroke. In addition, Tommy Bradley and Scott Berger, and positions in their events.

Signs Up, Signs Down

It is the News Review's under-standing at this time that some campaign signs posted on Golden Triangle private property by council candidates have "disappeared," to the distress of the candidates.

Our reporter's phone inquiries to the property management representatives show that removal of the signs apparently depended on whether individual candidates asked for - and were given sign-posting permission by the appropriate persons in the ownership/property management hierarchy. (One or two signs may have been vandalized earlier.)

Did You Know?

Seven original Greenbelt families still live in their original Greenbelt homes.

Thirty-two original Greenbelt families still live in Greenbelt.

-Forty-one children of original Greenbelt families still live in Greenbelt.

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Thursday, September 3, 1987

"How Sweet It Was"

Apologies to Mrs. Hensel

Letters to the Editor

To the Editor:

On Saturday, August 29, Greenbriar Condominiums distributed their September-October issue of the Condominium newsletter, the "Greenbriar Crier." By Sunday, August 30, the Crier staff were aware they had committed a social and political gaffe which all newsletter writers fear, but hope will never happen.

In an effort to provide information to our residents, we designed a front page giving information on the forthcoming City Council election. The names of the candidates were scattered across the page in an informal fashion. Our error was committed at this point: we inadvertently omitted the name of candidate Irene Hensel.

This was our error and we regret having erred in our failure to bring accurate information to our readers. We apologize to Mrs. Hensel and to our readers. It was not our intent to show favoritism towards six candidates when there are, in fact, seven candidates.

We are publishing this statement in an effort to correct the omission and most importantly to wish Mrs. Hensel and the other six candidates good luck in the forthcoming election.

Greenbriar Crier Staff

No Mistake

To the Editor:

Someone referred to the Kenilworth Avenue/Greenbelt Road interchange as a "mistake." It was definitely not. The reason the decision was made to structure it the way it is today is because the State Department of Transportation wants to widen and expand Kenilworth Avenue from I-95 to Virginia Manor Road north of the city. This proposal is directly linked to the inter county connector from Rockville to Route 301.

This interchange is hazardous and confusing and never was intended to be in the best interests of Greenbelt. In order to express your displeasure about what the Department of Transportation has perpetrated, please attend the public meeting with the Department of Transportation and the City Council to be held on Monday, September 28. at 8 p.m. in the city council meeting room.

Tony Pisano

At Springhill Lake

The Springhill Lake Wednesday Workshop on September 9 is on race car driving.

The Springhill Lake Connection is offering a trade show on September 12 for Springhill Lake residents at the Fountain Lodge.

Registration Underway For Fitness Classes

Registration is now underway for Bio Aerobics dance fitness classes, sponsored by the City of Greenbelt, Department of Recreation and the Greenbelt Co-op, which will begin the week of September 14. Bio Aerobics is a complete fitness program designed to give an excellent cardiovascular workout as well as tone and strengthen muscle groups. Bio Aerobics is also incorporating plyometrics for fast body contouring and shaping. For more information, fees, times and locations or to register, please call 249-1015.

To the Editor: We enjoyed Robert Dove's "Reminiscences" in the August 13 issue of the "Greenbelt News Review." He reminded us "How Review." He reminded us "How sweet it was!" Thanks.

Early in the summer of 1938 we visited Chuck and Mary Pettit (a relative by marriage) in their home in Greenbelt. We fell in love with their house and immediately made an application at the town office, in hopes we would be accepted as a tenant.

The first applicant of 1-K Gardenway had moved in with a dog (a no no) and was moved Roy Braden told us that out for the first and only time he chose a tenant to take their place.

We moved in 1-K Gardenway over Labor Day weekend in 1938 with our 8 month old daughter Shirleyann.

Robert Dove's letter in the "News Review," August 27 issue, gave the correct name of the first family to move into Greenbelt but the address was 1 Court Gardenway. The occupants of our row were the families of:

Julian and Hazel Ashley, 1-G Gardenway

Henry (Hank) and Ruth Mauer 1-H Gardenway George and Mae Bauer 1-J

Gardenway Carson and Lucille Howell 1-K

Gardenway We want the "Greenbelt News Review" staff to know we appre-

ciate the wonderful job they all

"How sweet you are" Carson and Lucille Howell

State Tax Amnesty

do.

State Comptroller of the Treasury Louis L. Goldstein has announced that there will be a Tax Amnesty program for people and businesses with unpaid taxes that were due prior to December 31, 1986. By paying back taxes and interest prior to October 31, 1987, taxpayers can avoid civil penalties and new criminal prosecutions. Previously assessed tax penalties and criminal investigations already in progress will not be voided under the program.

After the Amnesty period is over, the penalty for unpaid taxes will retroactively increase from the current ten percent of the amount due to twenty-five percent, while criminal penalties will increase to a maximum of five years in prison and a \$5,000 fine. In addition, the enforcement staff will be increased upping the chances of prosecution.

Forms are available from banks, libraries, tax preparers, post offices, Clerks of Court, Giant Food Stores and the Offices of the Comptroller. For more information call 1-800-MD-TAXES.



SHL Apartment Dweller **Robbed and Abducted**

by Jack Brickman

Police report that a female resident of an apartment in the 6200 block of Breezewood Drive was robbed and abducted during a terrifying ordeal on the afternoon of August 23 by an armed intruder who entered her apartment through a patio door. According to police spokesman Patrick McAndrew the man, armed with a handgun and a knife, bound and gagged his victim, then proceeded to search the apartment for valuables. Not satisfied with what he found he then forced her into her car and had her drive to a bank ATM machine in the Beltway Plaza shopping center to withdraw money, which he took from her. He then forced her to drive south on I-95, across the Wilson Bridge to Alexandria where they stopped for fuel shortly after crossing the bridge. When the suspect got out to put gas in the car his victim drove off, leaving him behind. Returning to Maryland, she stopped at the Maryland State Police headquarters in Forestville where she reported the robbery and abduction. McAndrew reports that her frightening experience left her physically unharmed but emotionally distraught. The suspect, pictured above in a composite identification sketch prepared by Greenbelt police, was described as a white man, 18 to 19 years of age, 5'10", medium build, brownish shoulder-length hair parted in the middle, blue eyes, no facial hair. He was last seen wearing a dark blue cotton shirt with a dress collar spread at the neck with buttons down the front, faded blue jeans, white high-top Reebok sneakers. Anyone with information about this incident is asked to contact the Greenbelt Police Department, 474-7200.

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Library Book Discussion Fall Schedule Announced

by Tom Simone The Greenbelt Library's popular monthly book discussions for adults resume regular meetings in September. Books for the first discussions are now available at the Library. Participants may register in advance at the library this month to receive reminders

before each month's discussion. The evening group will start this year with a series, "A Touch of Humor," three discussions of books with humorous themes. The first meeting on September 9 is a discussion of Anne Tyler's Accidental Tourist, followed on October 14 with a discussion of Robert Heinlein's Job: A Comedy of Justice. The November meeting will be on Tuesday, November 10, to avoid the holiday on Veteran's Day. The title will be announced at a later date. All evening discussions start at 7:30 p.m.

The morning group will start on Thursday, September 17, with a discussion of Simone Signoret's Adieu Yolodya, her last book and only novel. On October 15. the group will discuss Judith Viorst's Necessary Losses and on November 19 David Broder's Behind the Front Page: A Candid Look at How the News is Made. All morning discussions start at 10:15 a.m.

Books for each month's discussion are available at the library a month before the meeting date. These discussions are an enjoyable way to share and broaden reading interests with others and to stimulate the intellect. All adult readers are invited to participate. For more information, stop in or call the library at 345-5800 or TDD 345-0831.

"Better Breathing Group" to Meet

The American Lung Association of Maryland's free monthly "Better Breathing Group" will meet at Prince Georges General Hospital, room 408, on September 9 from 12:30 p.m.

All adults with asthma, emphysema, or chronic bronchitis and their families and other interested persons, are invited to attend this educational and social support group. Dr. Steinberg will speak on "Medications."

For more information call 1-800-638-5574. The Better Breathing Group is a service of the Christmas Seal People.

Did You Know?

That in March 1938 the Social Welfare Committee of the Greenbelt Citizens' Association organized a clearing house for those Greenbelters seeking employment and those seeking help. There was no fee.





The Greenbelt Connection will be operating on its normal schedule on Tuesday, September 15, 1987, the city election day. This service can be used for transportation to and from the election polling places.

Operating hours will be 8:30 a.m. to 4:30 p.m. Transportation will be provided FREE to all riders of the Greenbelt Connection that day.

For more information or to get a ride, please call 474-4100.



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Results from 8-K & 6-Hour Endurance Races

by Larry Noel Two unusual running races were held in the Greenbelt area recently. An 8 kilometer (4.97 mile) race on Sunday. August 16. at the Greenbelt Hilton and Towers sponsored by the Capital Office Park continued onto Crescent, Greenhill, Research and into the Beltsville Agricultural Center where it ended. Did the runners run back? No. They were bused back for refreshments at the Hilton. The next Sunday, August 23, the Prince Georges Running Club held a 6hour distance run. It was probably the longest running event in the history of Greenbelt with 2 runners each doing 33.2 miles.

Capital Office Park 8 Kilometer race was held on a newly certified course starting at the Hil-ton and ending on BARC, near the Log Lodge. There were 157 finishers in light rain and cool weather. Unlike most local races on the farm this one did not come back up the Research Road hill. Jim Hage, from Lanham who has already qualified to run in the U.S. Olympic Marathon trials won this race which is just short of 5 miles in 25 minutes and 44.8 seconds over Paul Jessey, Falls Church, in 25:52.2. Mary Ann Zuckerman, Laurel, was the first woman in 26th place in 33:51.2 with Carolyn Ulrich, Columbia, in 28th place in 34:07.5. David Cohan was the first of seven Greenbelters finishing in 65th place in 38:08.5, Joe Broderick 66th in 38:21.1. and

Jack Katz 67th in 38:25.6. Sharon Pawlowski in 84th place was the only Greenbelt woman finisher in 40:42.6. Modares Houman 98th in 43:16.2, Walter Braun 101st in 43:49.0 and Steve Bernheisel 106th in 44:54.0 were other Greenbelters. The Greenbelt Police were very helpful in getting the runners safely across Kenilworth Avenue at Ivy Lane at the early hour of 8 a.m. Colonial Running Company managed the race with help from the Prince Georges Running Club volunteers.

The 6-hour Endurance Run around Greenbelt Lake on Sunday, August 23, was one of the monthly events the club holds. Runners could start at any time and run as far or as little as they wanted within a 6-hour time limit. Only four ran the marathon distance (26.2 miles) or more with Monte Dzurenko, Baltimore, who started 10 minutes late tying Larry Tabachnick, President of the PGRC in running 33.4 miles (26 laps of the lake). Dzurenko has run the Pikes Peak Marathon and Tabachnick has run 100 mile races. Paul Robertson, veteran race-walker, ran this time doing 32.4 miles, his 55th time over the marathon distance. Jim Wass, a racewalker from Riverdale pre-paring to racewalk the New York City marathon did 26.8 miles in 5:52.1. Last and least was Larry Noel, 66, who did 5.3 miles in one hour so Greenbelt could be represented.



In-person registration, first-come, first-serve basis, will be held at the Greenbelt Youth Center. Tuesday, September 8 - Friday, September 11, 10 am - 4 pm and 7:30 pm - 9:30 pm, Greenbelt Youth Center and Springhill Lake Recreation Center.

Saturday, September 12, 9 am - 12 noon, Greenbelt Youth Center.

LATE REGISTRATION: Will begin Monday, September 14 through Saturday, September 19, on a space available basis only. Held in the Youth Center business office, late registration hours are Monday through Friday, 10 am - 4 pm, 7:30 pm - 9:30 pm and Saturday, 9 am - 12 noon. All late registrants will be charged a \$1.00 late fee.

CLASS FEES: All registrants living outside the City of Greenbelt limits will be charged an additional 25% for all classes. A 10% discount will be given to all senior citizens, 60 years old and over, registering for classes. All checks should be made payable to the City of Greenbelt.

CLASS SCHEDULE: All weekday classes will begin the week of September 21. Saturday classes will begin September 26. NO CLASSES will be held on Thanksgiving, Thursday, November 27. Classes are held for the number of sessions or hours designated.

REFUNDS: The Recreation Department reserves the right to cancel classes due to insufficient registrants or causes beyond its control. Refunds will be made if classes are cancelled by the Department. Other refunds will be made according to the provisions in City of Greenbelt Resolution No. 65, which also requires requests for refunds to be made in WRITING IMMEDIATE-LY for valid reasons,

LOCATION CODE: BFTC - Braden Field Tennis Courts; CS - Center Elementary School; SHLRC - Springhill Lake Recreation Center and YC - Youth Center,

BABYSITTING: Services provided for classes indicated by asterisks (**). Fee is 75c per child per class hour. Participant must register for entire class. Entire fee due at registration.

For additional information, contact the Greenbelt Recreation Department, weekdays 9 am - 5 pm, 474-6878.

THERE WILL BE NO CLASSES ON FRIDAY, OCTOBER 9, OR SATURDAY, OCTOBER 10.

CHILDREN, TEEN & ADULT CLASSES

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	ACTIVITIES	LOCATION	DAY/TIME	AGE GROUP	FEE (Non-Resident add 25%)
1	Arts & Crafts	YC	Mon 3:15-4:15p	K-3rd Grade	FREE - 8 sessions
1		SHLRC	Mon 3:15-4:15p	K-3rd Grade	FREE - 8 sessions
	more and the birth day at	YC	Wed 3:15-4:15p	4-6th Grade	FREE - 8 sessions
1		SHLRC	Wed 3:15-4:15p	4-6th Grade	FREE - 8 sessions
	Ballet - Adult	YC	Tue 6:30-7:30p	16 & Over	15/8 session
	Children Pre-School	YC	Tue 3:30-4:30p	3-5 years	15/8 session
	Pre-School	ÝC	Sat 9:00-10:00a	3-5 years	15/8 session
	6 yrs & over	YC	Tue 4:30-5:30p	6-12 years	15/8 session
	6 yrs & over	YC	Sat 10:00-11:00a	6-12 years	15/8 session
	Bioaerobics	CS	TU/TH 7:00-8:00p	16 & Over	\$39.99/16 sessions
	Clay Modeling	YC	Fri 3:15-4:15p	6-12 years	\$12/8 sessions
	Clowning Techniques	YC	Wed 4:15-5:15p	3 & Over	\$12.50/6 wks
	Creative Carousel	YC	Sat 10:00-11:00a	3-5 years	\$8/8 sessions
1	Gymnastics - Pre-School	YC	Tue 2:30-3:30p	3-5 years	\$15/8 sessions
	Pre-School	YC	Thu 3:30-4:30p	3-5 years	\$15/8 sessions
	Pre-School	YC	Sat 9:00-10:00a	3-5 years	\$15/8 sessions
	Elem. School Age	YC	Tue 3:30-4:30p	6-12 years	\$15/8 sessions
	Elem. School Age	YC	Sat 11:00-12:00n	6-12 years	\$15/8 sessions
	Jazz	YC	Sat 110:00-12:00n	12-15 years	\$15/8 wks
	Jazzexercise**	YC	Thu 10:00-11:00a	16 & Over	\$15/8 sessions
	Karate	YC	Mon/Wed 5:00-6:30	0p12 & Over	\$20/24 sesions
	Kids Kitchen - Pre School		Thu 3:30-4:30p	3-5 years	\$12/6 sessions
		SHLRC	Mon 2:30-3:30p	3-9 years	\$12/6 sessions
		YC	Tue 3:30-4:30p	6-12 years	\$12/6 sessions
	Mom/Dad & Tots	YC	Fri 3:30-4:30p	2-5 years	\$8/6 wks
	Photography	YC	Mon 7:00-9:00p	16 & Over	\$35/8 sessions
	Pre-School Playmate	SHLRC	Thu 3:30-4:30p	3-5 years	FREE/8 sessions
1		YC	Thu 4:30-5:30p	3-5 years	FREE/8 sessions
1	Slimnastics	YC	Tue 7:30-8:30p	16 & Over	\$12.50/10 sessions
		YC	Thu 7:00-8:00p	16 & Over	\$12.50/10 sessions
	Sport Acrobatics	YC	Mon 4:30-5:30p	5-15 years	\$15/8 sessions
	Tennis - children	BFTC	Sat 9:00-10:00a	8 & Over	\$12/5 session
	Adult(Beginner)	BFTC	Tue 6:00-8:00p	16 & Over	\$12/5 session
1	(Intermediate	BFTC	Wed 6:00-8:00p	16 & Over	\$12/5 session
	Trampoline	YC	Thu 4:30-5:30p	6-12 years	\$15/8 sessions
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The Greenbelt Municipal Access Channel

by Renee Bryan

Public Information and Communications Coordinator

On January 14, 1982 the City of Greenbelt entered into a franchise agreement with Storer Communications of Maryland (which on April 29, 1985 became Prime Cable of Maryland) to provide cable television to Greenbelt residents. One year later, when the first subscribers were being hooked up, the Greenbelt Municipal Access Channel was on the air-running 24-hour, character generated messages-with everything from meetig notices and council agendas to emergency and city office phone numbers, as well as birthday and anniversary wishes to residents.

In March 1985 the city began cablecasting city council meetings. These first "live" cablecasts were done with one camera and part-time camera operators. The camera would pan from councilperson to councilperson, with an occasional wide shot, zooming in on the city seal at the beginning and end of each meeting. The production itself was a little less than exciting.

Eight months later the city purchased additional video equipment and our "live" cablecasts went to a two camera video production. Council meetings and other public meetings are now cablecast by a staff of fourone director, one technical director and two camera operators.

All of the city's part-time camera operators are trained to perform all three tasks, as well as setting up the equipment for "live" and portable shoots. The addition of the new equipment has made the cablecasted council meeting quite a bit more interesting to watch—with split screen and other unique capabilities.

Through the years, other programming has appeared on the Greenbelt Municipal Access Channel-some city produced, some from outside sources. Major productions have included a "Video Annual Report for Fiscal Year 1986," a promotional tape for the city's Recreation Department and an 11 part series of oral history interviews conduct-ed as part of the 50th anniversary celebration. Programming from outside sources included a 13 part series developed by the Maryland Energy Office entitled "Ask the Energy Doctor," which focuses on energy conservation in the home.

This past winter, Greenbelt Municipal Access staff taught a TV production class. Nothing new you say? Try teaching nine children-ages 8 to 11 years oldhow to operate video equipment and to produce their own television program. After eight weeks of class, the children finished their program and "Kids TV Trivia," a fifteen minute trivia game show with two commercials-one for the city's 50th anniversary celebration and the second for Public Safety Dayaired on the Greenbelt Municipal Access Channel in April.

When the Greenbelt Municipal Access Channel began, it employed five part-time peopleone cable programmer to train and schedule camera operators, as well as produce programs for the channel, and four camera operators. Since then, the city has seen an opportunity to provide more community oriented programming to its residents. To help with this opportunity, the city now employs a full-time public information and communications coordinator and has had as many as nine part-time camera operators in its employ at one time.

Certain community events are videotaped annually. These in-clude the Easter Egg Hunt, Greenbelt Day Weekend, the Labor Day Festival and parade, the Miss Greenbelt Pageant, and the Halloween costume parade and contest. These and other events are videotaped, edited by the city and then aired on the Greenbelt Municipal Access Channel. Most programs are run two or three days a week and at various times throughout those days. With council meetings, public hearings and other programming, the city provides an average of five hours of programming per week.

Future projects will include other video annual reports, candidate debates, promotional tapes for other city departments, a program on how we celebrated our 50th anniversary, and other Kids TV Production videos.

If you would like additional information on the programs and projects done by the Greenbelt Municipal Access Channel, please feel free to call us at 474-8000.

This Month at the Utopia

The Labor Day's Festival photo exhibit and competition will be housed in the Utopia Theater this weekend. Beginning Saturday and running through Monday afternoon, some of the area's best photos will be on display in the lobby.

The next weekend is a final return of "Godspell." "The production has received rave reviews," says Konrad Herling of the Arts Center, "and we don't want you to miss it." Curtain times are: Friday, September 11, 8 p.m.; Saturday, September 12, 9 p.m.; and Sunday, September 13, matinee at 2 p.m.

On Monday and Tuesday, September 14 and 15 at 7:30 p.m. the Arts Center will hold auditions for "Raisin in the Sun." "Raisin in the Sun" will be performed during November.

In September, three acting classes for children are scheduled for ages five to seven, eight to ten and 11 to 14

"The Potomac Winds," a baroque trio, consisting of flute, oboe and bassoon, will/perform Saturday, September 19. This is the first of the Arts Center's chamber concerts which will be cosponsored by the Prince Georges County Arts Council.



HER RECORD

In four years on the Greenbelt City Council, Toni has voted for:

- the reorganization and expansion of the Greenbelt Police Department.
- the acquisition of at least eighty acres of parkland and greenspace.
- a reduction in the Greenbelt property tax rate.
- improved trash collection facilities and snow removal equipment.
- the expeditious renovation of the outdoor swimming pool and the careful planning of the indoor pool.
- a fiscally sound five-year budget projection.
- the development of a viable and effective drug enforcement program.
- the installation of safe traffic signals at Greenridge House and at the Crescent Road-Northway intersection.
- the prompt repair of Roosevelt Center sidewalks.
- the initiation of the Greenbelt Connection city bus system.
- the construction of a new police facility to be completed in 1988.
- the resurfacing of our city streets.
- the funding for planning Schrom Hills park area.
- the annexation of the Hunting Ridge community.
- the revitalization of Greenbelt's Roosevelt Center.
- exploring the real needs of our growing senior population.

Antoinette M. Bram

- 27-year Greenbelt resident
- Councilmember, City of Greenbelt, 1983-1987
- Advisory Planning Board, City of Greenbelt, 1981-1983
- Parks & Recreation Advisory Board, City of Greenbelt, 1978-1981
- Associate Registrar, University of Maryland University College
- Bachelor of Science Degree, Summa Cum Laude, Urban Studies, University of Maryland
- Master of Arts Degree, History, University of Maryland
- President emeritus and organizer, Prince George's Elected Municipal Women
- Former teacher, coach, Campfire Leader, civic activist
- Member, Maryland Municipal League, International Affairs Committee
- Member, American Association of Collegiate Registrars and Admissions Officers
- National League of Cities, Community and Economic Development Committee
- Member, Metropolitan Washington Council of Governments
- Member, National Capital Area Chapter American Planning Association

by authority J. Greig, Treasurer





For Greenbelt City Council

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1987 Tax Returns Require Dependent ID Number

As a result of the Tax Reform Act of 1986. a taxpayer claiming a dependent who is at least 5 years old must include that dependent's taxpayer identification number on the taxpayer's return. For most individuals, this number is the individual's Social Security number. This new law is effective beginning with 1987 tax returns.

If the dependent has a Social Security number, but the taxpayer does not know what it is, the taxpayer should contact a local Social Security Administration office. Those wishing to apply for a Social Security number may ask for the free leaflet "Applying for a Social Security Number."

Audubon Society Sells A Variety of Birdseeds

The Audubon Naturalist Society, a nonprofit local conservation and environmental education organization, offers a wide variety of high-quality birdseed not generally found in grocery or hardware stores.

The Society's fall sale will offer sunflower seeds, millet, cracked corn, thistle seed, sunflower pieces, peanut hearts, safflower seed, suet cakes, and a special mix which contains only, the seeds most preferred by birds. The sunflower seed and special mix will be available in 25-lb and 50-lb bags.

Orders must be made in advance and can be picked up at the Greenbelt BWI Limo parking lot on Southway on designated days in October.

To receive a birdseed order form with complete information, call the Audubon Naturalist Society at 652-5965 or 652-9188.

Proceeds from the sale support the environmental education and conservation activities, of the Audubon Naturalist Society. Page 6 r sellende sontaised D

Tax Counselors Sought

Volunteers are needed to serve as Tax Aide Counselors for the 1987/88 tax season at tax assist-ance sites located in Greenbelt. The Tax Aide program is a free income counseling service for older persons, sponsored by the Department of Aging and the American Association of Retired Persons in cooperation with the Internal Revenue Service. Volunteers should have a good knowledge of tax matters, a sincere desire to help older persons and the willingness to donate at least 4 hours of their time per week during the tax season(February 1 through April 15). Persons in-terested in learning about the Tax Aide program or in serving as a volunteer should call Joseph Fazio, Overall Coordinator, at 699-2675.

Volunteers Needed

Prince George's County Hotline and Suicide Prevention Center is looking for volunteers to become telephone crisis counselors. Caring, sensitive, non-judgmental people who have a few hours to spare each week, can become a part of this worthy effort in crisis intervention and suicide prevention. Volunteers are asked to work a 3-4 hour shift per week, 3 additional hours per month in some capacity other than direct service work and must successfully complete Hotline's 48-hour initial training. No experience is necessary; training is provided free. Anyone over 16 years of age may apply. Volunteers are needed during the early daytime hours (8 a.m.noon) and late evening (midnight-8 a.m.). Call for an application today, 577-3140, for the upcoming training in late September.

Did You Know?

That in 1939 craft classes in how to make shoes were held in rooms over the drug store. Materials came from Mathews Shoe Guild of Weymouth. Massachusetts. This was an attempt to establish local industry to provide jobs but did not work out. That the first editions of the News Review, first called the Cooperator, were mimeographed. The staff then tried a printed paper, then a photo-offset process and again a printed paper. The printer for that first printed paper was Herbert Allen, Sr. who then worked for the Prince Georges Post. Later when he opened his own shop in Hyattsville the Cooperator followed him. No other printer has printed the News Review. That the first citizens of Greenbelt formed a Journalistic Club in November, 1937, and published six newspapers as a trial. The first issue of the Cooperator was published November 24, 1937. It proved so popular that the weekly newspaper was continued and is still being printed today. Only the name has been changed to News Review.



There will be a limited amount sold

Donation \$12.00



Maryland Municipal League Holds Fall Conference in City

by Virginia Beauchamp

For the first time in the history of the Maryland Municipal League (MML), it will hold its Legislative Fall Conference in Prince Georges County. In fact, the conference, scheduled for October 29-31, will take place in Greenbelt . at the Greenbelt Hilton. This site was chosen in particular to coincide with the city's 50th anniversary year.

to municipalities, such as taxes

participants will meet in city

facilities. The main topic, how-

ever, will be the preparation of

the League's 1988 legislative pro-

gram, to be lobbied for during

the next session of the Maryland

Meanwhile Greenbelt's expres-

sion of welcome is warm. "We

making it part of Greenbelt's

GHI HOSTS CONFERENCE

GHI will host this year's con-

ference of the Eastern Coopera-

tive Housing Organization on

September 18-19. The conference, which will feature a tour of GHI,

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sary celebration.

League members, who received copies of an MML publication Municipal Maryland, which contackling various topics important and assessments. In some cases tains conference information, also had an opportunity to bone up on Greenbelt history. Starting with the front cover, which contains a full-page photograph of the historical marker set up on Southway by the Prince Georges County Historical Society, conlegislature in Annapolis. tinuing with a welcoming letter from Mayor Gil Weidenfeld, and feel especially proud," the state-ment reads, "to be hosting the Maryland Municipal League's '87 an article of welcome, readers also have an opportunity to peruse Pam Carroll's article on Greenbelt, "Greenbelt Commun-Fall Legislative Conference and ity Spirit Runs Deep," which first 50th anniversary celebration. We ran last spring in the Maryland hope you enjoy your visit." Magazine.

From this very favorable piece by an outsider, readers can then to Greenbelter Sandra turn Barnes' "History of Greenbelt" and a description by the city's Public Information and Communications Coordinator, Renee Bry an, of the development of the city's cable TV access channel.

Conference Agenda Among conference agenda items specific to Greenbelt and its immediate environment will be a planned tour of the NASA Goddard Space Flight Center, where a reception will be held; a tour for participants' spouses of the Beltsville Agricultural Research Center; and an opportunity to attend the University of Maryland vs. University of North Carolina football game at Byrd Stadium. Other events planned for spouses will be a tour of Capitol Hill in Washingington and a shopping trip to White Flint Mall.

Meanwhile members will be GHI ER INC. BOARD Apartments MEETING **Preliminary Agenda** September 10, 1987 1. Approval of Agenda 2. Approval of Minutes 3. Approval of Membership Applications 4. Visitors and Members 5. Manager • NAHC Membership 6. President 7. Board Members J. Henson **Photographics** -Portraits -Portfolios -Advertising and -Commercial Photography J. Henson, Photographer 441-9231

Experience Counts

The Prior Learning Assessment Network (PLAN) Prince is Community College's Georges program designed for adult students who may have acquired college-level learning outside a traditional college classroom. Anyone who has had extensive college-level learning gained through work experience, seminars and workshops, should call 322-0437 to register for an orientation meeting to learn more about PLAN.

PGCC Psychology **Course on TV**

Prince Georges Community College will present an introductory psychology course, "Understanding Human Behavior," over Maryland Public Television Channel 22 beginning Sunday, Sep-tember 6 at 7 a.m. The program will air Wednesdays at 6 p.m. on Cable-TV channels 24A and 18B. The course surveys the psychological and social aspects of human thought and action.

Students seeking credit for the telecourse must register at PGGC, complete assignments, attend optional seminars with an assigned campus instructor and return to the college for examinations. Viewers wishing to follow the course without credit may obtain reading materials at the College Bookstore.

For additional information, call 322-0785.

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The Prince Georges County States Attorney's Office announced recently that States Attorney Alexander Williams will host a reception for Governor William

est.

belt Hilton and Towers on Tuesday, September 8 at 6 p.m. Governor Schaeffer will make a special trip to Prince Georges County for the occasion to meet and get to know the people of the County up close. He will speak informally to an audience of 500 County business and community

leaders on topics of local inter-

Donald Schaeffer at the Green-

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At Reception in Greenbelt

Drug Users Support Group Held at Laurel Hospital

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"Hugs Not Drugs." People who have a drug problem and want help can call the Narcotics Anonymous Hotline 731-7221. Narcotics Anonymous support group meetings are held at Greater Laurel Beltsville Hospital every Monday, Thursday and Friday evenings at 8 p.m. on a walk-in basis. For further information, contact the Marketing Office at the hospital during regular business hours: 497-7914.



WITH IRENE"

A Letter to the Citizens of Greenbelt

Of all the important issues facing the new City Council, two of the most pressing are the hazardous Kenilworth/Greenbelt Rd. interchange and the proposed Kenilworth extension. I would like to take this opportunity to restate my views on these issues and to clarify some of their wider implications. In facing these problems, we must not lose sight of the big picture.

The County is pushing for the extension of Kenilworth mainly because it would serve as part of the Intercounty Connector (ICC). Though promoted as a solution to traffic congestion, the ICC would in fact funnel Rockville traffic directly into the Greenbelt-Laurel corridor. It should be obvious that this would have a severe impact on the Beltsville Agricultural Research Center (BARC), not to mention Greenbelt itself. The City Council must devote as much energy as possible to preventing the extension. If elected, I would make this a high priority.

The poorly designed and hazardous Kenilworth/Greenbelt Rd. interchange has implications far beyond the obvious danger of driving through it (in the past several weeks, there have been no less that three accidents - one-fourth the total number of accidents in the entire previous year!). Since the prevailing design favors Kenilworth over Greenbelt Rd., the interchange does not serve its primary purpose, to relieve Greenbelt Rd. traffic. but instead makes Kenilworth a main artery for out-of-town, or transient, traffic. This momentum makes it that much harder for us to fight the proposed Kenilworth extension.

Furthermore, southbound motorists from the Beltsville area, afraid to go through the intersection, might detour through old Greenbelt along Crescent Rd. I have heard that people are already doing this. If the ICC gets hooked up, we could end up with Rockville Pike traffic on Crescent Rd. The interchange has therefore made it even more urgent to prevent the Kenilworth extension

All of the candidates, both challengers and incumbents, have expressed outrage at the deplorable job that the State Highway Administration (SHA) has done on the interchange. However, several important questions must be asked:

1. Why weren't Greenbelt citizens kept adequately informed of the City Council's discussions with the SHA, in which our preferred design was dropped?

2. Why wasn't the City staff's expertise fully utilized in carefully examining the plans for the interchange and anticipating possible hazards? Warning bells should have gone off when they saw that awful five-lane exit ramp from southbound Kenilworth onto Greenbelt Rd.

S. Most importantly, why was an attitude of passive resig-nation adopted towards this vitally important issue that would adversely affect Greenbelt residents each and every day?

We can blame the highway department, and rightfully so. However, it remains the responsibility of the Greenbelt City Council to anticipate such problems and to use every means at its disposal to prevent them, especially involving the people. Unfortunately, this was not adequately done in the case of the interchange. The power of the people cannot be brought to bear if they don't know what's going on.

As an active citizen, I have often mobilized people to conquer problems facing Greenbelt. I helped found Citizens for Greenbelt in 1979 to fight the proposed rezoning of Parcels 3 and 4. I was in the forefront of the movement to free our savings from Community Savings & Loan. I was a leader in Save Our Community, a group that successfully fought the placing of Eleanor Roosevelt High School in Old Greenbelt. If elected, citizens can be confi-dent that I would continue this tradition and keep them fully informed and involved in all the issues.

I look forward to the opportunity to serve you in a dedicated and determined manner. Thank you, and don't forget to vote on September 15!

by authority of Treaurer

DEPOSIT PAYABLE BY CREDIT CARD A Winthrop Property Management By Lerner Corporation DIRECTIONS: Beltway Exit 23, Kenilworth Ave., W. 1/2 mile to Edmonston Rd., right on Edmonston. Follow signs to rental of-IRENE HENSEL LEVER 8A

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Fossett & Brugger

Dean Armstrong has been appointed as the first director of Development Services of the Law firm of Fossett Brugger, Chartered. Dean Armstrong and Fossett & Brugger share a vision of the Baltimore-Washington-Annapolis triangle as an internationally recognized showcase for quality and planning and development," said George A. Brugger, a founding partner of Fossett & Brugger.

As Principal Development Coordinator for the Maryland-National Capital Park & Planning Commission's Prince Georges County Planning Department from 1979 until July 3, 1987, Armstrong coordinated interagency review of subdivision applications, formulated department recommendations and presented applications to the Planning Board. Armstrong was a consultant and city planner for five years in California prior to his work in Prince Georges County. He has a Master's degree in planning and urban studies from Michigan University.

Fossett & Bruger, Charter-ed, founded in 1975, is a twenty-person law firm which specializes in zoning and commercial real estate work. This firm represents a number of commercial developments in Prince Georges and adjacent counties, including Capital Office Park, the Greenbelt Hilton, Commerce Center, Greenbrook, Woodstream, Greenbriar, Windsor Green and others.

Olinger Named Division Manager

Greenhorne & O'Mara, Inc., a national multidisciplinary engineering consulting firm, recently named Lawrence W. Olinger, P.E. as Division Manager for Business Research at the corporate headquarters in Greenbelt. He had 20 years of experience as president of Apogee Research, Inc. and Wapora, Inc. and spent 10 years with the Environmental Protection Agency. Olinger holds a Masters of

Science in Sanitary Engineering from the Georgia Institute of Technology and a B.S. in Civil Engineering from the City College of New York.

Business

Leases Announced

Thomas Long, vice president of Leasing for Coakley & Williams, Inc. announces the following transactions for the Maryland Trade Center I Office Building: Video Entertainment, 1142 sq. ft., Richard A. Jones, 538 sq. ft., TAC/TEMPS, 1,064 sq. ft., Boe-ing Computer Services, 2,170 sq. ft., and Advent Systems, Inc. expanded to 5,994 sq. ft.

Capital Office Park Leases Announced

Community Realty Co. Inc., the exclusive management and leasing agent for Capital Office Park in Greenbelt announces the following lease transactions, totaling over 30,000 sq. ft. of commercial office space:

Comnet Corp. 13,080 sq. ft.; Joseph, Greenwald & Laake, P.A., 11,901 sq. ft.; Systar, Inc. 2,630 sq. ft.; VMS Realty Partners 2,211 sq. ft.; and Old Stone Credit Corp. 953 sq. ft.

Franklin Investments, 4.386 sq. ft. Bldg. No. 4, CRC broker; Stephens Engineering, 7,254 sq. ft. Bldg. No. 1, Carey Winston bro-ker; Goodfriend Temporaries, ker; Inc., Bldg. No. 5, 1,966 sq. ft., Coldwell Banker broker, and NASA/Goddard 8,382 sq. ft., Bldg. No. 1, CRC broker.

Ace Surgical, Inc. has leased 1,067 sq. ft. at 6411 Ivy Lane. Milton D. Jernigan II has leased 3,015 sq. ft. at 6404 Ivy Lane. Winchester Homes, MD Land Development Division, has leased 4,320 sq. ft. at 6301 Ivy Lane. Hess and Lim has leased 2,263 sq. ft. at 6301 Ivy Lane.

Vogel Adopts a Tree

The Mark Vogel Company contributed \$300 to the Adopt-A-Tree program. The company is developing the property near Doctor's Hospital at the end of Hanover Parkway.



Branch Manager Named for EBM

GREENBELT NEWS REVIEW

Joseph Rollek has been named as the Washington Branch Manager for Eastern Business Machines located in Capital Office Park. Prior to his appointment, Rollek was the Eastern Region-al District Manager for Honeywell, Inc.

EBM, which specializes in the service and design of computer and typing systems, is an authorized IBM & Xerox typewriter dealer.

Porter Sullivan Honors Top Agents

Porter Sullivan Corporation, a subsidiary of International American Homes, Inc., recently gave top awards to the following sales managers and associates for exceeding their sales goals during a ten-week period ending in July:

Jan Logan, sales manager, Sherri Rodine, associate sales manager, and Erika Boyd, sales assistant, for \$2.7 million in volume and 20 sales at Greenbrook Townes in Greenbelt.

Sarah Daniello, sales manager Greenbrook single family homes in Greenbelt, for \$2.5 million in volume and 14 sales.

Top Realty Awards

Joyce Roper of the Greenbelt/ College Park office of Shannon & Luchs Realtors, Residential Sales Division, recently won three top company awards-Top Volume, Top Lister and Top Producerfor the second quarter of 1987. She received her awards at a luncheon for over 600 sales associates and employees held in Mc-Lean, Va. on July 22.

Development Hires Project Manager

Rory S. Coakley, Director of Development for Coakley & Williams Inc. has announced the transfer of Robert K. Wangel as Project Manager. Wangel comes to the Development Division after one year as a Project Manager in the Construction Division.

Prior to joining Coakley & Williams, Wangel was employed with various architectural firms including CHK Architects & Planners and Diversified Engi-neering, Additionally, Wangel has worked with a design/build team as well as on his own as an architect/builder of elite custom contemporary homes throughout the Potomac and Washington Metropolitan area.

Wangel received his architectural degree from the University of Maryland and brings with him 10 years of architectural design and construction experience.

named Vice President/Group Asset Manager at Oxford Management Company, Inc., a division of Oxford Development Enterprises, Inc. located in Greenbelt's Golden Triangle. Initially he will be responsible for the management of eight multi-family properties totaling 2,500 units in the Mid-Atlantic Region.

Smillie previously served as Area Director for Holtzman and Silverman in Farmington Hills, Michigan and as Associate Vice President/Regional Manager for R & B Enterprises in Houston, Texas. He holds a Bachelor of Science Degree in Education from Northern Michigan University and a Masters Degree in Community Education and Administration from Eastern Michigan University.

Lease Announced

Southmark Mortgage Corporation has leased 6,500 sq. ft. in the Oxford Development Building on the Golden Triangle.

Speakers on Real Estate Available

Prince Georges County Board of Realtors Public Affairs Committee has organized a Speakers Bureau as a public service. Any service club, civic association, Parent / Teacher Association or others seeking a speaker for their meeting/program may utilize the service.

A speaker can present almost any aspect of real estate interest -investment property, finance, appraisals, zoning, buying or selling or the role of a realtor. There is no charge for the speaker's services. Call 350-7700 for further information.

Labor Day **Family** Picnic

at the **AMERICAN LEGION POST 136**

MONDAY, SEPTEMBER 7, 1987 1:00 p.m. - 6:00 p.m. FOOD

PICNIC AREA PRICES ONLY

BEER COKE HOT DOGS HAMBURGERS POTATO SALAD COLE SLAW BAKED BEANS WATERMELON SLICE CORN ON THE COB

CHICKEN BOX LUNCH (BOX LUNCH COMPLETE WITH POTATO SALAD, COLE SLAW, ROLL & BUTTER)

ENTERTAINMENT-DJ 1pm to 6pm OUTSIDE 6pm to 10pm DANCING INSIDE LAWN GAMES FOR EVERYONE ARMY/NAVY TUG OF WAR PUDDING DROP FREE FOR CHILDREN PONY RIDES HOT DOGS WATERMELON FRUIT DRINKS





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Thursday, September 3, 1987

Greenbelt Grab Bag

by Punchin' Judy For some time now, I haven't thought it necessary to set my alarm clock. There is a whole contingent of birds who seem to feel it their duty to awaken me around six a.m.

First of all, there is the one who does corny Cary Grant imitations. "Judy, Judy, Judy," he intones, in what I could swear is a Hollywood-British accent.

Next we have the opera buff. "Figaro, Figaro, Tigaro." Very classy, of course, but who needs it first thing in the morning?

Another feathered friend, or possibly fiend, takes a different approach. "Jupiter," he trills. "Jupiter, wheee!"

"Jupiter, wheee!" One winged waker has a simpler message. "Cheap," he insists. "Cheap, cheap!" I think he could be an Isuzu saleman. It might be better not to take his word for it.

No doubt I should be thankful that I have not yet heard a raven croaking "Nevermore." but even Edgar A. Poe might be depressed by my avian doorster who keeps mourning, "Woe, Woe."

As I said at the outset, I hadn't thought it necessary to set my alarm clock. Until the other day, that is. I had an important appointment, at nine o'clock in the morning. That must have been the morning that all the birds flew north or south, or wherever they wander off to. As you have probably noticed. I don't know

Tentative Agenda

Advisory Planning Board Meeting

Wednesday, September 9, 1987 8:00 p.m. - Youth Center

- 1. Call to Order
- Approval of Agenda
 Consideration of ZMA A-9672 and A-9673 - Greenbelt Campus Limited Partnership, Requesting Rezoning from the R-R to R-55 and C-O (Magnolia Farms)

NOTE: This is a tentative agenda-subject to change.

Like a good neighbor, State Far m is there.

See me for car, home, life and health insurance.

Don W. Taulelle, clu 8951 Edmonston Rd. Greenbelt, Md. 20770





that much about birds, although I can easily recognize robins and blue jays and even mockingbirds, which try to fool me by sounding like some other bird.

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Anyway, that fateful morning I didn't bother to set my clock, counting on the usual cacophony to rattle me awake. You guessed it: not a peep, not a chirp, and of course I overslept.

The next morning, when I could easily have slept in for at least another hour the ding-a-

GHI NOTES

Don't forget the "Open House" in the GHI Board Room after the Labor Day Parade (until 4 p.m.). Souvenirs and refreshments for all. See GHI ad.

The GHI Board meeting will be held on September 10. Members are invited,

lings were back in full voice. It must be a conspiracy. Where is Alfred Hitchcock when I need him? **Greenbelt Connection**

Because of the Labor Day Holiday, there will NOT be Greenbelt Connection service on LABOR DAY, MON-DAY, SEPTEMBER 7, 1987.

Regular service will be available on Sunday, September 6, and again on Tuesday, September 8, 1987

LEADERSHIP ED PUTENS

In any political campaign, the voters are evaluating not only the candidates' views on the issues, but also the candidates themselves. Candidates are thus almost obliged to discuss their "leadership", which some do with more modesty than others. This year there has been more contention about what Council members have or have not accomplished, individually or collectively. So let's have some straight talk about leadership.

The Greenbelt leadership tradition. First of all, leadership in Greenbelt is democratic in the broadest sense directed toward reaching a consensus on courses of action - not only within the Council, but also within the community. Therefore, it must also be cooperative, with five elected leaders of different personalities working together as a team, sharing ideas, and compromising differing viewpoints when necessary. One test of leadership in Greenbelt is the Council member's commitment to this cooperative process. Part of my job is working with the other four people you elect. No member of Council can accomplish anything by him/herself.

In Greenbelt, the Council must also be **responsive** to be effective. This is because much of the leadership comes from the community. This is a citizen-action city in which many talented people supporting many civic causes seek the Council's support. The North End Center and Museum are recent examples. In Greenbelt, a good Council member does a lot of listening. Finally, leadership must be **forward-looking** and creative... The next problem quickly fades the memory of today's success. Public opinion does not allow us to rest on our laurels.

Leadership and dissent. No matter how much the Council accomplishes, some will say it can do better. This may seem unfair at times, but constructive dissatisfaction has its good points too. It keeps us honest, and striving to do more. Besides, many of those who criticize something are themselves the initiators of the solution. A citizen with a better idea is the best critic of all. Those who have constructively criticized have given me the incentive and desire to work harder, to go forward more quickly, and to achieve better end results.

There has been some dissatisfaction expressed about recent Council actions, though less with what was decided than with how soon or by what process it was decided. I complained myself about the process by which the City conducted the bond issue referendum. To keep things in perspective, however, let's keep our accomplishments in mind too. The City has made a lot of progress since the last election, on matters large and small. Moreover, to keep up with growing citizen initiatives, the Council held 80 meetings in 1986 alone. In 1987, this number will be higher still. Add to this the monthly committee meetings we attend as ex-officio members, plus other meetings outside the City. In short, Council members are in meetings one day out of every four. We also continue to add new staff, to help the City Manager and the various City departments to keep up with demands for improved services. The workload for both Council and staff is growing enormously.

Leadership priorities. Can we do better? I think we can, but holding even more Council meetings is not the answer. Instead, we need better ways of managing our enormous and growing responsibilities.

- 1. Put priority projects on a fast-track timetable that will get them completed in the shortest feasible time. Those priorities should include Roosevelt Center, North End Center, Schrom Hills Park, and establishment of a senior citizen program. This may also mean streamlined coordination arrangements among Council, staff, committees and others that will avoid delays. We should also be willing to authorize additional help to the City Manager so that implementation of priority projects does not overwhelm staff resources.
- 2. Make early decisions on funding and implementation of important projects discussed in the strategic planning process but not funded through the \$6 million bond issue money. These other proposed projects are important. Potential projects on which decisions are needed include: remodeling of the Municipal Building, Youth Center addition; what to do about the old swimming pool bath house; acquisition of unused County school sites; improvements at Attick Park, including Greenbelt Lake; an athletics complex at the Northway fields, and completion of the Perimeter Trail for biking and hiking.
- 3. Rely more on our committees. I have already proposed to broaden the scope of our Crime Prevention Committee, and to create a Task Force on Senior Citizens. Such task forces, perhaps with staff and/or Council participation, could also be used to expedite priority projects. Moreover, the Council should avoid holding work sessions on matters which could be referred to an appropriate committee instead.

In our impatience for progress and results, however, we cannot change the consensus-oriented, cooperative, responsive, and forward-looking leadership style which defines the Greenbelt leadership tradition. This City must continue to conduct its business with respect for the dignity and talents of everyone involved.

A personal request. Elected positions are merely occupied by their incumbents. They belong to the people. For six years you have entrusted me with one of your five elected positions. I have made a personal commitment to the City and the many wonderful people who live in it. I have been a forthright advocate on some things, but have worked within the Greenbelt leadership tradition. We have accomplished much together. Many more things remain to be done, as I have outlined over the past few weeks. With that in mind, I request your support on September 15.





Authority: Kevin Wheatley, Treasurer

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CITY NOTES

Blythe Catlin. the city's new Administrative Assistant. began work August 26 in the city manager's office.

Blythe, originally from Wayland, Massachusetts, comes to Greenbelt with a Master's degree in Public Administration from American University. She worked for a year and a half for the City of Rockville, where she started as an intern and moved up to the budget analyst position.

J. Paul Williams, the assistant director of public works, has returned to work on a part time basis and worked parts of three days of the past week. Welcome back, Paul.

The re-construction project on Hillside and Eastway is now underway and progressing rapidly. The contractor is NZI. Curbs have been installed on both streets.

The horticulturist is building planting structures on the Southway island. These structures are being built in an effort to protect the plants from weather deicing problems.

The general and special details crews worked together this week on the expansion of the Public Works Yard and installation of three new street lights in the west parking lot. Members of the crews assisted with regular and special trash collections and with the operation of the Greenbelt Connection.

The special details crew foreman assisted with construction of the 50th Anniversary Float and met with the Labor Day Festival Committee Chairman regarding festival plans.

The parks crew worked on ballfields and golf course mainte-nance and repaired equipment in the playgrounds. Street landscaping work was done in various areas of the city.

William McClay resigned from his position with the Parks Department to move to Johnson City, Tennessee.



Dr. Ray Vidal

Why are check ups necessary with dentures?

Dentures, either full or partial, are an artificial replace-ment for lost teeth. They are a poor substitute for natural teeth and do not function in the same way.

Following tooth loss, there is an immediate shrinkage of the bone and gum tissue. Shrinkage continues slowly and steadily over the years while the shape of the denture remains the same. A point is reached where the fit is neither healthy nor functionally correct.

Periodic examination by your dentist is absolutely necessary to determine when dentures must be refitted or replaced.

Besides the discomfort and loss of chewing ability ill-fitting dentures can be a potential cause of oral cancer.

Beltway Plaza 7910 Cherrywood Lane Greenbelt, Md. 20770 Phone 474-2080 TDD/Voice

Police Blotter Based on Information

Released by the Greenbelt Police Department

About 4:30 p.m., August 24 a man who later proved to be under the influence of the drug P-CP attacked a female lifeguard at a swimming pool in the 6900 of Hanover Parkway, block where he grabbed her and tried to drag her off with him. She was able to break free and called police. When Sgt. John Lann tried to arrest the drug-crazed man he fought the officers violently but was finally subdued. The suspect, a 42-year-old nonresident, was charged with kidnapping, battery, assault on an officer and reisting arrest. He was held on \$15,000 bond.

Sgt. John Lann, responding to a complaint about 8:45 p.m., August 22 that there was a naked za Mall, found a 24-year-old man who proved to be under the influence of PCP. Sgt. Lann committed him to Prince Georges General Hospital for emergency

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psychiatric evaluation. A 26-year-old woman sitting on a bench in an open area in the 5800 block of Cherrywood Lane about 3:20 p.m., August 23 was robbed by two teenage boys who came up behind her, grabbed her purse and ran. A citizen who saw them with the purse caught them and recovered it. A short time later, based on a description provided by the citizen, Cpl. Chris Field found the suspects, two 14-year-old non-resident juveniles at the Roosevelt Center in the 100 block of Centerway. They were arrested and held at Boys' Village in Cheltenham.

A patron at the Super Fresh supermarket at Beltway Plaza

man in public near Beltway Pla-reported her wallet stolen from her purse about 4:50 p.m., August She had left the purse in the 22. cart while shopping and did not see the wallet taken.

> The battery and all four tires were stolen August 23 from a disabled Ford Escort parked in the 7300 block of Kenilworth Ave. A Sony Trinitron television

was reported stolen over the weekend of August 23-24 from an office suite in the 7400 block of Greenway Center Drive.

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Theft from and vandalism to autos were reported in the 500 block of Crescent Road, the 8000 block of Mandan Road, the 6900 block of Hanover Parkway, the 7500 block of Greenway Ctr. Dr.





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Weekend Festival Offers Fantastic Variety

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available on Saturday and Sunday from 1-5 p.m., when unlimited rides will be possible for one low price. Coupons will also be available for this special. A raffle for free ride tickets will be conducted from 1-5 p.m. at the information tables near Sovran Bank. The Greenway Center Merchants will hold a raffle for a shopping spree. Chances will be available at the Labor Day Festival information booth.

Booths this year will feature food, games, crafts and items for sale. Sample activities include children's painting, soccer ball kick, zoo dip, guessing game, peace pursuit game, bingo, animal lotto, ring toss, hoop toss, and other games. Items for sale include tee-shirts, tote-bags, postcards, flags, used books and the Greenbelt group photo. Order blanks will be available for the pictorial history of Greenbelt. One unusual and helpful booth activity is the ident-a-kid program available at the crime prevention committee booth. On Sunday, the Roosevelt High School Raiders will hold a flea market and crafts show on the Center Green.

Food to suit everyone's taste will be available each day. Main dishes include tacos, chili, sausage sandwich, hot dogs, pizza, hamburgers, barbeque, and oriental spring rolls. Snacks and side dishes include pretzels, french fries, mushrooms, onion rings, cole slaw and baked beans. For dessert, there are funnel cake, sno-cones, caramel apples, Hawaiian shaved ice and strawberry daiguiries. There will also be two special events on Monday after the Parade. The Greenbelt Community Church will again sponsor the luncheon on the lawn. Greenbelt Homes (GHI) will hold a tea at GHI offices.

Workers and Information

The Salute to Americans at Work on Sunday from 2-4 p.m. is in recognition of the reason for the holiday weekend. Familiar faces will be Willis Gault showing how to make violins, Daniel Boone showing blacksmithing and the Greenbelt Recreation Department. A new feature will be a NASCAR stock car. Joe Cudmore, who is sponsored by H. P. Kidd Oil Company and Chaney Enterprises, will tell people what it's like to drive on a racetrack. Other demonstrations will be of skin-care,

home.

LEONARD WALLACE

quilting and spinning.

Information tables will be set up at the grassy area near Sovran Bank from 1-5 p.m. on Saturday. This will give community groups a chance to tell fair-goers about their activities. Greenbelt Homes, Inc. will have a slide show. Other participating organizations consist of Mellon Bank, the League of Women Voters, the Prince Georges Peace / Justice Caucus, the Democratic Socialists of America and the National Association of Retired Federal Employees.

Stage Events

Many outstanding and wellknown acts will appear on the Festival stage. One well-known performer is Christian the Magician. Leon Morris and Associates will play bluegrass music and Capital Offense will play rhythm and blues. Favorites from past years, Sandra Dancers, the Bob Brown Puppets and singers Iris Hirsh and Diane Perry will be back. Other acts feature juggling, tightrope walking, squaredancing and gentle contemporary music.

Miss Greenbelt Pageant

There will be many lovely girls participating in the 1987 Miss Greenbelt Pageant. On Saturday evening, the contestants will present a talent show. The climax of the Pageant is Sunday evening when the new Miss Greenbelt is crowned. A special feature for this 50th anniversary year is the reunion of past Miss Greenbelts. Former Miss Greenbelts from as far away as Alaska and as nearby as next door are expected to appear at the Miss Greenbelt Pageant. They will be introduced Sunday evening.

Children's Events

The children's Pet Show will be held on Saturday morning. Registration begins at 10 a.m. in the Center School/Library grassy area and judging will take place immediately afterwards. Dogs must have proof of rabies shots and must be leashed. There will be prizes for the handsomest, most unusual, funniest, most talented, etc. In honor of the 50th anniversary, an award will be given to the oldest pet.

The library book van, to be parked near Center School, will be the scene of a story hour at 2 p.m.

Special Contests

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fee. Why pay a commission when you can sell it yourself and SAVE!

Special Contests for children and also adults includes the old standby, the diaper derby. There will also be a toddler bean bag toss and a balloon breaking contest. Seniors are issued a special invitation this year to participate in the egg toss and to demonstrate games from 50 years ago. Children aged 9-12 will be able to decorate a birthday cake for Greenbelt. Special contests will begin at 2 p.m. Saturday at the grassy area by the post office.

Exhibitions and Shows

The Photo Exhibition and Competition will feature 60 pictures by 25 area photographers of all ages. This year's subjects include nature, portraiture, sports and Greenbelt scenes. Photographers will have their works on display Saturday, Sunday and Monday in the Utopia Theater lobby. Awards will be given on Sunday evening.

Artists of all ages will display an endless variety of works in the annual Art Show at the Municipal Building. Art Show awards on Sunday evening will include an award for the work best demonstrating the theme "Americans at Work." An award will also be given to the "Community Favorite," determined by the votes of those visiting the Art Show.

Parade

The route for the annual Labor Day Parade will be different from that used in recent years. The route for Monday's parade will go straight down Crescent Road from Greenbelt to Southway. This route will be used in order to have more large floats in the parade. Large floats have been unable to participate before because of the difficulty of negotiating corners at the intersections of the previous routes. Civic groups, invited dignitaries, majorettes, bands, floats, clowns, fire engines, antique cars, decorated bikes and trikes and more will pass by the parade reviewing stand across from Roosevelt Mall.

Among others, the Greenbelt Marching Kazoo Band will be frolicking through this year's parade. The irreverent and immature are invited to participate. Wacky costume is mandatory, but playing the kazoo is not. Kazooers will meet in the St. Hugh's parking lot at 9:30 on Labor Day. Call 474-0490 for details.

The Outstanding Citizen of 1987 will be the Parade Marshal. The Parade Chair promises a spectacular show and maybe a few surprises.

982-0044

Free Rides

Free rides are being offered courtesy of the city's bus sernumber (982-0368) Greenbelters "The Greenbelt Connecvice, tion" and Capitol Cadillac. The Greenbelt Woman's Club will answer the information phone. By calling the Festival information number 9(82-0368) Greenbelters can arrange to be picked up anywhere within the city limits and driven to the Festival. The service will be available from 7:00-10:30 p.m. on Friday, from 1-10:30 p.m. on Saturday and Sunday and from 1-6 p.m. on Monday. In addition, rides to the parade are available for those who make arrangements before Monday morning. By going to the Festival information booth, people can also arrange a ride home.

The weekend should be a perfect opportunity for Greenbelters to carry out the Festival theme of "Unity through Community Involvement." Many weeks of planning have already gone into the event by the Labor Day Festival volunteers, who put on the biggest event of its kind in the State of Maryland.

Senegalese To Visit In County This Week

Prince Georges County Executive Parris N. Glendening released the tentative itinerary of a 21-member delegation visiting Prince Georges County from the Ziquinchor region of the Senegal, West Africa during the week of September 2-9. Ziquinchor and Prince Georges County have established a Sister-County relationship for educational, cultural and economic exchange.

Tuesday, September 8 has been declared "Ziquinchor Day" in Prince Georges County. "Such special relationships help us celebrate the wonderful hetercgeneity that is the great strength of Prince Georges County," Glendening stated recently. The official signing ceremony is planned for Wednesday, September 9 at 10 a.m. at the Greenbelt Hilton.

The delegation will visit a variety of sites to experience as many aspects of life in the County as possible during their stay. Since Ziquinchor is primarily an agricultural area, they will make a visit to the Beltsville Agricultural Research Center. Also on the itinerary are a County Council session and a visit to Eleanor Roosevelt High School.



Greenbelt Labor Day Festival 1987 * **** * * SCHEDULE OF EVENTS * * * * * *



Ride the FREE Festival Bus Call Festival information, 982-0368.

Cveryone 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 thirty-three 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 businesses 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 CHAIRPERSONS AND VALUABLE HELPERS

Rena Hull, President Ethelyn Bishop, Vice Pres. & Facilities Bob & Louise Kramer, Treasurers Bobbi McCarthy, Secretary Marsha Voigt, Entertainment Leta Mach, Publicity Richard Semler, Parade Ken Voigt, Sound Susan Breon, Talent Show Jean Cook, Salute to Workers Sandy Smith, Pet Show Mary Ann Baker, Special Contests

Terry Kepler, Lynn Lubey, Art Show Jim Parker, Photo Exhibition Cheri Gainor, Miss Greenbelt Pageant J Davis, Carnival Tom Renahan, Outstanding Citizen Linda Parker, Donations Wayne Williams, Historian

Mary Moien, Opening Ceremonies

George Rogala, Recreation Dept. Liaison Steve Hooper, Stage Manager

All events unless otherwise noted, will take place at the Greenbelt Shopping Center beside the Municipal Building. IN CASE OF RAIN, STAGE EVENTS 6:30-7:30 p.m. HOME RUN DERBY Braden Field #2. Best of 10 swings. WILL BE MOVED TO THE GREENBELT UTOPIA THEATRE. No advanced registration is required unless stated. Please note: NO ALCOHOLIC 7-8 p.m. ROVING CLOWN & TICKET CHANCES 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 4

- 10-11:30 a.m. 'OLD TIMERS' EXHIBITION SOFTBALL GAME Braden Field #2. Greenbelt Senior All-Stars play local area team.
 - Sponsor: Greenbelt Rec. Dept.
- 10:30 a.m. 12:30 p.m. SENIOR CITIZENS SWIM PARTY Municipal Swimming Pool. Sponsor: Greenbelt Rec. Dept. Coordinator Rose Haber.
- 1-8:15 p.m. GREENBELT MUNICIPAL SWIMMING POOL Open to the public for recreational swimming.
- Daylight hours. LIBRARY VAN STORYTELLING
- Center School Area. Hours & details will be posted at the Friends of the Greenbelt Library carnival booth. 5 p.m. PING PONG TOURNAMENT Greenbelt Youth Center. Open to everyone 12 yrs. & over. Sponsor:
- Greenbelt Rec. Dept. 5-9 p.m. ART SHOW ENTRIES ACCEPTED
- Municipal Center. Pre-registration required.
- 6-9 P.M. PHOTO EXHIBIT ENTRIES ACCEPTED
- Utopia Theater. Pre-registration required.
- 6-11 p.m. CARNIVAL MIDWAY OPEN

Rosedale Amusement Co. Games, food, sale & information booths organized & operated by Greenbelt organizations. Special Ident-A-Kid program available at the Crime Prevention booth. Booths constructed & wired by' Greenbelt Public Works Dept. Carnival area Chair: J Davis. Ticketsall rides \$1.00. \$6 unlimited rides from 1-5 Sat. & Sun. (look for coupons for \$1 off unlimited ride fare).

SATURDAY - September 5

8 a.m.-5 p.m. VOLKSMARCH

10 kilometer marked trail through Greenbelt starting and finishing at the Greenbriar Park Picnic Area. Pre-register or register from 8 a.m.-2 p.m. at the statring point. Walk is free; Medals available upon completion of walking trail if walker has paid registration fee.

- 9 a.m. LABOR DAY TENNIS TOURNAMENT Braden Field Court #1. Pre-registration required. Competition in Men's 12 noon - 8 p.m. PHOTO EXHIBIT AND COMPETITION & Women's Singles, Doubles & Mixed Doubles. Co-sponsors: Greenbelt
- Rec. Dept. & Greenbelt Tennis Association. 9 a.m. - 8 p.m. MAYOR'S ANNUAL LABOR DAY SLOW-PITCH TOURNAMENT

Men's Leagues, 2 divisions. Top area teams; first class competition. Braden Field #2 and Northway Fields #1-2. Pre-registration required. Sponsor: Greenbelt Rec. Dept.

- 9:30 a.m. RICHARD "REDS" ROLAND MEMORIAL HORSESHOE TOURNAMENT
- Braden Field Courts. Registration 9:30 a.m. Competition begins at 10 a.m. Sponsor: Greenbelt Rec. Dept.
- 10 a.m.-12 noon TENTH ANNUAL BIG WHEELS ROADCROSS Centerway Road in front of the Youth Center. Must register between 2 p.m. GOLF CONTEST - CLOSEST TO THE FLAG 10-10:30 a.m. Events include Slalom, Downhill & Best Decorated. Age Braden Field Baristration between 2,2120 divisions are Tiny Tot (2-3 yrs.), Pee Wee (4-5 yrs.), Midget (6 yrs.)
- Sponsor: Greenbelt Rec. Dept. 10 a.m. - 8:15 p.m. GREENBELT MUNICIPAL SWIMMING POOL Open to the public for recreational swimming.
- 10 a.m. 18th ANNUAL CHILDREN'S PET SHOW Center School/Library Lawn. Registration at 10 a.m. Judging promptly
- afterwards. All kinds, sizes, types of pets. Winners chosen in many categories. Pets must have proof of rabies shots & must be leashed or caged

(as appropriate). Adults are requested to stay outside enclosed area except when child cannot control animal. Chair: Sandy Smith.

Daylight Hours. LIBRARY VAN STORYTELLING ee entry for Friday.

- 12 noon 2 p.m. GYMNASTICS EXHIBITION
- Braden Field. Freelance. No experience necessary. Trampoline, Balance Beam, & floor exercise. Try your skills. Open to 3 years & older, Sponsor: Greenbelt Rec. Dept.
- Utopia Theater Lobby.
- 1-2 p.m. STUDIO OF KARATE Stage. Demonstration.
- 1-5 p.m. INFORMATION PLEASE
- Grassy area near Sovran Bank. Community groups will operate information tables about their activities. Raffle for ride tickets.
- 1-6 p.m. ART SHOW Municipal Bldg., 2nd floor. Results of the morning's judging will be available
- 1-10:30 p.m. FREE FESTIVAL BUS RUNS 982-0368

1-11 p.m. CARNIVAL MIDWAY OPEN

- Braden Field. Registration between 2-2:30 p.m. Junior, intermediate, senior, adult competition. Sponsor: Greenbelt Rec. Dept.
- 2-2:30 p.m. JUGGLING INSANITY
- Stage. Juggling by Mike Kushla. 2:30-4 p.m. TALENT SHOW
- Stage. Youngsters 18 yrs. and under. Chair: Susan Breon. 2-4 p.m. SPECIAL CONTESTS
 - Grassy area near post office. Register 10 min. before each event. Youth

- Braden Field #2. Best of 10 swings. Guys-275 ft. Gals-240 ft.)smallball.) Sponsor: Greenbelt Rec. Dept.
- Notlim the Clown will greet children.
 - Youngsters will hand out chances for free carnival tickets to be drawn during Opening Ceremonies.
- 7-10:30 p.m. FREE FESTIVAL BUS RUNS 982-0368
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OPENING CEREMONIES

7-7:45 p.m. GREENBELT CONCERT BAND under the direction of John DelHomme.

Roosevelt Center Mall 7:50-8:15 p.m. INTRODUCTION OF CITY OFFICIALS & FESTI-VAL STEERING COMMITTEE.

- Presentation of OUTSTANDING CITIZEN award in honor of "Pop" Cipriano, Introduction of former Outstanding Citizens. Drawing for FREE RIDE TICKETS. Carnival Stage.
- Opening Ceremonies Chair: Mary Moien.

nonononononononon 7:30 p.m. DAVID R. S. CRAIG MEMORIAL SOFTBALL GAME

Braden Field #2. Softball game in memory of former Recreation Department employee David R. S. Craig. Sponsor: Greenbelt Rec. Dept. 8:15-9 p.m. PRESENTATION OF MISS GREENBELT CONTEST-

- ANTS & MISS GREENBELT, 1986
- Niki Buemi. Stage. Tribute to Greenbelt's 50th Anniversary. Introduction of girls. Modeling competiton. Chair: Cheri Gainor.
- 8:30-10 p.m. RECEPTION FOR PAST OUTSTANDING CITIZENS Center School. Public invited.
- 9 p.m.-12 a.m. STREET DANCE. LAZY RIVER DIXIELAND JASS BAND

Stage area. Free, open to all ages. Nostalgic tunes from the 30's to the present.

	in case of rain. Prizes and ribbons	awarded in each event. Chair:
Mary A	nn Baker. Time approximate.	
TIME	EVENT	AGES
2:00	Diaper Derby	Crawlers
2:20	Bean Bag Toss	2-4 yrs.
2:40	Balloon Bust	5-7 yrs.
3:00	Limbo Walk	8-10 yrs.
3:20	Happy Birthday Greenbelt	9-12 yrs.
	Cake Decorating	
3:40	Stilts Race	the state of the s
4:00	Egg Toss & Demonstration	Senior Citizens
	of Old-Time Games	
p.m. Sk	ATEBOARD COMPETITION	
	lt Youth Center rebound wall. Free	estyle. Two-minute time limit.
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p.m. SL	AM DUNK COMPETITION	

Center School playground. Best of 3 dunks. Height and creativity will

- be scored by judges. Sponsor: Greenbelt Rec. Dept.
- 5-6 p.m. SAHARA DANCERS
- Stage. Exciting Middle Eastern dances. 6-7:15 p.m. FOOLS' PROOF FOLLIES
- Stage. Tightrope walking mania.
- 7:15-9 p.m. PRESENTATION -- MISS GREENBELT CONTESTANTS
- 6-10 p.m. HOT AIR BALLOON
 - Braden Field. Free rides.
- Stage. Talent show and slide show of events contestants participated in. 9 p.m.-12 a.m. STREET DANCE. CAPITOL OFFENSE
 - Stage area, Free, open to all ages. Rock & Roll; Rhythm & Blues. Cosponsors: KAVA Teen Club & Greenbelt Labor Day Festival Committee.

SUNDAY - September 6

8 a.m. GREAT GREENBELT FESTIVAL BIKE RIDE (65 miles)

Start at lower municipal parking lot. Potomac Peddlers Touring club.

8 a.m. VOLKSMARCH

See entry for 8 a.m. Saturday.

- 9 a.m. 6 p.m. LABOR DAY TENNIS TOURNAMENT Continuation of matches. See entry for 9 a.m. Saturday.
- 9 a.m. 8 p.m. MAYOR'S ANNUAL LABOR DAY SLOW-PITCH TOURNAMENT

Continuation of double elimination tournament... See entry for 9 a.m. Saturday.

9:30 a.m. HORSESHOE TOURNAMENT - DOUBLES

Braden Field Courts. Age limit 16 & over. No fee. Registration between 9-10 a.m. Competition begins at 10 a.m. Sponsor: Greenbelt Rec. Dept.

10 a.m.-4 p.m. FLEA MARKET & CRAFTS

Center School Green. Eleanor Roosevelt High School Raiders Club. Daylight Hours, LIBRARY VAN STORYTELLING

See entry for Friday.

- 10 a.m. 8:15 p.m. MUNICIPAL SWIMMING POOL Open to the public for recreational swimming.
- 12 noon SOCCER SHOOT-OUT
- 2 noon 8 p.m. PHOTO EXHIBIT AND COMPETITION
- Utopia Theater Lobby.

1-8 p.m. ART SHOW

- Municipal Building. Art works must be picked up by 8 p.m.
- 1-10:30 p.m. FREE FESTIVAL BUS RUNS 982-0368

1-11 p.m. CARNIVAL MIDWAY OPEN

MONDAY - September 7

- 9 a.m. 2 p.m. LABOR DAY TENNIS TOURNAMENT FINALS Championship matches. Braden Field Courts #1-2. Singles, 9 a.m.; Doubles, 10:30 a.m.; Mixed Doubles, 12 noon. Time changes possible if there are rain delays. Sponsors: Greenbelt Rec. Dept. & Greenbelt Tennis Association.
- 9 a.m. 7 p.m. MAYOR'S LABOR DAY SLOW-PITCH FINALS Braden Field #2. See entry for 9 a.m. Saturday. Sponsor: Greenbelt Rec. Dept

- 10 a.m. 8:15 p.m. MUNICIPAL SWIMMING POOL Open to the public for recreational swimming on last day of the season. 12 noon-3 p.m. PHOTO EXHIBITION AND COMPETITION
- Utopia Theater Lobby Daylight Hours, LIBRARY STORYTELLING VAN See entry for Friday.

12 noon-12:45 p.m. DIAMOND WHEELS

Stage. Squaredancing demonstration.

12:45-3 p.m. RAY OWEN Stage. Gentle contemporary music.

1-4 p.m. TEA

GHI offices. Free refreshments. 1-5 p.m. FREE FESTIVAL BUS RUNS - 982-0368

2 p.m. TREASURE HUNT

Starts at Youth Center. Child & adult versions. Clues lead participants to various locations in Greenbelt, ultimately to a special prize. Transportation is necessary for adult hunt.



Occupations. NASCAR Stock Car and Driver — Joe Cudmore, Violin Making - Willis Gault, Skin Care & Make-up - Sarah Nickel, Quilting - Alice Skarda, Spinning - Cynthia Logsdon, Blacksmitthing - Daniel Soone, Greenbelt Recreation Dept.

Youth Center in case of rain. Chair: Jean Cook.

2-5 p.m. LEON MORRIS

Stage. Bluegrass music.

3:30-4:30 p.m. BASEBALL SPEED PITCHING CONTEST

Braden Field #1. Must register before 4 p.m. Speed will be monitored by the City of Greenbelt Police Department radar gun. Best of three pitches. Open to Guys & Gals. Age divisions: junior, intermediate, senior, & adult. Sponsors: Greenbelt Rec. Dept. & Greenbelt Police Dept.

Braden Field. Come test your shooting skill. Participants will be divided 5 p.m. REGISTRATION FOR FOOT RACES – 21st ANNUAL LABOR DAY RACE LABOR DAY RACE

Register at Youth Center. Entry fee: \$1.00. Awards to all finishers; races held rain or shine. Races begin on Braden Field near Tennis Courts. 9-9:15 p.m. TALENT SHOW HIGHLIGHTS Sponsor: Greenbelt Rec. Dept., Prince George's Running Club, & D. C. Roadrunners. Coordinator: Larry Noel, Sr.

6 p.m. RUN FOR YOUR LIFE 3 KILOMETER RACE (1.75 MILES) Course around lake. Open to all.

6 p.m. 15 KILOMETER FOOT RACE (9.3 MILES) Athletic Congress certified through Beltsville Agricultural Research Center.

5-5:15 p.m. AWARDS FOR ART SHOW, PHOTO EXHIBIT &

DECORATED BOOTHS

Stage: Art show chairs: Terry Kepler & Lynn Lubey. Photo Exhibit chair: Jim Parker. Carnival chair: J Davis.

5:15-5:30 p.m. SAFETY AWARDS

Stage. Presentation of crime prevention awards by Police Chief Craze.

5:30-6:30 p.m. CLOWNING AROUND Stage. Bob Brown Puppet Show

6:30-7:15 p.m. CHRISTIAN THE MAGICIAN Stage. Tricks to mystify the entire family.

7:15-9:30 p.m. 32nd ANNUAL MISS GREENBELT

PAGEANT & CROWNING



Gina Alfaro, Lisa Byrd, Michelle Lee, Lori Martin,

Melody Morris, Dawn Parish, Faith Palmerton.

Cathy Reese, Johanna Sacra.

Guest appearance of former Miss Greenbelt's.

Stage. The best of the Talent Show while awaiting the results from the Miss Greenbelt judges.

9:30 p.m.-12 a.m. STREET DANCE. CACTUS Stage. Country rock.

After Parade – CARNIVAL MIDWAY OPEN

After Parade – LUNCHEON ON THE LAWN

1:30-2 p.m. PARADE TROPHIES PRESENTED

10 a.m. LABOR DAY PARADE



Outstanding Citizen of 1987. Parade Marshall: Ronald Mc-Donald. M.C. Honored guests include Senator Paul Sarbanes; Congressman Steny Hoyer; Comptroller Louis Goldstein; Delegates Charles Ryan, Joan Pitkin, and Mary Conroy; Coun-

Grand Marshall: Greenbelt's Leo Green; State

Executive Parris Glendening; County Councilman Richard Castaldi; Mayor Gil Weidenfeld; City Council Members Toni Bram, Joe Isaacs, Edward Putens & Tom White. Greenbelt Police Escort: Chief James Craze; Miss Greenbelt 1987 & her court, Miss Greenbelt 1986, Parade of former Miss Greenbelt's. Floats & marching groups: Westshoremen Drum & Bugle Corps; Naval Sea Cadets Majorettes and Cheerleaders, Blackthorn Stick Irish Dancers, Smokey the Bear, Klown Club, Markland Medieval Mercenary Militia, Greenbelt Nursery School, Washington Post, City of Greenbelt, Greenbelt Clergy, a Large Train, Decorated Bikes and Trikes, Fire Engines & Antique Cars, Much More!

PARADE ROUTE: Assembly at Crescent and Greenhill; down Crescent to Southway.

Reviewing stand on Crescent opposite the Roosevelt Center Mall. Communications - P.G. wireless. Chair: Richard Semler.



Corner of Crescent & Hillside. Sponsor: Greenbelt Community Church.



Stage.

3-6 p.m. DIXIE GRASS

Stage. Bluegrass music.

GREENBELT NEWS REVIEW

Thursday, September 3, 1987

Adult Day Care Center

Greenbelt and Beltsville.

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Adds Service to Greenbelt

Club, Adult Day Care Center located at 3515 Campus Drive in College Park, has expanded its transportation area to include

A new 1987 Dodge Maxi-van equipped with a wheelchair lift and six foot tall walk-in ceiling

for maximum comfort has been

Health, recreation, counseling,

and social activities for adults

aged 55 and older are scheduled

Monday through Friday from 8:30 a.m. to 4:30 p.m. Persons

experiencing health conditions such as Alzheimer's disease,

stroke, vision or hearing loss,

changes associated with aging, or

isolation are invited to apply. A

hot noon meal and nutritious

snacks are served daily. Cost is

determined on a sliding scale fee.

Dan Rojcewicz, director, at 422-

High School Reunions

Upcoming high school reunions

in the area are: Andover '77,

Friday, September 11, contact

Debbie Flaig Hall 301-292-7882

evenings and Bethesda Chevy

Chase '37, Saturday, September

12. contact Ann Thomas Tenny

For further information call

University Fellowship

Springhill Lake Pharmacy Celebrates Twentieth Year

by Dorrie Bates

A little over twenty years ago, Alan Berger was working as a pharmacist for Upjohn Pharmaceuticals. Then he got a phone call from an old Air Force buddy. There was a new shopping center under construction, perhaps just the place for a small business. Berger was interested - and on July 1, 1967, the Springhill Lake Pharmacy opened its doors.

Back then the store was part of a small center with a Giant supermarket, dry cleaners, pizza carry-out and beauty parlor. The supermarket is gone now, changed into a training center. And while there may be fewer baby carriages around, according to Berger, there's still a sense of neighborhood as one walks past the groups of children playing outside on a summer's evening.

Inside there seems to be something for everyone. Magazines, cards, sunglasses, toys—each aisle holds a different department. Towards the back there's a grocery section, lined with dairy cases.

A young mother stops to chat. The pharmacist seems to know everyone and that's the way he wants it. Over the years, he's seen a lot of people come and go. Now yesterday's children bring in the next generation.

The pharmacy world has changed in the past two decades. Berger says that insurance companies are playing a larger role than ever before, as are big corporations like Peoples and Drug Fair. Still, "There will always be a place in this world for people who want fair prices, super service and a personal relationship with the pharmacist," he notes.

The pharmacy's business has grown in 20 years, mostly through referrals. Many of the 5.700 regular customers are older, relying on the delivery service for their medicine or ordering from a list of grocery items also available. Berger calls it a one-man operation, although there are now 14 regular store employees.

While the store demands much of his time. Berger finds a way to pursue personal interests and be involved in the Greenbelt community. He helps with a team at Eleanor Roosevelt and donates the notary fees he collects to the American Cancer Society. A serious voice student, he has performed at Greenbelt's Utopia Theater in a trio called "Judy, Doc and Andy." He's Doc. He's also married and has two children.

The Springhill Lake complex is undergoing major renovations —getting a whole new look. But as long as Alan Berger is around. inside the pharmacy there will always be someone to call who knows his customers' names.

Recreation Review

Co-recreational volleyball is played at the Greenbelt Center Elementary School Gymnasium. Play is from 8:30-10:30 p.m. on Monday evenings. Everyone 16 years of age and over is welcome.

Women's Flag Football

The Greenbelt Women's Flag Football League is open to all teams on a first-come, first-serve basis with priority going to resident teams. Play will begin Sunday, September 13. For further fee and league information. call the business office at 474-6878.

CARES

Judith (Judye) Hering began work with Greenbelt CARES as a half time vocation/educational counsellor. She will specialize in developing and running a vocational program and will also maintain the tutoring and G.E.D. programs. She and her husband, Howard, and their two daughters, Stacie and Sharon reside in Silver Spring.

Paul Fischetti chaired a meeting of the executive committee of the Human Services Coalition in Greenbelt last Thursday.



Pharmacist Alan Berger celebrates 20 years in the samelocation in Springhill Lake.—photo by J. Henson



CHERNIKOFF FOR COUNCIL

KEITH CHERNIKOFF has established a solid record as a civic leader who cares about our community, knows the issues, and works hard for all the citizens of Greenbelt.

As a lifelong area resident, graduate of DuVal High School and the University of Maryland, and current member of GHI, he has shown a sincere commitment to our community.

- KEITH is a member of the Greenbelt Park and Recreation Advisory Board, serving as Chair since 1984.
- KEITH founded Citizens for the North End Center (CNEC).



- KEITH served first as Vice President and then as President of Citizens for Greenbelt, Inc.
- ✓ KEITH was recently elected to the Nominations and Elections Committee of GHI.
- KEITH has been a member of the Eleanor and Franklin Roosevelt Democratic Club for 5 years and has served in a variety of offices.
- ✓ KEITH was a member of Citizens for the Bond Issue in 1985.
- KEITH was twice appointed to the Governor's Youth Advisory Council and served on its Executive Board.

Leadership . . . Integrity . . . and Commitment

By Authority of Candidate

Pool, Police Station Contractors Selected, Bids Exceed Estimates

by Mavis Fletcher

The Greenbelt City Council, at a special meeting on August 31, designated the lowest bidder for construction of the police station and awarded the contract for renovation of the outdoor pool. Both bids exceeded the estimated price for these projects. The council tentatively set the date for awarding the police station contract for September 29.

Edmar Construction Co., Inc. submitted a base bid of \$1,745,-000 which did not include the garage. This was bid separately at \$105,000. Giese said that he had become convinced that the police department needs the building for securing automobile evidence and not necessarily as a "garage." Therefore, he proposed negotiating with the construction firm to build a shell in order to hold down the cost overrun.

Giese's estimate for the total cost of the facility, including a five percent contingency fund, architect's fees, \$90,000 in communications, telephone and security equipment and furnishings is \$2,107,000. This is \$232,000 or about 12.4% above the estimate allowed for the police station in the bond issue priorities.

Eleven bids were received for construction of the facility. Giese noted in his report to the council that the two low bids were separated by only \$9000 and four bids were separated by less than five per cent. "There is every indication that the city is obtaining the best price possible in today's market." he concluded. Mayor pro tem Thomas X. White made the motion to designate the low bidder and the motion passed unanimously.

Outdoor Pool Renovation Only two bids were received for the renovation of the outdoor pool. The low bidder was Olympic Pools with a base bid of \$424,50C. Giese noted that this figure is almost 25% over the architect's preliminary estimate. In addition, Giese recommended that certain amenities be added: a Wavetek Raindrop Umbrella (\$10,500), an ornamental device that provides a spray for swimmers to play under, and anchors for racing diving platforms (\$805) in case they are needed for swim teams in the future. With these additions and a few minor deletions, the total bid price was \$434,405.

The council raised questions about a wading pool and were finally convinced that plans included the continual presence of a wading pool although not in its present location and probably at additional cost. To make sure, Council member Antoinette M. Bram made a formal motion to mandate that a location for the wading pool will be decided on. The motion passed unanimously. Some questions were also raised

about the zero bottom or beach end at the shallow end of the pool, Bram suggested that the float rope which is planned as a demarcation of the 18" depth for small children be replaced with a solid barrier. Pool architect David Almy of Sullivan & Almy, Inc., however, indicated that experience shows that small children adapt to the gradual slope as they do to the slope of a natural beach. He also pointed out that there will be a lifeguard stationed right at the beach end so that the small children will have more protection than they do in many wading pools which

do not have a lifeguard.

White raised objections to awarding the contract on the grounds that the council had authorized design of the pool in haste, and that there had been no public hearing on the design which would "clear up any uncertainties the public has about the pool."

It became evident that if any major changes were made to the design (which is already being reviewed by county and state health authorities) as a result of a public hearing, construction might be delayed so that the pool would not be open by next spring. In reply to a question, Almy said that he envisions no problem with opposed.

At the Library

On Wednesday, September 9, there will be Happy Ears: A Read-Aloud Program for ages 8-11 from 4 to 4:45 p.m.

Also on Wednesday, the Evening Book Discussion starts A Touch of Humor, a series of three programs, with a discussion of Anne Tyler's Accidental Tourist at 7:30 p.m.

On Thursday. September 10, there will be Drop-In Storytime for ages 3-5 from 10:30 to 11 a.m.

completion by Memorial Day 1988 if construction can start as soon as the pool closes after Labor Day.

Council member Joseph Isaacs moved to award the contract to Olympic Pools and Council member Edward Putens seconded. When the vote came the motion was passed 4 to 1, with White mosed

Toastmasters International Meets at Springhill Lake

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Spring Speakers, a Toastmasters Club which meets in Springhill Lake, has been established to give the community easy access to the world of public speaking. The club meets the second and fourth Tuesday of every month in the Community Room directly above the Springhill Lake Pharmacy.

Spring Speakers is always ready to welcome new members. Members set their own pace for giving speeches and developing effective speaking techniques.

People interested in joining or just finding out more about Toastmasters, please contact Marvin Holmes at 982-2883 (w) or 345-6596 (h), or come to one of the meetings as a guest.



Architect's drawing of the southwest elevation of the new police building as seen from Crescent Road. The building will be built on a strip of land bounded by Crescent and Ridge Roads and Kenilworth Avenue at the point where Crescent runs into Kenilworth Avenue. The building will front on Ridge Road and access to the building will be from that road. (Drawing courtesy of Grimm and Parker Architects)



Mayor Weidenfeld's response to a question about the new intersection at Kenilworth Avenue and Greenbelt Road — asked at Canidates Night, August 27, 1987.

"This intersection is a confusing mess.

"I have requested a public meeting on this intersection and have written to two State Highway Administration (SHA) officials. I described to them the problem areas of the intersection and asked them to be present in Greenbelt for a public meeting on September 28.

"We need to tell these State Highway officials that this intersection is a confusing, hazardous mess. We will have to say this in very strong terms. We want them to feel the heat so they will see the light.

"We don't want a demolition derby in Greenbelt and we demand a safe intersection. And we will need the support of our citizens at this meeting to convince the State Highway Administration that we mean business."

WEIDENFELD'S LEADERSHIP IS NEEDED IN GREENBELT

By authority of Bernina L. McGee, Treasurer

ERA, Nyman Realty, Inc. Properties available for inspection. A) GREENBELT: 3BR, EXTRA LARGE BRICK T/H, CLOSE to everything, many-xtras. 202,200 B) GREENBELT: JUST USTAD: 250, REMODELED BATH, kitchen. Rear deck 3550 GREENBELT: JUST STED: (3B) END BRICK. COM-PLETELY upgraded, 5800 C) D) GREENBELT: JUST LISTED: 2BR, END UNIT, REMOD-ELED with barn wood paneling, refinished floors, and new kitchen, shown by appointment only. \$48,900. E) GREENBELT: 3 STORY, 4BR, 21/2 BATH, THOROUGHLY UPgraded. Florida Room addition w/Jacuzzi, landscaped, 1-year warranty program. Just reduced \$107,900 NEW CARROLLTON 2BR SECURITY CONDO, RENT OPTION \$630 or rent to by No lown payment, gov't financing \$52,900 G) RIVERDALE: 3BR. STONEHOME, FIREPLACE, 1/2 ACRE, RENT option available. All financing options. \$76,900 H) GLENN DALE: RANCH ESTATE, OVER 1 ACRE, 3 or 4 BR's, 2Bath Rancher, 2 Car garage with 2nd floor storage Hobby Shop Building, fully equipped kitchen, rec-room, family room, 17'x40' inground swimming pool. Country living in Suburbia. Shown by appointment only. \$163,0005

"Rick" Barber, GRI, CRS

NOTES FOR THE WEEK: GREENBELT HOMEOWNERS!! WE'RE MOVING OUR PROPERTIES SO FAST THAT WE NEED MORE HOMES TO SHOW OUR BACKLOG OF BUYERS!! IF YOU'RE THINKING OF MOVING UP OR OUT PLEASE CALL YOUR COMMUN-ITY BASED REALTOR WITH OVER 10 YEARS OF AWARD WINNING SERVICE FOR A NO OBLIGATION CONSULTA-TION.

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Seniors to Play in State Softball Championship

by Jerry Conway The Greenbelt Seniors Co-ed softball Team defeated the Forest Glen Seniors. Montgomery County's top team in a four inning, twelve player, bat around game at Braden Field by a score of 17-11 on August 19.

Larry Noel and Burt Kerr each scored a homerun. In the bottom of the fourth inning, Jerry's homerun line drive against the fence in right field struck the right fielder on the head as he attempted to catch the ball. He broke his glasses and bruised his nose while the hitter ran the bases. The Greenbelt Seniors who performed this winning game were as fellows: Ken Keeney, Tony Durantine, Tom McArdle, Larry Noel, Burt Kerr, Bill Grennon, Jim McGann, Al Geiger, Jerry Conway, Art Endres, Ken Knorr, Harvey Geller, Manny Silvern, Eloise Wakeman, Kathy Knorr, Andy Feeney and Mike Burchick.

On August 20 at Braden Field the Greenbelt Co-ed Seniors defeated Southern Prince Georges County Co-ed Seniors by a score of 20-5 in a five inning 12 player bat around batter in this game. Burt Kerr scored two homeruns as last batter in this game. During the game our infield scored five double plays with two double plays in the first in-ning, and all team players participated well.

The Maryland State Senior Citi-Slow Pitch Co-ed Softball zen series is scheduled for September 9 and maybe September 10. There will be eleven teams competing for this championship, and the Greenbelt Seniors Co-ed Softball Team is busily engaged in chal-lenging games with the top competitors who will enter this series.

On September 2 at 10 Greenbelt's Seniors were to play the Seniors. As part of he Olney Labor Day Festival, we will play the Forest Glen Seniors on Friday at 10 a.m. on Braden Field. We are putting forth a joyful ef-fort to improve our fielding and batting skills in order that we score a victory to add to the ex-citement of Greenbelt's 50th anniversary. We hope to have all of the Senior Co-ed Softball Team players participate to achieve this goal.



Remember car hops of the '50s? The Springhill Lake Teen Club will bring those memories up to date by serving sodas at the Auto Show. Featured here are Robert Heim and Lori Byrd getting ready to take your orders on September 26.

SHL to Hold Auto Show

At the Springhill Lake Auto Show on September 26, the oldest and the newest in automobiles will be on display at the Springhill Lake Fountain Lodge from 11 a.m. to 3 p.m. Live music, a strolling barbershop quartet, costumes both old and new and refreshments will be on hand.

Greenbelt and the surrounding community is invited to participate by displaying a car, wearing a costume or selling refreshments. Anyone who would like to participate may call the Springhill Lake "car department" at 474-4555.

Bloodmobile Changes Time

In an effort to make blood donations more convenient for donors, the Prince Georges County Chapter, American Red Cross has changed its collection time schedule. Bloodmobiles will continue to be held at the Chapter the fourth Wednesday of every month. However, the bloodmobile new time will be from 3 to 7 p.m.

Anyone who would like more information about other bloodmobile sites throughout Prince Georges County, or to schedule an appointment to give, please contact Arlen at 853-2555.

ABSENTEE VOTING

ABSENTEE BALLOTS ARE NOW AVAILABLE

AT CITY OFFICES

SECTION 8-4 OF THE GREENBELT CITY CODE PROVIDES THAT ANY QUALIFIED ELECTOR WHO WOULD BE PRE-VENTED FROM VOTING IN A MUNICIPAL ELECTION BY REASON OF RELIGIOUS BELIEFS, PHYSICAL CONDITION. OR ABSENCE FROM THE CITY ON THE DAY OF ELECTION SHALL BE ENTITLED TO VOTE BY ABSENTEE BALLOT.

APPLICATION FOR AN ABSENTEE BALLOT SHALL BE MADE IN WRITING TO THE CITY CLERK, AND THE SIG-NATURE OF EACH PERSON WISHING TO VOTE BY AB-SENTEE BALLOT SHALL BE AFFIXED TO THE APPLICA-TION. SUCH APPLICATION SHALL GIVE THE REASON. AND MUST REACH THE OFFICE OF THE CITY CLERK NO LATER THAN NOON, MONDAY, SEPTEMBER 14. THE COM-PLETED ABSENTEE BALLOT MUST BE RETURNED TO THE CITY CLERK NO LATER THAN 6 P.M. THE DAY OF THE ELECTION, TUESDAY, SEPTEMBER 15.

APPLICATION FORMS ARE AVAILABLE IN THE CITY OF-FICES. PERSONS MAY MAKE APPLICATION AT THE CITY CLERK'S OFFICE AND MAY COMPLETE AN ABSENTEE BALLOT AT THE SAME TIME. PLEASE CALL 474-3870 OR 474-8000 FOR FURTHER INFOR-MATION.

> **GUDRUN H. MILLS,CMC CITY CLERK**

- photo by Allen Bronstein **Special Volunteers Needed** Greater Laurel Beltsville Hospital is in need of volunteers who

can understand and speak a foreign language fluently and are willing to assist non-English speaking patients when hospitalized.

There is also a great need for persons who can "sign" for the deaf and will act as an intermediary for deaf patients and hospital staff.

To volunteer, contact: Ms. Mc-Cuen, Administration, Greater Laurel Beltsville Hospital, 7100 Contee Road, Laurel, Maryland 20707. Telephone during regular business hours (301) 497-7974.

CountyPlanning Board Holds Forum

The Prince Georges County Planning Board will hold a public forum to solicit citizens' input regarding budgeting for planning, parks, and recreation for the fiscal year beginning July 1, 1988. The forum will be held on Thursday, September 10 at 7:30 p.m. in the Prince Georges County ballroom, 2411 Pinebrook Ave-

nue, Landover. Based on the County Govern-ment's action on FY 88 Capital

Improvement Programs, it appears that the CIP for FY 89 will be somewhat limited, and will not include any projects involving major expenditures. However, this is a six-year program, and the Planning Board is still very much interested in hearing comments.

Those interested in making a presentation may obtain further information by calling 952-4314.





as or is currently: Member, Greenbelt City Council

- Appointee, Greenbelt Advisory Planning Board
- Appointee, Greenbelt Park & Recreation
- Advisory Board
- President, Boxwood Civic Association
- Chairman, Save Our (Co-op) Services (S.O.S.) Committee
- · Co-chairperson, Citizens for the Bond Issue
- Director, Greenbelt Arts Center
- Drug Awareness Chairman, Greenbelt Lion's Club

Joe has been recognized widely for outstanding community service and for his knowledge and experience in the health care field:

- 1986 Outstanding Young Marylander
- 1984 Metropolitan Washington Volunteer Activist of the Year
- 1984 Prince Georgian of the Year
- National Jaycees' Outstanding Young Man of America, 1984
- Governing Body Member and Project Review Chairman, Southern Maryland Health Systems Agency, 1982-1985
- Board of Directors, Metropolitan Washington Area Council of Health Planning Agencies, 1984-1985
- Vice Chairman, Metropolitan Washington Council of Governments' Human Services Policy Committee

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standing Graduate." Joe is now the Director of Government Relations for the National Health Council, an association representing 70 of the nation's most respected and influential health organizations. He also is on the faculty of the Department of Health Sciences at the George Washington University School of Medicine.



A PROVEN CHOICE! **TUESDAY, SEPTEMBER 15**

Thursday, September 3, 1987GREENBELT NEWS REVIEWPage 17Two City Advisory Boards to LookInto Drug Education, Enforcement

by Steve Galanis

In its final regular meeting before the election, the city council approved a motion authorizing the Community Relations Advisory Board and the Crime Prevention Committee to study recent efforts by localities such as Rockville and Washington County to deter drug abuse.

Council members Joe Isaacs and Toni Bram advanced the twin notions presented earlier this month by Don Vandrey and Rusty Wallace of Rockville that cities should and could put together a solid drug program.

The motion, called for by Isaacs and endorsed by the whole council, requires the committees to report back to council with recommended actions.

In review of past and present efforts by the city to combat drug abuse in Greenbelt, Isaacs refuted the notion expressed in the city manager's notes that Greenbelt's awareness of the problem "has been constant and ongoing." He characterized past efforts as having lacked the coordinated involvement of the city. He cited the defunct "Stayin Alive" program, which in essence represents the city's involvement at the high school level, as a major failure of a here-to-fore piecemeal approach to the problem. Isaacs said the importance of a city-sponsored drug program lies in its being an outreach to adults and families as well as youth. He said in order for such an outreach to reflect the city's concern for its citizens, it could not be left solely up to the police department and the Crime Prevention Committee.

Bram, like Isaacs, favored the approach used by Rockville last fall, in which the city council directly participated in drug education activities; but unlike Rockville's program which was almost exclusively educational, Bram said Greenbelt's approach should include enforcement.

At the August 24 meeting, the city council also decided to buy two of the three trailers the city is currently leasing. According to city manager James K. Giese, the purchase price of the public

works trailer is only \$900 higher than the projected rental cost. For the small police trailer, the difference between purchase price and rental cost is only slightly higher at \$1,387. The city manager advised the purchase of the trailers because storage space was likely to be needed beyond the terms of the leases. Another advantage, according to Giese was that the resale value of the trailers was greater than the purchase price/rental cost differential. The council will pass a resolution to make the needed budgetary adjustments for the two purchases.

Also at the meeting, council voted to make the first session of the new council on September 21 as part of a larger affair in which the 50th anniversary of the council-manager form of government in Greenbelt will be commemorated and city advisory board members formally recognized. The event will include a catered reception after the swearing-in ceremony. The reception will be open to Greenbelters and will include city council members and candidates plus their invited guests, all city advisory board members, the city's department heads and other key city officials, and elected officials at the county and state level.

Council members speaking in favor of the proposal claimed the swearing-in of a new council was an appropriate time to celebrate Greenbelt's form of government. They also said the expected high attendance of such a reception would provide a suitable opportunity to recognize the people serving on the city's advisory boards.

White, who voted against the proposal, said that advisory board people were unlikely to get proper recognition because attention that evening would go to the newly elected council members. White also said the reception was prone to becoming a private affair in which Greenbelters were excluded.

In a bit of an unusual twist in council business, the case of police corporal Fred Murray was brought once again to the foreground. Murray, who along with the city and former police chief William Lane was once the tar-

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get of a lawsuit filed by Peter Ladnier, sought reimbursement from council for certain legal expenses he incurred on his own during the case. A motion to reimburse Murray for the \$2,895 being sought was tabled for review at a future work session at the request of Mayor Gil Weidenfeld.

In one of the last matters discussed at the meeting, the council decided on modifications to this year's election questionnaire. Along with basic questions to gauge citizen satisfaction with city services, this year's questionnaire will feature a "What's your Beef" question (i.e. complaints and opinions) and a question about citizen satisfaction with city employee contacts. There will also be a question to gauge the response of the citizenry to the city's transit service, the "Greenbelt Connection," and to cable channel B-10 programming.

Sen. Green's Boat Ride

State Senator Leo Greea's 14th annual boat ride will be held Saturday night, September 19, aboard the Harbour Queen, which will depart Annapolis City Dock at 8 p.m. sharp and return at 11 p.m. The event is a fundraiser for constituent services.

For further information or to obtain tickets, please ca¹. Sheila Padgett 262-2871 or Eunice Connors 464-1481.

Page 17 Travel Promotion Fraud Maryland Attorney General J.

Joseph Curran, Jr. has alerted Marylanders to beware of travel package promoters who call consumers and ask for their credit card numbers in order to sell them supposedly low-cost "dream" vacations at U.S. resorts or overseas.

He noted that the Better Business Bureau says that the marketing of bargain or "free" vacations and similar travel promotions linked to discount clubs or resort time-sharing plans are among the fastest-growing consumer frauds in the country and out-of-state promoters are tougher to track down. Most calls apparently have come from California, Texas, Illinois and Florida, according to Rebecca Bowman, director of the Attorney General's Complaint Handling Unit.

Maryland consumers with com-

plaints should call: California, 217-736-2016; Texas, 512-463-2070; Illinois, 217-782-9011, and Florida, 305-377-5619. Bowman also said that consumers who receive calls from a travel package promoter should first check on the background of the firm by calling the American Society of Travel Agents (ASTA) in Alexandria, Va., at 739-2782.

The National Association of Attorneys General (NAAG) and the Federal Trade Commission (FTC) have just established a nationwide, automated data bank to keep track of telemarketing scams and fight them. Consumers who have received calls about travel plans or other questionable telemarketing deals should write: Telephone Fraud, FTC, Washington, D.C. 20580, as well as contact the Consumer Protection Division in his office, Curran said. They should include as much detail as possible in the letter.





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Bring the site plan and subdivision standards applicable to Beltway Plaza up to existing county standards, either through the SMA or specify county legislation

Encourage, demand and insist upon low density residential development for the remaining undeveloped portions of east Greenbelt (Magnolia Farms, Michael T. Rose, etc.)

Support legislation to increase mandatory dedication requirements from 5% to 10%, applicable to commercial subdivisions as well as residential

Support a moratorium on further development until completion of the SMA and availability of adequate public facilities.



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Thomas X. White

Auth: Charles Hatcher, Treas



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Candidates Express Views on Issues

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(Continued from page one) noted that he had played a part in persuading Delegate Charles (Buzz) Ryan to introduce a bill passed by the Maryland legislature which provides a \$1 million pool of grant money for adult day care centers.

Isaacs. running short of time, said there is a long list of additional construction projects which are needed but cost estimates are not available. Bram

Antoinette M. Bram, also an incumbent, took the crime problem as her first topic, saying she would answer the CFG questions in her statement. She said that she is dismayed at the crimes reported each week by the Greenbelt police department. She stated that "we cannot tolerate drug activities in this city." She em-phasized that Greenbelt faces a "complicated mix of urban, suburban and rurai life which must remain in healthful balance . . . There are no simple answers," she said, pointing out that each council decision required "consistent good judgment."

Bram singled out a "lack of autonomy" as the primary problem in the Roosevelt Center. She suggested that "perhaps it is time to explore the eminent domain approach (the power of public governmental bodies like the city to condemn private prop-erty)."

Bram pointed out that it was her suggestion to use \$400,000 of bond money as leverage for matching grant money for North End School renovation. "If we can double that amount from outside sources, we may be well on our way toward a senior citizen day care center and senior activity improvement in the North End." She also counseled prudence in funding and spending before taking on more responsibilities. "The requirement here is careful action, not confrontation," she said.

Bram noted that the city transportation had undergone several changes, such as the use of smaller vehicles to transport smaller numbers of people. She mentioned that the city is now cooperating with the county to develop a linking transit system that will take passengers around the city and to neighboring communities. "This will be set up as a series of linking circles. This expansion of existing service recognizes that the short-distance traveler, from municipality to muncipality, requires the cooperation of all the jurisdictions," she continued. Such ideas which give expanded options to riders merit exploration, she said.

Putens

Edward V. J. Putens, also an incumbent council member, evaluated the Greenbelt Connection as good but needing improvement. He suggested that the business community should be willing to help with some of the costs, since the bus system takes customers to the businesses. He also recommended that the new six-day-aweek operation be given time to ated before changes are made. He said that the council might consider a combination of dial-a-ride, using an auto and a fixed route system with the van. Putens recommended streamlining efforts to revitalize the Roosevelt Center-"putting them on a fast track"-including public hearings and meetings with the owner when the architects' plans are finished. He would like to see those businesses remain which provide a service to the community-the banks and medical offices, for instance. He would

like to see a hardware store, a bookstore and other types of stores, he said—businesses which would bring back the economic viability of the Center but not overburden the parking and streets.

Among possible financing methods, Putens mentioned low-interest historical preservation loans Community Development and Block Grants. However, he said. it is essential to get a commitment from the owner for repairs and maintenance. He also mentioned that cooperative ownership might be feasible-"time to put the Center back where it belongs."

Putens supported full renovation of the North End Center in a phased plan which, he said, needs to be started at once. He did not support additional construction at this time,

As for other projects which might be undertaken, Putens mentioned park improvements, neighborhood playgrounds, Northway Fields, and fitness fields. However, "We need to look at our checkbook," he said.

Chernikoff

Keith Chernikoff, running for a seat on the council for the first time, said that two things make Greenbelt a special placethe commitment of its citizens to the community and the plan-ned concept of the town. He said he was taught as he was growing up that "a variety of people contribute to your becoming a well-rounded person" and "as you grow older you owe this back to the community."

The present council came in for some criticism from Chernikoff. He stated that the most important thing that the next council needs to provide is "leadership on critical issues" to protect the quality of life against intrusions such as traffic and development. He emphasized that the council needs to have "the facts" when they meet with developers, so that the council doesn't "make a suboptimum decision."

Chernikoff said that the city needs a council which can make hard decisions and he called it "sad" that it took 110 weeks to get priorities for spending the money from the bond issue.

Chernikoff said the council needs to "work smarter" on the problem of the Roosevelt Center. We need council leadership,' he said, "to put together an economic package that will make the Center a viable place." He insisted that "we don't know what the economics of the Center are." He said he would like to see predominantly basic retail busi-nesses which provide direct services to the citizens.

In regard to the bond issue, he said that he thinks the council should move diligently in the next year to implement those priorities in the most cost effective manner possible.

Chernikoff emphasized that he had "been pushing the council actively to get them to make the decision" on what kinds of proshould be there. He that the council move ahead in seeking all kinds of grants for the North End Center.

On the issue of transportation, Chernikoff suggested that new ways to meet the transportation needs of the citizens need to be explored, including intracity walking and bicycle paths, and increased ride sharing. He also advocated involving the business community in "possibly a fixed route system which would run to the neighboring commercial centers."

White Thomas X. White, Mayor pro

tempore, characterized the Greenbelt Connection as a "successful experiment" but still an experiment and the "most important factor in its ultimate survival will be ridership." He said he believes that funding will continue to come primarily from city revenue but that ridership revenues may offset some of the cost. He also mentioned county and state grants and participation by the business community. He said that public transportation in the county is "a disgrace." "In a county which touts itself as such a great place to live and work, how come you can't get there from here?" he asked. He answered his own question by saying that the county is "still wedded to an outdated METRO bus system."

On the Roosevelt Center, White said that he would like to see "pretty much what's there now," with the addition of a bakery, hardware store, a variety store, and a family-style cafe, with the banks, post office, the theater and the grocery store remaining. He supported immediate action to renovate the public areas.

White suggested that a special assessment on adjacent commercial property owners might be investigated as a funding source for this rehabilitation. He mentioned the possibility of using city-issued revenue bonds at no cost to the taxpayers to finance renovation. He suggested that it might be citizen involvement that saves the center by citizens' joining with existing co-ops, the merchants' association and the arts center to purchase the buildings. White supported the total rehabilitation of the North End Center for adult and child day care, arts and senior recreation. He said that the center could be in partial use by 1989 if council addresses the matter.

Hensel Challenger Irene Hensel said

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that the Greenbelt Connection is used in door-to-door situations but it doesn't go far enough. She said she had not used the service and could not, in all honesty, evaluate its performance. She said that she had long advocated using a van. When she did some research, she discovered that other nearby cities had gotten federal aid to purchase a van. She supported an expanded schedule on Sunday, perhaps 10 a.m. to 6 p.m. She said she considers "Greenbelt the center of the universe" but she feels "stuck Greenbelt on Sundays and Holidays" and feels that the Greenbelt Connection should make it possible for people to travel on Sunday.

Hensel said that Roosevelt Center-"the heart and soul of the community"-is in "sorry, sorry shape." She insisted that the council must deal effectively with the owner if it wants to do any-thing about it. She cited the leaks in the theater as an example of repair deficiencies. She said she would like to see a bowling alley where there was one formerly and a variety store. She advised public hearings, a survey and an ad in the News Review to involve the citizens in decisions about the Center.

Hensel supported adult education classes in the North End Community Center and other uses such as a senior drop-in center and senior day care. "Let us get on with what needs to be done," she said, "to get the Center operating as soon as possi-ble." She said she would favor additional construction if needed in the future and suggested that the city could look into sources of funding in the meantime.

Hensel said she did not know what additional projects need to be funded but warned that the city should have funding in place for current projects before taking on any more.

Weidenfeld

Mayor Gil Weidenfeld took part of his five minutes to discuss his approach to issues. He said he is a team player who strives

for consensus and tries to get the council to work together. Among his accomplishments, he cited the initiation of the strategic planning process the city is conducting, the institution of the fiveyear budget projection, successful testimony before the county liquor control board that was instrumental in getting denial of a liquor license for a proposed entertainment complex which the city opposed. He also noted that he had represented the city before the county council in ob-taining block grant funds and in an attempt to get the extension of Kenilworth Avenue deleted from the county priority list. He said, "We didn't win but we got a lot of good press coverage on that issue" and he vowed to continue the fight at the state level.

On the specific questions, Weidenfeld said he would evaluate the Greenbelt Connection as good and suggested getting funding support from businesses. He also envisioned increased connections tc METRO rail and Amtrak in the future, noting that these links would be beneficial to the commercial community.

Weidenfeld said he would like to see businesses in the Center which serve the community, such as a family restaurant and others suggested by surveys taken during the charette. He emphasized that the council must "use its influence with the owner of the shopping center" to get businesses which best serve the community. He said citizens should be involved in formulating an action plan for getting such businesses in the Center.

Speaking hurriedly, Weidenfeld said he supports senior, cultural and educational activities at the North End School but was not aware of any proposed additional construction there.

He also said that other public projects (not on the bond priority list approved recently) should also be funded but that it would be premature to estimate how much money he would be willing to spend on them.

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Council Discusses Greenbelt Foundation at Worksession

by Diane Oberg At a worksession on July 20, the Greenbelt City Council discussed Councilmember Antoinette Bram's suggestion

that a "Greenbelt Foundation" be established. Bram said it occurred to her during the search for a museum site that there should be some mechanism where-

by someone could leave a house or other contribution to the city. In addition, she felt such a foundation could also handle developers' contributions made in lieu of dedication of parkland.

The city may have to make an initial contribution, said Bram, and may want to dedicate some revenue source to it, such as the dog impoundment fees.

City Manager James K. Giese said that the Park and Planning Commission has established a structure for people to make dedications to parkland. In addition, he said a foundation was established in the past by the city council with trustees appointed to specific terms. However, he said the foundation was shortwith no reappointments lived made.

Mayor pro tem Thomas X. White said that two of the purposes of that original foundation are secured by other means. The recognition of outstanding citizens is now part of the Labor Day Festival. Individuals who made significant contributions to the city can be memorialized under the city commemorative guidelines (whch govern the dedication of city properties).

Giese noted, however, that part of the purpose of the original foundation was to receive contributions in honor of deceased citizens and that this memorial function has not been provided for elsewhere.

White also cited comments by Bram in an earlier meeting, saying that the foundation could serve as a "central depository" for contributions, replacing the

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repeated requests by a variety of organizations to the same businesses. Council member Edward Putens supported this idea, comparing it to the United Way campaign.

Council member Joseph Isaacs did not see this as a good model, citing discontent with a combined campaign by organizations whose priorities differ from the central organizations. He said that rathor than replacing fund appeals from individual organizations it would likely become another "ask-it."

White saw the purpose of the foundation to be for city sponsored activities rather than as an umbrella organization. He cited the Fiftieth Anniversary weekend, the statue and the New Towns Conference as projects that could have been funded by the foundation. In addition, White said the foundation could be a source of seed money for new organizations. He stressed that this would be in addition to the contributions currently made by the council to city organizations, not a replacement for them.

The council members supported a suggestion by Mayor Gil Weid-enfeld that the Community Relations Advisory Board be requested to review the proposal. Isaacs requested that the question of the foundation's necessity also be reviewed.



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Richard Alan Fulton received his Master of Science Degree in Meteorology from the University of Oklahoma. Congratulations!

An impromptu performance by Erasable. Inc., an improvisation team which has performed at The Greenbelt Art Center, entertained the Springhill Lake crowd recently at Happy Hour on July 30. Residents and guests competed in various contests such as the Olympic Javelin Throw and Discus Toss, as well as a Philosopher Contest in which the contestants were to write their philosophy on "Life" in exactly 10 words.

Alan Amberg, son of Rose and Mat Amberg, 6 Hillside, was awarded the first annual Eleanor E. Sirkis Award for Professional Achievement for his work as the Theater Director of the Jewish Community Center of Greater Washington in Rockville. Amberg credited, according to the is

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"Center News" with rebuilding the theater program after it had been dropped for several years.

Featured in the August Fountain Pen, Springhill Lake's newsletter, was a profile on Joyce Chestnut which states among other things that she is currently the Director of Correspondence Management for Senator Sam Nunn (D. Ga.) where she is responsible for supervising a staff of six correspondents and computer operators as well as handling all the Senator's personnel records. A civic-minded person, her list of community involvements is quite impressive. She is an active member of Greenbelt's 50th Anniversary Committee, Citizens for Greenbelt, Neighborhood Watch, Toastmasters, and co-founder and current president of the Springhill Lake Civic Association.

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