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Work Session on School Options Leads Toward Referendum Decision

by Diane Oberg

Whether and when to hold a bond referendum to finance construction of a community center in the city was one of the options discussed by the Greenbelt City Council at a March 29 worksession.

At its April 3 regular meeting, council directed staff to prepare an ordinance authorizing a three million dollar bond referendum by August 15. (See box.) Details of the April 3 meeting will be reported in next week's News Review.

In September, the county school system must inform the state school board whether it wants to renovate or replace Center School. School officials stated, at a January 10 public meeting, that from an educational standpoint, construction of a new school on the site of the old North End School would be preferable to renovating Center. However, they said that they would take community opinion into consideration.

Council Moves Ahead On School Questions

At the April 3 regular council meeting, council:

- Unanimously approved hiring an architect to evaluate the condition of North End and Center Schools and estimate the cost of renovating each as a community center. The cost of this work is not to exceed \$22,000. Coakley & Williams will be hired to submit a report in about 30 days.
- Unanimously directed the City Manager to develop plans for using each school as a community center, showing specific uses and placements, including those suggested by citizens and city staff. This work is to be completed within 30 days, also.
- On a 4-1 vote, with Councilmember Thomas X. White opposed, directed staff to prepare an ordinance for a three-million dollar bond referendum to be held by August 15. A second question will ask which school should be renovated if the referendum passes.

City staff will contact the school system to determine the feasibility of delaying a decision on the siting of the school until after an August referendum.

Council had planned to create a community center at the North End School, which was obtained by the city in 1985. However, council has never appropriated sufficient funds to create a usable facility. Since the city owns the property, the new school could not be built there without city consent.

Council scheduled the March 29 work session to decide how to determine what to do about the two schools. Mayor Gil Weidenfeld outlined four approaches leading to a solution. The first is to ask the school board to defer the decision for another year. The next three options begin with completion of a fact sheet on the subject, followed by a public meeting. All three would result in a decision this year. The second option would have council make a decision without a citizen vote. Alternately there could be a bond referendum for the renovation of Center School, followed by a decision by council. City Manager James K. Giese's recommendation is that the public meeting be followed by a bond referendum to renovate one of the schools, accom-

Federal Retirees in Md. Unaffected by Tax Case

Maryland State Comptroller Louis L. Goldstein recommends that retired federal employees not file amended state tax returns despite a Supreme Court decision handed down March 28. He said that refund claims based on the *Davis vs. Michigan Department of Treasury* case will be denied because Maryland law does not treat federal and state or local pension income differently.

Maryland income tax offices have been deluged with calls and visits from retirees who had heard they might be eligible for a refund based on the recent decision.

"Obviously, we do not want to see federal retirees spend money to have amended returns prepared for them since those refund requests will be denied," Goldstein said.

State Tax Offices Open Extra Hours

Maryland State Comptroller Louis L. Goldstein said tax offices in Landover and Wheaton will offer extra hours of telephone help Monday, April 10 from 5-7 p.m. The offices will remain open Saturday, April 8 and Saturday, April 15 from 9 a.m.-1 p.m. for both telephone and walk-in assistance. Monday, April 17 the office will be open from 8:30 a.m.-7 p.m.

The statewide toll-free telephone number is 1-800-MD-TAXES. The Landover office can be reached at 459-2710 and the Wheaton office at 949-6030.

panied by an advisory question on which school should be renovated.

Council member Thomas X. White added two options: council can tell the board that the city is not interested in a new school at the North End, or the city could request that the plan for renovating Center be reexamined with consideration given to razing the addition.

A bond referendum could be held in June if council adopted a bond ordinance in early May. Staff will soon submit a draft of the fact sheet to council for comments.

Borrowing Limit

One question raised by both council members and citizens is the city's borrowing limit. Council already plans to borrow one million dollars as mortgage financing for parkland, in addition to the six million dollars in bonds authorized in 1985. Giese says that borrowing more than ten million dollars, total, might jeopardize the city's bond rating. This would not prevent the city from borrowing more, but would see CITY COUNCIL, page 8

WHAT GOES ON

Sun., April 9, 7 p.m. Rudy Adler Jazz Band. Youth Center

Thurs., April 13, 8 p.m. Greenbelt Homes, Inc. Board of Directors, Hamilton Place

Spraying to Begin Soon Against Tent Caterpillars

Last spring, tent caterpillars caused serious damage to crabapple and cherry trees in many areas around the city. This year, the city horticulturist plans to spray where there are signs of infestation. The two areas that will require the most work are the crabapple and cherry trees located in the curbstrips (between the curb and sidewalk) in Boxwood Village and the buffer strip between Edmonston Road and the Beltway ramp in Springhill Lake.

Safer Insecticidal Soap will be used to spray for tent caterpillars. This product is very similar to soaps used for laundry and dish washing. It is specifically formulated for use on plants and has been tested and approved by the EPA. It breaks down quickly in the environment and is very safe for use around humans and animals. Spraying may begin April 6.

Young Riders Needed For St. Jude Bike-a-thon



Last year's St. Jude Children's Research Hospital Bike-A-Thon winner 10-year-old Michelle Kohler is congratulated by Mayor Gil Weidenfeld, sponsor Larry Dean of Proteus Bicycles and coordinator Mary Katherine Rutherford (not pictured: Sponsor Larry Black of College Park Bicycles.)

The annual "Wheels for Life" Bike-a-thon is looking for children 6 years and older to ride for St. Jude Children's Research Hospital. The Bike-a-thon will be held on Saturday, May 6 from 9 a.m. to 2 p.m. in Greenbelt Park.

In Mayor Gil Weidenfeld's words, "It is impressive the way our community has pulled together to share time and resources to help children with cancer." As sponsors, College Park Bicycles and Proteus Bicycle and Fitness Shop have donated many incentive prizes and balloons to insure a day of fun for all participating. Lunch will be donated by McDonald's and Burger King.

The following groups have already committed to ride: Paul

Leddy's Girl Scout Troop 1411, Dea Zugby's Brownie Troop 567, Rena Hull's Brownie Troop 2427, and the Teen Club of Springhill Lake. Other groups and individuals are invited to participate.

St. Jude Children's Research Hospital is the world's leading institute for the study of childhood cancer and other catastrophic diseases striking children. The hospital is open to children meeting the medical requirements without regard to financial status. Over 80% of all monies received by St. Jude comes from public contributions. St. Jude Hospital is non-sectarian, interracial, and not affiliated with any organized religion.

Please call Mary Katherine Rutherford at 441-8172 for details and for sponsor forms.

Woman's Club Reflects On 50 Years of Service

Over the years the Woman's Club of Greenbelt has played an active role in community activities. During World War II, a youth club, called "The Drop Inn," was created by the community - at first in the basement of the recent Nymman Realty building (then the police station and fire hall) and later in the small building near St. Hugh's School that more recently has been occupied by the Jaycees.

During Mrs. George Clark's presidency, 1943-45, the Woman's Club played an important role for the young people by acting as hostesses to oversee evening activities, giving financial aid when possible and helping furnish the building. Later when the new Prince Georges Hospital was opened, the Club was represented on the Board. They also sold bonds to help towards the purchase of a fighter-bomber.

During Mrs. E. Leland Love's presidency, 1949-51, the club started a project to send Care packages abroad and provided welfare help in the Glenn Dale Hospital and gifts for veterans hospitals. The Club also purchased an auditory training unit for the School for the Deaf at Kendall.

During Mrs. Ann McDonald's presidency, 1962-65, she formed First Aid Classes and packages were sent to the Greenbelt boys in Korea. Sewing materials and utensils were also gathered and donated to the General Clay Fund to go overseas. Additional youth activities involved the continued sponsorship of Girl Scout Troop No. 18, sending gifts to retarded children and the beginning of the scholarship for a

Greenbelt girl and money for the American Legion's "Girls State Scholarship" project—both still on-going.

Members were also busy with the Polio Clinic, the Mobile Xray, the Bloodmobile, and a Thanksgiving basket for the needy. A purchase was also made of a silver tea service and banquet cloth. These were used for many years by the Club until recently donated to the City of Greenbelt. A gift of \$250 was also given to the Youth Center to furnish a cloak room.

More recently during the building of a new high school in Greenbelt Mrs. Benefiel sparked the move to name the school for Eleanor Roosevelt. Her daughter, Anna Roosevelt, came to Greenbelt to dedicate a tree on See WOMAN'S CLUB, page 6

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Thursday, April 6, 1989

Smoke-free Schools

To the Editor:

School board member Angelo Castelli has introduced a resolution to ban all smoking in school buildings. In 1984 he got smoking banned for students on school property.

Two Prince Georges County school board members as well as the president of the teachers' union have consistently opposed the smoke-free-schools resolution. The reasons they give are: (1) A similar resolution passed by the Frederick County Board of Education was struck down by the State Department of Education; and (2) their belief that teacher smoking is a union bargaining issue and therefore cannot be decided by the board. All three maintain that they are not opposed to the concept of smoke-free schools.

On March 23 the Prince Georges County School Board had a hearing on smoke-free schools. All speakers were in favor of smoke-free schools. Even the perceived opponents agreed that all smoking should be banned in school buildings. . . . but (the) president of the teachers' union asserted, "If you pass this resolution you will instantaneously

encumber yourself with litigation". The meeting ended with a 6-2 vote to table the resolution.

The county teachers association is under pressure now to provide smoke-free schools. It will be our job to maintain that pressure.

County residents should contact school board members and the president of the county teachers' association to urge them to take the necessary steps to insure that our county public schools will be smoke-free or tobacco-free by September.

Bill Norwood

THANKS

Thanks Greenbelt for the March supply drive for "My Sister's Place." This Washington shelter for abused women and their children is funded primarily by the private sector. The shelter has recently started a subsidized housing program to help the women rebuild their lives.

Your donations totalled over 3,000 items, from clothing and food to beds and office supplies. We filled their storerooms, with overflow going to Florida Avenue Women's Shelter and to House of Ruth. You made our efforts most successful.

Special thanks to Computer Applications Specialists in Beltsville,

DEMOCRATIC CLUB HOSTS MD STATE DELEGATES

The Eleanor & Franklin Roosevelt Democratic Club will hold its regularly scheduled meeting on Friday, April 21 at 8 p.m. at the Greenbriar Community Building in the lower-level Terrace Room.

The program for the April meeting has traditionally been a wrap-up of the current legislative session. This month the club will once again welcome State Senator Leo Green and State Delegates Mary Conroy, Joan Pitkin, and Charles "Buzz" Ryan to describe the activities and final results of the 1989 session.

Club members and non-members are invited to attend.

On Friday evening, April 28, the Roosevelt Democratic Club will sponsor a Theater Party at Petrucci's Dinner Theater in Laurel. The show is, "Anything Goes", a Cole Porter musical. A complete evening including a buffet dinner and show is available to members, guests, and non-members. For ticket prices and reservations, please contact Maggie Piner at 345-6595 or Micki Weidenfeld at 345-2327.

Mellon Bank, Town Center Realty, New Impressions Consignment Shop and Co-op grocery store for their generous donations. Thanks also to my seven kids for hauling these donations (you guys are great), the Gervasi's for their garage, and Lisa Holbert, without whom we'd be buried under a pile of clothing.

Lynn Palmatier

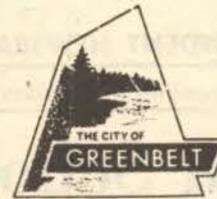
At the Library

Thursday, April 12 Drop-In Storytime 10:30 a.m. ages 3-5.

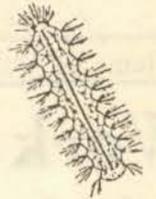
Thursday, April 12 Time for Two's 11:15 a.m. 2-year-olds and parents, attendance limited.

CPR Training

CPR instructors from throughout Maryland will be at ERHS on April 8 from 8 a.m. to 1 p.m. to train citizens to save lives. Sessions will begin every half hour and are free and open to the public.



City of Greenbelt GYPSY MOTH CONTROL PROGRAM BANDING PROGRAM



Repel-M Sticky Bands are NOW available.

One 50' roll will encircle five to seven 24"-round trees

They may be purchased in the Finance Office (first floor Municipal Building)

Monday - Friday

8:00 a.m. - 4:30 p.m.

\$4.00 PER ROLL

Instructions are included

The City encourages all residents to participate in controlling Gypsy Moths in the community.

BANDS SHOULD BE IN PLACE BY APRIL 20.



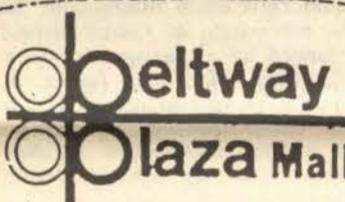
GHI ANNUAL MEMBERSHIP MEETING

May 17, 1989

SCHEDULE OF ANNUAL MEETING DEADLINES

1. To place an item on the agenda by petition (to the Secretary) Midnight, Wednesday April 12
2. Notice of meeting and agenda to be mailed to the membership Between April 27 & May 7
3. Biographies of candidates (to appear in the News Review issue of May 11) Monday, May 1
4. List of prospective candidates from the N&E Committee to the Secretary to be publicly posted Sunday, May 7 by 8 p.m.
5. To appear on the official ballot, all nominations by petition and all written consent-to-serve forms must be in the hands of the Secretary or filed at the Corporation office by 5:00 p.m. Wednesday, May 10
6. *Proxies must be received by the Secretary (by midnight); or at the Corporation office (by close of business) Friday, May 12

* - The Bylaws, Article IV, Section 8c, states, . . . "The official proxy form may be obtained only by a member submitting a written request, over his signature, to the Secretary or to the business office of the Corporation. The form will be sent to the member by mail unless requested in person by the member . . ."



APRIL EVENTS

Northwestern High School
 "HIGH STEPPERS" JAZZ DANCERS
 Center Stage- Saturday, April 8th
 Shows at 7PM & 8PM

First Registration For
 THE NEW BELTWAY PLAZA MALL
 EXERCISE WALKING CLUB
 Near Main Mall Entrance
 Wednesday, April 19th
 8:30AM until 9:30AM
 (Call 422-3300 For Information)

University of Maryland
 Dancers Against Cancer
 JAIL N' BAIL FUND RAISER
 MEET YOUR FAVORITE Q-107
 D.J'S IN PERSON!
 Proceeds Benefit
 The American Cancer Society
 Near Main Mall Entrance
 Thursday, April 27th through
 Saturday, April 29th

Beltway Plaza Mall- Your Place to Shop!
 Beltway Exit 23 to Greenbelt Rd.
 OPEN 7 DAYS PER WEEK
 Monday-Saturday, 10AM-9:30PM
 Sunday, Noon-5PM

Call ADS-1001
 For Store Listings & Mall Events

GHI Seeks to Amend Charter To Allow Charter Amendments

by Mavis Fletcher

A petition signed by 27 members of Greenbelt Homes, Inc. influenced the board of directors at its March 23 meeting to reduce the number of bylaw amendments to be put to a vote at the annual meeting on May 17. The petition, drafted by member Eunice Coxon and presented to the board by Lucille Jacoby, asked that all changes be reviewed by a committee of members before being presented to the membership.

Specifically, the petition singled out the "deletion of a rejected membership applicant's right of appeal; a change in the age limitation for holding office from 21 to 18; possible expansion of the financial instruments in which GHI is allowed to invest; (and) reconsideration of a by-law empowering the membership to propose additional committees" as needing careful scrutiny before action is taken.

The board voted to defer all of the proposed amendments listed in the petition. (The matter of expanding GHI's allowed investment range had been dropped at an earlier meeting.)

Other Bylaw Amendments

The board still had a full evening's work, however, wrestling with other proposed bylaw changes considered important by corporation counsel Marjorie Corwin, of the law firm of Weinberg and Green.

Corwin suggested replacing Article XI of the bylaws with a rewritten provision taking advantage of a 1988 Maryland law providing for the indemnification of directors and employees of corporations in case of liability in connection with their corporate duties. GHI member Mat Amberg, who said he had lost count of how many bylaw committees he had served on, was concerned that the draft did not specify that indemnification would be limited to actions connected with corporate duties and that actions involving willful misconduct were not specifically excluded.

Corwin pointed out (in vain) that Maryland law already placed these limits on indemnification, so that it is not necessary to spell them out in the bylaws. Amberg took the view that the law could be changed in the future to cover actions for which the membership might not want to indemnify its directors and employees. Directors Margaret Hogensen and Ray McCawley suggested that members might be more comfortable with the provision if the limitations were spelled out.

Faced with Amberg's threat to amend the amendment on the floor at the annual meeting, the board instructed Corwin to include the specific limiting language in the substitute article which will be on the agenda on May 17.

GHI Charter Amendment

In order to implement the indemnification article, Corwin said the GHI corporation charter must be amended. To compound the problem, the charter makes no provision for amending it. Therefore, she proposed two charter amendments for the annual meeting. The first would provide for

amending the charter by a two-thirds vote of the members attending the meeting and the second would add language which would put the indemnification article in the bylaws into effect.

Amberg, however, was opposed to allowing the charter to be amended by a mere two-thirds of those present. (Since 75 constitutes a quorum, 50 members could amend the charter.)

In the end, the board adopted the attorney's suggestion that the amendment provision be a one-time process to put in the enabling language for the indemnification bylaw. The amendment provision would expire after that is done.

N & E Bylaw

In addition to the three amendments proposed by the corporation counsel, an amendment sponsored by the Nominations and Elections Committee will be put before the membership. This amendment would allow members to vote for directors and members of the Audit Committee during a recess in or immediately after the membership meeting. In addition, members will continue to be able to vote the next day as usual.

If this amendment passes, it will restore a procedure which was in effect until a few years ago. If passed, the change in voting will go into effect next year, according to N & E Committee member Helen White.

Other Business

Leta Mach, chair of the Audit Committee, announced the resignation of Julian Weiss from that committee. She said that efforts were underway to fill the vacancy.

The board voted unanimously to accept for first reading a proposal by Citizen Remodelers

to install vinyl siding and soffit and fascia trim on four free-standing homes at a cost not to exceed \$11,760.

The board voted to send a letter to the House of Representatives Subcommittee on Interior and Related Agencies supporting the proposed Franklin D. Roosevelt memorial.

The board voted to defer a review of the formula used to compute the maximum allowable sales price under the two-year profit limitation which is in all Mutual Ownership Contracts. Since the hour was advanced and the subject somewhat complicated, the board agreed, on a motion by Director Andrea Haslinger, to review the formula at a later meeting.

The next meeting of the GHI board will be on April 13.

UN Effectiveness Topic Of Gray Panther Meeting

"The UN—Can It Be More Effective?" will be the topic at Gray Panther meeting on Saturday, April 15 at 1:30 p.m. in the Greenbelt Library. Pierre Sales who worked for the United Nations Secretariat in New York, will speak at 2 p.m., following a brief business meeting.

Sales served as the UN's Development Program's representative in Zaire, Vietnam, and Bangladesh. He also served as a foreign service officer for the U.S. Agency for International Development in Africa and Southeast Asia. Following his retirement from the foreign service, he was vice president of a consulting firm in D.C. and is now writing a book and consulting on development matters. The public is invited and free refreshments will be served.

Rabid Raccoon Found

By Renee M. Winsky

Recently a dead raccoon was found in the Boxwood area of Greenbelt. When tested, the animal was found to have rabies.

Although this is an isolated case, the city Animal Warden stresses that residents take certain precautions to protect their pets, family and neighbors against this serious virus.

Pets should be kept in their own yards for their protection and not be allowed to run free.

Cats and dogs that are four months of age or older should be inoculated. If they are not, strict fines can and will be imposed by the Animal Warden.

The County Health Department will conduct two Rabies Clinics in May. The first will be held at High Point H.S. on Lower Hill Road in Beltsville on May 9 from 6 to 8 p.m.; the other at Greenbelt Middle School on May 24 from 6 to 8 p.m. Vaccinations will be given for a minimal fee. For information on these clinics, call the County Health Department at 386-0138.

If a suspicious or dead animal is found, it should not be touched. Call the city Animal Warden immediately at 474-7200.

For further information regarding rabies and the proper care for pets, call the city Animal Warden, Monday through Friday, 8 a.m. to 4 p.m. at 474-7200.

CLOWN AROUND AT SHL

"Clowning Around" is a popular puppet show with a circus theme—complete with marionettes, lots of clowns, dogs and even a trapeze! Discover adventure, drama, fantasy and fun with the Bob Brown Puppets on Wednesday, April 12, 7-8 p.m. at the Springhill Lake Fountain Lodge. There is a small fee.

Let's clown around with Bob Brown Puppets. For more information call 474-4555.

Recreation Review

Spring Concert at Youth Center
The Rudy Adler Jazz Band will perform Sunday, April 9 at 7 p.m. in the Youth Center.

Discount Amusement Park

Tickets

Discount theme park tickets will be available from the Recreation Department beginning April 12. This program benefits the Maryland Recreation and Parks Association's recreation programs. No personal checks.

PG HUMANE SOCIETY INVITES NEW MEMBERS

The SPCA/Humane Society invites new volunteers to attend its monthly meeting on Thursday, April 13, at 7:30 p.m., in conference rooms 3 and 4 in the Largo Student Center at Prince Georges Community College.

For more information call (301) 599-7400.

Attention Prospective Home Buyers

Greenbelt Homes, Inc. (GHI), one of the largest and most established housing cooperatives in the country, is offering brief and informative presentations designed to introduce GHI to you. The presentation will explain what a cooperative is, how GHI operates, what services are provided to GHI members under the monthly charges, and the financing sources which are available. This information will be useful to you whether or not you purchase a GHI home. This is an ideal opportunity for persons who are considering homeownership to learn about GHI and to ask questions in a relaxed atmosphere. Let us introduce you to the cooperative lifestyle BEFORE you look for a home. The next presentations will be held on:

Saturday, April 8 11:00 a.m.

Tuesday, April 18 7:15 p.m.

Please call Louise at 474-4161 for reservations and information. The sessions are free, and there is no obligation.

GREENBELT HOMES, INC.

Hamilton Place
Greenbelt, Maryland 20770



Old Fashioned Rummage Sale

at

Mishkan Torah

(inside - Ridge Road and Westway in Greenbelt, MD)

Sunday, April 9
at 9 a.m. to 5 p.m.

Monday, April 10
"Bag Day" 9 a.m. to 12

THIS IS NOT THE NEW CLOTHING SALE

Household Items - Appliances - Books
Children and Adult Clothing,
Toys - ETC. . . .

Refreshments will be sold

Art Center Members Elect Officers, Hear of Plans for Upcoming Season

by Marie Tousignant

The Greenbelt Arts Center held its tenth annual meeting on March 19 in the City Council chambers. The Treasurer's report showed the Arts Center to be in the black with all bills up to date. Marie Tousignant, acting president, announced that former president Kevin Kneisley had accepted a position in Germany and therefore had resigned.

"This has been a tumultuous year for the Arts Center, with highs and lows, successes and disappointments," said Tousignant in her "State of the Arts Center" report. "Our '88 theater season ended with Agatha Christie's Ten Little Indians which was well attended, but a sad affair, since by then we knew that it would be the last play performed in the Utopia Theater."

"The Arts Center vacated the theater July 1. Furniture and seats are being stored at North End, and the technical equipment is being kept by technician Ken Voigt.

The Summer Repertory Theater, 3 shows directed by Kevin Kneisley, opened in July at Center School, to good reviews. However, with maintenance being done at Center School over the summer and one of the performers dropping out of the cast at the last minute, the run was aborted and not financially successful.

"In January, however, we entered one of the plays, Actors Nightmare, in the Maryland State One Act Play Competition. . . . John Delone won the Best Actor Award and Stan Eisenstein was nominated for Best Supporting Actor. So artistically, the Summer Rep was very successful," said Tousignant.

"Our Children's Workshop with coordinator Dial Silvers and organizer Barbara Simon has been very successful," she said. Robert Rotenberry is teaching the classes which are held throughout the year at the Youth Center and Center School.

Fund raising efforts, under the direction of Gail Voigt included the Labor Day Festival, October flea market and a November cake

sale. In December, the group participated in the Festival of Lights with a Bake Sale & Craft Table. In February they took part in the flea market at the Youth Center.

The Prince Georges Art Council gave the Arts Center a small grant to assist in the "Music in Greenbelt" series of concerts which has featured for 1988-1989 the Turkiewicz Trio Plus One and the Rosebud Musical Theater Co. A Roosevelt Jazz Ensemble concert is scheduled for April 15. The concerts have been well attended and the Arts Center plans to continue the concerts next year.

The City allotted the Arts Center \$10,000 for equipment purchases in this year's budget. The Arts Center purchased a computer and printer. With the balance of the grant the group now hopes to purchase a laser printer and/or some portable lighting equipment.

A new venture this year is the establishment of the Maryland Theater Information Network, MTIN for short, an electronic bulletin board system to link all theater groups in the state, begun by Kevin Kneisley. Start up costs were provided by the telephone and gas companies and Park and Planning. MTIN went on line March 1. Theater groups, on payment of a small fee, can call MTIN and receive updates on performances, auditions and conferences or request help from technicians or production people. Individuals may also join for a smaller fee. Users need an IBM compatible computer and a communications package. "We have also submitted a request to the Maryland State Arts Council for an operating grant for MTIN for

next season," said Tousignant.

This year the Arts Center plans to request funds for production expenses from the city in order to present a play season again in the fall.

"So where do we go from here? First of all, we need a broader base of support," Tousignant pointed out. Lesley Kash, membership chairman, will be working on increasing memberships which have fallen off because of our "dark" play season. She listed other needs: "People to help with grants, with our newsletter . . . and with corporate fundraising. The money is out there. We have to ask for it."

This year's request to the Prince Georges Arts Council will be for assistance with the Children's Drama classes.

"We have to look ahead to where we will house ourselves. Some decisions are not ours to make and will depend on decisions made by the School Board and the City. The Arts Center will support any facility that will provide a home for the Greenbelt Arts Center. We want to perform here in Greenbelt, and we want to expand on what we're doing," Tousignant said.

Following the president's report, the nominating committee presented its recommendations. Marie Tousignant was affirmed as president, and Virginia Zanner as vice president. Newly elected board members include Sid Kastner, Joanne Tucker, Tom Renahan and Gary Kittay.

"Good Neighbors" Has Its Eighth Anniversary

The Springhill Lake Good Neighbor Watch group, winner of the 1988 Governor's Certificate of Merit for Crime Prevention will hold its 8th anniversary on Thursday, April 13, 7:30 p.m. in the SHL Fountain Lodge.

Certificates of training will be presented to all those who attended the training session, conducted by the Greenbelt Police Department.

Speakers will be Sgt. Eric Hull, Department of Corrections, Prince Georges County, and Mary Ann Saar, Director of Operations and Public Safety, Office of the Governor, representing Governor Schaefer.

Honored guests include Mayor Gil Weidenfeld and members of the Greenbelt City Council. Chief of Police James R. Craze and training staff; SHL Management Directors: Lewis Beall and Roman Horton, Linda Schwarten SHL Community Relations Director, Pat Giordano SHL Marketing Department Manager; state and county dignitaries and neighboring watch groups.

An invitation is extended to all residents interested in helping to celebrate this occasion.

CITY NOTES

The City horticulturist crew removed the thorny pyracantha from around the tennis courts at Braden Field and placed sod there.

The crew planted a large Quantas cherry tree in memory of Joseph Gardner.

INDIAN DANCE TROUPE AT PUBLIC PLAYHOUSE

Chitresh Das, one of the West's leading exponents of Kathak dance, will bring his dancers and musicians to the Public Playhouse this month. Kathak dance is one of the six classical dances of India. Full length concert performances will be held on April 14 and 15 at 8 p.m. One-hour narrated performances for schools and daytime organizations will be presented on April 11, 12, and 13 at 10 a.m. and noon. For more information, call 277-1710.

Garden Plots Available

Attention gardeners! The Greenbelt Garden Club has many plots left for use in 1989. Contact garden captains by June 1 to reserve a plot. Call Mac Wirick, 441-3520, for plots across from the GHI office buildings on Hamilton Place. Call Mr. Mikesell, 474-8982, for plots near the Spellman overpass at the top of Gardenway, and call John Voigt, 474-8451, about plots next to the GHI boat yard. There is a small plowing fee.

Baha'i Faith

Concerning the prejudice of race; it is an illusion, a superstition pure and simple! For God created all of one race. There were no differences in the beginning . . . —Baha'i Sacred Writings

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Greenbelt, MD 20770
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10:30 a.m. Holy Eucharist
10:30 a.m. Sunday School
Rev. John G. Bals, Rector
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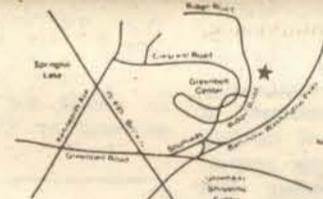
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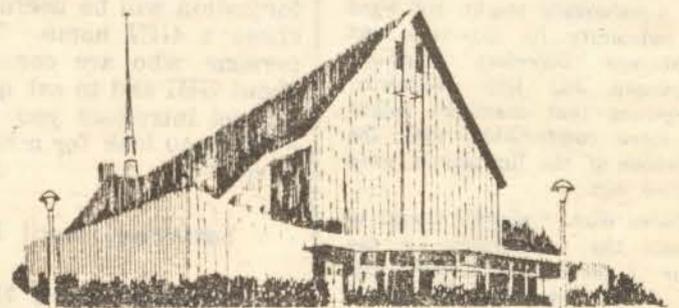
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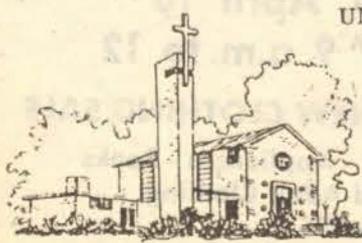
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Our Neighbors

by Dorrie Bates, 345-5961
 Greenbelters are popping up all over these days. Eagle-eyed Larry Noel reports former Northway resident Jim Vanderzon appears on the cover of the March 1989 issue of Washingtonian magazine. Jim is an engineer and part-time model. Larry also reports seeing an ad in the Prince Georges Journal which uses a picture of Gerry Gough of White Birch Court.

Appearing in a different way are the words of Dr. Jerry Dancis of 5 Court Laurel Hill. He wrote an article last year describing a pioneer program at the University of California at Berkeley where students were trained to learn cooperatively with dramatic success. On March 7, Courtland Milloy quoted much of Dr. Dancis' article in his column in The Washington Post.

Neil Harpe of 45 Ridge has been juried into "The Artist and the Sea: Ninth National Exhibit of the American Society of Marine Artists" at the Maryland Historical Society in Baltimore April 1 through August 19.

Harpe is a graduate of both the Corcoran School of Art and the Maryland Institute College of Art and holds an M.F.A. from George Washington University. Perhaps best known for his lighthouse and workboat series and "Lady in the Mist" for the Lady of Maryland Foundation, Harpe is strongly influenced by (though not limited to) the Chesapeake Bay where he was born and bred.

Congratulations to Jenny Searle, a junior anthropology major at the University of

Maryland, who made the Dean's list last semester. Proud parents are Susan and Frank Gervasi of Ridge Road.

Congratulations to Harvard senior point guard and former Greenbelter Mike Gielen who was named to the All Ivy League first team. Gielen, whose basketball career started in Greenbelt's Boys and Girls Club and then on to De Matha High School, was Harvard's first two-time captain and finished his career as the seventh all-time scorer with 1106 points. This season he averaged 13.9 pts per game while leading both Harvard and the Ivy League in both assists (112) and steals (66). He has been selected to play in the New England Division 1 All Star game April 13 in Springfield. Mass Mike is the son of Marsha and Mike Gielen and grandson of George Moore, a longtime Greenbelter who retired to the southwest.

Happy 90th birthday to Gladys Long, who with her husband Joseph and son Joe, Jr., moved into 3-B Gardenway in October, 1937. The Longs moved to Florida in the '50s, but Gladys returned to live at 8 Parkway from 1983 until last year, when she moved to the Greenbelt Nursing Home. She has enjoyed the reacquaintance with the modern Greenbelt, especially the Labor Day parade and the 50th anniversary celebrations. When she went to vote for City Council in 1987, she reminisced about having voted in that first election in 1938. Her husband died in 1980, but son Joe and family live in Silver Spring.

Dispose of Paint and Other Toxic Trash April 16

The county Department of Environmental Resources will hold a Household Hazardous Waste Clean-Up Day on Sunday, April 16, at the Brown Station Road Landfill. This clean-up provides county residents with a safe and convenient opportunity to dispose of household hazardous wastes at no cost.

Most residences contain numerous hazardous substances such as cleaners, pesticides, paint, and automotive products. Improper disposal can cause serious human and environmental health and safety problems. For example, if hazardous substances are poured or buried in the ground, people and animals could be affected, and groundwater may be contaminated. If poured down the storm sewer, the pollutants will reach streams and degrade water quality, killing fish and other aquatic life. Household hazardous wastes mixed with trash have severely injured refuse workers, and wastes which eventually make their way to the landfill dramatically increase operation and maintenance costs.

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Woman's Club

(Continued from page one)

Crescent Road with a plaque honoring Mrs. Roosevelt. Bronze plaques with the artist's name, Lenore Thomas Strauss, under the sponsorship of the club, were placed on the mall statue, "Mother and Child," and on the front of the Center School near the bus reliefs.

At the present time the Woman's Club has been responsible for new rules on pets, worked on the Covered Truck Legislation, were active on legislation requiring car seats for youngsters and also worked on efforts to "Save the Bay" and wetlands. Members work as volunteers in the Center School and at the University of Maryland as tutors and librarians; work against drunk driving and drugs; make tray favors for the Greenbelt Nursing Home; knit socks, bibs, and lap robes; work the Information Booth during the Labor Day Festival; and volunteer on the food give-away project. The Club is always ready to put forth effort for worthwhile community requests and needs. During 1988 we reported 266 volunteer hours and donated \$1,114.00 for scholarships and civic needs. And so it goes. This year the club is ready to celebrate the 50th Anniversary.

—Submitted by Gertrude Law
President

Local Scholarship Pageant To Feature Miss Maryland

Reigning "Miss Maryland" Lori Ann Windsor will perform the dance twirl routine she used in the "Miss America" competition at this year's "Miss Greenbelt Pageant" to be held April 16 at Eleanor Roosevelt High School at 7 p.m.

She will also share Mistress of Ceremonies duties with Tammy Wyatt, "Miss Greenbelt America—1988."

Windsor, currently a resident of Springhill Lake, attends the University of Maryland where she majors in International Relations. She and Wyatt, also a Maryland student, have been participants in the "Miss Maryland Talent Troupe," which has entertained at benefits, hospitals and shopping malls throughout the state.

They will perform, along with former Greenbelt title holders Darlene Fuehrer and Cindy Astlin, in a production number used by the group. Rounding out the show will be local entertainers Terry Toot and Bubba Frye, along with winners from the "Queen of Hearts" children's pageant held on March 12 and dancers from the Bette Cannon School of Dance.

The pageant, a preliminary to select Greenbelt's representative to the "Miss Maryland" pageant in June, is an official "Miss America" preliminary. It is sponsored, as part of its scholarship program, by Greenbelt Unit 136, American Legion Auxiliary.

Further information can be obtained by calling Carol Klem at 345-2525.

Legion Auxiliary Marks Fiftieth Anniversary

Greenbelt Unit 136, American Legion Auxiliary held its 50th Anniversary celebration on March 4 in the Legion Hall. The program, presided over by Unit President, Rosita Dietrich, with Past President, Sandi Dutton as Mistress of Ceremonies, featured a "Trip Down Memory Lane" highlighting Unit activities over the five decades. The program was presented by past Unit Presidents, Sandi Dutton, Mildred Compioier, Elinor Rimar, Anna Link, Linda Newsome and Rusty Beeg. Musical entertainment was provided by local entertainer, Terry Toot, and the 1988 Sr. Senator from Maryland Girls State, Theresa Cullen.

Congratulations were offered by National President, Alice Galka who was in attendance with National Secretary, Miriam Junge. Galka commended the Unit on their outstanding service to the veterans and the community over the past half century. Greetings were also brought by Department (State) President, Delores Coates, Department Vice-Commander, Ric Santos, Southern Maryland District President, Anna Mae Sackie, District Commander, Charles Schertle, Post 136 Vice-Commander, Noel Tucker and SAL Squadron Commander, Al Wildoner.

Attendees received memorial poppy corsages or boutonnieres, 50th anniversary commemorative pins and were treated to dinner and live music for dancing. The Post 136 Color Guard & Unit Color Bearers provided impressive flag advancement and retirement ceremonies. Waiters for the evening were furnished by the Past Post Commanders Association of Post 136.

County Clean-up Is Promoted

Citizens Concerned for a Cleaner County (CCCC) will be celebrating its tenth annual CCCC Day on April 22. To commemorate this special event, many businesses, schools, municipalities, county agencies and citizen groups are undertaking promotional projects such as displaying the "Litter Adds Up!" poster, purchasing CCCC auto litter bags and conducting special cleanup and recycling projects. Some of the businesses have purchased litter bags to be given out by the Motor Vehicle Administration's Largo and Landover offices to those applying for drivers' and renewal licenses. Giant & Safeway food stores will be giving out free auto litter bags during April.

All county municipalities are members of the CCCC organization. There is no membership fee required for individuals, businesses, and civic organizations to become involved in the program. For more information, call 952-3676.

Green Belt Tours

Members of the Committee to Save the Green Belt will conduct guided tours of the green belt each Saturday. On April 8 at noon, the tour will start at the end of Northway. Call Paul at 474-4653 or Rodney at 345-5427.

Butcher, Baker Telescope Maker

On Saturday, April 8 at 7 p.m., the NASA Goddard Visitor Center presents "How to Make Your Own Telescope" with Geoff Chester from the National Air and Space Museum. Using materials available at lumber yards and optical items from catalogs Geoff will demonstrate the construction of a telescope. A Star Watch will be held the same evening from 7-9 p.m. at the Visitor Center.

Additional information is available by calling 286-8981.

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Many people put off going to see their dentist regularly because of the lingering fear of pain and discomfort. This fear is reinforced by the negative image created by comedians and others in their portrayal of the dentist as a ruthless, un-sympathetic "creature" or a bumbling "fool". Unfortunately, these negative feelings and poor images are perpetuated from parent to child, creating a preformed wall of resistance.

In reality, great strides have been made in all aspects of dental care to greatly reduce or eliminate the fear of discomfort, as well as the pain formerly associated with dental treatment. Modern high-speed equipment and improved restorative materials greatly reduce the time needed for all procedures, and allows treatment to be done in multiple sections, or quadrants, of the mouth at one time. In addition, newly developed anesthetics and modified injection techniques are very effective and much less uncomfortable than before. For those requiring additional relaxation, gas analgesia (nitrous oxide) and pre-medication (tranquilizers) can be used in conjunction with anesthetics.

While dentistry can not truly be called "painless", new techniques and modern equipment, combined with care being rendered by a more knowledgeable and understanding dental team, have brought today's dentistry as close to being pain-free as possible.

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JOE'S TIPS OF THE WEEK

Hello Again,

In the auto and truck repair industry, tires have always been a headache. They take up too much room, are cumbersome to stack and their disposal must be according to legal restrictions. However, it is probably more important to know how to keep them on your vehicle for the longest time without premature wear and tear.

Tires, like any other auto and truck part, have to be cared for and not taken for granted. Here are a few things to look for when you inspect your tires.

1. During monthly inspections, look for dry cracks, splits and screws and nails stuck in tread area. Also, look for curb scuffs.
2. A lot of conditions can wear tread patterns of your tires. Besides alignment and other problems that can cause worn tread patterns, air pressure is also a major factor that often affects the patterns. If the tread is worn on both outside edges, the tire is under-inflated. And if the center of the tire is worn, the tire is over-inflated. Remember to always check the recommended tire pressure displayed on the side wall of the tire and to check air pressures of all four wheels. Also remember that you will not get an accurate reading on a hot tire because heat changes the air pressure readings.

Proper tire rotation and balancing can extend your tires' lives. Take care of your tires and they will take care of you!

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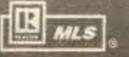


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Police Blotter

Based on Information Released by the Greenbelt Police Department

After stopping a vehicle on March 27 on Greenbelt Road at the southbound entrance to the Parkway, Officer Thomas Moreland arrested a man, age 21, after he attempted to discard crack cocaine. He was charged with possession of crack cocaine and is being held in lieu of \$1,000 bond, pending trial.

Pfc. Robert Musterman arrested a woman, 32, for shoplifting at Marshall's in Beltway Plaza. After her arrest, the officer found she also had in her possession suspected phenacyclidine and drug paraphernalia. She was held in lieu of \$2,000 bond pending trial. Two other shoplifting incidents also resulted in arrests.

Thefts

On March 27, Detective Carolyn McLean arrested a nonresident man, 28, charging him with burglary and theft. The man is suspected of taking a set of keys from a residence in the 13 court of Laurel Hill and then using the keys to break into the home while the victim slept. The suspect is being held in lieu of \$1,000 bond, pending trial.

A petty cash box was reported taken on March 28 from an unlocked desk in an office suite in the 6400 block of Ivy Lane; and an unattended wallet was reported stolen on March 28 from an office suite in the 6300 block of Ivy Lane. A purse was snatched on March 27 from a woman as she sat at a picnic table in the 7500 block of Greenway Center Drive. After she called police with a description of the two men and their car, an off-duty Greenbelt Police officer observed and stopped the car with the assistance of other officers. Pfc. Alan Caho arrested two men, ages 28 and 16. The juvenile was released to his mother. The adult was held in lieu of \$750 bond, pending trial.

On March 25 a woman attempted to use a stolen credit card to pay for her food at Beefsteak Charlie's in Beltway Plaza, but fled prior to the arrival of police officers. She is described as white, in her 20's, with brown hair.

Breakings & Enterings

A burglary occurred in the 6100 block of Breezewood Court on March 25. Entry was gained through an unlocked patio door and a television and VCR were reported stolen. An apartment in the 9100 block of Springhill Lane was broken into sometime last

week; entry was gained by breaking a kitchen window. A compact disc player, discs, jewelry and cash were taken. In a third incident, another residence in the 9100 block of Springhill Lane was entered on March 27 through the sliding glass door. Numerous compact discs were reported stolen.

Stolen Vehicles

Two vehicles were stolen and recovered this week, one led to an arrest. Officer Marie Croisette arrested a nonresident man, age 22, charging him with auto theft and possession of a concealed weapon. Croisette had been dispatched to Beltway Plaza in response to the owner of a stolen car who had just spotted her car in the parking lot. When the officer arrived, a man was sitting in the car. In searching the vehicle, Croisette found a sawed-off rifle in the hatchback area. The man was held in lieu of \$3,000 bond, pending trial.

A 1978 VW Rabbit, stolen on March 26 from the 8300 block of Canning Terrace, was recovered the next day in the 9800 block of Good Luck Road. There were no arrests.

Vandalisms to and theft from autos were reported in the following areas:

3 incidents Beltway Plaza, 6100 Springhill Terrace, 2 incidents, 6100 Breezewood Drive, 7700 Hanover Parkway, 7800 and 7900 Mandan Road and 8900 and 9200 Edmonston Road.

Special Tour of Green Belt

The Committee to Save the Green Belt (CSGB) is planning a special spring tour for April 22, starting at 1 p.m. at the end of Northway. Food and drink will be provided.

The next meeting of CSGB will be on April 12 at 7:30 p.m. in the Greenbelt library. Plans are to discuss the spring tour, pass out revised bylaws, and to plan future activities to promote keeping the green belt "green." For more information, call Marsha Barrett at 982-0365.

Woman's Club News

The monthly meeting of the Woman's Club of Greenbelt will be held April 10 at noon in the Mowatt Methodist Church and will be the annual covered-dish dinner. Those undecided about what to bring should call Edna Waters at 474-7133. Place settings will be furnished.

This is the last chance to turn in "Pennies for Art."

At this meeting all officers, department chairpersons and standing committee chairpersons are required to give their annual reports. Dues for the forthcoming year are to be paid at this time.

EARLY MUSIC CONCERT

One of America's leading early-music vocalists joins one of Europe's most acclaimed lutenists when soprano Julianne Baird and Konrad Junghanel appear together at the University of Maryland Center of Adult Education, Friday, April 14, at 8 p.m. For ticket information, call 454-6534.

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3. Visitors and Members
4. Committee Reports
5. Manager
Proposed Bylaws Amendments
Annual Meeting agenda
Contract for 4 Free-standing Homes trim
Results of radon testing
2-year profit limitation formula
6. President
7. Board members

City Council

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increase the interest rate required.

Council member Joseph Isaacs asked whether the school system's architect had done any further review of the renovation plan for Center. Giese said he was not aware of any such review, but that unless the Historic Preservation Commission's constraints on interior renovation were eased, little would be gained from reviewing the design.

Several citizens have urged that the two story addition be razed, eliminating the "five-level" problem cited by school officials as one reason a new school would be preferable to a renovated Center. Giese recalled that school officials doubted that the state would pay to raze the newest part of the building. In addition, Giese suspected that the state still owes money on the addition.

White doubted that council would have any more information Monday night. Weidenfeld countered that council only had to decide upon an approach on April 3, and that it could direct staff to gather additional information prior to the actual referendum, if that route were selected.

White also argued that Giese's report on the North End Center identified renovation items that could be completed using existing city reserves.

Isaacs differed, saying that although North End could probably be renovated for less than Center, the city does not have the funds to do either and that if the city's reserves are used for North End, other needed projects will not be done. He said he was open to a bond referendum. Further, he wanted assurance, before the city agrees to accept Center School, that the county would grant some code variances and that improvements to Center School could be phased in. Giese noted that county building inspectors will examine Center School during the week of April 3. He doubted that safety and handicap accessibility codes would be waived. If not, the city would have to install a sprinkler system prior to occupation.

Council member Antoinette M. Bram argued against further delay. She said that although she supports the idea of a community center the city has not been able to afford renovation of the North End facility. Bram said that council and the citizens must look beyond their own interests to what will best provide for the city's future. She favored using Center School rather than the North End building for a community center and felt that a bond referendum this spring was the best route to that goal.

Council member Edward Putens urged delay. He noted that the city has a number of capital needs than cannot be funded from tax revenues alone. He foresaw a need for a bond referendum within five years but questioned how much debt the city should assume. Further, he said that many residents, especially in the new parts of town, were tired of paying taxes and want to know what they're getting for that money. He called the 1985 bond referendum a "quick and dirty" approach and said he would not agree to another rushed bond referendum.

Isaacs said that before holding a bond referendum, council should decide which uses would be housed in a community center and determine which building best serves those needs. He said that partial renovation of the

North End facility would foreclose too many uses.

Putens noted that the decision facing council is not easy. He said that the organizations seeking community center space would not contribute to renovation costs, but only to operating costs. He said that he did not want to shove the idea down anyone's throat.

White argued that, in light of the many unfunded capital needs of the city, the crucial question is one of affordability and that renovation of Center School as a school is the most effective solution.

Bram commented that North End residents are beginning to feel the effects of the prolonged vacancy of the old school. She objected to partial renovation of the building. Bram argued that the city should construct an arts center at one of the buildings and "do it right." Since citizens have indicated in the school survey that they prefer a new school, Bram said that the city must now find out if the citizens are willing to fund renovation of Center School.

Giese told council that although staff has verified that the deferral of the renovation/replacement of Center School would not jeopardize its funding, the city has never asked the county school board if it is willing to consider a deferral.

Citizen Comments

Barbara Simon, an arts center advocate, argued that scheduling a bond referendum this spring would not allow sufficient time for public comment. She argued that citizens must know what uses would be housed in a community center before being asked to fund it.

However, in response to a question from Deanne Lange, Giese noted that county bond referenda, including those for community centers, tend to be "blank check" questions without specific details.

Anne Pisano claimed that a bond referendum was never considered until the possibility of obtaining Center School was raised. She argued that North End could be renovated without bond financing.

Giese disagreed. He said that the "lesson to be learned" from North End is that the city should have acted sooner. The fate of North End must be resolved, he said, either by renovation in full or part, or by razing it. If it is to be renovated, he said that a bond issue would be required.

Charles Hagelgans argued that Giese's recommended bond question is unfair to the North End facility, which might not require as much money for renovation. Hagelgans preferred a referendum question asking citizens if they are willing to finance the cost of renovating Center School and not including the North End facility. If funds for renovating Center are approved, the fate of North End will be resolved. Otherwise, a smaller bond issue for North End could be considered.

Bram disagreed, saying that this option, possibly requiring two bond referenda, would further delay a final decision on the North End facility.

Hagelgans also argued that if council holds a bond referendum for less than is required to renovate Center, the source of the additional funds should be identified in advance.

David Lange urged completion of a report on possible uses of

SPRINGHILL LAKE HOLDS M*A*S*H BASH

Springhill Lake will host an event patterned after the popular TV army comedy M*A*S*H, April 20 from 6:30 to 8:30 p.m. at the Fountain Lodge. Guests are invited to wear camouflage, fatigues, to dress as one of the characters in the TV show, or to come as they are. The Greenbelt Armory has donated decorations and representatives from the Greenbelt post will attend. Refreshments and door prizes will be offered.

For more information, please call 474-4555. (21 and older).

Talk on Sleep Problems Of the Senior Citizens

Two registered nurse students from the University of Maryland will be presenting a program on sleep problems of the senior citizen. Ruth Lee R.N. and Ellen McAlinden R.N. will be discussing common sleep problems found in the older adult and natural ways to promote sleep. In addition, dreams and sleep patterns will be presented. This program is free and will be held on Friday, April 14 at 10 a.m. at Green Ridge House. Call Karen Haseley at the Recreation Department at 474-6878 for more information.

Middle School PTSA Sets Communication Seminar

Greenbelt Middle School PTSA offers a seminar on communications at the school on Tuesday, April 11 at 7:30 p.m. in the media center. Parents/guardians and accompanied students will be welcome. Attendees are encouraged to pre-register by calling the school at 474-2225, although walk-ins will be warmly welcomed. It is not necessary to be a PTSA member to attend.

The seminar is designed to help students and their caregivers to achieve more positive and rewarding relationships during a growing period that is often marked by stormy times. Positive suggestions and techniques will be discussed, and some of the options available to families going through especially trying times will be described.

In addition, officer David Buerger of the Greenbelt Police Department will be available to talk with parents and students and to supply informative pamphlet literature.

Questions may be addressed to Cathie Meetre, 474-0490 (evenings before 9 p.m.)

the Center School, as was done for North End. Further he argued that Giese's rough cost estimates, based on square footage, were not accurate enough to base such a decision on. He objected to partial renovation of North End, since even full renovation leaves some citizen needs unmet.

Lange called for a vote on a community center asking citizens if they want one and if so, where. He also argued that delaying the issue further would increase the renovation costs.

Betty Timer argued that a bond question on a community center at one school or the other might be doomed from the start. She asked council to word the bond question carefully to avoid having the question of which facility is preferred affecting the success or failure of the referendum.

Weidenfeld said that the questions recommended by Giese avoid that problem by separating the issue of funding a center from that of location.

Oratorio Society in Concert

The Prince Georges Philharmonic announces that its fifth concert of the 1988-1989 season will be presented on Saturday, April 15 at 8 p.m. at the Queen Anne Fine Arts Theatre of the Prince Georges Community College.

This concert will be featuring the Laurel Oratorio Society with guest conductor J. Ernest Green. The program consists of Liszt's "Les Preludes" and Mozart's "Requiem." Featured singers from the Laurel Oratorio Society will include soprano Margaret Genovese, mezzo-soprano Leneida Crawford, tenor Gary Leard, and bass Jonathon J. Deutsch.

Tickets will be available at the door, or in advance by calling the Philharmonic office at 864-7358.

GHI NOTES

The Board of Directors will meet Thursday, April 13, at 8 p.m. in the Board Room.

The Arbor Day Ceremony has been re-scheduled for 10 a.m. April 12 in the common area between the 4 and 6 courts of Plateau Place. Members are invited.

NARFE Meets April 12

The National Association of Retired Federal Employees (NARFE) will meet on Wednesday, April 12 at noon at the Greenbelt Library. In addition to the business meeting there will be a speaker and a "Pot of Gold" drawing. The winner must be present. Participants should bring a bag lunch.

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Last spring 41 trees were donated as part of the Adopt-A-Tree program. These trees were planted on public property throughout Greenbelt. Since the program began in 1986, over 300 trees have been planted.

This year three areas have been identified as having a special need for donated trees. The first of these areas is "Buddy" Attick Lake Park. There is a need for red maples and sugar maples for use as shade trees. Over the past few years, white dogwood and redbud trees have been planted in scattered groups along the lake path. In only a few years they will be flowering. This year a new spring flowering, native tree, the shadblow serviceberry (Amelanchier), will be used in addition to the dogwood and redbud.

In Greenbelt East, the second area in need, these same three flowering trees could be used along the edges of Greenbriar Park where it borders on Mandan Road and Hanover Parkway.

In the third area, along Edmonston Road in Springhill Lake, a large number of crabapple trees have died. These trees are being replaced with Aristocrat pears which should do much better in this location. A large number of these trees will be needed to screen the Beltway ramp from view.

Many of the trees are planted each year in public areas that residents find to be in need of trees. If there is a special spot anyone thinks needs a tree or if anyone would like to buy a tree

Conference Will Focus On Older Communities

This year's Commercial Revitalization Conference will focus on issues confronting older communities within Prince Georges County. Keynote James Cloor, Land Design/Research of Columbia, MD, will speak on "Small Areas Can Succeed." The conference will examine successful initiatives and approaches and provide networking opportunities. The conference is scheduled for April 18 at the University of Maryland's Center of Adult Education from 8 a.m. to 3:30 p.m. For registration call 386-5600. There is a fee.

Workshop topics to be discussed will include: "How To Fight Drugs & Crime In Your Business Area", "Creative Financing", "Innovative Parking Strategies", and "Organizing through Controversy." The workshops also include an actual case study and a bus tour of a revitalized area.

This event is sponsored by the Prince Georges County Economic Development Corporation, Park & Planning Commission (MNCPP-C), the County's Department of Housing and Community Development, Parking Authority of Prince Georges County, Chamber of Commerce, Prince Georges Municipal Association, and the Maryland Department of Housing and Community Development-Maryland Main Street Program.

to be planted in the curb strip in front of a home, please contact the city horticulturist at 474-8004. He will assist in selecting the most suitable variety or make certain that the "special spot" is on public property and can be used. The deadline for this year's program is May 1.

Liberty Bell Ringers

What did it feel like to ring the Liberty Bell? How did it sound?

Children in Center School waited patiently in line to ring a replica of the Liberty Bell at a special assembly in front of the school on Thursday, March 23. There the NSA New Freedom Bell was on display.

Cast in the same pit and foundry as the original Liberty Bell at Whitechapel Foundry, London, this replica bell has been moved around the country in celebration of the 200th anniversary of the United States constitution. (The original bell, which was rung when the Declaration of Independence was read to the people, is now in Independence Hall, Philadelphia. It can no longer be rung because of a crack.)

Greg Durand, father of one of Center School's pupils, was master-of-ceremonies for the occasion. He read a proclamation from Governor William Donald Schaefer. Durand and County Councilman Richard Castaldi spoke of the importance of the Liberty Bell and the freedom it represents to all Americans. Dr. Clayton McCarl Sr. then read the oath of Affirmation that officials take when they assume office and that immigrants take when they become citizens. The children repeated the oath after him.

After that came the big moment - the unveiling of the bell. Durand, McCarl, City Manager James K. Giese and Principal



Students in Mrs. Foman's first grade class get ready to ring the Freedom Bell. photo by Jean Rashkin

John Van Schoonhoven were the first ones to ring it. (Note: Castaldi left and did not ring the bell.)

Then, class by class, starting with kindergartners, the children came forward to ring the bell. About half a class at a time was able, with the help of some young people dressed in colonial costume, to ring the bell. Then they returned to their classrooms, where they talked about the Liberty Bell and discussed what the words on it - "Proclaim liberty throughout the land to all the inhabitants thereof" - meant to them as Americans.

Senior Bus Routes Changed this Month

The Department of Aging bus transportation points changed in April. The new schedule will be: first Thursday of the month - Landover Mall; second and fourth Thursday - P. G. Plaza; third Thursday - Laurel; fifth Thursday, the destination will be decided upon by the participants. Times and pick-up points will remain the same - only the destinations are changing.

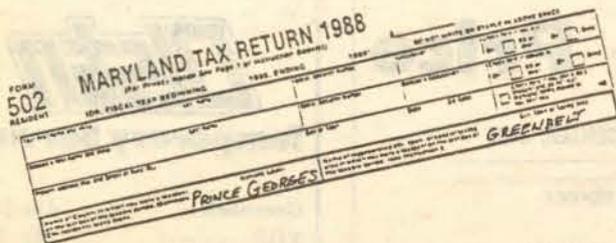
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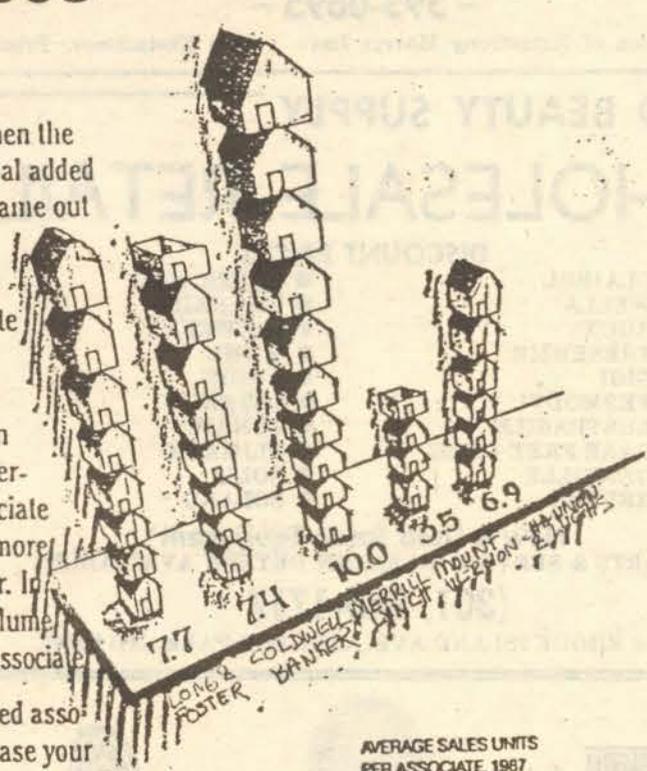
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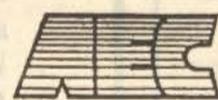
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