

Video Store Parking Exception Heats Up City Council Meeting

by Diane Oberg

The greatest heat and debate at the February 22 regular meeting of the Green-belt City Council concerned an issue over which the city has no actual power. Centre Video, located in the rear of the Domino's Pizza building at Roosevelt Center, is seeking a Departure from Parking and Loading Standards (DPLS) from the county Planning Board. In the end, council voted 4-1 with Councilmember Antoinette Bram opposed, to oppose the request.

In technical terms, the issue relatively minor. Zoning was regulations call for Centre Video to have four parking places for its patrons. It has none and is seeking a waiver of the full four spaces. City Solicitor Robert Manzi, Director of Planning Celia Wilson and the Advisory Planning Board (APB) agreed that four spaces in the Roosevelt Center area are not significant.

The APB recommended support of the waiver.

Beyond the technical issue, however, was the history of the operation. According to city Director of Planning Celia Wilson, the store opened last May without having obtained a use and occupancy permit despite having been alerted to the need for such a permit by the city. Mary DePriest, one of the store's owners, denied that the city had told them they needed a permit.

According to a chronology pre-pared by the city staff, the store was cited by the county in July for operating without a permit, but has been granted a grace period, since extended twice, to come into compliance with the zoning regulations.

Complicating matters is the fact that a second video store opened in Roosevelt Center at roughly the same time. The operators of this store presented a letter to council opposing the DPLS for Centre Video. They said that their operation had been held in limbo for eight months over code requirements and that to grant the requested waiver to a competitor who had

opened without meeting the legal requirements constituted a double standard that was "damaging and absurd."

Midgett Parker, an attorney representing Centre Video, said that his clients did not have legal counsel when they opened the store. They thought they had complied with all regulations and were surprised when they were cited for the zoning violation.

Bram saw the issue of the second video store as irrelevant. She asked Hobbs whether his intent was to punish Centre Video so the other store can get even for what it had to go through. Later citing a letter circulated to council, she feared that the issue had become almost a personal one and asked that council base its position solely on the technical issues.

In moving that the city oppose the DPLS, council member Thomas White said he was focusing on technical issues. He noted concerns about the location of the store and its effect on traffic patterns in the center.

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Arts Center Production Has Music, Comedy, Stories

by Sandy Smith "An Evening with Friends" will be held on Saturday, March 6, 7:30 p.m. at Springhill Lake Fountain Lodge. The final program, announced by producer of the event Konrad Herling, ensures that the audience will be treated to a vari-ety of talented performers, from singers to storytellers, comedians to musicians. This is the third annual variety show sponsored by the Greenbelt Arts Center, and although the show includes performers who have delighted audiences in past shows, there is an equal number of performers who will be new to the Greenbelt stage.

Al Herling, well-known Green-belt pianist, will entertain with classical numbers as well as instant compositions. He'll bring his concertina to play as well. Jean Cook will bring the music of Broadway to Greenbelt. Comedienne Lori Moran tells stories and classic jokes. Another Greenbelt performer is Helen Oring, who will sing, accompanied by Lucille Lushine. Helen will sing several favorites, including a romantic duet with Tony Arduino, from "Fiddler on the Roof." Helen, an experienced performer, is a member of the Prince Georges Seasoned Players. Lucille Lushine will also play a selection on the piano. Greenbelt audiences will recognize another performer, Tom Renahan, who will use his sharp wit and comedic flair in his act. John Ward and Ann Leslie can be counted on to fiddle a few Scottish tunes.

Janiece Johns, an Eleanor

Serious Accident At Mandan Rd.

According to the Greenbelt Police, on February 23 at 6:17 a.m., officers responded to a report of a motor vehicle accident in the area of Greenbelt Road at Mandan Road. Preliminary investigation reveals that a 1992 Dodge Caravan was traveling eastbound in the far righthand lane of Greenbelt Road when it hit a patch of ice. The vehicle then veered left, traveling across all three eastbound lanes of Greenbelt Road, across the grassy median strip, and struck the driver's side of a 1987 Chevrolet Camaro traveling in the far left lane of westbound Greenbelt Road.

Upon striking the Camaro the van rolled over the vehicle, flip-ping end over end at least twice, according to witnesses. The van came to rest on its side, with the Camaro coming to rest on the north curbside of westboard Greenbelt Road.

The driver of the Dodge van and occupant were transported to Prince Georges Doctor's Hospital, where they were treated and released. The driver of the Camaro was transported to the Prince Georges General Hospital's Shock Trauma Unit. The occupants of both vehicles were wearing safety belts, and the Dodge Caravan was equipped vith a driver's side airbag, which ployed upon impact.

Roosevelt student, has a singing, dancing routine evoking the memory of classic performer Betty Boop, Cleveland Flowe, a classical and jazz pianist, will be performing for the first time at a Greenbelt show. Bill Stanley, Columbia playwright and coa median, will deliver stories and poetic readings. On the electric guitar, Bilaal Yusuf, another Roosevelt student, will play "Always with You, Always with Me."

An important part of the show is a planned tribute to Greenbelt performer, the late Jan Turkiewicz, and long-time Greenbelt arts supporter, Tillie Wetter. Konrad Herling serves as the show's MC and Dennis Jelalian as the technical director.

Tickets are available at the door or in advance at the Co-op. Call the Arts Line at 441-8770 for information or reservations.

Surplus Food Available In City on March 10, 11

On Wednesday and Thursday, March 10 and 11, the City of Greenbelt will distribute surplus food as part of the Prince Georges County Surplus Food Program. Vegetarian beans, butter, cornmeal, flour, peanut butter. pork and raisins will be available for all eligible persons. Food may be picked up on either day from 10 a.m. to 7 p.m. at the Municipal Building, 25 Crescent Road.

Eligibility requirements are: (1) participation in a public assistance program or in Aid to Families with Dependent Children (AFDC) (Photo ID re-quired), or (2) participation in the Food Stamp Program (Photo ID), or (3) participation in Medicaid Program (Medicaid Card), or (4) Maryland Energy Assistance Program (letter) or (5) an income that is lower than \$10,215 for one person, \$13,785 for two people, \$17,355 for three people or \$20,925 for four people.

Anyone wishing to volunteer or needing information about this food distribution may call the City Offices at 345-7203.

Garden Club Meets

The Greenbelt Garden Club has garden plots for interested gardeners to use. Come to the an-nual meeting on Wednesday, March 10 at 7 p.m. in the meeting room in the Greenbelt Police Station.

Annual Financial Report Puts City In the Black for Fiscal Year '92

by James Giese

In spite of the recession and shortfall of some rev-enues, the City of Greenbelt completed the last fiscal year, which ended on June 30, with a small surplus. This and a great deal of other information is contained in the Comprehensive Annual Financial Report prepared by the city's Department of Finance.

In a joint transmittal letter, City Manager Daniel G. Hobbs and Deputy City Manager/City Treasurer Michael P. McLaughlin advised that Greenbelt's success in the last year ". . . centered around its ability to rec-ognize opportunities to reduce expenditures without affecting the quality of its services." This was done even though the city ". . . continued to face economic challenges as the recession failed subside and revenues intergovernmental sources were either reduced or eliminated."

The report indicates that economic growth did continue at a slow pace during much of the year, but that there were ". . . signs that the recession's grip on the area was weakening. Positive signs noted were: the rental of the entire newly com-pleted Capitol Office Park Building No. 6 to Digital Equipment Corporation for 20 years; a slight increase in home construction with 66 single family homes be-

ing built at Greenspring and 21 townhouses at Belle Pointe; the groundbreaking for the new federal courthouse to be completed in the spring of 1994; the reconstruction of the Baltimer-Washington Parkway interchange with Greenbelt Road; and the construction of a 73,000 square foct "super" Giant supermarket at Beltway Plaza.

City Initiatives

In order to reduce costs, city positions were combined or phased out and goods and services were aggressively sought from vendors offering the greatest value, according to the report. The city re-evaluated its insurance coverage and changed vendors to reduce expenditures by more than \$100,000. Although revenues for capital construction funds were reduced, the loss was offset by lower than expected construction bids resulting from heavy competition among bidders hit by the recession.

Capital projects completed were the Aquatic and Fitness Center opened in September, 1991, the first phase of the development of Schrom Hills Park (despite loss of Program Open Space funding) and water quality improvements to Greenbelt Lake. The report takes note of the "partnership" with George Christacos, owner of the two original buildings at Roosevelt Center ". . . whereby the city guaranteed financing of improvements to the shopping center and See FINANCIAL REPORT, p. 5

the owner donated funds to up-grade a city-owned parking lot." The report claims that this "... innovative arrangement will save taxpayers over \$400,000 in construction costs.

Future Developments The report advises its readers,

many of whom will be holders or prospective holders of city bonds, that the city will be ac-quiring Greenbelt Center Elementary School in September 1993 and converting it into a community center. To accomp-lish this, the city plans to issue three million dollars in general obligation bonds.

The city plans to expand code enforcement. (This was initiated after the report was completed). Both the inspection of rental units and the monitoring of sediment control procedures, func-tions formerly performed by the county are to be done by the city. The city intends to inspect rental units on an annual basis, rather than the county's practice of every other year. Concern for aging rental properties within the city and cutbacks by the county in the number of inspectors were cited as reasons for the city taking over housing inspection.

The report takes note that Greenbelt's neighbor, Goddard Space Flight Center will be growing into the future. Goddard is the coordinating center for three of the National Aeronautics

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We would like to thank Greenbelt Fire Department personnel for their quick. professional response to our chimney fire (155 Research Road) on Sunday, February 14. Fred Teal, Teress Meeks

More on Trails

I hope Mr. Giese won't mind if I use his column. "On Trails Being Natural," as an oppor-tunity to address the debate of trail construction and maintenance in Greenbelt.

From my perspective, I feel that there is really an underlying struggle beneath the argu-ments over "natural" and "unnatural" pathways. Many citizens came together to save 184 acres of "wooded" property within Greenbelt. They came together for many reasons. One reason seemed to me to be the desire to express their concerns over the degraded condition of our global environment. As average citizens, what could they do to help reduce destruction, what could they do to stop rain forest deforestation, what could they do?

"It's just a few trees" philosophy has brought us to where we are today with a polluted en-vironment. We are looking for a new language to speak with in environmental terms. We seek to build a bcdy of knowledge that supports rational decisionmaking.

In Mr. Giese's column what I heard was the same approach to a problem, justifying an action because it was cost-effective in man hours and budgetary expenditures. I did not hear any definitions or analysis of the environmental costs in creating paved pathways.

Mr. Giese did paint a dramatic picture of exposed soil, dying roots, barren gouges and dramatic quagmires. It is just that picturesque. I did not learn anything about forest ecosystems or what are the number and types of migrating birds that breed each spring in Greenbelt's woods. How many trees make a forest? How small is an ecosystem? How much oxygen can 184 acres of woods produce? I got no sense of limits.

What is the goal of paved pathways? Access. Mr. Giese expressed the need to allow access to the property for all persons. In other forums may activities like bike riding, wheel-chair access, ballfields and the ability to drive maintenance trucks into the woods to maintain the paths have been expressed as "needs." It seems that if all of Greenbelt can not physically use the property, someone has lost something.

Just as I, along with the world's population, benefit by the existence of a healthy rain forest in South America that I cannot visit at my leisure, expense or convenience. I and all Green-belters benefit from having an undisturbed woodland in Greenbelt.

Please do not turn our little piece of wilderness into another landscaped sports area with ballfields and "paved" pathways.

Marsha Barrett

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Trail Update

I am writing this letter in hopes of clearing up a matter that was the topic of a recent News Review editorial. The editorial urged council to pursue a paved path through GHI property at the end of the city's Northway Stream Valley Park pathway. This path currently becomes a dirt trail after passing through the tube tunnel under Hillside Road. The GHI Woodlands Committee held advertised meetings to get input from the public and homeowners several months ago. After this meeting a report was made to the GHI Board of Directors with recommendations for treatment of this property. The GHI Board has voted to implement these recom-

mendations. The plan calls for surfacing the path with woodchips bordered by limbs and branches ob-tained on site to slow erosion and provide less messy footing in wet weather. It should be mentioned that no one who attended these meeting, evpressed a desire for a hard surfaced path. At the meeting I asked if anyone was interested in a more durable surface such as stone dust. No one was interested,

A bridge is to be built of treated lumber at a point where the path crosses an eroded gully. This should simplify the walk through these woods since it will no longer be necessary to walk through the mud in the gully or hop between logs. There was general support for this although it was clear that those who attended the meeting wanted the least conspicuous structure possible.

The residents of the area complained about brush clearing that was done over the past year or so and stated that previously the brush had served as a screen between buildings which back to the woods. A planting plan was drawn up to address these concerns. Plants will be installed in areas needing screening that were identified by the residents.

Finally some suggestions were made to help stabilize the banks of the stream that drains runoff from buildings and parking lois in this area. It may be necessary to obtain permits for this work before it can begin.

I hope this clarifies the status of this area and would encourage residents to watch for the announcement in the News Review of volunteer work days to complete this project.

Bill Phelan, Chairman GHI Woodlands Committee

(Note: The News Review editorial urged that walkways to the new elementary school be reasonably safe and have an allweather surface.)

Grandparents Take

Trip to Storyland The Greenbelt Recreation Department has made arrangements for the next Creative Grandparents outing. On Saturday, April 3, at 12:30, grandchildren and grandparents will board a magic coach for the journey to Storyland at Burn Brae to spend the early afternoon with Beauty and the Beast and all of their friends-Call "Princess" Karen at 474-6878 for details and to make reservations.

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Boys and Girls Club Has

Thursday, March 4, 1993

The Greenbelt Boys and Girls Club has had a "tremendous" turnout for basketball this year according to Commissioner Randall Ramey. Twelve teams have been scheduled with almost 150 youngsters involved. Teams have been fielded for 11, 12, 13, 14, 16 and 17 year old boys and for 12 and 14 year old girls. Three intramural teams have been fielded as well.

Games are scheduled at the Youth Center, Greenbelt Middle School and the Springhill Lake Youth Center through March 6. Intramural playoffs will be held at the Youth Center and Middle School March 8, 13, 15, and 20. County playoffs are scheduled for March 13 and 14. Parents and other residents are urged to attend the games and support the teams.

cerned over making too much noise, cleaned up after them-selves, and continually expressed how much they appreciated the party. Not only are these students talented, they are a true asset to the community and to Eleanor Roosevelt High School. Mrs. Johns

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Letters to the Editor

Teens Praised

In a time when you hear so

many negative things about teen-

agers in this area, I want to

tell you about the music theater

group at Eleanor Roosevelt High

School. They recently performed "Bye Bye Birdie" under the di-

rection of Mrs. Capauno and Mrs. Moore. I enjoyed the play so

much I went back the next night

But the reason I am writing is because I was asked to host a traditional all night sleep over

party for the cast after their

last performance. This party was for the entire music theater

group, numbering over 100 stu-

den'ts. At first, I was apprehen-

sive. That many teenagers in

my house all night! I wasn't

sure. Would I have a house left?

Would I make it through the

else had offered, and they would

They survived on pure adrenalin. They watched TV, danced, sang,

talked, played games. It finally calmed down around 7:30 the

Yes, I survived, and so did

the house. It was one of the

nicest experiences I have had.

They were well mannered, con-

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next morning.

After finding out that no one

to see it again.

night?

This letter is in regards to the excellent article by Betsy Likowski concerning the prehistoric campsite found along In-

presented news item, I wish to add that the site is one of about 15 sites that I have surface collected from and recorded with the state archeologist about 10 years ago. The artifacts col-lected with my field notes were donated to the state of Maryland-State archeologist. A review of my field notes shows an extract of a letter from the state archeologist as follows:

"Bifurcated base points surface indicates an collected Early Archaic Period covering the time span of 6,000 BC to 4.000 BC. These points considered with a bannerstone (onehalf) indicates this site to be an archaic camp site." The bifur-cated points, some say arrow-heads, is named St. Albans since it was first discovered at St. Albans, West Virginia.

The real reason for writing this letter is to point out that the site testing (digging) by a contract archeologist was in compliance of a public law re-garding archeological sites on federal land. The conclusions and recommendations contained in the final report to WAMATA and others contained some significant points, which I believe have not been considered.

I write this since my observations of the site while driving the beltway and crossing the railroad overpass shows some extensive engineer efforts. This would be a fine project for an investigative reporter to pursue in so far as compliance with a public law particularly a site of this importance concerning the ancient original natives. Dennis Webb

GHI Notes

The next regular meeting of the Board of Directors is March 11 at 8 p.m.

The Woodlands Committee will meet in the board room on March 10 at 8 p.m.

Relations Committee will meet March 9 at 7:30 p.m. in the Board Room.

ing will be held in the GHI Library, at 8 p.m. on Wednesday, March 10.

441-9231

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GREENBELT NEWS REVIEW

Big Basketball Turnout

Correction

The correct date for the Golden Age Club's one day trip to the Philadelphia Flower Show is Friday, March 12.

At the Library

Thursday, March 11, 10:15 a.m., drop in storytime for ages 3-5.

On display during March is an art show by the Greenbelt Nursery School and Kindergarten.

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bers' public speaking ability. The next meeting will be Tuesday, March 9 at 7:15 p.m. Call Dave at 474-9626 or Mary at 345-0518 for location.

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COMMUNITY EVENTS

Greenbelt Nursery Receives Grant

The Greenbelt Nursery School and Kindergarten, 50 years serving children and families, has received a generous grant from the Gilbert and Jaylee Mead Family Foundation. The school will use the \$5000 to purchase much needed office equipment. The Gilbert and Jaylee Mead Family Foundation gives to organizations that promote art and education for children locally. This is the second award of this nature given to the Greenbelt Nursery School and Kindergar-ten. The first award was used as seed money for a financial aid program.

This current grant will be used to purchase a copy machine and a computer system including peripherals, both of which will greatly benefit the school which anticipates growth in programming and membership upon the move to the Greenbelt Community Center in the fall of 1994. The school is hosting an open house March 13, from 10 am. to 1 p.m. at its present location, 1 Hillside Road, behind the Community Church.

NARFE to Hear About Alzheimers

The National Association of Retired Federal Employees (NAR-FE) will hold their monthly meeting Wednesday, March 10 at 12:15 at the Greenbelt Library.

The speaker will be David Dauarit from the Alzheimers Association in Bethesda. All members and prospective members are invited to attend.

Greenbelt Library Gallery Showing

The Gallery of the Prince Georges County Memorial Library System presents works by students from The Maryland College of Art and Design.

The show will be on display through March 26. The public is invited to the opening reception to be held on Saturday. March 6 from 3-5 p.m.

The Gallery is in the Greenbelt Branch Library, Gallery hours are Monday-Wednesday, 2-5 and 6:30-9 p.m.; Thursday-Saturday, 2-5 p.m.

Painters, sculptors and other visual artists in Prince Georges County are invited to contact the Library at 301-699-3500 about booking a show at The Gallery.

FOGM Needs Items For Flea Market

The Friends of the Greenbelt Museum (FOGM) are collecting precious souvenirs for their spring flea market. Desired articles include costume jewelry. household items, toys, games, knick knacks. Contributions are tax-deductible, and may be dropped off any time at 2-G Gardenway. For pick-up, call Barbara Havekost at 474-6369. Books only may be dropped at 2-E Westway. Clothing will not be accepted. Proceeds from the flea market sale assist the Museum in establishing an endowment fund to hire a part-time curator. The Museum is at 10-B Crescent Road and is open every Sunday, 1-5 p.m.

Panel Explores Ways **To Enhance Library**

On Saturday, March 13, Friends of the Greenbelt Library will host a gathering of like-minded patrons from around the county. The event will be held in the meeting room of the library from 1:30-4:30 p.m.

The diverse group of established Library Friends groups, individual library users, librarians and officials will share ideas on how best to help their local branches as well as the county-wide library system.

After opening remarks by County Councilman Richard Castaldi a panel will explore various kinds of library advocacy. William Gordon, Director of the Prince Georges County Memorial Library System; James Mur-ray, President of the Library Board of Trustees; Patricia Mulgrew, Branch Manager at Hy-attsville, and Councilman Cas-taldi will examine various sides of the issue and will open the floor to questions.

The audience will break into small groups to brainstorm ways individuals and organizations can help the library. The meeting's aim is to stimulate the formation of more Library Friends groups which encourage volunteering to save the library money, to raise funds for needed items which the budget can't provide, and to publicize all that the large county system has to offer free to the public. The three-hour session costs

nothing and is open to all who wish to attend.

The Social Action and Religious Committees Invite You To A

Is Rescheduled Mishkan Torah Men's Club announces an informative, enter-

Comedy Program

taining and offbeat presentation featuring Bob Grossman, MSW, stand-up comic and director of adult day care at Holy Cross Hospital.

His comedy routine is entitled "Care for Our Parents . . . Care for Ourselves."

The program, originally scheduled for February 21, was snowed out. It has been rescheduled for Sunday March 21, 10 a.m. Everyone is welcome.

St. Patrick's Day **Celebration at SHL**

Springhill Lake will host its annual St. Patrick's Day party on Thursday, March 11 from 6:30-8:30 p.m. at the Fountain Lodge.

The festive event will feature St. Patrick's Day contest and prizes. Refreshments will be provided by Papa John's Pizzeria. Music by the Pro's DJ service.

Admission is free for residents and their guests 18 and older. For more information, call 474-4555.

'Miss Greenbelt America' Pageant at Beltway Plaza

The "Miss Greenbelt America" Scholarship Pageant will take Center Stage at Beltway Plaza Mall on Saturday, March 13, at 3 p.m. Taking an active role in this event will be former Greenbelt resident Tammy Wyatt, the reigning "Miss Mary-land," who held the Greenbelt title in 1988. Included on the judge's panel will be Lisa Patrick, "Miss Delaware 1986," and Kim Killion, "Miss Montgomery County 1985."

The winner of the competition will receive over \$800 in scholarships and prizes and will represent Greenbelt at the "Miss Maryland" competition in June. In addition, she will be expected to perform a community service project which could put her in the running for additional scholarships awarded at the state and national levels.

Wyatt's project, which she has been promoting in elementary schools throughout the state, involves the use of her performing talents to bring a message concerning drug awareness and the importance of self esteem to Maryland students.

For additional information call 577-3025.

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Story by Local Author

Included in Anthology

Books.

A short story by Greenbelt author Dorothy Sucher appears

in a new anthology, Sisters in Crime: 5, the latest in a popular

series of anthologies featuring

stories by women mystery writ-

ers, and published by Berkeley

In Sucher's story, "Felis Do-

mestica, "cat lover meets cat

hater in a fight to the finish."

Sucher, a long-time Greenbelt

resident and former editor of the

News Review, is the author of

"Dead Men Don't Give Semi-

nars," nominated for an Agatha

award as the best first mystery

of 1988, and "Dead Men Don't

Marry." published by St. Mar-tin's Press. She has just com-

pleted a third mystery, "Dead Men Don't Make Waves." The

series features Washington pri-

wate investigator Sabina Swift

On Sunday, March 7 at 10 a.m. Greenbelt Park Ranger will

discuss the behavior, feeding

characteristics and physical iden-

tification of the different species

of birds that feed in the park.

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the birds at a working feeding

station. Meet at the campground

entrance. For info. call 344-3948.

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9:30 a.m. Sunday School

10:30 a.m. Holy Eucharist

and her sidekick Vic Newman.

Bird Talk

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Did You Know ...? **Financial Facts**

The following is a compilation of miscellaneous data contained in the Comprehensive Annual Financial Report of the City of Greenbelt for the fiscal year ending June 30. 1992. Information of this kind is provided in the report to help investors in city bonds and bond rating houses gain a better understanding of the nature of the city and its economic viability.

-City expenses increased from \$3.5 million to \$10 million since 1983. a 284 percent increase. Tax revenues increased 313 percent over the same period. Property values increased 390 percent. The city tax rate increased from \$1.03 to \$1.33 per hundred dollars assessed value over the same period while the total tax rate paid to all governmental agencies dropped from \$4.175 to \$3.8978. The major reason for the decrease was the city's successful efforts to stop the county from billing city taxpayers for services provided by the city by initiating a tax differential in 1985.

-The five biggest taxpayers in the city are: Springhill Lake Associates, the owners of the Springhill Lake Apartments; Greenbelt Homes, Inc., the cooperative which owns most of the original government-built homes in Greenbelt and whose resident members own leases in perpetuity to their homes rather than fee simple title, which is in the cooperative's name; Springhill Lake Associates. again, as owners of the Capital Office Park; Beltway-Green Properties, owners of the Beltway Plaza; and the California State Retirement System which owns Maryland Trade Centers I and II. -Considering its share of all

debt for all governmental agen-

cies. Greenbelt property owners and residents owe more than \$49 million. Of this, over \$24 million is debt being paid for by revenue producing operations, which more than likely obtain their money from property owners and residents in other ways. Most of the self-supporting debt is owned by the Washington Suburban Sanitary Commission. Not included, is Greenbelt's share of the national debt.

-If the local debt were to be divided equally among the resi-dents of Greenbelt, each one would owe over \$24,000.

-Greenbelt is six square miles in area. It has 24.38 miles of paved streets, and .75 miles unpaved. It has 495 acres of parks, three recreation centers, four athletic field complexes, 10 tennis courts, and two public swimming pools. There are 808 street lights and 15 traffic-light-controlled intersections. The city has 172.5 authorized employees in full-time equivalents (i.e., two half-time employees equals one employee) and 7,481 registered voters

-There ae 714 single family detached homes; 2,846 town houses and 6.014 rental and condominium apartments for a total of 9.574 housing units. The city's population in 1992 is estimated have been 20.267, over 800 less than in 1990.

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	BUDGET	ACTUAL	(UNDER)	ACTUAL
REVENUES			THE REAL	
Taxes	7,649,000	7,588,016	(60,984)	6,962,611
Licenses and Permits	163,600	156,756	(6,844)	144,863
Intergovernmental	1,619,400	1,440,415	(178,985)	1,631,444
Interest	98,500	117,856	19,356	145,569
Charges for Service	739,700	793,117	53.417	540,740
Fines and Forfeitures	\$ 35,000	29,717	(5,283)	59,721
Miscellaneous	14,100	24,690	10,590	25,403
TOTAL	10,319,300	10,150,567	(168,733)	9,510,351
EXPENDITURES	n in Record		10 M	1.
General Government	1,256,200	1.220,494	(35,706)	1.352,837
Public Safety	3,602,200	3,506,401	(95.799)	3,356,459
Public Works	1,577,400	1,472,023	(105,377)	1,571,561
Social Services	204,500	193,105	(11,395)	217,657
Parks and Recreation	1,922,000	1.910,734	(11.266)	1,470,192
Miscellaneous	73,000	65,871	(7,129)	85,660
Debt Service	1,115,200	1,098.446	(16,754)	1,087,042
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Source: Excerpted from Schedule A-2 and A-3 of the City of Greenbelt Comprehensive Annual Financial Report, Fiscal Year Ended June 30, 1992.



Recreation Review

Kite Flying Contest The annual Kite Flying Contest will be held on Sunday, March 14 at 1 p.m. at Braden Field. All ages are invited to participate. Prizes will be awarded in various categories. All kites must fly to qualify for prizes.

Treasures and Trash Flea Market The Treasures and Trash Flea Market will be held March 20 at the SHL Recreation Center. For registration and fee information, call the Youth Center at 474-6878.

Facility Entrance Card All participants 14 years and over, entering the Recreation Centers are required to possess a Recreation Facility Card. They may be purchased by residents only at either Recreation Center.

Games are cancelled only in the Everyone, ages 16 and over is Thursday, March 4, 1993

Mt. Vernon Gardens

Slide Lecture Set

Hear about the Research and Restoration of George Washington's Gardens at Mit. Vernon. Learn how George Washington devised a scheme for his landscape styles, both formal and naturalistic, and how they influenced the American gardens of the time. Dean Norton, Horticulturist, Mt. Vernon, Va., will present this slide lecture on Tuesday, March 9 at 10:30 a.m. in the Administration Building Auditorium of the National Arboretum, 3501 New York Avenue, Washington, D.C.



FINANCIAL REPORT

(Continued from page one) and Space Administration's new and developing projects - the Hubble Space Telescope, the Earth Observing System (EOS) and the space station/platform. (Recent press reports indicate that the space station project may be in for severe budget re-ductions). Goddard is expanding its facility in order to provide for the needed space for the employees related to these proj-cts, the report states, and presently has under construction a 192,000 square foot facility to house the EOS project.

Financial Information

Most of the report is filled with tables and schedules of financial information relating to the last fiscal year. The financial data has been certified as being "fairly stated" by the city audi-tors, Wooden and Benson, CPA.

Revenues for the city's principal operating fund, the General Fund, were slightly over million, a 6.7 percent in-\$10 crease over the previous year, but \$168,733 short of budget estimates (see table on facing page). Expenditures, also over \$10* million, slightly were \$283,426 less than the budget and only 3.6 percent greater than for the previous year. The budgetary surplus of \$114,693 plus other accounting adjustments resulted in the city's surplus (technically called unre-served, undesignated fund balances) increasing by \$178,607 to \$711,469. (It has been the city's policy in the past to maintain a surplus of at least five and preferably 10 percent of budget. The current surplus is 6.6 per-cent of the fiscal year 1993 adopted budget).

nue growth were increased property tax revenues resulting from a three cent increase in the property tax rate and some increase in the total assessed valuations of property, and increased service charges resulting from revenues from the indoor pool. Except for Public Safety and Parks and Recreation, the expenditures for the operations actually decity creased slightly as compared to the previous year. The \$440,000 increase in Park and Recreation expenses was due primarily to the cost of operating the new indoor pool facility and to a lesser extent to increased park maintenance cost resulting from the opening of Schrom Hills

Park

Swimming pool revenues for the year were \$293,158. Swimming pool expenditures for both the indoor and outdoor pools were reported as \$450.419 resulting in a pool operating deficit of \$157,-261. Revenues were 65 percent of expenses. Pool costs for the first year exceeded the adopted expectations by over \$43,000. However, revenues also exceeded expectations by over \$43,000, thereby holding the pool operating deficit to that originally projected by staff prior to the city having any operating cost or revenue history for the pool operation. Not included in the cost of pool operations is the cost of principal and interest on the bonds sold to finance the construction of the indoor pool.

Capital Project Funds The city uses special fund accounts for a number of special purpose activities. Each fund has its own revenues, expenditures, assets and liabilities. Some of these funds are required to be maintained by laws and agreekeep track of some special purpose financial activities.

The most significant funds are the Capital Project Funds. Three of these funds are used to account for the expenditure of the proceeds of authorized bond issues. The fourth provides an accounting of the money voluntarily set aside each year by the city council for use on a variety of construction projects set forth in its capital improvement program.

Capital Improvement The Fund II accounts for the expenditure of the six million dollar bond issue authorized in 1985. Last year's expenditures of \$921,570 overspent the funds available by \$288,770. This excess was temporarily made up by using other city funds. Funds were used primarily for completion of the indoor pool, the last major project to be funded by this bond issue.

The Capital Improvement Fund III accounts for the \$1,000,000 bond issue for developing Schrom Hills Park. The city spent \$822,-509 last year on the park, leaving only \$49,039 in the fund. Only \$12,294 was spent in the Capital Improvements Fund IV, which accounts for expenditures to renovate Center School. The bonds authorized have not been sold, and in the meantime this fund has "borrowed" from other dity funds. Expenditures were for project planning.

The Capital Projects Fund spent \$895,953 on a variety of projects. It has a fund balance of \$881,317, of which half has come from the issuance of a tax anticipation note of \$441,000 to finance the cost of center parking improvements to be undertaken shortly and which are to be paid for by Christacos.

Green Ridge House The principal reasons for reve-The principal reasons for reve- ments, others in order to better Green Ridge House, the city SATURDAY **GREENBELT ARTS CENTER** presents **An Evening With Friends"** THE STARS ARE OUT 交 \$ 차 An Old-Tyme Variety Show, 주 女 with Music, More Music & Comedy Saturday, March 6, 7:30 pm **Springhill Lake Fountain Lodge On Springhill Drive**, off Cherrywood Lane or Edmonston Road Jean Cook Al Herling featuring

Sings plays Lucille Lushine - Piano Favorites Tom Renahan - Stories & Jokes & More Lori Moran - Classic Comedy and Stories **Cleveland Flowe - Jazz and Classical Piano Favorites** Helen Oring & Tony Arduino - Popular Songs and Romatic Duets John Ward & Ann Leslie - Scottish Fiddle Tunes **Bill Stanley - Stories Dramatically Told** Janiece Johns - Betty Boop Returns **Bilaal Yusuf - Electric Guitar**

Tickets available at the door, at Co-op, or call 441-8770 for reservations \$8 general admission; \$6 Seniors/Students ******************

owned apartment building for the elderly had operating income of \$871,684 and operating expenses of \$615,710. After payment of mortgage interest the project wound up with excess earnings of \$85,489. This retained income is set aside for future building repairs. The project still owes \$2,994,135 on its original \$3,343,000 mortgage. The principal revenue source for the project is supplemental rents paid by the Department of Housing and Urban Development (HUD). Residents pay rent on the basis of their incomes and not on the rental rates charged by the project and approved by

Excellence in Reporting

HUD.

The Government Finance Officers Association has awarded Certificates of Achievement for Excellence in Financial Reporting to the city in each of the past nine years for its annual reports. Hobbs and McLaughlin are confident that this report will be similarly recognized.

Education Program Hosted by PGCC/City

Greenbelt City Hall will host the second in a series of Take Education to the Community (T.E.C.) programs originated by Prince Georges Community College. The program is scheduled for 7 to 9 p.m. on Tuesday, March 9. There is no charge.

Plans call for a brief opening program giving a 15 minute overview of the College. However, anyone wising to attend come and leave as they may wish

Recruitment personnel will be on hand to answer questions regarding admissions, registration, placement testing, financial aid, academic counseling, career counseling, transferring of credits, all of the many questions parents and prospective students have about the services of the community College. Not only information but printed materials will be available on almost every aspect of the college at no cost to those attending.

Anyone desiring more information can contact the Recruitment Office of Prince Georges Community College, 301 - 322-0864 during business hours.

Greenbelt CARES

Wendy Recently Wexler began her eight-week-long Teen Discussion Group at Eleanor Roosevelt High School. The groups are held in the Guidance Office.

The Wednesday night family clinic welcomes two new family counselors, both currently attending the University of Maryland and both in pursuit of doctoral degrees. Libby Nutt is enrolled in the counseling psychology program while Mary Ann Greely is studying the field of school psychology.

Teresa Smithson held the first session of a 12-week support group at Greenbelt Middle School on February 5. Ann Donahoe, a teacher at Greenbelt Middle is cofactoting the group. Chris Foland-assistant guidance counselor, assisted in planning and start

up. Greenbelt CARES' tutoring program was mentioned in a recent issue of The Diamond-back, the University of Maryland's newspaper. Titled "Sigma Nu Turns 75," the article talks about the fraternity brothers of Sigma Nu, a national fraternity, which has adopted Greenbelt CARES' tutoring program to do community service. The fraternity brothers tutor several students who are having difficulty in school.

Magazine Recycling

For households which receive lots of magazines and catalogs. Prince Georges Office of Recycling has great news! Greenbelters will be able to recycle those "slick pages" at a monthly dropoff center located at the facility of Holladay-Taylor Printing Corporation off Greenbelt Road. The two organizations are working together to improve recycling in the county

People are asked to save magazines and catalogs-don't throw them away. On the second Saturday of each month bring them to the collection center at Holladay-Taylor Road from 8 a.m.-12 p.m. The next collection date will be March 13. Materials collected will be recycled into stationery and newspaper. Sorry, only magazines and catalogs are acceptable. No newspapers, phone books, or booklet? like the TV Guide will be collected.

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COUNCIL

(Continued from page one) Both council members Edward Putens and Rodney Roberts cited traffic concerns in supporting White's motion Mayor Gil Weidenfeld also voted aye.

Attick Park Lease

Council unanimously approved a motion granting the operator of the laks park concession stand a waiver of the five percent franchise fee of \$698 due for the 1992 season. At its January 25 regular meeting council had agreed to pay some of the cost of providing electricity to the stand and to temporarily reduce the franchise fee.

City Solicitor Robert Manzi. at council's request, developed several reasons for granting the waiver. These included the recreational and security benefits to the city of having a concession operation, the likelihood that granting the waiver would be less expensive than for the city to provide the services if the current concessionaire failed and the fact that the operator had to make unexpected repairs to the facility to meet health and building regulations.

Underground Cable

Council granted Cellular One permission, in exchange for a \$3.293 fee, to use the city rightof-way to lay an underground cable between its offices in Capital Office Park and the Golden Triangle. The cable will follow Ivy Lane to Crescent Road, Crescent to Southway, Southway to Greenbelt Road and Greenbelt Road to Walker Drive,

City Director of Planning Celia Wilson said the company would

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dig trenches to place the cable in grassy areas. However, it would be tunneled under sidewalks, driveways and streets and placed outside the drip line of trees. There will be no digging up of roadways, she said.

Council member Antoinette Bram wanted the money placed in the city's emergency assistance fund, rather than in the general fund. However, Mayor Gil Weidenfeld ruled that such action could not be considered under the original agenda item. Bram could, he said, ask council to take the issue up as a new agenda item at the end of the meeting. However, she declined. Board of Anneals

Board of Appeals Council appointed Eunice Coxon, Steven Skolnik and William Stratton to the new city Board of Appeals. The board will consider appeals of citations for violation made under the city's code enforcement program.

Philharmonic Concert

The Prince Georges Philharmonic is presenting a concert with Brian Ganz, pianist as soloist. Ganz and the orchestra will be celebrating the Russian musical heritage. Glinka. Rachmaninoff and Tchaikovsky will be featured on the program.

The concert will be held on Saturday March 13 at 8 p.m. at Northwestern High School, 7000 Adelphi Road, Hyattsville. All Prince Georges County school students and faculty will be admitted free. Parents will be charged half price. For admission fee and other information call 864-7358.

Pre-Need Counseling



Stone tools found at the pre-historic campsite near Indian Creek. The measurement is in millimeters on the bottom. — photo courtesy of Louis Berger & Associates

Thursday, March 4, 1993

State Withholding Policy Regarding Household Help

The current publicity surrounding hiring domestic help has prompted a wave of calls to state income tax offices from taxpayers asking about withholding taxes for those providing domestic services, according to Maryland State Comptroller Louis L. Goldstein.

"Many callers are asking if they are required to withhold state income taxes from the paychecks of those who provide household services," Mr. Goldstein said.

Under Maryland law, domestic services are exempt from state income tax withholding requirements. Domestic services include services provided in a private home, or the local chapter of a college fraternity or sorority.

Other household employees are subject to withholding only if they are paid over \$490 per month.

"As a convenience to the employee, however, employers may volunteer to withhold state income taxes from the wages of employees providing domestic services," Mr. Goldstein added.

For more details about state income tax withholding, taxpayers may contact the withholding section of the Maryland Income Tax Division, Annapolis, Maryland (410) 974-3739.



Greenbelt Aquatic & Fitness Center for aquatic classes. PLEASE NOTE registration days and times.

Registration for residents of Greenbelt and passholders ONLY is March 8th & 9th from 6:00 a.m. to 10 p.m. Registration for all others starts March 10th from 6:00 a.m. - 10:00 p.m. on a space available basis.

LATE REGISTRATION STARTS THE WEEK OF MARCH 15TH AND IS ON A SPACE AVAILABLE BASIS ONLY. A \$5.00 LATE FEE WILL BE CHARGED.

PLEASE NOTE: ALL CLASSES HAVE A LIMIT ON ENROLLMENT. EARY REGIS-TRATION IMPROVES YOUR CHANCES OF GETTING THE CLASS YOU WANT!!!!

CLASS FEES: All class fees are noted in the course description. Non-passholders of the facility will pay more than passholders. A 10% discount will be given to all senior citizens, 60 years old and over, for non-Senior classes.

CLASS SCHEDULE: Classes will begin the week of Monday, March 22nd.

REFUNDS: The Greenbelt Aquatic & Fitness Center 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 Center. Other refunds will be made according to the provisions in the City of Greenbelt Resolution No. 65, which also requires that refund requests, for valid reasons, are to be submitted IMMEDIATELY IN WRITING to the Business Office.

CITY RESIDENCY: Greenbelt residents are those who pay taxes to the City of Greenbelt. That is as it should be, as our residents pay taxes to support the Recreation Centers and the Aquatic and Fitness Center in our community. However just because someone has a Greenbelt address does not necessarily mean that they pay taxes to the City of Greenbelt. We want to be fair to the people whose tax money supports our programs. If you are not sure that you have a Greenbelt address, and pay city taxes call 513-0390.

MAINSTREAMING: Anyone who is physically, mentally, and/or emotionally challenged is encouraged to participate in any of the Aquatic & Fitness Center's programs. If you need any special assistance, please call 474-6878 or TTY 474-1811 and ask for Karen Haseley.

For any additional information, contact the Greenbelt Aquatic & Fitness Center at 513-0390. ADULT & SENIOR CLASSES

Passholders (PH) Resident Non-Passholders (R-NPH) Non-Resident/Non-Passholders (NR-NPH)

ACTIVITIES	DAY/T		GE GROUP	FEE		ENGTH
Adult Swimming Lessons:						8
Beginner Advanced Beginner	TH	7:00p-7:30p 7:30-8:00p	16 & Over 16 & Over	\$25 PH \$30 R-NPH \$35 NR-NPH	8	sessions
Arthritis Aquatics	M/W/F	2:00p-3:00p	16 & Over	\$55 PH \$60 R-NPH \$65 NR-NPH	24	session
Arthritis Deep Water Aquatics	M/W/F	3:15p-4:15p	16 & Over	\$55 PH \$60 R-NPH \$65 NR-NPH	24	session
Morning Aquacize	M/W/F	8:00a-8:45a	16 & Over	\$55 PH \$60 R-NPH \$65 NR-NPH	24	session
Evening Aquacize	M/W	7:00p-7:45p	16 & Over	\$40 PH \$45 R-NPH \$50 NR-NPH	16	sessions
Deep Water Running	M/W	7:00-7:45p	16 & Over	\$40 PH \$45 R-NPH \$50 NR-NPH	16	sessions

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Thursday, March 4, 1993

Police Blotter

Police Blotter Based on Information Released by the Greenbelt **Police** Department

As a man was getting out of his vehicle in the parking lot in the 9100 block of Edmonston Court around 7 p.m. on February 20, another man came up behind him, displayed a handgun, and demanded money. After getting the man's wallet, the robber ran away, towards Edmon-ston Terrace. The robber is de-scribed as black with black hair, 21 years old, 6'1", 175 lbs., wear-ing a black knit cap, a black coat, and blue jeans.

Responding to a report of a runaway juvenile at Beltway Plaza around 5 p.m. on February 19, officers found the youth, and also found that he had a marksman pellet gun. Consequently, the youth, a 16-year-old nonresident, was arrested and charged with possession of a concealed deadly weapon. He was taken to Boys' Village pending trial.

While patrolling the area of Cherrywood Lane and Greenbelt Road on February 19, an officer observed a suspicious vehicle and found, via computer, that its registration plates had been reported stolen. Consequently, a 24-year-old resident man was arrested and charged with theft. He appeared before a District Court Commissioner and was held on \$500 bond.

While patrolling the area of Kenilworth Avenue and West-. chester Park Drive on February 22, an officer observed a car being driven in a suspicious manner and found that its registration plates had been reported stolen. Consequently, a 23-yearold nonresident man was arrested and charged with theft. He appeared before a District Court Commissioner and was released pending trial.

A red, two-door, 1988 Beretta GT, MD tags WZC769, was reported stolen from the 6000 block of Greenbelt Road on February 23.

While patrolling the area of Cherrywood Lane and Kenilworth Avenue around 8:30 p.m. on February 11, an officer stopped a vehicle for a traffic violation. While talking with the driver, the officer smelled marijuana coming from inside the vehicle. Consequently, the driver, a 17year-old nonresident, was arrested and charged with possession of marijuana. The youth was released to his father pending trial.

Around 11:15 p.m. on February 15, officers responded to a report of a suspicious occupied vehicle in the 6100 block of Springhill Terrace. They found a Mazda 626 with three people in it. A computer check showed that the car had been stolen. The three people inside the car, an 18-yearold nonresident and two 15-year-

old nonresidents, were arrested block of Hanover Pkwy. for an and charged with theft. The 18- equipment violation and discovand charged with theft. The 18-

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year-old appeared before a District Court Commissioner and was released pending trial. The two juveniles were released to their parents pending trial.

While patrolling the area of Cherrywood Lane and Greenbelt Road around 12:15 a.m. on February 19, an officer stopped a vehicle for a traffic violation and found that it had been stolen from Pittsburgh. Consequently, the four people inside, all nonresidents and aged 21, 21, 20, and 21, were arrested and charged with theft. They appeared before a District Court Commissioner and were each held on \$1000 bond pending trial.

Hotline on Drugs

The Greenbelt Police Department needs the help of residents. Any citizen with information about possible drug activity in the city is encouraged to call the Greenbelt Narcotics Hot Line at 982-0580. Callers may remain anonymous.

A tan, four-door, 1983 Toyota Cressida, MD tags YJT840, was reported stolen from the 6000 block of Greenbelt Road on February 14.

A 35-year-old nonresident man was arrested and charged with possession of drug paraphernalia on February 6 after police stopped his vehicle in the 7000

ered a marijuana pipe. The man was released on citation pending trial.

While patrolling the 5900 block of Cherrywood Lane around 7:15 p.m. on February 5, an officer stopped a suspicious vehicle and found that the vehicle's tags had been reported stolen. Consequently, a 23-year-old resident man was arrested and charged with theft. He was released pending trial.

In a similar incident in the 6000 block of Greenbelt Road around 11:45 p.m. on February 5, an officer stopped a vehicle for an equipment violation and found that the tags on the vehicle had been reported stolen. A 22-year-old nonresident man was arrested and charged with theft. The man was released pending trial.

A two-door 1990 Honda Accord EX, Md. tags ZWV614, was reported stolen from the 7900 block of Mandan Road on February 6.

Vandalisms to, thefts from, and attempted thefts of autos were reported in the following areas: the area of Breezewood Drive and Breezewood Terrace, the 9000 block of Breezewood Terrace, the 5800 block of Cherrywood Terrace, the 9300 block of Edmonston Road, the 6300 block of Golden Triangle Drive, the 6100 block of Greenbelt Road, the 7800 block of Greenbrook Drive, the 7400 block of Greenway Center Drive, the 6900

State Summer Intern Positions Available

The Maryland State Archives has openings for its ten-week summer internship program. The internships are available to Maryland College students (graduate or advanced undergraduate) or to Maryland residents attending an out-of-state college or univer-

The program provides training in archival management and historical research. This includes computerized archival control over historical records and conducting research in primary source materials for publication. For information and applcation materials call (410) 974-3916. Application deadline is April 2.

Free Horn Concert

The Department of Music at the University of Maryland, College Park, will present a concert of music for large horn ensemble, featuring both original and transcribed works from the 17th to the 20th centuries, on Saturday, March 6 at 2 p.m. in the Tawes Recital Hall.

block of Hanover Pkwy., the area of Lakeside Drive and Crescent Road, the 200 block of Lakeside Drive, the 7800 block of Mandan Road, the 7400 block of Morrison Drive, 2 Court Research Road, the 400 block of Ridge Road, the 6000 block of Springhill Drive, and the 9100 block of Springhill Lane.

1993 Spring Aquatic Activities

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High Intensity Water Aerobic	M/W	6:00p-6:45p	16 & Over	\$40 PH \$45 R-NPH \$50 NR-NPH	16 sessions
High/Low Aerobics Drop-In O	nly FRI	6:00p-6:45p	16 & Over	\$2.00 PH \$3.00 N-PH per class	8 sessions
Lap Swimming & Stroke Improvement	TU	7:00p-7:45 p	16 & Over	\$30 PH \$35 R-NPH \$40 NR-NPH	8 sessions
Basic Lifeguard Training	MON	7:00p-10:30p	15 & Over	\$60 PH & N-PH	8 sessions
Seniorcize	M/W/F	10:00a-10:45p	60 & Over	\$49 PH \$54 R-NPH \$58 NR-NPH	24 sessions
	TU/TH	2:00p-2:45p	60 & Over	\$35 PH \$40 R-NPH \$45 NR-NPH	16 sessions
Streching & Strengthening (Not in water)	M/W		16 & Over for anyone in one of quatic clas-	\$40 PH \$45 R-NPH \$50 NR-NPH	24 sessions
Water Therapy	TU/TH	3:00p-3.45p	16 & Over	\$40 PH \$45 R-NPH \$50 NR-UPH	16 sessions
Water Interval Training	TU/TH	6:00p-6:45p	16 & Over	\$40 PH \$45 R-NPH \$50 NR-NPH	16 sessions
White Knuckles	TU	7:00p-7:30p	16 & Over	\$25 PH \$30 R-NPH \$35 NR-NPH	8 sessions
Yoga	M/F	7:00a-8:30a	16 & Over	\$ 5 PH \$10 R-NPH \$15 NR-NPH	16 sessions
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Water Babies (Swim with parent)	or SAT	10:00a-10:30a 10:15a-10:45a	6-18 moş	\$25 PH \$30 R-NPH \$35 NR-NPH	8 sessions
Aqua Tots I (Swim with parent)	TU or SAT	9:30a-10:00a 9:30a-10:00a	1½-4 yrs.	\$25 PH \$30 R-NPH \$35 NR-NPH	8 sessions
Aqua Tots II (Swim with parent)	TH or SAT	9:30a-10:00a 9:00a-9:30 a	1½-4 yrs.	\$25 PH \$30 R-NPH \$35 NR-NPH	8 sessions
Beginners for Age 4	or SAT	10:00a-10:30a 11:15a-11:45a	4 yrs.	\$25 PH \$30 R-NPH \$35 NR-NPH	8 sessions
American Red Cross Learn-to-Swim Classes Beginners thru Swimmers	SAT Sess. I Sess. II	9:00a-9:30a 9:45a-10:15a	5 & Up 5 & Up	\$25 PH \$30 R-NPH	8 sessions
	Sess. III Sess. IV	10:30a-11:00a 11:15a-11:45a	5 & Up 5 & Up	\$35 NR-NPH	





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Nominate Greenbelt Business Person

The Rotary Club of Greenbelt is seeking nominations for The Greenbelt Business Person of the Year Award. Anyone who knows someone who has met some of the following criteria, please contact Dale Watson by telephone at (301) 474-9027 or by Fax at (301) 441-2524, for further information.

The club is looking for an individual who has dignified his/ her profession by displaying high ethical standars in business relationships, been fair to his/ her employer, employees, associates. competitors, customers and the public, had an active role in serving the community both on a volunteer basis and through his/her business. offered his her vocational talents to provide opportunities for young people and improved the quality of life in the community, and has been honest in advertising and in all representations to the public concerning his her business.

Nominations will close March 15, The award will be presented on April 15 at the weekly 7:30 a.m. breakfast meeting held at the Greenbelt Marriott located on Ivy Lane in the Capital Office Park.

Empress Software Expands Operations

Empress Software Inc., located at 6401 Golden Triangle Drive since 1988, has expanded its operations. The firm signed a fiveyear lease to occupy 5.400 square feet on the second floor of the office building. Kevin McShea, managing director with the Bethesda office of Julien J. Studley, Inc., exclusively represented the tenant in the transaction.

Aetna Life Insurance Co. is the building owner.

A. Meer Welcomed By Weichert Realtors The Greenbelt office of Weich-

ert, Realtors welcomes new associate Abdulla Meer.

Meer has earned her Graduate Realtors Institute designation, is a member of the Prince Georges Board of Realtors, the Maryland Association of Realtors and the National Association of Realtors.

Meer received her MBA from the University of Maryland, in College Park. She can be reached for real estate transactions in the Greenbelt office of Weichert, Realtors, (301) 345-7600. Brown Chairs Library Council

Governor William Donald Schaefer has appointed Josef B. Brown. Esq., as chairperson of the Maryland Advisory Council on Libraries.

Brown is a partner in the Greenbelt law firm of Reichelt, Nussbaum, Brown, Dukes & La-Placa.

The Maryland Advisory Council on Libraries gathers information on the needs of libraries throughout the State. It also advises the Governor, the State Board of Education, the State Superintendent of Schools, and the Division of Library Development and Services on library matters and promotes improvement of library services in the State.

Hebert Joins Greenhorne&O'Mara

Greenhorne & O'Mara. Inc. has announced that Richard Hebert has joined the firm as Group Leader of Hazardous Waste Field Investigations/Audits. Hebert will be a part of the firm's environmental sciences / hazardous waste division, developing and managing hazardous waste projects.

Hebert has 14 years experience in managing and directing environmental engineering and science projects for government and private clients. His primary area of expertise is in hazardous waste management, covering hazardous waste site contamination assessments, remedial investigations. technology evaluations, handling, storage and transportation of hazardous materials; environmental and safety compliance studies, and PCBs. pesticides and hydrocarbons environmental fate evaluations. Hebert previously worked for ABB Environmental Services. Inc. of Portland. Maine.

Hebert holds Bachelor's of Science Degree in Microbiology from the University of Massachusetts. Amberst. and graduate coursework in microbiology at the University of Texas, Austin-He is originally from Salem. Massachusetts.

Businesses in Greenbelt are

invited to send

us their news

for this page



Brian Havekost Receives Honor

Brian J. Havekost. resident of Greenbelt and son of Barbara Havekost has been elected a member of the Honeywell Ambassadors Club for 1992.

Membership in the Ambassadors Club recognizes the highest level of achievement by field personnel in the firm's Home and Building Control organization. From among 2400 eligible engineering. technical and supervisory personnel, only 56 were so honored this year.

Winners and their spouses will join Honeywell executives for

Coakley & Williams Personnel Changes

Coakley & Williams Construction Company, Inc., recently promoted Lynn Stith-Bennett to Senior Project Manager for the Interior Construction Division. Bennett has been with Coakley & Williams Construction Company, Inc. since 1986.

Additionally, William Hunt has been hired as project estimator for the Interior Construction Division. Hunt was with Obrecht & Associates prior to joining Coakley & Williams Construction Company. Inc. in 1992.

recognition ceremonies in Palm Springs, Calif., in March.

Ciniero Appointed As Gallaudet Coach

Geoffrey Ciniero, a full-time civil engineer at Greenhorne & O'Mara, Inc. was recently appointed Gallaudet University's new head football coach. Gallaudet, located in Washington, D.C., is the only university in the world for deaf and hearingimpaired that has a varsity sports program.

For more than five years, Ciniero has worked as a civil engineer/project manager for Greenhorne & O'Mara, Inc., a national engineering-environmental consulting firm headquartered in Greenbelt.



474-6878

In-person registration, first-come, first-serve basis. ALL registrants may sign up at either Center for ALL classes. PLEASE NOTE registration days and times at each Center.

Monday, March 8th through Friday, March 12th 10:00 a.m. - 4:00 p.m., and Saturday, March 13th, 9:00 a.m. - 12 noon at Greenbelt Youth Center Business Office. Evening registration is Monday, March 8th through Wednesday March 10th, 7:30 p.m. - 9:00 p.m., at the Youth Center and Springhill Lake Recreation Center.

PLEASE NOTE: ALL CLASSES HAVE A LIMIT ON ENROLLMENT. EARLY REGIS-TRATION IMPROVES YOUR CHANCES OF OBTAINING THE CLASS OF YOUR CHOICE! LATE REGISTRATION ON SPACE AVAILABLE BASIS ONLY: ACCEPTED AT THE YOUTH CENTER BUSINESS OFFICE - beginning Monday, March 15th through Friday, March 19th, 10:00 a.m. - 4:00 p.m. and Saturday, March 20th, 9:00 a.m. - 12 noon. ALL LATE REGIS-TRANTS WILL BE CHARGED A LATE FEE OF \$5.00 PER FAMILY!! (If you register late on more than one day, you will be charged another late fee.) NO EVENING REGISTRATION WILL BE CONDUCTED AFTER WEDNESDAY, MARCH 10, 1993.

CLASS FEES: All class fees are noted in the course description. Residents are those individuals living within the city limits (not mailing only) of Greenbelt. Non-residents are those living outside the city limits of Greenbelt. 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. Visa or MasterCard accepted at the Youth Center Business Office DURING DAY-TIME HOURS ONLY.

CLASS SCHEDULE: Weekday classes will begin during the week of Monday, March 22nd with Saturday classes on March 27th. Classes are held for the number of sessions or hours designated. ONLY class cancellations, by Instructor Department, will be made up at the end of the regular class schedule. DAYTIME CLASSES WILL NOT BE HELD MONDAY, APRIL 5TH THRU FRIDAY, APRIL 9TH.

REFUNDS: The Greenbelt Recreation Department reserves the right to cancel classes due to insufficient registration or causes beyond its control. Refunds will automatically be made if these classes are cancelled by the Department. Other refunds will be made according to the provisions in the City of Greenbelt Resolution No. 65, which requires that refund requests, for valid reasons, to be submitted IMMEDIATELY IN WRITING to the Recreation Department Business Office.

MAINSTREAMING: Anyone who is physically, mentally, and/or emotionally challenged is encouraged to participate in any of the Recreation Department's programs. If you need any special assistance, please call 474-6878 or TTY 474-1811, ask for Karen Haseley.

LOCATION CODE: BFTC - Braden Field Tennis Courts; CS - Center Elementary School; SHLRC - Springhill Lake Recreation Center; YC - Youth Center. FOR ADDITIONAL INFOR-MATION: Contact the Greenbelt Recreation Department, weekdays 9:00 a.m. - 4:30 p.m., 474-6878.

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Baton & Jazz Dance CPR/First Aid	YC YC		1:00a- 2:00p 7:00p-10:30p		\$25/8 wks.
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Clay Sculpture & Pottery			10:15a-11:00a 11:15a-12:15p	6- 8 yrs. 9- 12 yrs.	



City Notes

Public Works crews placed traffic-count devices at Frankfort Drive and at Mandan Road. Snow removal crews were called out early on Sunday morning, February 21 to spread salt on icy areas and again late in the afternoon and into the night to plow snow accumulations and spread salt on icy roads.

Crews assisted the police department early February 22 by spreading salt and abrasives on ice caused by water from fire department hoses at the intersection of Greenbelt and Mandan Roads and assisting with traffic control markers after a serious multi-vehicle accident.

The automotive shop was able to take four old unserviceable automobiles out of service as a result of the improved maintenance program. These vehicles were approved for auction and the city received \$1,372 from their sale.

Gymnastics - Pre-School

Elementary Age

Learn to Knit/Crochet

Living, Learning, Language

Mom's/Dad's Morning/Afternoon

Tai Chi Introductory Session 3/20

Adult Fundamentals-Beginner BFTC

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Activities

Kids Kitchen

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Pre-School Playtime

Swedish Massage Class

Teen & Adult Jazz/Tap

Novice/Beginner

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Tennis - Children

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Slimnastics

Public Works crews stacked and dressed the woodchip pile at Northway Field and installed fencing in front of the topsoil berm.

The crews dismantled the gas pump shelter at the Public Works facility in preparation for removal of the underground fuel tank.

The Horticultural crew continued construction of a greenhouse to grow plants for city This should reduce the use. amount of plants that must be purchased by the city.

Graffiti was again painted over the city underpasses. Vandalism to bulbs in the

flower bed at Ryan Way was repaired, The decorative concrete cigarette urn installed by the bench at the public telephone in Roosevelt Center was smashed by a vandal Tuesday night, January 19. A replacement urn kept in reserve for such a contingency was installed on Wednesday.

January 20. The replacement urn

Children, Teen & Adult Classes

Continued

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4:30p- 5:15p

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was vandalized and smashed within hours of its installation. The broken urn has been removed and cannot be replaced because of lack of money to purchase and install more urns.

Greenbelt Girl Scouts Learn Babysitting

On a recent Saturday morning,

Greenbelt CARES provided 30 sixth and seventh grade Girl Scouts with babysitting training. The three-hour course offered the girls a glimpse of what to expect and how to prepare for the unexpected when babysitting. The Girl Scouts-from five different troops-were taught by Judy Herring. Each participant will receive a certificate of completion and will be listed in the Greenbelt CARES Job Bank. The course for local Girl Scouts was arranged by Greenbelt Girl Scout leader Denise Troeschel.

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Greenbelt Girl Scouts at the Greenbelt Museum seeking clues for a treasure hunt during the recent Girl Scout Greenbelt Discovery Day.

- photo courtesy Greenbelt Girl Scouts

GIRL SCOUTS DISCOVER GREENBELT ON HUNT

by Madeline Bell

On Saturday, February 6, Girl Scout Troops 567, 2427, 1161, 22779 and 3030 participated in Greenbelt Discovery Day.

We Girl Scouts ate lunch at Greenbelt Fire House with two special guests, Mayor Gil Weidenfeld and City Councilmember Rodney Roberts. We got to ask them some questions. We asked how you would describe Green-belt. They said, "Friendly, caring, unique and green." We also wanted to know what can we do as future citizens of Greenbelt? Mayor Weidenfeld said, "Belonging as Girl Scouts or volunteering to help Greenbelt." Rodney Roberts said, "Some people were not in Greenbelt at first but now anybody can live here and we have to live together." We greatly appreciated what you said, Mayor Weidenfeld and Mr. Roberts.

Treasure Hunt

Later on we were divided into groups for a treasure hunt. Each group went to different places in Greenbelt and had to answer questions about that place. The group with the most right an-swers won. That was really fun, and we learned a lot.

Around 7 p.m., we went to the Aquatics Center. There we had a "splash from the past." When we got back to the church, we set up our sleeping bags and changed into our pajamas. Some of us talked and some watched a movie. Then, at last, we went to sleep, which we needed.

Pianist to Perform

Gail Niwa, Grand Prize Winner of the 1991 Gina Bachauer International Piano Competition, will present a concert on Wednesday, March 10 at 8 p.m. in the Tawes Recital Hall at the University of Maryland, College Park. The program will include works by Bach-Busoni, Chopin, Szymanowski, Tchaikovsky, and Liapunov. There is no admission fee and the public is welcome. For information call the Con-cert Office at (301) 405-5548. Free Band Concert On Wednesday, March 10 at

8 p.m. the Department of Music at the University of Maryland at College Park will present the Concert Band, Robert E. Foster, Jr. conductor, at the Center of Adult Education. The program will include works by Sousa, Bernstein, Williams, Grainger and Holst. The concert is free and the public is invited to attend. For information call the Concert Office at (301) 405-5548.

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AQUATIC ACTIVITIES

Registration will be held at the Greenbelt Aquatic and Fitness Center. Check this week's 1993 Spring Aquatic Activities ad for class registrations. For additional information, dial 513-0390. **BIO AEROBICS**

ADDITIONAL CLASS INFORMATION

Register with class instructor. Spring session begins Wednesday, April 14, 1993. 7:00p-8:00p 16 & Over \$45.50/8 wks. M/W YC

CREATIVE DRAMA - Offered through the Greenbelt Arts Center. The Winter/Spring session is in progress. For additional information dial 474-5729 or 441-8770.

JACKI SORENSON'S AEROBIC DANCING

Register with class instructor. Spring session begins Thursday April 1st. Due to replacement of the Springhill Lake Recreation Center Gym floor, beginning April 1st classes will be held at the Greenbelt Youth Center. Contact Sue Anne Swartz 552-9743, for additional information.

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Cold Weather Doesn't Deter D.C. Roadrunner Racers

by Larry Noel

How cold was it? You couldn't judge it from about 12 runners who ran in the D.C. Road Runners 10 and 20 mile races on December 26, 1992 wearing running shorts, T-shirts and no hats while the rest of the 135 finishers were bundled up, including the officials in the 30-35 degree temperature made even lower by the strong winds on Beaver Dam and Research Roads. About 10 runners dropped out by cutting the course short to get back to the hot drinks. 1984 and three second place fin-

ishes. His best time is 1:55:30 in

1984. Beach was in 4th place

throughout the 10-mile and as the

turnaround point on Braden Field

he had a big lead which he

stretched to over 41/2 minutes to beat Chris Nugent, 27, Lang-

Senoria Clarke, 28, Washing-ton, D.C. led 6 other women finishers in 2:13:58 with Susan

Kinnecome, 29, Bethesda finish-

ing 20 minutes later in 2:35:42.

ley Park in 2:04:05.

The closest finish in the 15year history of this 10-mile race came when less than one second separated Scott Douglas 28, Bethesda, Md. who outkicked Jim Hage, 34, of nearby Lanham, winning in 57 minutes and 53 seconds. These two runners ran together the whole way at not a fast pace, averaging 5:45 s mile. Hage won this race in 1991 in 56:58 and has won the 20-mile here as well as the Washington's Birthday Marathon twice. This year he placed 16th in the Olym-pic Marathon Trials. Bob Oberti, 45, was 4th and the first master runner in 1:01:31.

Six Greenbelters finished the 10-mile, led for the second year by Kevin Wilkinson, 37, in 6th place in one hour and 3 minutes. Other Greenbelters were: Ken LaBel, 30, 49th in 1:24:45, John Salemme, 34, 56th 1:29:01, Joe Broderick, 54, 58th in 1:30:32, Mark McElreath, 48, 61st in 1:31:21 and Sid Conger, 63, 65th in 1:35:28. Two 72-year-old men finished in 2:08:02 and 2:17:09. respectively respectively.

The first woman was Marny Gilluly, 43, Washington, D.C. in 1:08:58 who also set a new mas-ters record for this race. (In 1991 3rd place woman finisher Judy Bugyi, 45, State College, Pa. set the previous masters record of 1:09:30). Gilluly won over Chris Stockdale, 48, Takoma Park, in 1:09:40.

Lending an international flavor to our race were two visitors from Munich, Germany, Charlotte Hale and Elvira Becker finished in 1:25:06 and 1:42:11, respectively. No Greenbelt women finished in either race.

20-Mile Race In the featured 29th annual 20-mile race in Greenbelt (at one time this race was called The Turkey Trot 20-miler and held at Thanksgiving) there was not much of a contest as Ben Beach, 43, also of Bethesda won in just under 6 minute-a-mile pace in one hour 59 minutes and 28 seconds. Beach practically owns this race as he has won it five of the last six years, starting in

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Dick 474-1277 for info.

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Anne McHenry, 42, Silver Spring was the first master woman in 2:44:04.

Thirty-eight men and seven women finished the 20-mile. Conspicuous by his absence was veteran long distance runner Dick Good, 63, formerly of Greenbelt who has moved to a western Maryland town called—you won't guess it, Accident. That name ranks right up there with another Maryland town called Detour, not far from where this writer lives in Emmitsburg.

Complete results of both races will be posted at the Youth Center. We had help from several organizations: The Beltsville Agricultural Research Center (BARC), REACT Radio Communications Team with Greenbelter Myrna Burchick as Base Controller, the Greenbelt Police and the Recreation Department's warm facilities which were sppreciated a great deal by all but the aforementioned 12 runners.

Scholarship Offered

The 8118 Volunteer Association of Doctors Community Hospital is offering a one thousand dollar (\$1000) and a five hundred (\$500) scholarship to be awarded to individuals pursuing a ca-

reer in healthcare. Applicants must be 17 years of age and they or their parent must reside or work in Prince Georges County. For a list of criteria and an application please call, (301) 552-8108. Deadline for submitting applications is April 15.



We welcome advice, help, etc. Please call

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Thursday, March 4, 1993

Free Piano Concert Tawes Recital Hall

The Department of Music at the University of Maryland, College Park, presents faculty pianist Gregory Sioles in concert on Monday, March 8, at 8 p.m. in the Tawes Recital Hall. The program includes:

Partita No. 1 in B flat Major by Bach, Sonata in F minor, Op. 57 by Beethoven. Sonata (1926)

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teer activities for adults. A three-day volunteer training course will be presented on Saturdays, March 6, 20 and April 3 from 9:30 a.m. to 1 p.m. to prepare interested people for volunteer options such as museum docent, visitor center host, interpretive naturalist, pontoon boat operator, driving tour host. carpenter or trail maintenance. For information call 627-6074.

The Lion's Roar by Lion Emory A. Harman

The Lions of Greenbelt have been active in a variety of activities and projects.

In December, a pancake break-fast was held for the Handi-capped Recreation Program, pounds of stamps were donated to the Disabled Veterans Program, and \$120.00 to Easter Seals, toys collected in the Lion's Toy Drive were distributed and glasses were provided to a middle school student. A food basket was given to a new fam-

In January, the Lion Club pro-vided a wheelchair to an elderly woman, supplied two canes to two individuals in Greenbelt, secured a walker for an elderly woman, provided a pair of glasses for a middle school student, made a donation to St. Hugh's Church for community programs, collected medical supply items from the community for distribution. Most of the items were placed immediately. In February, the club arranged for eye exams for two Greenbelt individuals, ran a Presidents Day fundraiser for community projects at the Beltway Plaza, provided a wheelchair to a woman in Greenbelt, and made donations to the Handicapped Recreation and Academic Achieve-

ment Programs. The Greenbelt Lions are ready and waiting to help and aid the indigent and less fortunate in Greenbelt. Contact any member or write to Lion's Club, P.O. Box 677, U.S. Post Office, Greenbelt, Md. 20768.

Residents Reminded Of New Tax Rate

The Maryland State Comptroller's office reports that many taxpayers are not using the correct local income tax rates.

Nearly 2.5 per cent of the returns processed by February 1 contained an error in figuring the local income tax, For 1992, Prince Georges County increased its tax rate to 60 percent. The tax rate is based upon where the taxpayer lives, not where he or she works.

Concert Charms Audience by Jan Kuhn

David and Ginger Hildebrand charmed their audience on a re-cent evening at Mishkan Torah Synagogue with their playing, singing and friendly banter. Dressed in period costume of colonial America, they performed on a variety of early instruments which, except for the 200-yearold violin, were reproductions of those played in the 17th and 18th century.

The concert was an educational program in itself as the Hil-debrands described the history of their instruments and their research into the authentic tunes they performed. The violin was the most popular instrument of colonial America used by 80 percent of the early musicians. Other instruments included several types of guitars, flutes, the hammered dulcimer and the harpsicord, the latter being owned only by the wealthy few. The toe-tapping melodies and verses had an earthy quality that provided a window into the spirit and concerns of the times.

The couple has been performing together professionally since 1980. David received his Ph.D. in musicology from Catholic University in 1992. His doctoral thesis was on music in Annapolis before the revolution. Ginger has an M.M. in guitar performance from the Peabody Conservatory. The couple's music has been used on the sound tracks for movies, stage productions and various other recordings.

If the performance of the Hildebrands is a measure of the quality of artistic expression found in this area, one need not step outside of Greenbelt to experience the best that America has to offer.





What is an interference engine? An engine is either "interference" or "free-running" depending on its design. If the timing belt breaks in an interference engine, an open valve may be struck by a moving piston. This can result in serious damage and expensive repairs.

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JOE'S TIPS OF THE WEEK

Hello again.

From time to time people ask me questions in reference to their particular vehicle, and I render advice as I see fit. Case in point, a couple of months ago I was asked the question, "Does my vehicle need to have the engine valve timing belt replaced?" I casually asked what was the mileage. "76,000," was the reply. I responded "no question, IT NEEDS IT!!" The owner gave me every reason why she didn't want to undertake this repair. "OK," I said, and went about my work. Well approximately four months later, this very same vehicle was towed into the repair facility with a broken engine valve timing belt! This is the killer part: I estimated this job for this engine due to its interference type engine. This means that the pistons will collide with the exhaust valves if valve timing is interrupted, normally caused by valve timing belt failure. A normal preventive maintentowed into the repair facility with a broken engine valve timing belt! This is the killer part: I estimated this job valve timing belt failure. A normal preventive maintenance valve timing belt service goes out the door around \$300 - \$400, depending upon application and components installed; now it turned into a \$900 - \$1,200 project. This makes me sick because this is a preventable type of repair!!! And, my advice was not taken seriously.

Engine valve timing belts are a part of vehicle pre-ventive maintenance service requirements and need to be addressed in accordance with the time and mileage. Engine valve timing belts are a part of vehicle pre-Not all engines are interference engines, and internal 0000 damage will not occur. We have a listing that determines which engines fall into this category.

TILL NEXT WEEK THINK PREVENTIVE MAINTENANCE



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Our Neighbors

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by Linda Savaryn, 474-5285 Congratulations to the Green-

belt Boys and Girls Club Fall Soccer Team for becoming the 1992 County Co-Champions (Di-vision No. 2). Members of the team are:

Lynn McKee (head coach), Joseph Anthony, Timothy Bates. Paul Carey. Devon Claridge. David Comproni, Nelson DaSilva, Guinevere Granite. Matthew Gregory, Antaeus Hayes, Dante Hayes. Ryan Hyde, Ari Kohn. Daniel Lewis. John (Jan) Smid. John (Jay) Vish. Nicholas Weyel, Michael Wilson, and the assistant coach(es) (whose name(s) were not available but should also be recognized).

It's a boy for Larry and Joan Hartzell of Beltsville. Their son Larry Edmund was born January 23, weighing 7 lb. 7 oz. He joins sister Elizabeth, age 2. Larry's grandfather is John Yakupkovic of Lastner Lane.

Former Greenbelter Sylvia Rosen reports that former resident Evelyn Barnett is seriously ill. Evelyn will appreciate receiving cards from her Greenbelt friends and neighbors. They may be sent to 13338 Delmonte Drive, Apt. 3-M. Seal Beach. California 90740.

Former City Manager and News Review staff member, James K. Giese, was appointed the Industrial Development Authority of Prince Georges County.

A speedy recovery to Joan

Seniors Offered Free Tax Help Volunteers, trained by the Internal Revenue Service, are once again providing free tax preparconcerning income and expenses.

ation help to low income elderly and senior citizens at the Greenbelt Library by appointment only. Taxpayers should bring the 1992 federal tax package they received in the mail. all wage and earnings statements (Forms

W-2), all interest and dividend statements (Forms 1099), a copy of their federal tax return from last year. if available, the social security number of any depend-

Neumann who recently underwent surgery at Doctor's Community Hospital.

Greenbelter Kevin Faherty, 13, an eighth grader at Kenmoor Middle School, is among 104 semi-finalists competing in the Maryland State Geography Bee. Kevin won his school competition in January. All school winners were then tested to determine the state semi-finalists.

Kathy Reynolds sent us an update on George Daffan. The Daffans received good news on Tuesday, March 2, after a checkup with the doctor, the news was. everything looks good. George will be able to return to lightwork in approximately duty three weeks.

The doctors are amazed at George's progress - No one expected the recovery that was made. Can't keep a good man down — A speedy recovery George!

ent age one year or older, and any other relevant information

Volunteers are members of professional organizations, college students, homemakers, and members of community and retiree organizations.

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 - . Proof of child's age (must be 5 yrs. old by Dec. 31, 1992)
 - Some proof of Greenbelt residence
 - **OR** attendance at a Greenbelt school

T-Ball is sponsored jointly by St. Hugh's CYO & the Greenbelt Little League

1 BEDROOMS	A REAL PROPERTY AND A REAL	BLOCK END \$79,990
HONEYMOON COTTAGE! \$49,900	Leonard &	NEW vinyl siding. Screened porch and picturesque yard Modern kit/bath. Sep DR, 6 ceiling fans and coveted location.
Lush and beautiful yard is large & fenced. Roomy kitchen with	Holley	PRICED TO IMPRESS \$49,900
preakfast bar & pantry. Lighted fan, A/C and modern bath.	your	Freshly painted kitchen w/new washer, microwave & tile floor
WOODED BEAUTY \$36,000	Greenbelt	Nice hdwd firs. Sep laundry rm w/dryer. Ceiling fan and deck
Upper level END. Open, expanded kitchen offers countertop dining, storage, W/D and modern cabinets. Ceramic tile bath.	Specialists	SECLUDED END UNIT \$59,500
\$1,000 CLOSING HELP!	and	Yard is nestled among the woods. Exquisite firs, open kitche
LOWER LEVEL END \$39,900	Neighbors	& updated bath. Added windows provide a marvelous view.
New W/W carpet. Open modern kitchen and breakfast bar.		3 BEDROOMS
New cabinets. Updated tile bath. Wooded yard with shed.	ENLARGED DINING AREA \$49,500	
A COZY NEW LOOK \$35,900	Freshly painted, new carpet, hardwd firs & bookcase. Kitchen	2 STORY ADDITION \$65,900 Cathedral ceilings & skylights in sunny LR. Modern kit/batt
Upper level home. Professionally painted. Breakfast nook,	has new stove & floor and W/D. Tile bath and a fenced yard.	dwasher, W/D, fenced yard & deck. Hardwd firs & bigger BR's
storage, built-in A/C and carpet. Modern bath with linen closet. \$1,000 CLOSING HELP!	END UNIT \$59,900	\$3,000 CLOSING HELP!
	All new walls in perfect condition. Carpet, ceiling fan, stacking W/D & lots of storage. Upgraded kitchen & bath. Fenced yard.	BAMBOO FOREST \$59,900
UPPER LEVEL HOME \$36,900 Fenced yard w/mature trees. New fridge, stove and cabinets.	\$2,000 CLOSING HELP!	Huge, private corner yard. Updated kitchen w/dishwashe Modern bath. Opened stairway, pretty decor & great storage.
Storage closet, shining hardwood firs, 2 A/C's, W/D and blinds.	SINGLE FAMILY HOME \$105,900	
MINT CONDITION \$39,900	This 2 bedroom rambler is part of GHI. Detached 1 car	REDUCED \$61,900 Florida rm addition overlooks the deck & quiet/wooded yar
Upper level END unit. Private stairway and open living room.	garage Modern kitchen & bath, almost new carpet, 2 ceiling fans plus more! This dream includes the white picket fence.	Modern kitchen, W/D, updated bath & attic w/stairs for storage
Modern kit has W/D, attic w/ stairs, upgraded bath & big yard. \$1,000 CLOSING HELP!	Huge yard. Walking distance to Center. Superior condition.	\$2,000 CLOSING HELP!
of the spectrum former of the second of the	BRICK HOME REMODELED \$81,990	BRICK HOME \$85,000
LOWER LEVEL END \$43,500 Remodeled kitchen w/arched doorway, new cabinets, counters	Modern kitchen w/new cabinets & appliances. Sep. DR & built-in buffet. 4 fans, updated bath, fresh paint inside and out!	Loaded kitchen w/dishwasher, W/D & disposal. 3 Fans, built- A/C, fenced yard w/shed and patio. Sep. DR w/built-in shelves
& stack W/D. New carpet. Covered deck, fenced yard & shed.	and a second sec	the second s
2 BEDROOMS	SOUGHT AFTER LAYOUT \$57,500 Top condition. New carpet. Faux brick fireplace w/mirror and	BLOCK HOME & FREE GARAGE \$74,900 New vinyl siding. Beautiful parquet floors! Laundry roor
A REAL PROPERTY AND A REAL	mantle. Modern kitchen has new counters, cabinets and W/D.	addition. Separate dining rm & spacious kitchen. Pretty yard.
BRICK FIREPLACE \$74,900 Wide floorplan END unit. 1st floor addition has F/P & skylight!	\$1,500 CLOSING HELP!	\$2,000 CLOSING HELP!
Exceptional location and huge fenced yard backs to woods.	DDAT TYT	IMPECCABLE \$69,900
LOWEST OF THE LOW \$49,900	REALTY 1	New includes carpet, cabinets, floor, counters, stove, cerami tile, pedestal sink, tub & paint. Big yard w/fence, shed & deck
Wooded yard. Separate dining area. Open stairway & built-in		
bookcases. Ceramic tile bath, roomy kitchen & hardwd floors. \$2,000 CLOSING HELP!	000 0044	Attached GARAGE w/heat, W/D and A/C. Big eat-in kitche
	982-0044	has dishwasher, disposal. Backyard is fenced and has a deck
2 Story Wilson! Fuplay, skyligt, stone creek, panese		\$3,000 CLOSING HELP!
2 Story Sition! Foole, skyligter, stone creck, panese gardel ck, Privat, d backs to bds. Prist ondition.	Loonand & Hollow Wallage	BRICK UNIT \$84,999
REDUCED END UNIT \$54,900	Leonard & Holley Wallace	Quiet fenced yard w/trees. Gorgeous new tile flooring. Sep E & roomy kitchen. New carpet, hdwd firs, ceiling fans and more
Large yard w/privacy hedges. Remodeled kitchen has ceramic	Eric Weiner	A REAL PROPERTY AND A REAL
tile. Expanded dining area. Modern bath. Park at your door! \$2,000 CLOSING HELP!	AND A REAL PROPERTY OF	4 BEDROOMS \$69,500 2 FULL BATHS! Block home has 1st floor addition! Eat
	"When buyers think Greenbelt, they think REALTY 1"	kitchen, fresh paint, 2 A/C's, fan, W/D, patio, covered deck.
EQUAL HOUSING OPPORTUNITY	HIC HINK KEALTT	\$1,000 CLOSING HELP!