

Metro Bus Hearing Dismays Riders Council to Look at Cinema **Cafe; Prepares for Stimulus** With Unpopular Route Proposals

by Diane Oberg

The bus route changes proposed by the county Office of Transportation (OT) were not popular with citizens attending the city council's April 13 public hearing. The hearing was the first public look at the way the county department proposes that local bus routes change when the northern section of the Metrorail Green Line opens in December.

Daphne Quinn, an intern in Greenbelt's Department of Plan-ning and Community Development, described the proposed changes. Six routes currently serve Greenbelt. If the proposed changes are approved, only two routes will remain. Another route, the C-2, is essentially un-changed, but will not serve any part of Greenbelt other than the Metro station.

The other changes will have more effect on Greenbelt residents (see box). The two express buses to the New Carrollton station, the R-11 and R-15, will be eliminated. The R-12 will be rerouted to serve three green line stations (P.G. Plaza, College Park, Greenbelt), and the orange line New Carrollton station, instead of the current service to orange line stations Addison Road and Deanwood. There will be changes to the T-15 route and the F-6 will no longer serve Greenbelt.

F-6 Changes The change to the F-6 route was the most unpopular proposal at the hearing. It is currently used by Greenbelters travelling to the University of Maryland and by those wanting to travel to Silver Spring or to connect to other Montgomery County routes. Several speakers noted that it is the only bus serving Greenbelt after 8:30 p.m.

Greenbelt residents who want to go to the University of Maryland using public transportation would have a couple of options when the routes change. They can go to the Greenbelt Metro station and take Metrorail to the College Park station, one stop away. However, as several speak-ers pointed out, the College Park station is a 20-30 minute walk from the main campus of the university. Alternately, they could take the C-2 bus from the Greenbelt Metro station to the University of Maryland. How-



Route Numbe	er Current Stops	Proposed Stops
R-15 (Express)	New Carrollton Sta. (O Princess Garden Pkwy Hanover Parkway Ora Glen Drive Mandan Road Greenbriar) Delete Route - use T-15 or R-12

Summary of Route Changes

R-11 (Express)	New Carrollton Sta. (O) Southway Ridge/Crescent Road Springhill Lake Beltway Plaza	Delete Route - use T-15
R-12	Addison Rd. Sta. (O) Deanwood Sta. (O) Kenilworth Ave. Springhill Lake Beltway Plaza	PG Plaza Sta. (G) College Pk. Sta. (G) Springhill Lake Greenbelt Sta. (G) Mandan Rd. Ora Glen Drive Hanover Parkway Princess Garden Pkwy. New Crarollton Sta. (O)
T-15/16	New Carrollton Sta. (O) Route 450 Doctor's Hospital Good Luck Road NASA Greenbriar Crescent/Ridge Rd. Capital Office Park Beltway Plaza	Proposed Stops New Carrollton Sta. (O) Route 450 Doctor's Hospital Good Luck Road Goddard Corporate Park NASA Greenbriar Crescent/Ridge Rd. Beltway Plaza Greenbelt Sta. (G)
F-6	Silver Spring Sta. (R) Takoma Park PG Plaza Univ. of Maryland Beltway Plaza Crescent/Ridge Rd. NASA (Rush hrs. only)	PG Plaza Sta. (G) Hyattsville Sta. (G East-West Highway Kenilworth Ave. Good Luck Rd. New Carrollton Sta. (O)
(O) - Orange(G) - Green(R) - Red Li		
Source: Base	d upon information provide	d by the City of Greenbelt

ever, this necessitates a bus-tobus transfer that would likely extend the time required for the

trip.

While the university's shuttle bus also serves Greenbelt, it only runs while regular classes are in session, with no service during the summer or other breaks. In addition, it stops running around 7 p.m. Only students. professors and other University employees may use the shuttle.

Residential Streets There was also no support voiced in the hearing for the transportation department's stated goal of keeping new routes off residential streets. Transportation Planner Terry Potts told the News Review that this policy was designed to avoid the citizen complaints that frequently arise when buses are shifted to new roads. However, several speakers felt removing bus service from internal city streets would reduce ridership by making residents walk too far to meet a bus.

Particularly hard hit by the proposed changes is the University Square/Charlestowne Village/Belle Point area. Currently, only the F-6 serves this area. If the proposed route changes are approved, Joanne Carol pointed out, residents of that area have a choice of trying to cross Greenbelt Road at Lakecrest or walking around the lake, in the dark during winter, to catch a bus.

T-15

The T-15/16 route provides service from Greenbelt to the New Carrollton Metro station, with stops at many locations in transit. Margaret Simon said the only reason she has ever taken this bus is for a "scenic tour of the county." Fred Gasper and Noreen Yoch disputed Metro's claim that the route takes 45 minutes. Both said it generally ran closer to one hour and was rarely on time.

Although the new Greenbelt station will provide closer access See METRO BUS, page 16, c. 4

The Greenbelt City Council, at its April 12 regular meeting, discussed legislation for the theater, the Lakewood storm drainage project, an ordinance to borrow funds, a proposal to spend funds which may become available under the President's economic stimulus program and the formation of a bicycle task force.

Theater Legislation Councilmember Thomas White announced that Governor Schaefer is in support of the Greenbelt version of the cinema-cafe theater legislation before the Maryland General Assembly. This bill would authorize the granting of alcoholic beverage licenses to movie theaters operating with a cinema-cafe format as proposed for the Greenbelt Theater, subject to a number of conditions proposed by the City Council. This item will be considered further at the next meeting. (Note: The News Review has been advised by the city staff that this bill was enacted by the legislature.

Lakewood Project

Councilman White asked staff about the status of the Lake-

wood storm drainage project. Daniel Hobbs, City Manager, indicated that negotiations with the County Department of En-vironmental Services were ongoing and that he would provide a status report at the next meeting. Mayor Gil Weidenfeld expressed his concern that this project, needed to alleviate excessive storm water runoff flowing through yards in the Lakewood area, not be forgotten.

Ordinance to Borrow

An ordinance to extend the length of time funds can temporarily be borrowed to finance the cost of special assessment improvements at Roosevelt Cen-ter was presented to the council and introduced for first reading. With the extension proposed, See COUNCIL, page 16, col. 1



Work proceeds on the new Federal Justice Center on Cherrywood Lane across from Capital Office Park.

- photo by J. Henson

COURTHOUSE RISING OFF CHERRYWOOD

The 180,000 square foot U.S. Courthouse is about 29 percent complete. Pre-cast materials will soon be placed over the structural steel that frames the building. Later this month, horizontal bands of natural stone, designed to offset the lighter precast panels, will be installed.

The parking deck composed of pre-cast fabricated panels has already been assembled and vill be put in place as soon as the weather improves.

Under the direction of the General Services Administration the architectural firm of Hellmuth, Obata, and Kassabaum designed the courthouse and CRSS Commercial Group, Inc. is assisting with the construction management of the project. The George Hyman Construction Company is the contractor for the Superstructure Phase.

When completed in January 1994, the structure will house the Southern Division of the Maryland courts. The building will contain seven courtrooms: one for the senior District Court judge, two for the District Courts, two for the Magistrates, and two for the Bankruptcy Courts. The courthouse will house approximately 300 employees.

Unsafe Crossing

To the Editor: I frequently use the pedestrian crosswalk at Northway and Crescent Roads near St. Hugh's School. I take my grandchildren

for rides in their strollers and go to the library or the center using that crosswalk. When using the crosswalk we've had to wait a long time before any car will stop to let us cross. and we've had to run across the road to escape speeders. The last time I used that crosswalk after activating the flashing yellow light, we were almost run down by a driver in a pick-up truck who yelled at us for being in the road and who swerved over the double yellow line to get around us. I guess he didn't know what a flashing yellow light meant.

I'm concerned about the children who cross the road when there is no school guard to stop the traffic. I've watched them push the button to activate the flashing yellow light and then run like heck to get to the other side. They shouldn't have to do that as a routine way to cross the road.

A flashing light is not safe at that crosswalk - a stop light is needed. People need to cross the road safely.

Lorene Hanna

Saved the Day!

To the Editor: My wedding day was March 13. the day of the terrible blizzard. On that morning at 10 a.m. I came out of my parents house on White Birch Court carrying my wedding dress in a clear plastic bag. Just as I came out, a Greenbelt snowplow passed the house as it plowed the street-I believe the plow operator must have seen me with the dress because he did something won-derful and totally unexpected. Instead of plowing the street until it was clear and moving onto the next street, he plowed a path from White Blrch Court to Crescent Road. My parents. my bridesmaid and I (in two cars) were able to follow the plow and proceed to the church. I wish to thank the anonymous plow operator for taking the time to help us. Because of his efforts, we had no problems get-ting to the church and the ceremony went on as planned.

While we were on our honeymoon. we heard countless stories about other couples who had to cancel or postpone their weddings because of the storm. I am very grateful to the City of Greenbelt for plowing the roads and keeping up with the storm. I am especially grateful to the plow operator whom I will never forget.

Visit Bonsai Exhibit

On Saturday, May 1, through Sunday, May 9, from 10 a.m. to 3:30 p.m. daily, enjoy a display created by amateur bonsai enthusiasts of the Virginia Bonsai Society of South East, Virginia in the National Bonsai and Penjing Museum at the U.S. National Arboretum.

Thursday, April 22, 1993

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- 8. Administrative Reports 9. Committee Reports

III. LEGISLATION

- 10. An Ordinance to Authorize and Empower the City of Greenbelt, Maryland, from Time to Time, to Borrow Not More than One Million Four Hundred Fifty Thousand Dollars (\$1,450,000) for the Public Purpose of Financing Certain Improvements Described Herein, and to Effect Such Borrowing by the Issuance and Sale, upon its Full Faith and Credit, of its General Obligation Bonds in Like Par Amount Pursuant to the Authority of Sections 31 to 37, Inclusive. or Article 23A of the Annotated Code of Maryland (1990) Replacement Volume and 1992 Cumulative Supplement, and Section 55 of the City Charter; Providing for the Appropriation and Disposal of the Proceeds of Sale of the Bonds; Providing for the Levy and Collection of (i) Special Assessments upon Certain Property Benefited by Such Improvements. and, if the Sums Collected Therefrom Should Ever Be Insufficient for Such Purpose, (ii) Taxes Sufficient for the Prompt Payment of the Maturing Principal of and Interest on the Bonds; Authorizing the Issuance of Bond Anticipation Notes in Anticipation of the Issuance and Sale of the Bonds; and Generally Relating to the Issuance, Sale and Payment of the Bonds
- Second Reading

IV. OTHER BUSINESS

- 11. Revised Bus Route Proposals
- 12. WMATA Joint Development Work Program
- 13. Review of Sign Proposal. Century 21, Oxford Building 14. State Legislative Overview
- 15. Extension of Disability Leave
- 16. Participation with Pr. Geo. County in Community Development Block Grant (CDBG) and HOME Investment Partnership Entitlement Grants During Fiscal Years 1994/96
- 17. Appointments to Advisory Boards

V. MEETINGS

NOTE: This is a preliminary agenda, subject to change

II. Budget Work Session **GENERAL GOVERNMENT, AND PLANNING** AND COMMUNITY DEVELOPMENT COUNCIL ROOM AFTER COUNCIL MEETING

Regular Council meetings are open to the public and all interested citizens are invited to attend. If special accommodations are required to make this meeting accessible to any disabled person, please call 474-8000 or 474-1811 (TTY) to request such accommodation before 10:00 am on the day of the meeting. For information, please call 474-3870.

Dorothy Lauber, CMC City Clerk

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Missing the Bus

Metro will be truly missing the bus if it adopts the route changes recommended by the county Office of Transportation. By making it more difficult to move from Greenbelt to other county locations, such as the University of Maryland, the changes will further discourage bus travel. Soon, only those people with no other transportation options will take Metro bus, leading to further route reductions.

But perhaps the worst fault of the proposal is the lack of transportation between Greenbelt and the station. At most end-of-the-line stations, the parking lots fill up by 8 a.m. With a few short, frequent shuttle runs, Metro could collect city commuters and take them directly to the station. By providing a convenient service at less cost than the parking fee, Metro could increase the parking available for longer distance commuters.

There are a couple of other problems. Why drop the loop through Capital Office Park on the T-15 forcing riders to go all the way to the Metro station in order to transfer to a Laurel bus to get to Ivy Lane or Cherrywood Lane. And why is there no bus transportation to bring Greenbeltters home after 8 pm.?

We urge the county and WMATA to reexamine their proposed changes to better serve the needs of city and county residents.

WUSA's Studio 9 Revisits Greenbelt

Studio 9. hosted by Maureen Bunyan, presented a 10-minute feature on Greenbelt. "Model Town USA," Studio 9 was shown on WUSA (TV channel 9) Sunday morning and again late that night, April 18. The material used had been taped originally in conjunction with the city's 50th Anniversary.

The Greenbelt News Review was prominently featured in the program with Editor Mary Lou Williamson providing much of commentary. Other staff the members were shown at work at a Wednesday night proofing session. Also providing commentary were original Greenbelt resident James D. (Donny) Wolf and Mayor Gil Weidenfeld. There were scenes of Greenbelt Lake and the Roosevelt Center, as well as views of the Beltway. Park-way and other congested roads and of the new commercial development in Greenbelt. These were intermingled with scenes from the movie. The City, which was made for the 1939 New York World's Fair and exemplified Greenbelt as the alternative to tenements and slums.

After scenes which depicted the ideal community of the thirties and how it looked today. Bunyan noted that the city's "belt of green' was largely gone. She then posed the question. 'will the 'city of the future' now with a 50-year past manage to maintain its identity for the next 50 ?"

Williamson responded that "Some things don't change. The fact that the town was designed for healthful family living, fresh air, green grass, lots of sunshine, safe places for your children to play are very valuable things that you don't just find any-where."

Greenbelt Rews Review ALFRED M. SKOLNIK, PRESIDENT, 1959-1977 ELAINE SKOLNIK, PRESIDENT, 1977-1985 PRESIDENT EMERITUS, 1985-Editor: Mary Lou Williamson, 441-2662 Asst. Editor: Barbara Likowski, 474-8483 News Editor: Elaine Skolnik, 493-8336 AN INDEPENDENT NEWSPAPER

Kevin plans to attend Eleanor Roosevelt High School in the **Georgetown Garden Tour Scheduled** On Saturday, May 1, visit some

Maryland Geography Bee which was held recently at Bowie State

For his efforts. he won \$50

Competing with 100 students

and an atlas from National Geo-

from across the state. Nevin

was tested on location of coun-

tries as well as their distinctive

political and economic charac-

Before entering the competi-

tion Kevin had to take a written

test and do well in his school's

own geography bee. Then with

some quizzing by his parents and

a little dabbling with Trivial

Pursuit. he was ready for the

According to Kevin. "I had a

lot of fun doing it. If they have

it in high school, I definitely

State competition.

will try it again.

graphic, sponsor of the bee.

of Georgetown's most spectacular gardens and benefit the Georgetown Children's House. For additional informaton. please 202-333-4953 or 202-333call 6896.

NOTICE OF WORK SESSION ON NORTHWAY TRAFFIC SAFETY ALTERNATIVES WEDNESDAY, APRIL 28, 1993

8:00 p.m.

A work session has been scheduled to examine various traffic safely alternatives for Northway, from Crescent Road to Hillside. This work session is open to the public, and all interested citizens are invited to attend. It will be held at the Greenbelt Police Facility in the Multi-Purpose Room. Anyone having questions should call the ity Clerk at 474-3870 or 474-8000.

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STAFF

Greenbelter Places Third In his first scholastic competition. Kevin Faherty, an eighthgrader at Kenmoor Middle School in Landover, placed third in the

University.

teristics.

by James Giese

Pamela (Leadbetter) Snook

At Goddard Center

Goddard Space Flight Center

Community Day is designed

to give neighbors an opportunity

to learn how the NASA center

explores the Earth and its uni-

verse. Tours of the center will be

conducted, including stops at the

NASA Communication Center,

which is the heart of a global

communications system, and the

Spacecraft Systems Development

and Integration Facility, which

contains one of the worlds larg-

Family entertainment is plan-

ned throughout the day at the

Visitor Center, located off Soil Conservation Road Among the activities are a "Science Bowl"

competition featuring local stu-

dents at 11 a.m.; musical enter-

tainment at noon; a presentation

on the upcoming Hubble Space

Telescope servicing mission at

1 p.m.; spacesuit demonstrations

at noon and 2 p.m.; and model

All events are free. For more

information, call (301) 286-8955

(Voice and TDD) during business

Arts Coalition Meets

The Greenbelt Visual Arts Co-

alition will host a meeting on Thursday, April 29, 7:30 p.m. at Greenbelt Center School Me-

dia Room concerning the artists

studios at the proposed com-

munity center. Any artist or craftsperson interested in the

studios is welcome. Contact Bar-bara Simon, 474-2192, for fur-

rocket launches at 3 p.m.

hours.

will hold "Community Day" on

Sunday, April 25 from 10 a.m.

Community Day

to 4 p.m.

est cleanrooms.

Annual Spring Fair

The Greenbelt Nursery School and Kindergarten will hold its

annual Spring Fair and Silent

Auction, on Saturday, May 1

from 9 a.m. to 2 p.m. at the school. This day of fun-filled ac-

tivities for the entire family in-

cludes children's games, craft

Paga 3

Week Activities Set

In recognition of Municipal Government Week, April 26-30, the City of Greenbelt has scheduled several activities to make citizens more aware of their municipal government.

The city will fly a special "Municipal Government Works" flag at the city offices. City council will issue a proclamation in observation of Municipal Gov-

ernment Week, Greenbelt Municipal Access Channel B-10 will kick off its new series "Meet Your City Of-ficials." The program features a different city official seeb a different city official each week. In this way, residents will have a chance to see their elected officials in a setting other than a regular council meeting. The program, consisting of a one-on-one interview with each official, will air on Tuesdays and Thursdays at 8 p.m. on Channel B-10. Also included in Channel B-10's programming for the week will be the Video Annual Report for FY 1991-92 and a replay of that week's city council meeting.

The Kindergarten classes of Springhill Lake Elementary School will take a field trip to the city offices to see where council meetings are held. There will also be a tour of the Greenbelt Museum, a short demonstration on recycling at the Buddy Attick Park drop off center and a stop at the city's greenhouse. The trip will end with a picnic at Greenbelt Lake.

Tour the Green Belt

The committee to save the Green Belt sponsors tours of the "Green Belt" woods. If interested. call 474-4863.

Puppeteer to Speak On Crime Prevention

The Springhill Lake Good Neighbor Watch Group, winner of the 1988 Governor's Certificate of Merit for Crime Prevention, will celebrate its 12th Anniversary on Thursday, April 29, at 7 p.m. at the Fountain Lodge.

Featured for the evening will be internationally known puppeteer Barbara Aiello, creator of Next Door Neighbor puppets. The group has performed a variety of community programs. The theme at this anniversary will be crime prevention.

All residents are invited to attend this celebration. Invitees include city and county dignitaries.

Certificates of Training will be presented to those residents who have attended training sessions from April '92-April '93. For information call 474-3269.

COMMUNITY EVENTS Nursery School Has

Explore Geographics Photo Journalism

On Friday, April 30, John Echave, National Geographic's illustrations editor, will be tak-"Explorations Unlimited" ing participants on a visual and verbal tour of the magazine its mission, and the ins and outs of putting a story together, complete with photo journalism. He will be showing some National Geographic videos to demonstrate how the society fulfills its mission with excellence. Echave has worked on a number of stories from all over the world, including the Mayan ruins, and worked for U.S. News and World Report before coming to National Geographic.

"Explorations Unlimited" is a speaker series held every Friday from 1-3 p.m. at the Youth Center. Everyone is welcome to attend and questions are always encouraged. For more information call 474-6878.

Recreation Review

City Athletic Field Use First priority for practice and games on city fields will be to permit holders and city leagues. All other use is on a first-come, first-served basis

City Tennis Court Use

Tennis players are reminded to check posted rules for the city's tennis courts. Greenbelt residents have priority use of the courts.

and yard sales, refreshments, and much more. The school is located at 1 Hillside Road, adjacent to the Greenbelt Community Church. In the event of rain, the fair will be held in the church basement. For further

There are still openings for afternoon classes for the 1993-94 school year for 2-4 year old children.

information, call (301) 474-5570.

Observe Earth Day

The National Park Service and the Environmental Protection Agency will observe Earth Day with activities such as: tree planting, stream clean-up, and litter pick-up around the park boundary.

Meet at the Sweetgum Picnic Area on Saturday, April 24. from

Arts Center Meeting

The Greenbelt Arts Advisory Committee's next monthly meeting is scheduled for Tuesday, April 27, 7:30 p.m., at the Greenbelt Aquatic and Fitness Center. The main topic for the meeting is to preview the concept and plan for the design of the performing arts space at the Community Center as proposed by the Greenbelt Arts Center and as drawn by local architect Kim McCarl. The presentation will take approximately 30-45 minutes with time for questions immediately following. The meeting is open to the public. For more information contact Cathy Corona-Salgado at 474-6878.

ther information. P&G OLD GREENBELT THEATRE Giant Screen / Dolby Stereo 474-9744 A FEW GOOD ME ALL SEATS \$2.00 Show Times -CASTLI ROCK R COLUMBIA Fri. & Sat. 7:20, 9:55 Sun 5:00; 7:45 OUCCHERINGTON LEAR BORDER



The Architecture and Environment Committee is sponsoring its annual SPRING CLEAN-UP on April 24th. and 25th. What better way to welcome spring than to clean the debris from your yard and get rid of excess household items. The city's special trash crew will be collecting (from curbside) the week of April 26th.

Trash bags are available at the GHI warehouse or can be obtained at the home of any of the A&E Committee members on April 24 and 25. The members of the Committee are listed below

James Maher
Arthur Maas
Robert Rashkin
Terri Rutledge
Ronnie Scotkin
Martha Sinden
Kris white

9-A Hillside 5-F Ridge 2-A Research 9-M Research 54-M Ridge 35-K Ridge 14-K Hillside

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	345-7324
	474-9391
	220-0558
	982-3451
	220-1966
	345-1669
	474-9479



Astronomy Club

scopes from club members will be available for viewing the moon, Jupiter, Mars, and other wonders of the night sky Admission is free and everyone is welcome to attend. Observing will begin at 8 p.m. and continue until 10 p.m. The next meeting of the

Greenbelt Astronomy Club will be on Wednesday. April 28 at the Owens Science Center at 7:30 p.m. The major topic of discussion will be the upcoming Astronomy Day at the Owens Science Center on Saturday, May 1. Both the monthly meeting of the Greenbelt Astronomy Club, and the Astronomy Day events at the Owens Science Center, are open to the public.

Toastmasters Meet

The Spring Speakers Toastmasters Club invites all Greenbelters to join them the third and fourth Tuesdays of the month. at 7:15 p.m. in the police department conference room.

The Toastmasters program assists individuals in developing good speaking skills, eliminating nervous jitters, expressing appropriate body language, and developing leadership potential. For more information call

Dave at 474-9626 or Mary at 345-0518.

At the Library

Drop-In Storytime, ages 2 and 3. Thursday, April 28, 10:15 a.m.

Greenbelt CARES

The Guidance Department at Eleanor Roosevelt High School paid tribute to Wendy Wexler of Greenbelt CARES at a luncheon held recently. Wendy has been leading discussion groups at the school for a number of years, and has also met with students on an individual basis. In addition, she has been available to the guidance staff to discuss their concerns.

The Prince Georges Youth Services Bureau directors met with County Executive Parris Glendening. The discussion focused on problems facing the county's young people and their families, Youth Services Bureau responses to those problems in the face of dwindling resources, and the usefulness of the Bureaus to the County Executive as continuing resources.



Spotlight On the Arts

by Sandy Smith

Marie Tousignant, who has served five terms on the Board and several as President, was reelected President at the Arts Center's Annual Meeting on March 28. Tousignant, the guiding force behind the Arts Center, has been involved in all aspects of its work, from actress to director, organizer of art auction, grants writer, Marquis editor and data base coordinator. Steve Blais was elected Vice President. He's been a member of the Board and has professional theater experience in summer stock and founded a Montgomery County Drama Festival for high schools. Trix Whitehall who is a founding member of the Arts Center was reelected Recording Secretary. She has participated in virtually all of the Arts Center's activities and has a role in the current production, "Small of My Mind." Will Larkin was elected to serve a second term as Treasurer. Also reelected to the Board of Facilities Development

A committee chaired by Tom

Renahan has developed a com-

prehensive design plan for a

theater to be built as part of

the new community center. They

will be presenting this report

to community groups and city

government for discussion and

support. The theater is designed

to be an excellent performance

site for a variety of types of

productions as well as to meet

other community arts needs and

generate income through its use

Senior Talent Show The Arts Center's Senior Tal-

ent Show will be held at the

Green Ridge House on May 1.

Producer Celia Brooks is looking

for seniors who sing, dance. play

musical instruments, tell jokes

and stories. or perform dramat-

ic readings or magic acts. Call Brooks at 345-8745 to sign up

Children's Production

is the Arts Center's Youth The-

ater production of the Greenbelt

Arts Center. It will feature many

talented local children and will

be performed on Greenbelt Day.

Both evergreen and deciduous

azaleas, many of which are not

commonly found in the nursery trade will be on sale Saurday,

April 24 from 10 a.m. to 3:30

p.m. in the grove adjacent to

the Administration Building at

the National Arboretum, 7501

New York Avenue, N.E. The

Brookfield Chapter of the Azalea

Society of America and the

Friends of the National Arbore-

tum. The plants were propagated

and contributed by members of

Sunday Worship 11 a.m. Children's Education

10 a.m. Wednesday Prayer Service

Arthur D. Shotts, Pastor

7 p.m.

474-1924

is co-sponsored by the

Rare Azalea Sale

"Midsummer Night's Dream"

by other arts groups.

for the show.

sale

the society.

Also reelected to the Board of Directors were: Ashok Ambardekar, Mary Lou Fisher. Alan Freas, Konrad Herling, Fann Kash, Tom Renahan. Dial Silvers, Sandy Smith and Virginia Zanner. Joining the Board for a first term is Robert Holloway. Holloway will take over as Music Series producer. replacing Tom Renahan who is turning his fulltime attention to the Theater Board and responsibilities related to the design and support need ed for the new theater. Continuing on the Board are: Bill Ayres, Pat Horsman. Frank Pearlman and Ken Voigt.

President's Report

Tousignant described the past year as one of success and challenge for the Arts Center. It was the year that the Arts Center took first place at the Maryland One-Act Play Tournament and also the fourth year the group dealt with the challenge of being a travelling theater. She described the play and music series as a string of excellent performances which drew substantial audiences. She viewed both the performances and the operations of the Arts Center as improving, but seriously hampered by the lack of a perma-nent performance site. Wih a permanent theater the group can perform more ambitious involving complex sets plays. and lighting. A permanent theater will also permit advance publicity and be a central focus for performing arts in the community, she explained.

Financial Status

Will Larkin gave the Treasurer's Report. He stated that the Arts Center had a \$15.000 development fund for the new theater and would be able to make a contribution as well this year. He said that fund raisers had been successful: Art Auction, Labor Day Booth, and Festival of Lights concession stand raised over \$5,000. All performances ran a deficit, some because the sets involved some permanent purchases of equipment and others because the expenses were greater than revenue gained through attendance. When the productions take place in facilities with limited space for audience, the overall revenue is limited. In addition, arts events frequently must be supported through fund raisers, grants and donations. Membership now stands at 150.

Catholic

Community

of Greenbelt

MASS

Municipal Building, Sundays,

10:00 A.M.

Lecture Offered Ayurveda, TM

A free public lecture titled "Creating Perfect Health Through Ayurveda and the Transcendental Meditation Program" will be held Tuesday. April 27 at 7:30 p.m. in the Greenbelt Library. This lecture will be given by Greenbelt resident Mark Stickels. Transcendental Meditation (TM) Program Instructor and trained speakers on Ayurveda medicine.

This lecture will introduce the basic principles of Avurveda as MD in his bestselling books "Perfect Health' and "Unconditional Life." Ayurveda is an an-cient form of holistic medicine that treats the entire body and not just the symptoms. Preven-Ayurveda's greatest tion is strength because it treats the underlying cause of disease, restores biological balance and eliminates the cause of all serious illness, Ayurveda medicine compliments modern medicine and adherents claim it has been successful in treating colds, severe allergies, and even cancer and that research on these programs of self development have shown that aging can be reduced and even reversed with long term practice.

For more information on TM. Ayurveda. or the library lectures call Stickels at 301-220-1607 or 301-441-9398.

Flower Show Set

Distrct 1 of the National Capital Area Federation of Garden Clubs will sponsor a standard flower show featuring horticultural specimens and the latest in floral designs in the Adminstration Building Auditorium of the U.S. National Arboretum on Saturday, May 1. from 1-5 p.m. and Sunday, May 2, from 10 a.m. to 5 p.m.

For more information call Janel Greene at (202) 475-4857

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Missions Conference At Baptist Church

A Missions Conference will be held at Greenbelt Baptist Church from April 30 to May 2 at 7:30 p.m. and also May 2 at 11 a.m. At each service, a different missionary from the Southern Baptist Convention will be speaking: April 30—E. Maisie Bruce (New York); May 1—Peggy Williams (France); May 2 (11 a.m.)— Milton Allred (Mexico); May 2 (7:30 p.m.)—Manuel Serna (New Jersey).

In addition to the speakers, there will be hymn singing and special music provided by the choir. The public is invited to attend. If there are any questions, please call the church at 474-4212.

PGCC to Host Faculty Recital

A Prince Georges Community College faculty solo recital is scheduled for April 26, at 1 p.m. in Marlboro Gallery. Baritone Gary Kirkeby and soprano Flora Martin will perform a mixture of solos and duets.

Thursday, April 22, 1993

Talking About Drugs Workshop Offered

A free workshop to help parents and children interpret what's really being said in their families — especially when it comes to a tough topic like drinking and using drugs will be held Sunday, May 2 at Holy Cross Lutheran Church.

Now You're Talking!: Parents and Kids Talk Straight About Alcohol and Other Drugs, is a 90-minute program for parents and their children in grades four through nine. Members of Aid Association for Lutherans Branch No. 4466 are sponsoring the workshop. Each family attending will receive a special takehome video.

Parents and their children will discuss videotape scenes in which families send unclear messages about alcohol and other drugs. They will practice "talking straight" and listening to each other, first steps in the prevention of alcohol and other drug abuse. The take-home video is designed to help families keep talking at home.

For more information contact Eunice Kuring at 345-5111.





The Greenbelt Astronomy Club will meet at the Howard B. Owens Science Center on Saturday, May 1. Fun Activities for the whole family will be scheduled as follows and will take place ran or shine:

1-5 p.m.: See sunspots, examine telescopes and talk to experienced amateur astronomers. 7-10 p.m.: See the moon, star

and planets. Many telescopes will be available to look through, including a very large one measuring 22 inches in diameter.

This event is co-sponsored by the Goddard Astronomy Club, the International Dark Sky Association, and the Astronomical League. Admission is free.

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Entertainers will perform for visitors waiting to tour the White House. The Park Service is recruiting elementary, high school and college bands, drum and bugle corps ensembles, folk singers, orchestras and other artists who can perform with little or no electronic amplification.

Groups will be scheduled to perform for 30-45 minute segments between 10 a.m. and noon, Tuesday through Saturday.

Interested groups should apply to the National Park Service music coordinator, Jennifer Feeney at (202) 755-7798 (V/TDD) or write to President's Park, 1100 Ohio Drive, S.W., Washington, D.C. 20242.

GREENBELT NEWS REVIEW

Americanism and Youth

by Rusty Beeg The emphasis was on Americanism and Youth at a ceremony held by Greenbelt Unit 136, American Legion Auxiliary, on Tuesday evening, April 20, at the Legion Hall. Winners of an essay contest held in area schools for grades four through eight were announced and the winning essays read. Teachers and principals from the various schools were also recognized.

A presentation about the Girls State program which encompasses training in political and legislative subjects for high school juniors was on the agenda, also a special reading about the American Flag. Unit 136 is currently selecting

girls from three area schools interested in attending the 1993 session of Girls State to be held at Washington College in Chestertown, Maryland, June 19-26. This program is a participatory program which covers two-party politics, simulated legislation, and the political structure of city, county and state governments. Tuition, room and board for the participants is covered by the Unit. To be eligible, girls must be completing their Junior year in June and be in the top 25% of their class. Interested students at Eleanor Roosevelt or DuVal High Schools should contact the Guidance Office. Parkdale students should contact the chairman of the awards committee. For further information call 577-3025.

VOLUNTEERS

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to 4 or 345-1131 evenings. Meet on May 2 at the woodchip pile

in 3 Ct. Laurel Hill starting at 10 am. Please bring shovels, rakes

Senior Talent Musical Show Set for Green Ridge House

by Sandy Smith

With the harmonious "Welcome to Greenbelt," as the opening song, the Senior Talent Show will be held at Green Ridge House on Saturday, May 1, at 7:30 p.m. The public is invited to this musical event which producer Celia Brooks promises to be a relaxing, fun-filled evening.

Sponsored by the Greenbelt Arts Center in cooperation with Green Ridge House, the Senior Talent Show features talented Greenbelt performers including the chorus of Greenbelters or-ganized by Mike Burchick, who have made "Welcome to Greenbelt" its theme song. The chorus first appeared at the Green-belt Labor Day Festival two years ago and since that time performed for an Evening with Friends and other community events. They will also perform several other popular favorites.

Solo Performances

Another featured performer is award-winning singer Helen Uring. A member of the Prince Georges Seasoned Players, she has performed at many community events. She will be accompanied by the expert playing of Lucille Luchine. Helen also plans several numbers with other Seasoned Players who perform throughout the county.

Bill Blanchard, who has fre-quently appeared with local theater groups, including the Greenbelt Arts Center, will perform a dramatic reading. He says to expect something humorous or something Shakespearian Bill has a strong dramatic presence which lends strength to any selection.

The final program of performers is now being set and may include i special appearance of Sally Carrano, traditional Queen of Hearts in the Labor Day Parade.

There is no admission to this

performance planned by the Arts Center's Music Committee, headed by Tom Renahan. Renahan included this first-time senior talent show in the 1992-93 music series because of the great interest in senior performers and the wealth of talent in Greenbelt. For more information call Celia Brooks at 345-8745.

Donations Needed

The warm weather is conducive to spring cleaning. Charitable organizations are looking for donations of materials to sell in their area thrift stores. Contributions are tax deductible. As the seasons change, these stores need appropriate clothing for babies, children, women and babies, children, men. In addition, bedding/sheetz, blankets, towels, socks (single or paired) are welcome.

Clothes that are in poor shape or outdated are acceptable. Textile recycling helps generate income for these organizations. "Rags" are baled and shipped overseas to third world countries where they are desperately needed or used clothing ends up in paper products.

Furniture, mattresses, small appliances in working condition and miscellaneous household items are needed in the thrift stores. Baby outfits and toys quickly find new homes.

Charitable organizations include Salvation Army, 277-7878. American Rescue Workers, 336-6200, and Goodwill Industries. 202-636-4233. Receipts will be provided upon request.



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Your Greenbelt News Review biography must be submitted to the Nominations & Elections Committee by: April 25

To appear on the official ballot, ali nominations by petition and all written consent forms must be delivered to GHI by: May 12

Annual Membership Meeting:

May 19, 8:00 p.m.

Voting for Board and Audit Committee seats: upon recess of the annual meeting and

May 20, 7:00 a.m. to 8:00 p.m.

Voting for the N & E Committee seats will be held during the meeting.

Turn in completed consent forms to GHI.

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For consent forms, please call GHI.

Lockheed Company **Comes to Greenbelt**

Equitable Real Estate Investment Management and Coakley & Williams announce that the . Lockheed Missiles & Space Company, Inc. has leased 26,172 square feet of space in Maryland Trade Center II. The lease was finalized earlier this year and brings the total occupancy of the building to 70%. Maryland Trade Center II is located in Maryland Trade Cen-

ter Park, a 600.000 square feet mixed-use development. The park consists of Maryland Trade Center I, II and III, the Holiday Inn Greenbelt, and Martin's Crosswinds.

Coakley & Williams Commercial Properties provides property management. leasing. sales and disposition of properties for developers, asset managers and institutions.

Search for Centenarians

The search is on for centenarians throughout the State of Maryland.

The Maryland Office on Aging. the Urban Gerontology Program of Morgan State University, WJZ-TV. the Baltimore City Commission on Aging and Retirement Education. the Social Administration, Security the Baltimore Gas & Electric Company and the Sheraton Inner Harbor Hotel have launched a campaign to identify persons 100 years of age and older in Maryland.

On May 27 a special ceremony and free luncheon will be held to recognize the lives and contributions of Marylanders who are 100 years of age and older. This special event, is being held in observance of "Older Mary-landers' Month" in May, as pro-proclaimed by Governor William Donald Schaefer.

The recognition luncheon will take place from 11:30 a.m. to 2 p.m. at the Sheraton Inner Harbor Hotel in downtown Baltimore. Any person who will reach 100 years of age by December 31 is eligible to attend the luncheon free of charge. Persons who wish to attend the luncheon may call the Maryland Office on Aging toll free 1-800-AGE-DIAL The deadline to register is Friday, April 30.

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New Agents Named, **Realtors Honored**

The Greenbelt office of Weichert, Realtors. welcomed several new agents to their office in March. Joining their team of neighborhood realtors were Dan Bunyea. Nancy Caliman, Thomas Patterson and Leesa Thames.

Sales associate Joyce Roper was honored as the office's Top Producer. for the first quarter of 1993 and as the quarter's Top Lister. Nicole Cure was the Top Salesperson and Bob Mamula held the most Open Houses. Roper and Mamula both also had production of over \$1,000,000 for the quarter.

The Greenbelt office of Weichert, Realtors is located at 7701 Greenbelt Road, Greenbelt. Md. (301) 345-7600.

Help Out the Parks

The Prince Georges County Parks and Recreation Foundation. Inc. needs people willing to give time and expertise to help the organization with its m'any projects and programs. The Foundation is a private, nonprofit, charitable organization designed to enhance the quality of life for all of the citizens of the county. To accomplish this, the Foundation raises funds to support parks, and similar activities in the county. The Foundation gives grants to programs serving disabled youths, senior citizens, sports and recreation activities for youngsters and adults and collecting food for the needy.

For information call Prince Georges County Action Center at 779-9444.

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Bank Headquarters To Relocate in City

The company that owns Suburban Bank branches in Maryland and Virginia announced last week that it plans to move its corporate headquarters from Tysons Corner to Greenbelt.

Suburban Bancshares, Inc. also announced that former Maryland Secretary of State Winfield Kelly, Jr. is its new chairman and chief executive officer.

There are six Suburban Bank branches in the Washington suburbs, including three in Prince Georges County.

by Oldham and Seltz, a Wash-ington, D.C. based architectural firm, and completed by Rand Construction, the general contractor.

New Associate at Weichert, Realtors

The Greenbelt office of Weichert, Realtors welcomes new associate Tom Patterson. Patterson, a licensed agent with four years experience, received his BA in Business Administration from the University of Maryland.

Weltz Named **To Foundations**

Martin D. Weltz, D.O. has been appointed to the board of directors of the Greater Laurel Beltsville Hospital Foundation. He is a partner in the practice of Hematology-Oncology Associate in Greenbelt.

Weltz is vice-president of the Greater Laurel Beltsville Hospital medical staff, and an attending physician on the medical staff of Washington Adventist Hospital, Prince Georges Hospital Center and Doctors Community Hospital.

The Greater Laurel Beltsville Hospital Foundation board of directors is composed of area leaders who are giving their time, expertise and influence in raising funds to meet the capital needs of Greater Laurel Beltsville Hospital.



GHI Board Ok's Newsletter Committee, Vinyl Siding

by Sandy Smith

The Greenbelt Homes, Inc. (GHI) Board of Directors approved the establishment of a monthly newsletter at its April 8 meeting. The Board set up a subcommittee of Board members — Keith Jahoda, Don Comis and Margaret Hogenzen — to draft a charter for a Newsletter Committee and agreed to advertise for members to work on the newsletter. The newsletter was seen as an effective method of improving and increasing communication from management and the Board to members.

The Board considered both a report from an adhoc committee which provided recommenda-tions for a newsletter and a minority report. It agreed that the newsletter would be produced by a permanent committee of members, staff and no more than board members. Material two published in the newsletter would be developed by the Board, management and staff as well as prepared by the committee and contributed by members. Infor-mation submitted by the Board, Management, Nominations and Elections Committee and the Audit Committee would be used as submitted (that is, not edited). This decision was based on the policy that no individual committee should have authority over management's and elected Board and Committees' communication to the membership Newsletter The Committee would be responsible for the content of the rest of the newsletter. Notices will appear in the News Review and members will be asked to volunteer to serve on the Newsletter Commitee. Any-one interested should contact Joan Krob.

Yard Maintenance Standards At two previous meetings, the Board discussed the future of the yard inspection program and enforcement mechanisms for dealing with chronic violators of the minimum standards. A work session was held to examine slides illustrating a number of common conditions throughout the community. Management indicated a need for the following next steps: Define the community standards, identify a fair and efficient inspection system. and identify a means of enforcement which is reasonable and cost effective for both the members and the cooperative.

In response to earlier difficulties in developing a consensus on yard standards, the Board had directed staff to rewrite Section IV of the regulations on Care of GHI yards. Staff presented a one-page draft which gives guidelines on member responsibilities and defines the standards for upkeep of walkways, yard areas, lawns, trees and shrubs, swales, and compost piles.

Board member Carol Levin described her concern with the process and indicated a need for more specific standards in order to better educate the membership on the requirements as well as to better enforce the rules. She asked for more quan-



titative standards, less subjective and more enforceable. The Board then voted to refer the yard-care guidelines to the Architecture and Environment Committee to see if the standards could be expanded and made more specific and to also refer the matter to the Member and Community Committee to develop a plan to present the standards to members and encourage their use.

1992 Audit The auditors have completed the 1992 audit and will be presenting it to the Board at an upcoming meeting.

Additions and Siding After some discussion on setting a precedent for exceptions to the standards on size and height of additions, the Board approved an addition to a twobedroom frame house which would exceed the size of the original unit as well as exceed the height. The Board members debated this request from a number of perspectives but eventually decided that this, and possibly other future requests, should be decided on individual merits. The particular setting for this addition, backing up to woods, and the approval of neighbors were considered in rendering final approval.

The Board also approved the installation of vinyl siding on a single unit of a shingle duplex.

Volunteers Needed

Retired nurses, LPN's, EMT's, health care professionals etc. are needed to volunteer to assist with Blood Pressure Screenings for the Prince Georges County American Red Cross. Volunteer hours are flexible.

People who can donate a few hours each month please call the Red Cross at 301-559-8500 and ask for Community Development.

"Volunteer Maryland!" Recruits Greenbelters

When a recent study showed that Marylanders volunteered at a rate well below the national average, the Governor's Advisory Board on Service and Citizenship created "Volunteer Maryland!" This federally funded program recruited individuals from around the state to volunteer for one year of service in a variety of non-profit organizations.

Greenbelters Sandra Broadwater, 25, and Hildie Sheftel, 38, stepped forward and were accepted into the program. Said Broadwater, a recent graduate from the University of Maryland, of her decision to join the program before entering the traditional workforce. "Volunteering is a terrific way to obtain essential work experience while still giving something back to the community." Sandra has been placed as a volunteer coordinator at The City of Takoma Park where she will set up programs for volunteers at libraries and police stations.

Sheftel currently resides in Greenbelt East and recently completed two years of service with the Greenbelt City Council's Recycling Advisory Committee. She left employment at Recreational Equipment, Inc.'s College Park location in order to be placed as a volunteer coordinator at the Merkle Wildlife Sanctuary in southern Prince Georges County. "I've always enjoyed the out-of-doors and have been distressed to see open spaces shrinking throughout the county. My placement gives me a rare opportunity to help others get involved in the natural world." said Sheftel.

Both Greenbelters and their 33 "Volunteer Maryland!" associates will serve at their hostsites till December 14. To learn more about how to volunteer at these or other locations, call the Governor's office on Volunteeism, 410-514-7270 or the Prince Georges Volunteer Action Center, 301-779-9444.

City Notes

The onrush of spring has caused the Public Works Department to get busy with its many springtime chores during the week ending April 16. The seasonal grass cutting program has begun. Repair work on all ballfields is also being undertaken and the fields were prepared for weekend league play. Throughout the city, lawn areas and flower beds were subject to pruning, weed spraying, and mulching. Wildflowers were planted on the slope near the intersection of Ridge and Crescent. Stumps were removed along Crescent Road and a fence damaged in the snow storm by a fallen tree was repaired.

In other work, hot paint traffic control lines were placed on roads at various locations and deteriorated street and traffic signs were replaced. Pot holes in streets were repaired.

Several pieces of equipment were repaired or maintained the small backhoe which is being used to plant trees at Schrom Hills Park, the chipping machine and the salt trucks after finishing their winter service.

John Murray In PGCC Play

The Hallam Players of Prince Georges Community College present "'Master Harold' . . . and the boys" in the Queen Anne Fine Arts Building April 30, May 1, 6, 7, and 8 at 7:30 p.m. A matinee will be held May 2 at 2:30 p.m.

Racism is the underlying theme of playwright Athol Fugard's drama featuring just three student stage performers. Greenbelter John Murray plays a young white South African teenager named Hally, who interacts with two black servants, Sam and Willie, played by Oxon Hill's John Cunningham and Accokeek's John Kearney. respectively.

There is a fee. For reservations and information, call (301) 322-0444.





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GREENBELT NEWS REVIEW

U. of M. Bands Give Spring Pops Concert

Center School Students Find Honors Bring Sweet Reward

Many students at Center School received some extra treats at their award assemblies on April 2, the last day before spring break. Those children who made the honor roll received certificates for free gifts and services from local merchants.

"A" Honor Roll

First grade: Kyle Benson, Prasanthi Durvasula, Justin Gooding, Mark Halpern, Christina Hunter, Isaac Linder, Merideth Marr, Katie Massie, Jas-mine Milligan, Christina Richmond, Sara Thomas and Whitney White.

Second grade: Kevin Marable. Raeleah Simmons, Shanelle Triplett and Jacqueline Tull. Third grade: Kevin Marable.

Fourth grade: Tanishia But-ler, Michael Canavan, Loren Derise, Grace Gyemfi, Chelsey Lagerwerff, Keva Marable, Stephanie Meadows, Lauren Minor, Andrew Phelan, Brandi Roscoe. Sabrina Smith, Nicholas Weyel. Michael Wilson, Carla Zamudio. Fifth grade: Jessica Barton. Melissa Cooper. Christopher Fominaya. Tom Hindsley. Brigette Lippert, Jamie Pistorio, Isaac Rehner and Jeanette Savage. Sixth grade Daylan Gray.

Terra Phelan and Jeremy Rubinstein.

"B" Honor Roll

Third grade: Khristian Ben-son, Anthony Durantine, James Faucette, Leah Jones, Ana Kenah, Regina Kline, Timothy Wil-liams and Starr Young. Also Kenneth Allen, Joanna Andrus, Kristopher Cavanaugh. Maybelle DaSilva. Chybria Farmer, Kris-tel Foerter, Charlene Gerring, Jared Hunt, Shanell Johnson. Jared Hunt, Snanell Johnson, Theadore Kish, Audrey Moran, John Sevigny, Nina Strauss. Kelly White, Gregory Wilde, James Allen, Dayshawn Brown, Tanisha Brown, Erik Evans and Tarel Hamilton-

Fourth grade: George Daffan, Marquita Davis, Renunda Hicks. Joshua Holien, Christopher Logsdon. Christian Packer. Seneca Pappas and Tristan Turner. Also, Sherie Anderson Connie Bailey. Ryan Cooper, Omar Fernandez. Latonya Jackson, Kelly Lee, Gloria Lefchick, Bonny Ogar. Darniece Slater, Jay Vish, Camellia Ward-Minor, Megan Whiting, John Boyd. Stephen Cure. Nelson DaSilva, Matthew Gregory, Tamika Knox, Alan Rippeon, Christopher Robey and Jennifer Watts.

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Fifth grade: Paul Calebaugh. Vance Hall, Tarek Hammad, Stephanie Hyde, Justin Jones. Chae Hee Lim. Michael Marinelli. Lauren Moore, Jeremy Moran, Scott Myers, Alvin Ogar, T'kia Orange. Nicole Payne. Melinda Thomas and Denise Thompkins. Also. Christina Augustine. Ka-

lyan Durvasula. James Lee. Lauretta Langino, Christina Marinelli. Ogar Ogar, Shanee Richardson. Carey Vaughn. Jeremiah Voight and Shalynn Woods. Other fifth graders were: Aleisha Anderson, Lauren Byers, Tiana Fowler, Angela Hager, Shilo Lillis, John McBride, James Miers, Christine Reese, Bennie Robinson. Alicia Saunders, Angela Waddell. Candy Ward-Minor and Laura Wilde

Sixth grade: Jamie Arey. Gary Arrington. Aubrey Barber, Jason Brooks. Lawerance Brown, Michelle Coates. Alexander Cosgrove. Amy Demas, Sima Fadli. Sheree Henderson, James McKee. Michael Monke. Todd Walton. Jeremiah Watts, Andrew Weyel. and Ashlee Wilkins. Also. Ni-teroi Coe, Michael Davis. Ferney Dennis. Ashley Dial. Travis Jones, Kevin Ludwig. April Roberts. Shelly Shupp, Michelle Smith and Stephanie Sumpter.

Participating merchants were Greenbelt Aquatic and Fitness Center. Generous Joe's Deli. Roy Rogers (Beltway Plaza). K-Mart, McDonald's and Bob's Big Boy in Greenbelt, Dominos Pizza and Theresa Banks Memorial Pool in Glenarden. Hardee's and Wool-worths at Landover Mall. Wells Ice Rink. College Park and Fair Lanes Bowling, any location.

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The University of Maryland Department of Music Bands Division will present its Annual Spring Pops Concert, a "Musical Space Odyssey," on Friday, April 30 at 8:30 p.m. in the Grand Ballroom of the Adele Stamp Student Union, on the College Park campus. The Symphonic Wind Ensemble and Concert Band, conducted by John E-Wakefield and Robert E. Foster. Jr. will be joined by The United States Army Band Herald Trumpets, under the direction of Capt. Thomas Palmatier. Works to be presented include Jupiter from "The Planets." Martian Music. and selections from "Star Trek." There is a fee. For ticket information please call the Band Office at (301) 405-5542,

Co. School Children At Kennedy Center

The Music Department of the Prince Georges County Public Schools will present the 18th Annual Kennedy Center Concert featuring the All-County High School Band, the High School Honors Chorus, the Middle School Honors Chorus. and the Com-bined Elementary Honors Choruses.

The concert will be held at the John F. Kennedy Center for the Performing Arts on Saturday, April 24. Tickets can be purchased directly from the Kennedy Center Box Office, or by calling 202-467-4600.

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by Linda Savaryn, 474-5285 Congratulations to Catherine Cissell, a resident at Greenbelt Nursing Center, Greenbelt Road who will celebrate her 102nd birthday on April 29, Greenbelt Nursing Center will be hosting a party for her on April 30 at 2:30 p.m. Mrs. Cissell has lived

Our Heighbors

since May, 1990. It's a boy for Colin and Teresa Roberts of Cherrywood Terrace. Their son Andrew was born January 22, weighing 6 lb. 15 oz. Colin is the circulation manager for the News Review at Springhill Lake. Airman Eric C. Picgols, son of

at Greenbelt Nursing Center

Danna Blais and stepson of Ste-ven Blais of Morrison Drive, has graduated from basic training at Lackland Air Force Base, Texas He is a 1991 ERHS graduate.

Congratulations to Carolyn Lubetzky. Center School teacher who has been named one of three finalists for the Presidential Award for Excellence in Elementary Mathematics Teaching. The nomination was made by the Maryland State Department of Education.

Navy Lt. j.g. John A. Haga, a 1985 ERHS graduate recently completed aircraft carrier flight qualifications aboard Training Squadron 19, Naval Air Station. Meridian, Miss.

Haga, a student naval aviator, successfully made his first four arrested carrier landings.

He joined the Navy in June, 1985. Haga is a 1990 graduate of U.S. Naval Academy, Annap-olis, Md. with a BS document

olis, Md., with a BS degree. Marine Pfc. Todd C. McMillian has returned from Okinawa, Japan with 2nd Battalion, 8th Marines, 2nd Marine Division, Marine Corps Base, Camp Lejeune, N.C. as part of the unit Deployment Program.

The 1991 ERHS graduate joined the Marine Corps in July, 1991.

Navy Petty Officer 3rd Class Vicki L. Glenn, whose husband, Raven, is the son of Raven J. Glenn of Springhill Lake, recently reported for duty with Fleet Composite Squadron Six, Naval Air Station, Norfolk, Va.

U. of Md. Chorus

Anniversary Concert

The University of Maryland Chorus is celebrating its 25th Anniversary Season. A special Anniversary Concert will be presented on Sunday, April 25 at 3 p.m. in the Memorial Chapel on the College Park campus. Conducted by Music Director Paul Traver, the program will include music drawn from the Chorus' extensive repertoire featuring works important to the Chorus' history which have proven to be favorites of audiences over the span of one-quarter of a century. There is a fee. Call (301) 405-5568 for info.

PROCLAMATION

WHEREAS, Governor William D. Schaefer has proclaimed April 26th thru April 30th as MUNCIPAL GOVERNMENT WEEK in celebration of 285 successful years of municipal government in the State of Maryland; and

WHEREAS, the citizens of Greenbelt are very proud of this city's long standing reputation of having one of the best municipal governments in the state, beginning on November 23, 1937, when ninety-six percent of the registered voters elected their first City Council, which appointed the first City Manager six days later at a salary of \$1.00 per annum, until such time as town funds could be established; and

WHEREAS, in enacting the Greenbelt town charter which became effective July 1, 1937, four months before the first residents arrived, the State Legislature established the first Council/Manager municipal government in the State of Maryland; and

WHEREAS, this form of municipal government proved so successful, with an efficient division of responsibility between a changing legislative body and a permanent administrative staff, that in 1992, after fifty-five years, fifty-five percent of Maryland's local governments are council/manager in form.

NOW, THEREFORE, I, Gil Weidenfeld, by author-ity vested in me by the Council and the citizens of Greenbelt, hereby issue this proclamation in honor of

MUNICIPAL GOVERNMENT WEEK

AND DO FURTHER PROCLAIM the Council's sincere appreciation to the many concerned, informed citizens who have always been the key ingredient to good government in Greenbelt.



IN WITNESS WHEREOF, I have hereunto set my hand and caused the Seal of the City of Greenbelt, MD to be affixed this 23rd day of April, 1993.

GIL WEIDENFELD, Mayor

ATTEST: Dorothy Lauber, CMC City Clerk

Youth Basketball Wrap-up

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Begin Baseball Season

Boys and Girls Club

by Jeff Keir

Now that Spring weather is upon us here, the Greenbelt Boys and Girls Club baseball are taking advantage. teams practicing and getting ready for their upcoming 1993 season. In fact, they are already in week three of practice. It appears (at this time) that the club will be fielding three teams this year, up from two last year.

Two 14 and under teams, one competing in the County Boys and Girls Club's more competitive 14-AAA league, the other, made up of boys born in 1979 and 1980, in the County's 14-AA league. It also looks real promising that Greenbelt will be fielding a 16 and under team (boys born in 1977 and 1978). This will be the first time in a number of years that the County will have a league at this level. The two 14-year old teams begin league play on May 10, while the 16 and under team begins league play on June 1.

The club is still looking for boys in the 1977 through 1980 age group to fill-in the three teams' rosters. Anyone who has been thinking about playing, act today. People need to be fully registered with the club regis-trar (all fees paid) in order to begin practicing with the team. To register, parents call Mel Scites at: (H) 441-8689. The baseball teams are cur-

rently holding practice Monday, Wednesday and Friday evenings, 5:30-7:30 p.m., at Bradea Field (unless there is a heavy rain).

The club has entered a 14 and under team in the Lanham Preseason Tournament the weekend of April 24. For further information on the tournament schedule, on baseball, or the club in general, call the club's 24-hour Sports Information Line: (202) 310-1066.

Bay Bridge Walk -Festival, May 2

The daylong Bay Day celebration will be held on Sunday, May 2 beginning with the annual Governor's Bay Bridge Run, followed by the 19th annual Bay Bridge Walk, a 4.3-mile stroil on the original span of the William Preston Lane Jr. Memorial Bridge over the Chesapeake Bay. Following the walk, visitors can enjoy Bayfest with its Bay awareness exhibits and demonstations, as well as entertainment, food and refreshments.

The Bay Bridge Walk will start at 9 a.m. when Mass Transit Administration (MTA) shuttle buses leave designated parking lots. There will be a nominal charge. People will be accommodated until the parking lots are filled, which has usually occurred before noon.

Parking will be available at the Navy-Marine Corps Stadium on Rowe Boulevard in Annapo-lis. and at Anne Arundel Community College in Arnold.

Drinking water as well as portable toilets will be available along the bridge Additionally, Toll Facilities Police Officers will be stationed along the bridge to render assistance as needed. Bicycles, pets, runners and joggers are prohibited on the bridge during the walk.

After finishing the Bridge Walk, walkers will be shuttled to Sandy Point State Park for the activities of Bayfest. Shuttle buses will operate continously between Bayfest and parking areas. Sandy Point will be open only to bridge walkers attend-ing Bayfest, There will be no vehicular traffic permitted in the park during Bay Day.

For more information on this year's Bridge Walk, call toll free 1-800-541-9595. The Bay Bridge Walk and Bayfest will be cancelled in the event of inclement weather or high winds. Cancellation announcements will be made on local radio stations after 6 a.m. that morning.

Arts Center's Play Presents Diversity of Local Talent

by Sandy Smith

Greenbelt Arts Center presents a variety of local talent in its world premiere of "Small of My Mind" at the Greenbelt Youth Center. The play opens Friday.

Gina Bilajiw, who appeared in "Silence of the Lambs" and has performed with many area drama companies, plays Ramona in this original comedy. Ramona's wedding is the occasion for her friends to gather in a small southwestern Virginia town. Bilajiw is a TV-film-video major at American University and studies theater with the Arts Conservatory in Washington. Most recently, she appeared in "MacBeth" with the Chevy Chase Players.

Ramona is set to marry her friend Jeanie's ex-husband Royalle.

Peanie is played by Mary Kay Goczalk. She was featured in "Among My Souvenirs," which won the Maryland One-Act Play Tournament last month and went on to the regional competitions-Goczalk is a Texas native here in Maryland only for a year, but she has sought out local companies to continue her acting career. Joel Parker is appearing in his first GAC production. He is a Greenbelter who works at NASA. He has travelled much in his career and performed in each of the communities where he has lived, from Boulder. Colorado, to San Francisco Bay area, to a small town in Texas.

Jill Loebig plays Billeen, Ramona's roommate. This is her first GAC production, but she has performed with the PG Little Theater, First Players of Hyattsville, and theater groups in Pittsburgh. She has frequently worked with technical aspects of theater production. working in lighting design or execution. She works as a technical analyst for software publishing company. Laura Seng, most recently in GAC production of "Caine Mu-tiny Court Martial," plays Ruthann. She lives in Odenton and is an analyst with the Defense Department.

Eckhardt

Julie Marlette Eckhardt of Greenbelt plays Donna Rae, the older sister. She performed in "Childrens Hour." Other acting credits include "Ar'senic and Old Lace" and "Don't Go Near the Water." Genevieve Williams of Washington, D.C., plays Linda Skanky, an old friend of Ra-mona's. She began her acting career in college. She works at the PG County Department of Social Services where she is in-volved with Project Independ-

Trix Whitehall plays Tiny. Most recently Whitehall performed in "Caine Mutiny Court Martial" and "Children's Hour." She was also a featured performer in "Twelve Angry Jurors." She has handled lighting, sound, props and many other technical aspects of productions. She is a charter member of the Arts Center. Ginny Zanner is appearing as Granny. In addition to her acting credits, she directs and produces the Chil-dren's Drama Production each year. She is set designer on this production and served many years as an officer of the GAC.

Handling props is Tony Goc-zalk, assisted by Hopi Auerbach and Harriet Phelps. Sandy Hamlin serves as sound technician. The play is performed Friday

and Saturday evenings, April 23 through May 8 at 8 p.m., with a special matinee at 2 p.m. on Sunday, May 2. All performances are in the Greenbelt Youth Center where seating is limited and advance reservations recommended. Call the Arts Line on 441-8770 for reservations and information.

SHA Announces Work On US 1 Has Begun

The State Highway Administration (SHA) announces that rehabilitation work will begin this month on U.S. 1 near Beltsville.

The project is necessary in order to improve safety and traffic flow.

The work, covering nearly one mile of U.S. 1 from MD 212 to Quimby Avenue, will include the addition of an extra traffic lane. as well as safety and drainage improvements.

No lane closures will occur during peak traffic hours 6 a.m. to 9 a.m. and 3 p.m. to 7 p.m. Construction will take place in phases, resulting in traffic lane shifts and minor delays. Some night work will also take place. Variable message signs (VMS), arrow boards, traffic cones and barrels will guide motorists through the construction site

Cunningham Paving of Crofton, Md. has been awarded the million contract which be complete by May, \$1.3 should 1994.

SHA encourages motorists to "give highway workers a brake." The Greenbelt Boys and Girls Club ended the 1993 basketball season by sponsoring a Basketball Tournament over the March 20-21 and March 26-28 week-ends at the Springhill Lake Recreation Center. Thirty-two teams participated including seven Greenbelt Boys and Girls Club teams.

The following Greenbelt teams placed in their respective divisions: 11-AA boys, coached by Jesse Jones, placed first; 12-AA boys, coached by Verne Hedg-peth and Hollis Wilkes, placed 2nd; 12-AAA boys, coached by Kenneth Belt and James Williams, placed 2nd; 14-AA boys, coached by Maurice Garland and Antonio Hunter, placed 2nd; and the 16-boys, coached by Curtis Brown. placed 2nd. It was a very exciting, competitve tournament, proceeds of which will help fund future Boys and Girls Club activities. A special thanks to the Tournament Committee family, the Rameys, who put in an enormous amount of time and effort in making the Tournament the success it was.

The basketball program put on the "final" touch to the season with a "Basketball Awards Ceremony" on Saturday, April 17 at the Greenbelt American Legion. The schedule was as follows: the three Intramural teams, 12 Noon-2 p.m.; the 11-AA boys, 12-AA boys, 12-AA girls (who won their league's County Championship) and the 12-AAA boys, 2:30-4:30 p.m.; and the 13-AA boys, 14-AA boys, 14-girls, 16-boys and the 17boys, 5-7 p.m.

Please note: To receive any award, a player (County) needs to have returned his or her uniform in good-clean condition. For further information on the awards ceremony or basketball. call Ava or Randall Ramey at: (H) 220-0942.

On another, but related note, the Greenbelt Boys and Girls Club Basketball Cheerleaders have been selected "Honorary WPGC-Radio Cheerleaders.'

The Greenbelt Cheerleaders will cheer for the WPGC team at WPGC basketball games through May 22. For further information about the Greenbelt Boys and Girls Club, call the Club's 24-hour Sports Information Line: (202) 310-1066.

New Drug for AIDS

People with AIDS and those who are infected with HIV can now take advantage of an additional drug through the Mary-land AIDS Drug Assistance Program (MADAP), the Depart-ment of Health and Mental Hygiene AIDS Administration has announced.

The new drug, zalcitabine (ddC), was added to the MADAP formulary through an emergency regulation, effective for six months beginning December 24, 1992.

ddC was recently approved by the U.S. Food and Drug Administration and is one of three drugs which work directly against HIV, the virus that causes AIDS.

ddC is expected to be used in conjunction with AZT, which was the first antiviral drug used to slow the progression of HIV dis-ease. ddC is similar to AZT, and may be prescribed for those who cannot tolerate AZT.

For further information and eligibility requirements for MADAP call the Maryland AIDS Administration at 410-225-5804 or local Maryland Health Department



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ATTENTION

The A&E Committee invites your participation in our Shrubbery Program for 1993. Order forms with prices may be obtained at GHI offices for the purchase of Ground Covers, Perennials, Shrubs and Trees. Your order obtained by April 26 will be delivered for pick up on May 1st at GHI Maintenance yard. Contact GHI at 474-4161.

GHI MEMBERS

Police Blotter

Police Blotter

Based on Information Released by the Greenbelt Police Department

Around 12:35 a.m. on April 10, after having just parked her car, a woman was walking to-wards the rear of the car when she was approached by two males wearing black ski-masks who displayed a handgun and demanded her purse. She dropped her purse and ran into her apartment building. The incident took place in the 6200 block of Springhill Court.

While patrolling the 7500 block of Greenbelt Road around 2:15 a.m. on April 12, an officer stopped a vehicle for an equipment violation and found that the driver was driving with a suspended driver's license and had a Beretta .380 semi-auto-matic handgun under his seat-The driver, a 28-year-old nonresident man, was then arrested and charged with transporting a handgun. He appeared before a District Court Commissioner and was held on \$1,000 bond pending trial.

While patrolling the 5900 block of Cherrywood Lane around 1 a.m. on April 13. an officer stopped a vehicle for a traffic violation and saw a .367 caliber handgun sticking out from under the driver's seat. A computer check showed that the gun had been reported stolen. Conse-

WOODED BEAUTY

LOWER LEVEL END

quently, the driver, a 28-year-old nonresident man, was arrested and charged with theft, possession of a handgun, and transporting a handgun. He appeared before a District Court Commissioner and was held on \$2,500 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 507-6524. Callers may remain anonymous.

While patrolling the 5900 block of Cherrywood Lane around 11:15 p.m. on April 15. an officer stopped a vehicle for a traffic violation and found a water pipe of the type common-

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Reward The Greenbelt City Police

Department is offering a re-

ward of up to \$100 for infor-

mation leading to the arrest

and conviction of person(s) responsible for any of the un-

solved crimes as reported in

the Police Blotter in the Green-

belt News Review. Contact

Criminal Investigations at

507-6530. All information is

around 1:15 p.m. on April 12. He appeared before a District

Court Commissioner and was released pending trial.

An attempted breaking and entering of an office suite in the 6300 block of Ivy Lane was

A silver, two-door, 1986 Dat-sun 300ZX. MD tags 221AEK. was reported stolen from the 6900 block of Hanover Pkwy. on

A 1992 Honda Accord was stolen from the 7700 block of

Mandan Road on April 14; it

reported on April 12.

April 11.

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Rotating Workshop

On Sexual Assault

Prince Georges Hospital Center's Sexual Assault Center is sponsoring rotating workshops on different self-defense strategies for women on Monday, April 26, from 11 a.m. until 3 p.m. Presentations at this workshop will rotate every 20 minutes, and is composed of the following: reducing risk of sexual assault/ personal attacks; self-defense strategies and demonstrations; personal alarm systems; and home and car safety.

Statistics show that two out of three women will become victims of violent crime during their lifetime. For more information, contact the Sexual Assault Center at Prince Georges Hospital Center, 618-3154.

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A COZY NEW LOOK Upper level home. Professionally painted. Breakfast nook storage, built-in A/C and carpet. Modern bath with linen closet. \$1,000 CLOSING HELP!

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PRICED TO SELL Wooded yard. Separate dining area. Open stairway & built-in bookcases. Ceramic tile bath, roomy kitchen & hardwd floors.

NEW LOW PRICE Freshly painted kitchen w/new washer, microwave & tile floor. Nice hdwd flrs. Sep laundry rm w/dryer. Ceiling fan and deck.

dwasher, W/D, fenced yard & deck. Hardwd firs & bigger BR's.

Huge, private corner yard. Updated kitchen w/dishwasher.

Modern kitchen, W/D, enlarged dining area, updated bath and

Loaded kitchen w/dishwasher, W/D & disposal. 3 Fans, built-in A/C, fenced yard w/shed and patio. Sep. DR w/built-in shelves.

\$69,900 New includes carpet, cabinets, floor, counters, stove, ceramic tile, pedestal sink, tub & paint. Big yard w/fence, shed & deck.

Meticulous

\$79,990

\$74,900 Vinyl siding! Beautiful parquet floors. Laundry room addition

\$59,900 Cozy home was just painted. Separate laundry rm with W/D. Fenced front/ backyard & shed. Stained glass window in bath.

\$69,995 Well kept block END unit. Big eat-in kitchen has extra counters,

\$69,500

50 YEARS AGO Wartime Shortages and Rationing

by James Giese Early 1943—In January, the city began to collect tin cans on a weekly basis. On the first day, 2,300 pounds were collected. Cans had to be washed, labels removed and the ends cut out, then flattened and placed out on the side of the main street by 8:30 in the morning. Collections were not made in the parking courts. The cans were immediately sold to the tin salvage station in Washington, where earnings were sufficient to pay the cost of transporting the cans to Washington.

The reliability of future collections was a potential prob-lem, however, because the city faced a manpower shortage, with many city positions vacant as men went off to war. By the second week, collection had dropped to 1320 pounds and city officials noted that many people had failed to get their cane out on time. Rationing of canned goods would further reduce the amounts collected weekly.

Scrap Metal Fiasco

The Greenbelt Cooperator reported that nearly 20 tons of scrap metal previously collected in a September, 1942 scrap drive was still piled in a heap near the Greenbelt sewage disposal plant in January, 1943. (Note: At this time, Greenbelt had its own sewage treatment plant located where the Maryland State Highway District Engi-neer's Office now is located on Kenilworth Avenue.) Only three truck loads of the best scrap had been removed by a scrap dealer under the direction of the Prince Georges County Civilian Defense Council.

Greenbelt had still not been paid for the metal taken and at best could expect to be paid \$15 dollars for its scrap. While the dealer was supposed to remove the rest within a week, the pile was still there two weeks later. However, in early February the scrap dealer finally hauled away

all the scrap and the Greenbelt Civilian Defense Corps netted \$72.

Butter Rationing With butter in short supply and no nationwide plan for rationing, the Greenbelt Food Store implemented its own rationing system. Co-op members were issued cards upon which were listed the family size and record of butter purchases. Consumers initially could get one-quarter pound for each family member up to maximum allotment of one pound every seven days. Gasoline Shortage

Greenbelt government emplovees would be eligible for gasoline rationing "B" books. the Prince Georges County Ra-tioning Board announced. This action would force harassed Greenbelt commuters into car pools, the paper predicted.

Besides rationing, the Co-op Greenbelt Service Station (now the Mobil Station on Crescent at Centerway) was having problems getting gasoline delivery. In February, 1943 the situation got better with the delivery of 4,000 gallons and the promise of a greater quantity of gasoline to be allocated to the station than in the month before.

City officials were actively working to get better service from Capital Transit Co. through the Office of Defense Transportation. Buses ran between Greenbelt and Mount Rainier, where riders had to transfer to a street car line to get to downtown. There, still another transfer would probably be necessary. The bus also connected with the street car line on Rhode Island Avenue in Berwyn, which also ran to Mount Rainier.

In a letter to the editor, H. Nelson complained that the bus was so crowded he couldn't get on it. For that matter, taking the street car to Berwyn wasn't much better because the bus was still crowded when it crossed the tracks

The Office of Defense Transportation ruled that a person had adequate public transportation if there was bus or street car

service within two miles. In peace time the standard was onehalf mile.

Cold Homes Town Manager Roy Braden urged residents to conserve heat by tightly closing windows and drawing curtains and shades. There had already been a 10 percent cut in fuel oil supplies plus delivery problems; another 10 percent cutback was expected soon. If residents didn't conserve, he warned, the furnaces would have to be turned off during some of the daytime hours.

Heat also was being turned off at night. For homes and apartments, furnaces were turned off at 8 p.m. and restarted at 4 a.m. The school and business buildings also were without heat during the night. By the end of January, Greenbelt had already used half of its February allotment. If things did not get better, there would not be hot water available during the summer months, Braden advised.

The Cooperator reported that there was no loss of oil when a fuel truck ran off Edmonston Road at the curve near Good Luck Road and overturned. Although the truck was badly damaged, contents were saved, Chief of Police George Panagoulis reported.

The Greenbelt Variety Store advertised that there was more than one way to keep warm. It offered good values for sale in inexpensive blankets. For \$5.29 you could get a 25 percent wool. 50 percent rayon and 25 percent cotton blanket in solid colors. Used Tires for Sale

Consumers with the right rationing certificates could now purchase used tires through tire dealers. These extra tires had been turned in when people registered for gasoline. About half of the 10 million received were unusable except as scrap. The remainder, some of which had to be first repaired, were being routed back to the tire dealers for sale to persons holding certificates.



Food Rationing

V-121-8/24

Greenbelters received their second food rationing book at the Greenbelt Elementary School on February 24, 25 and 26, 1943, with A's to I's appearing on Wednesday, J's to R's on Thursday and S's to Z's on Friday. The kids got out of school, as the teachers had to issue the books. Supplies of coffee as of November, 1942 and canned goods sub-ject to rationing as of February 21, had to be reported. If you had more than one pound of coffee for each person over 14. or more than five cans per person in the household, you were required to declare it. Also it was necessary to turn in Ration Book One.

The rationing system was a point system with ration books providing point coupons and rationed goods receiving announced point values. Co-op's response to rationing was to increase sup-

Drawn for Office of War Information plies of fresh fruits and vegetables, as the ration of canned, bottled and dried fruits and vegetables under the new point system was much more drastic than anticipated.

Even Dixie Cups The Greenbelt High School Student Council had to take drastic action and institute rationing when the school's allotment of "dixie cups" was reduced to 28 dozen a week or about one per person. Ration cards for one cup a week were issued. Since not everyone need-ed a "dixie cup," the cards were transferable.

No Take-Home Ice Cream In January, ice cream allotment to the Greenbelt Drug Store was half of its October purchases, or 15 gallons a day, and delivery of that amount was not guaranteed. Accordingly, ice cream sales were limited to only "on premises consumption."

Curb-Side	Drop-Off	
Pickup	Center	Item
NO	NO	Aluminum Foil, Pie Tins, Storm Doors
NO	YES	Auto Batteries
YES	YES	Cans, Mixed Food and Beverage
NO	YES	Cardboard (Flattened), Paperboard
NO	NO	Drinking Glasses, Ceramics, Bakeware
YES	YES	Glass - Clear, Green, Brown
NO	NO	Junk Mail
YES	YES	Lids, Labels
NO	NO	Light Bulbs, Window Panes, Mirrors
NO	NO	Magazines
NO	YES	Motor Oil
YES	YES	Newspapers (Wet is O.K.)
NO	YES	Office Paper/Computer Paper - White
NO	NO	Petroleum Product/Bleach Containers
NO	YES	Phone Books
NO	NO	<pre>Pizza Boxes (Greenbelt Dominos takes them back for recycling!)</pre>
NO	NO .	Plastic Bags (most grocery stores hav bins for recycling dry, clean bags)
YES	YES	Plastic Bottles (Milk, Soda, Water) Numbers 1 (PET) and 2 (HDPE)
NO	NO	Plastic- or Wax-Coated Containers (i.e., milk cartons)
NO	NO	Salad "Clam Shells"
YES	YES	Sunday Newspaper Inserts (no glossy)

Attention GHI Members!

This is to announce that I am a candidate for re-election to the GHI Board of Directors.

These are troubled times for GHI. Our Maintenance Director will be leaving GHI in May, and it appears certain that our General Manager will soon accept a two year assignment as a consultant to the Ukraine Republic to assist them in converting buildings and land from government to private ownership. It is imperative that we maintain stability, and I believe that with my years of experience on the Board and Audit Committee I can play a large part in doing so.

Of the other candidates I know of so far, I highly recommend that you also support and vote for Betty Deitch, Bill Phelan and Wayne Williams. There is a great wealth of GHI experience here, and with the four of us on your side, you will be assured of the stability and integrity you need and deserve.

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TOWNHOUSE for Rent: Large, 3 bedrooms, 2 full + 2 half baths. dishwasher, washer/dry-er. hardwood floors, walk-out basement (finished with wet bar). 2 fireplaces, storage room. tool shed, extras. Located in Greenbelt East (Windsor Green Community) with great view from sundeck. Pool and tennis. \$1050/mo. Available 6/1/93. Call (301) 474-6938.

RATES

Thursday, April 22, 1993

CLASSIFIED: \$2.50 minimum for ten words, 15c each additional word. No charge for listing items that are found. Submit ad with payment to the News Review office by 10 p.m. Tuesday, or to the News Review drop box in the Greenbelt Coop grocery store before 7 p.m. Tuesday, or mail to P.O. Box 68, Greenbelt, Maryland 20770.

BOXED: \$5.50 column inch. Minimum 11/2 inches (\$8.25). Deadline 10 p.m. Monday.

Include name, phone no. and address with ad copy Ads not considered accepted until published.

LAWN MOWING Service: Mowing, weed wacking, trimming. Call Glayde Hans 982-3477.

LICENSED Childcare - Loving. wholesome atmosphere for your child-age 16 months to kindergarten, Nancy 474-3935.



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Interested firms may contact the Finance Department immediately at (301) 474-1552 or pick up the RFP at the Municipal Building, 25 Crescent Road, Greenbelt, Maryland.

A pre-proposal conference for all the firms interested in submitting a proposal will be held at 1:30 PM on May 4, 1993 at 25 Crescent Road, Greenbelt, Maryland in the City Council Room to answer questions about the engagement.

All proposals must be submitted by 10:00 AM, May 12, 1993.



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YARD SALES

YARD SALE - Multi-family, Saturday, April 24, 8:30 a.m. to 2 p.m. Furniture, girls bikes, baseball cards, home furnishings, etc. East Greenbelt, Brett Place, follow signs at Greenbelt and Hanover Pkwy. Rds.

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COUNCIL

(Continued from page one) permanent financing can be arranged at the same time as bonds are sold for the community center, some time later this year. The ordinance will be considered for enactment at the next meeting

Economic Stimulus Proposals Passage by Congress of President Clinton's economic stimulus package would make available to Prince Georges County up to four million dollars in special Community Development Block Grant (CDBG) funds. City staff submitted a list of six projects which might be eligible for the special CDBG funds. In order of priority, as determined by staff, they are: (a) Greenbelt adult day care center for \$250,875. (b) Greenbelt senior activity center for \$287,950, (c) Springhill Lake street and sidewalk projects for \$135,710, (d) reconstruction of Parkway for \$120,000, (e) Springhill Lake Recreation Center. improvements for \$50,000 and f) Springhill Lake Recrea-tion Center for \$146,900. Mayor Weidenfeld introduced the proposal.

In reading the staff proposal, Weidenfeld noted that the U.S. Senate recessed for Easter without enacting the economic stimulus package and that it is pos-

sible that none of the funding will materialize. However, Hobbs contended that these projects should be approved by the council for submittal, in the event that the economic package was adopted. Council agreed and authorized their submittal.

Bicycle Task Force

The Advisory Planning Board (APB' has recommended to the council that a Bicycle Task force be established to promote bicycling as an environmentally sensitive mode of transportation and recreation and to plan for such bicycling issues as safety. education. laws and enforcement. commuting, trails and parking. Council member Antoinette Bram moved that additional advice be obtained from the Parks and Recreation Advisory Board (PRAB). She recommended deferring any action on the pro-posal until the board's comments were obtained.

Weidenfeld questioned wheth-er the task force, once established, would consist of a separate group or be subgroup of PRAB. Hobbs responded that there are many people in the community with expertise on bicycling who should be given the opportunity to participate in this decision, APB Chair J. Davis thanked the council for taking this matter under consideration. Bram's motion was adopted.

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Patuxent River Park Hosts Discovery Day

On Saturday. May 1, Patuxent River Park, 16000 Croom Air-port Road, Upper Marlboro, is hosting an open house and a number of special activities celebrating Patuxent River Discovery Day. Along the entire 100 mile length of the Patuxent River, government and private agencies will coordinate activities designed to acquaint the public with the historical, cultural and environmental aspects of the river.

This year marks the ninth anniversary of Patuxent River Discovery Day and the park is sponsoring river ecology boat tours. living history demonstrations, natural areas tours, water quality experiments and canoeing on Jug Bay. The Chesapeake Bay Critical Area Driving Tour and Duvall Tool Museum wili also be open.

New this year is the Patuxent Martial Music. a 1812 volunteer field band from Ft. McHenry. They will be performing at 11 a.m. and 1 p.m.

Many of these programs re-quire reservations. A brochure listing all of the Patuxent River Discovery Day events along the river is available by calling (301) 627-6074.

Greenbelt Arts Center

presents

METRO-BUS (Continued from page one) to Metrorail, Gasper said that service to the New Carrollton station is still needed. People

who work along the orange line in downtown Washington would have to change trains twice, since the Green Line will dead end at the Fort Totten station. Each transfer, Gasper noted, increases the length of the trip.

Getting to the Station

Under the proposed plan, there will be just two bus routes connecting different parts of the city with the Metrorail station. The T-15 will take residents from eastern and central Greenbelt to the station. Springhill Lake and Greenbelt East residents can take the R-12. The T-15 and R-12 buses will each run every half hour during rush hour, and hourly during nonpeak hours.

Quinn told the News Review that the county proposal is based their current ridership upon counts, which do not justify increased service. Several speakers at the hearing disputed these counts as too low, Noreen Yoch charged that they were taken during Christmas week, when ridership was unusually low.

Several speakers called for frequent, direct shuttle service to the Greenbelt and New Carrollton Metro stations. Given the relatively short times required

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to travel the area by car, the speakers were generally unwilling to take long bus rides to get to the station. None of the proposed routes go directly from Greenbelt East or the core of town to the Metro station via Kenilworth Avenue and Cherry-hill Lane. Instead, they travel down Greenbelt Road to Springhill Lake or Beltway Plaza and then the station.

As part of the aid to munici-palities program, the Maryland-National Capital Park and Planning Commission is conducting a study of possible shuttle service. However, this study is related to service by local government, not by Metro.

Increased Service

If the route changes are approved. Greenbelters will have access via connections at the rail station to bus routes serving more areas of the county, such as Laurel. Several speakers appreciated this option.

Next Steps

According to Greenbelt's Director of Planning and Commun-ity Development Celia Wilson, Washington Metropolitan the Area Transit Authority (WMA-TA) will hold two public hearings on the plan in mid- to late May By early fall, the WMATA board will receive its staff's final recommendations, which it may modify before approving. The new routes will go into service by December 11 when the northern section of the Green Line opens.

Wilson said that WMATA will review the routes in mid-1994 to see if additional changes are needed.

At the end of the hearing, Mayor Gil Weidenfeld urged those present to attend the WMATA hearings to make their concerns heard. The city will suggust Eleanor Roosevelt High School as the site of one of the hearings. The other will be held at a location inside the Beltway.

Fifth Army Assoc WW II Pilgrimage

Veterans of the U.S. 5th Army who participated in the Italian Campaign, World War II and their families are invited to join the Fifth Army Association in a 10-day pilgrimage to Rome, Florence, Naples, Sorrento, An-zio and Cassino during October 1993.

For information regarding this memorable journey back to the Italian Mainland please call 516-432-3022 or write to Sy Canton. Sec. 465 Shore Road, Long Beach, N.Y. 11561. A brochure contain-ing complete itinerary, rates, etc. will be forwarded at once.

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