News Review Picnic

To all News Review Staff members: please mark your calendars. Our annual meeting and picnic will be held on October 3. at Schrom Hills

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Park. See you there!



Bus Stop Changes

Due to construction, the bus stop on west bound Greenbelt Road (MD 193) at Hanover Parkway will be relocated to the east in the near future. The new location will be up the road slightly towards the Roosevelt High School.

P.O. Box 68. Greenbelt, Maryland 20770-0068

Thursday, August 5, 1993

Fire Consumes GHI Townhouse Unit City's Recreation Program

by David Morse A swift-moving fire gutted a townhouse end unit in Old Greenbelt late Sunday night. Greenbelt Volunteer Fire Departmenet Chief Dick Wynkoop said at the scene that the unit, |at |10-F Plateau Place, was "totalled." But the firefighters' quicq re-sponse, as well as certain structural features of the building helped prevent building. helped prevent spread of the fire to the adjacent upit, and prevented more serious structural damage. There were no injuries, according to Chief Wynkoop. The fire was caused by a mal-functioning electric coffee pot.

said Pete Piringer, a spokesman for the Prince Georges County Fire Department. An investigation is also being conducted by the insurance company for Greenbelt Homes, Inc.

Chief Wynkoop said it was unusual for a fire in an occupied home to spread so rapidly. "The initial call was for fire in the kitchen. But when we first got here, there was heavy fire on the first and second floor. When they kicked open the front door, fire blew out all the windows of the house. The fire drew units from four other area fire companies; Berwyn Heights. Branchville. West Lanham Hills and College Park.

Relief Efforts

Efforts to help the Bush family are being coordinated by Mary Linstrom, president of St. Hugh's Ladies of Charity and a member of the Catholic Community, in co-operation with the City of Greenbelt, City Manager Daniel Hobbs said that the city's Emergency Assistance Fund will act as a conduit for money donations.

Donors may mail contribu-tions or make them in person at the city's Finance Department (8 a.m.-4:30 p.m.). (Checks should be made out to "City of Greenbelt Emer-Assistance Fund)." gency Mail donations should specify in an accompanying note that the contribution is designated for the Bushes. Furthermore, on Saturdays from 9 a.m. to 12 noon, the city will accept and store donations of furniture, clothing, housewares, toys, Super Nintendos, etc., at its garage behind the swim center on the northeast side of the building. Contact Mary Linstrom for more details (474-7951).

A Beltsville thrift store, "My Friend's Closet," has offered to make clothing available to the Bushes free of charge. The store, located at 11000 Baltimore Avenue (Route 1) in Beltsville, is operated by the Association for Retarded Citizens of Prince Georges County. Contributions to the store are taxdeductible.



An unidentified firefighter pulls down drywall to check for fire extension within the wall.

-photo by Margaret McKenney (courtesy of Snap Shops Photo of Beltsville)

Thelma Sweeney of 10-E Plateau, the unit adjacent to the fire, expressed gratitude to Chief Wynkoop at the scene. "You saved my house." she said. "I thought my house was a goner. I never saw so many flames. You guys got here so fast."

Later. Sweeney added, "'It's scary how quickly that house went up. I'm talking three, four minutes (from the time I was notified)." I heard (my nextdoor-neighbor) screaming. Then she was pounding on my door shouting. 'Fire''. I called the fire department. Flames were shooting out the back of the house, the front of the house. I'll tell you, I prayed. When I came out of the house-I got the kids out, the dogs out-I just knew my house was gone. And I don't have any money (to pay for fire losses).'

Greenbelt City Councilmember Rodney Roberts, who lives di-rectly across the narrow parking lot from the damaged unit, said, "When I first came outside, I thought there were a bunch of lights on. But then I saw it was the siding on fire. The whole back yard was lit up like a bunch of spotlights. The fire was coming out the back of the house."

The damaged unit is the home of Michael and Alicia Bush, and their children, Nathan, 9, and Courtney, 3. Michael Bush said the fire started after 11 p.m. "We were upstairs watching pub-lic TV in the bedroom with the door shut when we smelled smoke." Shortly before, their cat, Radia, had been meowing and behaving peculiarly, but they discerned nothing at that time. After they smelled smoke, they then began to look around for the source.

"When we opened the bedroom door, the smoke just rushed in. As we ran down the stairs, there was a hot wind blowing up the stairs. It was too smoky to see anything, or to breathe.

I held my breath as I ran. There was no time to call the fire department." They escaped through the back door and ran around to the front.

"We could see the fire in the kitchen then. It spread so fast. I could see the fire climbing up the wall to the ceiling. It (the wall) was covered with orange. We immediately ran next door and pounded on the door." Their son, Nathan, was spending the night next door with Thelma Sweeney's grandson. "Then we ran to the third unit and told them. Five minutes after that, the whole kitchen was in flames and the windows exploded. By the time the Fire Department got there the kitchen was completely burned out and had gone black. It had spread to the back of the house and up the stairs."

Bush said the family had lost almost all its possessions in the fire, with the exception of some items in his son's room, which was partially shielded from the intense heat because the door was shut. Unfortunately, one of his son's most cherished possessions, a "Super Nintendo" video game, was lost in the confusion (See FIRE, page 12)

Expands for Children, Teens

by Kalyani Chadha

One of the many things that sets Greenbelt apart from other communities is its Recreation Department, which functions not as an impersonal government department, but as an integral part of the community's daily life, offering facilities that remain open 365 days of the year. Estab-lished in 1937, as part of the planned community concept, the Greenbelt Recreation Department, was the first of its kind in the state of Maryland. Since then, its primary ob-jective, according to Hank Irving, Director of Recreation, "has been to serve the leisure needs of the Greenbelt residents and to try and provide every program for which there is citizen interest."

In pursuing this aim the department has grown substantially, serving as many as 483,-669 users through a variety of general and special interest programs at sites such as the Greenbelt Youth Center, the Spring-hill Lake Center and the Schrom Hills Park during the year 1991-92. While the department thus offers programs on a regular year round basis, the summer, not surprisingly, is an especially busy period for it. This summer, besides the usual activities for children and adults, the Recreation Department has introduced several new programs. Significant among these are the Teen House Party and the Children's Theater at the Lake.

The Teen House Party, as the name suggests, is a special interest program for teenagers. Sponsored jointly by the department and the Maryland-National Capital Parks and Planning Commission (MNCPPC), this program, located at the Schrom Hills Park Center, aims to offer teens between 12-15, "a supervised location to meet on a daily basis in the summer," said Irving. A wide variety of group activities, including games and sports, classes. parties and ex-cursions to King's Dominion and the Hershey Park, have been planned so that teens can be constructively occupied.

The Children's Theatre, on the other hand, is a new educational/ entertainment series of performances directed primarily at younger children from ages 3-12.

These take place at the Buddy Attick Park and include mimes, ventriloquism and puppetry.

Further, the department has also undertaken an expansion of the existing pre-school programs, such as the Mom's/Dad's Morning/Afternoon Out and the summer KinderKamp, as well as of the Creative Arts program which now offers an extended six-week Creative Kids camp and new classes in photography and clay sculpture.

Financial Constraints

A major obstacle to these developments, however, has been the restricted availability of financial resources caused by the revenue reductions experienced by the city as a whole. As a result, the Recreation Departresult, the Recreation Depart-ment has had "to do more with less." In this effort it has re-ceived considerable help from recreation-oriented city residents who, according to Director Irving, have "generously volun-teered their time, serving on committees and working on programs like the Boys and Girls Club that would not otherwise be feasible."

Finally, with regard to the future, although the first priority of the department is to maintain the existing level of services, some new projects are nevertheless in the pipeline. These include: the opening of the new Community Center that will serve as a multi-generational arts and recreation complex, the development of more specialized camps and mini workshops and lastly an enhanced focus on social issues such as safety, AIDS, childcare and the special needs of the disabled that are of interest to the community.

Junior Ranger Program at Park

The National Park Service is offering a Junior Ranger Program to introduce 8-11 year old children to the Park Service and to the natural environment of Greenbelt Park. Four oneday sessions are scheduled on Wednesdays, August 11 and 25 and Saturdays, September 11 and 25. The programs will run from 9-2 and each child should attend one session only. Pre-registration is required. For information call 344-3948

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Correction

Inadvertently omitted from the July 15 article on the Metrobus Route proposels was the presentation by Delegate Joan Pitkin (who represents Greenbelt.) She told Metro officials that "While the goal of WM-ATA in its turnback study was to avoid overlap and competition between Metrobus and Metrorail routes. I believe under the new proposal the over-all goal of increased mass transit ridership and reduction in cost certainly to commuters will not be met. Indeed the ultimate ridership could therefore decrease and the bigger goal of getting more people out of their cars will fail."

She recommended that the study be reevaluated "in terms of meeting the needs of the citizen."

Prominent Volunteer Nominations Sought

Nominations are being sought for the most outstanding volun-teers in Prince Georges County. Adults, youths. groups and corporate volunteers are eligible for nomination for their exemplary community service. The Prince Georges County Volunteer Award program is coordinated annually by the Prince Georges Voluntary Action Center. Nomination deadline is August 15, 1993. The awards ceremony will be held this Fall at the County Administration Building. Upper Marlboro.

For more information or to nominate volunteers, call the Voluntary Action Center at 779-9444.

AIRPORT CELEBRATES AIRMAIL ANNIVERSARY

In honor of the 75th Anniversary of the Airmail, the College Park Airport Museum will host a special re-enactment of the first flight on Thursday, Au. gust 12, from 9 a.m. to noon On that same day in 1918, the Postal Department inaugurated their first Airmail Service from the College Park field, Crowds numbering in the thousands watched as pilot Max Miller climbed into his Standard biplane and took off on the Washington-Pennsylvania-New York route with several sacks of mail.

This event will include a postal cancellation booth, with a special cancellation being created to commemorate the day. An-tique cars and period costumes will help recreate the time per-iod of that significant day in history. The "airmail pilot" will then fly to Lock Haven, Pennsylvania, which is in turn com-memorating the 75th anniversary of the New York to Chicago airmail route which was inaugurated on September 5, 1918.

For information call the College Park Airport Museum at 864-1530 or the History Division 779-2011; TDD 699-2544.

The museum is a facility The Maryland-National Capital Park and Planning Commission, Department of Parks and Recreation, Prince Georges County and is open to all free of charge.

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Update

Dear Friends and Family: This is an update on Faye's condition. After several hospi-talizations over the winter and spring months due to infections, it was determined that the phrenic nerve was not healing itself and therefore could not be counted on to correct the paralyzed diaphragm. Consequently she underwent corrective surgery at the end of May.

At the present time she feels quite well, is exercising regu-larly and her stamina has increased.

Thanks to all for your prayers. calls, cards, financial contributions and other acts of love. Please continue to remember us.

Charlie & Faye Sokol 1803 Autumn Wood Drive Hoover, AL 35216 (205) 988-9928

(This is a new address)

Bonsai Display At Natl. Arboretum

A basic demonstration of styling and potting bonsai will be given by a knowledgeable bonsai enthusiast in the Yoshimura Center in the Bonsai and Penjing Museum on Sundays, August 8 and 22 at 1:30 p.m. at the Na-tional Arboretum, For information call 202) 475-4815

Don't Hesitate. Nominate!

To the Editor:

At this time each year, the Selection Committee for the Outstanding Citizen Award fans out to many areas and activities in the city in search of the volunteer who is worthy of this honor. There are so many such people that our efforts alone won't get the job done. We need the help of everyone.

Who is eligible for this award? The person whose peers say he or she deserves it. Any Green-belter whose contributions are considered worthy of honor by those who benefited most from them.

Nominating someone is easy. Possible nominees are plentiful. They are individuals or part of a group, usually both. All they have to be is outstanding, as you define outstanding. All you have to do is write a letter to the Steering Committee along with the form found in this issue of the News Review.

Talk it over with your friends and neighbors. Even ask your



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PRINCE GEORGE'S COMMUNITY COLLEGE AT **ELEANOR ROOSEVELT** HIGH SCHOOL 7601 Hanover Parkway at Greenbelt Road Greenbelt, Maryland 20770 Credit sections in Accounting, Art, Biology, English, Mathematics, Real Estate, and Speech. Tuition is only \$55.00 per credit hour for Prince George's County residents. In-person registration at Eleanor Roosevelt High School, August 17, 6:30-8 p.m. Classes begin the week of September 7. For more information, call 322-0783. **Prince George's Community College** 301 Largo Road, Largo, Maryland 20772 **Official Notice**



In accordance with Section 14 of the City Charter, a regular election to elect five members of the City Council will be held in the City of Greenbelt, Maryland, on Tuesday, November 2, 1993.

Any qualified voter of the City may be nominated for the office of member of Council upon filing at the Office of the City Clerk a nomination petition signed by not fewer than fifty (50) qualified voters, a written acceptance of the nomination, and such other statements as are required by the City Charter or by law.

NOMINATIONS WILL BE ACCEPTED

FROM MONDAY, AUGUST 16, 1993

THRU MONDAY, SEPTEMBER 20, 1993

Nomination forms are available in the City Clerk's Office, Municipal Building, 25 Crescent Road, during normal business hours.

Any qualified voter of the City of Greenbelt who wishes to be a candidate or who wishes to nominate a qualified candidate should call the City Clerk at 474-3870 or 474-8000 for information.

> Dorothy Lauber, CMC City Clerk

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Channel B-10 Schedule

Tuesday & Thursday, August 10 & 12

Greeenbriar Hosts Beauty Workshop

A Health and Beauty Work-shop will be held in the Greenbriar Terrace Room on Vednesday, August 11, at 7:00 p.m. for Greenbriar and Glen Oaks residents. The Guest Speaker will be Tammy K. Wolfe, cwner of Face the Future Salon in Greenbelt.

"Your New Look for Fall," will be the topic for this workshop," according to Linda Evans, Activities Director. "Tammy Wolfe has an excellent reputation for being a good speaker and for offering handson demonstrations. There will be several make-overs during the evening using participants from the audience. This program will offer professional tips and is ideal for teens."

There is no charge for this program, but persons wishing to attend should advise Linda Evans at 441-1096.

ERHS Craftmarket

Craftpersons are invited to participate in the First Annual Eleanor Roosevelt Craftmarket. This juried arts and crafts festival will be held on Saturday, Nevember 13 at Eleanor Roosevelt High School. The Craftmarket, sponsored by the PTSA. will feature the work of approximately 60 area craftspeople using all media. For an application brochure or further information, contact Sharon Kenworthy 345-9349 or Betty Timer 474-6775.

GREENBELT NEWS REVIEW **Learn About Plants**

Learn the identity and origin of many of the plant species found in Greenbelt Park. Join a Park Ranger on Sunday, August 8 at 10 a.m. at the campground entrance.

Native Plants

Learn about native North American plants that have medicinal value on Saturdays, August 7 and 14 at 10 a.m. Meet the Park Ranger at the campground entrance in Greenbelt Park.

Golden Age Club by Adeline Hinson

On Thursday, August 26, there will be a trip to Strasburg, Pa. Visit the Amish village on a guided tour and lunch at Hershey Farm Inn. Then on to the Strasburg Railroad for a train ride through the country side. Visit the train museum, Then cn into town to shop at the Pottery and Country Store. The bus will leave the Municipal Building at 8 a.m. and return at 8 p.m.

Thursday. September 23, there will be a trip to Northeast, Md. Visit the town and learn the history of the early seaports of the upper Chesapeake Bay. Visit the Basket Factory, early churches, museum. etc. Lunch and dinner are included in the fee. The bus leaves the Municipal Building at 8 a.m. and returns at 9 p.m.

There is a fee for both the above trips. For more details contact Jim Maher on 345-7324. nings).

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Children's Program At Greenbelt Park

A Park Ranger will conduct a children's program on the study of nature for ages 4-5 on Saturday, August 14 at 2 p.m. Learn about life and the interdependency of living things, animals and plants. Meet at the campground entrance in Greenbelt Park.

Ethnic Festival At St. Hugh's

The St. Hugh's Council of the Knights of Columbus will sponsor an Ethnic Festival on Saturday, August 14, from noon until 4 p.m. in Grenoble Hall, St. Hugh Church, 135 Crescent Road. All area residents and families are invited to bring a favorite ethnic entree or dessert and join in the fun and feast. There is a fee. However, those who bring a dish that feeds their own family plus five other guests will be admitted free.

Festivities will begin with a noontime lunch featuring a variety of ethnic foods prepared by festival guests After lunch, Greenbelt's own Ryan Greer, student ambassador to England, Ireland, Wales, and Scotland. will give his youthful perspective on his travels throughout the British Isles. Ethnic dancing, a geography bee, and pinatas for the enjoyment of young children will follow

For additional information call Bevan, 572-5846 (eve-Dave

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Fire gutted the home at 10-F Plateau Place leaving everything charred and blackened. -photo courtesy Greenbelt Homes, Inc.

FIRE

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following the fire, Said Aliria Bush, "It was a madhouse scene. controlled madness."

Extent of the Damage

The fire "equals the worst I've seen" in GHI. said Jay Freedman. Director of Technical Services for GHI since 1985. But he noted that the damage was limited by certain features of the unit. which was built in 1940 by the Resettlement Administration, a federal agency.

"The partition wall constructed during rehab did its job." he said, referring to drywall barriers installed between units in a 1981 renovation. "It prevented extensive structural damage," and kept the fire from spreading to other units through the attic-"The structural members (stads. joists, beam, and subflooring) are in excellent condition." The drywall, he said, prevented the fire from getting into the walls.

This opinion was echoed by Fire Department Assistant Chief Gene Davis, who said that the older homes were built to higher standards than some current comstruction. "They didn't cut corners in those days," he said. He added that in the 25 years he has been with the Fire Department, none (of the serious fires in GHI) have spread to the unit next door, either through the walls or through the roof.

Davis said that people should be careful to reduce fire risks with the measures available to them. Most important, he said, is to make sure smoke detectors are working, and if batteryoperated, to replace the batter-ies when needed. "If you have am inoperable smoke detector, the Fire Department will give you another one free of charge," he said. "We'll be glad to come by and check it for you. A smoke detector is the first line of defense if you're asleep upstairs.""

Secondly, if fire should break out, call 911 first, before making attempts to extinguish it any And a fire extinguisher should only be used "if it doesn't put you in harm's way," said Davis. He said that the fire department recommends that a nome extinguisher rated "ABC," which is capable of putting out small grease and electrical fires as well as wood and paper, should be stored near the kitchen.

Freedman emphasized that it was important for GHI residents to carry insurance on the contents of their unit. Members should make sure the policy also covers sheds, fences, decks, etc.

At the Library

Saturday, August 7, 11 a.m.-Seminar "What Are the Seven Biggest Mistakes People Make With Their Money?'

Tuesday, August 10, 1 p.m.-Scales and Tall Tales by Scales and Tales Nature Programs. For ages 6-12 as part of Summer Quest.

Wednesday, August 11. 1 p.m. Ages 3-5 Spanish English Storytime Thursday, August 12. 10:15 - Drop-in Storytime, ages a.m. -

3-5. Thursday, August 12, 2 p.m. -"Phantom of the Library" presented by the Library Theatre

Recreation Review

for ages 6-12.

Women's Flag Football The Greenbelt Women's Flag Football League is open to all teams on a first-come, f.estserved basis with priority going to resident teams. Play will begin the middle of September. For league and fee information. call the Recreation Department at 474-6878

Adult Co-Ed Soccer League The Adult Co-ed Soccer League is open to all teams on a firstcome, first-served basis. Sanctioned officials are provided. For league and fee information. call the Recreation Department at 474-6878.

Fifty Years Ago 10% Wage Hike OK'd

by James Giese July, 1943 - The Greenbelt Town Council granted town employees a wage increase amounting to approximately ten percent -but there was a catch. The employees had to work 48 hours a week instead of 44. In turn, they would be paid at a time-and-onehalf overtime rate for the four extra hours. The employees base pay rate remained the same. According to Town Manager Roy Braden, the new wages would place the local municipal workers on the same schedule as local employees of the federal government.

> **Greenbelt Community Church** UNITED CHURCH OF CHRIS Hillside & Crescent Roads Phone: 474-6171 mornings 10:15 a.m. Sunday Worship

'A church of the open mind, the warm heart, the aspir ing soul, and the social vision . . .'

LEENBELT NEWS REVIEW	Thursday, August 5, 1993		
Our Pleighten by Linda Savaryn, 474-5285 Jane Mann, a teacher at Elea- nor Roosevelt High School, re- ently participated in the 1993 United States History Institute at American University. She, along with 30 other high school eachers from across the coun- ry, had the opportunity to learn or a tive teaching techniques with 30 other she attend- et due to the states.	MISHKAN TORAH SYNAGOGUEBahai FaithBidge & Westway Rds. Greenbelt, Md. 474-4223/4224 Conservative/ Reconstructionist"The beginning of magnani- mity is when man expendeth his wealth on himself, on his family and on the poor among his brethren in his faith."Services: Friday 8 p.m. (First Friday each month 7:30 p.m.) Saturday 9:30 a.m. Rabbi: Saul Grife"Greenbelt Baha'i Community P.O. Box 245 Greenbelt, MD 20770 345-2918St. JOHN'S CHURCH		
ciation's annual meeting. At the meeting delegates discussed is- sues affecting American educa- tion. President Clinton made a special appearance to address the group. Davis teaches sixth grad- ers at Gaywood Elementary in Seabrook. It's a girl for Jeremy and Stephanie Warner of Laurel Hill Road. Asha Kate was born July 16, weighing 8 lb. 3 oz. She joins sister Maura. age 3. Her grandmother is Margaret War- ner of Hillside Road. Congratulations to John Ward	SI. JOHN'S CHORCH Episcopal Baltimore Blvd. at Powder Mill Rd Beltsville 8:30 a.m. Holy Eucharist 9:30 a.m. Sunday School 10:30 a.m. Holy Eucharist Church Office Hours MonFri. noon - 3 p.m. Rev. John G. Bals, Rector 937-4292 Catholic Community of Greenbelt MASS Municipal Building. Sundays, 10:00 A.M.		
who placed third in the Open Competition in the 1993 Potomac Valley Scottish Fiddling Compe- tition at the Scottish Games in Alexandria, July 24. He received the James A. Mac- Dougall Memorial Trophy pre- sented by Clan MacDougall. John also was recognized for playing the best march. Congratulations to Barbara Gulick, a ERHS graduate, who was recently awarded a scholar- ship from the Rotary Club of Greenbelt. She has been acce;it-	ST. HUGH'S CATHOLIC CHURCH 135 Crescent Road, Greenbelt, Md. MASS SCHEDULE: Sunday 8, 9:30, 11 a.m., 12:30 p.m. Saturday 5 p.m. Daily Mass: 7:30 a.m. Monday-Friday, 9 a.m. Monday-Saturday Sacrament of Reconciliations: Saturday 3:45-4:45 p.m. Rev. Thomas F. Crowley, Pastor Rev. G. Paul Herbert, Associate Pastor		
ed into the University of Vir- ginia and is enrolled in a five- year program to earn a BA in either psychology or chemistry, and a masters in education.	FIND LIGHT FOR YOUR LIFE		
2nd Lt Donald W. Edwards Jr. has graduated from the of- ficer rotary wing aviator course and has received the silver wings of an Air Force Aviator here. Students were taught basic flying skills in the Huey heli- copter, fundamentals of instru- ment flight and navigation. Also included were techniques used to	Greenbelt Baptist Church Bible Study For All Ages (Sun.) 9:45 AM Worship Services (Sun.) 11:00 AM & 7:00 PM Midweek Prayer Service (Wed.) 8:00 PM For transportation questions, call 474-4212 8:30 AM - 12 PM Crescent & Greenhill Roads		
accomplish Air Force mission re- quirements. In 1986, he graduated from Northwestern High School, Hy- attsville, and received a master's degree in 1992 from Bowie State University. The soldier is the son of Helen H. Edwards of Mandan Road. Congratulations to Maruf Sin- ger who made the dean's list at the University of Alabama for the spring semester.	UNITED METHODIST CHURCH MOWATT MEMORIAL 40 Ridge Road • Greenbelt • 474-9410 Sunday Worship 11 a.m. Children's Education 10 a.m. Adult Bible Study 10 a.m. Wednesday Evening Prayer Service 7 p.m. Counseling Service Available 301/681-3201		
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Festival Notes

by Sandy Smith



Each year the Labor Day Festival counts on the support of Greenbelt and area businesses to help finance the various events of the Festival. Many citizens don't know that the Festival is a non-profit, all-volunteer group which must raise the funds to finance the Festival. The Festival raises funds through booth fees, carnival commissions, and dona-The major expenses for the Festival are the profestions. sional entertainers who perform non-stop on the Festival stage and expenses related to the parade. Businesses can provide overall support or underwrite a specific event or award. For more information, contact Bobbi McCarthy, Festival Committee President at 474-5888.

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There is a special category for Young Photographer (under 16) but children and teens can also enter in any category.

Photographers can submit two entries. Each must be framed, wire attached and ready to hang. No preregistration is required and there is no fee.

The exhibition runs throughout the Labor Day weekend at the Greenbelt Youth Center. Entries are accepted the first

Art Show

Also at the Greenbelt Youth Center, the Labor Day Festival Art Show draws more entries each year. There is especially a growing number of children entering the art show as well as the photo competition. There are no fees to enter. but preregistration is required. Registration forms appear in the News Review later in August and are available from Barbara Simon at 474-2192. Prizes are given in all categories, as well as the Cipriano award, which is given to the work best depicting the theme Americans at work.

The Art Show is organized by the Greenbelt Visual Arts Coalition ,a group of Greenbelt artists, arts educators, and supporters of the arts who are working with the city to create a home for the visual arts in the new community center. Information about the arts studios

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Outstanding Citizen

The Grand Marshal of the Greenbelt Labor Day Parade will be the year's Outstanding Citizen. Citizens throughout the community can be nominated by anyone, family, friends, neighbors, or others who recognize their contributions to the comcommunity. Nomination forms will appear in the News Review or call Tom Renahan at 345-5352 for information.

Information Display

August 14 is the deadline for organizations, businesses, citizen groups and others to have a one-day information display during the Labor Day Festival. Groups use this opportunity to publicize their group's activities. recruit members, and generate support. Businesses take this opportunity to acquaint the many Festival goers with the services they can provide. Contact J Davis 345-3243 for more informa-

night of the Festival. from 6 and arts classrooms planned for to 8 p.m. Friday, September 3-Call Jim Parker 345-9573. the center will be available at tion. See page 12) the shows

Andrew G. Aronfy, M.D. Vijaya Kumar, M.D.

ECZEMA

(Atopic Dermatitis)

Andrew G. Aronfy, M.D. FAAP

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HOW IS ATOPIC SKIN DIFFERENT?

Atopic skin is more sensitive, drier, and more easily irritated than normal skin. It is always itchy. Thus the most important thing to remember is that eczema is an itch, more than a rash!

TREATMENT

The first and most important purpose of treatment is the reduction of itching and the elimination of dryness. The home environment must be not too hot and not too dry. Bathing must be infrequent and brief. The bath water should be lukewarm. Mild soaps (Nutragena, Dove) should be used. Moisturizing agents (Moisturel, Cetaphil) should be applied after every bath. (If bath oils are used, beware of slippery tubs.) Never use bubble baths. After a bath the child should be "blotted," not rubbed, with a towel. Soft clothing should be worn; starch-free cotton next to the skin; no wool. Atopic children should be under dressed to avoid sweating. Reduction of activities that produce sweating is a necessity. Fuzzy toys and animals should be eliminated.

An important rule in the treatment of skin diseases is that the more severe the lesion, the milder the treatment - and vice versa. Weeping and crusty lesions must be treated with compresses (e.g. Burrow's solution), and thick, dry lesions require creams, gels, or ointments. The compresses should be at room temperature. All these medications should be applied three or four times a day.

Dietary restrictions are often useless, and should be avoided, unless there is clear indication that the eczema is aggravated by certain foods.

Drug therapy for eczema is applied SPARINGLY to the skin. The most common drug is some form of corticosteroid which comes in different strengths, and in different vehicles. Other useful drugs are: coal tar derivatives, and urea. The only drug group prescribed regularly to be taken by mouth is antihistamines for itching. My favorite is hydroxyzine (Atarax, Vistaril), but diphenhydramine (Benadryl) is probably the most popular. This should be used liberally, becuse itching will make the rash worse. These antihistamines are very safe, and not habitforming. They can be used practically forever.

SPECIAL ADVICE

Keep in continual contact with your doctor. Report any worrisome changes in your child's condition.

Do NOT apply any medication your doctor does not know about.

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