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Something for Everyone at 60th Anniversary Celebration Events

by Pat Unger

Large numbers of Greenbelt residents, visitors, and honored guests are expected at the opening ceremony of the 60th Anniversary Celebration at 7 p.m. on Friday, October 17 in the Community Center when the National Historic Landmark plaque will be unveiled. About 350 reservations have already been made for the Pioneer Family Luncheon/Reunion at American Legion Post 136 from noon until 4 p.m. on Saturday, October 18, and ticket sales for the Gala Dinner Dance at Martin's Crosswinds on Sunday, October 19 from 2 to 7 p.m. have exceeded 400. These facts testify to the growing enthusiasm for the birthday party the city is throwing for itself.

Complementing the three main events of the 60th Anniversary celebratory weekend will be many other activities, exhibits, and programs, which are sponsored by a wide variety of city organizations and which cater to a broad range of tastes and age groups.

Even before the weekend begins, the Friends of the Greenbelt Museum (FOGM) will sponsor an historic slide lecture by Kathy Knepper, Ph.D., at the Community Center on Thursday evening, October 16, at 7:30 p.m. On Fri-

day evening, October 17, following the opening ceremony, FOGM will also present a special exhibit, "Ideal Places, Personal Spaces: 60 Years of Greenbelt Architecture," in the Community Center, first floor museum room from 7 to 10 p.m. The exhibit is

At 7 p.m. on Friday, October 17 in the Community Center the National Historic Landmark plaque will be unveiled.

funded through the Maryland Humanities Council by a grant from the National Endowment for the Humanities. The Greenbelt Museum (10-B Crescent Road) will be open on Saturday from 10 to noon in addition to its usual hours on Sunday from 1 to 5 p.m. The 50th anniversary volume "Greenbelt: History of a New Town, 1937 - 1987" with its updated eighth chapter, "The Sixth Decade" by former City Manager James K. Giese will be on sale at the museum. Giese will be on hand to sign books on Saturday.

On both Saturday, October 18, and Sunday, October 19, begin-

ning at 8 a.m., the Greenbelt Walking Club has arranged three, simultaneous 10-K recreational walks in Historic Greenbelt, Greenbelt East and Greenbelt West. Participants should register at the Youth Center by noon, and the trails will close at 3 p.m. For information call Paul Sabol at 301-345-2830.

For the same two days, Greenbelt churches and the synagogue will present a display of posters and photos in the gallery of the Community Center, 9 a.m. to 10 p.m. on Saturday and 7 p.m. to 10 p.m. on Sunday. Work by photographer Ru Yang will also be exhibited throughout the weekend.

A highlight event on Saturday, October 18, will be a Continental Breakfast/House and Garden Tour co-sponsored by the Greenbelt Home and Garden Club and Greenbelt Homes, Inc. (GHI) starting at the GHI office on Hamilton Place at 9 a.m. The Southern Maryland Antique Model "A" Car Club will have vehicles on view until noon. Call Pat Adelaide at 301-441-9512 for information. Arrangements have been made for 57 pioneer families to visit their original homes.

Lake Dedication

A Greenbelt East event will See ANNIVERSARY, page 13

Closed Monday

The News Review office will be closed Monday, October 13. The office will be open Tuesday, October 14 from 2 to 4 and 8 to 10 p.m. Deadline for copy and advertising is 10 p.m. Tuesday.



Fire gutted three apartments on Edmonston Terrace, doing \$400,000 damage to the apartment building.

—photo by Justin Steele

Fire at Springhill Lake Displaces 12 Families

by Karen Hunter

A two alarm blaze at the 9100 block of Edmonston Terrace displaced 12 Greenbelt families on Tuesday evening and remarkably none of the residents were injured.

The initial 911 emergency call was made at 5:49 pm. As the fire emergency units arrived on the scene, they found fire on the second and third floors of 9126

Edmonston Terrace. It was determined that a second alarm was needed. Some 22 units from surrounding municipalities responded to the call. It was because of an aggressive interior attack that firefighters were able to contain the blaze as quickly as they did. They were able to ventilate the roof which saved the building structure. Two firefighters were See FIRE, page 2

Candidates Propose Numerous Ways to Improve Public Safety

This is the second of five articles to provide Greenbelters with the views of candidates for city council. We posed five questions to the candidates and asked them to respond in 150 words or less. Responses over 150 words were cut off at the limit. As stated last week, we also are not permitting bullets or lists and are putting all responses in paragraph format. The responses are otherwise as submitted by the candidates.

The question for this week is: What public safety issues do you see as needing attention by the city? As a city council member, how would you deal with these issues?

Edward V. Putens

Our Police Department is the best in the State. Even people outside of Greenbelt acknowledge that. As a Council member, I have worked hard to help make it that way. I intend to keep it that way.

I support our community policing policy. In extending that policy, I proposed a second School Resource Officer to protect our children, and a Public Safety Committee to review a broader range of public safety issues.

We need more foot patrols in

Roosevelt Center — and at Greenway Center, and Beltway Plaza. We need to set up a task force to develop an organized attack to specific problems such as: auto theft and vandalism, and breaking and entering.

My priorities are — protect our officers and use new techniques. This year, I proposed equipping our police vehicles with bullet-proof glass and using video-cameras in strategic areas. A pilot for each is now under way.

Thomas X. White

Heading the list of issues needing Council's attention is the perception that Greenbelters are not as "safe" as they would like to be. Personal and property security concerns are paramount. If we are not safe in our homes, neighborhoods, parks, public places, schools, streets and shopping areas, then what is the value of city amenities in which we take so much pride?

In my view, Greenbelt has dealt with this significant issue in an effective manner, and, if re-elected, I would strengthen our efforts in the following ways:

Continued Support for Community Oriented Policing; Apply the Greenbelt School Resource Officer Approach to City Parks

and Facilities; Environmental Design Concepts to Improve Public Safety; Greenbelt Police Academy for Youth; Support Police Chief's Public Safety Forum for Education, Prevention and Outreach; and Support Further Efforts in Crisis Intervention.

I am asking for your support to put these ideas to work for Greenbelt.

Konrad Eugene Herling

The City's community policing policies have helped reduce crime by 8 percent over the last two years. To further reduce crime, I propose a greater police presence in Greenbelt East and in Springhill Lake through substations. I also propose that the City establish a substation in Roosevelt Center which will not only help reduce crime there but will be also a vital element to revitalizing "downtown Greenbelt."

Effective public safety, however, takes more than a well-trained police force. Crime watch programs should be promoted and expanded. Conflict resolution classes should be offered to parents as well as teachers, coaches, and scout masters who in turn, should instruct the youngsters how to use this technique in addressing confrontations.

See CANDIDATES page 16

Council to Hire Electrician, Seeks Road Repair Funds

by Virginia Beauchamp

At the regular meeting of the Greenbelt City Council on Monday, September 22, council approved a staff recommendation to place at the top of the list for applications for Community Development Block Grant funds for fiscal year 1998-99 a road and sidewalk reconstruction project for Westway. The estimated cost would be \$100,587 for that portion of Westway that lies between Lakeside Drive and Ridge Road, mostly within the University Square development.

Next on the priority list would be similar improvements for Springhill Lane between Breezewood Drive and Springhill Drive for which \$84,453 is requested. If last year's approval process is a precedent, only the top-listed project is likely to gain the go-ahead. That was a request for reconstruction of Breezewood

Drive, which was approved. Construction is scheduled for spring 1998.

Electrician

Council also approved a request by the Public Works Department to fill an open position in building maintenance with someone trained as a journey level electrician. Because the city has added new buildings, such as the Police Station and the Community Center, the need has increased for a worker with such training. Currently only one employee is licensed to do electrical work.

"I get a real charge out of this request," said councilmember Thomas White, setting off an explosion of similar puns from the rest of council. Council was assured that the employee in question would perform other kinds of maintenance duties when not

See COUNCIL, page 5

What Goes On

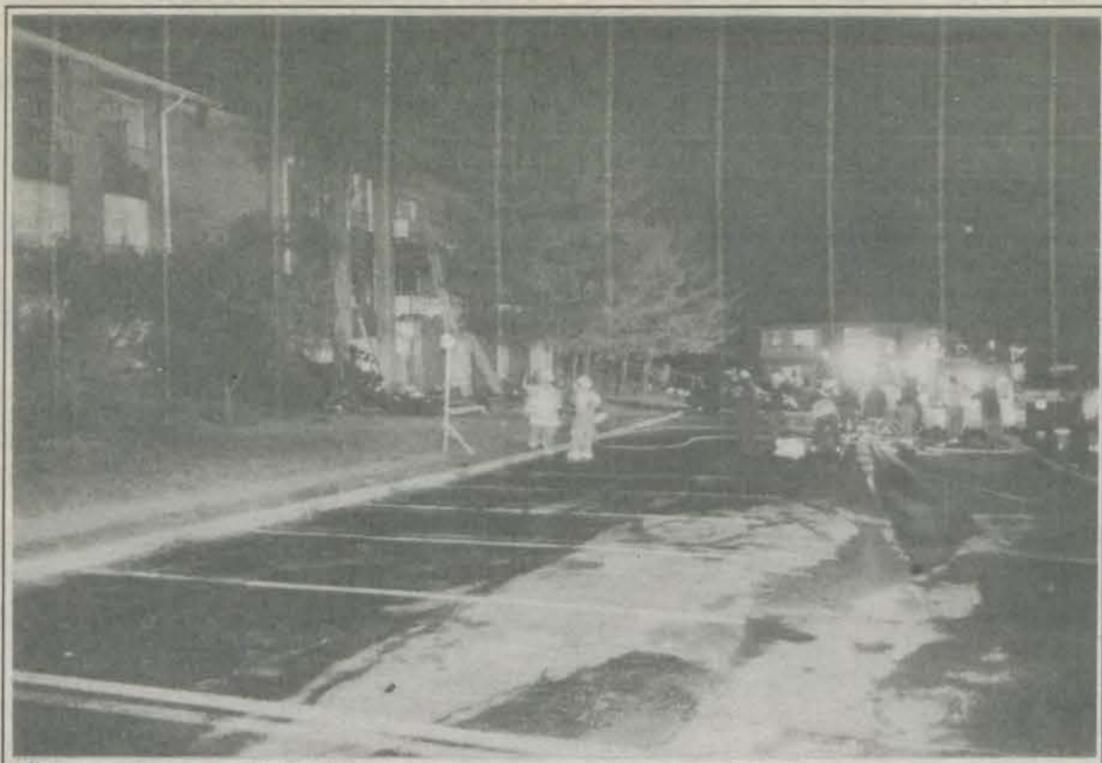
Mon., Oct. 13, 7 p.m. Recycling Advisory Committee, Community Center.

Tues., Oct. 14, 8 p.m. City Council Meeting, Municipal Building.

Wed., Oct. 15, 7:30 p.m. Park & Recreation Advisory Board, Community Center

8 p.m. City Council Worksession with Greenbelt Bicycle Coalition, Municipal Building.

Thurs. - Sun. Oct. 16 - 19 60th Anniversary Celebration Events (see ad on back page)



The fire is out and the clean-up begins. Now it's time for the investigator to assess damage and determine the cause - photos by Justis Steele



Freddie Brower (Volunteer Division Chief for Prince George's Co.) and Bill Hamilton. (Volunteer Assistant Chief for Berwyn) relax for a few minutes.



Team work! crews from Berwyn Heights and College Park take down a ladder



The job is done



Our 2,000 feet of hose was used to douse the flames

FIRE

(Continued from page 1)

treated for injuries. One was treated on the scene and the other was transported to a local hospital and later released.

Fire destroyed three of the apartments. The remaining units in the building sustained smoke and water damage. According to Public Information Officer Rick Queens, damages are estimated at \$400,000. Because the utilities had to be turned off, it forced residents in a nearby building to be evacuated as well. It is probable that they will be permitted back in their homes very soon. In the meantime, Springhill Lake management is providing temporary lodging for those residents.

The Prince George's County Chapter of the American Red Cross was on the scene almost immediately to provide emergency assistance. The Red Cross volunteers provided overnight accommodations at a local hotel as well as food vouchers for the Springhill Lake Residents. The Red Cross will continue to provide support to those families so

that the victims can return to normalcy as soon as possible.

According to officials, the cause of the fire has not yet been determined and it is currently under investigation.

Anyone interested in providing assistance to the displaced residents may do so by sending a financial contribution to the Prince George's County Chapter of the American Red Cross.



GHI Members Mark Your Calendars!

Attend 1998 Budget Hearing

Thursday, October 30 — 7:30 p.m. GHI Board Room



The Board of Directors will hold a member hearing on the 1998 proposed budget on Thursday, October 30 beginning at 7:30 p.m. in the boardroom of the administration building on Hamilton Place. Members are encouraged to attend and to ask questions on the items that are included in the budget projections for 1998.

Copies of the proposed budget will be available at the GHI Reception Office after October 23.

Are You Registered to Vote?

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DEADLINES: Display Ads—10 p.m. Monday; Letters, articles and other ads—10 p.m. Tuesday. Materials for publication may be mailed to address above, deposited in our box in the Co-op grocery store (by 7 p.m. Tuesday) or brought to our office in the Community Center 15 Crescent Road during office hours. Mail subscriptions—\$32/year.

OFFICE HOURS: Monday 2 - 4 p.m., 8 - 10 p.m.; Tuesday 8-10 p.m.
Greenbelt Community Center at 15 Crescent Rd.

Donation Drop-Off

The October Donation Drop-Off cosponsored with the American Rescue Workers will be held this Saturday, October 11 behind City Hall from 9 am until noon. Bring clean, usable clothing, small household items, curtains, towels, bedding sheets, toys, puzzles and books. Donations are tax deductible and will be reused by needy people in Prince George's County. Remember—this Donation Drop-Off is the second Saturday of every month.

To arrange for at home collection or for pickups of larger items including furniture, mattresses, or appliances that work, call the American Rescue Workers directly at (301) 336-6200. For more information, call Jennifer Foley, City of Greenbelt Recycling Coordinator at (301) 474-

Holy Cross Lutheran Hosts CPR Training

Free classes in cardiopulmonary resuscitation (CPR) will be held at Holy Cross Lutheran Church on Saturday, October 25. Everyone is invited. Aid Association for Lutherans (AAL) is picking up the tab for all costs. This includes pre-training "strengtheners" of bagels and juices, and is followed by slabs of energizing pizza.

Classes are from 9 a.m. to noon. Holy Cross is located at 6905 Greenbelt Road. Sign up by calling the church phone number, 301-345-5111. If a machine answers, indicate the call is for Bob Krueger to register for the CPR class. He will need a count to know how many trainers to have on hand.

Krueger, who is the AAL contact for the program, makes a critical point: "CPR is one of those skills you hope you never need to use — but if you do need it, you will always regret not having taken the training."

Explore Greenbelt

On Friday, October 17, Explorations Unlimited presents "Greenbelt's History: Accessible Sources." The presenter will be Pat Unger, publicity chairperson of the Greenbelt 60th Anniversary Committee.

Pat and her husband John and their family moved to Greenbelt in 1962 when John went to work at the Goddard Space Flight Center. The couple made their home here, raising four children, first in GHI and then on Lakeside Drive. Recently retired after 23 years of teaching General Educational Development (GED) classes, Pat has spent this summer doing informal research to broaden her knowledge about Greenbelt.

Both Pat and John originally became interested in the unique history of the city when John was elected to the board of directors of the now defunct Twin Pines Savings and Loan Association. This effort was aided by finding a hardback copy of George Warner's 1954 book, "Greenbelt, The Cooperative Community," at a Labor Day Festival book sale for 25 cents! Since then, the Ungers have pursued the topic as a hobby, and Pat will share Greenbelt facts and trivia.

Participants with expertise in this area are welcome to attend and add to the body of information as the city celebrates 60 years since its founding in 1937.

Explorations Unlimited is a speaker series held every Friday from 1-3 p.m., at the Community Center. This presentation will be

Community Events

Nonfiction Writers Group is Forming

The Greenbelt Writers Group plans to start a nonfiction group for people interested in writing essays and articles on science, politics, ecology, philosophy, the environment, and other subjects of interest to participants. If interested, come to the next GWG Open Reading on Friday, October 24, at 7:30 p.m. in the Multipurpose Room, or call Charles Braun, 301-441-8653.

This Weekend At the New Deal

by **Geff King**, music coordinator

This week the New Deal Cafe will feature Michelle Swan on Friday, October 10. One of the area's finer singer-songwriters, some of you may remember Michelle from the duo Morgan & Michelle; while she's working solo on this engagement, it should be a great evening nonetheless.

The Art of Meaning is a group from Baltimore which features dazzling harmonica playing coupled with fine songs, and they'll be holding forth at the Cafe on Saturday, October 11.

Next week, stay tuned for Greenbelt's 60th Anniversary! The New-Deal Cafe will be right in the middle of the festivities as always, and we'll be featuring Stan Brown on Friday, October 17, followed by a very special acoustic show with the well-known local alternative band Big Black Nun.

The New Deal Cafe opens at 7 p.m. on weekends. We're in the Greenbelt Community Center. Get directions by calling 301-397-2208, or check out our website at: <http://www.greenbelt.com/new-deal-cafe>.

What more do you need? Please join us!

GHI Notes

The Woodlands cleanup scheduled for October 12 has been postponed until November. Watch for a new date.

GHI offices will be closed Monday, October 13, for Columbus Day. For emergency maintenance that day, please call 301-474-6011.

The Finance Committee will meet October 16 at 7:30 p.m. in the Board Room.

held in the senior classroom. Everyone is welcome and questions are always encouraged. Please call 301-397-2208 for more information.

New Deal Cafe

Open Fri & Sat 7-11 pm		Music 8:30 pm No cover
Friday 10/10: MICHELLE SWAN (modern folk & originals)		
Saturday 10/11: THE ART OF MEANING (unbelievable harmonica playing)		
Friday 10/17: STAN BROWN (local pharmacist and troubador)		
Saturday 10/18: BIG BLACK NUN (an unplugged show)		
Donations for Musicians Encouraged Greenbelt Community Center (301) 474-5642		

At the Library

On Tuesday, October 14, "Congratulations, You're Hired: Staying in-demand" and other "it's not over" suggestions is the sixth in a series of job search workshops for adults at 7 p.m.

Wednesday, October 15, Adult Book Discussion on Marjorie Rawling's *The Yearling* and A.J. Cronin's *The Citadel* at 2 p.m. P.J. Storytime for ages 4-6 at 7 p.m.

Thursday, October 16, Tickle Toddle Storytime for ages 2 and parent or caregiver at 11:15 a.m.

Saturday, October 18, celebrate the City of Greenbelt's 60th Anniversary with a special screening of "The City," a film about Greenbelt's beginnings, plus a "5 & 10" book sale from 11 a.m. to 4 p.m. Refreshments will be served. This event is co-sponsored by the Friends of the Greenbelt Library.

German School Choir To Sing with ERHS

The Winfried Schule Gymnasium choir from Fulda, Germany, will join the choral department of Eleanor Roosevelt High School in a gala concert celebrating the universal language of music on Thursday, October 23, at 7:30 p.m. in the school auditorium.

Herr Reinhold Feldman and Dr. Barbara Baker are the directors.

While the event is free, donations will be accepted to help defray the cost of student travel associated with this cultural exchange program. For more information, call 301-513-5400.

Woodlands

clean up scheduled
Oct. 12. Postponed
until November.

Keith Jahoda
301-345-1569

OLD GREENBELT THEATRE WEEK OF OCT. 10

MRS. BROWN PG

Fri., Sat: (5:15 at \$3.00)
7:30, 9:40

Sun: (5:15 at \$3.00) 7:30

Mon: (All Seats \$3.00) 7:30

Tues, Wed, Thur: 7:30

<http://www.pgtheatres.com/>

GHI Bulb and Grass Seed Sale

includes:
Bulbs - lilies, daffodils,
tulips and others

Grass seed for
sun and shade

October 11
9 a.m. to noon
Hamilton Place

Wallenda Circus Performs Here

The 1997 edition of the Jenny Wallenda Circus promises to be a great hit with children of all ages.

Two performances are scheduled, at 5:30 and 7:45 p.m., in the gymnasium of the Greenbelt Community Center on Tuesday, October 21, here in Greenbelt.

This fun-filled show is known for its tradition of bringing quality family entertainment to town.

In 1953, Ernest Hemingway wrote, "Everything else is supposed to be bad for you, but the circus is good for you. It is the only spectacle I know that, while you watch it, gives the quality of a truly happy dream."

Watching the acrobats, jugglers, clowns, and the magic of the circus, up close and personal, in one wonderful ring is the best way to enjoy the excitement that is the circus.

Show manager Floyd Bradbury says, "There is a 'love' surrounding the whole operation, and whether the old-time indoor Jenny Wallenda Circus plays in a large arena or smaller building, just the thought of it stirs memories of an adventure. The circus will always be 'at home' in our hearts."

The box office opens one hour before showtime. Free children's tickets are available at area merchants and at the main office of the Community Center.

Greenbelt Greens

The Greenbelt Greens will discuss the City Council candidates on Monday, October 13, at the Greenbelt Police Station, at the corner of Crescent and Ridge Roads at 7:30 p.m.

Bob Auerbach and Mark Miller will give brief reports on the national Green gathering that was held over Labor Day weekend in Lawrence, MA. Mark Miller will also report on a recent Green meeting in Maine.

Refreshments will be served. For further information phone 301-474-1998 or 301-441-3298.

Library Gallery Needs Volunteers

The Prince George's Memorial Library System has openings for volunteers to serve as hosts in the Gallery, a room in the Greenbelt Branch Library exhibiting art created by Prince George's County residents. Hours are Wednesday evenings from 6:30 to 9 or Friday afternoons from 2 to 5. Call 301-699-3500, ext. 230 for more information, or pick up a volunteer application form at the library.

Art Classes

2nd Fall Session
10/26-12/13

Children	Adults
Pottery	Pottery
Comics	Tile Making
Homeschoolers Art Class	Drawing

Call 301-441-3859

REGULAR MEETING OF CITY COUNCIL GREENBELT MUNICIPAL BUILDING OCTOBER 14, 1997 - 8:00 P.M.

- I. ORGANIZATION
 1. Call to Order
 2. Roll Call
 3. Meditation and Pledge of Allegiance to the Flag
 4. Consent Agenda - Approval of Staff Recommendations
(The consent agenda consists of those items which have asterisks () placed beside them, subject to such revision as may be made by the Council prior to approval)*
 5. Approval of Agenda and Additions
- II. COMMUNICATIONS
 6. Presentations
- Presentation of Greenbelt History Book
 7. Petitions and Requests
(Petitions received at the meeting will not be acted upon by the City Council at this meeting unless the standing rules are waived by the Council)
 8. Minutes of Meetings
 9. Administrative Reports
 10. Committee Reports
- Advisory Planning Board Memorandum
- III. LEGISLATION
- IV. OTHER BUSINESS
 11. Perception of Schools Study
 12. Approval of Job Description - Electrician
 13. Consolidated Transportation Program
 14. Election Questionnaire
 15. Right of Recovery - Senior Center
 16. Resignation from Advisory Committee on Education
- V. MEETINGS

NOTE: This is a preliminary agenda, subject to change. Regular Council meetings are open to the public and all interested citizens are invited to attend. For information, please call 301-474-3870. If special accommodations are required to make this meeting accessible to any disabled person, please call 301-474-8000 or 301-474-2046 (TDD) to request such accommodation before 10:00 am on the day of the meeting.

David E. Moran
City Clerk

OBITUARIES

Henry R. Thurston

Retired City of Greenbelt Public Works employee Henry R. Thurston (age 79) died October 2 in Minneapolis, MN. He is survived by his wife of 51 years, Mary; four children: Deanna Gardner and husband Ned of Minneapolis, Ruth Athenhoff and husband Paul of Denver, CO, Martha Newton and husband Luther of Falmouth, VA, and James R. Thurston and wife Dana of Murfreesboro, TN; ten grandchildren; one great-granddaughter; four nieces and one nephew.

Thurston worked for the Public Works Department on its Parks and Grounds Crew from 1956 to 1974. He was well known to many Greenbelters and Roosevelt Center merchants and employees because for many years he was responsible for keeping the center clean. During Labor Day Festivals, Thurston often marched at the end of the parade with cart and shovel to clean up after the horses.

Services were held on Wednesday at Ft. Lincoln Funeral Home with burial at Ft. Lincoln Cemetery.

Lester E. Olson

Lester E. Olson, longtime Greenbelter, died of heart problems Monday, October 6. Burial was at the Cheltenham Military Cemetery.

Mr. Olson is survived by his wife Ardith, and their children Nancy Olson Lignelli of Ellicott City and Robert Olson of Odenton, MD; six grandchildren and seven great-grandchildren.

In Memorium

Thank you, Tom Barlett, for teaching us Tai Chi practically for free; for your banana-theme festivals; for your free REIKI healing; for helping to bring peace to Greenbelt; for bringing together so many diverse people; for helping sell your REIKI students on my muffins and the New Deal Cafe. For being you. Thank you, thank you, thank you, Tom!

I never thanked Tom enough when he was alive.

I remember being a student when Tom was a student in the first Tai Chi class at the Youth Center. He was upset to learn the teachers were moving the class out of Greenbelt. So he started leading Tai Chi classes as practice sessions. He told me he wanted as many Greenbelters as possible to learn Tai Chi so he'd always have people to practice with.

About a decade later, I count six people in my court and the court across the street as his students.

Tom did all his serious learning and teaching with a good dose of humor, using visual aids such as a partially deflated beachball that sent a doll called Roseanna Banana flying into the air, demonstrating the power of muscle relaxation.

I think Tom started Greenbelt's first Earth Day celebration.

For the 60th Anniversary, I hope the city and GHI will find a way to honor heroes such as Tom Barlett and Jim Maher.

I hope that we, his Tai Chi current and former students, will stay together, both to memorialize Tom and to carry on his Tai Chi plans.

Tom taught me some principles about Tai Chi classes in Greenbelt: They should stay in Greenbelt and they should be very affordable. Even if we have to go back to the way Tom started when he had little Tai Chi experience — as sessions where we practice together.

We paid him so little that we owe him some money for charity and for memorials such as pine trees in both Greenbelt and at his church, Paint Branch Unitarian-Universalist Church.

Tom has made some spots in Greenbelt sacred. The Youth and Community Centers where he held classes, and the former basketball court between them, where we used to practice in good weather, and his GHI home.

I'm looking for Tom in my dreams and as I walk around Greenbelt. I can see him now late in the evening practicing Tai Chi on the old basketball court.

I had gotten the news of Tom's death after spending the day canoeing the Patuxent. The entire trip was a metaphor for Tom's death, including the omen of a dead deer lying in the river with an arrow through its chest.

The message I took: Tom had reached the banks of eternity and drank from its refreshing waters before starting his journey. His chi and the river's had merged.

Now the river runs through Greenbelt.

Don Comis

In Memorium

The obituaries of Tom Barlett failed to mention one of his contributions to Greenbelt. He was the driving force behind the 1990 Earth Day celebration in Greenbelt. Environmentalists around the country had wanted to make the 20th Earth Day celebration special. Tom picked up the ball and got the job done here.

I remember him at meetings of various groups cajoling people to get moving. And in the end there was a special day — an environmental fair, nature walks, and a special tree planted near the pool. Many people were touched by these activities.

I especially remember walking around Greenbelt Lake and learning about plants that can be eaten or used as medicine. Our guide was Dr. James Duke, who is now a world renowned expert on the medicinal uses of plants.

I'm sure Tom learned a lot planning Earth Day and doing the other things he has done for the community. Surely he would have contributed to the community for years to come. His death is our loss.

Betsy Likowski

Interfaith Magazine Moves to the Web

Greenbelt's interfaith newsmagazine has a new home — the World Wide Web. The full contents of Greenbelt Interfaith News (formerly Greenbelt Religious News) may be found at the magazine's Web address (www.greenbelt.com/news). In addition, the August-September issue of the printed edition is available from the information desk of the Greenbelt Library.

Recent articles include a description of the Jubilee Mass at St. Hugh's Church, a look at how local religious communities celebrate Labor Day, and an investigation into the legal issues surrounding the baccalaureate service at Eleanor Roosevelt High School. The Web edition also carries articles on national and international news, including reports from American denominations that are holding national meetings this summer, and an interview with Archbishop Michael G. Peers, head of the Episcopal Church's sister denomination, the Anglican Church of Canada.

For more information, contact Heather Elizabeth Peterson by e-mail at news@greenbelt.com, or by phone at 301-345-2454.

Berwyn Presbyterian Church

6301 Greenbelt Road

Sunday School 9:30 a.m.
Worship Service 11:00 a.m.

All are Welcome

Interim Pastor
Rev. Jack Wineman 301-474-7573

UNITED METHODIST CHURCH

Mowatt Memorial United Methodist Church

40 Ridge Road, Greenbelt
301-474-9410



Counseling 301/681-3201

SUNDAY

Bible Study 9:30 am
Sunday School 10:00 am
Worship Service 11:00 am

Rev. Guillermo Chavez, Pastor

Where there is welcome for the stranger and community with others who seek love and justice.

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 Reconciliation: Saturday 3:45-4:45 p.m.
Rev. Thomas F. Crowley, Pastor
In Residence: Rev. Walter J. Tappe



HOLY CROSS LUTHERAN CHURCH

Friendly people worshipping God and serving their community

Conservation Sunday
Service 9:30 a.m.



6905 Greenbelt Road, Greenbelt, MD 20770
email hcross@aol.com Visit us on the Web
<http://member.aol.com/hcrosslcms/hclchome.htm>
Rev. Stephen H. Mentz, Pastor (301) 345-5111

Baha'i Faith

"Make My love thy treasure and cherish it even as thy very sight and life."
—Baha'i Sacred Writings

Greenbelt Baha'i Community
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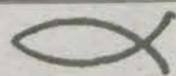
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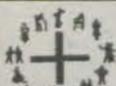


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The Prince George's County Planning Board of the Maryland-National Capital Park and Planning Commission has scheduled a series of public forums to solicit comments on the Commission's budget for planning, parks and recreation for the next fiscal year which begins July 1, 1998.

The public forums are for three different dates and locations, to accommodate citizens and community groups. Remaining are The forums Thursday, October 9 at the Harmony Hall Regional Center, 10701 Livingston Road, Fort Washington; and Thursday, October 23 at the Parks and Recreation Administration Building, 6600 Kenilworth Avenue, Riverdale.

Individuals and representatives of community organizations who wish to speak at the forums may register in advance by calling 301/952-4584; TTY 301/952-3796.

Written comments will also be accepted until Friday, October 31. Comments may be addressed to: Elizabeth M. Hewlett, Chairman, Prince George's County Planning Board, 14741 Governor Oden Bowie Drive, Upper Marlboro, Maryland 20772.

The Maryland-National Capital Park and Planning Commission encourages the participation of persons with disabilities in all of its programs and services. For special assistance (i.e., large print materials, assistive listening devices, sign language interpretation, etc.) call the Public Affairs Office at 301/952-4314.

Tax Classes Offered

Holy Cross Lutheran Church is hosting income tax classes, geared to senior citizens' concerns. Terry Reinhart, CPA, will instruct the seven-week course beginning Wednesday, October 29, at 10 a.m.

People for whom the new tax code is a mystery should plan to attend Terry's weekly two-hour sessions. They cover everything from a review of new tax changes to a review of the Maryland income tax return, ending with a recap of the complete course.

There is no charge to members of Holy Cross Lutheran Church or people who are already registrants at Prince George's Community College (PGCC). Otherwise, PGCC, who sponsors the class, charges a fee per semester for seniors eligible to attend classes.

Holy Cross is located at 6905 Greenbelt Road. For information, or to register, call Terry Reinhart at 301-336-3915, or E-mail radapc@erols.com. Register early to ensure available space.

Are You Registered to Vote?

COUNCIL

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needed for specific electrical work.

Earlier in the evening, Rick Ransom, who had chaired the Labor Day Festival, presented council with a check for \$500 as a contribution to costs incurred by the city when outdoor electrical fixtures had been added to the Community Center building to light the tables for bingo. The total cost was about \$1800, Ransom said.

He also praised the city's help in allowing its vans to be used for the shuttle operation during the Festival. Over 600 persons were transported by shuttle, he said.

New Collection Fees

With councilmember Edward Putens voting no, council passed a motion to suspend the rules, allowing for both first and second readings of a resolution to approve a two-tier refuse collection system whereby refuse customers can pay an additional fee for a second weekly refuse pick-up. Starting October 6, all city refuse customers will otherwise receive only one pick-up a week.

Commemorative Program

Patricia Unger, publicity chair for the 60th Anniversary celebration, presented a request from the committee for \$1800 to print 3,000 programs to be passed out at various events during the anniversary weekend. No advertisements will be included to pay for the booklet, she said.

Congratulatory letters will be included from the President of the United States, the governor, both U.S. senators and Greenbelt's Congressional Representative. To hold down costs, only one picture will be included,

she said—that of the present Greenbelt City Council. Members of council then spent several minutes going over the text of the city's official letter, also to be included in the program.

Mayor Antoinette Bram commented that the Maryland Municipal League's next newsletter will contain a feature story about Greenbelt's 60th anniversary. She noted that a 1947 picture of the city council showed only one woman—the city clerk. The current council picture shows two women as members of council. This time the city clerk is a man.

Recycling Video

At adjournment council watched segments of a new half-hour video prepared by Media Specialist Beverly Palau with assistance from the Recycling Committee. The video will be shown from time to time on the city's cable station, Channel 10. Copies are also available in the city office, where they may be borrowed for home viewing.

Recreation Review

The last day of rollerskating at the Springhill Lake Recreation Center for the Fall was held last Tuesday, October 7.

Hallowe'en Events

Also in October, the Recreation Department will sponsor its annual "Celebrate Halloween Week!" Featured will be workshops on Pumpkin Decorating, Scarecrow Making, Scarecrow Face Decoration and of course the popular Costume Contest and Parade. Detailed informational fliers will be sent to all area elementary schools and advertised in future issues of the News Review. Don't miss out on these festive activities — mark calendars now for October 28 - 31.

The Sound Scene

by Nick Mydra

His business card says right on it that he is "the world's most incredible guitar player." That would be Jeff Aug, a Washington area musician. Last Saturday night the 13th saw Jeff playing that guitar at the New Deal Cafe. The 27 year old Wheaton resident wowed everyone who was listening, including yours truly. I caught the second half of his show. Whether or not you like his style of music, most would agree Jeff is an accomplished player. What's his style? Hard to say, little of this, some of that - mostly his own style. Jeff says solo acoustic aggressive new age. John McLaughlin has had an influence on him. Unlike a singer who uses the guitar to accompany the songs, Jeff, with his longish hair flying and his fingers racing up and down the frets deep into his music, says in notes what others would say with words. The names of some of his titles in-

clude "Shazam," "Ceramic Tile," "Sidewalk," and "Funky Acoustic Groove Thang." Using an amplifier system with an echo chamber gives a much more varied tonality to the works.

"Sidewalk" had a haunting feel to it. "Dedication to Saz," an East Indian influence. The one work I thought he seemed the most comfortable with and the most polished of the songs was a "Rush Medley," a collection of Rock & Roll songs. Jeff said it was because of all his years of playing rock & roll, four and a half years as a R&R guitarist in a band that did two tours of Europe including three CD's. That is quite an accomplishment for someone who is still in his twenties. Counting his newest solo CD he now has a total of seven CDs in all. If you want to get in touch via the web, he is at www.dumbluck.com.

As always if you missed it - maybe next time.



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POLICE BLOTTER

Based on Information Released by the Greenbelt Police Department

Armed Robbery

On October 1, at 10:30 p.m., a man who was walking from his car to his residence in the 9100 block of Edmonston Road, was approached by two men. One of the men had a gun pointed toward the ground. He demanded money. When the victim did not respond quickly, the other man grabbed him by the collar from behind and again demanded money. The victim gave up his wallet and fled into his residence. He was unharmed. The suspects left the area on foot. The suspect with the gun is described as a black man, in his 20's, 6', thin, and wearing dark clothing with a baseball cap and glasses. The second suspect, black and in his 20's, is heavily built and also wearing all dark clothing.

On September 30 at 12:30 a.m. a man who was walking from his car to his residence in the 6900 block of Hanover Parkway was approached by two men. The victim was immediately punched in the nose, became disoriented and ran into his residence. The suspects left in a large dark car, possibly a Chevrolet Caprice, driven by a third person, description unknown. The two attempted robbery suspects are described as black men, 5'6" and 6' and wearing dark clothing. The taller man was heavily built and displayed a chrome handgun to the victim.

As a man and his roommate were walking home toward the 6100 block of Breezewood Court from the grocery store in Beltway Plaza at 6 p.m. on September 16, they were stopped by three black men, ages 18 or 19, who demanded money. Two of the suspects pulled the grocery bags from the hands of the man and began punching him. The other victim was pushed, but ran off. The three suspects wore dark clothing and the first one wore a mask over the lower part of his face.

Assaults

On September 26 at 5:30 p.m. officers responded to a residence in the 8000 block of Mandan Road to a report of a domestic assault. A man reported to police that after a long verbal battle, he attempted to leave the area. His girlfriend tried to block his car with hers. She rammed his vehicle with hers causing damage to his vehicle. He then fled and she chased him, again ramming his vehicle, causing more damage. Police are investigating.

After a traffic dispute, a black man, age 28 to 30, wearing all dark clothing, threatened the woman with a black jack. The incident, which occurred at the intersection of Hanover Parkway and Hanover Drive, was reported at 11 p.m.

Officers responded on September 30 at midnight to the parking lot near Market Lane and Springhill Lane for a report of an unconscious woman. They found her and tried to find out what had happened. The woman was taken to Doctors Hospital. She was unable to provide any information. Investigation revealed that she and her boyfriend had an argument which became physical. Both were injured and both, subsequently, were arrested and

charged with assault. The 23-year old woman is a resident of the 6200 block of Springhill. The man has been held in reference to an unrelated case.

A Greenbelt man, a resident of the 7700 block of Mandan Road, was arrested and charged with assault. A woman had told police that he struck her in the face several times following a verbal argument.

During an Eleanor Roosevelt High School football game, two 18-year olds were arrested. After a citizen complained that they were disorderly in the stands, police asked them to leave and not return. They did leave, but soon returned and got into a fight. They were charged with disorderly conduct. Both were released on citation.

A person walking between Sports Authority and Caldor on October 2 at 2:45 p.m. was robbed by two armed men. He received minor injuries and was treated on the scene. Police, hearing a broadcast description of the get-away car, saw and stopped the car. The suspects were identified, arrested and charged with theft, assault and robbery.

On October 2 at midnight, an officer stopped a vehicle for a registration violation in the 9100 block of Edmonston Road. The tags, and validation stickers had been stolen, two more acts of stolen validation stickers were found in the vehicle. Officers also found crack cocaine and a counterfeit 20-dollar bill. Both occupants of the car were arrested. One, a 52-year old man, is a resident of the 9100 block of Edmonston Road. He was released pending trial.

Two sisters got into a fight after arguing over housework in the 7900 block of Vanity Fair Drive on September 26 at 10:30 p.m. Police advised them of their options in regard to mutual assaults.

An 18-year old resident of the 9100 block of Springhill Lane was arrested on Oct. 2 and charged with possession of marijuana. Police had observed a vehicle swerving from side to side on Cherrywood Lane. The car was stopped. As the officer approached, he could smell the odor of alcohol. Both the driver and occupant had been drinking and were underage. Suspected marijuana was found in the vehicle.

On Sept. 27 two 17-year olds, one a Greenbelt resident, were arrested and charged with possession of marijuana. They had been observed by an officer on bike patrol sitting in a hidden area. As the officer approached, he smelled burning marijuana. One of youths dropped a burning, handrolled cigarette on the ground. The other had marijuana in his possession.

A nonresident man was arrested for indecent exposure. The woman who witnessed the incident had followed the suspect until police arrived at 5 p.m. on September 30 in the Greenway Center.

Thefts, Burglaries

6500 block Capitol Drive, Sept. 29, 4:15 p.m., pneumatic hand tools from an unattended garage.

6200 block Breezewood Drive, Sept. 28, 2:15 p.m., camcorder and stereo from an unlocked residence.

6100 block Breezewood Drive, Oct. 1, 7:30 p.m., clothing, jewelry and electronics. No sign of forced entry.

6700 block Village Park Drive, Sept. 25, 7 a.m., appliances from a home under construction.

7500 block Greenway Center Drive, Sept. 29, 7:45 a.m., undisclosed amount of cash.

Lake Park Drive, Sept. 29, 12:30 p.m., appliances from a home under construction. Entry was forced through a rear door.

6900 block Hanover Parkway, Oct. 1, 8 a.m. Attempted burglary, patio door forced.

8000 block Mandan Road, Oct. 1, 5:30 p.m., storage room door forced, nothing taken.

Jeepeers! at Beltway Plaza, Sept. 27, counterfeit bills used to pay for services. Case turned over to Secret Service.

Jaspers, Greenway Center, Sept. 30, 7 p.m., two diners refused to pay for their meal and drinks and refused efforts to arrange payment alternatives. The two are a black man and woman in their 60s, thin build. He is 5'11" with gray hair, she is 5'4" and wears glasses.

Two vandalisms were reported last week. The rear bedroom window was broken in a home in the 5900 block of Cherrywood Terrace. Two youths were released to parents pending action by juvenile services. The glass front door of an apartment building was broken in the 6200 block of Springhill Court on Oct. 1.

Vehicle Thefts

A 1982 Toyota Corolla, stolen on August 25, was recovered by Prince George's County police on Calvert Road. The car was in good condition, but the tires were gone. The Howard County Police recovered another car stolen from Greenbelt, a 1988 Nissan Pathfinder. The vehicle was partially stripped.

Counterfeit Warning

In the last two weeks there have been several reports of the use of counterfeit currency. According to Officer Britt Cave of the Greenbelt Police Department, these incidents have occurred in commercial shopping areas and are not limited to any specific geographic location within the city. Cave reminds all commercial business managers/owners to instruct their employees in the methods used to identify counterfeit currency.

The denominations of currency being passed are old style 100 dollar bills (small portrait), new style 100 dollar bills (large portrait), and old style 50 dollar bills.

Cave notes that inexpensive bill marking pens can be procured from most business supply stores. These pens mark the bill and change color if the bill is fraudulent.

A brown Acura Legend, MD tags AHG-684, was reported stolen on Oct. 2 at 8:30 from Rosewood Drive.

Bikes

A man's blue bicycle was taken from the 6000 block of Greenbelt Road on Sept. 27.

Vandalisms to, thefts and attempted thefts of and from vehicles last week were reported in the following areas: 200 block of Lakeside Drive, Ivy Lane, 5900 block of Cherrywood Lane, 7200 block of South Ora Court, 6100 and 6200 block of Breezewood Drive, 7600 block of Greenbrook Drive, 20 and 58 courts of Ridge Road, 7700 block of Lakecrest Drive, Capitol Drive, 6000 block of Greenbelt Road, Centerway, and Walker Drive.

Metro Police Offer Anti-crime Tips

Throughout the month of October, Transit Police Officers will provide information on preventing auto theft, deterring bicycle theft, and how customers can keep themselves safer in and around the area's Metro stations. McGruff the Crime Dog will be at the Greenbelt Metro station during morning rush hour on Friday, October 17.

On Saturday, October 25, from 10 a.m. to noon, Transit Police will sponsor the first in a series of Safe Ways Around Town (SWAT) seminars at Washington Metropolitan Area Transit Authority (WMATA) Headquarters (600 Fifth Street, NW). These seminars will highlight various Transit Police patrol strategies, self-protection, the system's security features, and general safety information on how to report and prevent crime in the Metro system.

"Crime prevention is a partnership between Transit Police and the public," said Transit Police and Safety Deputy Chief Polly Hanson. "We're proud of our crime prevention record, and we're looking forward to working with riders during Crime Prevention Month and throughout the year to show them how to keep themselves safer in the system."

Vote

Community Education Program

Mowatt Memorial United Methodist Church is offering its Fall Community Education Program on Saturdays from October 18 to November 22.

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Conrad and Comis Run in Festival 15K

A total of 259 runners competed in the two long distance races held Sunday, August 31, in the Greenbelt Labor Day Festival.

Cheryl Conrad, 39, finished 15th in the running of the 39th Labor Day Festival DC Road Runners Club 15K (9.3 mile) run in 1 hour 10 minutes and 16 seconds among the 65 females. Donald Comis, 48, was 73rd among 148 male finishers in 1:12:26. Greenbelters who finished were: 36th Rita Noel, 35, in 1:30:15, and 65th Dea Zugby, 58, in 2:02:08. Among the males 76th place was Tom Trunk, 32, in 72:50; 85th place was Stuart Venzke, 33, in 1:16:09; 99th place was John Noel, 38, in 1:20:17; 113th David Alexander, 38, in 1:23:14; 126th Albert Stenson, 41, in 1:28:07; and 127th Joe Broderick, 59, 1:28:28.

The 6K (3.72 mile), the first race at that distance ever held here, was included as part of the 60th anniversary celebration of Greenbelt's founding. Judy Hoyle, 30, who finished 10th among 21 finishers, was the first Greenbelt, in 35:51. Christy Dickey, 24, was 18th in 51:03; Charles Jackman, 46, 7th among 25 finishers in 29:22; Robert Grumbine, 37, 8th in 29:28; Colin Thompson, 24, 10th in 30:18; Atticus Cosgrove, 23, 16th in 32:14; Bob Rudd, 24, 22nd in 35:27; and Rollie Hoyle, 30, 23rd in 35:51.

The winning times in the 15K were Ann McGranahan, 18, Pensacola, FL in 55:04 and Dominique Da Luz, 37, Silver Spring, in 53:20. In the 6K, Patty Turney, 31, Silver Spring, in 23:26 and Bill Osborne, 45, Bethesda, in 23:28. Complete results will be available at the Youth Center. This course through Greenbelt and the BARC is now marked in kilometers and miles. Runners can start at various places to get in a variety of distances up through ten miles.

The runners appreciate the Greenbelt volunteers, John Gorman, Harvey Geller, Bill Boyd, and Tom Noel, who helped on the course and Shalom Fisher for his work inside the Youth Center. Members of the REACT volunteer radio communications group worked on the course monitoring the progress and safety of the runners. The Co-op store supplied refreshments.



"Closest to the Flag" golf contestants take turns with their "iron shots." Winners were Bill Hammond (senior), Coby Stohrer (men), Mo Irving (women), and Ben Kepler (junior).

- photo by Joe Polanin

Recreation Review

The Greenbelt Recreation Department hosted its traditional Labor Day competitions as part of the weekend's festivities. As always, the competition was fierce. Thanks to everyone who participated in the events and congratulations to all the winners.

T-Ball: 4 year olds - Shane Kellaheer, Shelby Hibbs; 5 year olds - Connor Hibbs; 6 year olds - Bradley Fitzenreiter; 7 year olds - Tyler Hibbs; 8 year olds - Justina Quick.

Hockey Shot: 7 - 8 year olds - John Yakupkovic; 9 - 10 year olds - Patrick Curtice; 11 - 14 year olds - Michael Faherty; 15 and up - Kevin Matovick.

Basketball Hot Shot: 6 - 7 year olds - Sean Kent; 8 - 9 year olds - Kerry Mullaney; 10 - 12 year olds - Anthony Ladnier; 13 - 15 year olds - John Foster.

Closest to the Flag - Golf: seniors - Bill Hammond; men - Coby Stohrer; women - Mo Irving; juniors - Ben Kepler.

Table Tennis: men's singles - Stan Swetnam; men's doubles - Scott Lubey, Stan Swetnam; juniors - Robbie Perez.

Horseshoes: singles - Wayne Cumberland; doubles - Wayne Cumberland, Pat Foster.

Volleyball: coed twos - Chris Cant, Kim Compton; coed fours - Rick Hawk, Mark Feeney, Gene Wason, Chris Dwyer.

Scavenger Hunt: adults - Cindy Donn, Bill Osborne, Eileen Osborne, Beth Osborne; kids - Nicole Osborne, Jacqueline Lilly, Maureen Clum, Chris Bond, Darjush Jusef.

Softball Tournament: champions - Tricomm, 2nd place - team #4, 3rd place - The Pub.

Golden Age Club

by Dolores Capotosto

As I sit near a window and write, I see a mixture of summer and fall. There are still late flowers around, but every warm breeze brings down more leaves. I have, however, no complaints about this warm weather.

A big thank you is due Bernie McGee for writing the Golden Age column these past two weeks while this reporter was having fun in other locales.

The Golden Age meeting on October 15 will be our birthday celebration for the month. Finger foods will be in order, or members may make a donation to the Hospitality Committee for buying basics.

There is a waiting list for the trip to Cumberland and Frostburg set for October 23. See the Travel Committee to sign up for the November trip, which will be to the Underground Railroad Museum in Delaware.

The speaker for the Golden Age meeting on October 22 will be a representative from the Kaiser/Permanente Insurance Company.

June Francisco is now the Sunshine Committee Chairwoman. We hear from her that Sylvia Kender is doing as well as can be expected after a fall.

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Ellie Rimar is in charge of the "Show and Tell," program on October 29. Those who want to present an item should let her know. It's so enjoyable to see Golden Agers perform at "Show and Tell."

Don't forget the Greenbelt 60th Anniversary events. The dinner/dance is on Sunday, October 19, at Martin's Crosswinds. See you at the meetings!

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If you have any questions or concerns, please contact Phillip Rondeau at (301) 474-0292.



Seniors Offered Lunch Program

Every weekday from 12 - 1 p.m., the Community Center offers a program for senior citizens called Food and Friendship. The program is held in the dining room. The meals are well-balanced; there is a nominal fee. To reserve a meal, call 301-397-2208, ext. 2236, by 1 p.m. the day before. Food and Friendship is a good way to meet one's neighbors and find out what's going on in town. Those who need a ride should call The Greenbelt Connection at 301-474-4100, or GIVES members can call 301-507-5680. Come and see what Food and Friendship is all about.

The menus for the week of October 20-24 are as follows:

Mon., Oct 20: Minestrone soup, meat loaf w/gravy, okra, tomatoes, succotash and sliced pears.

Tues., Oct. 21: Apple juice, Italian sausage w/peppers and onions, boiled red potatoes, green beans and fruited jello.

Wed., Oct. 22: Cream of celery soup, sweet and sour chicken, rice florentine, Japanese vegetables and sherbet.

Thurs., Oct. 23: Pineapple juice, beef stew w/vegetables, rice, chopped spinach and canned

peaches.
Fri., Oct. 24: Cranapple juice, Italian veal/cheese patty, seasoned spaghetti, broccoli and brownies.

All meals include bread and margarine, milk, coffee or tea.

Race Relations, Diversity Are Study Circle Topics

Two study circles, one on diversity and the other on race relations, sponsored by the Prince George's Human Relations Commission, will begin later this month according to Carol Leventhal, director of Greenbelt CARES. Promoted at the Greenbelt Labor Day Festival, eight persons signed up to join a study circle.

Also, to address the challenges facing public schools in Prince George's County, the Prince George's County Human Relations Commission, in partnership with a diverse coalition of local organizations, is launching "Community Collaboration on Education." In this initiative, citizens and educators will come together in a series of study circles to better understand their common concerns and to encourage community involvement in improving the quality of

education in Prince George's County. Study circles are small, democratic, highly participatory discussion groups which allow citizens to discuss their firsthand knowledge of an issue, examine different views on both the problems and possible remedies, and find common ground for constructive action.

Leventhal advises that the first circle will begin on October 20 and run for five weekly sessions from 6 to 8 p.m. The theme will be race relations and will discuss how a community can change racist attitudes, public policy issues, affirmative action, etc.

The second study circle will be held at Eleanor Roosevelt High School beginning October 28 for four consecutive weekly sessions from 6 to 8 p.m. It will concentrate on diversity, i.e., who we are

as Americans, what are our bonds and boundaries.

Other local organizations involved in planning and implementing the education study circle program include the Prince George's County public schools, the Community Ministry of Prince George's County, the Chamber of Commerce, and Prince George's County Community College.

The Human Relations Commission is offering an open invitation to organizations and individuals throughout Prince George's County to sign on as co-sponsors and participants in these projects. Study circles will take place at several sites conveniently located around the county. Sponsors will help disseminate information and recruit participants from within their own organization. Anyone interested in participating or getting involved should call Julie Vallario or Cheryl Ringer at 301-883-6270.

Whitman-Walker Needs Volunteers

Make a difference! The Whitman-Walker Clinic of Suburban Maryland is seeking volunteers to assist persons living with HIV/AIDS. Volunteers are needed in the following areas; Buddy Program, Nursing Home Visitors, Speakers Bureau, Volunteer Drivers, Food Delivery, Legal Services, and Reception & Administration. For more information, call 301-439-0731 ext 214.

Crompton Is Veep of Greenbelt.com

by Douglas L. Love

In one of the smoother transitions in its history, the GREENBELT.COM board accepted the resignation of Vice President Greg Myers, and appointed new member Tom Crompton to the position. Myers is a new father who is working full time and teaching a class at Maryland, so he is unable to perform the vice presidential duties of volunteer, publicity, and class coordinator. Crompton is enthusiastic about this new opportunity. President Nancy Revis explained that "this job is wonderful, because you get to find volunteers to do all of the work for you!" In an open letter to the Board, President Revis further explained that "Tom is like all of us — a husband, father, full-time worker

for the DC school system, member of a very active church and an avid camper. His wife Raine works full time and attends college studying to be a nurse. They are both wonderful people..."

Three visitors also came to the monthly board/membership meeting, and they also volunteered to help with some of the many fun tasks that are performed by GREENBELT.COM members and friends, such as maintaining and adding to the web pages describing the many ongoing activities in Greenbelt. Jay Williams, head of Jay Williams Design Co., volunteered to help with publicity, and suggested free World Wide Web advertising sites we can link to. One member noted later that this was not only the most productive

meeting of the GREENBELT.COM board, it was one of the happiest.

GREENBELT.COM board/membership meetings are held at 7 p.m. on the first Thursday of each month in the police station meeting room. Next month's meeting will be devoted to achieving nonprofit status.

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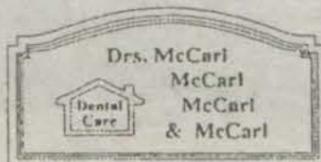
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Laurel Residence Honors Greenbelt

Greenbelters over age 60 were invited to celebrate Greenbelt's 60th Anniversary at a reception at Morningside House of Laurel. Attending the festivities included many who have lived in Greenbelt, or have Greenbelt connections.

At the Morningside reception, there were door prizes and special tours. A large cake proclaiming "Welcome Greenbelt" was decorated in green, white and yellow. During conversation it was discovered that Milt Mortman of Greenbelt and Andrew Huntress of the Greenbelt/Bowie area had the same occupation - working with weather satellites for NASA/Goddard.



Standing, l. to r.: Linda S. Evans, Morningside regional director and long-time Greenbelt resident; Terri Price, Morningside admissions counselor who previously worked in a Greenbelt physicians office; Milt Mortman, Greenbriar resident; and Harriet Clark, Morningside admissions assistant, whose sister, Helen Edwards, is a Greenbriar resident.

-photo by Kelvin Bell

Writers' Group Plans Anniversary Events

The writers in Greenbelt are celebrating Greenbelt's 60th anniversary with style. On October 17, the Greenbelt Writers Group will hold an open house from 7 - 10 p.m. in the Media Room of the Community Center. Refreshments will be served. Copies of their new anthology, "Grass Roots," will be available for a modest price.

On the following evening at 7 p.m. in the same room, the Greenbelt Writers' Group Book Discussion will hold a special program on the topic of "Town Planning, and the Environment."

Everyone interested in the topic is invited to attend and to bring a book to exchange.

Several books will be featured, including Greenbelt's own "Greenbelt: History of a New Town 1937 - 1987." The discussion will be preceded by a brief overview of the history of town planning. Several other books, such as "Forests: A Naturalist's Guide to Trees and Forest Ecology" and "Your Organic Garden" will also be featured.

Seating is limited. For more information, call Marsha Barrett, 301-982-0365.

The Library Marks City's 60th

The Greenbelt Library celebrates the city's 60th Anniversary with month-long displays and a trio of family events on Saturday, Oct. 18, from 10 a.m. to 5 p.m.

"The City"

This film, created for the 1939 World's Fair to give people a glimpse of life in idyllic planned communities (away from the crowded, polluted cities), will be shown continuously from 10:15 a.m. to 2 p.m. "The City" shows many scenes of early Greenbelt and was filmed using the first families. The film's score was the first movie music done by Aaron Copeland.

"Five and Ten"

From 11 a.m. to 4 p.m., the Friends of the Greenbelt Library will hold a book and magazine sale in a room behind the display case downstairs ("In memory of

Woolworth's," says Barbara Tanen, the sale organizer).

A Child's Book

From 3 to 5 p.m., Sally Davies, author and illustrator, will be featured at a gallery opening and reception. (See separate story.) Gallery hours are Mon.-Wed., 2 to 5 p.m. and 6:30 - 9 p.m.; Thurs.-Sat., 2 to 5 p.m. The gallery is located downstairs.

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The library display case downstairs will feature a whimsical look at Greenbelt in relation to life in the wider world at the time the town was founded.

The Tugwell Room upstairs holds a permanent collection of materials on Greenbelt and can be visited anytime.



Kids' Author/ Illustrator Will Speak at Library

by Dorothy Sucher

Sally Davies grew up in Canada, where the family moved around frequently, because of her father's work as an architect and city planner. Then she married Greenbelter Derrick Early, and in 1994, after three years in Canada, he persuaded her to move to Prince George's County. Now Davies has drawn on her own experiences to write and illustrate a children's book called "Why Did We Have To Move Here?" about a youngster and his family who move to a town very much like Greenbelt.



Sally Davies, author-illustrator of a new children's book, "Why Did We Have To Move Here?" She will speak at the library October 18.

The publication of the book will be marked by an exhibit at the downstairs Gallery of the Greenbelt Library during the month of October. A reception will be held there on Saturday, October 18, from 3 to 5 p.m., and at 3:30 the author will speak on "Getting Published: Writing and Illustrating a Picture Book." Copies of the book will be available, and the author will sign them on request.

"Every move is an adventure," said Davies recently. Shortly after she and her husband moved to Berwyn Heights in 1994, the Washington area experienced an ice-storm of unusual severity.

Even the tennis courts were glazed over, and Davies and her husband went and ice-skated on one of the courts. "It made me feel a little more at home," said Davies, who was homesick for her native Canada. This incident inspired her book.

From Inspiration to Publication

The ice-storm was reported in

the "Washington Post," and the original article is part of the library exhibit, which charts the progress of the book from its inception. On display are the original sketches and artwork in pen-and-ink and watercolor (some on handmade Japanese paper). Copies of the manuscript in progress include some of the editorial comments and red-lining, including a discussion between author and editor of whether to use the American "Mom" or the Canadian "Mum" in referring to the mother of the book's young protagonist. "Mum" won out, to help give the book a bit of the flavor of the different culture from which the family had come.

Davies's exhibit and her talk should appeal to families, as well as "people interested in knowing how a picture book becomes a picture book."

Davies was trained as an illustrator, and illustrated 13 previous books published in Canada, mostly children's books. It had long been her dream to write as well as illustrate a book, and with the current volume she has achieved that goal. How did she get it published? "I sent it around, and the 11th publisher (Carolrhoda Books/Lerner Publications) took it." Davies's original proposal letter and the dummy book she sent around, an illustrated mockup of how she envisioned the finished volume, will be on display in her exhibit.

Health Lectures At Morningside

A free series of health lectures for the public will be held through October on Tuesdays from 3:30 - 4:30 p.m. at the Morningside House of Laurel, in cooperation with the Laurel Regional Hospital.

On October 14, a program on "Sleep Disorders" will be presented by Dr. Lawrence Whicker, Jr. "Kicking Addictions" will be offered by Dr. Barbara Blackberg, chemical dependency counselor at Laurel Hospital, on October 21. Wrapping up on Oc-

tober 28 will be "Understanding Medicare," a medicare program overview, provided by Susan Whitecotton, director of financial services, Laurel Hospital.

Refreshments will be served. Morningside House is located at 7700 Cherry Lane, Laurel. All the lectures are free to the public, but participants are requested to RSVP for each lecture they will attend by calling Terri Price at Morningside House, 301-725-2220.

Reach to Recovery Needs Volunteers

The American Cancer Society is seeking volunteers who have had breast cancer to visit newly-diagnosed patients to provide them with information and support. For more information, please call 301-933-9350.

CCCC Offers Awards Program

Citizens Concerned for a Cleaner County (CCCC) recognizes efforts by businesses, schools, citizen groups, individuals and municipalities to combat litter by implementing improved methods of litter control, promoting litter control education and by encouraging recycling activities.

The awards program includes many categories for business, industry, individuals, citizen organizations, homeowners, schools, government agencies, municipalities and communication media.

An award will be given to every person who has participated in an award-winning project in each category. The awards presentation will be held on November 9.

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ANNIVERSARY
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be the City Council dedication of Greenbrook Lake at Schrom Hills Park on Saturday, October 18 from 10:30 to 11:30 a.m. Those attending should park on Greenbrook Drive or at the Greenbrook Office Park off of Hanover Parkway.

Also on Saturday, children of all ages are invited to a Family Fun Day on the Community Center front lawn from noon until 4 p.m. Cha Cha the Clown and Barney will appear from 1 to 3 p.m., and pony rides, moon bounce, ball crawl, and trackless train are planned by the Department of Recreation. A snack will be served between 2:30 and 4 p.m.

Continuous Showing of "The City"

Another special opportunity for residents and visitors will be the continuous showing of the film "The City" at the Greenbelt Library on Saturday, October 18, from 10:30 a.m. to 2 p.m. The renowned documentary, produced for the City Planning Exhibit of the 1939 New York World's Fair by Lewis Mumford, featured Greenbelt as representative of a "city of the future" and showed residents at leisure in their new homes and yards. The branch library's Novel Endings book store will hold a 5-and-10 cent

sale from 11 a.m. to 4 p.m. At 3 p.m., a reception will present Sally Davies, author and illustrator of the children's book, "Why Did We Have To Move?" The story relates experiences of a young family's move to the unfamiliar town of Greenbelt. Davies will read from the book and open a month-long showing of her illustrations in the library gallery.

A Greenbelt Concert Band performance at the Community Center from 4 to 5 p.m. will round out Saturday's afternoon schedule.

Sock Hop

In the evening, the Community Center gym will be open for a free "Happy Days Sock Hop" from 7 to 11. Live entertainment will be provided by the group "House Party Rock and Soul Review," a 10-piece band that plays music from the 50s, 60s, Motown, and R&B. Also that evening at 8 p.m., the Greenbelt Arts Center will present the final performance of "Maryland Special Project #1 - 'The Greenbelt Story'" by Daniel Ray Young. First staged last January, this multimedia play commissioned by FOGM with a grant from the Gilbert and Jaylee Mead Family Foundation was well reviewed in Washington papers. It dramatizes true tales of life in the city as it developed from a federal planned community to a thriving modern suburb. Tickets are re-

quired; call 301-441-8770 for reservations.

Throughout the weekend there will be opportunities to purchase the special 60th Anniversary poster designed by Nancy DePlatchett and souvenir hats honoring the occasion. The Greenbelt Writers' Club will sell its first anthology in its room in the Community Center on Friday evening.

Coordination of the full weekend schedule has been directed by Anniversary Committee Chair Emory Harman with help from Joe McNeal of the Recreation Department staff, City Council Liaison Mayor Toni Bram, and a committee of some 20 members, many representing city organizations. Their final meeting in a series which began in October 1996 will take place on Wednesday, October 15, at 7 p.m. in the Senior Classroom of the Community Center.

National Herb Garden Offers Free Tour

Take a free self-guided tour through the National Herb Garden at the U.S. National Arboretum to discover herbal species native to South Africa on October 17 through November 7, from 8 a.m. to 5 p.m.

Democratic Club Announces Plans

Members of the Eleanor & Franklin Roosevelt Democratic Club will not gather as usual in the Greenbriar Community Building for their regular October meeting. Instead they will honor the memories of their two namesakes by attending the opening ceremony of Greenbelt's 60th Anniversary Celebration. This event begins at 7 p.m. in the Community Center on Friday, October 17, and will feature the unveiling of the plaque which honors the National Historic Landmark status recently granted to Greenbelt by the National Park Service. FDR's vision of the planned community as a "city of

the future" is seen as coming true as the city marks 60 years from 1937 to 1997.

A planned day trip to the new FDR Memorial in Washington DC has been postponed until spring 1998. The club will meet at Greenbriar as usual on Friday, November 21 at 8 p.m. to hear Prince George's County Executive Wayne K. Curry as the featured speaker.

Information on these events or future programs is available by calling President Jim Inzeo at 301-441-2426 or membership chair Pearl Siegel at 301-474-7628.

Our Neighbors

Greenbelters were sorry to learn of the death of former City Public Works employee Henry Thurston.

Sincere sympathy is extended to David Gross of the Public Works Dept. upon the death of his father.

Condolences to the family of long-time Greenbelter, Ardith Olson, whose husband, Lester E. Olson, died on Monday.

We are happy to hear that Gudrun Mills, former Greenbelt City Clerk, is back home recuperating from recent surgery. Speedy recovery, Gudi!

History Lecture Will Be at Montpelier

"Catholics and Quakers in Maryland" is the topic of a history lecture by Barbara Sikora, site manager of Darnall's Chance, on Wednesday, October 15 at 7:30 p.m. She will also discuss the underground burial chamber discovered on the property of Darnall's Chance. The free program will be held at Montpelier Mansion, 9401 Montpelier Drive in Laurel. Light refreshments will be served. For further information call 301-953-1376.

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Authority of Barbara Havekost, Treasurer

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ED PUTENS HAS MADE A DIFFERENCE FOR YOU AND YOUR CHILDREN...



Ed Putens has taken a strong interest in public safety, including the protection of our students. Students have been struck on Greenbelt Road by vehicles, at least one has jump the curb. Ed pushed hard for a guard rail, but the State Highway Administration refused to install one. It took 8 years before the City won this fight.

Putens also proposed;

- o The School Resource Officer stationed at Eleanor Roosevelt, and now a second officer for our middle and elementary schools,
- o The City's Advisory Committee on Education,
- o The traffic light at Greenbelt and Mandan Road.

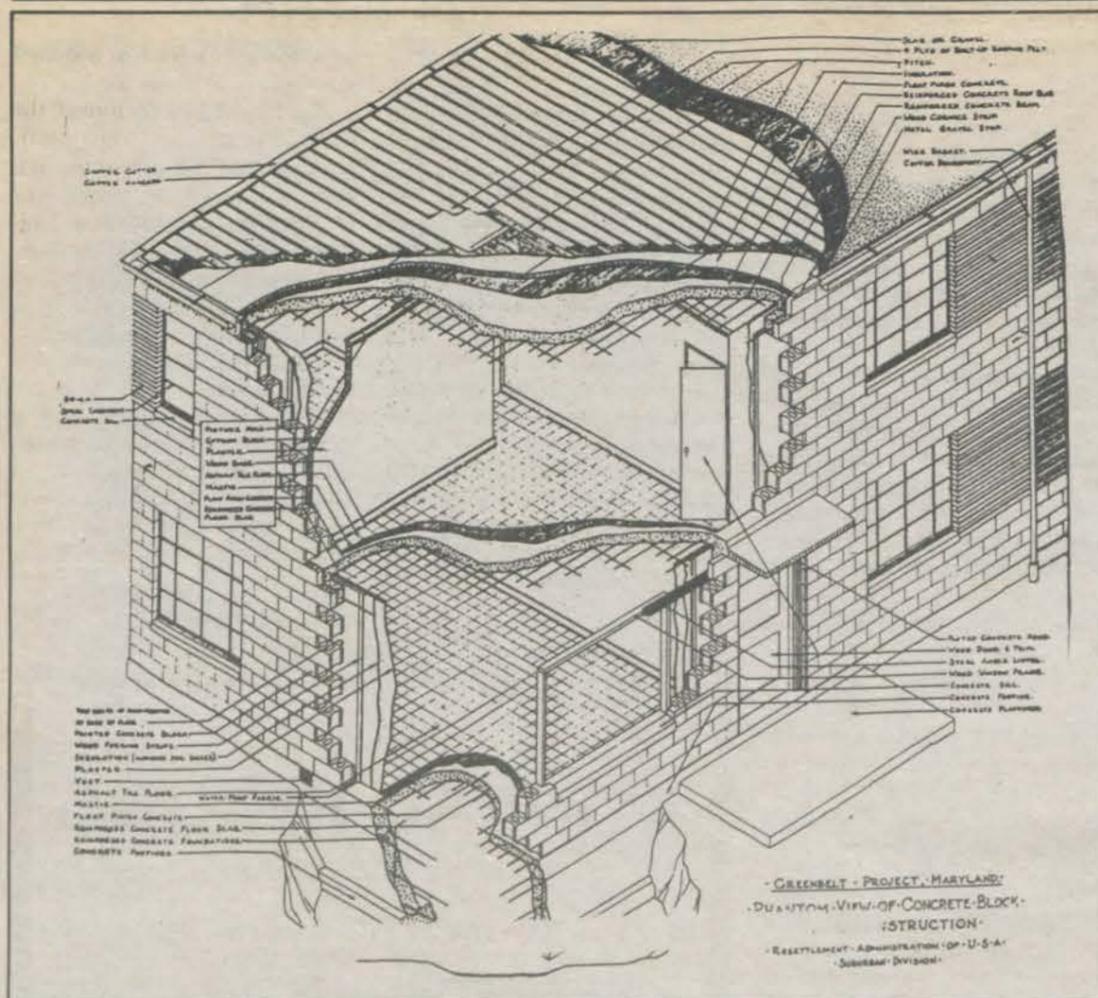
The Council recently passed Ed's proposal for a new Public Safety Committee, to advice on ALL public safety areas: crime, fire prevention, medical crises, weather conditions, etc. In the past two years Greenbelt has seen a plane crash, a hostage situation, and a drowning. We must deal with our vulnerability in today's unpredictable times.

**RE-ELECT
ED PUTENS
LEVER 2A**



AUTHORITY: CHRISTINE ULLRICH, TREASURER.

Still Working For You



Museum to Open Exhibit On Greenbelt Architecture

by Katie Scott-Childress

The Friends of the Greenbelt Museum will open the exhibition "Ideal Places, Personal Spaces: 60 Years of Greenbelt's Architecture," on Friday, October 17, in the Community Center. The exhibit traces Greenbelt's modern architectural style to influences of the International Style and Bauhaus School and shows how the details of the original Greenbelt homes were carefully planned and built.

The exhibit discusses how the style and construction of Greenbelt's homes embodied many of the utopian ideals that comprised its original plan. The contribution of the frame (defense worker) homes of 1941 added yet another expression of ideas and a degree of architectural variety to Greenbelt.

The exhibit will also display many of the creative ways in which Greenbelt home exteriors have been modified to suit changing tastes and a need for more space. Greenbelt's original landscape plans, as well as original furniture will be on display. The exhibit ends with a discussion of the Greenbelt Historic District Study which could influence the future of the appearance of Greenbelt.

Other Styles Studied

Greenbelt's architects and planners studied other examples

Expedition Scheduled To Collect Fossils

Adults and children ages eight years and older are invited to attend a fossil-collecting expedition at Calvert Cliffs in St. Leonard, on Saturday, October 18 from 9 a.m. to 4 p.m. The group will meet at Watkins Nature Center in Watkins Regional Park, 301 Watkins Park Drive in Largo.

Participants should wear old clothes and comfortable shoes, bring a bag lunch, a bucket and small plastic bags for fossils. In the event of rain, the group will visit the Calvert Marine Museum to view their fossil exhibit. There is a fee. For more information call 301-249-6202.

of planned communities and economical home construction styles pioneered by International Style architects in Europe in the 1920s and 1930s. They also studied the needs of the prospective occupants by conducting a detailed survey of future residents that examined housing preferences and needs. Greenbelt's homes were designed from the inside out, that is, the use of the rooms took precedence over the exterior appearance of the homes.

Modern architecture, however, does not evoke a feeling of home for many Americans who grew up with more familiar older styles of architecture such as Colonial Revival. Thus, the exteriors of many Greenbelt homes

have been transformed to reflect these preferences, most often tending toward Georgian Colonial style. This exhibit will review the characteristics of various architecture styles found in this area (including the International Style) as a basic lesson in "reading" architecture.

Greenbelt's planners employed many specialists in order to attend to the smallest details of Greenbelt's appearance. They intended for Greenbelt to be liveable and adaptable in much the way it has turned out to be. As the community contemplates the issue of making Greenbelt a historic district, a study of the original look and intended look of Greenbelt will be a timely piece of education for those who wish to become involved in this debate.

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Talk on Greenbelt's Architecture Styles

by Sandra A. Lange

The Friends of the Greenbelt Museum is sponsoring the kick-off event for Greenbelt's 60th anniversary weekend with a provocative lecture by Dr. Cathy Knepper entitled "Hidden Meanings in Greenbelt's Architecture." The event is scheduled for Thursday, October 16, 7:30 p.m., Senior Classroom, Greenbelt Community Center, 15 Crescent Road.

Dr. Knepper will discuss architectural styles throughout the city, commenting on how those styles reflect cultural values over different time periods. Questions she will address include: How are Greenbelt's planning principles demonstrated in Springhill Lake and Lakeside Drive? What social values are implicit in Greenbelt's newest "gated" community? Does the architecture in addition to original Greenbelt homes carry out the early designs? How do the changes in architectural styles reveal the goals of the community?

Dr. Knepper received her

Ph.D. from the University of Maryland. Her thesis, "The Gospel According to Greenbelt," will be published by Johns Hopkins Press. She has spoken throughout the country on themes related to Greenbelt and the New Deal.

The lecture is coordinated with a special exhibition, "Ideal Places, Personal Spaces," opening at the Greenbelt Museum's exhibit gallery on the first floor of the Community Center during the anniversary weekend, beginning Friday, October 17, 7:30 p.m., and continuing for several months. The exhibit, which traces Greenbelt's architecture over 60 years, depicts the changes that have occurred to the original buildings. Greenbelt Homes, Inc. is a co-sponsor of this event.

The exhibit and the lecture are free events sponsored by FOGM through a grant from the Maryland Humanities Council which receives funding from the National Endowment for the Humanities. For further information, contact FOGM at 301-507-6582.

Fall Botany Walk At Watkins Park

Watkins Nature Center, located in Watkins Regional Park, 301 Watkins Park Drive, Upper Marlboro, is sponsoring a series of fall botany walks. The next leisurely exploration walk will be held from 1 - 3 p.m. on Wednesday, October 15, with the theme

"Autumn Colors."

Participants are encouraged to wear old clothes and comfortable walking shoes.

The program is free but pre-registration is required. Call 301-249-6202; TTY 301-699-2544; <http://www.smartnet/parksrec>

Greenbelt Arts Center

Maryland

Special Project #1:

THE GREENBELT STORY

By Daniel Ray Young

Directed by Steve Blais
Ass't by Lou Yakstis

Produced by Gene Duarte

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by: Robert Bolt
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January 9th - 31st @ 8:00 pm and
Sundays January 18th and 25th at 2:00 pm

The Greenbelt Arts Center
123 Centerway Greenbelt (next to the Post Office)
For more information call (301) 441-8770



County Councilwoman Audrey E. Scott recently donated \$1000 from the proceeds of the annual Scott Bullroast to the Volunteer Fire Department. Pictured at the presentation with Councilwoman Scott are Chief of the Glenn Dale Volunteer Fire Department Pete Derrick, President of the Greenbelt Volunteer Fire Department Jay Remenick, Chief of the Bowie Volunteer Fire Department Jim Crouch, President of the Bowie Volunteer Fire Department Mike Granados, and President of the Glenn Dale Volunteer Fire Department Earl Lutz.

Award Given Hoyer By Fire Services

Congressman Steny H. Hoyer (MD-5), a co-chairman of the Congressional Fire Services Caucus, has been named the Legislator of the Year by the Congressional Fire Services Institute. Hoyer received the award at the Ninth Annual National Fire and Emergency Services Dinner.

Hoyer received the award for his long history of supporting the nation's "first responders" in Congress. Key legislative achievements include sponsorship of the Federal Firefighters Pay Fairness Act of 1995 and 1997, legislation to increase the death benefit received by public safety officers from \$50,000 to \$100,000, the Benjamin Franklin Memorial Fire Services Bill of Rights, the Federal Fire Safety Act of 1991, the Arson Prevention Act of 1994, and an initiative to start the National Fallen Firefighters Foundation.

City Notes

The special details crew checked campaign signs. They painted stencils for parking on lots around Roosevelt Mall, on the Co-op parking lot and on Research Road, and they also began renewing signs for handicapped parking.

Parks crews prepared soccer fields for play and continued playground maintenance. A guard rail was removed from Greenbelt East.

The Horticulture Crew continued building berms at Greenbrook Lake and pruned in Boxwood in preparation for concrete work.

Streets Crew workers repaired Lakecrest Drive asphalt, moved a light pole base, stockpiled soil and worked with the contractor on concrete replacement in Boxwood.

Greenbelt CARES

Wendy Wexler reported that ACE (Advisory Committee on Education) met with the Greenbelt City Council for a work session on Monday, September 29. The agenda included a review of two ACE reports: "The Perception of Schools Study" and the "ACE Activity Report." In addition, Mark Woodard, the Municipal Liason for the Prince George's Public Schools, made a presentation.

Tammy Mountcastle co-lead the recent first meeting of the Parents' Discussion Group for the 1997-98 school year at Springhill Lake Elementary. Nine parents attended the group and participated in selecting topics for future meetings. The next Parents Discussion Group will be held on October 21 from 1-2 p.m. Thereafter, meetings will

be scheduled for the first and third Tuesdays of each month.

Romy Smith has joined the CARES Family Clinic staff. Romy is a fifth-year graduate student in the clinical psychology Ph.D. program at American University. She enjoys biking, cooking and playing with her dog, Sasha.

An average of 24 families participated in regular, scheduled counseling during September. 158 individuals were involved; 35% of them were children and youth under 18 years of age.

Dana Rabois, CIC, has a total of 27 hours of direct client contact. Also, there were five sessions of CIC training with police squads.

3 Greenbelters Win In Senior Olympics

Three Greenbelt residents competed in bicycle races in the Maryland Senior Olympics held on September 12. They competed in six races and won five medals and a ribbon.

Ernst Balzer, who competed in the 55-59 year age group, won a gold medal in the 5K race, with a time of 8 minutes, 37 seconds. He also won a ribbon for a 5th place finish in the 20K race.

Ed Garner, who competed in the 65-69 year age group, won a bronze medal in the 5K race and a silver medal in the 10K race.

Harvey Geller, who competed in the 75-79 year age group, won gold medals for both the 5K and 10K races. He also set Maryland age group records for these events, with a time of 9 minutes, 32 seconds for the 5K, and 17 minutes, 14 seconds for the 10K.

Other Greenbelt residents will be competing in the Maryland Senior Olympics in the coming weeks in such events as softball, track and field, swimming, and tennis. Most of these events will be held at Towson State University on September 25-27.

The Maryland State games are held every year, and the National Senior Games every other year. The next nationals will be held in Orlando, Florida, in October 1999, in the new sports complex just completed at Disney World. In order to qualify for the nationals, competitors must win medals in the State games held prior to the Nationals. To qualify for the Nationals in 1999, competitors must win medals in the Maryland State Senior Olympics to be held in September or October 1998.

ELECT KONRAD HERLING (7-A ON THE BALLOT) TO THE CITY COUNCIL



Photo by J. Henson

Shortly after my folks arrived in Greenbelt in 1953, they were greeted by a "Welcome Wagon". They knew then, as all of us do today, that Greenbelt was a special place. It wasn't the typical suburb. For many years, the changeover of residents was very low. But Greenbelt's population has changed dramatically over the last two decades. In fact, over 50 percent of Greenbelt's residents today were not here 15 years ago. Re-establishing a coordinated welcome wagon is now even more important if we wish for Greenbelt's nationally recognized community spirit to continue. And it is integral to our continual efforts to unify the community.

Unifying our city is critical if we wish to manage our growth, enhance our recreational, cultural, environmental and educational offerings, and reinforce our sense of community. It is for this reason that I've been involved with Greenbelt Access Television, founded the Greenbelt Arts Center, publicized our annual Labor Day Festival, have assisted the Community Center's New Year's Eve program and served as Chair of the Community Relations Advisory Board — to bring our community closer together. Let's do our best to see that the newest generation of Greenbelters is part of what makes Greenbelt great!

By Authority of Irving Siegel, Treasurer, Herling for City Council

Re-elect Ed Putens Vote lever 2A

Authority: Christine Ullrich, Treasurer

Re-Elect J Davis To City Council

Serving the Citizens of Greenbelt

- VP Labor Day Festival Committee - Carnival Chair
- VP GIVES (Greenbelt Intergenerational Volunteer Exchange Service)
- Liaison - Recycling Advisory Committee
- Member:
 - Citizens for Greenbelt
 - Friends of the Greenbelt Museum
 - Greenbelt Foundation for the Arts
 - New Deal Cafe
- Past Chairman & Member of the Advisory Planning Board



Committed to Community

Vote 5A for J on Election Day Tuesday, November 4, 1997

Authority, Susan McKinley, Treasurer

CANDIDATES

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Finally, our outstanding recreation department, working with other community organizations such as the art center and New Deal Cafe could offer more weekend youth concerts, a constructive outlet for both performers and observers.

Judith F. Davis

On Council, I have supported our police and firefighters. I voted for bike patrols, increased numbers of police, and renovation of our firehouse. More is needed.

A needs assessment has been made of our police computer system. We must purchase an upgrade that is efficient and cost effective. With lap top computers giving a direct link to relevant records, patrol officers will be safer and spend less time duplicating reports and more time safeguarding our community.

I will maintain the penny set aside on the tax rate that builds a reserve fund for fire department needs such as new vehicles. I will push actively for state and county funds to complete the firehouse renovation.

Greenbelt's emergency preparedness must be addressed. We cannot always depend on the county to handle serious situations. I will work toward quick completion and implementation of the Emergency Operations Plan which Council has begun to deliberate.

Alan Turnbull

To maintain public safety we must ensure the right environment.

We can and must demand civil behavior on our roads and in public places, because settling for less provides camouflage for those who are inclined to more dangerous behavior. When residents of all ages and backgrounds can walk confidently in their neighborhoods at any hour, there is less opportunity for crime.

On Council I would be committed to sustaining an atmosphere in which residents and non-residents alike feel welcomed to live and visit while behaving civilly toward one another. Our schools should reinforce this message. Our police need greater visibility through expanded foot and bike patrols. All traffic offenses (especially those affecting pedestrian safety) should be recognized as threats to public safety. Increased face-to-face contact by police can guide the troubled toward needed help rather than arrest, identify suspects at large, and discourage criminals from practicing here.

Rodney M. Roberts

Our City has a very serious problem as evidenced by an incident at Roosevelt Center this summer; crack cocaine dealers fighting for "turf." I'm concerned that some people in Greenbelt are either afraid to talk about this problem, or they just don't understand its severity. This illicit activity obviously isn't limited to Roosevelt Center, and I believe we need a City-wide effort to stamp it out where ever it appears. If we fail to act quickly, with unrelenting force and determination, the consequences will be severe; young lives will be lost, our economy, property values and quality of life will be negatively impacted.

City Council, Staff, our Police and local merchants have taken action with the resources available. In this battle we need more resources. At Council's last Bud-



New D.A.R.E. Officer Britt Cave gets acquainted with some of the children at the Greenbelt Elementary School After School Program's ice cream social.

- photos by Susie Kunst

After School Kids Socialize with Police

An ice cream social was the first social event of the school year for children in Greenbelt Elementary School's After School Program. The children made sundaes with chocolate and strawberry syrup and plenty of sprinkles.

Special guests joined in the fun. They were police officers who, after introducing themselves, went among the children, talking to them, and answering questions. They even helped serve the ice cream while getting further acquainted with the children. They were Officer Wheeler from the Maryland State Police, Officer Golden from the Landover station of the Prince George's

County Police (who serves the area in which some of the school's bused-in children live) and Officers Parker and Cave of the Greenbelt Police Department.

After filling up with ice cream, the children went outside for a further treat. Two police cars were in the school playground with open doors. Some of the littlest children got to sit in the front seat of one. Most of the older ones spoke over the police address system. A few were permitted to sound the siren. It was an exciting time, with many "oohs" and "ahs" from the children as they looked over the police cars and stopped to admire the officers and speak to them.

get Session, I was the only member of Council to support a police request for four additional patrol officers.



Re-elect
Ed Putens
Vote lever 2A

Authority: Christine Ullrich, Treasurer



NOTICE OF ELECTION

As required by Section 14 of the City Charter, the City of Greenbelt, Maryland will hold a regular City Council election on

Tuesday, November 4, 1997.

Polls will be open from 7:00am to 8:00pm. Any person who resides within the corporate limits of the City of Greenbelt and is registered to vote with Prince George's County may vote in city elections.

Please contact the city offices at 301-474-8000 or 301-474-2046 (TDD) if you have any questions regarding the upcoming election.



Children in Greenbelt Elementary's After School Program listen attentively to Maryland State Police Officer Wheeler.



Officer Golden from the Landover office of the Prince George's County Police socializes with some of his Landover office's neighbors.

Native American Herbs on View

Native American life depended upon a valuable natural resource: plants. See a wealth of native plants and their many practical uses at the National Herb Garden's Discovery Station at the U.S. National Arboretum. Docents will share traditions of old and how they are still relevant today on October 11 and 12 from noon to 2 p.m. The program is free.

University Theatre Presents a Comedy

University Theatre at the University of Maryland opens its 1997-98 season with the musical comedy, "Anything Goes," at Tawes Theatre on October 16-18 and 23-25 at 8 p.m. and October 19 at 2 p.m. and a special matinee on October 21 at 9:45 a.m.

For reservations or ticket information, call the University Theatre Box Office at 301-405-2201 from 11 a.m. to 4 p.m.

OFFICIAL NOTICE



ABSENTEE VOTING

Municipal Election - November 4, 1997

Any qualified elector who would be prevented from voting in the municipal election by reason of religious beliefs, physical condition, or absence from the city on the day of election is entitled to vote by absentee ballot.

- (1) Letters of application for absentee ballots may be written to the City Clerk, stating why an absentee ballot is needed; if more than one ballot is needed, the letter must be signed by all persons wanting a ballot; or
- (2) Application forms may be obtained in the City Clerk's office in the Municipal Building, 25 Crescent Road.

Application to vote by absentee ballot will be accepted from Wednesday, October 15th, until noon Monday, November 3, 1997. The completed absentee ballot must be returned to the City Clerk no later than 6:00 p.m. the day of the regular election, Tuesday, November 4th, 1997.

Electors may complete their absentee ballot at the City Clerk's office at the time they present their written applications, if they wish.

For information, please call 301-474-8000.

David E. Moran
City Clerk

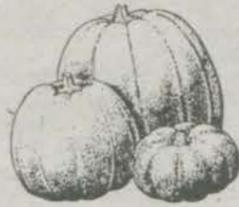
Last Chance

See the Greenbelt Story

With the encouragement of the 60th Anniversary Committee, the Greenbelt Arts Center has restaged Dan Young's original play about Greenbelt, Maryland Special Project Number 1: The Greenbelt Story. The play was originally commissioned by the Friends of the Greenbelt Museum through a grant from the Gilbert and Jaylee Mead Family Foundation. Under the guidance of director, Steve Blais, and assistant director, Lou Yakstis, the play takes on a different look and interpretation from its original performances earlier this year. Five of the original actors, Trix Whitehall, Judy Holland, Marie Tousignant, Gene Duarte and Tom Smith are joined by five new cast members, including Greenbelters Michael Cooney and Patrick Ready. Sound and visual effects are those produced by Randy Barth for the original production.

The initial performances this past weekend, though played to very small audiences, were spirited and enthusiastic. The

play tells the story of the founding of Greenbelt, its construction and early days, the tumultuous days of the selling, expansion and development of the city, to the most recent bond issue controversy—all done through skits, newspaper stories, slides and monologues. Last January, GAC had to turn away more than 25 people from the final performances since seating capacity had been reached. To avoid disappointment, people are encouraged to make reservations early. Seating is assigned on first-come, first-served basis, with the best seats going first. The play runs this weekend Friday and Saturday at 8 p.m. and a Sunday matinee at 2 p.m. Oct. 17 and 18 performances will be at 8 p.m. For ticket and reservation information, see GAC's ad in this paper.



A Review

"Galaxies" At Planetarium

by Dennis Jelalian

The Planetarium at the Howard B. Owens Science Center began its fall-winter season with an excellent program, "Galaxies," written and narrated by author Timothy Ferris (author of the books "Galaxies," "Spaceshots," and "The Red Limit").

Reversing the planetarium's usual policy, the show begins with a live and lively tour of the night sky, pointing out planets, stars, constellations, and nebulae. This part of the program is interesting and informative by itself, but the subjects discussed are also referred to again later in the automated "Galaxies" program. On opening night, October 3, the live discussion was presented by planetarium director Dr. Russell Waugh.

The planetarium is staffed by a number of people, all of whom may be relied upon to present a worthwhile show.

"Galaxies" is a cosmic journey through the stars of the Milky Way and the galaxies beyond. It is presented as a nature walk on a grand scale, beginning with a view of our galaxy, the Milky Way, from the inside and traveling out to Alpha Centauri, the Pleiades star cluster, M3. The voyage of discovery continues through intergalactic space past the Andromeda galaxy, the glittering star fields at the center of the Virgo Supercluster, and the lonely dwarf galaxies that sail the dark waters of intergalactic space.

The program explores the nature and origins of stars and gal-

axies, the different types of galaxies, and what happens when galaxies collide. This engrossing look at the building blocks of the universe features expert writing, special art work, and an original musical score.

In the course of the program, the time of day, the date, the month, the year, and the point of view from the earth all change as needed. To accomplish this, the star machine revolves in many different planes, causing the stars to whirl overhead in a breathtaking display, one of the major attractions of any planetarium. "Galaxies" takes full advantage of the capabilities of the star machine.

There was a very young girl sitting near me, or rather she was standing, gazing up at the spinning heavens in wonder. Her comment, "Wow!" summed it up perfectly. The program is recommended for ages 12 and up. The young girl near me was considerably under 12, so younger children as well as adults will probably enjoy this program.

The Planetarium at the Owens Science Center deserves better support and patronage from the community than it has been receiving. Attend their excellent programs and support this valuable community resource. It's perfect entertainment for the whole family. There is a small fee.

"Galaxies" will be at the Owens Science Center Fridays at 7:30 p.m. through October 31.

For information, call 301-918-8750.

Greenbelt Resident Wins Bonnie Johns Award

By Dennis Jelalian

Anyone of any age may have a social conscience and take social action. A case in point is Ari Goldberg-Strassler. Last spring at the Glenarden Elementary School Fair, Goldberg-Strassler organized a silent auction. He sent out 200 letters to businesses and personally contacted a number of hotels and restaurants seeking donations for the silent auction to raise money for Habitat for Humanity, an organization that builds low-cost houses for low-income families. He managed to get over 60 donations for the auction, which raised \$450 for the organization.

Habitat for Humanity nominated Goldberg-Strassler for a Bonnie Johns Children's Fund (BJCF) 1997 Spirit Award.

The BJCF celebrates outstanding young people who display exemplary qualities of self-development, leadership, and service to others. BJCF awarded Goldberg-Strassler an individual Humanitarian Award (one of three awarded in Prince George's County). He received a certificate and a \$50 savings bond.

Goldberg-Strassler is 11 years old. He started the seventh grade at Kenmore Middle School, where he is enrolled in the Talented and Gifted (TAG) program. Aside from his fundraising projects for social causes, Ari plays shortstop for the Lions in the Greenbelt Little League. He also plays basketball, football, soccer, and tennis, and he swims. In addition, he collects autographs, participates in Odyssey of the Mind and helps his fellow students as a peer mediator, as well as serving as a mentor to three students.

This spring, Goldberg-Strassler will be holding another silent auction to raise more money for Habitat for Humanity.



Carolyn Billingsley, president of the Bonnie Johns Spirit Award Committee, presents an award to Ari Goldberg-Strassler, while Lula Beatty, chair, Spirit Award Committee, looks on.

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Greek Dance Group To Hold Open House

The Greek dance class which started out in Laurel three years ago is entering its second year in Greenbelt and will be hosting an open-house dance session on Sunday, October 12. In addition to providing an enjoyable means of losing weight and keeping fit, the class enables its members to participate in the numerous Greek festivities that take place throughout the year locally. The ultimate aim of the class, however, is to eventually establish a Greek Dance House in the Washington area, similar to those found in the Balkans where large numbers of people gather regularly to dance to live music. Both traditional and more modern pan-Hellenic dances are taught in the class. Since all of the dances taught are either line or solo dances, no partner is necessary.

Although many forms of ethnic dance are popular throughout the Balkans and other areas of Eastern Europe, Greek Dance Houses have proven the most popular in these regions, with some dance houses hosting up to some 200-300 dancers per evening. The enormous popularity of Greek

dancing derives not only from the infectious music which is capable of lifting even the lowest of spirits, but also from the wide range of personal expression it allows. Unlike much of the folk music of other cultures, which frequently requires a set pattern of steps and sequences, Greek dancing varies greatly by region and allows for considerable improvisation and stylistic interpretation of dances, thus enabling individuals to fully express their own moods and personalities.

The class has moved from its earlier site at the Greenbelt Youth Center to the dance studio at the Greenbelt Community Center. The group meets on Sunday evenings from 7:30-9 p.m. with instruction offered during the first half of each session. Each round of classes runs for eight weeks and focuses primarily on Greek dances, although some Roma (Gypsy), Macedonian, and Turkish dances are taught as well. The group also holds parties throughout the year. Those interested in registering for the class may do so at the Greenbelt Com-

munity Center or at the open-house session to be held Sunday evening from 7:30-9:30 p.m.

The open-house session provides the opportunity for oldtimers to review dances they learned earlier and for newcomers to get a taste of the music and dance of the region. Although refresher instruction only is given at the open-house session, some of the dances are simple enough for newcomers to pick up easily. Visitors as well as new members and oldtimers are thus invited to join in the action. Those attending the open house are encouraged to bring along a snack item to share during the dance break.

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Thursday, October 16

Historic Slide Lecture
7:30 p.m. Community Center

Friday, October 17

Explorations: Greenbelt History
1 p.m. Community Center

Opening Ceremony
National Historic Landmark plaque
7 p.m. Community Center

"Ideal Places, Personal Spaces:
60 Years of Greenbelt Architecture"
7 to 10 p.m. Museum Rm., Comm. Cntr.

Poster/Photo Exhibit by Greenbelt Churches
7 to 10 p.m. Community Center Gallery

Saturday, October 18

Three 18-K Recreational Walks
Greenbelt Walking Club
Register at Youth Center by Noon

Poster/Photo Exhibit by Greenbelt Churches
9 a.m. to 10 p.m. Community Center Gallery

Continental Breakfast/Home and Garden Tour
9 a.m. to noon
GHI, Hamilton Place

Greenbelt Museum Open
10 a.m. to noon, 10 B Crescent Road
Updated Greenbelt history signing by author
James K. Giese

Greenbrook Lake Dedication
10:30 to 11 a.m., Schrom Hills Park

Family Fun Day
Noon to 4 p.m. Front Lawn, Community Center

Film, "The City," repeats from 10 a.m. to 2 p.m.
Greenbelt Branch Library
Book Sale, Novel Endings Bookstore,
10:30 a.m. to 2 p.m.

Greenbelt Concert Band
4 to 5 p.m. Community Center

Happy Days Sock Hop
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Sunday, October 19

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