

## News Review

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## An Analysis

## Annexation Stirs Hornets Nest

by James Giese

To the west of Greenbelt, a proposal is pending to build a \$1 billion mixed-use complex on the Greenbelt Metro Station property and the adjacent A. H. Smith properties. This complex is to include a 1.2 million square-foot upscale regional shopping mall, a 395,000 square-foot hotel and conference center, 270 housing units and one million square feet of office space. It would have significant impact upon area roads and adjacent wetlands. Yet, to date, the proposal has stirred little citizen interest or action.

To the north of Greenbelt, the new Department of Agriculture office complex built on Beltsville Agricultural Research Center open space is resulting in increased traffic flow on area roads. Road improvements are planned that will affect sensitive wetlands. Again, there has been little citizen action relating to this development, although the Greenbelt City Council has taken an active role.

To the east, a major expansion of the Goddard Space Flight Center is taking place. New construction has eliminated much open space and is causing increased traffic loads upon area roads. There has been almost no citizen or council interest in this development.

But on the south side of the

city, a small, 31-home subdivision known as Parkside has stirred up a hornet's nest of citizen activists. These activists fought the development of the property by its owners beginning in 1994 and are now fighting the efforts of the subdivision's new residents to become a part of the city. Having lost the battle to defeat annexation before the city council by a three to two vote, Parkside opponents are now busy circulating petitions to put the issue before voters at a citywide referendum.

## Background

The land now called Parkside, which consists of only 7.7 acres, is located on the north side of Good Luck Road and is bordered by Greenbelt Park on three sides. It originally was designated for purchase by the federal government for the Greenbelt project. However, the government failed to buy it and several other parcels on the fringe of Greenbelt before the appropriations to buy land elapsed. If the government had bought this parcel in the 1930's, the land most certainly would have become a part of Greenbelt Park, as the southern portion of the city was retained for a regional park of the National Park Service.

For over 25 years, the federal government could have tried again to buy this enclave of land

and a much larger parcel of land off Edmonston-Kenilworth Avenue known as the Jaeger tract. However, it made no effort to do so. Then in the early sixties, the Jaeger tract was zoned for high-rise apartments and townhouses over the active opposition of the city, including an unsuccessful appeal to the highest court in Maryland. Afterwards, the Westchester Park apartments and townhomes were built.

## Development

Still the Parkside parcel remained undisturbed, and for another 30 years the National Park Service could have tried to buy the land, but did not. It was only after the property was subdivided and land clearance begun that Greenbelters took an active interest in how Parkside was developed. Then, a small group, led by citizen activist Jean Snyder, tried unsuccessfully to prevent the development from taking place. Snyder's group was concerned with the impact caused by clearing the land, by water runoff from it and by people living within the confines of the park and taking away the wilderness feel for a large section of the park.

Eventually construction was completed, and the new owners moved into the 31 large homes. The typical home consists of a

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## Proposed Busing Changes Coming

by Mary Moien

With the recent settlement of the school desegregation suit, Vaughns, et. al. and NAACP v. Board of Education of Prince Georges County, et al., all parties agreed to a Memorandum of Understanding to change the future of the Prince Georges County school system. The Accountability-Based Comprehensive Plan for the Prince George's County Public Schools in Support of the Memorandum of Understanding contains detailed information about plans for each public school in the county.

Although a number of changes are planned regarding quality of education and school construction, among other issues, no area is of more concern to residents that the decrease in court-order school busing. According to the report describing the comprehensive plan, no busing changes are anticipated for Greenbelt area schools this year. However, by November 30, 1998, each cluster of schools will be assigned a School Improvement Specialist whose role will be to provide assistance with development of school improvements plans and monitoring progress among other activities.

The plan also details proposed changes for each school as students are reassigned to new schools or to schools closer to

their neighborhoods. All reassignments and boundary changes will be subject to the School Board's policies and procedures including public hearings.

## Greenbelt's Schools

Eleanor Roosevelt High School has a capacity for 2,291 students and last year had 3,111 students for 136% capacity. Changes should be made there in two years, i.e., the school year starting in Fall 2000. At that time, almost 500 students living in Lanham and Dodge Park will be reassigned to Duval High School. In addition, another 300 Science and Technology students will move to the newly opened Ardmore Area High School. With continued growth in the student population in the Greenbelt area, ERHS is expected to be at 99% capacity in 2000 and at 104% capacity in 2002.

Greenbelt Middle School had 871 students last year, 109% of it 864 student capacity. No changes are expected at this school until 2001 when approximately 250 students from Palmer Park, Cheverly, Beaver Heights, and Kentland will be relocated to the new Hill Road Middle School. In addition, renovations or additions affecting 208 seats are expected to be completed in 2003.

Greenbelt Elementary school was at 122% capacity last year

with 695 students instead of the 569-student capacity. In 2000, 226 students will move to John Carroll Elementary, reducing the enrollment to approximately 90% capacity. No other changes are anticipated at this school.

## Springhill Lake Elementary School

For Springhill Lake Elementary School, a number of changes are anticipated starting with a six room, 150 seat addition for this school year. As of last school year, there were eight temporary buildings at the school. In 2000, about 110 students will transfer out of Springhill Lake; those from Carmody Hills will be moving to Oakcrest Elementary and those students from Fairmont

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## What Goes On

Mon., Oct. 19, 7:30 p.m. City Council Worksession on Goals, Municipal Building.

Tues., Oct. 20, 7 p.m. A.C.E. Meeting, Municipal Building.

8 p.m. PRAB Meeting, Community Center.

Wed., Oct. 21, 7 p.m. School Board Candidate Hearing — Cheye Calvo and Jim Henderson. Eleanor Roosevelt High School Library.



Miss Greenbelt, Joi Loretz, waves to the crowd on Labor Day.

- photo by Prospero Zevallò

Meet Our Miss Greenbelt  
Joi Loretz and Her Court

by Sandy Smith

Joi Loretz is Miss Greenbelt for 1998. She was selected from 10 contestants at this year's Labor Day Festival to represent the city of Greenbelt at civic activities and programs through the coming year. Joi was also voted Most Spirited and Miss Photogenic. Joi said she was "very happy and excited" to win the Pageant this year. She was first runner-up last year. She said she was surprised to be named Miss Photogenic. In fact she said she had noticed others that she would have chosen for that title but she was exceptionally pleased to be named Most Spirited because she had so enjoyed participating in the Pageant.

Joi thinks that other pageants don't compare with Greenbelt's, since the Greenbelt Pageant was geared to making friends and was a learning, rather than a competitive, experience. Joi performed a jazz dance with Jasmine Harris in the talent portion of the pageant.

She has already begun her official duties as Miss Greenbelt by appearing at the Greenbelt Arts Center Art Auction and is lined up for appearances at Schrom Fest and at the Halloween events with children at the Youth Center. She looks forward to a full year of events.

Joi is 17 years old and is in the 12th grade at Eleanor Roosevelt High School. Her school activities include cheerleading, the pom pom squad, powder puffs and being a student aide in sign language this past school year. Her educational experiences include child development and advanced sign lan-

guage. Her hobbies are rollerblading, traveling, skiing, and dancing.

Joi is a member of the Greenbelt Youth Advisory Council and was elected president of the council this year. She spent the summer working at Gallaudet University teaching dance to deaf children. She wants to become a sign language interpreter and teacher of deaf children.

She was sponsored by Greenbriar.

## Runners-up

Susan Arleen Wise was selected as first runner-up in the 1998 Miss Greenbelt Pageant. Like Joi, she is also a student at ERHS. This 15-year-old 10th grader is in the Russian Club, Sign Language Club, 4-H Club, as well as the Drama and AWANA Clubs. She has studied CPR and plays handbells and the piano. Her special talents and skills are in child care, sign language, computer skills, house management and cooking. Her career goals include nursing, interior design and fashion and also being a wife and mother. Susan was sponsored by Stewart and Labbe, D.D.S., P.A., Orthodontics Exclusively.

Gaea Ruoff was named second runner-up in the pageant. Gaea is an 18-year-old graduate of the International Baccalaureate and Humanities program at Central High School. At school she was on the Yearbook staff; member of German, art and international clubs; and a varsity softball player. Her talents and special skills encompass piano playing; art, especially drawing and painting; See MISS GREENBELT page 12

## Celebrating Greenbelt's Co-operative Spirit

We join with the other Greenbelt cooperatives in celebrating the month of October as National Cooperatives Month. Last Sunday, GHI sponsored a well-attended picnic to celebrate National Cooperatives Month. In this issue of the paper, Greenbelt co-ops are sponsoring a two-page ad to give our readers background information on each of the city's co-ops. This coming Sunday, there will be a video about co-ops shown at the New Deal Cafe during Sunday Brunch. Later, an open house will be held featuring co-op homes being offered for sale to prospective new residents.

The planners of the model town of Greenbelt planned more than just the buildings; our town was a social experiment as well. One of the ideas promoted with the new residents of Greenbelt, our Pioneers, was the establishment of community-run businesses and organizations—co-ops. Although most people are not aware of it, the News Review is published by the Greenbelt Cooperative Publishing Association, Inc. Dating back to November, 1937, we are the oldest cooperative in Greenbelt.

With start-up money provided by a foundation created by Boston department store magnate Edward Filene, the pioneers organized a cooperative to run all the stores in the new commercial center, now Roosevelt Center. That cooperative became Greenbelt Consumer Services, now succeeded by Greenbelt Consumers Cooperative, the operator of our Co-op Supermarket. Other early cooperatives that continue are the Greenbelt Federal Credit Union and the Greenbelt Cooperative Nursery School.

Not all Greenbelt cooperatives date back to the town's early days, as residents have continued to create new ones. When the federal government decided to sell off Greenbelt and its homes, the residents banded together to form a new cooperative that succeeded in acquiring most of the original government housing. That co-op is now known as GHI, Greenbelt Homes, Inc.

More recently, two new cooperatives have joined our ranks—the New Deal Cafe and greenbelt.com.

In Greenbelt, the cooperative spirit continues to be alive and well.

### A Visit to Parkside

Having signed the petition that opponents of the Parkside annexation are circulating, I was feeling a bit guilty because I had not followed the issue closely nor had I seen the Parkside development.

So tonight I decided to take a look. The first thing I noticed was a large Parkside development on the right (south) side of Good Luck Road — much larger than 31 houses. Then a little further down, a small sister (or "notch") development appeared on the left, proudly proclaiming itself Parkside of Greenbelt.

I pulled in, drove around and emerged unimpressed with the development itself: the typical oversized house on an undersized lot, and many houses had four cars in the driveway. As we exited, I spotted a sign indicating that the Parkside of Greenbelt residents had a meeting that night — at Parkdale High School (in Riverdale) across the street.

But it was my daughter whom I must credit with noticing the prominent sign (nearly on the property of the first house in the so-called "Parkside of Greenbelt" development): Welcome to Riverdale.

I truly believe these folks could not have been misled by a developer or a real estate agent — the bulk of the Parkside development is across the street and clearly in Riverdale, and the so-called Parkside of Greenbelt notch development of 31 homes is in spitting distance of the Riverdale sign. So I suspect this was all wishful thinking on their part, and it's too bad for them. But an old Latin expression, *Caveat Emptor* (let the buyer beware), should have given them pause before they signed that 30-year mortgage.

If you're still undecided on this issue, Greenbelt residents, try it yourself. Drive down Kenilworth to Good Luck Road, make a left, and look on the left for the "Parkside of Greenbelt" sign. I certainly didn't feel like I was in Greenbelt, but maybe

you will!

Enough said.

Connie Arnold

### I Apologize

This letter is to apologize for not understanding how important it is for some "Greenbelters" to keep things the way they are. I apologize for not seeing how the annexation of Parkside will affect the police department, whose routine patrols pass by the Parkside development on Good Luck Road. I apologize for not being able to explain more adequately that the Public Works Department will provide minimal services to the Parkside community for some time. I am sorry that your Greenbelt elected officials and staffs do their jobs and demonstrate what a good choice the Greenbelt residents made in electing and hiring them and for how good they really are.

I apologize for loving my home and not wailing about how we were "tricked" into buying in the beautiful Greenbelt/Parkside community. It is unfortunate that Parkside is surrounded on three sides by the City of Greenbelt and does not want to move the whole community into the City of Riverdale, across the street and down the way. It is too bad Greenbelt had to annex Greenbelt East and make all those wonderful people, stores and homes into "Greenbelters." It was thought-

less of us to potentially reduce the value of some Greenbelt property by becoming a part of Greenbelt, whose average home price is 10% to 20% less than the average priced home in Parkside.

I am sorry the increase in my taxes will result in excess revenues for the City of Greenbelt for several years (after all services are deducted) by Parkside becoming part of Greenbelt. It is unfortunate that Parkside was built with building standards which included full fire sprinklers, water saver toilets, energy efficient fixtures, furnaces and air conditioning units, high "E" value insulation, and current county, state and federal building standards.

I am sorry Mr. Dupree offended some of you with his reference to "snobs." The American Heritage Dictionary defines a snob as, "A person who is convinced of and flaunts his social superiority; a person who despises his inferiors and whose condescension arises from social or intellectual pretension." Webster's synonym for snob is elitist, egotist and pretender. And, finally, for those Greenbelters who have seen fit to think and verbalize it, I apologize for our color — I know there was a time when people of color could not purchase or live in Greenbelt.

Tim Edwards  
Parkside at Greenbelt

### Other Ideas

More suggestions for the movie theater:

1. Monday shows at \$2.00 like they had before.
2. A small landmark sign in the Greenbelt entrance (Southway) with an arrow at the corner of Southway and Crescent pointing to the location of the theater.
3. Divide the theater in two (2) small theaters. This way you have the option of two different movies showing.

### New Deal Cafe

Open  
Fri. & Sat  
7-11 pm



Music  
8:30 pm  
No cover

Sunday Brunch 10 to 3

Friday, October 16

Iris Hirsh  
of Partners in song

Saturday, October 17

Julia Rose brings her new CD  
and songs for our enjoyment

Coming Soon:

Friday, October 30

New Deal Halloween Party

Donations for Musicians Encouraged

Greenbelt Community Center

(301) 474-5642



## GHI BULB AND GRASS SALE

October 17 & 24 - 9 am to noon  
Hamilton Place

BULBS AVAILABLE WILL INCLUDE:

*Glory-of-the-Snow, Winter Aconite, Daffodils,  
Snowdrops, Grape Hyacinth, Spanish Bluebells  
Crocus, Spring Starflower*

GRASS SEED: for sun or shade

By the Architecture & Environment Committee

## Letters to the Editor

### Your Rights!

In last week's News Review, some Parkside residents submitted a letter asking Greenbelt voters not to sign the annexation referendum petition.

Signing the referendum petition is your democratic right, a right that the Parkside residents are asking you not to exercise.

The referendum petition provides an opportunity for Greenbelt voters to exercise their best judgment about the annexation. The petition is the vehicle for Greenbelt voters to make a choice; it is not "no" to the annexation, but it is saying "yes" to our right to provide input to this decision making process. As it now stands, the city council has decided to annex Parkside. The vote to annex by the city council on September 28 was only 18 days after the public hearing. By signing the petition, you are allowing enough time for a thorough analysis of the issue. This referendum guarantees all Greenbelt voters, the ones who will eventually be blessed or burdened with the consequences, their right to participate in the decision.

Although the right to petition is the same one the Parkside residents exercised when they first asked to be annexed, they are now asking you to not exercise this right.

There are different opinions about the annexation. Some are for it, some against, some don't care, some feel that they don't have enough information. The difference in opinions and the close vote by the city council makes it important that each of us gets the chance to vote on it. Whatever your opinion is about the annexation, please do not throw away your right.

Julia Eichhorst

I hope the owner decides not to close the theater. It is the thing we look forward to on Sunday afternoons and Monday nights.

Thanks

Myriam Saslo

### Please Sign

Please sign the petition.

This is your opportunity to participate in a historic decision. If the referendum passes, you will have the opportunity to either ratify or overturn a City Council split decision that will affect all of us. And I am willing to abide by the results of the referendum, and I will personally welcome our new residents if they win. Of course, I am also happy to see such a positive controversy generate advertising for the News Review and other local media.

But we can't have this exercise in democracy unless we take the initiative, and get 20% of our neighbors to sign for it. Democratic activism is a big part of Greenbelt, and this is a reminder of how important and good it is.

Please sign the petition. A copy is always on my porch.

Doug Love  
3-D Plateau Place

### Greenbelt Bahai's Say Thank You

As sponsor of the "Button Making" booth at the Greenbelt Labor Day Festival, the Greenbelt Bahai' Community wishes to thank our patrons and inform them that all proceeds from the booth have been forwarded to the endowment for the Bahai' Chair for World Peace located in the University of Maryland's Center for International Development and Conflict management.

Jim Fischer, secretary  
Spiritual Assembly of the  
Bahai's of Greenbelt

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

**At the Library**

**Children's Programs**

Wednesday, October 21, 7 p.m. P.J. Storytime for ages 4 - 6.

Thursday, October 22, 10:15 a.m. Drop-In Storytime — Puppets & Poems for ages 3 - 5.

11:15 a.m. Toddler Time for 2-year-olds and parent or caregiver.

**Adult Programs**

Monday, October 19, 7 p.m. Greenbelt.com. Information, discussions and demonstrations, provided by the Greenbelt Internet Access Cooperative. Call 301-345-5800 for information.

Wednesday, October 21, 2 p.m. Adult Book Discussion. Pete Hamill's Snow in August.

**Enjoy an Evening Of Celtic Music**

A program at the Greenbelt Arts Center on Friday October 23 at 8 p.m. will offer a Celtic evening of music for fiddle, harp, cello, drum and voice provided by the Hometown Ceilidh Band and Skye Gathering, led by Greenbelters John Ward and Trix Whitehall. Storyteller Jan Brennan will provide a change of pace with tales of laughter and suspense. For reservations, call 301-441-8770.

**La Leche League Meets October 20**

La Leche League of Greenbelt will meet on Tuesday, October 20, at 10 a.m. at a member's home. The topic of the meeting is "Nutrition and Weaning." Pregnant and breastfeeding mothers are invited to attend. Babies are welcome. For more information and directions to the meeting, please call Heather at 301-345-1859.

**Forum for School Board Candidates**

On Wednesday evening, October 21 at 7 p.m. in the Eleanor Roosevelt High School Media Center, a school board candidates forum will be hosted by the Eleanor Roosevelt PTSA. Greenbelters are invited to attend and participate by meeting the candidates and asking them questions in an open forum designed to help voters to make informed decisions about who will best represent them on the Prince George's County Board of Education. For Greenbelt's District 2 seat — Cheye Calvo and Jim Henderson are the two candidates. Both will be present at the forum. Additionally, because many ERHS students come from the Bowie area, the PTSA has also invited District 5 candidates, Robert Callahan and Kenneth Fox, to participate in the pre-election candidates forum.

Working together with the high school's Social Studies Department, as well as its student government organization, the PTSA encourages a strong student turnout at this forum so that school board candidates can hear and respond directly to ERHS students' questions and concerns about education policies that directly affect them day by day.

By encouraging both adult and student participation in the forum, the PTSA looks forward to an enlightening and stimulating evening.

**Community Events**

**Fight the Flu! Shots Available**

Registered nurses will administer flu vaccine to adults (18 years and older) in various locations in Greenbelt. The shots cost \$15 each. However there is no charge for Medicare Part B recipients who bring their Medicare card. The Visiting Nurse Association and Inova HealthSource are providing this service for their sixth annual Fight the Flu campaign.

Fight the Flu clinics in Greenbelt are: Thursday, Oct. 22, 10 a.m. - 1 p.m. and Friday, Oct. 23, 12 - 3 p.m., at Safeway; Monday, Oct. 26, 11 a.m. - 1 p.m. at Greenridge House, 22 Ridge Road; Monday, Nov. 2, 3 - 6 p.m. at Safeway; and Friday, Nov. 6, 5 - 7 p.m. at Co-op grocery store.

**Woodlands Cleanup Scheduled Sunday**

The GHI Woodlands Committee will conduct a clean-up between Ridge Road and Lakeside Drive on Sunday afternoon. Residents will meet between 6 and 8 Courts Ridge Road on Sunday, October 18, at 2 p.m. Bring gloves and a friend, they advise. Wheelbarrows and bags will be provided. For more information contact Keith Jahoda at 301-345-1569.

**Roosevelt Center Meeting Scheduled**

The Roosevelt Center Association will meet Thursday, October 15, at 7 p.m. upstairs of Co-op.

Anyone interested in the economic development of the Center is invited to hear Timothy E. Wanamaker of Prince George's County Economic Development Corporation speak to the group. All are welcome. Call Beth Novick at 301-474-8348 with questions.

**New Year Committee Meets October 19**

The steering committee of the Greenbelt New Year '99 celebration will meet in the Community Center at 7:30 p.m. on Monday, October 19. The public is encouraged to attend and new volunteers will be welcomed. Contact the Community Center office for further details. Refreshments will be served.

**Windsor Green Notes**

The Mobile Watch Committee will hold its October meeting on Tuesday, October 20, at 7 p.m., in the Windsor Green Community Center. Residents wishing to learn more about the program are encouraged to attend.

Mobile Watch volunteers will participate in special Halloween patrols on Friday, October 30 and Saturday, October 31. Volunteers who can sign up for a one or two hour shift should call Betty at the Windsor Green on-site office, 301-345-4837, or Kathie Jarva, 301-345-5384, by Saturday, October 17.

Windsor Green's Recreation Committee is preparing for the annual children's Halloween Party. Bob Brown Puppets will entertain the children with the popular production of "Monster Madness" on Saturday, October

**Drs. Hospital Offers Help to Stop Smoking**

The American Lung Association of Maryland, Doctors Community Hospital and the marketers of the Nicotrol nicotine replacement products are joining forces to help smokers break their addiction to tobacco. On Monday, October 19, more than 450 Nicotrol Patch kits and information packets will be distributed free from 1 - 7 p.m. in the lobby of Doctors Community Hospital.

The Nicotrol Patch kit or Nicotrol Inhaler/Nasal Spray information will be available on a first-come first served basis only. For more information, call Doctors Community Hospital at 301-552-8109 or the Lung Association at 800-445-6016.

**GHI Notes**

The Investment Committee will meet October 19 at 7:30 p.m. in the Board Room.

The Member & Community Relations Committee will meet October 21 at 7:30 p.m. in the Board Room.

A special board meeting is scheduled for October 22 at 7:30 p.m. to discuss the 1999 budget. This meeting will be held in the Board Room.

Remember the fall grass seed and bulb sale Saturday, October 17 and 24 from noon to 4 p.m. at GHI on Hamilton Place.

**Family Fun Featured At Schrom Fest '98**

Award-winning trees and the accompanying fall foliage at Schrom Hills Park will set the scene for Schrom Fest '98, scheduled for Saturday, October 17 from 11 a.m. - 3 p.m. The Greenbelt Recreation Department has planned this special event which will feature a hay ride, entertainment, line dancing, pumpkin crawl, face painting, harvest vendors, pony ride, crafts, games and fun for all ages. Schrom Hills Park is located off Hanover Parkway in Greenbelt East. Contact the Recreation Department for additional information, 301-397-2200.

**US Post Office Holds Customer Day Oct. 22**

The Greenbelt Post Office will celebrate Customer Appreciation and Breast Cancer Awareness Days on Thursday October 22, from 9 a.m. to 4 p.m. Medical personnel will be on hand to answer questions and give out literature pertaining to breast cancer. Also on the agenda will be 102.3 F.M. radio personnel, slated for a two hour broadcast.

Refreshments will be served. The focus will be on the breast cancer stamp sold by the Postal Service for research to combat breast cancer. A percentage of all sales will be contributed for this purpose and the stamp will be sold for the next two years.

For more information contact Robert Moore or Priscilla Ramos at 301-345-1721.

31, 11 a.m., at the Windsor Green Community Center. Children should wear Halloween costumes to the party.

**Greenbelt Youth Hold Can-U Care Drive**

As part of "Make a Difference Day" the Greenbelt Youth Advisory Committee will be collecting food for the Salvation Army from Friday, October 23 to Sunday, October 25. Greenbelt youth will pick up cans on Friday from 5-7 p.m. and on Saturday from 9-noon.

If not home during pickup times people can leave a bag on the doorstep marked Salvation Army or bags may be dropped off at any recreational facility, the committee advises. In apartments, place the bags by the front door. For questions call Harry James at 301-397-2200.

**Talk on Red Cross Disaster Work**

How many supplies are required to help relieve victims of disasters such as hurricanes? To find out come to Explorations Unlimited on Friday, October 23. Jim Reisweber of the American Red Cross Disaster Services will be presenting. He will discuss the Red Cross's disaster relief work, how it is accomplished and how it is managed.

Explorations Unlimited is a speaker series held from 1 - 3 p.m. on Friday at the Greenbelt Community Center. Everyone is welcome to attend and questions are always encouraged. Call 301-397-2208 for more information.

**Fire Department Holds Open House**

The Greenbelt Volunteer Fire Department and Rescue Squad Company 35 will hold a free open house at the fire station on Crescent Road on Saturday, October 17 from noon to 4 p.m.

The whole family is invited to the open house which will feature fire truck rides for all ages, games and prizes, free raffles for gifts for children and adults, including among other things, smoke detectors and fire extinguishers.

There will be a variety of live demonstrations including a home sprinkler system demonstration, hands-on use of fire extinguishers, emergency medical services (EMS), and safety tips. Come and meet the fire fighters. See the equipment the fire department uses to protect Greenbelt families and property.

For information, call 301-345-7000.

**County Planning Board Holds Budget Forums**

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, 1999.

The public forum nearest Greenbelt will be held Thursday, October 22, at the Parks and Recreation Administration Bldg., 6600 Kenilworth Ave., Riverdale.

**Tootsie Featured Movie of the Month**

The film Tootsie will be shown on Monday, October 19 at 1 p.m. in the senior classroom of the Community Center. Tootsie stars Dustin Hoffman and Jessica Lange. In this comedy, Hoffman is charming and funny in his role in drag. He portrays a desperate actor who masquerades as a middle-aged woman to win a role in a soap opera.

**Stargazing Party Set for October 17**

The Greenbelt Astronomy Club will hold a stargazing party on Saturday, October 17. The event begins at dusk (sunset is 6:27 p.m.) and is scheduled to last until at least 11 p.m. Club members will be on hand with a variety of telescopes and binoculars to share views of the planet Jupiter with its moons, Saturn with its rings, star clusters, nebula, constellations and more. The location is Northway baseball fields at the end of Northway extended. The event is free and open to the public. In the event of hopelessly cloudy skies, this event will be cancelled.

The next regularly scheduled meeting of the Greenbelt Astronomy Club will be Thursday, October 29, at 7:30 p.m., at the H.B. Owens Science Center.

For further information, directions and map, visit the Club's web site at: <http://lheawww.gsfc.nasa.gov/docs/outreach/gac/GAC.html> or call Tom Bridgman at 301-286-1346.

**Hike Blueberry Trail With a Park Ranger**

Discover the tranquility of Greenbelt Park. Join a park ranger on a walk on the Blueberry trail on Saturday, October 17, at 2 p.m. Meet at the Rangers Station. For more information call 301-344-3944.



October 17  
11:00 am - 3:00 pm  
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Greenbelt

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**OBITUARIES**



Jeanne Celeste Jones

**Jeanne Celeste Jones  
1931 - 1998**

Jeanne C. Jones, 66, Greenbelt homemaker and volunteer counselor, died of cancer October 11 at her home. Mrs. Jones was born in Baltimore to Thomas C. and Minna Dougherty (Weidenhammer), and had one sister, Janet C. Tideswell.

She graduated from Western High School in Baltimore in 1948, and obtained a bachelor's degree in psychology from Western Maryland College in 1951. She was a psychiatric social worker at Springfield Hospital in Sykesville, MD until 1954. She was married to George Richard Jones in 1951 until his death in December 1996; they moved to Greenbelt in 1952. She graduated from Trinity College's Education for Parish Service program in 1981.

Mrs. Jones served in various leadership roles for the Greenbelt Swim Team and Prince-Mont Swim League from 1968 to 1981. She was active with St. Hugh's Catholic Church and the Catholic Community of Greenbelt. She also served as counselor, vice-president, and president of Pregnancy Aid Center in College Park from 1980 through 1995 and was registrar of Rapidan Camps until March 1998.

She is survived by her mother, Minna Dougherty, and by children Michael Thomas Jones of Greenbelt, George Stephen Jones of Reston, Ralph Lawrence Jones of Richmond, Susan Laverne Jones of Greenbelt, Karen Theresa Beuchel of Arbutus, and Thomas Andrew Jones of Greenbelt; nephew Norman Tideswell of Ellicott City; and grandchildren Rachel Quinton, Deirdre Jones, Tristan Jones, Keara Jones, Aaron Jones, and Rachel Jones. A funeral mass was held on Thursday, October 15, at St. Hugh's Catholic Church.

Memorial contributions may be made to the Pregnancy Aid Center, 4809 Greenbelt Rd., College Park, MD 20740, or Catholic Community of Greenbelt c/o Helen White.

**Mary E. Hardy**

Mary E. Hardy, 96, died on October 5 at the Greenbelt Nursing Home. She was born in Alexandria, VA and moved to Branchville, MD as a child.

Married in 1922, Mary and her husband, Wilton, retired to Florida in the early 1970's. She had been a member of Holy Redeemer Church in Berwyn since 1912 and an active member of the Ladies of Charity until they left the area. They retained a residence in Greenbelt until Mr. Hardy died in 1976.

She is survived by their three children: Frances Belk and Wilton A., Jr., both of Greenbelt, and Donald G. of Beltsville; 13 grandchildren; 14 great-grandchildren and one great-great-grandchild.

**Our Neighbors**

Our sympathy to the Jones family of Greenbelt whose mother Jeanne C. Jones died on Sunday.

Condolences to the Hardy family of Greenbelt on the death of their mother Mary E. Hardy.

Congratulations to the Eleanor Roosevelt High School Cheerleaders who were named as one of the top 1,000 cheerleading programs in America by the National Cheerleaders Association (NCA). NCA is recognizing teams who show superior athletic skill and who also represent cheerleading's core principles of leadership, values and teamwork. Greenbelters saw some of their great work during the Labor Day parade.

**Identification Walk  
Along Azalea Trail**

Learn how to identify wildflowers and trees along the Azalea trail in Greenbelt Park. Meet at the Sweetgum Picnic Area on Saturday, October 17, at noon. For more information call 301-344-3944.

**Bike Donation Plea  
Inspires Brothers**

On the island of Jamaica, bicycles are the most economical means of transportation. Men and women rely on bicycles to get to work, and children need them to get to school. Unfortunately, not everyone can afford a bike.

The Island Bikes campaign, to collect old bikes (even incomplete ones) co-sponsored by the Rotary Clubs of Greenbelt, and Montego Bay, Jamaica, came to the attention of two brothers in Beltsville. Their bikes, with notes attached, were discovered by Rotary member, Helen Svenson, when she arrived at her office at Greenbelt Travel on Oct. 13. Patrick McGown, age 15, left his note: "My bicycle is not new - it is verry used. I hope it helps you." Eleven-year-old brother Paul McGown's note stated: "I hope you can use my bicycle and it makes your life easier."

Volunteers from Rotary, in conjunction with local merchants, will collect and repair the bicycles and arrange shipping to Jamaica. Bicycles can be dropped off at Greenbelt Travel, 5510 Cherrywood Lane, on November 1. Or call Bob Trager - 301-306-0866 or Helen Svenson - 301-474-1300.

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**Greenbelt Baptist Church**

**Roosevelt Seeks  
OASIS Volunteers**

Eleanor Roosevelt High School is seeking volunteers for the OASIS Program. Days of operation are Tuesdays and Saturdays beginning October 13 and continuing until December 12.

The OASIS Program provides students with eight weeks of free individual tutoring. OASIS hours are from 6 p.m. until 8 p.m. every Tuesday. Saturday hours are from 10 a.m. until 12 p.m. Walk-in computer labs will be available on Saturdays for all students in grades 9-12. The workshop will provide students with the opportunity to practice skills that will be tested on the SAT.

Each tutor will be assigned a student on a one-on-one basis. Tutors should know the fundamentals of reading, mathematics, science, or the subject they request to tutor. All tutoring sessions will take place in an assigned classroom with at least two pairs of tutors and students. Tutoring sessions last approximately 50 to 90 minutes, depending upon the attention span of the student and the time the tutor devotes to the program.

Contact Kristen Keller Pfeltz, Community Instructional Specialist and OASIS Program Coordinator, at 301-614-3451.

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Municipal Building Sundays  
10 A.M.

**Let's Talk!**

Citizens are invited to participate in a Study Circle, where discussions are designed to bring people together to share concerns and ideas on how to improve human relations in Prince George's County. Sponsored by the County Human Relations Commission, the circle will hold sessions at Eleanor Roosevelt High School from 6 to 8 p.m. on Tuesdays October 20, 27 and November 10 and 17. For more information call 301-883-6170.

**Donations Sought  
For County Needy**

The Prince George's County Department of Social Services is seeking donations to better meet the needs of older and disabled adults. The following items are needed: tub and shower chairs, port-a-pots, Depends, walkers, canes, wheelchairs, toiletries and cleaning supplies. For more information, contact Sharon J. Young at 301-808-5633.



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11 am Song Service

# Annexation

(Continued from page 1)

basement and two stories with a built-in two-car garage and backs up to wooded parkland. They are similar in style to the newest single family homes being built in Greenbelt at Greensprings off Hanover Parkway. Most of the homes are on a single street, Crest Park Drive, with a few located on two small cul de sacs, Camillo Court and Magnolia Hill Lane.

Crest Park Drive extends northward from Good Luck Road down a hill, ending near the property limits. At the end of the street a storm water retention pond, built by the developer, is now owned and maintained by the county. The entrance to Parkdale High School is a short distance further east on Good Luck Road.

According to the owners, many of them thought that their new homes were within the city limits—the development was promoted as Parkside at Greenbelt. Greenbelt Park is within the city limits, as is all of the property initially purchased by the federal government for the Greenbelt Project. Since the Parkside land was never purchased by the government, it is not in Greenbelt. When the residents of the subdivision found out that they were not eligible to receive city services or benefits, they petitioned for annexation, even though they understood that their taxes would be greater.

The annexation petition, submitted to the council on March 3, bore the signatures of 64% of the property owners and 78% of the registered voters in Parkside. The council held a required public hearing on September 10 after giving notice of it for four weeks in a row in this and another newspaper. Two and one-half weeks later, on September 28, the city council voted for the annexation.

### Issues

City Manager McLaughlin and the city staff recommended against the annexation largely because the subdivision is isolated from the remainder of the developed portions of the city. Parkside is 3.4 miles from the city's Public Works Building

and 2 miles from the nearest residential area served by the city, Greensprings. However, McLaughlin felt that the inconvenience and extra time required to service Parkside was not significant enough to require any increase in the size of the city work force needed to provide city services to the annexed area. In fact, Planning and Community Development Director Celia Craze calculated that Parkside would yield \$15,269 more in revenues than the estimated expenditures of the city to provide services.

Many people who oppose the annexation have cited the city manager recommendations as the reason for opposition to annexation. Those now circulating the petition also claim that the council acted too quickly, that citizens needed more time to learn and think about the issue. Another argument is that the voters should make the decision, not the city council.

### Resentment

While these all may be valid reasons for seeking a voter referendum, another reason seems to be the driving force for those who are most strongly opposed to this little subdivision becoming part of the city. That reason is objection to the property having been developed in the first place and resentment to those new homeowners

who chose to buy homesites that, opponents feel, had spoiled public parklands.

A leading opponent, Doug Love, describes the Parkside residents as being like "Californians, moving into earthquake zones with no cares, or like smokers that ignore the risks to their health . . . They see nothing wrong in living inside a National Park." Snyder, leader of the opposition to the original development, wrote to the city council that "I have been disheartened about the failure to stop the development altogether, and have only been able to wish it could disappear."

Proponent Bill Dupree, a Greenbelt resident, accuses the opponents as "tree huggers" who wanted Parkside to be "another tree farm," but since they lost their bid to do so, "they have held open attacks on the poor souls who want to share the great things that make Greenbelt special."

Other concerns raised by opponents have been the condition of the stormwater pond, the stability of the soil and stabilization of the hillside, and substandard street construction. City staff has responded that the county has accepted the pond for maintenance; an engineering firm, Hillis-Carnes Engineering Associates, Inc., has found the site soils to be very competent for support of foundations and

new fills; and that, upon inspection by the city, there do not appear to be any outstanding deficiencies in street construction that will cause the city significant expense in the near future. One opponent, Robert J. Lewis, has expressed concern that the number of homes wired with alarm systems will cause the police to waste excessive time responding to false alarm calls.

### Enthusiasm

At first it appeared that the city council would be unanimously opposed to the annexation. Apparently what swayed the majority of council to change their minds was the enthusiasm of Parkside residents for annexation to the city and their interest in becoming active members of the community. William D. Hueston summed up these feelings in a letter to the council. "You have many reasons to be proud of the city you represent and reasons to wonder about the future," he said. "The residents of Parkside share your appreciation of both the Greenbelt heritage and the green belt that surrounds it. In fact, we feel that

we are your guardians of the southern part."

A large contingent of Parkside residents attended the public hearing and the council meeting at which the annexation ordinance was adopted as well as many opponents. When it came time to vote, it was hard for the members of council to say "no" to the Parkside residents, a group of people who looked like Greenbelters, acted like Greenbelters, liked Greenbelters, and wanted to become a part of Greenbelt. Even the opponents, who opposed annexing the land, made it clear that they would welcome the participation of Parkside residents in community affairs—but not as members of the community.

### Learn about Mental Illness and Addiction

The Alliance for the Mentally Ill is conducting a free workshop on dual diagnosis of mental illness and addiction, Wednesday, Oct. 21, at 7 p.m. in the meeting room of Spaulding Library in Suitland. The speaker will be Michael Fuller from Prince George's Addiction Services.

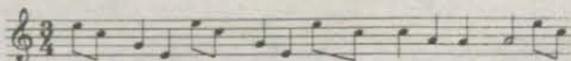
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## CONSIDER THIS BEFORE YOU SIGN

The Greenbelt City Council recently voted to annex the Parkside development. A small group of citizens is circulating a petition calling for a public vote on the annexation. They argue that Greenbelt citizens should have the right to vote on this issue. The fact is, they are disgruntled about council's decision and intend to overturn it. They need 20% of registered voters to send the annexation issue to referendum. Although, this small group needs your signature in order to place the issue on the ballot, they do not necessarily want your vote, particularly if you are in favor of the annexation. Ask the person soliciting your signature if there would be any petition on the Parkside annexation if he or she agreed with council's decision. These folks are working hard to overturn council's decision, NOT to advocate for Greenbelt Citizen's right to vote on this issue. A low voter turnout may allow the few who are circulating the petition to determine the outcome of the annexation. We support your right to vote and encourage you to do so. Come voting day, if the annexation makes the ballot, support our council and vote in favor of the annexation of Parkside.

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# POLICE BLOTTER

Based on Information Released by the Greenbelt Police Department

## Armed Robbery

NationsBank at Beltway Plaza Mall, Oct. 3, 11:07 a.m., a person approached a teller, pointed a small black handgun at him, and demanded money. The robber then reached over the counter and picked up a stack of money the bank employee had been counting. The robber ran from the bank, got into a two-door black Acura, and fled onto Greenbelt Road. No one was injured during the robbery.

## Assault

7700 block of Hanover Parkway, Oct. 5, 9:19 a.m., three male nonresidents, 15 and 16 years of age, assaulted a person in apparent retaliation for that person's serving as a witness against one of the three in a separate incident. The assault ended when police approached and the assailants fled. All three were later caught and charged on petition and released to Juvenile Services.

## Drugs

9000 block of Breezewood Terrace, Oct. 4, 12:46 a.m., a 21-year-old male resident was arrested for possession of marijuana. He was arrested after officers responded to a complaint of loud music and found him outside in the rain smoking. The officers smelled the odor of burned marijuana. Investigation revealed marijuana and paraphernalia on his person. He was left with the Department of Corrections for a hearing.

## Burglary and Theft

American Legion Post in the 6700 block of Greenbelt Road, Oct. 2, 10:55 a.m., U.S. currency

was taken from a locked file cabinet.

7900 block of Mandan Road, Oct. 2, 6:40 p.m., a burglary was reported. The victim stated that while in the process of moving out of her residence, she secured the residence after her last load of the day. When she returned the following day she found that the home had been ransacked and that several items were missing. Entry was not forced.

6000 block of Springhill Drive, Oct. 3, 2:53 p.m., an apartment was entered through an unsecured window. A bicycle was taken.

Bally's Fitness Center in Greenway Shopping Center, three thefts were reported between 7:25 a.m. and 10 a.m. Two pagers and U.S. currency were taken.

7800 block of Mandan Rd., Oct. 5, 9:08 p.m., a door knob was forced and the apartment entered, but nothing was reported taken.

6000 block of Cherrywood Court, Oct. 5, 3:15 p.m., a television, VCR, and compact disks were taken from a residence. Entry was gained through an unlocked sliding glass door.

9 court of Research Road, Oct. 8, 6:03 p.m., a mountain bike and coins were taken from a residence. Entry was gained through a rear living room window.

## Vandalism

Greenbelt Aquatic and Fitness Center at Roosevelt Center, Oct. 5, 8:36 a.m., a basement utility room was spray painted with graffiti.

Green Ridge House, 22 Ridge

## County Gets Free Smoke Detectors

In a ceremony at the D.C. Fire Academy, the Metropolitan Washington Council of Governments (COG) received 13,000 free smoke detectors and batteries donated by the Tandy Corporation/Radio Shack. The smoke detectors will be distributed free of charge to low income households through 10 area fire departments. Prince George's County will receive 1,000.

Road, Oct. 7, 2:41 p.m., blue magic marker was used to write graffiti on the rear of the building.

## Vehicle Theft

5800 block of Cherrywood Lane, Oct. 4, a teal 1995 Suzuki GS500E motorcycle, Maryland tags 126D78, was stolen.

Greenbelt Metro station, Oct. 4, a 1994 Plymouth Sundance, Maryland tags BAK 738, was stolen.

6900 block of Hanover Parkway, Oct. 6, a pink 1977 Ford Thunderbird, North Carolina tags JSR 3671, was stolen.

Beltway Plaza Mall, Oct. 7, a red 1992 Dodge Shadow, Virginia tags ZDF 3746, was stolen.

Vandalisms to and thefts from vehicles were reported in the following areas: 8100 block of Mandan Terrace, 7900 and 8000 blocks of Mandan Road, 8200 and 8300 blocks of Canning Terrace, 7700 and 7800 blocks of Hanover Parkway, 6200 block of Springhill Drive, 9100 block of Springhill Lane, 6100 block of Springhill Court, 5800 block of Cherrywood Terrace, 5800 block of Cherrywood Lane, 6500 block of Capitol Drive, 8000 block of Lakecrest Drive, Beltway Plaza and Roosevelt Center.

## TALKIN' TRASH



## County Collects Hazardous Waste

Prince George's County will hold a Household Hazardous Waste Collection Day on Sunday, October 25 from 8 a.m. to 3 p.m. at Inglewood Centre III, 9400 Peppercorn Place in Largo. Many household cleaners, pesticides, herbicides, solvents, paint products and automobile fluids contain chemicals that are toxic and hazardous. The county will dispose of them in an environmentally safe manner. For more information on hazardous waste collection call 301-883-5045.

On the same day, time and location, Citizens Concerned for a Cleaner County will be selling backyard home composting bins. Yard waste and organic food scraps can be thrown into the bin and over a period of time break down into nutrient-rich soil enhancers for the lawn and garden. There is a fee for the bins, with a discount for those disposing of

## Greenbelt Students Scholastic Winners

Two Greenbelt students at Eleanor Roosevelt High School (ERHS) have been named winners in national scholastic contests.

A. Grace Haliburton was named a National Merit Semifinalist. She, along with six other semifinalists from ERHS, will now have an opportunity to continue in the competition for 7,600 Merit Scholarship awards worth over \$28 million, that will be offered next spring.

Tierra D. Watkins has been named as a semifinalist in the 1999 Achievement Program. Along with eight other African-American students from ERHS, Tierra will compete for approximately 800 Achievement Scholarship awards worth nearly \$3 million, also offered next spring.

hazardous waste at the site.

For more information on the composting bin sale call 301-883-5843. To get to the Center, take Beltway exit 17A onto Rt. 202 and turn right on McCormick Drive and left on Peppercorn Place.

## Greenbelt Municipal/Public Access TV Channel B-10 Schedule

MUNICIPAL ACCESS-301-474-8000

Tuesday Oct. 20 and Thursday, Oct. 22

- 6:00 p.m. "The Audrey Scott Show"  
Doctors Community Hospital
- 6:30 p.m. "I Am Your Child-The First Years Last Forever"  
The importance of the first 3 years of life.
- 7:00 p.m. "Summer Sounds-Bavarian/Austrian Dance"

PUBLIC ACCESS-301-507-6581

Wednesday, October 21

- 7:00 p.m. "Greenbelt Arts Center Art Auction"
- 7:25 p.m. "Celtic Performance"
- 8:00 p.m. "For Safety's Sake-Hot Spots"

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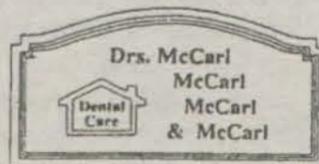


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Friday	8-4
Saturday	8-11:30

### Steny Hoyer Seeks Academy Applications

Congressman Steny H. Hoyer is accepting applications from students seeking nominations to the Naval Academy in Annapolis, MD, the Military Academy at West Point, NY, the Air Force Academy in Colorado Springs, CO, and the Merchant Marine Academy in Kings Point, NY.

Requests for applications to the academies for classes entering in 1999 will be accepted through November 7. Interested students must reside within Maryland's Fifth Congressional District and should meet the following criteria as of July 1 of the year of admission: be in the top 20% of their class, have a grade point average of at least 3.5 and a SAT score of at least 580 verbal and 600 math, have strong leadership skills (which could be demonstrated by having served as a class officer, club president, or team captain), be in good physical condition, and be at least 17 years of age but not older than 23 as of July 1, 1999 and have no children or dependents.

For information and an application packet please contact Cathy Trebelhorn in Congressman Hoyer's Greenbelt office at 301-474-0119 or write to her at: Office of Congressman Steny Hoyer, 6500 Cherrywood Lane, Suite 310, Greenbelt, MD 20770.

### Diabetes Support

"Problems with Gastroparesis" is the subject of this month's Diabetes Support Group at Drs. Community Hospital on October 20 at 7:30 p.m. To register call 301-552-5134.

### CHESS PLAYERS!

Join us at the New Deal Cafe in the Community Center. We're looking for players at all levels to enjoy a relaxing evening at the cafe. Delicious desserts will be available. Bring your chess set and we'll all have a good time. See you there!

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### Fall Bicycle Tour Set for October 24

The College Park Area Bicycle Coalition-CPABC is marking its tenth anniversary with its Annual Fall Tour and a special celebration party at the new College Park airport museum on Saturday, October 24. The ride start and museum are located at the airport, 1900 Corporal Scott Drive off of Paint Branch Pky, which is off of Kenilworth Ave. in College Park.

CPABC is proud to announce its completion of ten active and successful years in the bicyclists advocacy arena. The bicycle tour will be along the Anacostia Trail System and surrounding roads and the evening will finish with a party and refreshments at the newly opened airport museum. The museum has a bicycle-related history.

Local elected officials and bicycle folks from around the region will be invited. There will be displays of bicycle related interest, and plans for future improvements will be discussed. Dress is casual; spandex and bicycle tee shirts are expected. For further information call Bill Kelly 301-441-2740.

### Grocery Tapes Can Help Local Schools

Giant Food has launched the tenth year of its "Apples for the Students PLUS" program, running through February 27, and Safeway continues its "Tapes for Education" program, running through February 28.

Over the previous nine years, Giant Food has awarded over \$52 million in free educational equipment to public and private participating schools, which equates to over 200,000 pieces of educational equipment and classroom aids donated to more than 3,300 schools. During the past six years, Safeway has provided approximately \$8.5 million worth of books, audio-visual and athletic equipment to participating schools.

These programs allow public, private and parochial schools to receive free computers and other educational tools by saving the new white and blue "10th Apples for the Students Anniversary" register tapes from Giant stores, or the register receipts from Safeway stores.

Most local schools participate in the programs and welcome donations of receipts from people without children in the schools as well as from the schools' students.

### Panthers to Discuss Power Deregulation

An open public information meeting on electricity deregulation will be held by the Gray Panthers on Saturday, October 17, at 1:30 p.m. at the Greenbelt Police Station. The speaker will be organizer Corey Hartwich, a legislative associate at the Public Citizen Critical Mass Energy Project (a Ralph Nader organization).

The electric utility industry is undergoing a massive reorganization that will create long term effects on everyone's health, safety, environment, and pocketbook. Hartwich will discuss the protection of consumers under deregulation from excessive costs, as well as ways to ensure that power generation is not harmful to human health or the environment. He will also describe the legislation on electricity deregulation that may be considered in the upcoming State Legislature. Questions are welcome. For information telephone Esther Webb 301-474-6890 or Ruth Bond 301-474-2538.

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REFRESHMENTS

### Maryland U Presents Free Choral Concert

The University of Maryland School of Music presents an evening of choral favorites dedicated to Roger Folstrom, music director of the University Chorale for twenty years (1978 - 1998), on Friday, October 23 at 8 p.m.. Jesse Parker, music director, will present works by Britten, Palestrina, Folstrom, and Rutter, as well as spirituals and Jerry Herman's "Kiss Her Now." Admission is free; tickets are not required. For additional information call 301-405-1150.

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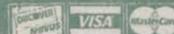
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Fresh Grade 'A' Whole Frying Chicken <b>79¢</b> lb.	Fresh Lean Pork Assorted Loin Chops <b>\$1<sup>89</sup></b> lb.
CO-OP Lean Beef Boneless Ribeye Delmonico Steak <b>\$4<sup>89</sup></b> lb.	Fresh Grade 'A' Cut-Up Chicken <b>89¢</b> lb.
Homel Boneless Pork Tenderloin Peppercorn-Teriyaki <b>\$4<sup>89</sup></b> lb.	Perdue 93% Lean Ground Turkey <b>\$1<sup>69</sup></b> lb.
Rosina Frozen Italian Meatballs <b>\$5<sup>99</sup></b> 3 lb.	Hillshire Farm Lil' Smokies-or-Lil' Franks <b>\$2<sup>69</sup></b> 16 oz.
Rapa Original Scrapple <b>99¢</b> 16 oz.	Oscar Mayer Turkey Breast or-Lunch Meat Combo Pack <b>\$1<sup>99</sup></b> 16 oz.

GROCERY BARGAINS	
General Mills Original Cheerios Cereal <b>99¢</b> 10 oz.	Musselman's Apple Juice <b>99¢</b> 1/2 gal.
7 - Seas Salad Dressings <b>69¢</b> 8 oz.	Del Monte Yellow Corn - Peas - Cut or French Green Beans <b>2/99¢</b> 14 1/2 oz. min.
Beech Nut All Purpose Ground Coffee <b>\$1<sup>39</sup></b> 10 1/2 oz. can	Star Kist Chunk Light Tuna <b>59¢</b> 6 oz.
Sparkle Paper Towels <b>79¢</b> 60 sheet roll	Best Yet Charcoal Bricquets <b>99¢</b> 10 lb.
Dynamo Liquid Laundry Detergent <b>\$1<sup>99</sup></b> 50 oz.	Best Yet Kidney Beans <b>3/\$1<sup>00</sup></b> 15 oz.
Cup-O-Noodles Noodle Soups <b>3/89¢</b> 2 1/4 oz.	Pop Secret Microwave Popcorn Selected Varieties <b>99¢</b> 3 pack
Kraft Handi Snack Lunch Pack Puddings <b>89¢</b> 4 pks.	San Giorgio Vermicelli - Ziti - or - Elbow Macaroni <b>59¢</b> 16 oz.
Lysol Aerosol Bonus Basin, Tub & Tile Cleaner <b>99¢</b> 21 1/4 oz.	Sunlight Ultra Liquid Dish Detergent <b>\$1<sup>49</sup></b> 28 oz.
	Best Yet Pork & Beans <b>3/\$1<sup>00</sup></b> 15 1/2 oz.
	Econo Brite Light Bulbs <b>99¢</b> 3 pack
	Herr's Potato Chips <b>99¢</b> 6 oz.

FARM FRESH PRODUCE	
	Washington State Crisp Gala Apples <b>69¢</b> lb.
Russet Potatoes <b>99¢</b> 5 lb.	Florida Extra Large Navel Oranges <b>4/99¢</b>
Eastern Broccoli <b>99¢</b> bunch	Florida Large Tangerines <b>4/89¢</b>
Super Select Cucumbers <b>3/89¢</b>	Granny Smith Apples <b>69¢</b> lb.
Verdelli Spinach <b>\$1<sup>19</sup></b> 10 oz.	Ocean Spray Cranberries <b>\$1<sup>69</sup></b> 12 oz.
Yellow Onions <b>79¢</b> 3 lb.	Ripe Pomegranites <b>89¢</b> Each
Organic Romaine Lettuce <b>99¢</b> lb.	FRUIT CLUB FOR KIDS FREE SUNKIST ORANGE See Store For Details

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DAIRY	
Tropicana Premium Orange Juice Asst. <b>\$1<sup>99</sup></b> 1/2 gal.	
Kraft American Singles Orig.-2% <b>\$1<sup>69</sup></b> 12 oz.	
Best Yet Shredded Cheddar-or-Mozzarella <b>\$1<sup>39</sup></b> 8 oz.	
DiGorno Fresh Linguine -or-Fettuccine <b>\$1<sup>19</sup></b> 9 oz.	
Best Yet Sour Cream <b>99¢</b> 16 oz.	

DELI	
Wampler Turkey Breast <b>\$2<sup>99</sup></b> lb.	
Wunderbar German Bologna <b>\$1<sup>39</sup></b> lb.	
Esskay Fat Free Lower Salt Cooked Ham <b>\$3<sup>59</sup></b> lb.	
Sorrento Provolone Cheese <b>\$2<sup>99</sup></b> lb.	
Amish Macaroni Salad <b>\$1<sup>09</sup></b> lb.	

COOPERATIVES	
	Best Yet Tomato Soup <b>2/99¢</b> 10 3/4 oz.
	Country Time Lemonade Mixes Asst. Varieties <b>\$1<sup>49</sup></b> 19 oz. - 20 oz.
	Reynold's Wrap Heavy Duty Aluminum Foil <b>\$1<sup>59</sup></b> 50 sq. ft.
	Best Yet Whole Tomatoes <b>69¢</b> 28 oz.
	Bumble Bee Pink Salmon <b>\$1<sup>49</sup></b> 14 3/4 oz.
	Spice It Super Size Ground Cinnamon <b>99¢</b> 4 oz.
	Schwepes Mixers Ginger Ale-Tonic-Club <b>79¢</b> 1 liter
	Best Yet Pure Vegetable Shortening <b>\$1<sup>99</sup></b> 3 lb.
	Franco American Spaghetti's Meatballs-Franks <b>89¢</b> 14 3/4 oz.
	Dove Bath Bar Soap <b>\$1<sup>89</sup></b> 2 pk.



FROZEN FOOD	
Florida Gold Orange Juice <b>79¢</b> 12 oz.	Best Yet Corn - Peas Chopped Broccoli <b>2/99¢</b> 10 oz.
Sunkist Lemonade <b>59¢</b> 12 oz.	Best Yet Curly French Fries <b>\$1<sup>49</sup></b> 32 oz.
Best Yet Pepperidge Farm Garlic Breads <b>\$1<sup>19</sup></b> 9 1/2 oz. - 10 oz.	

BEER & WINE	
Coors Light Beer <b>\$6<sup>99</sup></b> 12 pk. 12 oz. cans	Almaden Wines <b>\$7<sup>99</sup></b> 3 liter
Busch Beer <b>\$3<sup>29</sup></b> 6 pk. 12 oz. cans	Wyndham Estate Chardonnay <b>\$6<sup>89</sup></b> 750 ml.
Pete's Wicked Ales <b>\$5<sup>89</sup></b> 6 pk. 12 oz. NR's	

HOT FOODS DELI	
Hot To Go Dinner Of-The-Day <b>\$3<sup>39</sup></b> each	

SEAFOOD	
Louis Kemp Seafood Delights <b>\$2<sup>29</sup></b> 8 oz.	
Orange Roughy Fillets <b>\$5<sup>99</sup></b> lb.	
26-30 Count Gulf Shrimp <b>\$7<sup>99</sup></b> lb.	

**BONUS COUPON**

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Angel Soft Economy Pack Bathroom Tissue <b>\$2<sup>79</sup></b> 12 roll pk.	Musselman's P.A.C. Vinegar <b>99¢</b> qt.
Glamour Kitty Cat Litter Rose - Original - Unscented <b>\$2<sup>49</sup></b> 16 lb.	Castleberry Beef Stew <b>99¢</b> 24 oz.

NATURALS	
Michelles Pasta Assorted <b>\$1<sup>79</sup></b> 8 oz.	San J Sauces Sweet/Sour - Thai Peanut - Szechuan - S.J. Grilling <b>\$2<sup>59</sup></b> 10 oz.
Thai Kitchen Curry Rice Mix Red or Green <b>\$2<sup>09</sup></b> 9 oz.	

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# Greenbelt Cooperatives

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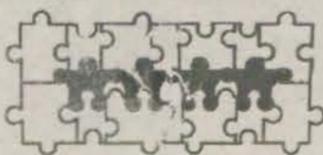
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People have formed 47,000 co-ops for farming, banking, housing, child care, health care, electric and telephone services, food retailing and other goods and services. They trust their co-ops to help them find solutions.

For more information about cooperatives, visit [www.cooperative.org](http://www.cooperative.org).

### COOPERATIVES



Businesses / People Trust

**Greenbelt Homes, Inc. (GHI)**  
Hamilton Place  
Greenbelt, MD 20770  
301-474-4161  
Ghi@erols.com



**Date Formed:** 1952

**Purpose/Mission:** To provide quality homes for the members of this housing cooperative and to foster opportunities for community by —

- Celebrating and respecting the historical legacy and ideals of the original Greenbelt plan.
- Maintaining, protecting and enhancing the assets of the cooperative including the buildings, architectural design, open space plan (woods, walkways, playgrounds), while preserving the affordability and financial stability of the cooperative.
- Promoting member diversity, member and community involvement and education regarding rights and responsibilities as homeowners and co-op members.
- Acting responsibly to protect and care for that which all members own and treasure together.

**Annual Meeting:** The cooperative's annual meeting is held during the month of May on a date selected by the Board of Directors.

**Board of Directors:** The GHI Board of Directors is composed of nine members. They are Keith Jahoda, President; Julia Eichhorst, Vice President; Margaret Hogensen, Treasurer; Betty Deitch, Director; Susan Ready, Director; Charles (Chuck) Hess, Director; John Taylor, Director; and Bill Phelan, Director. Nat Shinderman is Director Emeritus.

**Members:** The cooperative has 1,600 members.

To join this cooperative: GHI is an equal housing opportunity corporation. Any person regardless of race, sex, creed, national origin and sexual orientation may purchase membership rights as long as they meet the criteria established for membership. Because membership in GHI contracts, a shared responsibility between the member and the co-op, prospective members are required to attend a pre-purchase orientation. The orientation provides the prospective member an opportunity to learn more about cooperative living and to ascertain whether this style of living is for them. Those interested in purchasing a membership may contact any realtor of their choice, or stop by the GHI offices for a listing of memberships currently on the market. To register for a pre-purchase orientation, call 301-474-4161. There is no obligation to purchase membership at the pre-purchase orientation.

### Greenbelt Internet Access Cooperative (GIAC)

**Date Formed:** June 1996

**Purpose/Mission:** Greenbelt Internet Access Cooperative (GIAC) is a non-stock Maryland cooperative organized and operated by community volunteers to help others learn about and access the Internet. Among other activities, each month GIAC and the Greenbelt Library co-sponsor a free class at the library on the basics of computers and the Internet. GIAC is the registered owner of the Internet domain [greenbelt.com](http://greenbelt.com).

**Meetings:** Membership and/or Board Meetings are generally held on the first Thursday of each month. Notification of times and locations of meetings will be posted in the Community Calendar. To submit agenda items for upcoming meetings, contact the GIAC President.

**Board of Directors:** Nancy Revis, President; Tom Crompton, Vice President; Chris Morris, Treasurer; Jim Heagy, Secretary; Neil McLeod, Web Master; Doug Love, Board Member; Ralph Bram, Board Member; Brian Schieber, Board Member.

**To join this cooperative:** To register as a "Friend of GIAC" and receive e-mail notification about GIAC activities, please submit an Online Registration form.

**Greenbelt Federal Credit Union**  
111 Centerway  
Greenbelt, MD 20770  
301-474-5900



**Date Formed:** October 18, 1937

**Purpose/Mission:** The credit union is a cooperative thrift and loan organization. Its purpose is to promote thrift among its members and to provide them with a source of credit for provident or productive purposes.

**History:** The Greenbelt Federal Credit Union has a long and distinguished history in Greenbelt and the credit union movement.

When the newly arrived Greenbelt residents, pioneers in this new town, gathered to form a savings institution, they formed the first community credit union in the nation.

Greenbelt Federal Credit Union became one of the first credit unions to offer checking accounts.

The credit union was the first financial institution to finance Greenbelt Homes, Inc. when that housing cooperative was formed in 1952.

Over the years, the credit union has been located at various sites in the Roosevelt Center. The Greenbelt Federal Credit Union was Greenbelt's first financial facility.

**Annual Meeting:** The annual meeting is held during March.

**Board of Directors:** The following members currently serve on the Greenbelt Federal Credit Union Board of Directors: R. James Rice, President, a resident of Greenbelt and member of the Board since the 1960s, Jerome Anzulovic, Vice President, former Greenbelt resident and member of the Board since the 1960s, Murray Ryss, Secretary, former Greenbelt resident and member of the Board since the 1970s, Cynthia A. Comproni, employed at the credit union since 1981, Treasurer-General Manager since 1985 and a Greenbelt resident, Richard Dominelli, Board Member since 1981 and an active member of the credit union movement, Michael Burchick, an active member since 1953, with a past history of working at the credit union and a resident of Greenbelt, Paul Rall, Board member since early 1997, past member of the Supervisory Committee and a resident of Greenbelt.

**Membership:** Greenbelt Federal Credit Union's field of membership includes persons who reside or are employed in Greenbelt. The credit union has paid dividends since it was organized. It currently maintains an asset size of \$11 million and has 3,467 members. Each account is insured to \$100,000 by the National Credit Union Administration, a U.S. Government agency.

**To join this cooperative:** Membership in the credit union requires a share savings account with a minimum balance of \$25. To receive more information, write the Greenbelt Federal Credit Union at P.O. Box 157, Greenbelt, MD 20768.

**New Deal Café**  
15 Crescent Road  
Greenbelt, MD 20770  
301-474-5642



**Date Formed:** December 1995

**Purpose/Mission:** To provide a health conscious coffee house and community social gathering place which promotes and provides a venue for the arts.

The newest cooperative in Greenbelt. Open Fridays and Saturdays 8-closing and now featuring Sunday Bunch 10a.m. - 3 p.m. Come on in and join the fun.

**Board of Directors:** Pat Brent, President; Terry Kucera, Secretary; Melina McMuller, Treasurer; Barbara Tanen, Director; Geoff King, Director.

**Welcome to this special section of the Greenbelt News Review featuring a few of Greenbelt's cooperatives.**

**If you would like to know more about these cooperatives, please contact them.**

**If you have more information about cooperatives which you would like to share, please contact Jim Cassels at the Greenbelt Consumer Cooperative, 301-474-0522.**

An Independent Newspaper

**GREENBELT**

# News Review

15 Crescent Road, Suite 100  
Greenbelt, MD 20770-1887  
301-474-4131; fax: 301-474-5880

First Issue: November 24, 1937

**Purpose/Mission:** Volunteers produce this community weekly newspaper, which is celebrating its 61st year of continuous publication. The newspaper regularly covers the Greenbelt City Council; the Greenbelt Homes, Inc. Board of Directors; development issues; local schools and general home town news. The expenses of the newspaper are paid for through advertising. Major advertisers include the City of Greenbelt, which provides information to its citizens; the Co-op grocery store and a variety of other local businesses.

**Annual Meeting:** The annual meeting will be held October 18, 1998. At that time, the Board of Directors will be elected and the editor reappointed.

**Board of Directors:** The Board of Directors is composed of five elected members. They are James Giese, President; Diane Oberg, Vice President; Virginia Beauchamp, Treasurer; Bernie Giese, Secretary; and Barbara Likowski. Elaine Skolnik, President Emeritus and News Editor; Mary Lou Williamson, Editor; and Mary Halford, Business Manager; are Ex-officio members of the Board.

**Members:** Currently, a staff of 85 volunteers

**To join this cooperative:** Anyone interested in contributing to the newspaper is invited to try his or her hand. Help is always needed. Call 301-441-2662 for more information.



**Greenbelt Nursery School & Kindergarten, Inc.**  
15 Crescent Road  
Greenbelt, MD 20770  
301-474-5570

**Date Formed:** April, 1941

**Mission Statement:** Greenbelt Nursery School & Kindergarten (GNS&K) is a parent cooperative with the mission to provide a creative educational environment that fosters a love of learning and a sense of accomplishment built upon a child's natural curiosity.

**Purpose:** The purpose of GNS&K is to fulfill this mission by using the knowledge, skills and abilities of parents, staff and community members to create an intergenerational, multicultural child-centered environment. GNS&K combines the interests and experiences of our membership to encourage learning in a nurturing atmosphere that supports the needs of the children and their families.

**Services:**

Morning and afternoon nursery school programs for children ages 2-4 and a morning kindergarten.

GNS&K offers high quality child care:

Before school care and after school enrichment are available for 3-6 year olds either full-time or part-time.

GNS&K also provides the following opportunities for parents:

Parent education programs and resources are available throughout the school year.

**Annual Meeting:** The next annual meeting for the members of the Greenbelt Nursery School & Kindergarten will be March 4, 1999.

**Board of Directors:** The GNS&K Board of Directors for the 1998-99 school year consists of the following members: Roni Krupnick, President; Angie Noyes, Vice President and Long Range Planning; Brenda Jayne, Treasurer; Cornelia Kennedy, Secretary; Vicky Delaney, Membership Chair; Rennie Scott-Childress, Publicity Chair; Craig Tooley, Maintenance Chair; Carolyn Grammas, Ways & Means; and Catherine Francoeur, Housekeeping Chair. Staff: Pat Schreiber, Director; Leslie McLaughlin, Administrator.

**Membership:** GNS&K membership currently is composed of the following:

- 14 staff members
- 72 member families
- 76 children enrolled in the programs

Each family participates in the activities of one or more committees that are responsible for the program and administrative activities; each family must provide a parent to act as a teacher's aide and attends mandatory membership meetings.

**To join this cooperative:** For enrollment information, contact a member of the staff at the school: 15 Crescent Road, Greenbelt, MD 20770 or call 301-474-5570

**Greenbelt Consumer Cooperative, Inc.**

121 Centerway  
Greenbelt, MD 20770  
301-474-0522;  
pharmacy: 301-474-4400;  
fax: 301-474-5375  
E-mail- Greencoop@aol.com



**Date Formed:** 1937, reformed 1984

**Purpose/Mission:** Greenbelt Consumer Cooperative is a nonprofit locally owned, member-controlled business established to provide consumer services. The co-op's primary purpose is to operate a supermarket and pharmacy in the Roosevelt Center of historic Greenbelt.

Non-members are welcome to shop at the co-op, however all patrons are encouraged to join because membership has many benefits. Membership provides an opportunity to share in the direction and earnings of the business. Members receive patronage refunds - a portion of the co-op's earnings, after expenses, which are distributed to members based on the amount of their purchases. Annually, based on the cooperative's earnings, the Board of Directors determines the percentage of member purchases which will be patronage refunds. Because the surplus is distributed to members in proportion to their use of the co-op's services, it is important that members give their member numbers when making purchases. All members - voting and subscribing - receive patronage refunds and these are not taxable to the members who receive them. During its first 14 years, the cooperative declared patronage refunds totalling \$863,603. Members also receive interest on all capital above \$200.

**Services:** The cooperative operates a full-service supermarket that is open 7 days week. It features-

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- Metro transit fare and U.S. postage stamp sales
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**Annual Meeting:** The next annual meeting will be held at 10 a.m. on Saturday, November 7, 1998, in the multi-purpose room of the Greenbelt Community Center.

**Board of Directors:** Seven members serve on the Board. They are Jim Cassels, President; Dorrie Bates, Vice President; Joe Timer, Treasurer; Leta Mach, Secretary; Mike Burchick; Paul Rall; and Tom Lammons.

**Membership:** Membership is voluntary and open to any person 18 years of age or older. The \$10 membership fee is a one-time charge entitling people to membership for life. Members are part owners of the cooperative. The co-op has two types of memberships - voting and subscribing. Voting members have contributed a minimum membership capital of \$100; subscribing members have between \$10 and \$100 of membership capital. Subscribers are encouraged to participate in the co-op's activities and grow their capital accounts to eventually become voting members. The cooperative now has over 5,000 members.

**To join this cooperative:** Membership applications are available in the co-op office at 121 Centerway.

### The Cooperative Principles

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Jessica Teets Happily accepts the crown of Junior Miss Greenbelt for 1998 from Jessica O'Connor, last year's Junior Miss. -photo by Prospero Zevallos

### Cheerleader Jessica Teets Is Junior Miss Greenbelt

by Altoria Bell Ross

The reigning Junior Miss Greenbelt Jessica Teets has got spirit, and with it, she loves to cheer. "I think it's fun and good exercise," says the 12-year-old Jessica, who also was named Most Spirited in the pageant.

Jessica led cheers for four years as the captain of the Greenbelt Girls and Boys Club cheerleading squad during football and basketball games. Today, she cheer dances as a Junior Redskinette for the Washington Redskins. During the pageant's optional talent competition, Jessica demonstrated this dance.

"I was very surprised and excited," says Jessica about being crowned. "I had been watching the [Greenbelt] pageant for many years, and I thought it would be a good experience."

Jessica also has experience in science. As a sixth grader at Greenbelt Elementary School, she won the grand prize for her science fair project on the correlation between the color a person wears and their body temperature. She went on to the county level and placed third. During the

same school year, Jessica also competed on her school's Science Bowl team against other county schools and won first place.

Now, a seventh grader at the Ascension Lutheran School in Lanham, Jessica hopes to apply her science aptitude to become a marine biologist or a medical doctor. But for now, she encourages other girls to step up on stage for next year's pageant.

"Go ahead and do it," she says. "Just be in it for the fun."

#### Junior Miss Greenbelt Results

Junior Miss Greenbelt and Most Spirited, Jessica Teets

First Runner Up, Emily Ivy.

Second Runner Up and Miss Photogenic, Julia Wade



### Pert Little Miss Greenbelt Continues Family Tradition

by Altoria Bell Ross

Showcasing talent comes naturally for the newly crowned Little Miss Greenbelt. Eight-year-old Jessica Hall is carrying on this family tradition with enthusiasm. Her sister Lauren was third runner up in the Little Miss Greenbelt Pageant two years ago. Lauren, with her mother Jordanna, cousin Angel, and Jessica compete in martial arts tournaments. Jessica, who holds a red belt in Tae Kwon Do, has placed first, second, and third in such matches for her sparring skills and for good form. During the pageant's optional talent competition, she broke boards in half by hitting and kicking them.

"I felt really happy and excited," bubbles the Glen Oaks resident about winning the title. "I didn't know what to think."

But she certainly knew what

to say during the personal interview segment of the pageant. When asked about her favorite school field trip, Jessica responded "the zoo," where she could see "...lions, tigers, and monkeys in polka dot pants."

An honor roll student at Greenbelt Elementary School, Jessica would like to combine her interest in science and love for animals to become a veterinarian. She has four birds: one ring neck parrot and three cockatiels. Jessica also cares for 24 Beanie Babies; her newest "pet" is a gray and white wolf named Dakota.

As Little Miss Greenbelt, Jessica is thrilled about making appearances at various functions, and she encourages other girls to enter the pageant next year.

"It's really fun," she says. "You should really try it."



Jessica Hall receives her new crown as Little Miss Greenbelt from Kimberly Wynkoop, last year's Little Miss. -photo by Prespero Zevallos

### MISS GREENBELT

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and singing. She is entering Prince George's Community College, where she will major in communications and art. Gaea was sponsored by Co-op.

Danielle Barber is this year's third runner-up. Danielle was named Miss Congeniality by the other Pageant participants. She is a 17-year-old honor roll student entering her senior year at Eleanor Roosevelt High School, where she is active in the Art Club. She enjoys swimming, basketball, and travel. She plans to receive degrees in fine arts, marketing and fashion design, and aspires to have her own line of clothing and become a Hollywood costume designer. Danielle was sponsored by the Greenbelt Federal Credit Union.

Other contestants in the pageant were Joanna Andrus, Angel Hall, Jasmine Harris, Sarah Lynn, Kyna Shaw, and Jennifer Watts. The Miss Greenbelt Pageant contestants will share over \$5,000 in scholarships as a result of generous donations by community businesses, including a single major donation of \$1,000 from Greenway Center. Pageant participants also received many gifts from local businesses. Look for the pageant winners and other participants in community activities and events, as an important aspect of the pageant is community service and involvement.



Brittany Westover in "The Girls in Black." -photo by Joe Polanin



Jessica Teets, Junior Redskinette. -photo by Joe Polanin



Miss Greenbelt contestants on stage Friday night. -photo by Joe Polanin

#### Little Miss Greenbelt Pageant Results

Little Miss Greenbelt, Jessica Hall

Miss Congeniality, Cheri Bailey

First Runner Up and Most Spirited, Kimberly Carey

Second Runner Up, Sarah Stewart

Third Runner Up and Miss Photogenic, Sophia Kean

## Craze Cites Node as Planning Issue

by Virginia Beauchamp

Celia Craze, director of Planning and Community Development for the city, sent a memo on September 30 to members of the Greenbelt Metro Area Sector Planning Team to clarify an issue involving Springhill Lake that had moved into the foreground during the charrette process. In the course of the first charrette, her memo points out, one of two teams working with land use concepts recommended some kind of node at the intersection of Cherrywood Lane and Springhill Drive.

This node was to provide an "active, pedestrian-friendly, visual and functional" link between the Metro site and the adjacent residential community conducive to pedestrian movement between the two spaces. Following discussion in the second charrette and its translation into a land use design concept by the Park and Planning staff, this node later appeared as a mixed commercial/residential zone.

Since Springhill Lake already had a commercial area at the intersection of Springhill Drive and Springhill Lane, Mayor Judith Davis had suggested extending the node toward this existing commercial center to strengthen that center.

However, the city opposes development along the west side of Cherrywood Lane, which could affect environmentally sensitive lands. As Craze's memo notes: "There is no commercial development along the Cherrywood Lane corridor between Breezewood Drive and the Beltway" nor has a need for further commercial development been demonstrated. It would instead "change the character of the corridor," her memo says.

"We envision a functional, visual node which is a plaza/gateway" at the Cherrywood/Springhill Drive location, Craze concludes.

### Next Charrette

Charrette #4 will be held on Saturday, October 24 from 9 a.m. to 1 p.m. at the Administration Building for the Maryland-National Capital Park and Planning Commission on Kenilworth Avenue between Paint Branch Parkway and River Road. In this charrette, the Sector Planning Group will look again at the Illustrative Land Use Plan for the WMATA and adjacent A. H. Smith properties and the surrounding neighborhoods. They will work toward consensus on the Land Use Plan and the desired intensity of development to occur at those sites.

### Bonsai Demonstrated At the Arboretum

Discover the secrets of bonsai with an expert from the Northern Virginia Bonsai Society during a free informal demonstration at the U.S. National Arboretum. The demonstration will be held on October 18 from 1-2 p.m. at the Yoshimura Center of the National Bonsai and Penjing Museum.

## Audubon Field Trips Set for Birders

The Prince George's Audubon Society now sponsors a number of field trips jointly with the Wild Bird Center in Old Bowie. Field trips are on Sundays and leave the store parking lot at 7 a.m., returning around 11:30 a.m. They are led by Mike Callahan and Malcolm Doying, and go to favorite local birding spots, and are relaxed in nature.

The next field trip is Sunday, October 18, and goes to Dyke Marsh and Huntley Meadows in N. Virginia. These are famous places for waterfowl, rails, shorebirds, occasional eagles, and migrants. Call Malcolm Doying at 301-805-4858 (410-721-7610, h) for more information.

## Rep. Hoyer Hosts Financial Aid Night

Congressman Steny H. Hoyer will host a financial aid information seminar for college students and their parents on Wednesday, October 21 at 7:30 p.m. in the media center at Laurel High School, 8000 Cherry Lane, Laurel.

Congressman Hoyer will be joined by representatives from the United States Department of Edu-

cation, the Internal Revenue Service and the University of Maryland. Students and parents will be able to learn about the federal and state financial student aid programs that help make a college education more affordable. People will also be on hand to answer questions about the financial aid process and how to fill out the application.

## Local High School Student Wins Award

Greenbelter Israel O. Oyelakin, a student at Eleanor Roosevelt High School, is one of five students to win a full scholarship to attend Prince George's Community College. The scholarships are funded by the Apartment & Office Building Association of Metropolitan Washington and de-

signed for students who demonstrate a commitment to leadership and community services, as well as financial need.

The students were honored and their scholarships presented to them at an October 14 reception at the college.

**Registered Greenbelt Voters:** If you have not signed the petition for referendum yet, do it now! Drop off, mail, or call for pickup: Sylvia Lewis, 2-C Gardenway, Greenbelt, MD 20770, (301)474-3635 or Yoni Siegel (301)474-4863.

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The city managers and directors of the Prince George's County Youth Services Bureaus met with Donna Jacobs, deputy chief of staff, Office of the Governor, to discuss state fiscal support for the bureaus. Michael McLaughlin and Carol Leventhal participated in the meeting, held on October 6.

Judye Hering spoke with students in a health education class at the University of Maryland about community health and education issues, internship programs and CARES' vocations educational program on October 7.

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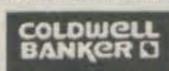
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Mark Gourley, of Washington Hospital Center, on lupus and kidney involvement.

The keynote speaker will be the distinguished New York rheumatologist Dr. Robert Lahita, co-author of the book *Lupus: Everything You Need to Know*.

The one-day symposium will be 9 a.m. to 4 p.m. For more information contact Patricia Jackson, 703-684-2925, ext. 11.

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On Wednesday, October 21, a new telephone system will be installed at the City of Greenbelt Municipal Building. During the installation, certain phone numbers will be out of service. Unfortunately, Bell Atlantic cannot predict exact times when each line will be out of service. The work is scheduled to begin Wednesday morning.

The following city departments and functions will be affected by the outage: administration, city clerk, finance, personnel, job line, and Greenbelt Cares. The crisis intervention counselors will not be affected during this outage. The city's fax phone line will also remain unaffected. Remaining city departments (recreation, police, planning and community development, and public works) will not be affected. Residents who receive an error message or busy signal during this time period should hang up and try again in 30 minutes.

The new phone system will allow the city to serve callers better. With increased capacity and functionality, this system will make city employees in the municipal building more accessible. Voice mail will also be available when employees are on other calls or are away from their desks, but employees will still personally answer all incoming calls during office hours.

A wealth of city information is available 24 hours a day at "Greenbelt Citylink" (<http://www.ci.greenbelt.md.us>) and the website will be available during the outage. Questions should be directed to Bo Ferguson at 301-474-8000.

### Native American Puzzle at Park

Come help a park ranger put together a Native American puzzle. Meet at the Rangers Station at Greenbelt Park on Sunday, October 18, at 1 p.m. For more information call 301-344-3944.

### The Music Man Is Coming to Goddard

The Goddard Space Flight Center's Music and Drama Club (MAD Productions) will present Meredith Willson's *The Music Man* October 23 through November 21, Thursday through Sunday evenings. The show is full of wholesome family fun and is directed by Mary Lou Fisher, the current president of the Greenbelt Arts Center (GAC). The Music Man cast features lots of Greenbelt talent (and faces familiar to those who have recently attended productions at GAC). The leading roles are double-cast. Randy Barth and Jonathan Glickman share the leading role of smooth-talking traveling salesman Harold Hill (both actors have been associated with the GAC one act plays). Erica Drezek (*You and the Night* and *the Music*, GAC) and Kim Weaver (*1998 One Acts*, GAC) share the role of Marian the Librarian, the town piano teacher and the object of Hill's pursuit. Many other Greenbelt actors fill the cast.

Tickets must be purchased in advance. Call 301-657-4220.

### Harvest Celebration At Marietta House

Experience the sights, sounds and smells of 19th century food preservation as the Prince George's County Historical Society celebrates the restoration of the root cellar at Marietta House Museum on Sunday, October 18 from 3 - 5 p.m. There will be food tasting, pumpkins for children and food preservation demonstrations. Marietta is located at 5626 Bell Station Road, Glenn Dale. For information call 301-464-5291 or TTY 301-699-2544.

### Industrial Herbs At Arboretum

Discover how many everyday products are made from plants at this free informal, outdoor, drop-in session for all ages in the National Herb Garden at the U.S. National Arboretum. The session will run October 17 - 18 from 1 - 3 p.m.

## BUSING

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Heights will go to Seat Pleasant Elementary. At the same time, about 80 students who live in Springhill Lake Apartments and in Berwyn will transfer from Oakcrest Elementary to Springhill Lake Elementary. The school which is at 102% percent of capacity this year due to the addition of the six classrooms which reduced the capacity from 128%, will be at 100% capacity in 2000 when the student shifts are completed.

Residents from Berwyn Heights have been hoping to reopen Berwyn Elementary School. Since this has not yet been approved, that school was not listed on the official list of schools. If Berwyn is reopened, it could affect students currently at Springhill Lake Elementary.

Magnolia Elementary School is currently at 140% of capacity with almost 700 students. In 1999 approximately 100 students from Glenarden Apartments will be transferred to Kenmoor Elementary, reducing the school population to 591 students which is still 120% of capacity.

### Golden Age Club

by Dolores Capotosto

The Golden Age Club meeting held on Wednesday, October 7, turned out to be a great business meeting with several guests and four new members: Kathleen McFarland, Esther Webb and Nancy and Cyril Femrite.

Among the visitors were Bob and Carol Dennis of College Park. It was nice to see John Henry Jones and Ruth McElroy who were back after lengthy absences.

It's hard to believe that it's time for a Nominating Committee again. Betty Deitch will serve as Chair and Florence Holly will help. Other volunteers would be appreciated.

John Taylor presented details on the October trips to the National Geographic lecture and to the Van Gogh exhibit at the National Art Gallery.

A possible trip for November is to a Wilmington, Delaware museum to see the treasures of the Russian royals, Nicholas and Alexandra, which are thought to be fabulous.

Also, there are still openings for the Panama Canal Cruise in February, 1999. Payment in full

### Free Concert Oct. 20

The University of Maryland School of Music will present the Symphonic Wind Ensemble in concert on Tuesday, October 20 at 8 p.m. in the Memorial Chapel. Admission is free; the public is invited. For additional information call 301-405-5542.

needs to be made by November 9. For information, call 301-345-1608.

On the sick list are Seline Bonebrake and Ernie Varda. Get well wishes go to both.

Check at the Community Center office for information on the many and varied activities going on this fall. There's something for everyone.

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GHI Board of Directors  
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GHI Board Room

**Agenda**

- Fall Concrete Program - Second Reading
- Masonry Crack Repair Contract - Second Reading
- 1999 Budget

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