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## Peters Presents County Grants For Arts Center and Foundation

by Thomas X. White

Except for council consideration of a proposed city charter amendment on council voting requirements for its regularly scheduled meetings (story appeared last week), the Greenbelt City Council faced a fairly light agenda at its meeting of September 25. All councilmembers were present and Assistant City Manager David Moran stood in for the city manager who could not attend.

At the head of the agenda were several presentations. County Councilmember Douglas J.J. Peters formally presented a county grant of \$25,000 for the Greenbelt Arts Center (GAC) and another \$25,000 for the newly organized Greenbelt Community Foundation (GCF).

Both grants were part of the county's approved Fiscal Year 2006 Supplemental Operating Budget. This budget includes funding for nonprofit community organizations to assist in provid-

ing programs and services to county residents.

Accepting the grant on behalf of the foundation, Sylvia Lewis thanked Peters for providing support for the newly-established organization. She said "it will help tremendously to highlight our initial efforts and encourage residents to support the foundation as it works to provide a new funding mechanism for improvements to the quality of life in Greenbelt."

The foundation was organized this year with a mission to support and promote cooperative endeavors and projects to enrich the quality of life in Greenbelt. The foundation has an advisory board of 10 Greenbelt residents. It will review and consider grant proposals from community and cooperative organizations for projects supporting its mission.

The grants could provide start-up or seed funding for new community service initiatives, assist

cooperatives and local nonprofits in the development and provision of services and contribute to ongoing efforts to enhance opportunities for Greenbelt residents. The foundation will launch an information and education program within Greenbelt, solicit grant proposals for worthwhile community projects later this year and make its first grant awards for projects in mid-2007.

With Peters leaving the county council at the end of this year, city councilmembers used the opportunity to express appreciation for all his efforts on behalf of the city and its residents. Lavish praise was accorded Peters by all members of council, each noting particular projects where his advocacy and steering of financial assistance had been critical to success. These include the skate board park now under development, county funding of

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PHOTO BY LINDA CARTER

Douglas J.J. Peters, Prince George's County Councilmember for District 4, awarded the Greenbelt Arts Center \$27,500. Norma Ozur accepted the check at a reception at GAC on September 29.

## Peters Presents Big Check To Fund GAC Projects

by Carol Griffith

In probably one of his last thoughtful gestures toward the city of Greenbelt, Douglas J.J. Peters, retiring Prince George's County councilmember for District 4, awarded the Greenbelt Arts Center \$27,500 at a reception on Friday, September 29.

Many of those involved in the theater and the arts and their supporters, were joined by Mayor Judith Davis and Councilmembers Leta Mach, Ed Putens and Konrad Herling for a champagne reception held at the Arts Center.

Norma Ozur, president of the GAC board of directors, welcomed Peters, stating she was "as happy as can be" to accept

the "wonderful, wonderful" gift of the award, noting that there were many projects that could be accomplished with such a sizable sum. She presented Peters with two tickets to the current production of "The Women" and a brochure listing the 2006-2007 events at GAC.

Peters explained that \$25,000 was left in the supplemental budget and another \$2,500 was his annual contribution to the arts center. He had asked several members of the city council for their suggestions of a recipient before deciding on the Arts Cen-

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## School Board Candidates Give Their Views at ACE Forum

by James Giese

The Greenbelt Advisory Committee on Education sponsored a candidates forum for school board candidates on September 26. Of the 18 candidates now in the race for the nine-member elected Prince George's County Board of Education, 16 attended the forum and spoke. An audience of less than 40 attended and many in the audience were associated with one or another candidate.

While all 18 candidates are running at-large within the county in the November 7 election, eight of them are seeking election to one of the four designated at-large seats, and the other 10 (two per district) are seeking election to the five seats designated as district seats. The

at-large candidates ran at-large in the non-partisan primary election. The district candidates were on the ballot only within the district in which they resided at the primary election. However, all voters at the general election will have an equal voice in choosing the district candidate for each district.

The eight at-large candidates are (in order of votes gained in the primary) Donna Hathaway Beck, Ronald L. Watson, Gloria Lawlah, Jeana Jacobs, Nathaniel B. Thomas, Howard W. Stone, Kenneth E. Johnson and Alicia Darensbourg. The 10 district candidates are (in alphabetical order for each district): Rosalind A. Johnson and Robin Barnes

Shell, district 1; Heather Illiff and Amber Waller, district 2; Pat Fletcher and Reginal L. Williams, district 3; Steven Morris and Linda T. Thomas, district 4; and Kate Costello and Owen Johnson, Jr., district 5.

The forum was also broadcast live on Greenbelt's municipal channel 71 and will be rebroadcast from time to time before the election (see this paper's city advertisement for cable listings). Tapes of the broadcast may also be obtained for viewing at the Municipal Building. In addition, the College Park and Berwyn Heights municipal cable channels also intend to broadcast the forum as well as the county's cable channel.

The format of the forum as determined by ACE and its chair, Raymond Peterson, did little to bring out the views of the candidates or how they differ in policy positions. Each candidate was given two minutes to introduce himself or herself. In that amount of time the candidates had little time to do much other than give a quick resume and explain why they were seeking the office. This initial period was followed with a question being asked of each candidate but for the most part each candidate was asked a different question. Following that the candidates were given one minute for a wrap up.

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## Greenbelt Ramblers Will Play Sunday at GHI Picnic

by David Morse

The Greenbelt Ramblers, a collection of red-hot Washington area musicians, will be livening up the Greenbelt Homes (GHI) members annual picnic this Sunday with traditional old-time country music in a variety of styles.

Lead vocalist Karen Collins (fiddle, rhythm guitar), a coal miner's daughter from southwest Virginia, grew up listening to country music. The influence of Loretta Lynn, Hank Williams and other country greats is evident in her original songs.

Collins is fiddler and vocalist with the award-winning Cajun band "Squeeze Bayou," as well as with the popular acoustic country quartet "The Blue Moon Cowgirls." Both groups appear on her CD "Backroads & Bayous."

Collins has attracted critical acclaim in a number of publications. Said "Blue Suede News," a magazine covering the American roots music scene, "Karen Collins has one of those classic country voices. She is one of those artists who specialize in digging up rarely sung classics."

Matt Levine (lap steel guitar,



Karen Collins, fiddler and vocalist with "Squeeze Bayou," will bring her talents to the GHI annual picnic on Sunday, Oct. 15.

banjo, vocals) also plays with "Squeeze Bayou" and has performed with local bluegrass and country bands, including "The Slim Jims," "Vintage Blend," "The Dixie Cannonballs" and "Cliff Waldron & The New Shades of Grass."

Geff King (bass, vocals), a self-described Baltimore County refugee now living in Greenbelt, has been playing country-western and bluegrass music for almost 30 years. He also plays bass

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### What Goes On

#### Saturday, October 14

9 a.m. to noon, Donation Drop-Off, Parking Lot Between Community Center and Municipal Building

9 a.m. to noon, Shred-It, Municipal Parking Lot Behind Credit Union

2 to 6 p.m., Greenbelt Fall Fest, Schrom Hills Park

#### Monday, October 16

8 p.m., Council Worksession re: AIMCO/Springhill Lake Plans, Municipal Building (Live on Channel 71)

#### Tuesday, October 17

6 p.m., Greenbelt Peace Month Workshop, Community Center

#### Wednesday, October 18

7:30 p.m., Park and Recreation Advisory Board Meeting, Community Center

#### Thursday, October 19

7:30 p.m., GHI Board Meeting, GHI Board Room

**Editorial**

**It's Not Magic**

It's Friday in Greenbelt and you find the Greenbelt News Review at your doorstep, in the lobby of your apartment or condominium building, at various public buildings and at private businesses throughout the city. Ever wonder how this locally-produced, independent, free newspaper appears week after week keeping people who live and work in Greenbelt aware of what goes on in our lively town?

Well, it's not magic. Rather, it results week in week out from volunteer efforts of many of your friends and neighbors. News gathering; reporting on city and community events; capturing in print and photography the lives and stories of Greenbelt and its residents; chronicling the vibrant history and culture of our city; providing a vehicle for your letters (celebrating, praising, even condemning); publishing city, business and community notices on events, information and advertising important to the social and economic health of the community – all these activities make up the weekly cycle of labor performed by dedicated volunteers.

Maintaining this cycle of activities and assuring that all parts work seamlessly together requires a continuing source of talent and service. That work begins each Monday and continues through Thursday morning. Different tasks are performed on different days – receiving ads on Monday, typing and editing on Tuesday, proofing and putting the issue to bed on Wednesday and final proofing on Thursday morning before the issue is sent to the printer. Of course news gathering, reporting on meetings and events, along with photography, occur whenever an event is scheduled and sometimes when it's not. Writing feature stories and taking feature photographs can take place at any time. And there are a variety of administrative and business tasks, many of which are not tied to a specific day. Selling and/or designing ads is an ongoing need. The important thing is that participants can pick and choose where they might be able to help.

The paper is always in need of volunteers in all areas of its mission – a need becoming more critical recently as key volunteers are often away from the city for job, personal or other reasons. If you have thought of volunteering or offering your talents or services to the paper, now is a good time to take that step. You could begin within your area of interest, gradually learning the routine and the tasks. And if you're new to Greenbelt and even if you're not, volunteering at the News Review is a great way to learn about the community.

We are the second oldest cooperative in Greenbelt – now celebrating our 69th year. Through all these years, providing a window into the life of the community has been our joy and our commitment. If you would like to take part in this important work, you will find us a welcoming team.

**Lakewood Residents Offered Little Help**

Troubled with recurrent flooding on their property, residents of Orange Court in the Lakewood Development applied for assistance from the city's Department of Planning and Community Development. In response, Paul De Sousa, a planner with the county's Environmental Services Division, made an on-site inspection.

In a memo to the city, De Sousa stated that the county does not get involved with ground water issues on private property. However, he indicated that his office staff would meet with property owners on how best to remedy their ground water problem.

Among suggestions supplied by his office were to direct surface water away from house foundations, to install yard drains and connect downspouts to an underground drainage system, to grade and maintain existing earthen swales and to fill and compact sink holes in homeowners' yards.

Although De Sousa recommended having ground water tested for chlorine, George Rogala of the Greenbelt Recreation Department, who had been asked to carry out such a test, said that from earlier experience he knew that his equipment could not measure the small amounts of chlorine contained in domestic water.

**Greenbelter Reads Poem at UM Sat.**

There will be a presentation of poems from the first edition of "Echoes," published by Prince George's County poets, at the Clarice Smith Performing Arts Center in the Prince George's County Room on Saturday, October 14 from 4 to 6 p.m. This third and final presentation will feature Maryland Poet Laureate Michael Glaser.

Greenbelt's own Marjorie Gray will offer a reading of her poem "Moon Talk" at the presentation.

"Echoes" will be available for purchase at the event.

**Grin Belt**



"After all these spinach, carrot juice, lettuce and ground beef contamination scares, I'm going nuts!!!"

**On Screen**

**Love Again at 60!**

From the director of "Desperately Seeking Susan" comes a romantic comedy set in a Florida retirement community. Dyan Cannon, Joseph Bologna, Sally Kellerman, Len Cariou and Brenda Vaccaro portray five widowed residents who meet at a bereavement support group and encourage each other to re-enter the singles scene.

All five of the lead actors in this ensemble cast were born in the 1930s and have starred in too many films to name. But you have to admit you're curious to see Sally Kellerman reprise her famous topless scene from the original "M\*A\*S\*H."

Director Susan Seidelman's mother Florence encouraged her to do the film. Florence Seidelman, who herself lives in a Florida community not unlike Boynton Beach, co-wrote the script.

Unrated (not loaded with sex or violence but some nudity and adult situations), the movie runs 105 minutes.

– Cathy Jones

**Letters to the Editor**

**GLAD to Help Lake**

I want to thank 9-year-old Mark Capotosto for his letter (October 5) which told of his concern for our beautiful Greenbelt Lake. Yes, Mark, it was the worst summer for our lake. The algae or whatever it is was terrible and the fish and beavers seemed to think so too. And it did smell bad.

We are going to try to do something about this perplexing situation.

On Friday evening, October 20 at 6 p.m., we will have a potluck supper at Buddy Attick Lake Park picnic area. Look for a sign that says GLAD (Greenbelt Lake As-

sistance & Defense). Everyone is welcome. The meeting is free and we are not a committee.

We will be listening as Bill Phelan (assistant director, Public Works) tells us how we can help the problem. We hope many people will be there.

And we will be thinking and sharing ideas about how we can help get our beautiful Greenbelt Lake back to its original freshness.

Thank you, Mark. At 9 years old you saw a problem and decided to do something about it. That's more that most adults can do.

Betsy Barber

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Phone and email address will only be used to follow up on this response.  
If nothing above fits your skills, we can always find something for you to do!

# Community Events

## P&J Peace Month Workshop Tuesday

On Tuesday, October 17 from 6:30 to 8:30 p.m. the Prince George's Peace & Justice Coalition will hold the first of two planned Peace Month workshops at the Community Center. Preceded by a light supper, at 6 p.m., the first workshop topic is "Dealing with Difficult Conversations: Have Your Feelings or They Will Have You."

The program, led by Linda Nunes-Schrag, is interactive, experiential and free, though contributions toward food are appreciated. Nunes-Schrag is the former director and trainer of Creative Response to Conflict in the capital area.

Feelings matter and are often at the heart of difficult communications and hence are hidden or disguised as problems. Unexpressed feelings take a toll on self-esteem and relationships. Participants will learn how feelings get translated into judgments, attributions, characterizations and problem solving. They will practice in pairs or in groups to own up to and affirm feelings, to learn how to handle another person's feelings and to discover another side to oneself.

A second workshop entitled "Prejudice Reduction, Dealing with Differences" will be held on Thursday, October 26. These workshops are co-sponsored by the City of Greenbelt.

For more information call Marjorie Donn at 301-474-1353.

## GHI Notes

Upcoming meetings/events:

Sunday, October 15, 12:30 to 5 p.m. - All members picnic, Community Center lawn

Monday, October 16, 7 p.m. - Woodlands Committee meeting, lunch room

Wednesday, October 18, 7:30 p.m. - Companion Animal Committee meeting, library

Thursday, October 19, 7:30 p.m. - Board of Directors meeting, board room

## Learn Ways to Protect Still Creek Watershed

The Friends of Still Creek invites everyone to discover Greenbelt Park and the Still Creek watershed. Learn how to help in the protection and restoration of Still Creek and the Anacostia River. Meet at the Greenbelt Park Ranger Station classroom on Monday, October 16 at 7 p.m. RSVP Kate Levendosky at 202-962-3374 or email [klevendosky@mwco.org](mailto:klevendosky@mwco.org).

## New Group Forms To Defend Lake

A volunteer group of citizens (not a committee, they say) who call themselves GLAD (Greenbelt Lake Assistance and Defense) invite others to join them for a social hour on Friday, October 20 at 6 p.m. at Buddy Attick Lake Park to hear the city's Public Works assistant parks director Bill Phelan talk about possible ways to clean up lake water.

For a long time the water has been covered with a green scum of algae. Those interested in participating in the meeting are asked to bring their own picnic food and beverages.

## Explore Habitat Trips to Bolivia

On Friday, October 20 Explorations Unlimited will host a presentation by Jean Cook about her Habitat for Humanity trips to Bolivia. Cook, a semi-retired teacher, will describe her two "Global Village" trips to Bolivia with members of her church. Once in Bolivia, they were divided into two teams. Cook and other members of her church helped almost complete two houses for two families who had been living with other family members up to that point.

The "Global Village" is a division of Habitat for Humanity which reaches out to foreign countries to help people who are unable to provide proper housing for themselves and their families. A secondary goal is to present Americans as caring people who want to help and thus to overcome some of the negative feelings about Americans.

Explorations Unlimited is held every Friday from 1 to 3 p.m. at the Greenbelt Community Center, Room 114. Everyone is welcome to attend and questions are encouraged. Call 301-397-2208 for details.

## Beaverdam Creek Watershed Watch Group Meets

The Beaverdam Creek Watershed Watch Group (BCWWG) will meet on Tuesday, October 17 from 7 to 9 p.m. in the library of the Greenbelt Elementary School. There will be reports on the recent water quality forum and bird walk, updates on the water quality team meeting and Baltimore-Washington Parkway screening and consideration of other topics. The group will also discuss future activities. Everyone is welcome to come assist in the planning or just to find out what is happening next.

## Democrats to Meet On October 20

by Pat Unger,

President, E&FDR Dems

The October monthly meeting of the Eleanor & Franklin Roosevelt Democratic Club will be held on Friday, October 20 at 7:30 p.m., in the Terrace Room of the Greenbriar Community Building, at 7600 Hanover Parkway.

The speaker will be Peggy Magee, successful Democratic primary candidate for the Prince George's County Clerk of the Court. After a brief agenda meeting and the speaker, there will be a question-and-answer period and a social hour. Members are asked to bring a dessert or snack to share.

Also in attendance will be representatives of the Democratic Coordinated Campaign, the united effort to elect the ticket of O'Malley-Brown (Gov./Lt.Gov), Cardin (US Senate), Franchot (Comptroller) and Gansler (Attorney General), as well as Congressman Steny Hoyer (MD-5).

The speaker for the November 17 meeting will be new Prince George's Schools CEO John Deasy.

For further information or to volunteer for campaign events, call president Pat Unger, 301-474-1052.

## Watershed Tour By Bike on Oct. 22

Join the Beaverdam Creek Watershed Watch Group (BCWWG) for a leisurely 12 mile bicycle tour of the Beaverdam Creek Watershed on Sunday, October 22 from 9:30 a.m. to 12:30 p.m. The ride will begin and end at the Greenbelt Elementary School and will run along Research, Beaverdam, Springfield and Powder Mill Roads. For safety the ride will be limited to 10 participants. Bring water/sports drink, snack and light rain gear. The ride will be postponed in the event of heavy rain/lightning. Contact Jeff Pedelty with questions and to RSVP (410-271-5389, [jeffrey.pedelty@comcast.net](mailto:jeffrey.pedelty@comcast.net)).

## Postal Unit Now Open



Limited postal services are now available in the Municipal Building Tuesday through Saturday from 10 a.m. to 2 p.m.

## Canine Testing Benefit For City Fire Dept.

To benefit the Greenbelt Volunteer Fire Department & Rescue Squad, AKC Canine Good Citizen Testing will be sponsored by Greenbelt Dog Training on Saturday, October 14 from noon to 3 p.m.

The event is open to all dogs and mixed breeds are welcome. All dogs need proof of rabies shots.

Pet/owner photos and a microchip clinic will be available for dogs and cats.

The fire department is located at 125 Crescent Road. There is a fee that will go directly to the fire department.

For further information call 301-345-6999.

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and sings with the award-winning country-western combo "Honky Tonk Confidential."

Tom Lyons rounds out the "Greenbelt Ramblers" sound with scorching bluegrass and smooth country and swing sounds on the fiddle. He also plays locally with "The Dixie Cannonballs," "Windy Ridge," "The Wayward Drifters" and "Dennis Jay and Lonesome Town."

GHI's picnic, this Sunday, October 15 from 12:30 to 5 p.m., will have children's activities, including a Moon Bounce, face painting and pumpkin designing. (Gourmands take note: This year's expanded menu includes veggieburgers and barbecued ribs.)

To help out local food banks, members are asked to bring along a non-perishable food item for donation.



Congratulations to News Review staffer Eileen Simon and her husband Paul on the birth of their first child on Sunday, October 8, 2006. Paige Elizabeth Simon arrived at 3:46 a.m., weighing in at 7 pounds 9 ounces. Mom and daughter are doing fine and proud Dad is on email detail.

Congratulations to Oliver

Ventura, a psychology student at Towson University and one of 75 Spanish speaking bi-cultural students nationwide awarded \$2,000 scholarships by United Health and PacificCare Foundations to pursue a healthcare career. The goal of the program is to assure improved healthcare availability for the Latino population.



## PRELIMINARY AGENDA MEETING OF GHI BOARD OF DIRECTORS Thursday, October 19, 2006 GHI BOARD ROOM 7:30 PM

### Key Agenda Items:

- Portable Storage Container Request, 36K Ridge
- Proposed Gardenside Deck & Sunroom Enclosure, 46G Ridge
- Proposed Gardenside Addition, 1H Gardenway
- Yard Line Certification: 2 Court Eastway, 25 Court Ridge Road
- 2006 Fall Concrete Contract - 2nd Reading
- Green Ribbon Task Force
- Proposed 2007 Budget - 1st Presentation
- Change in Employee Health Care Provider

Regular board meetings are open to members.



## St. Hugh's Church Presents 2nd Annual

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## OLD GREENBELT THEATRE

WEEK OF OCT. 13

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Friday

\*5:10, 7:30, 9:40

Saturday

\*3, \*5:10, 7:30, 9:40

Sunday

\*3, \*5:10, 7:30

Monday - Thursday

\*5:10, 7:30

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Eleanor & Franklin Roosevelt Democratic Club



October Meeting - Friday, October 20, 7:30 p.m.

Guest Speaker Peggy Magee

Successful Democratic Primary Candidate for Prince George's County Clerk of the Court

Plus, information about campaign activities for

O'Malley-Brown for Gov/LtGov and Ben Cardin for US Senate

Prospective Members and General Public Welcome Terrace Room of Greenbriar Community Bldg.

By authority: Sylvia Lewis, Treasurer



# New Knights Installed at St. Hugh

by Austin Conaty

On Saturday, September 23 the St. Hugh Council of Knights of Columbus held a ceremonial installation of officers after the 5 p.m. mass.

During the installation, District Deputy Thomas Lank installed District Deputy James Ragusa. Chaplain Fr. Walter Tappe presided over the installation. The 2006-2007 officers for the St. Hugh Knights of Columbus are: Grand Knight Larry Hilliard, Deputy Grand Knight Larry Yore, Chancellor Kenday Kamara, Warden James Hill, Financial Secretary Paul Rall, Treasurer Chuck Hatcher, Advocate Paul Sabol, Inside Guard Bill Donahue, Outside Guard Mike Rall, Lecturer Ted Elsasser, Recorder Terrence Leid, One Year Trustee Sean Bailey, Two Year Trustee David Lockwood and Three Year Trustee Austin Conaty.

After a blessing of the food by Fr. Tappe, all enjoyed a meal prepared by Gloria Winfrey, followed by presentations by Lank, Fr. Tappe and Hilliard. Master of Ceremonies Charter Past Grand Knight (PGK) Joe Griffith kept the program flowing and the attendees entertained. PGK Griffith was presented an award for his leadership over the past 15 years in the St. Hugh Council.

In 1882 a young Catholic priest Fr. Michael J. McGivney, curate at St. Mary's Church in New Haven, envisioned an organization to help Catholic families deal with the untimely death of the family breadwinner. Out of his vision the Knights of Columbus was founded. The Knights of Columbus is currently the largest Catholic, family, fraternal service organization in the world and boasts a members-only insurance program that is among the strongest in the industry.



PHOTO BY BILL CORNETT

**Kneeling (l to r) Charles Lockett, Kenday Kamara, Paul Sabol, Marcel Onourah. Standing 1st row (l to r) DW Jim Ragusa, Paul Rall, Rev. Walter Tappe, DGK Larry Yore, Grand Knight Larry Hilliard. Standing 2nd row (l to r) PGK Joe Griffith, Damien Brennan, Mike Rousseau, Dennis Riley, FDW Frank Italiano, PGK John Tizol. Standing 3rd row (l to r) Chuck Hatcher, Ted Elsasser, David Crawford, DD Tom Lank, PGK Sean Bailey, Bob Matovich, Bill Donahue, PGK, Terry Leid, PGK David Lockwood. 4th row (l to r) Mike Rall, Pierre Jandi, Bill Capotosto, PGK Larry Buck, Jim Hill, PGK and Current Marshall John Winfrey. 5th row (l to r) Jeff Grant, PGK Austin Conaty.**

**Mowatt Memorial United Methodist Church**  
 40 Ridge Road, Greenbelt  
 www.greenbeltumc.org 301-474-9410  
 Rev. Dr. Paul C. Kim, Pastor  
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 by Michael Relland, ministerial student  
 with Michael Léger, worship associate  
 - Barbara W. and Jaco B. ten Hove, co-ministers

**GREENBELT BAPTIST CHURCH**  
 Corner of Crescent and Greenhill Roads 301-474-4212  
 www.greenbeltbaptist.org greenbelt.baptist@verizon.net  
 Dr. Mark Johnson, Pastor

Sunday School: 9:30 am  
 Worship Service: 10:45 am  
 Weds. Worship: 7:00 pm  
 (Adult Bible Study/Prayer & Children's Ministry)

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 (Lanham-Severn Road & Glenn Dale Road)  
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**Sundays:** 8:00 am Simple, quiet Mass  
 9:00 am Christian education for all ages  
 10:00 am Sung Mass with organ and folk music, ASL interpreted  
 1:30 pm Signed Mass (last Sunday of each month only)

**Wednesdays:** 7:00 pm Simple, quiet Mass

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**A Way Toward Peace**  
 a Christian Science lecture by  
**Heloisa Rivas of Boston, MA**  
 Saturday October 28  
 11 am English 1 pm Spanish  
 Christian Science Church  
 8300 Adelphi Road  
 (north of intersection of University Blvd. and Adelphi Rd.)

**Greenbelt Community Church**  
 UNITED CHURCH OF CHRIST

Hillside & Crescent Roads  
 Phone: 301-474-6171 mornings  
 www.greenbelt.com/gccucc/  
 Sunday Worship 10:15 a.m.  
 Daniel Hamlin, Pastor

*"A church of the open mind, the warm heart, the aspiring soul, and the social vision..."*

**HOLY CROSS LUTHERAN CHURCH**  
 6905 Greenbelt Road • 301-345-5111

Sunday 8 am Worship Service  
 9:15 am Sunday School/Bible Study  
 10:30 am Worship Service

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**ST. HUGH OF GRENOBLE CATHOLIC CHURCH**  
 135 Crescent Road, Greenbelt, MD 20770  
 301-474-4322

**Mass Schedule:**  
 Sunday 8:00, 9:30, 11:00 a.m.  
 Saturday 9:00 a.m., 5:00 p.m.  
 Daily Mass: 7:15 a.m.  
**Sacrament of Penance: Saturday 3:45-4:45 p.m.**  
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Sunday Services held at 10AM at the Washington Bible College, Lanham MD 20706  
 www.touchpointcm.org

"All are welcome"

**Catholic Community of Greenbelt MASS**

Sundays 10 A.M.  
 Municipal Building

**Baha'i Faith**  
 "The progress of the world, the development of nations, the tranquility of peoples and the peace of all who dwell on earth are among the principles and ordinances of God."  
 - Bahá'u'lláh

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 Greenbelt, MD 20770  
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Islam is considered by its followers, as a way of life rather than just a religion, as it gives guidance in every aspect of human life.

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 - The Holy Qur'an 49:11

To find out more about Islam, call 301-982-9463 or e-mail us at searchislam@mail.com or visit the website www.islamguide.com.

**Hope Fellowship**  
 ... living life together

**Bible Study & Worship**

9:30 "Good Morning!!" Coffee and Snacks  
 10:00 a.m. Bible Study 11:00 a.m. Worship  
 Greenbelt Youth Center  
 99 Centerway

**October 15 Sermon: This is a Great Church!!**  
 Pastor Lou Redd  
 (410)340-8242

**...living life together**

### Firefighter Staffing Cutback Rescinded

The City of Greenbelt learned Wednesday, October 11 from County Councilmember Douglas J.J. Peters' office that the proposed county staffing cutback at the Greenbelt Fire Department has been rescinded. Peters advised that the decision would benefit any department that was going to have its staffing cut. The five affected departments mentioned at Monday night's council meeting were College Park, West Lanham Hills, Hyattsville, Baden and Greenbelt.

Greenbelt Chief Brian Rudy had approached both council and Peters' office seeking help. The county was prepared to eliminate their staffing of fire stations from 3 to 5 p.m.

### City Notes

Animal control picked up one snake and two foxes; responded to a complaint by a citizen regarding a raccoon in a yard; and transported 10 animal carcasses to the county shelter for proper disposal.

The Greenbelt Tennis Association will host the David Craig Tournament at the Braden Field tennis courts on October 14-15. The deadline to sign up was Wednesday, October 11 at 9 p.m.

Parts of the main office of the Community Center were moved to accommodate the window project. The temporary main office is in the game room (Rm. 109). All programmed game room activities have been moved to other rooms.



# City Information

### MEETINGS FOR OCTOBER 16-20

**Monday, October 16, 8:00pm, City Council Work Session,** re: AIMCO/Springhill Lake Plans, Municipal Building (live on Channel 71)

**Wednesday, October 18, 7:30pm, Park and Recreation Advisory Board,** Community Center. Info: 301-397-2200.

*This schedule is subject to change. For confirmation that a meeting is being held call the number listed above, or contact the City Clerk at 301-474-8000 or kgallagher@greenbeltmd.gov.*

### SHRED-IT

**Saturday, October 14th  
9:00am-12:00pm**

Municipal Parking Lot behind the Greenbelt Federal Credit Union. Bring your personal papers to the Shred-It truck to have them shredded FREE.

Shredding your personal papers is one of the best ways to protect yourself against identity theft.

Sponsored by the Greenbelt Federal Credit Union and the City of Greenbelt.

### DONATION DROP-OFF

American Rescue Workers

Saturday, October 14th

9:00 a.m.-12:00 p.m.

Parking lot between the City Office and the Community Center

*For further information contact the City of Greenbelt Recycling Office at 301-474-8303.*

### VACANCIES ON BOARDS & COMMITTEES

Volunteer to serve on City Council advisory groups.

Vacancies exist on the:

Arts Advisory Board

Advisory Committee on Education

Park and Recreation Advisory Board

Public Safety Advisory Committee

Youth Advisory Committee (youth and adult positions)

For more information, please call 301-474-8000.

Visit [www.greenbeltmd.gov](http://www.greenbeltmd.gov) for city news, events, and information

City of Greenbelt

### PEACE MONTH

Alternatives to Violence Workshops

Tuesday, October 17

“DEALING WITH DIFFICULT CONVERSATIONS: Have your Feelings or they Will Have You.

6:00pm

Greenbelt Community Center

Co-sponsored by the City of Greenbelt and the

Prince George's Peace and Justice Coalition.

Info: 301-474-1353

### POSTAL SERVICES AVAILABLE AT THE GREENBELT MUNICIPAL BUILDING

25 Crescent Road, Greenbelt, MD 20770

TUESDAY-SATURDAY

10AM-2PM

### FINANCE OFFICE

Services available include: stamp sales, Priority Mail, Express Mail, package services (up to 10 pounds) and Certified Mail. A full service post office is available at the new post office on Ora Glen Drive.

### GREENBELT MUNICIPAL/PUBLIC ACCESS CHANNEL 71

MUNICIPAL ACCESS: 301-474-8000: Monday, October

16 at 8pm: City Council Work Session (live) Tuesday &

Thursday, October 17 & 19: 10am & 6pm “Ask the

Expert” 7:00pm ACE presents: School Board Candidates

Forum 8:30pm: Replay of City Council Work Session

PUBLIC ACCESS (GATE): 301-507-6581: Wednesday

& Friday, October 18 & 20: 7pm FONDCA presents “Ali

Michelle” 8:00pm: Greenbelt Arts Center presents “Equus”

### ATTENTION RESIDENTS, REGISTER FOR GREENBELT ALERT NOW!

Greenbelt ALERT is a text based emergency communications system for Greenbelt residents. City officials will use it to send out important messages to email accounts, cell phones, pagers and other wireless devices in case of a possible emergency.

Visit <http://alert.greenbeltmd.gov> for more information or to sign up for this free, voluntary service.

### Academy 8 Theatres

Beltway Plaza Mall  
Center Court  
301-220-1155

All shows starting before 6 p.m.

Are ONLY \$5.00

R = ID Required

(!) = No pass, No Discount Ticket

### Week of October 13

FRI. – SAT.

Texas Chainsaw Massacre:

Beginnings, R (!)

12:30, 3, 5:20, 7:40, 10

The Departed, R (!)

1, 4, 7, 10:10

Man of the Year, PG-13 (!)

1:15, 4:15, 7:15, 10:10

The Grudge 2, PG-13 (!)

12:30, 2:45, 5, 7:40, 10:15

The Marine, PG-13 (!)

12:30, 3, 5:20, 7:25, 10

Open Season, PG (!)

12:40, 2:45, 5, 7:25, 10:15

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Texas Chainsaw Massacre:

Beginnings, R (!)

12:30, 3, 5:20, 7:40

The Departed, R (!)

1, 4, 7

Man of the Year, PG-13 (!)

1:15, 4:15, 7:15

The Grudge 2, PG-13 (!)

12:30, 2:45, 5, 7:40

The Marine, PG-13 (!)

12:30, 3, 5:20, 7:25

Open Season, PG (!)

12:40, 2:45, 5, 7:25

MON. – THUR.

Texas Chainsaw Massacre:

Beginnings, R (!)

5:20, 7:40

The Departed, R (!)

4:45, 7:40

Man of the Year, PG-13 (!)

4:45, 7:45

The Grudge 2, PG-13 (!)

5, 7:40

The Marine, PG-13 (!)

5:20, 7:25

Open Season, PG (!)

5, 7:25

### City of Greenbelt's

# Fall Fest



### FAMILY FUN

- PUMPKIN PATCH \$1 (Pick a Pumpkin from the patch - Great for the toddlers)
- PUMPKIN CARVING \$1 (Carve a pumpkin for your door step)
- KIDCARE IDs Free (Greenbelt Police Department)
- ADOPT - A - PET (Greenbelt Animal Control)
- SOCCER SHOOT-OUT (Sponsored by The Knights of Columbus)
- MOONBOUNCES & INFLATABLES (For toddlers, small children & big kids)
- HAYRIDES
- KIDDIE TRAIN RIDES
- CARICATURE ARTIST



For more information: 301-397-2200

### FANTASTIC FOOD

AFFORDABLE PRICES!  
Profits Benefit Community Groups

- FARMERS MARKET
- BURGERS & HOT DOGS
- NACHOS
- SODAS & WATER
- CAMEL POPCORN, APPLES & MORE!

### ENTERTAINMENT

BRING A CHAIR OR BLANKET

- OFF DUTY (Featuring Greenbelt's own Paula Codi)
- KIDSINGER JIM HOSSICK (On the hayride)



Saturday, October 14<sup>th</sup>

2:00pm – 6:00pm

Schrom Hills Park

6915 Hanover Parkway, Greenbelt, MD

Weather Hotline: 301-474-5525

### TEMPORARY GAME ROOM CLOSURE

The Game Room at the Greenbelt Community Center will be closed until early December to accommodate the window renovations. We apologize for any inconvenience this may cause. All programmed activities will be moved to another room in the facility.

Please call 301-397-2208 for more information.



The City of Greenbelt Animal Shelter has many cute cats and kittens waiting to become part of your family. Call 301-474-6124 for information.

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the School Resource Officer programs for Greenbelt schools and supporting the city's efforts in land use and development issues in Greenbelt West. Peters also was an advocate with the Board of Education on Greenbelt Middle School maintenance and improvement programs.

Councilmember Rodney Roberts thanked Peters for "not only your monetary support for city programs, but, because you have always been there for Greenbelt when needed."

Mayor Judith Davis pointed out that Peters was most helpful at critical stages for development issues by simply deferring to the city's wishes when Greenbelt projects were being considered by the county council. Topping off council's plaudits for the outgoing county councilmember was a presentation of the much-coveted replica statue of the Mother and Child statue in the Roosevelt Center that he could take with him in his new position in the Maryland Senate, where he will represent District 23.

### Proclamation

Next up was the mayor's proclamation designating the week of September 25 to 29 as Race Equality and Inclusive Communities Week in Greenbelt. The proclamation is part of a National League of Cities goal of showcasing what cities across the country are doing to promote racial and ethnic equality and to make their communities more inclusive year-round.

Steve Hammett and members of the Greenbelt Community Relations Advisory Board were on

hand to receive the proclamation. They had also been present for the unveiling of a newly constructed "Inclusive Communities" sign in front of the Municipal Building earlier that evening.

After the presentations, proclamations and administrative reports, only three items remained for council action. The city's response to a petition by Clement Lau in June requesting additional swim lane space at the Aquatic and Fitness Center for the Greenbelt Swim Team was expressed in a staff memo that had been communicated to Lau at the end of August.

The memo describes how much time and lane capacity is already provided to the swim team (currently more than 200 hours of free use and more than 50 hours of paid use of swim lanes). Staff recommended that additional time could be provided after the outdoor pool is closed to the public, with the swim team covering the cost of any necessary staffing. Council approved the staff recommendation with a vote of four to one.

Council action was also requested to approve an award of a bid for replacement of the leaf vacuum used by the parks crew to collect leaves in the fall. With only two bids received, staff recommended that council approve the low bid award to Mid-Atlantic Waste Systems of Clinton for a price of \$20,212 for a leaf collector and leaf container. The award was lower than the \$30,000 budgeted for the item in the city's Replacement Fund. Council unanimously approved the award.

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ter after discovering that GAC was in real need of new lights. He said he was sad to leave Greenbelt, as he will now be state senator for District 23, as Greenbelt has a "different feeling" from other towns - "in a good way."

Davis told the group that at the last city council meeting, councilmembers had expressed their thanks to Peters for his years of assistance and presented him with a small replica of the Mother and Child statue. She described Peters as "extremely responsive as well as a genuinely nice person" and noted that the city has lost a county councilmember but gained a friend in Annapolis.

Herling "profoundly thanked" Peters, noting his previous assistance to GAC in renovating the center and called him a "good and decent man who's made a great town even greater."

### Cambodian Concert At Smith Center

On Tuesday, October 17 at 5:30 p.m. Khmer music master Chum Ngek shares his repertoire and command of multiple instruments in an evening of traditional Cambodian music.

This free event takes place in Gildenhorn Recital Hall of the Clarice Smith Performing Arts Center at the University of Maryland in College Park.



### Lecture on Quakers and Sandy Spring

On Wednesday, October 18 at 7:30 p.m. a free lecture will be offered at Montpelier Mansion on the history of Sandy Spring and the Quaker faith. The speaker will be Elizabeth Stabler-Garrettson, a descendent of Deborah

Snowden and James Brooke, the original settlers of Sandy Spring. Light refreshments will be served. Reservations are not required.

For more information call 301-953-1376, TTY 301-699-2544 or visit [www.pgparcs.com](http://www.pgparcs.com).

### 2006 Good Samaritan International Festival and Community Yard Sale

Saturday, October 21, 2006

8 am to 4 pm

Good Samaritan Lutheran Church

10110 Greenbelt Road Lanham

301-794-7300

Vendors wanted - \$20/space.

Contact the church.

### Publick Playhouse

Friday, Oct. 20, 8 pm

### THE FABULOUS HUBCAPS

A special event honoring service clubs with a Hall-of-Fame band that proves rock 'n roll is alive & well!



Tickets: \$15; \$10/srs & stu; \$7/service club members

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Prince George's Publick Playhouse Parks & Recreation M-N-C-P-C

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Ask yourself if any of these areas may be affecting the beauty of your smile:



- The color or shape of your teeth
- Spaces or missing teeth
- Noticeable cavities or old dental work
- Uneven or unhealthy gums



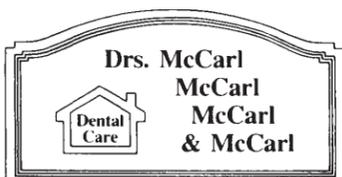
If so, come into the offices of the McCarl Dental Group for a complete and comprehensive evaluation.

Nicole Burgess of Severna Park had severely discolored teeth from a very early age. Throughout her life, Nicole had been self-conscious of her smile. In just three short weeks, the McCarl Dental Group gave Nicole a beautiful smile and a new start in life! Call the McCarl Dental Group to see if a smile makeover could change **your** life.



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Special Only

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Reg. \$500.00  
Expires 10/31/06

#### Office Hours:

Monday 8-5  
Tuesday 9-8:30  
Wednesday 9-8  
Thursday 8-4  
Friday 8-3  
Saturday 8-12

**McCarl Dental Group**  
**301-474-4144**

28 Ridge Road, Greenbelt, Maryland 20770-0717



# Police Blotter

Based on information released by the Greenbelt Police Department. Dates and times are those when police were first contacted about incidents.

### Robberies

October 2, 5:05 a.m., 6000 block Springhill Drive, a man reported that he was walking down a sidewalk when he was approached by two men. One produced a shotgun and announced a robbery. After obtaining the man's wallet, backpack and cell phone the thieves fled the scene on foot. They are described as a black male, 18 to 20 years of age, 5'9" with a thin build, brown eyes and black hair, with a light complexion and a goatee, wearing a long black coat; and

a black male, 18 to 20 years of age, 5'9" with a thin build, brown eyes, close-cropped black hair and a light complexion, wearing a long black coat.

October 2, 10:22 p.m., 9200 block Springhill Lane, a woman walking from the Springhill Lake Shopping Center was approached by a man. He grabbed the woman's purse and fled on foot toward Springhill Lane and Springhill Drive. He is described as a black male 18 years of age, 5'8", 200 pounds with brown eyes, bushy black hair in a ponytail, a mustache, sideburns and a dark complexion, wearing a black jacket with white stripes and black jeans.

October 4, 12:19 a.m., 9100 block Edmonston Road, a man reported that he was placing trash in an outdoor dumpster when a vehicle pulled up alongside him. A man started to ask the victim a question, then produced a handgun and demanded his wallet. After obtaining the wallet the man drove away. The vehicle is described as a green Mazda 626.

October 5, 1:47 a.m., 6100 block Breezewood Drive, a woman reported that she was walking to a residence when approached from behind by a man, who grabbed her purse and fled on foot. The suspect is described as a black male, 19 to 21 years of age, 5'11" to 6'1", 130 to 150 pounds with black hair in braids, brown eyes and a dark complexion, wearing baggy white khakis and a dark T-shirt.

October 5, 8:34 p.m., Breezewood Court and Springhill Lane, the victims reported that they

were walking to a residence when they were approached by two men, both armed with handguns. After taking wallets and other property from the victims, the men fled the area on foot. The suspects are described as a black male, 5'7", 120 pounds with long black hair, a goatee and a dark complexion, wearing a black jacket, jeans and a head covering; and a black male, 5'7", 120 pounds, bald with a dark complexion, wearing a black jacket and jeans and carrying a black book bag.

Mary's Place *A satellite office of* Realty 1 Inc., 301-982-0044

## Mary's Place



Call Mary Kingsley, 240-604-6605



### 73-B Ridge

A real beauty!! Large deck for entertaining. Lovely bathroom. Conversion of two bedrooms into one have produced two ample sized rooms in original three bedroom layout. Must see!! Call Mary at 240-604-6605.

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Attention has been paid to every detail from the doorknobs to the floor finishings



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Would you like to drive up to your cooperative home, touch the open button on your remote and drive into your garage? Well, you can at 3-A Gardenway. Home has open kitchen-dining room layout, two nice sized bedrooms, newly carpeted and painted. Garden backs to a lovely park. Call Mary to see! 240 604 6605



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# CLASSIFIED ADVERTISING

**HELP WANTED** – The News Review needs a volunteer with Adobe InDesign/PageMaker experience to help with ad design on Tuesday nights. This is your chance to be creative and help with an important community media resource. Call Mary Lou at 301-441-2662 for more information.

**MERCHANDISE**

**LOOKING FOR EXTRA INCOME?** Searching for quality skin care? Look no further than Jafra Cosmetics, which for 50 years has offered quality skin care products for the whole family and provided full and part-time incomes for thousands of people. For information: www.myjafra.com/lmach or 301-345-8105 or leta.mach@verizon.net

**FOR SALE** – LR set (3 pc), BR set (4 pc), dinette set (5 pc); lawnmower; chairs, 2 desks, E-unit, and more. Call 301-775-1613.

**FOR SALE** – Full mattress, box spring, and frame, \$50 OBO. Single IKEA bed, mattress, silver color, \$30. Call after 5 p.m., 301-345-9240.

**FOR SALE** – 3-in-1 game table with bumper pool, good condition, \$50. 301-233-7669

**NOTICES**

**SPAGHETTI DINNER** – Mowatt Methodist Church, 40 Ridge Road, October 14 at 5-7 p.m. All you can eat spaghetti, bread, salad, beverage and slice of cake. \$8 adults, \$6 for 5-12 years, 4 and under free. Pies for sale, 301-474-7291. Meat and meatless sauce.

**REAL ESTATE – SALE**

**OPEN HOUSE** – 2R Gardenway, Sunday, Oct. 15, noon until 4 p.m. Rare 2 bdrm brick studio, largest in GHI. Full-house renovation, enlarged eat-in kitchen, dining room, bathroom, open-space design downstairs, enlarged closets, screened porch, much more. \$275,000, appraisal/asking price. 301-474-0333. 301-802-1688 (owner)

**LARGE END UNIT** – 2 bedroom & 1 bath GHI home, two levels of newly refinished hardwood floor, 2 new storm doors, well-maintained home, shed, updated kitchen and bathroom. Come and see for yourself! List price \$189,000. Contact Barbara Willigan, Coldwell Banker Residential Brokerage, 410-740-7100.

**FOR SALE** – 2A Eastway - GHI 1 bedroom honeymoon; new carpet, freshly painted, new appliances, new cabinets, brick patio with awning, close to center, move in condition. Contact Kathie Linkenhoker, 301-474-4161, ext. 146 for viewing and details.

**FOR SALE** – 3K Eastway - 2 bedroom block, close to center, screened in porch with sliding door, ceiling fans, washer/dryer, range hood, dishwasher, freshly painted with new carpet. Contact Kathie Linkenhoker, 301-474-4161, ext. 146 for viewing and details.

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**HARRIS LOCK & KEY** – Rekeying and installing. Clay, Greenbelt. 240-593-0828.

**EXPERT CLEANING** – Home or office cleaning offered. Extensive experience cleaning all types of rooms and surfaces (marble, wood, formica, tile). Estimates and references available upon request. Spanish and English spoken. Call Esperanza 301-213-0558.

**INSTALLATION** – of sump pumps, "French" drains, tile, drywall repair, replacement windows. 35 years experience. Many local references. Call Art Rambo, 301-220-4222.

**HEDGES** – cut, trimmed, taken out. Final cut of season. \$30-40. 301-213-3273

**90-HOUR COURSE** for professional childcare. October 16 - December 16. Greenbelt Children's Center. Mondays, Wednesdays, 6:30 - 9 p.m., and Saturdays 9 a.m. - 2:30 p.m. \$350 includes textbook. 301-576-3423

**BARB'S PET SITTING** – Specialize in Monday thru Friday mid-day dog walks. Weekend and holiday visits also available. For an appointment, please call Barb, 301-982-2935.

**ELECTRICAL REPAIRS** and installation. Licensed electrician familiar with GHI. 301-233-7669.

**MUSIC LESSONS** in College Park – piano, organ, guitar, voice, recorder, ukulele and drums. 301-345-2752 Jean Carstens, music. E-mail jnsmusic16@comcast.net.

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**YARD/MOVING SALES**

**YARD SALE** – Toys, baby stuff, housewares – priced cheap to sell. Sat., October 14, 9 a.m. to 1 p.m. 65C Ridge Road

**YARD SALE** – Lots of the usual, plus "specials" – 2 new L.L. Bean quilts, beautiful set Noritake stoneware, etc. Freebies! Great prices. 3-C Plateau Pl., Sat., Oct. 14 (rain date, 21), 8-4.

**YARD SALE** – Sat., 10/14, 9 - 1. Stuff that didn't get out last time because of rain. New blanket, more videos, linens, like new large number telephone, dolls, doll clothes, card tables, some collectibles, misc. 8-C Laurel Hill Rd.

**YARD SALE** – Early birds, 7 a.m. - noon?? 10/14. Rained out last Sat. 7962 Lakecrest Dr., rear Charlestowne condos.

**ESTATE/YARD SALE** – Sat. 9-2. Furn. (sofabed, chair, adj. bed, couch, other items), household goods, glassware, collector items. 7 Lakeview Circle, Greenbelt.

**TURN YOUR TRASH INTO CASH!** Have a yard sale. With an ad placed here you can be sure to draw a crowd.

**MOVING/YARD SALE** – 15 Empire Place. Lakewood cul-de-sac huge multi-family. Sat., Oct. 14; Sun., Oct. 15, 8 a.m. 301-474-2724

**YARD RE-SALE** – Many items, some new. 24 inch SGI monitor, juicer, new luggage, household items, glassware and china. CD and videos and much more. 7210 Mathew Street, Greenbelt. From Greenbelt Road east, make right on Hanover Pkwy., left Ora Glen, right to Mathew.

**MULTI-FAMILY YARD SALE** – Everything must go. Sat., Oct. 14, rain or shine, 8 a.m.- 1 p.m. No early birds, please. 11303 Daisy Lane, Glenn Dale.

**FULL COURT YARD SALE** – 1 Court Northway. Next week, Oct. 21, 8-2.

## RATES

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The U. S. Botanic Garden is located at the foot of the U.S. Capitol, 100 Maryland Avenue. Pre-registration is required. To register, call 202-225-1116 or visit the online event registration at [www.usbg.gov/education/events](http://www.usbg.gov/education/events).

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### No Shows

Two candidates were absent, Gloria Lawlah and Alicia Darenshour. According to city staff liaison to ACE, Wendy Wexler of Greenbelt CARES, Darenshour, who placed last among the at-large candidates, did not receive an invitation until the day before. It was not until the Saturday before that the Board of Elections completed its count and determined Darenshour had beat out Anthony Lester Lee for the eighth at-large slot on the ballot by 116 votes. She was unable to adjust her schedule at that late date to be present.

Lawlah, who has retired as a state senator, filed as a candidate for the school board but announced prior to the primary election that she had decided to withdraw because there were many good candidates and she had filed only because she had understood that few were running for the board. According to Nelson Hernandez in an article in the Washington Post on October 26, she decided to withdraw shortly after failing to receive the endorsement of the teachers union.

Her decision to withdraw was made too late for her name to be removed from the ballot. Also, Wexler said that she was told that Lawlah never filed a withdrawal with the Board of Elections.

Lawlah did respond to The Washington Post with information for its voter's guide. As a result of that and her established name recognition, she placed third in the primary election, receiving 31,878 votes. Since then she has been unclear as to whether she is or is not a candidate. Lawlah said she would reach a decision this week, according to Hernandez.

Wexler said that Lawlah did agree to attend the forum but never said that she was a candidate. Hernandez reported that she also did not attend a later forum sponsored by the Greater Marlboro Democratic Club in the Largo-Kettering Library.

### Diverse

The 16 who did show were diverse in background, although many were education related and expressed genuine interest in contributing toward the betterment of the community. They all expressed themselves ably. There was much support and no criticism for the new school superintendent, John E. Deasy.

Ken Johnson was a three-term member of the previous elected school board (which was disbanded by the state legislature) and served three years as its chair. Howard Stone is the vice-chair of the current appointed school board (Judy Mickens-Murray, another member of the current board and unsuccessful candidate in the primary for a district 3 seat, is still seeking election to the new board as a write-in candidate).

Four candidates emphasize their records as PTA activists – Beck, Fletcher, Waller and Williams. Another four point to their success as products of the school system, having graduated from a county high school – Owen Johnson, Rosalind Johnson, Morris and Nate Thomas. Five have been former teachers – Owen Johnson, Rosalind Johnson, Morris, Linda Thomas and Nate Thomas. Illiff and Nate Thomas have been involved with nonprofit educational support organizations while Linda Thomas was a prin-

cipal of a charter school. Costello and Shell are attorneys. Both Ken Johnson and Howard Stone have been involved with government management – Johnson with the Department of Agriculture and Stone as chief administrative officer for the county under Wayne Curry.

Others point to unique talents that they would bring to the school board. Jacobs' work with the Department of Correction involves the educating of incarcerated juveniles. Watson is a business and management consultant skilled in information technology. Shell is a school ombudsman for Howard County. Illiff is a member of the College Park advisory committee on education. Fletcher is a mental health worker. Owen Johnson was a high school coach. Jacobs is a hearing examiner for the school board. Watson holds a doctorate degree in systems engineering.

### Questions

A wide variety of questions were posed but only one or two candidates were permitted to answer each question. Some of the issues raised were the effect of the No Child Left Behind Law on those students not seeking to further their education in college, involvement of parents in the schools and in the conduct of the school board, the continuance of magnet schools and focus programs, the need for cohesiveness among the board, the effect of charter schools on school resources, the need for technology training and utilization in the schools, the renovation of Greenbelt Middle School and the importance of maintaining Eleanor Roosevelt High School as the "flagship" high school of the county. None of the answers to these questions raised controversy.

Probably the most interesting question was posed to Shell. She was asked about curriculum issues that have been raised on the teaching of evolution and creationism. Shell has a Master's Degree in Christian Counseling from the Washington Bible College. Acknowledging that she was a Christian, Shell advocated giving children the chance to hear the many variables and options on the creation of the universe and for them to discuss the many

## ACT Registration Deadline Nears

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## Seminar Thursday On Schizophrenia

The National Alliance for the Mentally Ill Prince George's County chapter will present its October workshop on Thursday, October 19 from 7 to 9 p.m. Speaker Denise Niner, LCSW, of the National Institute of Mental Health will present "Schizophrenia and Related Schizo-affective Disorders."

The workshop is free and will take place at the Hanco Building at Beckett Field, 8511 Legation Road, New Carrollton. For more information call Jane Kelley, 301-577-6026.

different theories of creation. She felt there is a need to allow parents to have a voice in the matter.

Fletcher was asked a similar question. She said that the goal of education was to expand children's minds and to allow all children to make their own choices. The children need to be taught about evolution and creationism so that they are capable of making the decision themselves. She felt that this was also true of other sensitive issues such as slavery and Naziism.

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