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Search for Creativity Leads Md. Women's Heritage Center To Asia's Paradise Rivers To Open in Baltimore June 19

by Eli Flam

"Getting into photography," says Carolyn Drake, "was my way of finding a creative outlet, of continuing to learn – and of getting out of the bubble of my New York life."

The 1989 Eleanor Roosevelt High School graduate has gone on to Ukraine, Turkey and Central Asia. Her work won a Guggenheim fellowship this year and first place in highly competitive photography competitions.

Paradise Rivers – a term used by medieval Islamic writers – is what she calls her ongoing project in Central Asia.

"My interest in the region," says Drake, "has to do with its history as one of the early places where human life evolved. It also was a path where Islam spread in the 9th, 10th, 11th centuries." She sees irony in the project's name because the fate of the rivers "is not pretty." Their waters were massively diverted for irrigation in the days of the Soviet Union. Yet she believes that this "faraway place . . . holds some clues about the impact that human beings can have on the earth and that empires can have on cultures."

Born in California, Carolyn Drake came to Greenbelt with her parents when she was six years old. Efforts by family and friends to counter nuclear proliferation and the Cold War "stuck in my mind and probably contributed to my interest in later exploring countries that came into being when the Soviet Union divided."

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"History and herstory have converged and the time has come!" This was the message at the preopening celebration of the Maryland Women's Heritage Center and Museum. The event took place on Tuesday morning, May 25 at the start-up site facility at 39 West Lexington Street in Baltimore.

Activists and prime movers in development of the Center were Greenbelter Linda Shevitz, education equity specialist for the Maryland State Department of Education, and Jill Moss Greenberg of Hyattsville, a leader with many roles in the women's movement in Maryland since its beginning in the early 1970s.

She is a former member of the Maryland Commission for Women and founder of the Maryland Women's History Project. The Heritage Center was her vision for the legacy of permanently honoring the diverse contributions of Maryland women.

Shevitz is an executive board member and Program Committee chair of the Heritage Center and Greenberg serves as executive



by Virginia Beauchamp

Virginia Beauchamp poses in front of the wall where her plaque hangs. She will celebrate her 90th birthday on June 28, 2010. She was born in 1920, the same year that women were first granted the right to vote.

> director. Former Maryland First Lady Frances Hughes Glendenning is president of the Heritage Center Executive Board.

The Center is located in donated space on the ground floor of the former offices of the Baltimore Gas and Electric Company at a corner which – serendipitously – turns out to have been the location of a 1910 street rally for women's suffrage. A larger site is being explored for the future.

Hall of Fame

Among other things, the Center provides a permanent home for the Maryland Women's Hall of Fame, which was established in 1985 by the Women Legislators of Maryland and the Maryland Commission for Women. Every year since that time up to five women who have made significant contributions have been chosen for induction into the Hall of Fame and their names added to a plaque in the Maryland Law Library.

Some have been historical figures like Clara Barton and Anna Ella Car-

roll, the Civil War spy. Portraits of historical figures, including former slave Harriet Tubman and St. Elizabeth Ann Seton, are now displayed in windows on Lexington Street along with portraits of living recipients. This reporter is the only Greenbelter so honored.

Other area honorees, all associated with the University of

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New American Citizens Inducted in Greenbelt

by Renauta York

For those gathered, the moment had finally arrived!

This past Sunday, June 6 at 1 p.m., the Greenbelt Community Center buzzed with excitement, flashbulbs and waving American flags as 47 citizens from Asia, South and Central America, Africa and Canada gathered with their families in the gym to take part in a ceremony they had long waited for – becoming American citizens.

The ceremony began with everyone rising as the Greenbelt Police Department Honor Guard processed with the American and Maryland flags. Peter Haas sang the Star Spangled Banner. With Mayor Judith Davis serving as master of ceremonies and Councilmembers Emmett Jordan, Leta Mach and Edward Putens also present, Davis offered her congratulations and commended the inductees on their determination, faith and courage in taking the oath of allegiance. She told the story about when she worked the polls in the last election. A man and his pregnant wife were days away from delivery. Both had just become citizens, had registered to vote and were determined to do so. Davis quoted the man as saying "My child will be born a citizen. I want him to know that we voted as naturalized citizens."

Will Donahue, the acting administrative director of the U.S. Citizen and Immigration Service, also spoke. "Today is a pivotal day for the rest of your lives," he said. "Look around you. You're young. You're going to be the face of America."

Donahue focused on Gandhi's quote, "A Nation's culture resides in the heart and soul of its people."

"This resides in you to make this country great," Donahue said. "It's not the end of the path but

American Legion Post #136 Held Two Memorial Day Celebrations

by Carol Griffith

The American Legion hosted again this year their two very different ways of honoring our nation's fallen heroes – one loud and busy and one quiet and reflective.

On Sunday, May 30 Greenbelt Post 136 hosted veterans and friends participating in Rolling Thunder. Rolling Thunder is an annual motorcycle rally that is held at the Tidal Basin in Washington, D.C., during the Memorial Day weekend. Its purpose is to call for the government's recognition and protection of prisoners of war (POWs) and those missing in action (MIAs). About 400,000 veterans were expected to ride through the area for the event and about 435 - a record number - came to Post 136 during the day. A breakfast buffet started at 7 a.m. and ended with the group leaving together for Washington at 8:15 a.m. After the ride to the Tidal Basin, bikers reassembled at Post 136 for a picnic featuring live music. On Monday, May 31 at 10 a.m., Greenbelt American Legion Post 136 conducted its traditional Memorial Day Service at the Veterans' Memorial, located between the Roosevelt Center and Crescent Road. Approximately 175 people attended this solemn ceremony in spite of the very warm and humid weather.

Most attendees stood, many with their hands over their hearts, as a member of the Eleanor Roosevelt High School Junior ROTC accompanied by a Boy Scout presented the flag; "The Star Spangled Banner" was played; the Pledge of Allegiance was recited; and the Post's chaplain offered a prayer. debt to the valiant men and women of the service can never be repaid and that they have earned unending gratitude "We will never forget, "she said.

Turner and Dernoga presented to Post 136 and the city on behalf of Prince George's County a proclamation recognizing Memorial Day as a day of observance and remembrance. Denoga spoke briefly, pointing out Turner's own military service. He has always enjoyed attending Post 136 and Greenbelt's Memorial Day ceremony, he added. Mayor Judith Davis presented a city proclamation to Bullock that expressed the sentiment that the city hereby "honors and pays tribute to the women and men who have given their lives in service to this country so that we may enjoy freedom, peace and prosperity." In her speech she made the sad observation that, since last Memorial Day, 15 Marylanders have died while serving the United States. She recounted having attended a military funeral at Arlington Cemetery and concluded that all who

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What Goes On

Saturday, June 12

9 a.m. to noon, Donation Drop-off, Parking Lot between City Offices and Community Center

Monday, June 14

8 p.m., Council Worksession with Greenbelt Homes, Incorporated, GHI Offices

Wednesday, June 16

7:30 p.m., Advisory Planning Board Meeting, Community Center, Room 114, Review of Beltway Plaza Concept Plan, Planning Training on June 23

7:30 p.m., Council Worksession re: Historic Greenbelt Middle School, at Greenbelt Middle School

Thursday, June 17

7:30 p.m., Forest Preserve Advisory Board Meeting, Community Center, Suite 200, Alternative Caretaking Trail Maintenance, Scheduling of October Pumpkin Activities

Special Guests

Post 136 Commander Harold Bullock welcomed attendees and introduced distinguished guests, including all seven members of the Greenbelt City Council, County Councilmember Ingrid Turner, Chair of the Prince George's County Council Tom Dernoga and Maryland State Delegate Anne Healey.

In her speech, Turner introduced some members of her family who came to the ceremony with her, noting that her late father, now buried at Arlington Cemetery, had spent 30 years in service of his country. She reminded listeners that America's

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Letters to the Editor

Special Thank You To Animal Control

This past Thursday our superfriendly cat Ani decided to be up a tree first thing in the morning. Not knowing what to do, I called the local fire department. (That's what they do in the movies and on TV, right?) They said they could not help us and pointed us to "the city." So I figured that might mean Public Works. Without hesitation, they said they would be able to help with a bucket truck. Only problem was, she was 20 feet up in our backyard and was inaccessible by truck. They pointed me, in turn, to Animal Control. I wasn't sure that they would be able to handle something so high up.

I had to leave within an hour of discovering this "adventure," so I called and left a lengthy message about our situation. When I called from where I was working to check in, they were going to head out and see about the situation. Unable to call again during the day while subbing at the elementary school, I rushed home at day's end hoping to see Ani safe at home.

My husband, as luck would have it, was able to stick around to monitor the situation. When I walked in the door I heard Ani was uncooperative for a rescue mission attempted earlier. A large ladder and daring Kim from Animal Control tried to get her down but Ani held fast to the branches and they had to give up. She remained in the tree as a storm rolled in that evening. Up to that point, I had tried some maneuvers: trying to wrap a branch and haul a laundry basket up, coaxing her to a lower tree. Nothing worked.

After the storm, Kim returned with colleague, Lauren, to check on Ani. Hoping the storm had shooed her down, I am sure they were surprised to see the stubborn gal still up there. They were determined to get her down. They left and returned 10 minutes later, another ladder in hand and a team of support (names of whom I do not know, but equally wish to thank). Kim, with incredible bravery, wet shoes, wet cat, wet tree to deal with, climbed to the tippy top and snatched the cantankerous cat from her perch. Slowly creeping and rightfully visibly shaking from height and fear, Kim managed to



land back on the ground a little scratched and with a soggy Ani to hand over.

With that, the ladder came down and the crew readied to leave. I stood in awe, tremendously thankful and without words to say enough how grateful I was.

I have volunteered, with my daughter, at Greenbelt Animal Shelter and worked with Kim every Saturday since last fall. She is there every day and on weekends. She, Susie and Lauren are a tremendously dedicated staff. Though I have donated to the shelter and tried to think up new ways to help publicize and earn money for this department, none of that seems enough to show gratitude and to support this wonderful organization. The services offered, the great care and dedication of this wonderful staff of our city's Animal Control and Shelter is, I think, not nearly thanked enough for all that they do. I wish I could do more in thanks and support for them.

Please, if you are looking for an animal, adopt from Greenbelt's Shelter. Support them through donations and if you have never needed their services, still know we should all be thankful that we have them. Because you simply never know when you might.

Brighid Willson and family Probable Cause?

As one of the "two, white middle-aged women" referenced in Cynthia Newcomer's letters (5/20, 6/3), I have to interject, particularly when the encounter mentioned was last reduced to a misleading "brown packet and money being exchanged."

I was a craft vendor at the Green Man festival where a customer was interested in buying a pair of earrings I did not have on hand. We arranged to meet on a following weekend at the Farmer's Market. Smack in front of the information table and two other witnesses, I held the earrings up for my customer's view before returning them to a folded brown paper bag.

Cynthia Newcomer, who knows me and the other woman (and who has also received these same brown bags at my shows), was nearby and the three of us subsequently had a brief conversation. Police did not come running because, for one, to my knowledge there are no cameras trained on the market and, for another, this was not a suspicious interaction by a stretch. Context cannot be omitted; the Farmer's Market is not known as a hotbed of illegal activity. Moreover, if I entertained a double life as a jewelry maker and drug lord,

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Corrections

Correcting the correction – last week in our attempts to set right the inaccurate description of the statement made at the Greenbelt Homes annual meeting concerning the embezzlement, what we meant to say was that our report of GHI President Suzette Agans' remarks was incorrect, not that the remarks themselves were incorrect.

In the budget worksession story in last week's paper, the list of unresolved issues was incorrectly attributed. The list was distributed at the May 19 worksession by Mayor Judith Davis and then added to by City Manager Michael McLaughlin.

The News Review regrets the errors.

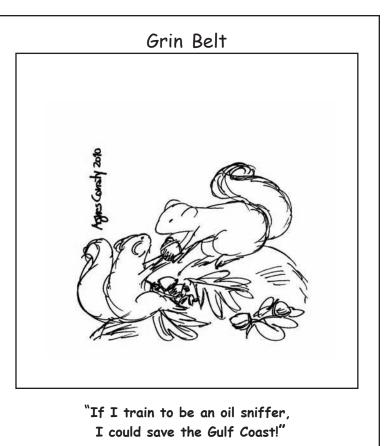


19 June 2010

St. Hugh's Catholic Church Grenoble Hall 135 Crescent Road

Food Served 4—8 p.m. Entertainment and Fun Until ??

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On Screen

Hacking Away for the Truth

"The Girl with the Dragon Tattoo," a Swedish thrillerchiller, opens at Old Greenbelt Theatre on Friday, June 11. The titled girl (Noomi Rapace) is a computer hacker who joins an investigative reporter (Michael Nyqvist) in seeking a 40-year-old missing person, the favorite niece (Ewa Froeling) of a well-to-do citizen (Sven-Bertil Taube). Based on a bestselling novel by Stieg Larsson, the film actively criss-crosses high-techery with traditional gumshoe ways.

Running time: 152 minutes. Unrated, but has obscenity, violence, nudity, sex and rape. English subtitles.

– Eli Flam



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

Community Events

Menu for Senior Nutrition Program



Community Center beginning at noon. Meals must be reserved by 11 a.m. two days ahead so that enough food is ordered. Call 301-397-2208, ext. 4215.

All meals include bread and margarine, coffee or tea and skim milk. Menus for June 14 through 18:

Monday – Vegetable soup, smothered chicken with gravy, broccoli cuts, home-fried potatoes, carrot-raisin salad, fresh cantaloupe.

Tuesday – Orange juice, sliced roast beef with gravy, mashed potatoes, mixed vegetables, peach supreme.

Wednesday – Grape juice, barbecued chicken (leg and thigh), baked beans, mixed green salad, pineapple tidbits.

Thursday – Tomato soup, Hawaiian turkey salad, creamy cole slaw, beets with onions, fresh banana, applesauce.

Friday – All sites closed for training.

GHI Notes

Friday, June 11, Offices Closed (emergency maintenance available, call 301-474-6011)

Monday, June 14, 7 p.m., GHI Board of Directors Meeting – Board Room

7:30 p.m., GHI/City Council Stakeholder Meeting – Board Room

Tuesday, June 15, 7 p.m., Web-Site Group Meeting – Board Room

Wednesday, June 16, 7 p.m., Woodlands Committee – GHI Lobby

Thursday, June 17, 6:45 p.m., Investment Committee Meeting – Board Room

7:30 p.m., Finance Committee - Board Room

Committee and board meetings are open; members are encouraged to attend.

CARES Offers Summer Tutoring

Greenbelt CARES will offer a four-session summer tutoring program for Greenbelt students completing grades 2-6. The program will be held in the Municipal Building Council Room, Wednesday mornings, July 7 - 28 from 9

Green Ridge House Hosts Health Course

There will be a free sevenweek course at Green Ridge House on managing chronic diseases starting on Tuesday, June 15 from 1:30 to 4 p.m. through July 27. The workshops will be held each Tuesday afternoon in the dining room and are open to the community. The course is sponsored by the Prince George's Community College and area department on aging.

Intended for anyone with health problems that cause fatigue, pain or frustration, workshop participants will learn how to manage symptoms, fight fatigue, make daily tasks easier, get more out of each day and learn about nutrition and exercise. Topics to be covered include medication, nutrition, physical activity, communicating with one's health care team, relaxation methods, handling frustration and developing problem solving skills.

For more information call Green Ridge House Service Coordinator Sharon Vanzego at 301-412-2480.

Folk Dance Party Summer Kick Off

by Jeri Holloway

Get a head start on the summer season with a folk dance party on Friday, June 18 at 7:30 p.m. at the Greenbelt Youth Center. All are invited to join in celebrating the start of the group's 14 years of dancing in Greenbelt. The group, founded by Roland Forbes and his late wife Terri, first started dancing in Beltsville 30 years ago.

There is no fee for this chance to dance to lively music, be with friendly people, have a few delicious snacks and decide whether to join the group for the season. Forbes has had experience in folk dance circles in the Washington, D.C., area for many years. His love of folk dancing is contagious and makes all of the dancers in the group want to become experts. During the spring session, the dances learned represented Israel, Greece, Italy, Bulgaria, Wales and Estonia.

Wear comfortable shoes. Partners are not necessary. Those who enjoy the dance party will have an opportunity to sign up for the summer session of the dance class, which is sponsored by the Greenbelt Recreation Department.

Senior Softballers Upend Dundalk

In a see-saw battle at home, the Greenbelters of the Baltimore Beltway Senior Softball League prevailed over Dundalk, 21-18, on Wednesday, June 2. Division-leader Dundalk went ahead with a five-run second inning: Greenbelt took an 8-5 lead in the third inning and the score shifted. Behind 21-16 in the ninth inning, Dundalk scored two runs but was shut down by a double play and a grab by back-peddling Larry Dandridge in short right field with base runners on the move.

For Greenbelt Jasper Pendergrass and Willie White socked home runs, White's clearing the high left field fence by a good 10 feet. Pendergrass was joined in multi-hit games by Barry Clark, David Kerr, Fred Bohle, John Benish, Dandridge and pitchermanager Ray Reed, who went all the way in his first game of the season. Now 7-6, Greenbelt also beat Dundalk earlier this spring.

The Greenbelters' next home date is at Braden Field on Wed., June 16 at 10 a.m., for a doubleheader with Bowie Bronze.

Babysitting Course Offered Monday

Greenbelt CARES will offer a free babysitting course on Monday, July 12 from 10 a.m. to 1 p.m. in the second floor council room of the Municipal Building.

Each student will receive a packet of materials. The course is targeted toward students who have completed grades 5 through 8, and will teach the safety and responsibility issues of babysitting.

For more information call 301-345-6660, ext. 2016.



Jr. Ranger Program At Greenbelt Park

Applications for the 2010 Junior Ranger program are available at the Greenbelt Park Headquarters, Greenbelt Park Ranger Station and online at www.nps.gov/gree. Junior Rangers will participate in nature hikes and learn about animals, plants and water.

Pre-registration is required; applicants will be contacted if approved. This free program is for children eight to 12 years old.

The first session will be held on Monday, June 21 through Friday, June 25. Daily from 9 a.m. to 3 p.m. The deadline for registration for the first session has been extended to Monday, June 14.

The second session will be held on Monday, June 28 through July 2; deadline for this session is Monday, June 14.

For details contact 301-344-3944 or visit the website.

City Notes

Refuse and Recycling collected 31.96 tons of refuse and 15.98 tons of co-mingled recyclables.

Horticulture/Parks/Playgrounds installed a water tank and a pump trailer unit for tree irrigation.

The Aquatic and Fitness Center issued 2,458 daily admission passes over the holiday weekend.

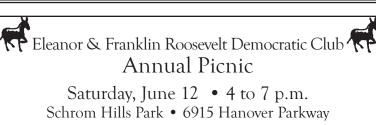
Arts staff report that Greenbelt resident Lynn Poe was hired as a part-time Arts Education Specialist.

Wellmobile at SHL On June 14

The Governor's Wellmobile will be at Springhill Lake Elementary School on Monday, June 14 from 9 a.m. to 3 p.m. Call 1-866-228-9668 to schedule a free health screening.

Attention GHI Members

The Audit Committee needs to fill a vacancy with a GHI member who is willing to attend board and other related meetings. If you have the time and the interest, please notify Ellen Folkee at 301-474-4161 ext. 140 by Monday, June 28.



Sign-up Time Ending For Free Produce

The Greenbelt Assistance in Living Program has announced a last call for senior and disabled residents to sign up for monthly distribution of produce through the summer season. Register for the produce giveaway by calling 301-345-6660.

For Greenbelt residents who are seniors 60+ and disabled adults, the first distribution will be at Green Ridge House (22 Ridge Road) on Thursday, June 24 from 3 to 4 p.m. Subsequent distributions will be on the fourth Thursdays of July, August and September. Once registered, recipients do not need to call back each month.

Participants are asked not to park in the lot and to enter the building on the right side, following the balloons for the distribution point of entry.

Academy Stadium Theatres

Beltway Plaza Mall Center Court 301-220-1155 ALL SHOWS BEFORE 5 p.m. Adults/Seniors: \$6.50 Children: \$6.00

ALL SHOWS BEFORE NOON ON SATURDAY \$5.00 ALL SHOWS AFTER 5 p.m. Adults: \$8.50 Students/Military: \$7.50 Children: \$6.00 Seniors: \$6.50

R = ID Required (!) = No pass, (!!) No pass weekend

Week of JUNE 11

FRI. – SAT. Splice, R (!) 11:50, 2:20, 5:20, 7:50, 10:20 Get Him to the Greek, R (!!) 12:30, 3:50, 7, 10:20 The Karate Kid, PG (!) 12:20, 3:40, 7, 10:20 Killers, PG-13 11:50, 2:30, 5:30, 8, 10:20 Shrek Forever After, PG 11:50, 2:45, 5:30, 7:40, 10:20 The A Team, PG-13 (!) 11:30, 2:20, 5:10, 7:50, 10:35 Marmaduke, PG 11:50, 2:45, 5:30, 7:40, 10:20 Prince of Persia: The Sands of Time, PG-13 11:30, 2:20, 5:10, 7:50, 10:35

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a.m. to noon.

Space is limited. Greenbelt residents have first priority. There is a \$15 charge for the program to cover the cost of tutoring materials.

Parents or students should call CARES (301-345-6660 ext. 2016) to register in advance. The program is in great demand and space is limited.

Holy Cross Thrift Store Every Thursday 10am – 4pm

Good, clean clothes for women, men and children! Shoes, jewelry, books, etc.

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Local Playwrights Festival

Friday, June 11 & Saturday, June 12 at 8:00 PM

Sunday June 13 at 2:00PM

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June 18 – 20 - Twelfth Night by William Shakespeare presented by

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all for Reservations at 301.441.8770

Greenbelt Arts Center



Our sympathy to Father Walter Tappe, pastor of St. Hugh of Grenoble church, on the death of his mother, Alice C. Tappe, 94, on June 1, 2010. A memorial Mass will be held at St. Hugh's on Saturday, June 12.

Congratulations to:

- Kenneth Silberman of Southway, who was re-elected president of the Courage Handiham System Amateur Radio Club. This national ham radio club works as part of the Courage Handiham System (http://www.handiham. org) to help disabled persons develop their skills and confidence by teaching and practicing the technically challenging field of ham radio.

- ERHS student Alice Noll, who was recently awarded the President's Volunteer Service Award for her work with Guiding Eyes for the Blind. She is working as a puppy raiser for the organization, preparing a puppy for future training as a guide dog. She is the daughter of Ellen and Franklin Noll of Lastner Lane.

Send us your reports of new babies, awards, honors, etc. to share with our readers. To send information for "Our Neighbors" email us at newsreview@greenbelt.com or leave a message at 301-474-6892.

- Kathleen McFarland

June Is Peace Month, **Activities Abound**

The Greenbelt City Council has designated June Peace Month. Throughout the month various organizations will sponsor activities to promote peace, social justice and diversity, all free and open to the community.

Saturday, June 12 from 5 to 9 p.m. there will be a potluck picnic and sing-along at Buddy Attick Lake Park in the group picnic area to remember and honor Esther Webb (1917-2009), longtime peace activist, GHI resident and co-founder of the Peace & Justice Coalition.

Sunday, June 13 from 11 a.m. to 3 p.m. is the "Bikes for the World" collection of donated used bicycles sponsored by the Greenbelt Baha'i Community at the Municipal Building rear parking lot.

Tuesday, June 15 from 7 to 8:45 p.m. there will be an interactive workshop for parents, teachers and caregivers by M.J. Park of Little Friends for Peace, "Creating Peace with Children," at the Greenbelt Community Center. Pre-registration is requested but not required, by calling Marjory Donn at 301-474-1353. Friday, June 18 at 7:30 p.m. there will be a special meeting of the Greenbelt Writers Group on "Poems for Peace" at the Community Center. Sunday, June 20 from 10 a.m. to noon Joe Murray of Friends of Beaver Dam Creek will lead a guided nature walk featuring "The History of the White Pine as a Symbol of Peace," starting at the end of Northway. Monday, June 21 at the New Deal Café there will be a 7 p.m. screening of the film "Refusing to Be Enemies: the Zeitouna Story" about Jewish and Arab women seeking Middle East peace, followed by a discussion in this Reel & Meal program sponsored by the Peace & Justice Coalition.

Paper Artist Gross Has Gateway Show

"Pretty Little Things," a display of cut paper pin-ups and other work by Sherill Anne Gross will be displayed at the Gateway Arts Center of Brentwood's Arts Exchange through July 17. The exhibit is open from 10 a.m. to 8 p.m. Monday through Friday and 10 a.m. to 6 p.m. on Saturdays. There will be a free opening reception for the public on Saturday, June 19 from 5 to 8 p.m.

Gross is a Greenbelt Community Center artist-in-residence whose last exhibit, covered in the March 4 issue with a photo of one of her cut-paper art pieces, was displayed here in March.

Pretty Little Things examines depictions of women in mid-20th century America. Gross' signatures are cut from paper and she knows how many pieces it took to make the rug behind the figure (6,375). The show is accessible, attractive and colorful with a clear-eyed nostalgia for the culture of 20th century America's golden age and a firm

Sunday School 10:00am

Sunday School

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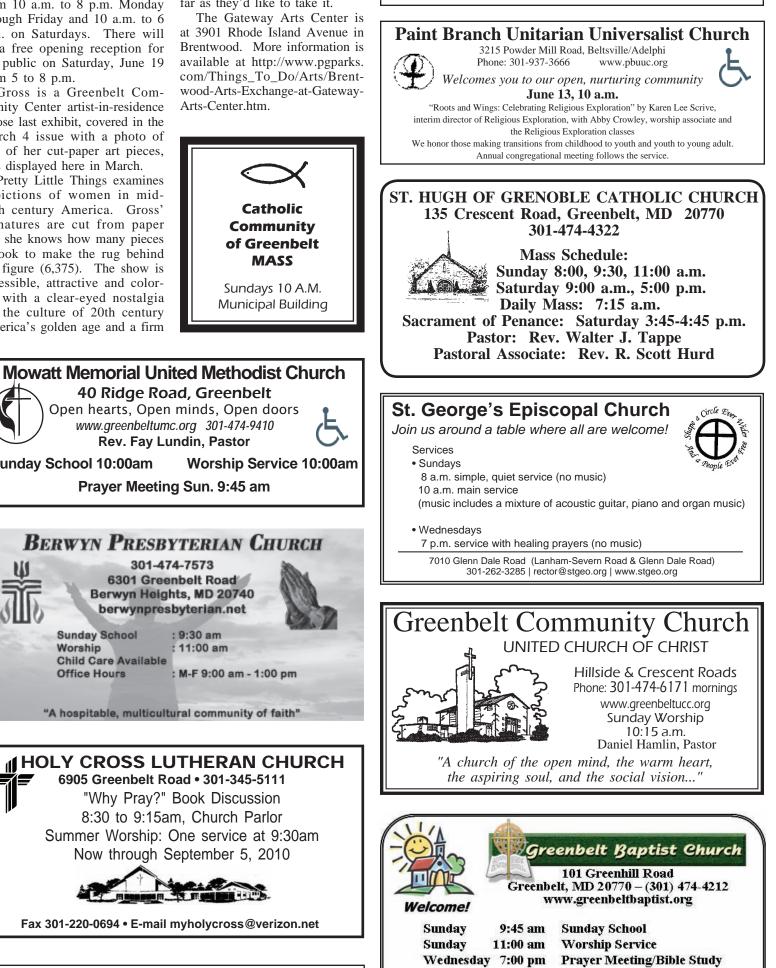
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You were adored by me and liked and loved by many others. You are greatly missed and always will be.

At first you were a son, then brother, then friend, then father but always a kind and gentle soul. I love you and so do your friends, which you have many of.

- Danica and all your friends Rest in Peace, my friend.



Only when women become full participants in all domains of life and enter the important arenas of decision-making will humanity be prepared to embark on the next stage of its collective development.





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people would probably be wise to me by now.

Which is not to say I am a particular champion of our police. Even so, I recognize that police need to use their experience and training to make judgments in deciding who to question. Blame it on the ills of society or those of testosterone, young men commit a disproportionate number of crimes statistically, so it follows that their activities would come under a little more scrutiny. I am pretty certain this knowledge is of no comfort to every lawabiding young guy who is just going about his business and feels hounded, whatever his race.

Newcomer expresses dismay that old Greenbelt is majority white while other areas of the city are predominantly African American. Old Greenbelt, which started as white-only, has had numerous families remain over several generations, while the newer areas of Greenbelt have seen their populations grow from an influx of people moving here from elsewhere. This is at least partial explanation. And while it's hard for some of us GHI-dwellers to conceive, not everybody likely appreciates the charm and excitement of living under lots of rules in aging houses with close proximity to their neighbors.

I do agree there is and has been racism in Greenbelt but it is inaccurate to use Che Sayles' unsuccessful run for council as a barometer of current negative racial sentiment and hostility toward "outsiders." If that was true given no other criteria, candidate Kelly Ivy, a white man with deep ties to Greenbelt, should have been elected.

From its origins, Greenbelt has come a distance. It could be useful to remember both that attitudes tend to lag behind laws, meaning each successive generation will be more open and that change is not always a straight line but more of a spiral. At times movement may seem regressive, when on the whole, it is actually going forward. My concern is that inflammatory statements can drive similarly minded or reasonable people apart and undermine what might otherwise be a fair cause.

Colette Zanin

Juneteenth Celebrated At Watkins Regional

June 19 or Juneteenth celebrates Emancipation Day across



MEETINGS FOR JUNE 14-18

Monday, June 14, at 8:00pm, CITY COUNCIL WORK SESSION w/Greenbelt Homes Incoporated at GHI Offices, Hamilton Place.

Wednesday, June 16 at 7:30pm, GREENBELT ADVISORY PLANNING BOARD MEETING at the Greenbelt Community Center, Room 114. On the Agenda (tentative): Review of Beltway Plaza Concept Plan, Planning Training on June 23, 2010, This agenda is subject to change. For confirmation that the meeting is being held and/or for questions regarding scheduled items please call 301-345-5417.

Wednesday, June 16 at 7:30pm, COUNCIL WORK SESSION re: Historic Greenbelt Middle School, at Greenbelt Middle School, 8950 Edmonston Road, Greenbelt, MD 20770.

Thursday, June 17 at 7:30pm, FOREST PRESERVE ADVISORY BOARD, at the Greenbelt Community Center, Suite 200. On the Agenda (tentative) a) Alternative caretaking/trail maintenance (Joe Murray), b) Blueberry Hill die out, c) Scheduling of Pumpkin Walk – October 22 (Roosevelt Center carving); October 23 (Pumpkin Walk); October 24 (clean-up) Complete agenda at www.greenbeltmd.gov.

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

DONATION DROP-OFF American Rescue Workers Saturday, June 12, from 9a.m.-12noon. Parking lot between City Office and the Community Center Info: City of Greenbelt Recycling Office at 301-474-8308.

VACANCIES ON BOARDS & COMMITTEES Volunteer to serve on City Council Advisory Groups. Vacancies exist on: Advisory Committee on Education, Arts Advisory Board, and Board of Appeals. For information call 301-474-8000.

2010 YOUTH TRIATHLON

On the morning of Saturday, June 5, the Greenbelt Recreation Department held a Youth Sprint Triathlon for children age 8-15. The race was held on Greenbelt Day Weekend and began with a 50 meter swim at the Greenbelt Aquatic and Fitness Center outdoor pool. Upon completing the swim, the children advanced to a transition area where they mounted their bicycles to ride a .75 mile bicycle course. After completing the biking portion of the race, participants ran a .7 mile course around the Buddy Attick Park lake path to the finish line at the park's bandstand. The first participant to cross the finish line was 11 year old Eric Freeman, Jr. Each participant received a medal and a Youth Triathlon t-shirt. Trophies were presented to the top finishers in each age group. Congratulations to all participants and thanks to the Greenbelt Police Department Bike Unit and the Greenbelt Recreation Department staff for a successful event! The following were the top finishers of the age groups represented in the race with their respective finish times.

NOTICE OF ADOPTION OF THE FISCAL YEAR 2011 BUDGET for the GENERAL FUND, BUILDING CAPITAL RESERVE FUND, CEMETERY FUND, DEBT SERVICE FUND, REPLACEMENT FUND, SPECIAL PROJECTS FUND, GREEN RIDGE HOUSE FUND, CAPITAL PROJECTS FUND, 2001 BOND FUND, COMMUNITY DEVELOPMENT BLOCK GRANT FUND, GREENBELT WEST INFRASTRUCTURE FUND

At its regular meeting of June 7, 2010, the City Council of Greenbelt, Maryland, adopted the City's budget for Fiscal Year 2011, thereby approving expenditures as follows:

General Fund	\$ 24,868,900
Building Capital Reserve Fund	680,000
Cemetery Fund	5,100
Debt Service Fund	925,000
Replacement Fund	721,800
Special Projects Fund	420,000
Green Ridge House	1,321,400
Capital Projects Fund	1,420,400
2001 Bond Fund	722,455
Community Development Block	
Grant Fund	240,000
Greenbelt West Infrastructure Fu	nd 106,424

Copies of the adopted budget document will be available for examination no later than September 2010 at the City Offices at 25 Crescent Road, at the Greenbelt Library at 11 Crescent Road, and on the Greenbelt Citylink Web site (www.greenbeltmd.gov).

The Greenbelt Community Foundation and the Greenbelt Recreation Department present:

MYSTERIES OF THE 501(C)(3)

A Free Workshop WEDNESDAY, JUNE 16th 7:30pm-9:00pm SCHROM HILLS PARK COMMUNITY ROOM 6915 Hanover Parkway

This workshop is for organizations that either have current or are seeking 501 (c)(3) status. It will be led by Bill Duncan, Greenbelt Community Foundation Treasurer. It will explain how to obtain and maintain tax exempt status and comply with tax obligations. Take advantage of this FREE opportunity to guide your application for 501(c)(3) status or discover details you may not have known about you current 501(c)(3) status!

ALL PARTICIPANTS MUST RSVP BY 5:00PM ON MON-DAY, JUNE 14TH. PLEASE CONTACT ANDREW PHEL-AN, RECREATION COORDINATOR AT 240-542-2194 OR aphelan@greenbeltmd.gov

75th ANNIVERSARY COMMITTEE

The celebration of the City's 75th Anniversary will occur in 2012. Applications are being accepted from residents interested in serving on this volunteer planning committee.

the United States. Join the celebration at Watkins Regional Park on Saturday, June 19 from 8:30 a.m. to 4 p.m. for "Roots and Footprints" at the Nature Center Amphitheater. Activities will include lectures on African American History, workshops on geneology, preservation, living history demonstrations, musical performances, games, vendors and more.

Watkins Regional Park is located at 301 Watkins Drive, Upper Marlboro.

For information call Carolyn Rowe at 301-292-6877 or Park and Planning at 301-627-2270.

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- 8 years old Kaitlyn Parks (17:26)
- 9 years old Maria Beckert (14:30)
- 10 years old Kaerod Amare (15:34)
- 11 years old Eric Freeman, Jr. (13:02)
- 12 years old Katie Warner (14:58)
- 13 years old Joey Gaines (13:10)
- 14 years old Saraose Gaines (14:17)

For Greenbelt news and information visit www.greenbeltmd.gov. Join the City of Greenbelt on FACEBOOK!

For information call 301-474-8000

GREENBELT ANIMAL SHELTER

The shelter has adorable kittens and other pets ready to become part of your family! Visit the shelter at 550-A Crescent Road. Open visitation on Wednesdays, from 4-7pm and on Saturdays from 9am-12pm or by appointment. 301.474.6124.

Thank you to Dorothy Lauber and Barbara Havekost on their donation to the shelter in the memory of Diane Wilkerson's mom, who was a real animal lover!



The shelter is in need of cat litter, canned cat food, and detergent. Please bring all donations to the shelter. The box at the Co-Op is not for the Greenbelt Animal Shelter. Become a fan of the Greenbelt Animal Shelter on Facebook!

THERE IS STILL TIME TO REGISTER FOR SUMMER CAMP! CALL 301-397-2200 FOR MORE INFORMATION. BROCHURE AVAILABLE AT WWW.GREENBELTMD.GOV

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Almost 50 eager new citizens stand to take the Oath of Allegiance to their new country in the Greenbelt Community Center gym.

an obligation and a duty to take that path as far as you can go."

He then asked the inductees to stand and led them in the Oath of Allegiance.

Natalie Watson, supervising immigration officer from the U.S. Citizen and Immigration Service, then led the inductees in the Pledge of Allegiance and handed each new citizen a certificate. The new citizens beamed with their families as they took pictures next to the American flag with their certificates in hand. They had arrived at last!

After the ceremony, I spoke with Grace Alaran from Nigeria. She has been in this country for 10 years, working with Catholic nuns in a group home. She said it was a struggle but she was doing her best and "I'm very happy!"

When asked about the process, she said it was a long one - the nuns wrote letters for her and the INS conducted extensive background checks by having family and members of her community write letters for her.

Alaran also went to see a lawyer who helped her review and submit a number of documents. "Everyone wants to check your background," she noted ruefully.

A man with his family, bursting with pride, summed up with one sentence. "Now I can vote."



Volunteers Needed

The Labor Day Festival Committee is seeking volunteers to help with the 2010 Festival. The next committee meeting is

Tuesday, July 13 at 7:30 p.m. in the Community Center. Email laborday@greenbelt.com for more information.

Shuttle

The committee is looking for shuttle drivers. Shuttles run throughout the festival weekend. Email laborday@greenbelt.com to volunteer.

Information Day

Saturday, September 4 is Information Day. Tables will be open from 10:30 a.m. to 4 p.m. in Roosevelt Center. Information tables do not allow sales or any financial transactions. Any group interested in having an information table should email the festival committee at laborday@greenbelt.com. Send a URL to have the group's website linked to the Festival website. If registered by July 31 the organization will be listed in the News



Booths are available to recognized Greenbelt nonprofit or civic organizations to raise funds and

Booths

make festival-goers aware of the organization's existence. Booths must be staffed all weekend from Friday through Monday. For information email laborday@greenbelt. com

Outstanding Citizen

The search is on for Outstanding Citizen 2010. Nomination forms are available online at the website and must be mailed to Robert Zugby, 94 Ridge Road, Greenbelt, MD 20770 by August 7.

Carnival Rides

The Carnival Midway will open at 6 p.m. on Friday, September 3. Hours will be from 6 p.m. to 11 p.m. on Friday, 11 a.m. to 11 p.m. on Saturday, noon to 11 p.m. on Sunday and noon to 6 p.m. on Monday.

Website

Visit the Labor Day website at www.greenbeltlaborday.com.

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Maryland, are astronaut Judith Resnick, former Dean of Women Adele Stamp, Athletic Director Deborah Yow and early oceanographer Eugenie Clark. Others are the late Congresswoman Gladys Noon Spellman, who lived in Laurel, and Bernice Sandler, who filed the first sex discrimination suit related to employment at a university and is considered the "Mother of Title IX," the federal law that prohibits sex discrimination in education.

Former state legislator the late Pauline Menes, whose district once included Greenbelt, is recognized with a Public Leadership Fund in her name. Menes served for 40 years in the Maryland House of Delegates. "The fund will provide programs and opportunities for girls and women to develop leadership skills and assume leadership roles," according to the program for the opening ceremony.

Maryland Poet

A second fund honors the late Maryland poet Lucille Clifton for encouraging girls and women to enter various fields related to the

arts. Donations to both funds may be made through the Maryland Women's Heritage website at www.mdwomensheritagecenter. org

Three women who have served as Maryland's First Lady currently serve as members of the board of directors of the Heritage Center. Beside its current President Frances Glendenning, they are Katie Curran O'Malley and Kendel S. Erhlich. Former Bowie mayor and later county councilmember Audrey Scott is development chair for the organization. She also served as state director of the Office of Planning in the Erhlich administration.

According to the opening celebration program, the Center is "dedicated to preserving and honoring the past, understanding the present and shaping the future by recognizing, respecting and transmitting the experiences, contributions and aspirations of Maryland women and girls of diverse backgrounds and regions." It will open to the public on June 19.

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photograph by Carolyn Drake shows Greenbelters celebrating the inauguration on Jan. 20, 2009

The Plaque

at the New Deal Café. It has been included as a double-page spread in a large-format book "This Day of Change," recently published by Courrier Japon, which publishes a monthly magazine. Subtitled "132 Photographers Capture 'Hope' on January 20, 2009" the book displays photographs taken in 79 countries and regions worldwide on Inauguration Day 2009. The editors commissioned 100 photographers, including Carolyn Drake, who lives in Turkey, but grew up in Greenbelt and was visiting here at the time.

This happened in 1991 and included Kazakhstan, Kyrgyzstan, Tajikistan, Turkistan and Uzbekistan in Central Asia.

Photo Class

After Eleanor Roosevelt High School Drake had gone to Brown University. She took a photo class at nearby Rhode Island School of Design but did not start to get serious about photography until years later in New York City. Working as an interactive designer/producer at different multimedia companies, including Scholastic, she studied at the International Center of Photography in Manhattan and at Ohio University, won a Fulbright fellowship for a year in Ukraine and then moved to Istanbul when her boyfriend got a Fulbright there.

When shooting is finished for her in Central Asia. Drake hopes to put together a book of photography. In the meantime, her photos of Greenbelt were included in "This Day of Change: 132 Photographers Capture 'Hope' on January 20, 2009," a Japanese publication timed to Barack Obama taking office.

"In this town," she wrote in the book, "life simply goes on and the layers of our brief history help keep us on an even keel. From this vantage point, the hope offered by the Obama presidency is no radical departure but rather the writing of another chapter in our collective national psyche."

Carolyn Drake's work can be seen at http://www/wipnyc. org/blog/lacma-presents-carolyndrake and at http://www/poyi. org/67/02/index.php.

The plaque honoring Greenbelt's Virginia Beauchamp reads as follows:

Virginia Walcott Beauchamp

Because writing was once considered an immodest occupation for women, Virginia Beauchamp expanded the concept of literature to include women's diaries, letters, minutes and family histories. An English Professor at the University of Maryland College Park, Beauchamp ensured that America's unsung, all-but-forgotten women and their writings became better known and history had fewer missing pieces. In 1974, she established the state's first Women's Studies program.

She was inducted in 2003 to the Maryland Women's Hall of Fame.

> Locality: Prince George's County Area of Achievement: Education

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Police Blotter

Based on information released by the Greenbelt Police Department, http://www.greenbeltmd.gov/police/index.htm, link in left frame to "Weekly Report" or http://www.greenbeltmd.gov/police/weekly_report.pdf.

Dates and times are those when police were first contacted about incidents.

Attempted Murder

June 2, 12:52 a.m., 9100 block Springhill Lane. An unknown person fired a gun into an occupied apartment. No one was injured.

Robbery

May 28, 1:00 p.m., Greenbelt Metro Parking Area. A person was approached by two males who displayed a black handgun and demanded the person's property. They are described as black males, 15 to 17 years old, 5'10' to 6'0" tall, weighing 150 to 170 pounds.

Disorderly Conduct

May 28, 1:27 a.m., 7200 block Hanover Drive. A 33year-old nonresident male was arrested and charged with disorderly conduct and later released on citation pending trial.

Burglaries

May 29, 9:30 a.m., 7700 block Ora Court. An iMac computer was taken.

May 29, 9:58 a.m., 7700 block Hanover Parkway. Tool boxes were taken from a utility room.

May 30, 9:26 p.m., 7100 block Mathew Street. Nothing was taken.

June 1, 1:02 p.m., 5900 block Cherrywood Lane. Three televisions, a desktop computer and a laptop were taken.

June 2, 6:00 a.m., 6200 block Springhill Court. Description of items taken is not available.

Vehicle Crime

Attempts were made to steal two cars. A tan 2004 Dodge Intrepid was stolen from the 9100 block Edmonston Road on June 1 and was recovered in the 3200 block of 23rd Street, SE, Washington, D.C. with no arrests made. An unsuccessful attempt was made on June 1 to steal a 2000 Dodge Caravan from the 7700 block Hanover Parkway.

Two other stolen vehicles were recovered. A black 1999 Acura ATL reported stolen through Prince George's County Police was recovered May 29 on Green-

Victim Identified, Suspect Described

Police have identified the 16-year-old victim of the shooting on May 31 in the 5900 block of Cherrywood Lane as Jericka Chambers, 16, of Landover.

Investigators believe the shooting was not random. The suspect has been described by witnesses as a black male, 17 to 19 years old, approximately 5'11", 130 to 140 pounds with twisted dreads and facial hair. He was last seen wearing a white tank top, jean shorts, black shoes, white socks and carrying a black bookbag. The suspect has tattoos and goes by "Johnny B." There is no further information at this time.

Anyone with information on this case is asked to contact the Criminal Investigations Unit at 240-542-2133.

belt Road at Kenilworth Avenue with no arrests made. A red 2002 Dodge Intrepid reported stolen through the Metropolitan Police, was recovered June 1 in the 6200 block Springhill Court with no arrests made.

Ten reports of thefts from autos were received: 7600 block Greenbelt Road (DC tag), 6100 block Springhill Terrace (GPS unit), 6200 block Greenbelt Road (handicapped placard), Greenbelt Metro parking lot, two incidents (GPS unit; pair of shoes and wallet), 6900 block Hanover Parkway (tools and a bag containing credit cards), 6400 block Ivy Lane (VA tags), 7900 block Mandan Road (DVD/TV/CD system, amplifier and speaker box), 9300 block Edmonston Road (signal meter), 7800 block Mandan Road (television).

Two acts of vandalism were reported. In the 7800 block Walker Drive a vehicle was damaged and in the Greenbelt Metro parking lot a car window was broken.

Upcoming Events At New Deal Café

On Thursday, June 10 from noon to 2 p.m. pianist Amy C. Kraft plays mid-day melodies. Evening brings weekly open microphone night from 7 to 9 p.m. with music, poetry, prose, storytelling and humor welcome.

On Friday, June 11 pianist John Guernsey plays lively jazz and blues tunes from 6:30 to 8 p.m. (every Friday and Saturday). From 8 to 11 p.m. Joe Pollock plays instrumental folk/experimental music.

On Saturday, June 12 Rebecca Turner plays Americana, roots, folk and rock music from 3 to 5 p.m., followed by classical guitarist Bruce Kritt's weekly performance from 5 to 6 p.m.

Tribute

From 8 to 11 p.m. Saturday, June 12 friends of Alan Turnbull and acoustic blues/rock music are invited to a return engagement that has been a "Long Time Coming," with Alan and crew. This is Turnbull's last performance since he is moving to Vermont this summer. Sunday, June 13 from 11 a.m. to 1 p.m. Jim Stimson plays Renaissance lute during brunch (third Sunday every month). From 5 to 8 p.m. Never in Denver plays Indie jazz.

Next Week

Tuesday, June 15 from 7 to 9 p.m. Bob Leitch performs acoustic blues. Wednesday, June 16 features Jazz Organ Trio "Organ-izes" plays from 7 to 9 p.m. On Friday, June 18 from 8 to 11 p.m. "Cahoots" plays rock 'n roll. Saturday, June 19 The Gliders are back with that "old time rock 'n roll," from 8 to 11 p.m. Sunday, June 20 the monthly Kids' Open Microphone session will be held from 1:30 to 2:30 p.m. From 5 to 8 p.m. Morrigan sings original songs plus classic rock, country and pop songs.

For more information call Chef Karim Kmaiha at 301-474-5642 or visit www.newdealcafe. com.



Major League Standings as of June 8

American League		National League	<u>W-L</u>
Indians	12-2	Tigers	13-2
Yankees	10-4	Giants	8-6
Cardinals	6-8	Athletics	4-8
Cubs	2-12	Orioles	1-11

Major League Schedule June 14 through 18

Date	Time	Games
Mon., June 14	6 p.m.	AL 4 vs. AL 3 (Game 1)
Tues., June 15	6 p.m.	NL 4 vs. NL 3 (Game 2)
Wed., June 16	6 p.m.	Winner Game 1 vs. AL 2 (Game 3)
Thurs., June 17	6 p.m.	Winner Game 2 vs. NL (Game 4)
*Fri., June 18	7 p.m.	Parent & Coaches Game

*Game played at Braden #2

All other games are played at McDonald Field off Southway.

Montpelier Summer Free Concert Series

On Friday evenings the South Laurel Recreation Council presents the 32nd Annual Montpelier Summer Concert Series on the west lawn of the Montpelier mansion grounds, located at 9652 Muirkirk Road, off Route 197 in Laurel.

On Friday, June 18 at 8:30 p.m. the movie E.T. (the Extra-Terrestrial), rated PG, will be shown. Also on June 25 at 7:30 p.m. the Oracle Band will play oldies, top 40 and classic rock.

Bring a blanket or chair and a picnic. Reservations and tickets are not required. For further information call 301-776-2805.

NAMI Employment Workshop June 17

Kate Drake, staff specialist from the community rehabilitation program division of rehabilitative services (DORS) will lead a workshop for persons interested in vocational services available through DORS on Thursday, June 17 from 7 to 9 p.m. at the Hanko Building at Beckett Field, 8511 Legation Road, New Carrollton.

For details call 301-429-0970 or visit www.namipgcmd.org.



Seasonal Selections At Riversdale

On Sunday, June 20 from noon to 4 p.m. watch the Riversdale Kitchen Guild make jam with the berries from their gardens and orchards. The demonstration is free. For more information call 301-864-0420; TTY 301-699-2544.



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The Department is offering a reward of up to \$500 for information leading to the arrest and conviction of a suspect in any of the unsolved crimes reported in the blotter. People may anonymously report suspected drug activity by calling the Drug Tip Line at 301-507-6522.

Dress for Safety Wear White At Night so drivers can see you!

Sunday June 13th 11am-3pm

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- Sponsored by the Baha'i Community of Greenbelt

For info contact Roya at <u>roya19@verizon.net</u>

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NOTICES

90-HR childcare course, Greenbelt Children's Center. M/W, 6:30 p.m. - 9 p.m. and Saturdays 9:30 a.m. - 3 p.m. Starts June 14. \$450 includes textbook. Deborah Wood, 301-576-3423.

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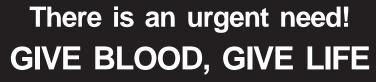
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Birthday Weekend Offers Wide Range of Activities

by Jim Link

A smorgasbord of activities was offered to Greenbelt residents over the weekend, from Friday, June 4 through Sunday, June 6, to help celebrate the city's 73rd birthday.

On Saturday afternoon at Greenbelt Community Center, our brains got taken apart, so to speak, by the charming Carol Clutterbuck during her workshop "Memory and the Brain."

After explaining to 50 mostly senior residents the functions of the discrete components of the brain (cerebellum, stem and various lobes: frontal, parietal, occipital, temporal, ear), Clutterbuck gave a raft of tips to increase brain health.

Diet sensibly and exercise regularly, of course. "Eat small but frequent meals. I eat six or seven times a day," said Clutterbuck. This minimalist excess apparently works for the tall, slender, graceful Holy Cross Hospital counselor.

Clutterbuck claimed that memorizing lists of words is made easier by linking them in a story. Giving a list of 10 words, she challenged her audience to create their own: Barbara Rondeau and Mayor Judith Davis concocted two very surreal, whimsical doozies.

It was reassuring to hear that often our momentary memory lapses are not that at all. If we forgot where we put our eyeglasses or why we came into a room, "it is not a senior moment but more of a multi-tasking moment because we have too much going on; we are being pulled by too many tasks and duties," according to Clutterbuck. Less talented or more leisurely folk rarely lose their eyeglasses.

The Peace and Justice Coalition for Prince George's County sponsored a workshop on envisioning and implementing peace, conducted by Marj Donn, Lucy Duff and Donna Hoffmeister on Sunday afternoon at the Greenbelt Community Center. Adults read "peace stories" (folk tales, fairy tales, legends) to children; the children then drew peace with crayons, magic markers; adults pinned the peace pictures to a bulletin board.

Lucy Duff read "Ferdinand the Bull," who refused to be goaded into hatred or conflict, to a rapt audience of four. Beth Anderson demonstrated how to make origami peace cranes; the Japanese crane, she said, symbolizes peace, much like the dove. Amber Youhouse, Miss Greenbelt 2010, was grateful for the lesson.

Community Garden

Just outside the east side of the Community Center, Lesley Riddle, arborist, horticulturalist and assistant director of Public Works in Greenbelt, presided over the Three Sisters Garden. Sitting in a circle, she and Greenbelters Jean Newcomb, Bob and Maggie Cahalan, Cathy Webb and Steve Kane basked in the humidity and dispensed horticultural wisdom.

No pesticides are used on the garden, which includes spinach, corn, tomatoes, squash, kale, radishes and beans. Corn, beans and squash are called the three sister vegetables because they "help" each other; the beans and squash replenish the soil when it is depleted by the corn, explained Bob Calalan.

The group hopes to establish two more community gardens, one in Empirian Village (West), another in Schrom Hills Park (East). Thus the Three Sister Gardens, planted with the three sister vegetables in three disparate locations, would mirror the horticultural, racial and gender diversity of Greenbelt.

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Business was very brisk at the Aquatic & Fitness Center for Memorial Day weekend this year. Temperature is always a significant factor with regard to attendance and revenues for the outdoor pool. The weather during the 2010 Memorial Day weekend made for a perfect day at the outdoor pool.



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<u>A Review</u> Our Greenbelt Concert Band Adds Festivity to Weekend by Altoria Bell Ross

Conductor Tom Cherrix and the Greenbelt Concert Band wished the city a happy 73rd birthday by performing a variety of compositions on Sunday, June 6 at the Community Center. The band played an arousing rendition of "Let There Be Peace on Earth" in honor of Ronald Culpepper. Culpepper, a member of the band for 44 years, died last winter. The tribute also was in memory of D-Day, taking place that day 66 years ago.

The audience heard more history when told of a 1976 Greenbelt contest to come up with a march for the city. The result was an upbeat, merry "Heart of Greenbelt March." In addition, the band played "The Valiant Years," which was a television film score of Winston Churchill's World War II memoirs. Snare drums in the selection gave the piece a military flair.

Moving further around the world, the band played the "Russian Sailor's Dance," based on the first Soviet ballet in 1927, "Red Poppy." The selection was romantic and colorful. Assistant conductor Jim Moore led the band in "Incidental Suite" that had three movements and could have been the sound track for a James Bond movie with its bold, brassy and dramatic flavor. Speaking of scores, "Tropical Adventure," published in 1954 was reminiscent of the theme song for the television show, "I Love Lucy" with its big band sound. The band also transitioned through three moods with "Lowtide," "Christina," and "Strange Refrain." The arrangements included big swells interspersed throughout the movements.

Added to these arrangements, soloists treated the concert goers. Caroline Cherrix wooed the audience with her alto saxophone lead in "Nightfall" and Linda Koch began and ended the concert on a patriotic note. She opened the concert with the "Star Spangled Banner." Unfortunately, the band overshadowed the soprano but in "God Bless America," the audience could clearly hear Koch's beautiful voice.

Through the concert the band transported the audience through beauty, peace and boldness making it indeed a happy birthday.



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A Preview Local Talents Showcased At GAC this Weekend Only

by Gerald C. Martin

When Penny Martin suggested that the Greenbelt Arts Center should do more to encourage local playwrights it was said, "Great idea! You're in charge." Over the past several months she has put together "Points of View," a collection of seven oneact plays that will be performed this weekend only.

More than 25 plays were submitted and a committee consisting of Ginny Zanner, Misha R'kingsley and Brian St. George selected those that would be most entertaining and not require massive set changes from one show to the next. A lot of top quality plays had to be set aside but the seven chosen offer a good cross section of our local talent. A very brief synopsis of the plays may suggest what theatre-goers will see. And they are all in 3D! No special glasses required!

In "Mama Says" by Peggy Rooney, a woman relives bits of her life and grows from a teenager to a senior citizen in just a few moments.

In Matt Arbach's "Q & A," an ordinary citizen is interrogated by an anonymous government agency. That seems altogether too plausible these days.

"This Play Sucks" by James H. Wise presents an actor who decides to alter the play in midperformance while the other actor valiantly tries to keep the show on track. It definitely does not suck.

Halloween gets a little out of hand in "The Pranksters" by John Hayes, when a pair of very strange trick-or-treaters come calling.

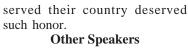
Erica Smith's "4,3,2,1" features a young man who fears his ex-girlfriend is trying to kill him. And maybe he's right.

In "The Magic Dream Machine" by Stephen C. Yednock, Jr., a handicapped man overcomes his disability through his imagination and inspires some young people along the way.

Four short segments from "Freshly Squeezed" by Paula Stone are interspersed throughout the show featuring a customer trying to outfox a used car salesman, a couple of women trying to find the perfect bra, a house call from the Grim Reaper and a conversation among chickens.

Many of the actors are Greenbelters and include both old and new faces on stage. The Greenbelt Arts Center is trying to arrange for a sign interpreter for at least one of the performances but as of press time arrangements are incomplete. Show times are Friday and Saturday at 8 p.m. and Sunday at 2 p.m., this weekend only.

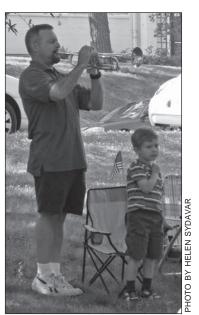
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LEGION

Genney Bonnie, president of the Post 136 Auxiliary; Chris Fields, commander of Post 136 Sons of the American Legion; and Thomas Dyson, representing the Greenbelt George H. Seal Memorial Chapter of the Disabled American Veterans, spoke briefly. Dyson reminded attendees of the great service of today's veterans, many of whom have served multiple tours of duty and many of whom are returning with many needs for support. He encouraged listeners to find a way to help these veterans and to set the example for others to help as well.

Wreaths were laid at the Memorial by members of the Auxiliary, Sons of the American Legion and Disabled Veterans and by Mayor pro tem Emmett Jordan representing the city. A trumpeter played "Taps" concluding the ceremony.



As Steven Matera plays "Taps," his son Robert stands at attention.

Kids Fishing Day Requires Registration

Patuxent Research Refuge in Laurel will host a Kids Fishing Day at the National Wildlife Visitor Center on Saturday, June 12.

For the first time youth are required to register for this annual event. The event will target youth who have little or no fishing experience. Staff hope that by limiting the numbers of participants they will be able to provide a higher quality fishing experience. Youth ages 15 and under can register for either an 8:30 or 9:30 a.m. time slot by calling the Refuge program registration number 301-497-5887. Request accessibility accommodations when registering. One adult should accompany each child. The Refuge will supply all fishing poles and bait for children. No personal fishing gear will be needed or allowed during this event. After checking in at the Visitor Center and participating in pre-fishing activities such as casting and fish handling, youth will be allowed to fish in one of two nearby lakes for a minimum of one hour. The event will end between 11 and 11:30 a.m.

Green Ridge House Strikers Win Wii Bowling Tourney

On Friday, May 14 the first Greenbelt Wii Bowling Tournament took place in Greenbelt's city council chambers at the Municipal Building. Beginning in March, 12 players (six from Green Ridge House and six from the community) had participated in a Wii Bowling league leading up to the tournament. Throughout the six weeks of league play, members' scores were recorded and averaged to get their seed in the tournament.

The tournament was played both as individuals and as teams with the Green Ridge House Strikers winning the champion, runner-up and team trophies. Congratulations go to Linda Rexon as champion and Susan Edmiston, the runner-up, for their performance in the final tournament game. Rexon's score was 194; Edmiston's 192.

The Community Center Mighty Miis consist of Thelma Loret deMola, Barbara Payne, Jim Marley, Odella King, Frank Pearlman and Gertie Wines. The Green Ridge House Strikers team includes Linda Rexon, Susan Edmiston, Elaine Pearson, Barbara Hardisty, Gary Bladestock and Herb Elliott.

There will be another chance at the traveling trophy next fall.



Green Ridge House Strikers from left to right: Gary Bladestock, Linda Rexon, Barbara Hardisty, Elaine Pearson and Susan Edmiston.



Greenbelt Community Center Mighty Miis from left to right: Frank Pearlman, Odella King, Jim Marley, Gertie Wines, Barbara Payne and Thelma Loret deMola.



Maureen Rogers and Larry Simmons in "This Play Sucks."



Kate Volpe and Julian Helisek in "4,3,2,1."

Audubon Society Hosts Bird Walks

A free bird walk, led by a member of the Prince George's Audubon Society, will be held beginning at 7:30 a.m. on Saturday, June 19 at the Governor Bridge Natural Area, Governor Bridge Road, Bowie. Meet in the parking lot at 7:30 a.m. Waterproof footwear and binoculars are recommended. For more information call 410-765-6482.

Evening Walk

On Thursday, June 17, a free early evening bird walk will meet at the Luther Goldman Birding Trail. Meet at 6 p.m. in the parking lot at Lake Artemesia, Berwyn Road and Balew Avenue in Berwyn Heights. Binoculars are recommended. For more information call 301-459-3375.

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