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Co-op Group Revives Woodland Hills Housing Project; 20 Acres - 50 Lots

A group of Greenbelt's old timers have formed a non-profit group to purchase and develop the Woodland Hills section on Crescent Road adjacent to the Community Church and across the street from St. Hugh's school and church.

Under a special condition placed by GVHC in its sales contract with Warner-Kanter, the cooperative group has the right to purchase (up to December 31, 1956) the entire Woodland Hills tract of twenty acres at a bargain—PHA mortgage plus costs. This section, located on a wooded hill overlooking the Greenbelt lake and Braden field, is considered a desirable home building site. It was selected back in 1942 as the site for Greenbelt's first cooperative home building project, which was halted by the war just as construction was about to begin. The cooperative group starts with many advantages—the major sewer lines are already in—two years of expensive land survey and engineering work done by the previous group is available—home plans have been approved by FHA and financing commitments already made.

Woodland Hills is planned as a quiet, secluded project with curving streets, winding sidewalks and two park areas in a natural wooded setting. Most homes will be the two level type set on slopes and with three, four, five and six bedrooms. Smaller homes will also be built. Seventeen of the fifty odd lots available have already been reserved, and applications will be accepted, until all lots are reserved, at the Farm Bureau Insurance office at 141 Centerway. A check for \$100.00, payable to Woodway Homes, Inc., will reserve a priority in lots.

Some of the present residents interested in the Woodland Hills project are Charles McDonald, Anthony Madden, Robert J. Brady, Martin Haker, Joseph Hanyok, Joseph Haslinger, James Bates, Robert Bevington, W. J. Tastet, Jr., Constantine Sartori, Joseph Gaffney and others.

The group will meet Friday, June 3 at 8 p.m. in the Greenbelt City Council chambers above the Variety Store. Interested parties are welcome to attend to hear plans and developments.

Local PTA Features Talk On "Adolescence"

The North End School PTA will elect officers for next year at the final meeting, Tuesday, May 24 at 8:30 p.m. The following slate has been released: Mrs. Hans Jorgensen, President; Mrs. Lawrence Goldberg, Vice President; Mrs. Isadore Parker, Secretary; Pierre Gadol, Treasurer.

Mrs. David Garen, Program Chairman, has announced "Adolescence" as the topic for the evening. The speaker will be Dr. Rice, psychologist from the Board of Education. Two films will be presented—"The Meaning of Adolescence" and "Meeting the Needs of Adolescence". A discussion period will follow and all parents will be encouraged to ask questions.

This year the North End PTA, starting with the film "Sippy and the 3 R's" has discussed and highlighted various areas which touch each child in the school. This final meeting is an effort on the part of the PTA to reach beyond the elementary years and help to prepare the parents in some slight degree for the very real changes which are about to take place in their children, Mrs. Garen stated. All Greenbelt parents are invited to attend.

Library Accepted Into County System

The Greenbelt library has been accepted by the county library system, it was disclosed Monday night, May 15, at the city council meeting. A letter from Grace Gosnell, county library board president, stated that the board is "pleased" to admit the Greenbelt library now that the \$6200 supplemental appropriation by the county commissioners has been made. Miss Gosnell asserted that the integration should not materially damage the existing libraries in the county. However, she requested a sum of \$1800 for re-binding books.

Rev. Robert Hull, chairman of the city-appointed library committee said that recent discussions with county library officials lead him to believe that no serious reduction in service will be felt in Greenbelt.

Hull's committee will prepare a report to the council "evaluating" or "comparing" library service under the city and county. City manager Charles McDonald inquired whether the committee felt qualified to make an evaluation since library operation is a specialized field. Members of the council favored the word "comparison" and approved such a report; they felt, however, that a fair trial should encompass "over a year's" operation by the county.

A request by county library board president Gosnell to be informed of the report was rebuffed by councilman James Smith, who declared the report strictly a city document, and should be withheld from the county in order to insure an impartial judgement and comparison. A record of the present program to be sent to the county was approved, however, to guide the county library system in its operation.

Asked whether the city could supplement the salary of the city librarian, McDonald declared that it would interfere with the county salary scale, which is now being studied. (The librarian is expected to take a salary cut of several hundred dollars under county operation.)

McDonald also explained that the county selects the librarian and assistants who must qualify and meet certain standards. First consideration will be given present personnel.

McDonald added that the \$1800 sum requested for binding appears exorbitant as the present books are in good repair and that a much smaller sum would be adequate for this purpose.

Lions Club Plans Big Memorial Day Picnic

The Greenbelt Lions Club Memorial Day Picnic will feature games of all types for all ages—pony rides, basketball throw and others.

A bicycle will be given away as a prize. Those making purchases at any booth will be given a chance on the bicycle. Some lucky person will take home the prize.

The picnic will be held at the lake after the Memorial Day ceremonies at the Center.

What Goes On

Thursday, May 19 - Co-op Kindergarten meets in Home Economics Room of the Center School at 8:30 p.m.

Saturday, May 21 - Square Dance sponsored by North End School PTA and Greenbelt Band at North End School auditorium at 8 p.m. High Point PTA School Fair, 2-9 p.m.

JCC Card Party 8:30 p.m. Navy Wives Card Parties. Contact Mrs. Heiser 2667.

Sunday, May 22 - Music Program Community Church 5 p.m.

Tuesday, May 24 - North End School PTA meeting at 8:30 p.m.

Thursday, May 26 - Kindergarten elections Home Economics Room Center School at 8:30 p.m.

Monday, May 31 - Lions Club Memorial Day Picnic at the lake.

GCA Features Filmed Interview By Marrow

An interview with atomic scientist J. Robert Oppenheimer by television commentator Edward Marrow will be presented on sound film by the Greenbelt Citizens Association Monday, May 23 at 8 p.m. in the Home Economics Room of Center School.

The film attraction will be followed by election of an executive board of seven members to conduct the affairs of the association for the next year. According to the bylaws adopted at the last meeting, the executive board will elect the officers from among its seven members.

Matthew Amberg, chairman of the nominations committee, has announced that the following have agreed to be candidates for the executive board: Walter Volckhausen, George Reeves, Leonard Baron, Hal Silvers, Jane Hunt, Eleanor Ritchie, and Robert Varney. Additional nominations will be requested from the floor. All residents of Greenbelt are eligible to participate and vote as members.

There will be a report from the City Council's committee of citizens on the library question, headed by the Rev. Robert C. Hull. The Community Development committee, of which Leonard Baron is chairman, will report on the status of industrial zoning and of plans for a city hall with indoor recreation facilities.

Co-op Kindergarten Meets 8:30 Tonight

An important meeting of the Greenbelt Cooperative Kindergarten to discuss and vote on By-Law changes will be held tonight at 8:30 p.m. in the Home Economics room at the Center school. Elections will be held the following week, May 26, the same time and place. The following slate was presented by the nominations and elections committee: President, Mrs. Jennie Klein; Vice President (Center), Mrs. Leslie Robinson and Mrs. Albert Herling, (North End), Mrs. Marian Hatton and Mrs. Helene Mayoock; Financial Secretary (Center a.m.), Mrs. Boyd Nelson and Mrs. Raymond Finley, (p.m.), Mrs. Albert Wayne and Mrs. Robert Leo, North End, Mrs. Regis Cozad and Mrs. Joseph O'Loughlin; Secretary, Mrs. Vernon Ely and Mrs. Joseph Wilkinson; Treasurer, Mrs. Helen Rubin.

Both current and new members are urged to attend.

GVHC Members Discuss What To Do With Profit From Sale Of Land

By Al Skolnik

"Confidence and optimism in the future" was the keynote of Greenbelt Veteran Housing Corporation's quarterly membership meeting Monday evening, May 16. As the result of the sale of the undeveloped land to Warner-Kanter Construction Company, GVHC President Ed Burgoon declared, the coming years will see many advantages accruing to GVHC and the community.

Under the terms of the sales agreement, GVHC will realize approximately \$150,000 over a five-year period from the sale of its wholly-owned subsidiary, Greenbelt Land Improvement Corporation. The first installment of \$16,650 will be due on December 1, 1955. Annual payments of \$21,000, \$25,000, \$39,000, and \$48,000 will be made in subsequent years. After deductions for attorney's fees and other expenses incurred in the sales transaction, the balance will constitute clear profit for GVHC.

How to dispose of this profit, Burgoon continued, is one of the pleasant problems facing GVHC board of directors and the membership. One of the proposals being given serious consideration by the board is the establishment of a revolving fund which would be used to help members resell their homes. Such a fund could purchase homes outright from departing members and could help finance the down payments of newly-bought members. In this way, members, who are forced by circumstances to leave Greenbelt on short notice, will reduce the risk of having to sell their homes on the open market at a considerable loss.

Other suggested uses for the money include a landscaping program, both for GVHC common property and individual property, a

Cerebral Palsy Drive

The United Cerebral Palsy Campaign will be held Wednesday, May 25, from 7 to 9 p.m. Volunteers to help with the door to door canvass, should come to the City Office at 6:30 p.m.

Center PTA Elects Solomon President

Morris Solomon was elected president of the Center School Parent-Teachers Association at the final meeting of that group in the Center school auditorium Tuesday night.

Other officers named to serve with Solomon during the 1955-56 school year were Janet Cox, vice-president; Alberta Tompkins, secretary; and Emanuel Dondy, treasurer.

In an unannounced portion of the program, Solomon presented a personal gavel set on behalf of the Association to outgoing president Harold Hufendick, praising him for his "shining example of inspired leadership" during the year just closed. The gavel was one of two hand-made and contributed by Donald Kern. The second gavel will be used by the PTA president, beginning this fall.

The new officers were installed during an impressive candle-light ceremony by Hannah Long, principal.

Entertainment was provided earlier in the evening by Erica Thimey and a group of Greenbelt children who have been studying modern dance with her during the past year.

United Jewish Appeal

Ethel Rosenzweig, Greenbelt Captain for the 1955 United Jewish Appeal, announces the following volunteer workers: Nettie Granims, Helen Justman, Miriam Solomon, Jeanette Zubkoff, Joe Dalis, Bernadine Sisco, Frances Miller, Marion Hatton, Blanche Kramer, Ruth Newman and Frieda Vernoff.

The United Jewish Appeal aids in the settlement and rehabilitation of newcomers in Israel, provides medical, institutional and religious education aid for the sick, the aged and the handicapped. The year the UJA expects to settle 30,000 persons in Israel from tension-ridden Tunisia and Morocco.

Respond generously when the UJA calls upon you. "Save lives—while there is still time."

program for building new garages and off-street parking lots, new storage areas for GVHC maintenance equipment, and beautifying the contiguous area along the Washington-Baltimore freeway.

Burgoon emphasized that the final decision as to the disposition of the profit accruing from the land sale would rest in the hands of the membership. The board's role would be confined to offering recommendations to the membership. Elliott Bukzin suggested that a special committee be set up to evaluate the different proposals.

Burgoon also reported that the attitude of the Warner-Kanter firm toward the future development of Greenbelt in accordance with the master plan is encouraging. As an example of its positive approach, the construction firm has indicated a desire to promote some project which would benefit the community as a whole, and requested the board for specific suggestions. Among the suggestions made by the board were the establishment of a child-care center, construction of a fire-house, additional playgrounds, and a recreation center, and renovation of the lake-side area.

Despite the absence of a quorum, the possibilities of future Greenbelt development kindled a spirited discussion among those present. Questioned as to the building plans of Warner-Kanter, Burgoon stated that as far as he knew the firm was still planning to start operations this year. Any construction undertaken this year will have to be in the Green Valley area (opposite the Greenbelt lake) since that is the only area having available sewer and water pipe connections. Burgoon thought that the homes built would be in the \$13,000-\$18,000 price range.

Another question from the floor brought out the fact that GVHC has no liability in the two unsold houses, built by Greenbelt Community Builders at the juncture of Hillside and Northway Extended. Sewer and water connections are now being installed in preparation for the sale of the two homes. GVHC stands to gain as much as \$700 per lot if the homes are sold at a profit. If the homes are sold at cost or below cost, then GVHC will merely forgo the profit.

Paint Program

Frank Gonda of 51-G Ridge raised the question of future policy regarding the painting program. He felt the board should revive the original 5-year revolving plan whereby one-fifth of the houses in Greenbelt would be painted every year through arrangements with a private contractor. He declared that the "do-it-yourself" paint program had too many defects, among which were the patchwork pattern created by individual painting of a few homes in each court, the risk of possible injury to amateur painters climbing ladders, and the physical and mental disinclination of some members to engage in such labor.

Charles Cormack, former member of the budget committee, pointed out that the funds set aside for contract painting were diverted to repair gutters and downspouts and for putting and window-sill priming. It was felt by the board that this work was needed to prevent the expensive deterioration that would occur among homes which couldn't be painted until the fifth year.

GVHC manager Paul Campbell pointed out that through the do-it-yourself program, more houses have been painted so far than would have been painted under the 5-year revolving program. Some of the members, however, expressed a feeling that over the long run a more systematic painting policy would have to be worked out, since there would always be homes left unpainted under a do-it-yourself program.



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To The Editor

To the Editor:

Unfortunately, the manner in which the names of the candidates for the Board of Directors of GCS, have been presented on the ballot leaves much to be desired. First, the names of the candidates nominated by the Congress are listed, then the names of the other candidates. Then, a space is provided in which one vote is cast for all four of the Congress' nominees, by simply checking one box - and then - space is provided in which the member must write in the names of his choices among the six candidates, instead of having a space beside the name of each which he can check to show his preference. Many members have come to me and indicated their resentment to this form of ballot. I was even advised to obtain a restraining order from the courts to force the cancellation of this election and require that a new ballot be submitted to the membership which would provide equal opportunity to all the candidates, and give the members a more democratic method of selecting those they want to represent them on the Board.

After much thought, I decided that, rather than take such drastic measures, I could trust the intelligence of the members and rely on them to choose from among the six candidates those they believed would best serve their interests.

GCS belongs to the members. The Board of Directors is chosen by the members to run it for them.

Every member should come to the meeting at the movie theatre on Thursday, May 26, at 8 p.m., to personally express their choice and to take part in the conduct of the affairs of the co-op. Those who are unable to come should be sure to make their own choice on the ballots sent to them and be sure to mail them in before May 23. At the local area meeting, Greenbelt members selected me on the first ballot to represent them in the Coop Congress. Members of GCS have chosen me for three years to represent them on the Board. It is up to them to decide whether they still want me to serve them in the same capacity. They can do so by writing my name in on the ballot as their choice for the Board.

Sam Schwimer.

Katharine Ann Loftus Receives "T" Award

Katharine Ann Loftus, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Joseph P. Loftus of 7-J Crescent, has been selected for the "T" pin award of Trinity College, Washington, D. C. This is the highest honor given by the college and is awarded on the basis of outstanding character, leadership, scholarship and service.

A graduate of the Academy of Notre Dame, Miss Loftus, on scholarship to Trinity, has maintained high scholastic standing, served four years on the Student Council, three years as a class officer and two years as a national officer of the National Federation of Catholic College Students. At present she is secretary of the Senior Class and College and University Relief Administrator for the NFCCS. A History-Government major, minor in Economics, Miss Loftus was earlier selected to appear in Who's Who in American Colleges and Universities. The gold "T", symbolizing the

PARKING PROBLEM

To the Editor:

After finishing our shopping at the Greenbelt Grocery Store last Saturday, I went out the door carrying my 5-month old baby. My husband, meanwhile, was paying for the groceries. I opened the door with a natural push only to have it rebound and hit my baby on the side of her head. It seems someone parked their wagon between the two doors. So, of course, when the door was opened, it hit the wagon and rebounded with force. There was plenty of room for the wagon down by the windows where buggies, wagons, etc., are supposed to be. Luckily, my baby suffered only a bad bump, but had she been able to walk, she would have undoubtedly been knocked down. I tried to stop the door with my elbow, but the force was too great.

This letter is written in hopes that people will park wagons and other vehicles where they belong, down away from the doors. Accidents can easily be prevented by thinking first.

Sincerely,
A Housewife and Mother.

REUNION

To the Editor:

The Greenbelt High School Class of 1945 is planning to hold its ten year reunion on June 4, 1955. However, we are unable to locate the following people: Dorothy Dennis, Evelyn Mason, Patricia Robinson, Margaret Sweeny, Jean Werz, Daryl Smallwood, and Mary Jane Townsend. Anyone having information please contact Mrs. Ellen Gussio Domchick, 11964 Andrew Street, Wheaton, Md. (LOgan 5-8761).

Marilyn Maryn Spiegel.

Attention Music Lovers

A program of great interest to music lovers will be given in Community Church this Sunday afternoon, May 22, at 5 p.m., when Mrs. Edna White, soprano, will sing several arias from famous oratorios—Handel's "Joshua," Haydn's "The Creation," Mendelssohn's "Elijah." The solo cantata "My Jesus is my lasting joy" by Buxtehude for two flutes and soprano, will open the program, with George Townsend and Helen Hoffman, flutists. Townsend will play a sonata of Telemann for flute.

The very varied program should be of interest to all, and the public is cordially invited to attend at no charge. Miss Elizabeth Goetze, Minister of music of the Church, will be the accompanist, in the hour program.

High Point School Plans Family Fair

Fun for the family is what the students and PTA at High Point High School are planning at the School Fair on Saturday, May 21, from 2 to 9 p.m. There will be door prizes, games, pony rides, auctions, refreshments and many other activities sponsored by each of the 58 home rooms. Homemade bake goods, plants, fancy work, costume jewelry and gadgets will be among the various items for sale.

The fair is being held to help the students raise \$3,000 to buy uniforms for their varsity band.

college ideals, was presented at a formal assembly by Sister Mary Patrick, S.N.D., President of the College.



Marion Hatton - 3251

Elaine Skolnik - 7586

Mr. and Mrs. Paul Wirth, 11-L Laurel Hill, are the proud parents of a new baby boy. Charles Gilbert was born in Prince Georges Hospital on April 28 and weighed seven pounds, five ounces. He has a sister, Sandra Ann (5½) and a brother, Paul Richard Jr. (3).

The Albert Ellerins, 7-A Hillside and the Noel Almodovers, 8-B Hillside, entertained their cousins, Dr. and Mrs. Harold Sharp of Leeds, England over the weekend.

Last weekend the Kramer family, 5-H Ridge attended the wedding of Mrs. Kramer's brother, Bernard Fishman in Brooklyn.

Mrs. Edna McKinney, 45-R Ridge is back home after spending several weeks with her son, Sidney McKinney and family in Bridgeport, West Virginia. She also visited her daughter Maxine Rye in Alexandria, Virginia.

Very happy to hear that Laurie Lazeroff is now home at 6-C Hillside. Laurie had her appendix removed on May 11 but she is recuperating nicely now.

Make a note of the new phone number of the Perelzweig family. It's now GRanite 4-8797.

On May 11 Brownie Troop No. 2 hiked to the Lake for a cook-out. They enjoyed franks and trimmings and "Happy" provided the dessert. They want to thank Mrs. King for her assistance.

Mrs. Seymour Kaplan, 71-H Ridge has her mother Mrs. Minnie Lessin of Brooklyn visiting her.

Last Sunday Clifford Schein, 6-Q Ridge celebrated his eleventh birthday in high style. His Dad, Nat, took him and his friends to Griffith Stadium for a double-header. Needless to say, a marvelous time was had by all!

Mr. and Mrs. Martin Gussman and their two children of Brooklyn are the houseguests of the H. Gersons, 45-D Ridge, this week.

Rosalie Sirlin, 5-L Eastway, will present a concert on May 23 at the Phillips Gallery. The concert is free and the public is invited. The time is 8:30 p.m.

Mr. John F. Day was a guest of Mr. and Mrs. R. B. Miller, 1-A Woodland Way from Tuesday through Friday. He is from White Sands, New Mexico.

Libby Miller is recuperating from an appendectomy performed at Prince Georges Hospital Thursday night. She came home Monday. Libby is eight years old.

The Girl Scouts of Greenbelt are looking for used shower curtains, large pieces of plastic, or canvas ground cloths. For pickup call 7437 or 7926.

En route from Florida to their home in New York, Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Ryss visited their son Murray and family.

The Bukzin family, 6-N Ridge had a super time in New York last weekend. Staying at the St. George Hotel, they went to the United Nations, Coney Island, Radio City, and visited relatives.

The Morris Steinmans, 1-A Crescent, also in New York last weekend met the Bukzins for a good time last Saturday night and while eating in a restaurant the fuel pump was stolen from Morris' car.

Gladys Chasnoff, 45-N Ridge has her mother Mrs. Kramer from Wilkes-Barre, Pennsylvania visiting with her.

Last Friday Intermediate Troop 146 camped out overnight at Camp Conestoga. Despite the rain they had a good time.

Mr. and Mrs. Milburn Pehl announce the arrival on May 13 of

Bonnie Elaine. Bonnie made her debut at Prince Georges Hospital and joins a sister, Wendy who was two years old on May 11. Dorothy's mother, Mrs. Casswell has come up from Florida to lend a helping hand.

A letter from Ronnie Taylor now stationed in Heidelberg, Germany reports he is now receiving the "News Review" and is delighted. He wants to say "hello" to all his friends. You too can have the "News Review" sent free of charge to a local serviceman. Contact Muriel Burrows - 4821.

Mr. and Mrs. Robert Siehl, 10-J Plateau, increased the population of Greenbelt on April 28 with a baby girl.

Are you tired of NOT seeing your name in print? Call us at 3251 or 7586 and we will guarantee that your news will receive town-wide circulation.

Mr. and Mrs. William Monson are the proud parents of a baby boy. William M. was born in Prince Georges Hospital on April 21 and weighed seven pounds, eleven ounces. He joins two sisters and a brother at 14-J Laurel Hill.

Visiting 7-E Crescent last weekend was Bill Krasner, Vera Krug's brother, who stopped off on his way to New York where next Wednesday he will receive a fellowship award from the American Academy of Arts and Letters. Bill's third novel, "North of Welfare," was recently published by Harpers.

JCC SUNDAY SCHOOL

Starting May 22, all Sunday School classes will be held at the new JCC Building, Ridge and Westway. A Shavuot-Tercentenary assembly will be celebrated by the children and interested guests on May 22 at 10 a.m. There will be no classes on May 29.

June 5 at 2 p.m. closing exercises will be held for the Sunday School.

Catholic Church

Rev. Victor J. Dowgiallo, Pastor GR 3-5911

Confessions: Saturday afternoon, 3:30 to 5:30 p.m. for children, and 7 to 9 p.m. for adults.

Sunday: Masses; 7:30, 8:30, 9:30 and 11 a.m. This is family communion Sunday. Religious instruction classes are held each Sunday after the 8:30 Mass for Catholic children attending public schools. Parish Library open after all masses on Sunday. Baptisms: 1 p.m. Please contact Father Dowgiallo beforehand.

Wednesday: Miraculous Medal Novena at 8 p.m., followed by Benediction of the Most Blessed Sacrament.

Schedule for Forty Hours: May 22 through 23, opening at 11 a.m. Mass Sunday, May 22, with Procession and Solemn Benediction. Forty Hours Devotion recalls to Catholics the 40 hours the body of our Lord remained in the tomb before the resurrection on Easter Morning.

Night Services: 8 p.m. each evening, Sunday, Monday and Tuesday. Father Driscoll of Amendale, Maryland will be preacher.

Masses: Monday and Tuesday, High Mass sung by St. Hugh's school children.

Methodist Church

North End School
Stanley F. Knock, Jr., Minister
42-L Ridge Road - Phone 9410
Sunday, May 22 - 9:30 a.m., Sunday School Service. Classes for all ages. Herbert Irvin, Superintendent. 11 a.m., morning worship conducted by Rev. Knock. The sermon is "Spring Institute."

Thursday, May 26 - 8 p.m., Choir rehearsal, Room 122, Center School. The first half hour is open to the congregation for a general hymn sing.

Lutheran Church

Edward H. Birner, Pastor
Telephone: GR 3-2553
Sunday, May 22: 9:45 a.m., Sunday School and adult Bible Class. Classes held for all age groups. Raymond Carriere, Superintendent. 8:30 and 11 a.m., Church Services. Sermon by Pastor Birner. Visitors are always welcome.
Tuesday, May 24: 7:30 p.m., Waltham League Bowling League banquet at the Bonat Restaurant.

Hebrew Services

Hebrew Services Friday night at 8 p.m. Candlelighting time 7:50 p.m. Saturday morning - Youth Training Program for Sabbath Services at 10 a.m.

Portion of the week, Bamidbar - containing the history of the Israelites in the Desert. (Chapter I.)

Community Church

Ministers
Eric T. Braund, Robert C. Hull
Secretary and Minister of Music
A. Elizabeth Goetze
Phone GRanite 3-7931
Thursday, May 19: 8 p.m., Parish Life Committee, Church Study. 8:15. Discussion group at Ellen Linson's, 14-E Crescent.
Friday, May 20: 7:30, Cub Pack, Social Hall.
Sunday, May 22: Morning Worship at 9 and 11, with Mr. Braund preaching, "Pathways to Power." Church School meets as follows: 9 and 11, nursery, primary, and kindergarten; 10, Junior, Junior and Senior High, college age, adults. 5, Song recital. Mrs. Edna White, Soprano. 6, Junior High Fellowship; 7, Senior High Pilgrim Fellowship, meet at church and then go for a treasure hunt and wiener roast.

Tuesday, May 24: 8, Fidelis Bible Class. Church Study.
Sunday, May 29: Pentecost, Sacrament of Holy Communion and Reception of New Members.

Baptist Chapel

Glenn W. Samuelson, Pastor
4-E Hillside - GRanite 4-9424
Friday, May 19 - 7:30 to 9 p.m., Visitation program.

Sunday, May 22 - 9:45 p.m., Sunday school. Classes for all ages. John S. Stewart, Jr., Superintendent. Visitors welcome. 11 p.m., Morning worship service. Rev. L. Philip Samuelson, pastor of the First Baptist Church of Schenectady, will preach on "The Road Ahead" based on Isaiah 40:1-8. The choir will sing and a children's sermon will be given by the pastor. 6 p.m., Training Union for all ages. Mrs. John S. Stewart, Jr., Director. 7 p.m., Evening worship service. Informal hymn singing and reports of the Southern Baptist Convention by the pastor, Rev. Glenn W. Samuelson, and of the American Baptist Convention by Rev. L. Philip Samuelson.

Thursday, May 26 - 7:30, Mid-week service at the Parsonage. Hymn singing, devotional message, prayer, and study in visitation, "Qualifying as a Visitor." 8:30, Choir rehearsal.

VOTE FOR

SAM SCHIMER

FOR

GCS Board of Directors

("Write-in" Candidate)

— Mail Ballot Before May 23 —

GVHC Pays \$5,324.74 Legal Fee on Land Sale

By Mat Amberg
Approval of a \$5,324.74 legal bill in connection with the vacant land sale, and awarding of GVHC's oil contract for the coming year to Southern States Cooperative after spirited bidding, were two of several actions taken at last Friday night's GVHC executive board meeting.

The \$5,324.74 bill was presented by Krooth & Altman, the Washington law firm retained by GVHC for \$760 a year to advise on land matters and deal with PHA. The annual retainer, GVHC President Ed Burgoon explained, does not cover the extra work the lawyers did on the vacant land sale. Major item

in the bill was \$4,900 for legal services, at \$25 an hour; the rest was for expenses.

The GVHC board, on motion by Frank Lastner, unanimously voted to pay the bill after several members stated their view that it was not unreasonable. Burgoon recalled that, because there had been a different arrangement on billing last year, Krooth & Altman were unpaid for the many hours they put in on the abortive negotiations to sell the vacant land to Johnson-Crooks. The motion was approved by the eight board members present; Treasurer John Pharris was the only one absent.

Also passed unanimously was Al Long's motion to award the oil contract to Southern States, which manager Paul Campbell said had made the best overall bid, though Stuart's made the lowest bid on No. 2 oil. However, Stuart's was higher on No. 6, offered no patronage dividends, and—unlike the other firms bidding—was unwilling to accept only part of GVHC's oil business. Southern States estimates, Campbell said, that overall they probably will return to GVHC about 3 percent, or about

\$7,720, in patronage dividends this coming year on the basis of 1954 experience.

Campbell reported to the Board that Southern States gave pretty good service last year, improving over the past. In answer to board member Leland Leasia's question whether the firm had paid for injuries inflicted a year ago by its oil truck to young Jimmy Shores in 10 Court Southway, Burgoon said its insurance did. He declared that the truck driver was not at fault. The drivers are unaccompanied.

Lastner urged that the Southern States oil truck drivers be told to meet with the Greenbelt patrolman when they make deliveries into courts which must be backed into, so the patrolman can supervise the children's safety. Campbell maintained the firm couldn't afford to have them take the time, hunting up the patrolman, nor could any other firm. Lastner insisted that the children's safety comes first, but ultimately a compromise understanding was reached that the driver should ask a parent in the courts to watch the children during deliveries.

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Three

\$1,000 Offered City For Free Polio Shots

Almost \$1000 was offered the city for use in providing free polio shots for local children by Sid Rubin, representing the former Greenbelt Health Association. The money represents sums remaining after the health group dissolved, and has been put aside for some useful purpose, Rubin explained to the city council Monday, May 16.

County health officer, Dr. Englar, has informed Rubin that the sum could provide 200 children with their first two shots, if the shots are administered free of charge by local physicians. Rubin asked the council to discuss this with the doctors, and to provide necessary funds if they require a fee for their services.

Although Rubin felt the children entering first grade should be given the shots, city manager Charles McDonald disclosed that priorities set up by federal officials may determine the age group to get them; Rubin agreed to this.

Councilman Thomas Canning called the gesture by GHA "generous and public spirited." James Smith, councilman, declared, "You couldn't have selected a better cause . . . an outstanding offer."

Sid Rubin is former treasurer of GHA; Murray Ryss was acting chairman. Other members of the group making the offer are Lars Bronstein and Jessie Walter. Rubin revealed that the former directors of the health association were authorized to dispose of the money as they saw fit. "It is going back where it came from—the people," Rubin stated.

Minister's Brother To Preach Sunday

Rev. L. Philip Samuelson, pastor of the First Baptist Church of Schenectady, New York, will preach at the Baptist Chapel Sunday at 11 a.m. in the Center School.



Rev. L. Philip Samuelson

Rev. Samuelson, the older brother of Rev. Glenn W. Samuelson, pastor of the Greenbelt Baptist Chapel, has chosen as his subject "The Road Ahead."

Trained at the Eastern Baptist Theological Seminary, Philadelphia, Mr. Samuelson served as a missionary to the Hopi Indians in Arizona, and was pastor of the First Baptist Church of Newton Square, Pa. He has been in Schenectady for the past two and one half years.

Mr. Samuelson is one of the tallest ministers in America, towering to the height of six and one half feet. He is attending the American Baptist Convention in Atlantic City and will drive to Greenbelt for this service.

Rev. Glenn W. Samuelson of Greenbelt, is attending the Southern Baptist Convention in Miami, Florida, and will return early Sunday morning to conduct the morning worship and to be here when his brother preaches.

The Samuelson brothers will bring reports of the two major Baptist Conventions during the evening service.

Card Party Planned JCC Saturday Nite

The public is invited to the card party to be held by the Women's Group of the Prince Georges Jewish Community Center, on Saturday, May 21 at 8:30 p.m. in the JCC Building, Westway and Ridge. Refreshments will be served while bridge, duplicate bridge, poker, mah jong and scrabble are played.

New Non-Fiction

"Gertrude Lawrence as Mrs. A." Aldrich; "The Day Lincoln Was Shot." Bishop; "Facts of Life for Children." Child Study Ass'n. of America; "Two Minutes 'Til Midnight." Davis; "Why Johnny Can't Read—What You Can Do About It." Flesch; "Gift from the Sea." Lindbergh; "Look Better. Feel Better." Mensendieck; "No Man is an Island." Merton.

G.C.A. Meets

8:00 p.m., Mon., May 23

Home Economics Room
Center School

8:00 FILM

- Edward R. Murrow interviews J. Robert Oppenheimer—Last year's most talked about TV program.

8:30 AGENDA

- Election of officers. 7 member executive board; nominations accepted from the floor.
- Library Committee Report.
- Recreation Program Committee Report.
- Community Development Committee Report on—(1) city rezoning for industrial use. (2) Status of plans for civic center building.
- Other questions of civic interest.

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Recreation News

By Donald Wolfe

Softball:

Greenbelt has a softball league it can be proud of. Teams entered in this league are the best in and around Washington. Thus far, the city has made a good showing. Standings as of Monday, May 16:

Team	Won	Lost
Myron & Cowell	4	1
Mt. Rainier	4	1
Greenbelt Co-op	2	2
Cross Roads	2	2
Khotty Pine	2	3

Swimming Pool:

The swimming pool will open Saturday, May 28. Hours for pool operation until June 15; Saturday and Sunday, 1 to 7 p.m.; week days, 4 to 7 p.m. Swimming lessons for Greenbelt residents: June 16 for registration; instruction for adults, Saturday, June 18, 9 to 12; instruction for children, Monday, June 20, 9 to 12.

Admission price for residents of Greenbelt will be the same as last year. Registration fee for instruction is two dollars.

PANAGOULIS SPEAKS

Chief George F. Panagoulis of the Prince Georges County Police will discuss municipal and county police relations at the regular monthly meeting of the Prince Georges County Municipal Association to be held at 8 p.m., Thursday, May 19, at the fire house in Riverdale.

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Our Neighbors 2 Day Camps Begin For County Kids

Behind the popular OUR NEIGHBORS column in the Greenbelt News Review is the idea that names make the news. It seems to Marian Hatton, who writes it, that the column is most important to children, from eight (when they can read), up to beyond the teens. Seeing their own and their friends' names in the paper, reading about their birthdays and outings, delights these youngsters. Her chore of digging for news of Greenbelt's citizens is worthwhile, Marian feels. The OUR NEIGHBORS column helps promote that friendliness among young and old so characteristic of small town life. Everyone loves to be known and to know almost all his neighbors, and songs to feel important and secure in friendly surroundings. The OUR NEIGHBORS feature reflects this. It's a mistake to refer to it as "just a gossip column". Every bit of news is carefully verified by checking with the people concerned for accuracy and details. All items are approved by the people involved before they are included in a column.

Marian and her friend and neighbor, Elaine Skolnick, who is her helper, start putting OUR NEIGHBORS together by phoning various "contacts", i.e. friends and acquaintances, for news. Items they collect from these calls are verified by further calling. Often, while verifying these items, other leads are uncovered. These "tips" are verified by more phoning to these other people. One thing leads to another, and a column gets done. The column is completely done, actually, only after it all gets written up in a readable, attractive form. Lately, Prince Georges Hospital has been sending along their lists of births to the paper for Marian's information. She wishes other hospitals, including those in the District, which also launch new Greenbelt citizens, would do the same.

Marian and Elaine (3251 and 7586 respectively) are girls who welcome phone calls, as long as it's column material at the other end; Whoever calls doesn't need to provide any details, for details are learned upon verification. It is enough for the caller to mention the event. Guest arrivals, anniversaries, trips, births, celebrations, illnesses, etc. all belong in the column. News of former Greenbelters who've moved away is usually of interest to former neighbors. Friends living here who are still in contact with them, are a good source of such news.

Most persons' modesty and the belief that what happens to them couldn't be interesting or important keeps them from giving Marian and Elaine the news they seek. Marian and Elaine want to emphasize that it is all quite important and interesting. Witness the eagerness with which readers go for the OUR NEIGHBORS column, and the fact that it is a feature dearly cherished by the News Review editor.

Marian and Elaine find their job stimulating. Every job from proof-reading to writing a column has been stimulating to Marian in the nearly four years she's been with the paper. The Hattons have been in Greenbelt for four and a half years. Art Hatton works for the Montgomery County division of the Maryland National Capital Park and Planning Commission. His scale model of a recreation center and Master Plan of Parks map are now on display in Hecht Company, Main Store (DC) window. It will be exhibited in Hecht's Trade Fair later in the month. Between phone calls and community activities Marian manages a household of husband, house, and two young children, a boy and a girl, very nicely.

Elaine Skolnick is a busy mother of two girls, absorbed in many outside interests as well. She is new to the News Review staff, but has already become indispensable to Marian. Her husband Al, has been helping out on the Greenbelt Veteran Housing Corporation reportorial beat. His by-line appeared on the front page a couple of

PTA Elects Officers For Coming Year

Over one hundred Band and Glee Club members of the Greenbelt Junior High School participated in the Spring Festival program given for the Parents and Teachers Association last Wednesday evening in the school gymnasium. The meeting was well attended by members and many visitors. All parents of children who expect to be enrolled in the Greenbelt Junior High School next year received invitations to this program.

Following the musical program, a business meeting was held at which a large United States flag, was presented to Mr. Francis Furgang, principal, for the High School. The gift was presented on behalf of the PTA.

A resolution was presented by Dr. Louis Madsen of the executive committee instructing the secretary to send a letter to the Prince Georges County Board of Education commending the excellent work done by Mr. Furgang and the teaching of the school. This motion was unanimously accepted.

The following were elected to serve for the 1955-56 school year: Percy H. Andros, president; Mrs. Vivian Pines, 1st vice-president; David Reznikoff, 2nd vice-president; Mrs. Harry Grant, secretary; Mrs. Onda Heckathorn, treasurer, and Mrs. Katherine Anderson, historian.

SCOUT TROOP 202

A Court of Honor for Scout Troop 202 was held Thursday, May 12, at the Community Church. Paul Crossen, District Commissioner for Prince Georges County, assisted by Samuel Cress, Advancement Awards Chairman of Troop 202, Mack Walden, Scoutmaster, and William Cratty, Assistant Scoutmaster, presented awards to. First Class: Billy Edwards and Jimmy Hunt; Second Class: David Dalbow, John Haggerty, Bobby Hoffman, Bruce Miller, Dennis Moore, Richard Moss, James Morgan, Edward Raduazo, Eugene Rhodes, and Jack Thomas.

Merit Badges in Pioneering and Home Repairs were given to Lance Walden and Eddy Moody. A Special Award was given to Bobby Hoffman, first Scout of Troop 202 to sell 10 tickets for the Boy Scout Circus at Griffith Stadium, Friday and Saturday, May 27 and 28.

Long Time Residents Leave For Colorado

Mr. and Mrs. Paul Featherby left Monday for Houston, Texas, to visit their daughter and family before going on to Colorado to make their home. This couple lived in Greenbelt seventeen years at their former home, 19-A Ridge. Here, first group meetings were held which later became the Community Church, and the first by-laws were written and later revised there. Here, also, the church guild was organized and named. Mrs. Featherby also helped to organize the Fidelis Bible Class, named it and served many times as president. Two years ago she organized the cradle roll of the church and has carried on the work.

Mrs. Lillian Mitchell and Mrs. Featherby organized the first Brownie Troop in Greenbelt and later on had a Scout Troop for several years. The Methodist group also met in her home and their WSCS was organized in her home. Mrs. Featherby served as their first president.

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Navy Wives Card Party

Members of the Truman Riddle Navy Wives Club will hold benefit card parties in their homes on Saturday, May 21. Door prizes will be given to the lucky number holders, and individual high and low prizes will be awarded the card players. The door prizes have been donated by Wolpe Jewelers, NEWS REVIEW SEVEN Everett Simons Menswear, Muth's, The Hecht Co., GCS and Veterans Liquors.

Anyone interested in playing bridge, canasta or pinochle, contact Mrs. Marjorie Heise, Gr. 3-2667.

Everybody welcome!

The Long View

One day last week one of my prides and joys currently struggling through the third grade asked me if I would help him with his home work. I know that as a good parent one should always be willing to lend one's gray matter to help educate the younger set, but, frankly, I'm not very good at it. No patience for one thing and for another I sometimes doubt if I could get through school again myself. It's not so much that they do things differently today in school as the fact that it's just plain tough. This time he kept after me, however, and I had to pitch in and help him (no one else being home at the time). Among other things, he had to write up a list of ten games.

The next morning Pat was looking over his home work and suddenly exclaimed, "Joseph! What's this?"

"That's the home work Daddy helped me with," he said.

"Well, you'll just have to do it all over again," she told him, and then proceeded to bowl me out. I guess you just can't bank on a sense of humor among mothers and teachers when it comes to home work. I thought a list of games which included blackjack, dice, faro, poker, chuck-a-luck and roulette would show ingenious thinking on the part of the lad, but apparently it would only show what a dissolute youth his father spent.

Talking about youth, I had young Mr. Herbert Hall, Sr. help me on a little stone masonry job last Saturday. I know he's past 70, but nevertheless, I worried for several days about whether I could keep up with him. Well, when we finished the day's work and he went off as nimble and chipper as could be, I collapsed on the davenport and am still nursing sore muscles. Brother, I'd hate to try and keep up with him forty years ago, and I was a hard-working young man, too.

Radio Ties Fire Dept. Into County Network

With the installation of the first radio in its fire-fighting equipment this week, the Greenbelt Volunteer Fire Department can now obtain speedy aid when needed from companies in neighboring areas, Chief Paul Williams reports. The new radio equipment makes the Greenbelt Department an effective part of the radio dispatch network of the Prince Georges Fire Association which covers and protects the entire county, Mr. Williams said.

The new set, tuned to the frequency of the County Fire Board, puts the local department in direct contact with the fire dispatcher at Hyattsville. Under county procedures, the Greenbelt Department notifies the Fire Board each time a piece of equipment goes on a call and thus alerts the Board to the possible need for additional equipment. If help is required in Greenbelt, a radio request to the Board will bring several neighboring companies to the city's aid.

A request for such aid was made here recently when the Fire Department and Rescue Squad were called out to look for a lost child. As darkness approached, additional help was requested and the first supporting company was already assisting in the search when a Greenbelt fireman found the child.

Arrangements for the purchase of a second radio set for Greenbelt fire-fighting equipment have already been made and the set will be installed in the near future, Chief Williams reports.

3 New Awards For Anthony M. Madden

Three additions will be made this week to the string of sales trophies won by Anthony M. Madden, Greenbelt's representative of the Farm Bureau Insurance Companies. Madden recently captured the top spot in the "Life Anniversary" contest among the Companies' 118 agents in the Metropolitan D. C. area.

Madden will receive his awards—a plaque, an engraved cup, and a pen-pencil-ball point pen set—at the Companies' annual "Victory Dinner" on May 6 at the Hotel 2400 in Washington.

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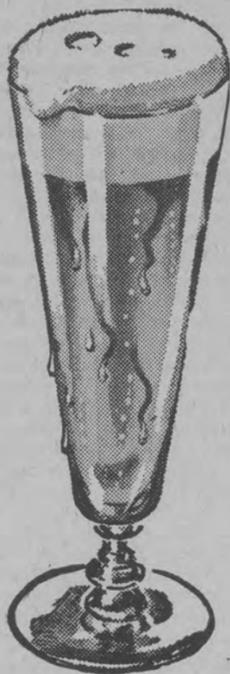
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Council Thrown Curves, Postpones Decision On Baseball Ordinance

By Isadore Parker

The city council took a hefty swing at the ballplaying problem in Greenbelt and settled for a base on balls Monday night, May 16. Consideration of an ordinance forbidding the playing of ball or striking a "missile" in designated public areas (other than Braden and McDonald fields) was tabled until the next meeting.

Councilman James Smith declared that the fundamental right of citizens to protect their windows, shrubs and other personal property superseded the right of youngsters to play ball in unauthorized areas. "The ordinance will only help police enforce such misuse," Smith said, adding, "I hope it won't deprive the kids of pleasure."

Opposed to the ordinance was councilman Ben Goldfaden, who called the ordinance "unenforceable" and said it would cause disharmony among the citizens. "Braden Field is too small to accommodate all the boys who want to play ball," he declared.

Wrong Way

Councilman Robert Hurst was "disturbed" by the ordinance as presented and declared "we are going about it in the wrong way." He felt the law would not do the job needed or satisfy citizens whose property has been damaged. Tom Canning reminded the council that it was a continuing problem and that the council had earlier agreed that the only solution was to provide more ball fields.

Appearing in protest of the proposal was Russell Shipley, 45-L Ridge. "I am opposed to that which deprives our children of the advantages for which Greenbelt was intended," he said. An informal survey reveals, Shipley told the condition of flowers and shrubs aren't as important as my children activities," he declared, adding that "children of toddler age should not wander freely."

Earl Thomas, 60-E Crescent, a strong supporter of the proposed baseball ordinance, informed the council he was only aware of the situation near his home. "Destruction is so prevalent," Thomas said, that some residents are prepared to move from Greenbelt unless ballplaying is halted in that area.

Another citizen, Harry Novick, 45-S Ridge, urged a compromise: no ball playing if it involves batting the ball, and setting certain areas aside for baseball while prohibiting it in other areas.

JCC Installs Officers At Dinner Ceremony

The first Rabbi to head an American Jewish congregation was paid \$6 a month; and the first kosher butcher shop was opened just one hundred years ago. These were some of the highlights of a speech given by Rabbi Meyer Greenberg, May 14, before more than one hundred members and guests at the installation of officers of the Jewish Community Center in its new building at Westway and Ridge. He compared the pioneer spirit of the congregation in building their Center themselves to that of the first American-Jewish communities.

Rabbi Greenberg, teacher and spiritual leader of Hillel House at the University of Maryland, was introduced by the master of ceremonies, Nat Shinderman. After his brief address the Rabbi installed the new Presidents and Vice-Presidents of the center and the women's group. These were Ben Rosenzweig, President; Moe Hoffman, Program Vice-President; Morris Steinman, Administrative Vice-President of the JCC, and Mrs. Frances Miller, President, and Mrs. Pauline Trattler, Vice-President, of the Women's Group. The remaining officers were installed by Abe Chasnoff, former president of the JCC. Mrs. Vivian Pines, outgoing president of the Women's Group, was presented with an original watercolor painted by Mrs. Betty Reznikoff. The installation was preceded by a cold turkey supper prepared by the Women's Group, and followed by dancing.

City Council Hears Recreation Report

The first in a series of reports about recreation was heard by the city council last Monday night, as Allen Chotiner, chairman of the city's recreation committee revealed results of the committees activities the past six weeks. Chotiner said his committee is going through a "fact-finding" phase at present which has disclosed the following.

The situation at the Drop-Inn is "acute." Attendance has dropped because of schedule conflicts in the use of the Center school building. Children favor Mt. Rainier's youth center at present, and this creates problems of hitch-hiking and youths on the road.

Mrs. Ellen Linson, county recreation director, has informed Chotiner that the county will participate in a playground program for the city, and is willing to provide personnel for the teen-age activities.

There is need for coordination of the various youth activities in the city among many civic organizations. Also the facilities of many organizations could be used more adequately. The present recreation program in Greenbelt is not "well-rounded" and top-heavy in sports and dancing. Not enough attention is paid to "cultural recreation."

Chotiner assured the council his committee was not a "fault-finding" group but solely interested in improving and coordinating the recreational programs in the city. He was instructed to put his report in writing for closer consideration by the council.

The Greenbelt City Council at its meeting on February 7 established a committee of five persons to be known as the "Recreation Advisory Committee."

The object of this committee is to consult with and advise the Greenbelt City Council, the City Manager and his staff on the development of a more extensive and well-rounded recreation program for the people of Greenbelt; on the improvement of the program now in effect; on promotion of proper and effective cooperation of all agencies and organizations in the community interested in recreational activities and programs so as to eliminate unnecessary duplication of effort; on the cooperation with Prince George's Recreation Board in programs which it conducts.

On Tuesday, May 3, at 8 p.m., in the City Council room, the Recreational Advisory Committee desires to meet with representatives of all Greenbelt organizations.

The Recreation Advisory Committee needs and urges the support of all organizations, groups, and individuals who are conducting programs of a recreational nature in Greenbelt. The committee cannot function effectively without the whole-hearted support of the entire community.

Summer School Plans

Dr. Wilbur Devilbiss, Director of the University of Maryland's Summer School has announced that the 1955 Summer session of the University of Maryland will open on Monday, June 27, 1955 and operate for six weeks, ending on August 5.

New undergraduate students are required to file applications for admission to the University with Mr. G. Watson Algire, Director of the University's Admission Office before June 10, 1955. The application must be accompanied by a certified copy of the student's previous school record. Registration for these students will be held with previously admitted graduate and undergraduate students

Recreation Group Reveals Program

Several interested organizations were represented at the Recreational Advisory Committee meeting on May 3, which discussed the development of a more extensive and well-rounded recreational program in Greenbelt.

Chairman Alan Chotiner pointed out that the objective of this committee is to consult with and advise the Greenbelt City Council, the City Manager and his staff, on the development of such a program with the support of all organizations, groups and individuals who are conducting programs of a recreational nature in Greenbelt. The instituting of any recreational program and its operation would appear to be the responsibility of the Town Manager and his staff, based upon recommendations from the Advisory Committee to the Town Council, the City Manager and his staff.

The individual members of the Committee are not empowered to act independently but only as a Committee, meeting at least once every month and submitting periodic reports of their findings and recommendations to the Town Council.

Of the many items under consideration is the Summer Playground program for Greenbelt. A Recreational Program to be furnished by the Prince Georges County Recreational Department has been offered, and the Board of Education has approved the use of the North End School for this activity, which will offer a diversified program including arts and crafts. Two qualified county leaders will instruct the children in sports, games and arts and crafts. In conversation with the County Recreational Office it was felt that with only two leaders provided by the County, it would not be wise or

on Monday, June 27, 1955 from 8:30 A.M. to 2:30 P.M., at the offices of the respective Deans of the various colleges and the office of the Director of Summer School.

Soaked Scouts Sleep In Sopping Sacks

Scouts of Troop 202 held an overnight Saturday and Sunday, May 14-15. Originally scheduled for Great Falls, the rain changed plans and they slept close by at Indian Springs. Returning home on Sunday, packs and gear rain-soaked, they decided to go to the David Taylor Model Basin for open house Sunday afternoon.

According to Mack Walden, Scoutmaster, and Dean Jensen, Troop Committee Chairman, the boys enjoyed seeing guided missiles, navy experiments and model testing, latest advances in mechanics, nuclear weapons, bombs, and many other eye-opening demonstrations. Sixteen Scouts participated in this activity.

Seems like rain is against them—for last month they also had a battle with the elements when they held their overnight at the Catocin Recreation Area near Thurmont, Maryland. This weekend—under pelting rain—they reveled in trout fishing and for many new Scouts this was their first experience away from home.

desirable, to separate the program at the North End in order to have an arts and crafts program at the Center School.

Also under consideration by the Advisory Committee is the development of a Tots Playground Program under the Town Recreation Department. As reported by Donald Wolfe to this Committee, the voluntary teen-age supervision of these playgrounds last year was not at all successful. Therefore, the employment of at least ten adults for two Tot Playgrounds would offer a well-supervised and responsible program this year for the 20 Tot Playgrounds in the City. These programs mentioned were discussed by Mr. Chotiner in his report to the Town Council meeting Monday night, May 16. The next Greenbelt Recreational Advisory Committee meeting is to be held June 2 at the City Office at 8 o'clock. All those interested are invited to attend.

Jewish Tercentenary Exhibit At Smithsonian

The exhibit entitled "Under Freedom" is currently on display at the Natural History Building of the Museum, 12th and Constitution Avenue, N.W. The activities and accomplishments of the Jewish-Americans during the 300 years since they first landed in North America, is depicted.

May 21 at 2 p.m. has been designated Greenbelt Day at the exhibit. All residents are urged to attend the exhibition. Several teachers of the JCC Sunday School will be on hand to help answer questions. The exhibit runs until May 31.

Men's Baseball

By Richard L. Hause

Playing before a Sunday afternoon crowd estimated at over 250 people, Greenbelt's men's team trounced Bethesda, scoring in all but the fourth inning. Final score was 22 to 2.

Team manager Harry Randolph called on his big righthander, Vern Hoggard, who set them down with only one hit. Greenbelt backed Vern up as they rapped out 17 hits, disposing of three Bethesda hurlers. There were five extra base hits, two triples by Fred Nelson and H. Randolph, and three doubles by R. Hause, C. Attick and Rube Randolph. Highlight of Greenbelt's hitting spree was a home run by Charlie Attick with two men on. Attick, however, failed to touch second in circling the bases and was credited with a single; both men scored.

Bethesda had 12 errors to only 2 for the home team.

Next Sunday the team travels to Germantown, Md., for a league game. Fans wishing to attend should meet at the swimming pool Sunday at 11:15 a.m.

Special credit is due Dan Wolfe, recreation director, the city council, and Sines and Owens Construction Co., for making this men's activity available for the summer. Home games will be advertised over the loudspeaker and played every other Sunday at Braden Field.

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