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Greenbelt CARES Gets Full Federal Funding

by Sandra Barnes

Greenbelt CARES has received full funding! For those who have followed the struggle of CARES to receive funding for their \$81,212 budget, the April 25 meeting of the Governor's Commission on Law Enforcement and the Administration of Justice was the final step in the arena where money is doled out.

CARES, Greenbelt's Youth Service Bureau which specializes in counseling families, had previously received a \$59,000 grant in Federal funds. This meant that if CARES was to meet its budget requirements, the city would have to contribute approximately \$20,000, the equivalent of a 3c tax increase. Now, with additional Federal money in the amount of \$73,090 and State funding of \$2,842, the city must contribute only \$5,729 to the program, reducing the tax rate by 2 cents.

How was CARES able to get these added funds? As assistant city manager, Dennis Piendak explains it, the city had the temerity to appeal to the Governor's Commission to re-examine their position.

Councilman Charles Schwan presented the city's statement. He refuted the Commission's charge that CARES was not meeting the Commission's guidelines for a Youth Service Bureau. CARES Deputy Director Bob Field stated that the guidelines themselves were not clearly defined, but were still in the draft and experimental stages. CARES, however, has and will continue to make every effort to adhere to the guidelines as they are issued from the Commission, he said.

Another bone of contention was one commission member's belief that Youth Services Bureaus were places for lonely, bored kids to come and rap and play pool. Field stated that CARES was not a quasi-recreation program, but a counseling and training group which concentrates on training the family unit, parents and children, in the decision-making process. Schwan stated that CARES' "principal orientation is to resolve problems of youth that exist in the home, the school or the peer group before they result in actions that lead to crime or which might culminate in additional crime . . . It does not attempt to keep kids occupied for 24 hours a day or to fill their leisure time — we have a recreation department to do this."

Additional concern was expressed for the "too high proportion of funding for consultants, researchers, and supervisory personnel with the smallest proportion of personnel costs for direct services and counseling." Schwan commented that the money for consultants, etc. was much the same as during the previous year with more money being allocated for direct services and counseling. He also stated that the "supervisory personnel" (deputy director and administrative aide which is the secretary) were budgeted very low during the first year and this year's increase in salaries was meant to more fairly compensate them for their qualifications and skills.

When it came time for the vote, the city, Bob Field, and County Councilman John Garrity who is a Commission member, were given the credit for persuading the majority to award CARES additional funding. There did not seem to be a problem in finding a source for the extra money since it was reported that the Commission had several thousand dollars in unused funds left over from 1973 and 1974.

John Carroll Elem. School Holds Formal Dedication

John Carroll Elementary School will be formally dedicated in a special ceremony on Tues., May 7, at 8 p.m. Superintendent of Schools Dr. Carl Hassel will be guest speaker and keys to the school will be presented to representatives of the student body, faculty and parents.

As a special feature of the ceremony, the school flag and school song will be revealed for the first time. The school flag has been designed by the 6th grade and will be presented by a school patrol color guard. The school song has been written by Madam McCormick, leader of the John Carroll Soul Singers and a teacher aide at the school.

Musical selections by the school choir, the 5th grade and faculty member Lillian Paine will also be included.

John Carroll Elementary, located in Landover, has been in operation 3 years under the leadership of Principal Gretta Henry. The school serves students from the Boxwood, Lakeside North, University Square and Charlestowne Village sections of Greenbelt, and the Village Green section of Landover. Last year the school was chosen by the U.S.I.A. to be the subject of a special film to be shown overseas.

IT'S YOUR PAPER

The Greenbelt News Review is your community newspaper. It is up to you and your active organizations to get the news to us. The paper has a small staff and is unable to keep track of everything that is going on. Several events went unreported in recent weeks because no one informed us.

At the Library

Adult Programs

Thursday film series: 7:30 p.m. Meeting Room. May 2, *The Gay Divorcee*, 1934 (Astaire and Rogers); May 9, *Swing Time*, 1936 (Astaire and Rogers).

Children's Programs

Films and Books for Family Fun. Saturdays 11 a.m., Meeting Room. Ages 6-12 and families. May 4, *Runaway Railroad*; May 11, *Rabbit Hill*; May 18 *The Salvage Gang*; May 25, *Hunted in Holland*.

Unregistered Story Programs. Thursdays, 2 p.m., Children's Program Room. May 9, 16, 23, 30. Stories, action rhymes, and filmstrips for pre-schoolers.

Book Discussion. Tuesdays, 4 p.m. Children's Room. May 7, 14, 21, 28. Ages 10-12. Talk about your favorite books.

Just for Fun. Thursday, 4:15 p.m., Children's Program Room. May 9, 16, 23, 30. Ages 6-9. Stories and creative activities

Young Adult Programs. History of Rock and Roll. Wednesday May 8, 7 p.m., Meeting Room. Come and hear the recorded sounds of the 50's, 60's and 70's presented by Rob White, Mike Genovese, Tom Hausman, Tom Connolly, with Ted Hanibal, guitarist and singer who will imitate the singing stars.

City of Greenbelt Maryland

AGENDA

Regular Meeting of City Council
Monday,
April 15, 1974
8:00 p.m.

I. ORGANIZATION

1. Call to Order
2. Roll Call
3. Meditation
Pledge of Allegiance to the Flag
4. Minutes of Regular Meeting of April 15, 1974
5. Additions to Agenda by Councilmen and Manager
6. Presentation - Boy Scout Troop 1746

II. COMMUNICATIONS

7. Petitions and Requests
8. Administrative Reports
9. Committee Reports -
 - a. PRAB Report 6-74 -- 1974/75 Budget Recommendations
 - b. PRAB Report 7-74 -- Use of Recreation Facilities Policy
 - c. PRAB Report 8-74 -- Surplus Land, Northwest Corner of the City

III. OLD BUSINESS

10. Special Exception Application 2768, Greenbelt Shell - APB Report #139
11. Zoning Map Amendment Petition A-8996, Mobil Oil Corporation - APB Report #140
12. Special Exception Application 2887, Parking Schedule Modification at Springhill Drive and Edmonston Road - APB Report #141
13. Preliminary Plan of Subdivision, Springhill Lake North - APB Report #142
14. Preliminary Plan, Springhill Lake Industrial - APB Report #143
15. Surplus Land, Northwest Corner of the City - APB Report #144
16. Preliminary Plan, Hilda Shapiro Property
17. Springhill Lake Recreation Center Gym Floor
18. Placement of Plaque - Labor Day Festival Steering Committee
19. Youth Center Carpeting

IV. NEW BUSINESS

20. Greenbriar Conversion to Condominium
21. Environmental Protection Agency Hearing - Greenbriar
22. 1974 Fireworks
23. CB 6-1974 Amendment to County Zoning Ordinance to Provide for the Establishment of Camp Grounds
24. Condominium Legislation
25. Metropolitan-Washington Water Shortage Emergency Plan
26. DAV Office Space
27. Expression of Support for the Afro-American Bicentennial Corporation

V. MISCELLANEOUS

WHAT GOES ON

Mon., May 6, 8 p.m., City Council Meeting, Municipal Building.

Tues., May 7, 8 p.m. John Carroll Elem. Dedication, Landover.

7:30 p.m., Center School PTA Thurs., May 9, 7:45 p.m. GHI Board Meeting, Hamilton Pl.

Fri., May 10 Kindergarten registration at school child will attend.

Alan Kay Meets With City On Greenbriar Conversion

by Elaine Skolnik

Greenbriar developer Alan Kay pledged last Monday night at a special session of the full city council that the population limitations placed on the development by the 1971 special exception will be fully adhered to, despite a shift from rental to condominium apartments.

In addition, he stated that the shift will not affect his donation to the city of five acres of park land which he had agreed to do at the time the special exception was approved.

Kay also stated that the liability for the cost of the operation, maintenance and dismantling of the on-site temporary sewage treatment plant would still be Greenbriar Associates' and that the Washington Suburban Sanitary Commission, which will own and operate the plant regardless of whether the development is under condominium or rental status, will require the posting of a bond to cover the costs of operation.

Population Limits

Kay gave assurances that no unit would be sold to a condominium owner whose family would be larger than specified in the conditions of the special exception. Additionally he said that appropriate clauses will be placed in the condominium documents (by-laws) "which will impose on the owners, under the terms of the conveyance, the limitations which (county) council has imposed under its police powers."

Kay told the city that he has conveyed the above intentions to county councilwoman Lucille Potts in a letter, as well as his willingness to "cooperate with the council in any other move which it wants to undertake to make absolutely certain that the population limitations are as applicable to the project in condominium status as they were in rental status."

In an amiable and frank 2½ hour session, the city council and Kay discussed these and other matters pertaining to Greenbriar. Council explained that it was looking for assurances from Kay that the city and the new residents of Greenbriar would not be faced with future problems as the result of the shift to condominium. The council was particularly desirous that the population limitations in-

cluded in the special exception be adhered to.

In light of Kay's pledges, city council indicated that it would recommend to the city council that the special exception be amended so as to clearly apply to the condominium. The matter will be placed on the city council agenda for this Monday's meeting.

Donation Still Good

Kay told council that the change to condominium in no way affected his 5-acre land donation to the city, and that "they could collect any time." In the summer of 1971 when the special exception was before the city council for recommendation to the county, the city was disturbed about the density of the proposed 1,193-unit project. In an effort to alleviate these concerns and gain city support, Kay gave the city an irrevocable letter of credit for \$95,000 and an agreement to compensate the city for the total amount of 5 acres. The city recently set the machinery in motion to purchase the land plus two acres that will be paid for by Kay under the mandatory dedication law. The Maryland Park and Planning Commission is holding the money (\$39,846) and will release it upon purchase of the land.

Joining in the discussion were city manager and assistant city manager, city solicitor Emmett Nanna and Greenbriar attorney George Brugger.

Tidbits

Kay informed city council that a fence would be installed along the Baltimore-Washington Parkway . . . condominium by-laws would require a ¾ or more vote of the owners to make major changes such as occupancy limitations . . . several buildings (200 units) will be reserved for adult sales only . . . additional sound proofing of apartments will be accomplished as a result of conversion . . . when completed, the Greenbriar project will contribute about 30% of the city's tax revenues.

Visitors Flow to Greenbriar But Sewage Does Not (Flow)

The grand opening of the Greenbriar condominium luxury apartments last week has ended up in court. Last Wednesday evening, April 24, local, county and state V.I.P.'s were invited to a preview showing of the new project in the Greenbriar Community Building at the corner of Greenbelt Road and Hanover Parkway in the Smith-Ewing tract east of the Baltimore-Washington Parkway.

But unknown to most of the guests, the County Board of Licenses and Permits had not granted the necessary temporary use and occupancy permit. At the time, approval had not been received by the electrical, fire and health departments. By Friday, all sign-offs were given except for the health department.

On Friday, Greenbriar Associates filed a suit in equity requesting Judge Samuel W. H. Meloy to order the release of the temporary occupancy permits for a temporary sales office and contractor's office. This was denied.

In turn, the county filed an injunction to prohibit this use of the building. Judge Meloy did not grant an injunction, but ruled that Greenbriar Associates must show cause why they should not be enjoined from operation of the facility until the necessary permits are received. A hearing is scheduled for this Friday.

The Health Department indicated it will not consent to the issuance of a use and occupancy permit until the sewage treatment plant is in operation. It first disapproved of Greenbriar's using a chemical holding tank in the lift station which will serve the treatment plant. (Scavenger compan-

Reminder: Don't forget to send in your Bus Questionnaire to the city office.

ies operate the system and empty the tanks.) It appears that the health department also proposes the temporary use of sani-cans (Port-a-Johns).

Attorneys for Greenbriar Associates argue that these sanitary facilities do not violate the zoning code, are acceptable as a temporary means of sanitary facilities and have been used in the county. They say that sani-cans do not pose a danger to the public health, and safety and are not detrimental to adjacent properties or the general neighborhood, a requirement of the code.

Greenbriar Associates have also filed an appeal with the Prince Georges County Board of Appeals appealing the denial of the permits.

In the meantime, citations have been issued against Greenbriar Associates for each day that the community building is in operation. Conviction carries possible fines and/or jail sentences.

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Champagne Ideas . . .

To the Editor:

I seriously doubt that the proposed increase in our tax rate of 32c per \$100 is due to inflation or the "drop in income". It is admitted that a major portion of that increase is due to the proposed handout to the local charity, Greenbelt CARES. Perhaps it could better be described as a \$20,000 contribution to Dr. Walder's tax funded "Empire".

Isn't it strange that Prince Georges County, with the same cut-backs on assessments, is proposing an 8c cut per \$100 of our property tax rate? I feel that our municipal tax problems are due to mismanagement and fiscal irresponsibility on the part of our \$22,000 per year city manager, Mr. Giese.

Mr. Giese has champagne ideas while the residents can only afford a beer budget. One official once referred to Greenbelt as a Cadillac among the communities of this area. Well, it is time we traded that Cadillac in on a Volkswagen.

The hundreds of thousands of dollars Mr. Giese has doled out to various "consultants" is one of our greatest problems. What do we have to show for these massive expenditures of tax funds?

A square brick box we call the municipal building which cost thousands of dollars. Any apprentice bricklayer could have put that building up for a fraction of what it cost. The "consulting firm" that designed that building really took the taxpayer and the council, as far as the construction costs were concerned.

The unsightly mess in the center mall, ultra modern, surrounded by old buildings, including "consultant" fees possibly cost us about \$100,000 etc., etc. etc.

Since Mr. Pilski has insisted that apartment projects, such as Greenbriar, add to our tax base, and that project has a full page ad in the News Review indicating opening on April 26, surely that much touted additional tax revenue should offset any inflation or what have you

Are we going to fund another tax paid vacation for city officials and their families at a beach resort, as we did last year? I am most curious as to which "travel and sustenance" item in the 1973-74 budget that ripoff was buried in.

What I am asking for is a simple and honest estimate of what the real expenses are. Not a lot of fancy footwork hidden in "travel and sustenance", "maintenance", etc. We have only one "maintenance department" and their salaries are included in the budget. So how much more does it cost to change a bulb, sweep a floor, wield a paint brush or drive a nail?

Viola L. Keer

Friends of Jesus Concert

The "Friends of Jesus" will present a program of Gospel and folk music on Friday, May 3, 8 p.m., at Holy Cross Lutheran Church, 6905 Greenbelt Rd.

The "Friends of Jesus" is an evangelical, Gospel-singing team of five Lutheran seminary-bound students and a teacher. They were led into this musical ministry in answering the Lord's personal call to proclaim the Gospel.

They proclaim the age-old message of the Good News through light folk and popular musical settings, using guitars, electric bass, flute and rhythm instruments. They also share their personal expressions of faith and joy.

The concert is open to the public.

REMINDER

This is to remind readers of News Review policy with respect to the printing of campaign and election material. The newspaper will not publish in its last edition preceding an election letters to the editor and similar materials that inject for the first time highly controversial issues and charges. Last minute introduction of such material without an opportunity for refutation is considered an unfair campaign practice.

Letters to the editor and other copy on election issues must be submitted by 9:30 p.m. Tuesday night, so as to give the News Review editorial board sufficient time to review content.

GHI Minutes Questioned

To the Editor:

Stop me if you have heard this one!

"First let me state that the typed signature of a secretary on the minutes is the same as an ink signature of the secretary on the minutes." This statement is taken from a very remarkable letter written by the attorney for the Board of Directors of Greenbelt Homes, Inc., in answer to a query by Mr. Breashears, the manager, as to whether there was any statutory or parliamentary authority that a secretary of a corporation personally sign the board minutes.

Thanks to Mr. Joseph Compromi's having put this matter on the agenda for this meeting, I finally received an answer posed by me in March in a written communication to the Board and read for me at a March Board meeting by Mrs. Frances Morley. My question briefly was why in a study by me of the official Minute Book for the year 1971 were there no signatures in ink of either the president or the secretary on the finally approved copies. I noticed that most, if not all, bore the initials "Lg." a stenographer "approved" and the date on the first page of the minutes. I would venture to say that 99% of Maryland corporations have the secretary sign their minutes, and fiduciary organizations such as Savings and Loan and Credit Unions require both the president and the secretary's signatures written in ink. The examiners of the latter groups, in fact require it but I find our recently terminated auditors apparently never insisted upon it. Our present secretary is trying to improve the procedures and had some interesting comments to make at the meeting. The most vocal proponents for non-signing were the present president and the two past presidents of the board (seated in the audience).

I would like to pose a question here to the members, who certainly know the importance of minutes, which deal with board actions on contracts, disputes, etc. How would the GHI office like the members to write their checks for their mortgage payments each month with a typed signature?

The board attorney has another amazing interpretation of Robert's Rules of Order regarding the signing of the minutes by the secretary! Because this world-wide authority says the minutes should be signed by the secretary, and, if the assembly wishes, by the president, instead of shall it is not mandatory that the minutes be signed.

The same way of doing business on minutes, financial planning and information etc. as it has been done for the last ten or 20 years is no longer enough. We need new blood and methods on our board!!!

Eunice E. Coxon

GHI's Clique

To the Editor:

Last week the News Review published a letter from a GHI member asking how come "GHI Members Concerned for their Homes" gets information that other members do not. The information received and disseminated by "GHI Members Concerned for their Homes" was fully available to any interested member. Most of it came from written materials distributed at the two information meetings the board sponsored before it called the special membership meeting. Additional information was obtained from other materials made available to the public, including some published in the News Review.

As far as the clique in GHI is concerned, there is one, the clique consists of people who care about co-operative living. They have never been known to sue the GHI Board of Directors. They do not try to keep the new members confused on the problems of our homes. They do not constantly harass the staff at GHI, demanding that they devote excessive time and effort in looking for ways to sustain their suspicions. Yes, there is a clique but it is open and not closed. It is open to all who care about cooperative living.

Charles S. Brown

Big Thanks

To the Editor:

Last Sunday was a great day for the GHI Home and Garden Tour! The tour committee expresses its thanks to everyone who participated. Special thanks go to the forty people who opened their beautiful homes and gardens, to the staff of GHI, and to the volunteers who assisted at the foliage and flower filled boardroom and who served refreshments in the Marsden's cool shady garden.
 1974 Home & Garden Tour Subcommittee
 Joanne Volk, chairman

THANKS

To the Editor:

The family of Betsey Stevens wish to thank the following for their help and expressions of warm friendship at the time of our loss: The Greenbelt Rescue Squad, for their prompt response and their all-out efforts; our friends and neighbors, whose kindness and generosity brought to us once again the realization that Greenbelt is a community of caring, wonderful people.

Ray, Maria, and Jeffrey Stevens

Mishkan Torah Installation

Installation of new officers of the Mishkan Torah Synagogue, Sisterhood and Men's Club will take place on Sunday, May 5, at 7:30 p.m. A surprise dessert banquet will be served. For information call 474-4655.

The newly elected officers of the synagogue are Dr. Stanley Forster, president; A. David Spevak, 1st vice-president; Frank Pearlman, 2nd vice-president; Shalom Fisher, treasurer; Reida Wallach, corresponding secretary; Arnold Strasser, recording secretary; and Mort Tuckman, financial secretary. Jordan Choper, Sylvia Hendel, Thomas W. Harvey, Dr. David Stern and Lester Klein were elected to the Board of Trustees.

The Men's Club officers are: Dr. Robert Ruderman, president; Byron Kabran, vice-president; Dr. Joseph Stregack, financial secretary; David Pomerantz, treasurer; and Norman Granims, recording secretary.

The Sisterhood will have Julia Sack as its new president; Adele Mund, 1st vice-president; Yolande Greeze, 2nd vice-president; Clarice Counts, 3rd vice-president; Virginia Sobotkin, treasurer; Ruth Levine, financial secretary; Angela Carmel, recording secretary; Charlotte Salzberg, corresponding secretary and Rae Algaze, parliamentarian-historian.

Cub Scout Pack 1746

Michael Jewell and Jeffery Hertel from den 1 received their denner cords. Richard Bate-man, den 2, received his citizens award and Thomas Keller, den 2, his bobcat badge and pin. A model city exhibit, fashioned by the boys was on display.

Betsey Stevens

Betsey Stevens of 101 White Birch Court passed away suddenly after a heart attack on April 21.

Mrs. Stevens was a graduate of the New Haven, Connecticut, State Teachers College, and had been a resident of Greenbelt since 1942. During her years in Greenbelt, she was active in Brownies and in the work of the ladies of the Methodist Church at St. Elizabeth's Hospital, was an early member of the Greenbelt Community Church, and will be remembered by many for her years behind the counter at the Tobacco Store.

She is survived by her husband Raymond L., daughter Maria Pate, son Jeffrey, all of the home; a grandson, three brothers, a sister, and her mother.

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May 5, Rev. Keith Wright of Gallaudet College

May 12, Mrs. Naomi Carman, Chairman, Board of Lay Life and Missions

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GHI Annual Meeting Set for May 23-24

by Al Skolnik

The annual membership meeting of Greenbelt Homes, Inc. has been set for Thursday and Friday, May 23-24. The Thursday evening meeting will start at 8 p.m. in the Center School Auditorium. Balloting for GHI elections will start that evening at the Municipal Building and continue the next day, 7 a.m. to 7:30 p.m.

There are four 2-year terms to be filled on the 9-member board. The board members whose terms expire are James Smith, Thomas White, Norman Weyel, and Robert Nelson. The last two named are finishing out terms that were vacated during the year.

There are also three audit committee members to be elected for 1-year terms.

All candidates for the GHI board of directors and the audit committee desiring to be listed by the GHI Nominations and Elections Committee must submit their consent forms to the Committee by Friday, May 10. Smith is the only announced candidate so far for the board. Joe Reid, 51-U Ridge and James Wright, 35-B Ridge, have announced for the audit committee.

At last Thursday's meeting of the board of directors, it was indicated that the agenda for the annual meeting will be relatively noncontroversial. A few minor by-law changes may be presented to the membership for approval.

GNMA Options

The board directed GHI manager Roy Breashears to open negotiations with Government National Mortgage Association, holder of the GHI mortgage, regarding the request for deferment of the 1974 mortgage principal payments. GNMA had proposed 3 options for GHI's consideration.

The board was generally favorable to the first option which provided for payment of the deferred 1974 principal payments (\$319,000) in one lump-sum (balloon payment) upon the present maturity of the mortgage on December 31, 1977. This option was attractive because it meant that the current mortgage rate of 4 percent interest would be retained for the deferment.

The board, however, also recognized that a December, 1977, payment date meant that monthly charges would have to be increased starting next January to accumulate the funds for meeting the balloon payment. It therefore thought that option three might have some attractive features.

This option provides for a one-year extension of the maturity of the mortgage — from December 31, 1977 to December 31, 1978 — subject to the payment of a higher interest rate on the payment of the \$319,000 principal during the last year (1978), this higher rate to be the FHA maximum rate prevailing on the first day of said last year. This option would mean that monthly charges to cover the deferment would not have to be increased, but merely extended for another 12 months.

The second option offered by GNMA was not favorably received by the board, although the total outlay under this option might be less than under option three. This option provides for a one-year extension of the maturity of the mortgage as in option three, but would require that the remaining principal payments of \$1,231,000 due from January 1, 1975 through the expiration date of December 31, 1978 would be at the interest rate of 5 1/2 percent.

The board suggested that negotiations with GNMA be based on the merger of the first and third options.

Criticism

Eunice Coxon from the floor was upset that these options had not been made known to the membership before the April 17 meeting where membership approval was given to increasing monthly charges to help fund the GNMA deferral payments. She charged that the "sick" board and corporation had engaged in misleading tactics.

GHI president Jim Smith explained that there was not suffi-

cient time to circulate the letter before the meeting and that the various options offered by GNMA were just forming the basis for further negotiations.

Director Tom White said that he could not see the significance of Mrs. Coxon's charges since all the options offered by GNMA were within the framework sought by GHI. In fact, he said, option one is a restatement of the conditions earlier cited by GNMA and made known to the members before the membership meeting.

He further deplored Mrs. Coxon's resort to "characterizations" in referring to the board and said that if anyone is "sick" around here, it is not the board or the corporation. He condemned Mrs. Coxon's nit-picking activities such as forcing the corporation to use its resources to fight a "folly" suit. (He was referring here to the suit filed last May against the board for its deferment of charges for needy elderly members.)

Other members from the audience joined in the reprimand to Mrs. Coxon. Mrs. Farmer congratulated the board and management for their work in attempting to meet the energy crisis and suggested that everyone get behind the board and work together, instead of trying to tear the corporation down. Others found it amazing that Mrs. Coxon could castigate what went on at the April 17 meeting when she wasn't even present.

Undaunted, Mrs. Coxon later in the evening renewed her criticism of the board — this time for its alleged failure to keep the minutes in proper order, for example, by failing to have the secretary of the corporation sign the final official copy. She wondered if the board officers were attempting to conceal something by their reluctance to sign the minutes.

Read into the record at this point was a letter from the corporation's attorney, Albert Ginsberg, stating that contrary to Mrs. Coxon's statement that the signing of minutes is a "routine, mandatory procedure according to Robert's Rules of Order", there is nothing in Robert's Rules, State law, or GHI by-laws making it mandatory that the official minutes be signed by the secretary.

Directors Joe Comproni and Hugh O'Donnell, however, thought there would be some advantage to having the officers sign because it would prompt more careful review of the minutes.

President Smith replied that the whole board by voting to accept the final copy of the minutes took responsibility for their accuracy and that he for one didn't want to get bogged down in such time-killing activities as reviewing and signing minutes.

Other Matters

The board agreed to enter into agreements with the Federal Credit Unions of the U. S. Atomic Energy Commission and NASA for the servicing of loans made by these agencies to their members purchasing GHI homes.

The board also gave final approval to the contract with Arey, Inc. of Chevy Chase for the installation of variable temperature heating controls in 135 brick heating plants, and for the frame home pilot project for conversion from steam heat to hot water in the 12 Ridge court. It asked that bonding be provided within 8 weeks of the signing of the contract.

GDC Meeting

At the meeting of the board of directors of Greenbelt Development Corporation preceding the GHI board meeting, the board voted to raise the rentals on the 60 apartment units on Parkway by roughly 20 percent. A greater increase

GHI Candidates' Night May 15

At the April 15 meeting of the GHI Nominations and Elections Committee, Howard Savage, 2-G Southway, was elected to fill the vacancy on the committee due to the resignation of Ted Pritzker.

The committee decided that the cut-off date for accepting consent forms from candidates for the board of directors and audit committee will be Fri., May 10 by 4:30 p.m. at the GHI office, or by 7:45 p.m. at the Twin Pines office. Consent forms may also be given to any member of the N&E committee before the deadline. Each consent form must be notarized and accompanied by a biographical sketch of not more than 200 words. The sketches will be published in the News Review on May 16.

A "Candidates Night" will be held at the council chambers in the municipal building on Wed., May 15 at 8 p.m. All GHI members are urged to attend and meet the candidates. Each candidate will be given equal time to present his/her platform. A question and answer period will follow.

Candidates will also be presented at the GHI annual meeting on Thurs., May 23 at Center School.

Voting for the candidates will be by machine at the Municipal Building (Council Chambers) on Thursday night May 23, after candidates have been presented at the annual meeting at Center School. The polls will close at 11 p.m. with only those members who have registered at the annual meeting eligible to vote at this time. All members may vote on Friday, May 24 from 7 a.m. to 7:30 p.m. at the same location.

Members of the Nominations and Elections Committee are: John Cassidy — 22-F Hillside, Katherine Keene — 6-H Hillside, Mary Jane Kinzer — 6-G Ridge, Howard Savage — 2-G Southway, and Chairman Velma Chapman — 35-F Ridge.

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Garden Club Exhibit

The Goddard Garden Club is holding a "Knowing is Growing" exhibit at Beltway Plaza on Fri. and Sat., May 3-4. It is hoped that the educational exhibit will stimulate interest in horticulture and artistic design.

Membership in the garden club is open to women interested in the art of flower arranging, all phases of home gardening, the promotion of better horticultural practices, and the conservation of natural resources. Please contact Mrs. Linda Foote, 552-1529 for more information.

FHA FASHION SHOW

Members of Parkdale Senior High School's Future Homemakers of America (FHA) will hold their annual fashion show, "The Scene Stealers," on Thurs., May 9 at 7 p.m. Over 30 original garments will be modeled and reviewed in the school auditorium. Refreshments will be served. A small admission fee will be charged to those over 12.

TENNIS LEAGUE

The National Junior Tennis League will hold its first practice on Sunday, May 5, from 4 - 6 p.m. Anyone who will be under 16 by next Oct. 1 is welcome. The age groups will be 12 and under, 14 and under and 16 and under for girls and boys. If there are any questions, call Howard Savage, 474-4904.

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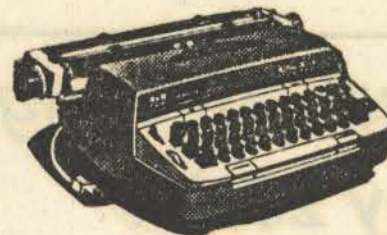
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It was a pink and blue bundle for Mr. and Mrs. Larry Merewitz, 5805 Cherrywood, on Feb. 24. Lisa made her debut weighing 4 lbs. 1 oz. and Jamie weighed in at 5 lbs. 10z. Their proud grandparents are former Greenbelters, Mr. and Mrs. Milton Schwenk.

Best wishes for a speedy recovery to Mrs. Pauline Bordas, Police Clerk-Dispatcher, who is recuperating at home following recent surgery.

The Business and Professional Women's Organization of the Washington Area has awarded a scholarship to Mrs. Barbara Havekost toward continuing her education at the University of Maryland. A senior working toward a degree in English, Barbara is purchasing clerk-secretary in the City Managers' Office.

Some 55 participants rode in the Ride-a-Bike for the Retarded on April 21; one cyclist entered with 80 pledges!

Best Wishes for a happy birthday to Fred Neff, 62-B Ridge, who will be 21 years old on May 7.

Our deepest sympathy to Raymond L. Stevens, 101 White Birch on the death of his wife Betsey.

John Kelly, 121 Lakeside, has been elected to Gold Key Honorary at DePauw University. He was among 16 junior men selected for the honorary, which recognizes participation in and contributions to university activities and life, academic achievement, and student leadership within and outside the university. Kelly is majoring in American literature at DePauw and plans a career in law. He is a brother of Mary T. O'Shea of Greenbelt.

Liz Anderson, 1-H Gardenway, home at the end of her first year at the University of New Brunswick where she is enrolled in the honours geophysics program, will shortly return to Canada where she will be working this summer as a member of a geophysical exploration team.

Greenbelter Steve Gunn was one of the county student journalists to attend the 50th anniversary convention of the Columbia University Scholastic Press Convention in N.Y. Steve represented Parkale's paper, the Collage, which was one of the first place winners.

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Greenbelters to Perform

During Maryland National Capital Parks and Planning Week at Landover Mall performances will be given by several musical groups. On Fri., May 3 at 7 p.m. the John Carroll Elementary School Soul Singers will sing. The Northern Area Children's Choir will present a program at 2:30 p.m. on Sat., May 4. Greenbelters Irene Meglis and Elena T. Ray are members of the choir.

RUMMAGE-BAKE SALE

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The Youth Center business office is accepting registrations for a new session of Ceramics (hand building and throwing on the wheel) beginning Tuesday, May 7. Classes will be as follows: Beginners: Tues, 10-12 noon; Workshop: Thurs., 10-12 noon.

Babysitting will be offered.

Pool Passes On Sale
Residents, SAVE NOW. Season passes for the Municipal Swimming Pool are on sale at the Municipal Building, Monday through Friday 8 a.m. - 4:30 p.m. Residents (family and single) buying before May 25 will receive a discount. Applications are available by mail and at the treasurer's office.

Camp Pine Tree
Four two-week sessions of Camp Pine Tree, sponsored by the Recreation Department will run from June 24 thru August 16. Camp operation is from 9 a.m. to 3:30 p.m. Monday through Friday. Bus transportation will be provided for children within the city limits. For information call 474-6878.

Tennis Court Use
Tennis players are advised to check posted rules and regulations for court use as well as schedules for lessons and tournaments to avoid unnecessary inconvenience. Braden Field Courts 3 and 4 are reserved Sunday, May 5 from 9-12 noon for the Women's Division of the Greenbelt Tennis Association and 4-6 p.m. for the National Jr's Tournament.

Gym Reminder
The annual refinishing of the gym floor is still in progress. All gym activities are postponed until further notice. The lounge is open as usual for drop in.

WOMEN'S TENNIS

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The Greenbriar plant is being developed to provide temporary sewage disposal service to the new Greenbriar development until a permanent sewerage system service can be made available by the expansion of treatment facilities at the Washington Suburban Sanitary Commission's (WSSC) Western Branch Wastewater Plant. WSSC envisions completion of the facilities early in 1975.

On the basis of preliminary review and application of lawful standards and regulations, the Maryland Water Resources Administration which held a hearing in Greenbelt in November, certified the permit on April 10. EPA, Region III, proposes to issue a permit to discharge subject to certain effluent limitations and special conditions. These proposed determinations are tentative.

Persons wishing to comment on the pending permit to allow the discharge of the Greenbriar plant's effluent to a tributary of the Beaverdam Creek are invited to submit a statement to the EPA Regional Administrator, 6th & Walnut Streets, Philadelphia, Pennsylvania 19106 no later than five days preceding the public hearing, or to be present at the hearing or both.

Following the hearing, the Regional Administrator may make such modifications in the terms and conditions of the proposed permit as may be appropriate and shall issue or deny the permit. If the permit is issued, it will become effective 30 days following date of issuance and will be the final action of EPA unless an adjudicatory hearing is granted. Requests for such a hearing must be made within 20 days of the date that a decision is made.

A copy of EPA's proposed draft NPDES Permit for the project is available for inspection at the WSSC office in Hyattsville and at the Greenbelt Municipal Building. Other information may be obtained by writing EPA's Permit Program Branch in Philadelphia.

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GREENBELT SCHOOLS

John Carroll Elementary: Fostering Respect & Growth

(The following article is the fifth of a series on schools serving the Greenbelt Community)

by Muriel Weidenfeld

A mixture of newness and tradition is a visitor's impression of John Carroll Elementary School, which serves Greenbelt students from Boxwood Village, Lakeside North, University Square, and Charlestowne Village. The approach to the school, through a maze of residential streets, does not prepare one for the dramatic exterior design of the new (three-year-old) building which lies tucked into a quiet corner of Landover.

The building is designed in four wings with four classrooms and a common area in each wing. Each wing houses a different grade level. This makes a teaching situation where upper graders shift easily from classroom to classroom for different subjects while first graders enjoy a self-contained classroom atmosphere and second through fifth graders may be exposed to an open-space arrangement. At the heart of the school and opening to all wings are the media center and the gym.

Although John Carroll has a capacity for 760 children, the present enrollment is 475. The staff includes 24 classroom teachers and aides, a resource teacher, a curriculum specialist, a music teacher, a physical education teacher and a media center specialist and part-time, a guidance counselor, a speech teacher and an instrumental music teacher along with office, cafeteria and building personnel. The Carroll Inn, John Carroll's cafeteria is presently serving lunches for 435 and has 90 pupils in the breakfast program.

At John Carroll the concern is not only how well Johnny reads, but how he will fit into the outside world. The emphasis is on developing a self-reliant individual. The guiding force behind all the activities taking place all the time at John Carroll is its principal, Greta Henry.

Mrs. Henry has a committed teaching staff. Each teacher at John Carroll has dual certification, so he or she can teach regular grade level subject matter and also share his/her background in music, athletics, art, curriculum with the students.

Curriculum

Curriculum at John Carroll is standard in the county. Teachers are able to decide the rate of speed, though not the content of programs. Mrs. Henry urges teachers always to be sure that not only the work, but also the concepts, are understood. Achievement levels are good with no measurable increase or decrease since the pupil change-over.

The extension of the school day is a method by which Mrs. Henry and her staff help to make the school world and the outside world into one world for John Carroll children. In an after-school skating party, bowling or bicycling, or attending a basketball game together, the children can see their teachers and principal more as individuals and the teachers see aspects of their students they might not see during the school day. These activities may serve as rewards for work well done or as a tool for modifying behavior.

On the school buses and in the cafeteria no strict rules of silence are imposed. Normal social de-

velopment is encouraged but order is always maintained.

Mrs. Henry's records indicate that the racial balance at John Carroll conforms with the specified guidelines. There is no drug problem at John Carroll and over the three years of its operation, there have been three cases of vandalism, none recent.

In the planning stages now for implementation next year is a reading program known as the Learning Experience Approach to Reading (LEAR) which involves teaching a child to read with stories composed by the individual child. This projects the child's own words and interests into his/her reading material and can often create greater personal interest in reading than the standard reading texts.

In the budget for the 1975-76 school year, John Carroll will have the addition of a gymnasium.

Other Programs

Also housed at John Carroll are: a Parent-Infant Program for the hearing impaired which serves families of deaf children up to three years of age, a Head Start program involving 30 children, and an Operation Moving Ahead program, which is run by four aides including Madam McCormick, a noted gospel singer who also leads the choir in the singing of spiritual music. The building is also made available to the community after school hours, for approved activities.

Adjacent to the school, but not connected to it, is the John Carroll Health Clinic which is open to all residents of Prince Georges County. This clinic and the three others in the county were well-used in the recent effort to bring all school children's inoculations up-to-date.

On a recent visit to John Carroll, the corridors displayed drawings, poems, posters and stories telling how the children felt about their school in January, 1974, a year after the county's desegregation plan was begun. The children's general feeling seemed to be one of relief. Concerns about not being liked or accepted by new classmates were laid to rest and the children were continuing with the business of getting an education.

Given the opportunity, Mrs. Henry would urge parents to help their children to respect the school as a place of significance, and to help them to grow up to be what they want to be, not what their parents expect them to be. In her view, the best students are those who come to school each day knowing that their parents care about them and encourage their development as individuals. She believes in giving the children at John Carroll lots of rights and lots of responsibilities.

FDR PLANS DISCUSSED

The long-awaited meeting between Greenbelt city officials and county Board of Education staff members to consider matters of common concern regarding the new Franklin D. Roosevelt Senior High School was held on Wednesday, April 17. Council had long wished to bring to the school board's attention some suggestions that had been made for utilization of school facilities.

Lighting of athletic fields at the high school was a major item discussed. The school board, on October 9, 1973, had authorized the superintendent to explore the lighting of fields at three locations, and Greenbelt had recommended that the F.D.R. school be chosen as one of the locations.

Dr. Charles Ecker, Assistant Superintendent for Facilities and Supporting Service, advised that the cost of lighting a field is estimated at \$60,000. Because of the energy crisis and budget cuts, there are no funds authorized at this time for lighting. However, Ecker did agree to pursue a suggestion of council that electrical conduits for such lighting be installed at F.D.R. school while under construction as a cost-saving device.

School Facilities

A second item of concern was the use of the school athletic facilities for local activities, much as the Maryland-National Capital Park and Planning Commission's agreement with the school board for use of elementary and junior high school athletic facilities. Under this agreement, MNCPPC undertakes certain maintenance responsibilities through its Parks Division. However, Greenbelt is excluded, by law, from the Parks District (and pays no park tax) and therefore MNCPPC does no work on school athletic fields within Greenbelt.

The council therefore is seeking a similar agreement between the city and the school board. Dr. Ecker said that a task force is now considering changes in school policy that would permit formalized agreements between the school board and the cities of Greenbelt and Laurel relating to use and maintenance of athletic facilities.

Landscaping

The council expressed some concern that landscaping around the F.D.R. school might be inadequate, noting particularly that the high and steep slope at the west end of the property will have a particularly displeasing appearance unless tree plantings are provided.

The school board has \$18,000 budgeted for landscaping other than development of lawns at the high school. The council noted that trees may be obtained from the State nurseries without cost and offered the services of the city in planting these trees, if needed. Ecker said that the city would be given an opportunity to review the landscaping plans when they are developed and agreed to discuss with the city further tree plantings if needed.

Bicycle Facilities

In reply to an inquiry by council, Ecker said that bicycle racks will be provided at the school. He indicated support for any city efforts to get government agencies to provide bicycle and pedestrian path access to the high school property. Archie Flood, school board Assistant for Real Estate and Construction, said he will review development plans in the area and encourage the placement of pedestrian and bicycle facilities that are school-oriented.

Greenbelt Lake Safe

"The fish are safe, but cook them well!" This was the opinion of County Health Officer Perry Stearns in reply to the city's request for information concerning the safety of Greenbelt Lake.

Dr. Stearns warned persons never to eat raw fish and not to eat the shell fish (fresh water clams) which are found in the Lake. He said, "Shell fish concentrate germs present in the Lake water and are more likely to cause human illness if eaten."

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