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### **Reclassification of Police Officers Raises Their Salaries Significantly**

#### by Mavis Fletcher

At a worksession on May 9, city council members considered the proposed public safety budget for the 1988/ 89 fiscal year. The public safety share of the proposed \$8,018,000 city budget is \$2,773,400 or 34.6 percent. A major source of increased costs in the public safety budget is the reclassification of all police officers' positions to one grade higher on the pay scale.

In introducing the public safe-ty budget, City Manager James K. Giese said that the reclassifi-cation of police officers was part of a general review of all city classified positions which has resulted in the recommendation that a number of the positions be reclassified. In the case of police officers, he noted, the starting salary for Greenbelt officers is below that of any major police department in the area, as well as below that of Laurel and Hyattsville, the two municipalities most comparable in size to Greenbelt.

The reclassification will bring starting pay for police officers to almost \$22,000 per year, equal ing about a five percent pay increase. In addition, all city employees with fewer than six years service are eligible to earn an annual in-grade increase-about four percent. Moreover, the proposed budget provides for a four percent cost-of-living ad-

justment for all city employees. Putting it all together, a police officer with fewer than six years of service in the department could earn a pay increase of ap-proximately 14 percent in the next year.

#### FOP Requests

Among a long list of requests put forth by the Fraternal Order of Police at a city council worksession on March 23, the FOP asked for a 10 percent pay raise. According to a statement by FOP President John A. Lann at that meeting, the pay raise and other benefits for which the FOP was asking were needed to retain young police officers. (Over 57% of the department have fewer than five years service).

In the face of a proposed 14 percent pay raise for the younger members of the department who might be particularly vulnerable to recruitment, the FOP pressed for none of the other earlier-proposed benefits at the public safety budget worksession. Police Chief James R. Craze said that he had made the decision to ask for increased pay over the take-home car program on which the FOP had placed much emphasis at the worksession. Giese said that the take-home car program had been seriously considered and costed-out over various phase-in periods; however, he had decided not to propose the program this year.

#### **Crime Statistics**

Statistics presented in the budget give a "good news, bad news" picture of crime in the city. Overall, Class I offenses as a whole (homicide, rape, robbery, assault, breaking and entering/burglary, larceny/theft, and auto theft) were up 17 percent in 1987. However, in certain important categories crime had decreased. Cases of breaking and entering/burglary are down eight percent and robberies have decreased nine percent. No homicides were committed in the city for the second year in a row, and rapes were down 50%, from 12 in 1986 to six in 1987.

However, assaults increased 19% and cases of larceny/theft increased 33%. Calls for service to the department decreased slightly (three percent) as did reported vehicle accidents (five percent). The best news is a 50% increase in adult arrests; juvenile arrests declined six percent.

#### More Officers Needed

Giese said that the budget recommendation submitted by Craze called for two additional officers for the department. One would have been slated for the Special Enforcement Unit (SE-U) and one was a slot for a cap-Neither recommendation tain. was included in the final budget proposal.

Councilmembers asked several questions about the SEU, which Craze said, has been targeted against drug trafficking since last year. Mayor pro tem Joseph Isaacs asserted that the S-EU unit never has functioned See POLICE, uage 5

Joe Glazer to Sing New Deal Songs at Museum Program

#### by Eileen Peterson

When Joe Glazer worked for the Textile Workers' Union in Ohio during the 1940s, he took home more than a paycheck: he absorbed, and later collected, labor union songs and published them as "Songs of Work and Protest."

A specialist on songs of the t New Deal period, he'll feel right at home at the Greenbelt Museum's fundraiser on Wednesday, May 25 at the Greenbelt American Legion.

Traveling to more than 60 foreign countries for the U.S. Information Agency, Glazer has interpreted American life in song and story. Drawing from his more than 20 albums of songs, he weaves pictures of working people and social movements, the good times as well as the hard times. He sings of the strengths as well as the weaknesses in American society. In his latest album, "Old Folks Ain't All the Same," his songs deal with various aspects of aging, including social security and old-age pensions.

At the fundraiser, Glazer will sing of the New Deal, the WPA, the Roosevelts and Martin Luther King. When Greenbelt was born, songs sprang up about the spirit of the people coming out of the Great Depression. But they were also about the sitdown strikes and the growth of the CIO and industrial unions.

Glazer has been the subject of two half-hour productions for Public Television and the star of a documentary movie, "Songs and Stories of Labor," produced by Rutgers University. He has sung at the White House and at Madison Square Garden at union rallies, at civil rights demonstrations and at scores of unversities.

#### **Poison Warning**

The Food and Drug Administration is appealing to all parents and childcare personnel to search their medicine cabinets for one-ounce bottles of Humco and Brite Life brand ipecac syrup. Ipecac syrup is commonly used to induce vomiting, especially in cases of poison ingestion.

The Humco bottles labeled as being ipecac syrup may in fact contain a poisonous amount of eucalyptus oil. Eucalyptus oil is commonly used in minute amounts in vaporizers and nosedrops and in coughdrops as davoring and is considered safe for these products. However, pure eucalyptus oil taken in the amounts recommended on ipecac syrup labels can quickly cause convulsions and coma. As little as a teaspoon can be fatal.

The Brite Life may contain iodides tincture. Lot #004715 with expiration date 7-92 is the only lot of Brite Life involved in the recall. The bottles of iodides tincture mislabeled as 1pecac syrup may also be identified by the presence of a plastic applicator rod visible in the bottle. For further information contact the USFDA, Bob Fish or Sandra Baxter at 1-615-736-2088



Joe Glazer will appear at the American Legion on Wednesday May 25, 7:30-10:30 p.m. in a ben efit performance for the Friend: of the Greenbelt Museum.

He has been called "Art Buch wald with a guitar," and Senator William Proxmire of Wisconsin called him "the world's greates troubador." He has sung at var ious anniversaries of the New Deal, including one at the May flower Hotel in Washington which drew '30s leaders such as FDR': trusted advisor, Rex Tugwell Glazer, a New York City native now living in Chevy Chase, wil take fundraiser patrons back to the days when Greenbelt was : dream turning into reality fo and by the working people look ing to a better future.

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#### WHAT GOES ON

- Sun., May 22, 7 p.m. "P.J.E. Big Band," Youth Center Tues., May 24, 8 p.m. Lake-
- side Citizens Assoc. Special Meeting, Municipal Bldg.
- Wed., May 25 8 p.m. Cititzens for Greenbelt, General Membership Meeting, Springhill Lake Community Room.
- Thurs., May 26, 8 p.m. Public Hearing Proposal FY 1988/ 89 Budget, Municipal Bldg. 8:00 p.m. Board of Directors, Greenbelt Homes, Inc., Hamilton Place
- Sat., May 28, 10 a.m. Opening of Outdoor Pool Free admission.

#### **Miss Greenbelt Pageant Registration** is Now

The Miss Greenbelt Pagean committee invites intereste Greenbelt girls ages 14 to 19 t participate in the 1988 Mis Greenbelt Pageant. The pagean committee has planned severa exciting activities throughou the summer as well as Labo Day weekend.

Registration will be held Ma 25 and June 1 at the Youth Cer ter from 7 to 9 p.m. For furth er information please call Cher Gainor, chairperson, 441-8589.

### **Council Reviews Recreation Budget**

#### by Marsha Barrett

At the city council worksession on the Recreation Department budget on May 3, the recreation staff highlighted for the council the department's accomplishments, problems, and future projects. The recreation budget for the 1988/89 fiscal year is \$1,381,800 or 17.2% of the city's total budget. The proposed budget for the department is 6% above last vear's.

Among the department's acwere renovation omplishments of the outdoor pool and installation of the new batting cages. Renovation of the outdoor pool finished ahead of schedule. The pool opens Saturday, May 28. Admission is free on opening day and there will be an opening ceremony at 10 a.m. After the batting cages were installed they earned \$411 during their first two weeks of operation. While the cost of the cages was approximately \$13,000, the department expects the cages to become revenue producing in the future.

#### **Staffing Problems**

Hank Irving, Director of Recreation, outlined a staffing problem to the council. The department has been experiencing a high degree of employee turnover. Irving felt the department was unable to attract and retain good employees. He based the reason for the high turnover on low salaries. Many former recreation employees were joining the Maryland National Capital Park and Planning Commission (MNCPPC). Irving expressed the opinion that Greenbelt was becoming a training ground for other parks departments. He suggested to council that the city raise department salaries, so that the city can compete with other parks departments. James K. Giese, city manager, countered Irving's proposal with two facts. One, the 1988/89 budget allows for a 5% increase in salaries, and two, he com-mented that the city's salary structure should not be determined by the fact that it existed in the shadow of larger parks and recreation departments. He stated further that Greenbelt salaries are in line with other cities the size of Greenbelt.

The acquisition of Schrom Hills Park, the increase and decrease of different sports activities, and other budget topics were discussed. While the 1988/ 89 budget addresses funds for Schrom Hills park, the recreation department is already hearing resident requests for more amenities. In answer to council's observation that there had been an increase in co-ed volleyball and a decrease in membership in the Golden Age Club, the staff responded that many people, seniors as well, were becoming increasingly interested in more active sports and educational classes like real estate and financial investment. Indoor Pool

As for future projects, discussion centered on the indoor pool. The recreation staff emphasized that estimates to operate the indoor pool were speculative, much depended on revenue generated by indoor pool rates, group rentals and pool pass sales. The council discussed how to encourage use of the pool and meet citizen needs. One idea was to move the weight room to the indoor pool. Another council mem-See RECREATION, page 3

#### **Gray Panthers Meet** Patricia A. Osborne

Patricia Ann (Patty Ann) Osborne, 25, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. William Osborne, Periwin-kle Court, died May 11 in an automobile accident.

Patty Ann moved to Greenbelt as a young child in September 1965. She attended North End, St. Hugh's and John Carroll elementary schools, Mary McLeod Bethune junior high school and graduated from Eleanor Roosevelt senior high school in 1980. She received an AA degree in General Studies from Prince Georges Community College in 1983 and a BA in General Studies from the University of Maryland in 1986.

Patty Ann worked as a retail sales associate for Garfinckels from 1979 to 1983, was a sales and services coordinator for Cintas Corp. from 1984 to 1987, and was a management consultant at NIH for ROW Associates until the time of her death.

She was an active participant in CYO and Greenbelt Boys and Girls Club sports, including softball, soccer and bowling. She was a volunteer for the Boys and Girls Club and was nan ed by them as Girl of the Year. The Club's annual ski trip to Seven Springs resort in Pennsylvania was organized by her.

Her hobby was photography and she also liked to spend time with her nieces and nephew.

She is survived by her par-ents Sonny and Barbara Osborne, brothers Bill of Riverdale and Ed of Greenbelt; sisters Bridget, Beth and Cindy of Greenbelt; grandmother Lena Osborne, special friend Jeff Morgan, four nieces and a nephew, and many relatives and friends. Patty had an exuberance for life and her relatives and firends remember her gregarious personality, vivacious smile and contagious laugh.

Services were held at St. Hugh's Catholic Church on Saturday, May 14 with burial in Mt. Olivet Cemetery.

#### Last Chance

To the Editor: The concept of people living in the presence of green parkland ought to be defended vigorously by all citizens of Greenbelt and their elected officials. The proposal to buy Parcels 1 and 2 must not be postponed or neglected. This is our last chance to buy some woodlands. There is

no more being made. **Robert Rashkin** 

#### A New Life?

A birth may take place. I attended the seeding. Will the incubation mature to a life?

On May 12, Arts people met with City leaders to talk and listen to each other, a first for Greenbelt, with an excellently crafted prospectus. testimonials by visitors, and expressions of interest by officials.

Facilities for lively arts activities will change the profile of Greenbelt for the better; for business, for families, for young and old. It will bring expanded possibilities for life's enjoyment, new freedoms for cloistered provinciality to pursue expression of energy, enhanced appetite and strong sense of personal identity for our people.

Our eyes are opening wide to take the leap into civilized adventure, if not the road to salvation, then at least a more exciting world for all us sinners. **Benjamin** Abramowitz

gent.

Katie Pugliese

"Resolving Interpersonal Disputes" will be the topic of an open public Gray Panther meeting on Saturday, May 21 at 1:30 p.m. at the Greenbelt Library. Speakers will be Attorney David Haberman and Eugenia Walters, retired educator. Both are mediators from the College Park Mediation Service. The program will include audience discussion and participation in activities involved in techniques of solving interpersonal disputes. There will also be activities in improving personnel communication skills.

Free refreshments will be served. For information or transportation telephone 474-6890.

#### **A Crying Shame** To the Editor:

It would really be a crying shame if we take the green out of Greenbelt. So let's solidify our stand and fight to save the land before it slips through our hands forever! Please come to the city council meeting on May 26 at 8 p.m. located on the second floor of the Municipal Building.

#### **CFG to Meet**

Citizens for Greenbelt will hold a general membership meeting on Wednesday, May 25 at 8 p.m. in the Springhill Lake Community Room (above the pharmacy in the Springhill Lake Shopping Center). Meeting notices have been mailed to all members whose 1988 dues have been paid.

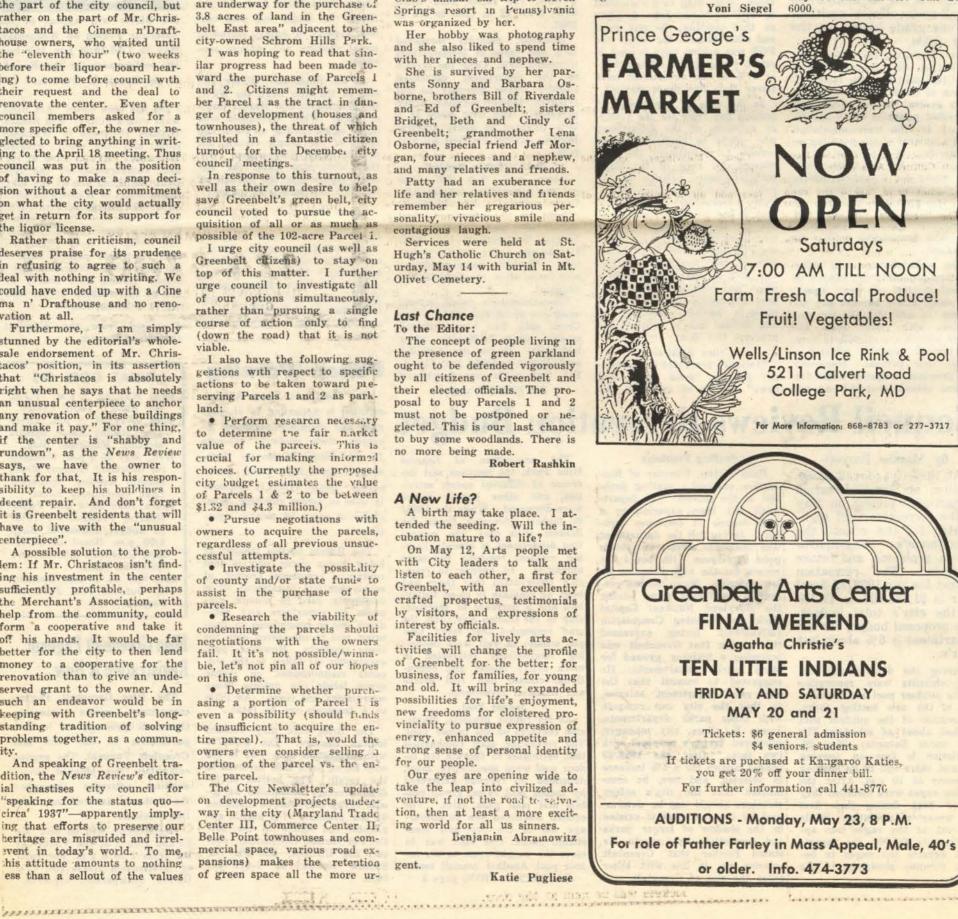
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Topics to be discussed include cable installation fees, the Labor Day booth, the new Master Plan, and Parcels 1 and 2. Members are invited to bring any other concerns they might have to the meeting for discussion.

Anyone who has not yet renewed their membership for 1988 is encouraged to do so by mail (P.O. Box 344) or at the meeting (please come early!). New members are always welcome, For information, call Member-Chairman Eunice Coxon, ship 345-2756.

#### FOR CANCER PATIENTS

For someone who is a cancer patient or is a family member of a cancer patient or who knows someone who has cancer and would like to talk with some one who has been through a similar experience, "CanSurmount" may be the answer! Call 261-6000.



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#### SHOCKED

To the Editor:

was shocked when I read the News Review's editorial criticizing the city council for their "hasty" decision to oppose the Cinema n' Drafthouse liquor license.

Any "hastiness" was not on the part of the city council, but rather on the part of Mr. Christacos and the Cinema n'Drafthouse owners, who waited until the "eleventh hour" (two weeks before their liquor board hearing) to come before council with their request and the deal to renovate the center. Even after council members asked for a more specific offer, the owner neglected to bring anything in writing to the April 18 meeting. Thus council was put in the position of having to make a snap decision without a clear commitment on what the city would actually get in return for its support for the liquor license.

Rather than criticism, council deserves praise for its prudence in refusing to agree to such a deal with nothing in writing. We could have ended up with a Cine ma n' Drafthouse and no renovation at all.

Furthermore, I am simply stunned by the editorial's wholesale endorsement of Mr. Christacos' position, in its assertion that "Christacos is absolutely right when he says that he needs an unusual centerpiece to anchor any renovation of these buildings and make it pay." For one thing, if the center is "shabby and rundown", as the News Review says, we have the owner to thank for that. It is his responsibility to keep his buildings in decent repair. And don't forget it is Greenbelt residents that will have to live with the "unusual centerpiece".

A possible solution to the problem: If Mr. Christacos isn't finding his investment in the center sufficiently profitable, perhaps the Merchant's Association, with help from the community, could form a cooperative and take it off his hands. It would be far better for the city to then lend money to a cooperative for the renovation than to give an undeserved grant to the owner. And such an endeavor would be in keeping with Greenbelt's longstanding tradition of solving problems together, as a community

And speaking of Greenbelt tradition, the News Review's editorial chastises city council for "speaking for the status quocirca' 1937"-apparently implying that efforts to preserve our heritage are misguided and irrelevent in today's world. To me, his attitude amounts to nothing ess than a sellout of the values

that Greenbelt stands for, and a slap in the face to the memory of Franklin Delano Roosevelt. Ruth Kastner **A Timely Reminder** 

To the Editor: I was pleased to read in the first City newsletter (City News, Spring 1988) that "negotiations

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are underway for the purchase of 3.8 acres of land in the Green-belt East area" adjacent to the city-owned Schrom Hills Park. I was hoping to read that similar progress had been made toward the purchase of Parcels 1 and 2. Citizens might remember Parcel 1 as the tract in danger of development (houses and townhouses), the threat of which resulted in a fantastic citizen turnout for the Decembe, eity council meetings.

In response to this turnout, as well as their own desire to help save Greenbelt's green belt, city council voted to pursue the acquisition of all or as much as possible of the 102-acre Parcel 1. I urge city council (as well as Greenbelt citizens) to stay on top of this matter. I further urge council to investigate all of our options simultaneously, rather than pursuing a single course of action only to find (down the road) that it is not viable.

I also have the following suggestions with respect to specific actions to be taken toward pieserving Parcels 1 and 2 as parkland:

· Perform research necessary determine the fair n.arket ue of the parceis. This is value of the parcels. crucial for making informed choices. (Currently the proposed city budget estimates the value of Parcels 1 & 2 to be between \$1.32 and \$4.3 million.)

· Pursue negotiations with owners to acquire the parcels, regardless of all previous unsuccessful attempts.

· Investigate the possibility of county and/or state funds to assist in the purchase of the parcels.

· Research the viability of condemning the parcels should negotiations with the owners It it's not possible/winnabie, let's not pin all of our hopes on this one.

· Determine whether purchasing a portion of Parcel 1 is even a possibility (should funds be insufficient to acquire the entire parcel). That is, would the owners even consider selling a portion of the parcel vs. the entire parcel.

The City Newsletter's update on development projects underway in the city (Maryland Trade Center III, Commerce Center II, Belle Point townhouses and commercial space, various road expansions) makes the retention of green space all the more ur-

### **Recreation Groups Bring Annual Wish Lists to Council** by Elizabeth Loebman

Eleven Greenbelt cultural and recreational organizations presented the city council with funding requests in a May 10 work session. Representatives from each organization met with the council in an organized, yet relaxed meeting, which was held in the Morrison Lounge of the Greenbelt Youth Center. Mayor Gil Weidenfeld asked

each representative the amount of money that they were requesting and what the money would be used for.

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The session began at about p.m. with the Golden Age Club's request for \$1800, the same amount as last year. The senior-citizen group takes daytrips to places such as Harborplace in Baltimore, Potomac Mills, the National Art Gallery and the Amish Folk Festival. The money is used to provide the group transportation.

The group is also planning longer trips to Alaska and Nocouncilmember Scotia. A va joked and asked if the group intends to take a bus to Alaska.

Rena Hull, chairperson of the Labor Day Festival, asked for the same "in-kind" contribution as last year. The group requests that the city's Public Works department help in putting up booths and the bandstand, in painting and in setting up electrical wiring. Hull says that everything should run smoot ly "provided that it doesn't rain like last year."

Two cultural organizations attended the meeting, the Greenbelt Concert Band and the Greenbelt Cultural Arts Center.

The Concert band, which is an ail-adult band, asked the council for \$200 more than last year. The group's representative, Thomas Cherrix, blames the Cherrix, higher figure on a "bit of infla-The money, \$4000 in totion." tal, would be spent on salaries and equipment.

The Arts Center requested \$8000 from the council. The group wants to buy a new \$5000 dance stage and will use \$3000 for lighting and cable for electrical equipment.

Recently the group was given 60-day eviction notice from their landlord, George Christac os of Alexandria, Virginia. The notice says that they are to

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leave their current location at the Utopia by July 1. The group's spokesperson, Kevin council, Kneisley, asked the "Why purchase anything if we are out by July 1?" He adds that the group is looking for a new home and that they "have a number of alternatives."

The seven remaining groups were all recreational/athletic groups.

The running club wants \$300 for visors that will be distributed to runners at footraces. The group has sponsored many competitions in the past, including a "dog race" where owners teamed up with their dogs in what was a competitive, yet humorous race.

The Greenbelt Senior Softball Team came to the council for funds for the first time. The requested \$700 so that group they could "upgrade themselves a little bit." The 20 person team hopes to get uniforms, a scoreboard and a first-aid kit.

The remaining athletic organinzations requested funds for similar reasons: all of the groups need equipment, uniforms, supplies, salaries (umpires and coaches) and facility rental.

Mehringer, of the Clete Greenbelt Soccer Association, told the council that equipment fees add up to quite a lot of money. "There are balls, which are \$25 a piece for the cheap ones, then there are bags for the balls, and water bottles . . ," he added.

Other groups represented at the meeting were the Aquatic Boosters Club, the Boys and Girls Club, Greenbelt Little Greenbelt Little League, and Babe Ruth League.

Friends of the Greenbelt Museum

present

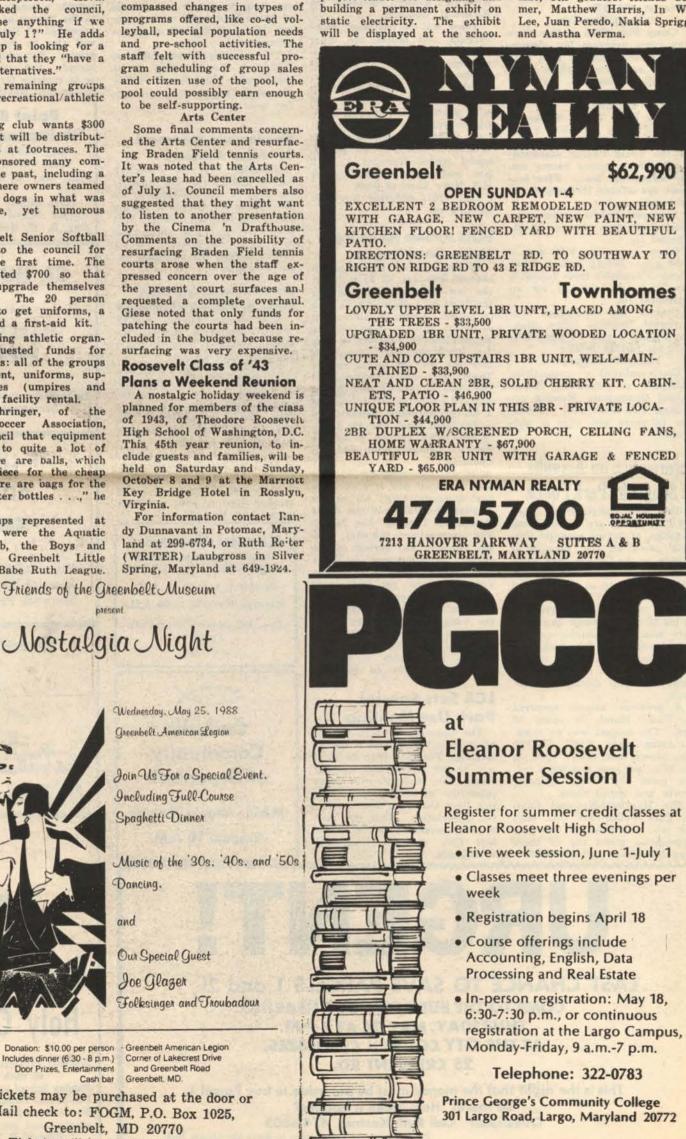
#### John Carroll Elementary **Gets Energy Mini-Grant**

John Carroll elementary school, one of the schools attended by Greenbelt children, has been awarded one of the nine Maryland Science Supervisors Association Energy Mini-grants.

Rhoda Slade, coordinator of the science, mathematics, and technology magnet program at John Carroll elementary, is the project leader for designing and building a permanent exhibit on

#### **Greenbelt Students** Make Honor Roll

Greenbelt Middle School had 122 students on the honor roll for the third quarter. The following students live in Greenbelt and have an average of 3.50 or better. 7th graders: Mai Dat .mas, Ella Ferrer, John Hauben-stricker, Seung Won Lee, Toi Perkins, and Yasaman Shahamat; 8th graders: Alexus Collmer, Matthew Harris, In Won Lee, Juan Peredo, Nakia Spriggs,



PURE ?



Donation: \$10.00 per person - Greenbelt American Legion Includes dinner (6:30 - 8 p.m.) Corner of Lakecrest Drive Door Prizes, Entertainment and Greenbelt Road Greenbelt, MD. Cash bar

and

Tickets may be purchased at the door or Mail check to: FOGM, P.O. Box 1025, Greenbelt. MD 20770 Tickets will be held at the door.

A nostalgic holiday weekend is planned for members of the ciasa of 1943, of Theodore Roosevel High School of Washington, D.C. This 45th year reunion, to in-clude guests and families, will be held on Saturday and Sunday, October 8 and 9 at the Marriott Key Bridge Hotel in Rosslyn, Virginia.

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ber noted that while the city is

attempting to make the pool

self-supporting, it seemed like

an expensive form of exercise to

offer to citizens when jogging

was cheaper. In the discussion

the question arose as to whether

the pool would be self-support-

ing or a service to citizens. The

recreation staff answered that

there was a growing demand for

exercise and that demand en-

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dy Dunnavant in Potomac, Maryland at 299-6734, or Ruth Reiter (WRITER) Laubgross in Silver Spring, Maryland at 649-1924.

#### **Concert at Youth Center**

The "P. J. E. Big Band" will perform Sunday, May 22 at 7 p.m. at the Greenbelt Youth Center. All residents and guests are welcome. The concert is free.

#### Recreation Review Swimming Pool Passes

City pool season passes are on sale in the Municipal Building. For further information, call the Recreation Department Business office at 474-6878.

**Camp** Pine Tree

Camp Pine Tree is the city's day camp program for elementary age children. The goal is to provide experiences which allow for skill development, social interaction, teamwork, exercise, and new adventures.

Camp Pine Tree's headquarters are in the Greenbelt Youth Center. Programs are conducted at the Youth Center, surrounding ballfields, tennis courts and the swimming pool. Five ses-sions are offered throughout the summer.

Transportation is available for resident children only for an auditional fee.

Camp hours are 8:30 a.m. -3:30 p.m. Before and/or After Camp is available from 7:36-8:36 a.m. and 3:30-5:30 p.m. for an additional fee.

Contact the Recreation Department Business Office, Mon day-Friday, 9 a.m. - 5 p.m., 474-6878 for further details. **Volleyball-Competitive** 

Co-recreational competitive volleyball is played at Center School Gymnasium Monday evenings, 6:30-10:30 p.m. Everyone 16 years and over is welcome.

#### Information on Assaults Is Sought by Park Police

The Maryland-National Capital Park Police are investigating a series of sexual assaults that took place on the hiker-biker system in the College Park area. The suspect in the last assault, which took place on Mon., May 2 at approximately 5:30 p.m., was a white male, 5'11", 180-190 lbs., in his 20's, short black han; last seen wearing a turquoise-colored shirt, gym shorts, tube socks and gym shoes. The suspect received a human bite, possibly to his right forearm, during the assault.

A previous assault occurred on Tues., March 29 about 10 a.m. The suspect was an orien tal/Asian male, 5'10", 170-180 lbs., brown hair, brown eyes, in his 20's; last seen wearing a yel low print shirt, white jogging shorts and tennis shoes.

The Maryland-National Capital Park Police ask that anyone who witnessed or has any information about any of these assaults, please call 459-9088. are welcome.

### Goddard Offers Community Day

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Community Day at NASA's Goddard Space Flight Center celebrates the renovation of the Visitor Center, Sunday, May 22 from 10 a.m. to 4 p.m.

Some of the exhibits planned are: how pictures are sent from space, Goddard's role in the "Big Bang" theory, how we study space science and spacecraft use, America's pioneer rocketeer, Dr. Robert H. Goddard. There will be hot dogs, ham-

burgers, soft drinks and other refreshments for sale; an assortment of souvenirs; plus free handouts on NASA's programs.

Other events offered are building tours from 10:30 to 3:30 with shuttle mock-up and satellite control room featured, a special Goddard presentation by William O'Leary at 11 and 2, model rocket launches 1 to 2 p.m. and a performance by the U.S. Navy Band at noon.

Call (301) 286-8981 for more information.

#### **ERHS Student Hit by Van Makes Good Progress**

Karen Henning, the Roosevelt student who was hit by a car as she ran into the street around the front of a Metrobus, is back in school. Karen, a tenth grader from Lanham, was running across Hanover Parkway on May 2 to join a group of friends. Neither she nor the driver of the Toyota van, also a student, saw the other in time to stop. Karen suffered a cracked left pelvis and a lot of abrasions, particularly on the right hand. She was taken to the shock trauma center at Prince Georges Hospital in Cheverly.

"It was an impulsive act, she was so lucky not to have been hurt more seriously," her mother Marilyn Henning told the News Review on Tuesday. The family was overwhelmed, she said, with the kindness and caring of the school administrators, teachers and students-the phone calls and visits, the get well cards personally delivered to the hos-pital by Karen's art class and the assignments collected by a guidance counsellor. The abrasions are nearly healed, now, she related, and Karen is able to put some weight on her left foot.

#### LCA Sets Special **Park Use Meeting**

The Lakeside Citizens Association (LCA) is holding a special meeting, Tuesday, May 24 at 8 p.m. in the city council meeting room. The meeting will focus primarily on the "Buddy" Attick Park Use Plan developed oy the Association. This use plan is to be presented to the Green-

belt City Council. Comments

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**Tennis Workshop Offered** 

At Fountain Lodge June 8

A tennis workshop for adult

Springhill Lake residents will be

hosted by the Fountain Lodge

June 8, 7-8:30 p.m. Tennis pro

Kyle Gold of WTS International

will provide professional tennis

Sporting Life of Beltway Pla-

za will provide the first door

prize for the evening — free stringing for the racquet of choice. WTS International will

provide a tennis racquet. Tickets

to the "Spirit of America" show

presented at the Capital Centre

will also be presented as door

prizes. Refreshments will be

served. For more information

or to register for this workshop,

please call Heather at 474-4555.

**Paint Branch** 

**Unitarian Church** 

3215 Powder Mill Road

(near Cherry Hill Road)

Sun., May 22, 9:30 and 11:15

Church School 9:30 a.m.

Paint Branch Choir Concert

Rev. R. W. Kelley 937-3666

a.m.

instruction for beginners.

#### **Lions Club to Hear** Amnesty International

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Citizens who have been concerned about the people who are prisoners of conscience, imprisioned solely for expressing their beliefs or for their ethnic origins and have neither used nor advocated violence can learn more about this situation.

They can join the Lion's at their next meeting as Amnesty International U.S.A. tells about their program and how people can help to secure the release of those imprisoned or to ameliate the conditions of their imprisonment.

This meeting is scheduled at 7:30 p.m., Monday, May 23 at the Fireside Beef House - 6011 Greenbelt Road, Call 474-5156 for reservations.

#### **Bloodmobile Sponsored By Legion Auxiliary**

Greenbelt Unit 136, American Legion Auxiliary, will sponsor the Red Cross Bloodmobile on May 23 at the Greenbelt Legion Post Home between 2:30 and 6:30 p.m. Everybody is encouraged to give, as more blood will be needed during the upcoming vacation season.

#### Simon's Comedy "Fools"

**Plays at Publick Playhouse** Neil Simon's comedy entitled "Fools" begins a run at the Prince George's Publick Playhouse on May 20.

Presented by the Prince Ge-orges Little Theatre, the spirited comedy is about a Russian schoolteacher who moves to a town with a "curse" on it. His role in resolving this problem leads to hilarious antics.

An infra-red listening system is available for the hearing impaired. The play continues Fridays and Saturdays at 8 p.m. through June 4, with a 2 p.m. matinee on May 22.

**Mowatt Memorial** 

United Methodist Church

Sunday School 10:00 A.M.

Morning Worship 10:00 A.M.

Rev. Dr. James Chong Park

Pastor

474-1924

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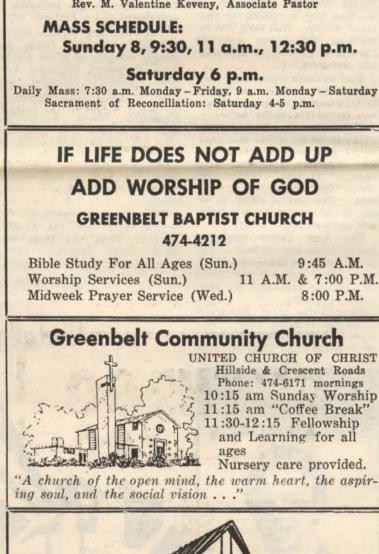
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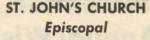
**MASS** - Utopia Theater

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474-9410





Baltimore Blvd..at Powder Mill Rd., Beltsville

8:30 a.m. Holy Eucharist 10:30 a.m. Holy Eucharist 10:30 a.m. Sunday School

Rev. John G. Bals, Rector 422-8057

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-Baha'i Sacred Writings Greenbelt Baha'i Community P.O. Box 245 Greenbelt, MD 20770 345-2918 474-4090

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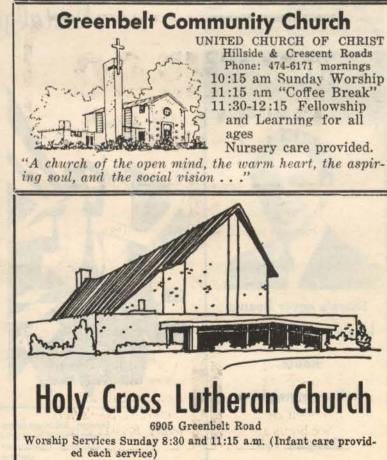
Rev. M. Valentine Keveny, Associate Pastor

Sunday 8, 9:30, 11 a.m., 12:30 p.m.

Sacrament of Reconciliation: Saturday 4-5 p.m.

# **GREENBELT BAPTIST CHURCH**

9:45 A.M. 11 A.M. & 7:00 P.M. 8:00 P.M.



Sunday School and Bible Classes 9:50 a.m. Pre-School Department 9:50 and 11:15 a.m.

For information regarding programs for youth, young adults, singles, and senior citizens, please call the Church office. Edward H. Birner, Pastoo 345-5111

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LAST CHANCE TO SAVE PARCELS 1 and 2! **COME TO THE BUDGET PUBLIC HEARING** THURSDAY, MAY 26 AT 8 P.M. AT THE CITY COUNCIL CHAMBERS, **25 CRESCENT RD.** 

This is the night that the money must be put aside to buy Parcel 1. Be there! Help make it happen! Questions? Call Ruth Kastner, 474-5605 Paid for by the Committee to Save the Green Belt \*\*\*\*\*

#### POLICE BUDGET

(Continued from page one)

properly and asked, "How can we get it going?" Craze answered that the unit is functioning better now than it has since it was formed but admitted that it is operating at helf strength (two officers) at this time. Giese said that budget constraints had kept him from recommending the additional officer for this unit but agreed that an additional officer would help keep a unit functional which is used as a reserve manpower source for other units.

Councilmember Edward Putens said that he would probably want to support the addition of one officer to this unit. However, residents of Greenbelt East, present at the meeting, wanted at least two officers added to the force. Sandy Bowers of Greenbriar said she could not reconcile the "stagnation" in the size of the police force with the great increase in building in Greenbelt East. Arlene Peterson of Greenwood Village, concerned with the number of break-ins in her neighborhood, called for additional patrol officers "so we can see some visibility" in that part of the city.

Dorothy Pyles, active in the Greenbriar neighborhood crime watch, also supported the addition of two patrol officers. "The presence of police on the street is of benefit" in deterring crime. she said. "The number of people you had in 1986 can't cope with the number of 1988 residential units," she maintained.

Mayor Gil Weidenfeld explained that council cannot grant all requests of the police before it considers expenses of other parts of the government. He said that council gives great weight to police protection but must also consider the needs of public works, the recreation department, Greenbelt CARES, and other city departments. He noted that the public safety part of the budget is increasing faster than any other part but added that "we cannot abandon all the **SHL Hosts Pizza Party** 

"Food and fun will be the ingredients of the Springhill Lake Children's Pizza Party," said Heather McArthur, Activities Coordinator. This children's event will feature pizzas from The Pizza Place, a clown, balloons, a door prize and lots of fun.

It will be held Wednesday, May 26, at 6:30 p.m. in the Community Room above the Springhill Lake Pharmacy. Children shculd register by calling<sup>\</sup> Heather at 474-4555.

#### **TULIP BULBS FOR FREE**

Interested citizens may pick up red and white tulip bulbs and possibly a few plue hyacinths at the Public Works Department on Monday, May 25, between 1:30 and 3:30 p.m.

other traditional Greenbelt services."

Craze, while stating that some formulas would support additional officers for the department, reminded residents that the number of officers in the department has increased 30% in the last five years. Councilmember Antoinette Bram maintained that the department has also become more efficient and lauded the department as "the best force" in the area.

Isaacs and Councilmember Thomas White also pointed out that the council has to weigh all the parts of the budget before deciding. Isaacs also noted that breaking and entering cases are down and that calls for service have decreased. White said that the police budget is the fastest growing part of the budget and that "what has been presented is a balancing act."

Paul Sinkovic of Greenbriar agreed that it is "a real balancing act" but added that those attending were "showing our concerns." Putens asked whether they would be ready to pay for the additional officers tney had asked for. Sinkovic replied, "I feel that most citizens would."

#### CITY NOTES

Members of the parks and special details crews worked at the swimming pool preparing for the opening of the pool. The area on both sides of the pool has been sodded. The swimming pool was inspected by the State and County Health officials on Thursday, May 12. It appears the pool will be ready prior to the opening date.

The general crew worked on backfilling and landscaping behind the curb on Lakeside.

The parks crew worked on preparing athletic fields for play and are working on the golf course and cutting grass throughout the City. The horticulturist is busy with planting annuals in the beds throughout the City.

Center line striping was done on Ivy Lane by the special details crew and the shop crew on Friday.

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#### Farmers Market Opens

The Prince Georges County Farmers' Market will begin its tenth season at the MNCPPC Ice Rink and Swimming Pool Complex 5211 Calvert Road in College Park. The market opens Saturday, May 21 and will be open Saturday mornings through October 29 from 7 till noon.

#### CLASS OF 1978 TO MEET

The class of 1978 from Severna Park High School will hold its ten year reunion August 19 at the Annapolis Hilton.

For more information, to help out or give a current address call Danny Macey at (703) 836-1925 or Greg LaRosa at (703) 379-0387.

PLEASE PATRONIZE OUR ADVERTISERS Johnston, Lemon & Co. Incorporated invites people to attend a special seminar entitled "PorTax Reform 1986—What You Don't Know May Cost You", featuring Thomas J. Stemmy, CPA and Kenneth E. Banwart, on Tuesday, May 24, at the Conference Room at 7 p.m. at the Green

belt Library. RSVP-Peter S

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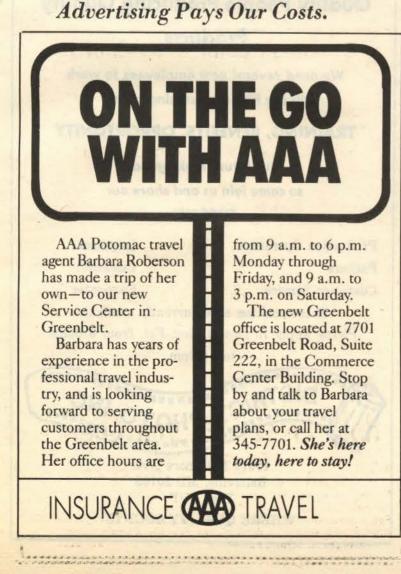
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## Facts About Gypsy Moths

#### by Reneé Bryan

'Tis the season for gypsy noth caterpillars to munch, nunch, munch on their faorite delights - your trees! Vhite oak, red oak, birch, villow, sweet gum and about 00 other varieties of trees nd shrubs are among their avorites. This insect has a luge appetite and is the nost serious enemy of hardvood trees in the eastern Jnited States.

According to the USDA Forst Service, more than 2 million cres will be defoliated this ear. Gypsy moth caterpillars inest trees in large numberss many as 30,000 caterpillars an infest a single tree - each ating 5 to 10 leaves in a lifeime.

Native to Europe, the moth vas brought into the United States in 1869 by a French scienist working near Boston. He vas trying to create a new train of silkworms. His experment failed but some of his catrpillars escaped, and ever since people have been trying to halt he spread of the moths.

Egg masses are laid in narry :lusters in the fall, with 106 to 1,000 eggs in each cluster. Young gypsy moth caterpillars hatch in April and May. As they grow, 'eeding only at night, the tiny spots on their back become more obvious. From the head down, the first five pairs of spots are plue and the ramaining six pairs are brick red. The brightly marked caterpillars are about 2 inches long when they reach naturity in late June or early July.

After spinning cocoons, the adult moth emerges approximately two weeks later. Egg laying occurs shortly after mating. Adult moths die shortly after they have mated and produced the overwintering eggs.

**Control Measures** 

Presently, there are two commonly applied sprays that the State of Maryland uses to combat gypsy moth caterpillars. Those pesticides are Dimilin and BT. Dimilin is preferred because it does not seem to harm other predators. Spraying should be done in the spring when the caterpillars are less than 1/2 inch long and most vulnerable, and before leaf damage becomes serious.

To control larger caterpillars, a good tactic may be to encircle the tree trunks with commer-cially available sticky bands. These trap caterpillars crawling up or down the tree during their daily journey. Another method to catch caterpillars is to use wide burlap bands. Place the folded burlap bands around tree trunk, the idea being not to trap the caterpillars but to give

them an apparently safe daytime hiding place. Then collect and destroy the caterpillars ev-When collecting ery morning. caterpillars DO NOT the TOUCH them - some people are allergic to their hairs. Gently scrape them off the burlap with a stick or wear gloves and pick them off by hand. Drown the collected pests in rubbing alcohol, kerosene, or soapy water. City Horticulturist Bill Phelan recommends using either of these methods for controlling gypsy moth caterpillars.

In addition, homeowners should scrape off egg masses during the fall and winter months and drop them into a container of rubbing alcohol or kerosene. These hairy clusters look almost as if they are covered with tan chamois or velvet. New egg masses are firm to the touch; hatched ones are soft and spongy.

#### State Program

The State is presently spraying, via helicopter, in heavily infested areas. At this time, Greenbelt does not meet the requirements for the Maryland State Gypsy Moth Spraying Program. To determine whether or not an area is largely infested, egg masses are counted and an estimated egg mass per acre figure is calculated. Lgg masses were counted around Greenbelt Lake earlier this spring. Figures of 150 to 175 egg masses per acre were deter-

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Maryland's Gypsy Moth Suppression Program is both safe and effective, says Wayne A. Cawley, Jr., Secretary of the Maryland Department of Agriculture.

State Sprays Gypsy Moths

Each landowner is notified at least 30 to 60 days before any treatment begins. Persons who object may ask to be exempted from the program.

The chemicals used to control Gypsy Moths are deemed safe. Dimilin and B.T. (Bacillus Thuringiensis) are both EPA-approved and are used only under the strict supervision of the Department of Agriculture's trained professional staff. Rumors that one can't garden for six months after spraving are unfounded. according to Cawley.

mined. When an area reaches a figure of 500 egg masses per acre it qualifies for spraying. At this level defoliation is visible. For further information contact the Public Works office at 474-8004.





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#### Where Alcohol & Drug Abusers Can Get Help

The Addictions Services Administration of the Maryland Department of Health and Mental Hygiene has published a resource directory of treatment units and organizations offering services to alcohol and drug abusers.

The directory lists addresses, phone numbers and descriptions of services offered for 202 treatment units statewide. Forty-nine hotline and emergency numbers are also included.

The directories are available free of charge by calling (301) 225-6910 or by writing to Addictions Services Administration, O'Connor Building - 4th Floor 201 West Preston Street, Baltimore, Maryland 21201.

#### Financial Reporting Award Given to City

The Certificate of Achievement for Excellence in Financial Reporting has been awarded to the City of Greenbelt by the Government Finance Officers Association of the United States and Canada (GFOA) for its comprehensive annual financial report. This is the highest form of recognition in the area of governmental accounting and financial reporting.

In addition, an Award of Fi: nancial Reporting Achievement was given to C.R. Prybyl, Director of Administrative Services, whose work was primarily responsible for the city's earning the certificate.



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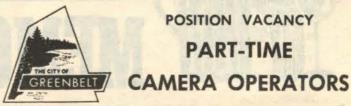
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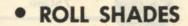
The city's intra-city bus service, the Greenbelt Connection, needs drivers with good driving records to work Sundays. We are interested in people who want to work just one or two Sundays per month. If you are interested; or want further information, contact Michael Mc-Laughlin at 474-8000. Applications for employment are available at the city offices, 25 Crescent Road. Salary is \$6.00/hr. EOE.



Interested and responsible people are needed to work on the Greenbelt Municipal Access Channel B-10 production staff as camera operators to cablecast bi-weekly City Council meetings and other city related activities.

Experience is not necessary, although Prime certification or other television production experience would be helpful. Training will be provided. The salary is \$4.00/hour.

Applications will be accepted until the positions are filled. Apply at the City Office, 25 Crescent Road, Greenbelt, MD 20770, 474-8052. EOE.



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Newly Renovated Greenbelt Municipal Swimming Pool Friday, May 27

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Music provided by Trux Baldwin and the Starlight Orchestra Dance will be held in the Youth Center in the event of rain. Event is open to the public free of charge.

AND The Official Dedication of the Municipal Pool Rain or Shine Saturday, May 28 10 a.m. Afterwards, swim FREE for the day.

CITY COUNCIL Gil Weidenfeld, Mayor Joseph C. Isaacs, Mayor Pro-Tem Antoinette M. Bram Edward V. J. Putens Thomas X. White Sullivan & Almy, Inc. Olympic Swimmin

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#### **Police Blotter**

These reports are based on information provided by the Greenbelt Police Department as a public service to the community to give an overview of criminal activity in Greenbeit but are not a complete listing of all events and crimes reported to the police department.

A female resident of the 6100 block of Breezewood Drive was awakened about 12:50 a.m., May 9 by a noise at the window. When she saw a face in the window she screamed and the suspect fled. He was a black male in his 20's, 5'10", 210 lbs., with close-cropped hair.

During the night of May 11 a resident of the 11 Court of Hillside went to investigate a noise at the rear door. An intruder who had broken in by forcing the door fled at the resident's approach. Nothing was taken.

On May 5 a rear window was broken during the day at a residence in the 8400 block of Canning Terrace in an apparent attempt to break in.

Pfc. Carolyn McLean arrested a 51-year-old Greenbelt man about 7:50 a.m., May 8 for driving a car bearing stolen D. C. license plates. He was charged with theft and released pending trial.

Between May 7 and 10 building materials were reported stolen at three construction sites. Articles stolen were aluminum window frames from the 7500 block of Greenway Center Drive, lumber from the 7500 block of Greenbrook Drive and four laminated beams from the 7000 block of Megan Lane.

A green John Deere 950 tractor was stolen May 6-7 from a construction area at Greenbel' Rd. and Kenilworth Ave.

Two men who were refused service because of drunkenness about 12:30 a.m., May 7, in Bennigan's at Beltway Plaza smashed the glass in the front door. They were not apprehended.

Medical supplies in a gray polyethelene case were stolen May 11 from an office in the 7200 block of Hanover Parkway.

On May 7 a blue 1988 Cadillac Fleetwood 4-door sedan was stolen from the Capitol Cadillac dealership on Capital Drive. There were no license tags on the car that was taken. On May 12 a blue 1979 Toyota Corolla, Md. TBS631 was stolen from the 61 Court of Ridge Rd. and a 1384 Chevy Camaro, MD. PuA 591 was stolen from the 9000 block of Springhill Lane.

A ladies' white 26" 10-speed bicycle was reported stolen May 7 from the 53 Court of Crescent Rd.

A purse was stolen about 6 p.m., May 8 from the rear seat of a car parked at Ridge Rd. and Ivy Lane. A side window was broken to gain entry.

On May 10 a storage bin in the 9100 block of Springhill Court was reported broken into and tools stolen.

A patron at Kangaroo katie's restaurant at Greenway Center reported her purse stolen about 12:25 a.m., May 6 while it was left unattended.

Between May 6 and 11 thefts from and vandalism to autos were reported at Beltway Plaza and Greenway Center parking lots, at the 8 court of Plateau Pl., in the 5800 block of Cherrywood Lane, the 6000 block of Springhill Drive, the 9000 block of Breezewood Terrace, the 9100 block of Edmonston Rd., the 200 block of Lakeside Drive, the 7200 block of Morrison Drive and the 8100 block of Bird Lane.

### GREENBELT NEWS REVIEW

#### **CARES Budget Aired At Council Worksession**

by Mavis Fletcher At a city council worksession on the proposed budget for the Greenbelt CARES Youth Service Bureau on May 9, Carol Levanthal, director of CARES, said that there has been a gradual movement upward in the numbers of the people served in the community. Levanthal heads a staff of two fulitime (including herself) and two halftime professional counselors and one fulltime and one halftime office assistants. The budget for the 1988/ 89 fiscal year is \$187,800. State and county grants account for more than half of the total; the city's share is \$87,300.

City Manager James K. Giese introduced the proposed budget by saving that the only substantial change from last year was reclassification of all the professional positions in CARES. The positions have been raised two grades. The reclassification is

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part of a program of reassessing classification of all positions in the city government.

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**Council Questions** Mayor pro tem Joseph isaacs asked whether the bureau is generally working at capacity Leventhal replied that it is and that there is a waiting list for services. Mayor Gil Weidenfeld inquired whether the proportion of Greenbelt residents has gone up or down. Leventhal said that about 60% of the clients are residents, a number which has remained fairly steady. She noted that residents are given preference for the bureau's services, then come persons who work or go to school in Greenbelt, then referrals from other areas are accepted.

Councilmember Thomas White asked whether Leventhal had seen any change in the clientele of CARES in the past ten years. She replied that the "seriousness

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may have increased—people may be more distraught" but that otherwise there is little change. She said she felt that CARES had "done a good job in educating people that it's OK to come in" for help but some clients still come in at the "last minute." When White inquired about substance abuse, Leventhal replied that this had not changed very much in the last ten years either.

When councilmember Antoinette Bram asked how the bureau approaches problems with parents, Leventhal indicated that CARES insists that all members of the family come in for counseling, not just the youths.

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Isaacs asked about outreach programs in the community and was told that the bureau does have some such programs—for example, in the schools. Councilmember Edward Putens suggested that cable TV programming might be a channel for reaching some prospective clients. Leventhal agreed but said that available video tapes "aren't terrific."

# NOTICE OF PUBLIC HEARING

INTENTION TO INCREASE TAX RATE ABOVE CONSTANT YIELD TAX RATE

IN COMPLIANCE WITH AND PURSUANT TO THE PROVISIONS OF ARTICLE 6-308, TAX-PROPERTY, OF THE ANNOTATED CODE OF MARYLAND, THE CITY COUNCIL OF GREENBELT, MARYLAND WILL HOLD A PUBLIC HEARING OF ITS INTENTION TO INCREASE THE PROPERTY TAX RATE FOR THE FISCAL YEAR STARTING JULY 1, 1988 AS PROPOSED IN THE CITY MANAGER'S BUDGET, ABOVE THE CONSTANT YIELD

TAX RATE.

THE CONSTANT YIELD TAX RATE IS DESIGNED TO PRODUCE FOR A LOCAL GOVERNMENT THE SAME AMOUNT OF PROPERTY TAX REVENUES AS WAS PRODUCED IN THE PREVIOUS TAX YEAR. THE PUBLIC HEARING WILL TAKE PLACE AT 8 P.M. - THURSDAY, MAY 26, 1988

> IN THE COUNCIL ROOM, GREENBELT MUNICIPAL BUILDING 25 CRESCENT ROAD.

AT THAT TIME, THE COUNCIL WILL HEAR COMMENTS REGARDING ANY PROPOSED INCREASE AND EXPLAIN THE REASONS FOR THE PROPOSED INCREASE. ALL INTERESTED PERSONS ARE ENCOURAGED TO ATTEND THIS HEARING AND PRESENT THEIR VIEWS.

> CITY COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF GREENBELT, MARYLAND

	for		
10.01	Thursday, May 26, 1988 - 8:00 p.m.		
	CONCERNING THE PROPOSED BUDGETS FOR FY 1988/89 FOR THE GENERAL FUND AND EACH OF THE OTHER FUNDS OF THE CITY.		
all works and	THE PROPOSED BUDGET SUBMITTED BY THE CITY MANAGER RECOMMENDS A TAX RATE OF \$1.22, AN INCREASE OF FIVE CENTS OVER THE CURRENT TAX RATE.		
	GENERAL FUND BUDGET		
	1. Taxes         \$6,425,500           2. Licenses and Permits         71,200           3. Revenues from Other Agencies         585,400		
No.	4. Service Charges for Current Services 530,100	1	

<ol> <li>Fines and Forfeitures</li> <li>Miscellaneous Revenue</li> </ol>	45,000 360,800
TOTAL REVENUES	\$8,018,000
EXPENDITURES 100. General Government 200. Public Safety 300. Public Works 400. Social Services 500. Recreation and Parks Miscellaneous Debt Service Reserves	\$1,010,300 2,773,400 1,461,700 187,800 1,381,800 92,300 458,400 652,300

TOTAL EXPENDITURES

The Hearing will be held in the Council Room, Municipal Building, 25 Crescent Road, Greenbelt, Maryland. Public participation and attendance is encouraged, and all citizens of Greenbelt shall have a reasonable opportunity to provide written and oral comments and to ask questions concerning the entire budget.

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COPIES OF THE PROPOSED BUDGET AND THE CITY MANAGER'S BUDGET MESSAGE ARE AVAIL-ABLE AT THE CITY OFFICES, 25 CRESCENT ROAD, MONDAY THRU FRIDAY, 8 A.M. TO 4:30 P.M. FOR INFORMATION, PLEASE CALL 474-3870 OR 474-8000.

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#### Lion Belles Meet

The Greenbelt Lion Belles, with their husbands as guests, will meet at the home of Margie Harman, on Tuesday, May 24. The evening will begin at 6.30 p.m. with a pot-luck dinner. All members and prospective mem-bers are invited to attend.

#### **1948 Greenbelt High Holds Fortieth Reunion**

In continuing the tradition of having a reunion every -( years, the 1948 Class of the former Greenbelt High School will celebrate its 40-year mark on Jur.e 24, 25 and 26. Plans for the weekend include a "come-as-youwere" gathering at their Alma Mater (now Greenbelt Middle School), a dinner-dance at the new Beltsville/Calverton Holiday Inn, and a family picnic at Greenbelt Park. Classmembers are urged to get their questionnaires and reservations in before June 1, so a commemorative yearbook can be compiled and ready for distribution at reunion time.

Please notify Mary Lou (Goodall) Krahe, 868-2241, of any in-formation about these classmembers: Lois Bobbit, Robert Davis, Dorothy Hurt, Mary Ellen Kaehler, Joseph and Maryfrancis Schonwetter, Jane Scovitch, Edwin Sherman, Kevin Thomas Ryan, Dorothy Suit, Joann Therrell.

Lewis Merritt

#### **SHL Holds Luau**

Tropical breezes will be blowing at Springhil. Lake's Outdoor Luau on Thursday, June 2 from 6:30-8:30 p.m. Co-sponsoring this event will be Jaspers, providing barbecue ribs, tropical fresh fruits and assorted cheeses. Rum punch will be served along with the regular Happy Hour refreshments.

"This event is hosted outdoors by Springhill Lake, below deck of the Fountain Lodge," said Heather McArthur, Activities Coordinator. "We are especially looking forward to it because of Jaspers' involvement and because of the usual beach side games such as the Limbo and the grass skirt contest:" Music for the evening will be provided by Tamar Sounds.

For registration please cail Heather at 474-4555. There is a fee.

#### Famous Mountain Climber Will Lecture on May 25

As part of the Wednesday night clinic series, Recreational Equipment, Inc. (REI), is pleas-ed to present world famous mountain climber Lou Whittaker. Lou will present a lecture/slide show on his many expeditions, both here and abroad. This event will take place on Wednesday, May 25 at 7 p.m. at REI, 9801 Rhode Island Avenue, College

REI's Wednesday night and weekend clinics are designed to bring interested members of the community in touch with experts in the outdoor recreation field.

weekday volunteers with typing and telephone experience to staff Cross Connect, the hospital's physician and health services re-

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ferral network. The hospital is also seeking weekday help for its Adult Day Care program. Volunteers would provide friendship and assistance with activities to impaired elderly persons and medically handicapped adults.

Volunteers must be at least 18 years old and available to work one four-hour shift per week. Training will be provided. For more information call

Wanda Herb at 565-1384 before March 15. BREAST CANCER HOTLINE

A toll-free National Hotline is available for breast cancer information and is sponsored by Y-ME BREAST CANCER the SUPPORT PROGRAM located in the Chicago area. The tollfree /number is: 1-800-221-2141.

Trained volunteers and staff are available weekdays, 10 a.m. -6 p.m. All Y-ME Hotline volunteers have been treated for breast cancer. Women who need information about treatment options and emotional support during treatment are encouraged to call Y-ME.



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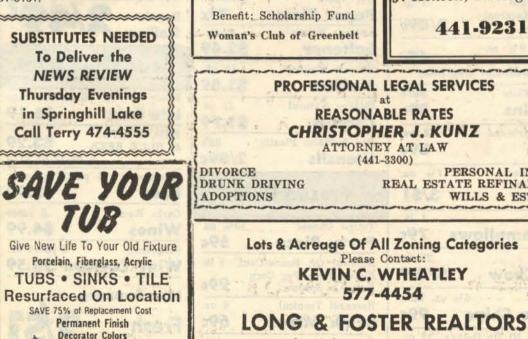
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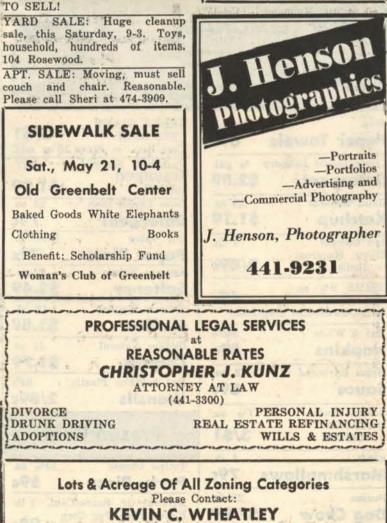
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