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Come On In!

Our office is located in the Greenbelt Community Center. Use the entrance facing the Municipal Building, go up the inside steps to the first door on the left (Room 100).

New Initiatives Reduce Crime Chief Craze Tells Democrats

by James Giese

"Community policing is the way in which municipal police have always done their job. It is nothing new," Greenbelt Chief of Police James Craze told the Greenbelt Democratic Club at its February 21 meeting at the Greenbriar Community Center. The Chief described some of the new community policing initiatives introduced by the department in the past five or six years.

At that time the Chief sent two of his lieutenants, John Lann and Michael Craddock, down to Charleston, South Carolina, where Charleston's Chief Greenberg had undertaken more than 100 community initiatives. "We've tried some of those," said Craze, "but not all."

Some of these initiatives included: bicycle patrols; contracts with property owners to act as agents to address loitering and trespassing problems; the citizen's police academy; business breakfasts with groups such as businessmen, the clergy, and apartment rental agents; and police substations at the Beltway Plaza and in Greenbelt East at the Windsor Green Community Building.

"I've received many compliments from citizens on seeing the bicycle patrols," he told the group. Nine officers have been trained in the nuances of bicycle patrolling, which supplements patrol by vehicle, the bicycles being carried on the backs of the cruisers. Area businesses donated

funds for the purchase of much of the equipment used by the unit, and a COPS FAST federal grant was obtained to fund 75% of an officer's salary and benefits.

Citizen's Academy

The Chief is particularly pleased about the success of the Citizen's Police academy. "We have graduated over 100 in four years," he reported. The academy has been a two-way learning opportunity. "We have learned so much from the citizens attending," he said, adding that this had resulted in changes to the format of the academy. A number of people

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in the audience were recognized for having attended the program.

Now the department is working with Dr. Gerald Boarman, principal of Eleanor Roosevelt High School, to establish a youth citizen's academy. The department plans to run two of those a year, along with the two-a-year classes offered to adults.

Craze told the audience that the substation at the Beltway Plaza has proved to be very effective. Crime at the shopping center has decreased by more than 60% in the two years since the substation opened. The exception is shoplifting, which is more difficult to control.

During Fiscal Year 1996, there were five business breakfasts with area business owners/managers to discuss their mutual law enforcement concerns, which gave the department feedback and helped to initiate interaction among the participants, themselves.

Thievery

The Chief admitted to the group that he was guilty of theft—he had stolen the idea for a school resource officer from a department in Florida. The county police department now has a school resource officer program patterned after Greenbelt's. The Chief commended David Buerger who is serving as the school resource officer at Eleanor Roosevelt High School. "David is a very special guy—I am proud to have him in our organization," he said, but added, "We have 40-some David Buergers in our police department."

The most costly and complicated new police program is the recently installed computer system. Based on a study performed by the Police Executive Research Forum, the system will include computer-aided dispatching. The program, which will cost around \$300,000, will be implemented in three phases and be paid for over a five-year period.

The department has recently replaced its handguns, which were over ten years old, with new weapons paid for by forfeited drug money.

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On to the Internet! Beth and Bill Novick present Principal Carolyn Goff (center) of Greenbelt Elementary School with a \$500 grant from the Mobil Educational Alliance. The money will be used to buy a printer for the school's Internet system.

— photo by Prospero Zevallos

Novicks Secure Mobil Grant For Greenbelt Elementary

by Millie O'Dea

On February 5 a grant from the Mobil Educational Alliance was presented by Beth and Bill Novick to Carolyn Goff, principal of the Greenbelt Elementary School, at an honor roll assembly of third and fourth graders and their parents.

As operators of the Mobil Greenbelt Service Center, the Novicks attended a Mobil seminar on "How to Improve Community Involvement." They learned that, in a nationwide survey, Mobil found that customers listed education and community involvement as top priorities. As part of the seminar the Novicks were given a one-page form to fill out to request a \$500 educational grant for the school of their choice.

Within two months they had received the grant in the form of a check to the Greenbelt Elementary School. The school will use the money to buy a printer as part of their Internet system to communicate with other schools.

Interested in promoting opportunities for other Mobil stations to obtain grants for their area schools, the Novicks spoke with the Mobil Marketing Representative who handles the Prince George's County area. The representative reported that out of 28 stations in the county, as of now 12 individual operators have applied for Mobil grants.

Mobil owned the property where the Mobil station and Greenbelt Auto and Truck Repair are located until December 1996, when Bill Novick and Joe Aulisio purchased the property. Bill

smiled as he said, "It has always been a Mayberry type gas station. We still use the old slogan in our ads that originated with Woody, 'as near as your neighbor.'" Everyone who works at the station either lives or has lived in Greenbelt.

Novick is a long-time Greenbelter. His parents moved here in 1956. His mother, Gita, who was born in India, came to the states to attend the University of Maryland, where she met and married Bill's father, John, whose grandparents were first generation Russians. Bill was born in Greenbelt when they lived at 26 Court Ridge. He attended Greenbelt Center Elementary, Greenbelt Junior High and Parkdale. Bill began working at the station in 1973, pumping gas there when Woody Love was the owner.

Beth's father, who retired from the Navy as a Lt. Commander, was stationed in Annapolis in 1976 when she met Bill at the Mobil station. A Mayberry type gas station - yes! They married in 1980, live in Greenbelt and have two sons, Jacob, 15, and Ben, 12.

Beth taught in the Prince George's County school system for a number of years. Recently she responded to a call from the Friends Community School in College Park, which Ben attends, and is now teaching one class of math.

Beth and Bill together sponsor the Cardinal Little League team. The coach's son, Eric Silverman, works at the station. A Greenbelt type gas station - yes!

Hunting Ridge Residents Concerned about Traffic

by Dennis Jelalian

The February GEAC meeting was held on Feb. 6 at the Hunting Ridge Community Center. The group discussed traffic safety in Greenbelt East, street lights for Hanover Parkway, the development of Commerce Center II, the Sixtieth Anniversary and heard a presentation on the history of zoning in Greenbelt East by city Planning and Development Director Celia Wilson.

Traffic Safety

Members of the Board of Directors and residents of Hunting Ridge came to the meeting to express their concerns about the safety of traffic at the entrance to Hunting Ridge from Hanover Parkway. According to William Parker and others, southbound traffic on Hanover Parkway has trouble turning right into Hunting Ridge because high speed traffic following them will not slow down to allow the turn. Northbound traffic has difficulty making the left turn into Hunting Ridge because southbound traffic won't slow or stop to allow the turn. Similarly, traffic from the apartment condominium has difficulty turning left onto Hanover Parkway because of the traffic and its speed. Pedestrians also have difficulty crossing the street.

Several solutions were proposed by Wilson and others, including marking lanes, adding yellow safety lines, adding a sign, changing lane widths, adding turn lanes, adding a stop sign or a stop light.

City Councilmember Edward Putens pointed out that the city needs to proceed cautiously. There was a case in Baltimore where a woman ran a stop sign and successfully sued the city because she claimed the stop sign shouldn't have been there. Traffic devices have to be planned and engineered in accordance with state regulations.

Gloria Bates and other residents complained that there is no safe place to wait for a bus, or to board or alight from one. Putens suggested that the city should ask Metro to provide adequate facilities. However, Wilson pointed out that Metro wants the city to buy similar facilities for

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What Goes On

Mon., March 3, 7 p.m. Recycling Advisory Committee, Community Center.

8 p.m. Council Work Session with State Highway Administration (SHA), Municipal Bldg.

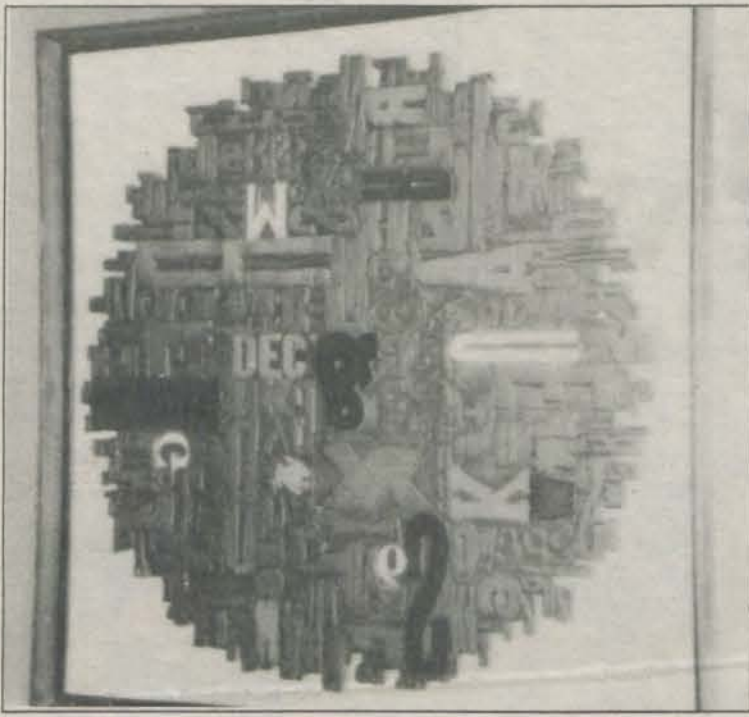
Tue., March 4, 7:30 - 9:30 p.m. Anacostia Watershed Society Meeting Re: Intercounty Connector, Municipal Bldg.

Wed., March 5, 10 a.m. Celia Wilson and Sharon Bradley-Papp Meeting with Roosevelt Center merchants, Adult Art Room, Community Center.

7:30 p.m. Advisory Planning Board, Community Center

8 p.m. Crime Prevention Committee, Police Station.

Thur., March 6, 8 p.m. Council Work Session on Public Works IGS Study, Municipal Bldg.



Old wooden typefaces form this handsome wall hanging, a recent gift to the News Review by Izzy Parker of Lakeside North. Parker, who was editor of this newspaper many years ago, bought the piece at an Eastern Shore auction, then found it was too heavy to hang in his home. That it is heavy, city employee Tim Houchens and Mike Santini, a contractor for the city, can attest after their labors in hauling and hanging it safely and attractively. Staff and visitors admire and enjoy this particularly 'newspaper' art; look for it next time you stop by the News Review. Thanks to donor Izzy Parker, as well as the two hangers of this art work.

- photo by I.J. Parker

Film Shows Langston Terrace Shares Values with Greenbelt

by Heather Elizabeth Peterson

Why were black families originally not allowed to live in Greenbelt? The answer given back in 1938 was that Washington-area black families had a federal housing project of their own, Langston Terrace in northeast D.C. On February 20 at the Community Center, Greenbelters had the chance to watch a film showing how residents of this other New Deal community lived.

The viewing of "Home," a film by Barr Weissman and Glen Leiner, was sponsored by the Friends of the Greenbelt Museum. Weissman was there in person to introduce the film and to answer questions following the showing. The film used interviews with present and past residents, as well as archival films and photographs, to tell the story of Langston Terrace. Like Greenbelt, Langston Terrace was successful in all of its goals except of the hope of its architect that it would be imitated.

Resemblances between the two communities were striking. As in Greenbelt, Langston Terrace residents were hand-picked; 3000

families wrote letters, mostly unsolicited, in an attempt to be selected for the 274 units. As in Greenbelt, the landscape was modeled after the new town movement and the architecture inspired by the International Style of the 1920s and 1930s. As in Greenbelt, Langston had public art, abundant community activities (including federally-sponsored band concerts), and residents who were enthusiastic about their community.

Architecture

The film contrasted the success of Langston Terrace with the failure of later public housing projects inspired by the "inhuman" architecture of Le Corbusier. One irony not mentioned during the film or discussion was that Greenbelt nearly ended up looking like a Le Corbusier town: Rexford Guy Tugwell, Greenbelt's creator, originally wanted to build skyscrapers 50 or 60 stories high. Fortunately, only Le Corbusier's idea of a "greenbelt" survived here.

Langston Terrace was built as a mixture of townhouses and

low-rise apartment buildings; the film suggested that this design helped residents to get to know each other better. Though the buildings were in the plain International Style, they were less severe in design than Greenbelt's original homes.

As in Greenbelt, much attention was paid to landscape architecture. "My first reaction to Langston was the space," said one resident in the film, and the film noted that every family has a garden or access to a garden.

The film also revealed contrasts between Langston Terrace and Greenbelt. The biggest difference between the communities, aside from race, was that Langston Terrace was built inside an existing community, Weissman told the News Review. Architect Hilyard Robinson invented the concept of the "new town in town," and sought to integrate Langston Terrace with the surrounding communities. The houses, for example, were located within walking distance of existing schools. Weissman noted, however, that Langston Terrace was separated from the other communities by its distinctive features, such as the fact that its streets did not allow through traffic.

Their Fate

Another difference between Langston Terrace and Greenbelt is that Langston Terrace remains a public housing project, though since the late forties it has been owned by the D.C., rather than the federal government. Because of this fact, the film revealed, Langston Terrace now faces problems of deterioration and inattention, like those in other public housing projects, and is struggling to keep to its original ideals.

Many Greenbelters are familiar with the first Cooperator editorial, "We Pioneers," which begins, "We did not arrive in Greenbelt after long, tiresome miles by covered wagon... We were not first to gaze upon this spot of ground." Some of the local film viewers, therefore, may have experienced a shock of familiarity toward the end of the film when a man suddenly announced, "We did not come here as indentured servants; we did not come here as slaves..." The film revealed, however, that these words were spoken at a rally supporting the need for public housing. Words once spoken in pride of this nation's housing achievements were now transformed into words spoken in anger at its failures.

During the question period af-

ter the film, it was noted that Langston Terrace and Greenbelt share the common problem of being successful experiments which were not imitated. The film attributed part of this failure to the fact that present-day architects are not interested in "social architecture," which tries to create buildings that encourage community life. Weissman said he was therefore pleased that his movie "has found its largest audience in architectural students across the country." He says that the students are surprised by what Langston Terrace has to offer, and that they often say, "I had no idea. Social architecture — what an ideal!" It remains to be seen, said Weissman, whether these students will be inspired to use Langston Terrace as a model for their own projects.

Tax Help At Wheaton Plaza

IRS and State of Maryland tax agents will be at Wheaton Plaza on Saturday March 8 to answer shopper's tax questions. Tax forms and publications will be available.

Board Appointment Public Hearing

The Prince George's Democratic Central Committee will hold a public hearing on gubernatorial appointments to 15 various boards on Tuesday, March 4, at 7:30 p.m. in the New Carrollton City Hall at 6016 Princess Garden Parkway. For details, call Sheila Jackson at 301-630-0520 or Don Beach at 301-262-1144.

Burglar Alarms Now Licensed by City

Burglar alarm licensing for local businesses previously handled by the county has been taken over by the City of Greenbelt. There has been no change in the law and the cost for the licensing is the same. Nothing has changed as well regarding the delivery of police services. Fees received by the city go to offsetting the delivery of the service. Businesses required to be licensed and receiving renewal notices from the county should contact the city at 301-345-5417, Office of Planning and Community Development.



Mishkan Torah Nursery School



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Fun at Goddard

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Caregiver Support Group to Meet

A Caregiver's Support Group will meet on Tuesday, March 4 from 5 until 6:30 p.m. at the Greenbelt Adult Care Center (new Greenbelt Community Center). Caregivers can vent frustrations, relate experiences, acquire knowledge, and develop coping skills. Respite care is available during the group. The group meets the first Tuesday of each month. Call Beverly Lange for more information at 301-507-6590.

Intergenerational Dance Class Set

Nancy Havlik, Washington choreographer/dance teacher, will be teaching an intergenerational dance class, every Wednesday afternoon in March beginning March 5 at 2 p.m. in the dance studio. The Greenbelt Nursery School and Kindergarten will be attending for the first half hour to dance and have fun with senior citizens. The second half of the class will allow senior citizens to explore dance improvisation structures and choreograph their own stories.

For more information call the Community Center at 301-397-2208.

Open Mike Night At New Deal Cafe

by Geff King

The following is the schedule of performances for the New Deal Cafe for this and next weekend. As always, all shows begin at 8:30 p.m. and there is no admission charge.

Friday, February 28, is the monthly Open Mike for the New Deal Cafe. This makes it a great place to hear up-and-coming singers, poets, and musicians, and an even greater place to become one! Our Open Mike performers frequently get their own solo spots at the Cafe later on, so come on out and bring something interesting for your neighbors to hear.

On Saturday, March 1, Lunar Groove will kick off a new month of music as we head toward spring. This eclectic folk-rock trio has just released a new CD, "Music from the Coast of Mars." It'll be available at their show.

Next weekend will feature Carolyn Jane (traditional country originals) on Friday, March 7 and Gina DeSimone (contemporary folk) on Saturday March 8. The New Deal Cafe serves coffee, desserts, and light vegetarian fare. We are open Fridays and Saturdays from 6 p.m. to midnight. Our Internet address is http://www2.ari.net/home/gking/new_deal.html.

Community Events

60th Anniversary Committee Meeting

A 60th Anniversary Planning Committee meeting is set for Wednesday, March 5, at 7 p.m., in the Senior Classroom of the Community Center. All members of the committee are expected to attend. Other interested individuals are also invited. For further information please call 301-474-5156.

Golden Age Club

by Dolores Capotosto

The monthly business meeting of the Golden Age Club will be held on Wednesday, March 5, at 11 a.m., with the Board meeting preceding it from 10 - 10:30 a.m. All regular meetings are held in the Multi-purpose Room of the Greenbelt Community Center.

Phyllis Budin is taking reservations and checks for the Golden Age Club's annual luncheon to be held on Friday, April 18, at "E. J.'s Landing" restaurant in College Park.

The Travel Committee members are also accepting reservations and checks for the upcoming trips. On Thursday, March 27, club members will travel to Cecil County on Maryland's Eastern Shore. In April, there will be a trip to Baltimore, with lunch at Hausner's Restaurant. See Irene Owens and Flo Boswell at the meetings.

Items are being accepted for the Golden Age Yard Sale, which will be held in conjunction with Greenbelt Day, the first week in June. Bill Souser has agreed to take charge of sorting things out. Please, no books, shoes or clothes. Large items can probably be picked up by club volunteers if necessary.

So far this year we have had some wonderful entertainment, great parties and interesting speakers. Be willing to help on projects when time allows. We have a fine Golden Age Club, as we all know.

At the Library

Wednesday, March 5: P. J. Storytime for children ages 4 - 6 at 7 p.m.

Thursday, March 6: Drop-In Storytime for children ages 3 - 5 at 10:15 a.m. At 11:15 a.m., Tickly Toddly Storytime welcomes 2-year-olds and parents or caregivers.

Open House Planned By Nursery School

On Sunday, March 2, from 3 to 5 p.m., Mishkan Torah Nursery School, 10 Ridge Road, will hold an Open House. The curriculum encourages emotional, social, cognitive and physical development, creativity and positive self-esteem.

The program includes art, music, stories, dance, drama, science and nature, food experience and nutritious snacks. Jewish holidays are celebrated with song, food and dance. Children of all backgrounds are welcome and their diversity respected. Lunch Bunch is available. Mishkan Torah Nursery School is accredited by the Maryland State Board of Education.

Families are invited to the March 2 open house for fun and refreshments, or parents may call and drop by with their child on a school day. Registration for fall 1997 is now in progress for two, three and four year olds.

For information, contact Bonnie Korr, director, at 301-474-4224 or 301-277-8615.

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ADVISORY PLANNING BOARD

Wednesday, March 5, 1997

7:30 p.m.

Community Center Senior Classroom

AGENDA

1. Call to Order
2. Approval of Agenda
3. Lighting Request for Community Center Sign
4. Review of Sign Request - Community Center



Greenbelt Municipal Access TV Channel B-10 Schedule

Tuesday and Thursday, March 4 & 6

6:00 pm "Home: The Langston Terrace Dwellings"

A film by Barr Weissman

7:00 pm "Maryland Special Project #1: The Greenbelt Story"

A historical play written by Dan Young, commissioned by FOGM and performed by the Greenbelt Arts Center

Don't miss these two special presentations.

Genealogy Lecture At Greenbelt Library

The Prince George's County Genealogical Society will meet Wednesday, March 5, at 7 p.m. in the Greenbelt Library, 11 Crescent Road. The speaker will be archivist Ken Hawkins of the National Archives. His topic will be researching federal land records at the National Archives. The meeting is open to the public. Visitors are welcome and there is no charge.

Explore Grammar

On Friday, February 28, Milton Nelson, Information and Publications specialist from the University of Maryland, will be the presenter at Explorations Unlimited. This presentation will include some semi-humorous thoughts on how even educated people butcher the written and spoken English language.

Explorations Unlimited is a speaker series held every Friday from 1 to 3 p.m. at the Community Center. This presentation will be held in the Senior Classroom. Everyone is welcome to attend and questions are always encouraged. Please call 301-397-2208 for more information.

Join The Greenbelt Rotary Club

We Meet Every Thursday Morning at 7:30 am - 8:45 am
For Breakfast - Greenbelt Marriott on Ivy Lane
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For More Information
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The 1997 Community Beautification Program will begin on March 17, 1997. In order to help avoid citations, flyers will be distributed to your door the weekend of March 8 to provide tips in areas of Fence Painting, Lawns, Hedges, Trash/Compost Bins, and the 75 Foot Gardenside Encroachment Policy.

Please consult your GHI Handbook for more information on these subjects, or call (301) 474-0292 for advice or guidance.

Is Madam at Home? At Marietta Mansion

Marietta Mansion will have an exhibit titled "Is Madam at Home?" Sunday, March 2 through Sunday, May 25. The display explores the proper protocol of making visits in the 19th century.

The Mansion is located at 5626 Bell Station Road, Glenn Dale, for walk-in tours Fridays from 11 a.m. to 3 p.m. and Sundays from noon to 4 p.m. The exhibit is free and there is a fee for the tours.

For further information, call 301-464-5291.

Free Birding Field Trip

Join members of the Prince George's Audubon Society at 7 p.m. on Saturday, March 8, for a free special guided bus tour and birding field trip through the Patuxent River Naval Air Station. This Southern Maryland facility - normally closed to the public - offers a wide variety of habitats and the opportunity to find winter field specialties such as longspurs and snow buntings, while identifying many kinds of waterfowl. All interested birders are welcome, from novice to experienced. The leader is Kyle Rambo. To sign up, call Fred Fallon at 301-249-1518.

Rumors at Cheverly

The Prince George's Little Theatre production of Neil Simon's madcap farce, "Rumors", will open at the Prince George's Publick Playhouse in Cheverly on March 7 at 8 p.m. Additional dates are March 8, 14, 15, 21 and 22 at 8 p.m. and March 9 and 16 at 2 p.m. For ticket information and reservations, call the theater box office at 301-277-1710, or 301-277-0312 (TTY).

Baha'i Faith

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Please join us on Sunday, March 2 at 8:00 a.m. for two 15-minute radio lectures on
Station WBZS, 730 AM
First, you'll hear Dr. Laurance Doyle, an astrophysicist for NASA, talk to us about

INFINITY AND INDIVIDUALITY

Next, Ann Stewart, C.S.B., of Los Altos, California, will speak on
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MD Supreme Court Justices Discussed

On Saturday, March 8 at 2 p.m., the Prince George's County Historical Society will host a free lecture by Supreme Court Historian David Danelski, who will discuss the three Marylanders, Gabriel Duvall, Roger B. Taney and Thurgood Marshall, who have served on the United States Supreme Court. The lecture will be followed by a reception. The program will take place at the Glenn Dale Community Center, across the street from the fire station on Greenbelt Road. It is open to the public.

For further information call 301-464-5291; TTY 301-699-2544; <http://www.smart.net/parksrec/>.

This facility is owned and operated by the Maryland-National Capital Park and Planning Commission.

Sioles Piano Recital At University of MD

On Sunday, March 2 at 3 p.m., the University of Maryland School of Music will present pianist Gregory Sioles in recital in the Ulrich Recital Hall of the Tawes Fine Arts Building. The program features Barcarolle in F-sharp Major, Op. 60 by Chopin, Jeux D'eau by Ravel, Four Mazurkas from Op. 50 by Szymanowski, Concert-Paraphrase of Verdi's Rigoletto by Liszt, and Sonata in A Major by Schubert. Admission is free and the public is invited to attend.

Learn about Arthritis

A free program on arthritis and total joint replacement will be held at Laurel Regional Hospital, 7300 Van Dusen Road, Laurel, on Tuesday, March 4, at 6 p.m. Dr. Robert Viener, orthopedic surgeon, and Colleen Hordesky, R.N., will present the 1 1/2 hour program which will include a tour of the operating room, explanation of joint replacement surgery and showing of various artificial joints. A question-and-answer session will follow the program. For more information and to register, call 301-497-8736 or (410) 792-2413.

Free Program On Osteoporosis

A free program on the causes and prevention of osteoporosis will be held at Laurel Regional Hospital, 7300 Van Dusen Road, Laurel, on Saturday, March 8, from 10 a.m. to noon. In addition to the informational portion of the program, a free osteoporosis screening will be made available to participants.

A by-product of aging, osteoporosis is a loss of bone mass and can lead to fragile bones and fractures.

For more information and to register for the program, call 301-497-8736 or (410) 792-2413.

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The center is located on Route 197 just west of the Baltimore-Washington Parkway. For information call 301-953-1993.

MetroAccess Expands Hours

MetroAccess, the regional paratransit system for persons with disabilities, expanded its weekend and holiday hours of operation beginning Sunday, January 26. The new hours of operation are 5:30 a.m. to midnight.

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To accommodate increased demand for MetroAccess service, WMATA will add six vehicles to its contract-carrier paratransit fleet, bringing the paratransit fleet total to 51 vehicles.

College Financial Aid Workshop Scheduled

Learn how to get the money needed for a college education. Financial aid officers from Prince George's Community College will discuss the options and help with the forms at two county libraries. The one nearest to Greenbelt will be held on Wednesday, March 5, at 7 p.m. at the Hyattsville Library, 6530 Adelphi Rd., Hyattsville.

All library programs are free and open to the public. To register for this financial aid program, call Prince George's Community College, 301-322-0864. For information on other library programs and services, call 301-699-3500. Sign language interpretation and other accommodations for individuals with disabilities will be made upon request.

Guarneri Quartet Open Rehearsal

On Tuesday evening, March 4, at 7 p.m., the Guarneri String Quartet will hold an open rehearsal in the Ulrich Recital Hall of the Tawes Fine Arts Building at the University of Maryland, College Park. The rehearsal is open to the public and admission is free. For information please call 301-405-1150.

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Review

Time Past, Time Present ... And Too Much Time to Show it All?

by Colette Zanin

Where to begin... A short blurb in a past News Review indicated that Greenbelt Arts Center's production of Tom Stoppard's "Arcadia," directed by Ginny Zanner, was having troubles. Okay, maybe the wrinkles would be ironed out come opening night. Opening night, however, got off to an awkward start. Trouble at the printers meant late programs, which, arriving after patrons did, were riddled with typos. The few customers on hand were invited into the house, only to be unceremoniously booted back out by someone else. They weren't ready.

"Arcadia" started late and, including an intermission, didn't wrap until 11 p.m. It was a long night. Tensions surrounding this production were difficult to miss. It is one thing to ask for understanding from the public; it is another to do so after lightening their wallets by several dollars. Joe and Jane Public attend plays to be entertained, to enjoy themselves. And that is all.

Then and Now

The play itself concerns goings-on in one particular English household and its grounds during 1809-1812. Audience members are privy to two time lines: one of actual events unfolding then and a current one told by means of a few scholars attempting to reconstruct Sidley Park's past — two for academia's sake and one for less than scholarly motives.

The scholars' efforts to decipher history from old manuscripts and cryptic notes lead to various conclusions. Was the young woman, Thomasina Coverly, unbeknownst to her, a genius far ahead of her time? What was Lord Byron's involvement with the household? And what of the hermit? The present-day group argues and speculates, while audience

members are able to see the reality for themselves in contrasting scenes set in the 1800's.

Where's the Passion?

With an exception here and there, this cast lacks energy and unfortunately doesn't seem to be having a very good time of it. They're ready, in terms of knowing their respective lines and clearly having rehearsed, but performances largely lack passion.

Characters Thomasina Coverly and her tutor, Septimus Hodge, dominate scenes set in the 1800's, but the pair want for chemistry. On this evening, Laura Fisher, one of two actors alternating in the role, portrayed Thomasina, a young girl of near-genius proportions with supposedly amorous intentions. But Fisher lacks the conviction of her lines, reciting without apparently understanding them. James Riordan as Hodge is fine, playing his randy character with understatement, yet not truly connecting with Fisher, which may result from the playing of musical Thomasinas.

By contrast, chemistry between present-day characters Hannah Jarvis (Grey Valenti) and Bernard Nightingale (Stephen Cox) is evident. These two give an indication of

what the play might have been. Valenti in particular, a newcomer to GAC, is easy on the ears, a throwback to quick-witted, independent heroines in the Hepburn vein. She's natural, from intelligent elocution to easy mannerisms. Cox plays Nightingale as colorful and in-your-face, an effective match for Valenti's highborn Hannah.

Sheilah Crossley, who knows her way around a bawdy character, stands out also as Lady Croom, the original lady of Sidley Park and mother of Thomasina and Gus. Crossley's not one to go down without a fight and plays her role with zest.

One character that ought to be leashed in is that of the aforementioned Gus Coverly, played by Tony De Marco. The character doesn't speak and instead uses gestures, but he comes across like a hyper-active child who's loaded up on sugar. De Marco's affected displays become tiresome, distracting from other actors.

Some of the dialogue, particularly in regard to off-color language, doesn't work; the actors seem uncomfortable with it. While Stoppard's script itself is generally smart, some of its speeches are over-

long and could stand to be cut down.

There are no set changes; what you see is what you get, which is basically one big table. There isn't much floor space left, especially for a short dancing sequence. Lighting was obviously still being worked out on opening night, though hopefully will be better timed in future performances. "Arcadia" continues Friday and Saturday evenings at 8 p.m. through March 15, with Sunday matinees at 2 p.m. on March 2 and 9.

Girl Scouts Celebrate 85th Anniversary

The 331 Girl Scout councils in this country want to hear from all former Brownies or Girl Scouts. Join such famous former members as opera's Jessye Norman, Katy Couric of the Today Show, Poet Laureate Rita Dove, U.S. Senator Barbara Mikulski, and feminist Gloria Steinem in celebrating the 85th Anniversary of the Girl Scouts beginning March 12.

On March 12, 1912, Juliette Low called neighbors in Savannah, Ga., to tell them she was starting an organization for the girls of Savannah "and all the

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The Cycle Across Maryland Corporation needs donations of second-hand bicycles to use as training bicycles for the CAM Teen Challenge. Bikes should be in good condition and have at least 10 gears. All sizes are needed. Call (410) 653-8288 to arrange pick up.

The CAM Teen Challenge identifies students who are at risk of failing school and pairs them with adult mentors for a four-month bicycle training program. The program culminates in their joining the Cycle Across Maryland Tour in July, and then they receive new Trek bicycles upon completion.

world." Today, Girl Scouting serves more than three million girls nationwide, and millions of women today were members as girls.

By reaching out to women who had enjoyed Girl Scouting as children, councils around the country are calling on individuals' sense of community involvement and desire to help the country's children. By reconnecting with the movement, alumnae can help keep Girl Scouting healthy, vital and growing.



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Did you wonder I so calmly
Trod the valley of the shade!
Oh! but Jesus' love illumined
Every dark and fearful glade.

And He came Himself to meet me
Is that way so hard to tread;
And with Jesus' arm to lean on,
Could I have one doubt or dread!

Then you must not grieve so sorely,
For I love you dearly still,
Try to look beyond earth's shadows;
Pray to trust our Father's Will.

There is work still waiting for you,
So you must not idly stand;
Do it now, while life remaineth—
You shall rest in Jesus' land.

When that work is all completed,
He will gently call you Home;
Oh, the rapture of that meeting,
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5:45-6:30 pm

Simple Meal & Table Fellowship

6:30-approx. 7:30 pm

Program-Sacred Stories: The Bible's and Ours
By Dr. Hutchison, lay members and friends.

March 5th

Life As Gift Ephesians 2:1-10

Anita & Joe Uber, facilitators; music by Courtney & Donna Hardman.

March 12th

The Memory of a Beautiful Thing Mark 14:1-9

Margaret and Dorairaj Benjamin, facilitators; Music by men of choir.

March 19th

The Lesson of the Wheat John 12:20-36

Rev. Neal Christie, facilitator; music by Enrique Díaz, guest guitarist.

Special Services for Holy Week and Easter

Maundy Thursday, March 27th

6:30 pm, Fellowship Hall Agape Meal, Commemoration of the Last Supper.

Communion; guitar music: Mike Wheaton, Melanie Taylor, and others. Reflection by Rev. Hutchison.

Good Friday Tenebrae Service

March 28th, 7:00 pm

A Solemn, Beautiful, and Devastating Commemoration of the Death of Jesus based on a fourth-century ritual of extinguishing lights. Special music by Steve Praether.

Celebrations of Easter

Sunday, March 30th

Buddy Attick Park

Sunrise Service spon. by Greenbelt Clergy Assoc.

Fellowship Hall

Breakfast afterward (approx. 8:00 am) at Mowatt Church. All welcome.

Sanctuary, 11:00 am

A Service of Resurrection and New Life. Special Music by the Mowatt Choir, guest pianist Muriel Balzer. Sermon by Dr. Hutchison: *Ode to Resurrection of the Body.*

GHI Board Reviews Beautification Efforts, Garden Tours, Trash

by Hopi Auerbach

Early in its meeting on February 13, the Board of Directors approved five new GHI memberships. Afterward, the Architecture and Environment Committee Chairman Isaac Robinson reported that Barbara Tanen is leaving the Committee and Julia Eichhorst is slated to join. He also announced that in preparation for Earth Day, April 19, GHI will sell grass seed on the last three weekends in March.

Common Areas Maintenance

The Board accepted and commended a report by new GHI member and consultant Jeff Goldman titled: "Initial Site Evaluation Report Regarding Greenbelt Homes Inc. Common Areas Bordered by Ridge, Northway, Hillside and Laurel Hill Roads." Board member Betty Deitch commented, "Even people's yards are limited common areas. We should emphasize the co-operative nature of the land." Board members Chuck Hess and Bill Phelan (the latter is also the City of Greenbelt's horticulturist) felt that a top priority should be drainage, and that GHI's last attempt to fix the swales was not successful, so they need to be checked again.

Beautification

GHI General Manager Gretchen Overdurff suggested possibly extending the time members are given to correct yard maintenance violations for which they are cited, perhaps to six weeks. Board member Ray Stevens said that maybe GHI should give the member a note describing the problem before an official citation is issued. Bill Phelan noted that in the past, the focus of GHI's beautification efforts was on bringing fences into compliance, "including the chain link fences (which never should have been allowed in the first place)." He proposed that the new emphasis could be on plant growth overhanging walkways. His pet peeve is seedling trees, "some of which are now big enough to be protected under GHI rules." Bill Phelan said GHI is just recovering from a period in which it was afraid to touch "any living thing" for fear of a hue and cry from members. GHI staff member "Sir" Phillip Rondeau told the Board that seedling trees have indeed been pink-flagged for removal, and sure enough, some of them have outgrown seedling size in the time between citation and enforcement. He was complimented by the Board on the recent big improvement in the appearance of GHI since he took over as Coordinator of the Community Beautification Program.

Other comments on potential

ways to further beautify GHI came from Betty Deitch, who said the trim on some additions needs to be painted; Ray Stevens, who noted that some members leave their yellow recycling bins out all week long; and member Art Abrams, who mentioned tree saplings growing against foundations, some unsightly yards in North End, and "junk cars" parked on the streets. Board President Alan Turnbull advised Art Abrams to take photographs of the offending cars and yards and report to GHI.

Garden Club Request

Pat Adelaide reported that many members of the Club are also members of other garden clubs and that they have assisted with beautification of the new Elementary School's inner courtyard. She offered the loan of a video tape which advocates moss as a ground cover for yards, and mentioned the approach of Earth Day, which will be April 19.

Regarding the GHI House and Garden tour, Pat Adelaide reported that it will take place on May 4 and the booklet this time will be 20 pages long rather than 16 like last year. The booklet will include some history of Greenbelt by Dorothy Lauber, in honor of Greenbelt's 60th Anniversary. The Garden Club will handle more of the secretarial work and printing with less reliance on GHI staff this time, and requests only that GHI host the refreshments, and perhaps provide some "GHI" balloons and white trash bags. The Board and staff agreed to this. No houses currently for sale will be included on the tour, so that the event can have access to free publicity for non-commercial events. GHI members will receive two free tickets to the tour, while all others will be charged \$3. Last year's H & G tour was a big draw for participants from outside Greenbelt, and there are high hopes for even more in 1997.

Pat Adelaide asked for recommendations of apartments in Old Greenbelt and GHI honeymoon cottages to include in the tour, and Bill Phelan suggested that Greenbelt's three cemeteries be added. There might be a reprise tour of six of the houses on October 18, for Greenbelt's 60th Anniversary.

GHI HQ Garage

General Manager Overdurff reported that the estimates received from contractors for heating the garage where GHI's vehicles are maintained were all very expensive. She asked one contractor, McCulloughy, to come up with a less costly option, and they suggested propane heating. According to Jay Freeman, GHI Director of Technical Services, "In the past, GHI has used propane. Han-



Construction moves along quickly in a week's time; Greenbelt Lake Village Project as seen on January 30

- photo by Próspero Zevallos

dling the propane was a problem, but this proposal is for a closed system to be filled directly from delivery trucks, so it is safe." Some Board members speculated that it would be unfair to accept the proposal from McCulloughy without giving the other contractors the opportunity to make new bids. Board member Chuck Hess was able to find in the GHI bylaws a provision that does indeed require that bids be invited again from other contractors, now that the change from electricity to propane has been made.

Clark Financial Service Corp.

Various members of the Board advocated three different responses to the fact that Clark Financial has not yet forwarded its financial audit report to GHI. Chuck Hess said GHI should tell Clark it will not renew its recognition of Clark as a qualified lender to buyers of GHI memberships until the financial statement is received, while Ray Stevens said GHI should simply contact Clark Financial and "ask nicely" for a copy of the statement. Bill Phelan suggested that GHI should go ahead and re-approve Clark Financial as a lender, even without having seen the statement. A rationale for the Hess approach is that it is important to be diligent in caring for the GHI Corporation; for the Stevens recommendation that it is probably just an oversight on the part of Clark Financial that GHI didn't receive

the statement; and for Phelan's suggestion that Clark could drop GHI, and is currently the major lender to buyers of GHI homes. In the end, all members of the board except for Keith Jahoda voted to proceed with Ray Stevens' approach: "ask nicely."

City Refuse Pickup

There was much discussion and disagreement on what feedback to give the city on the subject of reducing trash pickup from twice to once per week. Board President Alan Turnbull reported the results of a survey in which 73% of the 300 respondents said they would agree to switch to once-a-week trash pickup if it would keep costs down. Ray Stevens and Betty Deitch objected because the trash closets are small and odors are a problem in the summer.

Bill Phelan asked to be recognized by the chair in order to speak in favor of twice-a-week trash pickup, and while he was doing so, talked himself out of it and ended by endorsing once-a-week trash pickup. Alan Turnbull said perhaps the city should consider a system where one pays according to the amount of trash produced, as households like his own, which produce little trash, are in effect subsidizing households that throw away a great deal. A discussion on recycling followed. Betty Deitch said that it is so difficult for her to put

the yellow bins out by the curb, that if the City continues to require it, she would "just not recycle."

Foreclosed Properties

General Manager Overdurff asked the Board if it would like to consider accepting new GHI memberships that are bought according to Fannie Mae financial guidelines, which require only a 3% down payment (compared to the 5% usually required by current lenders) for GHI foreclosures. The Board unanimously passed a decision to consider accepting some of them experimentally, on a case-by-case basis.

Closing Announcements

The GHI annual meeting is set for May 15. Keith Jahoda announced that the GHI marketing brochure is now posted on the World Wide Web, courtesy of Doug Love.

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POLICE BLOTTER

Based on Information Released by the Greenbelt Police Department

Four burglaries which took place in late December and early January have been solved, according to Greenbelt police reports. Larry Gene Smith, 30, of 1-C Laurel Hill Road and Jeffrey Allen Kline, 24, of 20-Q Hillside Road have been charged with burglaries at 62 Court Ridge Road, Lakeside Drive, Greenway Place and Forestway. On Feb. 13 the arrest warrants were turned over to the Sheriff's Department for service.

When two men got off a bus in the 6000 block of Breezewood Drive on Tuesday, Feb. 18 at 11 p.m., one demanded five dollars, which he got, and then demanded more. The victim claimed he had no more, but the suspect looked in the wallet, found more cash, took it and then gave back five dollars. He told his victim to start walking and fled. During the robbery, the suspect was holding something the other man believed was a weapon. The suspect is described as a black man in his 20s, 5 ft. 10 in., medium build and wearing a black skull cap, black Reebok tee shirt, white jacket and white Reebok tennis shoes.

Two resident youths, ages 13 and 14, were charged with malicious destruction on Saturday, Feb. 15 about 3 p.m. They are suspected of vandalizing a pay phone in Roosevelt Center. The youths were released to an adult pending action by the juvenile

Road. The cashier kept the bill and told the woman it was altered. She then paid with a real \$20 and left the store. She is described as white, 5 ft. 5 in., black hair and wearing a gray sweatshirt and sweat pants.

Burglaries

Three burglaries were reported this week: on Feb. 14, at an office in the 8100 block of Lakecrest Drive, nothing reported taken; on Feb. 19, at a residence on Maplewood Court, entry possibly by a livingroom window, a bike and jewelry were taken; and, also on Feb. 19, at a residence in the 7500 block of Mandan Road, entry unknown, electronic equipment and liquor were taken.

A man reported that his untended wallet was taken from the men's room at Marshalls in Beltway Plaza mall on Saturday, Feb. 15, at 4:30 p.m.

A woman reported her untended purse was stolen at McDonald's, also in Beltway Plaza, on Monday, Feb. 17, about 11 a.m.

Vehicle Theft

A 1991 Ford truck was reported stolen from Crescent and Hillside Roads on Saturday, Feb. 15. It was recovered the same day by Prince George's Police in Upper Marlboro.

An abandoned 1995 Subaru Legacy in the 6000 block of Greenbelt Road was reported to police on Friday, Feb. 14, at 8 p.m. A computer check determined the car was stolen, the car was impounded.

A 1985 GMC truck was reported stolen on Feb. 13 from the 6000 block of Greenbelt Road. It was recovered two days later by Prince George's police at Oliver Street and Eastern Avenue. Two arrests were made.

Substation-East

The Greenbelt Police substation phone number is 301-474-4992. This number is for non-emergency calls only. The substation may not be staffed 24 hours per day but there is an answering machine. Emergency police calls should be directed to the regular emergency number, can we get perm change to 301-474-5454.

justice system.

Police responded on Monday, Feb. 17 at 1:30 a.m., to the 7800 block of Lakecrest after a report of someone tampering with a vehicle. The suspect attempted to leave the area when the police officer approached, but stopped when ordered to. Police found he had a pipe used to smoke crack cocaine. The 32-year-old resident was arrested and charged with possession of paraphernalia.

A 20-year-old resident man and two others, also under age, were arrested and charged with having open beer cans. They were in a vehicle in the parking lot of TGI Fridays on Wednesday, Feb. 19 at 12:45 a.m.

An officer on bike patrol arrested a 13-year-old resident for smoking a cigarette in Roosevelt Center on Tuesday, Feb. 18 about 5:15 p.m. The youth was released to his mother.

On Friday, Feb. 14, about 1 p.m., a woman tried to use a one dollar bill altered to look like a 20 to pay for items at the 7-Eleven store on Good Luck

"Wild" Birthday Event At Patuxent Refuge

Patuxent Research Refuge will host a day full of "wild" activities and events on Saturday, March 15, at the Fish and Wildlife Service's National Wildlife Visitor Center near Laurel. Activities for this Refuge Birthday Celebration, from 10 a.m. - 3 p.m., will include biologist-led habitat walks, musical entertainment by the Magpie folk singers at 11:30 a.m. and 1:30 p.m., beaver discovery hikes, children's activities, electric tram tours through the woods, fields and wetlands, the Visitor Center's magnificent Wisdom of Wilderness exhibits and more. The day will be full of fun activities for all ages; and all activities are free (except for a modest fee for the tram tours).

The Refuge will be celebrating not only the 94th birthday of the National Wildlife Refuge System, but its own 60th birthday as the Nation's only refuge (of over 500) set aside specifically to conduct wildlife research. The Birthday Party will occur rain or shine. (Besides the scheduled indoor programs, many of the outdoor events can also be moved inside.)

The National Wildlife Visitor Center is located off Powder Mill Road, between the Baltimore/Washington Parkway and Route 197, just south of Laurel. Call 301-497-5760 for more information.

Garden Club Holds Annual Meeting

The Greenbelt Garden Club has garden plots available for interested gardeners. Vegetables and flowers can be grown on these 50 foot x 50 foot plots (approximate size).

The Greenbelt Garden Club will hold its annual meeting on Tuesday, March 18, at 7 p.m., in the meeting room at the Greenbelt Police Station. Members and prospective members are urged to attend. Plots will be assigned and club business discussed. For information call 301-345-3275.

The plots are on three fields subdivided by the club into full- and half-sized plots. New members can go take a look at them. The fields are located in the central part of the city west of the Baltimore-Washington Parkway and east of Ridge Road. One field is off of Gardenway near the overpass and is plowed. Two

A Greenbelt Gardener by Rosie Rhubarb

Sometimes it seems as if winter will never end. The end is in sight, however, there will probably be another four or five weeks of cold weather. There will be problems with ice and maybe snow for a while. When dealing with ice, bear in mind that what you use can affect nearby plants. Salt will kill plants and make the soil inhospitable for plants.

There are ice-melting compounds that do not hurt plants much, if used correctly, such as potassium chloride and magnesium chloride. Kitty litter and sand used to increase traction also do not adversely affect plants.

Looking Ahead

This time of year gardeners can take a complete break from gardening or can do some planning for the upcoming growing season. This is an excellent time to dream about what plants to grow in this year's garden. Garden stores now have seeds on display, so take some time to look at their selections. Garden catalog companies have sent their catalogs out and many serious gardeners do the bulk of their ordering this time of year. Look in garden magazines for the ads of the many garden supply companies. Many gardeners start with a general company such as Burpee or Parks.

Books are a great source of garden information. Just flip through to find out what you want to know. Good types of books to start with are general garden books. If a book has just one chapter on vegetable gardening, for example, then it is most probably just sticking to the basics. Garden encyclopedias have a little bit of everything, but usually just have a few pages at most covering the basics of a topic. These are expensive books, so look for them in the library.

There are a number of books geared toward the weekend and occasional gardener. Clue phrases are "low maintenance" and "easy care." These books can steer one towards plants that need little care, time saving techniques, and sample garden plans.

fields are near Hamilton Place. The one within view of the parking lot is not plowed and the one to east of the boat storage yard (at the end of the road) has plowed and unplowed plots.

Lecture at Aboretum On Landscape Plants

On Saturday, March 8, from 10 to 11 a.m., Mark McGuinness, curator of high visibility areas and crabapple collections, will give a slide lecture on outstanding landscape plants featuring Arboretum plant introductions in the Administration Building of the National Arboretum. The lecture is free. Registration is required. Please call 202-245-4521.

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UPPER LEVEL 1BR home gets terrific sunlight. Roomy kitchen. Updated tile bath with pedestal sink. Refinished hardwood floors. Pull down stairs to attic and separate laundry room. **\$399 monthly \$22,990**

2BR END UNIT! Large fenced yard with landscaping accents. Upgrades includes new carpet, new kitchen cabinets, enlarged dining area. **\$602 monthly \$39,900**

BREATHTAKING VIEW! 2BR is nestled against the woods on an awesome deck. Big dining area, renovated kitchen & updated bath. **\$587 monthly \$39,900**

IKEA KITCHEN Open with extra cabinets & counter space, ceramic tile flooring, white appliances & dishwasher. Separate laundry room. Updated bath. Lovely location backs to wooded area. This 3BR home is in TOP condition. **\$671 monthly \$49,990**

LOWER LEVEL END! 1BR with huge corner yard! Modern interior with fresh paint & neutral carpet. Open kitchen & breakfast bar. Sep laundry room. **\$436 monthly \$26,900**

2BR BLOCK "Move right in" Fresh paint & new carpet. Huge 11x17 MBR. Updated full bath with appealing wallpaper. Bright kitchen & W/D. **FREE GARAGE! \$3,000 closing help! \$742 monthly \$59,900**

2BR BACKS TO WOODS and offers peace, tranquility & a wonderful view. Enlarged dining area with storage closets. Open view kitchen with breakfast/counter bar. Great hardwood floors. **\$571 monthly \$36,900**

3BR BLOCK END UNIT! Highly desirable large corner lot. Vinyl siding. Great location is close to the center. Tastefully decorated interior. Separate dining room. Updated kitchen and bath. **\$821 monthly \$59,900**

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Minute Maid Orange Juice	\$2⁷⁹ 96 oz. Jug		Honey Mesquite Smoked Turkey	\$3⁹⁹ lb.
Kraft Cracker Barrel Cheese Chunks	\$1⁸⁹ 10 oz.		Armour Cooked Salami	\$2³⁹ lb.
Kraft Parkay Spread	\$1⁸⁹ 3 lb.		Russer German Bologna	\$1⁴⁹ lb.
Uncle B's Bagels All Varieties	89¢ 14 oz.		Alpine Lace Swiss	\$3⁹⁹ lb.
Kraft Velveeta Cheese Loaf	\$4⁷⁹ 2 lb.		Low Fat-Low Salt	lb.
			Creamy-or- Pepper Slaw	\$1⁰⁹ lb.

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Italian Sausage Sandwich With Green Peppers & Onions	99¢ Each
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Fresh Baked Pumpkin -or-Rye Bread	\$1⁰⁹ Loaf
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Fresh Select Oysters	\$4⁹⁹ 12 oz.
Fresh Salmon Steaks	\$4⁹⁹ lb.
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Bumble Bee Pink Salmon	99¢ 14-3/4 oz.		Scott Paper Towels	69¢ 80 Sheet Roll	
Pennsylvania Dutch Egg Noodles Medium-Broad	49¢ 8 oz.		Best Yet Tomato Sauce	5/89¢ 8 oz.	
Green Giant Sweet Peas- Yellow-or-Niblets Corn	2/89¢ 11 oz. min.	Wisk Ultra Liq. Laundry Detergent	\$2⁷⁹ 50 oz.	Star Kist Solid White Tuna In Spring Water	99¢ 6 oz.
Best Yet Seedless Raisins	99¢ 15 oz.	Polaner Grape Jelly	99¢ 32 oz.	Classico Spaghetti Sauce All Varieties	\$1⁸⁹ 26 oz.
Sunlight Liquid Dish Detergent	89¢ 22 oz.	Malt-o-Meal Cereal Assorted Varieties	\$1³⁹ 12 oz. min.	San Giorgio Spaghetti Regular-Thin	59¢ 1 lb.
Chock Full-o-Nuts All Purpose Ground Coffee	\$1⁹⁹ 13 oz.	Ocean Spray Cran. Cocktail- Cran-grape- Cran Rasp.-	\$1⁹⁹ 48 oz.	Reynold's Wrap Heavy Duty Aluminum Foil	\$1⁶⁹ 50 sq. ft.
Franco-American Gravy All Varieties	59¢ 10-1/4 oz. min.	Clean & Smooth Liquid Hand Soap	69¢ 7-1/2 oz.	Furmano's Diced Tomatoes Original-Italian	39¢ 14 1/2 oz.
Green Giant Sliced-or- French Green Beans	2/89¢ 14-1/2 oz.	Success Rice Brown-Boil In Bag	\$1²⁹ 14 oz.	Scotties Family Pack Facial Tissues	\$1³⁹ 300 pk.

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Fresh Express American Salad Mix	\$1 ⁴⁹ 12 oz.	Sunkist Lemons	5/89¢
6 Pack Tomatoes	\$1 ⁴⁹	Black Seeded Grapes	99¢ lb.
Roasted Peanuts In Shell	89¢ lb.	Florida Honey Tangerines	6/99¢
Imported Sweet Onions	69¢ lb.	FRUIT CLUB FOR KIDS [®] FREE GOLDEN DELICIOUS APPLE See Store For Details	

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Swanson Meat Pies Beef-Chicken-Turkey	49¢ 7 oz.	Icehouse Beer	\$7⁶⁹ 12 pk.-12 oz. NRs
Old Orchard Pink Grapefruit Cocktail	49¢ 12 oz.	Milwaukee's Best Beer	\$2⁸⁹ 6 pk.-12 oz. cans
Hanover Brussel Sprouts Italian Green Beans	99¢ 16 oz.	Moosehead Beer	\$4⁹⁹ 6 pk.-12 oz. NRs
Rich's Chocolate Eclairs	\$1⁴⁹ 8 oz.	Peter Vella Bag-in-a-Box Wines	\$9⁹⁹ 5 liter
Hanover Chinese Classic Lo-Mein Vegetables	\$1¹⁹ 20 oz.	Sutter Home White Zinfandel Wine	\$4⁹⁹ 750 ml.

SPECIALTY

Familia Muesli Style Cereal Original-No Sugar	\$4⁹⁹ 2 lbs.	Swiss Miss Value Pack Hot Cocoa Mix	\$2⁷⁹ 30 pk.
Morinu Tofu Assorted Varieties	99¢ 10.5 oz.	Rainbow Value Pack Napkins	\$1⁹⁹ 450 pk.
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GEAC

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Cherrywood Lane at a cost of \$10,000. Councilmember Judith Davis said that this is an ongoing problem and that Planning and Community Development is working on it. Metro has serious financial problems, and they are unlikely to provide a solution.

Putens said a stoplight would cost \$65,000 to \$85,000. A pedestrian activated signal would be a little cheaper.

Wilson said the city is doing a safety study which is due January, 1998. She said she would check for solutions, and present options. She agreed to respond by March 1 to Hunting Ridge about the problems raised.

Street Lights

According to Wilson, street lighting for Hanover Parkway is being done in several sections. Some of the work has been done. The section of the road between Good Luck Road and English Country Manor Drive should be completed soon. Two other sections will take more time to complete. It had been planned to install the streetlight poles on a Washington Suburban Sanitary Commission (WSSC) right-of-way for a six-inch water main. However, WSSC has denied PEPCO permission to do this, so PEPCO will have to redesign sections.

Commerce Center II

At present there are no proposals for development that are in conformance with covenants given to the MNCPPC by the developer at time of subdivision, Wilson told the group. As mortgage holder on a defaulted loan, the Federal Deposit Insurance Corporation now is in control of the property, with Green Ora, the owner, being second in line. Wilson said that if there was a dispute over the covenants, the city would become a party to it. None of the proposals would yield much tax revenue for the city, she said.

Greenbrook Lake

Wilson reported that a letter

was written to the contractor to demand completion of the work. There are about eight weeks of work left, which will cost about \$400,000 to complete, about \$200,000 over the original contract price. The contractor is seeking extra payment from the city, but the city is taking the position that the conditions about soft soils that is resulting in the extra expense was known to the contractor at the time of bid and, therefore, is not the city's responsibility.

Sixtieth Anniversary

Many activities are being planned. If Greenbrook Lake is ready, it could be part of the celebrations. The celebrations could be a single day or a whole year. Chair Sheldon Goldberg urged GEAC to get involved and send in ideas to the Sixtieth Anniversary Committee.

Metro Study

A community planning workshop for the Greenbelt Metro Station area was held on January 25 by the planning staff for the Maryland National Capital Parks and Planning Commission to initiate community planning of the land around the new station. Focus groups composed of citizens attending the workshop will meet several times over the next few months. They hope to have a large public meeting in August or September to present summaries from the focus groups, GEAC was told by Goldberg.

Windsor Green

Goldberg announced that Windsor Green is planning a pool party in celebration of its 20th Anniversary. Residents should contact their representatives for information.

Zoning History

At the end of the meeting, Wilson presented a history of the zoning and development in Greenbelt. Of particular note was the overdevelopment that might have happened if the city and GEAC had not worked to restrict zoning and development.

Federal Tax Returns For Non Citizens

Non-U.S. citizens who do not have a Social Security Number (SSN) yet, or are listed on a tax return as a spouse or dependent, must file a U.S. tax return. They should apply for a new Individual Taxpayer Identification Number (ITIN) as soon as possible. Beginning Jan. 1, federal individual income tax returns that fail to include a valid SSN or an IRS-assigned ITIN will be held up in processing and any refunds due will be delayed. Temporary identifying numbers, previously issued to aliens, are no longer valid.

The ITIN is for tax purposes only and does not take the place of a SSN, nor does it qualify persons for Social Security benefits. It does not affect their immigration status or give them the right to work in the U.S.

Call 1-800-TAX FORM and ask for Form W-7.

Hearing Is Scheduled On Boat Safety Bill

by James Giese

A public hearing has been scheduled on March 11 at 1 p.m. by the Economic and Environmental Affairs Committee on Senate Bill 787 which pertains to safety regulations for boat rental operations. The bill was introduced by Senator Leo Green at the request of Col. John W. Rhoads, superintendent of the Maryland Department of Natural Resources Police. Rhoads told Green in a letter that his department "feels strongly that legislation of this type will significantly increase the safety of persons who rent small boats in Maryland and help prevent tragedies such as the one in Greenbelt . . ."

The proposed law would prohibit livery vessel owners or their agents or employees to rent boats less than 16 feet in length that are not in "seaworthy condition" and properly configured and equipped for the waters where the vessel is intended to be used. It further requires persons renting boats to possess a boating safety certificate, if born after July 1, 1972. The penalty for a first offense violation would be a fine not exceeding \$500.

While the proposed law would have further regulated the boat rental operation at Greenbelt Lake if it had been in effect last summer when a drowning occurred, it might not have enabled the state to make any further charges against the boat rental operator. This is because the boat that took on water was being used as a rescue boat and not a rental boat, and because the operator was born before July 1, 1972.

Greenbelters to Play In Band Festival

This year's County Band Festival will be held on Friday and Saturday, March 7 and 8, at Northwestern High School on Adelphi Road. Bands from all over Prince George's County will each perform a warm-up piece and two pieces for adjudication, will listen to one another's performances, and will read an unfamiliar piece of music for a sight-reading judge. Eleanor Roosevelt High School Bands will perform on the following schedule:

Friday, March 7, 6:20 p.m., Concert Band I. Under the direction of Sally Wagner, the band will perform the New Frontier March by John O'Reilly, Nathan Hale Trilogy by James Curnow, and Rhythm of the Winds by Frank Erickson. Greenbelt residents who are members of Concert Band I include Joseph Bailey, Barbara Barnes, Simba Blackman, Lauren Byers, Darren Chang, Danielle Connor, Ayanna Dookie, Gabriel Hendricks, Kateri Hull, Drisana Jackson, Nicole Kelley, Keith Loh, Christine Maher, James Miers, Angelique Mitchell, Sara Pray, Emily Shaw, Marcella Smid, Nooshin Sturdivant, Barry Tyler, Nathan Yokel, and Regina Yoo.

Saturday, March 8, 8:30 p.m., Concert Band II. Rebecca Holtz will conduct Concert Band II in Gershwin's Strike Up the Band, "Air" from Bach's The Peasant Cantata, and Blue Ridge Overture by Frank Erickson. Greenbelters in Concert Band II are Bukola Akinsiku, Funmi Akinsiku, Pamela Amihere, Shirley Balogun, Kimberly Brown, Keturah Green, Mark Hawkins, Ben Jackson, Ti'Aire Jackson, Carol Kim, Ulysses Lewis, Delmon Lindsay, Michael Rogers, Shelley Shupp,

Niava Smith, Melinda Thomas, Carlos Venable, Jennifer Williams, and Adey Woldeamanuel.

Saturday, March 8, 2 p.m., Symphonic Band. Sally Wagner will conduct the Symphonic Band in Pierre Leemans's Marche des Parachutistes Belges, Clifton Williams's Dedicatory Overture, and Alfred Reed's The Hounds of Spring. LaTiesha Abraham, Maria Baquir, Sarah Bruno, Shannon Burns, Nhi Danh, Andrew Farris, Jason Flanagan, Alicia Saunders, Eve Serrano, Lisette Werbowetzki, and Christine Wilson are Greenbelt residents who belong to Symphonic Band.

Saturday, March 8, 6 p.m., Wind Ensemble. Roosevelt's premier band group, the Wind Ensemble, will be conducted by Sally Wagner. Their program will include Who Puts His Trust in God Most Just, by J. S. Bach, arranged by James Croft, Robert Russell Bennett's Symphonic Songs for Band, and Heroes Lost and Fallen (A Vietnam Memorial) by David Gillingham. The Greenbelt students in the ERHS Wind Ensemble are Stacey Cha, Seung Cha, Jan Fitzpatrick, Rebecca Lemus, Rorie Marionni, Jaime Pereira, Sara Rashkin, and Tara Schwab.

The County Band Festival provides county residents with an opportunity to sample the best the public and private schools in P.G. County have to offer. Roosevelt's bands have received consistently high marks from the judges in the past and expect to do so once again this year. All performances are free and open to the public. The students from Roosevelt urge Greenbelters to come on out and enjoy the music while supporting the band program.

Law Foundation Needs Director

The Law Foundation of Prince George's County, located in College Park, needs a volunteer to work as director. This is an excellent opportunity for a person with a law degree or who is majoring in law who has organization and adminis-

tration skills.

The Foundation provides free civil legal service to indigent persons in the county. For further information, call Melody Gerlich at 301-699-9880.

Three GEAC Groups Begin Own Recycling

(This article is based upon information provided in the minutes of the Greenbelt East Advisory Coalition (GEAC) meeting of January 7.)

At the January 7 meeting held at the Greenbriar Community Center, GEAC elected officers for 1997 and discussed the upcoming Greenbelt Sixtieth Anniversary, recycling, parking on Hanover Parkway and voting machines. By unanimous vote, Sheldon Goldberg was re-elected chair, Candace Culhane, vice-chair, Charlene Mac Adams, treasurer, and Judith Thompson, secretary.

60th Anniversary

The city is asking for volunteers to serve on the Sixtieth Anniversary Committee, and for associations and groups to inform it of any major events planned. No action was reported.

Recycling

The Goode Company has been hired by three Greenbelt East associations to replace the city recycling. The city will continue to recycle in old Greenbelt.

Metro Traffic Study

GEAC sent out notices for members to attend the Community Planning Workshop held at the Greenbelt Middle School on January 25.

Greenbrook Pond

Work has not begun again.

The city may take legal action against the contractor.

Traffic Calming

The city is trying to calm the traffic on the streets of Greenbelt. Many suggestions have been made, but none chosen.

Hanover Parkway Parking

Sheldon Goldberg requested that the City Council be requested to have city code enforcement to prohibit parking on Hanover Parkway at construction sites.

Voting Machines

City Councilmember Judith Davis inquired about purchasing new voting machines to speed the election process. They are too expensive, and the city doesn't have the money.

**Greenbelt Recreation Department's:
SUMMER CAMP REGISTRATION**

Greenbelt Residents: begins March 3, 1997 - 9:00 am
Non-residents: begins March 17, 1997 - 9:00 am

Registrations will be accepted at the Greenbelt Youth Center
and the Greenbelt Community Center.

A \$35.00 deposit per child/per section is required for registration.

The Greenbelt Recreation Department offers a full complement of summer
day camp programs and specialty camps for ages 3-14.
We mainstream children who are physically and mentally challenged.

Call 397-2200 for additional information.

Parkway Apartments

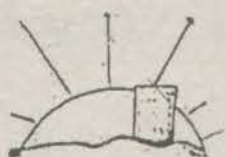
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Greenbelt's Business



Marani Promoted

Greenhorne & O'Mara, Inc. (G&O) recently promoted Martha Marani to Department Head of its Marketing Services group. Marani manages a team of marketing specialists overseeing such activities as upfront marketing, lead identification, proposal and presentation development, qualifications data management, and proposal backlog and sales tracking.



Marani joined G&O in 1994 as a Marketing Coordinator, primarily to provide proposal and presentation support.

"I came aboard during a time of transition," she explains. "The firm was just beginning to fully embrace the concept of integrated marketing. I'm proud to have been a part of that transition, and of the success that has followed."

The success of G&O's integrated approach to marketing — which involved close coordination between technical and marketing specialists — is evidenced by the firm's 25 percent increase in proposal win rates in the past year. G&O has racked up a number of

Toastmasters Host Speechcraft Program

The Spring Speakers Toastmasters Club will host an eight week Speechcraft program at the Greenbelt Library, 11 Crescent Road, starting on Tuesday, March 25, at 7 p.m. This program will provide its participants the necessary tools to learn effective speaking skills. Spaces are limited. For information or to register, call Glenda Laurent at 301-577-4519 or David Weatherford at 301-474-0417.

Home Repair Help Volunteers Needed

It is like Christmas in April when the Prince George's County Annual Christmas in April project comes to repair and renew the homes and yards of those unable to do these tasks on their own or afford to hire professional help.

Volunteers are needed, skilled trades people as well as unskilled workers, to complete renovations, repairs or cleaning tasks. To help in this neighborly effort, please contact Mary Kucharski at 301-868-0937.

recent multi-million dollar "wins" in its core areas of planning, site engineering, transportation, environmental, and GIS/mapping services.

Before joining G&O, Marani worked for Moffatt & Nichol Engineers as their East Coast Marketing Coordinator in Raleigh, North Carolina. From 1988 to 1993 she was vice president and managing editor of a regional magazine publishing company.

Giant Offers Diabetes Tour

Giant is now taking registrations for store tours for people with diabetes. These two hour tours discuss reading the food label, the American Diabetes diet recommendations and give hands-on experience looking at foods in the store. A registered dietitian who specializes in diabetes education gives each tour and the store pharmacist reviews the information about equipment and medications specific to the needs of those with diabetes.

Tours will run in April and May. Registration forms are available now in all Giant Food stores and pharmacies. Registrations must be postmarked by March 12. Registrations are on a first-come, first-served basis. There is a small registration fee which Giant is donating to the American Diabetes Association. Those who attend the tours will also be given a packet of diabetes information from the sponsoring manufacturers, who also provide the funding for the program. Participants will receive Giant's consumer guide, "Diabetes and Food Shopping" and a free "Eat for Health Food Guide."

Special group tours may also be arranged. In the Washington/Baltimore metro areas, tours in Spanish may be requested. Further information on group tours in English or Spanish is contained in the registration form available at Giant Food stores.

Pollard, Ham Elected To Hospital Board

Dr. Nathanael Pollard, president of Bowie State University and Richard J. Ham, CEO of Title Associates, Inc. have been elected to the Board of Directors of Doctors Community Hospital.

Pollard, a native of Alabama, is the eighth president of Bowie State University. Pollard received his B.A. in natural sciences from Miles College in Alabama and holds graduate degrees from Atlanta University and the University of Oklahoma. He has an excellent record in fund-raising and grantsmanship and serves on a variety of boards and committees.

Richard J. Ham, a native of Massachusetts, holds a graduate degree from George Washington University and graduated from the George Washington Law School in 1966. He has been a member of the Maryland Bar Association since 1972 and is a partner with the law firm of Knight, Manzi, Brennan, Shay and Ham, P.A. The CEO of Title Associates, Inc., a real estate title company located in Crofton, Ham has practiced real estate law in both Prince George's and Anne Arundel counties for the past 25 years.

Marriott Renovates

The Greenbelt Marriott is renovating their 287 room high-rise hotel. The renovation includes the installation of new furniture, carpeting, wall vinyl, draperies, light fixtures in every guest room and bathroom remodeling.

To accommodate the changing demands of travelers, in November 1996 the Greenbelt Marriott completed an addition of a Business Center/Gift Shop, and an expansion of the Fitness Center to include additional treadmills, life cycles, stair steppers and installation of a universal weight center.



Greenhorne & O'Mara Hires Greg Mallon

The engineering, environmental sciences and mapping firm of Greenhorne & O'Mara, Inc. (G&O) has announced its recent hiring of Greg Mallon, formerly manager of environmental projects for federal agencies, including the Environmental Protection Agency (EPA), the Department of Energy (DOE), and the Department of the Interior. His most recent position was Program Manager on a technical support contract with the DOE, where he was responsible for regulatory compliance and pollution prevention projects. For G&O, Mallon will serve as Senior Project Director within the Environmental Services Division.

"I came to Greenhorne & O'Mara because of the variety of assignments open to me," notes Mallon. "G&O is large enough to provide the spectrum of environmental services required in today's marketplace, yet small enough to offer flexibility and career development opportunity."

Earlier he worked at the Northern Virginia Planning District Commission, the Tri-County Council for Southern Maryland, and the EPA. At G&O, Mallon will continue serving government clients, with a focus on federal agencies.

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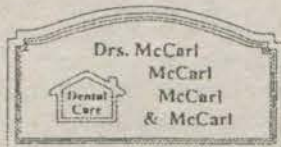


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Black History Tribute Honors Dr. King

An impressive gathering of singers, students and education leaders convened on February 5, at Eleanor Roosevelt High School for a Black History Month Tribute to Dr. Martin Luther King, Jr., sponsored by the Choral Arts Society of Washington in conjunction with Eleanor Roosevelt High School. This performance was an extension of the Society's 9th Annual Choral Tribute to Dr. King that took place on Jan. 13, at the John F. Kennedy Center for the Performing Arts.

In both events, the Choral Arts Society, under Tribute Music Director Arphelius Paul Gatling III, performed a program of spirituals and traditional choral works together with student singers from the Chamber Choir and Women's Choir of Eleanor Roosevelt High School, conducted by Dr. Barbara Baker.

After introductory remarks by Michael Reidy, dean of student affairs, Deputy Superintendent of Schools Robert Slade made a special appearance as narrator for "Birmingham Sunday," a piece that incorporated a slide presentation on aspects of the Civil Rights Movement and the work of Dr. Martin Luther King, Jr.

The Choral Arts Society of Washington also sponsored an essay writing contest inspired by the theme "I Still Believe: The Legacy of Dr. Martin Luther King, Jr." The two winners, Irena Pavlin of Hyattsville and Bruk Berhane of Laurel (both juniors at Eleanor Roosevelt High School) read their essays and were presented with cash awards.

African-American Survey Published

The Prince George's County Planning Department of the Maryland-National Capital Park and Planning Commission (M-NCPPC) has announced publication of the African-American Heritage Survey, 1996, a survey of individual properties and communities significant to the African-American history of Prince George's County.

The 107 historic individual properties surveyed include residences, churches and cemeteries, schools, fraternal lodges, a monument and an airfield. The 14 historic communities covered in the publication include both urban subdivisions and rural villages, as well as early towns and retreat communities. For each individual property there is a photograph, an architectural description and a summary of its historical significance. For each community, there is a graphic illustration and a history of the community's development. The publication of this book became the Planning Department's goal for the Tricentennial.

African-American Heritage Survey, 1996 was written by Susan G. Pearl, Research/Architectural Historian in the Planning Department's Historic Preservation Section. Stacey L. Shorter, former historian in the Black History Program of the



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It's a girl for Linda and Jeff Weiner. Marti Cypress Weiner was born Sunday, February 23 weighing 8 lbs. 11 oz. Marti's mother teaches second grade at Greenbelt Elementary School.

Archana Manohar has been named to the dean's list at the University of Rochester, where she is a junior majoring in chemistry.

Eric A. Jorgensen, of Greenbelt, is among nearly 400 students named to the dean's list for the fall semester at Mount Saint Mary's College, Emmitsburg. The son of Mr. and Mrs. Hans Jorgensen, of Woodland Way, Eric attended DeMatha High School and is majoring in economics. He achieved this honor by maintaining at least a 3.4 grade point average out of a possible 4.0.

Air Force Cadet Jung H. Ha was a parade participant at the 53rd Presidential Inauguration on January 20. Ha is a student at the U.S. Air Force Academy, Colorado Springs. He is the son of Shong K. Ha of Greenbelt and Chong S. Kim of Jacksonville, AR.

Navy Petty Officer 2nd Class Stephen F. Walton, brother of Anne Weakley of Greenbelt, recently reported for duty with Personnel Support Activity Detachment, Supreme Headquarters Allied Powers Europe, in Brussels, Belgium. He joined the Navy in August 1996.

Public Works Foreman Victor Kirk and his wife Lois welcomed their first grandchild on Friday, February 7. Devonne Marie Tucker, 8 lbs. 9 oz., was born to Dawn Kirk and Chris Tucker. Congratulations to the whole family.

Fourth graders at Greenbelt Elementary School were excited to receive an autographed picture of President Clinton, along with memorabilia about the White House and other interesting items. The students had written letters to the President about the recent election and had made some suggestions for his second term. The students hope to create a project designing books, filmstrips and posters to demonstrate their knowledge of the Presidency, the White House and the Nation's Capital.

M-NCPPC Prince George's County Department of Parks and Recreation, contributed the Introductory History.

The African-American Heritage Survey, 1996 can be purchased at the following locations: County Administration Building, 4th Floor Information Counter, 14741 Governor Oden Bowie Drive, Upper Marlboro and at various Historic Site gift shops throughout the county. Call the M-NCPPC Planning Department's Historic Preservation section at 301-952-3520 for further information.

Mahsa Modarres has been named to the dean's list at Boston University for the fall semester.

Seen around Greenbelt last week were Gary Hibbs, son of Raymond and Shirley Hibbs of Lakeside Dr., and Michael Sucher, son of Joseph and Dorothy Sucher, also of Lakeside. Gary is director of a retirement community near Detroit. Mike, who recently moved to Vermont with his wife, Carol, has joined a software engineering firm in New Hampshire, but returned to Maryland to perform as a pianist at the East Coast Jazz Festival.

Congratulations are in order for former Greenbelter, John Beauchamp, son of News Review Staffer Virginia Beauchamp, as he begins his new position as Superintendent of Parks for Massillon, Ohio.

Congratulations and best wishes on the recent engagement of Police Chief James Craze and Greenbelt's Director of Planning and Community Development, Celia Wilson.

Ben Sanders of Eleanor Roosevelt High School was one of six local High School/High Tech students who recently participated in a video conference with 30 counterparts at the Ohio Aerospace Institute in



Cleveland. Sanders described his project-related summer internship last year at NASA/Goddard Space Flight Center. While working in the Office of Space Technology Center, he did Internet searches and used several computer applications.

Happy 90th birthday to Frank N. Kratovil, a neighbor now living in College Park, who celebrated with family and friends at the Fireside on February 22. While never residents of Greenbelt, the family spent a lot of time here. When the children in the family were young, the only swimming pool and movie theater were in Greenbelt. Frank's son, now a Prince George's County District Court judge, told the News Review of the good times he had with his Greenbelt friends playing here and swimming in the lake until the polio scare stopped that practice. He was a member of the last graduating class of Greenbelt High School. The family couldn't live in Greenbelt, according to the judge, because his father's income was above the limit. So they bought a home in Beltsville. There was nothing going on in Beltsville in those days, he said. We came to Greenbelt to have fun.



Wylene Burch shows Greenbelt Elementary School children a chart depicting inventions made by African-Americans.

—photo by Letty Bryce

Students Have Black History Program

Wylene Burch, a former third grade teacher at Greenbelt Center School, visited Greenbelt Elementary School during Black History Month to show students and staff some of her collection of African-American memorabilia.

A decade ago Burch founded the Howard County Center of African-American Culture, a non-profit museum. Before opening the museum she traveled to schools and churches with her exhibits. Although the museum has had several homes it is in need of a permanent one.

This is Burch's second trip to Greenbelt. While at Center School she filled a room with some of her materials and invited school children and the entire community to come and learn

about African-American heritage.

Burch began saving African-American artifacts while living in Germany with her children and her husband, who was in the military. She wanted her children to be aware of their heritage. During her 30 years of traveling with the military she collected African-American books, dolls, stamps, etc.

Among the things she brought to Greenbelt Elementary were stamps and charts. One chart showed objects invented by African-Americans such as the wrench, player piano, potato chips and horseshoes. Burch also talked to the children about African-Americans and their many contributions to American culture.

Kennedy Center Will Offer Free Programs Daily

The John F. Kennedy Center for the Performing Arts will stage at least one free performance every day of the year and open a new downtown facility for discount tickets. The national center's chairman, James A. Johnson launched "Performing Arts for Everyone," nine initiatives to expand and increase access to the performing arts for local Washington residents and visitors to the nation's capital.

Beginning mid-March, the Kennedy Center will stage free daily performances on its new Millennium Stage, in the Center's Grand Foyer. Featured on the Millennium Stage will be a range

of performing arts, including performing artists and groups from all 50 states and an "Artist in Residence" program in which artists perform on a series of consecutive evenings.

A new discount ticket facility will be located at the Old Post Office Pavilion on Pennsylvania Avenue in Washington, D.C. "TicketPlace at the Old Post Office Pavilion" will offer discounted day-of-show tickets for performances at the Kennedy Center and around the Washington metropolitan area. The goal is to open the facility by early summer.

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CHIEF CRAZE

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The department doesn't have a S.W.A.T. team, as do many larger departments, but it does have a search and entry unit that was used 12 times during the last year. A unique aspect of the tactical unit is that trained medical people go in with the unit, in the event some kind of injury resulted from a potentially dangerous action.

DUI Tags?

The department has also operated saturation patrols on two recent occasions to ferret out persons driving under the influence of alcoholic beverages (DUI). The Chief, who sits on the Legislative Committee for the Maryland Chiefs of Police Association, noted that one of the more interesting legislative proposals was a bill to require persons convicted of DUI to have specialized DUI automobile license tags.

Craze commended the Greenbelt Democratic Club on its stand supporting Governor Parris Glendening's opposition to casino gambling of any kind. He noted that the police chiefs also are opposed to permitting gambling. Every study that he is aware of indicates that organized gambling has resulted in increased crime and corruption.

Chief Craze boasted of the fact that the Greenbelt Department has three senior officers who are graduates of the FBI Academy for advance management training. He believes that this is more than any other department in the area has, including the county police department. While other departments may have had more persons graduate, they are no longer active officers.

The Greenbelt police department takes part in the Prince George's Police Violent Crime and Clearance Program, and is the only county municipal department to do so. The department also participates with other local police jurisdictions in a federally funded auto theft task force. Officers are assigned intermittently to the task force, with expenses reimbursed by the federal government. Greenbelt has a high rate of car thefts due to its affluence, location and large parking areas. The Chief noted that Director of Planning and Community Development Celia Wilson has estimated that up to a quarter-million vehicles pass through Greenbelt each day.

Crime Down

The chief believes that there has been a turnaround in crime in the past two years. This has taken place not just in Greenbelt, but in the metropolitan area and the nation as a whole. However, not all the news is good. He noted that of late the city has been experiencing an increase in violent crimes, particularly armed robberies, which were up by 43% in the past year.

The closest "hot spot" for crime is Langley Park, the chief told the group. "We have no open air drug markets in Greenbelt," he said. Craze

Patuxent Refuge - North Tract March Programs

March programs scheduled by the Patuxent Research Refuge, North Tract Visitor Contact Station are as follows:

For Children and Families:

"Owl Prowl" for ages 8 and older with parent will be held on Saturdays, March 8 and 29, 6-8 p.m. Participants will search for owls on this guided walk.

"Beavers: Makers of the Marsh" for ages 5 and older with parent is scheduled on Sundays, March 9, 10-11:30 a.m. and March 16, 4:30-6 p.m. Participants will discover how these amazing creatures create marshes and visit their habitat.

"Birdwalk" is for ages 8 and older accompanied by a parent. It will be held on Sunday, March 9, 7-10 a.m. Participants will go on a hike and discover some of the first spring arrivals.

"Wildlife Signs Hike," for ages 5 and older with a parent who want to discover the tracks and signs that wildlife leave behind. This guided trail hike is scheduled for Sunday, March 16, 2-3 p.m.

"Stream Search" is for ages 8 and older with parent. Participants should wear boots for this guided walk to discover how to monitor the health of a stream by searching for aquatic insects. It will be held on March 22, 1-2:30 p.m.

"Wild Wetlands," for ages 5 and older with parent, is scheduled on Saturday, March 29, 1-2 p.m. Participants should wear boots to discover the wildlife that live in wetlands by dipnetting and looking for clues.

For adults, 16 and older:

"Spring Flora Walk" will be held on Sunday, March 2, 9-11 a.m. Participants will

search for the first spring plants on this guided walk.

"Basics of Birding" is a lecture and walk focusing on bird identification, habitat diversity and birding equipment. Participants to the Sunday, March 8 program from 8:30 to 11:30 a.m. should bring binoculars, field guides and appropriate footwear for dirt roads.

"Bird Walk" will be held on Tuesday, March 11, 9-11 a.m. and Friday March 21, 7:30-10 a.m. Participants should bring binoculars, field guides, and good walking shoes as there will be several miles of walking.

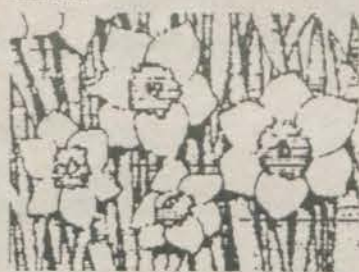
"Harbingers of Spring: Frogs and Toads" is for ages 14 and older. Scheduled for Saturday, March 22 from 6-8 p.m., participants will discover the calls of some of the first creatures of spring during this presentation and walk.

"Hawk Walk" is a guided hike in search of hawks and will be held on Saturday, March 29, 9:30 a.m.-noon.

Advance registration is required for all programs as space is limited. Programs are free. For reservations and information, call 410-674-3304. The North Tract Visitor Contact Station is located on Bald Eagle Drive, Laurel (off Rt. 198 between the Baltimore-Washington Parkway and Rt. 32).

Discovery Exhibit At Arboretum

A special exhibit featuring the releases, discoveries and inventions of the Arboretum's scientists will be on display in the lobby of the Administration Building March 7 - August 30. The National Arboretum is located at 3501 New York Ave., N.E. Call 202-245-2726 for information.



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Patuxent Programs Focus On Home-Schooled Students

Patuxent Research Refuge has designed a variety of nature programs especially for home schooled children ages 5 - 10.

The following programs during March are each given from 10:30 - 11:30 a.m. and 1 - 2 p.m.

Making Sense of Nature, Tuesday, March 11. On the guided walk, children will discover nature by using their sense of smell, touch, sight and hearing. Web of Life, Thursday, March 13. How parts of the natural world are connected to each other is the focus of their tour.

Our Feathered Friends, Tuesday, March 18. Children will learn the uniqueness of birds and

ways to help them from being lost.

Beavers: Makers of the Marsh, Thursday, March 20. Children will visit a beaver's home and see how it creates a marsh.

Migration Headache, Tuesday, March 25. Why and how birds migrate, obstacles they encounter, and ways to help them.

Hide and Seek, Thursday, March 27. This talk will show children how animals use camouflage for protection.

Each program is free and is limited to 20 participants. Advance registration is required. For further information call (410) 674-3304.

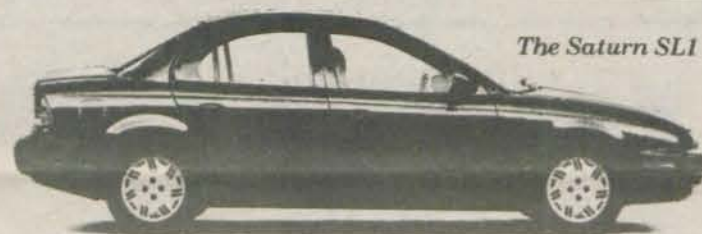
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Conservation Group Rates Legislators

The Prince George's County delegation to the General Assembly scored well on an interim environmental vote chart published on Feb. 3 by the Maryland League of Conservation Voters. The Senate delegation averaged a strong 91%, second only to the Baltimore City Senate delegation, and the House delegation scored 78%, second only to the Montgomery County House delegation. Three Prince George's County Senators (Green, Dorman, and Lawlah) scored a perfect pro-environment 100%, as did seven delegates (Menes, Rosapepe, Baker, Hubbard, Pitkin, Exum,

and Hughes). Sen. Leo Green and Delegates James Hubbard and Joan Pitkin represent Greenbelt.

The League's voting chart is made up of floor votes and committee votes on bills and amendments considered by environmentalists as important because of their impact on the environment in Maryland. The Maryland League of Conservation Voters, formed more than 18 years ago, is a statewide, nonpartisan political committee made up of environmentalists organized to elect conservation-minded candidates to state offices.

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On Saturday, March 15, the Mental Health Association of Prince George's County is sponsoring an all day seminar (8:30 a.m. - 4 p.m.) on Attention Deficit Disorder/Attention Deficit Hyperactivity Disorder: Coping in the 90s. The latest information on brain research from NIH and practical ideas for home and classroom will be presented in interactive sessions with professionals. Information about access to care and community resources will be included.

Eleanor Roosevelt High School in Greenbelt is the conference site. For information or a registration brochure, call 301-699-2737. Registration deadline is March 7, early registration is recommended. There is a fee.

Greenbelt CARES

Walt Wirsching, assistant secretary, Department of Juvenile Justice (DJJ), held a meeting with the Maryland Youth Services Bureau (YSB) directors at the DJJ headquarters in Essex, Maryland. The discussion centered on the move of the YSB money from DJJ to the Office of Children, Youth and Families (OCYF). Within the next year or so, the YSB will be required to seek state funding from local management boards, which report to OCYF. Many of the local management boards are not yet functioning.

Judye Hering attended a meeting of the Prince George's County Volunteer Coordinator's Association on Wednesday, February 5. The program focused on Burnout/Stress Management and Volunteerism.

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Greenbelt Recreation Department Spring Activities

Registration Information:

Mail-In registration is now accepted. In-person registration is required at the Aquatic and Fitness Center.

Mail In Registrations Accepted Beginning:

Greenbelt Residents February 24
Non-Residents March 3
Walk-In (for all) March 10

Walk-In Registration Locations:

Greenbelt Youth Center Monday thru Friday, 9am to 4:30pm
Greenbelt Community Center Monday thru Saturday 9am to 9:30pm

A 'DROP BOX' is located at the Community Center and the Youth Center, where registrations may be 'DROPPED' at any time during the registration period. For mail-in registration, complete form below and mail with payment to: **Greenbelt Recreation Department, 25 Crescent Rd., Greenbelt, Md. 20770.** MasterCard/Visa and checks are accepted. If paying by credit card, please include the card type (MC/VS), the expiration date, and the credit card number. Checks should be made payable to the 'City of Greenbelt'.

Class Fees:

All class fees are noted in the course description. A 10% discount will be given to all senior citizens, 60 years of age and over, registering for adult classes (except those designed specifically for Senior Citizens).

Refunds:

The Recreation Department reserves the right to cancel classes due to insufficient registration or causes beyond its control. Refunds will be made if classes are canceled by the Recreation Department. Other refunds will be made according to the provisions in the City of Greenbelt Resolution No. 65, which requires requests for refunds to be made in writing to the Director of the Greenbelt Recreation Department IMMEDIATELY.

Inclusion:

Individuals who are physically, mentally, and/or emotionally challenged are encouraged to participate in any of the Recreation Department's programs. If you need any special assistance, please call Karen Haseley at 397-2208 (TTY:474-2046).

P.G. County School Holidays: Pre-school and children's classes that begin BEFORE 4:30 pm will not meet on P.G. County school holidays. Adult classes will be held as scheduled except where noted in class description.

Location Code:

CC - Greenbelt Community Center SHLRC - Springhill Lake Recreation Center
YC - Greenbelt Youth Center YCBO - Youth Center Business Office
BFTC - Braden Field Tennis Courts GAFC - Greenbelt Aquatic and Fitness Center
SHP - Schrom Hills Park

Class Schedule:

Classes will begin the week of March 17, 1997. Saturday classes will begin March 22, 1997. Please confirm class start date at time of registration. If class is canceled, make-ups will be held at the end of the regular class schedule. PLEASE NOTE: All classes have a limited enrollment. Early registration improves your chances of getting the class you want!!

City Residency:

Resident rates apply to those persons who reside in, pay taxes to and are eligible to vote in Greenbelt elections (if 18 years of age or older). Non-resident rates apply to those who live outside of Greenbelt or those who have a Greenbelt mailing address but do not pay taxes to the City.

Pre-School Classes (R=Resident Rate NR=Non-Resident Rate)

Activity #	Name/Age	Day/Time/Location/Cost
229501-1	Indoor Games (4-5yrs)	Sa/12:15-12:45/YC-MPR/R: \$18; NR: \$22; 8-weeks
227501-1	Kid's Kitchen (3-5yrs)	Tu/3:30-4:15pm/YC-MPR/R: \$15; NR: \$18.75; 6-weeks
227503-1	Mom's Morning Out (3-4 yrs)	Tu/Th/9-12 noon/YC-ML/R: \$165; NR: \$206; 11-weeks
227503-2	Mom's Morning Out (4-5 yrs)	M/W/F/9-12 noon/YC-ML/R: \$235; NR: \$290; 11-weeks
227503-3	Mom's Morning Out (3-5 yrs)	M/W/F/12:30-3:30pm/YC-ML/R: \$235; NR: \$290; 11-weeks
224502-1	Music Time (1 1/2-3 1/2 yrs)	Sa/11:30-12 noon/YC-MPR/R: \$35; NR: \$43.75; 6-weeks
224201-1	Pre-Ballet (3-4yrs)	Sa/9:45-10:30am/CC-Dance/R: \$25; NR: \$31.25; 8-weeks
224201-2	Pre-Ballet (3-4yrs)	Tu/4:45-5:30pm/CC-Dance/R: \$25; NR: \$31.25; 8-weeks
222502-1	Pre-Gymnastics (3-5 yrs)	Th/3:30-4:15pm/YC-Gym/R: \$25; NR: \$31.25; 8-weeks
222502-2	Pre-Gymnastics (3-5 yrs)	Sa/10:00-10:45am/YC-Gym/R: \$25; NR: \$31.25; 8-weeks
222502-3	Pre-Gymnastics (3-5 yrs)	Sa/12:00-12:45pm/YC-Gym/R: \$25; NR: \$31.25; 8-weeks
222401-1	Pre-School Playtime (3-5yrs)	Th/3:30-4:15pm/SHL/FREE; 6-weeks
222503-1	Pre-School Playtime (3-5 yrs)	Tu/4:30-5:15pm/YC-ML/FREE; 6-weeks
222503-2	Pre-School Playtime (3-5 yrs)	Th/4:30-5:15pm/YC-ML/FREE; 6-weeks
212501-1	Toddler Gym-I (1 1/2 - 2 1/2yrs)	W/9:30-10:15/YC-Gym/R: \$15; NR: \$18.75; 8-weeks
212501-2	Toddler Gym-II (2 1/2 - 3 1/2 yrs)	F/9:30-10:15/YC-Gym/R: \$15; NR: \$18.75; 8-weeks
223501-1	Tumbling Tots (2-4 yrs)	Tu/10-10:30am/YC-Gym/R: \$18; NR: \$22; 8-weeks
223501-2	Tumbling Tots (2-4 yrs)	Sa/10:30-11am/YC-MPR/R: \$18; NR: \$22; 8-weeks

Children's Classes (R=Resident Rate NR=Non-Resident Rate)

Activity #	Name/Age	Day/Time/Location/Cost
N/A	After-School Art Drop-In	Tu-W/3-6pm/CC-Art Rm./Drop-In: \$1 per hour, 6-12 yrs
233501-1	Arts and Crafts (6-12 yrs)	Sa/11:30-12pm/YC-ML/FREE; 6 weeks
233401-1	Arts and Crafts (6-12 yrs)	M/3:15-4pm/SHL/FREE; 6-weeks
234204-1	Ballet (5-7 yrs)	Sa/10:30-11:15am/CC-Dance/R: \$25; NR: \$31.25; 8-weeks
234204-2	Ballet (5-7 yrs)	Tu/5:30-6:15pm/CC-Dance/R: \$25; NR: \$31.25; 8-weeks
234203-2	Ballet/Jazz (7-12 yrs)	Sa/11:30-12:15pm/CC-Dance/R: \$25; NR: \$31.25; 8-weeks
232502-1	Gymnastics (6-12 yrs)	Th/4:30-5:15pm/YC-Gym/R: \$25; NR: \$31.25; 8-weeks
232502-2	Gymnastics (6-12 yrs)	Sa/11:00-11:45am/YC-Gym/R: \$25; NR: \$31.25; 8-weeks
232502-3	Gymnastics (6-12 yrs)	Sa/1:00-1:45pm/YC-Gym/R: \$25; NR: \$31.25; 8-weeks
232503-1	Homeschooler Open Gym (5-12yrs)	W/2-3pm/YC-Gym/R: \$5; NR: \$8; 8-weeks
234202-1	Jazz (9-12 yrs)	R: \$1; NR: \$1.50/child drop-in
234202-2	Jazz-Beginning (9-12 yrs)	W/6-7pm/CC-Dance/R: \$48; NR: \$60; 8-weeks
232201-1	Karate-Shotokan (5-12 yrs)	M/6-7pm/CC-Dance/R: \$48; NR: \$60; 8-weeks
237501-1	Kid's Kitchen (6-9 yrs)	Th/5:30-6:30pm/CC-Dance/R: \$32; NR: \$40; 8-weeks
233502-1	Kid's Quickies Print Shop (6-12yrs)	Th/3:30-4:15pm/YC-MPR/R: \$15; NR: \$18.75; 6-weeks
232507-1	Children's Tennis (5-8 yrs)	Mon., April 21st/4-5pm/YC \$2.50/person
		Sat/8-9am/BFTC/R: \$25; NR: \$31.25/5-weeks. Begins 4/19.
232507-2	Children's Tennis (9 & up)	Sat/9-10am/BFTC/R: \$25; NR: \$31.25/5-weeks. Begins 4/19.

Teen/Adult Classes (R=Resident Rates NR=Non-Resident Rates)

Activity #	Name/Age	Day/Time/Location/Cost
253206-1	Basic Oil Painting	Tu-W/7-9pm/CC-Adult Art Rm./R: \$54; NR: \$68; 8-weeks
267503-1	Bike Maint. & Repair (16+)	M/7-10pm/YC-MPR/R: \$16; NR: \$20; 1 Day
267503-2	Bike Mechanics Workshop (16+)	M/7-10pm/YC-MPR/R: \$16; NR: \$20; 1-Day
267504	Community First Aid & Safety	Section 1; 3/25, 26, 27/7-10pm Section 2; 4/15, 16, 17/7-10pm Section 3; 5/13, 14, 15/7-10pm R: \$55; NR: \$60

257207-1	Eastern Cooking (16+)	Th/7-9pm/CC-Kit./Fee \$60/April 3, 10, 17, 24
252203-1	Fit N' Fun Aerobics (16+)	M/W/F/9:30-10:30am/CC-Gym/R: \$35; NR: \$44; 9-wks;
254505-1	Greek Folk Dancing (18+)	Su/7:30-9:00pm/YC-MPR/\$30/person; 8-weeks
252202-2	Health Fitness (16+)	Th/7-8pm/CC-Dance Studio/R: \$20; NR: \$25; 9-weeks
252202-1	Health Fitness (16+)	Tu/7-8pm/CC-Dance Studio/R: \$20; NR: \$25; 9-weeks
254501-1	International Folk Dancing	F/8-10pm/YC-MPR/\$30/person; 8 weeks
253205-1	Basic Drawing	Tu/7-9pm/CC-Adult Art Rm/R: \$54; NR: \$68; 8-weeks
263212-1	Intro to Stained Glass	Sa/1-3pm/CC-Adult Art/R: \$50; NR: \$64; 8-weeks
263213-1	Intermediate Stained Glass	Sa/4-6pm/CC-Adult Art/R: \$50; NR: \$60; 8-weeks
257208-1	Italian Biscotti (16+)	Th/7-9pm/CC-Kit./R: \$10; NR: \$12/May 1
242201-1	Karate Shotokan (13+)	Th/6:30-7:30pm/CC-Rehearsal/R: \$32; NR: \$40; 8-weeks
244201-1	Modern/Ballet (13+)	M/7-8:30pm/CC-Dance Studio/R: \$48; NR: \$60; 8-weeks
244202-1	Modern/Jazz (13+)	W/7-8:30pm/CC-Dance Studio/R: \$48; NR: \$60; 8-weeks
257206-1	Muffin Man Muffins (16+)	Tu/7-9:30pm/CC-Kitchen/R: \$40; NR: \$50; 4-weeks 4/8, 4/15, 4/22 & 4/29
257205-1	Pies By Bill	Tu/7-9:30/CC-Kit./R: \$20; NR: \$25; 2-wks/5-6 & 13
267501-1	Photography Part 1 (16+)	Th/7-9pm/YC 4-weeks/R: \$32; NR: \$40; Mat. Fee: \$10
267502-1	Photography Part 2 (16+)	Th/7-9pm/YC/4-weeks/R: \$32; NR: \$40; Mat. Fee: \$10
257202-1	Photo Preservation Workshops	W/7-9:30pm/CC/R: \$5/ea; NR: \$6/ea; 3/12, 3/26, 4/9, 5/14
253203-1	Open Studio (18+)	Th/7-9pm/CC-Adult Art Rm/R: \$40; NR: \$50; 8-weeks or Drop-in fee: \$7 each
N/A	Life Drawing and Sculpture	Fri/3/7, 4/4, 5/2, 6/6; 7:30pm/CC-MPR. FREE
N/A	Reiki Healing Circle FREE	Su; 3/9, 4/6, 5/4, 6/8; 2-4pm/CC-MPR. Donation requested.
N/A	Reiki Clinics (Drop-In)	Tu/7:30-8:30pm/CC-MPR/R: \$24; NR: \$30; 8-weeks
252206-1	Basic T'ai Chi Movements (16+)	Sa/12-3pm/YC-MPR/Teens: \$27.50; Adults: \$55; 2-day workshop 3/22 & 3/29
252533-1	Self-Defense for Women (14+)	Tu/7-9pm/CC/Senior Classroom/R: \$25; NR: \$31.25
267211-1	Sign Language	Tu/9:30-10:30am/CC-Dance Studio; 9-wks
N/A	Tone & Strengthen (16+) FREE	Tu/Th/4:30-5:30pm/GAFC/R: \$25; NR: \$31.25; Begins 3/17, 4-weeks
242134-1	Teen Fitness & Nutrition I	Tu/Th/4:30-5:30pm/GAFC/R: \$25; NR: \$31.25; Begins 4/15, 4-weeks
242135-1	Teen Fitness & Nutrition II	Tu/Th/4:30-5:30pm/GAFC/R: \$25; NR: \$31.25; Begins 4/15, 4-weeks
254507-1	Tennis Drills-Advanced (18+)	Sat/10-11am/BFTC/R: \$25; NR: \$31.25/5-weeks. Begins 4/19.
257203-1	Vegetarian Cooking (16+)	W/7-9pm/CC-Kit./Fee: \$84/4 weeks. Begins May 14.
257204-1	Vegetarian Sushi (16+)	W/7-9pm/CC-Kit./Fee: \$25/One day workshop on June 11.
252201-1	Morning Yoga 1 (16+)	M/Tu/Th/F, 7-8:30am/CC-Dance R: \$40 for 10 classes, 5-weeks
252201-2	Morning Yoga 2 (16+)	NR: \$50 for 10 classes, 5-weeks; Drop-In: R: \$5; NR: \$6

Special Registration Classes - These classes have special instructions for registration.

Introduction to the Wheel	Tu/7-9pm/CC-Ceramic/Cost: \$75; 8-weeks/Begins 4/8. Greenbelt Pottery 441-3859. Registration is ongoing. Forms available at CC Office. Practice techniques for producing functional pottery on the wheel and various glazing methods. Includes all materials and open studio time.
Advanced Wheel Techniques	M or W/7-9pm/CC-Ceramic/Cost: \$75; 8-weeks. Greenbelt Pottery 441-3859. Previous experience only. Improve your wheel technique. Class begins on April 7 or 9.
Handbuilding	Th/7-9pm/CC-Ceramic/Cost: \$75; 8-weeks. Greenbelt Pottery 441-3859. Learn several techniques using a variety of glazes. Class begins April 10.
Ceramics	W/1-3pm or Sun/11am-1pm/CC-Ceramic/Cost: \$75; 8-weeks. Greenbelt Pottery 441-3899. Learn both wheel and hand building techniques. Class begins: Su 4/6 or W 4/9
Tile Making	M/7-9pm/CC-Ceramic/Cost: \$75; 8-weeks/Tools required, costing \$5-\$10. Greenbelt Pottery 441-3859. Handmade glazed ceramic tile. Shape, texture, create, reproduce, install and grout. Class begins April 7.
Adult Sculpture	Sa/2-4pm/CC-Ceramic/Cost: \$85; 8-weeks. Greenbelt Pottery 441-3859. Explore three dimensional form using clay, plaster, wire and drawing. Class begins April 5.
Homeschooler Art Class 5-12yrs	M/1-3pm/CC/Cost: \$65 (siblings \$50); 6-weeks. Barbara Simon. Registration is ongoing. Forms available at CC Office. Class begins April 7.
Children's Ceramics 5-8 yrs	Sa/10-10:45am/CC Cost: \$45; 8-wks. Barbara Simon. Registration is ongoing. Forms available at CC Office. Class begins April 5.
9-12 yrs	Sa/11-12:pm/CC ongoing. Forms available at CC Office. Class begins April 5.
Aerobics-Jacki Sorenson's (16+)	Workouts: \$3.50/class/Tu/Th- 6-7pm/SHL-Gym/Sa/9-10am. Janet Anderson 439-3866. This is an ongoing program.
BioAerobics (12+)	Register with the class instructor on any night the class is held. Tu/Th/7-8:15pm/YC-Gym/\$49.50/8-weeks; Drop-In fee: \$4.00. Class begins April 8. Call Barbara Forte to register at 262-5175.
Jazzercise Regular (16+)	M/7-8pm/CC-Gym/Drop in fee \$6/8 classes: \$28 good for 4-weeks. Bev McQuay 776-5405. Ongoing class, register any class night. Warm-up, aerobics, strengthening/toning, and cool down.
Jazzercise Regular (16+)	Sa/9-10 am/CC-Gym/Drop in fee \$6/8 classes: \$28 good for 4-weeks. Bev McQuay 776-5405. Ongoing class, register any class night. Warm-up, aerobics, strengthening/toning, and cool down.
Jazzercise Circuit Training (16+)	W/7-8pm/CC-Gym/Drop in \$6/8 classes: \$28 good for 4-weeks. Bev McQuay 776-5405. Ongoing class, register any class night. Aerobics and strength training. Bring weights if desired.
Jazzercise Cardio Quick (16+)	F/6:30-7:15 pm/CC-DS/Drop in fee \$6/8 classes: \$28 good for 4-wks. Bev McQuay 776-5405. Cardio Quick (16+) Ongoing class, register any class night. 45-min. Aerobic only. No floor work quickie. Aerobics, strength/floor/cool down.

Senior Activities

Activity #	Trip	Date/Time	Cost
278203-1	Arms and the Man	Sat/April 5/1-5pm	\$18.00/No Lunch
278204-1	Behind the Scenes at Camden Yards	M/April 7; 12:45-4 pm	\$6.00/No Lunch
278201-1	King and I	Th/April 17; 12:45-5:30pm	\$45.00/No Lunch
278202-1	Sunday in the Park w/ George	W/April 30; 11am-3:30pm	\$23.00/No Lunch
278207-1	Centennial Park Picnic	Th/May 22/11am-2:30pm	\$6 includes trans. & lunch
278205-1	Oklahoma	Th/June 19/9am-6:30 pm	\$32.00
378203-1	Phantom of the Opera	W/Aug. 27/12:30-5 pm	\$53.00/No Lunch

Senior Classes (R=Resident Rates NR=Non-Resident Rates)

Activity #	Name	Day/Time/Location/Cost
177210-1	Current Issues	F/10-12pm/CC-Sr. Classrm ONGOING, FREE
P.G.	Community College Class	
Painting I (Watercolor) (#3782)		Th/1-3pm/CC/Adult Art Rm/14 sessions; thru 5/22. Linda Uphoff