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## Citizens Speak Out at Second Hearing on the City Budget

by Thomas X. White

Just prior to its regular meeting on May 24, the Greenbelt City Council conducted its second public hearing on the proposed Fiscal Year 2005 city budget. The hearing was the first opportunity for public reaction to changes that had been informally accepted by a majority of council at its May 17 final budget worksession. Two citizens used this opportunity to voice strong objections to the proposed budget that now would require a two-cent increase in the city real property tax rate from 69.6 cents to 71.6 cents and a similar increase in the business personal property tax rate from \$1.61 to \$1.63.

A memo to council from City Manager Michael McLaughlin and Treasurer Jeff Williams outlining all the suggested changes to the proposed budget informally agreed upon at the May 17 final budget work session was made available to those attending the council meeting. Based on the suggestions made at that worksession, a total of \$337,400 in additional revenues will be figured in the budget.

### Citizen Comments

Suzanne Krofchik, the first citizen to comment, noted that although she appreciated all the time and effort that council puts into the budget review, she is not happy with the proposed increase in city taxes. She compared the city approach with how people have to run a household. "[For a household] there is only a certain amount of income. If expenses are greater, [you need to] reduce somewhere. The city does the

reverse by just raising taxes. You need to start looking for cuts [because] the citizens end up paying more." Krofchik suggested cutting the money council added to retain a red light camera that staff recommended turning off, considering increased user fees, reducing some recreation programs and making them more self-supporting and charging more affluent seniors more for existing discounted programs. Krofchik told council that her friends and neighbors generally agreed with her position.

Charles Hagelgans also registered opposition to the proposed increase in the tax rate. He noted that his house was recently reappraised approximately 50 percent higher by state assessors and that he expects annual 10 percent increases in his property assessment for the foreseeable future. In his view the city's proposed budget is "not quite balanced with my interest." Noting the extra taxes that Greenbelt homeowners pay over county taxes, he asked, "Is it worth \$1,200 to remain in Greenbelt?"

Council members responded to citizen concerns with courtesy and understanding but offered no remedies. Mayor Judith Davis agreed with the need to look for ways to trim but noted it was extremely difficult to balance competing interests. She also said most recreation programs are self-supporting.

Councilmember Rodney Roberts defended his position on the red light camera, expressing concern that "turning off the camera would lend ammunition to

people who want to get rid of the program."

Councilmember Edward Putens noted, "We do the best we can. Maybe we have to tell people to lower expectations."

Councilmember Leta Mach echoed the mayor's comments, expressed appreciation for the thoughtful comments and noted the difficulty in balancing all the different needs.

Councilmember Konrad Herling also thanked the citizens for their time and effort, while noting the traditional higher level of expectations in Greenbelt, a greater confidence in the city government, how the city is known to respond to needs and the expected maintenance of the quality of life in Greenbelt.

### Changes

The city council's preliminary one-cent increase over the manager's original proposal of an additional one-cent in both the real and personal property rates results in a \$135,400 increase. An increase of \$20 in inspection fees for rental apartments (from \$50 to \$70) and a \$35 increase for single family home rentals (from \$100 to \$135) will yield an

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## Tom Renahan to Discuss His Six Months in Iraq

The Eleanor and Franklin Roosevelt Democratic Club is sponsoring a special evening forum, "Developing Democratic Institutions and Processes in Iraq – A Special Report from an American Expert Working in Iraq." All interested citizens are invited to attend the forum, which will be held on Thursday evening, June 10 beginning at 7:30 p.m. The meeting will be held at the Terrace Room in the Greenbriar Community Center, 7600 Hanover Parkway (at the intersection of Greenbelt Road and Hanover Parkway).

Tom Renahan, a resident of Greenbelt, has been working in Iraq since December 2003, as part of a team of American and European experts assembled by the International City Management Association (ICMA). The team is primarily focused on working with local officials to help establish democratically-based councils and institutions. Renahan is working under a one-year con-

tract through an ICMA subcontractor and is on a two-week home visit. He will be returning to Iraq in mid-June. Renahan will provide a direct, hands-on report on progress and obstacles in establishing democratic values and institutions in Iraq.

Renahan is a political scientist and has taught at Western Illinois University. He is an expert in local government politics and has significant local professional credentials, previously serving as city manager in Seat Pleasant and as a consultant to the towns of Berwyn Heights and Fairmont Heights, as well as the City of Mount Rainier.

Before leaving for his assignment in Iraq last December, in an exclusive interview with Sandra Lange of the Greenbelt News Review, Renahan expressed cautious optimism about his mission. "There are a lot of very smart people in Iraq, but it remains to

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PHOTOS BY MARAT MOORE

**Calling all Greenbelt World War II veterans – your names are needed! In this photo are most of those who attended Monday's Memorial Day service, but some names need to be confirmed. Front row, left to right: unidentified man, George Ellers, Sam Hofberg, Marjorie Gallun, Max Dach. Standing: unidentified man, unidentified man, unidentified woman, unidentified man, Joseph Bean Jr., Al Geiger, Calvin Street, Jim Wersick, Robert Lewis, Bob Sommers, Mike Doan, Ed Rupert. Not pictured is Emory Harman.**

## Memorial Day Is Marked Here by Legion, Veterans

by Marat Moore

More than 200 Greenbelt-area veterans and residents gathered at American Legion Post 136 Monday morning to honor veterans who sacrificed their lives in military service. The event, originally planned as an outdoor ceremony at Roosevelt Center, moved inside the Legion hall after the low blanket of clouds dripped a steady rain. The solemn note was appropriate, noted Mayor Judith Davis in her remarks to the group, in contrast to Saturday's glorious weather which welcomed hundreds of thousands of World War II veterans – most of whom are now in their 80s – to the National Mall in Washington, D.C., to greet each other and mark their accomplishments of "the greatest generation." Davis read a proclamation honoring veterans who lost their lives in the armed services. She attended the weekend opening of the

memorial on behalf of her father, who like many World War II veterans, was physically unable to attend.

For the active veterans of Post 136 and Unit 136 Auxiliary, the somber ceremony on Monday morning was an apt conclusion to an unforgettable weekend. On Saturday, 20 World War II veterans from the post were ferried to the mass celebration, where they toured reunion tents, shared stories and basked in the sun. On Sunday Post 136 held a special dinner for about 30 World War II veterans and their families, and prepared American Legion certificates of appreciation with an image of the new national memorial to all 682 p World War II veterans on the post roster for their "Service to America." The Washington Post was on hand to take a photograph which was due to appear in the Prince George's County section of Thursday's edition.

Barbara Luther and her sister, Nancy, brought their father, Max Dach, to the Mall on Saturday to be part of the historic event. "It was a magnificent tribute to this generation, with the reunion tents and the Navajo code-talkers and jitterbug lessons. It felt like a small town – like Greenbelt – with a feeling of unity and collaboration," said Luther, whose father also attended Greenbelt's Memorial Day ceremony.

Doug Peters, Prince George's County Councilmember and a Desert Storm veteran, noted



**Marjorie Gallun, who served in the Marines during World War II in supply and payroll and now lives in Lanham, salutes as the American Legion Post 136 wreath was presented at the Memorial Service, joining a solemn row of wreaths. A member of the Post, Gallun was escorted by a Prince George's County deputy sheriff in a cruiser, with lights flashing, with her son and daughter to the memorial opening on the Mall on Saturday.**

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### What Goes On

- Saturday, June 5**
  - Noon to 11 p.m.**, Folk and Blues Concert, Roosevelt Mall
  - 1 to 3 p.m.**, Youth Forum "Speak Out," Youth Center
- Sunday, June 6**
  - 12:30 to 5 p.m.**, Greenbelt Homes, Inc., Home and Garden Tour, Starts at Community Center
  - 1 to 5 p.m.**, Artful Afternoon, Community Center
  - 4 p.m.**, Greenbelt Museum's Chautauqua on history of News Review, Community Center
- Monday, June 7**
  - 7:30 p.m.**, Council Meeting, Adoption of Budget, Municipal Building
- Wednesday, June 9**
  - 8 p.m.**, Council Worksession, Lake Watershed Assessment Study, Community Center
- Thursday, June 10**
  - 7:30 p.m.**, Greenbelt Homes, Inc., Board Meeting, Preceded by GDC Board Meeting, Hamilton Place

### Greenbelt Day Weekend

**Friday, June 4 through Sunday, June 6**  
(See story on page 4 and ad on page 12)

# Letters

## Concentrate On Eyesores!

For years Greenbelt Homes has had an annual yard inspection program in place and for years I received notice that my yard looked good and to "Keep up the good work." Last year, for the first time, I was told that I had to remove the mold from the outside of my unit, which I of course did. I understand that this year an outside company is conducting the inspections. I don't know what type of training or guidelines the inspector has been given, but the concept of being reasonable and using discretion does not seem to have been conveyed. I understand the need to paint fences, wash mold from the sides of homes, cut grass and trim hedges to maintain an acceptable neighborhood appearance.

I don't understand that this inspector is now making gardening decisions such as cut seedling trees from hedge or weed your flowerbeds. We must be gearing up for a Southern Living garden tour. If a yard looks generally in good shape, which mine does, then why is it necessary to nit pick the little things. This smacks of a company going beyond what is necessary so that it can justify its contract. Or perhaps this is being done to generate more fee-for-service dollars for GHI.

If you were to review the inspections of my yard from previous years, you would find that I take care of my yard. What has changed from then to now is not my level of yard care but the fact that inspection standards have been tightened to ridiculous, seemingly arbitrary levels.

I would like GHI to concentrate on the true eyesores and let those who obviously care about their yards have a stray weed here and there or a few leaves in their yards.

Meta Lagerwerff

## "Creative Process" Exhibition Opens

A new exhibition celebrating the creative process will open at the Community Center's Art Gallery on June 5. "Creative Process: New Works by Greenbelt Artists," includes work in a variety of media by 11 artists living and/or working in Greenbelt. All work in the exhibition was created in 2004.

Greenbelt artist and educator Tom Baker developed and curated this exhibition as an outreach project in conjunction with his participation in the artist-in-residence program. The goals of the project are to: display an eclectic, mature, strong and creative body of work by Greenbelt artists; to learn how each artist approaches the creative process; and to encourage continued awareness, discussion and exploration of the process of creativity in the community.

Artists participating in the show were selected by juror Eileen Cave, president of the Hyattsville Community Artists Alliance. Featured artists in addition to Baker include Barbara Bjanas, Dick Brown, Barbara McGee, Pauline Grant, Shin Yeon Jeon, Ted Kliman, Jean Newcomb, Shayna Skolnik, Barbara Stevens and Linda Uphoff. In addition to their artwork, artists are contributing written reflections to the exhibition offering insight into their working processes.

The public is invited to meet the artists at a reception on Sunday, June 6, from 3 to 5 p.m.

"Creative Process" will remain on display through July 10. The Art Gallery is open from 9 a.m. to 10 p.m. daily whenever the room is not reserved for special use. The Greenbelt Community Center is located at 15 Crescent Road. For more information call 301-397-2208.



## New Traffic Light For Lakecrest Dr.

by James Giese

City Manager Michael McLaughlin has announced the welcome news that a traffic signal will be installed at the intersection of Greenbelt Road and Lakecrest Drive opposite the entrance to Holy Cross Lutheran Church. The city council has been asking the Maryland State Highway Administration (SHA) for a signal for that intersection for more than two decades.

McLaughlin gave significant credit for this accomplishment to County Councilmember Douglas Peters, who initially contacted the SHA nearly a year ago and pressed the issue several times.

Peters wrote in response to SHA that avoiding this dangerous intersection by "funneling vehicular traffic from the subdivisions and businesses located on or adjacent to Lakecrest Drive through heavily congested, residential neighborhoods and narrow roadways, in front of a community center, playground and place of worship and on an already overloaded and heavily traveled Southway" created other dangerous conditions for Greenbelt residents. Peters also noted that the "historical record of accidents" was another strong indicator of the need for a signal.

On May 6, SHA District Engineer Charlie Watkins sent letters to both Peters and Mayor Judith Davis relaying the good news. Watkins told Peters and Davis that "once a schedule for the installation of the signal has been determined, we will advise you further."

In announcing this decision at a worksession May 12 and later at a May 21 meeting of the Eleanor and Franklin Roosevelt Democratic Club, Davis noted that it could be some time before the signal becomes a reality because it needs to be scheduled along with other SHA work and funded.

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PHOTO BY MARAT MOORE

**Katie Dillon, a junior Unit member, honors World War II veteran George Ellers of Greenbelt with a red poppy.**

that more than 16 million Americans served the United States during World War II, with an average tour of duty of 33 months. More than 400,000 Americans died in that war, and the generation is now dwindling by a rate of more than 1,100 people a day.

The names of Greenbelt veterans who died in service were read by Emory Harman, as a bell was intoned with each name. Calvin Street, a Pearl Harbor survivor who represented the Disabled American Veterans Chapter 23, spoke about his nephew, a Gulf War veteran now 31 and battling cancer. His nephew asked him to tell people to "come walk with us through these military hospitals" and see how many in-

jured young people fill the beds.

George Ellers, who served as a communications officer in the Army Air Corps in the Pacific and now lives on Hillside Road, said, "Pilots in our unit came back from Japan with the first photographs of the atomic bomb." He smiled as young Katie Dillon, a junior Unit member, presented him with a red poppy.

It was a weekend to remember, a time of memories dusted off and held up to the light. And not just for World War II veterans – as every Memorial Day, the Vietnam veterans of "Rolling Thunder," a motorcycle group, arrived at the nation's capital and 300 of them staged their entrance at Post 136 in Greenbelt.

## URGENT NEED! GIVE BLOOD

Greenbelt Lions Blood Drive at Doctors Hospital  
Monday, June 7 from 10 a.m. - 4 p.m.

## Museum Hosts Chautauqua Program On the History of the News Review

The Greenbelt Museum is sponsoring a Chautauqua on the history of the Greenbelt News Review on Sunday at 4 p.m. at the Community Center. Panelists include former and current editors who will discuss how the News Review began in 1937 and the impact of the \$2 million libel suit that threatened its existence in the 1970s. A reception will follow the free event.

## Correction

In the May 27 story on city contributions to volunteer groups, it was reported the money requested by the Golden Age Club was to be used for travel to "distant" destinations and not for day trips. The opposite is true. The "distant" trips are self-supporting and day trips are sometimes subsidized.

## OLD GREENBELT THEATRE

Week of June 11

LADYKILLERS (R)  
MY ARCHITECT (NR)

Friday

Ladykillers \*5:10, 7:30  
My Architect 9:40

Saturday

Ladykillers \*5:10, 7:30  
My Architect \*2:30, 9:40

FREE SHOW at Noon  
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Sunday

Ladykillers \*5:10, 7:30  
My Architect \*2:30

Monday-Thursday  
My Architect \*5:00  
Ladykillers 7:30

\*These shows at \$5.00

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## PRELIMINARY AGENDA MEETING OF THE BOARD OF DIRECTORS

Thursday, June 10, 2004 7:30 p.m.  
GHI BOARD ROOM

### Key Agenda Items

#### GDC Annual Stockholders' Meeting

- Selection of Board of Directors and Election of Officers
- First Quarter Financial Statements

#### GHI Meeting immediately following

- Proposal to Remove Three Large Trees to Construct Deck – 45J Ridge
- 2004 Flat Roof Contract – 1st Reading
- Pilot Yard Line Project/Ad Hoc Yard Line Review Committee Appointment
- Board Planning – 2004 Projects
- 2004 Underground Utility/Drainage Contract – 2nd Reading
- Van Purchase – 1st Reading
- Business Insurance Policy Renewal – 2nd Reading
- Management Audit Guidelines
- First Quarter Financial Statements

Regular board meetings are open to members.

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OFFICE HOURS: Monday 2 - 4 p.m., Tuesday 2 - 4, 8 - 10 p.m.

## Women's Softball Competes Again

by Catherine Zaranis

It's softball season again. The first pitch in the Greenbelt Recreation Women's Softball League is soon approaching. Come watch a favorite team compete. The Tornadoes, Bugettes, Out-laws and Stealers will be there. The league is currently one team short because the Marylanders have dropped out; however, a fifth team is expected to join. Fortunately, people can still watch the Marylanders players as the existing teams have absorbed them. These changes will certainly contribute to more intensity and competition among the teams.

People who would like to have fun and enjoy quality women's softball come to the season opener on June 7. Games will be played on Monday, Tuesday and Thursday at 7 p.m. at Braden Field. For a sneak peek, catch the pre-season exhibition game on June 5 (Greenbelt Day) at 2 p.m. Don't forget sunscreen!

## Golden Age Club

by Bunny Fitzgerald

The May birthday members celebrated with a pot luck lunch on May 19. Joe Rimar read his poem "A Birthday Is." He announced that a new book of original poems "Sounds of Time" has just been published. Congratulations to "Uncle Joe." This is his second book of poems. The birthday raffle was won by Verna Marrie and Sally Carrano.

On May 26 the Chinese Auction was lots of fun and a good fund raiser for the club. We may have another one later in the year.

The club welcomed two new members, Joanne Gasch and Elaine Pearson.

There are openings on the trip to Hanover, Pa. on July 8 and Atlantic City on August 5.

Come to the "Not for Seniors Only" program on Saturday, June 5 at the Community Center from 10 a.m. to noon. Learn some modification tips for easier living in our homes.

## At the Library

Children's Programs

Daytime Storytimes: Tues., June 8, 10:30 a.m., Newborns to 18 months with caregiver.

Wed., June 9, 10:30 a.m., 18 to 36 months with caregiver.

Thursday, June 10, 10:30 a.m., 3 to 5 year olds.

Adult Programs

Tues., June 8, 7 p.m., Book Review: "The Savvy Consumer," a book about how to avoid scams and ripoffs that cost time and money by the author, Elisabeth Leamy.

## Community Health Fair

at Holy Cross  
Lutheran Church  
June 5, 9 a.m. to 3 p.m.

Mobile Health Unit Screenings  
\$25 & up  
Diabetes, cholesterol, bone density,  
blood pressure and others  
Free lectures on stress, nutrition,  
dance, estate planning.  
Door Prizes!

Reservations for lab testing can be made by calling 301-474-5089

# Community Events

## Astronomy Club Views Planets

If the weather cooperates, the Greenbelt Astronomy Club will have two observing sessions in the next several days at the Wolfe Fields on Northway, extended. The first session will begin at sunrise on Tuesday, June 8, and the second will begin at sunset on Saturday, June 12. Club members will attend both events with aids for observing.

The observing session on June 8 is to observe a very special and rare event. The planet Venus will transit (pass in front of, as seen from Earth) the sun, an event which has not occurred since 1882. The next transit will occur in 2012 and after that another will not happen until 2117, so do not miss this rare opportunity. The transit will already be in progress when the sun rises and is predicted to end at 7:06 a.m. Sunrise will occur at 5:41 a.m. that day. Unlike most of the club's observing sessions, club members will be near the west edge of the fields in order to gain better visibility of the rising sun and Venus.

On Saturday, June 12 the club will have one of its evening star parties. The planets Jupiter and Saturn will be visible, along with an assortment of stars, star clusters and nebulae. Sunset will be at 8:34 p.m. that evening.

Events will be cancelled without further notice in case of rain or hopeless cloudiness at show time.

## Invitation to Walk For Health, Fitness

Walk this way! Join Li'l Dan every Tuesday and Thursday at 7:15 p.m. at Buddy Attick Park to walk for better fitness and health. Meet at the basketball court. The event is free. Call Dan for more details at 240-643-3768. Leashed pets and supervised children are welcome.

## Firewood Needed

Greenbelt Park campground needs donated firewood. The park can make arrangements to pick up unused firewood, which must be cut for campfire use.

Greenbelt Park's entrance is located between Kenilworth Avenue and the Baltimore-Washington Parkway at 6565 Greenbelt Road. For more information call Park Ranger Kevin P. Barry at 301-344-3944.

## Underwater Photos At New Deal Café

Underwater photographs taken by Karan Temple True will be on view at the New Deal Café in Roosevelt Center through June. On Sunday, June 13 from 7 to 9 p.m. there will be a reception for True to which the public is invited.

True's photographs were taken in Bonaire, Netherlands Antilles. In 1994 she began snorkeling and then SCUBA diving. In 1996 True began taking photographs underwater. According to True: "I have had some great dives, doing about two each year since then and taking pictures most of the time. Coral is probably the most compliant of undersea life to take pictures of, since it does not move. Sea fans are a bit more difficult as they sway in the current.

"Fish do not pose for photographers, except in very rare instances - sand divers and flounder lay on the bottom and frogfish look like the coral they are living on. Eels hide in crevices and are rarely seen swimming about.

"There are also the ocean currents to consider when trying to take a picture as not only do the fish not stay still for you, you can't always stay still either. And we thought taking a picture of small children and pets was difficult!"

True thanks her friend, Michael Smallwood, "who through his artistic and photographic expertise enhanced and printed the enlargements of these photographs and made this show possible."

## GHI Notes

June 6 - House and Garden Tour, 12:30 to 4 p.m., starting at the Community Center

June 7 - Pre-purchase Orientation, 7:15 p.m., Board Room

June 9 - Woodlands Committee, 7:30 p.m., Conference Room

June 10 - Board of Directors Meeting, 7:30 p.m., Board Room

June 11 - Architecture and Environment Committee, 2 p.m., Board Room

June 12 - Pre-purchase Orientation, 10 a.m., Board Room

June 22 - Presentation on yard lines, 7 p.m., Board Room

Summer Board Meeting dates are July 8 and August 12 at 7:30 p.m. in the Board Room.

## G-SWAT Meets

On Thursday, May 27, Greenbelt Skateboards, Wheels and Trucks (G-SWAT) held its meeting at the Community Church Fellowship Hall.

Discussions included ideas for further fund raising such as the purchase of skate boards which could be painted with a G-SWAT logo.

The idea was presented that it would be very beneficial if an established, nonprofit organization would care to sponsor G-SWAT.

The next meeting will be held at the Community Church Fellowship Hall at 7:30 p.m. on June 18. Anyone interested in G-SWAT is encouraged to attend.

## Woodland Hills Picnic on June 13

The Woodland Hills Community Association will hold its annual picnic and business meeting on Sunday, June 13. The picnic will start at 1 p.m. on Parcel A, the community-owned wooded area between Northway and Woodland Way. All Woodland Hills residents are encouraged to attend. Bring chairs and a side dish or dessert for the common table. Other food will be provided. Two new board members will be elected about 2:30 at the meeting after the picnic. Topics to be discussed include increases in electricity costs and insurance costs plus theft from automobiles.

## Labor Day Festival Sponsors Activities

The Greenbelt Labor Day Festival will hold a basket bingo, with door prizes, raffles and more on Friday, June 4 at the Greenbelt Community Center, 15 Crescent Road. Doors open at 6 p.m. Games begin at 7 p.m. Refreshments will be available.

Donations are also being accepted for the Festival Yard Sale, to be held Saturday, July 31 in Roosevelt Center. Call Patti Brothers at 301-982-2312.

Commemorative T-shirts for the 50th Festival will soon be on sale.

Miss Greenbelt interviews will be Sunday, June 6, not June 7 as reported last week. Call Natasha Jewell at 301-352-8665 or Kathy Patsas at 301-513-7759.

The next committee meeting that is open to potential members is Thursday, June 10 at the Community Center at 7:30 p.m.

## Learn How to Avoid Scams and Ripoffs

Elisabeth Leamy, investigative reporter, reviews her book "The Savvy Consumer" at the Greenbelt Library on Tuesday, June 8 at 7 p.m. The book gives practical advice and insights to help consumers avoid wasting time and money on scams and ripoffs. Every month Leamy gets hundreds of calls on her tip line at WTTG. In her book she shows consumers how to use little-known resources to find bargains and many other consumer-related issues.

## Cicada Photo and Story Contest

Submit your photo (print or jpg) to Karl Pena, 69 Ridge Road (photo@karlpena.com) and your story to the News Review (newsreview@greenbelt.com). Include name, age, email address and phone number with submissions. (Maximum two pictures, one story per person.) Open to all Greenbelt residents. Winners will be announced and winning entries will be published if space is available.

## REGISTER NOW

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## Greenbelt Baseball

### Major League Schedule

Date	Time	Games
Mon., June 7	6:00 p.m.	Indians vs. Cardinals
Tues., June 8	6:00 p.m.	Giants vs. Tigers
Wed., June 9	6:00 p.m.	Lions vs. Athletics
Thurs., June 10	6:00 p.m.	Cubs vs. Orioles
Fri., June 11	6:00 p.m.	Athletics vs. Indians
Fri., June 11	7:00 p.m.*	Cardinals vs. Tigers
Sat., June 12	10:00 a.m.	Orioles vs. Giants
Sat., June 12	6:00 p.m.	Cubs vs. Lions

### Major League Standings as of Tuesday 6/01/04

American League	W-L	National League	W-L
Giants	10 - 2	Cardinals	9 - 2
Tigers	8 - 2	Lions	6 - 6
Athletics	3 - 9	Cubs	5 - 5
Orioles	2 - 9	Indians	1 - 10

### 2004 Machine Pitch Schedule

Date	Time	Visitor vs. Home
Mon., June 7	6:00 p.m.**	Marlins vs. Mets
Wed., June 9	6:00 p.m.**	Phillies vs. Marlins
Fri., June 11	6:00 p.m.**	Mets vs. Phillies

All games are played at McDonald Field unless noted. \*This game will be played at Braden #2. \*\*These games will be played at Braden #3.

Eleanor & Franklin Roosevelt Democratic Club

EVERYONE IS WELCOME TO THE

## ANNUAL CLUB PICNIC

Saturday, June 12, 2004  
4 to 7 p.m.  
Schrom Hills Park, Greenbelt  
(Rain or Shine)

Hot Dogs, Hamburgers, Veggie Burgers,  
and Sodas will be provided.

Bring a salad, side dish or dessert to share  
*Admission is FREE!*

Everyone is Welcome. Join Us, Get Involved  
and Let's Get Acquainted!

RSVP please by noon June 11, by calling 301-982-0111 or  
by email, wmhunt@starpower.net



Greenbelters are glad to hear that News Review staffer Laura Beckert is recovering from a leg injury she received in an automobile accident. Because she must stay off her feet for most of the summer, the family has had much support from friends and neighbors. Many have brought meals, cleaned the house and helped with the children. It has been a true Greenbelt experience. The family wants to thank all, especially the Greenbelt Fire Department and Rescue Squad who were so caring when they took her to the hospital and saw that she got good care.

Congratulations to Kevin Michael Skolnik who has been named to the dean's list for the spring semester at the University of North Carolina at Asheville. He is the son of Steve and Lola Skolnik of Ridge Rd.

Congratulations also to Andrea Anita Ebanks of Edmondston Road and Korto Aramintha Dunbar of Breezewood Terrace. Both students recently received their B.S. in Health Care Management from Southern Illinois University, Carbondale, IL.

Congratulations to James E. MacIvively of Greenbelt who has been promoted to the position of regional sales director with AmeriPlan Corp., a provider of discounted health benefits.

### Lead Report Issued For Local Schools

Prince George's County Public Schools have released information on the water lead levels in most Greenbelt area schools. No lead was found during testing at Greenbelt Elementary School. Lead was found in kitchen faucets at Eleanor Roosevelt High School, in a water fountain at Springhill Lake Elementary School and in a kitchen faucet at Magnolia Elementary School. Test results have not been released for Greenbelt Middle School.

The school system reported that all fixtures with elevated lead were taken out of use immediately. The Washington Suburban Sanitary Commission will retest the fixtures and corrective measures will be implemented after the final assessment is complete.

### Smoke Detector Reminder

The Greenbelt Public Safety Advisory Committee reminds everyone that smoke detectors are an essential part of every household – and they are required by law. One should be on each floor, as well as outside of each sleeping area. They need to be tested regularly and batteries must be changed at least once a year.

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## Greenbelt Day Weekend Celebrates 67th Anniversary

Activities for the family are planned for the 67th anniversary celebration of Greenbelt on Greenbelt Day weekend from Friday, June 4 through Sunday, June 6. The Greenbelt City Charter became effective June 1, 1937, even though the first residents did not move here until September.

Every day, starting at 8 a.m. and continuing into the evening, there is something for the family to enjoy. Both pools at the Aquatic and Fitness Center will be open for swimming. Ball games are being held at McDonald and Braden Fields 1 and 2. All of the activities planned for the three-day event are free and open to people of all ages.

#### Friday

Greenbelt Aquatic and Fitness Center will open at 6 a.m. and the outdoor pool will open at 11 a.m. O's vs. Indians Little League at 6 p.m. at McDonald Field and Tigers vs. A's Little League at Braden Field #3.

#### Saturday

A crafts fair will be held from 10 a.m. to 4 p.m. at the Roosevelt Center sponsored by the Greenbelt Association for the Visual Arts.

The dedication and ribbon cutting ceremony will be held at noon for the city's fast fill pump.

The pump enables users to fuel compressed natural gas vehicles quickly. The pump is at the city's Public Works Facility adjacent to Buddy Attick Park.

A Folk and Blues Concert will be held from noon until 11 p.m. at the Roosevelt Center.

#### Sunday

Demonstration by Greenbelt artist Paul Downs on how he creates unique sculptures from things he finds in the woods from noon until 2 p.m. The GHI Home and Garden Tour begins at 12:30 and runs to 5 p.m. The tour shows improvements in some Greenbelt homes and gardens and is an enjoyable walking tour. Maps are available at the Community Center. Artwork along the way of the tour is provided by Greenbelt Brownie Troop #4816. The Little League All Star game is at McDonald Field at 1 p.m.

#### Artful Afternoon

Greenbelt Museum historic home tour, 10-B Crescent Road from 1 to 5 p.m. The Greenbelt Museum has organized a panel discussion on the history of the Greenbelt News Review at the Community Center Multipurpose Room at 4 p.m. The Greenbelt Museum Chautauqua will be moderated by Dr. Cathy Knepper.

For a more detailed description of activities, see the full page ad on page 12.

## Police Present Check To Special Olympics



On Wednesday, May 26, members of the Greenbelt Police Department presented a check for \$9,300 to the Maryland Special Olympics being held this year on June 5 and 6 at the University of Maryland. Money was raised by holding Basket Bingos and snack food sales. Pictured with the check for Maryland Special Olympics are (from left): athlete Desiree Holland of Hyattsville, Cindy Keppel and Jessica Houle of Greenbelt Police, athlete Liz Unger of Greenbelt and Chief of Police James R. Craze.

### Last Day of School Will Be June 18

Prince George's County Public Schools recently requested and were granted a waiver of one additional school day for inclement weather by the Maryland State Department of Education. As a result, the last day of

school for students will be Friday, June 18; the last day for teachers will be Tuesday, June 22. For additional information contact the office of communications at 301-952-6001.

**MASS SCHEDULE:**  
 Sunday 8, 9:30, 11 a.m.  
 Saturday 5 p.m.  
 Daily Mass: As announced  
 Sacrament of Reconciliation: Saturday 3:45-4:45 p.m.  
 Rev. Thomas F. Crowley, Pastor  
 Rev. R. Scott Hurd, Pastoral Associate  
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**Greenbelt Community Church**  
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<b>Sundays:</b>	8:00 am	Simple, quiet Mass
	9:00 am	Christian education for all ages
	10:00 am	Sung Mass with organ and folk music, ASL interpreted
	1:30 pm	Signed Mass (last Sunday of each month only)
<b>Wednesdays:</b>	7:00 pm	Simple, quiet Mass

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 Sundays 10 A.M.  
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 Dr. Mark Johnson, Pastor  
  
**Sun. Worship 8:35 am, 11:00 am**  
**Wed. Praise and Prayer 7:00 pm**  
**Wed. Living Proof, Youth Event 7:00 pm**  
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<b>Wednesday</b>	7:30 p.m.	Evening Worship

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**Worship Service 11:00 am**  
**Wed. Prayer Meeting 7:00 pm**  
**Third Friday, Games Night 7:30 pm**  
**Rev. DaeHwa Park, Pastor**  
 June 6, Trinity Sunday Peace with Justice Sunday  
 Sermon: "The Access to the Grace"  
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 –The Holy Quran 2:136-137

To find out more about the Prophets or about Islam, e-mail us at [muslimguide@hotmail.com](mailto:muslimguide@hotmail.com) or call 301-982-9463 or visit the website [www.islam-guide.com](http://www.islam-guide.com).

## Democratic Club Has Annual Picnic

The Eleanor and Franklin Roosevelt Democratic Club will host its annual picnic on Saturday, June 12 from 4 to 7 p.m. at Schrom Hills Park. Admission is free. Hot dogs, hamburgers, veggie burgers and sodas will be provided. Participants are asked to bring a salad, side dish, or dessert to share. Everyone is welcome. RSVP is requested by noon on June 11 by calling 301-982-0111 or by email to [wmhunt@starpower.net](mailto:wmhunt@starpower.net).

Roosevelt Democratic Club President Bill Hunt invites everyone to "Join your neighbors, make new friends, and come prepared to have an early evening of relaxation and fun. There is nothing like a good, old-fashioned picnic. Bring the family and kids. Meet local elected officials and get updates on plans for the upcoming election."

Hunt also announced two other upcoming Democratic party and Roosevelt Democratic Club events.

Congressman Steny Hoyer's Annual Bull Roast will be held on Friday, June 11 at the Newton White Mansion, 6 to 8 p.m. There is a fee. For information call Sharon at 301-856-0240 or visit [www.hoyerforcongress.com](http://www.hoyerforcongress.com).

The Roosevelt Democratic Club, in conjunction with the Oden Bowie Democratic Club, will host the clubs' Annual BaySox Tailgate Party and Game on Thursday, June 24. The tailgate party will begin at 5 p.m. in the parking lot at the Prince George's County Stadium in Bowie. The BaySox game will start at 7:05 p.m. and a spectacular fireworks display will follow the game. For tickets and other information, contact Kurt Walter at 301-345-3088 or at [kewalter@erols.com](mailto:kewalter@erols.com).

## Home Modifications For Easy Living

The Greenbelt Senior Citizens Advisory Committee is sponsoring a workshop not for seniors only about "Easy Fix-Its: Home Modifications" and home accommodations and equipment available to people looking for safe and useful ways to improve their quality of life. The workshop will be conducted on Saturday, June 5 at 10 a.m. in the Greenbelt Community Center Multipurpose Room by Stephen Hage, a universal design specialist from Strategies for Independent Living.

The program will be a workshop where Hage will assist participants to solve their specific problems and help them evaluate their needs. Participants are asked to bring any questions about how to make their homes more accessible and safe.

Problems and solutions to successfully age in place at home will include discussions on the advantages of remaining at home, the components of successful aging in place, short-term versus long-term solutions and their benefits and common-sense planning for safety, like preventing falls.

## GIAC Board Meets

The Greenbelt Internet Access Cooperative (GIAC) open board meeting will be held June 9 at 7 p.m. at the Greenbelt Police Station. New and old members are welcome to attend. There is a special need for interested people to serve as officers and members of the board.



# City Information

### CITY COUNCIL REGULAR MEETING/BUDGET ADOPTION 8:00pm, Municipal Building, Council Room, Monday, June 7, 2004

#### COMMUNICATIONS

##### Presentations

**Petitions and Requests** (Petitions received at the meeting will not be acted upon by the City Council at this meeting unless Council waives its Standing Rules.)

**\*Committee Reports** (Items on the Consent Agenda marked by \* will be approved as recommended by staff, subject to removal from the Consent Agenda by Council.)

#### LEGISLATION

Adoption of the Budget

An Ordinance to Adopt the General Fund, Building Capital Reserve Fund, Cemetery Fund, Debt Service Fund, Replacement Fund, Special Projects Fund, Temporary Disability Reserve Fund, Unemployment Compensation Reserve Fund, Green Ridge House Fund, Capital Projects Fund, 2001 Bond Fund, and Community Development Block Grant Fund Budgets for the City of Greenbelt, Maryland, to Appropriate Funds and Establish Real Estate and Personal Property Tax Rates for the Fiscal Year 2005, Beginning July 1, 2004 and Concluding June 30, 2005 (1<sup>st</sup> Reading, Suspension of the Rules; 2<sup>nd</sup> Reading, Adoption)

A Resolution to Negotiate the Purchase of Citation Collection Services from Data Ticket, Inc., of Newport Beach, California (2<sup>nd</sup> Reading, Adoption)

Resolution to Repeal Resolution Number 948 and Establish Service Charges for Garbage, Trash, and Recycling Collections in the City of Greenbelt, Maryland, Effective July 1, 2004 (1<sup>st</sup> Reading)

#### OTHER BUSINESS

- ▲ Pedestrian Wayfinding Signage for Anacostia Trails Heritage Area - Briefing
- ▲ Selection of Audit Services for FY 2005
- ▲ \* National Capital Planning Commission Plan – Letter of Comment
- ▲ \* Resignation from Advisory Group
- ▲ \* Reappointment to Advisory Group

#### MEETINGS

NOTE: This is a preliminary agenda, subject to change. Regular Council meetings are open to the public, and all interested citizens are invited to attend. If special accommodations are required for any disabled person, please call 301-474-8000 no later than 10 a.m. on the meeting day. Deaf individuals are advised to use MD RELAY at 711 or e-mail [kgallagher@ci.greenbelt.md.us](mailto:kgallagher@ci.greenbelt.md.us) to reach the City Clerk.

## YOUTH FORUM: SPEAK OUT

Saturday, June 5th

1-3pm

Greenbelt Youth Center



**YOUR VOICE COUNTS!**

**Let us know what's on your mind and what's important to you! Enjoy Free Food, The**

**Battle of the Bands featuring Bands from Eleanor Roosevelt and Prize Giveaways!!**

**Sponsored by the Youth Advisory Committee.**

**For more information call the Youth Center at 301-397-2200.**

The Greenbelt Assistance in Living Program presents:  
**HOW TO AVOID BECOMING A VICTIM OF A SCAM!**

Tuesday, June 15, 2004

11am-12noon

**Greenbelt Community Center-Senior Classroom**

Greenbelt Crime Prevention Officer George Mathews of the Greenbelt Police Department will present tips on how to avoid mail, telephone and internet scams. This program will be taped for the "Ask The Expert" cable program on Channel 71.

## An Artful Afternoon

Sunday, June 6 from 1-5pm at the  
Greenbelt Community Center

Enjoy this free mini arts festival featuring a studio open house, art exhibits, projects, Greenbelt Museum tours, etc.

**1-4pm CREATE WHIMSICAL SCULPTURES** with Sandy Dwiggins for display at the City's annual Independence Day Celebration.

**3-5pm ART EXHIBITS & RECEPTIONS** "Creative Process" featuring work by eleven Greenbelt artists at the Community Center and "Experiments" featuring works by Celestine Ranney-Howes at the Municipal Center.

**4pm CHAUTAUQUA PANEL DISCUSSION** about the history of the *Greenbelt News Review*. Moderated by *Dr. Cathy Knepper*.

The Greenbelt Community Center is located at 15 Crescent Road. For more information contact John Norden, arts assistant, at 301-397-2208.

## Meetings for June 7-June 11th

*Monday, June 7, 8:00pm, REGULAR COUNCIL MEETING/ BUDGET ADOPTION*, at Municipal Building, (live on Channel 71).

*Wednesday, June 9, 8:00pm, COUNCIL WORK SESSION*, re: Lake Watershed Assessment Study, at Community Center.

## OPENINGS ON BOARDS & COMMITTEES Volunteer to serve on City Council advisory groups.

**Vacancies exist on the:**

Advisory Committee on Education  
Board of Elections

Park & Recreation Advisory Board

Recycling & Environment Advisory Committee

*For more information, please call 301-474-8000.*

## GREENBELT DAY WEEKEND FRIDAY, JUNE 4th-SUNDAY JUNE 6th

*Celebrating Greenbelt's 67th Year!*

*Enjoy a fun-filled weekend with your family, friends and neighbors! Look for a full schedule of events in this week's News Review or visit Greenbelt CityLink at [www.ci.greenbelt.md.us](http://www.ci.greenbelt.md.us)!*

## BLOOD DRIVE

Tuesday, June 22nd from 2:00pm – 8:00pm  
Greenbelt Municipal Building

**If you would like to make an appointment, please call Janet Goldberg at 301-397-2213.**

**Each time you schedule an appointment to donate blood between May 1 and September 6, 2004, you will be automatically entered into a drawing for a cruise for two to the Bahamas!**

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## HOME MODIFICATIONS - EASY FIX-ITS

For making your home more accessible  
Saturday, June 5th from 10am-12noon  
Greenbelt Community Center  
Multi-Purpose Room

*Featuring Stephen Hage, CR of Strategies For Independent Living*

## GREENBELT MUNICIPAL/PUBLIC ACCESS CHANNEL 71

**MUNICIPAL ACCESS 301-474-8000: Monday, June 7: 8pm City Council Meeting (live) Tuesday & Thursday, June 8 & 10: 10am & 6pm "Ask the Expert Diabetic Foot Care" 7:00pm Springhill Lake Elementary presents "Everybody Dance Now" 8:30pm "Replay of City Council Meeting"**

**PUBLIC ACCESS (GATE): 301-507-6581: Wednesday & Friday, June 9 & 11: Call for Schedule.**

## Senior Picnic Held In Schrom Hills Park

Greenbelt seniors enjoyed their annual Recreation Department-sponsored picnic outing at Schrom Hills Park on May 27. While previous outings have been outside the city at various locations, the seniors agreed that the Schrom Hills facility was more convenient and well suited to their needs. Therapeutic Recreation Coordinator Karen Haseley prepared the picnic lunch with the aid of her two new summer interns, Anne Stanton and Tera Westbrook.

While waiting for the hamburgers and hot dogs to cook, the seniors did a picture puzzle quiz and had a scavenger hunt with clues related to the history of the park.



Waiting for the senior picnic lunch to be prepared were: back row (l. to r.) Sylvia Kender, Phyllis Budin, Margaret Kivlin, Helen Gibson; front row: Harold Miller, Lucy Cruz, Louvain Townsend and Lu Noonan.



Karen Haseley prepared hamburgers and hot dogs for the seniors.



Once the food was ready, the seniors quickly loaded up their plates.



Anne Stanton (l.) From Clemson University and Tera Westbrook from Old Dominion University are summer therapeutic recreation interns for Greenbelt's Therapeutic Recreation Coordinator Karen Haseley (r.).

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## BUDGET continued from page 1

additional \$100,000 in revenue. An adjustment in the estimated Highway User Fee receipts from the state (from higher automobile licensing and registration fees) will add \$62,000 and the expectation of a contribution from AIMCO, the owner of Springhill Lake apartments, to share in funding an additional police officer for that neighborhood will add \$40,000. When these additional revenues are included, the adjusted revenue total for FY05 now amounts to \$19,067,200.

### Increased Costs

The May 21 memo also listed proposed adjustments to the expenditure side of the proposed budget, which were included in the agreements made by a majority of council on May 17. Funds added to the expenditure side were for additional staff requested by city department heads (and not funded in the city manager's proposed budget), as well as increases for contribution groups, individual council requests and other items identified during budget worksessions. These expenditure additions totaled \$341,000. With these proposed additions, total expenditures in the adjusted budget would be balanced with adjusted revenues at \$19,067,200.

By the end of the brief public hearing there appeared to be no movement from council on the items discussed and informally accepted at the final budget worksession. Citizens will have another opportunity to provide input to council at the regular meeting on June 7 when the budget for FY05 is scheduled for adoption.

### Expenditure Additions

Unanticipated increase in electric rates	\$ 37,000
Increase in contribution to GATE	5,000
City contribution to Metro Council of Governments Housing Trust	600
Planning office Associate (from half- to full-time)	26,500
Additional Community Development Inspector	40,000
Additional Police Officer-partnership with AIMCO (partially offset by \$40,000 AIMCO contribution)	80,000 (40,000)
Addition to proposed budget resulting from council decision to retain eighth red light camera	20,000
Funds for facilities maintenance contract work	30,000
Funds for landscaping contract work	15,000
Fund for Advisory Committee on Education Reading Club	13,000
Additional half-time Crisis Intervention Counselor	24,000
Additional Recreation Coordinator (offset by reduction of Center Assistants)	42,000 (7,000)
Funding stage lighting at Community Center	10,000
Additional funds for Contribution Group requests	3,300
Funding tree removal contract work	6,000
City contribution for Greenbelt Museum Challenge grant	10,000
Reduction in proposed budget Reserve Appropriation	(64,300)
Restoration of one-half of the Manager's proposed Fund Transfer cuts (adds \$25,000 each to the Reserve Replacement and Facilities Capital Funds)	50,000

### Anacostia River Clean-up Saturday

Help the local ecology and pitch in to clean up the Anacostia River on Saturday, June 5 from 9 a.m. to noon. The effort takes place at the Bladensburg Waterfront Park, 4601 Annapolis Road, Bladensburg. Use park canoes, rowboats, long-handled nets and rubber gloves to poke around in the mud and haul debris and litter out of the river. Motorboat rides will be provided to those who are not paddlers. Students can earn three hours of community service. All ages are wel-

### Evaluating Trees

On June 5 join the U.S. National Arboretum's tree expert at the entrance to the Fern Valley Native Plant collection for a free, informal twilight talk and learn how to evaluate trees for health and safety concerns. Bring the family and enjoy extended hours until 7 p.m. No registration is required. Visit [www.usna.usda.gov](http://www.usna.usda.gov) or call 202-245-5898 for information.

come to participate in this free activity.

For information call 301-799-0371; TTY 301-699-2544.

### Laurel Boys and Girls Club U-14 Girls Soccer Tryouts

Laurel U-14 girls (born on or after 8/1/90) soccer team is holding tryouts on Saturday, June 12 and Sunday, June 13 for all field positions, including goalie. We are coached by two former professional players, now dynamic professional coaches. This is an amazing opportunity for girls with solid fundamental skills who are interested in high level training to advance their skills to the next level. We are looking for girls who are willing to make a serious commitment. There are three scheduled tryouts: June 13: 8 am - 10:30 am, and 4: 30 pm - 7 pm; June 13: 2 pm - 5 pm. All tryouts are being held at Muirkirk field in Laurel. Please contact Lorraine Lovett at 410-964-5597 with any questions.

## Your Source for Summer Blooms!

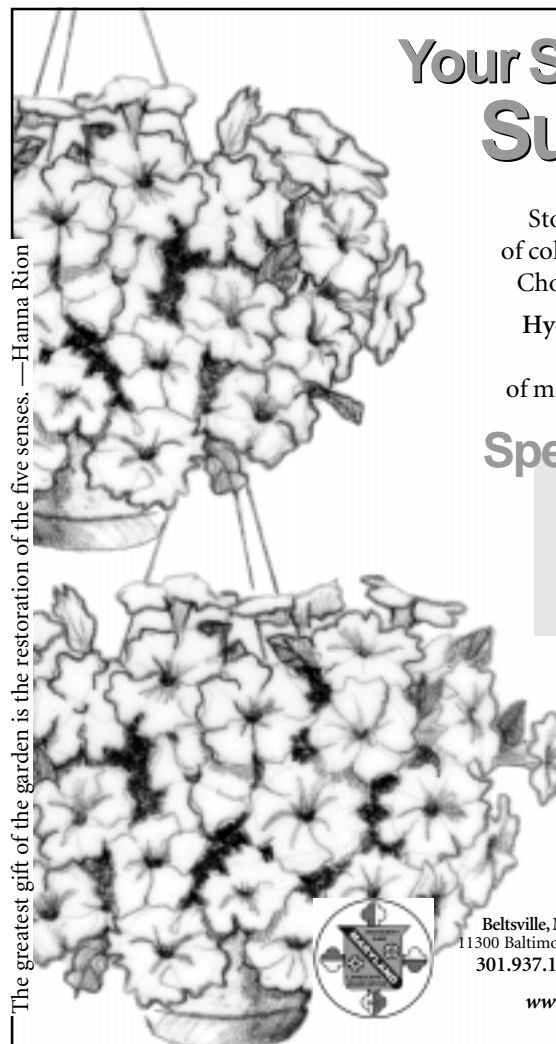
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### Special Event

Don't miss a special appearance by Raymond Evison, world-renowned author and Clematis breeder, at Behnke's Beltsville. Wednesday, June 9 from 10AM to noon.

Listen to Our New Radio Show "Garden Sense" Saturdays at noon on WMAL 630 AM! Listeners are invited to call in questions every week.



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# POLICE BLOTTER

Based on information released by the Greenbelt Police Department. Dates and times are those when police were first contacted about incidents.

## Assault

9100 block Springhill Lane, May 22, 4:03 p.m., a man reported that he was driving through a parking lot when someone fired two shots at his vehicle, neither of which struck him nor the two passengers. A possible suspect, a black male, 6' to 6'2" with black hair, wearing a white jersey and a hat was observed fleeing the scene in a tan Toyota Corolla.

## Concealed Weapon

Market Lane and Springhill Court, May 25, 4:04 p.m., a resident youth was arrested for concealed deadly weapon and disorderly conduct when police responded to a report of a pending fight between several people. Upon arriving on the scene, police observed the youth shouting at three other people. The youth refused to cease his shouting and then pulled a knife from his pocket and threw it to the ground. He was transported to Juvenile Services in Cheltenham pending action by the Juvenile Justice System.

## Robbery

9000 block Breezewood Terrace, May 22, 12:07 a.m., a man reported that he had just parked his vehicle when he was approached by another man, who pointed a handgun at him and demanded money. The victim rolled up his car windows and drove off. The suspect is described as a black male, 20 to 25 years of age, 5'7" with a medium build and a bushy beard, wearing a green and white stocking cap, a black jacket and blue jeans.

## Identity Theft

Kenilworth Avenue and Route 495, May 20, 6:53 p.m., a non-resident man was arrested and charged with two counts of personal identity fraud, information theft and applying for a credit card using false identification. Police stopped a vehicle for a registration violation. The driver had no license and the California identification card he possessed had been altered. Further investigation revealed that he had used another person's Social Security card as his own and had a credit card with a false name. The suspect was released to the Department of Corrections for a hearing before a District Court Commissioner.

## Burglary

8200 block Mandan Road, May 22, 11:58 p.m., unknown person(s) entered a residence by forcing open the sliding glass door. A large jar of change was taken.

7500 block Greenway Center Drive, May 23, 11:39 p.m., a security guard advised that he was conducting security checks of the building when he observed a man exit an office suite, run out through a rear door and leave the scene in a vehicle described as a red utility-type pickup truck. As the man was running to the vehicle he left computer equipment in the parking lot. He is

described as a black male, 20 to 25 years of age, 5'10", 140 pounds with black hair, wearing a gray short sleeve crew neck shirt and dark colored pants.

## Disorderly Conduct

100 block Centerway, May 26, 7:17 p.m., a woman, of no fixed address, was arrested and charged with disorderly conduct when she was observed shouting obscenities in public. She was arrested and released on citation after she refused to cease her actions.

## Trespass

Eleanor Roosevelt High School, May 20, 1:51 p.m., a resident youth was arrested for trespass and disruption of school activities when he was located inside the school after he had been told to leave school property several times by school administrators. He was released to a parent pending action by the School Board and the Juvenile Justice System.

Eleanor Roosevelt High School, May 24, 9:50 a.m., a resident youth was arrested for trespass when he refused to leave the school after he had been suspended and ordered to leave school property. He was released to a parent pending action by the School Board and the Juvenile Justice System.

Springhill Terrace and Springhill Drive, May 25, 7:26 p.m., a nonresident man arrested and charged with trespass. The man, who had previously been banned from the complex by agents of the property, was arrested when he was again observed on the property. He was released on citation pending trial.

## Disruption of School

Eleanor Roosevelt High School, May 18, 8:59 a.m., a nonresident youth was arrested for disruption of school activities after he was found to be in possession of an alcoholic beverage and appeared to be intoxicated on school grounds. He was released pending action by the School Board and the Juvenile Justice System.

## Vehicle Crimes

The following vehicles were stolen: a white 2001 Ford 250 van, Maryland tags 57N290, May 20, from the 6100 block Springhill Terrace; a white 1988 Oldsmobile Delta 88 4-door, Maryland tags JHJ812, May 22, from Greenway Shopping Center; a gray 1994 Chrysler Town and Country van, D.C. tags TRENCH1, May 22, from the 7900 block Mandan Road; a gold 2004 Dodge Intrepid 4-door, Maryland temporary tags 99947J, May 22, from the 7900 block Mandan Road; a 1998 Dodge Intrepid 4-door, May 23, from the 6900 block Hanover Parkway, recovered May 27 by the Metropolitan Police, no arrests; a blue 1993 Mercury Grand Marquis 4-door, Maryland tags MAR465, May 23, from the 6900 block Hanover Parkway; a 1995 Toyota Corolla 4-door, May 23,

from Cherrywood Court and Cherrywood Terrace, recovered May 26, no arrests; a 1997 Nissan Maxima 4-door, May 23, from the 5900 block Cherrywood Terrace, recovered the next day by the Prince George's County Police, no arrests; a 1991 Toyota Camry 4-door, May 24, from the 7700 block Mandan Road, recovered May 27 by the Prince George's County Police, no arrests; and a 1993 Ford E-250 truck, May 27, from the 6200 block Springhill Terrace, recovered the same day by the Metropolitan Police, no arrests.

Vandalism to, thefts from and attempted thefts from were reported in the following areas: Beltway Plaza Mall (six incidents), 5800 block Cherrywood Lane (two incidents), 9200 block Edmonston Road, 9300 block Edmonston Road, 6200 block Springhill Drive, 6400 block Ivy Lane, 200 block Lakeside Drive, 48 court Crescent Road, Greenway Shopping Center, 7600 block Hanover Parkway (two incidents), 7200 block Mandan Road, 7800 block Mandan Road and 8200 block Canning Terrace.

## Blood Drive Monday

Doctors Community Hospital and the Greenbelt Lions Club in partnership with American Red Cross will hold a blood drive on Monday, June 7 on the hospital's Lanham campus from 10 a.m. to 4 p.m. National blood inventories have dropped by more than 50 percent and are currently at less than a two-day supply. Call 301-552-8060 to make an appointment.



## Pedestrian Safety Month in the City

June has been designated as "Pedestrian Safety Month" in Greenbelt as the police department seeks to reduce pedestrian accidents and prevent fatalities.

Police will pose as pedestrians in crosswalks to ensure that motorists stop properly. They will issue citations to motorists who do not stop for pedestrians and warning cards to pedestrians who illegally cross a roadway. Safety classes will be given for children at schools, day care centers and summer camps.

So far this year five pedestrians have been struck in the city. In 2003, 16 pedestrians were hit, two of them fatally. In most of these crashes the pedestrian was at fault, so more awareness is vital.

The city's Public Works Department is erecting pedestrian safety signs in crosswalks and restriping crosswalks that need it.

For more information contact MPO Scott Kaiser, police traffic safety officer at 240-542-2114 or Skaiser@ci.greenbelt.md.us.

## Bus Driver Deals with Emergency Here

On May 20 riders on a Metrobus traveling through Greenbelt on Crescent Road were surprised when the bus came to an unscheduled halt in front of the firehouse and even more surprised when the driver, John Hutchins, apologizing, remarked, "I have to take care of this." Without more ado, Hutchins escorted an elderly passenger into the firehouse, entrusting him to

the rescue squad team. Apparently the passenger had suffered a stroke.

No one on the bus complained. On the contrary, passengers assured Hutchins he had done the right thing and one anonymous passenger wrote to commend him "for his impeccable judgment and for his dedication to service."



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# Exchange Service Co-op Schedules Annual Meeting

by Virginia Beauchamp

Shortly after Greenbelt began, its newly acquainted citizens founded cooperative associations to meet their current needs and solve pressing problems. First among them, the Greenbelt Federal Credit Union provided banking services to what was then a village remote from other municipalities. Second was the Greenbelt Cooperative Publishing Association, publisher of the weekly newspaper you now are reading – first called the Cooperator, later renamed the Greenbelt News Review.

In those earliest days Greenbelt's population exploded with babies and children, and cooperatives grew to meet the needs of these young families – a food co-op, of course, and pharmacy but also a babysitting pool and the Greenbelt Cooperative Nursery School.

Now the city's demographics are different. The children have grown up and moved away, though some are coming back with their own children. Still many of their parents have aged in place, in a town they love and where they want to stay. With their different needs and their frailer selves, it seemed second nature to found another cooperative.

### GIVES History

This is the history of GIVES, the Greenbelt Intergenerational Volunteer Exchange Service, which began in 1993. GIVES was formed primarily as a means for senior citizens to help each other, though, as the name implies, members of any age are welcome to become members. Accounted for on an hourly basis, participants offer services – perhaps driving someone to an

appointment or shopping for another member's groceries, performing yard work or telephoning. Each participant is then reimbursed with other needed services from other members. In other words, credits are transferred from one account to another. In some cases time-served hours are donated to those in need.

A volunteer in the central assignment center, in office space located in a corner of the Community Center's Senior Lounge, arranges assignments and records what services were provided to which member and by whom. Serving as general office manager is Jean Lombardo, who oversees staffing of the office and the keeping of all records.

Among other services offered are tutoring, sewing and mending, meal delivery, letter writing, laundry, light housekeeping, minor home repairs, visiting, pet sitting and telephone reassurance. Donations, in-kind services, grant money and fund-raising activities help to support the group financially.

### Annual Meeting

Once a year members gather for an annual meeting to elect officers and perhaps effect changes in policies and procedures. The meeting this year will take place at 10 a.m. on Saturday, June 19 in the Theater Rehearsal Room (Room 202) in the Community Center. All members and interested citizens are urged to attend. Refreshments will be served.

On this year's agenda, besides the election of officers and committee reports, will be discussion and adoption of a policy defining time and weight limits on

# American Red Cross Needs Volunteers

The American Red Cross of the National Capital Area is recruiting new volunteers to prevent, prepare for and respond to disasters and emergencies in the community. For more information or to register for an orientation call the Prince George's County Office, 6206 Belcrest Road in Hyattsville, Tuesday, June 15 from 10 to 11 a.m. at 301-559-8500 or log on to [www.redcrossna.org](http://www.redcrossna.org) and click on "How to Volunteer."

The Red Cross seeks people of all ages and interests. They can respond to fires, present information on disaster preparedness, provide CPR and first aid classes, help with administrative tasks and create graphics projects and web designs.

requests for shopping.

Through the years GIVES has maintained relationships with other organizations and service providers in the area: the Greenbelt City Council, the Greenbelt Adult Care Center, the Greenbelt Democratic Club, Green Ridge House, Greenbelt Homes, Inc., the Greenbelt East Advisory Committee, churches and religious fellowships and several businesses. Besides the board of directors, GIVES has an at-large board including members of some of these organizations.

Since the formation of FORA (Friends of the Resource Advocate) and the hiring of Christal Parker Batey as Resource Advocate for the city's Assistance in Living Program, GIVES has developed close associations with Batey and her support group as well.

For general information about GIVES or to request specific assistance call 301-507-6580.

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be seen how much the democratic system will work," he observed. "While many [Iraqi] people are anti-Saddam, they are not necessarily pro-American . . . people would rather have bad government than a foreign government," he concluded.

Roosevelt Democratic Club President Bill Hunt said, "I am looking forward to Tom Renahan's report and his impres-

sions of what he has found in his first six months in Iraq. I also am grateful that he is willing to spend part of his home leave with us. Having a professional with firsthand knowledge and on-the-ground experience working with Iraqi citizens and local leaders will provide invaluable insights and will be of great interest to all citizens of Prince George's County."



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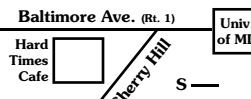
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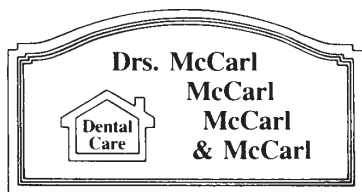
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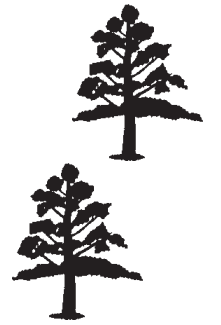
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*The Mayor and City Council cordially invite all of you to come and enjoy your community.*



## Friday, June 4th

- 6:00am-10:30pm **Greenbelt Municipal Pool Indoor Facility open.** Admittance provided through yearly passes, summer passes and resident daily admission fees.
- 8:30am **8<sup>th</sup> Annual Gene Kellaheer Scholarship Golf Classic.** Co-sponsored by the Greenbelt American Legion Post #136 at the Lake. Admittance provided through yearly passes, summer passes and resident daily admission fees. Arbor Golf & Country Club. Sponsors welcome, contact Hank Irving, 240-542-2190.
- 11:00am-8:00pm **Greenbelt Municipal Outdoor Pool Open.** Recreational swimming for all ages. Purchase a summer season pass and save on the price for daily admissions.
- 9:00am - 10:00pm **"Creative Process" Art Exhibition.** Community Center. Features written remarks and work in several media by eleven artists living or working in Greenbelt.
- 9:00am - 10:00pm **Greenbelt Museum Exhibition. "Living the Healthy Life: Sports, Health and Fitness in the New Deal Era".** Community Ctr.
- 6:00pm-10:00pm **Basket Bingo.** Held in the Community Center and co-sponsored by the Greenbelt Labor Day committee. Benefits from bingo will go toward supporting the 50<sup>th</sup> Greenbelt Labor Day Festival.
- 6:00pm **O's vs. Indians Little League.** McDonald Field.
- 6:00pm **Tigers vs. A's Little League.** Braden Field #2. **Parents vs. Coaches** immediately following the 6:00pm game.

## Saturday, June 5th

- 8:00am-9:45pm **Aquatic and Fitness Center Open.** Admittance provided through yearly passes, summer passes and resident daily admission fees.
- 8:30am-11:30pm **Exhibit** of underwater photographs by Karan Temple True on view at the New Deal Café. Sponsored by FONDCA.
- 9:00am-10:00pm **"Creative Process" Art Exhibition.** Community Center. Features written remarks and work in several media by eleven artists living or working in Greenbelt.
- 9:00am-10:00pm **Greenbelt Museum Exhibition. "Living the Healthy Life: Sports, Health and Fitness in the New Deal Era".** Community Center.
- 10:00am **Senior Softball Exhibition Game.** Greenbelt seniors vs. the Bowie senior softball team. Braden Field #2.
- 10:00am-12:00 noon **Easy Fix-Its: Home Modifications.** A workshop to help make your home more accessible. Community Center, Multipurpose Room.
- 10:00am-4:00pm **Crafts Fair.** Sponsored by the Greenbelt Association for the Visual Arts, the crafts fair will be held outdoors in the Roosevelt Center.
- 10:00am-8:00pm **Greenbelt Municipal Outdoor Pool Open.** Recreational swimming for all ages. Yearly passes, summer passes and daily admission for residents provide admittance to facility.
- 12:00 noon **Dedication and Ribbon Cutting Ceremony for CNG Fast Fill Pump.** The City Council and several State officials will participate in a short ribbon cutting ceremony for the City's new Compressed Natural Gas (CNG) Fast Fill Pump. This pump will enable users to fuel CNG vehicles quickly. The pump is located at the City's Public Works Facility, adjacent to Buddy Attick Park.
- 12:00 noon-11:00pm **Folk and Blues Concert.** Sponsored by the Friends of the New Deal Café Arts. Roosevelt Center Plaza.
- 1:00pm-3:00pm **Youth Forum.** Your voice counts! Let us know what's on your mind and what is important to you. Enjoy free food, the Battle of the Bands (featuring bands from Eleanor Roosevelt High School) and prize giveaways. Youth Center Front Lawn. Rain location:Gym.
- 2:00pm-2:30pm **Spontaneous Writing.** Bring pen and paper and join the Greenbelt Writers Group in a session at the New Deal Café.
- 2:00pm **Women's Fastpitch Softball Exhibition Game.** Lady Stealers vs. Outlaws. Braden Field #2.

## GREENBELT DAY - Sunday, June 6th

- 8:00am-9:45pm **Aquatic and Fitness Center Open.** Admittance provided through yearly passes, summer passes and resident daily admission fees.
- 9:00am-8:00pm **Exhibit** of underwater photographs by Karan Temple True continues at the New Deal Café. Sponsored by FONDCA.
- 9:00am-10:00pm **"Creative Process" Art Exhibition.** Features written remarks and work in several media by eleven artists living or working in Greenbelt. Community Center.
- 9:00am-10:00pm **Greenbelt Museum Exhibition: "Living the Healthy Life: Sports, Health and Fitness in the New Deal Era".** Community Center.
- 10:00am-8:00pm **Greenbelt Municipal Outdoor Pool Open.** Recreational swimming for all ages. Yearly passes, summer passes and daily admission for residents provide admittance to facility.
- 11:00am-12:15pm **Vids by Kids V.** Annual youth film festival, featuring works by children and teens in the Washington and Baltimore area. Sponsored by GAVA/GATE, at the Old Greenbelt Theater.
- 11:00am-4:00pm **Raindate** for Saturday Crafts Fair, Roosevelt Center.
- 12:00 noon-2:00pm **Artist Demonstration.** Greenbelt artist Paul Downs demonstrates how he creates his unique sculptures.
- 12:00 noon-6:00pm **Folk and Blues Concert.** Sponsored by the Friends of the New Deal Café Arts. Roosevelt Center.
- 12:30pm-5:00pm **GHI Home & Garden Tour.** Enjoy the architectural enhancements, remodeling, renovation projects and landscaped gardens on this walking tour of Greenbelt Homes. Maps are available at the Greenbelt Community Center. Artwork along the way provided by Greenbelt Brownie Troop #4816.
- 1:00pm **Little League All Star Game.** McDonald Field.

### ARTFUL AFTERNOON

- 1:00pm-5:00pm **Studio Open House.** Artists in Residence. Community Center.
- 1:00pm-5:00pm **House Tour.** Greenbelt Museum historic home, 10-B Crescent Road.
- 1:00pm-4:00pm **Create Whimsical Sculptures.** No experience is necessary and art will be used for the Independence Day celebration. Community Center.
- 3:00pm-5:00pm **Exhibit Reception, "Creative Process"** Greenbelt group show at the Community Center, and **"Experiments"** fiber arts exhibit featuring the work of Artist in Residence Celestine Ranney-Howes next door at the Greenbelt Municipal Building, 25 Crescent Road.
- 3:00pm-6:00pm **Brush Making Workshop for Ceramic Artists** with Artist in Residence Gladys Hann-O'Neill. Community Center. Make your own brushes with natural fur and bamboo for use with slip. Ages 16 and up. Fees apply. Advance registration required. Activity # 253265-1. For more information call Jessica Gitlis at 301-397-2208.
- 4:00pm **Greenbelt Museum Chautauqua.** The Greenbelt Museum has organized a panel discussion on the history of the Greenbelt News Review which will be facilitated by Dr. Kathy Knepper. Community Center Multi-Purpose Room.

<b>Greenbelt Aquatic &amp; Fitness Center</b>			
<b>Summer Daily Admission Prices</b>			
<b>May 29, 2004 - September 6, 2004</b>			
	<b>GREENBELT RESIDENT</b>	<b>WEEKDAY NON-RESIDENT</b>	<b>WEEKEND AND HOLIDAY GUEST</b>
<b>Youth (1-13)</b>	\$2.50	\$4.50	\$3.50
<b>Young Adult (14-17)</b>	\$3.50	\$5.50	\$4.50
<b>Adult (18-59)</b>	\$4.00	\$6.50	\$5.50
<b>Senior (60 years +)</b>	\$3.00	\$5.50	\$4.50

**Greenbelt Residents are required to show proof of residency when paying daily admission. Weekend and Holidays are restricted to Pass-holders, Greenbelt Residents & their guest.**

