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Celebrate at Greenbelt's 51st Labor Day Festival Weekend

by Patti Brothers

The 51st Labor Day Festival begins Friday, September 2 with opening ceremonies and continues through the parade on Labor Day morning, to be followed by an afternoon of activities. In between, there will be rides, games and sports for all ages, food for all palates, music and stage events for all preferences, the Miss Greenbelt Pageant for all viewers and a good time to be had by all. It is the traditional end to summer in Greenbelt – when friends and neighbors catch up with each other and reminisce about old times and past festivals. There will be plenty to do the entire weekend.

Good Weather

No rain is expected but in the case of short, spotty showers, all outdoor activities will continue. In the event of heavy, continued rain, entertainment (as well as the pageant) will move into the Community Center gym and bingo into the Youth Center gym. The Information Day tables and Craft Show tables will be moved to the multipurpose room in the Community Center. The Festival Information Booth will be at the intersection of the two main hallways of the Community Center on the first floor. If all forecasts come true, there will be clear skies.

Games/Activities

In addition to ongoing activi-

Friday, September 2

6:00	Carnival Midway Opens
6:15	Greenbelt Concert Band
7:00	Opening Ceremonies 2005 Outstanding Citizen Presented
7:45	Miss Greenbelt Pageant Opens
9:00	Diamond Alley – Contemporary and Classic Hits

Ride the festival shuttle bus – Pick up/drop off locations: Buddy Attick Lake Park (10 min. past the hour), Greenbelt Elementary School (20 min. past the hour), Green Ridge House (30 min. past the hour), ERHS (40 min. past the hour) and Greenbelt Armory (50 min. past the hour). See the program insert or call 301-345-0204 for more information.

Pull Out & Save the New Program

Readers will notice this week's centerfold is again the program for the Labor Day Festival. Please pull it out, follow the folding and cutting instructions and use it this weekend. But first throw away last week's program, its pages were scrambled. The News Review appreciates the reprinting done by Southern Maryland Printing.

ties on the stage and at the carnival, which were highlighted last week, the festival features a variety of games, shows and other activities sponsored by the city's Recreation Department or the Festival Committee. Participants are welcome at all events to which registration is free (except the 15K run and the 3K Fun Run). Registrations in most events are accepted right up to the start of the activity. As with all festival

events, attendance is free. Check for details about each event in the pullout/program included in this week's newspaper.

An art exhibition will take place all day every day at the Community Center. It includes self-guided activities. The table tennis tournament will be held on Friday beginning at 5 p.m. at the Youth Center. The First

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Herman's Hermits, Shoe Suede Blues And Wayne Brown to Entertain

by Patti Brothers

The Sunday day time stage this year will host a band that is returning to the festival, after a wonderful, fun-filled show last year. That band is "Herman's Hermits," featuring Peter Noone. They will perform on Sunday, September 4 from 1 to 3 p.m.

At the age of 15, Peter Noone achieved international fame as "Herman" in the 1960s. The group sold over 60 million recordings – 14 singles and seven albums went gold. The band were twice named Cashbox's "Entertainer of the Year." As "Herman" Noone graced the cover of nearly every international publication. He performed on hundreds of top-rated television programs with such luminaries as Ed Sullivan, Jackie Gleason, Dean Martin and Danny Kaye. He also starred in ABC's musical version of "The Canterville Ghost," Hallmark Hall of Fame's presentation of "Pinocchio" (in which he played the title role) and three highly successful feature films for MGM, "Mrs. Brown, You've Got a Lovely Daughter," "Hold On!"



Peter Noone of "Herman's Hermits" will perform on Sunday, September 4 from 1 to 3 p.m.

and "When Boys Meet he Girls." Throughout the 1970s, Noone continued to perform with such artists as David Bowie, Debby Boone and Graham Gouldman. His album with the "Tremblers," "Twice Nightly," and his solos of "The Glory Boys" were both critically and commercially successful. Noone also took on lead roles in the full-scale theatrical productions

of "Dick Wittington," "Aladdin," and "Sinbad the Sailor."

In the 1980s he performed on Broadway in "The Pirates of Penzance" and won rave reviews for his superb portrayal of the dashing, young hero, Frederic. His performances were so well received that he went on to perform the role at the world-famous Drury Lane Theatre in London and continued to play the role with both the U.S. National Touring Company and the International Touring Company of "Pirates."

He has also appeared on prime-time television shows such as "Married with Children," "Dave's World," "My Two Dads," "Quantum Leap," "Easy Street" and "Too Close for Comfort." He also starred in the Los Angeles stage premier of "Topokana Martyr's Day" and the U.S. National Tour of the Broadway hit "Romance, Romance."

For four years, Noone served

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Harry Falls, an Early City Resident, Dies at 92

by Sandra A. Lange

Greenbelt Pioneer Harry A. Falls, 92, died on August 9, 2005. Falls was not only one of the first residents of Greenbelt, he was also involved in the construction of the town and was one of the chief compilers of early Greenbelt history.

The scrapbook that he maintained when he lived and worked in Greenbelt is a collection of newspaper articles and other memorabilia that gives insight into how the town was constructed, what was going on during the planning process and how county officials and citizens reacted to the new town. It also records reactions of people throughout the country to the idea of a planned community created by the federal government. It is an invaluable resource for scholars and others interested in Greenbelt's early days. Falls presented his scrapbook to the city in 1987 during Greenbelt's 50th anniversary celebration.

Harry Falls obtained his job with the Resettlement Administration in 1935, through a series of

serendipitous events. In the midst of the Great Depression he, like so many others throughout the country, was unemployed. He had worked as a builder of architectural models in Baltimore for architect Bertram L. Keyes. When Keyes' business folded because construction projects came to a virtual halt during the Depression, Falls clerked for a few years in a grocery store. Then he heard that President Franklin Roosevelt's New Deal administration was creating jobs in Washington, D.C., to boost the economy.

Falls trudged from government office to government office one September day in 1935 receiving no offers of employment. At day's end, he found himself at the Walsh Mansion near DuPont Circle, where architects for the new Greenbelt towns were working. The man who interviewed him happened to have met his former employer, Bertram Keyes, on a flight to New England and

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Sustainability Committee Is Proposed to GHI Board

by Mary Moien

Several topics considered by the Greenbelt Homes, Inc. (GHI) Board of Directors at its August 18 meeting were a new ad hoc committee on sustainable living, a red scarf project proposed by the Companion Animal Committee and a salary survey. Greenbelt Mayor Judith Davis was in the audience and was very interested in aspects of both the sustainability and companion animal programs. During the summer months, the board meets once a month instead of its usual twice-a-month meetings.

New Committee

At the July meeting, GHI member Alice Mitchell had de-

scribed a group that had been meeting informally to discuss heating options and other issues of sustainable living. With the backing of the board, the group submitted a request to become an ad hoc committee. This new committee "The Sustainable Design and Practices Ad Hoc Committee" was discussed at the August meeting. The overarching goals of this new committee are: to conserve and enhance GHI's natural resources; to reduce utility and other costs; and to provide a better quality of life for all members.

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A Blank Slate?

No one has filed as a candidate for election to the Greenbelt City Council as of Tuesday, August 30 according to City Clerk Kathleen Gallagher. The filing period began August 22 and will end September 26.

What Goes On

Friday, September 2 through Monday, September 5 –

Greenbelt Labor Day Festival (see program pullout)

Sunday, September 4

1 to 5 p.m., Artful Afternoon, Community Center

Monday, September 5 – City and Greenbelt Homes offices closed in observance of Labor Day holiday. The Green Connection will not run.

Wednesday, September 7

8 p.m., Council Worksession re: Council Travel Policy, Community Center

Thursday, September 8

7:30 p.m., GHI Board Meeting, GHI Board Room

Letters to the Editor

Missing from Parade

Last year, while watching the parade for the first time in years, I was reminded that it is very special to live in a small town with such a special tradition. When the parade was over, I was struck by something missing that is an integral part of Greenbelt – the white GHI maintenance vans!

The people in those vans take care of so many homes in Greenbelt. They make sure we have heat and running water, they fix our electricity and they keep a roof over our heads. They work day and night whenever they are needed, including during hurricanes and snow storms.

There are probably many complicated issues involved in considering the possibility of the white vans' presence in the parade; however, they certainly deserve the honor of being acknowledged as an important part of Greenbelt. Many of us could not imagine life in Greenbelt without them!

Katrina Boverman

Just the Opposite

Al Geiger's article "New City Skate Park Awaits Minor Adjustments, Permits" (Greenbelt News Review, August 11, 2005) incorrectly attributes a delay in the issuance of permits for several projects in the city, including the skate park, to the R-P-C zoning controversy. The facts suggest that the city's projects have actually been expedited by the zoning controversy.

It is rather misleading to blame the skate park delay until next spring on what essentially amounts to a one-month delay in the issuance of permits related to the zoning controversy. The explanation for the delay fails to take into account the fact that the skate park, as well as the public works building, have faced many delays during over three years of planning to date.

The more salient point is that the city is able to move forward on the skate park without the required detailed site plan. As of September 12, 2005, public projects in the original portion of Greenbelt will be exempt from the requirement to obtain site plan approval. This change, which the city was able to request after GHI had prevailed upon the county to exempt large residential additions from the law, will save the city over two months in processing time.

Any delay in obtaining permits for the skate park or other city projects must be attributed to some other reason.

*Bill Wilkerson
John Nichols*

Clean Up

The Greenbelt Museum is a source of pride for the residents of Greenbelt. We are open every Sunday for public tours and our curator conducts several special tours each week. Roughly 7,000 guests visit the historic home at 10-B Crescent Road each year.

Recently we have had the problem that many dog owners are not cleaning up after their pets, allowing piles of their pet's waste to sit on the museum lawn. This is an unsightly vision for our guests and reflects badly on both the Greenbelt Museum and the Friends of the Greenbelt Museum.

Please help us keep the museum grounds presentable by cleaning up after your pets.

*Steven Oetken
President
Friends of the
Greenbelt Museum*

THANKS!

Our Chihuahua slipped out the door a couple of nights ago, unbeknownst to us, and since a portion of the fence was pulled back due to GHI's drainage work, she escaped from the front yard as well. We received a knock on the door at 10:30 p.m.; it was an Animal Control officer, a nearby neighbor and our 7 lb. dog whom they thought might have been hit by a car. After taking her to an emergency clinic that night and then to the regular vet the next morning, we received the diagnosis that she is unharmed except for a cut on her lip. How she got it we're not sure but this is one lucky little dog.

Thank you so much to Barbara, who thought she had hit our dog with her car and stopped to check. Thank you to our neighbor (we don't know your name) who called Animal Control and followed our dog as she led them both back to our house. You all have our eternal gratitude. We are so very thankful that she is OK.

*Lori Libes
Sarah Hirschman*

Emergency School Closing Information

When schools must be closed, opened later than usual or closed early because of weather or other emergency conditions, an announcement will be made over all Washington area radio and TV stations. In order to keep telephone lines open for emergency calls, parents are requested not to call the schools, central office or radio stations. When schools are closed early, bus transportation will be available for those students who are bused.

News Review Is Closed Monday

To allow News Review staffers to celebrate Labor Day and enjoy the final day of the Festival, the paper will be closed on Monday, September 5 in the already-busy Community Center. All ads, articles and photographs for the September 8 issue must be received by no later than 10 p.m. on Tuesday, September 6, the earlier the better. Help assure news and ads can be included in next week's paper by getting material to the paper early.

FEMA Donation List For Hurricane Relief

The Federal Emergency Management Agency (FEMA) advises those who want to help Hurricane Katrina's victims that cash donations are needed. Cash donations allow volunteer agencies to issue cash vouchers to victims so they can meet their needs and permit agencies to avoid labor-intensive efforts to store, sort, pack and distribute donated goods. They urge people to resist the impulse to help by going to hurricane-damaged areas. FEMA offers the following list of organizations receiving and distributing cash donations for Katrina victims:

American Red Cross
1-800-HELP NOW (435-7669) English, 1-800-257-7575 Spanish
Operation Blessing
1-800-436-6348
America's Second Harvest
1-800-344-8070

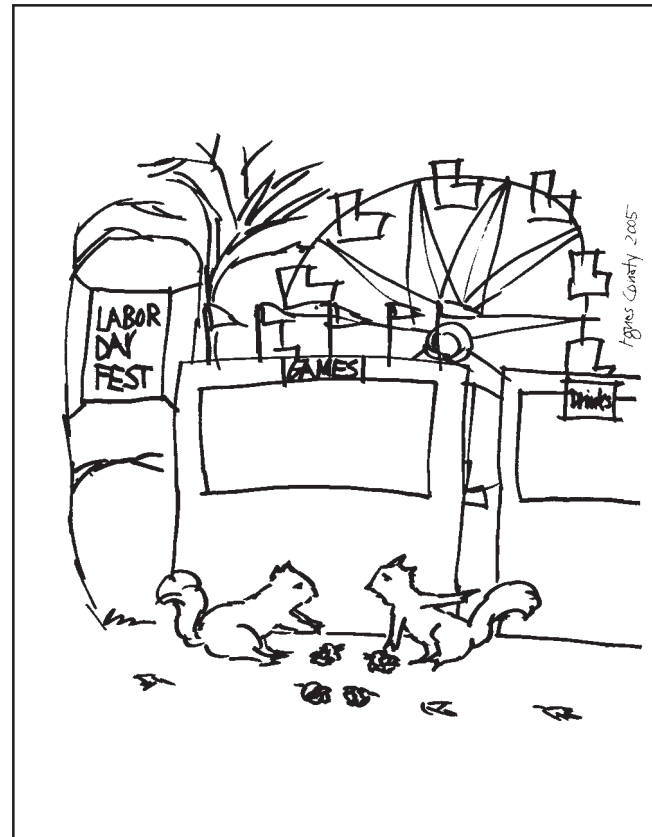
The following organizations are accepting cash and volunteer services for Katrina recovery efforts:

Adventist Community Services
1-800-381-7171
Catholic Charities, USA
1-800-919-9338
Christian Disaster Response
941-956-5183 or 941-551-9554
Christian Reformed World Relief Committee 1-800-848-5818
Church World Service
1-800-297-1516
Convoy of Hope
417-823-8998
Corporation for National & Community Service Disaster Relief Fund 202-606-6718
Lutheran Disaster Response
800-638-3522
Mennonite Disaster Service
717-859-2210
Nazarene Disaster Response
888-256-5886
Presbyterian Disaster Assistance
800-872-3283
Salvation Army
1-800-SAL-ARMY (725-2769)
Southern Baptist Convention Disaster Relief
1-800-462-8657, ext. 6440
United Methodist Committee on Relief 1-800-554-8583

Bonsai Events At Arboretum

View bonsai specimens belonging to members of the Northern Virginia Bonsai Club at the U.S. National Arboretum in the National Bonsai & Penjing Museum from September 3 to 11, 10 a.m. to 3:30 p.m. On Sunday, September 11, from 1 to 2:30 p.m., a member-led demonstration presents practical information related to pruning, training and repotting bonsai for beginners. Exhibit and demonstration are free. Visit www.usna.usda.gov or call 202-245-4523 for more information.

Grin Belt



"What booth? Just stand on a corner and the crunchy pinecones will sell themselves."

Parents May Opt Out of Recruiting Lists

by Doug Love

The "No Child Left Behind Act," signed by President Bush in 2001, requires secondary schools to provide a list of names, addresses and phone numbers of students if requested by military recruiters. The law also contains a provision that mandates schools to inform parents of their right to "opt out" of having their children's information being sent to the military. Many school systems have developed "opt out" forms to allow parents to remove their

children's names from these lists. Prince George's "opt out" form may be completed and returned to the student's local high school. The deadline for submitting this form is September 30. People may access the form by downloading this PDF www.pgcps.org/~webdocs/gendocs/forms/consent.pdf.

The rumor recently spread over some radio call-in shows that sending in this form keeps children from receiving scholarship information is not true.

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DEADLINES: Letters, articles and ads—10 p.m. Tuesday. Materials for publication may be mailed to address above, deposited in our box in the Co-op grocery store (by 7 p.m. Tuesday) or brought to our office in the Community Center, 15 Crescent Road, during office hours. Mail subscriptions—\$35/year.

Greenbelt Community Center at 15 Crescent Rd.
OFFICE HOURS: Monday 2 - 4 p.m., Tuesday 2 - 4, 8 - 10 p.m.



PRELIMINARY AGENDA MEETING OF GHI BOARD OF DIRECTORS

Thursday, September 8, 2005
GHI Board Room
7:30 p.m.

Key Agenda Items

- Proposed Gardenside Addition, 31-A Ridge Road
- Rules Change – Abrasive/Water Blasting Prohibition
- Rules Change – CLEAR Definition of Yards for End Homes
- Salary Ranges – 2006
- Requests for Contributions

Regular board meetings are open to members.

Community Events

Senior Nutrition Program Resumes

The Senior Nutrition Program (formerly known as Food and Friendship) will return to the Community Center on Tuesday, September 6. The window renovation is complete and lunches will be served starting at noon Monday through Friday. Lunches should be reserved before 11 a.m. the day before planning to eat to ensure enough meals are delivered. Call 301-391-2208, ext. 4215 to make a reservation.

The lunch menus for September 6 through 9 are: for Tuesday – orange juice, meatloaf with gravy, seasoned corn, sliced carrots, wheat bread with margarine, fruit cocktail, one percent milk, coffee or tea.

Wednesday – grape juice, baked chicken with gravy, mashed potatoes, bean medley, oatmeal bread with margarine, pineapple tidbits, one percent milk, coffee or tea.

Thursday – orange juice, tuna and macaroni salad, sliced tomatoes, four bean salad, dinner roll with margarine, fresh melon, one percent milk, coffee or tea.

Friday – grape juice, sliced turkey with gravy, candied sweet potatoes, mixed greens, wheat bread with margarine, canned pears, one percent milk, coffee or tea.

Greenbelt Seniors Battle Old Liners

Greenbelt Seniors, battling the division-leading Old Liners on Wednesday, August 24 hit three singles in the last of the 9th inning to cut the lead but still fell short, 17-15. Paul Williams had four hits for the home team, followed by Dave Kerr and Jim Dugan with a triple and two singles each and John Benish with three singles. Jim Harbaugh, Ray Reed and Lefty Smith had two hits. Sterling Tropp pitched the first six innings; manager Reed finished up in the Baltimore Beltway Senior Softball League.

In a return game in Howard County on Monday, August 29 Greenbelt was tied 6-6 in the third inning, but Old Liners pulled away to win 21-7. Jim Dugan led the way with three hits while Dave Kerr tripled and singled. Greenbelt is three wins ahead of last year's total with four games to go; the season ends September 14.

Back to School Night At Greenbelt Middle

A Back to School Night will be held at Greenbelt Middle School on Wednesday, September 7 at 7 p.m. at the school.

Parents and students are invited to come meet with administrators and teachers and learn more about the school, its academics and student activities.

All Prince George's County parents are encouraged to get involved in their children's education.

For information about Back to School Night call 301-513-5040.



GES Holds First PTA Meeting

Greenbelt Elementary School (GES) PTA will hold its first meeting of the year on Tuesday, September 6 from 7 to 8:30 p.m. at the school. The meeting is an opportunity to hear what the PTA is doing and help make plans for the future. GES Principal Katherine Curl will be at the meeting to discuss the school-year so far and address parents' concerns. Free babysitting is provided. More information about the PTA is available at: <http://greenbelt.com/gespta>.

Democrats to Meet September 16

The first meeting of the Eleanor & Franklin Roosevelt Democratic Club 2005-06 business year will be held on Friday, September 16 at 7:30 p.m. in the Terrace Room of the Greenbriar Community Building at the corner of Greenbelt Road and Hanover Parkway.

The guest speaker will be Terry Lierman, chair of the Maryland Democratic Party. Lierman has led the party since December 2004 and will discuss recent organizational developments as well as state-wide plans for Maryland's 2006 gubernatorial and U.S. Senate primaries. United under the pledge, "No Precinct Left Behind," the Democratic Central Committees of Baltimore City and the 23 counties throughout the state are setting up intensive "get-out-the-vote" plans for every corner of the state not just the heavily "blue" areas recently targeted by Democratic campaigns.

The September 16 Greenbelt event will include a short agenda meeting, a question-and-answer session after Lierman's remarks and a social hour for members and guests. Members are asked to bring snacks or desserts to share.

Prospective members and the general public are invited. Annual dues are payable in September. For transportation or additional information call Stuart Jordan at 301-474-2896.

Also, three members of the club who sit on the Prince George's County Democratic Central Committee, Karren Pope-Onwuke, Patricia Unger and Kurt Walter, will preview the Maryland State Democratic Central Committee meeting to be held at UCFW 400 in Landover on Thursday, September 22 at 7 p.m. On that night the County Central Committee will meet at 6 p.m. before hosting the state group.

Next Star Party Is Saturday, Sept. 3

Weather permitting, the Astronomical Society of Greenbelt will host a star party on Saturday, September 3 at Wolfe Fields on Northway extended to begin at 8:30 p.m. Telescopes will be available to share views of celestial objects.

Future GAC events can be found online at <http://www.greenbeltastro.org/events.shtml>. If it rains or there are hopelessly cloudy skies, the star party will be cancelled without further notice.

New Environmental Group Forming

Greenbelters are invited to join a newly forming environmental group to help protect the Beaverdam Creek watershed. All those interested in helping are welcome. Visit the exhibit table on Saturday, September 3 as part of the Labor Day Festival Information Day event. Or call Susan Barnett at 301-474-7465 for more information.

At the Library

Tuesday, September 6, 10:30 a.m. – Cuddletime for newborns to 17 months with caregiver, limit 15 babies.

Wednesday, September 7, 10:30 a.m. – Toddlertime for ages 18 to 35 months with caregiver, limit 15 toddlers.

Thursday, September 8, 10:30 a.m. – Drop-in Storytime for ages 3 to 5 years, limit 20 children.

Visual Arts Course Offered at Center

This September the Greenbelt Recreation Department is offering a special visual arts course commemorating the 10th anniversary of the opening of the Greenbelt Community Center.

The course, "Community Prints: Community Pride," will focus on linoleum block techniques. Students will create prints that celebrate the rich array of activities offered by the Community Center. As a bonus, participants' prints will be displayed in a fall anniversary art exhibit at the Community Center gallery.

Although the subject of students' prints will be present-day Greenbelt, the course will also turn to the past for its inspiration, to the work of New Deal-era artist Lenore Thomas, whose public art embodies and represents the civic and cultural values vital to Greenbelt's founding.

The course will be given at the Greenbelt Community Center on three consecutive Saturdays (September 10 through 24) running each day from 1 to 4 p.m. The class is affordably priced and open to everyone age 16 to adult. Participants need not have prior art experience.

The instructor for the course is Amanda Gordon who is schooled in printmaking, painting and drawing.

To register contact Monica Mische at 240-542-2060 or email Mmische@greenbelt.md.gov.

OLD GREENBELT THEATRE

Week of SEPT 2

BROKEN FLOWERS (R)

No frequent movie-goer coupons

Friday
*5:15, 7:30, 9:45

Saturday
*3:10, *5:15, 7:30, 9:45

Sunday and Monday
*3:10, *5:15, 7:30

Tuesday - Thursday
*5:15, 7:30

*These shows at \$5.00

301-474-9744 • 301-474-9745
129 Centerway
www.pgtheatres.com

GILA to Hold 9/11 Commemoration

The Greenbelt Interfaith Leadership Association (GILA) will commemorate the anniversary of the September 11, 2001, attacks by collaborating with certified therapeutic touch professionals in a "Healing Hands Strengthen Community" fundraiser. In exchange for financial donations to two relief charities, local massage therapists, led by employees of the Pleasant Touch Spa, will provide soothing massages at Greenbelt's Roosevelt Center plaza (Southway and Crescent Road) from 1 to 6 p.m. on Sunday, September 11.

The Good Samaritan Fund and the Emergency Assistance Fund both help needy citizens and are running especially low on funds. GIVES (Greenbelt Intergenerational Volunteer Exchange Service) will also have a presence at the event.

GILA members will host the outdoor pavilion, which will extend to Pleasant Touch's plaza facilities, especially in case of bad weather. GILA meets monthly and currently represents area Baha'i, Christian, Jewish and Unitarian Universalist congregations. Call 301-441-3013 for information.

GATE Hosts Film Festival

Greenbelt Access Television, Inc. (GATE) will hold its 4th Annual Film Works Festival on Sunday, September 4 at midnight and on Monday, September 5 at noon at the Old Greenbelt Theatre in Roosevelt Center.

The Sunday midnight show is for a mature audience and only those 18 and older will be admitted. The program will include landscape video by Cecile Ruel, animation by Alan Halen and an excerpt from Kyle Adams' boxing movie "Cracker."

The Monday noon showing is a family-oriented program containing productions from the GAVA/GATE animation winter and summer classes. There is a nominal fee.

GATE is sponsoring its monthly screening at the New Deal Café Wednesday, September 7 beginning at 7:30 p.m. The program will re-show the children's animation productions from the winter and summer classes and will also include the local portion of the Greenbelt Writers' Showcase filmed at the Greenbelt Arts Center on August 7. This event is free.

For more information call the GATE Studio at 301-507-6581.

City Notes

Public works streets crews dug a trench at the new Animal Control facility and installed 200 feet of pipe for the electric and telephone lines. The trench was then backfilled, the area seeded and the fence reinstalled.

The horticulture crew installed yellow jacket traps around Roosevelt Center in an effort to reduce the number of pests before the Labor Day festival.

CARES

CARES reports the Greenbelt Advisory Committee on Education (ACE) welcomed Dr. Raymond Peterson as its new chairperson. ACE is working on the 7th annual PTA presidents meeting to be held in October. ACE members will attend local Back to School nights and invite the PTA presidents of area schools.

Luncheon on the Lawn

After the Parade, Sept. 5

BBQ, baked beans, cole slaw,
hot dogs for the kids, drinks and dessert.
\$7.00 adults; \$5.00 children (under 12)

Greenbelt Community Church
Hillside and Crescent Rd.

Community Wide Yard Sale

September 24

9:00 am to 12:00 pm

GHI Main Office

To reserve a space with a table for \$10
or a space without a table for \$5
please call Kathy Hurr at 301-474-4161 ext. 140
by September 20 to reserve a space.

Sponsored by GHI's Member & Community Relations Committee.

"Fees will offset cost of October's fall picnic for GHI members."

Eleanor & Franklin Roosevelt Democratic Club

General Members Meeting to kick off '05-'06 welcomes

Terry Lierman, Chair of the State Democratic Party to discuss:

What do you want the Party to do for you?
What are you willing to do for the Party?
How do we go forward?

Friday, September 16, 2005, 7:30 p.m.
Terrace Room, Greenbriar Community Center
7600 Hanover Parkway off Greenbelt Rd. (Rte. 193)

Refreshments and social following the meeting. Everyone is welcome.
Join us! For more information call 301-277-3072

Obituaries

Louise S. Wilding

Louise S. Wilding, 64, of Ridge Road, died August 24, 2005, at Holy Cross Rehabilitation and Nursing Center after a long illness. She had retired from her position as executive secretary for a NASA contractor.

Mrs. Wilding was a devoted friend and neighbor and helped many through her charitable activities. She volunteered for Pets on Wheels for many years, recorded audiotapes for the blind and was a visitor to people with AIDS. She proofread for this newspaper. Mrs. Wilding had served as a counselor for a crisis hotline and for a hospice. In previous years she sang and played the guitar for the folk groups at Holy Redeemer and St. Hugh's churches. During Mrs. Wilding's last weeks at home she was assisted by friends and by the Ladies of Charity of St. Hugh's.

She is survived by son John and his wife Sally; daughter Katherine Lesanto and her husband Gary; grandchildren Eric, Jennifer, Nicholas and Christopher; sister- and brother-in-law Margaret and Richard Ramsburg and their daughter Elizabeth; and her former husband Thomas Wilding.

A Mass of Christian Burial was celebrated at St. Hugh's Church August 29. Burial was at Gate of Heaven Cemetery.

Dorothy A. Jewell

Dorothy A. Jewell, age 90, of Ridge Road died Friday, August 19, 2005.

A long-time resident of Greenbelt, Mrs. Jewell was preceded in death by her husband Jesse H. Jewell and her sister Matilda Shannon.

She is survived by daughters Dorothy Ann Munda and Juanita V. Morgan and her husband Richard; a son Stephen H. Jewell and his wife Joanne; 14 grandchildren; 25 great-grandchildren; and three great-great grandchildren.

Funeral services were held at Gasch's funeral home on Tuesday, August 23 with burial at Fort Lincoln Cemetery, Brentwood.

Norma Nina Mousley

Norma Nina Mousley, 87, of Hillside Road died on August 13, 2005, at Doctors Community Hospital following a short illness. Born in Atlantic City, N.J., Mrs. Mousley and her late husband Joseph moved their family to Greenbelt in the early 1940s. They lived in three homes on Ridge Road before moving to the Hillside home. In the mid-1950s she worked in the Variety Store in what is now Roosevelt Center.



Mrs. Mousley is survived by her daughters Terry, of Hillside Road, and Norma Mousley Young and her husband, Richard; her grandsons, Brian and Jeffrey Gonzalez and her great-granddaughter, Jennifer Gonzalez. She is also survived by her nephew Michael Tarsitano and his family.

Mrs. Mousley was buried near her late husband in Laurel Memorial Park near Atlantic City. In lieu of flowers contributions may be made to Hospice of the Chesapeake, 8724 Jericho City Drive, Landover, MD 20785.



Our sympathy to the family and Greenbelt friends of Louise Wilding who died on August 24.

Condolences to Dorothy Ann Munda, Juanita Morgan and Stephen Jewell on the death of their mother Dorothy A. Jewell, a long-time Greenbelt resident.

Our sympathy to Terry Mousley on the death of her mother Norma Nina Mousley.

We were sorry to learn of Kenneth Silberman's grief over the loss of Molly, the mixed black Labrador retriever who served as his guide dog. Molly died after a year-long battle with cancer.

Army National Guard Pfc. Julius V. Austin has graduated from basic combat military training at Fort Sill, Lawton, Okla. During eight weeks of training, Austin studied the Army mission and received instruction in drill and ceremonies, rifle marksmanship, weapons, map reading, tactics, armed and unarmed combat, military courtesy, military justice, physical fitness, first aid, Army history, core values and traditions and special training in human relations. Austin, a 2001 graduate of ERHS, is the son of Gloria F. Austin of Crescent Road.

A speedy recovery is wished for ailing News Review staffer Meta Lagerwerff and News Editor Elaine Skolnik.



Brenner – Silverman

Eric Michael Silverman, son of Harold Silverman and the late Lynda Silverman of Greenbelt, will be married to Megan Rae Brenner, daughter of Joseph and Francine Brenner. The ceremony on Sunday, September 4, 2005, will take place at the Hunt Valley Golf Club in Phoenix, Md.

Mr. Silverman graduated from Eleanor Roosevelt High School and Towson University with a BA in business administration. He is a district sales manager with AFLAC in Towson.

Miss Brenner graduated from Towson University with a BS in psychology and the University of Maryland at Baltimore with a master's degree in social work. Her specialty is child and adolescent therapy.

After a honeymoon in Aruba they will reside in Nottingham, Md.

Family Sabbath Service on Friday

A Friday evening service oriented to families with young children will be held at Mishkan Torah this Friday, September 2 at 7:30 p.m. followed by an Oneg Shabbat. The service will be a refreshing, uplifting service geared for ages 4 to 10. Also great for young-at-heart grandparents, grandchildren and for families and adults. Mishkan Torah is at 10 Ridge Road. For information call 301-474-4223.

Bat and Beaver Hike Offered

Ages 6 and up will learn interesting facts about the world of nature on this evening hike. Listen for and observe the various animals that are active in the evening. Reservations are required. Meet at Clearwater Nature Center on Friday, September 23 from 7 to 8:30 p.m.

This is SMARTlink activity #67887. There is a small fee.

For more information call Clearwater Nature Center at 301-297-4575, TTY 301-699-2544.

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 301-474-9410 www.gb-gm-umc.org/mowatt

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 Bible Study
 10:30 a.m. Worship Service

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 - The Holy Qur'an, 2:164

That was the timeless message sent down to the Prophet Muhammed (peace be upon him) nearly 1400 years ago. For more information about Islam, call 301-982-9463 or e-mail searchislam@mail.om or visit www.islamguide.com.



City Information

Public Hearing on FY 2006 Capital Projects

September 12, 2005 - 8 p.m.

On June 6, 2005, the Greenbelt City Council adopted the Fiscal Year 2006 budget, including a budget for Capital Projects. On July 13, Council met to prioritize Capital Projects for FY 2006. On September 12, Council will hold a Public Hearing on the proposed FY 2006 Capital Projects budget, prior to adoption of the ordinance. Listed below are the proposed projects, totaling \$1,417,000.

Project	Amount
Animal Control Facility	\$20,000
Parking Lot Improvements	45,000
Bus Shelters	1,000
Gateway Entrance Signage	12,000
CNG Fast-Fill Appliance	1,000
Street Resurfacing – Ridge & Greenhill	200,000
Cherrywood Lane Landscaping	8,000
Sidewalk Maintenance – Miscellaneous	30,000
Replace Crosswalk – Mun. Bldg. to R. Center ...	10,000
City Drainage Problems	30,000
Greenbrook Trails	11,000
Attick Park Master Plan Improvements	200,000
Skateboard Park	183,300
Astronomy Club Observatory	9,000
Braden Field Storage Shed	13,000
Community Center Windows	410,700
Community Center Facility Needs	23,000
Playground Improvements	25,000
Mother & Child and Bas Reliefs	40,000
Northway Master Plan	25,000
Jaycees' Club House Match	10,000
Hillside/Lakewood Water Quality	110,000
Total	\$1,417,000

The Public Hearing will be held in the Council Room of the Municipal Building. All Greenbelt citizens will have a reasonable opportunity to ask questions and to provide written or oral comments. If special accommodations are needed for any disabled person, please call 301-474-8000 no later than 10:00 a.m. on the day of the meeting. Deaf individuals are advised to use MD RELAY at 711 or send e-mail to the City Clerk at kgallagher@greenbeltmd.gov.

CITY ELECTION INFORMATION ELECTION CLERKS NEEDED

The City of Greenbelt Board of Elections is seeking several residents who would be willing to serve as election officials on November 8, 2005 from 6 a.m. until about 9 p.m. Clerks must also attend a training session on November 7 from 7:30 p.m. until about 9 p.m.

This is a rewarding experience for anyone who is interested in the political process and would like to play an active role in the local election. There is a stipend of \$135, plus a training fee of \$25. There may also be a need for additional clerks to assist in the counting of absentee ballots. This job would entail working for two or three hours in the late afternoon/early evening of November 8. No preliminary training is necessary. The pay for absentee ballot clerks is \$35.

To apply, please visit the City offices to submit an application, or call or e-mail Kathleen Gallagher, City Clerk, at 301-474-8000 or kgallagher@greenbeltmd.gov to request a form. You may also print out the form from the City website at www.greenbeltmd.gov.

CALLING ALL CAMPERS FOR THE CREATIVE KIDS CAMP REUNION CHORUS!

Creative Kids Camp will help the Community Center celebrate its 10th Anniversary on Sunday afternoon, October 2, by performing selected songs from *The Cookie Caper*, a previous camp production about the wonderful activities that take place at the Center. Come to the Community Center on the following dates to join in the fun!

FREE!

Sunday, Sept. 18

3:00 pm - 4:00 pm Rehearsal in Room 201

Sunday, Sept. 25

3:00 pm - 4:00 pm Rehearsal in Room 201

Sunday, Oct. 2

3:00 pm - 4:00 pm Rehearsal in Room 201

4:00 pm - 5:00 pm Concert in the Gymnasium

Meetings for September 5-9

Wednesday, September 7, 8:00pm, Council Work Session, re: Council Travel Policy, Community Center.

AN ARTFUL AFTERNOON

Sunday, September 4, 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.

Wearable Art Workshop. Make a fantastic hat with Artist-in-residence Celestine Ranney-Howes, fiber artist. All materials will be provided, while supplies last. All ages are welcome

**Come out and enjoy the Labor Day Festival!
FOR MORE INFORMATION CONTACT
BARBARA DICKEY DAVIS AT 240-542-2062**

COMMUNITY EMERGENCY RESPONSE TEAM

(CERT) forming in Greenbelt! The Greenbelt Public Safety Advisory Committee is working to train volunteers to become part of this team. Initial training is 20 hours and includes topics such as First Aid, Fire Prevention, Disaster Preparedness, Light Search and Rescue and more. If you are interested in volunteering for the team please attend...

**Organizational Meeting
Tuesday, September 13
7:30-9:30pm**

**Multi-Purpose Room/Greenbelt Community Center
For more information call 301-345-7203**

POOCH PLUNGE

(A swim/splash party for you and your canine pal!)



**Saturday, September 10th
11:00 am – 2:00 pm**

**Greenbelt Aquatic and Fitness
Center (outdoor pool)
101 Centerway**

**Participation is limited to 50 dogs
and 50 handlers**

**Fee of \$5.00/ one dog; \$7.00/ two dogs
(each dog must be accompanied by a handler)
No charge for dog handlers (must be 18 years of age or older)
One dog per handler. All spectators welcome!**

**Pre-register at the Planning and Community Development
and Animal Control booth at the Greenbelt Labor Day Festival.
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Come enjoy a day of paddle and play with your furry best friend!
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CITY ELECTION INFORMATION VOTER REGISTRATION

To vote in the City Council election on November 8, 2005, you must be a qualified Greenbelt voter by October 10.

If you need to change your address: If you are already registered to vote in Prince George's County but have moved within the county, you may pick up a change-of-address form in the City Clerk's Office in the Municipal Building to mail to the County Board of Elections Or call the County Board of Elections at 301-430-8020.

If you live within the corporate boundaries of Greenbelt but are not registered to vote in Prince George's County: You may obtain the registration form from the City Clerk's office, the public library, the Prince George's County website, or the County Board of Elections at 16201 Trade Zone Avenue in Upper Marlboro. All forms must be received by the County Board of Elections in Upper Marlboro no later than 4:30 p.m., Monday, October 10, 2005.

For additional information, call Kathleen Gallagher, City Clerk at 301-474-8000 or send e-mail to kgallagher@greenbeltmd.gov.

HOLIDAY SCHEDULE

City Offices will be closed Monday, September 5, in observance of Labor Day. The GREENBELT CONNECTION will not be operating.

REFUSE/RECYCLING SCHEDULE

Week of September 5

Monday Route – Collected Tuesday

Tuesday Route – Collected Wednesday

Wednesday Route – Collected Thursday

Thursday Route – Collected Friday

There will be no appliance or yard waste collections on Friday, September 9.

OPENINGS ON BOARDS & COMMITTEES

Volunteer to serve on City Council advisory groups. Vacancies exist on the:

**Advisory Committee on Education
Employee Relations Board
Park and Recreation Advisory Board
For more information, please call 301-474-8000.**

NOTICE

The Greenbelt Community Center will be closing at 7pm on Sundays beginning September 11, 2005.

GREENBELT MUNICIPAL/ PUBLIC ACCESS CHANNEL 71

**MUNICIPAL ACCESS:
301-474-8000: Tuesday & Thursday, September 6 & 8
10am & 6:00pm "Ask the Expert-Hearing," 7:00pm
"Welcome to the 2005-2006 School Year."
PUBLIC ACCESS (GATE):
301-507-6581: Wednesday & Friday, September 7 & 9: 7pm
"MD Public Safety," 7:30pm
Greenbelt Arts Center presents
"Dr. Cook's Garden."**

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BRING A PHOTO OF A PET THAT YOU HAVE ADOPTED TO THE PLANNING AND COMMUNITY DEVELOPMENT BOOTH AT THE LABOR DAY FESTIVAL!

It will be posted on their "I Found a Great Home" display and you will receive a free blue "I SAVED A PET" bracelet.

NEW FALL TEMPORARY SKATE PARK HOURS

**The new hours for the temporary skate park located at the Lakecrest Tennis Courts are:
Monday-Friday 4-7pm
Saturday and Sunday from 12 noon-5pm**

If you have any questions you may call 301-397-2200.

Monolith Exhibit at Greenbelt Arts Center

by Jim Lara

Those with an appreciation for the arts should come by the Greenbelt Arts Center, where a new exhibit consists of monoprints by artist Martha Oatway. The works are divided between two themes, the Forest Series and the Math Series.

The Forest Series originated from Oatway's love of the woods, from her having grown up among Maine's acres of trees and land. She starts with a photograph she takes of the forest, which she then enlarges and manipulates. Shapes like twigs add to the print's visual look, as does the use of different colors. One piece, entitled "Fields," began from a trip Oatway took with her daughter from Maryland to California, where her daughter was attending graduate school. As her daughter drove, Oatway took photos of the passing scenery.

The set of prints in the Math Series was inspired from a science book published in 1890 about

fluid motion. The work is covered with equations and geometric shapes. When asked which series she prefers, Oatway said, "I feel connected to the math series because of the interplay of color and shapes which gives an archeological look to it."

The method Oatway used to create the monoprints is called Xerox lithography. The process starts with a paper image that is copied on a Xerox machine. The paper is coated with a gum arabic and then an oil-based ink. A paper for the final print with the inked Xerox image on top of it is run through a press to create the monoprint.

In addition Oatway adds some visual elements like collographs on the forest prints. These are pieces of cardboard glued to act as a plate to blend in with the background. Other such elements are the circular shape found on the DNA strand exhibit and the circles in the background of the math series. Viewers can also notice that the colors used are not

distracting but are subdued in light shades of brown and green.

"When people see my work, I hope they can bring their own experiences about nature. If a person grew up in the city and had a park they loved, then they can appreciate this," Oatway says. Gallery Manager Mary Seng was instrumental in bringing Oatway's monoprints to the Arts Center. "I was impressed with Martha's work at a show in Washington, D.C. three years ago and thought it would be great to have her work displayed here," said Seng.

Oatway, 51, resides in Crofton. She is a member of the Washington Printmakers Gallery on Dupont Circle. Oatway holds a B.A. in art from the University of Maine and has had her work exhibited in Maine, Connecticut, Maryland and the D.C. area.

The monoprints will be on display at the Arts Center through October 22. Show hours are by appointment or pre-show. Call Mary Seng at 301-441-8770 for information.

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the two had discussed architectural models.

Falls related the incident in the book of recollections compiled by Dorothy Lauber for the 50th Anniversary celebration: "The man knew about the kind of work I could do. About a week after the interview I was notified to join the staff of the Greenbelt project."

Falls worked with architect Gordon Herr, who had just graduated from the Frank Lloyd Wright School of Architecture at Taliesin West. Falls recalled how the two of them built the models of houses, schools, underpasses and the business center that were used by Greenbelt's architects and planners.

For three years Falls watched Greenbelt being constructed. He got to know the new town manager Roy Braden. Braden asked Falls to work for him. While waiting for the job to be established, Falls and his wife Ruth moved into a one-bedroom honeymoon cottage at 2-H Eastway in October 1937.

Falls soon became a member of the town's theatre group and was instrumental in the creation of the Greenbelt Federal Credit Union. He became its first president.

He proudly told Dorothy Lauber that he submitted designs for the town seal and flag contests, winning second place for his seal design. He also received a resolution from the town manager expressing appreciation for the poll he conducted in November 1937 regarding whether pets should be allowed in Greenbelt. (Note: Pets were not permitted during the 15 years that the federal government owned and operated Greenbelt.)

Parkbelt Resident

After only eight months living on Eastway, Falls and Ruth moved to one of the 10 single family homes in what was called Parkbelt (homes on Woodland Way and Forestway). These were constructed by a private contractor, the Fisher Brothers, as an experiment in steel frame construction. He agreed to keep a daily record on structural problems in the houses and to see that repairs were made when necessary.

During this same period, he was offered a job building mod-



The two photographs above depict models of masonry housing proposed for Greenbelt project, Maryland, 1936, Library of Congress. (Photographs courtesy of the Greenbelt Museum.)

els and exhibits for the Works Progress Administration (WPA). The WPA job nearly doubled the salary Braden had offered. After working a full day for the WPA, Falls returned home each night to a barrage of complaints concerning problems with the Parkbelt homes. His wife persuaded him that it was time to move again, he said in his recollections.

Falls continued to work for federal housing agencies on projects to create low cost housing. Eventually, his career took him to Pittsburgh, where he joined the staff of the Pittsburgh Housing Authority as assistant director of development. In 1972 he directed a housing rehabilitation program for the Allegheny County Health Department. He retired in 1978.

Although Falls lived in

Greenbelt for only a short time, and was involved in housing projects for more than 50 years, he expressed his belief that Greenbelt was one of the finest examples of town planning in the world. In 2002 he visited the Greenbelt Museum with his daughter Donna Falls Tocco who lives in Gaithersburg.

During the city's 50th anniversary celebration, Donna visited the house on Eastway and the Parkbelt house where Harry and Ruth Falls had lived. In addition to Donna, Falls is survived by his daughter Gail Falls of California, his son David Falls of North Carolina, nine grandchildren and 17 great-grandchildren. His wives, Ruth Anderson Falls and Violet Kennedy Falls, preceded him in death.

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Specific committee goals for 2006 include conducting research and forming recommendations on new heating systems for the homes; creating a bulk purchase program for sustainable products (products that use less energy and less environmental impact to produce); and increasing community awareness and support for adoption of sustainable principles.

Red Scarf Program

The Companion Animal Committee has been busy. They are proposing a red scarf (bandana) safety program. In this program a dog that does not like to be approached by strangers would wear a red bandana around its neck. This safety program has been used by other localities. The committee plans to promote the program during the Labor Day Festival. Davis was very impressed with this proposal and wants GHI to coordinate the program with the city.

The committee is also investigating the possibility of helping the Greenbelt fire department obtain oxygen masks that fit com-

panion animals. The help might take the form of a fundraising activity. Preliminary contact has been made with the Fire Department.

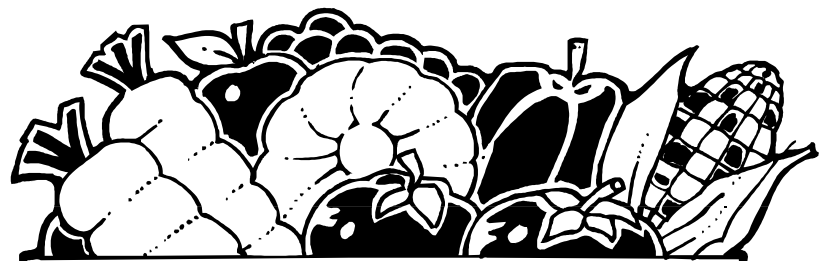
Salary Survey

GHI uses compensation surveys to compare salaries and other compensation among employers that they consider to be in the same market as GHI. These include the City of Greenbelt and the University of Maryland. During the discussion it was noted that due to changes in the city's and University of Maryland's salary scales GHI is lagging behind in several categories. A member asked if the GHI workers were union members; the response was that they were not unionized.

After a discussion about how the salaries were set and how many employees were approaching the top of the scale, the board asked management to work up some new proposed salary scales and to describe how they would affect the budget if enacted.

The next meeting will be on September 8.

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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

August 23, in reference to a physical assault that occurred May 10 on the basketball court at 99 Centerway during a basketball game between high school students, a resident youth was charged on August 16 with one count of second-degree assault on a juvenile petition. He was released to his mother pending action by the juvenile justice system.

August 24, 3:59 p.m., 6200 block of Breezewood Drive, a 13-year-old youth was walking home from Greenbelt Middle School when he was assaulted by seven to 10 juvenile males. He was knocked to the ground from behind by the youths, who continued to hit and kick him repeatedly while he was on the ground. A witness to the incident intervened and the unknown assailants fled the scene. The victim was escorted home and was to be taken for a medical checkup. The suspects were described as black males, ages 12 to 17, many of them wearing white shirts and black pants.

Robbery

August 20, 9:58 p.m., 5800 block of Cherrywood Lane, a resident man was arrested and charged with strong arm robbery. A non-resident man was arrested and charged with possession of a concealed deadly weapon, possession of CDS and theft over \$500. A man was walking to his home when he was approached from behind by the two arrested men and was allegedly struck in the back of the neck with a metal object. The suspect(s) then took items from the man's pockets and fled the scene. A short time later they were apprehended by police at which time a stolen handgun and marijuana were located in and around the nonresident man's vehicle. The suspects were positively identified and placed under arrest. Both were transported to the Department of Corrections for a hearing before a district court commissioner.

Drugs

August 17, 10:33 p.m., 6000 block of Springhill Drive, a man of no fixed address, was arrested and charged with possession of CDS and possession of CDS paraphernalia. Police observed a parked vehicle with its engine running and the lights off, with the driver and a passenger asleep in it. Both occupants were asked to step out of the vehicle and when the

passenger did so, he dropped a pipe used for smoking "crack." He was also found to be in possession of a quantity of suspected cocaine. He was transported to the Department of Corrections for a hearing before a district court commissioner. The other man was released from the scene without charge.

August 23, 11:55 p.m., 5900 block of Greenbelt Road, a non-resident man was arrested and charged with possession of marijuana and CDS paraphernalia when police stopped a vehicle for a registration violation. A computer check revealed that the driver had an open warrant with Montgomery County. Located in the vehicle was a quantity of suspected marijuana and CDS paraphernalia. The man was transported to the Department of Corrections for a hearing before a district court commissioner.

DWI

August 21, 12:14 a.m., 9200 block of Edmonston Road, a resident man was arrested and charged with driving under the influence, driving while intoxicated, driving with license suspended and failure to stop at a stop sign. He was charged on citation pending trial and released from police headquarters.

Thefts

August 19, 6000 block of Springhill Drive, a gold-colored alto saxophone, left in a sixth grade classroom at the end of the school year, was not located in school over summer break.

August 22, 1:24 p.m., Eleanor Roosevelt High School, a black Gateway "Solo 5300" laptop was reported stolen from a classroom.

August 22, a man of no fixed address was arrested and charged with theft under \$100 and various traffic citations when he was observed driving a vehicle bearing stolen temporary license plates. Police made a traffic stop, arrested and transported the suspect to the Department of Corrections for a hearing before a district court commissioner. Located in the man's vehicle were numerous vehicle theft tools and several vehicle components, which had pry marks, indicating that they had been stolen. The vehicle parts were later connected to a theft from a Honda that had occurred in Springhill Lake. Police will apply for warrants charging the man with theft from vehicle and malicious destruction.

Identity Theft

August 23, 4:13 p.m., 7900 block of Greenbury Drive, unknown person(s) obtained the victim's Social Security information by unknown means and used it to open a financial account. The victim was alerted by a credit check when he applied for a loan.

Trespass

August 24, 1:20 p.m., Eleanor Roosevelt High School, six non-resident youths were arrested on juvenile petitions with trespassing on school grounds and disruption of school activities, pending action by the juvenile justice system. The youths were not students at the school and had no legitimate business inside the building. Five were released from the school on juvenile petition and the sixth was released to his mother.

Counterfeit Currency

August 20, 10:04 p.m., Greenway Center, two men paid for food and beverages with a counterfeit \$100 bill. They were described as two black males, approximately 45- and 50-years-old.

Burglaries

August 19, 10:51 p.m., 100 block of Northway, it was reported that unknown person(s) used unknown means to enter a residence. Clothing was taken.

August 25, 12:54 p.m., 9000 block of Breezewood Terrace, it was reported that a shoebox containing U.S. currency and various items were taken by unknown person(s). There were no signs of forced entry.

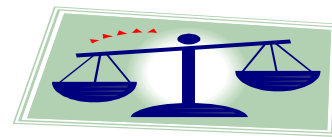
Vehicle Crimes

Two vehicles were stolen: a 1991 white Ford Taurus SW, Maryland tags 2APY71 from the 100 block Westway Road; and a 1994, blue Nissan Maxima four door, Maryland tags MFY287 from the 8000 block of Lakecrest Drive.

Two stolen vehicles were recovered by Prince George's County police with no arrests in either recovery.

Vandalism to, theft from and attempted theft of vehicles were reported in the following areas: 7500 block Mandan Road, 7900 block Mandan Road, 6900 block Hanover Parkway (two incidents), 7800 block Hanover Parkway, Ridge Road, 6500 block Capitol Drive, 6000 block Breezewood Court, 9000 block Breezewood Terrace (two incidents), 5500 block Cherrywood Lane, 9100 block Edmonston Court (two incidents) and Beltway Plaza.

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NEW LISTING

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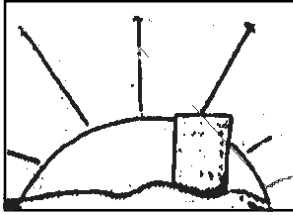
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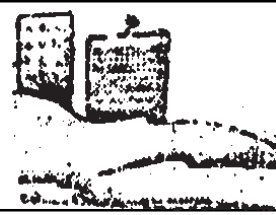
Tracey Stamates of Changing Weighs in Greenbelt has been certified by the National Certification Board for Diabetes Educators (NCBDE) and has achieved Certified Diabetes Educator (CDE) status by successfully completing the Certification examination for diabetes educators. Candidates must meet rigorous credential and professional practice experience requirements to be eligible to take the examination. There are currently more than 14,000 diabetes educators who hold the CDE credential.

Stamates earned her bachelor's degree in dietetics from the University of Maryland. She completed an internship with the Maryland Department of Health and Mental Hygiene. She has been working in nutrition and dietetics for 11 years in a clinical setting at several hospitals including Montgomery General Hospital, University of Maryland Medical Systems and Summerville Assisted Living. She has recently pursued further education in fitness counseling including obtaining her American Council on Exercise Personal Trainer Certification.

NCBDE was established in 1986 to develop and administer a certification program for health care professionals who teach individuals with diabetes how to manage their disease. For more information, visit the website at www.ncbde.org or call the national office at 847-228-9795.



Greenbelt's Business



Help a Child Grow Up Great

PNC Bank, new owner of Riggs Bank, rolls out "Grow Up Great," the company's 10-year, \$100 million investment to help little ones become better prepared for school. This is the nation's largest school readiness initiative. The program provides resources for parents and caregivers, grants, advocacy and employee volunteerism to help children from birth to age 5 be ready for school through a focus on the whole child, including cognitive, social and emotional abilities.

Free kits are available in English and Spanish to help parents and caregivers turn everyday activities like grocery shopping, mealtime or bedtime into learning experiences.

The "Happy, Healthy, Ready for School" kit, for example, includes a DVD featuring the Sesame Street Muppets getting ready for school, a colorful parent/child activity book focusing on sharing and cooperating and a caregiver magazine that summarizes a child's overall developmental needs for school. The free kits are available to the public at all 52 PNC Bank branches in D.C., Maryland and Virginia.

Ready for School?

The following tips from PNC Grow Up Great (PNC Crezca con Exito) are intended to help preschoolers get ready for school and have fun while

they're doing it.

Ready to try – Children can easily get discouraged and frustrated, especially when they're trying something new. Praise the child for any time he or she kept working at something. Parent support can help a child keep on trying.

Ready to play – Children need time and quiet in order to play. Turn off the TV and radio so they can focus all their attention on playing. Focused attention is important for learning, too.

Ready to pretend – Pretending is imagining something that isn't there. People can help children develop imagination by asking questions like "What if everything were purple? What things would be silly if they were purple?" or "What if you were a giant? What would our house be like?"

Ready to join in – Keep in mind that most young children are shy about some things. Let the child know it's okay to watch for a while before joining in. Some children need extra time to feel comfortable with new children or a new activity.

Make a real difference in a child's life today. Pick up a "Grow Up Great" package at the local PNC Bank branch, visit www.pnc.com or call 877-PNC-GROW (877-762-4769).

Giant Announces Medicare Info

In the fall all Medicare recipients must enroll in a Medicare prescription drug plan to receive new prescription coverage. As a result of this government mandate Giant Food is partnering with the Centers for Medicare & Medicaid Services (CMS) to help educate customers about upcoming changes in coverage.

Taking effect on January 1, 2006, the new Medicare prescription drug coverage will be available to everyone with Medicare regardless of income or how they receive Medicare. For people with limited income or resources, extra financial assistance is available if their income is under \$14,355 (individual) and \$19,245 (couple).

Giant has committed to train their pharmacists to help inform pharmacy customers who, for the first time, will be eligible for Medicare prescription drug coverage next year. Printed information will be available at store pharmacies.

Greenbelt businesses are asked to share their news on the Business Page

Changing Weighs Uses Metabolic Tool

A handheld device for determining metabolism is being offered in Greenbelt and is changing the way individuals manage nutrition, weight and fitness. By determining a metabolic fingerprint the calories burned naturally at rest each day are measured.

Historically, estimation equations have been used to determine metabolism but have proven to be accurate for only 20 percent of the population. So knowing one's unique metabolic fingerprint can be the key to success.

"Trying to manage weight without an accurate metabolism measurement is like leaving for a vacation without knowing how to get there," said Rebecca Bitzer, MS, RD & LD with Changing Weighs. "By determining an individual metabolic fingerprint, we can help people understand their bodies' unique needs and create a personalized nutrition, weight and fitness plan that works specifically for them."

Weighing less than five ounces, the device is an indirect calorimeter using sensor technology to measure a person's consumption of oxygen, the universal fuel of metabolism. The user simply breathes into the mouthpiece for five to 10 minutes and the device measures the volume of oxygen to determine resting metabolic rate, a critical component for customizing a successful individualized weight and nutrition management program.

Changing Weighs, at 7219-D Hanover Parkway, uses this method to determine metabolic measurements.

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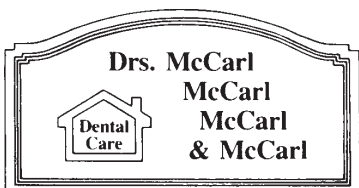
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The dates are September 7, 14, 21 and 28 and October 5, 12, 19 and 26. All programs are from 10:30 to 11:30 a.m. and free. Pre-registration is required; call 202-226-4082.

Aviation Museum Shows Model Trains

All aboard! Miniature tunnels, depots, villages and lots of model trains are coming to College Park Aviation Museum September 3 to 5.

The National Capital Trackers, the area's largest club for model train enthusiasts, will display and run their extensively detailed model railroad in the museum's main gallery. Trains and planes have gone together since 1909 when the proximity of the railroad brought the Wright Brothers to College Park to teach the first military officers to fly.

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Annual Labor Day Adult Kickball Game takes place at 7 p.m. on Braden Field #2. Go back to childhood years in this new adult game.

On Saturday morning at 9 a.m. the Kids' Games (sponsored by the

Recreation Department) will be held on the front lawn of the Community Center. These will include a diaper derby for 6-month to 1-year-olds, a foot race, a bucket fill and a peanut race for 2- to 4-year-olds, a hula hoop contest, biggest bubble contest and water balloon contest for 5- to 8-year-olds and those same activities for the 9- to 12-year-olds. Ribbons and prizes will be awarded in each category.

The annual slow pitch tournament and the Reds Memorial Singles/Doubles horseshoe tournaments both begin on Saturday at 9 a.m. The slow pitch tournament (which requires pre-registration) will take place on the Greenbelt softball fields. The horseshoe tournament is being held at the pits, located adjacent to the Aquatic Center. Drop-in competition for horseshoe pitching begins at 9:30 a.m.

Don't eat breakfast Saturday morning – fill up on pancakes and other breakfast items at the Pancake Breakfast – from 9 to 11 a.m. Sponsored by St. Hugh Knights of Columbus, the breakfast will be held on the Community Center front lawn. The children's pet show will also take place on the front lawn. Kids can parade their pets (all kinds) and win prizes in a variety of categories. The pet show is at 9:30 on Saturday morning.

Reptile Wonders will have a display of cold-blooded animal friends in the Community Center dining hall from 11 a.m. to 4 p.m. This is a unique display and many of the animals can be held and touched.

Home Run Derby

The Home Run Derby is on Braden Field #2 starting at noon. Registration is from 9 a.m. to noon on that day. There is an entry fee. Entrants must provide their own pitcher. The winner will receive 40 percent of the prize, the second place winner will receive 10 percent and the David Craig Memorial Fund will receive 50 percent. The derby is sponsored by the Recreation Department.

Games of strategy, sponsored by the Recreation Department, will be played on both Saturday and Sunday from 1 to 4 p.m. each day in the festival area and in the Youth Center game room. Demonstrations and instructions on playing over a dozen strategy games will be offered by members of the Beltsville Strategy Games Club.

The Slow Pitch Tournament resumes on Sunday at 9 a.m. on the Greenbelt softball fields and will continue all day.

There will be a Petting Zoo on the Community Center front lawn from 1 to 5 p.m. on Sunday. This is an opportunity to get up close and personal with rescued farm animals, as well as many other animals.

The Annual Larry Noel 15K Foot Race will be held on Sunday at 5 p.m. Late registration and packet pickup is at the Youth Cen-



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ter from 4 to 4:45 p.m. The starting line is at Northway and Woodland Way. This event is sponsored by the DC Roadrunners.

Parade

For the kids, the Lions Club will once again sponsor the annual Bikes and Trikes entry in the Labor Day parade on Monday morning. Contestants will meet at the Mother and Child Statue in Roosevelt Center at 9:30 a.m.

Art/Photo Shows

The annual art show, sponsored by the Greenbelt Association for the Visual Arts (GAVA), and a separate photo show both open on Saturday at 1 p.m. in the Community Center. These events showcase the wealth of local talent in Greenbelt and surrounding areas. Entries are judged and ribbons awarded in various age categories for art works and in general categories for photos. A tour of these two galleries provides an enriching experience. It also provides a cool and quiet respite from the activity of the carnival and stage events.

Information Day

Many of the community's service groups and several Greenbelt businesses and business organizations will operate information tables on Saturday beginning at 11 a.m. These tables will be located in Roosevelt Center. It's a good time to talk to the volunteers of some of the city's nonprofit groups and the owners of businesses. There is no selling at these tables but information abounds.

Craft Show

Don't miss the first Labor Day Craft Show – which opens at 11 a.m. on Sunday and continues until 6 p.m. in Roosevelt Center with lots of beautiful hand-made items to purchase. Support local crafters and artists in the first festival-sponsored craft show.

Festival Committee

The Greenbelt Labor Day Festival Committee will operate an Information Booth throughout the Festival as well as a phone line at 301-345-0204. The booth is located directly across from the stage. It will also be the center for the committee's fundraising activities. Beautiful 50th festival T-shirts (commemorating last year's festival) are still available in limited sizes. Raffle tickets for \$200 worth of Co-op groceries will be sold as well as raffle tickets for a 50/50 drawing. Even as the festival goes on, fundraising (which is crucial to the success of the festival) continues. Donations will also be accepted at the Information Booth.

Those staffing the Information Booth (and raising money for the festival) can provide directions to a favorite booth as well as answer questions relating to the festival. Maps will be provided at two locations on the grounds.

While there, remember to thank volunteers for a job well done. All volunteers at the festival will be identified by badges, shirts and baseball caps. None of the committee members are paid, from the president on down. Their only reward is the pleasure of having been a major part of building "Unity through Community Involvement" – and keeping this wonderful festival alive.

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as host of VH1's "My Generation." He also hosted the informative PBS special "The British Invasion Returns" and recorded the title song for the Kirk Douglas film "Diamonds."

Accompanied by his band – Vance Brescia, Mike Brucoleri, Dave Ferrara and Tony Tallarico – Noone consistently plays to sold-out venues the world over. Most recently, Noone starred in the recurring role of "Paddington" on the CBS daytime drama "As The World Turns." There is no doubt that Peter Noone's talent, disarming wit, handsome features and compelling stage presence will delight fans of all ages (and those in Greenbelt) for a long time to come.

Shoe Suede Blues

The Monday day time stage this year will host a band that is always a real treat for the Festival. That band is "Shoe Suede Blues," featuring Peter Tork (of "The Monkees") who will perform on Monday, September 5 from noon to 3 p.m. This is a return engagement for the group.

The band was formed in 1994 when Peter Tork and friends Tadg Galleran and Michael Sunday were asked to put together a band for a benefit dance for a women's recovery home and child care program. Following the performance, requests began to arrive for performances at other benefits, local night clubs and local events. The band was then asked to perform on Cox Cablevision and at the 30th Anniversary Monkees Convention in 1997.

Following the national media coverage they received, the band started to get inquiries from around the nation for live and recorded performances. Now "Shoe Suede Blues" performs at dance clubs, theaters and private functions all across the nation and has plans to travel abroad in the near future. The band plays a lively and unique combination of blues, rhythm & blues, blues rock and pop from such legends as Muddy Waters, Wilson Pickett, Chuck Berry, Little Richard, Bob Dylan, "The Coasters" and, of course, "The Monkees."

Band members include Peter Tork, a former member of the world-famous 1960s pop group "The Monkees." Since that time Tork has put together a number of bands including "The New Monk" and "The Peter Tork Project." He plays a myriad of instruments including the 5-string banjo, piano/keyboard, drums, guitar and bass. With "Shoe Suede Blues" he mainly plays guitar and sings lead and backup. Michael Sunday, who played with the popular "Blues Underground," plays the bass for "Shoe Suede Blues." John Palmer, who has toured with Ronnie Dawson, "The 5th Dimension," "The Diamonds," "The Penguins" and "Sha Na Na," plays the drums. Richard Mikuls, who has performed as Rufus with Chaka Khan, BB King, Ike and Tina Turner, Chuck Berry, Ray Charles, Little Richard and Jerry Lee



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Lewis, plays guitar and sings lead and backup. "Shoe Suede Blues" is sure to provide a wonderful conclusion to the festival stage activities on Monday to help celebrate the 51th Festival.

Wayne Brown

Sunday, the final night of the festival, features "Wayne Brown & the 2nd Conspiracy" on stage. This band is a good time rock 'n roll band with a professional performance and solid sound. Formed 17 years ago, a product of the "Louie Al-Phontz Conspiracy" (a northwest Washington band), Wayne Brown has been playing keyboards and performing all of his life. Along with him are Frank Burton on lead vocals, Chris "Pooter" Brown on drums, Mike Greco on bass and vocals, and Jerry JP Pickholtz on lead guitar and vocals. This group has performed with legends such as Dion, "The Mamas and Papas," "The Crystals," "The Vogues," "The Grass Roots," "Three Dog Night," Dennis Yost, Gary Puckett, "The Buckingham" and the "Fabulous Hubcaps." This group will end the Festival night-time activities on the right note.

Kids at Fair Need Help

Want to have fun volunteering at the Prince George's County Fair? Volunteers are needed for the "Fabulous Friday for Kids Day" at the Prince George's County Fair on Friday, September 9 from 8:30 a.m. to 1 p.m.

Volunteers ages 13 and up are needed to assist children with disabilities with games, rides, crafts and more.

The fair is held at the Show Place Arena, Prince George's Equestrian Center, 14900 Pennsylvania Avenue, Upper Marlboro.

For more information and an application call the Volunteer Services Offices at 301-249-7208, TTY 301-699-2544.

AmeriCorps Needs Local Volunteers

Make a difference in the community – become a Volunteer Maryland Coordinator. Organize volunteers to meet critical needs in the D.C. area. Opportunities include, in the City of Greenbelt, Appointed Special Advocate (CASA), the Patuxent Riverkeepers, Housing and Community Initiatives, Life Skills Workshop, the Montgomery Housing Partnership and Ulman Cancer Fund for Young Adults.

This is a one-year commitment as a member of AmeriCorps (the "domestic Peace Corps"). The service year, which begins September 21, includes extensive training, a \$13,000 living allowance, health care and a post-service education award of \$4,725. Full and part-time opportunities are available. Candidates must possess basic computer skills and have access to reliable transportation.

For more information and an application, log on to www.volunteermaryland.org or call 410-514-7270.

Inca Trail Exhibit At Cultural Center

An 81-image photographic exhibit, "The Great Inca Trail," opens at the Pope John Paul II Cultural Center in Northeast Washington on September 7. The photographic exhibit, sponsored by the Embassy of Peru, celebrates Hispanic Heritage Month. The images document the Inca's great engineering feats and their respect for nature. The exhibit runs through September 29.

The Royal Inca Road, which covers more than 4,000 miles of the Andean Highlands, crosses rugged mountain passes and Inca ruins throughout Peru, Bolivia, Ecuador, Chile, Argentina and Colombia. Photographed by several well-known professional photographers, the Inca Trail images show a variety of vistas including deserts, mountains, rivers and marshy land.

The network of trails over paved roads, suspension bridges, steps and through tunnels joined the Inca Empire together and acted as a communications system through runners positioned at interim rest areas. Information could be sent as quickly as postal mail today. The Inca Trail carried commerce and was used for military, cultural and religious purposes. One of the most famous sites along the Great Inca Trail is the rediscovered stone city of Machu Picchu, made up of some 200 granite structures used for living quarters, temples, storage and public assembly.

Admission to the Pope John Paul II Cultural Center is by donation. Hours are Tuesday through Saturday from 10 a.m. to 5 p.m. and Sunday from noon to 5 p.m. Parking is free.

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