

Niles man indicted on 17 counts of bribery

A 53-year-old Niles man has been charged with bribing a public official.

Narash C. Shah, of 9013 N. Greenwood, was charged with 17 counts of bribing an official of the Immigration and Naturalization Service (INS).

The indictment was announced Oct. 18 by James Burns, U.S. Attorney for the Northern District of Illinois, Alex Falcon,

Special Agent in charge of the U.S. Department of Justice, Office of the Inspector General, Investigations Division, Chicago Field Office, and A.D. Moyer, District Director of the INS.

The indictment alleges that Shah bribed an INS official in order to obtain employment authorization documents for various aliens. These documents, known as "EAD cards," confer temporary

employment eligibility and legal status within the United States.

Shah is alleged to have paid the INS official a total of \$26,500 in March and April.

Two other indictments were unsealed against another six defendants charged with bribing the same INS official. Thomas Stephens, the INS official who was the target of the alleged bribes,

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Niles hosts annual Halloween party

Trick or treat with the Village of Niles Police Department this Halloween.

Sponsored by the Village of Niles and hosted by the Niles Police Department, there will be a Halloween party and haunted house on Monday, Oct. 31 from 4-8 p.m. at Notre Dame High School, 7655 Dempster St. in

Niles.

The annual event will offer prizes, clowns, candy and treats, and there will be special guest appearances by the Power Rangers and other surprise characters.

Everyone is welcome.

Niles police say to come in costume and have a safe and happy Halloween.

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From the Left Hand

By Bud Besser

Sunday's Chicago Tribune had an excellent article on school funding, both in Illinois and in other states.

Illinois ranked 43rd in giving its schools revenue based on \$1,000 of personal income in 1993. Alaska gave \$76.36 per \$1,000 personal income to rank first in the United States. Tennessee ranked 50th contributing \$36.30 to its children's schools. Illinois gave \$42.06 which was \$6.43 below the national average.

In 1993-94 Illinois' per capita income was \$22,534, ranking it ninth in the country, yet it ranked 22nd in giving \$5,841 in school revenue per pupil.

In 1971 Illinois ranked tenth in America providing \$4,344 per pupil. Allowing for inflation (1993 dollars), Illinois is now 22nd in the United States in contributing \$5,841 per pupil. It went from tenth in 1971 to fourteenth in 1980 to twenty-seventh in 1990 to twenty-second in 1993.

The Tribune notes, "Although it's one of the richest states, Illinois has been below average for more than a decade in total funding for its elementary and high schools. In some recent years, it was more than 16% below the average. When stacked up against its main economic competitors, Illinois is among the also-rans in total funding for schools. Among the nine largest industrialized

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Dist. 71 teachers threaten to strike

By Ben Rieck

After a day they picketed, District 71 teachers came to a Board of Education meeting to express their concerns about a possible upcoming strike.

Before they had the opportunity to speak at the Oct. 18 meeting, Board of Education President John Lombardi read a letter from the Illinois Labor Relations Board recognizing the teachers' intent to strike.

"Negotiations between the board and the teachers of District 71 have again reached a critical low point," said Len Palicki.

Village honors former trustee

By Tracey Berk

Morton Grove resident Oscar Franson hit the century mark on his birthday Oct. 18.

Born in Sweden in 1894, Franson came to the United States in 1912. He moved to Niles in 1924 and ran a 26-acre farm from 1934-54 at the corner of Oakton and Waukegan. He sold vegetables from a stand on that corner which is now known as the Niles Public Library.

Franson, a 30-year Niles resident, was a trustee for the Village of Niles for three terms during the 1930s.

The Niles Village Board honored Franson at the Oct. 25 meeting and thanked him for his years of service and dedication to the Village of Niles.

After living in Lake Zurich, Franson and his family moved to Morton Grove in 1964 and have resided there since.

Married to wife, Edith, for 56 years, Franson has three children, Carl, Mildred Teichert and Dolores Giffin, eight grandchildren and three great grandchildren.

A point of interest: Franson was scheduled to ride the Titanic, but sold his ticket at the last minute and did not take the trip.

Niles approves Boston Chicken in Ballard Shopping Center

Chicken eatery gets green light

By Tracey Berk

Despite numerous denials by the Niles Zoning and Village Boards, Boston Chicken finally got the green light to construct a 58-seat restaurant in Ballard Shopping Center.

Representatives from Boston Chicken first approached the Zoning Board on July 11, which unanimously denied forwarding the request to the Village Board. Lack of ample parking were the concerns of the Board, but following several continuances, the Village Board on Oct. 25 unanimously approved construction of the restaurant to be located at 8888 Greenwood Ave.

According to Director of Code Enforcement Todd Bavaro, the

parking lot, which caters to Dominicks, currently has 430 parking spaces - 419 regular and 11 handicapped - excluding 22 spaces located in the rear of the establishment. Seventeen more spaces in the lot are currently used as cart return areas for the grocery store.

Bavaro said that Boston Chicken, which will be adding space to the presently vacant land, will fall five short of the necessary parking spots.

"We have spoken with the developer and he said that Dominicks would remove six cart returns," Niles attorney Paul Kolpak said. "So it will not be a problem to meet that number."

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Former Niles Trustee hits century mark



Photo by Mike Heuel
Oscar Franson (seated) is surrounded by his children, Carl Franson, Dolores Griffin and Mildred Teichert on his 100th birthday Oct. 18. His Morton Grove home was decorated in honor of the former Niles farmer.



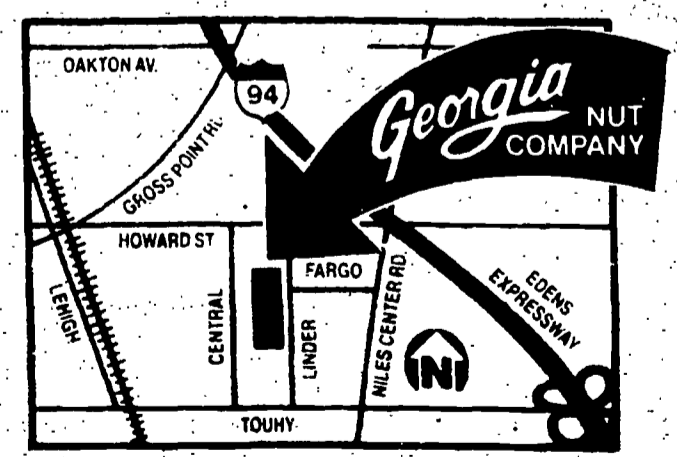
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Students form human food chain



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Sandy Silwa of Maine South and Joanna Szumski of Gemini School pass items down a human food chain put together Oct. 22 by local students and three Niles parishes. St. John Brebeuf, St. Isaac Jogues and Our Lady of Ransom parishes held non-perishable food drives Saturday, then a human food chain was formed along Greenwood Ave. Food was passed down one-by-one to the Maine Township Emergency Food Pantry Truck to help those in need.

Town Board hires space planner

Meeting as a Building Committee of the Whole, Maine Township Board members Oct. 19 voted 3-2 to recommend hiring space planner Walter H. Sobel and Associates at a cost of \$7,256 to design a new floor plan for the Town Hall at 1700 Ballard Road in Park Ridge. The plan is expected to include a small addition with a garage and storage space.

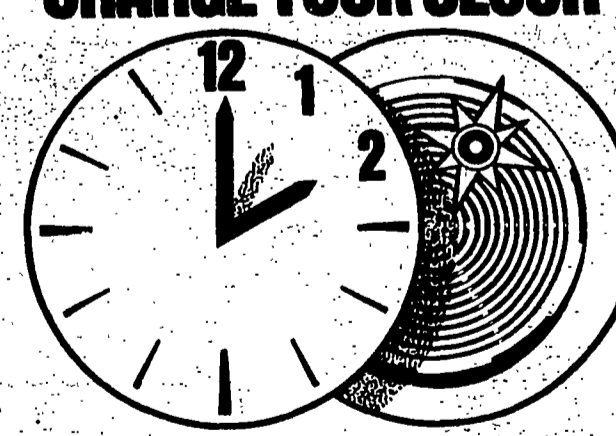
The committee also agreed to recommend a new contract with Wheeling architect Arthur Dennis Stevens, who last year designed a proposed Town Hall addition before plans for the project were dropped. Stevens will work with Sobel to design a remodeling plan that is both efficient and effective inside and out, said Supervisor Mark Thompson. A cap of \$10,000 was imposed on the cost for Stevens' work for design development.

In making his recommendation for the contracts with both Sobel and Stevens, Thompson emphasized that any new design plans for the Town Hall must include space for offices and an emergency operating center for the township's Emergency Management Agency (EMA). The plans also should include a two- or three-car garage with storage space and should not reduce the amount of public meeting space now in the town hall, Thompson said. The EMA recently moved to outside offices because it did not have enough room for operations at the Town Hall. Rent for the additional space is about \$18,000 a year.

Currently, the EMA has no dedicated space within the Town Hall from which it can coordinate responses in a disaster. Sobel was hired by the township earlier this year to conduct a study of space needs at the Town Hall. His report, which was based on an evaluation of current office layout and questionnaires filled out by township employees, was turned in to the Town Board earlier this month. The report concluded that almost all departments located in the Town Hall were crowded and in need of more room. The General Assistance Office was especially crowded, the report stated, and EMA had inadequate space to carry out its responsibilities.

Each year, thousands of people needlessly die or are injured in home fires. Tragically, many of them would be alive or unharmed today had their home been equipped with a working smoke detector. A working smoke detector cuts the risk of dying in a home fire by nearly half. Smoke detectors provide an early warning, giving residents critical extra seconds to escape. Although 82 percent of American homes have smoke detectors,

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ComEd refund cycle ends

October marks the end of a 12-month refund period which saw a significant lowering of ComEd customers' monthly electric bills. Residential customers received an average monthly refund of about 25 percent in the form of a credit on their electric bills, from Nov. 4, 1993 to Nov. 2, 1994. The rate refund, totaling approximately \$1.3 billion, resulted from the 1993 settlement of six long-standing rate cases, agreed to by ComEd and consumer and governmental agencies.

Consequently, an expected increase in electric bills, starting with ComEd's November billing period, is largely due to the fact that the 25 percent refund customers had been receiving has ended. However, a 6 percent rate reduction, which was part of the rate settlement that provided for the refund, will remain in effect.

To put the post-refund rate level in proper perspective, customers are encouraged to compare their next ComEd bill with one of their electric bills from late 1992, before the refund cycle began. After subtracting the ongoing 6 percent rate reduction from the total on the earlier bill, a typical customer should arrive at a figure similar to the total on his or her new ComEd bill. For some, however, the new bill may seem a bit higher.

In those instances, customers' electricity usage may be up significantly due to additional appliances in the home. Some ComEd customers during that time may have moved to a larger apartment or house with increased electrical load. And in some instances, utility taxes may have increased. The company currently has a rate case pending before the Illinois Commerce Commission (ICC). This rate request, totaling \$460 million, is based on ComEd's need to recover specific costs associated with building electric generating facilities and the increased costs of operating and maintaining the company's northern Illinois electrical system. ComEd's financial strength has been compromised in recent years because it has not received a rate increase since 1985 without having it later refunded with interest, with the exception of a 2.7 percent increase in 1991.

OCC students awarded scholarships

The Oakton Community College (OCC) Board of Trustees ratified the award of four scholarships during the Oct. 18 meeting. These scholarships were developed by the Board to "recognize high academic achievement and community/college success."

The recipients - Nursing students Brenda Kendall (Wells) and Richard Redfield, Desk Top Publishing student Steven E. Falinsar, and Law Enforcement student Martin A. Vogel - were honored during the Scholarship Banquet on Oct. 12.

Dr. Mary Olson, Vice-President for Student Affairs, noted that the students all greatly appreciated not only the financial support, but also the recognition. Joan Hair, Chairperson of the Board, read a thank you letter she had received from one of the recipients.

In other business: The National Community College Trustees Association had its annual meeting in Chicago. OCC hosted visitors from the United Kingdom and the Netherlands for a luncheon. Several of the trustees attended the meetings which included a number of training sessions for community college boards.

This week, OCC is sponsoring

Open house and anniversary celebration a success



Pictured (from left to right): Trustee President Paul Morrison, F/F Ralph Luebking, Captain Richard Holtz, Chief Morris J. Farman, Trustee Secretary Alan Rosen, F/F Doug Radloff, and Trustee Treasurer Stanley Bernstein pose Oct. 9 during the North Maine Fire Department's open house and 25 year anniversary celebration. Those holding plaques were honored as original members of the department.

The North Maine Fire Department would like to thank all who attended the fire prevention Week Open House and 25th Year anniversary celebration on Sunday, Oct. 9. Those that attended enjoyed the rescue demonstration, fire safety house, fire station tours, crawl low under smoke/stop, drop and roll instruction, free re-

freshments, instruction on storm survival, and button making for all. The day was also used to celebrate and honor the 25 years of service to the community by the North Maine Fire Protection District, and four of the original members of the department. The members honored on this day were Captain Richard Holtz, Captain Howard Hiller, F/F Doug Radloff and F/F Ralph Luebking. All were presented with plaques by Chief Morris J. Farman, and by the Firefighters Association. A good time was had by all, so plan to attend next year.



Trick or Treating Days Gone but Not Forgotten

We can all remember way back when we used to dress up to go trick or treating. We put on our masks or made up our face. And got ready for the great candy race. Gumdrops and taffies, nut chews and bubble gum are what really made Halloween a whole lot of fun. So as we reminisce back to the days of our youth, always remember, Halloween is still part of you!

LaShawn MacLin
resident of the
Park Ridge Care Center

Home for the Holidays contest for seniors

The Suburban Area Agency on Aging would like to make this Holiday season especially memorable for 10 lucky suburban Cook County seniors. The Area Agency and Southwest Airlines are sponsoring a "Home for the Holidays" contest to reunite seniors with loved ones they haven't been able to visit because of limited incomes or other financial hardships. Winners of the contest will be provided with a round trip ticket to any one of Southwest's designated airports in the United States.

Last year, some contest winners made trips to see relatives they hadn't seen in over 15 years. A terminally ill cancer victim was able to travel to San Antonio, Texas, to see a daughter he hadn't seen in five years.

To be eligible for the contest, seniors must be 65 years of age or older, have an immediate family member in one of the cities served by Southwest that the senior has not seen in a long time, preferably live alone, and be otherwise unable to afford the trip. Travel must occur between Dec. 5 and Jan. 14, 1995.

Contest entries must be received by Oct. 31. Winners will be notified by late November. For more information, call Linda Brennan at the Suburban Area Agency on Aging, (708) 383-0258.

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Normal and Abnormal Changes of Aging
Learn about the normal changes that can be expected with aging and how to cope with these changes.
Presenter, Dr. Alejandro Aparicio, Geriatrician
Wednesday, November 9, 1994 7:00-8:30 p.m.

Effects of Exercise & Mobility on the Body System
Learn the benefits of exercise for the elderly and how you can get started with your own exercise program.
Presenter, Dr. Stephen Talty, Physiatrist.
Wednesday, November 16, 1994 7:00-8:30 p.m.

All programs are held at Ballard, 9300 Ballard Road, Des Plaines. Programs are free of charge and participation is limited to 60. For information or to R.S.V.P., call (708) 294-2400.

Seniors invited to join club

THE NILES ALL AMERICAN SENIORS CLUB is extending an invitation to the residents of MAINE AND NILES TOWNSHIPS to join our organization.

Some of the activities enjoyed by our members include playing card games of choice, bingo once a month and various luncheons.

Residents must be 55 years of age or older. We meet every Thursday from 9:30 a.m. to 12:30 p.m. or later.

Come in and visit us at Trident Senior Center, 8060 Oakton Street, Niles, any Thursday morning between 9:30 a.m. and noon. One of the officers of our club will be happy to give you any additional information.

We welcome your inquiry.
**Niles All American Club is a separate organization from the Niles Senior Club although we enjoy the use of their card room every Thursday.

M-NASR sponsors 'Talk of the Town'

The Maine-Niles Association of Special Recreation sponsors a program called "Talk of the Town" which is designed for adults with disabilities to discuss many topics of interest in an open atmosphere. This fall the group will meet on four Wednesdays beginning on Nov. 2 and ending on Nov. 23.

The list of speakers for "Talk of the Town" covers many areas of interest.

Nov. 2 - Lighten Up, Loosen Up, Relax With Self Hypnosis will be presented by Dr. Sally Witt, Clinical Psychologist. Her practice is the Counseling and Hypnosis Center in Arlington Heights. Dr. Witt is a former professor at Oakton Community College.

Nov. 9 - Harry at the Keyboard Harry Moise will entertain the group when he plays his full sized electronic organ and keyboard.

Nov. 16 - Advocacy - Dennis Haffron is the Director of the Illinois Protective Service Coalition. He has had nearly twenty years of experience in senior and social services. His organization is a disability advocacy organization.

Nov. 23 - Virtual Reality Experience - Dina Katsiavelos a multi-disciplined and experienced businesswoman, real estate broker, and attorney, will be presenting a "virtual reality experience."

Contact Barb Schwartz, Outreach Coordinator at M-NASR: (708)966-5522 for registration information regarding "Talk of the Town."

NEEDLEPOINT CLASS
Needlepoint class meets from 1 to 3 p.m. at Ballard Leisure Center on Monday, Nov. 7, 14 and 21. Call for information.

CLASSES CANCELED NOV. 8
There will be no MEN'S EXERCISE, OIL PAINTING, CHORAL GROUP, BRIDGE, SQUARE DANCING or LINE DANCING CLASSES on TUESDAY, NOV. 8 DUE TO ELECTION.

NEW NOVEMBER DATE FOR MONTHLY MAILING
The monthly mailing date has been changed from Tuesday, Nov. 8 to Tuesday, Nov. 15 at 12:30 p.m. due to election.

LEGAL AID APPOINTMENTS
Legal aid appointments are scheduled for Wednesday, Nov. 9 at 9 a.m. to noon. Call for information and eligibility.

MAYFLOWER TOURS PRESENTATION
Mayflower Tours presentation will be held on Wednesday, Nov. 9 at 10 a.m. in the small room. Featured will be the following tours: Gulf of Mexico Value Tour, March 27 (8 days) \$689 double occupancy; Hilton Head Island, April 22 (9 days) \$859 double occupancy; and Alaska Cruise July 16 (8 days). Price varies. Don't hesitate to make your travel plans with us.

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NILES SENIOR CENTER REGISTRATION
The Niles Senior Center is open to residents of the Village of Niles, age 62 and over and their younger spouses. Seniors interested in obtaining additional senior center information should call or visit the center and be placed on the mailing list. The center is located at 8060 Oakton Street.

TICKET SALES
Ticket sales is on Friday, Nov. 4 at 9:30 a.m. on a walk-in basis. Tickets will be on sale for the December Holiday Trip on Monday, Dec. 5 from 8:30 a.m. to 5:30 p.m. We will travel to Racine, WI to visit a turn of the century mansion, "The Christmas House," a theater style show followed by a tour will be featured. Lunch at Valentines will offer their specialty - sliced turkey and ham in a white wine/cheese sauce. We'll end our tour at Mileage's - a shopper's delight! Cost is \$27.50 per person.

STAMP CLUB
The Stamp Club is currently looking for new members. See Mary Oleksy if interested.

YARN NEEDED
If you have any left-over yarn, please bring it to the senior center. Lap robes are made for veterans from your generous donations. Also, volunteers are needed to crochet and/or sew lap robes or slippers. If interested please call Mary V.

FLU SHOT INFORMATION
Appointments can now be made for the last flu shot date which is Wednesday, Nov. 2 between 9:30 a.m. and noon and 1:30 p.m. to 4:30 p.m. Shots are available by appointment only for Niles residents 65 and older or with chronic illnesses. Shots can also be given to homebound seniors by appointment. Contact Terry Sprengel RN BSN.

NEWCOMER'S PRESENTATION
The Senior Center will be hosting a Newcomer's Presentation on Friday, Oct. 28 at 2 p.m. Information on senior services will be presented to all new registrants of the senior center. Sign up now and learn all about our services and programs.

ARTS & CRAFTS FAIR
The annual Arts & Crafts Fair will be held on Friday, Nov. 4 from 10 a.m. to 2 p.m. Purchase all of your "holiday" gift items at this time. No charge for attendance but a hot dog lunch will be available for \$1. Senior vendors are encouraged to participate. Contact Mary Oleksy if interested in being a vendor.

MEN'S CLUB PLANNING MEETING
The Men's Club Planning meeting will be held on Monday, Nov. 7 at 10:30 a.m. All members are invited to come and share their ideas.

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BLOOD PRESSURE SCREENING
Blood pressure screening is on Wednesday, Nov. 9 from 1-4 p.m. for Niles residents 60 and older. No appointments needed.

WOMEN'S EXERCISE PROGRAM
Women! Are you ready to get in shape and reap the benefits of good health? If interested see Mary Oleksy for information. We are looking to start a bi-weekly class.

IT CAN'T HAPPEN TO ME OR MY FAMILY
"It Can't Happen To Me or My Family" community education program on HIV is on Wednesday, Nov. 30 at 2 p.m. Learn basic information on the disease, transmission and progression of AIDS. Talk with someone who is HIV positive to better understand the effects this diagnosis has on a person. Registration required. FREE.

MEALS ON WHEELS
The Niles Senior Center in conjunction with the Bethany Terrace Nursing Home offers Meals on Wheels daily to Niles Residents 62 and over and their younger spouses. The meals can be prepared for special diets and are delivered between 11:30 a.m. - 12:30 p.m. There is a charge and depending on whether or not we have a waiting list, there may be a limit as to how long we can provide the meals. Call Mary Oleksy if you are interested or have a family member needing meals.

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Widowed Persons Service recognizes volunteers



Pictured here are the Northwest Chicagoland Widowed Persons Service (WPS) volunteers who were in attendance at the Volunteer Recognition Luncheon held at Rainbow Hospice, Inc. From left to right: Peral Belluzzi, Elsie Fregean, Marilyn Baeckelandt; Bereavement Counselor, Rainbow Hospice, Inc., Therese Glaszer, Barbe Creigh; Rainbow Hospice, Inc., Barbara Phillips, Maggie McNamara, Hal Thompson, Irene Jarog and Helen Share. Present, but not pictured: Maryann Vaszily, Reva Schneider and Lawrence Mandel (Piser Weinstein Menorah Chapel and Advisory Committee Member).

Volunteers from the Northwest Chicagoland Chapter of the Widowed Persons Services (WPS) were recognized at a Vol-

unteer Recognition Luncheon held at Rainbow Hospice in Park Ridge. In addition to lunch, volunteers were presented with a certificate and plaque, and thanked for their specific gift to the organization.

"We wanted to show our appreciation for the hours of work our volunteers have spent in outreach to the newly widowed," commented Barbe Creigh, director of psychosocial services for Rainbow Hospice Inc., and interim WPS Coordinator. "In addition to one-to-one outreach, WPS volunteers facilitate support groups, serve on committees and help with office work. Some vol-

unteers are founding members, and have been instrumental in the creation of WPS and the establishment of its programs."

The Northwest Chicagoland WPS Chapter will turn three in November. Jointly sponsored by Rainbow Hospice Inc., Lutheran General Hospital, Ballard, a Healthcare Residence, and AARP, the Widowed Persons Service was built on the platform that grieving individuals are best helped by others who have experienced and grown through similar grief. When the loss of a loved one occurs, the widowed person can suffer severe grief, depression and isolation. The Widowed Person's Service helps the newly widowed person cope with his/her loss, regain independence and reenter society.

WPS Outreach volunteers are a group of specially trained widowed persons who provide one-to-one outreach to the newly widowed in the community. Training sessions are held biannually and are open to people who have been widowed one year or longer. A self help, educational discussion group is available to people widowed one year or longer. Called the Next Step Group, this group focuses on issues related to the life changes following a spouse's death and meets the 4th Tuesday of each month from 7:30 to 9 p.m. at the Rainbow Hospice offices, located at 1550 N. Northwest Highway, Suite 220, Park Ridge. WPS also holds other support groups, monthly get-togethers, and puts out a monthly newsletter. For information on WPS outreach training, the Next Step Group or other WPS activities, call (708) 699-3605.

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Norwood Park Home's annual Spaghetti Dinner

On Friday, Nov. 4, the employees of Norwood Park Home will host their Annual Spaghetti Dinner at the Home, 6016 N. Nina Ave., Chicago.

A mere \$7 will buy unlimited amounts of spaghetti, as well as salad, garlic bread, wine, and dessert. The price for children age 10 and under is \$3; children age 3 and below eat free of charge. Seatings are at 5, 6:30, and 8 p.m. and reservations are requested at (312) 631-4856.

Live entertainment will be provided and a raffle of gift items will be held. All proceeds benefit Norwood Park Home, a residence for seniors.

Morton Grove Senior Citizens 470-5223

MORTON GROVE HOMECARE SERVICE
The Morton Grove Homecare Service is a new program offered by the Village of Morton Grove to residents age 60 and older who may need assistance with: preparing meals, laundry, light housekeeping, loneliness, bathing, or personal care. The amazing thing about this program is that all services are provided at no charge through the Visiting Nurse Association. To qualify a person must be a Morton Grove resident; be age 60+; demonstrate a need for home care due to medical reasons; and meet income and asset eligibility criteria. For more information contact Morton Grove's Flickinger Senior Center at 470-5246 today.

CHOLESTEROL SCREENING
A clinic for cholesterol screening will be held from 9 to 11 a.m. on Tuesday, Nov. 1 in the Flickinger Senior Center. The quick and simple test will give an accurate total blood cholesterol measurement in just three minutes. For Morton Grove seniors (age 65+) there is a charge of \$3. For those under 65 or for non-residents the charge is \$4.

FREE FLU SHOTS
For the first time this year, the Village will provide influenza immunizations at no cost to Medicare Part B patients. Any resident who possesses a red, white and blue Part B "Medical Insurance" card is eligible for the free shot. Any other resident wishing to be immunized but who is not a Medicare Part B patient must be over age 60 and must pay \$2.50 for the shot. It is strongly recommended that people who are over age 65 consider being immunized for influenza. Pneumonia immunizations provide lifelong immunity to the most common forms of pneumonia and will cost \$8. People who have already received this immunization do not need another one. Morton Grove seniors (age 60+) interested in a flu shot must have a reservation. Call the Senior Hot Line at 470-5223. The final immunization clinic time is from 1 to 4 p.m. on Tuesday, Nov. 1.

"COPING WITH HOLIDAY STRESS"
Hear about developing coping strategies for the upcoming hectic holiday season. Diane Rodriguez, of Northwest Community Hospital has 12 years of experience in mental health nursing with five additional years in social work. Ms. Rodriguez will speak to seniors beginning at noon on Thursday, Nov. 10 in the board room at Prairie View Community Center, 6834 Dempster Street in Morton Grove. Bring your lunch; coffee and dessert will be provided. For details call Laurel Letwat, RN, BA at 470-5246.

"HUMANITIES TREASURES"
The new "Humanities Treasures" is a group where individuals share from their own life experiences. The group begins at 9:30 a.m. on Mondays, starting Nov. 14 in the Prairie View Community Center. Readings are provided to stimulate discussion of the roots of ethical positions on issues like capital punishment, sexual preference and euthanasia. There is no charge for the class which will be moderated by Ed Perlman. Register at the Prairie View or call Senior Adult Supervisor, Catherine Dean at Prairie View for more information at 96-7447.

ILLINOIS CENTER FOR REHABILITATION
On Tuesday, Nov. 15 Morton Grove's Visually Impaired Motivators (VIM) invites all interested visually impaired individuals to visit the Illinois Center for Rehabilitation in Chicago. The tour includes observing coping methods used by other visually impaired persons in activities of daily living. Visitors will also be how to cook, sew, handle finances, read, dress and helpful hints on managing a variety of daily events. The bus leaves the Flickinger Senior Center at 9 a.m. and returns at approximately 2 p.m. The Illinois Center works with disabled persons of all ages in rehabilitation and education. For more information, call the Morton Grove Senior Hot Line at 470-5223.

A POTPOURRI OF MUSIC & FOOD
Classical or country music, bluegrass, Beatles, boogie or Beethoven - seniors can have it all by spending a day at the Rosewood West in Crestwood. A melodic combination of pop and light classical numbers, show tunes and honored favorites performed by Franz Benteler and the Royal Strings Plus Cal Starr & The Kentucky Troubadours. A highlight will be Mr. Benteler's fascinating demonstration of the Stradivarius violin. A festive holiday meal of roast turkey with dressing will round out this wonderfully unique day. Seniors will leave on this day trip at 10 a.m. on Wednesday, Nov. 16 from the Prairie View Community Center and return at approximately 5 p.m. The cost is \$40 for residents and \$44 for non-residents. Register at Prairie View by Nov. 1, or for more information call Catherine Dean at 965-7447.

LINE DANCING
Now that there is a new dance floor in the Senior Room at Prairie View, seniors can enjoy learning to line dance. Seniors can sign up together or singularly, neither a partner nor line dancing experience is necessary. Come and enjoy this fun form of movement exercise. Be sure to wear hard sole shoes. Jim Davey will be teaching the class on Wednesdays from Nov. 23 to Dec. 14 (the first meeting is at the National Park field house). The fun will begin at 2:30 p.m. and end at 4 p.m. The cost is \$18 for residents and \$20 for non-residents. Sign up at Prairie View or call 965-7447.

For more information about these senior services and recreation programs, call the Morton Grove Senior Hot Line at (708) 470-5223, or the Prairie View Community Center at (708) 965-7447. To receive the "Seniors in Morton Grove" newsletter, send \$2.50 to the Morton Grove Park District, 6834 Dempster Street, Morton Grove, IL 60053.

Jendryk to practice in U.S. Supreme Court



James S. Jendryk

James S. Jendryk, son of Niles residents Elaine and Stan, was admitted to the Bar to practice law in the Supreme Court of the United States on Oct. 11. Jendryk is Managing Partner of the Wheaton branch law firm of Querrey-Harrows Ltd., in Naperville.

A graduate of the University of Notre Dame, Jendryk was also a member of the John Marshall Law School class of '75. Jendryk now resides in Naperville with his wife Carolyn, son Brady and daughters Stacey and Jaclyn.

Holiday spirit needed now at Food Pantry

The snowflakes may not be falling for some time yet, but it's not too early to begin spreading some holiday cheer by donating much-needed items to Maine Township's Emergency Food Pantry.

Because the pantry's supplies are dwindling, many types of food items are being sought so the township will be able to provide needy residents with holiday baskets at Thanksgiving and Christmas. The following items are in especially short supply: canned meat products, including pork and beans, Spam and chili; spaghetti sauces; pasta; Chunky soups; fruit juices in non-breakable containers.

The pantry also will welcome donations of turkeys, which will be stored in freezers until the holidays.

The volunteer-run food pantry is open year-round to help residents in crisis situations. It is located at the Maine Township Town Hall, 1700 Ballard Road, Park Ridge. For more information, call the township's General Assistance Office at 297-2510, ext. 236.

Beware of cons posing as utility workers

Two con men got a head start on trick-or-treating a couple of Halloween's ago when they masqueraded as power company employees and treated themselves to \$2,500 in cash from the home of an unsuspecting woman. According to police, the woman admitted the men to her home after they claimed they had to inspect the power system. While she was turning on all the lights in the living room at their request, the pair roamed through the home, supposedly conducting an inspection. After they left, the woman discovered the \$2,500 was missing, police said.

The incident represents the latest variation on schemes that have been around a long time. Over the years, in various communities, con artists have arrived at someone's door, claiming the utility owes a refund, but they require change for a large denomination bill. Other times, they might claim that a home's wiring is causing trouble in nearby power lines and they need to conduct an investigation. On still another occasion, imposters called a number of homes to say ComEd was

Oakton offers lecture on writing family history

Lori Mieling, Ph.D., O.M.A., focuses on how to write family history in a free lunch-time lecture sponsored by Oakton Community College on Wednesday, Nov. 2 from 1:30 to 2:30 p.m. at the Des Plaines Prairie Lakes Community Center, 515 E. Thacker St. (Thacker and Wolf). "These treasures - made of words, not dusty artifacts - will be long-lasting remembrances of your family history," says Mieling who will explore strategies to help participants define their own family heritage. Mieling recently completed her first book: *Crackerjack, Cotton Candy and Sesame Seeds* - a funny, glad and sometimes sad, "bits and pieces" journal of her family history.

Ghost hunter speaks to St. Robert's parents

On Nov. 15 at 8 p.m., ghost hunter Richard Crowe will address the St. Robert Bellarmine Parent's Association on the topic of Ghosts of Chicago.

Halloween may be over but this exciting commentary by the noted authority on ethereal presences in Greater Chicago will have you spellbound.

All adults are invited to attend this one-of-a-kind slide presentation. You need not be a member of this Northwest side parish located at 4646 N. Austin Ave. There will be admission charged of \$3 to help defray the expense of the evening. Refreshments will be served.

The Parent's Association will be holding a brief monthly meeting beginning promptly at 7 p.m. All of our guests are welcome to come at that time and learn some of what St. Robert Bellarmine School; the children, teachers and parents are doing this year. The November meeting will be hosted by the sixth grade parents.

Lutheran General offers free diabetes screenings

Lutheran General Hospital (LGH), 1775 Dempster Street, in cooperation with the American Diabetes Association (ADA), is offering free diabetes testing during ADA Diabetes Week, Nov. 6-12.

More than 14 million Americans have diabetes, however many people are undiagnosed and risk developing life-threatening complications before realizing they are ill. Lutheran General and the ADA are sponsoring the free screening to encourage early diagnosis and treatment.

"The screening is recommended for people who suspect they have diabetes, are overweight, are over 40 years old, have a family history of diabetes or have had

a baby weighing more than nine pounds at birth," said Phillip Werner, M.D., medical director of Lutheran General's Diabetes Care Center. The screening is not suggested for those who already know they have diabetes or women who are pregnant.

The symptoms of diabetes include frequent urination, extreme hunger, rapid weight loss, excessive thirst, blurred vision, weakness, numbness in hands or feet and skin infections that heal slowly. Some people with diabetes, however, may have no symptoms at all.

Appointments are necessary for the screening and can be made by calling (708) 696-6010 from 8:30 a.m. to 5 p.m. Monday, Oct. 31 through Friday, Nov. 4.

Halloween anti-crime forum scheduled

Why are kids killing each other? Is it the fault of their parents, their neighborhood, or both? These, among other questions, will be discussed when the Algeid Institute takes a comprehensive look at crime prevention in Chicago on Monday, Oct. 31, from 5:30 to 7 p.m. at Kennedy King College, Room 2W59, Exhibit Hall, 6800 S. Wentworth.

The panel discussion is being held on Halloween because the fear of crime prevents many parents from taking their children Trick or Treating. The discussion will be moderated by Cook County Clerk David Orr, Algeid Institute chair. The co-chairs are State Senators Alice Plamer and Miguel Del Valle.

Panelists scheduled are: Professor Adolph Reed, Urban Politics at Northwestern University; Stan Willis, co-chair Chicago Conference of Black Lawyers; and Frances Sandoval, executive director Mothers Against Gangs. Co-sponsors include: Park Manor Neighbors and Community Council, black United Fund, WE CAN, Developing Communities Project, Greater Englewood Business Association, Southwest Women Working Together, Kenwood-Oakland Community Council, African American Mentorship Program, Community in Action, Logan Square Neighborhood Association, Jeffrey Manor Crime Watch and others.

William M. Russell

Navy Petty Officer 2nd Class William M. Russell, son of Herbert Russell of Park Ridge, recently completed a six-month deployment to the Persian Gulf, Western Pacific and Indian Oceans aboard the aircraft carrier USS Carl Vinson, homeported in Alameda, Calif. Russell is a 1987 graduate of Woodstock Community High School. He joined the Navy in September 1987.

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SCH Benefit Gala at 'New Navy Pier'



Members of the Swedish Covenant Hospital Benefit Gala committee met recently and reviewed floor plans for "The New Navy Pier" where the Gala will be held on Saturday, Nov. 5. Checking the layouts of this Chicago landmark are: (from l.) Cal Isaacson of Wilmette, Carrie Channes (seated) of Glenview, SCH Service Guild president Candace Anderson of Park Ridge, and Dr. and Mrs. (Suzanne) James McCormick of Lincolnwood. Isaacson is SCH vice president of Clinical Affairs; Dr. McCormick is chairman of the Department of Laboratory Medicine. Gala proceeds will go toward the purchase of high-tech cancer treatment equipment.

For additional information on the annual fundraiser, which is co-sponsored by the Service Guild and medical staff, contact the SCH Development Office, at 878-8200, X5030.

Regency to host Wound Care Expo

On Oct. 28, Regency At Home Health Service will host "Wound Care Expo", a hands-on product education experience for skilled nursing professionals.

"Wound Care Expo", a unique program developed by Regency's Clinical Manager, Cindy Campbell, R.N., will feature representatives and exhibits from major corporations such as Calgon Vestal Labs, 3M Healthcare, Sween

Corporation, Convatec, Derma Marketing, Brady Medical Products, Acme United Corporation, DeRoyal Industries, Kendall Healthcare, Smith and Nephew United, Sherwood Medical and Dow B. Hickman, Inc. Hours for the exhibit are from 2 p.m. to 4 p.m. "Wound Care Expo" will be held at Regency Nursing Center, 6631 North Milwaukee Avenue in Niles.

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Ravenswood Hospital physician receives national award

Rocco V. Lobraico, M.D., Senior Consultant, Wenske Laser Center at EHS Ravenswood Hospital Medical Center in Chicago, has been selected as the recipient of the 1994 Arthur L. Schawlow Award from the Laser Institute of America. The Schawlow Award is named after Physics Nobel Prize Winner Dr. Arthur L. Schawlow, and was first presented in 1982 to recognize individuals who have made distinguished contributions to applications of lasers in science, industry or education.

Since 1976, Dr. Lobraico has pioneered, practiced, taught, and lectured on the use of lasers in gynecological surgery. He has been

a member of Ravenswood Hospital's Medical Staff for over 30 years, and founded the Wenske Laser Center at the hospital in 1985. Dr. Lobraico was a co-founder of the Midwest Bio-Laser Institute where he served as President, and was also named Physician of the Year Award by his fellow physicians at Ravenswood Hospital in 1992. He currently serves as the Chairman of the American National Standards Institute's accredited Z136 Committee on Laser Safety in Health Care Facilities.

Dr. Lobraico received his award at the Laser Institute of America's Annual Meeting in Orlando, Florida on Oct. 18.

Wound studies set

Individuals who have foot or leg wounds that will not heal are being sought for research treatment programs at the Center for Clinical Studies, Rush-Presbyterian-St. Luke's Medical

Center. These wounds are often caused by diabetes or poor circulation and can lead to serious medical complications if left untreated. Physicians are studying new medications and therapies to promote wound healing.

Meeting for Sjogren Syndrome patients

Glenn Gardner, M.D., anesthesiologist at Good Samaritan Hospital in Downers Grove will talk about the special surgical concerns of Sjogren's syndrome patients at a meeting sponsored by the Chicago Sjogren's Syndrome Group.

Sjogren's syndrome is an autoimmune disease that dries up the body's moisture-producing glands.

The meeting will take place from 12:30 to 3:30 p.m. on Sunday, Oct. 30 at Johnson Auditorium, Parkside Center, Lutheran General Hospital Complex, 1875 Dempster, Park Ridge.

The meeting is open to the public. Admission is free. Dr. Gardner will explain local and general anesthesia options and explore the benefits of each. A question and answer session will follow Dr. Gardner's presentation.

Free samples of over-the-counter medications to relieve many Sjogren's syndrome symptoms will be available at the meeting.

For information and to register call (708) 369-4577.

Room to Talk

Northwestern Memorial Hospital is offering "Room to Talk," an ongoing support group for cancer patients who have completed their initial course of treatment.

The free sessions are open to family members and friends. Beth Sofranko, an oncology social worker, will lead the group in a discussion on a wide range of topics. This group will meet on Nov. 2, 16 and 30, from 6:30 to 7:30 p.m.

For more information on this program, call Northwestern Memorial Hospital at (312) 908-8400.

Better Breathers Club discusses chronic pulmonary disease

The Better Breathers Club, Holy Family's free support group for those with chronic lung problems, invites you to join their next meeting Nov. 2. For more information, call Laura in respiratory care at (708) 297-1800, ext. 1956.

Center. These wounds are often caused by diabetes or poor circulation and can lead to serious medical complications if left untreated. Physicians are studying new medications and therapies to promote wound healing.

Qualified participants receive all study-related care at no charge, including doctor visits with wound care specialists, medications and laboratory services.

For more information, please call (312) 942-2167.

Health Department holds free smoking cessation class

The Cook County Department of Public Health will sponsor a free smoking cessation class for residents of suburban Cook County. The class will be held in four one-hour sessions on Tuesdays, Nov. 1, 8, 15 and 22, from 10 a.m. to noon at St. Francis Hospital, 355 Ridge Avenue, Ridge 7 and 3 Conference Rooms, Evanston. Participants will be eligible to win Oprah Winfrey's new low fat cookbook.

Taught by a nurse from the health department, the class will focus on dealing with nicotine addiction, withdrawal symptoms and alternative methods of coping. Emphasis is placed on exercise, weight, nutrition and stress management as effective ways to make quitting a healthier and easier effort.

To register for the class, call (708) 445-2530. Persons needing accommodation for a disability should call (708) 445-2530 or TDD (for the hearing and speech impaired) at (708) 445-2406.

Self help mind body workshops

"Self-Hypnosis," the first in a series of Self Help Mind Body Workshops, sponsored by Rush North Shore Medical Center, will be held on Tuesday evenings, Nov. 1, 8, 15 and 22, 7 to 9:45 p.m. at the medical center.

Presented by Patricia Katherine Novick, Ph.D., topics will include how to change habits like overeating and how to achieve life goals through trance induction. Certification is available.

Dr. Novick is a clinical psychologist specializing in psychoneuroimmunology with 20 years of training and experience in a variety of psychological and body work disciplines.

There is a \$125 fee to attend. For further information or to make a reservation, call the Rush North Shore Referral Line at (708) 933-6000.

Keep Fit!

Panel discusses rights of disabled

Allegations that the rights of persons with disabilities are being violated at private and public facilities that provide mental health or developmental disabilities services will be discussed by the North Suburban Regional Human Rights Authority of the Illinois Commission on the 6 p.m., Tuesday, Nov. 1, at Forest Hospital, 555 Wilson Lane, Des Plaines.

The Human Rights Authority is a panel of nine citizen volunteers appointed by the Commission and empowered by statute to investigate alleged violations of the rights of persons with disabilities. The North Suburban Regional Human Rights Authority serves north/northwestern Cook and all of DuPage, Kane, Lake and McHenry counties. Rights violations may be reported at the meeting or by contacting the Human Rights Authority Coordinator at 9511 Harrison Street, FA101, Des Plaines, Illinois 60019, (708) 294-4264.

Healthy volunteers needed for stroke study

Northwestern University Medical School researchers need healthy volunteers for a research study on how strokes in various regions of the brain may interfere with the way people normally focus their attention.

Volunteers must be between the ages of 20 and 80; have no history of neurological disease, strokes, substance abuse or serious medical or psychiatric illness; and not be pregnant at the time of the study.

Volunteers will undergo a magnetic resonance imaging (MRI) scan of the head and two days of testing that will measure eye movements and reaction times to visual and auditory stimuli. Results of these tests will be compared with those of stroke patients.

Transportation and/or parking and lunch will be paid for, and snacks and rest periods will be provided throughout both days of the study. Volunteers will be paid a participation fee.

For more information contact AnnMarie Farina at (312) 908-9935.

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'Welcome to the Hospital' program educates community youth

Did you know some sneezes leave the body at over 100 miles per hour? Or that the tongue is the strongest muscle in the body? Children who attend Lutheran General Hospital's (LGH) "Welcome to the Hospital" program will learn these facts and a lot more. Designed to help ease the fears many children have when they stay in the hospital or a family member is hospitalized, this free program is geared for kindergarten through third grade classes.

Medical professionals from the hospital, including child life specialists, dietitians, and radiology and laboratory technicians, will speak to the children about what to expect when in the hospital and what it's like to be in the medical field. The children will view a video tape of an outpatient operation titled, "No Needles,"

and see a video tour of the hospital. The video tour allows kids to see places normally forbidden to visitors. In addition, volunteers from the audience will have the opportunity to dress as operating room professionals and experience first-hand what it's like to be a doctor.

Beginning Nov. 3, and running through June, "Welcome to the Hospital" presentations will be given on the first and third Thursdays of each month in the Johnson Auditorium of LGH, 1875 N. Dempster St., Park Ridge. Each program begins at 12:45 p.m. and lasts until 2 p.m. Reservations are now being taken.

For more information, or to arrange a field trip to the program, call the Public Relations Department of Lutheran General Health System, (708) 696-6110.

Questions & Answers

by Karen Collins, M.S., R.D. American Institute for Cancer Research

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In this new voluntary position, Rady, a member of the Board of Trustees of Rush North Shore Medical Center, will work with the hospital's Office of Philanthropy in identifying, cultivating, and soliciting corporations for their financial support.

In the appointment of Rady, Rush North Shore was looking for a corporate leader of distinction with high visibility on the North Shore. Rady is President of Lorex Pharmaceuticals of Skokie. Lorex is the North American joint venture between G. D. Searle and Synhelabo, a leading pharmaceutical business in Europe.

Ms. Rady received her MBA from Northwestern University and her MS and BS from the University of Illinois, Urbana. She resides in Glenview.

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A certified SmokeStoppers instructor will use a three-stage, multiple treatment approach teaching psychological, physical, and nutritional strategies to help smokers quit comfortably and confidently.

The cost of the class is \$125. Pre-registration is required; space is limited. For more information, call Northwestern Memorial Hospital at (312) 908-8400.

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All programs will be held from 7 to 8:30 p.m. at Ballard, 9300 Ballard Road, in Des Plaines. Participants may register for one or all three programs free of charge. For more information or to register, call (708) 294-2400.

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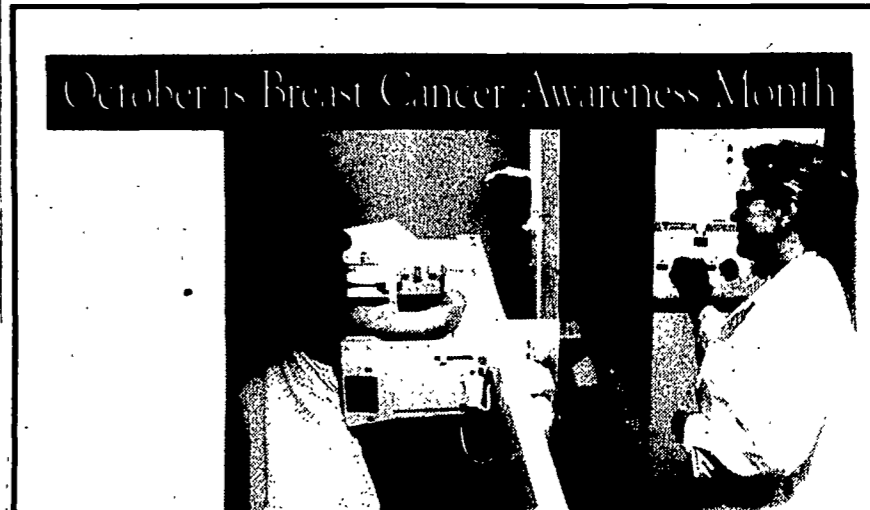
Health News

Bed and Breakfast program announced

Holy Family Medical Center announced Bed and Breakfast, a convenient program that offers a unique alternative to plastic surgery patients who do not want to return home after surgery.

This special pilot program for plastic/cosmetic procedures offers patients one night of hotel-like lodging in a comfortably decorated room, with meals and necessary medical care provided.

If you would like more information about this special Bed and Breakfast program, call MedConnection, Holy Family's free physician referral and appointment service at (708) 297-1800, ext. 1110.



Mammography is a vital diagnostic x-ray of a woman's breasts, which can detect tiny breast cancers which cannot be seen or felt. Swedish Covenant's mammography equipment, radiologists and female technologists have American College of Radiology (ACR) accreditation and are fully approved under Federal Mammography Quality Standards Act (MQSA) guidelines.

SCH supports the American Cancer Society's screening guidelines: a first (or "baseline") mammogram should be done between the ages of 35 and 40. Between ages 40 and 50, mammography should be done once every 1 to 2 years, and every year after the age of 50.

We offer convenient hours for mammography (Mon - Fri - noon to 6:30 pm, and Sat - 9 am to 3 pm). You will need a doctor's order to have a mammogram. Please call 312-989-3814 to make an appointment for a mammogram.

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Women's News

Mother helpers to meet

La Leche League of Skokie-Morton Grove has been helping mothers in the local area since 1957. We meet regularly to discuss breast-feeding information and to receive encouragement from other mothers.

Our next meeting is on Nov. 3. It will be held at the Skokie Public Library 5212 W. Oakton St., Skokie. The meeting time is 9:45 to 11:45 a.m. Our discussion topic will be: "Starting Solids and Improving Family Nutrition."

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New children's resale shop opens in Niles

If you spend a fortune for your child's clothing, just to have them grow out of it after wearing it only once or twice, your problems may soon be over. Children's Orchard, the leader in children's resale boutiques, is set to open their doors in Niles with a Grand Opening Celebration in November.

Children's Orchard stores feature new and gently used clothes, toys, books and equipment at bargain prices. Only freshly laundered, unstained clothing is accepted for sale, and unlike consignment shops, Children's Orchard pays cash on the spot for accepted clothing.

Started back in 1980, Children's Orchard stores are now

franchised, with stores from Maine to Honolulu. Recently, Entrepreneur Magazine called Children's Orchard, "...number one in children's resale." The Niles store, located at 8526 Golf Road (corner of Golf and Milwaukee, in Venture Plaza), will be the first of many new stores planned for the Chicagoland area.

Manager Lynn Spehn said she expects an exciting Grand Opening. "They're always great. We'll have clowns and fun for the kids, and of course, all the great bargains for parents!"

To make an appointment to sell your children's outgrown items, call Children's Orchard at (708) 470-1105.

Rummage Sale

The St. Cornelius Ladies Guild will hold their annual Rummage Sale on Friday, Oct. 28, from 9 a.m. to 9 p.m. and Saturday Oct. 29, from 9 a.m. to noon at St. Cornelius Church Hall, located at 5340 W. Foster Ave.

There will be clothes, housewares, paintings, books and many more items for the buyers' needs. Funds from the fund raiser will help support many charitable projects.

Breastfeeding classes offered

Northwestern Memorial Hospital is offering a two-class series to help mothers who are breast-feeding on two Thursdays, Nov. 3 and 10, from 7 to 9 p.m.

The cost of the series is \$20 per family. For more information on these classes, call Northwestern Memorial Hospital at (312) 908-8400.

Congratulations! Zatlin-Miner

Mr. and Mrs. Harry Zatlin of Glenview announce the engagement of their daughter, Michelle Margaret, to Kenneth Allen Miner, son of Mr. and Mrs. Donald Miner of Aurora.

The bride-to-be is a graduate of Maine Township High School East in Park Ridge. She is a senior in pre-med at the University of Illinois, Urbana-Champaign.

The future groom is a graduate of West Aurora High School and the University of Illinois, Urbana-Champaign. He is employed at Spoon River Valley High School, London Mills, as a band director.

The wedding will be in June 1995 at Ebenezer Lutheran Church in Chicago.



Kellerman to address Major Gifts Luncheon

Faye Kellerman, award-winning mystery author, will address the Major Gifts Luncheon of the Jewish United Women's Board on Wednesday, Nov. 2, at 11 a.m., at the Standard Club.

Kellerman's novels follow the crime-solving exploits of Los Angeles Detective Peter Decker and Rena Lazarus, an Orthodox Jewish widow.

Ilene Novack, Chair of the Major Gifts program, expects 150 women to attend. A Women's-Only 1995 contribution of \$1,800 is required to attend. For information, call Francine Hersh at (312) 444-2849.

Sanctuary, Kellerman's eighth and latest novel, is due for publication in October. Her first novel, *The Ritual Bath*, was awarded "Best First Novel" by the Mystery Readers of America in 1986.

The JUF Women's Board hosts a year-round schedule of educational and fundraising events focusing on women's issues and needs.

"We are thrilled that Ms. Kellerman will be our guest," Novack said. "Her presence will bring increased attendance to our luncheon, at which we hope to raise increased funds for the 1995 Jewish United Fund-Israel Emergency Fund. We need increased funds this year to help pay for the continuing influx of Jews from the former Soviet Union to Israel and Chicago."

Women's health topic of discussion

The Chicago Center for Clinical Research (CCCR) will host a discussion on the topic of "Women's Health in the 90's: Balance the Odds."

Kathleen B. Drennan, CCCR president and Chief Operating Officer and Vesna Skul, M.D., F.A.C.P., Medical Director, Rush Center for Women's Medicine, will address the current status of medical treatment available for women today on Wednesday, Nov. 16, 5:30 to 6:30 p.m. at 515 N. State Street, Ste 2700, Chicago.

Speakers will address pharmaceutical and governmental interest in women's health, as well as recent controversy involving estrogen and its role in the treatment of heart disease and osteoporosis.

Please call Jodi Brichan for more information at (312) 494-2203.



Welcome, baby!
Shauna Kathleen Czarnik
Shauna Kathleen Czarnik was born on August 20 at Lutheran General Hospital. She weighed 7 lbs. 11 oz.
Parents are Kathy and Ray Czarnik of Niles.
Shauna has one brother, Scotty age 3 1/2.
Grandparents are Kurt and Nancy Redig of Niles and Ray and June Czarnik of Chicago.

Woman's Club sponsoring Mystery Extravaganza

The Woman's Club of Niles (GFWC IFWC, 10th District) will be the next regular meeting for members and friends of Mayfair Presbyterian Church's Women's Luncheon and Mystery Extravaganza being held on Saturday, Oct. 29 at The Country Squire Restaurant in Grayslake.

Members are looking forward to the "Mystery Play," as well as hoping to join the ranks of the winners for the many prizes being offered. This is the 10th District's major fundraiser event and a huge turnout is anticipated.

Membership brunch

Ladies Auxiliary Department of Illinois Jewish War Veterans of the U.S.A. will hold a Membership Brunch on Sunday, Oct. 30 at the Angus Restaurant, 7555 N. Western Avenue, Chicago. There will be good food, an entertaining afternoon with new and old friends.

Women's Club honors past presidents

The Woman's Club of Skokie celebrates their 68th birthday at a luncheon/meeting on Wednesday, Nov. 2, at 11:30 a.m. at the Holiday Inn Northshore, 6300 Touhy, Skokie.

During this special bell-ringing occasion, the club will be honoring past presidents. James Rowan will present "Travels of a Wildlife Photographer" for your entertainment.

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ICWV luncheon to be held

The Illinois Council of Women Veterans observe National Women Veterans Week with a luncheon to be held at La Villa, 3636 North Pulaski Road (just north of Addison St.) in Chicago on Nov. 5.

All active duty, reserve, veteran and civilian women and men are cordially invited to attend. Following a no host bar, lunch will be served at 1 p.m. Cost is \$20 per person. To make reservations, please call Leona at (312) 589-1114.

Polish Alliance to host seminar

The Polish Women's Alliance will sponsor a seminar on Living Trusts, from 9 to 11 a.m., Wednesday, Nov. 2, at their national headquarters, 205 So. Northwest Hwy., Park Ridge.

Attorney Chester Przybylo, of Przybylo and Kubiatowski in Chicago, will conduct the seminar. There is no fee to attend and the public is welcome. Please register by calling the P.W.A. office, (708) 384-1200, Monday through Friday, from 9 to 3 p.m.

La Leche League

La Leche meets every second Thursday of every month from 7:30 to 10 p.m. in the Des Plaines room at Holy Family Medical Center, located at the corner of Golf and River roads in Des Plaines. La Leche is an organization dedicated to providing education, support and encouragement to women who want to breastfeed.

For more information, contact Mary Ann Bangert at (312) 631-7681.

Fund raising event for women in Jewish philanthropy

Some of the nation's most prominent women in Jewish philanthropy will participate in the United Jewish Appeal National Women's Campaign Seventh Annual Zohar/Emerald Lion of Judah Event, being held Sunday, Oct. 30 through Tuesday, Nov. 1 at the Ritz Carlton Hotel.

"The program will run the gamut, dealing with substantive issues in Israel, delving into national concerns here at home and enjoying the fabulous art and architecture of Chicago," said Harriet Lewis, Host Committee Chairman.

The event will include a dialogue between Jewish-American and Palestinian-American women on the continuing peace process in the Middle East. Panelists will be author Blu Greenberg, member of the Commission on Women's Equality of American Jewish Congress; Esther Leah Ritz, former president of the Jewish Welfare Board; Najat Ararat Khelli, a nuclear physicist who is president of both the Arab Women's Council and of Roots, a Palestinian-American youth organization; and Rhonda Zaharna, Professor of Communications, American University in Washington, D.C.

Other speakers at the three-day event include Linda Sher, founder of the Joint Action Committee, a women's political action committee; Nimrod Barkan, Minister for Public Affairs, Embassy of Israel; Carol Solomon, National Chairman of the United Jewish Appeal Women's Campaign; Roseanne Diamond, National Zeta

Chairman; Arthur Avnon, Consul General of Israel to the Midwest; Rachel Meir Korazim; Israeli scholar and educator; and Andrea Levin of the Committee for Accuracy in Middle Eastern Reporting in America.

Another program highlight will be an exploration of several Chicago art and architectural landmarks. Participants highlight will be an exploration of several Chicago art and architectural landmarks. Participants also will be guests in the homes of Doris Newberger, Joanne Randall Malkin and Daryl Gerber.

Roseanne Diamond of Atlanta and Helaine Lender of New Haven, Connecticut are co-chairs for this national event, which has previously been held in New York, Miami, Los Angeles and Washington D.C. A \$25,000 minimum Women's Only Gift is required to attend.

For information, call Sondra Topper, Director of the Jewish United Fund Women's Division, at (312) 444-2831.

CONGRATULATIONS Skaja-Salerno



Laura Ann Salerno, daughter of Joseph and Antoinette Salerno, of Niles, and Keith A. Skaja, son of Bernard and Marilyn Skaja, of Park Ridge, are engaged and will be married at Our Lady of Ransom Church in Niles.

Laura graduated from Maine East High School in 1985. She has worked in the Records Dept. of the Niles Police Dept. since May 1988.

Keith graduated from Notre Dame High School for Boys in 1989 and attended Lincoln College in Springfield.

Laura Ann and Keith plan to honeymoon in Sandals Resort and plan to live in Des Plaines.

Ladies Auxiliary to host fund raiser

The Park Ridge V.F.W. Post #3579 Ladies Auxiliary is holding its annual Card and Bunco Party on Friday, Nov. 4 at 7:30 p.m. at their Post Home, 10 W. Higgins, on the corner of Higgins and Canfield. You can make your \$2.50 donation at the door. If by check, make it payable to: Ladies Auxiliary VFW Post #3579.

Celebrating Adoption conference set

Learn how the Baby Richard case and recent adoption legislation may affect you and your adoption. Richard Lifshitz, the attorney who is representing the adoptive parents in this case, will answer your legal questions.

Adoptive Families Today, an adoption support group based in the northwest suburbs of Chicago, announces its second annual adoption conference, entitled Celebrating Adoption.

This one-day conference will feature keynote address on "Growing Your Family" by Patricia Irwin Johnston, M.S., an adoption educator, author, and publisher at Perspectives Press in Indianapolis, Indiana. Ms. Johnston will also present workshops on the following topics: "How to

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Des Plaines resident serves on fashion show committee

Loretta Dwellie of Des Plaines has joined EHS Home Health Care Service's planning committee for a celebrity fashion show and dinner to raise money for EHS Hospice's surrogate caregiver and respite programs. The event, titled "The Good Life Celebration Dinner," will be held Thursday, Nov. 3, at the Drury Lane, Oakbrook Terrace. It will kick off with a reception at 6:30 p.m. and dinner at 7:30 p.m., followed by the fashion show. Tickets are \$75 per person.

For more information and tickets, call (708) 368-6623.

Proceeds from the fashion show will go to the surrogate caregiver program, which places 24-hour, live-in caregivers with terminally ill individuals, and the respite program, which offers caregivers who provide short-term relief for people caring for terminally ill family members.

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Niles club hosts Las Vegas Night

The Optimist Club of Niles will hold a Las Vegas Night fundraiser on Thursday, Oct. 27.

The Las Vegas-style casino night will be held at the Chateau Ritz, located at 9100 Milwaukee Avenue in Niles. Doors will be open at 3:30 p.m. and close at midnight. Come try your luck at blackjack, craps, poker and the money wheel.

Admission is free, and complimentary coffee is served during the event. Food and other beverages will be available for purchase.

Area students to perform in comedy

Loyola's Thespian Troupe is staging the Moss Hart/George S. Kaufman comedy, "The Man Who Came To Dinner," on Oct. 28-30 in the Academy's Little Theater.

Cast members include David Kunicki of Chicago, Joe Wenger of Glenview, Anne Lidgus of Park Ridge, Katie Krings of Glenview, Kristy Lobo and Jason Feldner of Skokie, Marilyn McCarville of Northbrook, Bill Lloyd of Park Ridge, Mary Patrick and Gimra Vergara of Niles and Christy Geisel of Glenview.

Evening performances Friday and Saturday at 8 p.m., Sunday Matinee at 2 p.m. Call (708) 256-1100 for reservations. Tickets are \$5 and available at the door.

Savings books help fund Lions Club of Niles

Entertainment '95, Chicago's leading discount dining and leisure discount book, is now being sold by the Lions Club of Niles, for \$35.

There are five huge Chicago-area editions to choose from. Each book contains a Fine Dining section with distinctive membership card, plus hundreds of two-for-one and 50 percent off coupons for family dining, fast food, movies, theatre and sporting events, shopping, services and travel.

Lion William Wetendorf of the Lions Club of Niles said that a portion of the proceeds from the sale of the Entertainment '95 books will help fund the Lions Club of Niles with its many humanitarian programs.

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Township Seniors plan music-filled November

Maine Township Seniors plan a November filled with musical events, including a trip to a 1920s speakeasy-theme dinner theater and an invitation to see "The Sound of Music" at Maine West High School.

The Seniors' monthly bingo games will be held on Tuesday, Nov. 1, at Oakton Arms, 1665 Oakton Pl., Des Plaines, and on Thursday, Nov. 3, at the Maine Township Town Hall, 1700 Ballard Rd., Park Ridge. Doors open at noon and play begins at 1 p.m. There is a limit of 100 players at each location and advance registration is required. An admission fee of 50 cents is charged at the door to cover the cost of coffee and sweetroll.

On Thursday, Nov. 3, Seniors are invited to attend a performance of "The Sound of Music" at Maine West High School, 1755 S. Wolf Rd., Des Plaines. The show starts at 4:15 p.m. Admission is free to Maine Township Seniors wearing their membership buttons.

Old-time tunes from the 1920s through 1940s will entertain Seniors on Wednesday, Nov. 9, and Thursday, Nov. 10, during the monthly noon luncheons at Banquets by Brigante in Park Ridge. Musical performers are "Ragtime Charlie" and "Nighttime Nancy," who will appear in period costumes during the afternoon.

On the menu are cream of chicken soup, salad, turkey, dressing, cranberries, peas, sweet potato and pumpkin pie. The cost is \$7.50 per member, \$8.50 per guest. Guests may attend on a space available basis.

Later in the month, on Thursday, Nov. 17, the 1920s theme continues with a trip to Gangster-town in Schiller Park. Formerly Dry Gulch, Gangsterstown features bad guys and flappers singing and dancing to some of the best songs of the Prohibition Era, including hits by Cole Porter, George Gershwin and Duke Ellington. Comedy sketches and other surprises also add to the speakeasy atmosphere.

Lunch includes: homemade soup, salad, pasta, chicken vesuvio, oven-roasted potatoes, bakery bread and Italian cookies.

Buses will leave at 10:45 a.m. from the Maine West High School parking lot, and will return to the school at about 3:15 p.m. The cost for transportation, lunch and the show is \$31.50 per member and \$36.50 per guest.

On Monday, Nov. 28, township art instructor Suzanne Horzya will teach Seniors how to make paper twist holiday decorations for a doorway or mantel. The class is scheduled for 9:30 to 11:30 a.m. at the Maine Township Town Hall. The cost is \$6 and Seniors should bring their own scissors and a hot glue gun, if they have one. Registration is required.

More than 3,800 residents are part of the Maine Township Seniors. Most activities are limited to members, but there's no cost to join and new members always are welcome. Residents who wish to enroll must be at least 65 years old and live in Maine Township. For a membership application, or for more information about trips and other activities, call Sue Neuschel, Director of Adult and Senior Services, at 297-2510, ext. 240 or 241.

New Paramount project puts the fun in fundraiser

Fun takes center stage at the Paramount Arts Centre, Sunday, Oct. 30 with the BOOgie Bash!

In this exclusive Paramount presentation following the Sunday afternoon Dance!mel performance, a Halloween party featuring dance lessons given by the dance!mel cast members will be held on the Paramount stage.

As a special fundraiser, attendees will join the cast on stage and will have the opportunity to learn such dances as the swing, tango and country line dances. Costumes are optional, but will make attendees more difficult to recognize if they should decide to learn to disco!

A portion benefiting the Paramount Arts Centre and the Paramount Arts Centre Endowment, the BOOgie Bash will be held in conjunction with the Dance!mel performance. An explosion of art and history Dance!mel will feature an eight member troupe performing in a high-spirited masquerade, with dances from the 18th century to the present complete with costumes and music from each era.

The Paramount Arts Centre, a not-for-profit organization, is supported by ticket sales, corporate sponsorships, grants, a city subsidy and fundraisers such as the BOOgie Bash. These fundraising efforts are used to insure the variety of quality programming that the Paramount is famous for. Funds are also used to maintain the architectural integrity of the historic landmark building.

Niles Concert Choir to perform Mozart's Requiem

St. John Cantius Parish, 925 N. Carpenter, Chicago, will celebrate an All Souls Day Tridentine Latin Mass, Wednesday evening, Nov. 2, at 7:30 p.m. The musical setting of the mass is taken from Mozart's Requiem and will be performed by the Niles Concert Choir & Symphony Orchestra under the direction of Rev. Stanley Rudick.

St. John Cantius, which just celebrated its centennial anniversary last year, is an example of Polish Cathedral-style Baroque architecture. The Polish immigrants favored these massive ornate and elaborate churches, the so-called "Polish Cathedrals" recalling the glory days of the Polish Commonwealth.

For more information on the Mass or future concerts, call Domata at (708) 392-4985.

Lon Chaney stars at Gateway



Lon Chaney and Mary Philbin star in the original 1925 silent "Phantom of the Opera" at the Gateway Theatre, 5216 W. Lawrence, Chicago, on Oct. 28.

"The Phantom of the Opera," the original 1925 silent horror classic, will be presented in a special one-night-only screening at the Gateway Theatre, 5216 W. Lawrence, Chicago on Friday, Oct. 28 at 8 p.m.

Starring in the lead role is the master of the silent horror film era, Lon Chaney. Chaney plays Erik, the disfigured voice coach who lives a life of misery in the sewers under the Paris Opera House as the Phantom. Silent screen leading lady Mary Philbin plays Christine, lovely singing starlet debuting in Gounod's opera "Faust." When Christine rejects Erik, the Phantom takes revenge.

Unique arts and crafts at Holiday Bazaar

The public is invited. "Come to the Holiday Cafe" at the heart of the Bazaar. Free refreshments and beverages are offered to visitors during November and December.

This holiday event runs from Nov. 8 through Dec. 1. An opening reception takes place Friday, Nov. 11, from 7:30 to 9:30 p.m. Gallery hours are now Tuesday through Saturday, from 2 to 5 p.m., Thursday, from 2 to 7 p.m. (Hours may change. Call before a visit), (708) 253-3005. The Artcenter is open to the public. There is no admission fee.

Jazz concert scheduled

The Jazz Vespers present an evening of contemporary Jazz Music on Sunday, Oct. 30 at 7:30 p.m. to be held at Lutheran Church of the Resurrection, 8450 North Sherman Road, Niles (One block south of Main St. on Sherman Rd., between Dempster and Oakton Streets).

The concert will feature Marc Januszkiwicz, piano; Nick Tounias, bass; Rusty Jones, drums; and Jerry Di Musio, tenor sax.

Proceeds will benefit the residents of Augustana Center Programs in Chicago. A portion of the proceeds will be matched by Lutheran Brotherhood Branch 8026, Des Plaines.

Centerlight Theatre presents 'Arsenic and Old Lace'

Centerlight Theatre opens its sixth season with the Joseph Kesselring murder farce, "Arsenic and Old Lace." The production will be performed simultaneously in sign language and voice by actors who are Deaf, Hard of Hearing, and Hearing.

Performances run Nov. 3, 4, 5, 10, 11, 12, 17, 18 and 19 at 8 p.m. and Nov. 6, 13 and 20 at 2 p.m. at the Center on Deafness, Black Box Theatre, 3444 Dundee Rd., Northbrook.

The hilarious tale of two sweet old ladies with a unique charity. The two interview homeless, lonely old men as prospective lodgers, determine their religious background and kindly offer them a glass of their own homemade elderberry wine, spiced with "a tablespoon of arsenic, a half tablespoon of strychnine and just a pinch of cyanide" and then give them a proper christian burial in their cellar.

"Arsenic and Old Lace" also kicks off the official opening of Centerlight's new performance space, The Black Box Theatre, at the Center on Deafness in Northbrook. The cozy 100 seat studio theatre was very well received during the short run of our summer workshop productions. The facility includes a new lighting and sound system.

Tickets are available in advance and cost \$8 adults, \$6 seniors, \$4 children under 12. Tickets at the door are \$10-\$5. There is limited seating. For tickets, call (708) 559-1001 voice or (708) 559-9493 TTY. Visa and MasterCard accepted.

Embroider's Guild to meet

The North Suburban Embroider's Guild will meet on Tuesday, Nov. 1 at 9:30 a.m. at the Village Church, 1300 Sherman Road, Northbrook. The guest speaker will be Carol Wilcox Wells who will give a slide lecture and a viewing of several artist's pieces.

There is a \$3 fee for visitors.

For further information, contact Mary Allen, Publicity Chairman, NSEG, at (708) 272-3642.

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Ballard to host annual trick or treat



Eli Pick, Ballard's Executive Director, is shown here with his son David (left) and nephew Cameron (right) at Ballard's Trick-or-Treat Trail. Last year, Ballard hosted over 500 children. This year's event will be held on Monday, Oct. 31 from 5 to 7 p.m. Children, ages 12 and under, are welcome to come join in the ghostly fun when accompanied by an adult.

Children up to age 12 and accompanied by parents are invited to Ballard, a healthcare residence in Des Plaines, for a safe Halloween on Monday, Oct. 31, from 5 to 7 p.m. Ballard is located at 9300 Ballard Road, between Potter Rd. and Golf Rd. For more information or directions, call (708) 294-2300.

The children will follow what the residents have named the "Trick-or-Treat Trail," visiting more than a dozen Halloween booths designed and manned by Ballard residents. The residents, who have been planning the event for weeks, will be dressed up as witches, gypsies, ghosts and other Halloween characters. At the trick-or-treat booths, children can

pick up small gifts as well as traditional Halloween candies. At the end of the "Trick-or-Treat Trail," children are invited to test their skills and in prizes at a variety of games. Some of the games on the roster, such as "Pin the Nose on the Pumpkin" and "Boo Buckets," are traditional favorites with a Halloween twist.

"Halloween will be an all-day affair for Ballard residents, as they ready their trick-or-treat booths and put the finishing touches on their costumes," said Eli Pick, executive director for Ballard. "Frankly, I don't know who will have more fun, Ballard residents or the kids."

Halloween Safety

There is no real "trick" to making Halloween a real treat for the entire family. Halloween dangers are not from witches or spirits but rather from improper costume design that can create a "trick-or-treat" hazard. The National Safety Council offers the following suggestions:

Costume Design
 • Only fire-retardant materials should be used for costumes.
 • Be sure costumes are loose enough so that warm clothes can be worn underneath.

Costumes should not be so long that they are a tripping hazard. (Falls are the leading cause of accidents on Halloween.)
 • Choose outfits made with light colored materials. Strips of retro-reflective tape should be used to make children even more visible.
 • For youngsters under the age of 12, attach their name, address and telephone number (including their area code) to

and to allow freedom of movement.
 • Masks can obstruct vision. Facial make-up is safer, more colorful and more comfortable.
 • When buying special Halloween makeup, check for packages containing ingredients that are labeled "Made with U.S. Approved Color Additives," "Laboratory Tested," "Meets Federal Standards for Cosmetics," or "Non-Toxic." Most manufacturers list ingredients and/or chemical analysis on packages. Follow manufacturer's instruction for application.
 • If masks are worn, they should have openings for the nose and mouth, and large eye holes for good visibility.

Accessories
 • Knives, swords and other accessories should be made from cardboard or flexible materials. Do not allow children to carry sharp objects.
 • Bags or sacks carried by youngsters should be light-colored or designed or trimmed with retro-reflective tape if trick-or-treaters are allowed out after dark.
 • Carrying flashlights will help children see better and be seen more clearly.
 • With a little extra thought and planning, you can make sure that trick-or-treaters have safe outings on Halloween.

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Black cats not for adoption for Halloween

The Anti-Cruelty Society will continue its practice of removing black cats from the adoption room during the week prior to and including Halloween. This practice was established to prevent pranksters from adopting animals to accompany their costumes or as props to be discarded later. Black cats will be returned to the adoption room on Nov. 1.

Since 1899, the Society has continually discouraged the use of animals as adornments, or items to be discarded when unwanted. The encouragement of a permanent relationship between a pet and owner has been a part of the Anti-Cruelty Society's mission for 95 years.

Halloween may be a fun holiday for people, but it can be very stressful for certain animals.

When opening the door for trick-or-treaters, make sure your pet does not slip outside. Also, watch for Halloween treats left in accessible places. Never let your animals eat chocolate - it can be toxic, and other candies can upset sensitive stomachs.

Please do not leave your dog alone in the yard. Neighborhood pranksters have been known to harm animals that are not protected. Cats should never be left outdoors.

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Fabric dyes for Halloween

Halloween is just around the corner, but there's still plenty of time to create a colorful menagerie of make-believe animals using Dylon Cold Water Fabric Dyes. Dyeing fabric is no longer just for covering up dingy whites or faded colors. It's a fun new way to create exciting fabric designs with vibrant colors.

Dyeing fabric is much easier than it used to be, no boiling is needed. Thanks to the European technology used in producing Dylon Cold Water Fabric Dyes, it's no longer necessary to boil the dye bath. Dyeing is done at room temperature. Not only are these dyes easy to use, but the results are superior, too. Known as fiber reactive dyes, the Dylon Cold Water Dyes are permanent and colorfast. The colors will not fade or wash out.

Halloween costumes are always fun to make. This menagerie of "make believe" animals includes a spotted cow, striped zebra and a friendly golden brown lion. To capture the spirit of these animals, you start with bleached, white cotton muslin. You'll get the most intense colors from a fabric without any finishes. Before dyeing, wash fabric with a mild detergent and dry.

To create "spots or stripes," the

Scream and yell as you venture forth into the dark dreary depths of this horrific haunted hideaway being hosted by the Skokie Park District. Close your eyes and clench your teeth as you make your way through the haunted house - the Halls of Horror!

The Halls of Horror will be open Friday, Saturday, and Monday from 6:30 to 10:30 p.m. at the Skokie Water Playground, 4701 Oakton St.

Attention Junior High Students - if you find courage to journey out on Monday night, Halloween, we offer a bloodpumping treat, beginning with a gory trip through the Halls of Horror Haunted House. At 8 p.m., you are welcome to traipse over to Oakton Center where we'll have your blood boiling as you watch Arachnophobia a creepy, crawly favorite. After the movie, we'll break to the park for a Shaving Cream and Egg Slop. We'll supply all the eggs and shaving cream, just bring a couple of old towels with you to clean out the cobwebs after the Slop. All Junior High students must have a park district I.D. in order to participate.

Entry fees vary, contact the park district at 674-1500, for further details.

For complete details on the 1994 "Skulls" Haunted House, contact the Franklin Park Park District at (708) 455-2852.

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Halloween safety tips from North Maine Fire

The North Maine Fire Department would like everyone to have a safe Halloween. We would like to share some safety tips that may prevent any needless accidents from happening.

- Maintain a lighted area where trick-or-treaters will be approaching your door.
- Purchase only fire resistant costumes. There should be some indication on the packaging, as to whether the costume is fire resistant.
- Do not wear costumes or masks that block the normal vision field.
- Trick-or-treaters should only visit people they are familiar with. They should stay within an agreed upon area.
- Trick-or-treaters should carry a flashlight so they can be seen when crossing the street, or have a large area of reflective material on their costume. No candles or fire producing items should be used.
- Trick-or-treaters should be accompanied by a responsible adult, or travel in groups.
- A time limit should be established for trick-or-treaters, so they know when to be back home.
- All treats should be checked by a responsible adult before children are allowed to eat their goodies.
- Remind your children to stay away from strangers.

Halloween happenings

Something Spooktacular is happening at the Skokie Park District on Saturday, Oct. 29. Boys and Ghouls are invited to participate in the Fifth Annual Halloween Happenings. There will be a costume parade, ghoulish games, creepy crafts, entertainment and a haunted hayride.

This safe alternative to trick or treating will be held at the Oakton Community Center, 4701 Oakton Street, from 1 to 4 p.m. (costume judging will be held at 3 p.m.). Advanced tickets are available for a discount rate of \$2 for children ages 3-10, \$1 for adults and children under 2 years. Advance tickets are available at the Devonshire and Oakton Centers.

The Park District will also be hosting a special "Halloween" version of our haunted house for children ages 10 and under accompanied by an adult. The "Halls of Horror Haunted House" will be open from 1 to 4 p.m. at the Skokie Water Playground, also located at 4701 Oakton St. in Skokie. Tickets on Saturday are \$2 per child, \$1 per adult. Call 674-1500 for further information.

First Colonial hosts "Purple Pumpkin" party

All children of the community are invited to attend First Colonial Bank Northwest's "Purple Pumpkin" party on Saturday, Oct. 29, when Free pumpkins -- and other goodies -- will be given away to any child under the age of 14.

The "Purple Pumpkin" party will be held from 10 a.m. to noon on Oct. 29 at First Colonial Bank Northwest, located at 8720 West Dempster in Niles. Some of the pumpkins being

given away will have been dyed with a harmless purple food coloring and the lucky youngsters who select and carve one of these will receive a surprise gift. All they need to do is bring the carved, colored pumpkin back to the bank the same day or on the next business day to receive their prize.

Be sure to call First Colonial Bank Northwest at (708) 298-3300 if you will be coming to the party!

Regency welcomes trick-or-treaters

Ghosts, goblins, witches and other assorted scary monsters and friendly critters are invited to trick-or-treat from 3 to 6 p.m., Monday, Oct. 31, at Regency Nursing Centre.

The Regency Women's Auxiliary, comprised of residents, annually participates in the Halloween Celebration. Children from Niles, northwest Chicago and

other nearby neighborhoods are invited to visit Regency for candy and other treats. Regency Nursing Centre is located between Devon and Touhy Avenues at 6631 North Milwaukee Avenue in Niles.

Halloween Party and Haunted House

Mount your broomsticks and fly to the Winnetka Community House for the 79th annual Halloween Party and Haunted House on Oct. 30 and 31. The Haunted House is open Sunday, Oct. 30 from 1:30 until 4 p.m. The Haunted House is open Halloween from 4 until 7 p.m., and there is a Halloween Party at that time as well.

The Winnetka Community House is at the corner of Lincoln and Pine Streets in Winnetka, and for those without a broom, is accessible by public transportation. The festivities are geared for children 12 and under and admission is \$3 at the door. Call (708) 446-0537 for more information and ask for Kevin if you are interested in becoming a volunteer.

Halloween fun at Centre East

A Halloween treat comes to Centre East in Skokie Sunday, Oct. 30 at 7:30 p.m. when Ballet Theatre Pennsylvania brings its production of Dracula: The Ballet to the stage. Patrons are encouraged to come in costume and join in the Halloween festivities.

In Dracula: The Ballet, 19th century Dracula trades his noble lineage and Victorian seduction style for the cloak of a modern-day, prowling bar patron. Vampires fly and dancers use classic and romantic styles in the production, which Ballet Theatre Pennsylvania Artistic Director Mary Hepper describes as "visually compelling."

Inspired by the Broadway production of "Phantom of the Opera," Hepper and choreographer Leslie Jane Pessmerer created the concept in which the Dracula character enters a bar and is swiftly seduced by the Queen of the Undead. Armed with preternatural powers, driven by unceasing bloodlust, Dracula rises to kill again and again. His ascension into evil begins. Torn between evil and compassion for his victims, Dracula faces a final battle in the struggle to rid himself of the last vestiges of his humanity.

Tickets for Dracula: The Ballet on Sunday, Oct. 30 at 7:30 p.m. are now on sale at the Centre East Box Office (7701 N. Lincoln Ave., Skokie) and at all Ticketmaster outlets. To charge tickets by phone, call Centre East at (708) 673-6300 or Ticketmaster at (312) 922-1500. The Centre East Box Office is open Monday-Friday, 10 a.m. to 3 p.m., and Saturday-Sunday, 10 a.m. to 2 p.m.

Do not allow children to carry

Helpful tips for a safe Halloween

Want to make sure that Halloween is a safe, fun day in your community? Here are some helpful tips from Prevent Child Abuse - Illinois, a chapter of the National Committee to Prevent Child Abuse.

Prevent Child Abuse President Diane Keller Kessler suggests that parents consider having their youngsters attend a community-sponsored celebration or home party. Some parents think neighborhood parties, with prizes for the most unique costumes and impersonations, are more fun than traditional "trick-or-treating" - and a lot safer.

Whether your child attends a party or goes door-to-door, here are some precautions you can take to avoid a Halloween tragedy.

First, be careful when purchasing or making costumes. Whether they are bought or home-made, costumes should be fire-resistant. Look for "flame proof" or "flame retardant" labels when purchasing costumes, masks, purses, or wigs.

Second, do not dress children in costumes made of flimsy materials or with big, baggy sleeves or billowing skirts. It's easy for a candle or other flame to ignite a loose sleeve or long skirt.

Costumes should be short enough that children won't trip on them. Masks and other disguises should not restrict vision or breathing. The safest mask is a natural one made of cosmetics applied directly to the skin.

Do not allow children to carry

candles or other open flames, even inside a pumpkin. "Trick-or-treaters" should carry flashlights or have reflective tape sewn onto their costumes.

Caution children against running across lawns or back yards where they might trip or fall in the darkness - and especially against dashing into the street from between parked cars.

A responsible adult should accompany young "trick-or-treaters," keeping them constantly in sight. Children should visit only those homes where the residents are known to the parents.

Finally, instruct your children not to eat the treats they collect until the candy, apples and other items have been carefully examined by an adult. Check wrappers or pre-packaged treats for signs of tampering. Slice apples and other fresh fruits before the children eat them. Slicing fruit will reveal any hidden objects, such as razor blades.

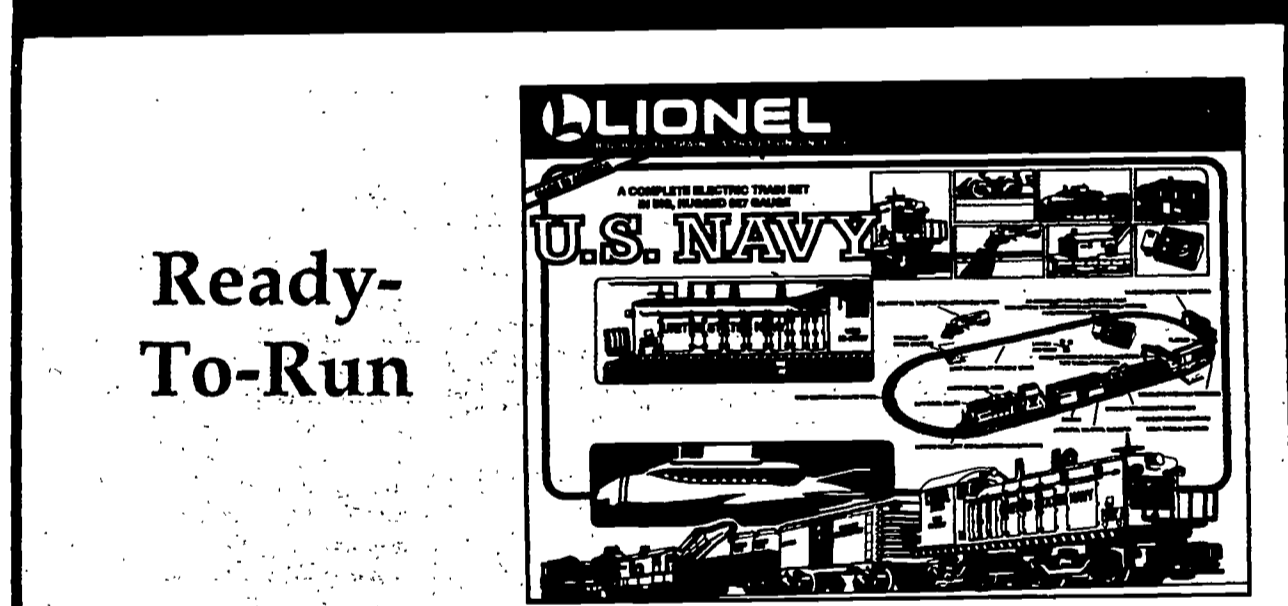
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The Fairy Tale Trail Halloween House

What happens when children with disabilities want to go trick or treating "like all the other kids?" How do they enjoy Halloween fun, one of the rituals of childhood, in a world of stairs and barriers? The National Lekotek Center and the Auxiliary Foundation of the Women's Club of Evanston will once again make certain that children with disabilities in Chicago are part of the childhood magic that is Halloween because of something called The Fairy Tale Trail.

The Fifth Annual Fairy Tale Trail Halloween House, a barrier-free fun house that makes Halloween fun possible for children, regardless of their disabilities or abilities, will open once again for three days beginning Sunday, Oct. 30 and concluding Tuesday, Nov. 1. Through a generous donation of space, Evanston's elegant Omni Orrington Hotel, 1710 Orrington Avenue, will be transformed into a fantasy world that offers fun for children of all abilities.

Because of the organizer's commitment to offering The Fairy Tale Trail to as many children as possible, admission is only \$3. Public hours are 11 a.m. to 5 p.m. on Sunday, Oct. 30, and 2 to 5 p.m. on Oct. 31. Pre-registered school groups can tour The Fairy Tale Trail between 9:30 a.m. and noon on Oct. 31, and 9:30 a.m. to noon on Nov. 1. School groups must make an advanced reservation by calling (708) 328-0001.

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Toilet paper on your trees and shaving cream on your car can be a headache on Halloween, but a liability suit would turn this festive holiday into a real nightmare for many suburban homeowners.

Chances are that more people will visit your home at Halloween than at any other time during the year, so it's a good time to make sure your property is safe for trick-or-treaters. But don't forget about pranksters. Incredible as it may sound, an act of vandalism does not protect you from being liable for their safety.

Atlantic Mutual Insurance Company offers these seven tips to minimize risk around your home and property this Halloween:

- Keep all outside lights on. The more lights you have turned on, the less likely you'll be targeted, and the less likely that any mischief-makers who enter your property will have an accident. Older kids do their devilish deeds later, so don't turn the lights out just because the doorbell has stopped ringing.

- Put away bikes, tools, ladders, rakes, etc. Besides the obvious places, such as walkways and the front yard, don't ignore areas that might be a thoroughfare for mischief-makers, such as your driveway and backyard. A clothesline, for example, could be an invisible hazard in the dark.

- Move potted plants and other decorations well away from steps and walkways.
- Repair faulty steps and walkways.

- Candlelit pumpkins can be dangerous as well as tempting. Put them in an area where visitors will be less likely to come too close. This will help reduce the possibility of trick-or-treaters' costumes catching fire, as well as deter pranksters.

- Lock gates, put cars in the garage and do anything else that will discourage juvenile intruders.
- Make sure swimming pools are securely covered and adequately illuminated.

Things to go bump in the night

Some very unusual things will be out along the trails at the Skokie Park District's Emily Oaks Nature Center during Halloween weekend, on Friday and Saturday, Oct. 28 and 29. Imagine bumping into a swamp that can talk, or having a conversation with a deep, dark forest! These and other misunderstood natural places hope to dispel common storybook myths and convince you that they are not as scary or spooky as we might think. In fact, swamps and bogs and old fields provide homes for lots of living things.

This event is intended to be fun and informative - NOT frightening and is a wonderful alternative Halloween event for families. Your visit with the animated natural places will end at a campfire featuring snacks and songs. Groups will leave every 15 minutes for the front gates. Tickets are on sale now at the Emily Oaks Nature Center, located at Brumel and Kenton in Skokie. Advance ticket purchase is recommended. Call 677-7001, for further information.

Halloween Party at the Pier

North Pier Festival Market invites all the little ghouls and goblins to celebrate the Halloween spirit at a Halloween Party at the Pier on Sunday, Oct. 30 beginning at noon.

The first 200 children will receive a free North Pier Halloween bag filled with candy treats. There will be roving entertainment provided by members of the North Pier Performing Troupe, and children will be able to meet "Oggie," North Pier's friendly dinosaur mascot. Children 12 and under will also be able to participate in a costume contest. Prizes will be awarded for the funniest, scariest and most original/creative costumes.

For more information on North Pier's Halloween Party at the Pier, call (800) FUN-PIER.

Pumpkin carving made simple

A Halloween holiday is simply not complete without the traditional carving of a festive Jack-O-Lantern. The Northbrook Park District will help you create the perfect festive face for your pumpkin on Friday, Oct. 28. Our Pumpkin Patch class at the Meadowhill Park Chalet will offer carving supplies and one pumpkin per family for a two-hour family fun activity.

Plan to sign up for this terrific Halloween project at the Park District Registration Office, 1730 Pfingsten Rd. Class information is listed in the 1994 Fall Recreation Guide.

OCC presents Halloween slide presentation

Oakton Community College will offer some free Halloween fun with "Ghost Hunter" Dale Kaczmarek on Thursday, Oct. 27 at 7 p.m. in Room 1540 of the Des Plaines Campus, 1600 E. Golf Rd.

Kaczmarek will present a slide show and lecture highlighting some of the "Royal Ghosts of England." Kaczmarek is a lecturer, author and president of the Ghost Research Society. For more information, call (708) 635-1725.

Celebrate Halloween at Chicago Children's Museum



Spirits will rise at Chicago's Children's Museum this October when the Museum presents its ever spooktacular Halloween Hoopla, from Oct. 18 to 30. Come in costume and enjoy over a week of Halloween activities and workshops. Create your own Halloween mask, make an environmentally-friendly Trick or Treat Bag or learn all about shadow puppets and special lighting effects in our Shadow Puppet Theater and Moonlight Pumpkin Patch. For more information on Halloween activities, call (312) 527-1000.

Prevent a frightful Halloween

When the ghosts, goblins and other creatures of the night come to haunt your neighborhood on Halloween night, simple safety tips can help prevent a fun night of trick-or-treating from becoming a night of horror.

- When kids go trick-or-treating, they should wear light or bright colored costumes that are visible at night so others can spot them easily," said Debbie Everett, emergency department director at Holy Family Medical Center. "Make sure costumes and masks fit properly, and do not block their vision or hearing. This can be very dangerous, especially near busy streets or highways."
- The following are some tips Everett suggests to ensure a safe and fun Halloween:
 - Do not let your children go out alone;
 - Carry a flashlight to add to your visibility;
 - Only visit people you know, and stay in the neighborhood;
 - Do not let children eat treats until you check them; Advise children not to talk to strangers or get into a stranger's car;
 - Obey trick-or-treat hours set by your community; and
 - Discard all unwrapped or loosely wrapped items.

Ghost stories for the brave

Now is the time to get in the mood for Halloween. Sign up for the special program "Ghost Stories for the Brave of Heart" at the Youth Services desk at the Lincolnwood Library, 4000 W. Pratt Ave.

The scary programs begin at 4 p.m. on Black Friday, Oct. 28, and features bewitching storyteller Rick Kinnebrew, who has been telling stories for six years, most recently at the Park Ridge Storytelling Festival. Call 677-5277, voice or TDD.

Keep Halloween magic from turning tragic

It's no wonder kids love Halloween. It's a magical time for make-believe and trick-or-treat. Unfortunately, kids usually think of fun first and safety later. Safety can be a real challenge, with throngs of costumed children scurrying about in the dark.

AAA-Chicago Motor Club cautions drivers to remember that children are not small adults. Kids have neither the experience nor the physical or mental maturity crucial to traffic safety. Most are so caught up in the magic of the holiday that they don't give a thought to traffic. Even if they do, they may not be mature enough to judge the speed or distance of oncoming vehicles.

That's why it's so important that parents make certain that children stay in well-lit, familiar neighborhoods. They'll be safer if they walk with other children, and of course, should be reminded to stay on the sidewalk.

The more visible children are, the better. Advise them to trick-or-treat before dark or carry a flashlight if they must be out after dusk. Retro-reflective tape, which shows up brightly in headlights, should be attached to their costumes. The tape is available at most sporting goods and hardware stores.

Drivers should be alert for trick-or-treaters who may unexpectedly dart from between parked cars or across streets and driveways. Motorists should turn on headlights at the first sign of darkness, limit speeds to 15 mph in residential areas and carefully scan the road ahead.

Colorful Halloween book marks are available free to children at all AAA-CMC branch offices in Illinois and Northern Indiana.

Northbrook Park's Haunted House

The Meadowhill Aquatic Center has been transformed into a haunted Halloween treat for 8-15 year olds on Friday and Saturday nights, Oct. 28-29 from 6 to 9 p.m. Watch out during your journey - goblins, ghosts and creepy critters are sure to join your party as you twist and turn through a maze of surprises. All who survive the trip will be rewarded with a bag filled with holiday treats.

Tickets cost \$3 and are available right at the door.

Trick or Treat in Toyland

The Associates of Rush-Presbyterian-St. Luke's Medical Center will host a "Trick or Treat in Toyland" fund raiser to benefit pediatric cancer research at the Medical Center. The cocktail and hors d'oeuvres party will be held Sunday, Oct. 30, from 7 to 10 p.m. at F.A.O. Schwarz, 840 N. Michigan Ave., Chicago. Tickets for the event cost \$60 per person, \$150 for sponsorship tickets.

Magicians, illusionists, fortune tellers, jugglers, vampires, gremlins and ghosts will treat guests to a spellbinding evening. Costumes are welcome. Masks will be supplied at the door for those in need of a disguise. For ticket information, call Cheryl Stoka at (312) 962-2835.

Leukemia Chapter hosts Post Halloween Costume Party

The Goland-Orenstein-Sherman Memorial Chapter of the Leukemia Research Foundation will host its Second Annual Post-Halloween Costume Party in conjunction with its regular monthly meeting on Saturday, Nov. 5. Costumes are optional. All who are interested are invited to join us for the festivities and fun.

The chapter meets at the Morton Grove Community Church located at Lake and Austin in Morton Grove. Meeting time is 8:30 p.m.

For further information, call (708) 786-3992.

Halloween doesn't have to be scary

As adults begin to look toward Halloween, they need to consider everything from safe costumes for their children to what kinds of treats to hand out. Halloween traditionally is a holiday filled with fun, laughter and treats. However, understandably parents become apprehensive each year regarding the safety of this day.

To address parental concerns, Children's World Learning Center, a leading provider of quality infant, toddler, preschool and school-age learning programs, in conjunction with Dr. Bartol Schmitt at The Children's Hospital in Denver, has developed the following safety tips to guide parents in providing their children with a safe and happy Halloween.

- Avoid last minute panic. Try to put a costume together well in advance.
- Make the costume large enough to wear over warm clothing, and short enough that your child won't trip over it.
- Never wear masks that interfere with vision. Make-up or face paint may be used instead.
- Don't allow children to carry sharp objects. Swords and knives should be made out of cardboard.
- Do most of the trick-or-treating before dark.

After dark, carry a flashlight and place reflective tape on the costume, or wear light colored clothing.

- Guide your children toward homes of their friends and people they know, staying away from unfamiliar neighborhoods. Also try trick-or-treating at an organized event within the community such as at a mall.
- After dark, trick-or-treat only at homes with an outside light on.
- Stay on the sidewalk or paths, and off the road or lawns. Always cross streets at crosswalks or well-lit intersections.
- Children should go trick-or-treating with a parent or older sibling.

Mayor Daley, DHS seek sites for 'Safe Halloween' parties

Mayor Richard M. Daley and DHS Commissioner Daniel Alvarez, Sr. today launched a search for volunteer groups, individuals, corporate donors and sites to sponsor or hold "Safe Halloween" parties for youth as ways to prevent children from participating in the annual "trick-or-treat" ritual.

"We want to provide parents and children with safe alternatives to potentially dangerous activities," Mayor Daley said. "We are seeking businesses to donate candy and other goodies for thousands of youth sites to hold Halloween parties, and individuals to help organize and chaperone activities being held out of 'harm's way,'" said Commissioner Alvarez.

According to the Commissioner, DHS, the Park District, CHA and Library officials, along with hundreds of religious, civic and school groups, are being asked to

Volunteers sought for Halloween events

The Skokie Park District will be holding two very special Halloween events this year, and we need your help.

Halloween Happenings, a safe and fun alternative to trick or treating, will be held on Saturday, Oct. 29 from 1 to 4 p.m. New this

year, will be a Haunted House for pre-teens and teens. This event will be held Friday, Oct. 28, Saturday, Oct. 29 and Monday, Oct. 31. If you are interested in volunteering your time please contact the district at 674-1500, ext. 103.

Protect trick-or-treaters

By Secretary of State George H. Ryan

Power Rangers, Barney and other Halloween characters will be roaming the neighborhoods in search of treats from 4:30 to 8 p.m. on Monday, Oct. 31. To prevent truly scary Halloween tricks from occurring, motorists and parents need to take precautions to protect excited trick-or-treaters.

Q. How can motorists contribute to the safety of witches, warlocks and gremlins?

A. Turn on your headlights at the first sign of dusk, and reduce your speed in residential areas. Look for trick-or-treaters before turning into or backing out of driveways and at intersections.

Q. What can parents do to keep their trick-or-treaters safe?

A. Make sure they wear brightly colored costumes or reflective tape, which can be purchased at most auto or hardware stores.

Place a flashlight inside a plastic pumpkin to illuminate trick-or-treaters for motorists. Encourage them to walk on sidewalks or to walk facing traffic at the far edge of roads.

Accompany trick-or-treaters under age 10. If you are not going along, send an older sibling or make sure children travel in large groups.

Establish a pre-arranged, well-lit route in a familiar neighborhood. Remind children to knock only at homes lit by porch lights, and make sure candy is properly sealed to protect them from real adult ghouls.

THE READERS WRITE

The Bugle urges all its readers to submit letters to the Editor pertaining to local issues or in response to editorials appearing in the paper. All letters must be signed and contain the name, address and telephone number of the writer. No letter will be printed in The Bugle unless this information is furnished. Of course, this information will not be printed if the writer requests same to be withheld. Also, no pre-written form letters of any kind will be published.



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Halloween Happenings

Safety should be priority for a happy Halloween

Halloween is a special time of year for children throughout Illinois. But along with the pumpkins, witches, ghosts and goblins - danger and tragedy often accompany the festive night.

A seasonal, daylight-saving time-change coupled with lack of caution can make what should be a pleasurable evening into a dangerous one. Every year, too many costumed children are burned, hit by cars or even killed. All these accidents can be prevented if simple Halloween safety tips are followed.

The Illinois State Medical Society (ISMS) is concerned about children's safety, and wants to ensure a safe Halloween holiday for all youngsters, statewide. ISMS offers the following tips on how to keep your children healthy, happy and safe this Halloween.

•Tricks (or tips) to make Halloween safer:

•Costumes are an important part of "trick or treating," however, they can lead to danger if not properly inspected. Parents should make sure the costume can be easily seen in the dark by a moving vehicle. Use reflective or brightly colored tape and dress children in white or light colors, whenever possible. Children should carry flashlights and be accompanied by an adult.

•Use flame resistant materials when constructing costumes. Length should be limited according to the child's size and billowing sleeves should be omitted to help prevent the possibility of costumes catching fire from Halloween candles or jack-o-lantern flames.

•Masks can block a child's vision, obscuring traffic nearby. Makeup and hats are safer costume accessories.

•Parents should restrict children from dressing up like destructive or violent-type characters. "Power Rangers" and "Ninja Turtles" are not characters that we would recommend imitating. Guns, swords and knives that accompany these costumes are not only violent in nature, but don't mix well with the sugary snacks the kids are consuming. (Too much sugar can cause hyperactivity.)

Treats (How to choose and inspect them):

•Parents should check out each treat before children eat it. Make sure children only eat those wrapped by the manufacturer.

•Cut treats in pieces before children eat them to verify that the candy has not been tampered with. Parents can aid Halloween safety by giving out pre-wrapped, manufacturer-marked candy.

•Sugar-free candy and gum are the best treats to hand out to trick-or-treaters. Parents should be careful of chocolate indulgence, as young children are especially susceptible to chocolate allergies.

•Disk or lozenge-type hard candy treats can cause choking. Make sure older children's treats are kept out of reach of younger children.

Most importantly, all trick-or-treating children should be accompanied by an adult. Children should never enter a house unless with that adult. Heading out in a large group is safer - and more fun, too. Parents should limit "trick-or-treating" to certain familiar, neighborhood blocks and instruct them to use sidewalks and intersection cross walks.

With just a little precaution, everyone can have a safe and happy Halloween.

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Fluky's Pumpkin Patch



Amanda Baskin, 2, picks out pumpkins at Fluky's Pumpkin Patch, held at the restaurant, 9645 Milwaukee Ave. in Niles, on Oct. 29. Tons of families turned out for the annual event.

Beware of Terror on the Lake

The Des Plaines Area Jaycees once again present its annual haunted house "Terror on the Lake," with the cooperation of the Des Plaines Park District.

"Terror on the Lake" is known throughout the Northwest suburbs as one of the scariest Halloween haunts. Ghosts, goblins and ghouls will be allowed to run free terrorizing all those brave enough to attend. All new theme rooms and haunts are planned and everyone is welcome.

"Terror on the Lake" will be operating full scale Oct. 15, 16, 20, 21, 22, 23 and 27-31. Hours are 7 to 10 p.m. nightly. A special "Lights on for Kids" show will be presented on Saturday, Oct. 29, from 3 to 5 p.m. For pre-arranged groups, contact the "Terror on the Lake" hotline at (708) 518-6977 and leave a message for Jo Maniscalco. Admission will be \$5 for adults and \$4 for children 11 and under, offering more spook for the money. A 24-hour "Terror" hotline, (708) 518-6977, will be operating during the month of October for additional information.

"Terror on the Lake" is on the north end of Lake Park (Lake Opoka). Lake Park is located on the corner of Touhy and Lee in Des Plaines. The entrance to "Terror on the Lake" is on Howard Street.

The Des Plaines Area Jaycees work hard every year to plan, design, build and promote this great project. By sponsoring "Terror on the Lake," we are able to provide a community service and a place for young and old alike to enjoy the many traditions of Halloween.

Have A Safe and Happy Halloween

Niles hosts annual Halloween party

Trick or treat with the Village of Niles Police Department this Halloween.

Sponsored by the Village of Niles and hosted by the Niles Police Department, there will be a Halloween party and haunted house on Monday, Oct. 31 from 4-8 p.m. at Notre Dame High School, 7655 Dempster St. in Niles.

The annual event will offer prizes, clowns, candy and treats, and there will be special guest appearances by the Power Rangers and other surprise characters. Everyone is welcome.

Niles police say to come in costume and have a safe and happy Halloween.

Halloween extended at Northbrook Theatre

Halloween is set to last through Nov. 5 this year at the Northbrook Theatre. Each month the Northbrook Theatre presents a "Kids Need Culture Tool" offering, and November brings a special appearance by Paint Box Theatre with their all original Halloween program, specially geared toward the younger set. "Not So Scary Stories" gives us the perfect opportunity to enjoy the fall fright-fest a little bit longer. Kids always hate to put

Borders Books to host pathologist

F. Gonzalez-Crussi, self-described "corpse handler" and professor of pathology at Children's Memorial Hospital of Northwestern University, will discuss and sign his latest work "The Day of the Dead and Other Mortal Reflections at Borders Books and Music in Oak Brook on Friday, Oct. 28 at 7:30 p.m.

In this collection of six essays, Gonzalez-Crussi takes us into an animated world of cadavers, coroners, grave yards, and death rituals. With keen insight and wicked wit, this self-described "corpse handler" explores the culture of death from the perspective of one who routinely confronts mortality head-on. The Day of the Dead is a "fascinating, delightfully readable" (Newsday) work by a "marvelous storyteller" (New York Times Book Review).

Borders Books and Music is located at 1500 16th Street (across from the Oak Brook Mall).

away their costumes after wearing it only once or twice - so let them suit up again on the Saturday after Halloween and come on in to enjoy a ghostly good time. Children are encouraged to sing and dance along with this popular children's theatre group, and tickets are going fast.

All seats are \$5 special rates for Birthday Party Groups are available. Call (708) 291-2367, for tickets and information.

Send holiday message against heart disease

The American Heart Association of Metropolitan Chicago invites you to help in the fight against our nation's No. 1 Killers - cardiovascular diseases and stroke - by sending your holiday message on the wings of a dove.

This year's 5x7 holiday card features an embossed white dove carrying crimson foil heart that trails crimson and green streamers. A white envelope with red foil lining complements the design. The holiday message, printed red ink, reads, "Wishing you a season of peace, hope and love that lasts throughout the year."

Cards are available in packs of 25, 50, 75 and 100. Both the cards and envelopes can be imprinted with your name or your company's name and address. Proceeds will support research, education and community programs of the American Heart Association of Metropolitan Chicago. For ordering information, call (312) 346-4675.

OBITUARIES

Mary Frasca
 Mary Frasca (nee Fornaio), 85, of Park Ridge, died on Oct. 16 at Lutheran General Hospital. Mrs. Frasca was born Aug. 22, 1909 in Clinton, Indiana. She was the wife of the late Liberty member of Donald (Arlyne) Frasca of Addison and Rosemary (John, Niles P.D.) Verrecchio of Niles, grandmother of nine, great-grandmother of eight. Funeral services were held Oct. 18 at St. Isaac Jogues Church. Arrangements were handled by Colonial-Wojciechowski Funeral Home, Niles. Interment was Oct. 21 in Lady Queen of Heaven Cemetery, Ft. Lauderdale, FL.

Leah V. Anderson
 Leah V. Anderson, 96, of Niles, died on Oct. 13 at Holy Family Health Care Center. Mrs. Anderson was born Sept. 15, 1898 in Fredericksburg, Virginia. She was the wife of the late Charles C. Anderson, Sr. Anderson, Jr., the late John Anderson and Nancy (late John) Villiger, grandmother of eight, great-grandmother of twenty, sister of Minnie Elkins, the late Mable Scott and the late Hilda Jackson. Funeral services were held Oct. 15 at Trinity Lutheran Church. Arrangements were handled by Skaja Terrace Funeral Home. Interment was in Ridgewood Cemetery, Des Plaines.

Gladys De Souza
 Gladys De Souza, 85, of Niles, died on Oct. 14 at Elmwood Care Nursing Center. Mrs. Souza was born April 8, 1909 in Chicago. She was the mother of Joyce E. Simms of Elmwood Park. Funeral services were held Oct. 17 at Skaja Terrace Funeral Home. Interment was in Memory Gardens Cemetery, Arlington Heights.

Earl W. Prince
 Earl W. Prince, 84, of Des Plaines, died on Oct. 6 at Holy Family Hospital. Mr. Prince was born on March 14, 1910 in Chicago. He was the father of Kimberly Nicholson. Arrangements were handled by Skaja Terrace Funeral Home. Interment was in Montrose Cemetery, Chicago.

Ruth D. Porter
 Ruth D. Porter (nee Reutz), 87, of Morton Grove, died on Oct. 14 at Rush North Shore Medical Center, Skokie, after a long illness. Mrs. Porter was preceded in death by her husband, Willard C. Porter, retired Battalion Chief, Chicago Fire Dept. She is survived by her son, Willard C. "Bud" (Jacqueline) Porter, of Schaumburg; a daughter, Marylyn (Donald) Hacker, of Morton Grove; seven grandchildren; nine great-grandchildren; and a brother, Jule Reutz. Funeral service was held Oct. 17 at Haben Funeral Home, Skokie. Interment was in Concordia Cemetery, Forest Park.

Cynthia S. Schubert
 Cynthia S. Schubert, age 34, was a resident of Carrollton, TX and formerly lived in Park Ridge. She died on Oct. 12 after a courageous battle with breast cancer. She is survived by her husband Cliff, formerly of Morton Grove; children Ryan and Austin; devoted daughter of Sue and Jerry Turek of Park Ridge; a brother Dan Turek, grandmother Bobbi Grabill of Des Plaines; and numerous other relatives and friends. Graveside services were held Oct. 14 in Dallas, TX. She was a member of North Carrollton Early Childhood PTA and Congregation Ner Tamid.

Alfreda B. Ferina
 Alfreda B. Ferina, 74, of Niles, died on Oct. 15. Mrs. Ferina was born June 14, 1920 in Italy. She was the wife of Carl Ferina, mother of Vince Ferina, grandmother of Leticia and John Ferina, mother-in-law of the late Suki Ferina. Funeral services were held Oct. 18 at St. John Brebeuf Church. Arrangements were handled by Skaja Terrace Funeral Home. Interment was in All Saints Cemetery, Des Plaines.

Katherine Krok
 Katherine Krok, 75, of Niles, died on Oct. 19. Mrs. Krok was born Jan. 20, 1919 in Peshigo, Wisconsin. She was the mother of Darlene Krok. Funeral services were held Oct. 22 at St. Juliana Church. Arrangements were handled by Skaja Terrace Funeral Home. Interment was in Maryhill Cemetery.

Mary Miklas
 Mary Miklas, 72, of Niles, died on Oct. 12 at Lutheran General Hospital. Mrs. Miklas was born Feb. 2, 1922 in Poland. She was the wife of Mitchell (Debbie) Miklas and Stella (Paul) Dowd, grandmother of seven, sister of Adolf, Stanley and Ted Polak. Funeral services were held Oct. 15 at St. Juliana Church. Arrangements were handled by Skaja Terrace Funeral Home. Interment was in All Saints Cemetery, Des Plaines.

Joseph L. Learman
 Joseph L. Learman, 75, of Niles, died on Oct. 17 in Baraboo, Wisconsin. Mr. Learman was born June 27, 1919 in Chicago. He was the husband of Marie Learman, father of Linda (Tom) Kelly, Fred (Kathy) Learman, Joe (Wendy) Learman and Laurie (Jim) Pingitore, grandfather of ten, great-grandfather of four. Funeral services were held Oct. 24 at Skaja Terrace Funeral Home. Interment was in Irving Park Cemetery, Chicago.

Walter H. Berger
 Walter H. Berger, 83, of Des Plaines, died on Oct. 7 at Lutheran General Hospital. Mr. Berger was born March 10, 1911 in Chicago. He was the brother of the late Grace Nosal, uncle of Patricia (Ronald) Russell, great-uncle of Ronald (Christine) Russell and Kathleen Russell. Funeral services were held Oct. 11 at Skaja Terrace Funeral Home. Interment was in Rosehill Cemetery, Chicago.

Theresa M. Dyminski
 Theresa M. Dyminski, 88, of Niles, died on Oct. 11 at Oak Manor Nursing Center, Seminoles, FL. Mrs. Dyminski was born Nov. 19, 1905 in Hungary. She was the wife of the late Walter B. Dyminski, mother of Louise (Gus) Guadagnoli, Theresa (William) Gersten and Robert (Eleanor) Dyminski, grandmother of eight, great-grandmother of one. Funeral services were held Oct. 15 at Our Lady of Ransom Church. Arrangements were handled by Skaja Terrace Funeral Home. Interment was in St. Joseph Cemetery, River Grove.

Reformation services

Reformation Sunday will be celebrated at Jerusalem Evangelical Lutheran Church, 6218 Capulina, Morton Grove, on Oct. 30. The grade school children will sign at the special 10:30 a.m. service. Jerusalem Lutheran is a member of the Wisconsin Evangelical Lutheran Synod. For more information, call Pastor Dennis Kleist at 965-7340.

Halloween Party

Niles Community Church, 7401 W. Oakton Street, invites you to attend this year's Halloween Party on Saturday, Oct. 29 from 11:30 a.m. to 2 p.m. in the Lee Ruhl Fellowship Hall. Parents as well as children are encouraged to come in costume.

Gams, goodies and a hot dog lunch will be provided, and the Eagle's Youth Group Haunted House is guaranteed to not be for the fainthearted.

Trinity Lutheran bazaar

Trinity Lutheran Church at Foster, Elston and LaCrosse Avenues in Chicago will hold its annual holiday bazaar, "Winter Wonderland" on Saturday, Oct. 29 from 9 a.m. to 3 p.m.

Featured will be crafts for Halloween, Thanksgiving and Christmas from over 20 different artists. The day includes a bake sale, cookie walk, raffle and luncheon.

For further information, call the church office at (312) 545-7301.

Sunday breakfast program continues

Northwest Suburban Jewish Congregation, 7800 W. Lyons, Morton Grove continues its Sunday Morning Breakfast Program on selected Sundays.

The next one will be Oct. 30 following the 9 a.m. Minyon. The program will feature a group of lawyers called the "Circuit Court Players." They feature parodies on politics.

Church & Temple News

Celebrate the Reformation

Niles Community Church, 7401 W. Oakton Street, invites you to worship on Sunday, Oct. 30, at 10 a.m. to celebrate the Reformation.

Our worship will resound with psalms and hymns written by the Reformers or from the traditions associates with the Reformation. As a Presbyterian Church (U.S.A.), Niles Community Church traces its roots back to the three historic watchwords of the Reformation: "Grace Alone, Faith Alone, and Scripture Alone." Pastor Boswell will begin a new sermon series on that Sunday.

The next three sermons will be installments in A Primer for a Pilgrim Peoples, and will look at women in the Bible. The first sermon, "N is for Nobody" will deal with the Book of Ruth.

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Clean Lakes Program grant applications due

In anticipation of federal funding appropriations for restoration, protection and monitoring projects under provision of the Clean Water Act, the Illinois Environmental Protection Agency (IEPA) is currently identifying potential participants for the Federal Clean Lakes Program (CLP). The purpose of this program is to provide technical and financial assistance to governmental entities that manage a publicly-owned lake with extensive public access and utilization. Control-

ling sources of pollution affecting water quality and restoring lakes that have deteriorated in recreational and ecological quality are two primary objectives of the program.

Two types of grant awards are authorized under the CLP. "Phase I" diagnostic/feasibility study grants are awarded to identify or "diagnose" problems and sources of pollution, and to develop a "feasible" course of action to correct identified problems. A typical Phase I study period lasts two years. "Phase II" implementation grant awards support the implementation of recommended procedures identified in the "Phase I" report to improve water quality, and recreational and ecological aspects of the lake. Both types of grants are awarded on a 50 percent federal, 50 percent non-federal cost-share basis.

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Sheehan donation to benefit struggling students



Commissioner Nancy Drew Sheehan of the Metropolitan Water Reclamation District presents a check to Chris Zorich of the Chicago Bears to benefit the Zora Zorich Scholarship Fund for financially deprived Notre Dame students.

Commissioner Nancy Drew Sheehan of the Metropolitan Water Reclamation District recently presented a check to Chris Zorich of the Chicago Bears.

Zorich, a Notre Dame graduate, has established a foundation to provide Notre Dame Scholarships for financially deprived young people.

The check that was presented is designed for the Zora Zorich Scholarship Fund, named after his mother who passed away after his last college football game.

Sheehan is the Democratic Candidate for Illinois State Treasurer in the upcoming election, on Tuesday, Nov. 8.

Commissioner Sheehan, a graduate of St. Mary's of Notre Dame, said, "Chris has been a great example and role model for all youngsters. He is an outstanding football player, but he will always be remembered as a giving person who has given his all to help those less fortunate."

YMCA assists parents during holiday season

To help parents through the crunch of errands and social activities that accompany the holiday season, Leaning Tower YMCA is lowering rates at its new Mazing Kids Child Drop-Off Center. From Nov. 1 through Dec. 23, from 1 p.m. to closing, adults can leave children at half the regular hourly rate: \$2.50 for YMCA members (regularly \$5) and \$5 for non-members (regularly \$7.50).

The Y's popular Mazing Kids Center opened to rave reviews in late August. Mazing Kids is a double-decker play station that links colorful tubes, nets, slides, webs, shoots and tunnels in a series of activity stations that challenge young minds while developing motor skills, agility and self-confidence. Adults can drop off children (infants to age 12) for up to three hours of supervised activity a day.

Holidays can be stressful for adults who are pulled in many directions to prepare festivities for their family," said Kathy Holland, Youth and Family Director at the Leaning Tower Y. "The challenge is even greater for parents with young children. Mazing Kids is a good solution. Parents can leave kids with ease of mind and enjoy three child-free hours of shopping, cooking, decorating, wrapping, socializing or whatever."

Children are accepted into Mazing Kids on a first-come, first-served basis. Advance reservations can be made by calling the Y at (708) 647-8222. Upon check-in, both the child and accompanying adult receive a plastic wrist bracelet imprinted with the parent's social security number. Bracelets are matched when the adult comes to reclaim his/her child. Adults receive a beeper before they leave the premises.

Mazing Kids is supervised by five full-time YMCA employees. In addition to the check-in, two supervisors monitor the play stations, orienting kids and assisting as necessary. Two additional staffers remain in the toddler pad, an inviting, soft-cushioned playland reserved for the age 3 and under crowd.

Library offers one-to-one catalog instruction

If you are intimidated by the on-line catalog that replaced the card catalog at the Lincolnwood Public Library, fear no more. Got 15 minutes? That's about all it takes to get comfortable with the system, according to Gail Inman, adult services coordinator.

During October, the library is offering personalized tutoring sessions tied in with solving a literary puzzle that will give you the practice needed to reinforce what you have been taught.

"With simple instruction, it's simple to bridge the technology gap," she said. "It is easy to learn and you'll have fun doing it."

When you have finished your session, you will know what you need to know to access the information on CCS On-Line, the computerized catalog of materials owned by more than 200 public libraries in the North Suburban Library System.

Call the reference desk to make an appointment. The individual sessions are being offered Wednesday, Thursday, and Friday mornings from 10 to 11 a.m. afternoons from 1 to 2 p.m. and Saturday mornings from 10 to 10:15 a.m. Call 677-5277. Chances are more times will be available as well.

Inman emphasizes that appointments are not necessary to get started in using the system. "We are always happy to assist library users with the on-line catalog. The tutorial is more in-depth and allows you for personal coaching and time to practice. With that practice you gain confidence," she said.

The CCS On-Line database lists more than 3 million items: books, recordings, and all other types of library materials. The database shows which libraries own a given item and if it is currently checked in. If it is checked out, it shows when it is due.

People urged to 'Answer the Call of the Wild'

The Forest Preserve District of Cook County is asking people to join their efforts in the largest restoration project in the District's 79-year history. Volunteers are needed to help breathe new life into District lands and return the land to its presentment condition.

The District, in conjunction with The Nature Conservancy, will sponsor a Volunteer Recruitment Day on Oct. 29 from 10 a.m. to 2 p.m. at the Swallow Cliff Groves #1 and #2 (entrance is off 96th Ave./La Grange Rd., east side of the street, just north of 123rd St., Palos). People can learn more about ongoing restoration efforts and how they can become involved. Refreshments will be provided.

"It is my hope that people will answer this urgent call for help," said Cook County Board President Richard Phelan. "Time is running out for us to save the region's prairies and wetlands. Each person can make a very important difference."

The Forest Preserve District has targeted a 800-acre site in the Swallow Cliff Preserves for a model restoration project. With cooperation and support from state and federal government agencies and private groups and individuals, the District hopes to restore biodiversity to this area.

The District is working with

the United States Department of Agriculture Forest Service, the Illinois Department of Conservation, and The Nature Conservancy. This past summer the District's Youth Opportunity Corps, a summer employment program for economically disadvantaged youths, participated in the restoration project.

The District's goal is to restore 80 percent of its 67,700 acres of land. There are numerous restoration projects occurring throughout the county - most happening with the dedication and hard work of volunteers. Recently the district received a \$879,000 appropriation from the Federal government to institute a comprehensive restoration and resource management plan.

"Despite our accomplishments, there is so much more to be done," Phelan said. "Volunteers have always played a critical role in the District's efforts to manage its lands. This is a fulfilling and gratifying partnership for all involved."

Volunteers will be trained in seed collecting, brush cutting and other fall stewardship tasks. For more information, contact the District's Volunteer Coordinator, Kelly Treese, at (708) 257-2045 (speech/hearing impaired: TDD #708-771-1190). Special accommodations can be arranged.

Open volleyball/open basketball

The Niles Park District has reserved gym time at Grennan Heights for the following open gym activities: Monday-Men's volleyball (18 & over); Tuesday-Women's volleyball (18 & over, 1/2 court only); Tuesday-Men's 30 & over basketball (1/2 court only); Wednesday-Adult recreational volleyball (18 and

300 games at Niles Bowl

Congratulations to the following league bowlers who have rolled perfect games at Niles Bowl: Harry Harris - 300, Greg Meine - 300, Jim Dunn - 300, and Mark Monforti - 300.

Each bowler has rolled an award score before with the exception of Jim Dunn. Dunn rolled his first perfect game on Sept. 18. He is also an employee of Brunswick Niles Bowl for three years. Congratulations to each of you on your fine bowling achievements.

Skokie mayor to speak at AARP meeting

Skokie Mayor Jacqueline Gorell will be the guest speaker at the next meeting of Skokie Chapter #3470 of the A.A.R.P. at 1 p.m. on Tuesday, Nov. 1, in the Petty Auditorium of the Skokie Public Library, 5215 W. Oakton St.

Mayor Gorell will also install

Girls Volleyball team wins match

The Girls Volleyball team of St. Paul Lutheran School, Skokie, recently played St. Matthew of Lake Zurich. The Panthers played exceptionally well, winning the match with scores of 15-5, 3-15, 15-5, and 15-9. Their season record thus far is 3 wins, 0 losses.

Members of the team are eighth graders Tonia Brewer,

the newly elected officers for the coming year.

Tim Burr, guitarist, singer and comedian, will provide entertainment with a musical program. Refreshments will follow.

For further information, call retiring President Bill Bloom, at (708) 827-2838.

Cari Hasselbring, Anna Scholberg, and Jessica Thunberg; seventh graders Beatrice Dramburan, Natasha Dragoi, Stephanie Dragoi, Sarah Lisle, Samantha Pabon, and Kim Stephens; and sixth graders Katie Hebble, Jessica Mueller, and Dragana Petrovic. Coaches for the team are St. Paul teachers Robin Rocans and Deb Koehler.

Exercise Daily!

Cross Country teams compete

The Cross country teams at St. Paul Lutheran School, Skokie, recently competed at a meet in Schiller Woods. In the girl's division, Amanda Kinney finished 8th overall and won 3rd place in the eight-grade girl's group. Cari Hasselbring placed 5th in the eight-grade girl's group, and Kristen Elmer placed 3rd in the third-grade girl's group.

In the boy's division, Ricky Amack placed 4th overall and 4th for eighth-grade boys, Tim Murakami placed 8th overall and 1st for 4th-grade boys, Nick Endres took 8th overall and 5th for eighth-grade boys, Joshua Boock placed 10th overall and 6th for eighth-grade boys. For third-grade boys, Amir St. Clair took home a first-place ribbon and Andy Trettin placed 6th. For sixth-grade boys, Peter Murakami placed 5th and Jim Schroeder placed 6th.

Other team members include Margie Mitchell, Trifon Athanas, Adam Mervitz, Jordan Boock, and Steven Tasch. Coach of both teams is St. Paul teacher Russell Granley.

Sportsman's Turkey Shoot

U.S.G.A. rules will govern play at Sportsman's Country Club Annual Turkey Shoot, scheduled for Nov. 19 along the beautiful greens at 3535 Dundee Rd. A scramble format will allow each team member to play a shot from the teeing area and then have members shoot from the point where the best shot landed. This format will continue until a player has held out. Team handicaps are determined by the Sportsman's handicap system.

As the Annual Turkey Shoot is a most popular event at Sportsman's, spaces fill quickly. If you would like more information, call 291-2351.

Park District seeks Hall of Fame candidates

The Northbrook Park District is pursuing nominations for their prestigious Hall of Fame, a recognition established to honor exemplary community volunteers. Individuals are acknowledged yearly for their unlimited time and effort to improve the quality of leisure programs and facilities at the Park District. A display case of plaques in the Sports Center Complex recognizes each member's contributions and accomplishments.

Applications for nominations of 1995 candidates are now being accepted until Nov. 30. Candidates must meet the following criteria: be involved in Park Dis-

trict programs for a minimum of 5 years, be directly involved with furthering the quality of leisure programs within the Park District, receive no monetary compensation related to the service, and be overall role models to the adults and youth of the community.

Nominating letters must be signed by the nominator. Hall of Fame applications can be mailed to: Hall of Fame Committee, c/o Northbrook Park District, 545 Academy Drive, Northbrook, Illinois 60062.

LEGAL NOTICE

PLEASE TAKE NOTICE - THE MORTON GROVE ZONING BOARD OF APPEALS will hold a public hearing on Monday, November 21, 1994 at 7:30 P.M. in the Board of Trustees Chambers, Richard T. Flickinger Municipal Center, 6101 Capulina Avenue, Morton Grove, Illinois, to consider the following case:

CASE 1252 (Continued from October 17, 1994)

Requesting a variation from Section 9.2.8.3h of Ordinance 91-10 (Zoning Ordinance of the Village of Morton Grove) to allow the operation of a sit-down restaurant at Lenore Plaza Shopping Center as identified below:

- Increase the parking variation from forty-five parking spaces to fifty-one parking spaces.

The parcel is located in the C-2 Service Commercial District and is commonly known as 7184 Dempster Street, Morton Grove, Illinois 60053.

All interested parties are invited to attend and be heard.

Leonard A. Bloomfield
Chairman

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Illinois Arts Council seeks panel nominations

The Illinois Arts Council (IAC) is seeking nominations for advisory panels to serve on 1995 IAC review panels. Individuals with appropriate expertise are sought for the following panels: arts-in-education, chore/opera, dance, ethnic/folk arts, literature, local arts agencies, media arts, multi-arts, presenters, symphony/ensembles, theater and visual arts. Panelists review grant applications as part of the process to determine eligibility for funding. Nominations must be Illinois residents, and individuals may nominate themselves.

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CASE PC94-11

Requesting a special use permit to operate an outside storage yard for storing materials used in applicant's and tenant's businesses.

The parcel is located at 6410 Chestnut; the applicant is Guy Battista.

CASE PC94-12

Requesting a special use permit to operate a Karate School.

The parcel is located at 5826 Dempster; the applicant is Chang Seo Park, 8333 N. Menard, Morton Grove, Illinois.

All interested parties are invited to attend and be heard. Leonard A. Bloomfield, Chairman

Local businesses donate prizes for A-SCIP dinner

Several area businesses have donated prizes to be awarded during next month's outing by A-SCIP, Maine Township's support group for the disabled, to Bertucci's Restaurant in Glenview.

Among the prizes to be offered during the dinner on Sunday, Nov. 6, are a gift certificate from Golf-Mill Shopping Center in Niles, a certificate for Maxwell's Restaurant & Bar in Morton Grove, a certificate for the Olive Garden Italian Restaurant in Des Plaines, a savings bond from NBD Bank in Park Ridge and a clock-radio from First Federal Bank for Savings in Des Plaines.

The cost for dinner and transportation is \$21 per person, while dinner alone is \$14. Musical entertainment and prizes will also be featured. Registration and checks must be received by Oct. 28.

Transportation will be provided by two lift buses on loan from the Maine/Niles Association of Special Recreation (M-NASR). Buses will depart at 1 p.m. from the Maine Township Town Hall at 1700 Ballant Road in Park Ridge and will return at 4:30 p.m.

Dinner at Bertucci's will include an insalata salad with house dressing, pizza, rolls and non-alcoholic beverage. There will be two choices for the main course: rigatoni with broccoli and chicken in a cream sauce, or stuffed ricotta shells in a tomato sauce with mozzarella cheese.

For more information on the trip or other programs, call Donna Anderson, the Township's Director of Disabled Services, or Barbara Wiecek at 297-2510 ext. 225, or at TDD number 297-1336.

TMA guest hits hole-in-one win van

The Tooling and Manufacturing Association (TMA) is pleased to announce that golfer Darren Edgecombe scored a hole-in-one at TMA's September Golf Outing to win a 1994 Mercury Villager min-van provided by Joe Rizza Mercury in Naperville.

The 170-yard hole-in-one occurred on the 15th hole of course #1 at St. Andrew's Country Club in West Chicago. Edgecombe, a Schaumburg resident, attended the outing as a guest of TMA member El-Jay Plastics in Addison.

TMA hosts four golf outings each year, two at St. Andrew's and two at Cog Hill Country Club in Lemont. The September outing, the last of the year and generally the heaviest attended, had a participation of approximately three hundred golfers. Joe Lemsek, the owner of both St. Andrew's and Cog Hill country clubs and a prominent figure in Chicagoland golf, was on hand to congratulate the winner.

Seminars discuss renovating for 1st timers

The second in a series of free seminars to introduce first time buyers, contractors, developers, realtors and investors to the opportunity in "Renovating Homes: Rehab with FHA's 203K", sponsored by ABC Mortgage, outlines how many can benefit from low cost financing to rehabilitate the area's existing housing stock including two-, three- and four-family units.

The seminars will be held on Wednesday, Nov. 2, 6:30 - 9:30 p.m., at The Holiday Inn, 127th & Cicero, Alsip; and Thursday, Nov. 3, 6:30 - 9:30 p.m., Routes 50 & 57, Bradley.

There is no cost for the seminar, but advance reservations are required. Individuals interested in attending the seminar should contact Julie Shaw, at (708) 769-1234 on or before Monday, Oct. 31.

Local businesses awarded

Secretary of State George H. Ryan recently announced that his office is awarding nearly \$490,000 in grants to 59 companies to support efforts aimed at improving the basic math, reading, and communication skills of working Illinoisans.

The companies will be matching this year's grants with an additional \$1.65 million for training programs at on-the-job locations and usually on paid time.

"One of the most productive places we can spend state literacy dollars is in the workplace because the workers of today need training for the jobs of tomorrow," Ryan said.

"Basic skills training is giving working people the tools they need to do their jobs better and to prepare themselves for better jobs."

Since becoming secretary of state, Ryan has made workplace training a key focus of Illinois literacy efforts. Taking a fledgling workplace grant program, he doubled its funding his first year in office, then doubled it again the following year to the current funding level.

"We're going to have to double it again soon because we can't begin to keep up with the demand," Ryan said.

Over the last two years, grants were available for only about half the companies requesting funding, and many worthy proposals have gone unfunded, he said.

Program coordinator joins Youth Drop-In Center

A new, full-time program coordinator will begin working soon at the Maine Township Youth Drop-In Center.

The Maine Township Town Board on Tuesday approved the hiring of W. Anthony Clemen of Des Plaines for the position, which was created after two part-time staff members recently resigned.

A 1993 graduate of Western Illinois University in Macomb, Clemen most recently worked as a camp director for the Mount Prospect Park District and as an assistant athletic supervisor for the River Trails Park District in Mount Prospect. He also interned with the River Trails Park District last year.

The Drop-In Center, based at the Stevenson School building at 9000 Capitol Dr. in Des Plaines, is open three days a week - Tuesdays, Thursdays and Fridays. The program is free and open to all 5th through 12th graders who live in Maine Township.

Oscar's Restaurant celebrates 64th anniversary

Oscar's Restaurant of Morton Grove will celebrate its 64th anniversary the week of Oct. 31 through Nov. 4.

In 1930, Oscar and Edith Faust founded Oscar's Restaurant as a roadside hamburger stand in Morton Grove, and the tradition of home-style cooking began. The business grew and moved across the street to the west side of Waukegan Road.

The business continued in the old frame house until 1964 when it moved one block north to 9040 Waukegan Road, its present location.

Now, 64 years later, the tradition of home-cooking is continued by Oscar's granddaughter and her husband.

The celebration will continue all week long, featuring a specially designed menu with rolled back prices. There are 12 different entree selections that will be served for lunch and dinner.

Some of the selections are:

Breaded Pork Cutlet, Baked Virginia Ham, Roast Sirloin of Beef, Roast Chicken, and Rainbow Trout. Most of the entrees are priced at \$5.95 to \$6.95, and include soup or salad, and potato or vegetable. Special appetizers and desserts will also be available.

Each day of the week will have a featured cocktail, with draft beer at \$1.50, and house wine priced at \$2 all week long.

If you stop by Oscar's during the next few days, you will be able to pick up a sample menu showing the selected entrees and daily drink specials. Then you can call your friends and plan to attend the celebration.

Oscar's will be open from 11:30 a.m. to 10 p.m. weekdays, and until 11 p.m. on Friday and Saturday.

If you would like reservations, call (708) 965-1977 or stop by Oscar's Restaurant 9040 Waukegan Rd., Morton Grove.

Niles welcomes new delicatessen



Enzo Paladino stands outside his new Specialty Meats & Deli catessen store located at 8130 N. Milwaukee Ave. in Niles.

Niles is the new home of Enzo Paladino Specialty Meats & Delicatessen, located at 8130 N. Milwaukee Avenue.

This new store is owned by Mr. and Mrs. Enzo Paladino. Mr. Paladino has been in this business for the past 50 years and started working as a butcher in Sicily at the age of seven.

For generations his entire fam-

ily has been in the meat business, in fact, Enzo was born in a butcher shop.

The store features a variety of meats and delicatessen items both domestic and imported. Mrs. Paladino's homemade pastas, antipastos, fresh salads, sandwiches, cold and hot lunches are also available. Mr. Paladino prides himself in the freshness

and goodness of all the products in the store.

Paladino's accepts special orders and caters events. He has very competitive prices. The store is open Monday-Saturday, 9 a.m. to 6 p.m. and Sunday, 9 a.m. to 2 p.m. For more information, call Paladino's at (708) 698-7424 or (708) 698-7425.

Andrew Kukura

Andrew Kukura, the son of Barbara Noeth of Northbrook, entered Carleton College this fall.

He is a graduate of Glenbrook South High School.

Kemper sponsors investment seminar

Kemper Securities, Inc. will host a luncheon investment seminar on Wednesday, Nov. 2, at 12:00 p.m., at the Holiday Inn, 127th & Cicero, Alsip; and Thursday, Nov. 3, 6:30 - 9:30 p.m., Routes 50 & 57, Bradley.

There is no cost for the seminar, but advance reservations are required. Individuals interested in attending the seminar should contact Julie Shaw, at (708) 769-1234 on or before Monday, Oct. 31.

The luncheon will be held in the second floor conference room of the Edens Corporate Center, 650 Dundee Rd., Second Floor Conference Rm., Northbrook.

Due to limited space, reservations are required. For reservations, call Kathi at (708) 559-3213 or Linda at (708) 559-3214.

"As an investment consultant

specializing in the individual investor, I've learned the key to investment success lies in perfecting a match between my client's real-life circumstances and a disciplined, risk-managed portfolio strategy," said Alan C. Hofman, a Kemper Securities investment consultant and host of the event.

Mutual Fund Solutions links a personal investment plan with some of the nation's outstanding investment management organizations through popular mutual funds. The program is designed to provide continuous monitoring of an investor's mutual fund portfolio to control, investment risk and accumulate wealth.

Guest speaker to address PSI

Professional Secretaries International (PSI) Northwest Suburban Chapter's guest speaker on Wednesday, Nov. 2, at 8 p.m., at the Northbrook Hilton Allgauer's, 2855 Milwaukee Ave., in Northbrook, will be Suzanne Yost of Kraft General Foods.

Her talk entitled "The Secretary: An Effective Catalyst" will focus on the creation and benefits of secretarial councils, advisory boards and task forces. Learn how you can become a more valuable employee by assisting in the

creation of and participating in formal company groups to promote effective change which will also enhance your career development. Companies continue re-engineering efforts and seek creative input from their employees to improve the quality of business procedures and production.

Preceding the presentation, will be networking at 5:30 p.m., followed by dinner at 6:30 p.m. Cost for dinner and presentation is \$21 - presentation only is \$10. For reservations, contact Sharron Klopp at (708) 374-6120.

Career Discovery workshop

Career Directions, Inc. will offer Career Discovery: What Are Your Options?, a two-hour workshop for those who are at a stage in their career where they're wondering, "What do I do next?" The workshop will be held on Thursday, Nov. 3, 6:30 to 8:30 p.m., at Career Directions' office, 25 E. Washington, Suite 1500, Chicago.

"If you're exploring career options or still wondering 'what you want to be when you grow up,' this workshop is for you," said Bonnie Bachman, manager of counseling services and workshop presenter.

"During the workshop, I work with participants to identify their skills and to begin to define their career direction. These are the first steps in managing your career, so participants will leave the workshop having begun to build a strong base for making any type of career transition."

Call Career Directions at (708) 870-1290, for more information or to register for the workshop.

Ramon Mateo

Des Plaines resident Ramon Mateo, shipping/receiving, was recently honored by Superior Coffee and Foods for 25 years of service to the company. Superior is one of the country's leading producers of coffee for the foodservice industry.

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Politics

Commissioner praised at fund raiser



Metropolitan Water Reclamation District Commissioner Terence O'Brien and his wife, Julie, meet and greet Cal Sutker, Democratic candidate for Cook County Commissioner (13th), at O'Brien's Sept. 23 fund raiser at Excalibur. Sutker complimented the O'Briens on the birth of their third child, Patrick James O'Brien, on Aug. 8.

He also complimented O'Brien, who is up for election in November, on his actions and that of his fellow commissioners to keep the Metropolitan Water Reclamation District within a 5 percent voluntary tax cap since 1989. "That tax cap is an example of constructive, thoughtful government," Sutker said.

Don't tack election posters on utility poles

With the upcoming Nov. 8 General Election campaign in full swing, ComEd makes the following appeal to all candidates and their supporters, regardless of party: Please don't tack posters, or notices on utility poles.

The same plea is addressed year-round to people who want to promote garage sales or reach the public for any other reason. Anything tacked on utility poles can cause trouble for our line crews. Too often, utility workers suffer cuts and gashes from encounters with nails and tacks used to affix posters. These pointed objects lurk, awaiting a chance encounter with an unsuspecting overhead electrician's hands or legs on a dark, stormy night when he or she is restoring power to homes and businesses that have had service interrupted.

Although utility crew members carefully inspect each pole before climbing, it's easy to miss a nail or tack in the dark. Climbing spikes need the soft wood of a utility pole to be effective, but nails and tacks defeat them, often causing the wearer to slip and suffer injury. This can delay the restoration of service.

So, Mr. and Ms. Campaign Worker: do your best to get out the vote, but don't tack anything on a utility pole.

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Get tougher with uninsured motorists and 'deadbeat' parents

Saying his administration has implemented wide-ranging new protections for Illinois consumers, Secretary of State George H. Ryan recently pledged to get even tougher with two kinds of deadbeats, uninsured motorists and parents who fail to pay child support.

Outlining his proposals to protect consumers in a second term, Ryan said he will seek a law requiring police to confiscate, on the spot, the license plates of any uninsured motorist involved in a collision.

Additionally, he said he would call for passage of a proposal called "Deadbeats Don't Drive," authorizing his office to suspend the driving privileges of anyone who refuses to pay court-ordered child support.

Ryan said he worked to make Illinois' mandatory insurance law permanent because it greatly reduced everyone's chances of being victimized by motorists with no insurance.

Even though the number of collisions involving uninsured drivers fell from about 98,000 in 1989 to about 42,000 last year, stronger measures are still needed, he said.

"In too many cases, these deadbeats climb back in their vehicles and rattle away, leaving behind a victim with a damaged vehicle, a big repair bill and the prospect of higher insurance premiums," Ryan said.

Looking at the Health Debate through The Lens of History

a column by U.S. Senator Paul Simon Illinois

There is a curious similarity between the United States of today and Great Britain of 1835.

After defeating Napoleon at Waterloo, Great Britain, was the only superpower in the world and the stability that the major nations knew became known as the Pax Britannia, the peace imposed by Great Britain.

Today, after the disintegration of the former Soviet empire, there is only one superpower in the world and to the extent there is stability in the world, it is because the United States is willing through the United Nations to lead the community of nations. And sometimes to lead alone.

Listen to Joseph Wall's description in his excellent biography of Andrew Carnegie: "Britain, in this year of 1835, presented itself as a curious paradox of power and impotency...of the greatest accumulated wealth in history and the worst slums in Christendom. Nowhere else was agriculture so heavily subsidized, yet one would have to search out the meanest hovels in Galicia or Sicily to find such rural poverty as existed in the Highland bothies [rural wooden shacks] of Scotland."

Recall the previous paragraph and substitute the words United States for Great Britain and the Mississippi Delta region shacks for the Highland bothies of Scotland and you will find an amazing parallel.

The author also notes that in 1835 many people were "shutting their eyes to the realities of economics." Sound familiar?

In the midst of our discouraging debate about health care, I re-

Ryan said.

"Current law now gives police the discretion to confiscate the plates of an uninsured motorist. I want to make it a requirement."

Ryan said he also believes strongly that his office should be granted the authority to take away the driving privileges of parents who fall at least 90 days behind on child support payments.

However, Ryan noted that he does not expect to suspend many drivers licenses under his proposals.

In enforcing a similar law, Maine authorities found that of the 17,400 parents who received warnings, all but 144 paid up after receiving a final notice. And when it came time to suspend their licenses, all but eight paid up.

Those results show what a lot of single-parent families already know, Ryan said. "The vast majority of these deadbeats can pay. They just don't pay until they're threatened with the loss of something they apparently value more than the welfare of their own children."

Ryan's other consumer protection proposals include: Requiring sellers to provide full disclosure before the sale of any vehicle that has been salvaged, rebuilt or ever declared a lemon. Illinois law already requires the branding of titles for salvaged or rebuilt vehicles.

help but think how curious our inconsistencies are.

The United States is the world's wealthiest nation and yet we tolerate a higher percentage of poverty among our children than any industrialized nation in Europe or Asia, while those of us in politics make more speeches about family values than leaders in any of these other nations. In the midst of our wealth we are the only one among these nations that does not protect all of our people with health care.

In Illinois, for example, out of a population of almost 12 million, 1,536,000 people are unprotected, 331,000 of them children. More than 60 percent of these people are in families in which one or more adults work, but have no health protection.

Ironically, among the organizations that oppose seeing that all Americans have health insurance is an organization that carries the self-declared title "Christian."

And far too many in the political arena duck the economic realities of this and other problems. It's easier to borrow from future generations than to face reality.

Yes, I am for universal health care. Yes, I favor all employers sharing some of the burden on it. Yes, I also believe that no one knows with certainty what the costs may be and I am willing to vote a one percent payroll tax or one percent income tax increase to help pay for it. Americans want and deserve straight talk, honest answers and action-not just talk-to solve problems like the health care quagmire.

We look back at Great Britain of 1835 and ask: How could a nation of such power and wealth be so insensitive to the most desperate in their midst?

My guess is that historians will look back upon us and ask the same question.

However, most buyers never see the title until after their vehicles are paid off.

Working with consumers, enforcement groups and the securities industry to overhaul state securities law to provide increased disclosure for consumers, tougher penalties and a better means of restituting victims.

Reconvening the Advisory Council on Public Records and Privacy to consider additional changes in Illinois' privacy protections, which already are serving as a model to develop a federal law.

Illinois Supreme Court makes bad decision

Dear Editor:

Imagine playing in a baseball game where the four umpires are drawn from the roster of the opposing team. You would have good reason to question the impartiality of the umpires' judgment. Believe it or not, such a contest did occur, but it was no game. It was an important voting rights case that was heard by the seven justices of the Illinois Supreme Court this past summer.

Last May, State Treasurer Pat Quinn filed more than 437,000 petition signatures in support of the term limit referendum to limit state officials to no more than eight years in the same office.

In June, the Chicago Bar Association, a lobby group of 21,000 lawyers, filed a lawsuit to knock the Eight is Enough term limit referendum off the Nov. 8 ballot.

On Aug. 10, by a narrow 4-3 majority, the Illinois Supreme Court went along with the Chicago Bar Association and denied the 6 million voters in Illinois a chance to vote on the term limit issue. In an editorial, *The Wall Street Journal* said "the court's decision reeks of politics."

There is no question the Illinois Supreme Court's decision on the term of limit referendum was clouded by a conflict of interest. After the Aug. 10 decision, it was discovered that three members of the court who voted against term limits were members of the Chicago Bar Association, the group trying to keep term limits off the ballot.

These three judges, Michael A. Bilandic, Charles E. Freeman, and Mary Ann G. McMorrow, all voted to take away the public's right to vote on the term limit referendum and never disclosed their membership in the Chicago Bar Association at any time during the case.

Illinois Supreme Court Rule 63 (c)(1) says, "A judge should disqualify himself in a proceeding in which his impartiality might reasonably be questioned." The three Chicago Bar Association judges should have recused themselves from the term limit case and never participated at all.

The failure of justices Bilandic, Freeman, and McMorrow to disclose crucial information in a case before them should be held up to public scrutiny. The Illinois Supreme Court is supposed to be fair. Our state's highest court should be above playing politics where the voting rights of six million citizens are at stake.

Sincerely,
Tom Colgan
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A warm welcome from Walter Dudycz



Main Township Trustee Megan Ebert(R) of Niles is welcomed by State Senator Walter Dudycz(R). Assistant Majority Leader, Illinois Senate. Trustee Ebert was a guest at a recent reception honoring Walter Dudycz held at the Rosewood Restaurant.

Listening: Critical for Democracy

a weekly column by U.S. Senator Paul Simon Illinois

One of the most thoughtful members of Congress, Rep. Dick Durbin, D-Ill, recently observed that at town meetings and in other forms of political discourse, people are becoming less civil to one another, less willing to respect the views of others and less willing even to listen to other people.

I have observed that frequently there is a relationship between educational attainment and a willingness to listen to the views of others, but it is not automatic; there are exceptions both among the well educated and the poorly educated. But just as studies show clearly that the lower the level of education, the greater the likelihood of racial prejudice, so in general I believe it is also true that the more education people have, the more likely they are to listen respectfully to the views of others, including those with whom they disagree.

Here are some general suggestions as you get involved in any issue:

1. Get as many facts as you can; don't just rely on someone's opinion.
2. Try to read something on both sides of an issue. Frequently you will be surprised if you do so.
3. Listen to the person who disagrees with you. You may earn his or her admiration in the process, as well as learn.
4. When you disagree, do it in a low-key, respectful way. There is an old line about the preacher who wrote next to a point in his sermon: "Point weak. Shout." I frequently find at town meetings that the weaker the logic of the person making a point, the more the person shouts.

Restraint may not win you applause, but it is the wise thing to do. Wise for you, and wise for the democratic process.

The Chamber rates all legislators every two years on the basis of their votes on key business legislation. Among the issues on which the new ratings are based are low-cost health care options for small businesses, uniform insurance claims forms, an expanded industrial training grant program and tax incentives for manufacturers.

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Butler rates 100% with State Chamber

The Illinois Chamber of Commerce has awarded a 100 percent rating to state Sen. Marty Butler (R-Park Ridge) for his votes in the past two General Assembly sessions on major legislation affecting jobs and businesses in the state.

"The State Chamber is the spokesman for most Illinois businesses and their employees," Butler said. "I am proud to receive high marks from this organization, since we share many of the same concerns, such as a job creation, holding the line on taxes, providing affordable health care and..."

Tax-Aide Program helps volunteers to help seniors

Would you like to help seniors by preparing income tax refunds for them? Most of the returns are simple but many do not keep up with the changes in the regulations.

The American Association of Retired Persons (AARP) is on the lookout for adult volunteers of all ages interested in helping seniors with their income tax returns. Persons living in Evanston, Lincolnwood, Morton Grove, Niles or Skokie are welcome to contact: Donald A. Smith, Associate District Coordinator, at Day Time Phone: 866-2712 Evenings & Weekends 677-5146.

This Tax-Aide Program is co-sponsored by the Internal Revenue Service.

On Jan. 16, 1995 to Jan. 19 from 9 a.m. to 4 p.m. there will be a four-day training course for beginning Tax-Aides, under IRS supervision. AARP membership is not required. Study materials, including the test booklets, will be available in December. The training course will be held at the Skokie Public Library, 5215 Oakton, Skokie.

On completion of the course and successfully passing the required portions of I.R.S. test, volunteers usually spend four hours each week from Feb. 14 through April 15 assisting seniors at one of five convenient sites at the Smith Senior Center, the Oakton Park Field House, the Bank of Lincolnwood at Touhy and Lincoln, the Mayer Kaplan Center, and the Learning Tower YMCA. There is no charge or gratuity for preparing tax returns under this program.

Take Stock in America U.S. SAVINGS BONDS

Hansen wins endorsement

In recognition for his support of lower taxes, Todd Hansen received the endorsement of Tax Accountability '94 which is associated with the National Taxpayers United of Illinois.

Hansen has spearheaded the effort to lower taxes and has proposed several tax reductions. Hansen is a strong advocate of property tax caps for all of Cook

County and has proposed a \$10,000 tax credit to any business in Illinois that hires a new full-time employee. Hansen has also proposed the elimination of taxes on overtime wages.

Jim Tobin, Chairman of Tax Accountability '94 said that Hansen "is the only candidate in the district who sincerely wants to represent the taxpayers."

Hynes appoints Salas to head Skokie Branch Office

Cook County Assessor Thomas C. Hynes has appointed Connie Salas as supervisor of his Skokie Branch Office.

Salas, an active participant in Chicago's Mexican-American Community, has been with the Assessor's Office for seven years. Prior to her current appointment, Salas served in the Taxpayer Advocate Department and was assistant supervisor of the Homeowner Exemption Department.

As supervisor of the Skokie office, Salas will oversee day-to-day operations and work closely with taxpayers from the northern suburbs of Cook County.

"Ms. Salas has been a dedicated public servant," Hynes said. "She brings to this position a broad base of experience in the assessment field and a strong commitment to the taxpayers of Cook County."

"This is a wonderful opportunity," Salas said of her new position. "The branch offices play an important role in our effort to accommodate the greatest number of taxpayers." Fifty-eight-year-old Salas, a long-time resident of Skokie, is a member of numerous organizations, including the Mexican Civic Society of Illinois and the Mex-

ican Business Woman's Organization.

The Skokie office, located at 5600 Old Orchard Road, is one of five branch offices opened by Hynes to make assessment information more accessible to taxpayers. The other four offices are located in Bridgeview, Maywood, Rolling Meadows, and Markham.

Pace schedules public hearing

Pace, the suburban transportation service, has scheduled eight public meetings throughout the six-county service region to gain public comment on its proposed 1995 budget. A meeting will be held at The Des Plaines Civic Center, 1420 Miner St., Des Plaines, on Saturday, Oct. 29 at 10 a.m.

Complete details of Pace's 1995 Operating and Capital Program are in the budget document, which can be obtained on request by calling Pace's Passenger Services Office at (708) 364-7223. Written comments regarding the proposed budget may be sent to Pace, Intergovernmental Affairs Office, 550 W. Algonquin Rd., Arlington Heights, IL 60005, but must be received by Nov. 5.

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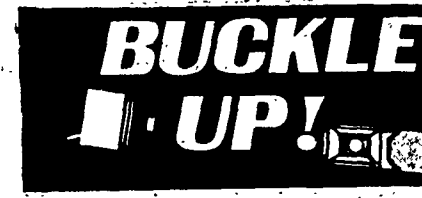
AT&T volunteers donate Hug-A-Bears



AT&T Volunteer Planners made and donated 108 Hug-A-Bears to Little City in Palatine on Oct. 11. Shown accepting these Hug-A-Bears is the Executive Director, Irene E. Zboncak and Volunteer Planner Ray Diciario. Due to the efforts of Michael Provenzano, the AT&T Volunteer Planners learned about Little City and were happy to be a part of "People Who Care."

Target to collect books for family literacy programs

Dr. Seuss, American children's favorite author, is helping collect books for family literacy programs around the country through "Share-A-Book," a book drive sponsored by Target Stores, Turner Network Television and the National Center for Family Literacy. As a partner in the community, we are proud to participate in the "Share-A-Book" program that will give parents and children an opportunity to grow together. "Share-A-Book" is being held in conjunction with National Family Literacy Day, Nov. 1, and TNT's movie, "In Search of Dr. Seuss," which premieres Sunday, Nov. 6. Family literacy is crucial to the health and development of our families. By dropping off a book or two in the Dr. Seuss



LEGAL NOTICE

OFFICIAL NOTICE TO BIDDERS

PUMP HOUSE NO. 4 AND OTHER WATER IMPROVEMENTS

VILLAGE OF NILES, ILLINOIS

OWNER: The Village of Niles, County of Cook, Illinois, hereby gives notice that sealed lump sum bids will be received for the construction of a new pump house on an existing reservoir, a new generator building, and miscellaneous work in existing buildings and structures at the water facilities located on Touhy Avenue, east of Harlem Avenue.

TIME AND PLACE OF BID OPENING: Sealed bids will be received until 12:00 p.m., Local Time on the 15th day of November, 1994, in the office of the Purchasing Agent, Village Hall, 7601 Milwaukee Avenue, Niles, Illinois 60714. The Bids will be publicly opened and read aloud in the office of the Purchasing Agent at 3:00 p.m. the same day.

BIDDING DOCUMENTS: The Bidding Documents are on file for inspection at the office of the Purchasing Agent, Village Hall, 7601 Milwaukee Avenue, Niles, Illinois 60714, and the offices of RUST Environment & Infrastructure Inc., 1501 Woodfield Road, Suite 200 East, Schaumburg, IL 60173. Copies may be obtained by applying to RUST Environment & Infrastructure Inc., at the Schaumburg office. Requests shall include street address for delivery of documents.

An \$85.00 payment for each set of Bidding Documents is required, of which \$75.00 is a non-refundable deposit and \$10.00 is a non-refundable handling charge for each set of Documents to be mailed. Copies of Bidding Documents that are mailed will be sent via UPS ground service. Faster delivery, such as UPS Next Day or Federal Express Next Day, is available upon request. Bidders shall pay the additional cost of the faster delivery service.

Copies of the Bidding Documents may be secured in person at the RUST Environment & Infrastructure office in Schaumburg, Illinois, eliminating the handling charge.

Res invites parents and students to open houses

Res is "The Place to Be" for future high school students and their parents on Sunday, Oct. 30, from noon to 3 p.m., and Thursday, Dec. 1, from 6:30 p.m. to 8:30 p.m., as Resurrection High School, 7500 W. Talcott, hosts their 1994 Open Houses.

During each Open House, guests will learn about the many fine programs and opportunities available to Resurrection students as they are guided on an individual tour through the school. Highlights will include Res's two state-of-the-art, IBM computer labs as well as the school's library, which allows students to go "on-line," through the computer, with every major library in Illinois. Throughout the tour, guests will also speak with faculty administration, staff and members of the student body. Comprehensive literature about Resurrection will also be provided for guests to take home and review.

For more information, call the Resurrection High School development office, at (312) 775-6616, ext. 27.

National Car Care Month

Secretary of State George Ryan is National Car Care Month and a good time to "winterize" your car. Preventive maintenance is inexpensive compared to the cost of being stranded, and no one knows when the first snowstorm will hit.

Q. Which maintenance procedures are the most important?
A. Change the oil and filter, lubricate the chassis and replace the air and fuel filters. An oil change is recommended every 3,000 miles or every three months, whichever comes first. In addition, inspect your car's electrical system with emphasis on your battery and alternator. Remove dirt and corrosion from battery terminals and inspect cables for secure connections.

Q. What other things should be inspected?
A. Check for leaks in the radiator system and add a 50/50 mixture of antifreeze and water if the fluid is low. Look for frayed, cracked or loose hoses and belts. Check the fluid levels of the transmission, brakes and power steering. Replace the tires if they are worn, or put new tires on the car. Keep windshield washer fluid levels up, and check headlamps and taillights so your vision will not be impaired further in a snowstorm.

Q. What items should be kept in the car during the winter?
A. Jumper cables; small shovel; ice scraper; traction mats or old rugs; and sand, salt or kitty litter for traction in case the car becomes stuck in ice or snow. Blankets, non-perishable food and a first aid kit also are suggested.

Investment talk

Interested in investing on your own? Lisa Palmer from Merrill Lynch will talk about *How to Research Your Investments* on Wednesday, Nov. 2, at 7 p.m. at the Lincolnwood Public Library, 4000 W. Pratt Ave. She will explain how potential investors can use the resources of the library as their primary source of information to improve personal finances. Call 677-5277 voice and TDD.

Support group focuses on books, films

A-SCIP, Maine Township's support group for disabled people, plans a program on talking books and captioned films and videos during next month's meeting.

The meeting is scheduled for 7 to 9 p.m. Thursday, Nov. 3, at the Maine Township Town Hall, 1700 Ballard Road, Park Ridge. Admission is free.

Judith L. Buren, outreach specialist for the Voices of Vision Talking Book Center in Geneva, will discuss the center's special library program. The center provides more than 50,000 books and 70 popular magazines on cassette or record and in Braille. Buren has been outreach specialist at Voices of Vision since February 1993. She previously worked for 10 years as coordinator of the blind and physically handicapped program at the Arlington Heights Memorial Library, and as a reader's adviser for adult services.

Also on the agenda for the A-SCIP meeting is a look at the Modern Talking Picture Service, Inc., which provides educational and general interest films and videos made available by the U.S. Department of Education. The educational films include programs for pre-schoolers through college-age students. The general interest category includes classic movies, new releases, short films, continuing education titles and after-school specials.

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For more information, call Donna Anderson, the township's disabled coordinator, or Barbara Winicki, at 297-2510, ext. 229, or at TDD number 297-1336.

Fundraiser for animals

The Assisi Animal Foundation will hold its 3rd Annual Fundraising Dinner Dance & Silent Auction on Saturday, Nov. 5 at the Crystal Lake Country Club, Crystal Lake. Cocktails are at 6:30 with dinner at 8 p.m., followed by music and dancing with Crystal Clear Productions and vocalist Cindy Beales.

The Silent Auction will feature tickets to sporting events and TV shows, original art, jewelry, complimentary dining and beauty services, and much more. The winner of the Fall Fundraiser of \$500 will be drawn during the evening festivities.

Proceeds of the benefit go to the care and feeding of hundreds of homeless cats and dogs currently sheltered by Assisi, and for additional shelter space needed to house its ever-expanding number of orphans. Assisi Animal Foundation, a not-for-profit "non-kill" animal welfare organization, can be contacted by calling (815) 455-9411 or by writing to P.O. Box 143, Crystal Lake, IL 60039.

For specific information, contact Claire Denzler at (312) 951-3222.

Ameritech offers businesses new coinless pay phone

Ameritech is introducing a new indoor pay phone that looks nothing like a traditional pay phone.

LobbyLine, a coinless, push-button phone that looks like a phone in a home or business, acts like a pay phone - minus the coins.

Ameritech is offering the service free of charge to many businesses in Illinois that have lobbies or waiting areas, but which may not have pay phones today, such as doctors' offices, car repair shops, hair salons and banks.

"We're excited about LobbyLine because we know that many small businesses want a service like this," said Gerry Stratek, LobbyLine product manager.

"We're responding to a specific customer need - both the business owners and their customers or visitors who have to sit and wait."

"How many times have you been waiting to see your doctor or get your car fixed, and you wished there was a pay phone nearby? This new pay phone is intended to fill those kinds of communication voids," Stratek said.

To use LobbyLine, callers simply charge the call to a calling card or debit card, call collect or bill the call to a third number. An information card attached to the

phone provides information on how to use the service. The phone is available on a limited basis beginning this month. Ameritech expects to offer the service throughout its Upper Midwest region by mid-1995.

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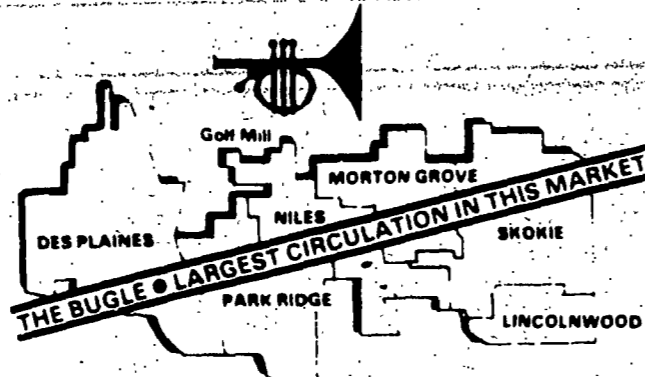
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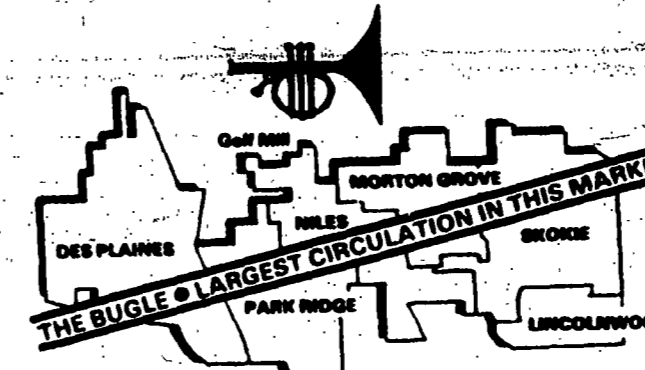
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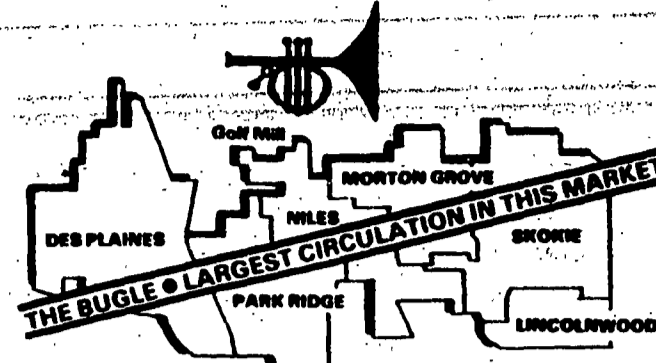
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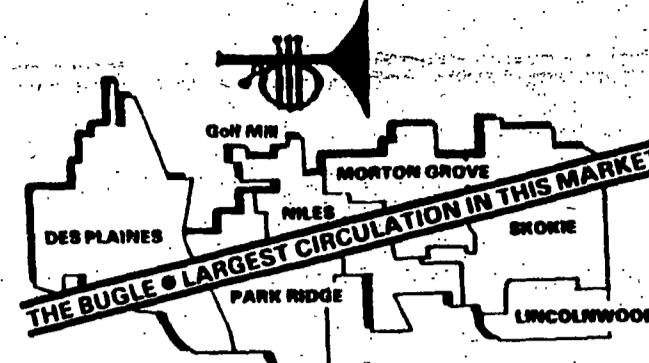
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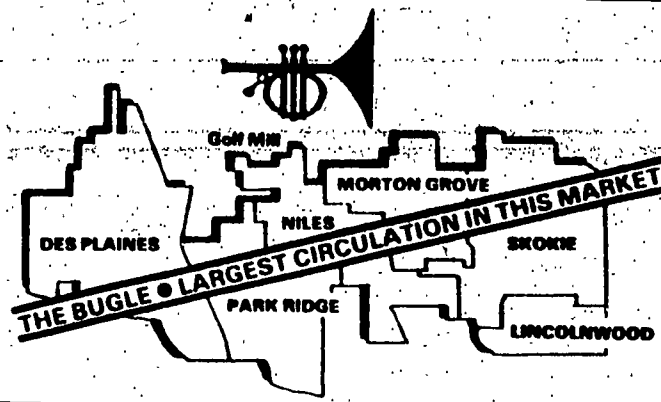
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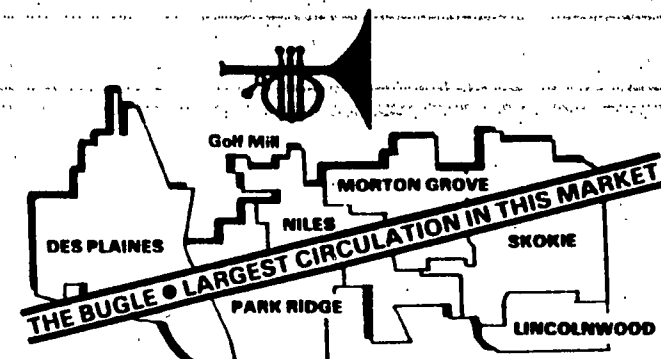
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Professionals in Learning Disabilities to meet

The Professionals in Learning Disabilities will hold its November meeting on Tuesday, Nov. 1, at 7:45 p.m. at Washburne School, 515 Hubbard Road, Winnetka.

The featured speaker will be Dr. Alan J. Levin, currently a consultant with The Community Foundation for Jewish Education. He is also a member of the adjunct faculty of Barat College where he teaches classes in special education and supervises student teachers. Dr. Levin's topic will be: Ten Things That Muddy The LD Waters, an examination of how to improve programs and services for children.

For further information, contact C. Kaplan at (708) 831-3809.

Shops seeking winter clothing for children

Merlin's Muffler & Brake Shops throughout the Chicago area are collecting new winter clothing for children in need. New clothing donations will be gift wrapped and distributed in time for the holidays through the Children's Home & Aid Society of Illinois.

The annual clothing drive, called "Snug Hugs For Kids," seeks new gloves, hats, coats, mittens, scarves, boots and other small winter gear for children between the ages of newborn and 18 years. All new donations benefit the Society, which helps children in 40 counties throughout Illinois.

The clothing may be dropped off beginning Nov. 1 through Dec. 10 at any of the 36 Merlin's stores in Chicago and the surrounding suburbs.

"Many of the children serviced by the Society do not receive gifts for the holidays," said David Kirk, President of the Society. "Snug Hugs For Kids" helps support our annual gift and stocking programs, which makes sure each of these children is given a present for the holidays.

The lack of warm, outerwear may be the one thing holding a child back from attending school or playing in the snow. To open a present like a new jacket or a bright pair of new gloves does wonders for a disadvantaged child. Winter gear is needed for all children, especially newborns and teenagers.

This marks the third year Merlin's has sponsored "Snug Hugs For Kids." Last year, approximately 15,000 pounds of clothing was collected.

"We are proud to have this partnership with Children's Home & Aid Society," said Frank Smola, President of Merlin's, "and we are thankful to the community for its generosity."

Library offers dial access to catalog

For people with personal computers, the Lincolnwood Public Library has an updated brochure on modem requirements and search tips for the dial access service to CCS On-Line, the computerized catalog.

The catalog database covers the materials owned by the 20 public libraries in the North Suburban Library System. It lists more than 3 million items: books, recordings, and all other types of library materials. The catalog shows which libraries own a given item and if it is currently checked in. If it is checked out, it shows when it is due. The library is located at 4000 W. Pratt Ave.

Yellowjacket Plague strikes nation

Experts are predicting yellowjacket populations will reach epidemic proportions this fall in many parts of the U.S. due in part to favorable weather conditions earlier this summer. Many hospital emergency departments are already reporting record numbers of bee stinging patients as the insects begin to take their toll.

Yellowjacket populations are cyclical. Every few years when weather conditions and food supplies are favorable, nest populations explode, according to Miles Guralnick, entomologist at Vespa Labs, Inc. an expert on North American yellowjacket biology. Guralnick adds that "by the time their numbers have peaked, food supplies are dwindling, forcing them to forage at picnics and garbage areas. This is where most stings occur."

To protect yourself against this

threat, avoid open refuse areas and keep all food covered when eating outdoors. Have problem nests destroyed by a professional exterminator and never swat at flying yellowjackets as frantic motion incites their attack behavior.

If you are stung, treat the area with ice for swelling and take an antihistamine if discomfort persists. If your reaction is "allergic" in nature (effecting areas of the body other than the sting site), seek medical attention immediately and consult an allergist about preventive immunization, a treatment that virtually eliminates the risk of a future allergic event.

For more information on treating allergic reactions to yellowjacket stings, call 1-800-23-STING.

LGCH reveals newly renovated pediatric unit

Lutheran General Children's Hospital (LGCH) opened the doors last week to its newly renovated, 21-bed pediatric inpatient unit. Designed to respond to the specific needs of children in a health care setting, the new unit is characterized by many home-like qualities, and is based on the input and suggestions gathered during the past 18 months from children who have been cared for in the unit, and their parents.

A 55-gallon fish tank and lighted ceiling dome, with a painted blue sky peppered with wispy white clouds, welcomes families and provides an immediately comfortable setting. Two visually stimulating, interactive walls allow children a measure of control over their own environment, enabling them to turn lights on and off and set objects into motion. The counters at the nurses' stations allow for pin-size patients to make eye contact with their nurses, and individual welcome mats and mailboxes are posted outside each room.

Each room is private with individual bathrooms and showers for parents who wish to stay overnight with their child. Each amenity was created for the ease, accessibility and comfort of children.

The three-year project was planned and completed with the assistance of a design team of architects, construction special-

ists, hospital administrators, physicians, nurses, interior decorators, child-life specialists and children themselves. The LGCH Parent Advisory Council also advised on the project.

Proud thanks can be extended to the oldest philanthropic fraternal organization in the United States, the United Order of True Sisters (UOTS), for a spacious, brightly decorated play area specifically designed for use by children up to age nine. UOTS has generously made a \$75,000 commitment to the unit and has strongly supported and overseen the development of the exciting, new playroom.

"We're very proud of the new unit - and especially the new playroom, which promises a welcome and pleasant diversion for children whose lives are entirely too full of medical treatments," said Kenneth Rojek, Senior Vice President, Operations. "We're very grateful to UOTS not only for this thoughtful and generous gift, but for their pattern of increasing support for our activities and facilities over the years."

The opening of the renovated unit helps set the stage for the early 1996 opening of the LGCH Victor Yackman Children's Pavilion, a state-of-the-art pediatric outpatient facility, which promises to further establish LGCH as a Chicagoland area forerunner in pediatric care.

Celebrities join Res for golf outing

The Resurrection High School community was joined this year by guest speaker and former Chicago Bear, Glenn Kozlowski, as well as Res alum and Chicagoan TV Sports Reporter, Peggy Kusinski for Res's third annual Benefit Golf Outing, held at Indian Lakes Resort in Bloomingdale.

Sunny skies reigned as golfers enjoyed 18 holes, then gathered later that evening with other guests for cocktails and dinner in the Indian Lakes banquet facilities. During cocktails, Kozlowski entertained his audience with anecdotes from his days with the Bears and Mike Ditka. Following dinner, Kusinski spoke of her reporting career and her days as a Res student, then assisted outgoing chairman, Dick Haas in the naming of golf contest and raffle winners.

Sponsors of this year's event included, Wilson Golf, LaSalle Northwest National Bank, PF Materials, All American Video, Inc., Cumberland Chapels, Major

Chemical and Supply, Resurrection Health Care Corporation, Wm. Sprandel Sons, CSC Office Automation, Columbia National Bank, and others.

Money raised through the outing benefits Res's Development Committee Scholarship Fund. Each year this fund awards three partial tuition scholarships to Res students who best exhibit the qualities of intellectual, spiritual, ethical and social growth.

For more information about this event, contact the Resurrection High School development office at (312) 775-6616.

Mark G. Bisig
Marine Cpl. Mark G. Bisig, son of Norman and Carolyn Bisig of Des Plaines, recently reported for duty with Marine Fighter Attack Squadron 212, Marine Aircraft Wing 11, Marine Corps Air Station El Toro, Santa Ana, Calif. The 1990 graduate of Maine West High School joined the Marine Corps in December 1990.

It doesn't take money to improve education

Dear Editor:
This response to Superintendent Robert Varga's comments on the paper's editorials about public education is late, but since the debate has been going on for years and probably will continue for years, the response is still timely.

For once, it would be nice to see criticism of a public school district answered by support from someone other than a person who is associated with the "Education Establishment" or either directly as an employee or appointee, or indirectly, through association as a relative. Without fail, these people are apologists for the present system and their statements are, without exception, self-serving.

From every corner of the nation the educational cry is "More Money!" It isn't as if we haven't been spending more money. We have! Millions and millions of dollars of "More Money." The results do not justify this continuing support of the present system.

The politicians, who support taxing us and spending more money for "education," never tell you where it is going to be spent. A review of historical spending patterns and school budgets clearly shows the answer. Seventy-five percent to 85 percent of school budgets go for employee compensation, i.e., teachers, administrators, clerical, and custodial personnel. During the last few years, when the rate of inflation has been 2, 3, and 4 percent the education compensation increases have been running 5, 6, and 7 percent. Bear in mind, that these compensation packages include not only salary, but fully covered medical and dental insurance, liberal sick leave policies, extra curricular activity payments, fully paid continuing education, etc. If property values and, therefore, taxes could not keep up with these increases, the budgets were adjusted to skipping on maintenance, teaching materials, and supplies. Heaven forbid that the personnel should have less, so the children could have more.

This process isn't new. It has been going on for years. The result, of course, is that now some systems are bankrupt. Yet, no one wants to face up to the fact that "more money" will continue to end up in the pockets of the same school personnel as it has in the past. Then they will be back continuing the incessant cry for still "more money," in a never-ending cycle, and producing the same result, undereducated children.

Why hasn't something been done? There are 200,000 unionized teachers in Illinois. Their contracts establish the basis for the compensation of everyone else in the system. If you count the administrators and support staff, there are about another 100,000 personnel to add. If every one of these people influences three votes, family or friends, that's 900,000 votes. Would you politically buck that large a constituency?

The sad part of all this is: IT DOESN'T DO ONE SINGLE THING TO IMPROVE THE KNOWLEDGE THAT CHILDREN OBTAIN IN THE PUBLIC SCHOOLS. There is a significant difference between the teacher in the classroom, and the teachers union. Children are

still taught by teachers. Good teachers turn out good students. We don't have enough good teachers, and the unions and "more money" aren't going to provide more good teachers. If anything, this system protects and perpetuates the poorest teachers. I have yet to meet any good teachers who will change their dedication, their teaching technique, their devotion to students because they are earning \$5,000 less per year.

It would be wonderful to be able to think the present system could reform itself. In Illinois, the unions would see that it never happens and the politicians fear their voting clout. If there were no unions and silly certification rules, and instead of the artificial stages of labor, so created, teachers jobs were sought in an open market, there would be at least 50 qualified applicants for every opening. And in this labor climate, they would be willing to work for much less than present compensation, thereby solving the financial crunch.

That's the reason for vouchers. It may not be a perfect solution, but it would accomplish two things. It would provide the radical departure from the present system, and it would force the public schools to either compete or perish.

Sincerely,
Allen B. Kravis

Niles cares about its residents

To the Editor:
I have lived in Niles for 44 1/2 years and Niles really does care for people. Friday was garbage day. They skipped me. I called Public Works and they called Groot and I was told they would pick it up Saturday, which they did. Thank you Niles and for all the other good experiences I have had.

I am glad to be living in Niles.
Marion Weiner

Car phone safety tips

by Secretary of State George H. Ryan
Cellular phones, when used to call for road service, report accidents or report suspected drunk drivers, contribute to traffic safety, according to Ameritech Mobile. Unfortunately, some drivers abuse cellular phones and create safety hazards.

Q. What can I do to make car phoning safer?
A. Drive defensively while on the phone. Check mirrors frequently - every four to five seconds is a good idea.

Keep conversations short. Intense negotiations or arguments should be held only while your car is parked.

The best way to keep your hands on the wheel is to use a hands-free speaker phone.

Q. What are some good safe dialing tips?
A. Whenever possible, dial when your car is not moving, or have a passenger dial the phone for you.

If you have to dial while driving, dial the first three numbers, assess traffic, then finish making the call.

Store frequently used numbers in your phone's memory to eliminate unnecessary dialing.

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Letters to the Editor

Niles lacks small-time pharmacists

Dear Editor,

I have lived in Niles for over 25 years and have seen many changes in our community. I remember when we had a number of independent pharmacies in our community. These stores came to Niles and became part of our community organizations, became instrumental in community affairs, patronized other Niles businesses, kept their accounts in Niles banks. Then as the big conglomerates entered the business pharmacy, the small stores could not compete with mass purchasing and lost leader sales. One by one these small stores closed.

The last independent pharmacy in Niles was Sav-Mor Drugs on Dempster and Harlem. This was a large store with a lot of merchandise and many bargains, but when Phar-Mor opened it took less than a year later for Sav-Mor to close. And now guess what has happened? The super store conglomerate Phar-Mor has closed its doors. The customers who ran away from the independents to this big chain now have to find another deep discount warehouse. Give the new outfit your money and wait for them to fold and move out of Niles.

What the residents of Niles will be unable to do is to shop in a neighborhood pharmacy where the owner was available for problems and willing to give the consumer the very best personal service. All the independents are gone. The small business community has suffered. And the Niles consumers who took their business away from the community pharmacy and ran to the superpharmacy warehouse should be ashamed of themselves. Niles has a little empty store and all the little guys are long gone and never coming back.

Residents of Niles: congratulations for your loyalty.
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Passages lecturer discusses education

Blossom Marmel, M.A., University of Chicago, will present a lecture entitled *Education: Is This All There Is?* as part of the Passages Lecture Series on Tuesday, Nov. 8 from 1 to 2:30 p.m. in Room 112 at Oakton's Ray Hartstein Campus, 7701 N. Lincoln Ave., Skokie. Admission is free. Marmel will discuss how societal changes in the past 30 years have created challenges to tradi-

tional education and suggest new ways for dealing with them. For more information on the lecture, call (708) 635-1414.

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Important notice on phone rate changes

Dear Sprint/Centel-Illinois Customer:

As you probably know, Sprint/Centel-Illinois initiated revised rates on October 3 as a positive response to customer concerns. These rates are already in effect. However, depending on when you receive your October bill, it may reflect only a few days of the new, modified rates.

Many customers will not see the full effect of the rate changes until they receive their bills in November.

The October 3 modifications triple the size of the local untimed calling area and begin the 25% off-peak discount an hour earlier.

With the extended local calling area, residential customers can now call more locations within their community of interest for the flat rate of a nickel a call or less.

With the expansion of the off-peak discount period, residential and business customers can now benefit from the 25% discount from 8:00 p.m. to 9:00 a.m., and on weekends, from 8:00 p.m. Friday until 9:00 a.m. Monday.

Remember, look to your November bill, not your October bill, for the full effect of the modified rates.



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states, Illinois ranks 6th. Among the 20 richest states, Illinois ranks 15th.

Among the 9 large urbanized states (60% or more metro, over 7 million population) Illinois ranked 6th in school funding ahead of California, Florida and Texas but behind Michigan, New Jersey, New York, Ohio and Pennsylvania. In 1971 and 1980, Illinois ranked 4th and in 1990, it ranked 8th.

Comparing the 20 richest states in the United States, Illinois' school funding ranked 8th in 1971, 11th in 1980, 18th in 1990 and 15th in 1993.

In 1980 the state's total budget was \$13,573,583. Elementary and high school funding was 19% or \$2,581,090 of the budget. In 1993 the budget was \$30,781,967. Elementary and high schools received 13.9%. Because of eligibility rules by the federal government, Medicaid funding increased from 9.8% to 15.6% of the state budget during this same period. Medicaid funding was about half of school funding in 1980 but was \$500,000 more than school funding in 1993.

The Tribune reports, "The major cause of the inequities in school funding is the state's heavy reliance on local fund-

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Balling added that the architectural firm that determined the original cost is not the firm that is handling the renovation.

On the timeline for the project, one of the major events was a community meeting held Oct. 18.

All areas of interest were represented at the meeting, which Balling said had an exceptional turnout of 67 residents.

One major area of concern discussed was the removal of six of the nine racquetball courts to make room for the indoor track. Balling said that almost half of the audience was comprised of racquetball players who were dissatisfied over the courts removal. With the park district's programs running at an annual deficit of \$70,000, Balling said the indoor track will help make the district self-sufficient by creating more community interest. Despite the increase in cost, Balling said that the park district will not need to make any changes to fund the project.

The park district will complete an approximate \$2.5 million bond sale in December to pay for most of the renovation. First National Bank of Morton Grove had the lower interest rate of the two local banks the park district contacted on Oct. 3.

Two million dollars of the bonds will pay for the renovation, with the remainder paying for pool repairs and work on Mansfield Park, among other projects. Next in the renovation plans, Balling said, is the architect's preparation of bid specifications, which will go out in February and will be opened March 6.

Niles man ...
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notified his superiors as soon as he was first approached by the defendants.

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strike when it feels it is necessary," Palicki said.

The letter from the Illinois Labor Relations Board stated that authorization could come as soon as five days after the letter was received by the Board of Education.

Palicki said that since the contract expired, the two sides have reduced the number of issues between them, but added that there has been no movement on the major issues. Palicki requested the board reconsider its stand on the issues and return to the bargaining table to negotiate a fair and respectful contract.

Lombardi indicated that the board was ready to talk at any time.

The three teachers who spoke to the board at the meeting stressed the need for a fair settlement.

"We've been waiting since June for an equitable settlement and it hasn't happened yet," said Sarah Surtevant, a Niles Elementary South teacher. "The teachers in this district deserve a settlement that will allow us to remain competitive with the other districts in the township."

Carl Travor, a teacher at Cul-

BoRics reaches fundraising goal

BoRics Salons across the country have realized their goal of raising \$50,000 for the Make-A-Wish Foundation! The chain raised funds through a national campaign from Aug. 1 through Sept. 25 by donating 50 cents of each regularly priced haircut to Make-A-Wish. A minimum of \$50,000 was guaranteed.

Since 1980, when the first wish was granted, the Make-A-Wish Foundation has made wishes come true for more than 23,000 children. Make-A-Wish grants wishes to children who have life-threatening medical conditions creating the probability that they will not survive beyond their eighteenth year.

Bob Jones, president of BoRics, is thrilled with the outcome of his company's campaign. "It's been a wonderful eight weeks, working in conjunction with Make-A-Wish," he said. "I feel confident in saying that everyone, from our customers, to the team members of BoRics are proud to have contributed and worked so hard to benefit this truly deserving organization."

Stephen E. Torkelson, national executive director of the Make-A-Wish Foundation, is excited about the contribution and its benefit to the Foundation. "What a wonderful thing BoRics has done. Now, a number of our wish kids will have the opportunity to see their dreams come true, thanks to the kindness and support of BoRics and its clientele."

TCF reports quarterly earnings

TCF Financial Corporation (TCF) (NYSE:TCF), a \$5 billion stock savings bank holding company and parent of TCF Bank Illinois based here, today reported net income of \$15.5 million for the 1994 third quarter, up 28 percent from \$12.1 million for the 1993 third quarter. On a per share basis, TCF earned \$1.25 for the 1994 third quarter, up 30 percent from 96 cents for the same period in 1993.

TCF Bank Illinois has more than 30 offices in northern Illinois, including offices in Niles and Park Ridge.

"TCF's return on average assets was a record of 1.29 percent for the 1994 third quarter, up from 0.98 percent for the 1993 third quarter. Return on average equity was 19.96 percent for the 1994 third quarter, up from 17.29 percent for the same 1993 period.

For the first nine months of 1994, net income totaled \$41.6 million, up 23 percent from \$33.7 million before merger-related charges in the 1993 first nine months. Year-to-date earnings per share were \$3.35, up 24 percent from \$2.70 before merger-related charges in the comparable 1993 period. During the first half of 1993, TCF acquired Republic

TCF reports quarterly earnings

Capital Group, Inc., Milwaukee, and recorded after-tax merger-related restructuring charges totaling \$7.9 million.

Barry N. Winslow, president of TCF Bank Illinois (TCF Bank), attributed TCF's record earnings to continued improvement in net interest income and the net interest margin, while maintaining excellent credit quality and a strong capital position.

During the third quarter, TCF and Great Lakes Bancorp, Ann Arbor, Michigan, signed a definitive agreement to merge in a tax-free stock-for-stock exchange which is expected to close in the 1995 first quarter. "We see our expansion into Michigan as a key factor in our future growth," said Winslow. "The demographics of consumers in Michigan are similar to our other Midwest markets, making our products a nice fit for that area."

At Sept. 30, book value per share was \$26.03 based on 12,167,551 shares outstanding. TCF purchased 50,000 shares of its common stock during the 1994 third quarter and 450,800 shares year-to-date under a 5 percent stock repurchase program authorized by its board of directors in January 1994.

Cook a magnificent Thanksgiving feast

Register for the Northbrook Park District Light and Easy Thanksgiving Feast cooking session and learn how to prepare a delicious and simple Thanksgiving meal, complete from soup to nuts. Recipes include Butternut Squash soup, Herb Roasted Turkey Breast with Wild Rice Stuffing, Oven Roasted Vegetables, Whipped Potatoes, Cranberry Orange Salsa, Pumpkin Angel-food Cake and Brandied Fruits. Advance preparation schedules and shopping lists are included in this course.

This fourth session in the complete Gourmet Cooking Series will take place on Wednesday, evening, Nov. 2, 7 to 10 p.m., at the Leisure Center, 3223 Walters Ave. Food samples will be available, so bring your appetite.

For further information, call 291-2980.

Gyms are open for basketball

Bring your basketball buddies to either the Northbrook Junior High or the Glenbrook North High School gymnasiums this winter to compete in a few hours of fun basketball. Beginning in September, the junior high gym will open on Wednesdays from 7:30 to 9:30 p.m.; the high school gym will open on Sundays from 8 a.m. to noon.

Teams will be formed each session and players will be charged \$3 for each session. The program operates on the school calendar. Call 291-2369, to confirm dates.

Gregory R. Bart
Navy Lt. j.g. Gregory R. Bart, son of George and Patricia Bart of Skokie, recently completed the Officer Indoctrination School.

During the course at the Naval Education and Training Center, Newport, R.I., students are prepared for duty in the naval staff field corresponding to their civilian profession.

Bart joined the Navy in April 1994.



CONSUMER ALERT
by Attorney General Roland W. Burris

Q. I recently purchased my first automobile. Because it is a used car and no longer under warranty, I need some advice on what I can do to maintain the car. Also, how should I go about finding a trustworthy auto mechanic?

A. Congratulations. Buying an automobile is one of the most important and expensive purchases the average person makes. Proper maintenance will help to ensure that your car runs well and will cut down on repair costs. Maintaining your vehicle requires some basic knowledge of general automobile maintenance (a good place to start is to thoroughly read the manual) and finding a reliable auto mechanic.

If you will write to my Consumer Protection Division at 500 S. Second St., Springfield Illinois, 62706, we will send you a free booklet called "Taking the Scare Out of Automobile Repair." The booklet provides many tips on how to identify and prevent automobile problems before they occur and offers advice on how to find a qualified mechanic when repairs do become necessary.

OCTOBER 28 AWARE SINGLES and CHICAGOLAND SINGLES

The Chicagoland Singles Association and the Aware Singles Group will sponsor a dance at 8 p.m. on Friday, Oct. 28 at the Sheraton Gateway Suites Offsite Hotel, 6501 N. Mannheim Rd., Rosemont. Music will be provided by Music Makers. All singles are invited. Admission is \$5. For more information, call Aware at (708) 632-9600 or Chicagoland Singles at (312) 545-1515.

City of Hope Singles Halloween Party

The City of Hope Singles Council presents a Halloween Party on Sunday, Oct. 30 at the Prop House in Chicago, 1675 North Elston, from 6 p.m. to 10 p.m.

The most outrageous costume will win the biggest prize at this event. Come and entertain each other with your funky and original creations. Or just come for the fun! Costumes are optional and you will meet singles in the 35 to 55 age group. Proceeds from this event benefit the City of Hope Hospital and Medical Research Center in California. There will be pizza, dancing, Karaoke and a cash bar.

Singles Halloween Dance

The Spares Sunday Evening Club for Widowed, Divorced, and Single Adults will sponsor a Special Halloween Dance on Sunday Oct. 30. There will be prizes for best costumes, costumes encouraged but optional. The dance will take place at Morton Grove American Legion Hall 6140 Dempster, Morton Grove from 7:30 to 10:30 p.m. Music by "The Melodians" The cost is \$5 for members and \$6 for guests. Contact (708) 965-5730 for more information.

CEL Singles schedule 1994-95 program year

CEL Singles has announced plans for the 1994-95 program year. The group is a social club for adults with learning disabilities or mild developmental disabilities who live independently, work in the community and travel from place to place on their own.

The singles meet the first Sunday of every month at 6:30 p.m. at the Center. Activities are planned by the group and can include Center or community-based outings such as group games, potluck dinners or picnics, movies, bowling, etc.

The fee for this group is \$75 for 11 months of programs. Members who pay in full by Oct. 31 will be given free admission to CEL's Harvest Ball in October. Transportation is the responsibility of each group member.

For additional information on CEL Singles, contact Denise Jaffe, Program Director, at (708) 948-7001.

OCTOBER 28 CATHOLIC ALUMNI CLUB

A Halloween Costume Dance for single young adults, ages 21 to 38, will be sponsored by the Catholic Alumni Club at 9 p.m., Friday, Oct. 28, at the Holiday Inn Willowbrook, 7800 S. Kingery Hwy (Route 83), Willowbrook. The location is one block north of the Stevenson Expy. (I-55). Non-member admission is \$8. Music will be provided by a professional DJ. For more information and a free C.A.C. newsletter, call (312) 726-0735.

OCTOBER 29 ST. PETER'S SINGLES

All singles over 45 invited to these dances. . . St. Peter's Singles Dance, Friday, Oct. 28, 9 p.m. Halloween Dance #1 Golden Flame, 6417 Higgins, Saturday, Oct. 29, 9 p.m. Franklin Park American Legion Hall, 9757 Pacific, Halloween Dance #2, costumes optional, prizes for best costume. Sunday, Oct. 30, Early Evening Dance, 6 to 9:30 Aqua Bella, 3630 N. Harlem. Each dance \$5. Hotline (312) 334-2589.

OCTOBER 30 ORIGINAL SUNDAY SINGLES

The Original Sunday Singles dance and party, for all singles age 25+, will be held on Sunday night, Oct. 30, from 7:30 p.m. - midnight. The evening features DJ music, dancing, door prizes and munchies. Admission is \$3. At Maxies Lounge, Clarion Hotel, 6810 N. Mannheim Rd., Rosemont. For further information, call (708) 453-7017.

OCTOBER 29 NORTHWEST SINGLES ASSOCIATION

All singles are invited to The Combined Club Singles "Halloween Dance" at 8 p.m. on Saturday, Oct. 29, at the Marriott Oak Brook Hotel, 1401 W. 22nd St., Oak Brook. Cash prizes for the best costume. Costumes optional. Music will be provided by Music in Motion. The event is co-sponsored by the Northwest Singles Association, Young Suburban Singles and Singles & Company. Admission will be \$3. For more information call (708) 209-2066.

NOVEMBER 1 CITY OF HOPE SINGLES

The City of Hope Singles Council presents "Twice Tuesdays" social-buffet and dance-mixer. DJ, 35 and over, all welcome. 94th Aero Squadron, 1070 S. Milwaukee, Wheeling (just north of Willow Rd.). First and third Tuesday: Nov. 1, 15; Dec. 6, 20. \$6 donation. For information call Steve (312) 761-4104 or Ilene (708) 537-5997.

TOGETHER SINGLES

Together Singles Productions, an event service and multifaceted social club, including a live events hotline for Chicagoland's singles. Events are scheduled throughout the year, almost every day, including theater, dances, socials, trips, charity benefits and more. Membership is \$35 semi-annually. For membership information call (312) 661-1976.

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Mass celebrates 75 years

Bishop Timothy Lyne will be the presider at a Mass celebrating St. Martha Parish's 75th Anniversary this Oct. 30. Following the Mass, there will be a reception in the Fine Room. While many parishes at that time were known as "ethnic" parishes, St. Martha was always known as a "territorial" parish, welcoming all nationalities. Today it is still representative of many different groups. St. Martha Parish first held services in an old saloon rented at 6238 Lincoln. In 1923, enough money was raised to begin construction of the Church. In 1947, the church hall was used to partition rooms for five classrooms and then an additional school building was completed in 1950. In 1960, an Auditorium/Chapel and additional classrooms were built. The history of these 75 years for St. Martha Parish is a record of hundreds of parishioners and parish staff who have served the parish, the community of Morton Grove and many others with lives of faith and loving services. For all these accomplishments, the present-day parishioners will give God thanks as they celebrate at the Masses on Oct. 29 and 30.

Mozart's Requiem at St. John's

The Polish National Alliance and President Edward J. Moskal extends an invitation to participate in a "Solemn Tridentine Mass" (in Latin) on All Souls Day, Wednesday, Nov. 2 at 7:30 p.m. at St. John Cantius Church, 825 N. Carpenter (near Chicago and Ogden Ave.) Chicago. Celebrant of the Mass will be the Rev. Frank Phillips, Pastor of St. John's.

The Intention of the Mass will be in honor of the deceased members of the Polish National Alliance, to commemorate the 50th Anniversary of the Polish American Congress, the "Valiant who fought at Monte Cassino and those who did not return."

Mozart's Requiem will be sung during the Mass by soloists Ms. Karen Brunsson, Mr. Callend Metts, Mrs. Melanie Tomaszczuk and Mr. Larry Baede. The Niles Symphony Orchestra will be directed by the Rev. Stanley Rudick. For additional information, call St. John's at (312) 243-7373 or the P.N.A. at (312) 286-0500 ext. 309 or 316.

'Healthy Lifestyles' workshop set

"Healthy Lifestyles," a Self Help Mind Body Workshop sponsored by Rush North Shore Medical Center, will be held on Wednesdays, Nov. 2 through Dec. 14, 7 to 9:45 p.m. at the medical center. Presented by Patricia Katherine Novick, Ph.D., topics will include how to increase your energy and vitality by creating an individualized wellness program. Assess your situation and learn proven techniques in stress reduction, nutrition, exercise and behavior modification. Experience the immediate benefits of a comprehensive healthy lifestyle plan.

Dr. Novick is a clinical psychologist specializing in psychoneuroimmunology with 20 years of training and experience in a variety of psychological and body work disciplines.

There is a \$125 fee to attend. For further information or to make a reservation, call the Rush North Shore Referral Line at 933-6000.

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TREASURER'S REPORT VILLAGE OF MORTON GROVE, ILL. COMBINED STATEMENT OF REVENUES, EXPENDITURES & CHANGES IN FUND BALANCES ALL GOVERNMENTAL FUND TYPES AND DISCREETELY PRESENTED COMPONENT UNIT FOR THE YEAR ENDED APRIL 30, 1994 FILED PURSUANT TO 65 ILCS 50-10-1.1

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First United hosts benefit concert

The First United Methodist Church of Park Ridge, 418 Touhy Ave., will host a benefit concert on Sunday, Oct. 30 at 4 p.m. The concert is one of a series of benefit events planned to help restore the church's sanctuary pipe organ. The renovation project will give Park Ridge one of the finest pipe organs in Northwest Chicago, taking approximately 2 years to complete.

The classical program promises an exciting selection of works by Robert Schumann, Alexander Borodin, Mozart, Beethoven, Valery Nelyubel, and others.

Tickets may be reserved in advance for \$20 per person, tax-deductible; proceeds will benefit the restoration of the Sanctuary Pipe Organ of the First United Methodist Church. The concert will be held in the church sanctuary, which is wheelchair accessible. Parking is available across from the Grant Place entrance to the church, where handicapped spaces are also available.

For ticket information, contact the church office at (708) 825-3144.

Schindler survivor to speak

Zev Kedem, a survivor of Nazi Germany as a result of being on the original "Schindler's List," will speak at Illinois Wesleyan University on Tuesday, Nov. 1. Kedem tells his extraordinary story of survival and courage, exploring the real-life drama that inspired Steven Spielberg's award-winning film "Schindler's List" at 7:30 p.m. in the Main Lounge of Memorial Student Center. The speech is free and open to the public.

Suicide Foundation raises funds

"Whoever saves one life saves the world entire." That poignant Talmudic verse from the blockbuster movie "Schindler's List" also captures the goals of the American Suicide Foundation. The organization is striving to learn why thousands of Americans take their lives every year and how to prevent those tragic losses.

"Suicide is on the rise, but we don't really know why and we don't know all we must do to stop it," says Dr. John Zajack, president of the American Suicide Foundation's Midwestern Division. He is also medical director of the Women's Board Depression Treatment and Research Center at Rush-Presbyterian-St. Luke's Medical Center in Chicago.

To fund research that will find answers to those questions, the foundation's Midwestern Division is hosting "A Tastes of Salon Wine-Tasting Event" on Friday, Nov. 4, from 7 to 9:30 p.m. It will be held at Salon Millennium, 727 Elm St., Winnetka.

Those who attend can further the foundation's research and education efforts while enjoying excellent company, a raffle and a variety of fine wines and hors d'oeuvres. There is also plenty of free parking. Contributions are tax-deductible. Tickets are \$25 per person when purchased in advance and \$30 if purchased at the door.

For reservations, call Salon Millennium at (708) 441-0057.

USE THE BUG

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Local students inducted into national honor society

Phi Eta Sigma, the national honor society recognizing academic excellence among college freshmen, recently inducted 139 students at the University of Illinois at Chicago.

First-year undergraduates inducted into UIC's chapter achieved a grade-point average of at least 4.5 on a 5.0 scale. Community residents inducted included: Monica Baig, Kyoo Choi, Michael Gershon, and Shubhang Patel of Des Plaines; Elinor Yu of Glenview; Malin Malesgrai and Gilbert Burak of Lincolnwood; Ray Lianes and Dennis Suzara of Morton Grove; Ernie Strouboulos and Marina Tolpina of Niles; Vijak Aysananda of Northbrook; and Alon Crook, Sora Groner, Paul Koziol, Janet Lee, and Ramak Maheronaghsh of Skokie.

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Niles West plans orchestra and choral concert

Musicians from the orchestras and choruses of Niles West High Schools will perform in a free music concert at 7:30 p.m. Thursday, Nov. 3 in the auditorium of Niles West School, 5701 Oakton St. in Skokie. Members of the concert and symphonic orchestras will perform, as will the Choralers Choral Union, Chamber Choir and the Expressions. For more information, call (708) 581-2974.

The concert, orchestra, under the direction of Steven Katz, will perform "The Water is Wide," arranged by Lloyd Conley, and Ken Keating's "Sweet Jazz Suite," a two-part piece composed of the "Ragtime Fiddle" and the "Hed-down Boogie." The symphonic orchestra, also under the direction of Katz, will play the "Prelude" and "Sarabande" from Edward Grieg's "Holberg Suite Op. 40," and Handel's "Concerto Grosso, Op. 6, No. 2." This work will feature solo performances by sisters Susan and Sarah Koo of Lincolnwood on violin and cello respectively, and Shirley Paek of Skokie on violin. "Spirituals for Strings," a group of songs including "Gospel Train," "Old Time Religion," "Were You There?" "Steal Away" and "All God's Children Got Wings," collectively arranged by Morton Gould, will conclude the orchestra portion of the program.

The Choralers will open the choral performances with their rendition of "The Sally Gardens" by English composer Benjamin Britten; "Heart and Soul" by Hoagy Carmichael, arranged by Jay Althouse; and "Dream A Dream" by Ed Robertson. The Choral Union will then perform "Praise the Lord, Aletuia" by eighteenth century composer William Boyce, the speech-chorus work "Wall Street Rhythm" by Jay Althouse and "Play for Me A Simple Melody" by Irving Berlin, arranged by Kirby Shaw. The Chamber Choir takes the stage next, performing "The Birth of the Blues" by Ray Henderson, arranged by Kirby Shaw; "Nigra Sum" by famed cellist and composer Pablo Casals and an cappella version of "Elijah Rock," a traditional spiritual arranged by Jester Hairston.

The advanced mixed choir Expressions will then perform the American Shaker song "Simple Gifts," arranged by Marie Pooler; "My Bonnie Lasso," an cappella English Madrigal written by Joseph Bottomley and arranged by Linda Spaveck; and "I Hear A Voice A-Praying," written by Houston Bright and also performed a cappella. The four choirs will combine to close the evening with a performance of "Blessing" by Katie Moran Bart.

Niles North celebrates eight National Merit Semifinalists



Niles North National Merit Semifinalists are (first row, from left) Susan Dunne of Skokie and Miriam Gould of Skokie; (second row, from left) Anatoly Delm of Skokie, Zachary Aron of Skokie, Daryn David of Skokie and Joel Pollack of Skokie. Not pictured are Leonard Goldenstein of Skokie and Valerie Doring of Niles.

College to host Open House

Rosary College, 7900 W. Division St., River Forest, is hosting an open house for high school students and college transfer students on Sunday, Oct. 30 at 1:30 p.m. Families are encouraged to attend.

During the two-hour program, prospective students will have the opportunity to speak with Rosary College faculty, staff and students about academic and student life on campus. College administrators will present information regarding financial aid, on-campus housing and Rosary College's study abroad programs in London, Florence, Strasbourg, Heidelberg, Milan, and Salamanca.

Tours of Rosary's 30-acre campus will include the computer classroom, language laboratory, art gallery, residence halls and College Center, which houses the bookstore, student grill, a gymnasium with suspended running track, weight room and racquetball courts.

For more information about the Open House program, call the Admissions Office at (708) 524-6800.

Children's Liturgy Team at St. Martha

Congratulations to St. Martha student Nina Franco, Grade 7, whose button design has been chosen the winner of the Morton Grove Centennial Button Contest. This button will be worn by all the school children of Morton Grove and sold to members of the Morton Grove Community.

The 1994-95 Children's Liturgy Team include: Junior High students Joe Berg and Mike Perotti; Grade 6 students Beth Pizarro and Ryan Sheehan; Fifth graders Dominic Grear and Kelly Russell; and fourth graders Diane Baldemor and John Liston.

Song Leaders include: fourth graders Krystle Elias, Kelly Valignota, Jenny Allen, Brittany Lawson, Jenny Fortman, Cathy Pasia, Diane Baldemor; and Mylene Remo; fifth graders Kathy Pisula, Kelly Russell, Bridgette O'Malley, Christine Primero, Joe Erickson, Mike Pisula, Theresa Sorensen, Amy Berrafato, and Tina Pauley; sixth graders Kelly Wallenberg, Elizabeth Pizarro, Lauren Curry, Pam Quinn, and Sean Bieschke; and fifth co-ordinators Mrs. Bishop, Ms. Gross, and Mrs. Koop.

School participates in bank program for second year

The First National Bank of Niles is proud to once again be a sponsor of St. John Lutheran School and the 1994/95 Bank At School Program.

The students of St. John Lutheran School had a rewarding experience with the program last year and the bank plans for the same success this school year. The teacher responsible for the program this year is Karen Switek (6th and 7th grade). Kristine Koenig, a bank representative, visits the school once a month to conduct Bank Days. Students become bank tellers for a day to help collect deposits brought in by classmates. The entire school will visit the bank in November for a tour and an opportunity to see how a bank operates.

The program was created by the state in 1992 because of the need to teach children about the importance of saving. Last year, 45,000 children from 263 classrooms saved money and planned their future with 100 banks throughout Illinois.

District 207 semifinalists increases over last year

Twenty students from the three Maine High Schools have been named National Merit Scholarship semifinalists for 1995, compared to six who were named last year, according to Suzanne Millies, assistant superintendent for instruction for Maine Township High School District 207. Twenty-one students were commended for their performance on the exam compared to 35 who were named last year.

The National Merit Scholarship Program honors individual students who show exceptional academic ability and potential for success in rigorous college studies. Millies said, "The program does not measure the quality or effectiveness of education in a school."

Maine East had eight semifinalists. They are Robert Abrahamian, Jon Gayness, Neela Ghoshal, Sung Hong, Riva Khoshaba, Alice Lee, Margaret Simon, and Phillip Yee.

Maine South had 11 semifinalists. They are Alison Adlaf, Nicole Baier, Heather Brammeier, Mary Burns, Steven Chiagouris, Neil Craigie, Kristin Klaczek, Agnes Milewski, Todd Pyle, Andrea Wells, and Stephen Zibrat. Maine West had one semifinalist, Geoffrey Raye.

Maine East had four commended students. They are Richard Grabowski, Jennifer Laurin, Beatrice Przybyz, and Melissa Walters.

Maine South had 13 commended students. They are Rachel Cannon, William Dicks, Christian Elssesser, Paul Guercio, Nicholas Klensch, Joseph Liss, Daniel Maigler, Scott Manross, Vicky Pappas, Devanshi Patel, Emily Reiman, Jennifer Schuberth, and Scott Schwemlin.

Maine West had four commended students. They are Paul Audino, Jennifer Bonax, Qayam Khan, and Anton Kleyn.

Students commended in merit program

Notre Dame High School For Boys, Niles, is pleased to announce that Senior Victor Bayona, has been named a Commended Student in the 1995 National Merit Scholarship Program. A Letter of Commendation from National Merit Scholarship Corporation (NMSC), which conducts the program, will be presented by the school to this outstanding senior.

About 35,000 Commended Students throughout the nation are being honored for their outstanding performance on the 1993 Preliminary SAT/National Merit Scholarship Qualifying Test, which was the route of entry to the 1994 Merit Program. Commended Students have shown exceptional academic promise by placing among the top five percent of more than one million program entrants. Although the qualifying test scores of Commended Students are outstanding, they are slightly below the level required to continue in the competition for Merit Scholarships to be awarded in 1995.

An NMSC spokesperson stated, "It is important to acknowledge the attainments of academically talented students and to credit schools for the key role they play in their development. We hope that the recognition these scholastically able students receive will encourage them to diligently pursue their professional goals. The nation will benefit from the full development of this precious intellectual resource."

Million Penny Project

How much is a million? Students at Mark Twain School, 9401 Hamlin, Niles, will try to find out as they begin their Million Penny Project.

Conceived by Mark Twain principal, Mr. Kerry Leiby, the project will kick off in early October. A schoolwide assembly will present the project to students. Al Kutchins, a representative for the Ronald McDonald House, will be on hand to talk about Ronald McDonald House which is for families that have children with a serious illness who are receiving care in a nearby hospital.

A portion of the collected pennies will be donated to Ronald McDonald House which has served 10,000 families since its inception in 1977. Purchase of educational tools and a small school celebration of pizza party will use the rest of the million pennies.

During the school year, students will bring whatever pennies they can, whenever they can. Pennies will be collected in classroom containers and brought to the school office daily to be deposited in the all school container. A thermometer displayed in the all school bulletin board will help students keep track of their progress towards the million penny goal.

Meredith Tanner

Meredith Tanner, the daughter of Terence and Eileen Tanner of Skokie, entered Carleton College this fall. She is a graduate of Niles North High School.

School News

2nd grade chefs at SJB



Once a week, the second grade students from St. John Brebeuf become master chefs during their "Creative Cooking" time. The recipes the children make are part of the literature-based curriculum which is now a major focus in the second grade.

Brad Konieczka and Laura Achille are watching Cristina Bonilla mix witches' brew. This treat was made after the story "Miss Nelson is Missing" was read.

Other recipes tackled thus far include taffy apple dip ("Johnny Applesed"), baked caramel apples ("The Giving Tree"), chocolate-covered bananas ("Caps for Sale"), and popcorn sugar snack ("The Popcorn Book").

Festival benefits Niles West Band

Start your holiday shopping early this year by attending the Niles West High School Band Parents' "Melodies In The Market" Holiday Festival on Saturday, Oct. 29 from 10 a.m. to 4 p.m. at the school, 5701 Oakton Street in Skokie.

This special fundraiser will feature hand-made arts and crafts, product demonstrations and sales, home-made baked

goods, a recipe corner, a special Santa's Corner for children, and the opportunity to order Christmas wreaths for holiday delivery. Raffles will be held throughout the day, and festive holiday music will serenade shoppers.

A \$1 donation is suggested at the door, and all proceeds from the event will benefit the students of the Niles West Band.

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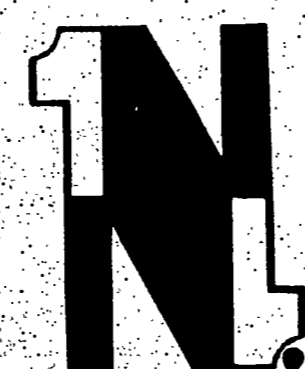
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